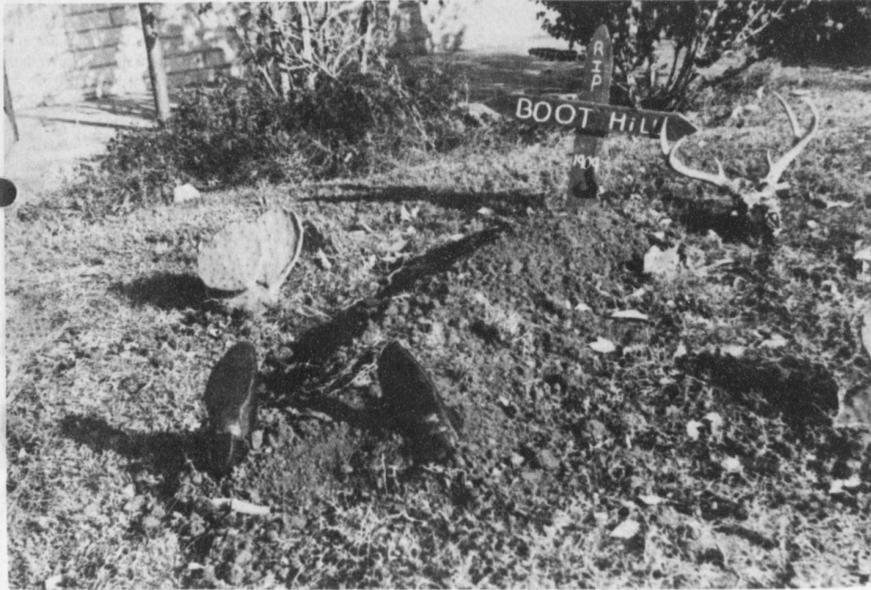


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HAPPY HALLOWEEN



IT'S HALLOWEEN--Activities in observance of today's Halloween holiday, ranged from the fun of dressing up for the Punkin Patch Halloween carnival in Lockney (at right) to constructing yard displays such as the Boot Hill grave in front of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Luna, 901 S. Main, Floydada (left photo). With trick or treaters out in Floydada tonight, residents are urged to use extreme caution while driving around busy residential areas, for the protection and safety of all the youngsters.

--Staff photo



13 amendments are on Nov. 5 ballot

Floyd County voters will go to the polls November 5 to help decide the fate of 13 proposed amendments to the Texas Constitution. The proposals cover a variety of subjects, ranging from a proposal to allow the Texas Department of Transportation to spend money to help underwrite toll roads, turnpikes,

and toll bridges, to a proposal to grant property tax relief to so-called "enterprise zones", many of which are anticipated along the Texas-Mexican border.

Perhaps the most controversial of the proposals (proposition 6) is one that would establish the Texas Ethics Commission, and would allow that Commission to recommend pay raises for Legislators and set, on its own motion, the per diem expenses of Legislators.

Another highly controversial proposal (proposition 11) to be voted on by local citizens would authorize the creation of a state lottery.

A summary of the propositions may be found elsewhere in today's Hesperian-Beacon and comments concerning them in today's Lamplighter column.

Early voting on the proposals got underway on October 6 and will close November 1. Wednesday morning a total of 54 voters had gone to the polls. There are 4885 potential voters in Floyd County.

POLLING LOCATIONS

There are sixteen locations throughout the county where registered voters may cast ballots on Tuesday, November 5. All polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. for the convenience of Floyd County voters.

Voters living in Voting Precinct #1 in Southwest Floydada will vote at Massie Activity Center. Those living in Voting Precinct #3, Allmon Community, will vote at the Allmon Grain Office. Voting Precinct #4, serving the Sandhill area, will be located at the Barwise Elevator. East Lockney, Voting Precinct #5, will cast ballots at Lockney City Hall.

The Lutheran Church at Providence Community will serve as the balloting location for those living in Voting Precinct #7. Residents of Lone Star Community and Voting Precinct #8 will vote at the First United Methodist Church in Lockney. Voting Precinct #9 at South Plains will vote at the South Plains Baptist Church. Cedar Hill residents, living in Voting Precinct #11, will be voting at the Cedar Hill Assembly of God Church.

Voting Precinct #13 for residents of Baker Community will vote at Producers Elevator, Booth Spur. Harmony area residents, Voting Precinct #16, will vote at the Harmony Community Center and residents of Voting Precinct #17, Goodnight, will vote at the Fairmont Baptist Church. West Lockney, Voting Precinct # 18, will vote at Lockney Methodist Church.

Dougherty voters, residents in Voting Precinct #20, will cast ballots at the

Dougherty Producers Elevator Office. McCoy Community, Voting Precinct #22, will vote at the McCoy Gin. Southeast Floydada residents, located in Voting Precinct #23, will vote in the Floyd County Courtroom at the Floyd County Courthouse. Voting Precinct #24, Northeast Floydada, will be voting at the Floydada Volunteer Fire Department Fire Hall.

Guests participate in day of fun and games

By Alice Gilroy

Floyd County residents played host to visitors from all over the South Plains Saturday during Floydada's famous "Punkin Day" celebration.

Visitors participated in all events during the day, joining in the Fat Man Race, the Pumpkin Pie Relay Race, the 5K and Fun Run, the Pumpkin Drawing and Carving, Pumpkin Rolling Race, and also winning raffle tickets from various fund raising organizations.

The beautiful sunny weather encouraged shopping, visiting and participation in games.

The big money win from the Cow Patty Bingo game was divided three ways: Neal Bertrand won the \$500 prize; \$300 went to Joe Jones and Mark McCormick won \$200.00.

Eleven-year-old Paul Ross won the

dirt bike for the second year, with his 101.5 lb. pumpkin. Paul grew his pumpkin from seeds donated by the Floydada Chamber of Commerce. The bike was donated from Pay-n-Save and Coca-Cola.

Because it was his second year, Ross graciously donated his bike to the Buckner Children's Home in Lubbock.

Cathy Branson of Crosbyton won \$25.00, courtesy of the Floydada Chamber, when she guessed the weight of the pumpkins in the trailer at 5,555 lbs. The actual weight was 5,660 lbs.

FRIDAY'S COSTUME WINNERS

Friday afternoon kicked off the official Punkin Days celebration with the colorful and creative costume contest under the pavilion.

The divisions and its winners were as follows:

Infant thru 3 years: Bristol Keller, first; Elizabeth Bertrand, second, and Stacy Griggs, third;

Four and five-year-olds: Dustin Ochoa, first; Michael Shawn Fortenberry, second, and Meghan Graham, third;

Kindergarten and 1st grade: Tasha Veld, first; Tyler Helms, second, and Dustin Griggs, third;

2nd and 3rd grade: Jurahee Jones, first; Heather Ware, second, and Justin Reeves, third. Jurahee was also the overall winner at Duncan and won a Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles II videotape, courtesy of Feature Attractions.

R.C. Andrews: Meredith Schacht, first; Karen Wyrick, second; David Bishop, third. Schacht won a "Home Alone" tape, courtesy of Feature Attractions.

Junior High: Lacy Christian and Heather Arney, first; Kaci Lackey, second; and Zach Abshier, Neal Nelson, David Watson and Rance Barnett won third as the Ninja Turtles; Christian and

Lockney lighting project continues

Pledges have been made to the "Lighting Downtown Lockney at Christmastime" project. Vera Jo Bybee asked that everyone turn in the pledges that they have made and that if you have not made a pledge to please do so. She needs to know if enough has been raised so that S.P.S. can start on the work.

S.P.S. estimated that it will cost \$6,000 to wire the poles on Main Street with plug-ins and then money will be needed to buy lights for the decorations.

A view from The Lamplighter

By Ken Towery

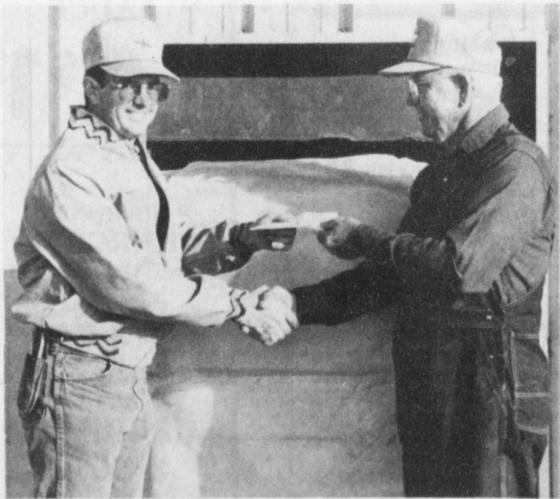
It was a fun weekend. Another highly successful "Punkin Day" celebration has been tucked away. Many visitors came, shared the fun, and got a taste of what can happen when a community works together toward a common goal. Congratulations to one and all, especially those who worked so hard to pull it off. The ball is now rolling. All we have to do now is keep it rolling. That's no small chore, we realize, but now just about everyone understands its importance. Again, congratulations to all who had a part, and took a part.

Elsewhere in today's paper you may find a summary of a number of proposed constitutional amendments you will have a chance to express yourself on come November 5. We have given over a good deal of space to the proposals in order that our readers might be a little better informed when they troop down to the polls. As usual the Legislature has worded some of the proposals in such fashion as to make it somewhat difficult to figure out what you will be voting on. The proposal that would create an "Ethics Commission" is a good example.

We urge our readers to study the proposals carefully before you vote. We are not going to tell our readers, in the fashion of the city dailies, how they "should" vote. But we will tell them how we intend to vote, on a few of them at least, and leave it up to readers to decide for themselves.

First, we will seek out and vote "no" on proposition 6, which would create the so-called Ethics Commission. It is a fraud about to be perpetrated on the people of Texas, pure and simple. The "leadership" of our state government, consisting of the House Speaker Gib Lewis, our Governor and Lt. Governor, and a few powerful Committee Chairmen, do not want the people messing around with their ethics, or lack thereof.

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LOCKNEY'S FIRST BALE--David Foster (l) of D & J Gin presents Melvin Bradley with a check from the Lockney Chamber of Commerce for the first bale of cotton ginned in the Lockney Area. Grade and staple were 4132, mic 34 and strength 26. The bale, which weighed 455 lbs. was stripped on the Lester Wooten farm two miles south of Lockney. The cotton variety was Paymaster 145. Staff Photo

Area wide sweep nabs 12 hot check offenders

Floyd County law enforcement officials joined forces early Thursday morning, October 24, with Hale and Lubbock county officials, in an effort to round up hot check offenders on approximately 400 warrants.

Floyd County officers met for breakfast at 6:00 a.m. and then headed out with 17 warrants on 14 individuals.

A quick sweep of the county resulted in 12 individual arrests, three of which were on Floyd County warrants. Other warrants were served in Floyd County for Lubbock and Hale County officials. Floyd County officers were able to serve all but two of the seventeen warrants.

"The three Floyd County individuals, arrested on Floyd County warrants,

have repaid all but \$121 of the \$1,210 owed," said 110th Judicial District Attorney Becky McPherson.

Two Floyd County warrants were also sent to Hale County to be served by Hale County officers.

Floyd County Judge Bill Hardin arraigned all the individuals and set their bonds at \$500.00 each.

"All persons who were arrested have had at about 3 months to pay for their hot checks," said McPherson. "It is required by law that the merchants first send them a letter requesting payment. If they are not paid merchants usually go through a private collection agency before they

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By The Way

By Alice Gilroy

It was another successful Punkin Days!

The weather was perfect. There was no gin dust blowing, no wind knocking down booths, and no rain.

The sun was shining and the temperature was perfect (in my opinion).

Every year I am surprised at the amount of people that come out to play, and this year was no exception.

I don't know if it was any different this year, or if I just ran into more of them—but there were a lot of folks from out of town.

I stopped in at Kirk & Sons, Sue's, Thompson's, and Jodi's and asked them how business had been on Saturday. They all said they had good days with a lot of out of town lookers and a lot of buyers. I didn't make it to all the stores, but I don't see how it could have been any different.

There were Lubbock, Plainview, Crosbyton and Tulia people participating in, and winning, games and raffles.

I heard one woman from Lubbock say (while being interviewed by the Lubbock AJ) that her and her family had come back to Punkin Days for the second year. She said they liked it here because of the small town atmosphere and the nice people (her little boy got his picture in the paper as the littlest participant in the pumpkin rolling).

There was a Lubbock man running the Fat Man Race, a Lubbock team in the Pumpkin Pie Relay race, out of town folks playing in the pumpkin rolling, wheelbarrow races and so on and so on.

Besides playing, they were also strolling around the square, popping into stores and visiting. Maybe some of them decided to come live here someday.

Julianne Cornelius forced her baby to be born Friday morning so she didn't have to come out and supervise the games on Saturday. She said she was sorry she missed Punkin Days, but I found that hard to believe as she sat holding that beautiful new baby boy.

A new little brother did not keep Skyler from showing up and participating!

Saturday was a full day for people who came to town to shop and play, but it was particularly full for the people on the Pumpkin Day Committee.

The committee met at 7:00 a.m. for breakfast and organization. They never stopped moving until sometime after 5:00 p.m. when the trash was picked up and the tables were back in the Massie.

Then came the Punkin Day Dance! Some of the committee members did not make the dance.

Lennie and I had to leave Floydada to get home in time for Lockney's trick or treating and Halloween carnival.

By the time we got Brandon to the Halloween carnival my sense of humor was starting to wane. I was as pooped as you can get.

It wasn't long though before my husband and my son made it clear that I had better lighten up and use the rest of the 364 days left in the year to recover from Punkin Days.

The Halloween Carnival at Lockney's Elementary School gets better every year, and seemed to have even more participants this year.

Their haunted house with Freddy Krueger was a big hit. At least that is what I was told—I was too chicken to go in.

There wasn't a game that Brandon would pass up. He even went to jail with his Dad and won us some cookies on the cake walk.

Brandon had so much fun all day long, and ate so much junk food, that he was bouncing off the walls all night long.

Before I get off the subject of Punkin Days and Halloween carnivals, I just want to thank all those who made the fun possible.

I feel very fortunate that I live in this county, and I appreciate all of ya'lls work in making Saturday such a memorable day.

Something happened to one of our rolls of film. The pictures turned out terrible. We haven't figured it out yet, but you will notice some pictures missing out of the paper.

The costume competitors from Duncan, Andrews, Junior High and High School will not be in the paper. We are very sorry.

There were more kids competing this year and we would have liked to give them recognition, but the negatives are shot.

Also missing will be the pictures of the Floydada High School students coming to Andrews and talking to the elementary students about the dangers of drugs.

The picture of all the Floyd County law enforcement people getting ready to go on their hot check round-up didn't turn out, and a picture of Jim Huggins talking to 2nd graders at Lockney Elementary didn't turn out.

We're Sorry!

