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Don't let burglars ruin your day

By Bill Gray

While most Floydada residents were anticipating the joys and celebrations of Easter Sunday, unknown thieves had already spoiled the day for some local residents who were out of town for the holidays. The yeggs who committed the early Easter morning break-in of the home obviously had no regard for the victims or for the day on which the crime was perpetrated.

On a day traditionally spent attending religious services, family gatherings and egg hunts for the youngsters, the criminals broke into the rear of the residence and made off with approximately



Austin - We note from afar, by way of the pages of The Hesperian and the Beacon, that we have missed some goings-on in the County.

The rains came again, finally. They always do, but sometimes the dry spells last a little longer than we would like. We didn't have all that much rain last year either, but fortunately it always seemed to come just in the nick of time. Hopefully we will do as well this year.

And we note that some folks from up in Morton, Illinois, came to town. We suspect they came to look the place over and try to decide what they can do to reclaim the title of "Pumpkin Capitol," having lost that title to Floydada a couple of years ago.

We suspect however that it's a situation they will just have to learn to live with. Still, we have a suggestion that might help all the way around. We think it would be a good idea for a delegation of Floyd County folks to make an on-site inspection of Morton and the surrounding country, just to see if they have, or had, any valid reasons to lay claim to the title in the first place. (Sometimes people get carried away with these things, and perhaps exaggerate just a little.) The Floydada delegation would be empowered to evaluate Morton's claim and announce to the world the true facts in the matter. That is the only way we can see that will settle this thing honestly, once and for all.

We would suggest the delegation be made up of two or three pumpkin growers, one or two city councilmen and maybe a county commissioner or two. We thought about putting someone on the delegation from the Chamber of Commerce, but that might cause some raised eyebrows in Morton. We need a completely unbiased delegation so everyone will accept their findings. We might even put the Mayor on the delegation. Even the folks in Morton couldn't argue with a delegation like that.

> Talk about ingratitude! Poor Clinton Manges. Back about six or seven years ago he was riding high in the world of politics. He was lavishing thousands of dollars on Democratic candidates for state office, one of whom was Garry Mauro, now our Land Commissioner. And Garry was all over the papers and television, testifying to his shrewdness in completing an out-of-court settlement involving Manges, the Mobil Oil Corporation, and the Permanent School Fund. Part of the settlement was that Manges got control of some 49,000 acres in South Texas oil producing land and the state got control of the production on about 14,000 acres. The deal is apparently coming unravelled, and Manges wants to sue the state, claiming he's entitled to more than he is getting.

Now Mr. Mauro is quoted in the papers saying things like "Some people say that Clinton Manges never signed a contract he wouldn't break. From where I stand, those people are right."

We understand that Mr. Mauro is a lawyer, and presumably knows how far he can go with comments like that. But this thing may get even more interesting than it is now.

\$7,000.00 worth of household goods all transpiring within plain view of a busy highway. Whether the activity was observed or not has not been confirmed. but surely some passing motorist could have seen the vehicle in the driveway as it was being loaded with the household's

Incidents such as this will continue to occur unless concerned citizens take the necessary actions to help deter such crimes. No one is advocating that private citizens "take the law into their own hands" to prevent street and residential criminal activity. However, everyone committed to having safe and secure neighborhoods should make it their business to observe and be aware of strangers' intrusions and unusual activities in their residential areas.

Citizens are again reminded that Floydada has an anonymous CRIME CALL telephone number, which can be used if they desire to not be identified. CRIME CALL OF FLOYD COUNTY is a privately-funded program designed to assist law enforcement officials by giving them an added tool in combating crime in the county. An automatic \$200.00 reward is offered for information which assists in clearing any felony charges in the county. The telephone number of CRIME CALL is 983-5200.

Law enforcement authorities cannot possibly cover all areas at all times. Therefore, our policemen must rely upon alert and attentive citizens who won't hesitate in getting involved in reporting unusual circumstances or incidents. Floydada is noted for its friendliness, but if residents will band together, the word will soon reach the criminal element that they are being observed and will be reported.

Thieves are not the only concern confronting this or other area communities. Bunko artists and dishonest operators always make their appearances this time of year. Home repair and maintenance scams are popular in the Spring, and this year is no exception. Amarillo

Members of the Floydada city council

approved a \$50 reward "for information

leading to the arrest and conviction of

anyone tampering with city dog traps"

now being used to control stray dogs in

The reward will only be paid if infor-

mation received results in finding and

punishing someone who has tampered

with a dog trap. Mayor Parnell Powell

reminded council members that police

citations can be issued and fines levied

on any unauthorized person caught

The motion was made by council

woman Ginger Warren, seconded by

tampering with a dog trap.

and Lubbock have their share of shady con men who prey upon unsuspecting victims - and they have filtered into the smaller towns as well.

Some of the more popular schemes include siding installation, roof and driveway repairs, and yard work. Residents are again reminded that Floydada has a door-to-door solicitation ordinance. If approached by salesmen offering to perform services or selling a product, the resident should request that the solicitor produce credentials indicating clearance from City Hall. If the solicitor cannot or will not show such identification, the police should be notified imme-

The majority of door-to-door contacts are made by honest, legitimate businesspeople. However, if there is any doubt, call the city offices - it is better to be safe than sorry. Besides, our law enforcement officials need to know when strangers are "covering the neighborhoods."

On numerous occasions, this newspaper has reminded its readers of the importance of permanently marking household and personal items of value with the owner's TEXAS DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER. Not only will this make it difficult in "fencing" the valuables, but it will also make identification of stolen articles more possible. Hundreds of recovered identified items are linked to reported thefts every day. A burglar will think twice before entering a house if it is identified as having its contents marked for identification pur-

The burglary on Easter was successful partly due to the early hour it was committed. More awareness surrounding the situation might have prevented the success of the operation. A direct appeal goes out to all citizens of Floydada: get involved and be alert to any unusual happenings in your neighborhood. It does not always happen to the other guy — the next victim may be

councilman Frank Breed. The vote was

Following a presentation by South-

western Bell representative Jim West,

the council approved a resolution sup-

porting the proposed five year plan the

telephone company has asked the Public

Utilities Commission to approve. The

plan includes a freeze on rates, upgrad-

ing of all Texas offices to digital status,

upgrading of four party service to two

party service at no additional cost, dis-

in favor of the reward proposal.

TEXAS FIRST

PLAN APPROVED

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Council sets reward

for dog trap vandals



GRADY TAYLOR of Quitaque points to the ruins of what perhaps may be the oldest dugouts of early settlers in Floyd County. Thought to be inhabited by the Baker

brothers as early as 1874, the location is on a hill overlooking the Quitaque River. The trees and fence of Grey Mule Cemetery can be seen in the background.

Floyd County - The Early Years

(In May 1990, Floyd County will celebrate its Centennial. In preparation for the numerous events of the county's one hundredth anniversary, The Floyd County Hesperian will feature a series of articles which are designed to inform its readers of the background, history and heritage of our county.

Researched and written by Bill Gray, the information has been compiled from a number of sources including: A Guide to the South Plains of Texas, published in 1935 by the Texas Highway Department; The Texas Panhandle Frontier, 1973, by Frederick W. Rathjen; The Frontier of Northwest Texas — 1846 to 1876, 1963, by Rupert W. Richardson; The Early History of Floyd County, 1947, by Claude V. Hall; A History of Crosby County, Texas, 1952, by Nettie Witt Spikes and Temple Ann Ellis; The Big Ranch Country, 1971, by J.W. Williams; Lone Star - A History of Texas and the Texans, 1968, by T.R. Fehrenbach; and Favorite Stories About Floyd County, 1973, by Alma N. Holmes.

The first segment of the series, "Floyd County - The Early Years" commences in today's edition.)

By Bill Gray

It is hard to believe that just a little more than one hundred years ago the location of modern day Floyd County was on the fringe of the mysterious and uncharted High Plains of Northwest Texas. It was the exclusive domain of the Comanche, Comanchero, Kiowa and buffalo. As Floyd County approaches the milestone of its Centennial in 1990, the phenomenal changes that and understood by a brief review of the territory's history.

The Plains were at first thought to be too much for people to bear and could never sustain civilized human existence. However, the early cattlemen visioned the panoramas of seemingly endless prairies as fertile with deep grass for their market-bound herds. Today, Floyd County and its surrounding areas are a virtual storehouse of nature's bounty - producing tons of grains, fibre and vegetables.

How did this astounding evolution occur? The Panhandle-South Plains of Texas is a new country so far as settlement is concerned, but according to recent archaeological discoveries, the region has been inhabited longer than any other part of the state. Pliestocene Man lived here and hunted gigantic

bison, horses, and several kinds of elephants (now extinct for over 10,000 years). Another race of early man lived in stone houses in Canadian Valley of the Panhandle, and cultivated fields of maize and pumpkins hundreds of years before Columbus set sail for the New

Pueblo Indians made Summer camps and hunted buffalo on the "country as level as the sea" long before the arrival of the Spanish Conquistadors. It was Francisco Vasquez de Coronado who, upon traversing the Plains in the Sixteenth Century, more than likely dubbed them the "Llano Estacado." It is an error in the public mind that the "Staked Plains" were so named because some early travelers, in order not to lose their way, placed stakes of wood at intervals Continued On Page 2

The Floyd County Hesperian is recipient of press awards

The Floyd County Hesperian was once again a winner in of the Panhandle Press Association Better Newspaper Contest, April 7-8. The Hesperian brought home three awards in the largest regional newspaper contest in the United States. The Lockney Beacon also received an Honorable Mention.

Judged by the Gulf Coast Press Association, awards were given out at the Awards Breakfast on Saturday morning. The Hesperian, in the Division I category; won 2nd place in the Use of Photography, 3rd place in Society & Lifestyles and 3rd place in Feature Writing. The Lockney Beacon received an Honorable Mention on their use

Special comments by judges in the use of photography category were: "Your photographers were kept busy covering a wide range of events. Photos composed

Commenting on the feature stories submitted for competition, the judges stated, "Book Closes (feature on South Plains School closing) - Good writing. Effective use of quotations. Good layout and art. Has good readership with many local names and

have occurred can best be appreciated 'She is a very neat person'



Jimmie Lou Stewart City Secretary

Jimmie Lou Stewart marks 40th anniversary with city "All billing was done by hand in longhand...they weren't typed for a while," Jimmie Lou Stewart explains as she reminisces about her

early years as a member of the City of Floydada office staff. When she signed on with the city in April 1949, she and City Secretary Jake Watson were it — the entire office

staff. "Jake was the city secretary who hired me," she says. "He entered the billing into a ledger, and I made the bills out from the ledger in longhand. We were doing water and electricity both and all that had to be calculated by hand."

Miss Stewart, who is rarely seen without her customary smile, remembers that a few years later the practice of typing bills was initiated.

The present city secretary acknowledges that "the biggest change" she has experienced involves the transition "from longhand to computer."

City of Floydada made the conversion to computer earlier than many offices and businesses. "We had a mini-computer in 1974," remembers Jimmie Lou, who explains that the present five-person office staff has a modern computer "and three working terminals now. Everything is done on the computer...billing, payroll and everything."

MORE WATER

ACCOUNTS

Although she hesitates to make a numerical comparison, the city secretary says the city serves approximately 1,600 water accounts now and had "probably half that many" in

"I've seen a lot of changes," Miss Stewart confesses. But then she thinks of "how many changes my mother (Lula Stewart) has seen. She's 86 and she went from Texas to New Mexico in a covered wagon when she was a child."

In addition to the conversion from handwritten bills, to typewritten billing and finally to computers, three other transitions loom large in her memory bank.

The first was the conversion from well water to Mackenzie Municipal Water District water in 1984. "That was really a big change for us here" in the city office.

Another major occurance came "when we started purchasing power (electricity)" in

For almost 40 years City of Floydada had generated its own power. "The (city) power plant was built in 1939," she explains. "Income from the electric system has helped the city remain (economically) stable and we have been able to do a lot of things we couldn't have without that income."

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along the route.

Another erroneous explanation of the source of the name may have originated from the tall stalks of yucca along the western borders which resembled artificial stakes stuck in the ground. The basis of these legends stemmed from the assumption that there were no roads or trails across the country — at one time called "The Great American Desert."

A logical explanation may be attributed to Coronado's expedition of 1541. Approaching the northwestern corner of the Caprock from the West, the great escarpment gave the impression of the bastion of a huge fortification. The Spaniards visualized it as a stockade or estacado. Later, English-speaking explorers misinterpreted the name and translated it as "Staked Plains," losing

This Week

WEATHER

Court	esy of Ener	gas
DATE	HIGH	LOW
Apr. 5	69	52
Apr. 6	82	52
Apr. 7	88	57
Apr. 8	63	39
Apr. 9	56	34
Apr. 10	50	35
April 11	60	46

BAR-B-Q FUNDRAISER

A fundraising meal for the Floydada Fire Department will be held April 16, 11 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., at Duncan Elementary. Proceeds will be used to buy equipment and send firemen to school.

SINGLES

The Floydada Singles Club will meet at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, April 15, at Lighthouse Electric. The group will be having a salad supper. Hostesses will be Edith Marrs, Ruby Ratjen, Letha Mulder and Betsy Dempsey.

1979 CLASS REUNION

1979 Class Reunion planning meeting will be at 8 p.m. Thursday, April 13, at the First National Bank community room. All class members are urged to attend.

AMBULANCE FUND

Be on the lookout for your ambulance fund drive reminders mailed with your electricity bills.

DEFENSIVE **DRIVING COURSE**

A Farm Bureau sponsored defensive driving course will be held from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. April 17 and 18 in the Lockney school ag building. Cost will be \$5.00 for Farm Bureau members and \$45.00 for anyone else. For more information contact Floyd County Farm Bureau, 983-3777 or 652-2242.

DIABETES CLASS

Diabetes class will meet in the hospital cafeteria April 27 at 7:00 p.m. Weigh-in time is 6:30 to 6:55 p.m. Those who have any interest or problem with diabetes are welcome to attend. Helen Teeple is instructor of this class. These classes are free and offered as a service of Caprock Hospital Dis-

HEART DRIVE

Floydada Chapter of the American Heart Association business drive will be done during the month of April.

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or palisaded high plain." The designation of Llano Estacado was commonly used as a reference point by early offi-

cials and map makers. Coronado and his men were surprised to find the natives very friendly and peaceful; some were even helpful and acted as guides. The Apaches and Comanches hunted the buffalo on foot and moved their worldly possessions by dog-pulled sleds called travois. Sometime after the Spanish era and prior to Anglo settlement from the East, the Plains tribes domesticated the horse many of which had been left by Coronado and other explorers.

The horse afforded the Comanches and other tribes the freedom to become more nomadic, thus giving them the ability to pursue the giant herds of buffalo. The entire culture of the Plains Indians centered around the massive animals; the buffalo furnished food, clothing, shelter and about everything else the Indians' lifestyle dictated. The Indians' manners of living and their dispositions were revolutionized by the horse. The Indians became stealthy, dreaded and hostile; they resisted all encroachments into their ranges and hunting grounds.

After Texas achieved statehood in 1845, the most vital domestic issue was frontier defense against the marauding savages. From 1848 to 1874, especially during and following the Civil War, most of the frontier posts were inadequately manned and were frequently raided by hostiles in spite of the pres-

the real Spanish meaning of "stockaded" ence of troops. The government took an almost passive position regarding the problem.

> However, because of increased Indian depredations throughout the Southwest, in 1870 the Federal government commenced a vigorous campaign which ultimately forced the Plains tribes onto reservations in Indian Territory (Oklahoma). The location that later would become organized as Floyd County figured prominently in the final thrusts against the last remaining threat Quanah Parker and his band of Quahada (Kwahadi) Comanches. Colonel Ranald Slidell Mackenzie's 4th U.S. Cavalry finally secured peace on the

Anglo settlement upon the Llano began. Two brothers by the name of Baker, having purchased a portion of one of the Goodnight herds, settled on a hill overlooking the Quitaque River in 1874 (the remains of the Bakers' three dugouts are located approximately four hundred yards southwest of Grey Mule Cemetery in today's Northeastern Floyd County).

Llano Estacado in September 1874.

