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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

\$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 loot.

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

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 immediately.

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 purposes.

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 you!

## Council sets reward for dog trap vandals

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 town.

The reward will only be paid if information 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 tampering with a dog trap.

The motion was made by council woman Ginger Warren, seconded by

councilman Frank Breed. The vote was in favor of the reward proposal.

### TEXAS FIRST PLAN APPROVED

Following a presentation by Southwestern Bell representative Jim West, the council approved a resolution supporting the proposed five year plan the telephone company has asked the Public Utilities Commission to approve. The plan includes a freeze on rates, upgrading of all Texas offices to digital status, upgrading of four party service to two party service at no additional cost, dis-

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a view from

The Lamplighter

By Ken Towery



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 unraveled, 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.



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 have occurred can best be appreciated

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. Pleistocene 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 World.

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

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## The Floyd County Hesperian is recipient of press awards

The Floyd County Hesperian was once again a winner in 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 of Photography.

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

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 memories."



Jimmie Lou Stewart  
City Secretary

## 'She is a very neat person'

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 1949.

"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 occurrence came "when we started purchasing power (electricity)" in 1980.

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."

Although it now purchases

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# Floyd County - The Early Years

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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

the real Spanish meaning of "stockaded or palisaded high plain." The designation of Llano Estacado was commonly used as a reference point by early officials 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-

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 Llano Estacado in September 1874.

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).

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 eastern 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")



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.  
Staff Photo

## This Week

### WEATHER

Courtesy of Energas

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, Leitha 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 District.

### HEART DRIVE

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

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*"Not just cows and plows anymore"*

## Board hears overview of new ag dept.

Ag science instructor Barron Wetzel told FBSD school trustees "It's no longer vocational agriculture, now it's agricultural science and technology." Wetzel 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. Wetzel 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 Wetzel, "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, grounds-men 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 \$31,927.43 with a 45 day completion date.

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 FBSD 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 teacher).

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 Wetzel, Ronnie Wood and the Hesperian reporter.

## 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 well-informed 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 month.

### Dance and Concert

## Maines Brothers Band

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## NSDAR hear program on Vietnam War

By Loretta Denning  
Buffalo Grass Chapter NSDAR met 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, 1957-75.  
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.

program at this time featuring the historical 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.  
Hostesses, June Sherman and Sherry

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 from Hereford.

## Sorority views slide show, plan upcoming activities

By Dara Ware  
The 247th meeting of Texas Alpha Mu Delta was called to order at 7 p.m. at the First National Bank in Floydada. 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 Shereze Covington. She had Jack Robertson from R Photography to give her program. He gave a cute slide show on children that he had photographed. Everyone enjoyed the beautiful portraits he has done. Our next meeting will be May 18 and we will have ritual of jewels and officer installations.

homes May 8 instead of the 15th as that is Mother's Day so we have changed the date. Refreshments will be served at the last home to be toured. Also a cake and pie auction will be held at Brenda Hefflin'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 awards.  
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 Hefflin. They served chicken casserole, tossed salad, hot rolls, pecan pie and iced tea.



**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 great-grandchildren who reside in California.

## 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 members 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-

fore lunch.  
President Letha Mulder called the meeting to order and the minutes of the previous meeting were read. It was reported that Thelma Jones had mailed a number of cards to those having sickness or death in their family. We appreciate Thelma for keeping in contact with our members.  
Mary Wilson led the group in singing Happy Birthday to two of our guests, Don Morelli and Betsy Smith.

Don Morelli from KAMC Weatherservice 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 tracking of storm systems. His program was most informative and we enjoyed it very much.

### FLOYD DATA

The Golden Corral was the meeting place Saturday, April 8, from 12 noon to 3 p.m. for a group of cousins who gathered for a period of fellowship and visiting.  
Those enjoying the meal and fellowship were: Mr. and Mrs. Cecil and Katherine Baker and Viola Miller, Anton; Odessa Cage and a friend, Ron Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Kyle and Jimmie Hollomon, all of Lubbock; Debra Rushing and Michael, Plainview; Walter Hodge and a friend of Perryton; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley and Virginia Waits, Hale Center, and Deecota Odam, Floydada.

## 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 Keese, 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 McGowan.

## 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.

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

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 fund.  
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.



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The 1934 Study Club met April 4 at Lighthouse Electric with husbands as guests.  
Mrs. Anthony Latta introduced the speakers Martha and Terry Kirk, who live in the Blanco Community. Mr. and Mrs. Kirk spent six years in Saudi Arabia farming.  
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 with the men.  
Terry showed slides and talked about the farming. They farm and irrigate in circles, due to the pivot sprinkler system used.  
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.