Donut Man's Joke of the Week

He was 26 over par by the eighth hole, had landed a fleet of golf balls in the water hazard, and dug himself into a trench fighting his way out of the rough, when the caddy coughed during a 12 inch putt. The duffer exploded.

"You've got to be the worst caddy in the world!" he screamed.

"I doubt it," replied the caddy. "That would be too much of a coincidence."

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This Week

AMERICAN RED CROSS

Anyone know where the Floyd County American Red Cross charter is? Possibly during WWII times this area had it's first charter. Please contact Floyd County Chapter Chairman, Sharon Hinton at 983-2581.

WOMENS CHAMBER

The Women's Division of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce will meet at 5 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 5, at the chamber office.

STYLE SHOW

An annual style show, sponsored by the Women's Division of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce, will be held at 7 p.m. Monday, Nov. 11, at Duncan Elementary Cafetorium. Admission will be \$2.00 and a salad.

SCOUTS POPCORN

Floydada Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts will be selling Trails End Popcorn Oct. 29 through Nov. 16. There are five items to choose from. This is a major fundraiser for the Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts and the South Plains Council BSA.

GED CLASSES

GED Preparation classes continue at Lockney High School, 410 SW 4th, on Monday and Thursday evenings from 7:00 to 9:30 p.m. Students must be legal residents of Texas. There is no child care available.

TRICK OR TREAT

Trick or Treat at Nielson's Restaurant on Halloween night for a treat between 6:00 - 8:30 p.m.

DWI CLASS

A D.W.I. Education Class will be held in the Floyd County Courthouse in the County Courtroom on Nov. 4-6 from 5:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. the first night and 6:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. the second and third nights. The cost of the class is \$60.00 for all three nights. This amount must be paid in cash on the first night of class. You must be on time each night. This class is a required probation condition for first time conviction of Driving While Intoxicated. If not completed within 180 days of conviction, the person's drivers license will be automatically suspended.

SALVATION ARMY IN LOCKNEY

The Salvation Army in Lockney is still in need of winter clothes, jackets and shoes. If anyone has any kind of winter items, please bring them by the Salvation Army on South Main Street in Lockney. If the store is closed please call 652-2783, 652-2285 or 652-2642 and someone will come open the store. Regular store hours are Monday - Thursday 1-5; Friday 2:30 - 5:00 and Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon. The Salvation Army volunteers deeply appreciate and thank everyone for items already donated.

Dear Editor,

I want to take this opportunity to personally thank you and your staff at the Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon on the excellent coverage you extended to the Upstairs Theater's production of "Steel Magnolias." From the onset of the auditions in August until the final curtain in October, you gave us extensive expo-

sure in your paper and we truly appreciate it. Your review of the play was quite flattering and we humbly accept your acclaims. With your continued support we hope to make this a vital medium for the fine arts in Floydada and the surrounding area.

Sincerely,
Grant Hambright

Dear Editor,

I find it odd that Lockney City Council business reported in The Beacon did not include one item on the agenda, this being a citizen complaint against Police Chief Gilroy and Officer Edwards.

If City Council chose to dismiss or not act on the complaint it was still part of the proceedings.

When a citizen perceives unacceptable behavior in a public official/ser-vant, whether it be insensitivity, mistreatment, selective enforcement, or racist attitudes and an official complaint is made, the community has a right to know.

Perceptions often bear considerable truth in reality and newspapers have a duty to report and inform.

Respectfully,
Soila Reyes
Lockney

Editor's Note:

The Lockney City Council, or any city council, is under no legal obligation to reveal details of subjects discussed in executive session. The city council, in this instance, heard the citizen complaint (in an executive session), investigated the matter and found no basis to proceed further.

An executive session is held behind closed doors and is not open to the public or the press. This is done to protect the rights of the accused and the accuser. What is discussed is not revealed to the press, unless action is taken.

This newspaper has never printed

discussions held during an Executive Session, and will not be able to do so until the laws concerning such sessions are changed.

According to the Texas Open Meetings Law, Section 2. (g) "Nothing in this Act shall be construed to require governmental bodies to hold meetings open to the public in cases involving the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee or to hear complaints or charges against such officer or employee, unless such officer or employee requests a public hearing."

The executive session is much like Grand Jury proceedings.

Grand Jurors meet behind closed doors. What they hear during proceedings is not to be discussed with the public or the press. Their purpose is to hear the facts and decide whether there is evidence to proceed any further.

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Letters To The Editor

Courtroom Activities

October 17 in county court, Ricky Lopez was charged with failure to appear. He pled guilty and was fined \$75.00 and court costs.

October 18 Sam Mayo was charged with failure to appear. He pled guilty and was fined \$85.00 plus court costs.

Robert Reyes was charged on October 18 with criminal trespass. There was no disposition on this case.

Also on October 18, Sammy Salas was charged with criminal trespass. There was no disposition.

Jose Sustaita was charged with criminal trespass October 18. There was no disposition.

October 23, Rose Marie Gonzalez, Rudy Gonzalez, Gilbert Lamas, Michelle Griffith, Janie Palomin, Regina Torrez and Drew Lloyd were charged with theft by check. Lloyd's charge was dismissed.

Also on October 23, Gary Cain was charged with failure to appear.

Gilbert Gonzales was charged October 23 with theft. There was no disposition on this case.

Robby Reeves was charged with failure to appear on October 23. He pled guilty and was fined \$75.00 plus court costs.

Raymond Beaty, 39, of Floydada, pled guilty on October 24, to his August 27 charge of DWI. He was fined \$500.00 plus court costs. He was also sentenced to six months in jail which was probated for two years.

Melissa Castro pled guilty October 24, to her October 18 charge of furnishing alcohol to a minor. She was charged \$25.00 plus court costs.

Melissa Castro also pled guilty on October 24 to his October 18 charge of criminal trespass. She was ordered to pay \$75.00 restitution plus court costs and sentenced to 30 days in jail which was probated for one year.

Jorge Castorena, 23, of Lockney, pled guilty October 24 to his October 21 charge of DWI. He was fined \$500.00 plus court costs and sentenced to six months in jail which was probated for two years.

Henry Gonzales pled guilty on October 28 to his October 2 theft charge. He was fined \$50.00 plus court costs.

The Lamplighter...

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To quieten the clamor they came up with the monstrosity you will see on the ballot. Among other things it is an underhanded way to delay the day of reckoning, make legal those things they are now doing that people get upset about, and at the same time provide a sneaky, circuitous, way to raise their own salary. We intend to vote no. Someday, hopefully soon, other people will have a shot at correcting the situation.

We will vote yes on propositions 1, 2, 8, 9, and 10.

We will vote no on propositions 6, 3, 5, 7, 12, and 13.

We have not yet made up our mind on how we will vote on proposition 4, or on proposition 11, the state lottery measure. We understand the arguments on both sides, and both sides have valid points to make. Concerning the lottery, we still think it is a bad way to fund governmental activities. Some proponents of the lottery point out that this is the only way, or almost the only way, that government can get back some of the money it pays out to people who do not pay taxes anyway. That argument holds no water for Albert Scheele, the former Republican County Chairman in Floyd County, who says it would only mean the government would have to increase its expenditures to make up for the money used to buy lottery tickets. Too, he and others see it in moral terms, that government ought not be funded from revenues on gambling.

We expect the lottery thing to pass, statewide. Practically all the state government leadership is for it. That, of course, is no reason to vote for it. Every voter will just have to search his or her conscience and decide. That's what we intend to do.

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CALL-IN ORDERS WELCOME CHECK OUR WEEKLY SPECIALS

High school students undertake beautification project in Lockney

A beautification project is being undertaken by a group from Lockney High School. Members of the group include Samantha Salinas, Jimmie Bradley, Chris Villa, Andy Stapp, Cody Jackson, Lisa Mosley and Phil Cotham. The first objective of the project is to create a clay mosaic covering the wall of the proposed park at the corner of Main St. and Locust St. This "Wall of Pride" will depict Lockney from its early days through the present.

Sweep nabs 12 offenders

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bring it here. It has usually been about six months before we get the complaint. "The DA's office then sends courtesy letters. Everyone was sent at least two letters before warrants were executed. "We have collected \$10,610.67 in restitution from hot checks this year. All that money goes back to the merchants."

CORRECTION

The photo of Vera Jo Bybee, Shawnda Foster and Rise Ford regarding the Christmas lighting drive in Lockney incorrectly stated that the Athena Study Club had made the first donation. The first donation was made by the H Penseroso Study Club. They donated \$1,000 to the project.

store windows in the downtown area, trees for the proposed park, and possibly the repair of some of the vacant buildings in the downtown area.

A luncheon was held on October 18, to inform civic and social organizations of the project. Phil Cotham welcomed guests and explained how the project started and how the funds were acquired. Lisa Mosley displayed a small scale drawing of the mosaic and explained how the community could be involved in the construction of the "Wall of Pride". Jimmie Bradley explained the different items that will be placed on the mosaic and how the students came up with the ideas. Thirty-nine people attended the luncheon.

The "Wall of Pride" will not only include objects of historical significance, but also a large scale Lockney city seal as well as hundreds of small border tiles will be placed on the wall. The border tiles will bear the names of all Lockney students, all ex-mayors of Lockney, and anyone else who would like to make their own tile. The wall will be approximately 71 feet long and 11 feet tall.

The purpose of the project is to create a new sense of pride in our community and to allow the community and the school to have a better understanding of one another.

Anyone who would like to be involved in the project by providing time, expertise, or funds should contact Phil Cotham. Anyone wishing to have more information on the project should contact Phil Cotham. They hope to complete the mosaic by May 1992.



STUDENTS PLAN BEAUTIFICATION PROJECT—A beautification project is being undertaken by a group from Lockney High School. Shown with a drawing of the "Wall of Pride" is (back, l-r) Jimmie Bradley, Cody Jackson and Andy Stapp; (front, l-r) Samantha Salinas and Chris Villa. The first objective of the project is to create a clay mosaic covering the wall of the proposed park at the corner of Main and Locust Streets. This "Wall of Pride" will depict Lockney from its early days through the present. Lisa Mosley and Phil Cotham are sponsors of the group. The purpose of the project is to create a new sense of pride in the community. --Staff photo

Bradfords host birthday dinner

A salad dinner was hosted by Floyd and Euna Bradford Saturday night honoring five members of the Bradford family on their birthday.

Those attending were Guy and Susie Galloway, Doug and Elaine Galloway, Robert Bradford, Jim Bob Hambright, Robin Galloway, Mary Emert, Delzie Bradford, Natie Belle Fawver, all of

Floydada; Myrtle Blair of Plainview, Mark, Cindy and Marshall Thorpe of Dalhart, Coreynne Galloway of Arlington, Ben and Tinnie Galloway of Idalou, Kenneth and Geneva Cook of Winters, Scott Bradford, Troy White and Kirt Bourne of Texas Tech, Darlene Ogle-tree of Columbus, Mississippi and the hosts.

Floyd County banks record deposits up by \$8 million

Floyd County banks recorded a total increase in deposits of over 8 million dollars from the same period a year ago.

Total deposits in Floyd County banks are over \$78 million, and total loans recorded September 30, 1991, are over 32 million.

The First National Bank of Floydada recorded deposits of \$53,514,000, up 4,836,000 from the same period last year.

Loans at Floydada's bank increased slightly to 18,901,000 from last years total of 18,755,000.

Lockney's First National Bank September 30, 1991 deposits were recorded at 28,231,000. This is an increase of 3,665,000 over last years deposits of 24,566,000.

Loans at Lockney's Bank increased by 620,000, to the 1991 total of 13,819,000.

"I believe our deposits are up due to the failure of so many Savings and Loans," said Floydada's FNB President, Tom Farris. "Many depositors have transferred their deposits to banks."

"We are also still enjoying the effects of a very good cotton crop last year and we have had generally good cattle prices over the last 12 months."

Lockney's First National Bank President, Ronnie Hardin, stated, "I believe deposits are up because we had a better than average crop last year. We have also picked up additional customers."

Have a Safe and Happy Halloween!

BASKET CASE

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ASSETS

	Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	1,695
Interest-bearing balances	0
Securities	39,867
Federal funds sold	400
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	0
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	18,901
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	890
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	0
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	18,011
Assets held in trading accounts	0
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	180
Other real estate owned	0
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	0
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0
Intangible assets	0
Other assets	1,550
Total assets	61,703
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	N/A
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	61,703

LIABILITIES

Deposits:	
In domestic offices	53,514
Noninterest-bearing	5,107
Interest-bearing	48,407
Federal funds purchased	0
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	0
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	0
Other borrowed money	0
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	0
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	0
Subordinated notes and debentures	0
Other liabilities	899
Total liabilities	54,413
Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus	0

EQUITY CAPITAL

Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus	0
Common stock	200
Surplus	500
Undivided profits and capital reserves	6,590
LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities	0
Total equity capital	7,290
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	N/A
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	7,290
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	61,703

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

GLENDA F. WILSON Name
ASSISTANT VICE PRESIDENT Title

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Kindra Farris
Thomas M. Wilkerson
Fred Zimmerman

Directors
Signature
Glenda Wilson, A.V.P.

OCTOBER 18, 1991
Date

REPORT OF CONDITION

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ASSETS

	Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	1,326
Interest-bearing balances	0
Securities	14,946
Federal funds sold	325
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	0
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	13,819
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	205
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	0
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	13,614
Assets held in trading accounts	0
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	88
Other real-estate owned	26
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	0
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0
Intangible assets	0
Other assets	803
Total assets	31,128
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	N/A
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	31,128

LIABILITIES

Deposits:	
In domestic offices	28,231
Noninterest-bearing	3,087
Interest-bearing	25,144
Federal funds purchased	0
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	0
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	0
Other borrowed money	0
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	0
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	0
Subordinated notes and debentures	0
Other liabilities	481
Total liabilities	28,712
Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus	0

EQUITY CAPITAL

Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus	0
Common stock	100
Surplus	950
Undivided profits and capital reserves	1,366
LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities	0
Total equity capital	2,416
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	N/A
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	2,416
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	31,128

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

JIMMA TURNER Name
AVP-CASHER Title

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Deanna
Gerald White
Kindra Farris

Directors
Signature
Jimma Turner

OCTOBER 17, 1991
Date



MRS. MICHAEL BRENT BAKER

Sport and Baker pledge nuptials

Sammie Jo Sport and Michael Brent Baker were married on recently at First Baptist Church, Ford Chapel in Lubbock. Rev. John Ballard performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. Robert Sport of Lubbock and Ms. Reta Sport of Plano. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy K. Baker of Burkburnett, and the late Barbara Hicks Baker.

The bride wore a white satin gown embellished with pearls and sequins, and her train was cathedral length. She carried a bouquet of cascading stephanotis and roses.