Charles Goodnight bought vast parcels of land from the upper Panhandle to the Pease Breaks for John G. Adair, who became the owner of the famous J A Ranch. In 1876 Goodnight moved his herds into Palo Duro Canyon, which less than two years earlier had been the stronghold and Summer camp of Quanah Parker. Goodnight and his partner, Oliver Loving created one of the most used drive trails in the West; each was to become a legend of the American West.

With the Indian menace removed, attention was shifted to a lesser obstacle — the buffalo. Hides were bringing more than three dollars in easter markets, and buffalo robes quickly became more than just novelties. Hunters by the hundreds poured into buffalo country by rail, wagon, horseback and afoot.

The slaughter was on! By 1878 the bison were gone and the land was littered with the bleached bones of the giant beasts. Cattlemen such as Goodnight and Loving anxiously arrived to take advantage of the free ranges along the trails leading to Kansas railway points and northern grazing territories. The introduction of barbed wire marked the end of the open range and the beginning of agriculture.

Thence came the settlers, or "nesters" as they were called. The migration to Northwest Texas steadily increased during the late 1800s, with nesters homesteading school lands, organizing counties and building communities. In the second half of the Nineteenth Century, a similar scene was being played all over the West as hundreds of new towns and settlements were established.

Most immigrants came with high expectations and were eager to till the soil or graze their cattle upon the limitless grasslands. Those who sought their livelihood by providing goods and services for the rest of the population also came. They were the merchants and bankers, doctors and lawyers, blacksmiths and saddlemakers.

(Next: "Civilization Comes To The Llano")

"Not just cows and plows anymore"

Board hears overview of new ag dept.

Ag science instructor Barron Wetsel told FISD school trustees "It's no longer vocational agriculture, now it's agricultural science and technology." Wetsel \$31,927.43 with a 45 day completion characterized the new state mandated curriculum of his department as "not just cows and plows anymore."

"We have a lot to offer students now," he continued, during the regular board meeting on April 10. Wetsel explained the wide variety of semester classes now available to the 62 FHS students in his department.

Courses currently include wildlife and recreation management, taxidermy, vegetable farming, metal fabrication, animal science, ag mechanics, ag business and marketing and home maintenance and improvement.

Said Wetsel, "We have 12 girls in the department now and have begun a junior FFA program this year in addition to our district competitions."

HAIR CODE NEEDED?

Floydada High School principal Ronnie Wood met with the board to request that the addition of a hair code be considered for the policy manual next school year.

"We now have only a general rule about hair, it must be neatly trimmed and clean," said Wood. "We have some that are getting kind of long on some of the boys."

"I haven't had many comments, but I have had some," said Wood in responding to questions from the board. He indicated that his concern was for those with hair below the shoulders.

Wood asked the board to "think about it and maybe see what the community wants as far as a more exact code regarding hair."

Comments from the board were few with trustee Andy Hale saying, "I think we have a pretty conservative community. I'd be in favor of a hair code." No action was taken on the matter.

AUXILIARY PERSONNEL

RECEIVE RAISE

Board members approved a 3% pay increase for all auxiliary school employees. These employees are bus drivers, custodians, bus mechanics, groundsmen and cafeteria personnel. The raise, effective for the 1989-90 school year, was granted on a motion by Hale, seconded by trustee Adolfo Garcia.

Administrative assistant, Jimmie Collins, asked the board to approve the purchase of uniform shirts for the custodians. This was approved with an estimated cost of \$631. Custodians will be responsible for laundering the shirts themselves.

MENEFEE STREET PAVING

Three bids were received last Thursday by the trio of entities seeking the pavement of Menefee Street adjacent to

the track facility and field house at the high school. Appian Corporation of Hereford was the low bidder at

A motion by trustee Don Hardy, seconded by Hale and passed by unanimous vote accepted the bid. Acceptance is contingent upon approval by the City of Floydada and Floyd County Commissioners. The cost is to be shared with Floyd County Commissioners Precinct 1 paying \$7,000 while the City and FISD pay approximately \$15,000 each including architectural fees and incidental expenses.

OTHER MATTERS

Superintendent Jerry Cannon reported that summer classes will again be offered for bilingual and at risk students up to 8th grade.

A resignation was accepted from

Deborah Lloyd, a resource teacher at R.C. Andrews Elementary. Employment was approved for Karen

Quebe (educational diagnostician at Della Plains), Duffy Hinkle (secretary and aide at high school), Kyle Clark (junior high coach), Janet Adams (high school English and annual staff), David Carr (high school health and physical education) and Sheri Carr (elementary

The annual contract with Region 17 Education Service Center was approved for renewal. This provides films and educational materials for teachers to use in classrooms.

Attending the session were Jerry Cannon, Jimmie Collins, Andy Hale, Don Hardy, John Dunlap, Adolfo Garcia, Charlene Brown, Cyndiann Williams, Michael Hinsley, Barron Wetsel, Ronnie Wood and the Hesperian re-



REGIONAL COMPETITORS—Qualifying for the upcoming regional tennis tournament were Janet Himes and Trina Ogden who placed 2nd in womens doubles at the district meet in Lubbock. They, along with Coach Bates, will attend the tournament held in Odessa on April 26-27. Junior Galvan and Jaime Bailey are the 3rd place alternates and may participate in case the 1st or 2nd place teams cannot compete. Shown here are Coach B.K.Bates, Janet Himes and Trina Ogden.

Sams to raise funds for ambulance

By Bill Gray

The Whirlwind Sams RV Club met for the monthly meeting at the Massie Activity Center on April 3. A special guest for the evening was Doctor Ted Givins, who presented an interesting slide program on India. Givins' position with Pioneer Seed Company takes him to many countries, and he is a wellinformed traveler.

The membership voted in lieu of exchanging Christmas gifts that the funds be donated to the city ambulance fund. Approximately \$280.00 will be earmarked for this worthwhile cause. It is hoped that this decision by the club will help encourage other organizations in the community to take similar action.

The aluminum drive for financing

landscape items for the City RV Park continues. Over \$300.00 has been collected for this project in the past year. The Whirlwind Sams ask that if anyone wishes to donate scrap aluminum and/or cans to drop them off at Russell's Equipment and Supply. More landscaping and beautification of the RV Park is planned. The project is financed entirely by donations and the collected cans and other aluminum items.

Twenty-five rigs were represented at the meeting, in addition to one associate member. Plans are being finalized for the April trip to Brownwood State Park. About 11 rigs will be making the trek, with several continuing on to the Spring Samboree at Harlingen later in the

Dance and Concert

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Member FSLIC

'She is a very neat person'

Jimmie Lou Stewart marks 40th anniversary with city

Continued From Page 1 power, City of Floydada still operates its own electric transmission system.

"Another drastic change" - perhaps more for Miss Stewart than for lay persons because she is in charge of city elections - occurred "when the city went from the at-large to the single member district system. That has made elections much more complex."

However, she adds that "It probably has been best for the community."

The initial municipal election under the at-large system was conducted in 1987.

COMPETENT

"Competent" or "efficient" might be the first words chosen by the public if they were asked to describe the city secretary.

But her fellow employees - those who work with her daily and know her best used other words in nominating Miss Stewart for "Employer of the Year," an award with which she was honored at the Floydada Chamber of Commerce Banquet in Febru-

The nomination form stated that "dedicated, knowledgeable, efficient, organized, supportive, understanding, patient and friendly are just a few of Jimmie Lou's outstanding qualities."

Individuals who placed her name in nomination were asked to describe "in 25 words or less why you think your boss should be 'Employer'." Their response: "Knowledge of city government (40 years) and ability to supervise are the basis for the efficient/friendly office. Her concern for all employees extends to all citizens."

The high esteem in which her peers hold Jimmie Lou was depicted by the fact that the nomination bore signatures of all 22 fellow workers.

WORKS WITH EIGHT MAYORS

Eight mayors have served Floydada during Miss Stewart's tenure, which probably is the longest in the annals of the city.

"F.C. (Frank) Harmon was mayor when Jake Watson hired me," Jimmie Lou recalls. He was the town's funeral director. Following Harmon were J.A. Patterson, Lewis Norman, J.M. Willson Jr., S.W. Ross, Leonard Matsler, Jimmy Seay and the present officeholder, Parnell Powell.

Perhaps an even more significant fact is that "I have worked for all three city managers." Olen Petty became the first individual to hold this position after it was created in November 1963. He was succeeded by Bill Feuerbacher and Gary Brown, the present city manager.

Miss Stewart was elevated from clerk to city secretary in

The eleventh individual in Texas to receive state certification, she was a member of the first graduating class in 1972. She was honored with selection as the City Secretary of the Year in 1973 by the Association of City Clerks and Secretaries of Texas.

In addition, she is a certified municipal clerk of The International Institute of Municipal

Miss Stewart has "served in all offices" of the South Plains Association of City Clerks and Secretaries and holds membership in the Academy for Advanced Education, International Institute of Municipal

Before the city manager's position was established, the city secretary was the ranking member of the staff. This was an elective office when Miss Stewart became a city employee.

In addition to Watson, city secretaries with whom she worked before assuming that position were B.K. Barker, Lewis Norman and Feuer-

Being employed in the public was nothing new to Jimmie Lou when she joined the city

"My first job was as a "soda jerk" at Arwine Drug when I was 14 years old," says the soft-spoken, lifelong Floydada resident. Later, she "worked for Maude Hollums at Duncan Abstract as a senior in high school and on weekends while attending Draughon's (Business College in Lubbock)." She received a diploma from Floydada High School at the age of 16.

EARLY EXPERIENCE

By the time she was graduated from Draughon's, she was a veteran in the business world despite her young age. After completing her studies at the business college, "I worked as bookkeeper for J.C. Penney Co. in Floydada."

Before changing her business address to city hall, Miss Stewart was associated with the Floyd County Tax Assessor-Collector's office.

It was during this time that the courthouse was destroyed by fire.

"Fortunately, there have been no real major tragedies that affected the entire city" since that time.

She bears a true love for her home community.

Although her father, Luther Stewart, is deceased, her mother continues to reside in Floydada as do a brother, L.B. Stewart, a longtime associate of Oden Chevrolet-Olds, and a sister, Carolyn Smith. Another sister, Ruth Lloyd, is a San Antonio resident.

A third sister, the wellknown Joyce Stewart, is deceased. She was a longtime employee of The Floyd County Hesperian and operated Stewart Printing (now Script Printing) at the time of her death.

What has Jimmie Lou, a veteran of 40 years with City of Floydada, enjoyed most about her work?

"The people of the town and fellow employees," she replies rapidly. "We have a closeknit staff...we always have. We've had good mayors and good council members. It's all been enjoyable," she concludes with a ring of sincerity.

'WE COULD **WRITE 25 PAGES'**

Who could better evaluate Jimmie Lou Stewart's value to the City of Floydada than her fellow employees? As an addendum to her "Employer of the Year" nomination, her coworkers stated:

"When our office decided to make a nomination for 'Employer of the Year,' we were excited about what to say and how to say it. Then we got a copy of the nomination form and it stated, 'In 25 words or less state why you think your boss should be Employer of the Year.' 25 WORDS OR LESS! We could write 25 pages or more!

"On the nomination form it asked for outstanding qualities. We listed 'dedicated, knowledgeable, efficient, organized, supportive, understanding, patient and friendly.' We wanted to say 'She's a very NEAT person!'

"Neat in the respect that she knows everything, and we mean everything, about how to run a city! She's also neat in that she has a smile and a shoulder for all the employees. She's neat in that she has a way with the publc. She has an ability to supervise without having to be forceful.

"With 40 years experience at the City, Jimmie Lou Stewart has the RESPECT of all around her! Without any hesitation, all of the employees of the City of Floydada were eager to sign their name on the nomination form for Jimmie Lou to be Employer of the Year."

They could have added that either Employer or Employee of the Decade would also have been appropriate!

The annual audit of the city financial

records was authorized during the Tues-

day evening session. Edd Henderson

CPA will again perform the audit at an

approximate cost of \$3,675. The motion

for the audit was made by Russell, sec-

onded by Breed and approved by unani-

Summer mowing of alleys, right of

ways and bar ditches within the city was

discussed. The matter was tabled for

action at a later date while council

members look into the possibility of

obtaining mowing equipment and the

city doing the work themselves rather

than contracting the work out.

mous vote of the council.

Ambulance Fund Contributions

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Colston Mr. and Mrs. M.H. Martin Will Martin Harry Jones John Farris C.E. Leatherman Mrs. R.L. Neil Henry Hinton Leonard Matsler Malvin Jarboe Oleta Wilson C.E. Wright John S. Hotchkiss Vickie Latta Carisa Sue Darty Gin Dr. Keith Patzer Bernice Oden Myrtle Finley Ina Ruth Duncan 1950 Study Club Bill Beedy Cleo Goins Jo Bingham Weims Norman D.C. Mayo Floydada Ready Mix Bill Tye Julia Baker Whirlwind Sams Bessie L. Wilson Edward H. Wester **Eula Battey** Wayne Bennett

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Mr. and Mrs. M.W. Johnson

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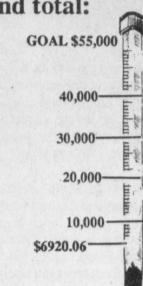
- Auto Trans

- Electric Locks

Barbara Goen

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Heflin Louise Turner - Memorial to J.P.

Ambulance fund total:



Fund is on it's way towards \$55,000

Absentee voting begins

Absentee voting begins April 17 and ends May 2. Voters in the City Election may cast their ballots in the city secretary's office in City Hall. Votes in the School Board Election can cast their ballots at the administrative office.

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SPECIAL * - 1988 Ford F-150 4800 miles.....\$10,500.00

SPECIAL * - 1988 Thunderbird LX Sport \$10,500.00

SPECIAL * - 1987 LTD Crown Victoria...... \$10,967.00

SPECIAL * - 1985 Grand Marquis.....\$ 7995.00

- 1988 Chevrolet 4x4 Silverado, 30,000 mi, . \$12,500.00

- 1986 Bronco XLT.....\$ 9995.00

- 1985 Tempo. \$ 2995.00

- 1984 Honda Prelude.....\$ 6995.00

\$17,000 Stock #3626 FLOYDADA USED CAR FACTORY

councilman Wayne Russell and approved by unanimous vote.

INDIVIDUAL UTILITY

METERING APPROVED

Ordinance #721 was passed by the council during the regular session on April 11. The ordinance calls for individual etering of utility service to all buildings, houses, mobile homes, etc. This will preclude anyone moving a trailer or other building onto a lot already occupied and tying into the utilities without benefit of a city meter and should result in increased city revenue from sanitation, sewer and utility charges. The motion was adopted on a motion by Warren, seconded by councilman Amado Morales and approved by the remainder of the council.

DEMOLITION PROCEEDINGS

A public hearing was held on the proposed demolition of a structure at 308 W. Kentucky. Owners of record, Trevino-Tanguma-Marciano, have been notified but no response has been forthcoming. The council adopted a resolution to proceed with the demolition process and advertise for bids on a motion from Willson. The second came from Warren with the remainder of the council voting unanimously in favor of to \$7,000" to the project from his road funds. The school district voted Monday evening to set aside \$15,000 towards the project and the city will devote an equal amount to the project. City participation in the project was authorized on a motion by councilman Leroy Burns, seconded by Russell and passed by unani-

OTHER MATTERS

A motion by Breed, seconded by Morales and passed by the council authorized the taking of bids for the sale of a 1980 Chevrolet 4 door vehicle which has been driven by the city secretary.

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> See me for car, home, life and health insurance.

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- 1980 Buick Park Avenue.....\$ 3395.00 COME AND SEE US!

TODAY SERVICE GLIARANTEE

Under \$18,500

Bearden of Precinct 1 has told the city and FISD that he can contribute "\$6,000 continuance of mileage charges on rural lines, and lower long distance access rates. Motion was made by council woman Nancy Willson, seconded by

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the motion.

Bids were opened on the demolition of a structure at 1030 S. Leonard Street. Four bids were received. Billie C. Harbin bid \$2295.00, Kevin Nelson bid \$400.00, Keith Reeves bid \$895.00 and Vernon Wickware bid \$399.00. The bid for the demolition was awarded to Wickware as the low bidder on a motion by Morales, seconded by Willson and passed unanimously by the council.

