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City Council resolution shows support of hospital tax increase

By Juanita Stepp

The Floydada City Council unanimously passed Resolution #155 during regular session on October 9. Citing the need to keep Caprock Hospital open and operating, the council acted on a motion by councilman Amado Morales and seconded by councilman Ruben Barrientos.

Resolution #155 reads as follows:

"Whereas, for the past 24 years, the Caprock Hospital has provided a valuable service to Floydada and the surrounding area; and

"Whereas, the Caprock Hospital has always committed itself to the care of each individual with highly skilled and efficient personnel and has rendered this care with a belief in the unique value and dignity of each individual regardless of race, creed, color, national origin or financial resources; and

"Whereas, the closure of this hospital would be a tremendous loss to the well-being of this community and this area; therefore, be it resolved that each member of the City Council of the City

of Floydada, Texas, is in full support of the Caprock Hospital Board of Directors in their decision to raise Caprock Hospital District taxes in an effort to maintain the same valuable service in the future.

"Adopted by unanimous vote on the 9th day of October, 1990."

The resolution was signed by Mayor Wayne Russell, Councilmen Morales, Barrientos, Wayne Tipton and Eric Cornelius. Councilman Leroy Burns was not present.

Prior to the approval of the resolution, the council discussed the outstanding utility bills at Caprock Hospital and Cogdell Clinic. The last payment received was in July when Caprock Hospital paid \$2,248.87 and Cogdell Clinic paid \$372.94. The current outstanding balance for the hospital is \$16,760.55 and the clinic owes \$3,773.00.

Mayor Russell indicated that he had talked to hospital board president William Bertrand and that payment should begin to come in as soon as taxes start coming in. Russell qualified that statement saying that the bank has a lien on the hospital tax collections until a loan made to the hospital is repaid, then other bills will be paid.

Russell also pointed out that tax collections might be slow to come in until the rollback election on November 20 determines the hospital district tax rate for the year. This could affect all the taxing entities according to Russell.

face jail. Anyone unable to pay the fine could voluntarily participate in the community service program, working eight hours at a designated government entity or non-profit organization, per day of jail time assessed.

The new program was adopted on a motion by Morales, seconded by Cornelius and passed unanimously. The council authorizes Judge Breed to begin using the system at his discretion.

OTHER MATTERS

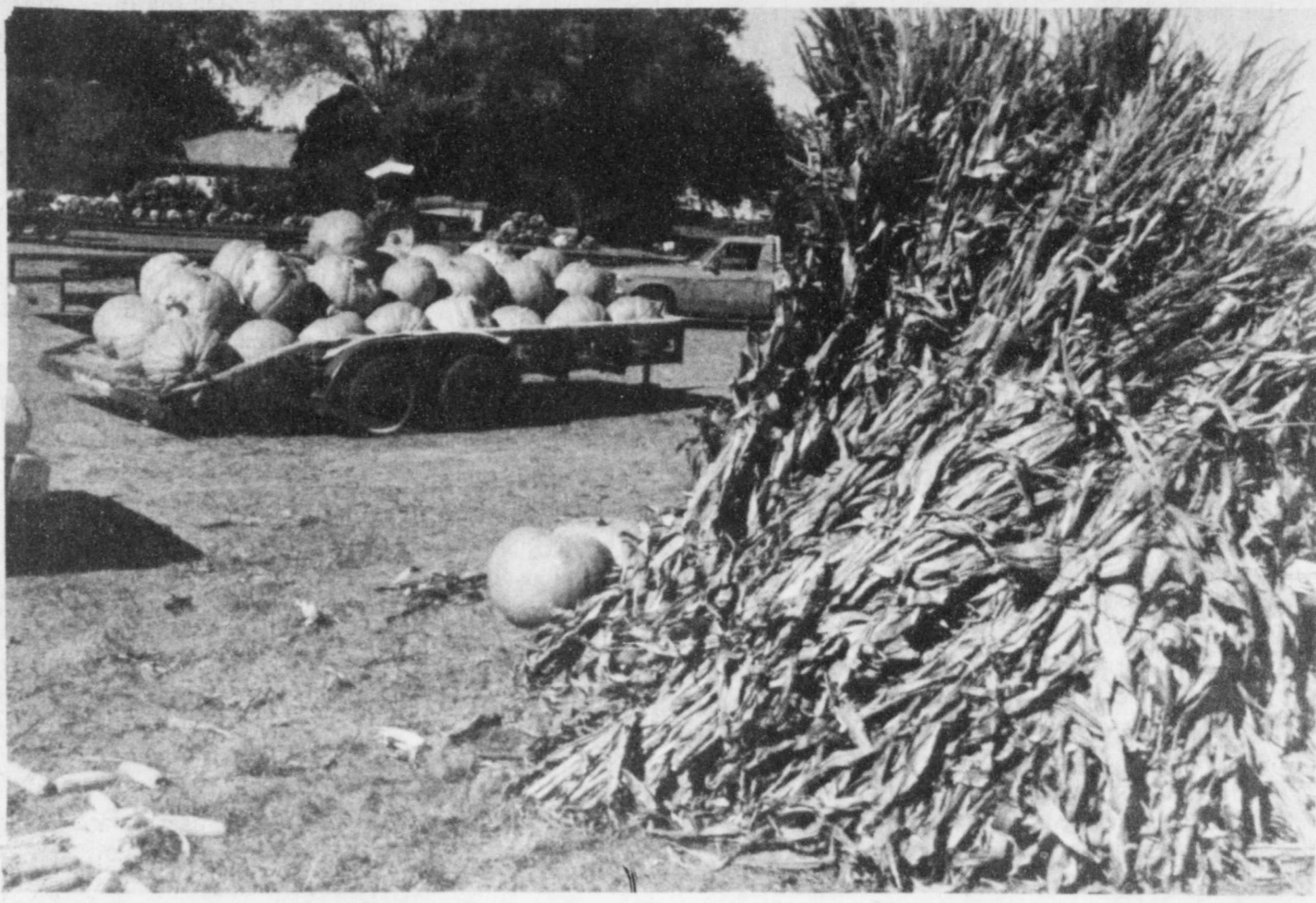
The council also approved the minutes of the last meeting, paid bills and held a short public hearing to complete the 1988 TDC paving project. An offer to purchase a tax title lot at Crockett and Wall was approved. Kevin Nelson will be allowed to buy the lot for \$250 if the other taxing entities agree.

Purchase of a used car to be held as a backup police unit was ratified by the council. Council members were also told that expenses for spouses to attend the late October TML sessions with council members must be paid in advance.

City manager Gary Brown reported that work on the TDC waterline grant project should begin next week and that the landfill application is still pending. Selection of an engineer for the airport paving grant project should be made next week by the state.

Brown will present a proposal at a SPAG review for a 1990 TDC Community Block Grant for paving eight additional city blocks later this month. He is also continuing to work on park grants for improvements and on getting weeds in alleys and on vacant lots shredded before winter. Additional gravel will be spread on some unpaved streets in the next few weeks and several alleys will be graveled as well said Brown.

Attending the Tuesday evening session were Mayor Russell, Councilmen Morales, Barrientos, Tipton and Cornelius. Also present were Randy Hollins, Gary Brown, Jimmie Lou Stewart, Sharon Quisenberry, Connie Galloway, Frank Breed, Joe Stepp and the Hesperian reporter.



AUTUMNHARVEST -- Scenes of a bountiful harvest can be found throughout Floyd County as bright orange pumpkins, yellow dried corn and buff colored corn stalks are gathered and ready for sale. This pastoral harvest

panorama was photographed at Scott Faulkenberry's, south of Floydada on the Ralls Highway. Producers have been shipping tons of our great pumpkins to outlets all over the country as Punkin' Days nears. Staff Photo

Compromise reached in contempt hearing

After meeting in judges chambers for over an hour, Oct. 4, a compromise agreement was reached by all parties involved in the contempt hearing brought against District Attorney Becky McPherson by Judge David Cave.

The hearing had been set after McPherson refused to turn over her financial records to the auditing firm, Love Hayes & Musick, which was appointed by Cave. He (Cave) had earlier appointed the auditors to account for expenses the D.A.'s office had incurred from the additional caseload of prosecuting misdemeanor offenses.

After McPherson's refusal to turn

over the records, Cave, on July 16, served her with an order to show cause why she should not be held in contempt of court.

McPherson stated at that time, that she questioned the independence and impartiality of the firm. She expressed her willingness to turn over the records to the state comptroller or state auditor, or to a different auditor appointed by Judge McCoy.

After discussion between McCoy and attorneys, Judge McCoy told the citizens gathered in the courtroom, that "there will not be any further hearing concerning the contempt matter in this case..."

"The records sought will be turned over to Mr. Love and his accounting firm. He will do an accounting procedure, an audit, and the findings of that audit will be submitted to me as the visiting judge in this case."

Judge McCoy also issued a gag order on "all parties involved." He told them they would be in "violation of this court order and possibly in contempt of this

court should they issue any public statement to any news media."

McCoy told the audience that there would be no further proceedings in this matter until "such time as the findings of the auditor has been submitted to me and a determination at that point will be made if it's necessary for any further proceeding."

Since July when the show cause order was brought against McPherson, the Floyd County Commissioners ordered a special audit of the district attorneys records. That audit was done by the firm Davis Kinard & Company, which does the regular yearly audit for the county. The audit, completed on Aug. 17, found no fault in the transactions recorded in the bank accounts of the district attorneys office.

Judge Cave, however, felt this auditors report did not answer the question of whether there were double billings. He stated after the county's audit was done that he would proceed with the audit started by Love Hays & Musick.

Dress code policy addressed by school board members

The board of directors of the Floydada Independent School District spent most

of the time during their regular meeting, October 9, discussing ways to implement a school dress code.

"If we are interested in changing," said Superintendent Jerry Cannon, "we need to discuss it tonight and come up with a committee to look into it."

Trustee Michael Hinsley asked Principals Joe Christian, Larry Baer, and Ellen Enriquez what their opinion was on a school dress code, and if there was a problem in the schools right now.

All the principals agreed that a dress code would be helpful for teachers and administrators. They also felt the regulations would be accepted if they were

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Help prevent birth defects by sending someone to 'jail'

Do you know you can put someone in the "slammer" and help prevent birth defects at the same time? Participate in the March of Dimes Jail and Bail, October 16 and 17, at Oden Chevrolet, 221 Main.

Join Mayor Wayne Russell, Stephen Fyffe and a host of other Floydadians, as they try their hand at bail raising.

Put your spouse in jail, your boss or one of your friends. It's for a very good cause. The direct lines to the jail at Oden Chevrolet are 983-3540 or 983-3924.

For more information call the March of Dimes office (806) 797-6771.

A view from
**The
Lamplighter**
By Ken Towery

Many years ago, when we were much younger and covering the antics of the Texas Legislature for a chain of daily newspapers, we heard a quote from some unnamed author that has stuck for all these years.

It went something like this; "There are two things people really ought not watch being made, sausages and the law." To do so, was the implication, was to lose one's appetite for either, or both.

Never was that more true than the early hours of Sunday, October 7, 1990, in the U.S. House of Representatives. If you have C-Span on your t.v. set, and if you were interested in the subject, and if you are a brute for punishment, perhaps you too sweated it out until sometime after 2:30 a.m., when the final gavel was sounded, indicating the Congressmen had done their thing. It was not a pretty sight.

When it was all said and done, it was back to business as usual in the Congress. The President sent his suggested budget to Congress in February of this year, if memory serves. But the responsibility of shaping the final budget, with its attendant appropriations bills and the revenue measures to cover that spending, belongs to the Congress, according to the Constitution. So Congress did nothing, other than make speeches, earn a little money on the side, take trips to Saudi Arabia to have their pictures taken with the troops, campaign for reelection, and collect their pay.

They sat on the budget matter until well past their own deadline. Then the "summit" situation took place, as Congressional leaders and the Administration sought some sort of a compromise. That finally produced some fruit, bitter as it was, which Congress turned down. Then they passed one of their "continuing resolutions," which says essentially that things should go on as usual while they wrestled with the matter. Bush vetoed the bill, which he should, and the government ground to a halt, in all but "essential" services.

Frankly we could not tell the difference. The sun came up and the sun went down. People in the private sector went to work as usual, trying to earn enough money to feed their family and pay their taxes.

So now, in October, and with the government out of money and billions of dollars in debt, our incumbent Congressmen have begun to address the problem they should have addressed last May. The situation has now become urgent. They must get home to campaign for reelection. After all, their pay goes up to \$125,000 per year in January.

CITY JUDGE PROPOSES PLAN

City Judge Frank Breed met with the council to propose an alternative to jail for those convicted of misdemeanor offenses. Breed asked the council to adopt a plan of community service work in lieu of jail time for those financially unable to pay fines but willing to perform community service work. The present policy allows only jail time if city court fines are not paid.

The plan would have the municipal judge levy a fine on any Class C misdemeanor charge. The person committing the offense would then pay the fine or

FHS juniors taking exit-level TAAS exams October 16-18

On October 16, 17 and 18, 1990, all juniors enrolled in Floydada High School will be taking a new state-adopted exit-level competency test, the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS). This test replaces the Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills (TEAMS) which has been administered since 1987.

The new TAAS program measures a broader range of essential elements than the TEAMS. It also addresses the importance of teaching students higher-order thinking skills. The exit-level tests must be passed before a student can receive a high school diploma.

The TAAS tests will measure student performance in mathematics, reading and writing. The writing test will be administered on October 16, the reading test on October 17, and the mathematics

test on October 18 at Floydada High School beginning at 8:30 a.m. on each of these mornings.

Some students will be eligible to take the TEAMS test which will be administered on October 17 (English language arts) and October 18 (mathematics).

No makeup tests will be allowed for any TAAS or TEAMS test.

In addition to the exit-level tests to be given to high school juniors, all school districts in the state will be administering the TAAS tests on the same dates to all students in grades 3, 5, 7, and 9.

For further information regarding the TAAS examinations, please contact your child's school counselor or principal. Parents are encouraged to see that their children are in attendance and on time on these dates so that their child's school performance can be measured.

Court postpones consideration of county attorney dilemma

Meeting in regular monthly session for the month of October, the Floyd County Commissioners Court faced a mostly routine agenda during which they reviewed accounts to be paid and authorized the payment of monthly bills.

An addendum to the originally posted agenda called for the consideration of "legal remedies concerning the county attorney controversy." County Judge Bill Hardin suggested that the court pass on the matter until the next session, either called or regular. The court elected to follow the judge's recommendation.

The court also heard financial reports

for the month of September and the past quarter from county treasurer Glenna Orman. She reported that the county began the month of September with account balances of \$139,473.31 and took in receipts of \$213,868.84. Disbursements totaled \$172,691.28, leaving county funds at \$180,650.87 at the end of the fiscal year on September 30.

The county has no certificates of deposit at this time and has indebtedness of \$43,031.98. This figure reflects the balances owed on a maintainer for Precinct 1, a copier for the Juvenile Probation Department and the recently acquired computerized teletype machine

at the Sheriff's Department.

The court accepted and approved the monthly and quarterly reports as presented and authorized a budget amendment transferring funds from courthouse repairs and maintenance to the judicial and legal account.

Farm work contracts were approved for Mrs. J. D. Phillips and Marie Purcell. A previously approved contract, #932, for Louis Pyle was voided.

Attending the session were Judge Hardin, commissioners Connie Bearden, Floyd Jackson, George Taylor and Kay Crabtree, Glenna Orman, Jane McAnally and the Hesperian reporter.

Love Fund started for Caballeros

A love fund has been established for Danny and Shelby Caballero of Floydada. The couple lost their home and belongings when their trailer was destroyed by fire Tuesday, Oct. 2. Contributions may be made at the First National Bank of Floydada.

Cow Patty Bingo rules outlined

Cow Patty Bingo (to be played on Punkin Day) is a simple game with few rules. It involves a fully loaded cow and a Texas size Bingo card, marked off on Main Street, north of the courthouse square.

A \$5.00 donation to the chamber will get the donor one of the 1,000 18" x 18" squares on the bingo card. After that the \$200, \$300 and \$500 prize is up to the whims of David McGowen's milk cows.

At 10:00 a.m. Little Miss Floydada's will draw randomly to match donors

with the numbers marked on the streets bingo card.

At 1:00 p.m. the cows will be turned out on the Bingo card, to do what cows do best — do-do — or in our case Bingo!

The person assigned to the square upon which the cow Bingo's first will win \$200, the next bingo nets \$300 and finally the \$500 bingo.

The only other rule of the game governs Bingo's that spread over more than one square. Prize money will be divided equally among those holding the annotated square.

Splatters do not count — only direct hits.

Donors need not be present to win. Judges decisions are final (the names of judges will be announced at a later date). You must be 18 years or older to participate.

The price is \$5.00 per ticket. You can get the tickets from any chamber member and from these businesses: Floyd County Hesperian, Assiter Insurance and the chamber office.

Was there a freeze Tuesday night?

Wednesday morning reports ranged from 41 degrees in Floydada to 31 degrees in Dougherty and in the Liberty Community.

By The Way

By Alice Gilroy

I've heard that on John Lennon's birthday (Oct. 9) all the radio stations across the United States supposedly played his song, IMAGINE, at 9:00 a.m. Maybe I'm an old fogey, but it seems the U.S. radio stations could find somebody better than that to idolize.

Gez Whiz—they don't even cooperate that much for Dec. 25. Do you think they've forgotten whose birthday that is?

By the way—I was going to gripe even more about Atheists last week, but I ran out of room.

Someone brought me a September 22, Lubbock Avalanche AP story, from Genoa, Illinois. It said the local United Way suspended funding to the Boy Scouts of America after a member of its board complained that the oath of duty to "God and Country" discriminates against atheists.

A member of their United Way board, Joan Hendricks, and also a member of American Atheists, objected to their proposed funding. According to this story, no other United Way Agency had threatened to withdraw grants.

Anyway, after I read that story I was fixing to get on my soap box big time. I figured we should all remember it when United Way came around asking for money.

But—in the Oct. 1 Plainview paper, I saw another AP story out of Chicago. It said that the United Way Chapter reversed its decision to cut fund raising to the Boy Scouts (in an 8-1 vote), because they feared a fund raising backlash.

I wonder what gave them that idea?

A United Way of America spokesman, Tony De Christofaro (from Alexandria, VA), said that there is a pending federal lawsuit (of discrimination) against the Boy Scouts, by the atheists, in the courts right now. That is why they (local officials) reinstated the alloca-

tion."

I don't have much to say about all of that. I just wanted to be sure everyone knew about it. However, I'd like to know about the backbone of the other eight board members that serve with Joan Hendricks, on the Genoa-Kingston United Way. Considering she was only one out of nine, it sure was an easy vote her way before they were loudly reminded of the "fund raising backlash."

Get your tickets for the Cow Patty Bingo! The Floydada Chamber of Commerce has got to be able to sell a lot of tickets to give away \$1,000 in prize money.

Also don't forget to get your ticket to the Masquerade Dance, October 27. The Women's Division of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce has put in a lot of work organizing this dance. Don't let them get stiffed with the bill.

I'm going to be a cheap skate this Halloween. Instead of buying a Halloween costume for my 4 year old (since I'm not talented enough to make him one), I figured I'd just let him go as a ghost. He loves to go around the house with stuff draped over his head, wailing like a ghost.

In an effort to get him excited about his cheapie costume (so I don't have to buy him a Ninja Turtle shell), I've been telling him about the sheet I'm going to put on him, cut out some eyes and let him pretend to be a ghost.

The other day someone asked him what he was going to dress up like on Halloween.

He said, "A BLANKET."

Dear Editor,

Because of my late husband, Dr. Guthrie, I know that it was a long hard struggle to get the Caprock Hospital here in Floydada. If it closes there will be no medical care here, now, maybe never.