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Sunday, April 16: Heidi Kaye Galoway, Tim Julian, Ermelinda Vargas  
Monday, April 17: C.E. Leatherman, Kathrin Hearon  
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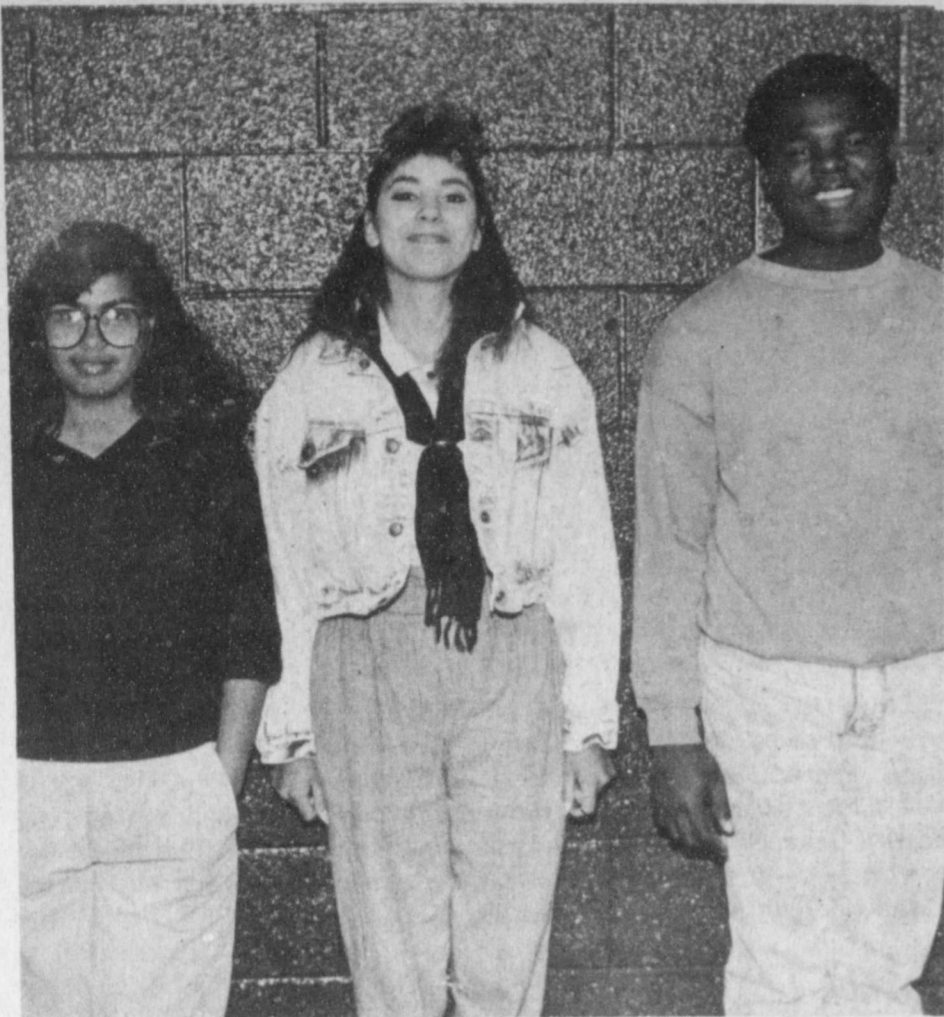
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JV DISTRICT WINNERS—JV winners in April 6 & 7 district competition held in Lubbock were (L-R) Cynthia DeHoyas and Mary Garcia, 2nd place winners in doubles; and Jerry Wickware, 1st place winner. Staff Photo

## 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 1 (Business Administration) program. The program is an academically intensive 8-week 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.

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 firm foundation in some of the major ideas needed for continued success in mathematics; and by guiding 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

mathematical proof are examined and examples of each method are analyzed. Denials are given special attention. After laying this foundation, 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

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

Action 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 Mexico 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 Schmidh and J.T. Wright.

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

The proceeds from the luggage will go for equipment for the new ambulance. Supplies, food, drinks, T-shirts, caps and bumper stickers will be on sale.



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 yrs. 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.



JASON LATTA brought back a 2nd place trophy in the overall division for small schools at the U.I.L.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, Kevin Womack, Tyson Edwards, Joe Hernandez and Amber Poole. 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,

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 Arebello, Joe Delgado and Trey Holmes. Staff Photo

## Floydada Track Results

### 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 garnered 54 points during the competition and Friona topped out with 52 points. Muleshoe scored 30 points with Roosevelt edging out Floydada with 25 points.

Events, participants and their times are listed below.