MENEFEE STREET PAVING

A co-operative effort between the city, Floyd County and the Floydada Independent School District has been approved and will result in the paving of the remainder Menefee Street. The street, a county road within the city limits of Floydada and adjacent to the field house at high school, will cost approximately \$31,927 to pave with architectural fees and incidentals running the total up to "about \$35,000" according to city manager Gary Brown. The low bidder on the paving was Appian Corporation of Hereford. Starting date for the project has not been announced.

County commissioner Connie

Remember the Floydada Volunteer Fire Department fundraising barbecue is Sunday!

DOG CLINIC

City sets reward for dog trap vandals

4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Thursday, April 20, 1989

Rabies Shot & City Tag - &7.00

City Tag - \$2.00 Rabies Shot - \$5.00 other shots for dogs available

PLACE: Back door of FIRE HALL Floydada

Veterinarian: Paul Glasson, DMV

A Tribute to Dr. A.E. Guthrie

Aubrey Elton Guthrie M.D., Senior is retiring from medical practice. He is our father. To most people in this his beloved community he is doctor or friend, often both. To us he is "Dad" or "Pop" or, to those of us who have the fortune to call him father because of marriage, "Gus" or "Doc." Though he frequently through the years has been our doctor also, he is primarily our dad. Following are some of our perceptions, ideas, and feelings about him.

To "Dad" from Aubrey II

Thank you for giving me the inheritance of health and longevity, of joy and excitement and zest for life, and of education and learning and growing. Thank you for the inspiration of a long term commitment to your life's work, to loving, to marriage, and to family. Thank you for the example of your loyalty to your wife, friends, and your country. Thank you for your love. I love you.

To "Pop" from Carroll and Frankie (Carroll's wife) How great you are is how we should begin, so before we start there is no

You were always there for all in need, we had to share you due to the Hippocratic Creed.

The bedside manner you always have displayed reflected your patience with your own brood, regardless of your mood.

Even your times of play were a symbol of a wholesome attitude.

Many times you shared your joy by reciting a poem or two, or three, or

Once smitten by this candor, I, Carroll, would wonder, "Can I retain all this wisdom?"

In gold these words should have been written.

So much has passed, too much for this space.

So here is a thought in haste: One Thanksgiving stands out in my mind, late in the afternoon when we were doing fine.

It was in the middle of grace—my oldest child said in dismay, "Grandfather, I can't hear you."

You replied without a sputter, "I wasn't talking to you. Sit still in your

I know the Man upstairs let out a chuckle as He watched us fighting to hold back the laughter until you said, "Amen."

Of course, there were moments of gray along the way, suppressed in calm. Mother was always there to help Thank you both. We love you.

To "Daddy" from Suzanne

I love you and I am so grateful for the opportunity to thank you for all that you and Mother have taught me simply by who you are and how you

Your relationship with Floydada has meant for me a whole community of people who have cared about me and who taught me, just as you did, how to live in this world. Your relationship with Mother has taught me how to love Joe and how to let him love me. Our hope as a couple is to live and love as you have lived and loved.

Your relationship with me has taught me to teach my children by giving them the room to learn from their own experiences, the guidance to make good choices, and the humility to admit mistakes.

Finally, your relationship with your God has taught me to give without always expecting something in return, to trust when logic insists on control, and to hope when the challenge of my life is overwhelming.

I know that you are so special because Mother loves you so much and I know that the two of you love Floydada and I celebrate the love this community has for you.

To "Gus" from Barbara (Aubrey II's wife)

In 1957 I met you and from that moment to this day I have felt respect for you: respect for your intelligence, your erect carriage, your need to learn. I began with an immediate liking for you and have gained, right beside this liking, a loving which adds color and warmth and comfort to my

I love your twinkling, mischievous eyes, your dancing step, your courage in the face of chaos, your subtle, funny teasing, your desire and willingness to be present at all the family's special events, the way you face life with the surety that things will be okay even if they are not okay presently, your honesty (you are not a big talker but when you speak you choose truth), the integrity of your style of adding day after day to your long and gentle life, the way you love your wife and your children and me. I love you and I thank God for putting me and this Guthrie family together on earth.

To "Doc" from Joe (Suzanne's husband)

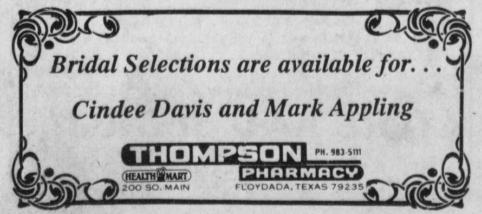
Our time together to this point has been brief compared to your other children but what you teach me speaks volumes about who you are and what you have been to so many through the years.

You are a man at one and the same time husband, father, friend and doctor: a husband showering Sue with love and respect as your partner and equal, entrusting to her your whole self, knowing that you will be handled with tender, loving care all the days of your life; a father patient and understanding with your children as they grow through life, wise in acting appropriately in every situation life throws their way; a friend faithful and true as the cast of a master fisherman and strong enough to lean on through the good and bad of life's journey; a doctor humble and compassionate as he places himself totally at the service of a small community for 60 years of dedicated care.

Doc, thank you for all you teach me; thank you for your love and acceptance, for your wisdom and example, for your guidance and healing hands; and—oh, yes—thank you for one more gift that comes straight from your heart-thank you for Suzanne. I love you.

From All of Us

Each of us sees our dad, Aubrey E. Guthrie M.D., Senior, with unique vision. Our words fall short but reach to create, for friends to see, a slight sketch of each person's relationship with him. We draw, shade, color, and finish the individual drawing differently but, hopefully, radiating out of each offering is our love for him.



South Plains News

By Ruby Lee Higginbotham

The past weekend the weather has put on a real show, not at all surprising, as this is April and most of the time we have all sorts of weather. This weekend the winds blew, cold and high from every direction, with clouds and threatening snow or rain and bringing freezing temperatures. We have peach trees that survived the last freeze and are loaded with fruit, just hope they survive this spell of weather.

Monday morning, April 10, Oleta Wilson along with her sister, Frances Staniforth drove to Elk City, Oklahoma, for an afternoon and evening visit with Frances' daughter, Sara and family. The

Look Who's New!

CHEEK

Derek and Lori Cheek of Orange, California, are proud to announce the arrival of their son, James Elliot. Jamie was born on April 1, 1989 at St. Joseph Hospital in Orange.

He weighed 7 lbs., 14 ozs. and was 20 inches long. Jamie has a 20-month-old brother, Jonathan.

Grandparents include Carolyn Cheek of Floydada and Jim and Betty Herrington of Anaheim, California.

CUEVAS

Annette and J.R. Cuevas would like to announce the birth of their new daughter, Maria Alicia Cuevas.

Maria Alicia was born on April 5 at 7:51 a.m. at Harris Hospital in Fort Worth. She weighed 8 lbs. 12 ozs. and was 20 inches long.

She has two brothers, Joseph Christopher, 5, and Stephen Lynn, 4, both of Winters, Texas.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bonifacio Cuevas of Floydada.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Castillo of Saginaw, Texas. Great-grandmother is Mrs. Helen Resendez of Saginaw. Great-greatgrandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest

RAINWATER

Salgado of Fort Worth.

Randy and Sharon Rainwater of Dougherty are announcing the arrival of their son, Brandon Mark, He was born on April 3 at 1:20 p.m. at Lockney General Hospital. He weighed 6 lbs. 8 ozs. and was 21-1/2 inches long.

Brandon has one brother, Matthew Wayne, age 6.

Grandparents are Wayne and Rosalyn Rainwater of Dougherty and Vincent and Rose Mary Ramaekers of Um-

Great-grandparents are Dora Albracht and Alma Conrad, both of Nazareth.

Tracy and Donna Webb of Floydada announce the birth of a son, Randy Lee Webb in Lockney General Hospital. Randy Lee was born on Monday, April 3. at 8:30 p.m. He weighed 7 lbs. 9 ozs. and was 20 inches long at birth. Randy Lee's grandparents are Jay and

Margie Webb of Brownfield and Harold and Vivian Snell of Floydada. He was welcomed into the world by

the oldest grandson, Joey Snell, and aunt and uncle, Mark and Darolyn Snell. His great-grandparents are Mrs. Elizabeth Armstrong of Floydada and

Bill and Mary Ruth Fewell of Lockney. Great-great-grandmother is Mrs. Gladys Fewell of Lockney.

March 31, Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton flew to Horseshoe Bend, Arkansas, for the 1989 Flying Farmers, Region 8 Convention. They encountered rain and threatening weather and were grounded in Heber Springs overnight. Doodle inquired as to what company supplied the electricity, he was informed it was First Electric of Jacksonville, Ark.

Everyone remember, Sunday, April 16, South Plains Baptist Church will be dismissed and members are invited to attend revival services with the folk of Flomot Church, Nathan Mulder (pastor) will be doing the preaching with Tom Fisher in charge of the music.

Brother Floyd Bradley visited South

ladies returned to their homes Tuesday. Plains Baptist Church Sunday afternoon explaining the missions endeavor the association is underwriting for the beginning of a new mission and church, the Glen Heights Church located south of Dallas near DeSoto, Texas.

> The life of Dr. A.E. Guthrie for so many years in Floydada and Floyd County has been a blessing to many people in so many ways. He was a busy, hard working man, but always found time to care for and encourage the sick, a friendly happy peson. He delivered many, many bundles of happiness and joy to homes in the county and surrounding communities. We are thankful for his sincere dedication, professional experience and skills. We wish for him many years of good retirement, relaxa

tion and casting for the big one!

President Woodrow Wilson enjoyed jokes at his own expense. He often related this one:

A magazine sent a correspondent to Hannibal, Mo., in 1913 to try to obtain stories about Mark Twain's boyhood. "Did you ever hear of Tom Sawyer?" he asked an old-timer there.

The man scratched his head and, after

pause, said, "No."

"Ever hear of Huckleberry Finn?" The pause was longer, "Nope." The correspondent tried one last shot. "And pudd'n head Wilson?"

A ray of recognition flashed. "Oh yes, I voted for him last year!"

-Josephine Daniels The Life of Woodrow Wilson (Johnson)

Senior Citizens News

By Thelma Jones

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Holmes of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Fay Hart last week.

Lula Teague and Thelma Jones visited Grace Dunn last week.

The Senior Citizens offer their sympathy to Kay Crabtree and Mrs. Joe (Lige) Moore on the loss of their mther, Mrs. Kate Crabtree. She was a former member of the Senior Citizens; also to the other members of the Bullard and Crabtree families.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Huckabee and Mrs. Eula Battey and a cousin from Lockney visited their brother, Mr. Al Huckabee in Stephenville, Texas, last week and also relatives in Memphis Sunday after-

Remember the covered dish luncheon next Thursday, April 19. Come and be

Rebecca Smith went back to her doctor Monday and got a real good report.

She will be able to get out more. Francis McClure is home from the

hospital and doing real well. Those who helped Elizabeth Armstrong celebrate her birthday Sunday were her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Snell, Lubbock; brother, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny McKinney; her son, Harold and Vivian Snell, Floydada; Mark Snell, Donna and Tracy Webb and baby. Elizabeth has a new great-grandbaby. This was a first visit to see her brother-in-law, Clyde Rogers of Lubbock, who is in the I.C.U. at Methodist Hospital. He had a heart attack Monday.

Evelyn Sparks had company the last two weekends, a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Beck, Dumas, and a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Beck, Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorman Turner of Hobbs, New Mexico, spent Friday with his mother, Mrs. Valree Turner. Other guests for a potluck luncheon were Doyle and Dorothy Turner, Loretta Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Turner, Margie and Travis Young.

Mrs. Y'Blood had as her guest for several days her sister-in-law. Mattie Wester visited Jewel Price one

afternoon last week. She is doing very

Oleta Wilson visited Thelma Jones Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Poteet of New Mexico spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Calvin Poteet.

Mr. Ham Smith Jr. of Clovis, New Mexico, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Smith.

Myria Dade visited at the home and hospital Sunday afternoon.

Mt. Blanco Study Club met with Evelyn Latta Monday afternoon. Roberta Russell and Viola Brown attended from here.

Mrs. Nettie Adams has as her guest this week her daughter from Arizona.

Mrs. Johnny McKinney is home from the hospital at Plainview for knee sur-

gery and doing very well. Wayne Day is at home after a visit with his sister and doctor appointments.

Rebekahs host District Deputy President

By Artie Webb

On Tuesday night, April 4, Floydada Rebekah Lodge #77 was host to Minnie Hill, District Deputy President of Dis-

Minnie Hill is from Abernathy Rebekah Lodge #170. Accompanying her were her husband, Finis Hill, and Marvin and Hazel Toler.

A delicious supper of fried chicken, vegetables and salad, cakes and pies, coffee and hot chocolate was served at 6

Couple plan to marry May 27

Jacki Burch and John Waits wish to announce their engagement and plans to exchange vows on May 27 on the Texas Tech campus. The bride-elect is the daughter of

Patricia Davis of Lubbock. She is employed by Texas Tech University. Waits is a 1977 graduate of Hale Center High School and Del-Mar College of Corpus Christi. He is employed

by Hitachi Electronics in Irving. He is the grandson of Decota Odam of Floydada.

The couple will reside in Irving following their wedding.

Baker and Neil marry in Colo.

Charles D. Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Baker, Floydada, and Dana Neil, daughter of Garth and Rosemary Neil, of Charlotte, North Carolina, were united in marriage on March 25, 1989 in Boulder, Colorado. They both work in the Denver area, and are making their home in Lafayette, Colorado.

p.m. All the dining tables were decorated with spring flowers. Ethelyn Vernon gave the invocation.

Lodge was then opened with Ruth Gilliland, Noble Grand, and Kathy Green, Vice Grand, presiding. The sick were reported on and no one was reported ill this week.

Business of the lodge was proceeded with. Then Minnie Hill, District Deputy President, was presented from the center of the floor and introduced. She was then given the honors of her office.

She gave the new president's, Rosie McMillin, of the Rebekah Assembly of Texas, program for the coming year and told about their trip to the assembly to see her installed as the 1989 president. Several talks for the good of the order

were given. Everyone reported a love and friendship evening.

Senior Citizens Menu

April 17-21

Monday: Porcupine meatballs in tomato sauce, blackeyed peas, cornbread, margarine or butter, pumpkin cobbler, milk, beverage choice

Tuesday: Roast beef/gravy, mashed potatoes/milk, carrots, pickles, whole wheat yeast roll, margarine or butter, orange half, milk, beverage choice

Wednesday: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes/milk, mixed vegetables, yeast roll, margarine or butter, oatmeal cookies, milk, beverage choice Thursday: Potluck luncheon

Friday: Turkey dressing supreme/ cranberry sauce, turnip greens, waldorf fruit salad, yeast roll, margarine or butter, chocolate pudding, milk, beverage choice

You are Invited to a **Retirement Party**

Honoring

Dr. and Mrs. A.E. Guthrie

First United Methodist Church

Saturday, April 15

from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Have you gotten Spring Fever and wanting to change a few things at home? Come by and see the pretty new things we have in for Home Decorating. The Southwest Look: Rugs, Arrangements, Baskets, 0, Dishes, Placemats, etc. And don't forget our Gourmet Center: Coffee, Spice Tea, Dips, Pop Corn & Spices Perfect for Party or Family. Sue's Gifts and Accessories 100 East California Floydada 983-5312

NSDAR hear program on Vietnam War

By Loretta Denning Buffalo Grass Chapter NSDAR met 75. March 28 at Lighthouse Electric in Floydada. The Regent Eugenia Bethard opened the meeting in ritualistic form. Sherry Colston gave the President General's message and the National Defense Report. She stated that during Spring Break she and two other adult leaders accompanied a group of Floydada Junior High students to Washington, D.C. for a tour of the Nation's Capital.

While there this group of Junior Historians placed a wreath at the site of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial. She then presented the program on the Vietnam War and the role of our nation in this, the longest war it had participated in, 1957-

Mrs. Bethard gave her report on the state meeting recently held in El Paso. She was accompanied by Mary Lou Bollman and Vera Jo Bybee. They each told of the different phases of the meeting. Our chapter was recognized in four areas of activity: Service to veteran patients; Lineage research; Public relations, and Donation to junior bazaar. At the present there are 16,775 members of DAR in the State of Texas.