Personally since my husband was a doctor, I would hate to see it close, and I'm sure he would hate it more.

Let's all vote against the rollback of our taxes.

Get the Crosbyton spirit!
Let's keep our hospital open for ever.
Let's all go to the polls and vote for the hospital to stay open.

Sincerely,
Sue Guthrie

An open letter to the people of Dougherty from Marguerite Ward:

I was really disappointed to learn that there were enough authentic signatures on that list - you know the one I mean - to force a vote in November. I'm talking about the vote that determines whether or not the hospital stays open or closes. Here's the way I see it and it scares me. If the hospital closes all those people will be out of work, from Molly and her people to Dolan the lab man. That beau-

Courtroom Activities

In county court on Oct. 5, Rudy Castaneda, 25, of Floydada was charged with possessing marijuana, DWI, and driving while his license was suspended.

Also on Oct. 5, Martin Marin Suarez was charged with criminal trespass.

There was no disposition on the above cases.

Floydada Police Report

Floydada police reported that on Friday night, Oct. 28, after the football game, two 14-year-old boys engaged in a fight which was broken up by Steve Anderson, 36, of Floydada. To stop the fight, Anderson allegedly kicked one of the juveniles in the head, resulting in his arrest and felony charge of injury to a child being filed on Anderson. He is free on \$1,000 bond.

A family disturbance was reported to police on Thursday, Oct. 4, at 9:11 a.m. in the 200 block of North 3rd, which resulted in the arrest of Perfecto Morales, 51, of Floydada for assault. He was fined \$156.50.

A burglary of a motor vehicle was reported on Thursday, Oct. 4, in front of the post office. A Boston Terrier dog was taken from the car and it later showed up at home.

Friday, Oct. 5, at 1:30 p.m., police received a report of a theft of a tag and

tail light from a travel trailer. The theft occurred sometime the previous two days.

A "routine traffic stop", on Oct. 6, at 8:40 p.m., resulted in the arrest of Yrael Arnold Morales, 24, of Floydada. He was arrested on outstanding DPS warrants out of Plainview.

On Sunday afternoon, 2:07 p.m., police answered a vicious dog call in the alley in the 200 block of West Jackson. According to Sgt. Harold Snell, "A pit bull pulled another dog through a fence and mauled it. The man who owned the pit bull could not control him even on the chain. Charges are pending."

"Several dogs have been killed in that area and we believe it is by the same dog."

On Sunday, Oct. 7, at 6:00 p.m. Officer Darrell Gooch observed a "contest for speed" on 2nd Street. This resulted in

the arrest of Ricardo Gonzales, 23, of Floydada for driving while his license was suspended.

tiful building will be empty and most of those people will be gone from Floydada.

If the hospital closes our three doctors will be gone. All three of them! They will move away; so will most of their help and another building will be empty in Floydada.

If the hospital closes that takes us right straight to the schools. Who wants to stay in a town where there is no doctor for their children? When all those people leave, the population drops in the schools and when it gets too low the state funding is withheld and you know what that means.

When and if the hospital closes there won't be a single business that will be unaffected: the drug stores, groceries and hardware, furniture stores and clothing, service stations and cafes, car sales and the nursing home. Everyone will be touched one way or another.

When the hospital closes Floydada will become a ghost town. Do we need that? It seems to me we either pay higher taxes or vote to close down everything we now have.

People of Dougherty will you vote with me on November 20th to stay alive?

Marguerite Ward

Dear Hesperian Editor:

Floydada businessmen and women are in serious trouble.

Unless we all work together to defeat the tax rollback against Caprock Hospital there will be little business left in Floyd County to keep any business firm open.

If Caprock Hospital closes, which it will if a tax rollback will not allow the

hospital district to collect the money to pay off its debts and pay for personnel and maintenance, the Floydada area will lose the jobs for thirty hospital nurses, technicians and employees and three doctors and there will be no clinic, no ambulance service and no emergency helicopter flights to Lubbock hospitals. And how long will Floydada pharmacists stay in town? As time goes by watch Floydada residents sell their homes and move to an area where there is adequate health care. Floydada homes and business property will have no value at all. What will Floydada look like in five years? How many businesses will close their doors? How many Floydada area people will lose their jobs? What happens to Floydada happens to Floyd County.

That is why every business person, every organization, every church, every school, every farm and ranch organization, the Lions Club, the Rotary Club, every study club, every Home Demonstration club should start to work now to see that each Floyd County adult goes to the ballot box and votes against the tax rollback.

To keep the hospital will cost money. There is no doubt about that. But the people of the Floydada area cannot afford to be without doctors, nurses, technicians, and a hospital to care for the sick of the community. The cost of hospital and health care is going up, but we have to pay for it or else. We have to pay now for what we should have been paying for years ago. And we can pay for it! Floyd County people are not that poor.

Every business firm in town should see to it that their employees and neighbors on their block vote against the rollback. You have no future if you don't do something now to protect yourselves.

The Floydada Chamber of Commerce must oppose the tax rollback and

get every member and the adults in their family to the ballot box to vote against the tax rollback.

This is a serious and tragic situation. The whole area, every voter, must defeat the rollback. We don't want a single vote for the rollback. Closing Caprock Hospital could be the beginning of the end of Floydada and Floyd County.

Sincerely,
O.M. Watson Jr.
Floydada, Texas

P.S.: Weeks ago the Floydada City Council voted to oppose the tax rollback and made that announcement. Thanks City Council. Let's hear from other organizations.

Tuesday night fire damages local residence

A fire Tuesday night, October 2, caused extensive damage to the trailer home of Danny and Shelby Caballero, located at 512 E. California.

According to fire department reports, the call was received at 9:00 p.m., with 12 firemen and four trucks responding. "The fire started," said Fire Marshal Bobby Wellborn, "when Mr. Caballero was attempting to light the furnace in the heater. It blew up and burned him on the hand."

"There is a lot of smoke and heat damage and they lost some furniture. It was going to take a lot of work to get the trailer back in shape."

"Everyone needs to have their furnaces checked by a professional before lighting them up for the winter."

The Caballero's are currently living with relatives and a Love Fund has been started in their name at Floydada's First National Bank.

This Week

HEY WHIRLWIND FANS!

This week is our first district game. The Winds have their goals set on district champs! The Floydada Winds will challenge the Friona Chieftans in Friona on October 12. Kickoff will be at 7:30. Everyone come out and show your support.

Go Winds! We Love Green!
Varsity Cheerleaders

BAND BOOSTERS

The band boosters will meet Tuesday, Oct. 16, at 7:00 p.m. at the high school band hall.

FIRST AID CPR CLASS

The Floyd County American Red Cross will have a standard first aid and adult CPR class on Saturday, Oct. 13, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at Caprock Hospital. The cost is \$22.00. To sign up call 983-2581.

GENEALOGICAL MEETING

The Caprock Genealogical Society will hold its regular monthly meeting Monday, October 15, at 7:00 p.m., in the courthouse at Silverton. Anyone interested in genealogy, beginner or experienced, is invited to attend.

COOKING FOR LIFE

A Cooking for Life seminar will be held Oct. 3, 10, 17 and 24 from 12 noon to 1:00 p.m. at Lighthouse Electric. The seminar will be given by Mary True, County Extension Agent for Home Economics. It will include: Finding Hidden Fats, Main Dishes with a Light Touch, Snacks You Can Live With, and Light and Delicious Desserts. Each week will include information and recipes on the topics, cooking demonstrations, question and answer sessions, and a chance to taste dishes. There is no charge and the sessions are open to everyone.

WEATHER

Courtesy of Energas		
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Judge proclaims Fire Prevention Week

County Judge William D. Hardin has proclaimed the week of October 7-13, 1990 a Fire Prevention Week in Floyd County.

The Floyd County Farm Bureau, in conjunction with all fire departments in the county are working together to emphasize fire prevention and protection throughout the county.

Fire Prevention Week is always the Sunday-through-Saturday period in which falls October 9, date of the Great Chicago Fire of 1871. The Chicago disaster killed 250 people and destroyed 17,430 buildings.

In his proclamation, Judge Hardin quoted the National Fire Protection Association fire losses: "each year, roughly 6000 Americans die in fires

(almost 500 in home fires—that's 13 people every day, dying in their own homes) and fires destroy property at a rate of \$7440 a minute."

Randy Rainwater, President of the Floyd County Farm Bureau said, "Fire Prevention Week is not only a time to emphasize fire prevention education, but to call attention to Farm Bureau's two fire protection programs of working with fire departments in the county." County Farm Bureau's, in cooperation with the Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies, sponsored 100 volunteer firemen each year to the Texas Firemen's Training School at Texas A&M University. This year Floyd County Farm Bureau sent Darrell Gooch of the Floydada Volunteer Fire

Department.

Another Farm Bureau sponsored fire protection program is the payment to fire departments that fight fires in the rural areas involving Farm Bureau insured property.

Farm fires cost lives and many dollars each year. Preventing fires is your first line of defense against heavy loss. Knowing what to do should fire occur is your backup, all the more important is you live miles from a fire station.

Inspect your house and outbuildings for fire hazards, in particular checking the electrical system and all appliances and equipment, fuel storage and heating system, stoves and portable heaters. Make needed repairs without delay. Remove fire hazards such as trash, clutter,

stacks of newspapers, unneeded flammable materials, etc.

Develop and practice a home fire escape plan. Teach small children how to "Stop - Drop and Roll" if their clothing catches on fire. Teach them how to call 911 or other "help" numbers.

Equip your house, outbuildings and machinery with fire extinguishers. Have small dry chemical extinguishers recharged after each use. If you don't know ask your fire department why this is important.

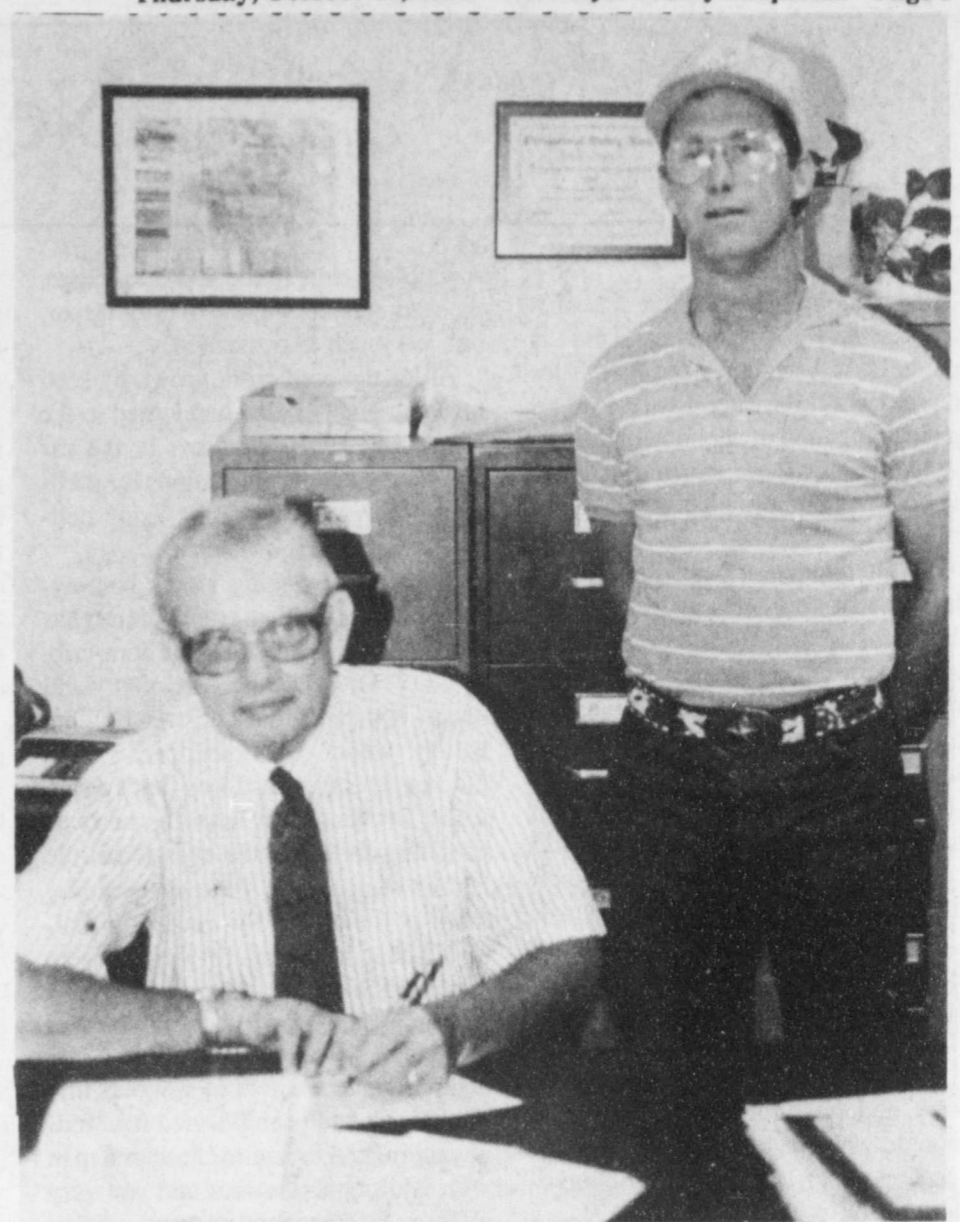
Test smoke detectors regularly. Replace batteries as directed.

Follow directions on containers or labels of flammable products. Store them in their original containers out of the reach of small children. Store small amounts of fuel in approved, labeled safety containers.

Have plenty of water available to fight fire. A full swimming pool, an accessible pond or water holding tanks will augment that available from your well and tank trucks.

If you smoke, do it with care. Don't smoke where there is risk of igniting combustible or flammable materials. Do not smoke when drowsy or in bed.

As the Fire Prevention Week theme for 1990 suggests, "Make Your Place Firesafe: Hunt for (farm) and Home Hazards."



FIRE PREVENTION WEEK--County Judge Bill Hardin signed a proclamation declaring Oct. 7-13 as Fire Prevention Week. Randy Rainwater, Farm Bureau representative, witnessed the signing. --Staff photo

Dena Reecer joins DA's office

Dena Adams Reecer has been hired as an assistant to District Attorney Becky McPherson.

Reecer, 26, is married to Jeff Reecer of Lockney. The Reecers recently moved to Lockney where Jeff took over the position as hospital administrator of Lockney General Hospital.

"I will only be working in the D.A.'s office part time," said Dena. "I have opened a private practice in Floydada and will be specializing in civil cases. I'll only be in the D.A.'s office on Monday's and Thursday's."

The Reecers moved to Floyd County from El Paso, where Dena was working as an associate attorney with the firm Potash, Bernat, Sipes and Bernat. Before that Dena worked for one year as a briefing attorney for the Eighth Court of Appeals.

Born and raised in Stephenville, Dena received her BA in government from the University of Texas, in Austin, in 1985.

She then attended the Texas Tech University School of Law, where she received her Doctor of Jurisprudence Degree in May, 1988.

In November, 1988, she was admitted to practice by the State Bar of Texas. In 1990, she was admitted to practice by



DENA ADAMS REECER

the United States District Court, Western District of Texas.

The Reecers married in Aug. 1986. "We met at a wedding in Stephenville," said Dena. "Jeff's best friend, Jeffrey McCormick (of Lockney) was marrying my best friend."

While Dena finished her law school, Jeff worked on his Masters in Business Administration with a concentration in hospital administration.

The Reecers have no children. Besides working, Dena enjoys reading and running in her spare time.

Dena is a member of the El Paso Bar Association, the El Paso Young Lawyers Association, the El Paso Women's Bar Association and the American Bar Association.



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LIQUOR SEIZED—A routine traffic stop by Deputies Darin Smith and Tim Burge, Saturday night, Oct. 6, at 11:00 p.m., led to the arrest of Robert Porter, 40, of Floydada, and the seizure of the liquor pictured above. According to Smith, a 77 Oldsmobile Regency, was observed driving on the wrong side of the road, 1 1/2 mile west of Floydada, on West Price Street. The car was stopped and the liquor was observed in the back seat and later found in the trunk. Assisted by City Policeman Darrell Gooch and Highway Patrolman Chris Ray, Porter was arrested and charged with transporting and driving without his license. Seized in the arrest was: 29 cases of Budweiser, 48 bottles of Private Cellar Kentucky Whiskey (200 ML bottles); 16- 200 ML bottles of Seagrams Extra Dry Gin; 2 bottles (200 ML) of Cognac Hennessy; 1 Liter of Lord Calvert Canadian Whiskey and 1 Liter of Seagrams Extra Dry Gin. Staff Photo

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Serving In the Middle East

(Editor's Note: The Hesperian will be publishing a list of Floyd County servicemen, who have been sent to the Middle East. If anyone in the county has a son or daughter there please let us know and we will add their name to the list, so that other residents may remember them in their prayers.)

Cpl. Able Ballejo - son of Dora Ballejo of Lockney.

Sgt. James C. Burns - son of Clara Vickers and John T. Burns, Floydada; husband of Teresa A. Burns.

Marine Cpl. Laron Cheek - son of Carolyn Cheek, Floydada.

Cpl. James Fannon - son of Weldon and Gloria Fannon, Floydada.

Marine Lance Corporal Adolfo Garcia Jr. - son of Adolfo and Irma Garcia, Floydada.

Henry P. Howard - son of Al Howard, Tenaha, Texas, and Lisa Howard, Lubbock.

Lt. Jayme Jones - granddaughter of Dorothy Merrell.

Kelly Reed - son of Mr. and Mrs. Connie Reed, Panhandle, formerly of Floydada.

Airman 1st Class Christobal (Chris) T. Rodriguez - son of Toribio and Amelia Rodriguez, Lockney.

Lcpl. Marine Chuck Rowley - son of Rhonda Rowley, Lubbock, formerly of Floydada.

Reservists Activated
SSGT Derek Cheek - son of Carolyn Cheek, Floydada.

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Merrell homeplace accorded honor in Texas Family Land Heritage Program

Virginia Taylor recently received word that her family and their land has been selected as the first Heritage site in Floyd County. According to Taylor, she and her husband Joe Taylor will be going to Austin to attend a special ceremony announcing the honor. Her uncle, Truman Merrell and his wife Melba will also make the trip. The Merrells reside on the land at this time.

The Texas Family Land Heritage Program is designed to preserve agricultural heritage and recognizes more than ownership. The program attempts to chronicle unique personal histories of agricultural productivity in Texas. Since the inception of the program in 1974, more than 2,100 properties have been enrolled in the program throughout the state.

This designation is reserved for family owned farms and ranches which have remained in the same family (by direct descent or marriage) for 100 years and which meet certain other criteria to

qualify as a working entity. The land must be currently productive, be 10 acres or more with agricultural sales of \$50 or more per year, or if less than 10 acres, sales of \$250 per year. Family members must live on the property or be involved in day-to-day management of the operation. Land which has been

rented outside the family does not qualify.

Said Virginia Taylor, "I feel that this program and our acceptance into it is a fitting tribute for a Floyd County Farm during the centennial celebration year of Floyd County. We are very proud to be receiving this recognition."

Fairmont church hosts reunion

The Fairmont Missionary Baptist Church will be hosting "The Fairmont Reunion at the Church" on Sunday, Oct. 14.

Morning services will be at 10:30 a.m. with dinner on the grounds to follow. The afternoon will be left open for visiting. Sponsors comment that the church building is still the same size, but there will be plenty of benches and chairs.

Worship began in the old Fairmont School in the 1920's and was later held in Neal Smith's Store. In the early

1930's the Lord answered many prayers as the church building was built. The rain filled a nearby pond to provide the water for mixing the cement. The blessings have been endless through the years.

