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The Lamplighter [By Ken Towery

Against our better judgment we got kind of excited a few months ago when itappeared things might be looking up in the Middle East. Mr. Arafat had finally come forth with some concessions the Israelies thought he would never make, the American government expressed its tentative approval, the government of srael had come forth with a plan of their own, albeit a plan that would give them the upper hand in any negotiations, and the Egyptians had then come forth with a plan that seemed to hold promise. Perhaps, we thought, the killing would soon end or at least slow down.

After being pressured by America to act, the Israelis finally did. They said no. Obviously they would rather keep things the way they are now.

All of which brings up the question: Will the mess in the mid-east ever end? Possibly, but not likely.

Why? It's a long, long story, not one to be fully explored here. But we at least have room for a few observations.

As background for any understanding of the mid-east, a re-reading of the Bible might be helpful. One will find, particularly in the Old Testament, that Jews have been at war with their neighbors almost from the time Moses led the Israelites into their "Promised Land." Perhaps it is just an impression, but it seems the early history of the Jews is replete with wars and the threat of wars with neighboring people. They were either making war on their neighbors, or their neighbors were making war on them. Periods of peace and tranquility were relatively rare. Little has changed.

Biblical scribes report with evident satisfaction and approval the great military exploits of their Kings. Defeat and destruction were often credited to those leaders who departed from the ways of God. In other words, if a King did well on the battlefield it was because God smiled upon him, and if he suffered defeat and destruction it was because God was unhappy with his reign.

Perhaps that is exactly the way it worked, and perhaps it worked exactly for those reasons. But by following that line of reasoning it is awful easy to conclude that as long as one is winning on the battlefield he is doing God's will, and if he suffers defeat it is because God is unhappy with him. As one who has seen both victory and defeat on the battlefield, we have our doubts. Somehow we believe God has a little different criteria with which to judge those who please, or displease, Him.

The Jews have striven for thousands of years to maintain their own identity, their own religion, their own thoughts and attitudes. In this they have done remarkably well. They have entered into and become part of the world's various regions, countries, cultures, while remaining, with great effort, their own selves. In many of those countries they exert influence far beyond what one would expect from their numbers. One can only marvel at their tenacity and perseverance, marvel and take heed.

Now they have a "homeland" in place, even if they intend to remain forever in places like America, or France, or England, or South Africa. In the meantime they, or many of them, have an emotional attachment to a country they have never seen and have no intention of ever living. They intend to see that it remains there.

One of the problems is that there are others who have also lived there for thousands of years, and who feel they have as valid a claim to the land as the Jews. Another reason we see so little prospect for peace in the middle east is that we see no real reason for Israel to seek peace on any terms other than their own. The Israelis currently receive more than \$3 billion each year from America in various forms of aid from the American taxpayers, courtesy the United States Congress. Divided between the approximately 3 million Israelis, that

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Punkin Day activities being finalized

By Alice Gilroy

With 'Punkin Days' only a week away you better get your running shoes ready, your costume created and your favorite pies baked.

PEP RALLY

The activities on Friday have been rearranged slightly. The October 27th pep rally that had originally been planned for the downtown square has been moved to the junior high gym.

School will be let out early to enable everyone the opportunity to get to the junior high and holler out their support for the undefeated Whirlwinds.

The pep rally will start at 3:00 p.m, which will enable everyone time to dress for the costume contest on the square.

COSTUME CONTEST

Pre-registration for the costume contest will start at 4:30 p.m. and the contest will start at 5:00 p.m. There are age categories for everyone so there is no excuse for anyone not to enter.

BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

The place to be Friday is downtown Floydada. Merchants will be dressed in costume and several businesses are decorated on the inside. Sunbelt Savings and the 2nd floor of the courthouse are planning on having refreshments for people who stop in to see the decorations. Any other business planning specific activities should contact The Hesperian. If your decorations are on the inside and you wish to be considered for the business decoration contest, be sure and contact the chamber office.

5K & FUN RUN

Saturday morning's races are already off to a great start. Julianne Cornelius, 5K & Fun Run coordinator reports that pre-registration has already started.

"We expect a good turnout," said Julianne, "There has been a lot of interest shown, but remember if you don't pre-register by October 20th we can't guarantee you a correctly fitted Tshirt." All entrants will receive a

The 5-K race will start off the 'Punkin Day' activities at 10:00 a.m. The entry fee is \$10.00 per person.

5-K runners will be divided into three categories: 0-18 years, 19-29 years, and 30 and up. A beautiful first place trophy will be presented in each category. Second and third place ribbons will also be awarded.

The Fun Run and Stroller Race starts around 11:00 a.m., after the 5K race. This race is only a mile and the entry fee is also \$10.00 for adults and \$7.00 for children in strollers. Children will also be given a T-shirt.

The five categories for the Fun Run are: 0-12 years; 13-16 years; 17-25 years; 25 & over; Stroller Race. First, second and third place ribbons will be

"I want some challenges out there!" said Coordinator Cornelius. "For example the 7th grade track could challenge 8th grade track - or the tennis teams could race. The ideas are endless!"

Cornelius also reminds everyone that moms aren't the only ones that can push a child in a stroller. "We need some dads out there too - or grandmothers and grandfathers. Mom can also push one child and dad can race them pushing another child.

"The Fun Run is for everyone. You don't have to run. You can walk or jog as slow or as fast as you want.

If you haven't pre-registered you must be at the race sight (the S.E. corner of the courthouse) by 9:00 a.m. to register. If you have pre-registered please arrive 30 minutes before the race you wish to be in.

Floydada Boy Scouts will help during the race by passing out water at the halfway mark. The Brownies will pass out fruit to participants at the end of the

You can pick up your entry forms at Halloween festivities.

Floydada Pumpkin Capital U.S.A. T- The Hesperian, the chamber office, the First National Bank in Floydada, or call Julianne Cornelius at 983-2982.

> **PUMPKIN ENTRIES** Anyone who thinks they have the best pumpkin pie recipe should prove it to everyone by entering it in the Pumpkin Pie contest on Saturday morning. Bring your pie under the pavilion by 10:00 a.m. on Saturday for judging.

Other entries encouraged are: the smallest pumpkin; largest pumpkin, ugliest gourd; prettiest corn; best painted pumpkin, 13 & over and under 13; best carved pumpkin, 13 & over and

The home grown pumpkins (grown from seed donated by the chamber) should also be registered and in place by 10:00 a.m. The winner of the largest pumpkin will win a 20" dirt bike.

Be sure and register your guess for the weight of the pumpkins piled in the trailer, by 11:00 a.m. The winner will receive \$25.00, courtesy of Hulon and Gary Carthel of Heptad vegetables and Scott Faulkenberry.

HALLOWEEN CARNIVALS The days fun will not be over when the

activities end in Floydada. The Lockney PTA has planned a

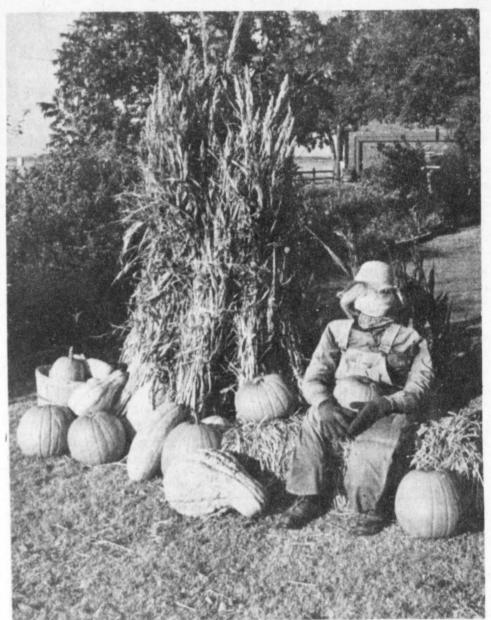
'Pumpkin Patch' carnival from 6-9 p.m. in the Lockney Elementary School. Everyone is encouraged to come dressed in costume.

The carnival will include such things as apple bobbing, pin the tail on the Longhorn, cake walk, bean bag throw basketball throw and a pumpkin carving

If you want to bring your carved pumpkins they should be at the school between 4:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. on October 28.

There will also be booths set up at the school. Admission charge is .50 cents

This will be a great place for children to go and show off their winning costumes again and to enjoy more safe



TAKING A BREAK--This hard working farm woman decided to take a break during the short lived spring weather this week. She had obviously been working hard in the pretty yard at 901 Texas.

Coach Bates to speak at Chamber breakfast Friday

Show the Whirlwinds you've noticed and appreciate them. Come to the Floydada Chamber of Commerce breakfast on Friday, Oct. 20, and hear

Head Coach Dean Bates. Bates will talk of the Whirlwinds successful year and 6-0 record and up-

coming battles for the team. Musical entertainment will be provided by the Gospel Heirs. The group consists of lead singer, Janet Lloyd; Esther Parker, alto; Bobby Rainer, tenor; Grant Hambright, bass; and Dell

Gray on the piano. The breakfast will be held in the Massie Activity Center on Oct. 20 at 7:00 a.m. All chamber members are invited to attend.

Invitations have been sent out to all Chamber members. "If you are a member and fail to receive an invitation please feel free to come to the breakfast anyway," said Chamber manager Kathy Himes. "It would simply be an oversight on our part if you do not get an invita-

The chamber breakfast is sponsored by Oden Chevrolet-Olds, City Auto, Quality Body Shop and Floydada Ford-Mercury.

Pumpkins rapidly becoming popular crop in Floydada

By Tonya Tinnin Editor's Note: The following story was written by Texas Tech journalism student, Tonya Tinnin, provided to this newspaper by Tech's School of Mass Communication through a grant from the Reader's Digest foundation.

Floydada's economy revolves heavily around cotton — the area's main income-producing crop — followed by cattle and grain production, but now the town has proclaimed itself Pumpkin

Capital, USA. Pumpkin farming in Floyd County got its start in the late 50's, when B.A. Robertson began planting the fruit to make some extra money.

Dr. Roland Roberts, extension vegetable specialist, said the pumpkin is botanically considered a fruit, but pumpkins are often considered to be in the vegetable family because of their growing pattern and their uses.

Brent Crossland, Floyd County extension agent, said, "1000 acres in the county are planted with pumpkins. The big advantage to pumpkin growers in Floyd County is good drainage and deep soils. The soil texture is not too heavy, meaning there is not that much clay in the soil and that enables better water infiltration."

The cost for growing pumpkins often depends upon which type of pumpkins is desired. The seeds for miniature pumpkins are about \$50 per pound, the jack-o-lantern pumpkin seeds are \$7 to \$8 per pound and "Big Mac" pumpkin seeds are \$14 to \$15 per pound.

The miniature pumpkins, less than three pounds, are more expensive because they are more of a novelty item. Jack-o-lantern pumpkins, 10-20 pounds, make up about 90 percent of the

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READY TO RACE--Just a few energetic and eager runners stopped by The Hesperian on Monday to pre-register for the upcoming 'Punkin Days' 5K & Fun Run on Satur-

day morning. There is room for all ages and athletic abilities in the races. Pre-registration by October 20, will guarantee you a correct size T-shirt.

Hesperian sponsoring coloring contest

It has been eight years, but Floydada students and adults will once again have the chance to decorate the windows downtown - and win money doing it.

In 1981 The Floyd County Hesperian sponsored a coloring contest and the entries were displayed in downtown store windows. Once again, in celebration of 'Punkin Days' and the undefeated Whirlwinds, citizens can decorate downtown.

Anyone buying this week's paper and any student in school will be given the opportunity to participate in the Whirl-

wind Coloring Contest. Inside the paper is a full page cartoon by Bill Gray. Anyone interested in competing for the prize money should color the cartoon and add their verse in the voice balloon of the Whirlwind.

The page is brought to you courtesy of The Floyd County Hesperian. The grand prize of a \$50.00 savings bond will be awarded by The First National Bank. Individual prize money, courtesy of Lighthouse Electric Co-op Inc., Producers Co-op Elevator and Floydada Co-op Gin will be given to students in each school. A first place of \$15.00, second

place of \$10.00 and a third place of \$5.00 will be given to students in Duncan, Andrews, Jr. High and High

The coloring contest is also open to adults and pre-school.

The coloring page will be handed out to all schools on Thursday, October 19. The teachers will be sure all students that wish to participate will have one. Everyone will have the weekend to color and write before they turn in their entries to their teacher first thing Monday morning.

Anyone not in school should have their entries into The Hesperian office by 10:00 a.m. Monday morning, October 23. The entries will be judged by Bill Gray, Jo Goen, Penny Golightly and Dewane Franklin.

After the judging, the Booster Club will hang all pictures in undecorated store windows around town. The names of the winners will be printed in next week's Hesperian.

Remember the Whirlwinds and 'Punkin Days' as you create your masterpiece. Go Whirlwinds!!

Pumpkins becoming popular crop

Continued from Page 1 pumpkin business.

If a pumpkin weighs 100 pounds or more it is qualified to be called a "Big Mac" pumpkin. Pie pumpkins usually range from three to five pounds.

The biggest problem encountered with growing pumpkins is disease, Crossland said. The pumpkin seed is planted about every two to three feet. When the pumpkins start growing they become prolific, meaning that the pumpkins produce many large leaves. According to Crossland, these large leaves keep moisture trapped in the ground causing mildew on the pump-

"The largest insect problem that the pumpkin farmer faces is the squash bug," Crossland said.

The best time to market pumpkins is at Halloween. Most pumpkin farmers plant the seeds in June so they can start harvesting the pumpkins in September and October.

Roberts said the air is dry. The land is open, and the sunny weather through the months of September and October gives pumpkin growers a long time of harvest.

Pumpkins are a labor intensive crop with harvesting, culling and loading done primarily by hand. Scott Faulkenberry, a pumpkin grower since 1979, estimated the cost of the crop and labor to be \$150 to \$200 per acre.

Faulkenberry started growing pumpkins when he leased B.A. Robertson's land. "Robertson told me I could grow anything I wanted, but I needed to grow some pumpkins," said Faulkenberry. When growing pumpkins was compared with other crops such as cotton, Faulkenberry said, "Pumpkins are more fun."

Another pumpkin farmer in Floyd

Precinct #5 - East Lockney at City Hall

County is Hulon Carthel. He has been growing pumpkins for four years. Carthel said he got interested in pumpkins when he and his brother were eating donuts and saw a miniature pumpkin sitting on the window sill of the coffee shop. Carthel said he and his brother talked it over, and they both thought that pumpkins would be a good thing to get

"Pumpkins are a fun thing, but they are a lot of work," said Carthel. "Through growing pumpkins I get to meet a lot of people and that's what I like the best - meeting people."

TONYA TINNIN

MASKED RIDER--Tonya Tinnin,

Texas Tech Masked Rider poses atop

the beautiful Midnight Raider in

front of the Tech campus.

Punkin Days October 27 & 28

Both Carthel and Faulkenberry said they produce about 20,000 to 30,000 pounds of pumpkins per acre.

How do pumpkin farmers get rid of all their pumpkins?

Faulkenberry sells all of his pumpkins in Floydada. He said, "They come

Carthel sells most of his pumpkins by word of mouth which he says is the best selling tool. There is a book of buyers and sellers of pumpkins, but nothing beats word of mouth, he said.

"Because of the national shortage of pumpkins this year, local pumpkin growers can market their pumpkins more aggressively and attempt to go for higher prices this season," said Roberts.

There has been a lot of drought in South Central Texas, along with other areas throughout the nation, that has contributed to this shortage, Roberts

Besides growing pumpkins Faulkenberry also grows ornamental gourds and several different kinds of squash.

Carthel also grows Indian com, cucumbers and a number of other crops.

Tinnin to write feature stories Masked Rider, Tonya has made ap-Readers of The Floyd County proximately 50 appearances and trav-Hesperian will be seeing feature stories

in future editions written by Tech student Tonya Tinnin.