The next meeting of Buffalo Grass Chapter will be on April 25 at the Motley County Museum in Matador. Mrs. Marisue Potts will be giving a historical

Morelli presents tornado program to Triple L Club

By Geneile Evans

The Triple L Club (Live, Long and Like It) of First Baptist Church met April 11 in the fellowship hall with 24 nembers and guests attending.

A delicious luncheon was served. The tables were decorated with spring flowers by Wanda Turner and Pat Rucker. Bro. Hal Farnsworth led in prayer be-

Baby shower fetes Barker

A baby shower was held on Saturday, April 8, honoring Nancy Barker in the home of Gladys Lawson.

A cake, in the shape of a baby carriage, was made by Beverly Harrison and served with hot tea and coffee.

Special out of town guests attending were Mrs. Lee Keesee, Linda and Shelly Williams, Roxanne Lloyd, Cynthia Chambers, Rosalee Bursey and Faye Folley. Local grandmas in attendance were Ethel Barker and Joyce Lloyd.

The honoree was presented with a baby swing and a high chair, and the table centerpiece, which was a ceramic rabbit planter filled with ivy.

Hostesses for the occasion were Edwina Hollums, Penny Golightly, Leah Lackey, Gladys Lawson, Teresa Overstreet, Emma Pate, Marilyn Holcomb, Kay Dean Smith, Beverly Harrison, Kristi Hopper, Vicki Sellers, and Chris McGowen.

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Don Morelli and Betsy Smith.

ervice of Lubbock brought the program.

He explained to us how a tornado forms,

how to look for a tornado in a storm

system and some of the methods now

used in tracking a tornado. He also

brought a film which showed tornadoes

in the making and in progress and

showed new studies and systems being

developed for better spotting and track-

ing of storm systems. His program was

most informative and we enjoyed it very

FLOYD DATA

3 p.m. for a group of cousins who gath-

Those enjoying the meal and fellow-

ship were: Mr. and Mrs. Cecil and Kath-

erine Baker and Viola Miller, Anton;

Odessa Cage and a friend, Ron Nelson

and Mr. and Mrs. Kyle and Jimmie

Hollomon, all of Lubbock; Debra Rush-

ing and Michael, Plainview; Walter

Hodge and a friend of Perryton; Mr. and

Mrs. Stanley and Virginia Waits, Hale

Center, and Deeota Odam, Floydada.

much.

Bridal selections are available for:

Cindee Davis & Mark Appling

Mary Lloyd & Trev Fuller

Sue's Gifts

and Accessories

100 E. California 983-5312

Roll was called with 13 members present and three excused absences. Minutes from the previous meeting were read and approved. Dara Ware gave the treasurer's report with no outstanding bills due. Dues are due again. The program tonight was Sherese Covington. She had Jack Robertson President Letha Mulder called the ' from R Photography to give her promeeting to order and the minutes of the

gram. He gave a cute slide show on previous meeting were read. It was rechildren that he had photographed. ported that Thelma Jones had mailed a Everyone enjoyed the beautiful portraits number of cards to those having sickhe has done. Our next meeting will be ness or death in their family. We apprci-May 18 and we will have ritual of jewels ate Thelma for keeping in contact with and officer installations. our members. Mary Wilson led the group in singing

Our upcoming social is our Founders Day on April 29 at 7:30 in Lubbock at Happy Birthday to two of our guests, the Depot where we will present all of Don Morelli from KAMC Weathersour yearly awards.

Tickets for our home tour went on sale last Tuesday and a slight change has been made. We will be touring the

program at this time featuring the his-Colston, served refreshments to: Margaret Wheeler, Ona Ruth Neff, Eugenia Bethard, Mary Lou Bollman, Loretta Denning, Ozena Norris, Susan Dunavant, Grace Zabielski, Nancy Marble, Edna Workman, Vera Jo Bybee, Gayle Reay, and Mrs. Nell Norrell, a visitor Hostesses, June Sherman and Sherry from Hereford.

Sorority views slide show, plan upcoming activities

By Dara Ware

torical mural at the museum. The group

will meet at the Lighthouse Electric

parking lot in Floydada at 6 p.m. to form

a car pool for the drive to Matador. All

members and prospective members are

urged to attend.

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homes May 8 instead of the 15th as that is Mother's Day so we have changed the The 247th meeting of Texas Alpha Mu Delta was called to order at 7 p.m. at date. Refreshments will be served at the last home to be toured. Also a cake and the First National Bank in Floydada. pie auction will be held at Brenda Heflin's. All proceeds from our home tour will be donated to the ambulance fund. Also coming up in May will be our Old Settlers Day dance. Country Knights will be performing at the slab at the rodeo grounds.

> Our service committee nominated our club to call individuals for the ambulance fund phone drive. We will be asking you to donate to the ambulance fund in your utility bills.

The few girls who were absent at the last meeting cast their ballots for the

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned with all joining hands for the mizpah. Hostesses for the evening were Jan Beedy and Brenda Heflin. They served chicken casserole, tossed salad, hot rolls, pecan pie and

1934 Study Club members learn about Saudi Arabia

The 1934 Study Club met April 4 at Lighthouse Electric with husbands as

Mrs. Anthony Latta introduced the speakers Martha and Terry Kirk, who The Golden Corral was the meeting live in the Blanco Community. Mr. and place Saturday, April 8, from 12 noon to Mrs. Kirk spent six years in Saudi Arabia farming. ered for a period of fellowship and vis-

Martha showed slides and told of the life of women in Saudi Arabia. Women are not allowed to drive a car or go out without covering their face and draped in their black cape. Their elbows and ankles must be covered. They do not eat

Terry showed slides and talked about the farming. They farm and irrigate in circles, due to the pivot sprinkler system

Their main crop when he went over was wheat, but when the market became flooded they turned to vegetables. Since Saudi Arabia is so rich with oil, money is no problem, so he had the latest farm equipment, to work with. His biggest problem was training the help to use the equipment and to repair and find parts.

The hostesses were Mrs. M.J. McNeill, Mrs. S.E. Sparks, and Mrs. L.D. Simpson.

They served refreshments to Mr. and Mrs. J.S. Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Latta, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. W.O. Newberry, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Weathersbee, Mr. and Mrs. J.K. West, Mr. and Mrs. James Word, and Mrs. G.M. Armstrong, Allen Bingham, W.H. Bunch, Dennis Dempsey, Garland Foster, J.P. Moss, S.E. Sparks, George Springer, W.W. Trapp, A.L. Wylie, Jo Y'Blood and her sister-in-law, Irma Aber, from Flint, Michigan.

We Salute

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Thursday, April 13: Leslie Del Toro, Margo Morin, Randy Enriquez Friday, April 14: Melvin Smith, Gabe

Rubio, Don G. Chesshir Saturday, April 15: Jennifer Harbin, Erick J. Gomez, Ronnie Benjamin, Eli

Rodriguez, Oscar Enriquez Sunday, April 16: Heidi Kaye Galloway, Tim Julian, Ermelinda Vargas Monday, April 17: C.E. Leatherman, Kathrin Hearon

Tuesday, April 18: Alma Smith, Jesus A. Rodriquez, Wally Davis

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Monday, April 17: Mr. and Mrs. Stin-

son Stringer Wednesday, April 19: Mr. and Mrs.



65TH ANNIVERSARY-Marion and Della Hughes of Floydada were surprised with a party at the New Salem Primitive Baptist Church on April 9 in honor of their 65th wedding anniversary. They were married April 11, 1924 in Hale County. The couple was presented with a cake by their daughter, Teta Kirtley. Grandchildren, Penny and Jeff Rainey of San Angelo, were present for the occasion. The Hughes have two other grandchildren and four greatgrandchildren who reside in California.

Decorative fans discussed by Alpha Sigma members

By Karen Elliott

Alpha Sigma Upsilon chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Hope Warren April 4. President Mitzi Nixon called the meeting to order with all members standing for opening rituals.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Jodie gave the treasurer's report. A motion was made to donate to the nursing home ceramic

Our next meeting will be April 18 at Sara Coursey's and Karen has the program. For our program tonight, Hope Warren invited KayLyn Young. KayLyn demonstrated how to make decorative fans out of wallpaper.

Our next social is April 29 at the 50 Yard Line. This is our annual Founder's Day social. May 13 we will be honoring our mother's with a luncheon.

Our next Ways and Means project is a karate tournament in Floydada at the junior high gym. We are in charge of the concession stand on Friday, April 21.

There being no further business our meeting was adjourned with closing rituals and mizpah.

Members in attendance were Jodie McGuire, Robbie Odom, Hope Warren, Karen Elliott, Mitzi Nixon, Brenda Ward, Judy Schacht and Sara Coursey.



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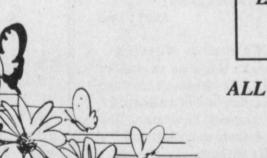
By Lucia That's Me

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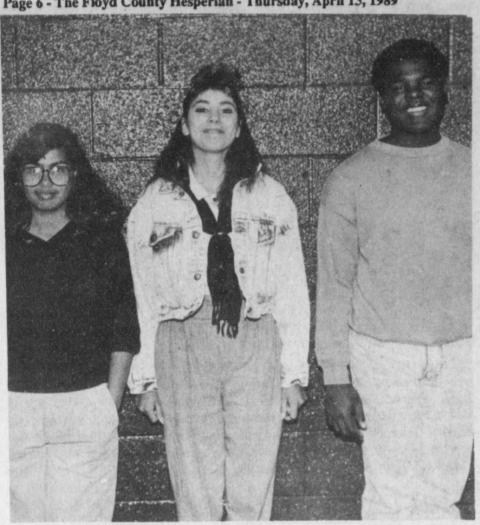
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JV DISTRICT WINNERS—JV winners in April 6 & 7 district competition held in Lubbock were (L-R) Cynthia DeHoyas and Mary Garcia, 2nd place winners in doubles; and Jerry Wickware, 1st place winner. Staff Photo

DUNCAN STARS OF THE WEEK—Last weeks stars at

Duncan were (back row, left-right) Ryan Fowler, Sandie

Hart, Carmela Chavarria, Dea Watson, Keith Collins,

James Owens, Lupe Duran, Micah Marble, Leon Marcus;

(2nd row, left-right) Jennifer Garza, Justin McHam,

Gabriel Rodriguez, Andrea Rodriguez, Jennifer Fabila,

VARSITY AT DIMMITT

Participating in a track and field meet

in Dimmitt on April 8, the Floydada

varsity boys finished with 24 points,

tying Littlefield for eighth place in the

field. Tulia placed first with 143 1/2

points. Dimmitt had 100 1/2 points and

Hart had 67 points. Boys Ranch gar-

and Friona toted up 52 points. Muleshoe

sccored 30 points with Roosevelt edg-

Events, participants and their times

3200 meter relay: 4th, Harvey Espi-

400 meter relay: Victor Chavarria,

Adam Cates, Jesse Cervera and Joe

800 meter run: Larry Galvan; Jim

110 meter high hurdles: 4th, Adam

100 meter dash: Chavarria, 12.17

400 meter dash: Cervera, 55.80

200 meter dash: Cisneros, 24.47

1600 meter run: 6th, Espinoza,

1600 meter relay: 6th; Ronnie Ben-

jamin, 58.77; Cisneros, 57.07; Espi-

noza, 57.13; and Cervera, 55.85; total

The Junior Varsity division of the

Long jump: Cisneros, 18'

4th, Benjamin, 10'6"

JUNIOR VARSITY

TAKES FOURTH

5:09.79; Hambright, 5:20.80; Galvan,

ing out Floydada with 25 points.

are listed below.

noza, 11:08.80

Bob Hambright

Cates, 16.40

Cates, 45.21

5:24.21

108' 10"

Hernandez selected for Tech GTE-PREP 1 program

Eighth grade student of Floydada Junior High, Joe Hernandez, has won the honor of being selected by Texas Tech University to be a participant in the 1989 Texas Tech GTE-PREP I (Business Administration) program. The program is an academically intensive 8week program designed to identify high school students who are currently in the 7th or 8th grade who have significant potential for a career in business administration, engineering, mathematics, or science and to motivate them in the pursuit of such careers.

The course is sponsored by the Department of Mathematics, Texas Tech University, and the GTE Corporation. Additional funds have been provided by the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System.

Instead of spending his summer with his classmates working part-time and vacationing the rest of the time, Joe will be busy with intensive school work and work outside the classroom. He will participate in the Job Training Partnership Act, whereby he will work after school (which is in session from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m., Monday-Friday) in job

placement within the University. He may earn up to \$1,072.

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116 students have been accepted into the 1989 PREP program. 100 of them will participate in PREP I. Joe Hernandez is the only student from Floydada that will be attending. The classes start June 12 and continue through August 4.

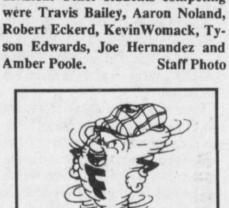
In a letter explaining the PREP I course, Tech described it as a course that addresses the problems and frustrations many precollege students experience as they advance from elementary mathematics to a more rigorous level of mathematics. PREP I strives to address these problems by providing the student with a frim foundation in some of the major ideas needed for continued success in mathematics; and by guilding the student to think and to express themselves mathematically, to analyze a situation, to extract pertinent facts, and to draw appropriate conclusions.

The PREP I course begins with a study of formal logic. Standard methods of



JASON LATTA brought back a 2nd place trophy in the overall division for small schools at the U.I.L. competition at Shallowater. It is sponsored by Texas Math and Science Coaches Association. Jason placed 7th in his division. Other students competing were Travis Bailey, Aaron Noland, Robert Eckerd, KevinWomack, Tyson Edwards, Joe Hernandez and









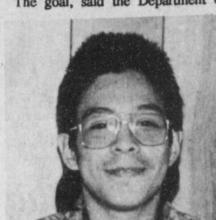
APPLE OF OUR EYE-Duncan Elementary selected Sheri Turnbow as this weeks Apple Of Our Eye. Turnbow has been teaching for six years, two years at South Plains and four at Duncan. She has been married to Roy Turnbow, a farmer, for 10 years. They have one daughter Shonda, who is 9 years old. Turnbow enjoys sewing, painting and cross stitching. Her goal is to be able to teach her students in a manner which allows them to succeed and lets them know that learning can be fun and a great expe-**Staff Photo** rience.

Child's name is Mendoza

In last week's Hesperian we inadvertently listed Lydia Mendoza's last name as Mendez in the photo of the Star of the Month at Andrews Elementary. The Hesperian extends an apology to Miss Mendoza for the error.

mathematical proof are examined and examples of each method are analyzed. Denials are given special attention. After laying this foundatin, the student will be introduced to some elementary set theory. Additionally, relations, combinatorial analyses and elementary

number theory are discussed. The goal, said the Department of



JOE HERNANDEZ

Karate students compete in San Angelo

Students attending the Karate Institute Championship in San Angelo Saturday, April 8, were Sammy Segura, Mark LeCroy, Shane Derryberry, and Sharkey LeCroy, instructor. The event started at 10:30 a.m. with black belt competition.

Those placing were: Shane Derryberry, 3rd Kata 9-11 years. Intermediate, and 3rd Fighting 10-11 yrs. Intermediate; Mark LeCroy, 1st Kata 15-17 yrs. Beginner, and 1st Fighting 14-15 yrs. Beginner; and Sharkey LeCroy, 2nd Fighting Black Belt Lightweight.

Sharkey also won a \$100 cash prize.

Mathematics letter, is to improve the ability to think and to write in a mature mathematical fashion and to provide the student with a solid understanding of material useful for additional courses in mathematics.

Joe Hernandez is the son of Javier and Barbara Hernandez.

Weekend boxing begins Friday night

Aaction Kenpo Karate, Floydada Boxing Club and Floydada Kickboxing Club will be holding Friday night boxing and Saturday night kickboxing. The events start Friday night, April 21, at 8:00 with boxing matches.

Saturday morning at 9:00 starts registration for the karate tournament and Saturday night at 8:00 begins kickboxing, Fighters will be representing Ft. Stockton, Lubbock, Olton, Plainview, San Antonio, Dallas, Amarillo, Big Springs, Odessa, Levelland, Seminole, Roswell, Portales, Clovis, New Mexica and others.