Everyone is invited to be part of the reunion. There will be a display for anyone who may have pictures or would like to write about a special memory they would like to share with others.

For more information call Janine Brooks at 847-2559.

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News and Views from Cedar Hill

Carl Lemons

WEATHER

Just barely touching the low side of 34 degrees was the low reading on the Listening Post thermometer at 6:30 Tuesday morning! Already down to 40 degrees at the time of Monday night's ten o'clock news, the mercury moved steadily downward to establish this fall's latest low.

At 7:30 a.m., your writer, in the half-darkness of early dawn, was outside, flashlight in hand, checking shallow puddles for those tiny spears of ice that always lace the surface of water just before ice forms a solid sheet. The verdict? No ice, none whatsoever!

In the same time frame, while the radio was reporting 33 degrees in Amarillo, Lane Decker, who hangs his hat up there lately, stepped outside for his first cigarette of the morning and he found the upwind side of his pickup sheathed in a thin coat of ice.

Rain, .50" falling last Tuesday and .35" this Monday, fixed the total for the week, and the month, at .85". That was enough, when tacked to the showers of late September, to hold this week's agricultural activity to a minimum.

CROP COMMENTS

CORN: The last of Cedar's corn has been harvested. Although corn grown for the commercial market made re-

spectible yields, in the 8,000 lb. range, the market price, slightly over \$2.00 per bu., left much to be desired.

All of the seed-corn, grown by seed breeders on land they had leased in the community, was harvested in the ear and moved to distant locations for shelling, cleaning, and grading using delicate, specialized equipment.

Even the Listening Post's hominy-corn is out and the battle with the rats has moved from the garden to the corn-crib.

COTTON: The harvest of dryland cotton resumed, in a gingerly fashion, Friday when eager strippers began mudding through the fleecy fields again. Little lint has fallen from the burs so gathering units could be operated a little higher than usual, thereby avoiding more of the gummy surface. It is estimated that less than fifty bales were harvested in the two day period.

Many fields of dryland cotton had received defoliant on part of their acres and a mass movement of strippers into the harvest had been planned for Monday morning, but nature chose to step in with additional showers and she very effectively dampened farmer enthusiasm.

Had the rains not interfered there was a good chance that the harvest of dryland cotton would have been completed be-

fore the irrigated acres were ready. Now there is certain to be a considerable overlap in the harvesting of the two crops.

Irrigated cotton is opening at a great rate and is fast approaching the 65/35 percentage ratio where chemical defoliation is recommended. Tuesday night's near-freezing temperature will cause many farmers to back away from the chemical defoliation of their cotton, reasoning that nature is on the verge of doing the job for free.

There is a growing conviction on the part of some producers that waiting for nature's universal defoliation, a killing freeze, is keeping the early-opened bolls exposed much too long to the evaporation of cotton's natural oils and the dehydration of its seed. Their thinking is that weight and grade loss far exceeds the cost of a forced opening through the use of chemicals. If they had their "druthers" they would prefer frost to stay away until their last acre had been defoliated and harvested, then let it freeze! Hmmmm! Think on that!

CRP program participators have shifted Saddam Hussein and the mid-east crisis to the back burner; their most pressing concern is with the President and the Congress of the United States. Officials wrangling over budget matters are causing some good citizens to become delinquent in meeting their obligations and they, as well as their creditors, are smarting right smartly.

One nationally known problem solver says the answer is to boot out every incumbent, lock, stock, and barrel! In regard to that N&V gives whole-hearted support, with a few reservations of course.

HAY crops have responded to the recent rains, they are standing taller, but the exuberant growth needed to make up for lost time is very hard to come by this time of year. Cattlemen continue to hang tough, buoyed by the supportive theory that, "While there is life, there is hope!"

WHEAT: Many a wheat drill had been checked out, oiled and made ready; many a load of seed-wheat was stashed in the barn waiting for Monday to arrive, the day set for the main-stream seeding of the '90/'91 wheat crop to begin. Contrary to what one would think, most operators seem happy with the recent showers and the interruption of their plans. As long as they can trade three or four days of time for another half inch of moisture they are all for it! More of the same would make them even happier!

Those who dry-sowed wheat in the middle of September are particularly elated; these rains are just what they were looking for! Craig Gilly is one who has led the way by seeding wheat in the blue gumbo soil of a lake bottom. He says it has come up perfectly and is showing more vigor than any wheat he has ever sown. Others are also planning to seed their lakes.

Watch it neighbors! Good pasture in a few lake bottoms, a percentage of the county's high-value hay crop laying in the windrow, and the bulk of the cotton crop still in the field would constitute a great opportunity for Old Satan to send us a gully-washing rain.

MILO: A few loads of grain sorghum

have already been delivered to the elevator. Samples brought in by Clint Ware Saturday tested a few points too high but harvest is certainly imminent. 1990's drought weakened stalks make it essential that this crop be harvested without delay.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES
TOMATOES are still the top producers in most community gardens here in early October but they are pretty well borne out; yields are rapidly declining. The Listening Post's young vines have just reached the age of peak production, are heavily loaded, and are just right for Tuesday night's freeze. It was amazing how quickly rats made the switch to the tomato patch as soon as the last ear of corn was gathered.

SQUASH at the Busby place bore an excellent early crop, then died back to the ground. Recently, after a period of dormancy, they have put out new growth and are back at work producing a second crop. Bell peppers, more cold tolerant than many plants, are doing well for the Busbys too.

PUMPKINS are being harvested; huge 2,500-pumpkin loads are moving to markets hundreds of miles away, roughly on a weekly basis. Cedar Hill grew none of the decorative miniatures this year, but there have been an impressive number of Halloween pumpkins, the smaller pie pumpkins, as well as the huge Big Macs that require two men per pumpkin for safe handling.

HOME CANNING has coasted to a virtual halt in most community homes, however the purchase of additional fruit jars in which to store this year's tomato bounty is being contemplated here at the Listening Post.

A call to the home of Craig and Trudy Gilly Monday afternoon found them embroiled with peppers and onions, vinegar, tomatoes and various spices; trying their best to circumvent a situation which could easily result in "His Picante Sauce" and "Her Picante Sauce." Their logic was that by carefully tuning their taste buds, and applying a modicum of give and take, they might strike some happy medium whereby they could both partake of the same jar of picante sauce. Just as long as they never make a joint attempt to cut and lay a linoleum rug! That is the ultimate pit!

THE LEANING CEDARS

Cephus and Imogene Fortenberry's football player grandson, Terry Harris, had the cast removed from his injured arm this past week. All the same he is barred from junior high practice until nearly November; Doctor's orders!

Reports from Bridgeport, Texas, indicate that the condition of former Cedar Hill school teacher, Edna (Easly) Love, continues unchanged.

THE MOBILE CEDARS

Oct. 5: Clara Redd and Goldie Nabors, of Floydada, accompanied Edna Gilly Friday and stayed overnight with her in the Gilly cabin on Lake Mackenzie.

Oct. 6: Miss Cathy Langley, of Lubbock, with the law firm Baker, Clifford, Currier, and Webb, visited in the home of her parents, Neil and Charlene Langley, Sunday night.

Oct. 7: Due to their pastor's absence the Cedar Hill Assembly Church membership attended services in Floydada Sunday evening. Imogene Fortenberry and Edna Gilly attended Floydada's Trinity Church and heard the dynamic lay preacher, Mark Kitchens of Slaton, deliver an inspirational message. Durrell and Alpha Fortenberry attended Floydada's First Assembly of God.

Oct. 8: A televisit with the John Belaska's in their Floydada home at noon Monday found both of them able to be up and dealing with their daily problems. They moved from Cedar Hill in 1988 when they sold their rural home, the Old Grandpa Conner Place, to Jude and Marie Strickland.

Mrs. Belaska still takes a full complement of medications, but newly accepted drugs and improved techniques of administering them have helped markedly in her struggle against Parkinson's disease.

In addition to regular church attendance they fellowship frequently with the senior citizens group, and they make occasional use of the Floydada service known as "Meals on Wheels."

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METHODISTS DEDICATE MARKER--Bishop Louis Schowengerdt, resident Bishop of the Northwest Texas-New Mexico Area, dedicated a Texas State Historical Marker at Floydada's First United Methodist Church on October 7. Rev. Bill Wright, pastor of the Floydada church, looks on as the Bishop commemorated the centennial of the local church and 100 years of Methodism in Floyd County. Following the ceremonies, the congregation gathered on the church's lawn for a panoramic picture. Staff Photo

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Lopez honored with shower

Mrs. Arnaldo Lopez, the former Susana Segura, was named guest of honor at a bridal shower, Sunday afternoon, October 7, from 3:00 to 4:00 p.m. in Floydada at the Della Plains Home Economics room. Hostesses were the young ladies of the CVAE Home Economics class.

Guests were registered in the bride's book as they arrived. The serving table was covered with cut flowers including glads, mums and babies breath centered

the table. White napkins decorated with silver wedding bells were used. Miss LaChelle Sessions served fruit punch from the crystal punch bowl. Crystal serving plates held an assortment of party cakes. Crystal appointments were used throughout the service for guests.

Miss Maria Segura, sister of the honoree, helped her unwrap gifts. Friends and teachers presented the newlyweds with a variety of gifts for their home in Floydada.



BREAKFAST ENTERTAINER--Wynon Mayes, who performed a Minnie Pearl imitation at the annual Floydada Chamber of Commerce breakfast last week, took time out to pose for a picture with chamber president, Kyle Smith. Ms. Mayes works with the home demonstration agency in Randall County.

--Staff Photo

Floydada Nursing Home Happenings

By Jo Bryant

Hi, on this Fall rainy day, how are you? Are you enjoying this fall weather? Just to let you know what is happening around here.

Did you receive the newsletter? Some of the family of the residents have remarked about it, you will be receiving one each month.

Monday, Bro. Bill Wright came and did the devotional for us on the gospel taken from John on "Doing the Will of God". Irene played the piano for us. In the evening we had a sing-a-long.

Tuesday, the residents unscrabbled a word game on different states. Some of them had traveled to many states. They also enjoyed popcorn.

Wednesday, the Rev. and Irene Rodriguez came and did the devotional. Irene Rodriguez sang a special song about Love of Jesus. She also gave the devotion on Love One Another. In the evening Thelma Hoffman played Bingo and won the first Bingo. Mary Alice Davis came and assisted us. At 2 p.m. Paul McIntosh came and gave an in-service at the staff meeting on fire prevention.

Thursday, the Rev. Larry Perkins came and shared the word with us taken from Matthew on the love and care Jesus has for us, as each hair is counted on our head. At 2 p.m. the residents had current events, on an article about a man collecting trains. Jo Bryant brought a collection of Santa Fe's collectible items of her late husband. We all sang we have been working on the railroad. They enjoyed popcorn.

Friday, Bill Johns from the First Baptist Church came and gave a devotion on John 14th, about the promises of Jesus, "Do not let your heart be troubled or let it be afraid, as in my Father's house are many mansions, I go and prepare a place for you." Evelyn played the piano. The residents went on a bus ride to Plainview. Stars treated them to some ice cream. Some of them went shopping at Wal-Mart. It was a good day for a ride.

Sunday, at 11 a.m. the children's choir from the Spanish Assembly of God came and sang for the residents, assisted by Irene Rodriguez. At 3:30, the Rev. Larry Perkins and Sharmin came and gave the Sunday devotional for the Sunday worship service. We appreciate all of you.

Our love and sympathy are with the families of Mrs. Margaret Lovell

and Mrs. Alta Marr. Eternal rest and peace grant unto them.

We welcome a new resident to our facility, Mrs. Frances Lowrance, her son is Gene.

Thought: "You should face each problem as it comes, You can handle only one at a time anyway."

The Companions 'n' Caring volunteer group met Tuesday in the dining room at 2 p.m. to discuss the October activities. The Halloween party, manicure and to come and help decorate for the party. Those attending the meeting were: Ruth McIntosh, Shirley Varner, Ola Smith, Dorothy Neff, Leona Neff and Jo Bryant.

Visitors were: Ivola Walters, the Rev. and Mrs. Perkins, the Rev. Sammy and Irene Rodriguez, Rudy and Wanda Halencak of Fresno, Calif., Ray and Juanita Bayer of Brownfield, Alice Cook of Abernathy, Decota Odam, H.C. and Marjorie McElyea, Arlene Holmes, B.J. Johns, Artie Webb, Marie Tardy, Beack Dollar, Glenna Sue, Willie Mae Smith, May Sue, Nila and Jack Ball and children of Plainview and Bob Gullett, Olton.

Senior Citizens Menu

Oct. 15-19

Monday: Barbecue chicken, mashed potatoes/milk, brussel sprouts, yeast roll, margarine or butter, carrot cake/vanilla icing, milk, beverage choice

Tuesday: Mexican beef and macaroni, green beans, tossed salad/dressing, cornbread, margarine or butter, chocolate pudding, milk, beverage choice

Wednesday: Roast turkey/gravy, mashed potatoes/milk, spinach, whole wheat roll, margarine or butter, plum cobbler, milk, beverage choice

Thursday: Beans/pork, broccoli, mixed fruit, cornbread, margarine or butter, oatmeal cookies, milk, beverage choice

Friday: Roast beef/gravy, potatoes au gratin, mixed vegetables, yeast roll, margarine or butter, 1/2 orange, milk, beverage choice

Go 'Winds!

Methodist pastor presents 1934 club with program

The 1934 Study Club met Oct. 2 in the home of Jennie Gauntt with Effie Foster as co-hostess.

The club was called to order by president Queen Annie Lawson. The club collect was given, roll call and the minutes read and approved.

The president then introduced the guest speaker, Bro. Bill Wright, pastor of the Methodist Church, who brought the program, "Future of the 21st Century Churches."

He gave food for thought as he stated

"we are the one's that are shaping the future of our churches."

After the very interesting program, a delicious refreshment plate was served to Fay Benson, Mamie Bunch, Jo Davis, Kay Hale, Queen Annie Lawson, Nell McClung, Flora McNeill, Lorene Newberry, Eva Parker, Freida Simpson, Evelyn Sparks, Wanda Turner, Frances Weathersbee, Madge West, Jo Y'Blood, Peggy Wright and the guest speaker, Bro. Bill Wright by the hostess, Effie Foster and Jennie Gauntt.

Companion 'n' Caring plan October activities

"Companions 'n' Caring, volunteer organization for the Floydada Nursing Home, met October 2 in their monthly business session. Those attending were: Dorothy Neff, Shirley Varner, Leona Neff, Ola Smith, Ruth McIntosh, and Jo Bryant, activities director of the home.

The group made plans to help decorate the home for Halloween the afternoon of October 16 and to do manicures for any residents who may need them at that time. Also they will help with games and entertainment at a Halloween party at 2:30 on October 31 and afterward will bag candy that the residents can give to the children of the staff who will come trick-or-treating that evening. Following the meeting there was some rousing hymn-singing with the residents leading the way!

There are so many ways that life can be brighter for these friends at the home, and Companions 'n' Caring is badly in need of more members in order to do just that. If anyone reading this has a special

interest or feeling for this area of service, please call any one of the members listed above. It could mean a great deal to a lot of people.

We Salute

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Thursday, Oct. 11: Shayla Moore, Mark Gilly, Johnny Taylor, Amy Burns
Friday, Oct. 12: Angie Sweat
Saturday, Oct. 13: Dee Sanders, Marty Edwards, Dora E. Garcia, Michael Black

Sunday, Oct. 14: Veronica Franco Garcia, Olivia Esquivel
Monday, Oct. 15: Don Cheek, Clifford Hacker, Sylvia Vela, Jose Cervera Jr.

Tuesday, Oct. 16: Brandon Daniels, Nathan Davis, Susan Turner, Willie Mae Smith, Shere Prosk

Wednesday, Oct. 17: Clint Wes Hacker, Tyson Edwards, Jose Segura, Mrs. Dorothy Kerr

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Sunday, Oct. 14: Lloyd and Joy Allen

Bridal courtesies fetes Gonzales

A bridal courtesy honoring Isabell Gonzales was held Sunday afternoon in the First National Bank community room in Floydada. Miss Gonzales and Alfred Pena of Plainview plan a November 3 wedding.

Guests were greeted by the honoree, her mother, Julia Gonzales and the prospective groom's mother, Petra Pena of Plainview. The mothers wore silk rose corsages, while the bride-elect wore a corsage consisting of a washcloth, arranged with a scrub pad, sock holders and miniature needle and thread.

Registering guests and gifts was Nelda Enriquez of Floydada.

The serving table was draped with a blue cloth and a crochet overlay. It was centered with a silver platter holding three blue candles in crystal votive cups surrounded with blue and white silk flowers. The table also held a white cake decorated with a miniature umbrella, wedding bells and blue flowers.

Hostesses, Mary Ann Cuellar, Olga Enriquez and Rosemary Gonzales served refreshments of cake, punch, wedding cookies, nuts and mints.

Senior Citizens News

By Thelma Jones

The regular monthly covered dish luncheon will be Saturday, October 13, at 10:45. So come and bring a dish and be with us.

Pearl Reddy spent Monday with Alma Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Waits of Hale Center spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. J.C. Odom.

Pauline Nash and Elnora Hendricks visited Marie Tardy and Lanell, Saturday afternoon.

Ruth Trapp had some of her children to visit her over the weekend.

Mary Wilson received word her sister had open heart surgery and is doing very well.

Mrs. Margaret Rodgers and Mrs. Bill Snell visited Elizabeth Armstrong and attended the funeral of Mrs. Margaret Lovell last week.

Sympathy to Mrs. Ruby Rajten on the loss of a sister-in-law; Myria Dade on the loss of a cousin; Thelma Jones, Marie Tardy and Alma Smith, a nephew, Alvis Day in Houston last week.

Evelyn, Elmo and Virgil Leatherman from Weatherford, have been here visiting last week with friends and relatives. Evelyn is the sister of Beulah Baker, Elmo is Clarence Leatherman's brother and Virgil is Pernie Leatherman's sister. They visited with each family. Evelyn, Elmo and Beulah visited with Irene King, an old time friend and school

mate. They also had lunch at the Senior Citizens one day.

Evelyn, Elmo and Beulah went to Amarillo and visited the girls brother, J.C. Anderson and family on Friday. They also visited in Plainview with Ebba Leatherman, on their return from Amarillo.

They visited in Ralls with Beulah's daughter and family, the R.F. Sues, one afternoon.

The Leatherman's attended a 90th birthday celebration of their aunt, in Lubbock, on Saturday. The girls also visited other sisters, in Plainview, Hereford and one in a rest home in Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Cates and daughter, Nelda, Mrs. Monala Ray Day and Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Gilbreath attended a family reunion in Alabama last week.

Mrs. Jewel Martin and Norma returned home from a visit down state with Jewel's sister and brother and family.

Look Who's New!

DAWDY

Leigh, Erin and Brenna Dawdy are proud to announce the birth of their sister, Johanna Caitlin, born at 2:11 p.m. Oct. 2, in St. Mary's Hospital, Lubbock.

She weighed 6 lbs. 14 ozs. and was 20-1/2 inches long at birth.

Parents of the children are J.O. and Cheryl Dawdy of Floydada.

Grandparents are John and Faye Dawdy of Idalou.

Think!
HALLOWEEN - Party Favors - Decorations, etc.
983-5312 Sue's Gifts Floydada

Senior Citizen Fundraising Luncheon

Sunday, October 14 at the Senior Citizen Building

Roast Beef with Brown Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Tossed Salad, Tea or Coffee

Adults \$4.00 Children under 12 \$3.00

--- Everyone is Invited ---

FESTIVE FOODS

FREE demonstration featuring recipe books and food tasting.

Monday, October 15
5:30 p.m.