3200 meter relay: 4th, Harvey Espinoza, 11:08.80

400 meter relay: Victor Chavarria, Adam Cates, Jesse Cervera and Joe Cisneros

800 meter run: Larry Galvan; Jim Bob Hambricht

110 meter high hurdles: 4th, Adam Cates, 16.40

100 meter dash: Chavarria, 12.17

400 meter dash: Cervera, 55.80

300 meter intermediate hurdles: Cates, 45.21

200 meter dash: Cisneros, 24.47

1600 meter run: 6th, Espinoza, 5:09.79; Hambricht, 5:20.80; Galvan, 5:24.21

1600 meter relay: 6th; Ronnie Benjamin, 58.77; Cisneros, 57.07; Espinoza, 57.13; and Cervera, 55.85; total 3:48.82

Discus: 2nd, Cates, 125'; Chavarria, 108' 10"

Long jump: Cisneros, 18'

Pole vault: 3rd, Tim Julian, 11' 6"; 4th, Benjamin, 10' 6"

### JUNIOR VARSITY TAKES FOURTH

The Junior Varsity division of the

Dimmitt track meet on April 8 found the Floydada JV boys ending the competition in fourth place with 66 points. Floydada competitors, their events and times are listed below.

3200 meters: 5th, Jackie Alaniz, 11:33; 6th, Richard Gonzales, 11:52

800 meter run: 3rd, Freddy Arrizola, 2:12

100 meter run: 4th, Freddy Porter, 12:02

400 meter run: 1st, Edward Wickware, 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 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 24.

Participants, their events and times are listed below.

400 meter relay: 2nd, Aleman, Rodriguez, Davis and Henderson, 49:09

800 meter run: 2nd, Hernandez, 2:21.50; 3rd, Suarez, 2:24.15; Rubio, 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,

55.68; Wells, 60.81; Equia, 63.90

300 meter intermediate hurdles: 4th, Pyle, 48.09; Rainer, 49.45; Simpson, 51.59

200 meter dash: 4th, Davis, 25.20; 5th, Rodriguez, 26.12; Wells, 28.02

1600 meter run: 1st, Hernandez, 5:22.56; 2nd, Suarez, 5:23.41; 3rd, Crisswell, 5:25.40

1600 meter relay: 2nd, Davis, Aleman, Hernandez and Henderson, 356.24

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

Discus: 3rd, Gilliland, 117' 11"

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

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

Pole vault: 1st, Pyle, 9' 6"; 4th, Simpson, 8' 0"



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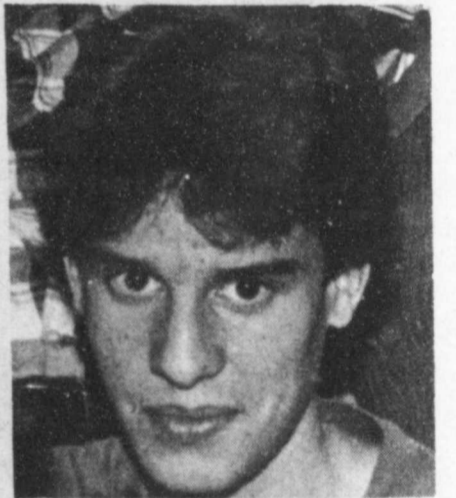
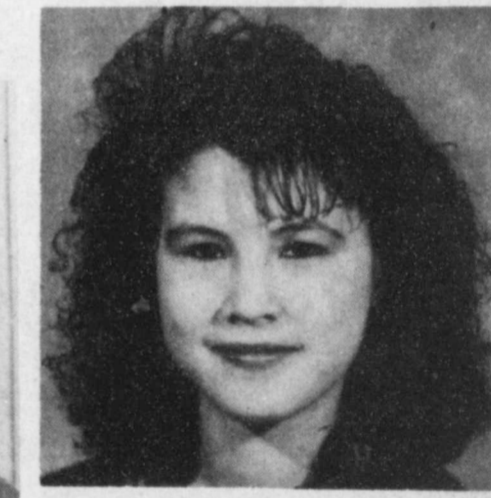


DIANE REYES

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 experience. Staff Photo

### 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.



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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. Staff Photo