Fighters representing Floydada Boxing and Kickboxing Club are: Mark LeCroy, Shane Derryberry, Sammy Segura, Johnny Vasquez, Quanith Dunlap, Jesse Garcia, Raul Romero, Daniel Padilla, Jason Schmidth and J.T. Wright.

The Floydada Ambulance Service will be selling raffle tickets for a set of luggage donated by Aaction Kenpo Karate, Family Fitness Center and Floydada Boxing and Kickboxing

The proceeds from the luggage will go for equipment for the new ambu-

Supplies, food, drinks, T-shirts, caps and bumper stickers will be on sale.

Shine of '89

By Sharon Smith

The two seniors we are spotlighting this week are Diane Reyes and Norman

Diane is the daughter of Joe and Tommie Peralez. She has four brothers. Johnny, Andy, Joe and David and one sister, Cindy. This is her first year at Floydada High School. Diane previously attended Lockney High School. This year she was involved in DECA. Sewing is one of her hobbies. Diane attends the Baptist church. Her plans for

the future, travel with her husband for a couple of years and then go to school.

Norman is our AFS student this year from West Berlin, Germany. He is presently staying with Bobby and Norma Lou Rainer of Floydada. Norman is very involved in music, he was in his school orchestra and is currently in our Whirlwind Band. He attends the First Methodist Church. Norman does not have any specific future plans, but he is sure that music will always be in his life, as a hobby or profession.



NORMAN LANGHOFF

DIANE REYES

Dimmitt track meet on April 8 found the 55.68; Wells, 60.81; Equia, 63.90 Floydada JV boys ending the competi-300 meter intermediate hurdles: tion in fourth place with 66 points. 4th, Pyle, 48.09; Rainer, 49.45; Floydada competitors, their events and Simpson, 51.59 times are listed below. 200 meter dash: 4th, Davis, 25.20; 3200 meters: 5th, Jackie Alaniz, 5th, Rodriquez, 26.12; Wells, 28.02 1600 meter run: 1st, Hernandez, 5:22.56; 2nd, Suarez, 5:23.41; 3rd,

1600 meter relay: 2nd, Davis, Ale-

man, Hernandez and Henderson, 356:24

Long jump: 4th, Henderson, 16' 11"

High jump: 4th, Henderson, 5' 4";

Pole vault: 1st, Pyle, 9' 6"; 4th,

Shot put: 1st, Gilliland, 41' 6"

Discus: 3rd, Gilliland, 117' 11'

Leslie Perez, Felicia Garcia, Mary Diaz, Joe Arrendonda,

Rosentina Cervera; (first row, left-right) Chrystal Foster,

Derrick Martinez, Joe Lucio, Lucinda Guzman, Rebecca

Butler, Cindy Dubois, Josh Caballero, Ishmael Arebelo,

Crisswell, 5:25.40

5th, Davis, 5' 4"

Simpson, 8'0"

Joe Delgado and Trey Holmes.

11:33; 6th, Richard Gonzales, 11:52 800 meter run: 3rd, Freddy Arrizola,

Floydada Track Results

nered 54 points during the competition 100 meter run: 4th, Freddy Porter,

12:02 400 meter run: 1st, Edward Wick-

ware, 53:56 200 meter dash: 1st, Wickware, 24:15; 4th, Norman Langhoff, 24:54 1600 meter relay: 2nd, Langhoff,

Speedy Cervera, Kenneth Davis and Wickware, 342:09 Pole vault: 1st, Aron Harbin, 11'

Discus: 5th, Kenny Reed, 106'

EIGHTH GRADE BOYS

ARE SECOND AT TULIA

Floydada's eighth grade boys earned second place in the Tulia track and field 300 meter intermediate hurdles: meet on April 7. The group amassed a total of 143 points, outdone only by Tulia who earned 179 points on their home field. Muleshoe was third with 56, Dimmitt was fourth with 54, followed by Friona with 36 and Littlefield with

Participants, their events and times are listed below.

400 meter relay: 2nd, Aleman, Rodriquez, Davis and Henderson, 49.09 Discus: 2nd, Cates, 125'; Chavarria, 800 meter run: 2nd, Hernandez, 2:21.50; 3rd, Suarez, 2:24.15; Rubio, Pole vault: 3rd, Tim Julian, 11' 6"; 2:32.0

110 meter high hurdles: 2nd, Pyle, 18.29; 4th, Rainer, 19.12; Thayer, 19.74 100 meter dash: 6th, Harrison, 12.91; Rubio, 13.43; Aleman, 13.20 400 meter dash: 1st, Henderson,

mother of three children, Donna Keaton of Lubbock, Tammie Logan of Floydada and Don G. Chesshir of Floydada. Don was inadvertently omitted from the article last week. The Hesperian regrets any inconvenience or embarrassment this may have caused.

Sue Chesshir, Duncan's Apple

of Our Eye last week, is the

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KARATE PARTICIPANTS—Six youngsters from Floydada, led by Darren Walters, participated in the Karate Institute Championships, April 8 at San Angelo. Receiving awards were (left-right) Darren Walters 1st Heavy Weight Black Belt Sparring, 2nd in Black Belt Weapons, 2nd in Black Belt Forms and Black Belt Grand Champion; Chad Hinkle; Chad Turner, 2nd in Sparring 8-9 Beginner; Monty Anderson, 1st in Sparring, 3rd in Forms 10-11 year old advanced; Scott Nixon, 1st in Forms, 5 & under All Ranks; Dusty Anderson, 2nd in Sparring, 6-7 year old intermediate.

Floydada School Menu

April 17-21

Monday: Breakfast — Pineapple juice, toast,

Lunch — Macaroni w/cheese sauce, ham wedge, buttered broccoli, oatmeal cookie, hot roll, milk

Tuesday: Breakfast — Orange juice, cinnamon

Lunch - Lasagna casserole, fried squash, green beans, peaches, hot roll, milk

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

Lunch — Bar b q franks, mashed potatoes, spinach, wild cherry cake, hot roll, milk

Breakfast — Apple juice, dry cereal,

Lunch — Beef tacos, pinto beans, tossed salad, combread, applesauce,

Friday:

Breakfast - Pineapple juice, pancakes, syrup, milk

Lunch — (Planned by Pepper Hinkle - WINDS) - Cheeseburgers w/mustard, french fries w/catsup, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, ice cream, milk



HONORS OF THE WEEK-Students honored at Andrews this month were (L-R) Ricky Derryberry, Tim Rando and Lee Dunavant. Staff Photo



Eckert captures honors at regional Science Fair

A Floydada student captured individual honors Saturday, April 1, at the 33rd annual South Plains Regional Science Fair, sponsored for the first time by South Plains College and the city of Levelland.

About 400 youngsters, ranging from fourth through 12th grades in a 20county area on the South Plains, competed in the two-day event Friday and Saturday, March 31-April 1, in Texan Dome.

Robert Eckert, a seventh grader at Floydada, won third place overall in the junior biological sciences division with his experiment, "Growth of Vinegar Eels." He is the son of J.E. and Beth Eckert. His teacher is Teresa Hollums.

A special award was also given to Mike Gilliland of Floydada by the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center. He is the son of Bobby and Barbara



VARSITY DISTRICT WINNERS—Winners at district competition in Lubbock were varsity students: (left-right) Janet Himes and Trina Ogden, 2nd place doubles; Marty

Edwards, 4th place; Jamie Bailey and Junior Galvan who **Staff Photo** were 3rd place in boys doubles.



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Floydada Nursing Home Happenings

By Jo Bryant

Monday started our week as usual. Irene Wexler came and played the piano. We shared the word from John about Thomas doubting the Risen Lord. The residents shared and had popcorn at 2 p.m.

Tuesday the residents had morning coffee and juice. At 10:30 Fr. Adolpho came and shared the word taken from 1 Cor. 12 on the gifts of the spirit. He also played the guitar and piano. At 2 p.m. the Companions 'n' Caring met for their monthly meeting. They will do monthly manicures on April 18th. Pat Zimmerman came and read to them two stories about the First Lady, "Barbara Bush" and "I Am the Clock Winder."

Wednesday Bro. Sammy Rodriquez shared with us the word taken from Mark 10 and we sang some songs.

Mary A. Davis came and helped the residents play Bingo. Ottis Johnson had the first Bingo. The treats were bananas, marshmallows, cheese snacks.

Thursday, Helen Lipham came and played the banjo and we sang some songs. We shared about the Joy of the Lord being our strength. At 2 p.m. the

residents had their monthly council meeting. They also discussed home remedies.

Friday was a beautiful day, so the residents went on a bus ride to Crosbyton. Dixie Dog treated them to some ice cream. Those going on the bus ride were Iva Wells, Burmah Probasco, Sue Thompson, Georgetta Smith, Brooks Calloway, Charles Breeding, and Billy Probasco.

This week's visitors included: May Sue, Willie Mae Smith, Mildred Wylie, Lee E. Wilkerson, Jettie Moss, Mel and Marjorie Holcomb, Vera Cox, Dave and Frances Willis, Paducah; Wayland Faulkenberry, Myria Dade, Winnie Neil, Rev. Larry and Sharmin Perkins, Irene Wexler, Deeota Odam, Arlene Holmes, Ivola Walters, Jeane Van Cleve, Daniel McMurrian, Rudolph and Iva McCurdy, Carolyn Holmes, Marilyn Davenport and Ben Galloway.

A thought:
Income tax is no foolishness,
It's importance you can't avert.
It's just like a laundry list,
Either way you lose your shirt.

1950 Study Club members assist in raising ambulance donations

By Geneile Evans

The 1950 Study Club met Tuesday night, April 4, in the home of Sue Moore.

The meeting was called to order by President Shirley Morton and the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Treasurer's report was given by Nettie Ruth Whittle.

The club voted to give a donation of \$200.00 to the Floydada Ambulance Fund. The club members will also join with other service clubs in calling every family listed in the telephone book to encourage them to make a personal

donation to the Ambulance Fund.

On May 5th the club members and their guests will honor the senior girls of Girlstown with a dinner at the 50 Yard Line in Lubbock and afterward at the Lubbock Symphony Pops Night performance.

Faye Benson gave a book report on "Gracie" the delightful book written by George Burns. The members present enjoyed the presentation very much and will place a book in the public library as appreciation to Faye.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Women's chamber review activities

Tuesday, April 4, the new officers and directors for the Women's Chamber of Commerce met at the Chamber office at 5:00 p.m.

Annual events held each year were discussed, and put on the calendar.

Sept.: Merchants Appreciation Cof-

fee Oct.: Punkin Day Dance

Nov.: Holiday Happening Style Show/Salad Supper; Little Miss Floydada Pageant

Dec.: Christmas Tree Lighting at courthouse

Jan.: Concession stand for local fat

stock show
Feb.: Chamber of Commerce banquet

decorations

March or April: Spring Style Show May: Dismiss for summer * Sponsor grand openings

It was discussed to change the meetings to the first Tuesday of each month, at the Chamber of Commerce office.

The next item of business discussed was the Spring Style Show. It will be held Monday, May 8. Admission will be \$2.00 plus a salad. \$1.00 will towards Chamber expenses and \$1.00 will go to the local ambulance fund.

The last order of business was to make "reminder" calls for people to contribute to the ambulance fund.

Officers present were Julianne Cornelius, president; Debra Graham, vice president; Nettie Ruth Whittle, secretary; Kathy Himes, treasurer; and directors present were Ginger Warren and Trena Simpson.

Courtroom Activities

DISTRICT COURT

Floyd County grand jurors handed down eight indictments, Tuesday, April 11. Indicted were:

Alejandro Asencio, 25, of Lockney, for Possession of a Controlled Substance with Intent to Deliver which occurred on March 23, 1989;

Danny Boise, 19, of Plainview, for Burglary of a Habitation occurring on March 6, 1989;

Antonio Garza Garcia, 23, of Floydada, for Burglary of a Habitation which occurred on April 7, 1989;

Rudolfo Galvan, 23, of Floydada, for DWI - Subsequent Offense, which occurred on March 18, 1989

John Herrera III, 20, of Plainview, for Burglary of a Habitation which occurred on March 6;

curred on March 6;
David Chad Jackson, 18, of Lockney,
for Burglary of a Vehicle which occurred on March 16, 1989;

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Maximo Nunez, 34, of Floydada, two counts of Aggravated Assault on a Peace Officer which occurred on April 2, 1989.

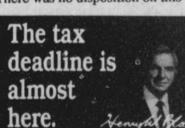
COUNTY COURT

In county court on April 4, David McDonald was charged with assault - bodily. There was no disposition on this case.

Also on April 4, Dewayne McDonald was charged with Assault - bodily injury. He pled guilty on April 5 and was sentenced to 120 days in jail which was probated for six months.

On April 10, Serafin Soto Mondragon, 22, of Floyd County, was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case.

April 11 Danny V. Hernandez, 19, of Hale County, was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case.



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Changes in procedures considered by USDA

of plans to consider changes in procedures for establishing the Adjusted World Price of U.S. Upland cotton was seen by the president of the Natinal Cotton Council as "a signal to our domestic customers and to the rest of the world that U. S. cotton intends to be consistently competitive."

Secretary of Agriculture Clayton Yeutter announced Wednesday his intent to seek public comments on a proposal authorizing his use of discretionary authority to adjust the AWP Formula to make U.S. cotton more consistently price competitive. During most of the past 12 months, prices of U.S. cotton have been uncompetitive with other world growths. With indications of tightening supplies among other cotton producing nations, however, U. S. cotton has become more competitive in

"We are pleased that Secretary Yeutter has acknowledged that we have a problem with the world price discovery mechanism and has agreed to act on the Council's reckommendation to correct it," said NCC President W. Bruce Heiden.

The secretary's action came one week after a Council delegation led by Heiden met with Yeutter to discuss the competi-

"We understand that the Secretary intends to act on a recommendation developed originally by the Council's Producer Steering Committee and adopted by Council delegates at the annual meeting in January," Heiden said. "Although it may be a couple of weeks before new regulations are ready for publication in the Federal Register, we appreciate Secretary Yeutter's

Announcement by USDA last week prompt response to the industry's recommendation."

As a part of the Secretary's decisionmaking process, he has indicated that he will look at prices in U.S. spot markets and in Northern Europe, the level of export sales and other relevent data in making any adjustment.

In another action, Yeutter expressed his concerns about the compatibility of the 8-month loan extension with the marketing loan," Heiden said. "He indicated that he might find it necessary to call either for advance payment of storage or provide documentation that would releive government of any responsibility for the charges during the loan extension.

"This issue will be taken up with industry leadership, and I am hopeful that a concensus can be reached that will allow the Council to file comments in behalf of the entire industry."

COWPOKES

By Ace Reid



"Yeah that's a great ride, if you like ridin' upside down!"

Women landowners schedule programs

Four special seminars for women who own farm and ranch land have been planned by Texas Agricultural Extension Service. These seminars will be held at: El Paso, May 2-4, 1989; Abilene, May 9-11, 1989; College Station, May 16-18, 1989; and Dallas, May 23-25, 1989.

This will be the sixth year this seminar has been offered. It was first offered in 1984 with one program at San Antonio. The overwhelming response from Texas women landowners challenged Extension to schedule three more programs in 1985 and four programs in 1986, 1987, 1988, and 1989.

"In Texas over 75 percent of all land is owned by women. These women acquired this land in three major ways," indicates Wayne Hayenga, the Extension Economist and Attorney who will conduct the seminars. Much of the land owned and controlled by women was received by inheritance, whether from their parents or a husband. However, there are numerous women who purchased land themselves or with a spouse as an investment. Other women are sole owners because they were previously married to a farmer and received the land in a divorce proceeding.

The seminars will start off with the indepth look at the mineral estate. Negotiating an oil and gas lease is new to many landowners, and one can never tell when an oil company will come by and make an offer. One of the important things to learn is the minerals are not leased, but truly sold. In addition to discussing how to negotiate with an oil

Private exporters reported to the U.S.

Department of Agriculture export sales

to 400,000 metric tons of wheat for

delivery to China during the 1988-89

marketing year. This included sales of

95,000 MT of hard red winter, 95,000 of

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USDA issues both daily and weekly

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more of one commodity, made in one

day, to one destination by 3:00 p.m.

red winter.

company, several tax savings hints will be suggested because, as Hayenga indicated, everybody always negotiates with two parties. One, the oil company who is leasing the minerals and second, the Internal Revenue Service that charges taxes on the money received.