Rhonda Hutchins of Plano, sister of the bride was maid of honor. Carol Gentry of Lubbock, also a sister of the bride was matron of honor and Sheryl Epperson of Lubbock was bridesmaid. They all wore tea length dresses of blue spruce and of bengaline material.

Serving as best man was Gordon O'Hara of Midland. Craig Schellbach of Fort Worth and Mike Spahis of Dallas were groomsmen. Their tuxedos were black with teal bow ties and cummerbunds.

Tiffany Sport, niece of the bride, was

the flower girl.

Ushers were Rodney Sport of Lubbock, brother of the bride, and Dan Masters of Lubbock, they also served as candlelighters.

Charlene Sport, sister-in-law, tended the registry.

Music included "Love Changes Everything" and "Household of Faith".

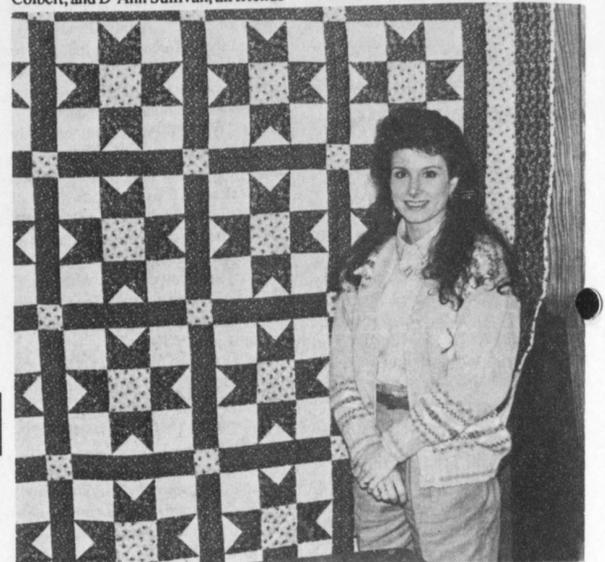
A reception followed at the Lubbock Women's Club. Servers included Rhonda Piifer, Kerry Bearden, Carolyn Colbert, and D'Ann Sullivan, all friends

of the bride.

The bride is a 1983 graduate of Slaton High School and is employed at Parkhill, Smith and Cooper, Inc. Engineers in Lubbock.

The groom graduated from Rider High School in Wichita Falls in 1977 and received his Bachelor of Architecture from Texas Tech in 1983. He is employed by AC Associates, architect in Lubbock.

The couple will live in Lubbock after a honeymoon in Antigua, West Indies.



QUILT TO BE AUCTIONED—Kay Brock stands before the quilt which will be auctioned at the First Methodist Church of Lockney's Harvest Festival on Saturday, November 2 at 1:00 p.m. The quilt was pieced and quilted by members of the church. Dinner will consist of turkey, dressing and all the trimmings. A country store will be opened and several large items will be auctioned. Staff Photo

Clubs & Organizations

1990 Study Club

By Holly Lee

The second meeting of the 1990 Study Club was held at Lighthouse Electric. Hostesses were Deanna Logan and Julie James. Business attended to at the meeting included the Bridge Tournament date, Punkin Days and the Halloween social.

The 1990 Study Club Bridge Tournament will be Nov. 8 at the Massie Activity Center. An entry fee of \$10.00 will include Mexican stack and assorted desserts for lunch. Several door prizes will be given away and prizes for high and low will be awarded. For information on entering call Tami Wofford at 983-2777.

The study club planned their booth to be set up at the Punkin Days celebration. Cokes and Dr. Pepper were to be served, along with homemade cherry, peach and apple cobblers, topped with vanilla ice cream.

The club members and their kids will enjoy meeting for supper at Lighthouse on Halloween before a night of trick or treating.

The program for the evening was presented by Brenda Heflin. After a wonderful video of past Punkin Days, she explained the history of the Floydada celebration as well as the expansion and growth of it to today. She also outlined some of the many tasks involved in the celebrations planning committee. We all applauded the many hours of hard work and dedication demonstrated by the Punkin Days committee.

After the program we ate homemade stew and cornbread with banana pudding for dessert.

Julie James announced her pregnancy with a box of candy.

Members attending were: Dana Anthony, Lori Battey, Jan Beedy, Shawnda Brown, Sherese Covington, Brenda Heflin, Julie James, Holly Lee, Deanna Logan, Gayla Marble, Mendy Shurbet, Dara Ware, Tami Wofford, Dana Pyle, Sandra Schwertner, and newborn daughter, Makenzie.

Five members and a guest, Pauline Nash, had refreshments from the table of kitchen gifts.

Homebuilders Club

The Homebuilders Extension Club met with Muri Mayfield as hostess, October 8.

Barbara Willis, president, called the meeting to order. Roll call was "Foolish things I have done in an accident." Recreation was reading "Best Rum Coke Ever," recipe. Secretary Gladys Widener read minutes of the last two meetings. Barbara named her club committees for next year. Plans were made to meet and go to Harmony and continue on to Lubbock. At the October 12 meeting, plans were also made for our club Christmas party, along with several planning to attend the play "Steel Magnolias" as a group October 20. Gladys made reservations.

A program "What to do in case of an accident" was given by Gladys. Several points to remember were given for us to consider, one being every vehicle needs an emergency medical kit to be carried at all times.

Refreshments were served to five members.

The clubs October 22, meeting was held in the home of Jonelle Fawver.

The meeting was called to order by Barbara Willis, president. Roll call was "A kitchen gift I have received." Recreation was a game of making words from Halloween tricks.

Secretary Gladys Widener read minutes of the last meeting and gave the treasurers report. Council delegate report was given by Lillian Smith with a reminder of 1992 council committees.

A phone call to Green Oaks Tea Room, which closed permanently October 19, was a result of change for lunch to The Depot Restaurant for the November 12 trip.

"Gifts from the Kitchen," was the program given by Jonelle, they consisted of cookies, candies, popcorn, crackers, canned pickles, relishes, herb vinegar, vanilla and apple pie mix. Others included home grown nuts, dried herbs, drink mixes, pine cone fire starters, hand cream, dried okra and wood crafts.

Five members and a guest, Pauline Nash, had refreshments from the table of kitchen gifts.

Arriba Club

By Soila Reyes

Arriba Club met October 21, at the Olga Martinez residence.

The meeting opened with prayer led by Soila Reyes. President Rosie Rendon called the meeting to order.

Old business included updates on planned activities and a business report was given by Treasurer Sally Rodriguez. Members were informed of donations being made to worthwhile projects such as the ambulance fund and Hispanic Youth Leaders.

New business included plans to bring "Teen Theatre" to Lockney the middle of November. Plans were made for Thanksgiving dinners for shut-ins.

Also, on the agenda, plans for the annual club Christmas party and volunteer activities.

Letters of appreciation sent to the club were read and included a very special one from Joe Franco who ran for city council in the last election. Many suggestions and ideas were provided by club members Olga Martinez, Sulema Gonzalez, Bertha Hooten, and Maria Nolan.

Attendees were treated to a vegetable snack tray and soft drinks.

The next meeting will be at the Bertha Hooten residence on November 25.

Alpha Sigma Upsilon

Alpha Sigma Upsilon, Texas Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, met in the home of vice president Tonya Evans on Oct. 22.

The meeting was called to order by Hope Warren, president, with all members standing for opening rituals. Roll was taken with nine members present and one excused absence. Minutes from the previous meeting were read and approved.

A member's written request for a leave of absence was read and approved.

It was also reported that the group had been approached about a donation to the Jimmie Jo West Fund. An amount was decided on and it was approved by the

chapter to make the donation. The only other chapter business was to reassign some upcoming meetings and after this was done the business meeting was adjourned.

A guest speaker presented a program on the Punkin Days festivities.

A meal of stew, cornbread, iced tea and chocolate cake was served by hostess Tonya Evans. The meeting ended with all members standing for closing rituals and mizpah.

The next meeting will be Nov. 5. Hostess will be Robbie Odum and Donna Webb will be in charge of the program.

Delta Kappa Gamma

The Sota Tau Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society met October 7, at the Hale Center Methodist Church. Joyce Tyler served as the hostess. LaDora Aufferl gave the moment of meditation.

Noma Lou Rainer presented a program entitled, "Getting to Know You." Each officer and committee chairperson gave a report about the responsibilities of her job.

A memorial service was led by Donna Pitcock for Edna Perry, a charter member, who recently passed away.



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Wright wins grid contest

J.P. Wright of Lockney earns the first prize check for \$25.00 in the eighth week of the annual football contest. Wright and Clay Simpson tied with six incorrect misses each in the competition. Each chose Floydada as the winner in the tie breaker, but Wright was closer to the actual combined score of 61 with a guess of 42. He may pick up his check at the Hesperian-Beacon Office in Lockney on Friday, November 1.

The second place prize went to Simpson who had a guess of 35 points on the tie-breaker score. The check for the \$15.00 second place prize will be waiting in Floydada on Friday for him.

Four contestants tied for the third place spot with eight incorrect game picks this week. Each selected Floydada to win on the tie-breaker. The winner of the third place check for \$10.00 was determined by the combined score guesses. Bill Hicks of Floydada was closest with a guess of 48 points. The prize check will be in Floydada for him on Friday.

Honorable Mention honors go to the remaining three entries with eight incorrect guesses. Sherry Hale, who guessed 40 points, Jean Hale with a guess of 37 points and Susan Simpson at 30 points are the Honorable Mentions this week.

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KELSY PIERCE--Eight year old Kelsy Pierce was recognized as an outstanding student for her achievement the first six weeks at Duncan. Kelsy scored 100 in every subject. She is the daughter of Stan and Wendy Pierce.
Staff Photo

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WHIRLWIND NEWS



FJHS Student Council Report

By Missy Pernel

This years Student Council has a great year planned. The council has planned to meet every other Tuesday. This past meeting was very successful, we seemed to of gotten many things accomplished. We discussed the fact that all the schools would get to go to high school October 6, for a "Hank the Cowdog" program. In response to that, the student council sponsored a western

day.

We had two judges choose four people out of the whole school who they thought dressed up the most or who looked the best. The winners were Mrs. Calohan, Neal Nelson, Rance Barnett and Christ Enriquez.

The Student Council is also sponsoring a Halloween dress up day and a Spirit Dance.

ATTENTION Trick or Treaters

When Trick or Treating on Thursday night, DON'T VISIT HOMES where the lights are not on.



APPLE OF OUR EYE--Glenda Livingston was Duncan's Apple of the week beginning October 28. She is a 3rd grade teacher and has been teaching 13 years.
Staff Photo

DECA leadership conference held at Baptist Encampment

The annual Area 8 DECA Leadership Conference was held Oct. 21-22 at the Plains Baptist Encampment south of Floydada. Representing their 25 high school DECA Chapters, 249 students who are training for careers in market-

ing, merchandising, and management, explored and polished leadership techniques during the conference and workshop.

Floydada DECA members participating were Robin Galloway, president; Becky Turner, vice-president; Jack Alaniz, parliamentarian; Nita Patel, historian; Roxanne Mercado, photographer/reporter; Candy Alvarez and Libby Martinez.

Berry W. Sullivan, Director of Marketing Education in the Texas Education Agency was present, along with the Area 8 DECA advisors who conducted the workshop and the other Marketing Education teachers.

High schools represented were Amarillo, Caprock, Palo Duro, Tascosa, Brownfield, Burkburnett, Canyon Randall, Dalhart, Dumas, Floydada, Friona, Levelland, Dunbar-Struggs, Estacado, Cooper, Muleshoe, Pampa, Perryton, Plainview, River Road, Tahoka, Tulia, Wichita Falls, Rider, and Lubbock High School.

Bob Alldredge, FHS DECA Advisor, assisted Ron Upton of Dunbar-Struggs in setting up the conference this year.

Workshop activities were designed to supplement and enrich the learning experiences students encounter on the job and in the classroom. Students shared in decision-making processes, discussed problems and searched for solutions, built understanding through effective communication skills, handled conflict through direct problem solving techniques, and attempted to attain goals through accepting responsibilities and building skills in human relations.

Hey Whirlwind Fans,

The Winds will travel to Tulia this Friday night to take on the Tulia Hornets. Kick-off is set at 7:30. Come out and experience the excitement as the Mighty Whirlwinds move a step closer to the District Championship crown.

Go Winds! Terminate Tulia!
Varsity Cheerleaders



STATE QUALIFIER--Amber Poole, 16 year-old daughter of Lance and Melissa Poole of Dougherty, has qualified for the state twirling meet to be held at the University of Texas campus in Austin next Spring. Try-outs were held at Jones Stadium in Lubbock on Oct. 23, where Amber received a 1 rating. Amber is a junior at Floydada High School.



ADRIANA HILL, 11 year old daughter of Ben and Cynthia Hill of Floydada, attended an NBTA twirling contest in Decatur, Texas on Saturday, October 26th. Adriana placed 2nd in Open X-Strut, 3rd in Open Beginner Basic Strut and 4th in Open Costume Modeling. In the divisional competition she was awarded Division I ratings in Beginner X-Strut, Beginner Basic and Costume Modeling. Adriana also competed in Open Competition in Formal Dress Modeling.



APPLE OF OUR EYE--Carlyn Crawford was chosen Duncan's Apple for the week beginning October 21. She is a kindergarten teacher, and has been teaching 25 years.
Staff Photo



DUNCAN STARS--The Stars at Duncan this week are: (front, left-right) Melissa Longoria, Rachel Miller, Angelo Williams, Chance Crossland, Lindsey Nutt, Skyley Cornelius; (2nd row) Juan Alaniz, Tracy R. Ramirez, Brooke Hayes, Jr. Hernandez, Chase Tipton, Laura Rocha, Rocky Reyes; (third row) LeeRoy Garza, Marissa Barrientos, Nicholas Hadderton, Matthew Rainwater, Amanda Barnett, Sylvia Nunez, Cynthia Hernandez, Patricia Sanchez; (back row) J.J. Medrano, Clint Fyffe, Lisa Smith, Cienna Carthel.
Staff Photo

Duncan Kids Can!

Dear Duncan Parents:
Welcome to school year 1991-92. It has truly been a busy eight weeks. We have taken the third grade TAAS test. We are anxiously awaiting our results.

We have had two PTA meetings. Please, let me encourage all of you to join our organization. It is when school and home work together that our kids get the most. We want them all to succeed and we need your help.

We have many, many academic opportunities planned for Duncan Elementary. Please, find listed below some of the essential elements that your kids will be involved with successfully!

Let me encourage you to visit Duncan at any time. We look forward to seeing you!

Sincerely,
Bobbie Weir
Principal

Science: Sounds, colors, weather
Social Studies: Families, helping each other, holidays, citizenship, safety
Motor Development: Pincher control, dancing (following oral and visual directions)
General Knowledge: Fall, holidays, farm animals, body parts

ACTIVITIES
Songs, finger plays, color sheets, manipulatives, art activities, physical movement, literature, games, role playing and field trips as planned.