Tinnin is on loan to the newspaper from the Tech's school of Mass Communications through a grant from the Reader's Digest foundation. In return for working with a newspaper and gaining some practical experience, the newspaper gets a worker free of charge.

Twenty-one-year-old Tinnin is a senior at Texas Tech and an agricultural communications major. She plans on graduating in May 1990. After graduation she hopes to work for a breed association such as Quarterhorse Jour-

The daughter of a 1957 Floydada graduate, Johnnie "Rusty" Tinnin, Tonya was born and raised in Amarillo. She graduated Amarillo High School in1986. Her mom, Bennie, lived in Lockney at one time, but graduated from Friona High School. Tonya says she has relatives living here in Floydada and in Lockney.

Anyone seeing Tonya about town may think she looks familiar. There is a good reason for that. Tonya is the 1989-90 Texas Tech Masked Rider.

Since being appointed March 1 as the

eled almost 5000 miles. Sitting atop the beautiful Midnight Raider, Tonya attends all home games and some away

The Masked Rider and Midnight Raider represent Texas Tech everywhere they go. "My job is to promote spirit and good will for Texas Tech," said Tinnin.

Besides attending parades and rodeos around the South Plains and New Mexico, Tonya is also very involved in the 'Say No To Drugs' education programs in the elementary schools.

"Midnight Raider goes with me to all the programs," said Tonya. "On October 27, we will go to Frenship High School where they are having a large campaign of Say No To Drugs. Over 800 students are expected to sign a contract to lead a drug free life. The Masked Rider and Midnight Raider will serve as witnesses."

Tinnin was chosen as the Masked Rider after competing against seven others. "We were judged on horsemanship, personal interviews and our scholastic achievements." Winners receive a \$1,000 scholarship from the Tech student foundation.

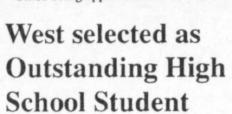
According to Tinnin there have been 28 Masked Riders in the 35 years of this tradition. Only six girls have been honored with the title. Tonya is the third girl in a row to serve as the Masked Rider. "Some people have had it for more than one year," said Tonya. "You have to try out for it every year, and you could be chosen again."

Tech has had Midnight Raider, a 10year-old Quarter Horse, for three years He is kept at the Texas Tech Ag Farm outside of New Deal and three times a week Tonya is required to make the 50 mile round trip to exercise and groom him. She is also responsible for hauling him back and forth to all games and appearances. "I'm also the only person who is allowed to ride him," said Tonya.

School and The Midnight Rider are not the only things keeping Tonya busy. She is also a member of the Kappa Delta Sorority, AG Communicators of Tommorrow, Horseman's Association and a member of the 1988 Tech Horse Judg-

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Christa D. West has been selected as an Outstanding High School Student of America. She was chosen as a new member because of outstanding merit and accomplishment as an American high school student.

Christa is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.K. West of Floydada and Mrs. Ella Reue of Lubbock.



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Precinct #3 - Allmon at Allmon Grain Office Judge: H.B. Robertson, Rt. 1, Box 157, Petersburg 79250 Alternate: R.G. Morris, Rt. 1, Box 149, Petersburg 79250

Precinct #4 - Sandhill at Barwise Elevator Judge: Mrs. Bill Horton, Rt. 3, Box 31, Floydada 79235 Alternate: Edwin Nutt, Rt. 3, Box 89, Floydada 79235

Judge: J.D. Copeland, Box 85, Lockney 79241 Alternate: Mrs. Hazel Johnson, Box 516, Lockney 79241 Precinct #7 - Providence at Lutheran Church

Judge: Mrs. Mary Turner, Rt. 1, Box 65, Lockney 79241

Alternate: H.E. Frizzell, Rt. 1, Box 42, Lockney 79241

Alternate: Mrs. Helmuth Quebe, Rt. 1, Box 129, Lockney 79241 Precinct #8 - Lone Star at Attebury Elevator Office Judge: Mrs. H.E. Frizzell, Rt. 1, Box 42, Lockney 79241

Precinct #9 - South Plains at South Plains Baptist Church Judge: Mrs. Mamie Wood, Box 95, South Plains 79258 Alternate: Mrs. Ruby Lee Higginbotham, Box 115, South Plains 79258

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Precinct #13 - Baker at Producers Elevator, Boothe Spur Judge: Kenneth Willis, Rt. 4, Box 154, Floydada 79235 Alternate: A.C. Pratt, Rt. 4, Box 161, Floydada 79235

Precinct #16 - Harmony at Harmony Community Center Judge: Mrs. Phil Dunavant, Rt. 3, Box 56, Floydada 79235 Alternate: Phil Dunavant, Rt. 3, Box 56, Floydada79235

Precinct #17 - Goodnight at Fairmont Baptist Church Judge: Mrs. Jack Pigg, Star Rt., Quitaque 79225 Alternate: Artie Gilbert, Rt. 1, Box 43, Flomot 79234

Precinct #20 - Dougherty at Producers Elevator office

Precinct #18 - West Lockney at Lockney Methodist Church Judge: Buster (J.T.) Terrell, Jr., HCR 4, Box 86, Lockney 79241 Alternate: Mrs. Kenneth Wolford, Box 611, Lockney 79241

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Judge: Mrs. Craig Edwards, Rt. 3, Box 184, Floydada 79235 Alternate: Mrs. Tom Porter, Rt. 3, Box 191, Floydada 79235

Precinct #23 - Southeast Floydada at Floyd County Courtroom Judge: Mrs. Kathy Green, 219 W. Ollie, Floydada 79235 Alternate: Mrs. Lynn Marler, Rt. 2, Box 41, Floydada 79235

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A closet isn't always a closet.

Your water heater or furnace is probably in a closet all by itself. And that's the way it should stay. As tempting as it may be, don't use the space around a water heater or furnace for storage. Even

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Awareness program on Satanism held at Duncan PTA meeting

An awareness program on Satanism was presented to a standing room only crowd on Monday, October 16, in the Duncan cafeteria. This was the second meeting of the PTA for this school year.

The number in attendance indicated that the parents and other members of our community are interested in and concerned with our children and things that concern our schools and community.

Satanism and the dabbling in it has become an increased concern in our community. This was the reason for this program. PTA feels that being aware of what is actually occurring and knowing how to deal with it is very important.

Floydada's Police Chief James Hale and Investigating Officer Dan Hale from Lubbock explained to those in attendance what was occurring and what to look for. They presented valuable information on signs and symbols used by these satanic groups and how to deal with the situation. A question and an-

swer session followed the program.

Other items brought out in this meet-November.

A drawing for door prizes was held following the program. This is being planned for each meeting. The students sang songs to close the meeting.

The next PTA meeting will be on Monday, November 27. The program will be on the Incentive program at Duncan. A video of the children participating in this program will be shown.

combination of more training and better

equipment was available to the 53,000

Texas voters have a chance Novem-

ber 7 to take a giant step in solving the

problem when they vote on Proposition

No. 17. Approval of the Constitutional

amendment will create a board which

will oversee a special emergency fund

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and equip fire departments. The bill

approved by the House of Representa-

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taxes or fees. Now, it's up to the voters

of Texas to decide the importance of the

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amendments, if we don't completely

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only a special interest group. In the case

of Proposition No. 17 every man,

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plus firefighters across the state.

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,

Fires cost Texas 322 lives and almost \$5 hundred million in property damage in 1987 and although no firm numbers are available, everyone associated with the fire service agrees that both numbers could be substantially reduced if a

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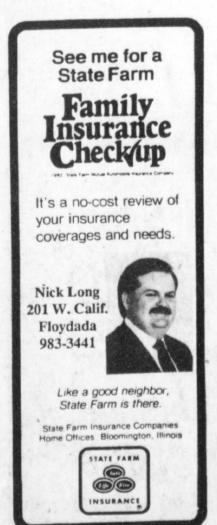
comes to about \$1,000 for every man, woman and child, each and every year. Put another way, it comes to about \$12,000 per year for every soldier the Israelis have under arms. That has gone on for many, many years, and as long as there is "trouble" in the mid east, promises to continue.

What would happen, one wonders, if peace should suddenly break out in the middle east? Could Israel then make the lar item. Often times that is a correct case that they needed the aid, with no decision since the proposal may serve threat to their survival imminent? Would Congress simply continue the subsidy from force of habit? Would pro-Israeli lobbies in this country continue to ante up substantial sums to elect sympathetic Senators and Congressmen who in turn vote to send American tax dollars to Israel?

In all probability it is a risk the Israelis do not feel is worth taking. About the only people who would truly benefit from peace in the mid east is the American taxpayer, plus, of course, those poor people who live out their lives homeless, in face of imminent destruction. And, as is evident, they don't count for much in the grand scheme of things.

We count ourselves among the world's optimists. Generally we try to find a silver lining in every cloud, no matter how dark. But search as we may, we find little to cheer about in the middle east. When we consider the nature of the people involved, Arabs, Israelis, scared Congressmen and Senators, the chances are great that things will continue about the way they are recorded from earlier imes, with neighbors warring against neighbor. The only difference is that now the American taxpayer picks up the

And will continue to pick it up until finally they have had enough.



The PTA is planning to have more programs throughout the year to provide information on other areas of concern and interest to our community and

ing were some of the projects that will be held within the next month. Students at Duncan will be designing bumper stickers for both school and community support. These will be judged and the top ones chosen will be produced for later sale to the community. A Santa's Secret Shop will be held in the month of

SPS EMPLOYEES TO RECEIVE SERVICE AWARDS—Two residents of Floydada who work for Southwestern Public Service Company (SPS) were recognized at the SPS Southern Division and Production Department service awards dinner Wednesday, Oct. 18, in Lubbock for their years of service to customers. They were among 405 employees of the company being recognized through a series of award dinners for a collective 5,920 years of service. Employees of Floydada being honored were Wanda Joye Bilbrey, 20 years of service; and Jerry Glenn Galloway, 10 years.

Health Fair scheduled during Saturday's Punkin Day activities

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Make plans now to take time during

are free of charge. There will be a mini-

mal fee for services such as glucose and

the pumpkin festivities to visit the health

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less of socioeconomic level, race color,

sex, religion, handicap or national ori-

cholesterol testing.

The Extension Home Economics Committee, which is an educational program committee of the Extension Service, is planning a health fair during "Punkin Day". The event will be held Saturday, October 28, at the Extension Office from 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

A few of the activities that are planned include: finger printing the young children, testing blood pressure, testing cholesterol and glucose levels, and weighing infants, toddlers, youth and adults. A computerized health risk appraisal can be filled out and ran which will show how your lifespan can be increased by following better practices and how to cut health risks.

Displays will be set up by numerous organizations such as: Care Link Helicopter Service from Methodist Hospital, Department of Public Safety, Health Stores and many more.

Church prepares for Harvest Fest

Larry Guthrie

Floydada Fire Chief

Local United Methodists are busy preparing for the Annual Harvest Fest scheduled for Saturday, November 4. Craft items are being readied, preserves and jellies prepared, and final touches

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ory of Albert Jones Doris and Cliff McLain in memory of

Albert Jones Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Pernell in memory of Frank Price

made on the king-size quilt.

A traditional turkey dinner will be served at noon. The meal is supervised by Bobby Rainer, and prices are \$5 for adults and \$3 for children under 12. A take-out service will be available.

This Harvest Fest offers area residents a unique opportunity to "Feast and Fellowship" with their Methodist friends and neighbors, and also do some early Christmas shopping.

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Child injury, assault investigated

On October 15, at 2:30 p.m. police received a report from a woman who believed her two-year-old son had been injured while visiting his father in Plainview. There were bruises around an elbow, burns on one wrist and blisters on one hand. The mother was advised to contact child welfare.

On October 16, at 3:45 p.m. police received a report of a domestic disturbance in the 200 block of N. 1st Street,

Upon arrival police found a woman with a cut on her left cheek and broken glasses. She stated her husband had hit the theft is \$384.00.

her several times and she wanted to file

Police arrested her husband and he was charged with assault. He was fined \$50.00 and released.

On October 16, at 12:30 p.m. police received a report of a vehicle burglary in the 300 block of W. Jackson. The owner of the car stated she had parked the car and ran into the house for a few minutes. When she returned she discovered her purse, containing a wallet, cash and glasses had been stolen. The estimate of

This Week

HEY WHIRLWIND FANS!

This week the Floydada Whirlwinds will be traveling to Muleshoe for their second district game as they take on the Muleshoe Mules. The game starts at 7:30 so let's all come out and show our support toward the Mean Green!

> Go Winds! Varsity Cheerleaders

SPAGHETTI SUPPER Floyd County Day Care will

hold it's annual fund raising spaghetti supper Oct. 27 (before the Littlefield-Floydada football game) at the junior high cafeteria. Tickets are \$3.50 for adults and \$1.75 for children and may be purchased at the Day Care Center, 983-3565, at the door or from any board member. Carry out will be available.

DIABETES CLASS

Diabetes class will meet at 7 p.m. Oct. 26 in the dining room at Caprock Hospital. These classes are free to all who wish to come.

WEATHER

Courtesy of Energas HIGH DATE

Oct. 11 92 93 Oct. 12 Oct. 13 Oct. 14 Oct. 15 Oct. 16 63 Oct. 17

Blood pressure testing, cholesterol testing, finger printing and much, much more will be a part of a Health Fair sponsored by the Extension Home Economics Committee. This health screening event will be held Saturday, Oct. 28, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the County Extension Office. For more information, call the Extension office at 983-2806.

BAND BOOSTERS

The new community band calendars will go on sale Monday, Oct. 23. Students will start canvassing the town on that day.

The cost of the calendars will be \$2.50 each. If you have an anniversary or birthday you want listed - you can get up to seven listings for \$5.00. There will also be a meeting of the Band Boosters on Oct. 23 at 7:00 p.m. at the band

AMBULANCE FUND BALANCE

The new balance for the Floydada Ambulance Fund is now \$92,085.47.

SINGLES

Floydada singles will meet at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 21. The evening's Mexican dinner will be hosted by Glenna Miller, Alma Rape, Jo Y'Blood and Alma



Carl Lemons' News and Views from Cedar Hill

APOLOGY

There has to be some order in the assembly, the fitting together, of each page of a newspaper before it can be sent to the printer. If much of that work has been done before the N&V from Cedar Hill makes it through the front door into the newspaper office then "The N&V" has to make out with the nooks and crannies that are still blank, waiting to be filled in. If N&V is so very, very late it might mean that the column would be fragmented to the point of being rediculous. In extreme cases harassed technicians have no choice other than to ignore the column permanently or carry it forward and include it in the next edition. So the N&V for Oct. 5 was too late but it was printed on Oct. 12. Your writer apologizes.

WEATHER

At five a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 17, the thermometer hangs at 38, the lowest reading since the last N&V column was written two weeks ago. In '88, a year ago, Floyd County residents experienced their first killing freeze on Sunday morning, the 16th of October, we are at least one day ahead.

Our atmosphere has turned extremely dry and that has been very good for the maturing of area crops. Evaporation is occurring at a tremendous rate, it seems you can almost see the water level going down in our playa lakes. Fences through those lakes that had only the tips of their posts visible thirty days ago are now supporting two to three strands of barbed wire above the water.