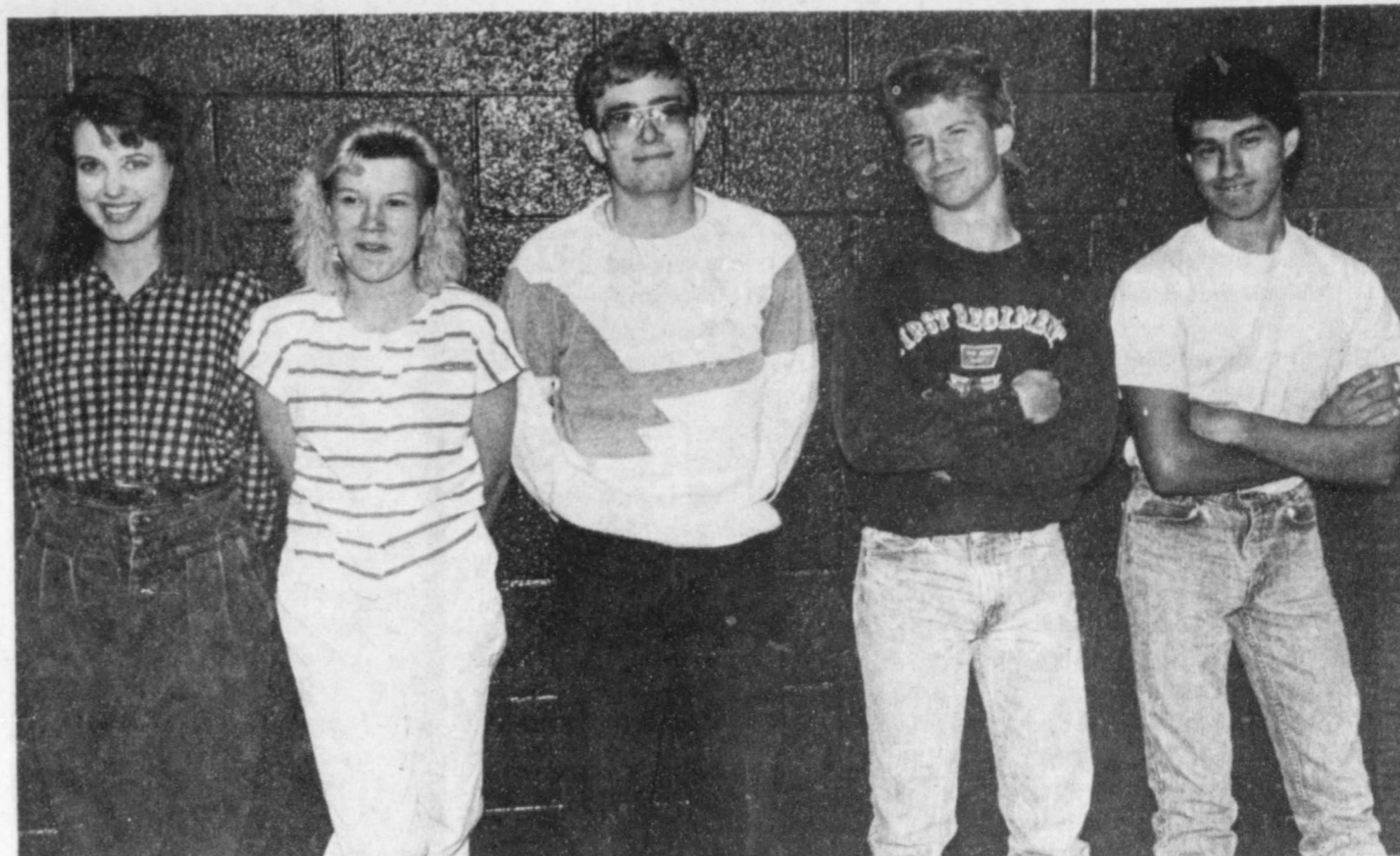
### Eckert captures honors at regional Science Fair

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 20-county 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 Gilliland.



**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 were 3rd place in boys doubles. Staff Photo

## Floydada School Menu

April 17-21

**Monday:**  
Breakfast — Pineapple juice, toast, jelly, milk  
Lunch — Macaroni w/cheese sauce, ham wedge, buttered broccoli, oatmeal cookie, hot roll, milk

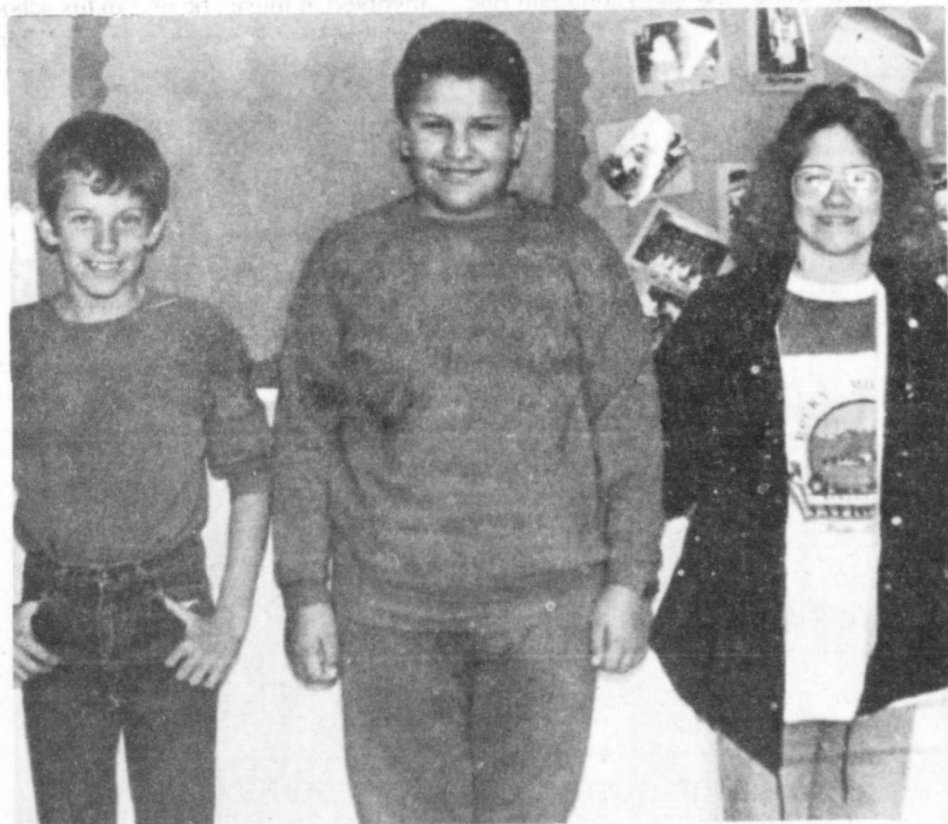
**Tuesday:**  
Breakfast — Orange juice, cinnamon toast, milk  
Lunch — Lasagna casserole, fried squash, green beans, peaches, hot roll, milk