In the afternoon of the first day the seminar will look at surface leasing of farm and ranch land. Methods to use to negotiate leases with tenants, what items to include in leases, and how to evaluate a tenant's productivity are major topics. Introduced here will be Texas Extension Service's standard budgets so women get a feeling of "par" in farm production for both yield and

The second day will introduce basic tax planning and give ideas to women landowners on how to structure their farm and ranch operation to save income taxes. Frequently, operating the farm and ranch business as a corporation or partnership can direct the income where the woman owner wants it to go, and, thus, can save income, gift and estate

Buying, selling and trading land will also be discussed the second morning. The new rules for tax-free exchanges will be discussed, as well as the rules on the recent rule changes on interest rates required for family transactions.

Estate planning, both to save estate taxes and to make estate administration easier for loved ones are always of great concern for all. Farm and ranch owners particularly have an unusual problem in

following the sale. Export sales of less

than these quantities must be reported to

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estate planning: they have a valuable asset with very little cash income. This by itself makes estate planning very difficult and if the farm is to go to one interested family member who wants to farm, this topic is even more complicated, and will be covered in the last one

and one-half days. For registration information contact your Texas County Extension Agent or Wayne Hayenga, Agricultural Economics Department, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX 77843-2124, Phone: (409) 845-2226.



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Issues outlined at 112th gathering by cattlemen

Texas cattlemen took a stand on health, care, production and handling myriad issues including an appointed Texas Agricultural Commission, water rights, land use, animal welfare and marketing and laid our their positions in a series of policy resolutions passed at the 112th annual Texas and Southwestem Cattle Raisers Association convention in Austin, says TSCRA President James L. Powell of Fort McKavvett. More than 2,200 cattlemen attended the four-day convention March 19-22.

TSCRA, a 14,000-member livestock trade association headquartered in Fort Worth, represents cattle producers in Texas, Oklahoma and surrounding states on state/federal legislative and regulatory issues, theft prevention and other matters, Powell said.

The association reaffirmed an earlier stand that the best interests of Texas agriculture and the people of this state would be better served by the Texas Department of Agriculture being changed to a commission made up of farmers, ranchers and consumers appointed by the Governor.

TSCRA opposed pending legislation that would authorize the Texas Water Commission to regulate water withdrawn from the Edwards Underground Aquifer. The cattlemen claim that the legislation has statewide ramifications because it opens the door to state regulation of all underground water and the infringement of the rights of landowners to the water under their land. Further, it would sacrifice rural interests in favor of the city of San Antonio and other urban interests who have not planned for their own water needs.

On another matter of private property rights, the association opposed a study by the National Park service to create a national park in the Davis Mountains of West Texas bacause "residents and property owners potentially affected by the study were neither consulted nor informed prior to the U.S. Congressional appropriation mandating the study." The resolution further opposed the imposition of any governmental controls or restrictions that would interfere with the rights of individual property owners to manage and control their land, whether in West Texas or else-

Addressing the issue of animal welfare, the cattlemen urged its members to continue to recognize that good animal

practices are essential to efficient, humane and profitable production.

The association also passed a resolution supporting the development of a national research and implementation plan to value-based marketing systems and urged the Cattlemen's Beef Board to support the planning process with checkoff dollars.

Appointed as new directors were Athens.

George Beggs IV, Fort Worth; John B. Birdwell III, Lubbock; Daniel Yturria Butler, Raymondville; Susan Combs, Austin; Robert P. "Bob" Conger, San Antonio; Joe Bob Drake, Davis, Oklahoma; Joseph B.C. Fitzsimmons, San Antonio; Stan K. Horwood, Sterling City; J. Lamar Lessor Jr., Smiley; John M. "Jay" Lott, Post; Robert E. McKnight Jr., Odessa; G. D. "Dave" Scott, Richmond; and Wyndel Tackett,

PGC Board includes two from county

The Board of Directors of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock, April 6 kept intact its 1988-89 slate of officers, then agreed by majority vote to approve a change in the existing elective process of choosing the "controlling element" of the Texas Department of Agriculture.

Re-elected to a second one-year term expiring in April, 1990, were Crosby County cotton producer Steve Verett of Ralls, president; Larry Nelson, producer and ginner of Tulia in Swisher County, vice president; and Lynn County producer Wayne Huffaker of Tahoka, secretary-treasurer. All were elected by acclamation.

The issue of the 25-county cotton producer organization's position on the Texas department of Agriculture, however, was settled only after an orderly but spirited two-hour debate characterized by strong feelings both pro and con. In the final vote, a motion that "PCG take no stand on the issue of the agriculture commissioner as an elective or appointive officer" lost on a vote of 25 to 7 in favor of a substitute resolution, which, after a clarifying amendment, states: "That the Board of Directors of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. favor (1) the continuation of a Texas Department of Agriculture, (2) a change in the process of determining the controlling element of the Department, whether it be a commission or an individual commissioner, form an elective to an appointive process, and (3) requiring that the appointment of commission members or a commissioner be ap-

proved by the Texas Senate." The election of officers and TDA action came at a meeting of the Board

after the organization's 32nd annual membership meeting held in Lubbock Memorial Civic Center in conjunction with the Texas Cotton Ginners' annual convention and trade show. Some 200 attendees at the PCG meeting heard principal addresses by Cooper Evens, Special Agricultural Advisor to President George Bush, and Dr. Hal Lewis of Dell, AR, Secretary of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Cotton Marketing Advisory Committee. Annual reports were given by president Verett and executive vice president Donald

Six new directors were welcomed to the Board, including John Saylor of bailey County, replacing Charles Moraw; Kevin Riley of Castro County, replacing Charles Axtell; David Varner of Deaf Smith County, succeeding Miles Caudle; Trent Driggers of Dickens County, replacing Eldon Williams; Wesley Butchee of Gaines County, replacing R. O. Webb, and Ricky Bearden of Yoakum Vounty, who took the place of D. C. Newsom, Jr.

The PCG Board is made up of two directors from each of its 25 counties, elected on alternate years for two-year terms. Thirty-three members were present for the April 6 meeting. Delton Stone, Lockney, serves as Businessman Director and Kevin Belt, Lockney, serves as Producer Director for Floyd County.

The Texas Cotton Ginners' convention, continuing through a noon luncheon on April 8, annually draws in excess of 5,000 ginners, producers and related industry people representing all sections of the U.S. Cotton Belt.



Carl Lemons' News and Views from

Cedar Hill

WEATHER IN THE ORCHARD

Five apricots the size of wild plum seeds were seen on a tree east of Cedar Friday, 4-7, and peaches in unbelievable numbers lined the bearing wood on some branches. The tiny peaches, slightly past the blossom stage, held fast to the tree when the projecting parts, known as the stigma and style, were given a sharp tug.

Apricot trees were virtually in full bloom when snow and 18 degree temperature struck on March 20, the first day of Spring, then the mercury fell to 18 again the following night. Scattering under-developed blossoms were seen over the next ten days, hence the surviving fruit.

Some branches on the peach trees were in full bloom on the first day of Spring while other branches had buds showing color, but actually no blossoms. Those fully blossomed branches had their fruit killed and it explains why some of the branches are now bare of fruit while adjoining branches are fully loaded.

At sun-up Monday, 4-10, the thermometer read 27, a radio station in Amarillo quoted "The wind chill factor is near zero". Hope was gone! The fruit was dead; apples too, they were in full bloom! All were lost! Then from the depths of depression, came a memory, a glimmer of hope at the end of a dark

Outside a 50 foot water hose was lying on the ground, a pistol grip nozzle, turned off, was screwed to its end, and the faucet had been left turned on. A hose full of water at 27 degrees should have been frozen solid. When the nozzle was triggered the water began to run. It ran and ran and ran. The thermometer had lied!

In spite of predictions that temperatures will dip to the high twenties for a night or two at mid-week, hope for a fruit crop lives again! Keep your fingers crossed! Winter is dying but still dangerous!

CROP COMMENTS

Cotton: Most irrigation farmers have rounded third base and are coming down the home stretch in watering their cotton acres. One by one wells are being shut down, or switched to watering ground for other crops. The early-week temperature drop to near the freeze point has certainly helped those who were suffering throught the early stages of "planting fever". Although they are better temporarily, the disease is very persistent, a late-week return to hot days could bring on a serious relapse, and might still result in some Floyd County cotton seed going in the ground on Monday, April 17.

Years of observation endorses planting at mid-April in preference to planting the last 10 days of April. A warm spell around the 15th to the 20th usually gets cotton up so it can stand for thirty days with shivery goose-bumps before it starts growing. Seed planted a week later often get chilled by a late April cold snap and, unless they are treated and have a very high germ test, they may rot in the ground.

CRP land with established stands appear to have on its Sunday Best. Acres that caught fire and burned during the winter now present a picture of newgrowth green, a picture of vigor and succulence. Since fire had killed their winter-weed competition, this grass now has ample temporary moisture and looks beautiful in contrast to the wilted, blue appearance of the drouth-suffering, and mit-dehydrated wheat fields.

Many of the CRP fields that did not burn have been shredded and present a neat, fresh-clipped appearance.

Newly extablished cover crops on late-signed CRP contracts are having a rough go. Most of the stands are adequate, but growth has stopped short of the requirements. Another bad situation that a good soaking rain would quickly correct.

Wheat farmers in increasing numbers are opting to market their '89 wheat crop in the form of cattle pasture. The continued dry weather, spider-mite infestation, and the year to year threat of hail damage present a strong argument that pasturing may be the better route for '89.

The better fields are far into the joint stage with spikes reaching 10 inches above the ground. No evidence of booting was visible the second Sunday in April. Many spider-mites could be seen and all leaves bore the characteristic "pox marks" that are the ID the spidermite leaves.

Dry-weather cracks in these fields were the worst this writer has ever seen. There was actual danger that an ankle might be turned by one careless step.

Ground squirrels, rats, mice, and snakes could literally dive into a place of shelter on most every square yard. Such little rain had fallen since seeding that a crust at the surface of the soil was practically non existent. Micro canyons were created by cracks forming beneath a loose mulch of soil, then the soil would fall into the crack.

Despite the surrounding detractions the wheat itself, in these better looking patches, appeared thoroughly capable of making instant response to a good soaking rain and producing an average

Vegetable interest has expanded considerably in this area since the first onions were set on March 14. There will be four growers centered around Cedar Hill. Kenneth Bean on a line between Cedar and South Plains, Don Warren southwest of Cedar and south of old Liberty, Jay Lackey north of Cedar, and Bud Taylor with onion on the Garland and Mary Ann Tucker place northeast of Cedar. A total of approximately thirty acres are in onion.

JD Buzby, along with numerous commercial growers in the area, has his corn seed in the gound. His planting was done on Monday, April 3, and should be shining down the row by the time you read this.

CATTLE AND FORAGE COM-**MENTS**

Cattle and ranching interests in Floyd County stand at the threshold of the most serious situation they have faced in many a year. The problem is dry weather and feed supplies that were only supposed to carry cattle through the winter, not the whole year.

Wheat pasture has been abandoned by cattle in favor of native grass in those rare instances where they could make the choice. They stayed with the wheat until virtually nothing was left but the

Most native pastures are grazed short. Seldom do you see animals filled up, lying down, relaxed, and chewing their cuds. By contrast they are on their feet, hungry, ranging out, trying to find a clump of grass tall enough to nibble on. Some of the native pastures are featuring some very, very thin cattle.

A number of wheat farmers have called the Sale Barn in Floydada looking for someone with cattle to graze out their wheat crops. That will give some relief for a short time but will not begin to address the long term problem. No problem here that a good general rain wouldn't fix.

On Saturday Jude and Marie Strickland made the four mile move from the Assembly of God Parsonage, where they had camped while he was the Church's interim pastor, to their pemanent home at the old, old Conner location. They have made numerous changes inside and out at the place, and the move was just another step toward their goal of a retirement home in the country. Marie will still spend some time in Amarillo for a month or more since ther teaching contract with the AISD will not end until this school term is finished.

Bud Taylor and his father-in-law, Rex David, were in Lubbock Saturday to attend a ginners convention and equipment show. A world of new equipment, and new ideas, makes such meetings essential if one is to keep up with

Following Sunday morning services at Plainview's First Assembly of God Church Junior and Martha Taylor visited with his sister Mattie Davis in the afternoon. Mattie's neighbor and cousin, Ruth Hall, a Cedar Hill resident from way back in the teens and later a resident of Floydada, was still in the Hale Center Hospital and was in much

better spirits. Cephus and Imogene Fortenberry had his sister Evelyn Winn, their daughter Phylis and her friend Cindy Osborne, and grandson Terry Harris for dinner Sunday. Later the two of them drove to Lubbock to visit his ailing sister Mary Ann and Garland Tucker. Mary was up and about but very short of breath with symptoms similar to emphysema. Doctors are still puzzled by her troubles but are confident they will find the solution.

On Monday Charlene Langley was busy in Plainveiw helping at the Ronald McDonald ground breaking ceremony for a new facility to shelter families with children who have long term hospital commitments. A reception at the ceremony featured Charlene's cakes and she was also in charge of table and other arrangements. It is not unusual for Charlene to bake cakes for several functions

such as weddings, anniversaries, birthday celebrations, and etc, which sometimes occur at the same time. As a result a number of ladies help her out from time to time when she has schedule conflicts.

O.K. Sykes, a itinerant resident of Cedar Hill for many years, has bobbed up again. Now he makes and sells hamburgers in Floydada on the west side of Hwy. 70 due west of the Court House. His is a new place and he calls it "Lot-A-Burger". O.K. was "itinerant" because he showed up each wheat harvest with a truck, a combine, and a bathroom sized house trailer. He lived with us until the last lake-bottom patch of wheat was cut out then he would move on with the harvest. In the fall he would be back again and often was still with us at Christmas time.

O.K.'s family lived in Plainview while he was making harvest, and making hamburgers out on north Columbia was their business. At the end of harvest O.K. would join the burger enterprise. The Sykes' had mastered their "justright" blend of pickles, meat, onions, and etc. long before they made their millionth burger.

I NEVER DID A DAY'S WORK IN MYLIFE! IT WAS ALL FUN! Thomas A. Edison.

Senate approves money for prisons

The Texas Senate on Thursday approved the appropriation of \$142,147,300 for the building of two new maximum security prison facilities.

"This is the first step in securing much needed prison space and an enhanced opportunity for us to deal with this longstanding problem," said Senator Steven A. Carriker, D-Roby, who voted in favor of the measure.

Carriker said the prison appropriations measure, HB 1477, could not have been delayed much longer.

"Everytime the Texas Department of Corrections is forced to close its doors because of overcrowding, our county jails become more congested and the counties are forced to spend more money to take care of the state's prisoners," he said. "Hopefully, we're now on track to stop this vicious cycle."

More than \$138 million of the funds approved by the Senate are earmarked for "the payment of expenses incurred in acquiring, constructing or equipping two new maximum security units and one psychiatric facility for the Texas Department of Corrections."

Strollers recalled

Century Products Company, of Macedonia, Ohio, is voluntarily recalling some 14,600 umbrella strollers to correct mechanical problems.

Undertaken in cooperation with the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission, the recall involves three model strollers sold nationally: 11-066DI and 11-077SA sold under the E-Z Go brand name, and 11-074SR sold by Sears as an infant umbrella-style stroller. Model numbers are found on the instruction sheet and on a label on the stroller's rear legs.

Century Products Company said seat backs and a rear locking brace may not perform properly. When a toddler strapped in the stroller leans too far forward, or if the stroller comes to an abrupt stop, the child may fall forward and strike his head. Also, when the person pushing the stroller accidentally kicks the rear locking brace, the stroller will fold on the child whose fingers could be pinched as the adult attempts to re-open the stroller.

Consumers having the stroller should stop using the product and return it to the retail store where purchased for a full refund. If the stroller was a gift, consumers should call Century Products Company toll-free at 1-800-222-9825 between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Eastern Standard Time, to find the name and address of the nearest store for an authorized return. Consumers may also write Century Products Company, 9600 Valley View Road, Macedonia, Ohio 44056, Attn: Umbrella Strollers.

NOTE: To report an unsafe consumers product or a product-related injury, call CPSC's toll-free hotline at 1-800-638-2772. A tele-typewriter for the hearing impaired is available at 1-800-638-8270; the Maryland TTY number is 1-800-492-8104.