This fall there is a noticeable difference in the appearance of the water in our lakes on those windy days when the waves come crashing against the shorelines. Absent is the muddy, silted appearance which is the characteristic of these plains reservoirs. In August the lake waters became so low that many acquatic plants began to grow and thrust themselves above the surface. They were in such abundance that cattle abandoned the short grasses around the lake perimeters and waded out to graze on the succulent lake plants. At that time heavy rains returned and the burgeoning growth was inundated a few feet below the surface. Now the lake bottoms are, in being from those tiny seed plots that a sense, sodded with August's plant growth, protected from the roiling ac-

tion of the waves. It will be a long time before nature gives us another opportunty to see West Texas lake water as clear and with that blueish cast we can

CROP COMMENTS

Cotton maturity has made tremendous strides since October first, and many acres have been treated with chemicals designed to dry the bolls and hasten their opening. The chemical industry appears to have set a trap forgrowers in that the dessicants seem have been very effective on the cotton bolls but amazingly the leaves remain green and full of juice. Of course a frost was supposed to have taken care of the leaves, but now it looks as if another application, this one with leaf-killing chemicals, will be required.

A great stir is under way, what with stripper mounting, overhauling, and tune ups. A period when extra care and attention will pay off exceedingly in November and December.

Beware! The mounting of heavy equipment is always fraught with physical danger. Remember the young Hispanic whose life was lost while helping mount a stripper in Flomot a year ago.

If wet weather does not interfere, several Cedar Hill patches will be sending in their first test loads by the end of this week.

News from Flomot assures that Motley County has also ginned it's first bale. CRP acres are pretty well tended to for the present, farmers scheduled it that way, so their full attention could be

focused on their maturing crops. Hay, most of it having a very high plant population, quickly used all of the abundant soil moisture and went into a stress period. Many producers felt that nothing would be gained by waiting for additional moisture, so the swathers began to roll. Although most of Cedar's hay is curing in the windrow, a few balers are already at work in the best cured. Operators are finding many mornings when there is too little dew for good baling even in that optimum 2 a.m. to sun-up period.

Milo harvest continues at a slow pace, ractically all that has been havested were leased by seed companies. The bulk of the milo, that planted for the

commercial market, is still too green, probably will require a frost before it will be ready. Incidentally your writer opened the doors at Producer's Cedar Hill collection point on Monday, October 16, ready to receive milo, no plans for receiving soybeans this fall.

Wheat acres are 95% seeded and most of it is up and off to a good start. Some wheat, seeded on ground listed ahead of the drills, dried too fast for a good stand: Lake pumps are being start on this listed seeding in order to utilize the rapidly disappearing lake water.

TRUCK & VEGETABLE COMMENTS

Tomatoes have seen a rough year with most gardeners losing many of their plants however there are enough plants surviving to keep most tables well supplied. Commercial growers, although their yields are beginning to taper, are still filling the demands of the

Cedar Hill still has some bell peppers in the field but the packing shed's target is to have the last of them gathered before the week is out.

Sweet potatoes are being dug in the sandy land below the caprock. Peanut harvest is so close to it's beginning that some will probably have been dug by the time you read this.

Weldon McCormick, who lived with his family 3 miles east of Cedar Hill for some 20 years, has recently been a patient in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital.

Peat Kelly and Norma Welch visited Nannie Massengale Fortenberry in a Clovis hospital on Sunday, Oct. 8. Nannie and her family moved to Deaf Smith County from Cedar Hill in 1926. Nannie has lived in Pioneer Rest Home in Friona for the past ten years, but developed a leg infection in September which her doctors were unable to control. Nannie was removed to a Clovis Hospital where the affected limb was amputated below the knee on September 27. Her recovery from the operation has been very satisfactory, however other complications have caused her to remain in the hospital.

Waurnie Leach, another old-timer from Cedar Hill, is now in intensive care in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. Initially, in late September, he was admitted to Lockney General, then to Central Plains where he was diagnosed as having an infection. Eventually he was transferred to Methodist where his gall bladder was removed. Seemingly well on the way to recovery, he suffered arelapse on Friday the 13th, but has now somewhat improved again.

Lindsey and Billie Ruth Lackey,

accompanied by their daughter, Linda Turner of Flomot, drove to Wichita, Kansas, on Friday of last week for a visit with their younger daughter, Kim and Kelley Mixon. They returned home on Monday. Kansas farmers told Linn that dry weather was hurting them badly, and Lindsey said the hurt was obvious, you could look out on their fields and see

A visiting preacher, Brother Willis Dewey from Pampa, preached at the local church Saturday night and Sunday morning. One of the members said Bro. Dewey made a very nice talk, while a church visitor received some very satisfying insights from his comments. Rev. and Mrs. Dewey took dinner with Cephus and Imogene Fortenberry before returning to Pampa Sunday after-

Clara Redd visited with Edna Gilly Monday afternoon. A Monday visit with Dr. W.J. Mangold yielded a diagnosis of "blood pressure too high," an appointment was made with a specialist in Lubbock. Later Edna's home therapist arrived at her home, took her blood pressure, and stated, "Blood pressure too high! No therapy today. What you need is to go to bed and get that pressure under control."

Moneyed raiders are carrying Cedar Hill away a piece at a time. This time it was the two-car garage from the Tom Fortenberry location, 1/2 mile east of Cedar. It was loaded onto moving dollies Wednesday, October 11, and early Thursday morning it went off the caprock to Turkey. Not much left there now, a few trees where the mocking. birds can nest.



Look Who's New!

HOLCOMB

Greg and Cynthia Holcomb of Chandler, Texas, wish to announce the arrival of their first son, Christopher Blake. Christopher was born September 29, 1989 at Lockney General Hospital at 6:33 p.m. weighing 7 lbs. 13 ozs. and was 21 inches long.

Grandparents are Robert and Vickey Covington of Chandler (former Floydada residents), Mary Holcomb and Robert and Beverly Holcomb, all of Amarillo.

Great-grandparents are Royce and Doris Gilmore and Bea Covington, all of Floydada, Marie Hardiman, and Brendon Hardiman Sr., both of Worchester, Mass., and Ida Holcomb of Amarillo.

Great-great-grandparents are Ernie and Eleanor Boyd of Grandbury, Texas, and Lorena Gilmore of Henrietta, Texas.

LAIN

Carol and Steve Lain of Lubbock are proud to announce the birth of their son, Robert Aaron Lain born at 8:24 a.m. October 2 in Lubbock General Hospital. He weighed 7 lbs. 8 ozs. and was 21 inches long.

Robert has one brother, John Calvin, who is 19 months old.

Grandparents are L.B. and Lucy Cozby of Floyada and John and Ruth Lain of Butler, Oklahoma.

Great-grandmother is Marie Sherbourne of Butler, Okla.

Ashley Norrell is proud to announce the arrival of her new baby sister, Morgan Nicole, born at St. Mary's Hospital October 7 at 10:57 a.m. She weighed 7 lbs. 5 ozs. and was 20-1/2 inches long. Her parents are Gerry and Vickie

Norrell of Floydada. Grandparents are Harold and Charlene Norrell of Floydada and Autry Lee and Inette Johnson of Tulia.

Great-grandmothers are Willie McCormick of Floydada and Willie Johnson of Tulia.

Shop home FIRST it matters!



Happy Birthday Guess who's 76 on October 19

1934 Study Club meet Armstrong

By Elizabeth Armstrong

of Mrs. G.M. Armstrong Tuesday night, the points of interest in each state close Oct. 3, with Mrs. W.W. Trapp as co- to four corners.

The president Mrs. J.R. Turner called the meeting to order. The roll was called and the minutes read and approved. After a short business meeting, Mrs.

Floyd Lawson gave a talk on "The Run for Land," in Oklahoma in April 22,

Mrs. W.O. Newberry gave a talk on "Four Corners," where the four states of members.

Colorado, Utah, Arizona and New The 1934 Study Club met in the home Mexico come together. She described

> Mrs. Joe Appling gave an account of the beginning of "God's Country." She showed slides of the county and pictures before the work and as it looks today. Many people and much work has gone into the making of the outdoor amphitheatre to depict for us the life of early days of our country.

Refreshments were served to 20

Senior Citizens News

DECEMBER WEDDING PLANNED-Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harris of Rotan

have announced the engagement of their daughter, Robin to Greg Pruitt, son

of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Pruitt of Floydada. The bride-elect graduated from

Rotan High School and Texas A&M University with a bachelor's degree in

scientific nutrition. She will complete a master's degree in nutrition from

Texas Tech University in December. She is employed by Methodist Hospital of

Lubbock. The prospective bridegroom graduated from Floydada High School

and West Texas State University with a bachelor's degree in ag business. He is employed by the First National Bank of Rotan where he serves as vice

president. A December 30 wedding is planned at the First United Methodist

By Thelma Jones

Church of Rotan.

L.D. Britton visited his sister, Mrs. Wynette Dumas at Bryan, Texas, last

Rebecca Smith spent last week with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith Jr. and family at Clovis, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Payne of Vigo Park visited Mrs. Mattie Wester Mon-

Mrs. Valree Turner and Mrs. Loretta Burns spent the weekend with her granddaughter in Knox City, Texas.

Sympathy to Mrs. Billie (Clark) Jones on the loss of her husband, Albert Carrol Jones. He was a brother of Mrs. Dorothy Anderson, Floydada; Mrs. Margie Smith, Crosbyton, and Mrs. Billye Crawford, Lubbock.

Mrs. Odessa Cage, Mrs. Jimmie Holomon, Lubbock, and Mrs. J.C. Odom, Floydada, visited their brother, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Poore last week in Springfield, Missouri.

Mrs. Beady Owens and son, Charles Owens of Dallas, flew to Yuma, Arizona, last week. She attended the wed-

ding of her grandson. Mr. Richard Bodkin visited his sister

down state the last few days. Supper luncheon Thursday night at 5:30, all come and join us for the meal and games.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Callaway visited Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Whitehead Sunday

Mrs. Dora Mae Miser, Slaton, and Verda Miller and granddaughter of Muleshoe visited with Edna Patton and Evelyn Pierce last week. They were

former neighbors at Lakeview. Ila Hammonds and Lettie Walls vis-

ited Myria Dade Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Mulder attended the funeral last Thursday in Clovis, New Mexico, for Mrs. Nathan Mulder's grandfather.

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Floydada Nursing Home Happenings

By Jo Bryant

Hi, kinda breezy this a.m., guess that it is time for colder weather. Monday started out as usual with coffee and juice break. Bro. Wright came and shared with us from Ps. 19 and we sang some songs. Irene couldn't be with us, we missed her, she wasn't feeling well. At 2 p.m. the residents had arts and crafts. They made an arrangement of Indian corn, strawberry corn and miniature corn. It made a pretty arrangement to put in their room.

Tuesday we had a devotional shared and sang some songs. At 2 p.m. we Johnathan Johnson Grass. shared current events.

be with us, so we shared the word taken from Jonah 3, about God telling him to go and tell the people about God. At 2 p.m. the residents played Bingo. Ottis Johnson had the first Bingo. Mary Alice Davis came and assisted the residents. The snacks were bananas, marshamallows and bugles.

2 p.m. the residents had a sing-a-long. Friday the 13th, the residents talked about it being the 13th. It doesn't fall on a Friday very often. Letha Mulder opened with a prayer for the devotional, man. We invite all family and friends to

Jo Bryant's brother, gave the message on Matthew 5 and the Rev. on going to a better place, that this world isn't our permanent home. He also sang a special song, "What A Wonderful Day That Will Be." We enjoyed his message very much. At 1:30 the residents were treated to some ice cream at My-T-Burger and took a ride around town for awhile and looked at the Halloween decorations. Have you noticed the shocked corn stalks that Scott Faulkenberry came and set up for us? We sure are enjoying it, and the scarecrow, which we named

This week's visitors were: Willie Wednesday, Bro. Rodriquez couldn't Mae Smith, May Sue, Ola Smith, Artie and Floyd Webb, Diane Phillips, Jettie Moss, Nolan and Rena Turner, Mel and Marjorie Holcomb, Tess Barnett, Pauline Robertson, Myria Dade, Dave and Frances Willis, Paducah; Rudy Halencak, Fresno, Calif.; Edwina Fairchild, Crowell; Ruth Ross, Crowell; Mary Wilson, Ethel Warren, Viola Thursday, Helen Lipham couldn't be ... Wise, Winnie Neil, Lucille Sisson, with us so we listened to some songs. At Murial Mark, Irene Wexler, Wayland Faulkenberry, Rev. Larry Perkins.

This month's birthday honorees are Della Halencak, Myra Hall, Oda Birchfield, Annie Turner and Ruth Smitherand Evelyn Latta played the piano for attend the party Thursday at 2 p.m. us. Rudy Halencak, from Fresno, Calif., October 19.

Senior Citizens

Menu

October 23-27

Monday: Chili con carne/beans, cauliflower, cornbread, margarine or butter, pumpkin pie, milk, beverage

gratin, carrot and raisin salad, whole wheat roll, margarine or butter, apple sauce, milk, beverage choice Wednesday: Sweet and sour chicken,

Tuesday: Roast beef, potatoes au

rice, green beans, tossed salad/tomato/ dressing, yeast roll, margarine or butter, cherry crisp, milk, beverage choice Thursday: Beef stew/vegetables, cooked cabbage, combread, margarine

or butter, pineapple upside down cake,

milk, beverage choice Friday: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes/milk, stewed tomatoes/okra, yeast roll, margarine or butter, mixed fruit cup, milk, beverage choice



Billie's is happy to announce that Jeanine Helms will be reopening the shop on Tuesday, October 24. Hair Styling - Cuts - Perms - Hi Lights - Color for Men - Women - Children Call for an appointment



983-2130 210 West Houston

The Floyd County Extension Council met in the council room October 12 at 2 p.m. Murl Mayfield, president, called the meeting to order by leading the group in repeating the creed. Jonelle Fawver was welcomed as a guest. Opening exercise was given by Ruth Scott reading "A Taxpayer Blows His Top" and "Know Your Bible."

Roll call was answered by seven members and one visitor.

Minutes of the last meeting was read by secretary Gladys Widener.

Vivian Curtis gave the Harmony Club report and Ruth Trapp gave Homebuilders report.

Mary True gave the agent's report. She announced there would be a Festive Food demonstration by Diane Bin of Southwestern Public Service of Lubbock on Monday, Oct. 16, at Lighthouse Electric. The demonstration will be at 5:30 and Homemaking club members will also prepare some of the dishes to be tasted.

Mary also announced that the Home Economics Committee will sponsor a Health Fair on Punkin Day, Oct. 28, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. She also stated that the Extension clubs have been asked if they would like to sponsor a kickoff day for the centennial celebration of Floyd County next year. The council voted to sponsor this kickoff day early in January. A committee was appointed to take care of details and arrangements which will be given at a later

The new council president for next year, Vivian Curtis read her committees for the new year so they could meet and prepare recommendatins and programs

for the yearbook. They are as follows: Program: Lucille Miller, Gladys Widener, Barbara Willis

Education: Jonelle Fawver, Ruth Scott, Lillian Smith and Karen Miller Finance: Ruth Trapp, Doris Snodgrass, Gladys Widener, Juanita

Expansion: Murl Mayfield, Blanche Williams, Bess Carr, Jonelle Fawver

Recreation and Cultural Arts: Maye Williams, Ruth Scott, Ruth Trapp, Imelda Murry

4-H: Sue Lovell, Anna Hopper, Barbara Willis

The group decided to set the program planning committee to meet Oct. 30 at 2 p.m. at the council room. Turn in your suggestions to this committee before

The Harmony Club will host the Christmas party and installation of officers this year. Homebuilders will have recreation. The meeting was set for December 8, 2 p.m. at Harmony Community Center. All club members are invited to attend and bring a gift not to exceed \$5.00 to exchange.

Members present were: Murl Mayfield, Gladys Widener, Ruth Trapp and guest, Jonelle Fawver; from Homebuilders were: Vivian Curtis, Ruth Scott, Maye Williams, Harmony, and Mary True, Agent.

Dr. Lopez has returned from a vaca-

Medical staff meeting was held fol-

tion to El Salvador to visit his family.