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

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

**Thursday:**  
Breakfast — Apple juice, dry cereal, milk  
Lunch — Beef tacos, pinto beans, tossed salad, cornbread, applesauce, milk

**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



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## Women landowners schedule programs

## Changes in procedures considered by USDA

Announcement by USDA last week 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 National 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 growers. With indications of tightening supplies among other cotton producing nations, however, U. S. cotton has become more competitive in recent weeks.

"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 recommendation 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 competitive issue.

"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

prompt response to the industry's recommendation."

As a part of the Secretary's decision-making 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 relevant 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 indi-

cated that he might find it necessary to call either for advance payment of storage or provide documentation that would relieve 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 consensus can be reached that will allow the Council to file comments in behalf of the entire industry."

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 in-depth 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

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 expenses.

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 taxes.

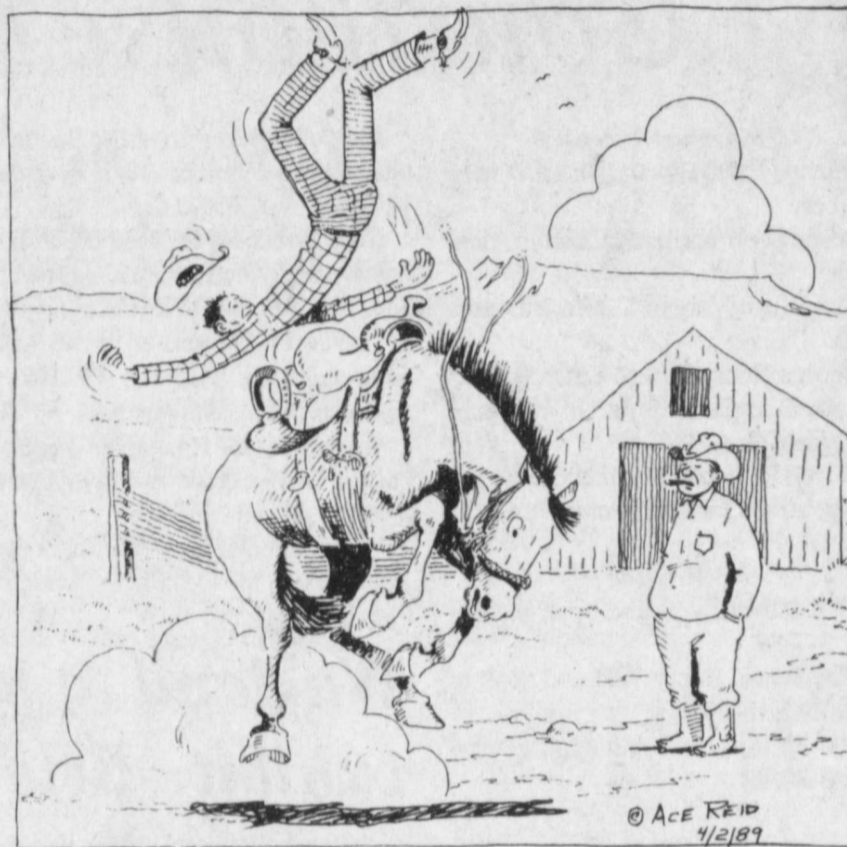
Buying, selling and trading land will also be discussed the second morning. The new rules for tax-free exchanges will be discussed, as well as the rules on the recent rule changes on interest rates required for family transactions.

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

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.

## COWPOKES By Ace Reid



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

## Issues outlined at 112th gathering by cattlemen

Texas cattlemen took a stand on myriad issues including an appointed Texas Agricultural Commission, water rights, land use, animal welfare and marketing and laid out their positions in a series of policy resolutions passed at the 112th annual Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association convention in Austin, says TSCRA President James L. Powell of Fort McKavett. 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 because "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 elsewhere.