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Sale Price October 1-21, 1990

ON SALE IN DQ COUNTRY





SUAREZ RAMBLES FOR SIX -- Gabino Suarez (center) the would-be tackler and scored from 40 yards out in the approaches Slaton defender in Junior Varsity action on October 4 at Wester Field. The fleet running back avoided Floydada JV's 34-8 decision over the young Tigers. Staff Photo

Cross Country Corner

By Christy Benjamin

This past Saturday, the cross country teams traveled to Lubbock. The varsity girls finished in sixth place out of the thirty teams running. Elisa Suarez came in first for the Floydada team, with a time of 13:10. Linda Suarez came in next, and Tian Younger finished third from her team. Kalli Hicks and Lesha Black also earned points for Floydada by finishing in the top five. Angie Maldonado and Tonya Powell also contributed to the success of the varsity team. The junior varsity girls finished fourth out of the twenty girls competing. Lezlie

Warren came in first for the Floydada team and an impressive fourth overall. Lezlie's time was 14:08. Gabina Suarez and Jayna Dunn finished second and third for Floydada. Tami Cocanougher and Heather Fondy also earned points for the team. Other JV runners were: Aimee Fondy, Pepper Hinkle, and Misty Bertrand.

The varsity boys also ran Saturday, October 13, Ronnie Hernandez came in first for the team with a time of 18:45. Gabino Suarez came in next, followed by Harvey Espinoza, Billy Villarreal, and Richard Gonzales.

This coming Saturday, the cross country teams will be running in Floydada's White River Run meet at the Plains Baptist Assembly. This is the last meet before district. Come see the outstanding teams for yourself and cheer them on at this local meet.

School will be dismissed at 2:30 p.m. on Friday, October 12, to allow travel time to the football game in Friona.

Boost the 'Winds as they leave for the district opener against Friona. Come out to the Booster Club Send-off at 3:15 p.m. on Friday, October 12 Lockney Highway north of Floydada

Vandygriff completes Army Infantry school

Army National Guard Private Brandon M. Vandygriff has completed training at the U.S. Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, Columbus, Ga.

During the course, students received training which qualified them as light-weapons infantrymen and as indirect-fire crewmen in a rifle or mortar squad. Instruction included weapons qualifications, tactics, patrolling, land mine warfare, field communications and combat operations.

Vandygriff is the son of Ronald B. and Diana K. Vandygriff of Floydada.

Now is the time to become a girl scout

By Elizabeth Sims

Attention girls of all ages. The Floydada Girl Scout program is off to a big start this year. Girl Scouts is one of the best ways there is to help today's young girl grow into tomorrow's great woman. It teaches skills, responsibility, and leadership while building friendships and memories.

Girls between the ages of 5 and 17 are invited to become a part of the excitement of exploration found in Girl Scouting. Adults are invited to join the fun as leaders, assistant leaders, or in a number of other short- or long-term positions.

Come girls and join in the fun. We have bigger and better programs than ever. What other way can you have this much fun for only .50 cents a week.

The Daisy Girl Scouts meet each Monday from 4:00 to 5:00 at school. This is for all 5 year old girls. The leader is Susan Kirk.

The Brownie Girl Scouts, 1st through 3rd grade girls also meet each Monday from 4:00 to 5:00 at school. The leader for these girls is Debra Graham.

The Junior Girl Scouts meet each Tuesday, from 4:00 to 5:00 at school. This is for girls in grades 4 through 6. Their leader is Judy Schacht.

The Cadette and Senior Girl Scouts are for all girls in grades 7 through 12. They meet each Sunday from 3:00 to 4:00 at Elizabeth Sims, who is their leader. They will be working toward their Gold Award, which will take them

two to three years to receive it. They are also still trying to raise their money to go to Europe this next July. If anyone knows of anything they can do to raise this money please contact Elizabeth Sims.

Any girl wishing to get started in the Girl Scout program, please contact any of the leaders and they will be glad to help get you signed up.

The federal deficit is three trillion dollar atrocity

By Wayne Gable

What's a debt limit? That's a question Congress appears to have a difficult time answering. For years, Congress has set limits on how high the national debt can go, and for years, Congress has ignored those limits. It seems as far as Congress is concerned, the sky is really the limit.

Since Congress often gets caught up in frivolous deficit spending, it doesn't take long for federal indebtedness to

overflow the pre-set limit. But Congress simply ignores the debt problem. It continues to raise the legal limit of the national debt, and therefore continues to spend.

In 1975, the federal debt surpassed the \$500 billion limit. But this did not wake Congress up to the effects of careless spending and pork barrel projects. Congress refused to act responsibly and deal with the problem, so the debt flew past the \$1 trillion limit in 1982.

Again, Congress pursued frivolous spending and budget gimmicks rather than sound economic policy, and by 1986 the federal debt had doubled, then exceeding the \$2 trillion limit. Now, four years later, we are facing a national debt exceeding \$3 trillion. When is this atrocity going to end?

Three trillion dollars is hard for the average American to fathom, but it amounts to approximately \$12,000 for every man, woman, and child in America. To put this number in perspective, consider that if the government could pay \$10,000 a minute, it would still take 521 years to pay off the debt. In fact, the federal debt is so large, that it would

create a string of pennies that would reach from earth to the planet Pluto.

Although the magnitude of the debt is staggering in itself, America must also reckon with interest payments. Interest payments claim 15 percent of the federal budget. This is currently the third largest item on the federal budget, behind entitlements and defense.

To put this amount into perspective, consider that young people entering the work force over the next 10 years will have to pay about \$20,000 each in extra taxes over their lifetime just to cover interest on this year's budget deficit. Consider further that one year of interest payments today would have run the entire federal government in 1967.

However, the most unfortunate fact about federal interest payments is what could have been. Since interest payments amount to \$170 billion each year and annual deficits average \$161 billion, without these interest payments, the budget would actually be balanced today.

The size of the federal debt has captured Americans' attention, arousing their concern. In response to this con-

cern, some congressmen have taken strides in the right direction through such measures as Gramm-Rudman-Hollings. However, others would rather play games with the budget by using accounting tricks and budget gimmicks to make the deficit appear smaller on paper. But the true test is the federal debt.

Annual deficits have decreased on paper over the past several years. Unfortunately, when accounting tricks and

budget gimmicks are removed, much larger deficits remain. This has fueled the debt by over \$250 billion each year. Therefore, although deficits appear to fall, the debt still increases—now to over \$3 trillion.

Congress must take action to end this \$3 trillion atrocity. The sky has been the limit long enough. It's time for Congress to put an end to fiscal frivolity and start dealing responsibly with the national debt.

Fawver earns degree at WTSU

Degrees have officially been conferred on 169 West Texas State University baccalaureate candidates who completed academic requirements during the 1990 summer sessions. WTSU's summer graduating class represented six states and 43 Texas towns and cities. Graduation ceremonies were held in the Amarillo Civic Center on Aug. 23.

Clinton Fawver of Floydada was among those in this graduating class. Mr. Fawver received his Bachelor of Science Degree in Math and Physical Education. He is presently teaching Health and Physical Education at R.C. Andrews in Floydada.

Fawver's parents are Carlton and Louise Fawver of Floydada. He is married to the former Debra Jo Smith and has two children, Amanda and Lewis.

He is a 1966 graduate of Floydada High School.

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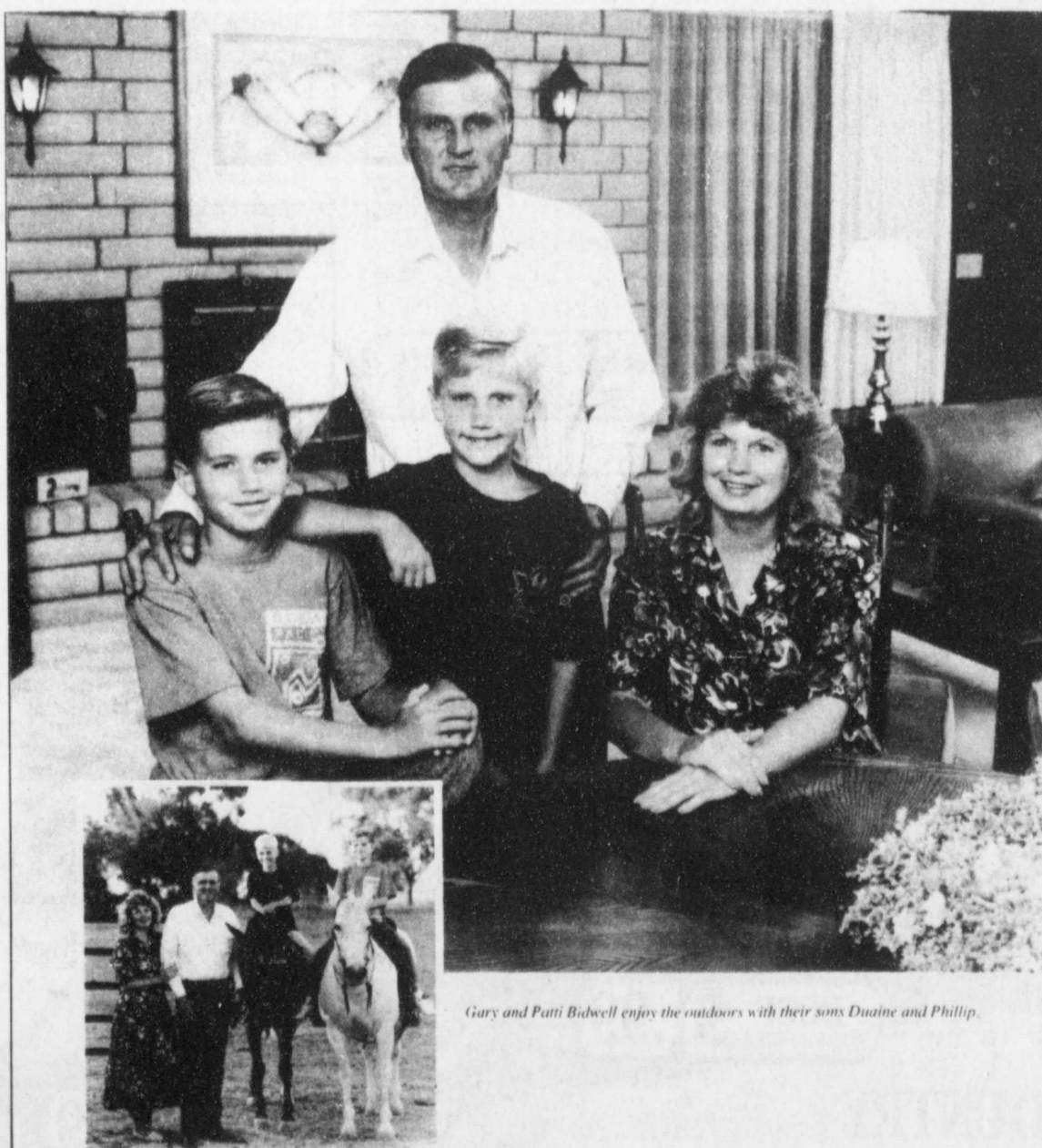
Political Adv. Pd. for by C.L. Mooney

Seventh Breezers lose to Slaton

Coach Kyle Clark's 7th grade Breezers lost a tough one as they fell to Slaton in junior high action on Oct. 4. Failure to convert either conversion after their two touchdowns was the difference as Slaton came out on top 14-12.

John Mendez scored on a 2-yard run and Arnulfo Cervera added a 38-yard

touchdown run in the third quarter to account for the 7th Breezers' scoring. Playing an outstanding defensive game were Zach Abshier, Tim Rando, and Michael Mercado. John Mendez and Eric Luna were the stalwarts of the offensive unit. The 2-2 Breezers travel to Friona to open district play on October 11.



Gary and Patti Bidwell enjoys the outdoors with their sons Duaine and Phillip.

"Here are two reasons we decided to move to this area from California."

"This is a great place to raise a family. We particularly like the school system and how the adults take part — no matter how busy they are. Our decision to move here was made with our eyes wide open. Since I was born and grew up here, then spent over twelve years in California, we were able to weigh one area's advantages against the other. And we decided to come here. It has turned out to be a smart move. You know, I kind of feel like I never left."

Gary Bidwell
Farmer
Oilton

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'Winds unable to "Hold that Tiger"

Slaton burns Floydada with big plays, 26 - 20

By Bill Gray
 Marcus Kirkwood's 73-yard touchdown on Slaton's first play from scrimmage propelled the Tigers to a 26-20 upset over the Floydada Whirlwinds on October 5. In an explosive showing seldom seen in West Texas schoolboy football, the two teams amassed a whopping total offensive output of over 870 yards.

The Whirlwind offense, which had been sputtering of late, countered Slaton's quick touchdown with an impressive scoring drive of its own. QB Brian Teeple hit a streaking Harvey Espinoza with a 38-yard strike to shift the momentum back to the 'Winds. Kenneth Collins' PAT kick was wide and the Whirlwinds trailed the fiery Tigers by a point.

Following the ensuing kickoff, Floydada's defense stiffened as it limited the Tigers to three downs for minus yardage and a punt. The 'Winds breezed from the Slaton 46-yard line deep into scoring territory. The drive stalled, and Slaton took over on downs at the Tiger's 3-yard line. Mixing short passes with the solid running of Marcus Kirkwood and the ever-dangerous Joe Williams, the Tigers moved out to their own 35-yard line as the first quarter drew to a close.

Following a Slaton punt on the opening play of the second period, Floydada motored 71 yards in just five plays for the go-ahead touchdown. A 41-yard scamper off the option by Teeple was made possible by Michael Henderson's crushing block on the Tiger defensive end. Henderson, turning in his best performance to date as a Whirlwind starter,

also had a 20-yarder on the drive. Kenneth Davis capped the scoring thrust with a one-yard dive for the "touch." The two-pointer attempt failed, but the 'Winds were up by the slim margin of 12-7.

Slaton's next drive moved from the Tiger 27 down to Floydada's 31-yard line. The Tigers called Marcus Kirkwood's number again on the flanker trap. This time the 'Winds were ready, and contained the play for only a 7-yard gainer (this was the same play that produced Kirkwood's 73-yard touchdown on the game's first play).

Jaime Suarez was a one-man wrecking crew for Floydada's secondary. After several defensive gems, Suarez picked off a Tracy Starkey aerial at the 'Wind 25. The diminutive cornerback pulled his own brand of "shake and bake," avoiding several would-be tacklers and returned the interception for 21 yards out to Floydada's 46.

Teeple rushed for 18 on first down, and the Whirlwinds appeared to be on another possible scoring drive. However, a turnover gave the ball to the Tigers at their own 28. With halftime intermission quickly approaching, Starkey and the Slaton receivers struck quickly. Passes of 35 yards to Chris Brown and 32 yards to Juan Hall moved the Tigers close to the Whirlwind end zone. On second-and-goal, Starkey connected on a scoring toss to Kirkwood. The pass for two points was intercepted by Michael Aleman, but Slaton regained the lead 13-12.

Another costly Floydada fumble gave the Tigers a golden opportunity in the final seconds of the first half. Joe Wil-

liams carried for 13 yards to the 'Wind 40, and with eleven seconds remaining, Starkey hit Williams with a 40-yard TD toss. Once again Michael Aleman picked off the pass attempt for the PAT. Time expired in the first half before the 'Winds could generate any kind of a come-back drive.

Another Floydada turnover early in the third stanza set the stage for Slaton's final points. On the first play following the Whirlwind miscue, Joe Williams broke free at the left corner and raced untouched for 79 yards and the insurance touchdown. Hays Davies' PAT was perfect as the Tigers stretched their lead to 26-12.

Following an exchange of possessions, Ruben Chavarria intercepted Joe Williams' pass on Slaton's fake field goal. Floydada controlled the ball until the end of the third quarter. Although the Whirlwinds gave the ball back on yet another turnover early in the fourth quarter, they refused to quit.

The Green Gang stormed back with a 15-play, 73-yard drive. Michael Henderson scored from six yards out, added the 2-point conversion, and reduced the Slaton lead to six points. Kenneth Collins again executed a near-perfect onside kick — only this time the 'Winds failed to come up with the ball.

Floydada's defense toughened, Slaton was forced to punt, and the 'Winds controlled the ball on their own 30 with only 52 ticks remaining on the clock. The Whirlwinds moved to Slaton's 36 on a 19-yard pass from Teeple to Michael Henderson. On the final play of the game, Teeple tossed a screen pass to Henderson. The fleet sophomore was unable to escape the last Tiger defender, who forced Henderson out of bounds at the Slaton 19 as the final horn sounded. The scoreboard read: "Slaton 26, Floydada 20." The game was every bit as close as the score indicated. The Whirlwinds had tasted defeat for only the third time in 18 games.

Floydada takes its 2-2-1 record to Friona this week as the 'Winds open District 2-3A play against the 1-4 Chiefs. Slaton improved to 3-2, and will host the 1-3 Roosevelt Eagles in 3-3A action on Friday.

BILL'S NOTES
 Football is a fickle and unpredictable game. Earlier, the Whirlwinds were playing rather poorly — but winning. In the last two games, especially against Slaton, they played well — and lost!

Four turnovers by the offense (and a couple of blown assignments in the defensive secondary) led to Floydada's downfall. Slaton's one-two offensive punch of Marcus Kirkwood and Joe Williams is explosive. The Tigers may give Denver City quite a battle for the 3-3A title.

Sophomore Michael Henderson had his best game as a Whirlwind — as did Tracey Johnson in the most game action he's seen. Jaime Suarez turned in a solid game at defensive corner.

It was difficult to pick up my "Headhunter of the Game." Suarez was deserving for several of his "pops," as well as Freddie Portee, Ramiro Rios and Ruben Chavarria. After reviewing the game film, the award for this week goes to Kenneth Collins for his stick on Michael Jones as the Tiger receiver attempted to haul in a pass late in the first quarter. Jones was not heard from the rest of the evening.

The 'Wind offense came alive with over 400 total yards. If costly turnovers — especially in 4-down territory — can be avoided, the 'Winds are just about where they need to

be to start district play this week. Friona hasn't been playing particularly well lately, but the 'Winds won't take them lightly. It's one at a time now for the next five weeks as the Whirlwinds get down to business defending their 2-3A title. Friona won't be a push-over, but the Whirlwinds should handle them soundly... say 31-13.

Bill's other picks:
 Littlefield 21, Tulia 16
 Dimmitt 35, Muleshoe 6
 Childress 27, Canyon 15
 Texas Tech 28, Arkansas 25
 Houston 35, Texas A&M 31

Upset Special
 Texas 23, Oklahoma 21

Score by Quarter
 Floydada 6 6 0 8 — 20
 Slaton 7 12 7 0 — 26

Scoring Summary
 Slaton — Marcus Kirkwood 73 run (Hays Davies kick)

Floydada — Harvey Espinoza 38 pass (kick failed)

Floydada — Kenneth Davis 1 run (run failed)

Slaton — Marcus Kirkwood 7 pass from Tracy Starkey (pass failed)

Slaton — Joe Williams 40 pass from Starkey (pass failed)

Slaton — Joe Williams 79 run (Hays Davies kick)

Floydada — Michael Henderson 6 run (Henderson run)

Game Statistics		
Floydada		Slaton
20	First Downs	15
57-324	Rushes-Yards	38-316
88	Passing Yards	145
412	Total Yards	461
5-10-0	Comp-Att-Int	8-15-2
108	Return Yards	61
4-28.5	Punts-Avg.	3-33.3
5-4	Fumbles-Lost	1-1
1-5	Penalties-Yards	3-25

Individual Statistics

RUSHING - Floydada: Brian Teeple 18-132, Ruben Chavarria 14-77, Michael Henderson 13-70 (1 TD), Tracy Johnson 6-18, Kenneth Collins 1-11, Kenneth Davis 3-10 (1 TD), Jamie Davis 2-6. Slaton: Joe Williams 26-180 (1 TD), Marcus Kirkwood 10-99 (1 TD), Juan Hall 1-32, Tracy Starkey 1-5.