This was his first trip there in nine years.

lowing a luncheon on Monday of this

week. Those attending were Doctors

Jordan, Hale and Lopez, Leroy Schaff-

ner, Dr. Gerts, Molly Stringer, Joe

Carver, Joy Breed, Jean Jarrett and

Wendy Pierce is our employee of the

Wendy was born in Duncan, Okla-

homa. She moved with her family to

Hobbs, New Mexico, where she at-

tended school and graduated from high

school. She attended New Mexico Jun-

ior College and graduated from there in

1974. She then attended Texas Tech.

While at Tech she met Stan Pierce. They

were married in 1975 and came to

Floydada to make their home. Stan has

been involved in farming and ranching.

The Pierce's have two children, Kyle, 9,

and Kelsy, 6. Wendy serves as pianist at

the First United Methodist Church. She

has also worked with the children's

choirs. Wendy likes to golf. Wendy

worked at the Co-op Gin before coming

to Caprock Hospital in 1988. She

worked at the front desk as receptionist

until recently when she was promoted to

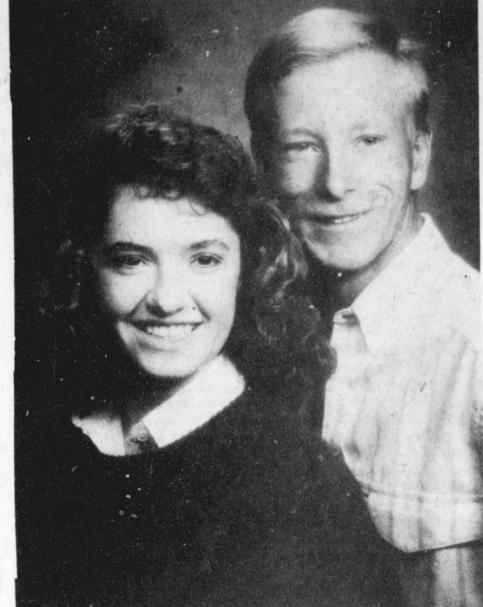
Data Processor. Wendy is a very capable

person, She relieves in Medical Records

month for October. She was recognized

at an employee luncheon on Tuesday of

Rhonda Stovall.



COUPLE TO WED-Ludustia Leatherman and Tracey Warren wish to announce their engagement and forthcoming marriage. Both are 1988 graduates of Floydada High School. The couple plans a 7 p.m. wedding ceremony December 1 in the First Baptist Church, Floydada. —Photo by R'Photography

Harmony Club meets

Vivian Curtis was hostess to the Harmony Extension Club Monday, Oct. 9, at the community center. She read Proverbs 20:12 for the opening and for her share an idea she read a paper naming some foods that contained potassium. Roll call was answered with "Something I can do now I couldn't do when I was younger," by nine members and one visitor.

Some suggestions were given for programs for the new year books to be presented at council meeting Thursday,

As there was no old or new business the program was given by Anna Maude Hopper on caring for your vision. She said spiders have eight eyes, scorpions twelve, marine flat worms have one hundred, we have only two so we should take good care of them.

There is no such thing as over use of your eyes, she said, but can get eye fatigue. Good lighting prevents eye strain. Light bulbs are better lighting for older people than flourescent lights.

If using eye makeup, know that it can become contaminated over a period of time. Do not lend or borrow eye makeup. One should wear light shades to screen out violent rays. Grey or brown shades are best colors. We blink our eyes to moisturize them and as one grows older the tear ducts quit producing moisture sometimes. Artificial tears can be used to eliminate the dryness.

Diseases of the eyes she discussed were cataracts, glaucoma and detached retina. Surgery for cataracts are success-

ful 90% of the time. There are two types of glaucoma, chronic and acute. Chronic glaucoma is caused by inadequate drainage of eye fluid that causes pressure on the optic nerve. This can be treated with drops. Acute glaucoma strikes suddenly, causing severe pain, and headache and blindness in a few days unless one gets to an opthalmologist immediately.

A detached retina is a peeling of the retina from the eyeball, a hole appears and lets the fluid come through and lifts the retinal layer. A surgeon can re-attach the retina, gluing it back with minute patches of scar tissue. Sight is restored in 80% of patients.

Anna Maude advised one to have regular eye checkups and if one has an abrupt change in eyesight, see an eye doctor immediately. A round table discussion was held with members telling of experiences they had or a relative's

Arvie Schulz conducted a game.

Vivian served refreshments to Lucille Miller, Doris Snodgrass, Arvie Schulz, Karen Miller, and two children, Rachel and Matthew, Juanita Pool and sister, Joyce Murphee, Ruth Scott, Maye Williams and Anna Maude Hopper.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Tuesday, Oct. 17: Vonceil Colston,

Doris Wilcox Thursday, Oct. 19: G.L. Fawver, Joe Delgado Jr., Misty Bertrand, Margie Hernandez, Paul Ross

Friday, Oct. 20: Cody Sinor, Crystal

Saturday, Oct. 21: Vance Campbell, Jett Cheek, Ted Almeida, Elisa Delgado Sunday, Oct. 22: Jason Brown

Monday, Oct. 23: Sharon Rainwater, Don Rainer, Rick Meyers Tuesday, Oct. 24: Antonio Dela

Fuente, Rafael DeLeon, Rosa Hernandez, Kaye Orman Wednesday, Oct. 25: Joy Breed

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Thursday, Oct. 19: G.L. and Thelma



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Deeota Odam and sisters visit family in Missouri

Deeota Odam of Floydada accompanied her sisters, Odessa Cage and Jimmie Hollomon of Lubbock to Springfield, Missouri, on Thursday, Oct. 5. There they spent several days in the home of their brother and his wife, Orville and Maurette Poore.

Saturday Dee and Ann Poore of Florissant, Missouri, joined the group in Springfield. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Odam commented, "Springfield and the area was just beautiful, the coloring of the leaves were almost at the peak of fall colors - very colorful."

This was the first time Jimmic has accompanied her sisters to visit in the home of their brother.

Calvary Baptist women meet

By Irene Wexler

The Baptist women of Calvary Baptist Church concluded a summer of well attended meetings. Week of Prayer for state missions was enjoyed by all who

Our goal for state missions was reached very soon. We are into a new associational year and hope to accomplish more and better things as our mission goal for the new year.

Thanks to all who attend or help in

The group traveled home through the Ozarks in Arkansas, where they also commented that it was "very beautiful." They arrived home on Thursday evening, Oct. 12.





Happy 69th Anniversary Memmie & Boppa

HALLOWEEN PACKAGES



ANNOUNCING Special Limited Edition "Floyd County Centennial Plates

Thge Floyd County Centennial Commission is offering an advance order campaign for limited edition plates, commemorating the 100th anniversary of Floyd County. The 9 1/2 white porcelain plate will feature the official centennial black and blue logo with the outer edge trimmed in gold.

The price per plate is \$20.00. Upon their arrival, the plates will be distributed by members of the Centennial Commission in Floydada and Lockney. The committee regrets that it will not be possible to ship the plates by mail.

In order to insure their value and collectibility, only 500 plates will be numbered (001 - 500). The first 100 orders received will be placed in a container and drawn one at a time to determine the recipients of the lower numbered plates. This is the first of several fund raising events planned by the Centennial Commission to defray expenses for next years Floyd County celebration.



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lower numbered plates (001-100).

Happenings at Caprock Hospital

By Molly Stringer

We had 20 ladies to have mammograms done last week. We have been well pleased with the service given our community by the mobile unit from Odessa. We will schedule again in

We are looking forward to having a new ambulance in service for our community before long. The committee is in the process of selecting one at this time. We appreciate everyone who has contributed to this effort and all the memo rials that have been given. Our special appreciation goes to the Cogdell family for their very generous gift to make the purchase possible now instead of a year or two in the future. We thank this family for their awareness and response to the medical needs of our community. It would have been very difficult to get doctors to come to Floydada without the clinic built here in 1972 by the Cogdell family.

We have encouraged all memorials to be made to the Ambulance Fund in the past months, with this goal reached, we remind every one that the hospital auxiliary has received very few memorials in this time. This organization has purchased many pieces of equipment and supplies for the hospital. We encourage you to remember this organization for your memorials. The heart monitor and defibrullator on the ambulance was purchased by the auxiliary, as were wheelchairs, lab equipment, and blood pressure units for each room. They contributed to the redecoration of the hopsital and made a very generous donation to the ambulance fund. We appreciate the ladies who are involved

in this organization. Bettye Baker vacationed last week in Las Vegas and Seattle. She will go to Dallas this weekend to attend the wedding of her daughter, Dorcus.

Bill and Molly Stringer went to Arkansas this past weekend to visit relatives. Bill's mother and Virginia Stringer accompanied them.

HEALTH TIP Can flu damage the heart? Most people need not be urged to rest

when needed.

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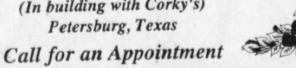
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Whirlwinds blast Tulia 20-7, remain undefeated

By Bill Gray

The Floydada Whirlwinds, off to their best start in almost two decades, opened District 2 3-A play on October 13 in impressive fashion with a convincing 20-7 triumph over the Tulia Hornets. By defeating the pre-season district favorites, the Whirlwinds extended their 1989 record to 6-0 (1-0 in district), while Tulia fell to 3-3 (0-1 in district).

It was only the second time in seven attempts that the 'Winds were able to handle the Hornets under the coaching of L.G. Wilson, a former Floydada mentor. It has been noted that Wilson will retire after this season, so the Whirlwinds did quite a job of "giving him something to remember them by."

After spotting the visitors a first quarter touchdown and conversion by Mike Smith, the Whirlwind defense virtually took charge of the remainder of the first half. From the time the Hornets scored (with 2:11 left in the first quarter) until the last minute of the first half, Floydada's defense limited their visitors to minus 4 yards on offense.

On the first play of the second quar-

ter, Hornet Rudy Pacheco picked off a Grant Stovall pass, but fumbled out of bounds after streaking into the clear. Three plays netted the Hornets zero yards. On fourth down, Freddie Portee crashed through to sack QB Charley Adkins to kill the Tulia drive. From this point on, the momentum of the contest shifted to the Green Gang.

In the waning seconds of the second stanza, Stovall found Michael Aleman in the right corner of the Hornet end zone and cashed in with a perfect strike. Kenneth Collins' PAT kick was wide to the left, and Tulia's 7-6 lead held up at half time.

Although they were on the short end of the score, the flow of the game had most certainly shifted to the Whirlwinds. As has been the case in their previous five outings, Floydada totally controlled play in the second half.

After intermission, Tulia's offense couldn't manage a first down in their initial series and punted back to the 'Winds. The Hornets only had possession of the ball for two plays the remainder of the third quarter.

Kenneth Collins' 26-yard punt return gave the 'Winds good field position at Tulia's 30-yard line. Five plays later, Stovall kept on the option and crossed the double stripe from two yards out. The two-point conversion pass to Collins from Stovall was ruled "out of bounds," and Floydada was on top for the first time, 12-7.

Following their go-ahead score, the Whirlwinds' defense thwarted every Tulia threat to get back into the ball game. Adam Cates and Brian Teeple made key pass interceptions in the fourth quarter to spearhead a relentless Floydada defensive pursuit. Cates' theft of Darrin Morris' aerial set up the final Whirlwind touchdown by Frank Suarez.

The last Floydada tally was made possible by an interference call on Tulia's Darrin Morris while defending against Collins on a pass route. The penalty gave Floydada first-and-goalto-go on the Hornet 3-yard line. Frank Suarez took it in from there.

Frank was back in top form, and rushed for 132 yards on 20 carries. His uncle, Jesse (making his first appear-

ance in four weeks, due to knee surgery) toted 11 times for 34 yards. Frank's touchdown and 2-point PAT came with a little over five minutes left and put the game out of reach, 20-7.

The Whirlwinds travel to Muleshoe this Friday in hopes of adding another notch to their victory string and move to 7-0 (2-0 in district). The Mules are "down," are currently 1-4-1 (0-0-1 in district) in the 1989 campaign. Muleshoe played the Dimmitt Bobcats to a scoreless tie on October 13.

Bill's Note

The 'Winds displayed more intensity against Tulia than at any time this year. It came at a very good time - opening night of league warfare against the pre-season favorite to take the crown. The team was wellprepared and determined to put away the Hornets, who have given the Whirlwinds lots of problems in recent years.

Following Tulia's early score, the Whirlwinds countered with 20 unanswered points. This was a credit to the offense. More especially, it was a credit to the defensive preparedness by the 'Winds' stopper unit. It is apparent that the Whirlwinds are on the threshold of fulfilling Coach Dean Bates' prediction early in the season when he stated, "Some very good things are going to happen to this ball club."

The Whirlwinds are approaching their

peak at a critical point of the season. Several factors are involved, including (1) desire and intensity of the players, (2) good preparation and coaching, and (3) stamina and conditioning of the players. Perhaps the last point mentioned is the most important.

The grueling conditioning drills and workouts of "off-season" and "two-a-days" are paying off in dividends — as evidenced by the rapid recovery and return of Jesse Suarez, following orthoscopic knee surgery on September 22. Jesse's quick comeback has to be attributed, in part at least, to the excellent condition of our young men. It was good to have Jesse back. His experience and talents will be big assets in these coming

That is not to take anything away from his replacement this past month, sophomore Kenneth Davis. The mark of a championship-caliber team is one whose younger players can effectively answer the call when pressed into service.

Freddie Portee played "like a man possessed" and spent a good part of the evening draped around the Hornet quarterbacks. For his performance, I have tabbed him the defensive player of the game. His sack of Tulia QB Adkins, deep in Whirlwind territory after a 'Wind turnover, changed the complexion of the game. From this point on, Floydada built and retained the ever-impor-

My choice of offensive player of the

offense with as much precision as has been displayed all year. Special mention goes again to the offensive line, which continues to improve with each outing. Michael Aleman draws my nod for the offensive play of the game with his reception of a Stovall pass for a score just before half time. This touch. down was the catalyst that ignited the 'Whirlwinds' rally in the second half.

The most important point that the coaching staff can instill this week in preparing for Muleshoe is not to look past the Mules to ward Littlefield. In putting the "one-gameat-a-time" attitude in proper perspective, at the final horn of the Tulia contest, I overheard Coach Bates shout to his charges, "Get a Mule!!" Yes, Whirlwinds, get a Mule ... to

the tune of: Floydada 37 Muleshoe 7

Post 20

Bill's other Pics: Lockney 19 Hart 15 Tulia 27 Friona 7 Dimmitt 13 Littlefield 30 Abernathy 20 Farwell 26 Arkansas 21 Texas 22 -Upset Special-

SCORE BY QUARTER 7 0 0 0 -- 7 Floydada Tulia

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Coach's Comments

Coach Dean Bates expressed his excitement and pleasure at the city-wide pep rally last Friday at the Junior High Gym. He said it was the best and most intense "spirit rally" he had attended in "23 years of coaching." He gave his sincere appreciation for the fan support - from the elementary youngsters to the parents and adults of the community.

Bates thanked his coaching staff for "getting the players prepared for the tough assignment of putting away Tulia." He voiced concern regarding "the 'Winds blowing several scoring opportunities in the first half." But, he added, "We came back in the second half, gained momentum and handled the Hornets well."

The coach praised the play of Ruben Chavarria, Joe Cisneros and Freddie Portee and stated. "All three had their best defensive games as Whirlwinds. Bates pointed out the total dominance of the 'Winds' "D" unit after the early

Hornet score. He also complimented the offensive line in their development. He said, "They have been doing well, and they keep improving with every game."

Bates warned about any over-confidence in playing a 1-4-1 team this week (Muleshoe). He said, "The Mules went to Dimmitt and played a good Bobcat club to a scoreless tie." He spoke of the perils of a big game like Littlefield coming up next week, and said it will "take everyone's effort to avoid any complacency at this point."