OTHER COMMENTS
Pre-kindergarten is a growing and developing time. Many new adjustments and experiences are ahead but pre-kindergarten kids CAN! Parents, thanks for your help and support.

KINDERGARTEN
Language Arts: Sound discrimination, complete sentences, supply missing word, alphabet introduction
Math: One to one sets, shapes, patterns, number 0, 1
Science: Classifying, sink/float
Social Studies: Home safety, fire safety, Halloween, ways to learn
Health: Drugs, Health habits

FIRST GRADE
Language Arts: Question and telling sentences, punctuation, cause and effect, context clue
Math: Addition to 10, subtraction to 10
Science: Drug abuse, stranger danger
Social Studies: Indians, Thanksgiving

SECOND GRADE
Language Arts: Nouns, ABC order to the second letter, real/make believe,

vowels
Math: Subtraction and addition to 18, place value, problem solving
Science: Heat light and sound, fire safety, money
Social Studies: Getting along with our neighbors, Thanksgiving history, laws and rules

THIRD GRADE
Language Arts: Context clues, table of contents, predict future outcomes, English usage, descriptive and narrative writing and cursive writing
Math: Addition - regrouping 2, 3, and 4 digit numbers, subtraction - borrowing, measurement
Science: How plants and animals need each other, matter, simple machines
Social Studies: People and communities, communities are different, communities use natural resources

P.E.
This six weeks all four grades will be involved in various levels of fitness training which will increase their muscular endurance, speed and coordination, and upper body strength.

Endurance activities will include jogging activities, races, nonlimination games to keep everyone moving, and aerobics trails. Speed and coordination will be taught through races, station activities, relays, and obstacle courses. Upper body strength will be increased by strength building exercises such as wall walks, flexed arm hang, crad push-ups, bear walk, and push-ups.

Following fitness training, we will have a mini-unit on manipulatives, primarily the scooter boards. The boards will be used in relays where students will use different positions to maneuver the boards and different body parts to

propel the board across the floor.
Finally, jump rope skills will be introduced at each grade level appropriate to that grade. Long rope skills and throwing skills will be our focus. Older grades will learn the art of running in and out of the ropes and jumping simultaneously with others.

MUSIC SKILLS
All grades (K-3) shall sing seasonal songs, work with rhythmic concepts, play singing games, perform specified movements with music, create new lyrics/old tunes and play rhythm and melody instruments. Dynamics in music will be stressed during October. All grades will hear music that tells a story and perform action and folk songs.
In November high/low and up-down (melodic contour) concepts will be studied along with the seasonal songs. Imitation of melodic patterns vocally and with resonator bells will be used to further reinforce these concepts.

SPEECH/LANGUAGE
Students are working on DLM sight word lab.

ARTICULATION
Students are working on individual articulation errors.

SPECIAL EDUCATION
Math: Addition - with and without regrouping, place value, subtraction - with and without regrouping, word problems.
Language Arts: Sentence structure, word usage, punctuation, writing activities.

Have A Good Week!

Floydada School Menu

November 4-8
Monday:
Breakfast — Grape juice, sausage, toast, milk
Lunch — Macaroni tuna casserole, green beans, peaches, peanut butter cookie, hot roll, milk
Tuesday:
Breakfast — Orange juice, cinnamon toast, milk
Lunch — Pig in blanket, baked beans, mixed greens, pear half, milk
Wednesday:
Breakfast — Pineapple juice, scrambled egg, toast, milk
Lunch — Cheese enchiladas, pinto beans, tossed salad, cornbread, pineapple tidbits, milk
Thursday:
Breakfast — Apple juice, pancakes, syrup, milk
Lunch — Vegetable beef soup, crackers, pimento cheese sandwich, mixed fruit cup, milk
Friday:
Breakfast — Pineapple juice, dry cereal, toast, milk
Lunch — Chili dogs w/mustard, French fries w/catsup, tossed salad, peach cobbler, milk

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Floydada Whirlwinds outclass Muleshoe 55-6

By Bill Gray

The Floydada Whirlwinds broke the 50-point barrier for the first time in a number of years as they thoroughly demolished the Muleshoe Mules 55-6 in Floydada's final scheduled home appearance of 1991. The Whirlwinds' season mark improves to 7-1 overall, and they continue to share the District 2-3A lead with Littlefield at 3-0. Muleshoe falls to 0-8, 0-3 in district play.

After receiving the opening kickoff, the 'Winds used simple football to mount a 10-play, 67-yard drive — which was capped by Kenneth Davis' 4-yard touchdown barely four minutes into the contest. First-down runs of 9 and 3 yards by fullback Tracey Johnson, and a key 14-yard keeper by quarterback Billy Villarreal, kept the initial scoring drive alive. Michael Gilliland's conversion kick was good, and the 'Winds

were up by a touchdown.

Muleshoe managed negative yardage in its first possession due to a swarming Floydada defense and a costly penalty. The Whirlwind defensive front, along with linebackers Ramiro Rios and Ruben Chavarria, contained Muleshoe's ground game for all but a very few plays the entire game. Following the Mules' first punt, a 15-yard clipping penalty negated a 36-yard run by Michael Henderson. It was Floydada's only possession in the first half that failed to produce a score.

After an exchange of punts, the Whirlwinds took over at their own 11-yard line. Tracey Johnson ran for 16 and Kenneth Davis added 9 yards off the option to move the 'Winds out of poor field position as the first quarter horn sounded.

Tracey Johnson continued his ground assault with a nifty 25-yard blast up the

middle to open the second stanza. Henderson followed with another 15-yarder before QB Billy Villarreal scored from 24 yards out on an option play. The 5-play, 89-yard drive took less than two minutes off the game clock. Gilliland added his second extra point of the evening, and the 'Winds led 14-0.

Muleshoe continued to fight bad field position during its next series. Defensive end Jesse Rodriguez, playing the best game of his Whirlwind career, sacked Mule quarterback Galin Latham for a 6-yard loss on first down. Two plays later the Mules were forced to punt from their own 11-yard line.

Floydada put its high-octane offense to work as Villarreal connected with Henderson on a 20-yard pass for Floydada's third penetration and 11th first down in the first half. Billy V. rushed for six to Muleshoe's 11-yard line, and on the following play Villarreal sprinted untouched off the option into the Mules' end zone. Gilliland's kick was again true, and Floydada extended its lead to 21-0.

Gilliland's ensuing kickoff was mishandled, and the Mules put the ball in play at their own 3-yard line. The visitors managed only five yards, and had to punt again from deep in their own territory. Floydada commenced its next drive at Muleshoe's 37-yard line. Tracey Johnson rushed for 16 for a first down and another penetration to the Mule 17. On fourth-and-nine-to-go from the Mule 16, Villarreal ran for his apparent third score, but a clipping call wiped out the touchdown.

Villarreal found wideout Jaime Suarez streaking down the left, and connected on the fourth-down pass. Suarez made a "circus catch" of the aerial to give the 'Winds a first down at Muleshoe's 1-yard line. Henderson's number was dialed and the junior half-back responded with his first score of the night. Gilliland hit his fourth straight PAT, and the 'Winds were in command 28-0.

Muleshoe had minus yards in its first offensive set following the kickoff and were forced to kick again from its own 14-yard line. Quincy Johnson returned the punt to the Mule 35-yard line, but a late-hit call against the visitors moved the ball to Muleshoe's 20. Three plays and hardly any dust later, Henderson ran it in. Gilliland again split the uprights, and the "Green Gang" held an insurmountable 35-0 advantage as the halftime drew humanely to a close.

The Mules' pre-Halloween horrors continued after intermission. Unable to move the ball on their first possession of the third stanza, the Mules attempted to punt from their own 30-yard line. Brent Hernandez bobbled the bad snap, and Jesse Rodriguez scooped up the errant pigskin and rambled eight yards for the Whirlwinds' second defensive touchdown in the last two games. Michael Gilliland continued his string of perfect kicks and the scoreboard read, "Floydada 42, Muleshoe 0." Only three minutes had clicked off the third quarter clock.

A number of new faces dotted Floydada's defensive lineup, and the Mules found some comfort in being able to negotiate its offense against the Whirlwind reserves. Kip McCall ran for 20 yards and a first down to Muleshoe's 40-yard line. Floydada sophomore Brandon Gilliland recovered a Mule fumble on the next play to end the threat, and it took the 'Winds only four plays to capitalize on the Muleshoe error. Sophomore Israel Medrano scored from eight yards out, Michael Gilliland hit his seventh straight PAT, and the Whirlwinds were coasting 49-0.

The Mules managed to drive for two first downs and forged into Floydada territory for the first time in the game late in the third quarter, but the Whirlwind defense stiffened. Floydada took over on downs at its own 38-yard line. Chavarria got the call on five consecutive plays, but the 'Wind drive fizzled and Chavarria punted for the third time to end the third quarter.

Brian Rasco replaced Galin Latham at quarterback and ignited the Mules to a 13-play, 67-yard march. On third down from Floydada's 13-yard line, Rasco's pass intended for Dustin Elliot was picked off by Floydada's Mike Ochoa at the Whirlwind 10. The reserve sophomore linebacker streaked down the east sideline, but the 90-yard touchdown return was called back to Floydada's 42, where Ochoa was ruled to have stepped out of bounds.

The 'Winds were unable to sustain the drive and punted to the Mule 40-yard line. On first down, Latham broke into the clear in the Whirlwind secondary, and raced untouched for the 60-yard touchdown which prevented a Floydada shutout. David Quintana's extra point failed, but Muleshoe was finally on the board with four minutes remaining in the game.

Keith Teeple directed the second-unit offense for a final Floydada scoring drive, with Ruben Chavarria carrying the bulk of the load (six carries for 62 yards). Teeple scored from one yard out with 20 seconds remaining. Gilliland misfired on his only conversion attempt of the night, and the final margin of the lop-sided Floydada victory was 55-6. The Mules added somewhat to their offensive output as Latham connected with Chris Dominguez for a 23-yard pass on the last play of the game.

The Mules will find it difficult to get into the win column this week as they host district co-leader Littlefield. The Whirlwinds travel to ever-dangerous Tulia, where Floydada can cinch a playoff berth with a victory over the Hornets.

BILL'S NOTES

The 'Winds were impressive with their 427-yard offensive output against Muleshoe. Floydada controlled the contest in every sense of the word, but so has just about everybody else this year. There were 12 seniors on the Mule roster; it wasn't the first time this year for the Whirlwinds to blow away a senior-dominated team. Again, there were so many superlatives that it's difficult to single out individual performances.

My choice for defensive play of the game was Jesse Rodriguez's fumble recovery which produced another defensive touchdown (the second by the defense in as many weeks). Mike Ochoa performed well at linebacker as he logged his most game time of the season, and showed some previews of what is to come from the position in the next couple of years. Floydada's depth at positions continues to grow as the season progresses... and the depth couldn't be more important now that the 'Winds have a very good crack at making the playoffs.

Depth is also evident at fullback, as Floydada's power runners Tracey Johnson and Ruben Chavarria get my nod for co-offensive players of the game. Tracey carried seven times for 74-yards (10-plus yards per carry) early to loosen up the Mule inside, and Ruben had 122 yards on 16 carries (almost 8 yards per attempt). This one-two punch at the fullback position was most effective.

The offensive play of the game was the Villarreal-to-Suarez pass midway through the second quarter after the Whirlwinds had been penalized to take away a touchdown. Jaime hauled in the pass for a 1st-and-goal to keep the scoring drive alive. We've seen the little man pull in some pretty fantastic catches over the years, but this one would have made the highlight film on Sunday afternoon.

Needless to say, this Friday's date at Tulia is the most important game of the year so far. The Hornets were projected by just about every pre-season poll as the kingpin of the district. They had some difficulty earlier, but are now playing solid, typical Tulia-brand football.

The Hornets could throw the district into mass-confusion with a victory over the 'Winds, but Floydada is hungry for that playoff berth it can put in its pocket by snuffing the Hornets. I'll amend my pre-season prediction on this game, as the 'Winds will lock up that playoff date. It will take an all-out effort, and it won't be easy, but the 'Winds will sting the Hornets 27-14. Bill's other pics:

Littlefield 47, Muleshoe 12	5-40	Penalties-Yards	3-25
Dimmitt 31, Friona 19	82	Return Yards	91
Lubbock Cooper 26, Seminole 20			
Abernathy 33, Shallowater 20			
Lockney 20, Morton 7			
Dalhart 13, Childress 10			
Slaton 29, Brownfield 27			
-Upset Special-			
Texas Tech 31, Texas 28			

Score By Quarter

Floydada	7	28	14	6	—	55
Muleshoe	0	0	0	6	—	6

Scoring Summary

FHS — Kenneth Davis 4 run (Michael Gilliland kick)
 FHS — Billy Villarreal 24 run (Gilliland kick)
 FHS — Villarreal 11 run (Gilliland kick)
 FHS — Michael Henderson 1 run (Gilliland kick)
 FHS — Henderson 9 run (Gilliland kick)
 FHS — Jesse Rodriguez 8 fumble recovery (Gilliland kick)
 FHS — Israel Medrano 8 run (Gilliland kick)
 MHS — Galin Latham 60 run (kick blocked)
 FHS — Keith Teeple 1 run (kick failed)

Game Statistics

Floydada	Muleshoe
8	2
27	10
48-385	42-155
8.0	3.6
42	73
427	228
2-6-0	8-12-1
3-36-0	5-30-7
0-0	2-2

Individual Statistics

RUSHING — FLOYDADA: Ruben Chavarria 16-122; Billy Villarreal 8-77, 2 TDs; Tracey Johnson 7-74; Michael Henderson 7-56, 2TDs; Kenneth Davis 6-39, 1 TD; Israel Medrano 3-16, 1 TD; Keith Teeple 1-1, 1 TD. MULESHOE: Kip McCall 11-70; Galin Latham 7-61, 1 TD; Brian Rasco 4-28; Ramiro Alarcon 11-3; Brent Hernandez 9-(-7).

PASSING — FLOYDADA: Billy Villarreal 2-6-0-42 yds. MULESHOE: Galin Latham 5-8-0, 42 yds., Brian Rasco 3-4-1, 31 yds.

RECEIVING — FLOYDADA: Jaime Suarez 1-22; Michael Henderson 1-20. MULESHOE: Chris Dominguez 3-41; Dustin Elliot 3-24; Kip McCall 2-8.

RETURN YARDS — FLOYDADA: Mike Ochoa 1-32 (pass interception); Quincy Johnson 4-24 (punt returns); Michael Henderson 1-18 (kickoff return); Jesse Rodriguez 1-8, 1 TD (fumble recovery). MULESHOE: Ramiro Alarcon 5-53 (kickoff returns); Dustin Elliot 1-19 (kickoff return); Jonathan Villa 1-19 (punt return).