PASSING - Floydada: Brian Teeple 5-10-0, 88 yds. (1 TD). Slaton: Tracy Starkey 8-14-2, 145 yds. (2 TDs), Joe Williams 0-1-0.

RECEIVING - Floydada: Harvey Espinoza 1-38 (1 TD), Michael Henderson 2-36, Michael Aleman 1-10, Kenneth Collins 1-4. Slaton: Joe Williams 2-50 (1 TD), Marcus Kirkwood 2-14 (1 TD), Juan Hall 2-41, Chris Brown 2-40.



Coach's Comments

By Coach Dean Bates
 Once again we had a very good effort out of our youngsters and came up short. We had an outstanding game offensively and showed improvement in a lot of areas. We lost four fumbles that took away from our performance. Slaton has a very explosive attack that features a lot of speed and a good passing attack. They had several big plays that took advantage of our break downs defensively.

We had 400 yards of total offense, and we were pleased with that. Our defense will respond to the challenge that faces them.

We open our district race this Friday in Friona. All district games are important. It will be important for us to continue to improve each week in order to make a run at the District Championship.

Presenting The 1990 District 2-3A Family

Floyd County Hesperian FOOTBALL CONTEST

CONTEST RULES

Any subscriber or individual above the age of 7 who purchases a Hesperian from a news rack is eligible to enter this newspaper's weekly football contest, except employees of the newspaper.

To play, circle on the official entry form, the numbers of the teams you believe will win this week's games. To indicate a tie, circle the numbers of both teams playing a particular game. In addition, indicate in the tie breaker football your guess on the total number of points to be scored by the two teams listed. Also circle the team you believe will win.

The only entries considered for prizes will be those appearing on official entry forms and brought to the Hesperian Office by 5 p.m. on Friday. **NO MAIL ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

Three cash prizes are offered each week. In the event of ties - the same number of correct games and equal scores on the tie breaker, prize money will be shared by those involved in the tie. The tie breaker score will be utilized only in the event of a tie on the number of games correct.

In the contest to determine a season winner and the recipient of the \$56 prize, each contestant will receive one point for each correct game selected on the official entry form throughout the season. Running totals will be kept by the Hesperian and weekly scores published regularly.

Print name and address plainly on the official entry form and double check your choices before clipping out the form and depositing it at the Hesperian Office before 5 p.m. on Friday.

Entries are limited to one per person per week. Weekly winners are limited to one per household.

\$20.00 In Cash Prizes Each Week
 1st prize \$10.00 2nd prize \$6.00 3rd prize \$4.00

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44						

TIE-BREAKER Circle winner and guess total score

Floydada VS. Friona

[Write score in football]

Season Winner Earns A \$56.00 Money Prize

Official Entry Form

Floydada Implement 1. Lockney vs. 2. Shallowater

Ray Lee Equipment 3. Tulia vs. 4. Littlefield

Don Hardy Car Wash 5. Dimmitt vs. 6. Muleshoe

Floyd County Seed 7. Childress vs. 8. Canyon

Floydada Co-op Gin 9. Dalhart vs. 10. Stamford-Fritch

City Auto 11. Perryton vs. 12. River Road

Thompson Pharmacy 13. Hereford vs. 14. Panola

Lighthouse Electric 15. Paducah vs. 16. Motley County

Hale Insurance & Real Estate 43. Seabrook vs. 44. Raiders

Producer's Co-op Elevator 41. Moberly vs. 42. Falcons

Dixie Dog 39. Redskins vs. 40. Giants

Don Green Auto Parts 37. Lions vs. 38. Chiefs

R-Photography 35. Broncos vs. 36. Steelers

KKAP Radio 33. Oilers vs. 34. Bengals

Our Place 31. Cowboys vs. 32. Cardinals

FNB Lockney Branch Floydada Branch Member FDIC 29. Yale vs. 30. Dartmouth

Floyd County Hesperian 27. U.S.C. vs. 28. Stanford

Sponsor Needed 25. Michigan State vs. 26. Michigan

Davis & Sons Builders Mart 23. S.M.U. vs. 24. Baylor

Pay-n-Save 17. Arkansas vs. 18. Texas Tech

FNB Floydada Member FDIC 19. Houston vs. 20. Texas A&M

Brown Implement 21. Oklahoma vs. 22. Texas

James, Noland, and Blanco win weekly football contest

A. W. James earned the \$10 first place prize for this week in the Hesperian Football Contest. He was one of two entrants who missed six games out of the 22 possible on the contest. Both entries selected Floydada as the winner over Slaton. Since Slaton was the winner, the tie breaker score was used to determine first and second place in the contest. James guessed a total combined score of 35 points, nine points lower than the actual total points scored of 46.

Aaron Noland claimed second place in the contest selecting a tie-breaker score of 27. He will receive the \$6.00 check for his efforts this week.

Noe Blanco Jr. missed seven games, selecting Slaton to win and choosing a tie-breaker score of 38 points. He will earn the \$4.00 third place check. All winners may pick their prize checks at the Hesperian Office on Friday.

Honorable mention goes to nine other entries that missed seven games. Two of these contestants selected Slaton to win, but both Terry Turner and Wes Campbell guessed 24 as the total points. Seven other contestants missing seven games chose Floydada to win. These contestants include Joy Allen, Mike Anderson, Laci Christian, Sherry Hale, Kevin Tipton, Deneen Marricle, and Nicole Mosley.

MAKE SURE ENTRIES ARE CORRECTLY FILLED OUT

Entries need to be filled out properly. Be sure to circle the number of the team you choose to win on the OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM which has your name and address on the top. Select a winner in the tie-breaker game and enter your guess of the combined scores of both teams in the little football provided. Clip out the small square entry form and turn it in at the Hesperian Office by five p.m. on Friday afternoon.

You may want to retain the remainder of the contest page to keep track of your choices as you watch the games on the weekend. This will allow you to see how you did in picking the winners as the weekend progresses.

LEADING THE CONTEST

Leading the pack in pursuit of the \$56.00 grand prize is Joy Allen with 78 total points. Duncan Woody has moved into second with a score of 76 total points. Franklin Harris, Jared Mosley and Susan Simpson each now have 75 points. W. O. Newberry and Mike Anderson check in this week with 74 points.

Others in the running at this time include Sammy Bradley, Jean Hale, Sammy Hale, Sherry Hale, A. W. James and Sarah Sanders with 73 points, Sh-

ree Cannon, Andy Hale, T. L. Holland, Nicole Mosley, Mike Reeves and Clay Simpson at 72 and Terry Turner with 71. Wes Campbell, Carl Lewis, Willie Luna, Deneen Marricle, Johnnie Mosley and Kevin Tipton have 70 points while Keith Marricle has 69. Carrie Davis and Don Warren have 68 and Jammie Davis and Jana Davis stand at 67.

Everyone is urged to turn in their entry each week to remain in the running for the \$56 final prize as well as the weekly money prizes being awarded. Remember, only one entry per person per week and only one winner per household per week.

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Senior Stars of '91

One of our outstanding seniors is Janet Himes. She is the daughter of S.D. and Kathy Himes. She has attended school in Floydada for the past 10 years. Janet attends church at the City Park Church of Christ.

Janet has been active throughout her four years at FHS. As a freshman she was chosen as FHA Sweetheart. During her sophomore year she was also chosen a 4-H Sweetheart and Miss Floydada '88-'89. Her junior year she was FHA President. She has also been in tennis for three years. During her sophomore year she advanced to regionals with her partner Trina Ogden. As a senior she is a member of Multi-Occupational Training Course (MOTC) and the DECA club.

Currently Janet is employed as a MOTC student at the Farm Bureau. In the future she plans to attend San Angelo State University to major in accounting.

The other senior star for this week is Olga Gonzalez. Olga is also in the



TEEPLE BREAKS CLEAR -- Whirlwind quarterback Brian Teeple (10) rushes for 26 yards to the Slaton 11 yard line in first quarter action on October 5. The Tigers

outlasted the 'Winds 26-20 in a wild one, as the two squads combined for over 870 total offense.

Staff Photo

JV 'Winds blow away Slaton 34 - 8

Gabino Suarez scored on touchdown runs of 3 and 40 yards as the Whirlwind JVers blew past Slaton at Wester Field

on October 4.

Floydada scored first on Keith Teeple's 6-yard run in the first quarter. Jeremy Rubio added the two point conversion run. Suarez followed his second quarter 3-yard touchdown with a two point conversion.

Slaton also got on the scoreboard on a 36-yard run in the second quarter. The young Tigers tacked on the two pointer and Floydada carried a 16-8 lead into the locker room at intermission.

Floydada scored 18 unanswered points in the second half, with Keith

Teeple's 30 yard pass to Jason Pyle, Tony Hernandez' 11-yard run, and Suarez' 40-yard run. Floydada failed on all its conversion attempts in the second half. It mattered little, though, as the JV 'Winds blew to a 34-8 victory.

Cited for their offensive play were Keith Teeple, Gabino Suarez, Jason Pyle and Adam Gonzales. Named as outstanding defensive players were Ronnie Hernandez, Josh Thayer, Rafael DeOchoa and Brandon Gilliland. The JV opens district play as Friona comes to Wester Field for a 5:30 p.m. game on October 11.

Eighth Breezers romp on Slaton

The 8th grade Breezers remained the only undefeated grid team in Floydada as they knocked off Slaton 22-8 in junior high action on Oct. 4.

In the first quarter, Dimas Marmolejo scored on a 45-yard counter dive up the middle. Pete Cooper added the PAT on a right side sweep. In the 4th quarter, with the game tied 8-all, Bruno Mendez carried in from the 1-yard line. Cooper tacked on the conversion on a belly play, and the Breezers stretched their lead to 16-8. Bruno Mendez ran back a 25-yard pass interception for the final points in the fourth quarter.

The coaches commented, "We are very proud of our kids' effort last week.

This team always seems to respond to a challenge or adversity. Floydada fought back in the second half to unlock a tie with Slaton. This 8th grade team has made the big plays all year. We hope we can keep it rolling through district."

The outstanding offensive players were: Corey Johnston, Peter Luna, Jimmy Taylor and Bruno Mendez. Selected for their defensive contributions were Derrick Martinez, D.G. Hollums, Rey Cuba and Michael Gourdon.

The 8th Breezers take a 4-0 record into district play as they travel to Friona for a 7:00 p.m. game on Oct. 11. The 7th Breezers will play at 5:30 p.m.



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Dress code discussed by school board...

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not too restrictive.

"We have a few problems in the school," said high school principal Joe Christian, "but it's not a huge one. A few have been sent home on the length of their skirt and some have had to go back because their hair was not clean and well groomed."

Junior high principal Larry Baer agreed with Christian and stated that he did not feel that the problems they have had so far have affected academic instruction. "A few have been sent home because the skirts are too short or for wearing shirts not acceptable."

When the principals were asked what they felt was an acceptable length for a skirt, they all agreed that it was a matter of how the girl wore it and that it would be different for different individuals. "If a girl wears a short skirt to school," said Christian, "and then does not know how to, or is unable to, sit correctly, then that is disruptive. Also what is too short on one girl may not be too short on another depending on her shape and size."

Trustee Cyndiann Williams stated that she felt it was a "bad idea to put a policy into effect in the middle of the school year. I believe the schools are handling it OK now."

Christian stated that he felt if the students and parents had a part in making the dress code, there would probably be less challenges. Trustee Charlene Brown agreed, stating, "I want students involved also."

Joe Christian was then asked by the school board if he would work with the other principals to form a student-parent committee to give input into the dress code. Christian was asked to report back to the board in November or December, with their guidelines.

Jimmie Collins, the administrative assistant, presented a service contract for heating, ventilating and air conditioning maintenance on the new units bought by the school last year.

The maintenance program would include four inspections in a year in which the units would be serviced and the filters would be changed, or the board could consider an extension on the warranty which would be \$20,000 per year.

After considering the bids placed by local businesses and by Quality Air

Conditioning from Plainview, the board decided to take out the maintenance program with Don's Heating, at a cost of \$2,125 per year.

The board also accepted the bid of Kevin and Terry Nelson, of \$250.00, for the sale of Lot 1, Block 2, Bartley Heights Addition, located on the corner of Wall and Crockett.

The trustees also approved the teachers who will serve on the District Educational Improvement Council. The teachers are elected by their peers. They include: Susan Kirk, Sue Crow and Bobbie Weir of Duncan; Bettye Poole, Angela Hollowell and Roberta Hardin from Andrews; Holly Lee, Sherry Colston and Larry Baer from the junior high; Carol Reese, Kelli Williams and Lou Burleson from the high school.

This council was formed after Senate Bill 1 went into effect, said Superintendent Cannon. "The District establishes a District-wide Education Improvement Council of campus-based professional staff to advise the Board or its designee in establishing and reviewing: the district's mission, goals and objectives; major district-wide classroom instructional programs or initiatives identified by the Board or its designee and other instructional improvement tasks or programs identified by the Board or its designee."

The board shall meet four times a year with Administrative Aide, Jimmie Collins and give their recommendations.

Cannon also presented a list of state changes in the school health policy, made up by the school nurses, which the board approved.

The superintendent stated that he had been asked by the City Manager to check in to what it would take for the school board to join the city and county in setting up designated voting booths all at the same place during the election. The trustees agreed that it would be easier on citizens and Cannon agreed to look into the process to see what it entailed.

Collins gave the tax report to the trustees and stated that this month the taxes had started coming in and the school had received \$35,000 already. "Looking at our bank account," continued Collins, "we could get CD's for about \$150,000, for three months at 7.25 percent. The

rate is the same with each financial institute." The trustees agreed to get the CD's.

Outstanding student presentations were made to students from each school, at the beginning of the school board meeting. Recognized as October Outstanding Students from A.B. Duncan were: Kathie Graves, daughter of Winfred and Linda Graves; J.J. Morales, son of Jesse and Irene Morales;

R.C. Andrews: Laura Hale, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Andy Hale; Fabian Falcon, son of Joe and Toni Falcon;

Junior High: Donald Hardy, son of Sue and Don Hardy; Alex Vallejo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Vallejo;

High School: Katharine Davis, daughter of Walter and Mary Alice Davis; Billy Villarreal, son of Billy Joe and Rosa Villarreal.

Also recognized was 5th grader, Abel Lopez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Demencio Lopez, as an Outstanding Student from September.

PTA President, Debra Fawver, recognized Ms. Margaret Jones, sixth grade teacher, as the Educator of the Month.

Fawver also presented Debbie Wiles with the Helping Hand Award from the PTA. This goes to the parent volunteer who contributes the most to the school.

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Courthouse Records

Marriages:

Patrick Lyle Suggs, Melinda Leigh Quattlebaum

Dan Salazar, Kristi J. Baisley

Arnaldo Lopez, Susanna Segura

Probate:

Earl F. Crawford; will & appl. to probate, 9/10/90

J. C. Beckham; will & appl. to probate, 9/25/90

Carl P. Jarrett; will & appl. to probate, 10/2/90

Deeds:

Sylvester Garcia et ux to City of Lockney, E. 100' Lot 10, Blk. 39, Brewster Addition #1, Lockney.

Homer R. Cypert et ux to Stephen Paul Wilson, tract of land in Floyd County.



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Felecita Martinez to Raymundo Martinez, Lot 18 & W. 30' Lot 20, Blk. D, Andrews Addition, Floydada.

Mary Pearl Cowand to Deborah E. Lloyd, Lot 1 & E. 30' Lot 2, Blk. 9, Western Addition Annex, Floydada.

Ernest Dale Widener to Dale G. Widener et ux, 5.79 A. in Floyd County. Charles Rick Holmes to Phillip D.

Holbert et ux, W. 40' Lot 11 & E. 20' Lot 12, Blk. C, Bowers & Price Addition, Floydada.

John Key West et ux to Joe E. Christian et ux, Lots 17 & 18, Blk. 3, Texas Addition, Floydada.

Patterson Grain Co., Inc. to Ascension Rendon Jr. et ux, Lot 14 & W. 10' Lot 15, Blk. C, Bowers & Price Addition, Floydada.

Irene King et al to Arturo R. Reyes et ux, Lot 4, Blk. 24, Floydada.

Fred Ralph Thayer to Dennis Jan Thayer, Lots 17 & 18, Blk. 12, Texas Addition, Floydada.

Joe Falcon et ux to Juan Vargas et ux, S. 1/2 Lots 9, 10 & 11, Blk. 17, Bartley Heights Addition, Floydada.

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TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY:

There has been so much misinformation, distortions and simple lies told recently in this county about my efforts to conduct an audit that I feel it is just and right to try to set the record straight. This cannot be done in one article. In the days to come other articles will cover the subject and I think that fair minded people who desire to have their government operated on the basis of a rule of law and proper accounting will come to understand why I have demanded an audit. May the facts be presented to a candid community:

1. Floyd County Commissioners caused to be paid out to the District Attorney \$12,250.00 from November, 1989 to May, 1990 for either expenses for operation of her office or for legal fees to Becky McPherson. That was paid out at the rate of \$1,750.00 per month for those months. On October 23, 1990 the Commissioners of Floyd County adopted minutes declaring that Becky McPherson would receive compensation of \$1,750.00 per month for her services as Floyd County Attorney. Our Texas Constitution Article 16, Section 33 and 40 prohibits one elected official from receiving two salaries or compensations from the State of Texas in this case.

2. I personally made every effort to inquire about this matter when it came to my attention McPherson was receiving two salaries, one from the State and one from the County. You must understand that the District Judge has the duty and responsibility under the laws of Texas not only to preside over trials and operate the judicial system, but the District Judge has a large number of what are called Administrative Duties. These duties include direct control over the operation of the Adult Probation Office, being Chair of the Juvenile board. The District Judge must also oversee all financial matters of the Commissioners Court. This may be done by the appointment by me of a full time County Auditor. I have chosen not to have such a full time County Auditor. By not having such full time County Auditor I have saved Floyd County voters \$80,000 in the last four years. I reposed an immense trust in the County Commissioners court to properly handle the taxpayers money. Had I appointed a County Auditor that auditor must co-sign each check issued by the County before it can be cashed.

3. When it came to my attention that McPherson was going to take over the County Attorney duties I personally inquired of Judge Bill Hardin about the financial arrangements being made. This I did in November, 1989. He advised me that McPherson would not be paid any money, but that the money otherwise used to pay Honor-

able Kenneth Bains the former County Attorney would be used to buy law books, and put in a law library. By late May there had not been any books bought for the law library, no tables or chairs had been placed in the room designated for that purpose. I inquired of Judge Hardin why this had not been done. He told me then that the money was being paid to McPherson. That same day I met with McPherson at my office in the Dickens County Courthouse and she told me that the money was being paid to her either as a salary supplement for being District Attorney, or on a case by case basis for prosecuting cases in County Court. Later that same day I again visited with Judge Hardin and he told me that the minutes of the meeting would reflect the agreement. The next day I obtained a copy of the minutes of the October 23, 1989 meeting and they clearly and without any error reflected that the money was being paid as compensation to McPherson for her acting as County Attorney. Judge Hardin reviewed the minutes and told me that the minutes spoke for themselves and that the money was in fact compensation for services rendered by a lawyer, namely McPherson for her service as County Attorney. I met with Judge Hardin on two other occasions and on each of those occasions he assured me that the money was for compensation, not expense money, and that the county DID NOT claim any right, title or interest in and to any of the money. McPherson met with me and told me that the money was for expenses and that she had only bought a camera and a tape recorder with the \$12,250.00. Later Judge Hardin told me that she had turned a list in to him which indicated that she had bought many items with a total of approximately \$4,000.00.