The coach hoped a large crowd will make the long trip to Muleshoe. He said,

"Just as I told you several weeks ago that the three-game home stand against Canyon, Abernathy and Tulia was so important to take us to where we wanted to be in the district drive. . . the next games are even more important. And, we have to play three of those four away from home!"

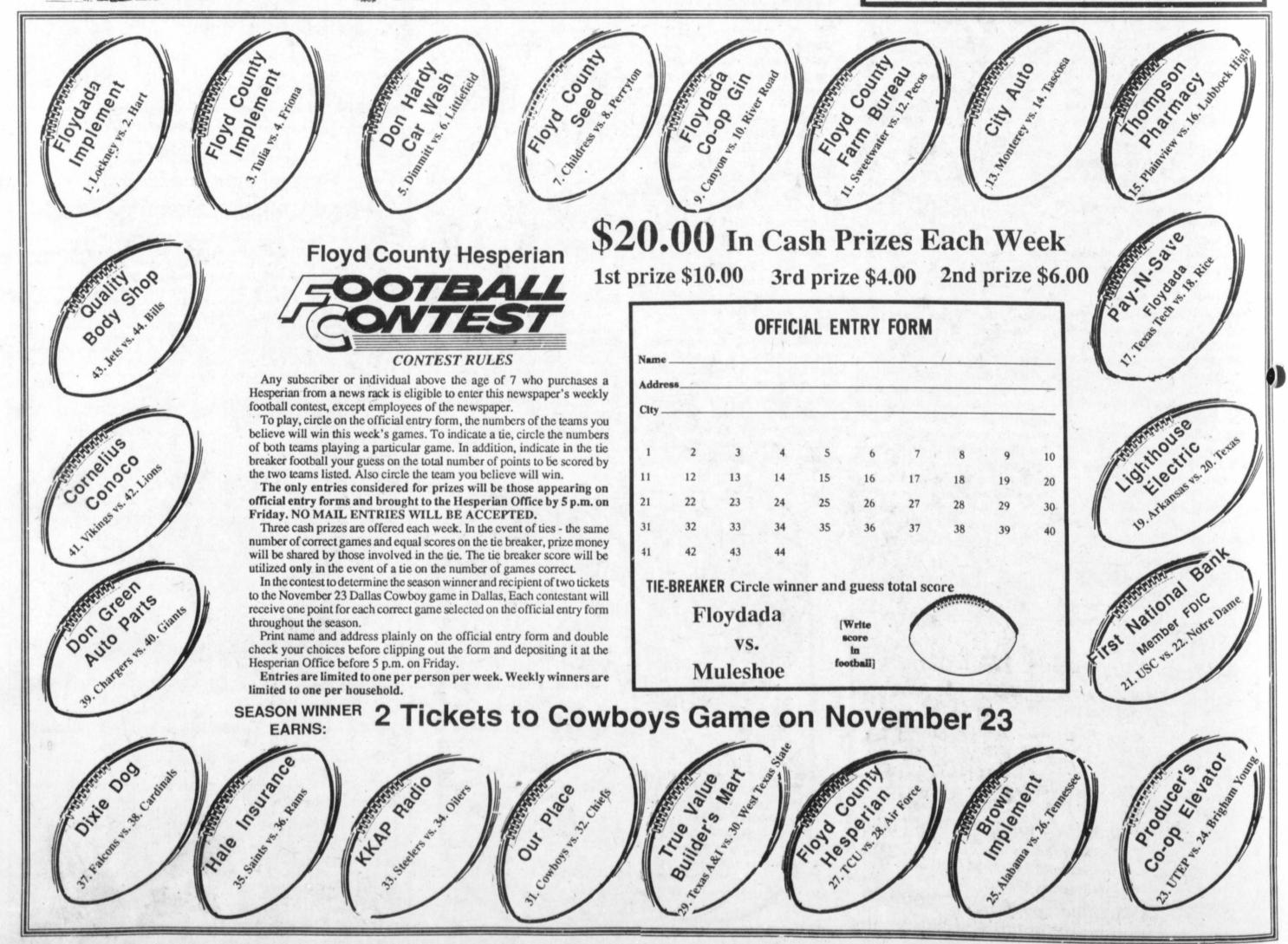
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He reported that the team is in just about as good physically "as we've been any time this year."

He said, "We're all glad to have Jesse Suarez back and that everyone else was in pretty sound shape."

COACHES INTERVIEW

Hear Floydada Whirlwind Coach **DEAN BATES** 4 to 5 p.m. each Friday on COACHES CORNER KKAP 900 AM 95.3 FM GO WHIRLWINDS!



Floydada ninth grade and Junior High pigskin action is chronicled

Floydada's Ninth Graders traveled to Tulia on October 12 and dropped a close contest to Tulia's 9th Grade, 8-2. According to Coach Mike Cocanougher. Floydada "played tough, but just came up a little short."

Floydada with a sack in Tulia's end zone for a safety. Todd Cage was named the defensive player of the game and Jammie Davis received the laurels as offensive player of the game.

The 9th Graders will join the 'Winds' JV when they host the Muleshoe JV at Adam Gonzales, Brandon Gilliland and Wester Field on October 19.

Floydada's 8th Grade Breezers battled Tulia's 8th Graders to a 22-all tie They travel to Muleshoe this Thursday. at Wester Field on October 12. Israel

Medrano scored on a 50-yard run and a son record to 4-1 with their best overall 2-point conversion in the first quarter. Tony Hernandez added a 5-yard TD run to put the Breezers up 14-0 at halftime.

score, followed by a 2-point PAT in the Jason Pyle put points on the board for 3rd Quarter, Tulia countered with a TD in the 3rd Quarter and 14 unanswered points in the final stanza to know the final score at 22-22.

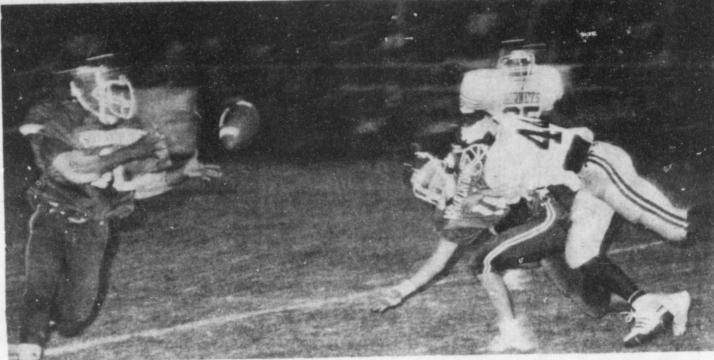
> Notable offensive players were Tate Glasscock, Israel Medrano and Pete Vallejo. Defensive standouts were Tony Hernandez. The tie brought the 8th Breezers' season mark to 2-2-1.

team effort of the year as they defeated Tulia's 7th Graders, 26-12.

Pete Cooper had touchdown runs of Madrano added an 8-yard run for a 10 and 75 yards, and Dimas Marmolejo contributed TD rushes of 2 and 65 yards. Bruno Mendez closed out the Breezers' scoring with a 2-point conversion in the second quarter.

> Coach Clark praised the fine defensive efforts of Bruno Mendez, Dimas Marmolejo, Rey Cuba, Derrick Martinez, Ian McIntosh, D.G. Hollums and J.R. Quilantan in an outstanding job of shutting down a tough Tulia offense.

Muleshoe will host Floydada's 7th and 8th grade football squads on Octo-



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SCORING SUMMARY

Tulia - Mike Smith 3 run (Smith kick)

Floydada - Michael Aleman 13 pass

Floydada - Grant Stovall 2 run (pass

Floydada - Frank Suarez 3 run (Frank

TEAM STATS

First Downs

Rushes-Yards

Att-Comp-Int

Passing Yards

from Grant Stovall (kick failed)

Suarez run)

Floydada

OPTION PLAY RUN TO PERFECTION -- Whirlwind quarterback Grant Stovall (#11) goes down under the attack of Tulia defender Mike Smith as the pigskin is in mid-air on a toss-off to fellow team member Frank Suarez.

The Whirlwind offense performed the option play to perfection in their pursuit of a 20-7 victory over the Hornets last Friday.

Photo courtesy of Jim Reynolds and the Tulia Herald

4-39.2

9-65

Total Yards

Punts-Avg.

Fumbles-Lost

Penalties-Yards

Return Yards

FLOYDADA INDIVIDUAL

Rushing: Frank Suarez 20-132, 1TD;

Passing: Grant Stovall 1-8-1, 13 yds.,

Receiving: Michael Aleman 1-13, 1

STATS

Grant Stovall 15-88, 1 TD; Jesse Suarez

10-32; Ruben Chavarria 6-19.

6-33.2

3-0

4-35

'Winds defeat Tulia...

R. C. Andrews Honor Roll

The 7th Breezers extended their sea-

Grade 4 "A" — Jennifer Billegas Garza, Warren Bishop, Jason Campbell, Ubaldo Chavez, Leigh Dawdy, Crystal Driver, Amanda Fawver, Abran Gonzalez, George Guzman, Jason Henderson, Carrie Horton, Lisa Martinez, Tara McCandless, Jamie McGuire, Bruce McHam, Crystal Meyers, Dane Nichols, Jennifer Noland, Mario Nunez, Michael Palacios, Adam Perales, Melissa Perez, Kyle Pierce, Neisha Simpson, Timothy Simpson, Karen Smith, Katie Smith, Valerie Taylor, Ashleigh Williams, Sherri Williams, Jackie Rodriguez, Eloisa Soliz

"B" - Erin Abshier, Daniel Arellano, Reggie Axtell, Albert Bermea, Richard Casillas, Stephanie Cooper, Elizabeth Cuellar, Karissa Dysart, Stephanie Emert, Ryan Fowler, Monica Galvan, Andrea Garcia, Nestor Garza, Chad Givens, Betty Gomez, Diana Gonzales, Mary Jane Gonzales, Marty Herrera, Teresa Juarez, Latoya Ledbetter, Abel Lopez, Joe Lucio, Jennifer Luna, Marina Luna, Fernando Maldonado, Derek Martinez, Angie Medrano, DeAnn Mendoza, Jeannie Ochoa, George Perez, Justin Robinson, Jennifer Rodriquez, Elvira Rodriquez, Shelby Romero, Tammy Salinas, Jacob Thrasher, Shonda Turnbow, Linda Vargas, Shannon Ware, Tyson Whittle

"A" — Monty Anderson, Tomas Barrientos, Chad Benjamin, Kelli Bertrand, Laci Christian, Tammy Cisneros, Todd Cocanougher, Vernon Cooper, Nicole Coronado, Kellye Crump, Ricky Derryberry, Omar Eguia, Norma Gonzalez, Emilio Guzman, Christy Hale, Laura Hale, Chad Harmon, Carlos Hernandez, Julian Hernandez, Chad Hinkle, Todd Hinsley, Kenny Holmes, Stacey Lloyd, Erika Martinez, Griselda Martinez, Lydia Mendoza, David Mercado, Dustin Owens, Alycia Porter, Mary Romero, Peppre Selman, Will

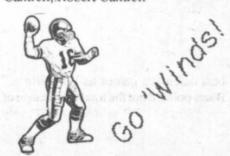
"B" - Audrey Aguilar, Angel Aleman, Heather Arney, Tamaro Brown, Cristina Chavarria, Marcus Collins, Brandon Covington, Lisa Crader, Shondra Emert, Chris Enriquez, Melissa Enriquez, Cassy Fawver, Elizabeth Galvan, Adrieanna Gomez, Miguel Gomez, Carlin Keough, Jeffrey Marler, Patricia Martinez, Jerry Meyers, Krissy Patterson, Angelek Ratliff, Anthony Robles, Shirley Rodriquez, Blanca Segura, Adam Soto, Marcos Torrez, Donnetra Williams, Jessica Charles

Grade 6

"A" - Zach Abshier, Lynn Esquivel, Lacy Golightly, Candi Guffee, Cynthia Johnston, Kacie Lackey, Becky Luna, Tammy Martinez,

Dana McCandless, Michael Mercado, Michael Molinar, Tale'a Owens, Priscilla Peralez, Lyndi Probasco, Tim Rando, K.C. Robertson, Hilda Rodriquez, Vicente Rodriquez, Mary Salazar, Alex Vallejo, Jodie Villarreal, David Watson, Amber Womack, Jason Harri-

"B" — Esmeralda Alvarado, Rance Barnett, Veronica Cabrera, Arnulfo Cervera, Gabriela Cervera, Maribel Cervera, Sandra Coleman, Dolores de la Fuente, Lina De Leon, Shane Derryberry, Christie Du Bois, Anthony Emert, Melissa Fowler, Veronica Galvan, Melisa Garcia, Chad Guthrie, Monica Henderson, Mary Hernandez, Tiffany Hinkle, Karissa Jahay, Frank Jasso, Aaron Johnston, Demencio Lopez, Maricella Luna, Bobby Luna, Frankie Maldonado, Margaret Medrano, Adam Muniz, Erika Muniz, Neal Nelson, Missy Pernell, Kelly Pierson, Richard Powell, Raul Ramirez, Jesse Sanchez, Joe Sanchez, Brandy Cantrell, Robert Cantrell



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Buy a Whirlwind yearbook from the annual staff. Yearbooks are \$17.00. Personalized yearbooks are \$19.00. Orders will be sent by November 17. Contact Janet Thornton, room 107 at Floydada High School.

The Mighty

By Misty Avila

The Senior featured this week is Kim Hardin. She is the daughter of Jerry and Tommye Perry. Kim has one sister and a child, Skee. This senior has been a varsity cheerleader and was involved in girls basketball and track in previous years. Kim is a member of the First Baptist Church.

She thourghly enjoys algebra and being with her friends at school. Kim'splans for the future include attending Lippert's Court Reporting College and possibly visiting Australia.



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8TH GRADE HONOR STUDENTS—8th grade honor students at Floydada Junior High for the first six weeks of school included: Principal's List - (first row, I-r) Nathan Davis, Robert Eckert, Stephanie Flores, Heather Fondy, Amy Gilly, Patricia Juarez, Brandy Lackey, Aaron Noland, Brandi Ross, Crystal Sanders; Honor Roll - (second row) Robin Brown, Kathryn Burns, Elizabeth Caballero, Nathan Carr, Lisa Charles, Anna Chavarria, Sandra Chavez, Jason Colston, Daniel Coronado, Brandon Daniels, Jesus DeHoyos, Rafael DeOchoa, Tyson Edwards, Carrie Emert, Nelda Enriquez, Aimee Fondy,

Brandon Gilliland, Jennifer Givens, Tate Glasscock; (third row) Jessie Gour-

don, Randy Gregg, Maria Huerta, Leticia Jasso, Troy Johnson, Jason Latta,

Kathy Luna, Angie Maldonado, Kenneth Marley, Israel Medrano, Maria

Eric Smith, Kevin Staples, Jeanette Trevino, Peter Vallejo, Rod Vela and Austin Williams; and listed as Honorable Mention were: (back row) Travis Barrett, Alicia Castaneda, Corina Cisneros, Janyce Fowler, Armando Garza, Adam Gonzales, Kristy Hinsley, Pete Jimenez, Tanya Jones, Ann Martinez, Aracely Martinez, Stacey Meyers, Esmeralda Navarette, Edward Rodriquez, Veronica Segura, Rufino Solis, Gabina Suarez, Moraima Vasquez, James Vick and Kevin Womack. Jessica Garcia, who was included on the honor roll list, is not pictured. To be placed on the Principal's List a student must average 90 or above in all subjects taken. To be placed on the Honor Roll List a student must aveage above 80 in all subjects. To be placed on the Honorable Mention

List a student must average 75 or above in all subjects.