FUMBLE RECOVERIES — FLOYDADA: Jesse Rodriguez (TD); Brandon Gilliland.

PASS INTERCEPTIONS —

FLOYDADA: Mike Ochoa.
 TACKLES, ASSISTS, FORCES (More than 5) — FLOYDADA: Adam Gonzales 13, Rafael DeOchoa 10, Ramiro Rios 9, Mike Ochoa 8, Ruben Chavarria 8, Quincy Johnson 8, Brandon Gilliland 6. MULESHOE: Mike Friend 11, Kip McCall 9, Brian Rasco 8, Brent Hernandez 7, Galin Latham 5, Ramiro Alarcon 5.



CHECK THAT NUMBER — Muleshoe defender Brian Rasco (#15) closes in on 'Wind Michael Henderson who's #41 jersey had the fans confused. Henderson's regular number 40 home jersey was severely ripped several weeks ago, making the change necessary. It is not known if the junior halfback will wear his regular number when the 'Winds don their whites as they travel to Tulia this week for an all-important District 2-3A clash. Staff Photo

'Wind JV pounds Muleshoe

By Bill Gray

Josh Thayer scored on a 27-yard run, then passed to Casey Criswell for the two-point conversion in the first quarter, as the Whirlwind JV defeated Muleshoe on their home field on Oct. 24. Ronnie Hernandez ran in from two yards out as Floydada held a 14-0 lead at the end of the first period.

Muleshoe countered with a 15-yard scoring pass early in the second quarter, but Gabino Suarez's 92-yard return of

the ensuing kickoff for a touchdown put the game's momentum solidly in the JV 'Winds' corner. Thayer hit Ronnie Hernandez with a 15-yarder for an insurance touchdown in the final stanza, as Floydada held on for the 26-6 victory.

Named outstanding offensive players by the coaches were Ronnie Hernandez, Gabino Suarez and Kevin Staples. Outstanding defensive honors went to Tyson Edwards, Troy Johnson and Casey Criswell. The JVers will host Tulia at Wester Field on October 31.

Freshmen 'Winds defeat Lockney JV

By Bill Gray

The Floydada Freshmen Whirlwinds scored in each quarter as they handed Lockney's JV Longhorns a 38-12 defeat at Lockney on Oct. 24. Bruno Mendez rushed from one yard out to start the scoring parade in the first quarter. Dimas Marmolejo ran a reverse for the 2-point conversion and the initial period ended with Floydada holding and owning a slim 8-0 margin.

Second quarter action was highlighted by Pete Cooper's 65-yard punt return for a touchdown, followed by Ken Cummins reception for the two-pointer. In the final seconds before intermission, the Freshmen 'Winds pulled off their own version of the "Floydada Waggle." Juan Martinez

took the pitch from Sammy Rodriguez and swept to the right for a 20-yard touchdown. Rodriguez tacked on the conversion on a run, and the Floydada 9th graders were up 24-6 at the half.

Marmolejo scored from 4-yards out and Terry Harris added the 2-pointer in the third quarter. Marmolejo added a 60-yard run off the "50-counter dive play" for Floydada's last touchdown in the fourth quarter.

The outstanding offensive players of the game were: Dimas Marmolejo, Pete Cooper, Juan Martinez and Lionso Cisneros.

Turning in outstanding defensive performances were: J.R. Quilantan, Sammy Rodriguez, Terry Harris and Ronnie Cantrell.

FJHS Breezers take two from Muleshoe

By Bill Gray

Floydada's 7th grade Breezers closed out their home schedule for 1991 as they blanked Muleshoe's 7th graders 38-0.

Marcus Collins started the scoring barrage with a 2-yard run for a touchdown in the first period. Monte Anderson tossed to Todd Cocanougher for the two-point conversion. Collins added a 25-yard run for a touchdown, with David Mercado running in the conversion.

Jacob Guzman had touchdown runs of 23 yards on a reverse and a 6-yard blast. Vernon Cooper tacked on the extra points following Guzman's TDs. Omar Equia turned a fourth quarter interception into a 45-yard return for six to close out the Breezer scoring.

Coach Jim Webster commented, "This game was the most physical game we have played this year. We played very aggressive on offense, defense and

special teams. We fumbled once and scored on every other possession, while limiting Muleshoe to no first downs. Emilio Guzman blocked a punt and David Mercado had a super game."

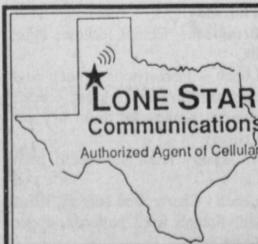
Offensive Stars included: Jacob Guzman, Marcus Collins and the entire offensive line. The defensive player of the game was Marcus Collins and the kicking game/special teams' outstanding player was Juan Hernandez.

Arnulfo Cervera scored on touchdown runs of 38, 30 and 25 yards to pace the 8th Breezers over the young Mules 26-14. Cervera also added a 2-point conversion following a 6-yard touchdown pass from Zach Abshier to Joe Sanchez.

The 8th grade coaches commented, "With the exception of a defensive lapse in the 4th quarter that allowed Muleshoe two touchdowns, the 8th Breezers had a good ball game. The offense moved the ball well most of the game and the de-

fense played well with the exception of the final quarter. We played hard and well and eliminated the penalties and fumbles that spoiled our efforts in the last game. We must continue to improve in this area if we are to win tough road games against Tulia and Littlefield.

Outstanding offensive players: Joe Sanchez, Arnulfo Cervera; Outstanding defensive players: Andy Outlaw, Michael Molinar, John Mendez, Alex Vallejo and Jesse Sanchez.



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Whirlwind gibes... by bill gray

Coach's Comments

By Coach Dean Bates

We were very pleased with our game with Muleshoe. We were able to play all of our people, and everyone contributed. We executed very well, and completely dominated the game.

This week's date with Tulia is another big ball game. Tulia is playing very well now, and they are well coached. They have a lot of speed and we must play well defensively. Our offensive line is

coming of age, and it may be at the right time. We have a very balanced offense, and we are playing well — so it should be a quality football game.

Playing on the road really doesn't present that big a problem for us. We enjoy tremendous support from this community, and we will have as many fans as they do. We need your support as we prepare to close out the season. See you at the game!

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Longhorns lose close game

By Issac Cuellar

The Lockney Longhorns suffered their eighth straight loss Friday night at home to the Hale Center Owls, but not without a fight. Playing at Mitchell-Zimmerman Field on October 25, punches were thrown but nothing connected for either team as the first quarter ended in a 0-0 tie.

The quarter saw some outstanding impact hitting by Jimmy Bradley (#75), Carlos Raissez (#40) and Jarrod Harrison (#56). The key play of the first period was delivered by the Hale Center punter who punted Lockney at the 1-yard line, giving the field position to the Owls.

Both teams began hitting on the money in the second quarter. Juan Vargas (#11) delivered the first big blow to the Owls by racing 51 yards to put the Horns within striking distance early in the quarter. Patrick Monroe (#33) missed a 27-yard field goal attempt ending the drive inside plus territory of the Owls.

The Horns were down by 7 after the Owls marched 80 yards in ten plays to draw first blood. Coming back on a short Hale Center kick-off, Phineas Riddley (#8) carried the ball on first down for good yardage. It looked as if he would go all the way, but a fumble ended the drive as the Owls recovered the ball.

Thanksgiving came early for the Horns as they stuffed the Owls on Hale Center's next possession. A couple of splendid catches by Carlos Raissez and the Horns were feasting on a David Luna touchdown.

The Owls dodged another bullet as Lockney's failed extra point attempt ended the first half of play. Hale Center led the scoring 7-6.

A key Longhorn mistake on the initial kick-off return lead to Hale Center's scoring early in the third quarter. The Owls added six points in five plays covering 41 yards to make the score 13-6.

The Horns were more alert during their next possession and on a second

and 9, Juan Vargas hugged the sideline for an apparent 50-yard touchdown run, his second 50-yard plus run of the game. The referees ruled Vargas out-of-bounds after a fifteen yard gain. The next play saw Lockney fumble and Hale Center recover the ball.

Jimmy Bradley and the supporting Longhorn cast stopped the Owls quickly on their next possession down. This gave the Horns the ball with a little over seven minutes to go in the third quarter.

Lockney controlled the ball for the next seven plays with the hard running of Phineas Riddley and Juan Vargas. The Horns were stopped at the Owls 15-yard line on a third down with 10 yards to go. Patrick Monroe missed the chance to bring the Horns within four points of the Owls when his 31-yard field goal attempt was unsuccessful.

The fourth quarter found the crowds standing and cheering for their teams as the fighting raged on between the Horns and the Owls. Juan Vargas shot up the middle for a big 42-yard run and a touch-

down. The two point conversion failed and Lockney trailed 13-12.

Hale Center took the kick-off and proceeded to produce the longest time consuming drive of the night as well as making the key play of the game. This came on a third and 17 possession down for the Owls. The Horns tried for an interception, leaving the receiver open for the catch and first down yardage. The Owls went on to score the winning touchdown ending the game with a 20-12 score.

ISSAC'S COMMENTS

Lockney executed very well with the offensive line creating holes. The Running game was there as was the passing game. The special teams punting action was there, but unfortunately, the mistakes were also there.

If the Horns play this well and eliminate the errors, they have an excellent chance of defeating any team. The errors leave them open to losing to any team.

Next up for Lockney is Morton at Morton on Friday, November 1. Go Horns! See Ya There!



OFF AND RUNNING--This Lockney Longhorn was off and running up the field for good yardage in the 'Horns game with the Hale Center Owls. The Longhorns put forth a tremendous effort. Staff Photo

Fortenberry selected to attend national leadership conference

Jennifer Fortenberry of Lockney has been selected to attend The National Young Leaders Conference from November 19 to 24, 1991 in Washington, D.C. Having demonstrated academic achievement, leadership and citizenship, Jennifer will be among 350 outstanding high school students from across the nation at the conference sponsored by the Congressional Youth Leadership Council.

The theme of the National Young Leaders Conference is *The Leaders of Tomorrow Meeting the Leaders of Today*. Throughout the uniquely designed six-day conference, Jennifer will meet with key leaders and newsmakers from the three branches of government, the media and the diplomatic corps.

Highlights of Jennifer's week in Washington will include welcoming remarks from a Member of Congress on the Floor of the United States House of Representatives and a panel discussion led by prominent journalists at the National Press Club. Jennifer will explore presidential decision-making in a simulation entitled "If I Were President." Jennifer will also visit the diplomatic embassy of either Morocco, Denmark, Sweden or Sri Lanka.

Jennifer will meet with Senator Lloyd Bentsen, Senator Phil Gramm, Representative Bill Sarpalius, or designated staff members. These meetings provide students an opportunity to discuss important policy issues and focus on topics of personal concern to Jennifer. Culminating the National Young Leaders Conference will be The Mock Congress on Gun Control during which scholars assume the roles of United States Representatives by debating, lobbying, and voting on proposed handgun legislation.

Founded in 1985, the Council is a non-profit, non-partisan educational organization committed to recognizing outstanding youth like Jennifer and providing them with a "hand-on" civic learning experience in the nation's capital. Over 375 Members of the United States Congress join in the commitment to educational excellence as members of the Council's Honorary Congressional Board of Advisors.

"I firmly believe that by touching one life, the National Young Leaders Conference enriches thousands more," said John Hines, Council Executive Director. "Scholars return to their schools and communities charged with the lifelong duty of leading all Americans to better understand their rights and responsibilities in this participatory democracy."

CORRECTION

The picture of the Lockney Junior High Cheerleaders in the October 24 issue of the paper was taken by Chuck Wilson of Wilson Photography and was not a staff photo as noted. Our apologies to Chuck Wilson.

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BIG GUY COMING AT YOU----Justin Graham stands in front of the wall in his bedroom on which he has painted a life size football player. Graham painted the background black and the flashes across it are done in yellow. The player seems to be looking back to see who might be coming up behind him. Graham is a freshman at Lockney High School and has done drawings of football players for the Lockney school page in the Floyd County Hesperian Beacon. He also placed first in his age group at the Floyd County Fair art show with a drawing of many players on a red football field. Staff Photo



Hey all you Longhorn fans!

Come out Friday night and support the home team in their Halloween efforts against Morton. The game will start at 7:30 and the grandstands need to be covered with red.

Longhorn Cheerleaders

Quarterback Club to host varsity players, parents and cheerleaders Monday

The Lockney Quarterback Club will meet Monday, November 4 at the Lockney Junior High Cafeteria at 7:00 p.m. Special guests will be the varsity players, parents and cheerleaders. Mexican food will be served and everyone is invited to attend.



Second graders hear various professionals on "Career Day"

Lockney Elementary 2nd graders played hosts to parents and visitors, Friday, during a "Career Day".

Parents of children, and other adults in the community, were invited to Mrs. Golden's room to educate the children on the variety of jobs performed by people in Lockney.

Terry Jones talked to the students about the job of Postmaster. Gregg Blair told of his duties as Youth Minister.

Bernie Ford explained farming and Roger Stapp told of his body shop work.

A newspaper printer's job was outlined by Jim Huggins and Lennie Gilroy explained what it was like to be a policeman.



JENNIFER FORTENBERRY

Lockney students fill Red Ribbon Week with activities

Activities filled the week at the three Lockney schools as they participated in Red Ribbon Week. The theme for the week was "Just Say No" to drugs.

All students received neon red wristbands to wear all week. Lockers at high school and junior high were decorated and the P.T.A. decorated the elementary school.

The rock concert group, Rapunzel, presented a concert for the high school and junior high students. The band members advocate a drug free existence and expressed to the audience that fun can be had without alcohol and drugs.

Red ribbons decorated the football field for the Lockney Longhorn-Olton Mustang game and the Lockney scout troops tied ribbons on cars.

Businesses passed out ribbons proclaiming Red Ribbon Week and everyone was asked to show their support by wearing the ribbons all week.

The Lockney High School Student Council and Drug Free Council held drawings for free hamburgers and fries. Teachers and students alike had their names drawn.

A puppet show was held at the Lockney Elementary School for Kindergarten through 2nd grade. In the first segment the students were told by the puppets to take care of their school building and in the second play they were shown the effects of alcohol.

The elementary school students each received a bracelet and a sheet to color depicting "Just Say No." Students made posters to hang in store windows downtown and they decorated grocery sacks. The sacks were provided by Pay-n-Save Grocery and were used to sack groceries when they were returned, decorated, to the store.

The local businesses, churches and organizations were all involved in Red Ribbon Week.