4. I ask Mrs. Orman for a Xerox copy of all documents in her possession dealing with bills sent to her by the District Attorney or on her behalf. The bills reflected invoices for "Expenses as County Attorney" for November, December 1989, and January, February, 1990. In March and April the bills were for services rendered, but each was for the same amount, namely \$1,750.00.

5. Before a lawyer can represent the Government of the State of Texas they must either be elected to that office or appointed to that office. In my review of the law and conferences with the Texas Attorney Generals Staff I was informed that when an elected public official takes on additional work for additional compensation they are deemed to have immediately vacated and abandoned the office to which they were elected. My immediate concern was the validity of all of the actions taken in District Court by McPherson. Were they valid? The Attorney

General advised me that I had better be prepared to be presented with many motions by the Defense Attorneys to set aside everything that was done by the District Attorney since she started receiving two salaries because there would be a serious questions about the validity of her acts since that date. The Attorney General's staff went to work on the research to determine the exact consequences of McPherson having abandoned her office automatically by taking two salaries and still appearing in Court as the District Attorney, and what impact that would have on the validity of the Court actions taken since November 1, 1989 on all criminal cases in my Court in the four counties. A few days later the Attorney Generals office informed me that they had advised the Governors office that McPherson had abandoned her office by accepting compensation as County Attorney of Floyd County and that the office would be vacant and that the governor could appoint a new District Attorney. I was gravely concerned about this matter and worried about the validity of all of the many criminal cases disposed of in my Court since November, 1989.

6. In one of my last meetings with Judge Hardin relative to this matter I gave Judge Hardin a copy of the Constitution of Texas where it is stated that one may not draw two salaries from the State or the political subdivisions thereof or hold two offices. I also informed him of what the Attorney General told me was the consequences of McPherson getting two compensations from the State. Only a few days later the Commissioners Court met and approved minutes that were directly opposite from the earlier minutes, these minutes indicated that the payment had not been intended as salary but that it had been expense money. Later I learned that a copy of this was sent to the Comptroller of Public Accounts in Austin, and the Comptroller informed me that McPherson would stay on the payroll until further investigation was completed.

7. Your District Judge has a duty and responsibility to see that lawyers who appear in his Court do so properly. Yesterday I received a long list from the Supreme Court of Texas of lawyers who have been suspended from the practice of law. This list is as long as a typical rural phone book. My concern was that McPherson had abandoned her office and should not appear as the States Attorney. I could have stopped her immediately from appearing as the States Attorney in my Court until the matter was cleared up. But out of respect and caution I have not done so to this date, and the question still remains a serious one. If it were determined that McPherson had aban-

doned her office then I was concerned that in one fell swoop scores of cases would be set aside or reversed on appeal because the lawyer who appeared as the States attorney had in fact abandoned her office and had no right to be in Court acting for the Government of the State of Texas. I knew that I was charged by the Law with the duty to know that lawyers were properly licensed before permitted to practice law in my Court and that because of this many dozens of criminal cases would be set aside. I was extremely concerned about this matter and it still concerns me. I have been accused of having some political motivation for my concern and mean and low motivations of trying to run off the Dist. Atty. so I could take her job. Nothing is more removed from the truth. My concern was and is the validity of actions taken in my Court and under my control. That was my concern and it still remains so. The Texas Attorney General advised me that when McPherson started receiving two salaries as indicated by the Commissioners Minutes that she had abandoned the office to which she was elected and that the office was vacant and the Governor could appoint someone to fill it. Those words sent chills down my back because I could see dozens of judgments that I had signed held void and of no force and effect. People whom I had sent to prison would be released on this basis, and indictments would be set aside because the lawyer appearing for the State had no right to be there. You should be able to somehow feel my concern. I have an almost perfect appellate record, only one reversal in four years. That is a statement that only a few Texas District Judges can make. It is a record I have worked long and hard to uphold and I saw it all going for nothing if McPherson had abandoned her office. These smears and lies that I have been after her job have hurt me and my family very deeply. They are wounds that will not soon heal. But when the rest of the truth is out and the good and honest people understand my concern to see that the Courts are run according to the rule of law then if they still want to feel ill toward me then that will be fine. I have taken an oath to uphold and support and defend the Constitution of the United States and the State of Texas to the best of my ability and if I must offend people in so doing then so be it. But the low down lies that have been told and printed in the press about my motives do cut deep. I will proceed next week with the remainder of the story.

Yours most respectfully,
/s/ David Cave
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WEEKLY TELEVISION SCHEDULE

THU, OCT 11 - Weekdays - WED, OCT 17
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6 AM	T & J	-	Paid Program	NBC News	CBS This Morning	Agri. Repo ABC News	Webster G.I. Joe	Wizard of Wari	Movie	(Cont) Nation's
7 AM	(-05) GII	(-45) Wth	Wake, Ratl	Today	Good Morning	Tale Spla Chip 'n Da	Varied	Varied	Varied	Business SportsCent
8 AM	(-05) Little	Sesame Street	Bewitched	Joan Rivers	America	DuckTales Merry	Varied	Varied	Varied	Varied
9 AM	(-05) Movie	Mr. Rogers Square One	Magnam, P.L.	Geraldo	Family Feud	Sally	700 Club	Varied	Varied	Varied
10 AM	(-05) Perry Mason	3-2-1 Homestret	Joan Rivers	Generation M.	Price Is Right	Home	Success N	Varied	Varied	Getting FI Workout
11 AM	(-05) Perry Mason	3-2-1 Homestret	Joan Rivers	Generation M.	Price Is Right	Home	Success N	Varied	Varied	Getting FI Workout
12 PM	(-05) Movie	Varied	News	News	News	All Ry Children	Judge People's C	Varied	Varied	Body Mollo BodyShapin
1 PM	Movie	Varied	A. Griffith D. Van Dyk	Lives Another World	As the World	One Life to Live	Joker's Wi TlTac Dou	Varied	Varied	Varied
2 PM	(-05) T & J	Varied	Hmooner	World Guiding Light	General Hospital	Quiz Kid	Varied	Varied	Varied	Varied
3 PM	(-05) FII	321 Contac	Mr. Rogers	Cartoons	Barbara In Edition	Donahue	Peter Pan	Varied	Varied	Varied
4 PM	(-05) Lav	Read Ralb	Sesame	Chip 'n Da	Oprah Winfrey	Personal Joopardy	Amen ALF	Varied	Varied	Varied
5 PM	(-05) Hbl	Street	Chas. Char	Bus Rpt	Bud & Lou	Varied	Curr. Alfa CBS News	Strangers Belvedere	Varied	SportsLook

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6 PM	(-05) Jeff	MacNeil Lehrer	Jeanne Night Court	News Who's Boss?	News Wheel	News Golden Girl	Star Trek: Next G.	(Cont) Movie: Iron Eagle II	SportsCent	Ladies Pro
7 PM	(-05) Julie	House	My. Geraldine	Cosby Show	Major League	Columbo	Simpsons	Transylvania Twist	Bowlers Tour	Top Rank Boxing
8 PM	(-05) Rich and Famous	Planet Earth	News	Law & Order	PrimeTime Live	Hunter	Thing Crypt Tales	Run	Run	Run
9 PM	(-05) Body Elect	Night Court	News	News	News	M*A*S*H	Cheers	Inside the NFL	(-05) Super	Target Shoo SportsCent
10 PM	(-05) Off Air	Survival Ru	Letterman	Wiseguy	Nightline	Arsenio Hall	Movie: Caddyshack	Who Loved	B'all High	Off-Road Ra

MORNING
9:05 (3) * The Love Boat Goes to Amsterdam and Copenhagen (1984, Comedy Drama) Cloris Leachman, George Kennedy. The crew of the Pacific Princess encounters romance and intrigue.
12:05 (3) *** Sybil (Pt 1 of 2) (1976, Drama) Joanne Woodward, Sally Field. A psychiatrist tries to treat Sybil, a woman with 16 personalities.

AFTERNOON

EVENING
7:00 (3) * Geraldine (1953, Drama) John Carroll, Maia Powers. A career girl competes with a professor for a male teacher's love.
7:05 (3) *** Julie (1956, Mystery Drama (Colorized)) Doris Day, Louis Jourdan. A man kills a woman's husband in order to marry her.
9:05 (3) *** Rich and Famous (1981, Comedy Drama) Jacqueline Bisset, Candice Bergen. Two female writers share a 20-year friendship.

11:30 (3) Survival Run (1980, Drama) Peter Graves, Ray Milland. Disaster strikes as six teenagers in a van have a terrifying accident.
11:35 (3) *** Little Women (1949, Romantic Drama) June Allyson, Peter Lawford. Four sisters find maturity and romance in the Civil War era.
1:00 (3) *** Phantasm II (1988, Horror) Angus Scrimm, Reggie Bannister. Two pals risk it all to stop the evil Tall Man's killing spree.
2:05 (3) *** Night Watch (1973, Suspense) Elizabeth Taylor, Laurence Harvey. A woman's rage over her first husband affects her new husband.

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6 PM	(-05) Happ	MacNeil Lehrer	Jeanne Night Court	News Who's Boss?	News Wheel	News Golden Girl	Star Trek: Next G.	(-05) Millennium	(-25) Back to School	SportsCent NFL
7 PM	(-05) Airport	D.C. Week	My. Ordeal by Innocence	Osantum Leap	Major League	Full House	Most Wanted	Crypt Tales	NFL Great Moments	NFL Magazine
8 PM	(-05) Performance	Great	Night Court	Wings	Baseball	Strangers Going Places	DEA	Movie: Black Rain	Movie: River of Death	American Events
9 PM	(-05) Stage 9	Bus Rpt	Night Court	News	News	News	Cheers	Movie: Bat 21	Lampoon	Speedweek SportsCent
10 PM	(-05) Wrestling	Bus Rpt	TBA	Tonight Show	Hard Copy	M*A*S*H	3's Company	Arsenio Hall	Movie: 976-EVIL	B'all High Sports Car
11 PM	(-05) Battle Beyond S	Austin City Limits	Super Force	Letterman	Nightline	Arsenio Hall	Nightline	Movie: 976-EVIL	B'all High Sports Car	NFL Great Moments

MORNING
9:05 (3) * The Love Boat Egyptian Cruise (Comedy Drama) Deborah Adair, John Acton. The Pacific Princess sails down the Nile.
12:05 (3) *** Sybil (Pt 2 of 2) (1976, Drama) Joanne Woodward, Sally Field. A psychiatrist tries to treat Sybil, a woman with 16 personalities.

AFTERNOON

EVENING
7:00 (3) * Ordell by Innocence (1994, Suspense Thriller) Donald Sutherland, Faye Dunaway. Amateur detective becomes involved in a family's intimate secrets.
7:05 (3) *** Airport (1970, Drama) Dean Martin, Burt Lancaster. A bomb explodes on an airplane in midflight.
11:05 (3) *** Battle Beyond the Stars (1960, Science Fiction) Richard Thomas, John Saxon. A band of space misfits protects a peaceful planet.

11:30 (3) *** Super Force (1990, Science Fiction) Ken Olandt, Patrick Macnee. In the year 2020, a former astronaut becomes a costumed crime fighter.
1:00 (3) Ski Lift to Death (1978, Suspense Drama) Howard Duff, Deborah Raffin. A group is trapped in two derailed ski lift gondolas.
1:05 (3) *** Hardy Working (1981, Comedy) Jerry Lewis, Susan Oliver. An unemployed circus clown tries his hand at other occupations.

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6 AM	(-05) Wrestling	Larry Jone	World	Widget	Movie: Man From	Wizard of Wari	Fall Guy	(-05) Encyclopedi	(-05) Who's	SportsCent Mark Sosia
7 AM	(-05) Explorer	Farm Repor	Camp Candy	Muppet Babies	Winnie Po	Bobby's Wi Zazoo U	Movie: Tracker	Harry	Ultimate	Outdoor
8 AM	(-05) Against Od	Charlato	Chicago Hr	Gravedale	Real Garfield	Jerry Kids Tomatoes	Incredible Man	Fly Fishin Houston	Movie: Fishin' 'n Crooked Cr	NHRA Racing
9 AM	(-05) East of Eden	All Purpos	Minority B	Kid n' Pte Chipmunks	Tween Ninja Turtles	Beetlejuice	Piggburg New House	Inside the NFL	Movie: Time Machine	GameDay College
10 AM	(-05) By Numbers	Wrestling	By Numbers	By Numbers	Bill & Ted	Bugs & Tweety	Capt. Plan Bible Adve	Movie: This Is Elvis	Amer. Even	College
11 AM	(-05) College	Economics	Soul Train	Spike Dyke	Major League	Little Red Scooby Doo	World Wrestling	Movie: Speed Zone	GameDay	College
12 PM	(-05) Football	Guemert	Movie: Panic on the 5:22	Home Show	Baseball	Si Se Pued	College Football	Family Pla (-45) Aloha	Football	College
1 PM	(-05) E.W. Biggs	Movie: Sea	Branded	Will Sonne	Allen Warren	Summer	Things Change	Change	Change	Change
2 PM	(-05) Bookmark	Wood Carvl	NBA	Prossion	College	College	Movie: Stand	SpaceCamp	F'ball Sco	College Football
3 PM	(-05) Hbl	Wilson Co	21 Jump Street	21 Jump Street	21 Jump Street	21 Jump Street	21 Jump Street	21 Jump Street	21 Jump Street	21 Jump Street
4 PM	(-05) Hbl	Mysteryl	21 Jump Street	21 Jump Street	21 Jump Street	21 Jump Street	21 Jump Street	21 Jump Street	21 Jump Street	21 Jump Street
5 PM	(-05) Wrestling	Wild Am. Long Ago	Chas. Char	Hlll Matie	NBC News	Star Trek: Next G.	(-15) Immediate	Movie: Who's	F'ball Sco	College
6 PM	(-05) Wrestling	J. Campbell	Jeanne Fortune Hun	News TX Reporter	Hee Haw	News Dollar Vide	Star Trek: Next G.	(-15) Immediate	Movie: Who's	F'ball Sco
7 PM	(-05) Alrport '77	Psychology	Movie: Calendar	Paranthood Working Out	Major League	Texas Boys Ranch	Hidden Vide Haywire	Harry Crumb?	Football	Football
8 PM	(-05) Lawrence Welk	Girl	Golden Girl	Empty Nest	Baseball	Telephone	COPS Chronicals	Movie: Sex, lies and	judgment	judgment
9 PM	(-05) Astle City Limits	News	Carol & Co.	Am.	Am.	Am.	Movie: Branded	HBO Comedy	F'ball Sco	F'ball Sco
10 PM	(-05) Laneome Pine	Hmooner	News	News	News	Texas Boys Ranch	Hour	Movie: Bedroom Eyes II	SportsCent	SportsCent
11 PM	(-05) Night Tracks	Off Air	From the Scotland Ya	Night's Main Event	C. Affair W	Telephone Continues	Comic Strip Live	Hard	Releatless	PGA Golf

MORNING
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EVENING
7:00 (3) * Calendar Girl (1947, Romance) Jane Frazee, Irene Rich. A struggling composer and a playboy are both after the same girl.
7:05 (3) *** Airport '77 (1977, Drama) Jack Lemmon, Lee Grant. A 747 carrying valuable art over the Bermuda Triangle is hijacked.
9:00 (3) *** Branded (1951, Western) Alan Ladd, Mona Freeman. Bandits track a rancher into thinking he's found his lost son.

10:30 (3) *** Man From the Rio Grande (1943, Western) Don Red Barry, Harry Cording. Cowboy exposes an unscrupulous man as the murderer of his own brother.
11:30 (3) *** Secrets of Scotland Yard (1944, Mystery) Stephanie Bachelor, C. Aubrey Smith. Cryptographer deciphering German messages is murdered.
12:00 (3) Second Hand Hearts (1981, Drama) Robert Blake, Barbara Harris. Two down and out losers are given a second chance with each other.
12:05 (3) *** Bad Ronald (1974, Suspense) Kim Hunter, Scott Jacoby. A psychotic child is hidden in a secret room after killing a girl.

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6 AM	T & J	(-35) FII	D.J. Kenae Power Hour	Bible Answ Sportsman	For Us, the	Remember When	Charles Dickens	SportsCent	BodyShapin	BodyShapin
7 AM	(-05) FII	(-35) Cap	(-15) Wba Heritage	Your Bus. Memories	Sun. Schoo Class Cntr	Honey Hole J. Fawell	Babar	Movie: BMX Bandits	Muscle Lee Haney	Muscle Lee Haney
8 AM	(-05) Bra	Sesame Street	Shut-in Ma Beaver	Miracles N Methodis	CBS Sunday Morning	Larry Jones Spec. Bass	Fish'g Tex	Movie: Dream a Little	Paul Bunya	In PGA Tou Baseball M
9 AM	(-05) New	Mr. Rogers Read Ralb	Siar Search	Sunday	Pd Prg	Kenneth Copeland	Rockford Files	Dream	Movie: Iron Eagle II	School Spo Wk in Spor
10 AM	(-05) Gntle Dr.	Scale Mode	Lone Range Baseball W	Today	R. Schuller	WWF Superstars	Jesse Jackson	HBO Musica	Movie: Let It Be	Reporter's SportsCent
11 AM	(-05) W. Alexand	Movie: Great	The Press NFL Live	J. Johnson	Bus. World Health Sho	Lifestyles of the Rich	Movie: Born Yesterday	Movie: Born Yesterday	Movie: Born Yesterday	NFL GameDay
12 PM	(-05) D.C. Week	Wall St	NFL Football	O. Brinkley	Movie: River Train to	Movie: Night Train to	Movie: Places in the Road Race	Movie: Places in the Road Race	Movie: Places in the Road Race	Movie: Places in the Road Race
1 PM	(-05) Rebel	McLaughlin Firing Lin	Movie: Just a Little	Disaster	Movie: Return to Swamp	Movie: Return to Swamp	Movie: Return to Swamp	Movie: Return to Swamp	Movie: Return to Swamp	Movie: Return to Swamp
2 PM	(-05) Without a Cause	Am. Intere For Vetera	Unconventio	Pd Prg Sports	Movie: Night	Movie: Night	Movie: Night	Movie: Night	Movie: Night	Movie: Night
3 PM	(-05) Comp. Chro	Take Five	Branded	NFL Football	Express Supercharg	Movie: Abyss	Movie: Abyss	Movie: Abyss	Movie: Abyss	Movie: Abyss
4 PM	(-05) T & J	Chemistry	Movie: Thander	Magnam, P.L.	Gunsmoke	Prime Toon	Out of War	Movie: Iron Eagle II	PrimeTime	PrimeTime
5 PM	(-05) Wrestling	Bill Moyer Texas	Movie: House Calls	Wild Kingd	NBC News	Polliard Fo	Chas. Char	Movie: Iron Eagle II	Movie: Iron Eagle II	PrimeTime
6 PM	(-05) Movie: Family Robinson	Nature	Movie: Mexicana	Lifestories	Major League	Funny Video	Living Colo Get A Life	Dream	Movie: Package	Spirit of Adv.
7 PM	(-05) National Geographic	Masterpiece Thtr.	Movie: Quiel	Baseball	Movie: In Defense of a	Movie: In Defense of a	Movie: In Defense of a	Movie: In Defense of a	Movie: In Defense of a	Movie: In Defense of a
8 PM	(-05) Explorer	News Photo Awards	News	(-40) Repl	Movie: Married Man	Against the Law	Movie: Red Heat	World Records	World Records	World Records
9 PM	(-05) Pd Prg	Off Air	Elsewhere	P.I.	Gunsmoke	China Beach	Weekend Jam	Movie: Scandal	Shelling	PrimeTime
10 PM	(-05) Pd Prg	Off Air	Elsewhere	P.I.	Gunsmoke	China Beach	Weekend Jam	Movie: Scandal	Shelling	PrimeTime
11 PM	(-05) Pd Prg	Off Air	Elsewhere	P.I.	Gunsmoke	China Beach	Weekend Jam	Movie: Scandal	Shelling	PrimeTime

AFTERNOON
12:00 (3) *** The River (1984, Drama) Mel Gibson, Sissy Spacek. A courageous couple battles floods and an unscrupulous businessman.
1:00 (3) *** Just a Little Inconvenience (1977, Drama) Lee Majors, James Stacy. A Vietnam veteran attempts to rehabilitate his maimed best friend.
1:50 (3) *** Rebel Without a Cause (1955, Drama) James Dean, Natalie Wood. A troubled youth finds the police when a drag race ends tragically.