7TH GRADE HONOR STUDENTS-7th graders at Floydada Junior High School listed as honor students for the 1st six weeks of school included: Principal's List - (front row, l-r) Lee Dunavant, Jennifer Harbin, Guadalupe Machado, Amanda Parks, Kimberley Redden, Kayla Turner, Leslie Warren and Alissa Wilson; Honor Roll - (third row) Kelly Bailey, Misty Bertrand, Ken Cummings, Chris Dearing, Kathyrn Doerschuck, Danika Dudley, Crystal Dumas, Melissa Faulkenberry, Terry Harris, Zacha Harris, Joel Himes, Pepper Hinkle, D.G. Hollums, Corey Johnston, Peter Luna, Derrick Martinez; (second row) Rain McCandless, Andrew McHam, Ian McIntosh, Brian Nichols, Laura Ochoa, Amber Pyle, J.R. Quilantan, Monte Quisenberry, Robert Romero, Shea Sanders, Salina Shorter, Joni Smith, Shayla Turner,

Juan Valdez, Regina Ware, Matthew Whittle, Charla Yeary. Also listed on the Honor Roll but not pictured were Tammie Cocanougher and Olivia Huerta. Recognized as Honorable Mention were (back row) Angelica Bueno, Tali Cage, Lionso Cisneros, Jamie Crow, Sarah Hernandez, Priscilla Herrera, Chad Hinsley, Francisco Luna, Maria Reyes, Sammy Rodriquez, Donnie Shaut, Ronnie Shaut and Jimmy Taylor. To be placed on the Principal's List a student must average 90 or above in all subjects taken. To be placed on the Honor Roll List a student must average above 80 in all subjects. To be placed on the Honorable Mention List a student must average 75 or above in all

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WE GOT SPIRIT TOO!—A large group of young ladies at Duncan Elementary have been showing that their generation has got spirit too by wearing their green and white cheerleader outfits on Fridays. The girls, in grades kindergarten through third, include (front row, I-r) JoAnna Johnston, Amanda McHam, Ashley Martinez, Lindsey Whitten, Ashlee Ledbetter; (second row) Erika Delgado, Tracy Pena, Jackie Lucio, Erika Eguia, Ruth Vasquez, Laura Mendez, Betsy Smith, Analisa Enriquez, Bambi

Angela Porter, Crystal Riojas, Esmeralda Ibarra, Yolanda Burleson, Bridgett Burleson, Shanta Ledbetter; (fourth row) Tiffany Henderson, Amanda Burnett, Kylan Sanders, Joni Hendrix, Abbey Sanders, Katie Sanders, Jessica Johnston, Tamara Black, Veronica Galvan, April Pena; (fifth row) Brandi Patterson, Koirest Burks, Felicia Garcia, Shonda Smith, Amanda Green, Tamisha Burks, Meredith Schacht, Mandy Emert and Heather Carr.



JUNIOR CLASS SALESMEN--The junior class will be selling Tom Wat merchandise and Snug Bugs through October 24 to raise money for the Junior-Senior Banquet. Top salesmen include: (back row, left-right) Michael Ale-

man, Harvey Espinoza, Troy Peel, Chad Williams; (front row, left-right) Trina Ogden, Janet Himes, Luisa Gomez.



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STANDING ROOM ONLY--The undefeated Whirlwinds were getting plenty of support from fans of all ages at last week's pep rally in the Jr. High gym. The gym was filled to

capacity on both sides with no room left to stanu. . ne walls seemed to shake from the cheers and enthusiasm shown by spirited fans.

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October 23-27

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Lunch — Barbecue franks, mashed

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Simpson wins first place money for 6th week of grid contest

Hesperian Football Contest incorrectly selected six games. These entries missed the least number of games with all other entries received having more incorrect guesses.

First place money goes to Clay Simpson. Simpson missed six games but predicted Floydada to win and the total score to be 28 points. The total score was 27 with Floydada winning over Tulia. Simpson may pick up his check for \$10.00 at the Hesperian Office on Friday.

Second place goes to Mike Reeves with six misses, Floydada picked to win and a tie-breaker score of 29. A check for \$6.00 will be waiting for Reeves at the Hesperian Office on Friday.

Third place and a check for \$4.00 goes to Brent Sanders. Sanders has been a winner before and this time missed six with Floydada to win and a tie-breaker score of 35.

Honorable mention goes to those who misses seven games on the contest this week. They include Zahn Turner, Susan Simpson, Elisha Morris, Deneen Marricle, Robert Redden, Andy Hale, Hugh Miller, Juan P. Martinez and Gene Lowrance.

Nineteen entries missed 8 games and fourteen missed 9 games. All other entries had double digit misses this time around.

COWBOYTICKETSTANDINGS

Brent Sanders has moved into a four point lead in the race for the Cowboys-Eagles Thanksgiving Day game seats. Sanders has 97 total points. His closest competition comes from Mike Ander-

Three entries the sixth week of the son and Jack Robertson with 93 points each.

Sarah Sanders, Sheree Cannon, Suzanne Wyrick and Andy Hale are moving along rapidly with 91 total points at this time. Sherry Hale, Susan Simpson and Jean Hale now have 90

Closing fast are those with 89 points. They include Deneen Marricle and Amy McCormick.

Entrants are reminded to mark their answers on the entry coupon and clip it out. Entries must be turned in at the Hesperian Office before 5:00 p.m. Friday. No other entries will be considered. Be sure to put your name and address on the coupon and chose a winner for the Floydada game. Place your guess for the tie-breaker score (total points of both teams combined) in the football on the entry coupon.

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FEATURE TEACHER--Sheri Carr has been a 2nd grade teacher for ten years; 8 years in Kermit Texas and one year at Andrews. She has been married to David Carr for eleven years. She has two children, Heather who is seven and 10 month old Traci. Her hobbies are sewing, crafts and being a wife and mother. She says she has wanted to be a teacher all her life. Her goal as a teacher is to help children believe in themselves and help them want to learn and be a success in

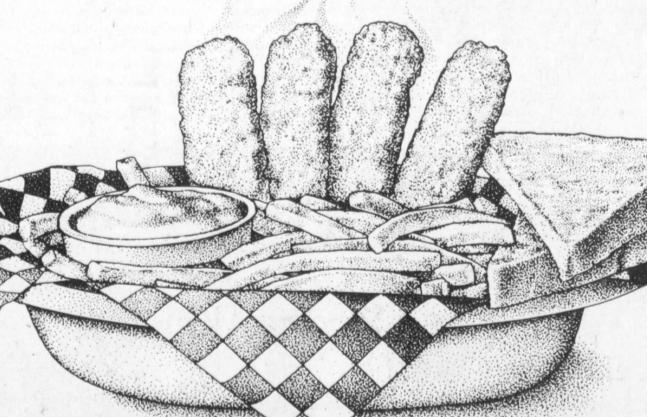
Go'Winds!



row, I-r) Ruth Vasquez, Daisy Charles, Marcus Riojas, and Tina Martinez.

STARS OF THE WEEK-Stars of the Week at Duncan Dustin Jones, Lonny Nelson; (second row, 1-r) Bonnie Elementary this week were: (back row, I-r) Carmela Dunlap, Evie Salinas, Ray Perez, Lisa Smith, Cienna Chavarria, Royanne Mercado, Victor Garcia, Shonann Carthel, Adrian Rocky Mendoza; (first row, l-r) Alicia Derryberry, Melanie Phillips, Angie Rodriquez; (third Briones, Brandon Marler, Anthony Suarez, Ashley Hale

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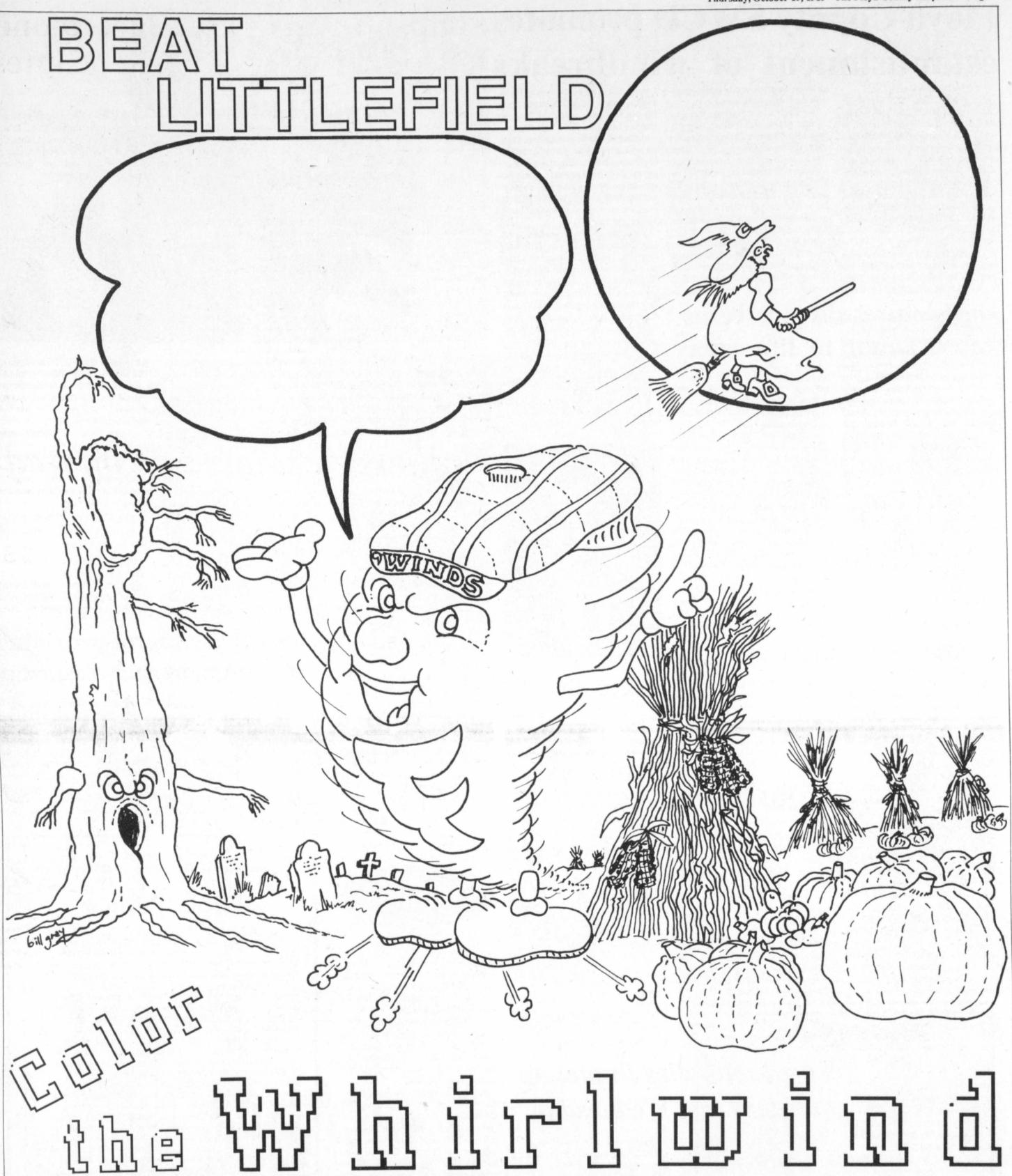
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(See story in this edition of the Hesperian for contest rules and details.)

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Adult

Floyd County SWCD promotes establishment of windbreaks

By Horace Garvie, SCS

The Floyd County Soil and Water Conservation District is now selling trees for the establishment of windbreaks around farmsteads. Windbreaks are relatively cheap to install and maintain. They provide for multiple-use benefits such as beautifying the countryside and/or farmstead, reduction of energy costs for heating and cooling buildings, reduction of soil blowing, establishes livestock shelters and wildlife habitats.

Trees will be sold at a nominal price through the Texas Forest Service. The seedlings are grown at the West Texas Nursery in Lubbock and are adapted to

this area. Selected woody species available are conifers and hardwoods.

Conifer species available this year include Afghanistan (Bullet), Afghanistan Pine, Arizona Cypress, Austrian Pine, Ponderosa Pine and Red Cedar. These seedlings are containerized. Conifers will be sold for \$42.80/30 including tax or a minimum order of 15 seedlings for \$22.50 including tax. Bullets will sell for \$32.10/30 including tax or a minimum order of 15 seedlings for \$16.05 including tax.

Hardwoods available this year include Bur Oak, Catalpa, Cottonwood Cuttings, Desert Willow, Green Ash, Honeylocust, Little Walnut, Osage Orange, Pecan, Red Oak (Shumard),

Legislature will give Texas voters input to life safety

Special legislation passed by the 71st Legislature will give Texas voters the opportunity to have direct input into life safety and property protection for years to come. The special law creates an emergency fund for the fire service of Texas and does so without an increase in taxes or fees. Texas voters will decide the issue on November 7, in the general election.

The proposed constitutional amendment, Proposition No. 17 on the ballot authorizes the ceation of the fund which can be used by all fire departments in the state, paid or volunteer, large or small. The fund may be used only for training and equipment and will be distributed on a priority basis with the most urgent needs being served first.

The fund will be administered by a board under the direction of the State Fire Marshall's Office. The seven member board, appointed by the governor, will include fire members representing the fire service and two members representing the general public and will serve without pay.

If approved by a majority of Texas voters, the fund will address the serious problem of funding for the almost 2,000 fire departments in the state. Fire departments across the state will be eligible to apply for low interest loans or grants in an effort to address unnecessary deaths and injuries as well as the needless loss of property due to fire which could be prevented with better training and equipment. During 1987, 322 Texans died in fires which caused 486,000.00 in

State Representative Rick Perry, (R), Haskell, author of the bill, said, "Voting against this proposition is the same as putting a \$99 price tag on a human life."

Russian Olive and Sandcherry. These seedlings are sold at \$40.00/case including tax. Minimum bundles of 25's are also available for \$10.70 including tax.

A limited number of wildlife packets are available this year. Since the number of these packets are limited, we encourage the sell of these packets to landowners who are incorporating wildlife habitats into CRP acreage. Wildlife packets available are Quail & Pheasant, Deer, Turkey and Squirrel.

Tree orders are now being taken at the Soil Conservation Service Office in Floydada. The SWCD Board will continue to sell tree orders upon their availability until March 1, 1990. All orders are filled on a first-come first-serve basis. To be sure of getting the trees that you desire most, place your orders now. These trees are being made available to other Soil and Water Conservation Districts in the Lubbock area and the supply is limited.

Trees purchased may not be used for landscaping or ornamental purposes.

For information and order placement contact your local SCS Field Office, located in the USDA building or call us at 983-2352.



4-H PRESIDENT-Chad Edwards, son of Craig and Betty Edwards of Floydada, has been elected Collegiate 4-H President by the student body at South Plains College. A 1988 Floydada High School graduate, Edwards is a sophomore at SPC, majoring in Ag Economics.

Floydada sales tax rebate falls

Sales tax rebate checks for the month of October were recently mailed to local tax. Floydada received a check for \$7,917.69. This figure represents a decrease of 3.24% from the \$8,182.56 received for the same period in 1988.

Total rebates received by the city to date in 1989 remain above those in 1988. \$92,877.33 has been rebated to Floydada this year compared to \$86,973.11 received at this time in 1988. This represents an overall increase of 6.79 percent.

Lockney received \$7,399.80 this month, compared to \$4,320.44 during October, 1988. This is an increase of 71.27 percent and is partially responsible for the overall increase of 44.64 percent in Lockney rebates this year. Total received to date is \$58,520.91 while \$40,460,60 was received at this time in 1988.

Other area towns, their rebates and percentage of change are listed below.