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

health, care, production and handling 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

## 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 approved by the Texas Senate."

The election of officers and TDA action came at a meeting of the Board

George Beggs IV, Fort Worth; John B. Birdwell III, Lubbock; Daniel Yurria 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, Athens.

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 Johnson.

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 Bulchee of Gaines County, replacing R. O. Webb, and Ricky Bearden of Yoakum County, 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.

## China buys 400,000 metric tons of wheat

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 hard red spring and 210,000 Mt of soft red winter.

USDA issues both daily and weekly export sales reports to the public. Exporters are required to report to USDA export sales of 100,000 metric tons or more of one commodity, made in one day, to one destination by 3:00 p.m. eastern time on the next business day

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**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 Foster, Crystal Foster.



**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 consist of: (left-right, standing) Coaches Thelma Martinez, Joe Martinez, Connie Martinez (kneeling, left-right) Lisa Martinez, Vickie Ochoa, April Gourdon, Jamie McGuire; (sitting, left-right) Misti Cochran, Kellye Crump, Amber Dumas.

# Commissioners consider juvenile funding resolution and economic development

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 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 of the use of this space and the counties making up the difference. This means that Floyd County pays for 200 3/4 days 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."

One of the bills calls for the state to

pay up to \$50 per day towards the handling of juvenile offenders through the youth commission and the second calls for funds towards the detention of juveniles.

A motion by commissioner Floyd Jackson, seconded by commissioner Connie Bearden and approved by unanimous vote of those present approved the signing of the resolution which will be forwarded to legislators making county support of the juvenile funding bills known.

### ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PLAN BROACHED BY COUNTY RESIDENT

Don Marble, an area farmer who resides in South Plains, met with the court to present some preliminary information concerning grants and loans available to parties interested in beginning a manufacturing industry in rural areas of the state.

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 development director for South Plains Area

Governments (SPAG) concerning the 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 the area.

### 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-

ates of deposit on which \$19,534.11 in 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 Heflin.

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

Present at the regular monthly 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.

## Arts Assn. slates art show

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

The entries will be accepted Wednesday, May 24, from 1:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.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 \$5.00. Entry fees for students senior 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.

## April designated as Child Abuse Prevention Month

April is Child Abuse Prevention Month. Texas law requires an individual to make a verbal report to Texas Department of Human Services (DHS) or a law enforcement agency immediately upon learning of or suspecting the likelihood of abuse or neglect. Professionals must report within 48 hours.

It is imperative to make the report as soon as possible. The more time that elapses between the incident and your report, the more difficult it is for Children's Protective Service Specialists to conduct an appropriate and thorough investigation. Over time, bruises can heal; physical evidence may disappear or be obscured; memories may fade; and children, parents or other individuals may change their minds about what to say to CPS investigators.

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 degenerated into abuse or neglect. CPS specialists 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 neglected. You are not expected to prove that abuse or neglect has definitely occurred. Delaying your report to monitor the situation or gather more information, can result in more serious harm to the child.

If at all possible, make the report early in the week, especially if the child goes to school or day care. When necessary 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 interview the child.

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

without having to wait until Monday for the child to return.

When professionals - such as doctors, nurses, counselors or school personnel - report abuse or neglect, they should have any records about the child readily accessible. Records can help identify the child's name, address, birthdate, parents and siblings, and may provide other useful information.

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

condition, such as injuries, medical problems, physical handicaps, intellectual development, and emotional or behavioral 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.



## Letter to the Editor

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 full-time farmers and ranchers are only 1.5% of the states population and no longer determined their chief regulator through the electoral 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 Commission."

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 Association
- Texas Cattlewomen Association
- Trans Pecos Cotton Association
- Texas Citrus and Vegetable Association
- Texas Association of Cotton Producer Organizations
- Texas Pest Management Association
- Texas Grain and Feed Association
- Texas Cottonseed Crushers Association
- Southwest Meat Packers Association
- Independent Cattleman's Association
- South Texas Cotton and Grain Association
- 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 its 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

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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 step-grandchildren; 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-grandchildren.

### THERESA MARIE FALCON

Graveside services for Theresa Marie Falcon, infant, were at 4:00 p.m. Friday, April 7, at Floydada Cemetery. Burial was in Floydada Cemetery by Father Adolpho Valenzuela officiating.

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. Worth.

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-grandchildren.

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 Floydada.



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

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**LITTLE DRIBBLERS**—The Little Dribblers team coached by 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 Reden, Joni Smith, Charla Yeary, KC Robertson.



**LITTLE 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.

## 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 labeling campaign, which yielded 4.63 million Heinz Baby Food labels nation-

wide, 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.

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### NOTICE OF HOSPITAL DISTRICT DIRECTORS ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION 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 candidatos 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 adjunta se considera en todos sentidos parte de este aviso.)