EVENING
6:00 (3) *** Swiss Family Robinson (1975, Adventure) Martin Milner, Pat Delaney. An exiled British soldier puts the Robinsons' lives in jeopardy.
7:00 (3) *** Mexican (1945, Musical Comedy) Constance Moore, Thelma Houston. An American comedy queen marries Mexico's top singing star.
8:00 (3) *** A Quiet Little Neighborhood, A Perfect Murder (1982, Mystery) Terry Gar, Robert Urich. A couple suspects its neighbors of plotting a murder.

9:30 (3) *** In Defense of a Married Man (1977, ABC Sunday Night Movie Drama) Judith Light, Michael Ontkean. An attorney defends her husband when he is accused of murder.
10:30 (3) *** Victor/Victoria (1982, Musical Comedy) Julie Andrews, James Garner. A woman masquerades as a man who is a female impersonator.
11:00 (3) *** Falling in Love (1984, Romantic Drama) Meryl Streep, Robert De Niro. Two married commuters, against their better judgment, fall in love.

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6 PM	(-05) Happ	MacNeil Lehrer	Jeanne Night Court	News Who's Boss?	News Wheel	News Golden Girl	Star Trek: Next G.	(Cont) Movie: Return of the Jedi	SportsCent	Mtweak
7 PM	(-05) Jeff	Planet Earth	Kennedy, Part 1	Fresh Princ	Uncle Buck	Major Dad	MacGyver	Movie: Image	Movie: Die Hard	NFL Match-U
8 PM	(-05) 90s	Planet Earth	News	Movie: Danielle	Murphy Brow Design	ABC Monday Night	Hunter	Movie: Ghostbusters II	World Series Spc.	World Series Spc.
9 PM	(-05) Land	Stage 9	News	Steve's Kaleidoscope	Trials of Rosie	Football	Hunter	Movie: (15) Dead	AWSA Water Skiing	AWSA Water Skiing
10 PM	(-05) Forgot	Body Elect.	Night Court	News	News	News	Cheers	Hour	Society	Society
11 PM	(-05) Smokey & Y	Psychology Off Air	Rhythm Hits	Letterman	Wiseguy	Nightline	Arsenio Hall	Movie: Opera	Movie: In Cold Blood	NFL Great Moments

MORNING
9:05 (3) *** Angel City (1980, Drama) Ralph Waite, Paul Winfield. A rural mountain family winds up working in a labor camp.

AFTERNOON
12:05 (3) *** Crash (1978, Drama) William Shatner, Adrienne Barbeau. The survivors of a plane crash struggle to survive in the Everglades.

EVENING
7:00 (3) The Image (1990, Drama) Albert Finney, John Mahoney. A television journalist is forced to examine his sense of ethics.
8:00 (3) "Danielle Steel's Kaleidoscope" NBC Monday Night at the Movies Jaclyn Smith, Perry King. A detective is hired to reunite three daughters separated as children.
9:05 (3) *** The Land That Time Forgot (1975, Science Fiction) Doug McClure, John McNery. Sailors discover an island populated by prehistoric creatures.

11:05 (3) *** Smokey and the Bandit (1977, Comedy Adventure) Burt Reynolds, Sally Field. A devil-may-care trucker and his sidekick accept a challenge.
11:30 (3) *** Rhythm Hits the Ice (1942, Musical) Ellen Drew, Jerry Colonna. Girl inherits a bankrupt ice show.
1:00 (3) *** Outlaws of Santa Fe (1944, Western) Don Red Barry, Wally Vernon. Young outlaw believes that he is the son of a bank robber.
3:00 (3) *** Search for the Gods (1975, Adventure Drama) Kurt Russell, Stephen McHattie. A prospector's medalion leads three young people on a deadly quest.

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6 PM	(-05) Jeff	MacNeil Lehrer	Jeanne Night Court	News Who's Boss?	News Wheel	News Golden Girl	Star Trek: Next G.	(-05) Body Slam	(-05) Flipper	SportsCent
7 PM	(-05) Voice of Planet 2	News	Kennedy, Part 2	Movie: Danielle	Major League	Who's Boss?	Movie: Officer & a	Movie: Hawks	Movie: Mississippi	Mickey
8 PM	(-05) Frontline	Power in Pacific	News	Movie: Steel's Fine Things	Baseball	Roseanne Coach	Gentleman	Movie: Burning	Thompson	NHRA Racing
9 PM	(-05) People	That Time	News	Movie: Danielle	Major League	Who's Boss?	Movie: Officer & a	Movie: Hawks	Movie: Mississippi	Mickey
10 PM	(-05) Forgot	Body Elect.	Night Court	News	News	News	Cheers	Hour	Society	Society
11 PM	(-05) American	Psychology Off Air	Rhythm Hits	Letterman	Wiseguy	Nightline	Arsenio Hall	Movie: Opera	Movie: In Cold Blood	NFL Great Moments

MORNING
9:05 (3) *** Widow (1976, Drama) Michael Learned, Bradford Dillman. A widow tries to make a new life for herself and her two children.

AFTERNOON
12:05 (3) Smokey on Interstate 5 (1976, Drama) Robert Conrad, Buddy Ebsen. Destinies of strangers come together when they get in a massive crash.

EVENING
7:00 (3) "Danielle Steel's Fine Things" NBC Movie of the Week Tracy Pollan, Cloris Leachman. An man deals with the loss of wife and the care of his children.
7:05 (3) *** An Officer & a Gentleman (1982, Romantic Drama) Richard Gere, Debra Winger. A drill sergeant and a local girl change a tough officer candidate.
9:05 (3) *** The People That Time Forgot (1977, Adventure Fantasy) Patrick Wayne, Doug McClure. A small party sets out to find a World War I naval hero.

11:05 (3) *** American Graffiti (1973, Comedy) Richard Dreyfuss, Ronny Howard. Four friends cope with life after high school in the 1950s.
11:30 (3) *** W (1974, Suspense Drama) Twiggy, Michael Winsay. Woman's stability is threatened by series of near fatal accidents.
1:00 (3) *** A Letter to Three Wives (1949, Drama) Michele Lee, Loni Anderson. A woman informs three women who is sleeping with one of her husbands.

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6 PM	(-05) Happ	MacNeil Lehrer	Jeanne Night Court	News Who's Boss?	News Wheel	News Golden Girl	Star Trek: Next G.	(-05) Inside the NFL	(-05) Immediate	SportsCent Baseball M
7 PM	(-05) Jeff	Wonderwork	Kennedy, Part 3	Unsolved Mysteries	Major League	Grow'n Pain	Movie: Peggy Sue Got	Movie: Judgment	Movie: Judgment	Amer. Event Guinness
8 PM	(-05) Red	Debut	News	Movie: Opposites	Baseball	Doozie, M.D. Married	Hunter	Movie: European Vacation	Lampoon	Shootout Bodybuilding
9 PM	(-05) Red	Debut	News	Movie: Opposites	Baseball	Doozie, M.D. Married	Hunter	Movie: European Vacation	Lampoon	Shootout Bodybuilding
10 PM	(-05) Red	Debut	News	Movie: Opposites	Baseball	Doozie, M.D. Married	Hunter	Movie: European Vacation	Lampoon	Shootout Bodybuilding
11 PM	(-05) Red	Debut	News	Movie: Opposites	Baseball	Doozie, M.D. Married	Hunter	Movie: European Vacation	Lampoon	Shootout Bodybuilding

MORNING
9:05 (3) *** Indiscreet (1958, Comedy) Cary Grant, Ingrid Bergman. A suave American diplomat romances a glamorous European actress.

AFTERNOON
12:05 (3) *** The Death of Ocean View Park (1979, Suspense) Mike Connors, Martin Landau. An unnatural hurricane turns a seaside holiday into a nightmare.

EVENING
7:00 (3) *** Peggy Sue Got Married (1986, Comedy) Kathleen Turner, Nicolas Cage. A teenage Peggy Sue has the chance to change her future.
8:00 (3) "Opposites Attract" NBC Movie of the Week Romantic Comedy) John Forsythe, Barbara Eden. Two adversaries for mayor of a town become romantically involved.
9:05 (3) *** Red Sonja (1985, Fantasy Adventure) Brigitte Nielsen, Arnold Schwarzenegger. Swords and sorcery are used against an evil queen.

11:05 (3) *** Midway (1976, Drama) Charlton Heston, Henry Fonda. The battle of Midway Island, as seen through the eyes of both forces.
11:30 (3) Superargo (1968, Science Fiction) Guy Madison, Ken Wood. Superargo is summoned by secret police to investigate robbers.
1:00 (3) Delta County, USA (1977, Drama) Jim Antonio, Jeff Conaway. The young people in a Southern family are torn by a changing world.

Outstanding Young Farmer

Rainwater named district winner

Three young couples — one each from the South Plains, North Central and South Texas — have been selected as finalists in the 1990 Texas Farm Bureau Outstanding Young Farmer & Rancher Award competition.

The finalists and their spouses will attend the 1990 TFB Convention, Nov. 24-28, at San Antonio where the state winner will be announced.

The finalists, selected from 12 district winners, include Tryne Mengers and his wife, Senecia, of Tynan (Bee County); Roger Neitsch and his wife, Cynthia, of Seminole (Gaines County), and Alan Schaffner and his wife, Leslie, of Wichita Falls (Wichita County).

The winner will receive one year's free use of a 1991 Ford half-ton pickup, compliments of Bird-Kultgen Ford Co. of Waco. The winner will also receive a 1991 Honda four-wheeler to keep, compliments of the American-Honda Co. The American Farm Bureau Federation is providing 35 of these vehicles nationwide in the YF&R competition

this year.

The other district winners include: Otho Earl Turner of Chambers County; Steve Meiwes of Deaf Smith County; Clyde Chandler of Falls County; Randy Rainwater of Floyd County; Tim Cooper of Freestone County; David Cantu of Hidalgo County; Volney Hough of Kerr County; Earl Edwards of Llano County; and Don Timmons of Nacogdoches County.

District winners will receive a plaque and \$100 toward the purchase of a pair of boots.

Mengers, 29, raises cotton, corn and grain sorghum and cattle. He is also a third owner (with his father and brother) in a nursery operation. He is co-owner of a flying service. He shares a family custom harvesting business.

Mengers serves as second vice president of the Bee County Farm Bureau board of directors. He is involved with the county FB's Ag in the Classroom program and is a past member of the TFB Resolutions Committee. He has

been farming for eight years. He has a B.S. degree in agronomy from Texas A&M University.

Neitsch, 35, raises peanuts, cotton, wheat and peas. He also grazes anywhere from 25 to 400 head of cattle on winter wheat. He has served on the Gaines County Farm Bureau board of directors, currently as vice president. He has served on the TFB Young Farmer & Rancher Advisory Committee. He has been in farming for 14 years.

Schaffner, 31, raises wheat and hay and also is involved in a 100-head cow-calf operation and has about 300 head of feeder steers. He farms independently on more than 2,000 acres of farm and ranch land.

Schaffner has served on the state YF&R Advisory Committee and as a voting delegate to the TFB state convention.

Schaffner has a B.S. degree in agri-engineering from Texas Tech University. He has been in farming full-time for about eight years.



TEXAS FARM BUREAU DISTRICT WINNERS-- Randy Rainwater accepts a plaque from Clar Schacht, Floyd County Farm Bureau Manager, after he and his wife Sharon were named District Winners in the 1990 Texas Farm Bureau Outstanding Young Farmer and Rancher competition. Staff Photo



USDA announces world market price

Under Secretary of Agriculture Richard T. Crowder has 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 was in effect

from 12:01 a.m. Friday, Sept. 28, through midnight Thursday, Oct. 4.

Since the adjusted world price (AWP) is above the 1988, 1989, and 1990 crop base quality loan rates of 51.80, 50.00 and 50.27 cents per pound, respectively, the loan repayment rates for the 1988, 1989 and 1990 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 in effect is above the established loan rate, loan deficiency payments are not available for 1990-crop upland cotton sold during this period.

Based on data for the week ending Sept. 27, the AWP for upland cotton and the coarse count adjustment are determined as follows:

Adjusted World Price	
Northern Europe Price	81.07
Adjustments:	
Average U.S. spot market location . . .	13.12
SLM 1-1/16 inch cotton	2.15
Average U.S. location	0.35
Sum of Adjustments	-15.62

ADJUSTED WORLD PRICE	
	65.45 cents/lb.

Coarse Count Adjustment	
Northern Europe Price	81.07
Northern Europe Coarse Count Price	77.00
	4.07

Adjustment to SLM 1-1/32 inch cotton	-4.10
	-0.03

COARSE COUNT ADJUSTMENT	
	0 cents/lb.

The next AWP and coarse count adjustment announcement was made on Thursday, Oct. 4.

"Don't Bag It" wins award

"Don't Bag It," a lawn care program that reduces yard waste going into landfills by recycling grass clippings instead of bagging them, has earned the Environmental Protection Agency's award of excellence for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Dallas.

Dr. Bill Knoop, turf grass specialist with the Extension Service in Dallas, devised the program which was piloted by the Tarrant County Extension Office and the city of Fort Worth with volunteer demonstrators. It has been adopted by more than 35 cities in Texas.

"The important thing about 'Don't Bag It' is that people who want to make a difference in preserving the environment can do something that works — and do it immediately without spending a lot of time or money," said Knoop. Landfill space is disappearing at an alarming rate throughout the country, he said. During summer months, grass clippings increase the volume of solid waste going into landfills by 20 to 25 percent.

"We had no trouble convincing people not to bag their grass clippings," said County Extension Agent Bob Whitney, who directed the Fort Worth program. Fort Worth city officials esti-

mate that "Don't Bag It" prevented approximately 25,000 bags of grass clippings from going into the landfill last year.

"We have been very gratified to see 'Don't Bag It' expand to so many cities in Texas, and in other states, and be adopted by professional lawn care associations and other state extension services," Knoop said.

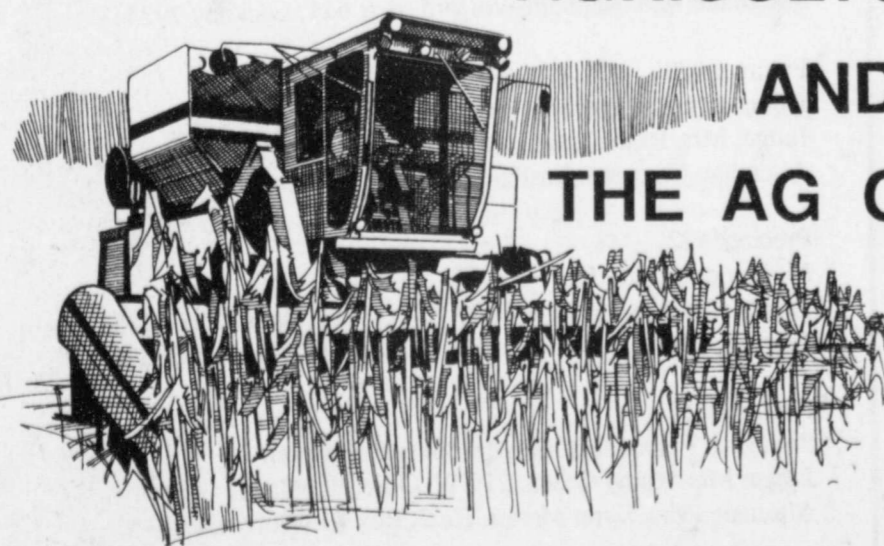
"Don't Bag It" includes specific instructions for mowing, fertilizing and watering. While the program calls for more frequent mowing, Whitney's follow-up studies showed that participants spent 35 percent less time mowing, and the appearance of their lawns improved significantly.

Knoop and Whitney received the EPA award for solid waste management at a ceremony in Austin. "These efforts will help prevent us from burying ourselves in our own garbage," EPA Regional Administrator Robert E. Layton said.

The Tarrant County Extension Office and the city of Fort Worth also received the national Keep America Beautiful award for "Don't Bag It" in its initial year.

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Modules gain acceptance

Historically, getting harvested cotton to the gin has been a problem. In the early days, poor roads and bad weather put added strains on this goal.

With widespread use of cotton strippers and pickers, the handling, transportation and sometimes storage of harvested seed cotton became major concerns to cotton producers and ginners alike.

Cotton must be ginned before the products - lint and seed - can be channeled into the marketing system.

A number of approaches have been used to provide a temporary storage of seed cotton between the harvesting and ginning stages, but cost of handling the cotton is a barrier to acceptance.

To solve the problem of cost and use, the seed cotton module was developed in a cooperative research project between Cotton, Inc. and the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. It provides a more efficient and economical means of storage, handling and transporting cotton from field to gin.

Station research conducted in 1972 and 1973 led to development of mechanical feeders at gins, which made possible the module system. The module provide more uniform flow of cotton into the gin with less power require-

ments. The cotton module system has gained acceptance across Texas, as well as the entire Cotton Belt. Approximately 50 percent of Texas cotton is handled with the module system.