Quitaque; \$686.12; +20.71% Silverton; \$1,164.13; +2.37% Crosbyton; \$4,944.14; +44.12% Lorenzo; \$7,051.46; +428.91% Ralls; \$3,739.59; 7.73% Dickens; \$1,570.22; -18.76% Spur; \$540.18; -80.12% Abernathy; \$5,569.96; -23.18% Edmonson -0-Hale Center; \$3,417.61; +16.28% Petersburg; \$1,343.81; -18.92% Plainview; \$196,475.46; +42.59% Idalou; \$4,169.85; -3.80% Lubbock; \$1,103,735.05; +8.31% Matador; \$1,251.70;+61.53% Roaring Springs; \$3,370.78; +260.52%

Matador bankers death ruled as an accident

Happy; \$1,006.89; +14.89%

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The ruling of accidental death, by gunshot was made in the September 25 death of Frank S. Price.

According to Gale Stafford, temporary justice of the peace, during the inquest on October 11, the evidence clearly showed Price's death was accidental.

Testimony and photograph evidence showed Price's feet to be tangled in an old barbed wire fence causing him to stumble and fall with the shotgun being discharged accidentally, and enlarged photos clearly showed the wire tangled in his feet.

Tulia; \$14,105.18; +24.17%

October checks represent taxes colported to the comptroller's office in September. Checks were also sent to the 92 counties which levy the one-half percent sales tax.

Courtroom Activities

Gloria Leticia Tamayo, 19, of Floydada was indicted in District Court October 17, on one charge of forgery. The forgery occurred on August 4,

In County Court, October 11, Maria Elvira Oviedo, 41, of Edinburg, pled guilty to her October 2 charge of DWI. She was fined \$100.00 plus \$142.50 in court costs. She was also sentenced to 60 days in jail and her drivers license was suspended for six months.

Oviedo also pled guilty on October 11 to the previous October 2 charge of driving while her license was suspended. She was fined \$100.00 plus court costs of \$142.50 and was sentenced to 10 days in jail.

Bobby Frank Cantrell, 55, of Floyd County was charged with DWI on October 12. There was no disposition on this

Sergio Angel Flores, 33, of Plainview pled guilty October 16 to his charge of DWI. He was fined \$500.00 plus court costs of \$142.50. He was also sentenced to 180 days in jail, which was probated for two years.

Esmeralda R. Garibay, 25, of Hale County, was charged October 17 with DWI. There was no disposition on this

Also on October 17, Fidel Rios Gomez, 37, of Plainview, was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on

Local man dies in pickup accident last Wednesday

McCoy resident, Albert Carroll stopped to look down the ravine. Jones, 59, died early Wednesday morning, October 11, in a one-vehicle accident.

According to DPS reports, Jones apparently failed to negotiate a curb on an unnamed county road, 2-1/2 miles east of US 82, and five miles south of Floydada.

The 1978 Ford pickup Jones was driving became airborne and struck the east side of a ravine. Officials estimate the accident occurred at approximately 7:25 a.m.

The vehicle, which was 6 ft. 8 in. down in the ravine, was discovered by a passer-by who saw the tire tracks and and Margie Smith of Crosbyton.

Graveside services for Jones were at 2 p.m. October 13, in Floyd County Memorial Park. The Rev. Jim Jackson, pastor of New Salem Primitive Baptist Church, officiated.

Burial was under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

Jones was born in Floyd County. He married Billie Clark on February 14, 1952, in Cone. He was a farmer.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Jimmy and Johnny, both of Floydada; and three sisters, Dorothy Anderson of Floydada, Billie Crawford of Lubbock





PUMPKIN MANIA SPREADS--A camera crew from Dallas was in town on Tuesday to spread the word of Floydada Pumpkin mania. Film footage was made of decorated downtown businesses, decorated yards and pumpkin fields. In this photo the crew stopped in Nielson's Restaurant to film the serving of the latest pumpkin menu. Shown here are Wes the camerman and Russ Martin.

Tami Nielson is telling the men about the 'Pumpkin Menu Special of the Day'. The show will air in Dallas, Sunday, October 22, at 5:30 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. on the Fox Channel. If you have any friends in Dallas, be sure they tape the show for you.

Halloween safety tips offered

Halloween is almost here, and children everywhere are preparing for the big night by searching for scary masks and spooky outfits. Although having fun and filling up those trick-or-treat bags are foremost in their minds, children need to remember to follow safe practices. Parents should keep in mind the following safety tips provided by Scott & White Memorial Hospital in Temple:

* Make costumes short enough so the child won't trip when going up and

* Use white colors or big patches of white on the costumes to ensure good

* Use fire-retardant fabric for the costumes or treat the material with a chemical fire-retardant.

* When making masks or hoods, cut out holes in them that are large enough to assure easy breathing and good vision. Using makeup or face paints instead of masks is an even better idea.

* If face paints are used, make sure that they are designed specifically for this purpose, they are non-poisonous and that the paint can be washed off

* When lighting Jack O'lanterns, use small flashlights - not candles- in order to prevent fires.

Obituary

THOMAS ARTHUR TUBBS

Thomas Arthur "Mutt" Tubbs of Fremont California died October 12 in a Fremont hospital following a lengthly illness. Following cremation of the body, a graveside memorial service was held in Ashland, Oregon.

Tubbs was a former resident of the Center Community in Floyd County. He served in the U.S. Marine Corps and was a veteran of the South Pacific campaign of WWII. He was a member of the Center Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife Betty: three brothers, Ralph and George of California and Kenneth of Washington; and three sisters, Katherine Walthorp and Clara Brown of Showlow, Arizona and Margaret (Tootsie) Fisher of Ashland, Oregon. Tubbs was preceded in death by his parents, Arthur and Lucille Tubbs, as well as a brother, Harold.

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anyone's eyes, especially someone * Have an adult accompany the chil-

* Trick or treating should be done before dark, especially if you have young children. Set a curfew for the older children and enforce it. * Instruct the children to stay in their

dren while they are trick or treating.

own neighborhood and to call on only people they know and trust.

* Give each child a flashlight and remind him or her not to shine it into

driving an automobile.

* To prevent falls, remind children to use sidewalks instead of cutting across yards and vacant lots.

* If your child gets sick, try to find out exactly what he or she ate and where it came from. Call your doctor immediately or contact the Scott & White Poison Control Center at (817) 774-2005.

Caprock Jamboree providing entertainment each Saturday

The Caprock Jamboree held it's first ing through 11:00 p.m. Each band or Silverton since it's beginning in May, Saturday, October 7.

Approximately 250 people from 17 area towns were entertained by singers and bands from Quitaque, Silverton,

Kress, Floydada and Hale Center. Everyone is invited to the shows. The Jamboree is held every first Saturday of the month. They begin at 7:00 p.m. last-

indoor show in the county showbarn in group can call (806) 847-2619 to book their 30 minute act. A fee of one dollar is charged at the

door for each person over school age. Concessions are furnished by a local

organization from either Silverton or Quitaque. So don't worry about eating before coming, come on over to Silverton November 4 and help support a local organization.

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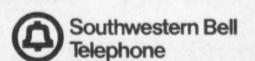
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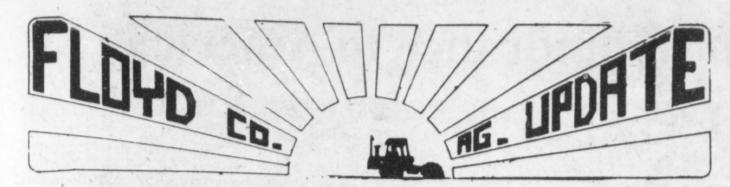
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company hereby gives notice that on August 29, 1989 the Company filed an application with the Public Utility Commission (PUC) of Texas to revise its Texas intrastate Digital Link Service Tariff. This application proposes to restructure the rates for MICROLINK IISM - Packet Switching Digital Service to establish uniform rates for the service in each of the market areas where it is offered within the State and to expand the service to an additional nineteen (19) Primary Market Areas (PMAs).

MICROLINK IISM - Packet Switching Digital Service is for business customers with interactive data transport requirements who are located within the Abilene, Amarillo. Austin, Beaumont, Brownsville, Corpus Christi, Dallas, El Paso, Houston, Longview, Lubbock, Midland, San Antonio, Waco, or Wichita Falls Local Access and Transport Areas (LATAs). This service utilizes several existing network services in combination with packet switching capabilities. A MICROLINK II Primary Market Area is the service area from which subscribers may reach public dial access to the service by dialing a local seven digit number. The twenty-four (24) PMAs that will be affected by this filing are: Abilene, Amarillo, Austin, Beaumont, Brownsville, McAllen, Harlingen, Corpus Christi, Victoria, Dallas, Fort Worth, El Paso, Houston, Galveston, Laredo, Longview, Tyler, Lubbock, Midland, Odessa, San Antonio, Waco, Temple, and Wichita Falls.

The PUC has assigned this matter to Docket No. 9034. It is estimated that the proposed rate changes and the addition of the nineteen (19) Primary Market Areas will increase the Company's annual revenues during the first year the proposed changes are in effect approximately \$140,000. For additional information regarding MicroLink II Service or this filing, please contact Southwestern Bell Telephone Company's Marketing Organization on 512-222-5808.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. The Commission has established an intervention date of November 27, 1989. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd.. Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the PUC Public Information Office at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf.





USDA announces upland cotton price

Under Secretary of Agriculture Richard T. Crowder announced the prevailing world market price, adjusted to U.S. quality and location (adjusted world price), for Strict Low Middling (SLM) 1-1/16 inch (micronaire 3.5-4.9) upland cotton (base quality) and the coarse count adjustment in effect from 12:01 a.m. Friday, October 6, through midnight Thursday, October 12.

Since the adjusted world price (AWP) is above the 1987, 1988 and 1989 crop base quality loan rates of 52.25, 51.80 and 50.00 cents per pound, respectively, the loan repayment rates for the 1987, 1988 and 1989 crops of upland cotton during this period are equal to the respective loan rates for the specific quality and location.

The AWP will continue to be used to determine the value of upland cotton that is obtained in exchange for commodity certificates. Because the AWP

Dawdy elected **SWCD** director

J.O. Dawdy of Floydada was recently re-elected to the Floyd County board of directors October 10. Dawdy represents Zone Five of the district.

The purpose of the Floyd County SWCD, with headquarters in Floydada, is to promote sound soil and water conservation programs on farm and ranch lands within the district and to serve as a voice for farmers and ranchers on conservation matters.

The board of directors coordinates the conservation efforts of various local, state and federal agencies and other organizations and has authority to enter into working agreements with these governmental agencies and private concerns to carry out its purposes.

As one of five individuals serving on the district board of directors, Dawdy will be responsible for district policies and procedures for carrying out the district program within the framework of the Texas soil conservation district law.

Dawdy and wife, Cheryl, have three daughters, Leigh, Erin and Brenna.

In Texas there are 210 soil and water conservation districts. Each is a legal subdivision of state government organized by local agricultural landowners with the assistance of the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board. Unlike most other legal subdivisions of state government, SWCDs do not have the powers of taxation or eminent domain. All conservation programs managed by the districts are of a voluntary nature to the landowner or operator.



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in effect is above the established loan rate, loan deficiency payments are not available for 1989-crop upland cotton sold during this period.

Based on data for the week ending October 5, the AWP for upland cotton and the coarse count adjustment are determined as follows:

Adjusted World Price	
Northern Europe Price	81.9
Adjustments:	
Average U.S. spot	
market location	12.2
SLM 1-1/16 inch cotton	2.2
Average U.S. location	0.3
Sum of Adjustments	-14 8

ADJUSTED WORLD PRICE.. ...67.12 cents/lb. Coarse Count Adjustment Northern Europe Price Northern Europe Coarse Count Price...

Adjustment to SLM 1-1/32 inch cotton. COARSE COUNT ADJUSTMENT.... ..0 cents/lb.

The next AWP and coarse count adjustment announcement will be made on October 12.



AGRICULTURE COMMISSIONER CANDIDATE--Ken Boatright (right) was in town Tuesday, October 17, at the Massie Activity Center talking with visitors, including Kendis Julian (left) of Producers Cooperative Elevator. Boatright is seeking the Republican nomination in the upcoming race for Agriculture Commissioner. He has previously served with the Texas Department of Agricul-Staff Photo ture for 16 years.

Election for

soybean board

is announced

Robert Horn, Chairman of the Texas

Soybean Producers Board and a farmer

from Nome, announced today a date for

their upcoming election of board mem-

bers. The election will be held by mail

on December 18, 1989. Three farmer

directors will be elected—two from the

High Plains and one from Northeast

Texas. These positions are currently

held by Robert Horn, Nome; Don

Blacketer, Honey Grove; and Jack Wit-

ten, Kress. Anyone wishing to run for a

position on the TSPB should apply to the TSPB by October 30 by calling 1-800-

The Texas Soybean Producers Board was organized October 6, 1970, in Lubbock and now has a 32 county assessment area. The state is divided into three districts with board members

being elected on a rotating basis every

two years for terms of six years. Officers

are Robert Horn, Nome, Chairman; Paul

Stukey, Plainview, Vice Chairman;

W.B. Tilson, Plainview, Secretary/ Treasurer. Other Board Members are Don Blacketer, Honey Grove; R.D.

Burnside III, Baytown; Arthur Lumbley, Hooks; Louis Pyle, Floydada;

247-8671.

COWPOKES

By Ace Reid



"Wilbur, there ain't no way I can restore in thirty days what you have done to this ole body in sixty years!"

Pneumonia in calves accelerates in fall season

By Brent Crossland

Pneumonia in calves can be greatly accelerated during the fall season, particularly with viruses, bacteria and other germs present.

Stress factors contributing to pneumonia include weaning, hunger, thirst, castration, dehorning, adverse weather, abusive handling, shipping, fatigue and mixing with other cattle, said Brent Crossland, county agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Viruses involved are IBR, PI3, BVD, reoviruses, rhinoviruses, adenoviruses, herpes viruses and syncytial viruses. Bacteria types include pasteurella and hemophilus and other dangerous germs are chlamydia, micoplasma and rick-

Normally healthy calves harbor germs that can cause respiratory infection, Crossland said. Bringing calves together from different sources results in an exchange of these germs.

Crossland said stress causes mild infections to develop into clinical disease. Calves with pneumonia generally are extremely depressed, with head

down and ears drooped. The abdomen is tucked up, fever reached 107 degrees F., breathing is difficult, and the nose is dry or has a ropy discharge. Deaths are usually sudden and unexpected.

To minimize the severity and numbers of respiratory infections in calves, Crossland recommended these prac-

* Maintain vaccination in the breed-

*Vaccinate calves at 2 to 4 months of * Vaccinate calves again 3 weeks before weaning.

*Castrate, dehorn, brand and implant calves up to 3 weeks before weaning or

3 weeks after weaning. * Wait to co-mingle and ship calves 3 weeks after weaning.

The agent advised producers to keep stress and exposure in calves to a minimum at all times because vaccines are not available for all respiratory germs. Reduce the number of stresses at weaning time because the weaning practice is an extremely traumatic experience to a

1990 Feed grain acreage reduced

Secretary of Agriculture Clayton Yeutter recently announced a 10-percent acreage reduction (ARP) for 1990 crop corn, grain sorghum and barley and a 5-percent ARP for 1990 crop oats.

The 1990 ARP levels are the same as were announced for the 1989 crop.

For crops covered by the 10-percent ARP, Yeutter said "Beginning stocks should be adequate to maintain our competitive position in the world market, while providing adequate supplies at reasonable prices to our domestic feed grain consumers.

"The oats ARP," he said, "was set at a different rate than corn and barley in 1988 and 1989. We are doing this again in 1990 to make oats planting more competitive."

Other provisions of the 1990 feed grain program are:

 Target prices established per bushel are \$2.75 for corn, \$2.61 for sorghum (\$4.66 per hundredweight), \$2.36 for barley and \$1.45 for oats.

-Loan and purchase rates per bushel are \$1.57 for corn, \$1.49 for sorghum (\$2.66 per hundredweight), \$1.28 for barley, \$0.81 for oats and \$1.33 for rye.

- Malting barley will not be exempt from the acreage limitation requirements established for the 1990 barley program.