Lockney School Menu

November 4 - 8

Monday:
Breakfast - Cheese, cereal, pineapple, milk

Lunch - Pizza, lettuce and tomatoes, orange, brownie, corn, milk

Tuesday:
Breakfast - Sausage, toast, peaches, milk

Lunch - Salisbury steak, green beans, carrot raisin salad, pears, cornbread, ice cream, milk

Wednesday:
Breakfast - Toast and peanut butter, banana, milk

Lunch - Roast and gravy, creamed potatoes, spinach, fruit cocktail gelatin, hot rolls, milk

Thursday:
Breakfast - Cereal, cheese, apple, milk

Lunch - Pork chops, Ranch Style Beans, cauliflower and cheese, peaches, cornbread, prune cake, milk

Friday:
Breakfast - Toast and cheese, pears, milk

Lunch - Charbroiled burgers, lettuce salad, French fried potatoes, apricot cobbler, milk

FHA sees video on presidents wives and inauguration gowns

FHA members met Tuesday, October 15, 1991, at an evening meeting. Members viewed a video on the wives of the former president's beginning with Martha Washington down to Nancy Reagan. The video showed relics of the inauguration gowns of all the wives. After watching the video, members had a small supper.

Tuesday, October 22, 1991, members met again. They discussed the Mother's Day Out project and the Halloween Carnival. During the week, FHA mem-

bers and many other high school students began a money-raising project. They are selling candy, gift wrap, tea, and gift tags along with various other small items.

FHA formerly had a money raising project which was a cake raffle. The raffle took place at the Halloween Carnival on the 26th. The cakes raffled were donated by Zelda Zumwalt, Eva Guerrero and Ann Anderson. The winners were Jennifer Castro, Sylvia Guerrero and Anita Bigham.



LONGHORN BAND PERFORMS--The 1991 Lockney Longhorn Band and Jennifer Burleson, feature twirler, entertained the fans at one of the home games. Drum major, Amanda Henderson, directs the band in their music and formations on the field. Zane Polson is the band director. Staff Photo

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Basketball played on a dirt court

By George Tate

When the Trustees of the Metior School (now known as Aiken) for the 1915-16 school year decided to let the boys play basketball, they went to Lockney and had the Burns Blacksmith Shop make two hoops from discarded buggy tires, and with scrap lumber and two legs from a fallen windmill tower they were in business.

This new game created a lot of interest; so with the Principal, Mr. Price Scott, who had seen the game played at Canyon when he attended college, as coach, they started the first Metior basketball team. There were several talented boys on the team and by Spring they had beat all the nearby schools in western Floyd County.

They began to look for bigger games, and soon found out that Cedar Hill was

the Champion of the eastern part of Floyd County. Correspondence took place with penny post cards and a date was set.

Metior was to be the host and about 2:30 down by the old Ben Whitfill place east of Metior came a two seated surrey pulled by a team of work mules. The basketball team was in the surrey, but accompanying them on horseback was a slightly built young lad who was an aspiring cowboy putting some extra miles on the speedometer of a two-year-old bronc.

Tennis shoes were unknown, so the boys played in workshoes and overalls. Play got underway and very soon Metior jumped in the lead and was still ahead at the half.

When the whistle blew for the second half, the Cedar Hill boys came to Mr.

Scott with bad news. It seemed one of the Cedar Hill team was sick, in fact so ill, he had laid down in the shade of the school house and refused to get up.

It developed that when they came through Lockney, stopping at Baker's Store, they had treated themselves to a new red soda pop. This particular boy, who had an extra dime, had about two extra bottles, and when the surrey stopped at the Ewing place two miles east of Metior to get a drink and to water the mules, he had downed both bottles of warm "Big Red" instead of drinking water.

They told Mr. Scott "We don't have a substitute, so instead of forfeiting the game, could we use the boy riding the horse?" Mr. Price Scott (later to become a County School Superintendent for many years) said, "Well, you have come

a long way, and we have a comfortable lead, so just put him in."

The erstwhile cowboy was squatting on his heels holding his bridle reins so when given the nod, handed the reins to one of the Nix boys and jumped into the game. You can't imagine the change in the Cedar Hill team. Metior's lead melted away and in less than ten minutes they were falling behind fast.

When time was called to check a Metior player, who was complaining of a five-inch scratch on his shin, other Metior players began to find scratches of various degrees on their legs. The mystery was soon solved, when it was discovered the young cowboy was still wearing a pair of short shanked spurs that had been mostly covered by his long overalls.

He said in his hasty entry into the game he had forgotten all about the spurs. He immediately removed the spurs and the game was resumed, but the fight was taken out of the Metior boys and Cedar Hill won by a big majority.

This incident caused a rift between Cedar Hill and Metior, and it was many years before they played again especially when Ryan Spigal, a young man about town, from Lockney who was on his way home from a trip to Plainview and had stopped to see the fun, recognized the substitute and said, "Why, that's the star of last year's championship team from Flomont."

It is odd that the fine picture of the W.C. Strickland family in the September 19, 1991 Hesperian-Beacon should have anything to do with basketball but it does.

Basketball didn't amount to anything at Metior during the late teens and early twenties, but by 1922 things began to change. Metior was changed to Aiken and many new families moved in.

First the Kidd family composed of Lee and Bea, and a whole household of pretty girls moved where Oscar Golden now resides.

The Mullings came to the Pierson Sections. Originally from Eastland, they had spent two years on a forty-section ranch in Hockley County poisoning prairie dogs with no school, so they were much more mature than guys in their grade.

Then at mid term, the Strickland family from Cedar Hill moved to Aiken. W.C. (we know him as Clarence) and his brother, Arthur, fit right in with Lee Kidd and Fred, Jess and Bill Mullings to form a first rate ball team. When the community saw they had a winner, the powers that be put on a pie supper and bought uniforms. Tennis shoes had come around and the boys hustled their own shoes. As dressing rooms were unheard of, on game days the team would wear their uniforms to school under their clothing so they would be ready at a moment's notice.

To make a long story short, Aiken had the rural winning team in 1922-23, and even beat Lockney and Floydada on occasion. Without the help of the Strickland boys, their winning season would have never been possible, so I guess this wipes out the 1915-16 rift between Cedar Hill and Metior (Aiken).

I haven't seen Clarence since 1925 and I never met his wife, but I have certainly heard many good things about them over the years.

To the grandchildren I will say, "You may be the last that can say 'My grandmother had the courage and character to ride a horse from Cedar Hill to Lockney to go to High School!'"



ALL DRESSED UP AND NO PLACE TO GO -- Lockney's own Phil Cotham was indeed a good sport at the ever-popular and growing Pumpkin Patch Carnival on Saturday, October 26. The target of wet sponge tossers, Cotham seemed to have the luck of the Irish as he faced his attackers. He went home fairly dry, considering. Staff Photo



BASKETBALL TOSS -- Brandon Gilroy, son of Lennie and Alice Gilroy, was one of the many children who enjoyed a fun filled evening of games and goodies at the Pumpkin Patch Carnival in Lockney last weekend. He is shown taking his turn at the basketball toss event. Local study clubs and civic organizations were among those providing both for the enjoyment of all who attended. Staff Photo

How to gain through sharing with a student

Have you ever considered the priceless learning experience of hosting a cultural exchange student and how it could benefit your family? Envision the cultural enlightenment that would evolve amongst your family members by sharing your home with a fifteen to eighteen year old high school student from countries like Argentina, Belgium, Denmark, Hong Kong, or Mexico, only to mention a few.

In turn, imagine the gratitude of a family who has entrusted the care of their child to you for a whole school year or semester. No words can describe or measure the gratitude of that family. If you host a student and then decide that you or a member of your family would like to visit the homeland of your student, be rest assured that you will discover a lifetime friendship and will receive a royal welcome from that family.

The YES program will include medical accidental insurance, transportation, and school enrollment at your local high school. These high achieving students will bring their own spending money and personal items. The host family is responsible for providing love, understanding, and a caring home.

Plus, being able to host a student has the benefit to deduct \$50.00 per each

month you have one of these students with you. For more detailed information contact: The nonprofit Youth Exchange

Service (YES), 4675 MacArthur Court, Suite 830, Newport Beach, California, 92660, or call 1-800-848-2121.



PUMPKIN ARTISTS AT WORK -- One of the many Punkin events which unreeled Saturday, October 26, at the Floydada Punkin Day festival was the pumpkin painting contest. Those too young to wield a knife for pumpkin carving used markers to make faces on their entries in the contest. Staff Photo

Floyd County Courthouse Records

Marriages:
Timothy Myrick Lipham, Angela Lee Hinsley.

Randy D. Hernandez, Arlinda Peralez.

Hector Mario Enriquez Jr., Jennifer Guiterriez.

Alton Therman Hill, Clara Otelia Clement.

Probate:
Collene Mahagan, Will and Application to Probate, 9-9-91.

Earl Cooper, Will and Application to Probate, 9-17-91.

Lella Mae Pruitt, Will and Application to Probate, 9-24-91.

Chester V. Virden, Will and Application to Probate, 10-10-91.

Deeds:
Sherri L. Wall Campbell et al to Teresa Juarez, Lot 7, Blk. 57, Floydada.

E. A. Armstrong to Oneva Muse, Lots 4, 5, & 6, Blk. 3, Muncy Addition, Lockney.

Albert Juarez to Luis Gomez Jr., Lot 8, Blk. 1, Honorhea Addition, Floydada.

Trinidad Juarez et ux to William O. Smith et ux, Lots 30, 31 & 32, Blk. 69, Floydada.

Jerry A. Cawley et ux to Lockney General Hospital District, a tract of land in Floyd County.

Ira M. Sullivan et ux to Ira Monroe Sullivan or Ola Mae Sullivan, Trustees for the I.M. & O.M. Sullivan Family Trust, Lot 6, Blk. 8, Price First Addition, Floydada, and Lot 10, Blk. G, Andrews Addition, Floydada.

Donald M. Reece et ux to Jeff Reece et ux, Lots 17, 18, 19 & 20 and the west 10' of Lot 21, Blk. 2, Town and Country Addition, Lockney.

Phyllis Harris to Abelardo Enriquez et ux, west 1/2 of Lot 15 and all of Lot 16, Blk. 128, Floydada.

Phyllis Harris to J. Cephus Fortenberry et ux, Lot 14, Blk. 42, Floydada.

Abelardo Enriquez et ux to Phyllis Harris, Lot 14, Blk. 42, Floydada.

W. Norton Baker, executor of the Estate of Dimple B. McGavock to Monte McGavock, a tract of land in Floyd County.

Bernice Barker et al to Homer R.

Cypert et ux, South 4' of Lot 7, and all of Lots 8, 9 and 10, Blk. 27, Lockney.

John D. McCandless et ux to Brent Sanders et ux, Lot 9 and West 1/2 of Lot 10, Blk. 1, Barker Addition, Floydada.

Frances Kay Williams to Ty Taylor Williams et al, 3/25th interest in tract of land in Floyd County.

Charles Brent Sanders et ux to Ed Logan et ux, Lot 40, Blk. 2, Steen Place Addition, Floydada.

Hazel Swepton to White Mortuaries, Inc. (DBA Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home), Lots 5, 6 and 7, Blk. 86, Floydada.

Caprock Plains Federal Land Bank Association of Plainview to FNB Lockney, Lots 3, 4 & 5, Blk. 73, Floydada.

Blucbonnet Savings Bank FSB to Michael Leon Gilbert et ux, South 45' of Lots 14, 15 & 16, and North 10' of closed East-West alley, Blk. 21, Lockney.

Dale Goen to Larry S. Jones, 1/2 interest in South 25' of Lots 20, 21 & 22, Blk. 71, Floydada.

Donald Lee Terrell et ux to Jerry Wofford et ux, Lots 9, 10, 11 & 12, Blk. 82, Floydada.

Betty Jean Campbell to Ken Vance Campbell et al, undivided 1/4 interest in 200 A. tract in Floyd County.

Floyd County Historical Museum, Inc. to Frank Morales Jr., Lots 12 & 13, Blk. 99, Floydada.

Rose Mary Perez et al to Jay E. Lowery et ux, Lots 12 & 13, Blk. 99, Floydada.

Frances Sims to Don Hardy et ux, Lots 25, Blk. 62, Floydada.

Golden Louise Nabors et al to Don Hardy et ux, Lot 25, Blk. 62, Floydada.

J.E. Pollan et ux to James Farrington Pollan, West 37 1/2' of Lot 10 & East 1/2 of Lot 11, Blk. 43, Floydada.

A.T. Thrasher et ux to Tommy Ray Assiter et ux, Lots 17, 18 & East 15' of Lot 19, Blk. 70, Floydada.

Pay and Save, Inc. to The Most Reverend Michael J. Sheehan, Bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Lubbock, Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 & 15, Blk. 95, Floydada.

Sweepstakes case settled

By Mary Jane Shanes

After 17 months of negotiations, the attorney generals from 10 states have reached a \$2.1 million settlement with Watson & Hughey, an Alexandria, VA, direct-mail solicitation firm, and six look-alikes. The settlement, the largest ever reached in a charitable solicitations case, was sparked by deceptive sweepstakes campaigns in 1988.

Legitimate charities, including the American Cancer Society, in Connecticut, Illinois, Massachusetts, Minnesota, New Jersey, New York, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Virginia and Washington, will share the proceeds.

Texas and Missouri had independently negotiated settlements with the defendants earlier.

The six charities named in the suit were the Cancer Fund of America, Knoxville, TN; Pacific West Cancer Fund, Seattle, WA; the Walker Cancer Research Institute, Inc., Edgewood, MD; the American Heart Disease Prevention Foundation, VA; Project Cure, Inc., WA; and Adopt-A-Pet, OK.

It is generally acknowledged that respondents to the sweepstakes appeal thought they were giving to such charities as the American Cancer Society.

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County defines JP precincts

By Juanita Stepp

The four Justice of the Peace Precincts in Floyd County will cover the same areas as the precincts for the four county commissioners do in the future. This action was taken by the Floyd County Commissioners Court at a special called session on Friday, October 25. Motion for the action was made by Precinct 4 Commissioner Howard Bishop with a second by Precinct 2 Commissioner Floyd Jackson. The vote on the matter was unanimously in favor.

In the wording of the motion, the court orders that the boundaries of the Justice of the Peace Precincts correspond with the Floyd County Commissioner Precincts in all respects. The precinct

numbers and the areas of the county covered by each will be identical. The boundaries of JP Precincts 1 and 4 will match Commissioners Precincts 1 and 4 and the boundaries of JP precincts 2 and 3 will be identical to the Commissioners Precincts 2 and 3.

The equalization was made following the redistricting of the county as required by changes in population and ethnic distribution according to the 1990 Census.

The court also ordered the payment of an account with Cornelius Conoco Service for diesel fuel for Commissioner Precincts 1 and 4. Motion for the unanimous action came from Precinct 1 Commissioner Connie Bearden with a second by Bishop.

Precinct 3 Commissioner George Taylor made a motion for approval of a budget amendment decreasing the amount set aside to pay liability insurance premiums by \$3,182.49. Bearden provided the second for the motion which passed with all in favor.