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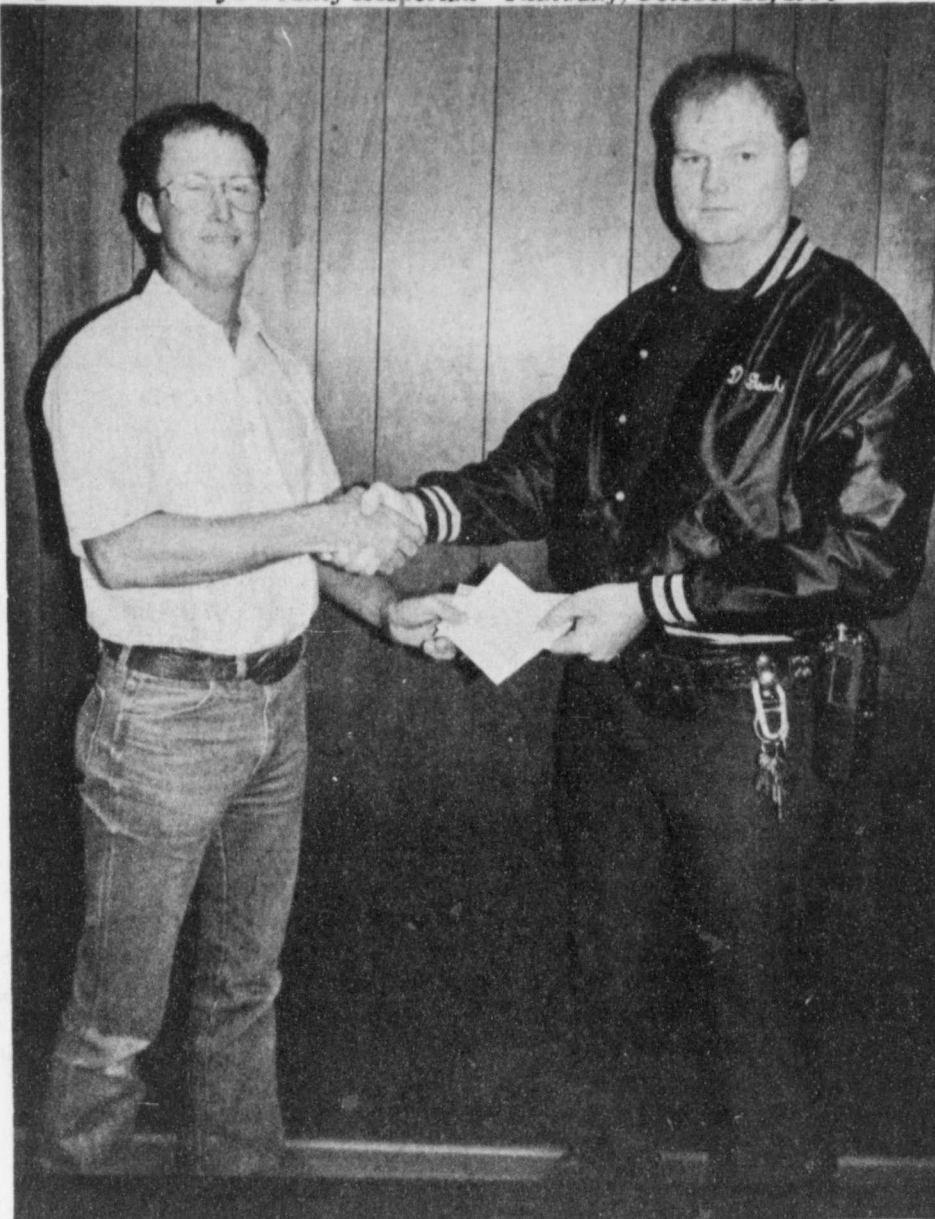
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ATTENDS SCHOOL—Fireman Darrell Gooch was presented with the certificate he earned and a check to help cover the cost of the school by Floyd County Farm Bureau President Randy Rainwater. --Staff photo

Gooch attends school

Darrell Gooch, volunteer fireman of the Floydada Volunteer Fire Department, attended the 61st Annual Texas Firemen's Training School, July 22-27 held in College Station. The school, attended by nearly 2,000 students representing about 750 cities from more than 25 states, was held on the Texas A&M University campus in July.

Firemen can choose their course at the school from a list including Fire Fighting, Fire Prevention, Fire Department Officer Training, Fire Department

Pump Maintenance, Specialized Fire Protection, and Disaster Rescue Training.

"The Farm Bureau Insurance Companies believe Volunteer Fire Departments have been very effective in reducing the amount of loss involved by fire in rural areas," said President S.M. True Jr. of Plainview. "It is our hope in sponsoring this program that the fireman will help the Floydada Volunteer Department to better serve the residents of Floyd County."

More than 5,400 people died in fires in the U.S. last year

Fires in the Home Claimed an Overwhelming 80%

The Floydada Fire Department and the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) are teaming up this fall to promote fire safety measures in the home during Fire Prevention Week, October 7-13.

"Last year, 80% of the 5,410 people killed in fires in the United States died in their homes," said Paul McIntosh of the Floydada Fire Department. "Although it's encouraging to see the number of people who died as a result of fire last year decreased by 13% from 1988, the consistently high percentage of people being killed in fires in their homes each year is of particular concern. We must take measures to further protect ourselves, our families and our property from the devastating effects of fire," said McIntosh.

The Floydada Fire Department and the NFPA are urging area residents to participate in Fire Prevention Week, October 7-13, 1990. This year's theme, "Make Your Place Firesafe: Hunt For Home Hazards" - was designed to remind the public to reduce the possibility of a home fire by eliminating dangerous behaviors and potential hazards and adopting other prevention and protection measures.

Recommended strategies include:

- installing and maintaining smoke detectors on every level and outside each bedroom of your home.
- developing and practicing with every member of your household a home fire escape plan that includes two ways out of each room.

- checking each room (including the attic, basement and garage) for potential problems. These may include: heating equipment placed too close to bedding or other combustible materials; obstructed exits; overloaded electrical outlets; unattended cooking; excess trash and rag accumulation; frayed electrical cords; matches and lighters left within reach of youngsters; improperly stored flammable and combustible liquids; and clogged chimneys.

Fire Prevention Week was first proclaimed by President Warren G. Harding in 1922 to commemorate the Great Chicago Fire of 1871 which killed 250 people, left 100,000 homeless and destroyed more than 17,400 buildings. The NFPA sponsors Fire Prevention

Week each year with the support of fire departments, schools and civic organizations across the country, drawing public attention to the need for fire prevention education.

Where's The Fire?

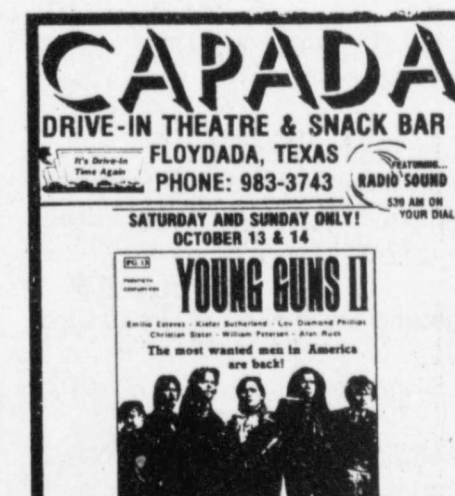
By Paul McIntosh

A total of 12 firemen and four fire trucks responded to a trailer house fire at 512 E. California St. Tuesday, October 2, at 9:00 p.m. The fire started when the occupant was trying to light a wall heater.

The Floydada Fire Department would like to remind everyone to have their heaters checked out by authorized personnel, before they are lighted.

Also, farmers should use extreme caution when emptying cotton strippers or using module builders under power lines.

This is fire prevention week. Take the time to "Make your place firesafe, Hunt for home hazards." For more information, call or visit your fire department.



Public Notice

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company has filed an application with the Texas Public Utility Commission to introduce two experimental services called Call Forwarding - Busy Line and Call Forwarding - Don't Answer.

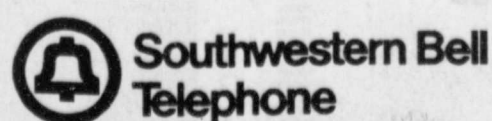
Call Forwarding - Busy Line and Call Forwarding - Don't Answer are optional call management services that will automatically forward a customer's incoming calls to a pre-designated number whenever that incoming call encounters a busy or don't answer condition. These services are for both business and residence customers. The company proposes that the services be available beginning November 19, 1990.

The monthly rates for Call Forwarding - Busy Line and Call Forwarding - Don't Answer are \$1.00 for residence customers and \$3.00 for business customers. The monthly rate for subscribing to both services is \$1.75 for residence customers and \$4.00 for business customers. During this experimental offering period the installation charges will be waived.

Call Forwarding - Busy Line and Call Forwarding - Don't Answer are expected to generate first-year revenues of approximately \$752,000.

Call Forwarding - Busy Line and Call Forwarding - Don't Answer will be offered on an experimental basis in selected areas throughout the state for 12 months. The availability of these services after that time will depend on Southwestern Bell's decision of whether to offer the services on a permanent basis.

Persons wishing to comment on these services should notify the commission by November 9, 1990. Requests for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757, or you may call the Public Utility Commission Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256 or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf.



PUBLIC NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE

Caprock Hospital District has opened an account to place in escrow the tax funds collected that are subject to refund in case of a rollback against the district. 10-11c

PUBLIC NOTICE

We the undersigned County Judge and Commissioners in and for Floyd County, Texas hereby certify that we have this date made an examination of and compared the County Treasurer's Quarterly report, filed with us on this 8th day of October, 1990, and have found the same to be correct and in due order and that the total of all funds held by the County Treasurer, as well as other assets in her hands in the sum of \$180,650.87.

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WITNESS OUR HANDS, officially, this 8th day of October, 1990.

William D. Hardin, County Judge
Connie D. Bearden, Commissioner Precinct No. 1
Floyd W. Jackson, Commissioner Precinct No. 2
George Taylor, Commissioner Precinct No. 3
Kay Crabtree, Commissioner Precinct No. 4 10-11c

LIST OF ELECTION JUDGES AND ALTERNATES FOR 1990 County-Wide Elections

Submitted by Margaret Collier, Floyd County Clerk and Approved by Commissioners Court

Precinct #1
Southwest Floydada at Massie Activity Center
Judge: Ed Wester, 520 W. Missouri St. Floydada, 79235
Alternate: Louise Turner, Box 355, Floydada, 79235

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

Precinct #5
East Lockney at City Hall
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: Mrs. Helmut Quebe, Rt. 1, Box 129, Lockney

Precinct #8
Lone Star at Attebury Elevator Office
Judge: Mrs. H.E. Frizzell, Rt. 1, Box 42, Lockney
Alternate: Sterling Cummings, Box 93, South Plains

Precinct #9
South Plains at South Plains Baptist Church
Judge: Mrs. Mamie Wood, Box 95, South Plains, Texas 79258
Alternate: Mrs. Frances Stanforth, Box 97, South Plains

Precinct #11
Cedar Hill at Cedar Hill Assembly of God Church
Judge: Mrs. Lindsey Lackey, HCR 3, Box 61, Lockney
Alternate: Mrs. Imogene Fortenberry, Rt. 2, Box 145, Lockney

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

Precinct #16
Harmony at Harmony Community Center
Judge: Mrs. Phil Dunavant, Rt. 3, Box 56, Floydada
Alternate: Mrs. Lynn Campbell, Rt. 3, Box 182, Floydada 79235

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

Precinct #20
Dougherty at Dougherty Producers Elevator Office
Judge: Mrs. Ruth Daniel, Box 10, Dougherty 79231
Alternate: Carmel J. Eastham, Box 59, Dougherty 79231

Precinct #22
McCoy at McCoy Gin
Judge: Mrs. Craig Edwards, Rt. 3, Box 184, Floydada 79235
Alternate: Mrs. Billie Jones, Rt. 3, Box 190, Floydada 79235

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

Precinct #24
Northeast Floydada at Fire Department - City Fire Hall
Judge: Mrs. Wayne Bramlet, Rt. 2, Lockney, 79241
Alternate: Mrs. Adrian West (Sara), Rt. 3, Box 167, Floydada 79235

SPECIAL CANVASSING BOARD

Charles E. Holmes, Chairman, 907 W. Mississippi, Floydada
Sammy Hale, 809 W. Grover, Floydada 79235
Albert Scheele, Rt. 1, Box 125, Lockney 79241
Bob Vickers, Rt. 3, Box 113, Floydada

Make your Place Firesafe:



Fire Prevention Week
October 7-13, 1990

Most people think of their homes as being safe. But each year nearly 5,000 people become victims of home fires - fires which could have been prevented. This and every year take some time to check your home's safety...

- Do you have working smoke detectors?
- Have you developed and practiced a home escape plan?
- Do you watch smokers closely and wet down smoking materials before discarding them?
- Is your heating equipment working properly?
- Do you keep matches and lighters up high and away where children can't get them?
- Are you staying in the kitchen when you're cooking?

By taking simple steps including those shown above you may be saving your life and the lives of others. If you're not, make your place firesafe!

National Fire Protection Association
Quincy, MA 02269-9101

10-11-90 Obituaries Hesperian

MARGARITA GARCIA
Rosary for Margarita G. Garcia, 63, of Wilson was recited at 7 p.m. Monday, Oct. 8, in Guajardo Funeral Chapels with the Rev. Glenn Rosendale officiating.

Mass was celebrated at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 9, in St. Ramon Catholic Church with the same officiant.

Burial was in Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park.

She died Sunday, Oct. 7, 1990, in St. Mary's Hospital after a lengthy illness. She was born in Floresville and

moved to Wilson in 1944. She married Alberto Garcia in 1942 in Falls City. She was a Catholic.

Survivors include her husband; 13 sons, Albert Jr. and Alex, both of Lubbock, Augustine, Steven, Andrew, Henry and Julian, all of Wilson, Lucas of Dallas, Leo of Loraine, Francito of Victoria, Dan of Woodrow, Leonardo of Dade City, Fla., Margo of Temple City, Calif.; seven daughters, Lydia Vecchio of Lubbock, Sara Riojas and Cecilia Garcia, both of Floydada, Linda Garcia of Wilson, Gloria Garcia of Austin, Helen Sandoval of Temple City, and Teresa Parish of Brunswick, Ga.; and 48 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Ramiro Leal, Abel Lopez, Timmy Garcia, Bryant Garcia, Vic Vecchio and Leo Garcia Jr.

PAULINE J. HAGOOD

Graveside services for Pauline J. Hagood, 85, of Petersburg were at 3 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 7, in Terrace Cemetery in Post with the Rev. Charles Somerville, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Post officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Hudman Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hagood died on Saturday, Oct. 6, 1990, in Caprock Hospital, Floydada. She married Thomas Hagood on Aug. 10, 1930. They operated the Garza Hotel until his death on Jan. 8, 1961. At this time, she moved to Petersburg where she taught school.

Survivors include several nieces and nephews.

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CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere gratitude to all who sent cards, food, flowers and memorials in memory of our Mother and Grandmother, Lillian Ross. We appreciate all who came to the funeral and cemetery and stood in the rain. May God Bless.

Bob and Glenna Ross
Bill, Phyllis, Michelle and Amanda Ross
Tom, Dora and Tucker Ross
Mitch Ross
Jane Ross
Robin and Mike Nicholson
Katy, Jeff and Amber Brooks

10-11p

Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the floral offerings, beautiful service and other kindnesses, we are deeply grateful.

The Lovell Family
10-11p

CARD OF THANKS

How grateful we are for friends who care and take the time to show it. Every act of sympathy shown our family during our Dad and Granddad's illness and death is sincerely appreciated. The phone calls, cards, visits, flowers, food and memorial gifts meant so much. Thank you and may God bless.

In Christian Love,
The Don Bean Family
The Jack Cobb Family

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GARAGE SALES

FLOYDADA

GARAGE SALE: SATURDAY, October 13. 8:00 - 5:00. 504 S. White. Clothing, shoes, household goods, books, linens, misc.

10-11p

THREE FAMILY GARAGE SALE, Saturday, Oct. 13, only. 9:00 a.m. to 5 p.m. 901 West Tennessee.

10-11p

COOKSTOVE, EXERCISE BIKE, misc. items. Saturday, 9 - 5. 915 Garrison.

10-11p

LOCKNEY

MOVING SALE - clothes, dishes, furniture, etc. Saturday, 9-4. 218 W. Poplar.

10-11p

TWO FAMILY GARAGE SALE. Friday only, October 12. 8:30 a.m. 202 S.W. 5th.

10-11p

GARAGE SALE - GLASSWARE, large clothes, men's uniforms, bedding, 712 S. W. 2nd, Friday & Saturday, 9:00 til? No early birds.

10-11p

GARAGE SALE: ASSORTED LINEN, bedspreads, assorted clothing, furniture-some antique, dishes, collectibles, assorted knickknacks (good for gifts). October 13 & 14, 9-5. No early callers. 502 S.W. 1st, Lockney.

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OTHER

MISC. ITEMS AT MUNCY Elevator. Highway 70 West. Large White House. Saturday, 9-5.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF J.C. BECKHAM, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of J.C. Beckham, Deceased, were issued October 9, 1990, to ATHALEE BECKHAM, as Independent Executrix, which estate is being administered in Cause No. 5074 in the County Court of Floyd County, Texas, in probate, and all persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present the same within the time prescribed by law to Athalee Beckham, who resides in Floyd County, Texas, and whose mailing address is: Athalee Beckham, 111 J.B. Ave., Floydada, Texas 79235.

10-11c

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)

To the Registered Voters of the County of Floyd, Texas: (A los votantes registrados del Condado de Floyd, Texas)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., November 6, 1990, for voting in a general election to elect Governor, Members of Congress, Members of the Legislature, and state, district, county and precinct officers; and FOR the purpose of adopting or rejecting the proposed Constitutional Amendments as submitted by the 71st Legislature, session(s), of the State of Texas.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales citados abajo se abran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 6 de noviembre de 1990 para votar en la Eleccion General para elegir Gobernador, miembros del Congreso Miembros de la Legislatura, y oficiales del estado, distrito, condado y del precincto y PARA adoptar o rechazar las enmiendas propuestas constitucionales asi como fueron sometidas por la 71st Legislatura Sesion(es), de la Estado de Texas.)

LOCATIONS OF POLLING PLACES (DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

Precinct (Precincto)	Place (Lugar)
S.W. Floydada #1	Massie Activity Center
Allmon #3	Allmon Grain Office
Sandhill #4	Barwise Elevator
E. Lockney #5	City Hall
Providence #7	Lutheran Church
Lone Star #8	Attebury Elev. Office
South Plains #9	Baptist Church
Cedar Hill #11	Assembly of God Church
Baker #13	Boothe Spur Elevator
Harmony #16	Harmony Community Center
Goodnight #17	Fairmont Baptist Church
West Lockney #18	Lockney Methodist Church
Dougherty #20	Producers Elevator Office
McCoy #22	McCoy Gin
S.E. Floydada #23	County Courtroom, Courthouse
N.E. Floydada #24	City Fire Hall

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday beginning October 17, 1990, and ending November 2, 1990, at the office of the County Clerk of Floyd County.

(La votacion en ausencia en persona se llevara a cabo de miercoles principio 17 de Octubre, 1990, y termino 2 de Noviembre, 1990 en oficio del Secretario del Condado.)

Issued this 8th day of October, 1990. Emitada este dia 8th de Octubre, 1990.

William D. Hardin
COUNTY JUDGE, Floyd County, Texas
(Juez del Condado de Floyd)
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28 OZ. BTL.
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3 \$1
12 OZ. CANS

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LIPTON ONION/
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SOUP MIX
89¢
2 CT. PKG.

LIPTON CREAM
OF CHICKEN/
CHICKEN NOODLE
CUP O SOUP
89¢
4 CT. PKG.

WISHBONE
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DRESSING
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16 OZ. BTL.

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LITTLE DEBBIE
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EACH BOX
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30" OFF LABEL-RAID
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INSECT KILLER
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22 OZ. CAN
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\$1.79
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FRUIT DINOSAURS
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\$1.69
6 CT. PKG.

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SWEETENER
EQUAL
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100 CT. PKG.

ASSORTED
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4.4 TO 4.8 OZ.

CHEF BOYARDEE®
ITALIAN LASAGNA/
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DINNERS
\$1.19
7.7 OZ.

HEAVY GRAIN FED BEEF
FAMILY PACK

**Boneless
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Steak**

\$1.99 LB.

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64 OZ. BTL.
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6.4 OZ. TUBE
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1.7 OZ. STICK
\$1.99

ASSORTED
SECRET
ROLL-ON
1.25 OZ. BTL.
\$1.99

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DEODORANT
SECRET
SPRAY
4 OZ. CAN
\$1.99

CHILDRENS
TYLENOL
COLD
24 CT. BTL.
\$2.69

CHEF BOYARDEE
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\$2.39
23 OZ. BOX

CHEF BOYARDEE
MINI OR BEEF
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89¢
15 OZ. CAN

WRIGHT'S HICKORY SMOKED
SLICED
BACON
\$1.49 LB.

MEAT SPECIALS

LEAN BONELESS BEEF CUBES
STEW MEAT
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CHUCK ROAST
PILGRIMS PRIDE CHICKEN
BOLOGNA

FARMLAND REG/BACON-PORK LINK
SAUSAGE
PRICE'S PIMENTO/JALAPENO
CHEESE SPREAD
PRICE'S PIMENTO
CHEESE SPREAD
PACIFIC VALLEY HASH BROWN
TATER PATTIES

12 OZ. PKG. **\$1.29**
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1 LB. **89¢**

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4 \$1 LBS.

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