SHOP AT HOME!



BUSINESS CRUSADE FOR CANCER-Kyle Smith, left, chairman of the business division of the local American Cancer Society Crusade to raise funds gives state Farm Insurance Agent Nick Long an informative leaflet concerning cancer prevention. Long has a check ready for his business donation to the fund raising drive. Melissa **Staff Photo** Long watches the exchange.

Courthouse News

Marriage Licenses Duncan Haral Woody, Sherri D'nene

Lambert Leslie Leon Williams, Carolyn Alex-

George Henry Ratliff, Linda Burks Lane Douglas Jeffryes, Misti Mich-

Steven R. Luna, Yolanda Garza Jose Angel Falcon, Victoria Luna

Probate

E.O. Barrett, will and appl. to pro-

Clay Lewis Henry, will and appl. to probate, 3-10-89

D.J. Phillips, will and appl. to probate, 3-30-89

Deeds

Lajuana Sue Williams to Johnny Smith, et ux, Lots 16 and 17, Blk. 6, New Home Addition, Floydada.

Rudylene (Vickie) Greene Panero to Janice Elaine Greene Porter undivided 1/2 interest in tract in Floyd County. Rudylene (Vickie) Greene Panero to

James Duane Greene, undivided 1/2 interest in tract in Floyd County. Harmon Duane Greene to Flaudie

Louise Taylor Alexander, undivided 1/2 interest in tract in Floyd County.

Lillie Lou Greene Beaver to Flaudie Louise Taylor Alexander, undivided 1/2

interest in tract in Floyd County. Mattie R. Harrison to Patricia Jane Harrison, 320 A. tract in Floyd County. Daniel Fonseca Jr. to Elva Fonseca, Lot 15 and W1/2 of Lot 17, Blk. H, Andrews Addition, Floydada.

Brad Ramsower, et al, to Kenneth Gregg, et ux, SW1/4 of Sec. 23, Blk. N, Abst. #133, Floyd County.

Winnie Kathryn Tomlinson, et al, to Edward Armstrong, et ux, Lots 7, 8 and 9, Blk. 10, Walling Addition, Lockney. Keith Jackson, et al, to Jack Gibson, et ux, 5 A. tract in Floyd County.

Rose Marie Scoggins Scott to Merle F. Scoggins, 320 A. in Floyd County. LISD to James E. Doucette, Lot 10, Blk. 3, Lockney.

Samuel Rapport to Susan Rapport, undivided 1/6 interest in two parcels of

Daisy Eudy Calvery to Thelma Mae Parr, Lot 12 and E1/2 Lot 13, Blk. 108, Floydada.

David O. Rogers Jr., et al, to Tierra Vaca, Inc., undivided 1/3 interest in tract in Floyd Co.

Silvestre Garcia, et al, to Gail A. Smith, et ux, S. 10' of E. 101.5' of Lot 9, Blk. 39, Brewster Addn., Lockney.

William K. Sherman, et ux, to City of Lockney, 10.057 A. tract in Floyd Co. Alan W. Robbs, et ux, to Charles A. Carthel, et ux, Lots 5 and 6, Blk. 2, Muncy Addn., Lockney.

Elsie Boedeker to J.D. Boedeker, undivided interest in SW 1/4 of Sec. 120, Blk. D-2, Floyd Co.

Elsie Boedeker to Nadine Boedeker Foster, undivided interest in NW 1/4 Guadalupe Vargas, Estefana Lenora Sec. 120, Blk. D-2, Floyd County.

Wayne N. Tipton, et ux, to Oscar Salazar, et ux, E1/2 Lot 17, Blk. H, Andrews Addn., Floydada.

Wayne Taylor Co. Inc. to Jim Byrd Farms, Inc., a tract in Floyd County (698.35 A. and 3.15 A.)

Willa Beth Johnson Martin, et al, to Bob Ross, et al, 445.5 A. in 2 tracts in Floyd Co.

Troye L. Massie to Mitchell L. Probasco, Lot 11 and E. 34' of Lot 12, Blk. 1, Texas Addition, Floydada.

Gladys Gean Christopher to Robert G. Christian, Lot 15 and W1/2 of Lot 16, Blk. 4, New Home Addn., Floydada.

U.S.A. to Robert D. Owens, et al, Lot 12, Blk. 2, Vineyard Addn., Lockney. Irene Hinkle Bosco, et vir, to Rhonda J. Bennett, et al, 80.04 A. in Floyd

Rhonda J. Bennett, et al, to Louis Lloyd, et ux, 80.04 A. in Floyd County. FISD, et al, to Jorge Alaniz, Lot 16, Blk. No. 117, Floydada.

Wayland to unveil mammoth exhibit Friday, April 14th

Wayland Baptist University's Mu- from its centuries-old grave. seum of the Llano Estacado will for-

The ceremony is scheduled for 6:30 p.m. on the exhibit floor of the museum, located at Eighth and Smythe Streets on the Wayland campus.

The long-awaited unveiling is under the direction of the Llano Estacado Heritage Society and climaxes a year's worth of efforts by a host of people.

The exhibit centers around the twoton skull and tusks of a prehistoric elephant unearthed last May by archeologists near the Castro County community of Easter, about 60 miles northwest of Plainview.

The discovery came to be known as the "Easter Elephant" - the remains of an imperial mammoth which roamed the High Plains at least 12,000 years

The skull was excavated from a 10foot-deep grave by Museum Director Eddie Guffee with assistance from the Texas Antiquities Committee and Texas Tech University.

Excavators encased the skull in a plaster cast, then built a wooden platform around it in order to lift it intact

The skull was then transported to mally unveil its Imperial Mammoth Plainview, where museum personnel exhibit on Friday evening, April 14. spent the past year painstakingly restor-The cast was removed from around

> the skull a piece at a time, and the fossilized bone was cleaned, patched and stabilized to prevent further deteriora-The exhibit area encasing the skull

> was painted by Wayland art professor Candace Keller and re-creates the natural habitat of the imperial mammoth. Also on exhibit are other archeologi-

cal discoveries from the so-called "Pleistocene era," including a mammoth tooth, bone and tusk fragments excavated in the Silverton, Quitaque and White River areas in recent years.

Scheduled to take part in the unveiling ceremony are Guffee; Castro County farmer Lon Woodburn, who along with Guffee discovered the skull; Dr. Bill Hardage, president of the Chamber of Commerce and vice president of Wayland; and Mayor E. V. Ridlehuber.

A reception, sponsored by the Plainview Cultural Arts Council, will follow the ceremony, and all activities are open to the public.

Help the VA prevent debt

Dr. Stephen L. Lemons, Director of the Veterans Administration Regional Office, Waco, Texas, stated, "We at the Veterans Administration are committed to helping prevent overpayments to veterans and beneficiaries. These debts create burdens on individuals that can be alleviated if we are successful in preventing the establishment of such debts."

Veterans and beneficiaries can help the VA in preventing overpayments by promptly reporting such things as a change in income status, a change in the number of dependents, and in educational assistance payments, a reduction in training time or complete withdrawal from school. Lemons states, "The tollfree number for the VA office of jurisdiction is listed in most local telephone directories under U.S. Government. If

the local number is not available, contact a veterans benefits counselor by dialing toll free 1-800-792-3271. I encourage anyone needing information to

contact the VA. Help us to better serve you and to reduce and control the debt problem as we serve our Texas veter-

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FLBA ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

Will be held Friday April 14th at 7:00 p.m., at the Ollie Liner Ag Center South of Plainview on Business 87 (South Columbia).

> Entertainment will be the South Plains College Blue Grass Band and a barbeque meal will be catered.

ALL STOCKHOLDERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND

CAPROCK-PLAINS FEDERAL LAND BANK ASSOCIATION

Little Dribblers Photos Courtesy of R Photography



LITTLE DRIBBLERS--Little Dribblers coached by Coaches Troy Peel and Nathan Whittle are: (top, left-right) Dustin Jahay, Chad Harmon, Jacob Thrasher, Coaches Troy Peel and Nathan Whittle; (bottom, left-right) Kyle Pierce, Scott Smith, Justin Robinson.



LITTLE DRIBBLERS--Little Dribblers coached by Kelly Foster and Debbie Bertrand consist of: (standing, left-right) Shannon Ware, Coach Kelly Foster, Kelli Bertrand, Coach Debbie Bertrand, Crystal Meyers; (kneeling, left-right) Francis Ochoa, Elvira Rodriguez; (sitting, left-right) Ila Harris, Reagan



LITTLE DRIBBLERS-Team members being coached by Joe Lucio and Michael Aleman are: (L-R, back row) Coach Michael Aleman, Julian Hernandez, Marcus Torrez, Angle Aleman, Coach Joe Lucio; (front row, L-R) Junior Lucio, Max Beaty, Monty Anderson, not pictured Mike Anderson.



LITTLE DRIBBLERS--Little Dribblers team coached by Thelma Martinez and Joe Martinez and Connie Martinez consist of: (left-right, standing) Coaches Thelma Martinez, Joe Martinez, Connie Martinez (kneeling, leftright) Lisa Martinez, Vickie Ochoa, April Gourdon, Jamie McGuire; (sitting, left-right) Misti Cochran, Kellye Crump, Amber Dumas.

Commissioners consider juvenile funding economic development resolution and pay up to \$50 per day towards the han-

Juvenile probation officer Bill Hendricks met with the Floyd County Commissioners Court on Monday, April 10, to ask their support of two bills currently under consideration by the state legislature. Hendricks requested that a resolution be passed which would express the court's support and interest in the passage of two bills concerning funds for the housing, care and treatment or training of juvenile offenders.

"Passage of these bills, either one or, hopefully both, would ease the burden the county carries in cost for juvenile offenders who need to be locked up," said Hendricks.

Floyd County currently shares one space at the Lubbock County Youth Center with three other counties in the district, paying \$45 per day. A federal grant pays \$12 per day towards the cost making up the difference. This means that Floyd County pays for 200 3/4 days areas of the state. at a cost of over \$7,000 per year. The cost is expected to rise with the next budget year.

"This also means that Floyd County will use more than their 200 days this year," stated Hendricks. "We have virtually had someone up there (Lubbock County Youth Center) everyday so far

and it doesn't look like it will get better."

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PLAN BROACHED BY **COUNTY RESIDENT**

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dling of juvenile offenders through the

youth commission and the second calls

for funds towards the detention of juve-

Jackson, seconded by commissioner

Connie Bearden and approved by unani-

mous vote of those present approved the

signing of the resolution which will be

forwarded to legislators making county

support of the juvenile funding bills

A motion by commissioner Floyd

Don Marble, an area farmer who resides in South Plains, met with the court to present some preliminary information concerning grants and loans of the use of this space and the counties availabe to parties interested in beginning a manufacturing industry in rural

> Marble told the court, "I have been looking at other possibilities for making money around here besides farming. We need something that would be possible with our location and resources and which would put people to work."

Marble asked that the court read the information he had gathered and speak with Tim Pierce, economic develop-One of the bills calls for the state to ment director for South Plains Area Governments (SPAG) concerning the gates of deposit on which \$19,534.11 in possibilities for industry and funding possibilities.

"I am here today to see if you are open to economic development and would be willing to support and work with someone trying to start some kind of industry," said Marble. "If you have a positive attitude and want to help, you need to consider the possibility of tax abatement for a period of time to allow a business to get off the ground."

No action was taken following Marble's presentation, although the court did indicate that economic development would certainly be welcome in

OTHER ACTION

Treasurer Glenna Orman presented financial reports for both the month of March and the January to March quarter. According to Orman the county began the month of March with \$167,374.91 and received \$1,426,122.09. Disbursements totaled \$1,450,170.93, leaving \$143,326.07.

The county has \$505,000 in certifi-

to make a verbal report to Texas Depart-

report, the more difficult it is for

Children's Protective Service Special-

ists to conduct an appropriate and thor-

ough investigation. Over time, bruises

can heal; physical evidence may disap-

pear or be obscured; memories may

fade; and children, parents or other indi-

viduals may change their minds about

In some circumstances, you may be

aware of a family's ongoing problems

over a period of time before you begin to

suspect that the situation has degener-

ated into abuse or neglect. CPS special-

ists encourage you to report as soon as

you have any relevant information

about a situation in which you suspect

that a child has been abused or ne-

glected. You are not expected to prove

that abuse or neglect has definitely oc-

curred. Delaying your report to monitor

the situation or gather more informa-

tion, can result in more serious harm to

early in the week, especially if the child

goes to school or day care. When neces-

sary in individual cases, CPS staff may

want to talk with the child in a protected

environment such as school. If a report

is received on Friday afternoon, CPS

specialists may have to talk with the

child at home over the weekend - even

though home may not be the best place

To investigate a report, CPS must be

able to locate the child or family. At a

minimum, you should provide the name

or a description of the child and an

address, location or other way to locate

the child. If the location is a school or

day care, be sure to call during the week,

so CPS can find the child immediately

to interview the child.

If at all possible, make the report

what to say to CPS investigators.

report within 48 hours.

interest has been earned to date. These funds are reserved to finance county operations during the coming months.

Budget amendments were passed, shifting funds from over budgeted areas to areas which were under budgeted. Minutes from previous meetings were read and approved in addition to reviewing and ordering the payment of March county bills.

Farm work contracts were approved for J. C. Anderson, Carl THorn Estate by Steve Lloyd, Nancy E. Kellye, Connie D. Bearden, Walter N. Davis and Rob

The final item on the agenda, the landfill and street maintainance contracts with the City of Lockney, was passed without discusson or action during the morning session.

were Judge Bill Hardin, commissioners Bearden, Jackson and George Taylor, Glenna Orman, Bill Hendricks, Don Marble and the Hesperian reporter. Commissioner Kay Crabtree was not present due to a death in his family.

April designated as Child Abuse Prevention Month

Arts Assn. slates art show

The Floyd County Arts Association is holding it's annual art show in conjunction with it's Old Settlers Reunion Saturday, May 27.

The entries will be accepted Wednesday, May 24, from 1:00 p.m. to 8:00 \$5.00. Entry fees for students senio Present at the regular monthly session op.m. Judging will be held open to the public from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and 7:00-9:00 p.m. Friday, May 26. The art show will also be held open to the public from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, May 27.

> The awards will be announced at 4:30 p.m. Saturday, May 27. Entries can

then be picked up. The association will accept entries

consisting of paintings, drawings, sculptures, designer crafts and other art forms. Entry fees for adults per piece is high and younger are \$2.00 a piece.

Awards consists of \$100.00 for Best of Show, \$50.00 for People's Choice, \$20.00 for 1st place in each category, and \$10.00 for 1st place for students in each category.

Letter to the Editor

Recently much has been written about Jim Hightower and the post of Texas Agricultural Commissioner. Regardless of one's opinion of Mr. Hightower or his politics the man should not be confused with the office. The real issue is whether or not Texans would be better served by an elected official or an appointed commission or commissioner.

The agricultural commissioner is supposed to represent Texas farmers and ranchers interests, but Texas fulltime farmers and ranchers are only 1.5% of the states population and no longer determined their chief regulator through the electorial process. Does an ag commissioner who must win elections based on political issues of interest to large urban areas really represent and serve our agricultural interests in Floyd County? We do not think so.

In a recently held special session in Waco, Texas, almost 800 officially selected Farm Bureau delegates from over 140 counties met to discuss changing their state policy on the leadership of the Texas Department of Agriculture. In an overwhelming vote, policy was changed to state:

"We support a change in the leadership of the Texas Department of Agriculture. We prefer that the elected Commissioner of Agriculture be replaced by an Agricultural Commis-

This change did not come about suddenly or without much thought and consultation with members on their wishes. Whether this comes about by an appointive or elective process was left open by the delegates.

If the choice is made for an appointed position, Texas will not be alone, as thirty-eight of the states with agriculture departments already appoint their top agricultural official.