- Barley and oats bases will be split for the 1990 crop. This action should increase the harvested acreage of oats.

- Oats will not be subject to the limited cross compliance provisions.

- There will not be a paid land diversion program.

Common program provisions that apply to the 1990 feed grains, wheat, upland cotton and rice programs were announced on Aug. 7.

Signup dates for the 1990 programs are Jan. 16 through April 13, 1990.

Cotton program changed

Several changes in the upland cotton program, designed to make U.S. cotton more competitive in world markets, were announced today by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

The regulations for determining the prevailing world market price for upland cotton, adjusted to U.S. quality and location (adjusted world price), are being amended to authorize an additional adjustment in the adjusted world price whenever:

- The formula-derived adjusted world price is less than 115 percent of the current crop year's loan-level for Strict Low Middling 1-1/16 inch, micronaire 3.5 through 4.9 cotton, and

- The Friday through Thursday average price quotation for the lowestpriced U.S. growth as quoted for Middling (M) 1-3/32 inch cotton C.I.F. (cost, insurance and freight) northern Europe is greater than the Friday through Thursday average price quotation for the five lowest-priced growths as quoted for M 1-3/32 inch cotton C.I.F. northern Europe (Northern Europe price).

The amount of the additional adjustment may not exceed the difference between the Friday through Thursday average price quotation for the lowestpriced U.S. growth quoted for M 1-3/32 inch cotton C.I.F. northern Europe and the Northern Europe price. In determining the actual amount of any adjustment, USDA will take into consideration the projected U.S. share of world exports, the current level of export sales and/or expert shipments and any other relevant data.

In addition, certain provisions of the price support loan program are being changed. Beginning with the 1989 crop, if a price support loan is extended for eight months:

— The producer will be required to pay interest and warehouse storage charges on cash loan repayments during the loan extension period regardless of the level of the adjusted world price.

- If the loan collateral is forfeited to the Commodity Credit Corporation, the producer will be required to pay CCC all costs associated with the storage of the forfeited cotton, beginning with the first month of the loan extension, and a handling fee of \$1 per bale on the forfeited

No changes were made for repaying upland cotton price support loans during the initial 10-month loan period.

Details of these changes in the upland cotton program will appear in the October 6, Federal Register.



SADDLE WINNERS--Cam Forbes, South Plains and Marty Davis, Crosbyton won first place in average at the recent Red Mud team roping. Benny Maben (center) is roping spon-Photo courtesy of The Spur

Milliken and Company introduces collection of 100% cotton fabrics

Milliken and Company, previously a fabric manufacturer that only used synthetic fibers in its line, has introduced a collection of 100 percent cotton fabrics. Called "Supreme Counts," the line consisted of twill, gabardine and sateen weaves. The top-of-the-line fabrics are for both men's and women's wear. Additionally, the line features the Seal





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455	Sunbird SE Coupe	\$12,449	\$11,120
959	Grand Am LE Coupe	\$13,795	\$11,721
948	Grand Am LE Coupe	\$14,532	\$12,347
215	Grand Prix LE Coupe	\$16,473	\$13,559
908	Grand Prix LE Sedan	\$17,257	\$14,377
198	Bonneville LE	\$18,590	\$15,162*
208	Bonneville SE	\$20,214	. \$16,222*
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. 960	· Syklark Sedan	\$14,867	\$12,243
957	Skylark Coupe	\$15,374	\$12,789
949	Century Sedan	\$16,644	\$13,835
954	Century Limited	\$17,695	\$14,341
944	Regal Limited	\$18,865	\$15,384
947	Regal Gran Sport	\$19,298	\$15,915
938	LeSabre Sedan	\$18,529	\$15,645
939	LeSabre Limited	\$19,874	\$16,844
932	Electra Park Avenue	\$23,464	\$19,959
931	Electra Park Avenue G M	C \$23,721	\$20,396
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SERVING THE AREA

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Mr. Goodwrench

Wesley Schumacher, Plainview; and Jack Witten, Kress. The nine member board administers the 2 cents per bushel checkoff collected in a 32 county area as provided by State Law. Research grants have been made to the Texas A&M Experiment stations at Lubbock and Beaumont for their

and soybean production. Texas soybean producers help fund over 370 market development projects in 83 countries. These projects, carried out by the American Soybean Association, strive to maintain current soybean markets and create new ones for U.S. soybeans. Staff in 11 overseas offices provide Expertise on animal nutrition, soybean oil and soybean quality to foreign buyers. For more information, contact the Texas Soybean Producers

continuing projects on variety testing

AGRICULTURE is the life-blood of Floyd County Let's all support it.

Board at 1-800-247-8691.

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IN APPRECIATION -- A large crowd filled the county courtroom on Monday, to wish County Attorney Kenneth Bain farewell and good luck. Judge Bill Hardin presented Bain with a plaque of appreciation for his many years of Staff Photo service to the county.

DPS seeks applicants for recruit training

Major V.J. Cawthon, Regional Com- twelve months probation. mander of the Texas Department of Public Safety in Lubbock has announced that the D.P.S. is seeking applicants for a recruit training school scheduled to begin March 27, 1990. He stated, "We are seeking qualified men and women who are interested in becoming DPS Troopers."

Applicants will be accepted through January 19, 1990 at the Lubbock, Amarillo and Wichita Falls offices. Entrance examinations will be given beginning at 8:00 a.m. each Wednesday at the Amarillo and Wichita Falls offices and at 8:00 a.m. each Tuesday and Thursday at the Lubbock office. Tests will take all day to

Approximately 140 men and women will be selected to begin traning in the exciting career of the law enforcement. Beginning monthly salary is \$1,622.00 while attending the 22 week academy, \$1,865.00 a month upon graduation and \$2,362.50 a month after completion of

Applicants must be 20 to 35 years old, of good moral character, in excellent physical condition and a U.S. citizen. Sixty semester hours of college or equivalent military or police experience are required.

Graduates of the DPS Academy will be assigned either to the Highway Patrol or Drivers License Service. After two vears of service, DPS Troopers are afforded the opportunity to advance in the Criminal Law Enforcement division, which includes Narcotics Service, Criminal Intelligence Service and Motor Vehicle Theft Service. After four years of service, they can compete for the position of Sergeant in the Traffic

Major Cawthon said, "If you are interested in a career with the Texas Department of Public Safety, contact your local DPS Trooper or go by any DPS

NEA, help or a hindrance to American art

By Edwin Feulner

Nothing is beyond the pale in the Entitlement Society. Bravo to congressmen Dick Armey, R-Texas, and Dana Rohrabacher, R-Calif., for finally saying "Enough!" to the National Endowment for the Arts (NEA) after learning that taxpayers were funding pornographic exhibits under the banner of "art". Unfortunately, the deeper lessons seem to have been missed.

As expected, hysterics screamed "Censorship!", so a definition is in order. Editors are not censors when they reject articles or story ideas, nor is govemment a censor when it refuses to dispense taxpayers' money to would-be recipients. As every school child should know-and many Washington blow-

The Texas Department of Public Safety reminds motorists that the winter

season is upon us, and it's time, once

again, to get both the driver and the

vehicle in the best possible condition for

Major V.J. Cawthon, Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety,

Region 5, said, "Winter driving can be very hazardous. Driver's are faced with many dangerous obstacles: nights are

longer, freezing temperatures, snow, sleet, and ice covered roads, all creating

The most important safety tip for

winter drivings is to "slow down". On

ice covered roads, only drive when it is

necesary and realize that it's going to

take you at least twice as long to cover

that same distance as when the road was

dry and clear of ice. So, remember to set

more time aside for driving under winter

When temperatures drop below the

freezing point, drivers must guard

against reduced visibility caused by

frosted windows and windshields. Al-

low your car's engine to warm up and

for the defroster to become effective

before driving. Be sure your windows

and headlights are clear and free of any

obstructions, like mud or snow. Do all

this in advance, before you hit the road.

verse weather conditions, allow your-

self plenty of travel time and try not to

make your vehicle a wristwatch and the

Edwards' opponent in the March Demo-

Other Highlights

*Agriculture Commissioner Jim

Hightower blasted the new pesticide

board as a "flawed and clumsy beast"

but vowed it will not turn back the clock

on pesticide regulation. The Legislature

last session took pesticide regulation

away from Hightower and gave it to the

21 percent of the nation's Hispanic

population lives in Texas. Some 4.3

million live here, up from 3 million in

Travis County Republican elected to the

House in more than a century, an-

nounced he will not seek re-election in

*State Rep. Terral Smith, the second

*The U.S., Census Bureau reported

cratic primary.

new board.

the 1980 census.

Major Cawthon stated, "During ad-

handicaps for the driver."

conditions.

this most grueling driving season.

hards could profit from some elementary education—censorship is denial of free expression, not denial of subsidies for expression. Nothing could be more absurd than the view that congressional refusal to fund pornography, or anything else for that matter, somehow constitutes censorship.

Reps. Armey and Rohrabacher did succeed in cutting the NEA budget by \$45,000, which is what it cost taxpayers for the two pornographic exhibits in question. But the fundamental question that has been all but forgotten is this: What is the world is the federal government doing in the arts business?

Is it that naysayers such as Armey and Rohrabacher can't appreciate Art? I will

The Texas Department of Public

Safety reminds you that the hazards of

winter driving can be reduced. It's in

your hands, the defensive driver, to

DPS gives winter warnings

and highways."

make for a safer winter.

spare you a list of NEA-funded projects that are "art" only if everything can be called art, in which case the term would be meaningless. My point is: Even if NEA had been funding creative geniuses, it's still not a proper role of gov-

No one opposes art. What many of us oppose is taxing low-income Americans to fund exhibits and festivals that, however worthy, appeal chiefly to upper-income Americans.

Let art enthusiasts pay their own way. And if they're not willing to do so, perhaps their enthusiasm is actually just status-seeking.

Shakespeare will survive without NEA. There is no more justification indeed there is less-for government to tax wrestling fans to fund Shakespeare festivals than there would be to force Shakespeare lovers to fund the nex Wrestlemania extravaganza.

Nor is government well-suited to discover and draw out the hidden talents of potential Shakespeares, Beethovens and Calders. NEA has turned too many potential poets, musicians, and painters into professional lobbyists who, instead of working at their crafts, devote their energies to filling out grant forms and cultivating connections a the right agencies, councils, and bureaus.

NEA funding has risen from \$2.5 million in 1965 to \$169 million today. Where's the artistic renaissance?

It gets more painfully obvious every year that whatever art America produces comes more in spite of NEA than

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By Lyndell Williams

Texas Press Association

The often-used grudging concession of admiration for a politician with whom one usually disagrees, goes like this: "You may not like his position, but you know where he stands.'

Attorney General Jim Mattox, reportedly running a distant third when he announced for governor last week, staked out firm positions on more issues than any candidate of either party.

Obviously aware that a little derringdo is needed to play catch-up, Mattox risked boldness while other rested on caution.

Mattox said he: *Supports a lottery to fund public

An unabashed, unapologetic liberal,

school financing, and opposes any form of new taxes; *Will veto any state income tax bill

the Legislature passes; *Favors the death penalty for heinous

crimes and drug dealing; and *Would use the Texas National Guard to seal off the Rio Grande border

to drug smugglers and car thieves. Does this platform sound liberal to you? Mattox, the arch-liberal, embraced several issues dear to conservative hearts. While other Democrats quietly discuss moving the party back to center, Mattox publicly put his leadership on the line.

Thus far, only Republican Clayton Williams is as open and firm on any issue. His is the war on drugs.

Lottery Response

In response to the Mattox challenge, Gov. Bill Clements asked both political parties to put the lottery issue on the primary ballot.

The other major candidates declined to follow Mattox' strong lead on the lottery issue, and only Republican Kent Hance expressed opposition to one.

More Law Officers

Congressman John Bryant of Dallas, a candidate for attorney general, said Texas cities should hire 10,000 more police officers during the next four years to reduce their soaring crime rates.

Citing FBI statistics, Bryant said, "Texas has today become one of the most dangerous states in America in

Bryant said he would support city councils that raise taxes to bolster their police forces. But he said, "I don't ex-

pect any mayors to advocate this." He also proposed that the state authorize the Department of Public Safety to hire 40 additional narcotics officers.

Insurance Lawsuit

Mattox said two insurance firms, Travelers Insurance Co. and St. Paul's Fire and Marine Insurance Co., have agreed to pay \$500,000 and testify in an anti-trust lawsuit continuing against other insurance companies.

The two firms denied any wrongdoing, and the payments are not fines or penalties, but for investigative and legal

Past Deeds Surface

Two state legislators and a former House member, all running to replace the late Houston Congressman Mickey Leland, blamed each other for checkered reports of their pasts.

State Rep. Ron Wilson was chided years back for possible misuse of \$16,000 in state funds, of which he paid back \$2,000; Houston city councilman Anthony Hall was criticized for allegedly steering city business to a client/ contributor; and state Sen. Craig Washington apologized for his assault on a

woman friend six years ago. Other Campaigns

*In the 17th state senatorial district, Bryan state Rep. Richard Smith announced for the Republican slate, and Ron DeLord, head of the state's largest police labor union, entered as a Demo-

Meanwhile, former state Rep. Dan Kubiak, in Europe on a trade mission when incumbent Sen. Kent Caperton announced his retirement, is reportedly eyeing the race.

*State Rep. Keith Valigura, R-Conroe, will not seek re-election, opting to devote more time to family and business. He endorsed Dr. Bob Rabuck as his successor.

*Bob Munson, a veteran of Louisiana political battles, will take over state Sen. Chet Edwards' underdog campaign for lieutenant governor. Comptroller Bob Bullock, a veteran state official, is



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HORMEL'S CURE 81 BONELESS FULLY COOKED

HAMS 3-4 LB.

PEYTON'S SLICED HORMEL CURE MASTER BNLS. FULLY CKD. \$799

..... PKG. 12 OZ. LINK OR ROLLS OR 10 OZ. PATTIES

1 LB. \$139 PKG. BACON PEYTON'S MEAT 89¢ 12 OZ. PKG. FRANKS
PEYTON'S SLICED MEAT 12 OZ. \$119 BOLOGNA. 80% LEAN FAMILY PAK GROUND BEEF

LB.

CALIFORNIA CRISP

SNOW WHITE CABBAGE **RED POTATOES**

PRODUCE SPECIALS 99¢ CAULIFLOWER EACH

WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

QUALITY AND SERVICE

SHELF SPECIALS

RAID MAXIMUM ANT & ROACH

RAID ROACH TRAPS

RATION

DOG FOOD FIELD TRIAL

CAMPBELL'S Carne CHUNKY VEGETABLE

SOUP CAT CAFE



YOUR CHOICE CAMPBELL'S CHUNKY BEEF, CHILI BEEF, VEGE. BEEF, STEAK & POTATO,

SIRLOIN BURGER OR PEPPER STEAK **CHUNKY SOUP**

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FROZEN FOODS & DAIRY

GORTON CRUNCHY
STICKS OR FILLETS
PET DOWNY FLAKE **BORDENS ICE CREAM**

DAYS

WAFFLES

99¢ **SANDWICHES BORDENS** 149 12 CT. **POPSICLES** PAY N SAVE 89¢ HOMO MILK '½ GAL CTN 1/2 GAL. SHURFINE CHOCOLATE

> HEALTH & BEAUTY VICKS FILONG ACT./REG. OR 12 HR.
> NASAL SPRAY MIST: ULTRA FINE MIST

ASSTD. CONDTION II AFTER

HAIR SPRAY FINAL NET

speed stick speed stick

99¢

SPEED STICK

4 OZ. ASSTD. MENNEN MENS SPEED SPRAY OR 2.5 OZ. ASSTD. DOEDORANT SPEED STICK OR 2.25 OZ. ASSTD. ANIT PERSPIRANT 199 EACH