Taylor also made a motion for approval of two farm work contracts. Jackson made the second and the motion passed unanimously. Farm work was approved for Dan B. Smith and Easton Blenden.

Present for the session were Judge Bill Hardin, and Commissioners Connie Bearden, Floyd Jackson, George Taylor and Howard Bishop.



I HOPE I CATCH A BIG ONE--Robin Hood paid his quarter and made a stop at the Fishing Booth set up at Lockney Elementary's Pumpkin Patch Carnival, Saturday night. The gym and the cafeteria were full of booths featuring a variety of games for children. The children

either stopped at the Pumpkin Patch for food and games before or after trick or treating on Saturday. Robin Hood was rewarding with a bag of goodies from the "big fish" in back of the booth.

Staff Photo

South Plains consumers warned about loan scams

Consumers and small business owners in the South Plains must be on their guard against a national epidemic of bogus "guaranteed" loan programs preying on victims of the hard times resulting from the lingering economic recession and the credit crunch that have dried up many legitimate loan sources, the Better Business Bureau of the South Plains warned in issuing an urgent Council of Better Business Bureaus (CBBB) National Consumer Alert on advance-fee loan scams.

"This may be the fastest-growing fraud that South Plains residents are being exposed to right now," said Nan Campbell, President of the BBB of the South Plains. "Advance-fee loan schemes are particularly cruel since they take up-front money from extremely vulnerable consumers — the unemployed, people with bad credit and

small business owners desperate for capital — and then deliver absolutely nothing in return."

Advance-fee loan schemes, in which phony "guaranteed" loans are promised in exchange for front-end payments of as little as \$100 or as much as \$100,000 or more, have triggered tens of thousands of consumer complaints and inquiries about scores of bogus and suspect advance-fee loan firms to Better Business Bureaus (BBBs) across the U.S. According to the alert being issued, Bureaus are reporting that the recession-fueled surge in advance-fee loan scams now accounts for their largest or fastest-growing category of complaints.

Campbell said, "Our goal is to make sure that consumers think twice before they part with their money, because this is definitely a 'look before you leap' situation."

The current national epidemic in advance-fee loan schemes is now being promoted through "Money to Lend" and other classified advertisements in local and national newspapers, magazines and tabloids. It is being fueled by mail pitches, radio spots and ads placed on local cable television channels. Toll-free "800" numbers and "900" numbers resulting in charges on the customer's phone bill also are being used to spread the false promise of "Bad Credit — No Credit — No Problem" loans for those in

need. Not all victims of advance-fee loan schemes are individuals who are out of work or otherwise down on their luck. The tight credit market has created a golden opportunity for advance-fee loan promoters who now are targeting business owners searching for new sources of credit. In addition to offering the illusion of "instant" capital, con artists also may try to reel in small businesses with talk of rock-bottom interest rates of as little as 6 percent and other "easy financing" terms. Unlike the relatively small sums asked on an up-front basis of individuals, the business community victims of advance-fee loan scams may be hit for substantial sums of several thousand and even hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Explained Campbell: "The hard facts are that if the money or credit you desire is unavailable through normal channels, it is unlikely to be found through a classified advertisement, a telemarketing 'cold call' sales pitch, a '900' number or a late-night advertisement on a cable television channel. Ask yourself: How is it that a far-away lender would be more likely than local institutions to provide me with money?"

Jimmie Jo West's Love Fund grows

Jimmie Jo West, of Floydada, made the public aware of her deadly lung disease through a newspaper story September 19, 1991.

It was learned that she would need to raise \$135,000 for a life saving lung transplant. A love fund was opened at the First National Bank, and the community went to work with bake sales, garage sales, dances, dinners and raffle

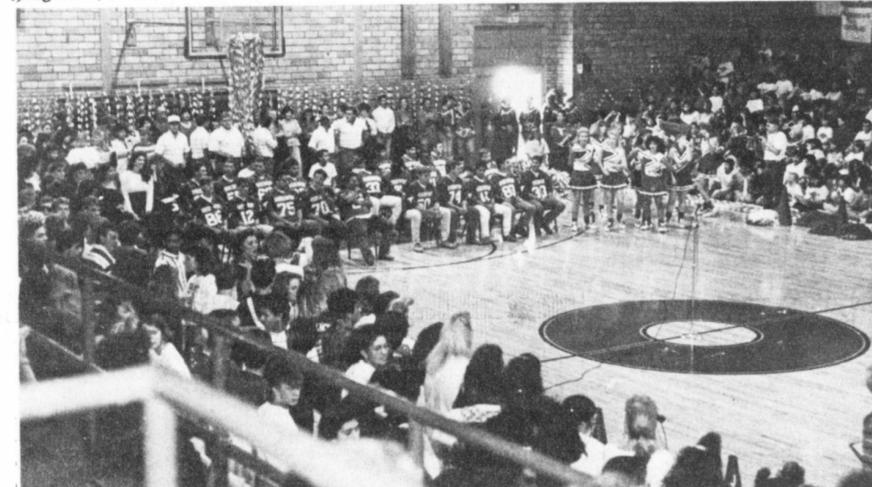
tickets.

A city wide garage sale on Punkin Days raised \$1,400; a Punkin Days craft booth raised \$1,000; a \$100 shopping spree raffle ticket sale by Pay-n-Save raised over \$1,100.

The Lions Club Pancake Supper brought in \$1,100 to the fund and a September dance at the Massie earned \$2,000.

A South Plains Halloween carnival and a Punkin Day bake sale also brought in funds to bring the current total of the Love Fund, including individual donations, to \$10,597.69.

Another dance, featuring Spanish music, which will be held Saturday, Nov. 2, at the Massie Activity Center, will also benefit the Jimmie Jo West fund.



SPIRIT FILLED PEP RALLY--A city wide pep rally was held Friday at the Floydada Junior High gym. The Whirlwinds were treated to music, cheers, and a green and white

spirit chain which circled the gym many times over.

Staff Photo

Harvest Festival set for church

The First United Methodist Church of Lockney has scheduled their 1991 Harvest Festival for Saturday, November 2. The annual affair will include lunch at noon, featuring turkey, dressing and all the trimmings, a country store and an auction.

Lunch is scheduled from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Take out orders will be available. Orders to go will need to be placed by calling the church office (652-2193) by 10:30 on Saturday morning.

Tickets are available at the church office from 9:00 until 12:00 each weekday, at the door on Saturday or by con-

tacting a member of the church. Prices for the meal are \$4.50 for adults and \$3.00 for children under 12.

A Country Store will be set up and handmade items can be purchased. The items have been donated by church members and include arts and crafts, baked goods and other small items. The store will open at 10:00 a.m.

Larger items, including a quilt made by ladies of the church, will be auctioned beginning at 1:00 p.m.

General chairmen of the event are Charlotte Brock and Shawnda Foster.

Halloween activities may be frightening to young children

Adults may frighten children more this Halloween than costumes or "haunted houses."

According to a psychologist at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, young children have difficulty distinguishing between fantasy and reality — a fact that adults may forget.

"Adults sometimes let their imaginations run wild when putting together Halloween costumes or planning activities," said Dr. Lou Ann Mock, an assistant professor of psychology at Baylor. "For example, an adult wearing a gory mask can be very frightening to a child because the mask covers the face."

If a child has existing fears and insecurities, then a frightening experience such as a visit to a haunted house can contribute to long-term problems such as fear of the dark. However, most healthy children will recover in a short period of time.

Young children often have misconceptions about reality. Parents can talk to children to help them develop ideas about what is real and can help relieve their anxiety.

"The further removed from reality, the less terrifying and more entertaining

it will become," Mock said. Nightmares are common between the ages of 5 and 7. If a child is afraid of going to sleep, parents can ask the child what would help them not to be afraid. It may be something as simple as leaving a light on in the child's room or reading a book about fears to help the child see how other children deal with fears.

"Parents should encourage children to stay in their own beds at night," Mock said. "It is not a good idea to let them sleep in bed with their parents, but, if necessary, a sleeping bag on the floor in the same room is fine for a short while."

When planning Halloween activities, consider the children's ages and developmental levels and set some limits.

"Younger children will probably be satisfied with visiting a few houses at Halloween, while children older than 7 will want to do more," Mock said.

Haunted houses are popular. Parents can ensure an enjoyable experience by going through the haunted house first and then return with the child, pointing out scary scenes.

Halloween does not have to be a nightmare for parents or children, even on Elm Street.

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Zone 5 - J. O. Dawdy



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1991 Annual Report



Ms. Ellen Enriquez, Principal at R. C. Andrews Elementary School in Floydada, accepts conservation book covers from Jon J. LaBaume, SCS, during a fifth grade assembly program. Others shown are Mrs. Larry Benjamin and Ms. Anna Letta Bradshaw. Book covers were bought by the District for all schools in Lockney and Floydada.



Ms. Margie Rexrode, teacher, attended a Conservation Workshop at Texas Tech University this past summer. She will incorporate the material into her teachings at Lockney Elementary.



A windbreak on director J.O. Dawdy farm protects his home. This windbreak was installed from small seedling plants. The District, at this time as in past years, is selling windbreak and wildlife trees. Please order as soon as possible at the SCS Office.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN 1991

- 522 Landowners and/or Operators assisted
- 180 Landowners and/or Operators applied practice(s)
- 11 CRP contracts signed
- 1802 CRP Acres signed
- 100 CRP contracts released to ASCS
- 3022 Acres CRP grass seeded
- 476 CRP contracts signed since program began
- 97,879 CRP Contract Acres signed since program began
- 29,805 Feet of Terraces installed
- 74,988 Feet of Irrigation Pipeline installed
- 68,249 Acres of Cropland benefitted because conservation applied on the land
- 6120 SCS Man-Hours used
- 1030 District Man-Hours used
- 33 News Articles printed
- 21 Radio Programs
- 1 Annual Report Published
- 1 Regional Meeting attended by Directors
- 1 State Meeting attended by Directors
- 12 Regular Meetings held
- 2 Special called meetings held



2174 tracts of land have been reviewed for wetland determinations according to the 1985 Farm Bill. These were finished October 1st by the Floydada SCS Office.



Due to new rules, only 11 new CRP contracts were approved for 1991. Late summer rains really improved grass stands. 97,879 acres have been entered since the program began in 1986.

CATFISH EN PAPILLOTE

- 1 tablespoon soy sauce
- 3 tablespoons dry sherry
- 2 tablespoons chopped scallions
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1/4 teaspoon ground ginger
- 4 Mississippi farm-raised catfish fillets, about 6 oz. each, cut into 2-inch cubes
- 1 red pepper, cut julienne
- 2 ounces thinly sliced ham, cut julienne
- 8 lemon slices

Combine the first 6 ingredients in a bowl. Cut 4 (12 x 12") square pieces of parchment paper. Fold each to form a triangle and open. Divide catfish among the four papers. Top with red pepper, ham and 2 slices of lemon per packet. Spoon sauce over mixture. Close each packet to form a triangle, then crimp edges to seal tightly. Arrange 2 packets on a microwave-safe plate. Microwave on High for 6 minutes. Let stand 1 minute. Repeat with remaining 2 packets. Arrange packets on serving plates and open carefully at table. Serves 4.

Nixon re-elected district director

Leslie L. Nixon, Jr. of Floydada was recently re-elected to the Floyd County board of directors October 15, 1991. Nixon represents three of the districts.

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

community entities on conservation matters.

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

As one of five individuals serving on

the district board of directors, Nixon will be responsible for district policies and procedures for carrying out the district program within the framework of the Texas soil conservation district law.

In Texas there are 211 soil and water conservation districts. Each is a legal subdivision of state government organized by local agricultural landowners with the assistance of the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board. Unlike most other legal subdivisions of state government, SWCDs do not have the powers of taxation or eminent domain. All conservation programs managed by the districts are of a voluntary nature to the landowner. All conservation programs managed by the districts are of voluntary nature to the landowner or operator or other potential users of the SWCD's programs.

Low prices prompt acreage reduction recommendation

Concern over low prices prompted the Board of Directors of Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG) to recommend a cotton Acreage Reduction Program (ARP) of 12-percent for 1992.

The increased ARP would more than double the 1991 set-aside requirement of 5-percent. It should work to limit the amount of cotton produced in 1992 and bring on stronger cotton prices in 1992.

Prices are now hovering just a little above loan values. Hopefully, an increased ARP would help bring them up to a level that more truly reflects the reality of carry-over stocks. It seems apparent that carry-over will remain well below the 30-percent stocks-to-use ratio mandated despite the estimated size of the 1991 crop.

Most growers feel they will not increase plantings by going out of the program or flexing acres into cotton from other crops. High Plains producers will likely plant cotton only on those acres eligible to receive target price protection.

"The decision to recommend a 12-percent ARP was not an easy one for the Board to make," says Donald Johnson, PCG Executive Vice President. "The primary concern of the Board was the low level cotton prices have maintained in the face of the fairly low carry-over estimate for the end of 1991."

The Board's concern over the possibility of continued low prices for lint and seed was a major factor in the decision to recommend the 12-percent ARP. The recommendation also comes closest to

satisfying the mandated 30-percent ending stocks-to-use ratio required by the 1990 Farm Bill. New flexibility provisions make it nearly impossible to predict accurately the amount of cotton that will be planted from one year to the next.

The October 10 USDA crop production estimate showed a drop in the estimates for High Plains crop reporting district 1-N and 1-S. These two districts include most of the 25-counties on the High Plains represented by PCG.

The estimate calls for High Plains production to total around 3.03 million bales, a drop of 295,000 bales from the September estimate. The opinion of many people who have closely monitored the 1991 crop is that the estimate is still several hundred thousand bales too high.

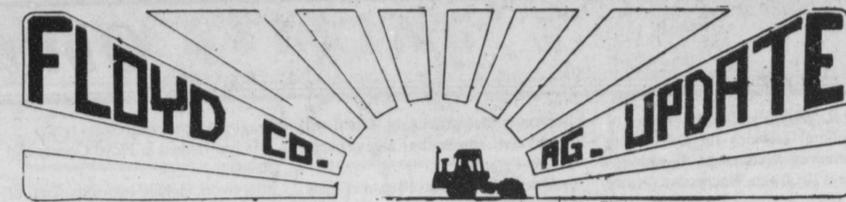
The U.S. crop estimate was lowered only about 225,000 bales despite the nearly 300,000 bale decrease in estimated High Plains production. Increases in the Delta and Mid-South partially offset the High Plains reduction to bring the U.S. crop production estimate for October down to 17.6 million bales. The ending stocks forecast for 1991 was also lowered from the September 1 estimate of 4.4 million to 3.9 million bales, further confirming that ending stocks will not be rebuilt at the end of the year.