This has been called "A cynacial

effort of The Farm Bureau," in a recent letter to the Editor, but we are not alone in this effort. The groups included in this joint effort as of Tuesday, March 21, 1989 include:

Texas Farm Bureau Texas and Southwest Cattle Raisers Association

Texas Cattle Feeders Association Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers

Texas Livestock Marketing Associa-Texas Cattlewomen Association Trans Pecos Cotton Association

Texas Citrus and Vegetable Associa-Texas Association of Cotton Pro-

ducer Organizations Texas Pest Management Association Texas Grain and Feed Association Texas Cottonseed Crushers Associa-

Southwest Meat Packers Associa-

Independent Cattlemen's Associa-

South Texas Cotton and Grain Asso-Texas Citrus Mutual

All Texans deserve the most highly qualified leadership available at the Department of Agriculture. The continued deterioration of our rural areas are only being perpetuated by the current commissioner's political aspirations and lack of concern for those in agriculture, who he is supposed to represent. We believe that producers, and agribusiness as well as consumers should be represented by this department. A commission would restore and enhance TDA's accountability to it's primary constituents, the working farmers and ranchers of Texas.

We urge all voters to contact elected state officials and make your feelings known regarding this important issue.

> Floyd County Farm Bureau Board of Directors

April is Child Abuse Prevention Month. Texas law requires an individual

the child to return.

When professionals - such as docment of Human Services (DHS) or a law tors, nurses, counselors or school perenforcement agency immediately upon sonnel - report abuse or neglect, they learning of or suspecting the likelihood should have any records about the child of abuse or neglect. Professionals must readily accessible. Records can help identify the child's name, address, birth-It is imperative to make the report as date, parents and siblings, and may soon as possible. The more time that provide other useful information. elapses between the incident and your

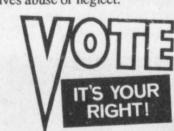
When you make a report, give as much information as you can about the child's age and condition. Give the child's date of birth if possible. If you don't know it, then tell the child's age or approximate age. CPS investigators also need information about the child's

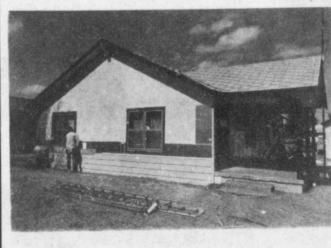
without having to wait until Monday for condition, such as injuries, medical problems, physical handicaps, intellectual development, and emotional or behavorial problems. CPS staff decide how quickly to begin an investigation based on how seriously at risk the child seems to be. The child's age and current condition are important factors in determining the level of danger involved.

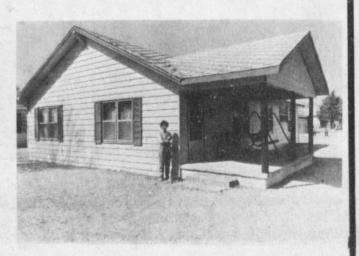
To begin an investigation, CPS staff must receive a specific allegation of abuse or neglect by a person responsible for the child's care, custody or welfare. When you make a report, tell exactly what happened and when. Give as much information as you can about the child's injuries and current condition. Help

CPS identify and locate both the child and the person you believe is responsible for the abuse or neglect.

The decision to report is difficult to make. If you are feeling indecisive, go ahead and call. Your call can activate help for a hurting child and family. Remember, you are required to report any situation which you suspect involves abuse or neglect.







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Obituaries

C.H. CALLAWAY

Funeral services for C.H. Callaway, 86, former longtime resident of Lockney, were at 10 a.m. Wednesday, April 12, in Clyde Wilson Funeral Chapel in Monahans. Memorial services were held at 4 p.m. Wednesday in Lockney First Baptist Church with burial in Lockney Cemetery by Clyde Wilson Funeral Home.

Mr. Callaway died Sunday morning, April 9, 1989, in Odessa Medical Center

Hospital after a lengthy illness. He was born July 25,1902 in Foard County. He was a retired custom farmer

Survivors include his wife, Myrtle; three daughters, Mrs. Joe (Lozell) Keeter of Lockney, Mrs. Jess (Betty) Roberts of Dumas and Mrs. Bill (Naomi) Hickman of Crosbyton; four sons, W.C. "Bill" of Rochester, Mich., Tommy of Odessa, Hal "Peanut" of Monahans and Kenneth of Pecos; two stepsons, Wayne Poor of Monahans and Charles Poor of San Antonio; two brothers, Leon of Carlisle and Eldon of Cross Plains; 35 grandchildren; six stepgrandchildren; 45 great-grandchildren.

A son, Delbert Callaway, died in 1981; his wife, Laura Mae, died in 1944 and wife, Opal, died in 1969.

Grandsons were pallbearers.

KATE CRABTREE

Services for Kate Crabtree, 93, of Floydada were at 3 p.m. Monday, April 10, in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Hal Farnsworth, pastor, and the Rev. Bill Wright, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating.

Burial was in Floydada Cemetery under direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

She died Saturday, April 8, in Caprock Hospital after a lengthy illness.

She was born in Parker County and moved to Floydada in 1901. She was a retired teacher and a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include a daughter Mrs. Robert Moore of Northport, Ala.; a son, Kay of Floydada; a brother, Preston Bullard of Ponca City, Okla.; five grandchildren; and two great-grandchil-

THERESA MARIE FALCON

Graveside services for Theresa Marie Falcon, infant, were at 4:00 p.m. Friday, April 7, at Floydada Cemetery Babyland. Father Adolpho Valenzuela officiated.

Theresa Falcon was born April 6, 1989 and died April 6, 1989. She was the daughter of Ruben Falcon of Diboll, Texas, and Laura Vallejo, Floydada.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Pete Vallejo, Floydada; Joe Falcon, Floydada; and Aurora Saucedo, Diboll. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mariano Garcia of Floydada.

She had one sister Ashley Vallejo.

AUBREY GLENN FAWVER

Funeral services for Aubrey Glenn Fawver, 78, of Roanoke were held at 3:30 p.m. on Friday, April 7, at Greenwood Mausoleum in Ft. Worth. A granddaughter and her husband gave a memorial for Aubrey. Their young daughter said a prayer for their Pappy. Entombment was in the Greenwood Mausoleum.

Mr. Fawver died Thursday morning, April 6, at his home of an apparent heart attack. He had been in failing health for a number of years.

He was born in Floydada, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Fawver, on May 5, 1910. He married Naomi Connelley on March 6, 1931. They lived in Floydada until the late 30's. Moved from Lubbock to the Ft. Worth area in 1945. He was a police officer while living in Lubbock and retired from Mrs. Bairds Bakery in Ft.

He was preceded in death by a young son, Bobby Glenn, his parents and one brother, Barney.

Survivors include his wife, Naomi; one daughter and son-in-law, Nancy and Kenneth Russell of Roanoke; three grandchildren; and three great-grand-

Attending from Floydada were sisters-in-law, Beatrice Adams and Geneva Cockrell and husband, John, and a niece Glea Adams.

WILLIAM JOHNSON

Services for William Chance Johnson, infant son of Rocky and Betty Johnson of Floydada, were at 2 p.m. Tuesday, April 11, in Mt. Zion Baptist Church with the Rev. Ralph Jackson, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Floydada Cemetery under direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

He died Friday morning in Caprock Hospital after a brief illness. Justice of the Peace Lowell Bilbrey ruled the death natural causes.

He was born in Lubbock.

Survivors include his parents; and his maternal grandmother, Mary Boyd of



JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS—(Standing, left-right) Jennifer Crow, Kalli Hicks, Elisa Suarez; (seated, left-right) Sylvia Caballero, Annett Garcia and Jodee Breed.

Courtesy of R Photography



LITTLE DRIBBLERS--The Little Dribblers team coachedby Dee Sanders and Paula Pyle consist of: (back row, left-right) Shea Sanders, Coach Dee Sanders, Amber Pyle, Coach Paula Pyle, Erika Muniz; (front row, left-right) Kimberly Redden, Joni Smith, Charla Yeary, KC Robertson.



LTTTLE DRIBBLERS--The Little Dribblers team coached by Karen Elliot and Pauline Cooper consist of: (back row, left-right) Coach Karen Elliott, Ashley Williams and Coach Pauline Cooper; (front, left-right) Monica Galvan, Jennifer Rodriguez, Peppre Selman, Stephanie Cooper, Krissy Patterson, Cassie Fawver, Jennifer Luna.



LITTLE DRIBBLERS--The Little Dribblers team coached by Coaches Dayne Golightly and Terry Turner consist of: (left-right) Krystal Dumas, Kayla Turner, Tiffany Hinkle, Amy Garcia, Laura Ochoa, Shayla Turner, Lacy Golightly, and Coaches Dayne Golightly and Terry Turner.

Caprock Hospital Report

Helen Hagood, Floydada, adm. 3-30, dis. 4-7. Hale

Kate Crabtree, Floydada, adm. 3-31,

exp. 4-8, Hale

Shana Seymour, Floydada, adm. 4-3,

dis. 4-6, Hale

Alvino Castillo, Silverton, adm. 4-7, dis. 4-10, Lopez

Margaret Lovell, Floydada, adm. 4-8, dis. 4-10, Jordan

adm. 4-8, continues care, Hale Rosa Lackey, Floydada, adm. 4-7, continues care, Hale

4-8, continues care, Hale

John Holmes, Floydada, adm. 10-88, continues care, Hale

Alice Henry, Floydada, adm. 2-10, continues care, Hale

Louis Ray Williams, Floydada, adm.

Roderick (Roger) Davis, Floydada,



LITTLE DRIBBLERS--The Little Dribblers team coached by Sammy Mercado and Robert Luna consists of: (Standing, left-right) Coach Sammy Mercado, Peter Luna, D.G. Hollums, Sammy Rodriguez, Coach Robert Luna; (kneeling, left-right) Adam Muniz, Michael Mercado, Bobby Luna.

Remember the Firemen's Barbeque on April 16



Lubbock General Hospital receives donation from Heinz

Lubbock General Hospital Foundation has received a contribution from Heinz Baby Food and the H. J. Heinz Company Foundation for the baby food labels it collected in the Heinz Company's 1988 program which benefits the Children's Center at Lubbock General Hospital.

A fifth year participant in the labelsaving campaign, which yielded 4.63 million Heinz Baby Food labels nationwide, Lubbock General Hospital Foundation received and counted 3,878 labels from area consumers, volunteers,

school and community groups. Each label from Heinz Baby Foods, including Beginner Foods, Instant Foods, juices and cereals, was worth 6 cents to the

hospital, joint gifts from the company and its labels and received contributions of more than \$1,700 as a result.



PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE

Hamilton Trust Shares, a Missouri Trust (the "Trust"), is seeking to locate the holder(s) of the below-listed certificates representing shares of beneficial interest of the Trust.

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Name of Registered Owner(s)

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This notice will be published once each week for four successive weeks. This is the 2nd publication of this notice. Unless within sixty days of the last publication of this notice demand is made on United Missouri Bank of Kansas City, N.A., the Trustee of the Trust (the "Trustee") by the person entitled thereto that the shares represented by the certificate and any dividends accrued be redeemed, the registered owner's (and any successor's) rights in the certificate shall cease. The registered owner of the shares may request that the distribution of the redemption proceeds be paid in cash or, if the value of the interest is sufficient to pay for at least one share of the underlying security held by the Trust (Eastman Kodak Co. common stock), the appropriate number of shares of such stock will be distributed in kind, and any odd balances less transfer taxes, if any, shall be paid in cash. If the Trustee has not received demand from the holder of the certificate or the person entitled thereto within sixty days of the last publication of this notice, the investor is deemed to have assigned, set over and conveyed to the Trustee, for the use and credit of the general trust fund, the certificate(s) and all proceeds thereof pursuant to the Trust Indenture. Any demand should be sent to the Trustee, United Missouri Bank of Kansas City, N.A., c/o Hamilton Trust Shares, 3410 South Galena Street, Denver, CO 80231, Attention: Ms. Lauri Hagedorn.

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NOTICE OF HOSPITAL DISTRICT DIRECTORS ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECTION DE DIRECTORES DEL DISTRITO DE HOSPITAL)

THE STATE OF TEXAS (ES ESTADO DE TEXAS) (CONDADO DE) FLOYD COUNTY

TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED VOTERS OF CAPROCK HOSPITAL DISTRICT (A LOS VOTANTES CAPACITADOS QUE RESIDEN EN A HOSPITAL DISTRICT: UN DISTRITO DE HOSPITAL:)

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 6th day of May, 1989, at the places, in the manner, and for the candidates for the office of said district as set forth in the attached copy of a ORDER FOR DIRECTOR'S ELECTION, duly entered by the Board of Directors of said above mentioned district on the 6th day of May, 1989. Said attached Order of Director's Election is made a part of this notice for all intents and purposes.

(NOTIFIQUESE que una eleccion se llevara a cabo el dia 6th de May de 1989, en los lugares, de la manera, y para los condidatos para el puesto oficial de dicho distrito, como expone la copia adjunta de la ORDEN DE ELECCION DE DIRECTORES, debidamente asentada por la Junta de Directores del distrito mencionado arriba el dia 6th de May, 1989. Dicha Orden de Eleccion de Directores adjunita se considera en todos sentidos parte de este aviso.)

President, Board of Directors (Presidente, Junta de Directores) Joy Assiter Secretary, Board of Directors (Secretario, Junta de Directores)

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NOTICE OF ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)

To the Registered Voters of Floydada, Texas: (A los votantes registrados del Floydada, Texas:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on May 6, 1989 for voting in a General election to elect a Mayor, Councilmember District 2, Councilmember District 3.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta 7:00 p.m. el 6 de Mayo de 1989 para votar en la Eleccion para Alcalde, Coucejal Distrito, 2, Coucejal Distrito 3.

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES (DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

City Hall - 114 W. Virginia St., Floydada, Tx.

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at (La votacion en ausencia en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en)

City Secretary Office, City Hall, 114 W. Virginia St., Floydada, Texas

between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on April 17, 1989 and ending on May 2, 1989.

(entre las 8:00 de la manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el 17 de Abril, 1989 y terminando el 2 de Mayo, 1989.)

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: (Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan enviarse a:)

> Jimmie Lou Stewart P.O. Box 10 Floydada, Tx, 79235-0010

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of ousiness on April 28, 1989.

(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el.)

Issued this the 23 day of February, 1989. (Emitada este dia 23 de Febrero, 1989.)

Parnell Powell Signature of Presiding Officer (Firma del Oficial que Preside) 4-13c

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PUBLIC NOTICES

We the undersigned County Judge and Commissioners in and for Floyd

County, Texas hereby certify that we have this date made an examination of and

compared the County Treasurer's Quarterly report, filed with us on this 10th day

of April, 1989, and have found the same to be correct and in due order and that

the total of all funds held by the County Treasurer, as well as other assets in hers

NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION

Floyd County will sell at Public Auction, April 25, 1989, 10:00 a.m. on U. S.

70 and Farm to Market Road 378, Lockney, Texas., the following equipment:

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extends our sincere thanks and love to each dear mother, grandmother, great grandmother and sister. The cards, visits and telewere a joy to her. The flowers, calls, visits, received.

God Bless all of you is our prayer. Mr. & Mrs. Wilburn Martin & Family Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Martin & Family Mr. & Mrs. Ronald Clay & Family Mr. & Mrs. Erwin Merrett & Family Mollie Burleson & Family Allie Hart & Family Mr. & Mrs. Frances Barton & Family Mary E. Barton Viola Stinson 4-13p

The expressions of love and concern that were shown to Elmo and to us during his illness and death were very comforting. To know your friends care and are there for you

Our special thanks to Dr. W. E. Prater Jr. for going the second mile medically to help and to the staff of Lockney General Hospital for their care.

For the flowers, prayers, cards, memorials and food that was brought to the house and the wonderful dinner at the church, we thank you. May God Bless you is our prayer. Mabel Reves

Hansel & Connie Sanders Shirley & John Eslinger

We would like to express our thanks for the many expressions of sympathy in the death of our Mother and Grandmother, Bonnie Goad.

We appreciate the prayers, cards, phone calls, visits, food, flowers and memorials. God Bless each of you.

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Commissioners Court, Floyd County

By: William D. Hardin, County Judge

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We extend a special thanks to Reverend Robert Kirk and Reverend Nathan Mulder for their wonderful message brought in her memory; also to Kelly Keltz for his special music. Thanks also to Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home for their special care of the

in your time of need.

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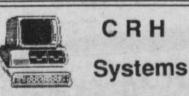
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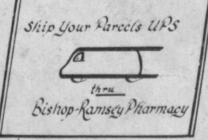
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