Don Bean  
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 situadas 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.

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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 mañana 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  
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Floydada, Tx, 79235-0010

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business 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.)

Signature of Presiding Officer (Firma del Oficial que Preside)

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## 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

Louis Ray Williams, Floydada, adm. 4-8, continues care, Hale  
Roderick (Roger) Davis, Floydada, adm. 4-8, continues care, Hale  
Rosa Lackey, Floydada, adm. 4-7, continues care, Hale  
John Holmes, Floydada, adm. 10-88, continues care, Hale  
Alice Henry, Floydada, adm. 2-10, continues care, Hale



**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

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Everybody's All-American  
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LANGE QUAD HUTTON

Post-UP THE CROWD...  
We keep you...  
WITH BIG SCREEN MOVIES

Kids Need Water Too  
And sooner than you think!



# CHECK OUT THESE WEEKLY BIG BLUE BONUS SPECIALS

**BIG BLUE BONUS SPECIALS**

1 1/2 LB. LOAF TENDERCRUST WHITE BREAD **25¢**

WITH ONE FILLED BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET  
WITHOUT BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET **2 FOR \$1**

**BIG BLUE BONUS SPECIALS**

175 CT. BOX ASSORTED KLEENEX **41¢**

WITH ONE FILLED BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET  
WITHOUT BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET **89¢**

**BIG BLUE BONUS SPECIALS**

2 Liter Bottle **7UP 49¢**

**DR. PEPPER** **49¢**

WITH ONE FILLED BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET  
WITHOUT BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET **97¢**

**BIG BLUE BONUS SPECIALS**

4 ROLL PKG. ASSORTED BATHROOM TISSUE **DELSEY 51¢**

WITH ONE FILLED BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET  
WITHOUT BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET **99¢**

**BIG BLUE BONUS SPECIALS**

JUMBO ROLL PAPER TOWELS **HI-DRI 1¢**

WITH ONE FILLED BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET  
WITHOUT BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET **49¢**

**BIG BLUE BONUS SPECIALS**

REG. \$1.99 TORTILLA CHIPS **TOSTITOS 81¢**

WITH ONE FILLED BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET  
WITHOUT BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET **\$1.29**

**BIG BLUE BONUS SPECIALS**

4.6 OZ. TUBE TOOTH PASTE **COLGATE 51¢**

WITH ONE FILLED BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET  
WITHOUT BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET **99¢**

**BIG BLUE BONUS SPECIALS**

5' OFF LABEL ARMOUR VIENNA SAUSAGE **231¢**

WITH ONE FILLED BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET  
WITHOUT BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET **2 FOR 79¢**

**GROCERY SPECIALS**

CLEANER **PINE-SOL LIQUID** 15 OZ. BTL. **\$1.19**

LITTER **JONNY CAT** 10 LB. BAG **\$1.89**

SOLO 9 INCH **PARTY PLATES** 15 CT. PKG. **\$1.19**

SOLO 16 OZ. **PARTY CUPS** 20 CT. PKG. **99¢**

REG/UNSALTED/LOW SALT **ZESTA CRACKERS** 1 LB. BOX **97¢**

SUNSHINE **CHEEZ-ITS CRACKERS** 16 OZ. BOX **\$1.69**

SUNSHINE **HI-HO CRACKERS** 16 OZ. BOX **\$1.69**

CAMPBELL'S VEG/ MINESTR/TOM. GARDEN **HOME COOKIN' SOUP** 10.75 OZ. CANS **279¢**

AUNT JEMIMA ORIGINAL **PANCAKE MIX** 2 LB. BOX **\$1.19**

AUNT JEMIMA **BUTTERLITE SYRUP** 24 OZ. BTL. **\$2.09**

OLD FASHIONED/QUICK **QUAKER OATS** 18 OZ. BOX **\$1.19**

HEFTY **LAWN & LEAF BAGS** 10 CT. BOX **\$1.99**

GIANT LAUNDRY **AJAX DETERGENT** 36 OZ. BOX **\$1.19**

**P L A Y**

**MONOPOLY MATCH 'N WIN**

**LAY'S POTATO CHIPS 89¢**  
REG. \$1.59

PRIZE	NUMBER OF PRIZES	ODDS CHART ODDS 1 TICKET	ODDS 13 TICKETS	ODDS 26 TICKETS
\$2,500	12	403,333	31,026	15,513
\$1,000	18	268,889	20,684	10,342
\$500	20	242,000	18,615	9,308
\$200	50	96,800	7,446	3,723
\$100	100	48,400	3,723	1,862
\$50	200	24,200	1,862	931
\$25	400	12,100	931	465
\$10	1,000	4,840	372	186
\$5	2,000	2,420	186	93
\$2	9,000	538	41	21
\$1	35,715	136	10	5
TOTALS	48,515	100	8	4

**PROGRAM DATA**  
\$196,115 total prize money available during 13 week program.  
48,515 total winning game pieces available during promotion.  
1 in 100 tickets are winning game pieces.  
NUMBER OF OUTLETS: 73  
PROGRAM SCHEDULED THROUGH: June 18, 1989.  
AREA COVERED BY PROGRAM: North Texas, West Texas, Eastern New Mexico & Southern Colorado.  
SWEEPSTAKES: There will be two (2) drawings in each participating store for \$100 prize per store per drawing. Drawing dates for these are April 10, 1989 and May 1, 1989. There will be one (1) drawing for the \$10,000 Grand Prize. Closing date for the Grand Prize drawing will be seven (7) days after game termination. The odds of winning the Grand Prize will vary depending upon the number of qualified entries submitted.  
SWEEPSTAKES PRIZES: \$24,400  
TOTAL GAME PRIZES: \$196,115  
NO PURCHASE NECESSARY

**SHELF SPECIALS**

BESTMAID KOSHER/POLISH **DILL SPEARS** 24 OZ. JAR **\$1.39**

KINGSFORD CHARCOAL **LIGHTER FLUID** 32 OZ. BTL. **\$1.59**

REG/MESQUITE **KINGSFORD CHARCOAL** 10 LB. BAG **\$2.89**

DINTY MOORE BF. STEW/CH. NDLE/ HORMEL CHILI & BNS/SCAL POT & HAM **MICROWAVE LUNCHES** 7.5 OZ. CTN. **79¢**

**HEAVY GRAIN FED BEEF**

**Round Steak \$1.79** LB.

**WILSON'S CORN KING SLICED BACON** 1 LB. PKG. **\$1.19**

WILSON'S REG/HONEY CURED 96% FAT FREE **JUST FOR US HAMS** 2 LB. PORTION **\$5.99**

BAR-S **MEAT FRANKS** 12 OZ. PKG. **99¢**

BAR-S **SLICED MEAT BOLOGNA** 12 OZ. PKG. **\$1.19**

SELECT SLICED YOUNG **BEEF LIVER** LB. **89¢**

DELTA PRIDE FARM RAISED WHOLE **CATFISH** **\$2.49** LB.

DELTA PRIDE **HUSH PUPPIES** 1 LB. BAG **99¢**

DELTA PRIDE FARM RAISED CATFISH **NUGGETS** **\$2.19** LB.

**FROZEN FOODS & DAIRY**

EGGO **OAT BRAN WAFFLES** 11 OZ. PKG. **\$1.69**

I CAN'T BELIEVE IT'S NOT BUTTER **MARGARINE QUARTERS** 1 LB. BOX **\$1.09**

BORDEN'S ORIG/CRISPY/TOFFEE **FROSTIKS** 6 CT. PKG. **99¢**

BORDEN'S **FRUIT DRINK** GAL. JUG **\$1.19**

PAY-N-SAVE **HOMO MILK** 1/2 GAL. CTN. **99¢**

SHURFINE **COTTAGE CHEESE** 24 OZ. CTN. **\$1.39**

**HEALTH & BEAUTY**

ASSORTED **CONDITION SHAMPOO** 15 OZ. BTL. **\$1.49**

X-BODY/X-PROTECTION **CONDITION II CONDITIONER** 15 OZ. BTL. **\$1.49**

ASSORTED **CONDITION HAIR SPRAY** 7 OZ. CAN **\$1.49**

ANTACID **MYLANTA II LIQUID** 12 OZ. BTL. **\$3.99**

ASSORTED **CALGON BATH LIQUID** 7 OZ. BTL. **\$1.59**

ASSORTED **CALGON BATH POWDER** 15 OZ. CTN. **\$1.59**

MOUTHWASH **LISTERMINT** 18 OZ. BTL. **\$2.89**

ASSORTED VO-5 **HAIR SPRAY** 7 OZ. CAN **\$1.49**

GILLETTE ATRA, ATRA PLUS, TRAC II, TRAC II PLUS **CARTRIDGES** 5 CT. PKG. **\$2.49**

GILLETTE REG/MENTH/L-LIME **FOAMY** 6 1/2 OZ. CAN **\$1.49**

**SWEET JUICY Cantaloupe 59¢** LB.

**CALIFORNIA NAVEL ORANGES 39¢** LB.

**PRODUCE SPECIALS**

RED RIPE SALAD **TOMATOES** LB. **59¢**

FRESH GREEN **CABBAGE** LB. **15¢**

NEW CROP **YELLOW ONIONS** LB. **19¢**

**Ray-n-Save**  
QUALITY AND SERVICE

PRICES EFFECTIVE APRIL 9-15, 1989  
DOUBLE STAMPS ON WEDNESDAY!  
[Excluding Cigarettes]  
DOUBLE COUPONS ON SATURDAY!  
[Rules Posted In Store]

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