Symbol designed for PCIP logo

High Plains cotton producers now have a symbol to look for when buying planting seed according to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG). That symbol is the new Plains Cotton Improvement Program (PCIP) logo. The logo will be used to identify new cotton varieties whose development can be directly traced to the research of Dr. John Gannaway.

Gannaway, a cotton breeder with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station in Lubbock, has been conducting research designed to enhance the quality and yield of High Plains cotton. Funding for his research comes from a 10-cent per bale check-off collected at area compresses and distributed through the Plains Cotton Improvement Committee.

The committee, made up of producers with an advisory panel of scientists and merchants, approved the new design October 1. The committee's goal is to give High Plains producers an easy-to-



True armyworms attack wheat

By C. Mark Brown
Extension Agent-Entomology (PM)
Crosby/Floyd Counties

Heavy infestations of true armyworms have been detected in field margins of wheat adjacent to grass or pasture in Briscoe County. The heaviest infestations have been in wheat planted after the September rains, where soil is fairly loose. Wheat producers in Floyd and Crosby Counties should be aware of

this situation, and should pay careful attention for stand losses along field margins—especially bordering grass-land.

True armyworms are the immature stages of dull-colored, nocturnal moths. As the name implies, these worms move out into fields in large numbers, devouring all plant material in their path. During the daytime, they hide underneath clods of soil around the base of the

plants. Larvae feed for about three weeks until they reach a length of 1-1/2 inches. Then they will pupate.

Where four to five larvae per square foot are found and seedling stand loss occurs, control measures are recommended. Suggested insecticides for controlling armyworms include Sevin 80S, Sevin XLR, Lannate, ethyl parathion, and methyl parathion.

The onset of cold weather should slow development of these worms, and hopefully prevent another generation from occurring this fall.

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identify symbol, one that identifies the improved varieties developed as a result of their enhancement program.

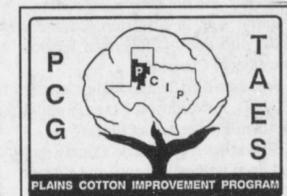
Results stemming from the improved cotton being grown on the High Plains were illustrated at the recent Texas Cotton Association (TCA) Flow/Marketing meeting in Lubbock on October 17. Over 200 cotton merchants and shippers from across the Belt gathered to exchange information concerning this segment of the cotton industry.

Several of the speakers presented information highlighting the rising quality and demand High Plains cotton has acquired in the last few years. Figures from a recent TCA survey of merchants who market approximately 50 percent of the High Plains crop each year indicate that total shipping commitments to date for the 1991 West Texas and Oklahoma crops are running at slightly over 2.25 million bales. This is more than double the level of commitments at this same time last year.

Lester Smith, with Cone Mills Greensboro, NC., said his company expects to purchase as much as 400,000 bales of High Plains cotton from the 1991 crop. He noted the efforts of the

Plains Cotton Improvement Program as one of the keys to the increasing popularity of High Plains cotton.

"In the past cotton grown on the High Plains was rated near the bottom in terms of quality," notes Gannaway. "Today High Plains cotton has moved up to second or third compared to cotton grown in the other growing regions of the U.S. and our goal is to eventually be number one."



The introduction of this new logo gives High Plains producers the ability to recognize the new varieties they helped develop through the Plains Cotton Improvement Program.

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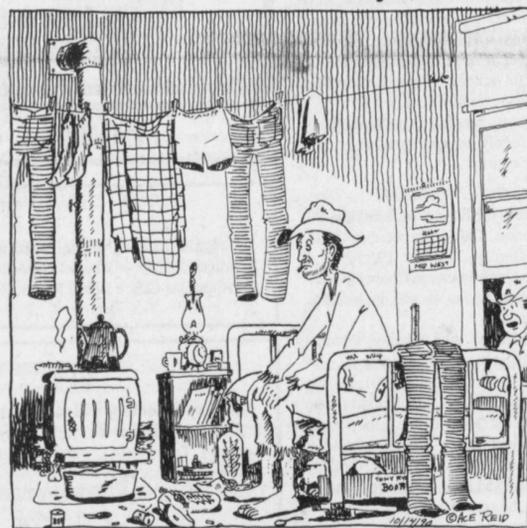


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COWPOKES

By Ace Reid



"Yore house ain't untidy, but if the police wuz called in, they'd say there's sign of a struggle!"

Herbicides kill weed seeds

Most annual winter grasses and weeds that plague lawns in late winter and early spring are ready to germinate now. The best way to stop them in the lawn is to apply a preemergence herbicide promptly, before their seeds germinate.

One of the worst pest plants that needs to be targeted now is henbit — a common lawn invader that brightens up the lawn with blue, but seldom-appreciated blossoms in late winter and early spring. Winter grasses, including winter rye, also germinate now. Most of our most beautiful spring wildflowers also sprout in the fall and need to be targeted now if they are considered to be "weeds" in a well manicured lawn.

Preemergence herbicides are chemicals that kill weed seedlings as they germinate. They are ineffective against weeds and grasses once they grow beyond the seedling stage. Apply a preemergent herbicide as a uniform, broadcast treatment to problem areas of the lawn. At least 1/2 inch of water — irrigation or rain — is needed after application to move the herbicide into the soil where it is activated.

Labeled preemergence herbicides for lawns include XL, Betasan, Balan and Princep. All of these materials will do a reasonably good job of stopping winter

weeds and grasses if applied accurately and in time.

All of these herbicides are available in granular formulations while Betasan, Princep and other preemergence herbicides labeled for lawn use also are formulated for spray application. Most home gardeners can do a more accurate job by using a granular formulation and broadcasting it as they would fertilizer. Spray application of a preemergence herbicide should be attempted only if you have a sprayer that is capable of applying a uniform, blanket spray (a hand pump-up sprayer is not acceptable). The sprayer also must be accurately calibrated.

Read and follow herbicide label directions carefully. Under application can result in no weed control while over applications may risk damage to the lawn.

Remember that preemergence herbicides can't distinguish "good seed" from "bad seed." Don't use them in a lawn or garden where you intend to plant seed this fall or next spring. The rate of the herbicide breakdown varies. Balan deteriorates rapidly and seed can be planted within two months after application, while XL deteriorates slowly and can prevent seed germination as long as a year after application.

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Obituaries

D.E. "PETE" ADAMS

Funeral services for D.E. "Pete" Adams, of Wenatchee, Washington were at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, October 30, 1991, at Telford's Chapel of the Valley with Rev. Mervyn Norwood, officiating. Interment was in the Wenatchee Cemetery. Arrangements were by Telford's Chapel of the Valley.

Mr. Adams died Saturday, October 26, 1991, at his home.

He was born March 2, 1909, at Hollis, Okla., to James T. and Tilda L. (Kellison) Adams. At a young age he moved with his parents to Quannah, where he grew up and attended school.

He married Anna V. Stephens on December 16, 1933, in Hollis, Okla., and they made their first home in Goodlet, Texas. In 1942, they moved to Slaton and then moved to Lockney in 1950 where they farmed. Mr. Adams retired in 1973 and they continued to reside in Lockney. In 1983, Mr. and Mrs. Adams moved to East Wenatchee, Washington to be near their son and his family. Mrs. Adams preceded him in death in 1987. He was also preceded in death by an infant son, three brothers and three sisters.

He married Leona Schulz MacGregor on February 14, 1991, at Wenatchee where they have made their home.

Mr. Adams was a member of Wenatchee Valley Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Wilbur Adams of Wenatchee; two step daughters, Sandy McCourt of East Wenatchee and Judy Magnusson of Leavenworth; two granddaughter; six step grandchildren; four great-grandchildren and six step great-grandchildren.

MAE D. BLEY

Funeral services for Mae D. Bley, 94, of Olton, will be at 2 p.m. Saturday, November 2, 1991, in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Mike Wilcox, pastor, and Dr. W. Wayland Stephens,

her son-in-law, officiating. Burial will be in Olton Cemetery by Foskey Funeral Home.

Mrs. Bley died at 10 p.m. Friday, October 25, 1991, in a Greenwich Conn. hospital after a seven-week illness. She was in Connecticut on a visit to her daughter.

She was born January 28, 1897 in Estelline. She moved with her family to Lockney then to Fluvanna where she graduated from high school. She had lived in Plainview before moving to Olton in 1922. She married Clarence E. Bley on May 16, 1916 in Fluvanna. He died on November 21, 1979. She and her husband had owned and operated Bleys Mercantile Dry Goods Store in Olton.

She was a member of First Baptist Church and the Olton Garden Club.

Survivors include one son, Winston of Del Rio; two daughters, Olga Dahle of Greenwich, Conn., and Paula Stephens of Stony Brook, N.Y.; 11 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Olton Cemetery Fund or Running Water Draw Care Center, both in care of Olton State Bank, or the Olton First Baptist Church Library Fund.

HOWARD BRADSHAW

Services for Howard Eulan Bradshaw, 78, of Amarillo were at 2 p.m. Wednesday, October 30, 1991, in First Baptist Church with the Revs. Wyatt Carpenter and Jim Brown, officiating. Burial was in Silverton Cemetery under direction of Robertson Funeral Directors of Clarendon.

Bradshaw died Sunday night, October 27, 1991, in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo after a brief illness.

He was born in Briscoe County and had lived in Floyd County and Claude before moving to Amarillo. He graduated from Lockney High School and during World War II worked for the

cies, Adult Education and Health Facilities, Texas Employment Commission, Salvation Army, to local churches. Special Services agencies such as Scottish Rite also to MET and South Plains Health Provider Organization.

Head Start Center Directors/teachers made a total of 466 home visits and centers showed a total of 24 different Center activities, these included RIF distribution, Mini-Fest, physicals Open House 16th September activities, cultural luncheons. Field trips and Parent Education activities.

Health Screenings for children were done by Area Nurse, Sally Rodriguez. The children were tested on the Puretone and the Tympanogram by Hearing Technician., Sylvia Sanchez. Special Services for needy children were initiated by Specialist Laura Castillo, Rafael Lopez, Jr. Education Trainer provided training in Educare, Toddler Educare, Success, TMC Model, and Sullivan Reading.

Center Directors are as follows: Rosa Contreras, Plainview Center; Alva N. Riojas, Floydada Center; Juana Hernandez, Ralls Center; Frances Saldana, Muleshoe Center; Tomas Salazar, Hereford Center; and Angie Rey for the Lubbock Center.

Texas Migrant Center is located at 1299 S. I-27 in Plainview. Ms. Ernestina Ramirez is Area Supervisor.

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Douglas Aircraft Corp.

He had farmed in Floyd County and Claude.

Survivors include two sons, Tom of Claude and David of Panhandle; and three grandchildren.

Pallbearers were L.N. Johnson, Sam Stewart, Ronald Patterson, Max Baird, Byron Williams and Cal Walker.

The family suggests memorials to the Amarillo Gideons or the emergency medical services in Claude or Panhandle.

STEVEN WAYNE BROWN

Steven Wayne Brown, 38, of Austin, born June 15, 1953, died Tuesday, October 22, 1991.

Memorial services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, October 25, 1991, in the Weed-Corley Chapel in Austin. Arrangements were by Weed-Corley Funeral Home in Austin.

He graduated from Lockney High School in 1971, attended Texas Tech University for three years and in 1984 went into business in Austin opening the 9ines Hair Salon.

Survivors include his mother, Mrs. R.C. Mitchell and his step-father, R.C. Mitchell of San Angelo; two sisters, Mrs. Jeannie Wilkes and husband, Les of Austin and Mrs. Charlotte Calahan and husband, Jack of El Paso; three nieces and two nephews.

Those desiring to make memorial contributions may make them to their favorite organization in his name.

GRACE COGSWELL

Funeral services for Grace Cogswell, 89, of Plainview were at 2 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 31, in the Ninth and Columbia Church of Christ with Dr. Terry Johnson, president of Oklahoma Christian University in Oklahoma City, and Dean Brookshire, associate minister, officiating. Burial will be in Lakeview Cemetery by Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada.

The body will be at Wood-Dunning Funeral Home until noon Thursday.

Mrs. Cogswell died early Tuesday, Oct. 29, 1991, in Central Plains Regional Hospital after a lengthy illness.

She was born Grace Alexander on Jan. 6, 1902 in Penelope. She married Dr. R. Elmer Cogswell on Dec. 29, 1929. He died in 1978.

She taught school in Alamogordo and Clovis, N.M., and in Floydada and Dimmitt. During World War II, she worked as a lab technician. She was a member of Plainview's Ninth and Columbia Church of Christ.

Survivors include two sisters, Winnie Hambricht of Marble Falls and Ethel Hambricht of Floydada; and one brother, Leonard Alexander of Floydada.

RUFUS EMMONS

Services for Rufus Emmons, 85, of Midland were at 2 p.m. Saturday, October 26, 1991, in First United Methodist Church with the Revs. Russell Parchman and J.B. Stewart, officiating.

Masonic burial was in Midland's Resthaven Memorial Park under direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Emmons died Wednesday, October 23, 1991, in Midland Memorial Hospital after an illness.

He was born in Chillicothe and had lived in Richmond, Henderson, Matarador and Floydada before moving to Midland in 1955. He married Ethel Bates on August 4, 1934, in Fort Worth. He was a graduate of Texas A&M University, where he also earned a master's degree. He had taught and served as an administrator for schools in Midland. He had also worked with the extension program in Henderson.

He was a member of Midland Masonic Lodge No. 623, Texas Retired Teachers Association, Texas A&M Lettermans Association, Texas A&M Alumni Associations and First United Methodist Church of Midland.

Survivors include his wife; a son, James of Austin; and two brothers, Clyde of Arlington and Claude of Irving.

The family suggests memorials to the Association of Retarded Citizens at First United Methodist Church.

JESS GLOVER

Services for Jess Daniel Glover, 94, of Floydada were at 2 p.m. Tuesday, October 29, 1991, in the Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home Chapel with J.N. Richardson, elder of New Salem Primitive Baptist Church, officiating.

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

He died at 5 a.m. Sunday, October 27, 1991, at his residence.

He was born in Merkle and moved to Floyd County in 1916 from King County. He married Bessie Hatley on October 20, 1920, in Floydada. He was a veteran of World War I. He was a farmer.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Juaneal Krambeck of Des Moines, Iowa; a son, Jesse Tresmon Glover of Madill, Okla.; a brother, Kermit Glover of Floydada; five grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

OSCAR GROSS

Services for Oscar "Buck" Gross, 79, of Azle, were at 2 p.m. Tuesday, October 29, 1991, in Hale Center Church of Christ with Maurice Tisdell, minister of Canyon Lake Church of Christ, and Silas Short, minister of the Hale Center Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was in Hale Center Cemetery under direction of Freeman Funeral Home.

He died at 8:30 a.m. Saturday, October 26, 1991, at Medical Plaza Hospital in Fort Worth after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Hale County. He moved to Floyd County and attended school at Sand Hill in Floyd County. He was married to Wilma Shackelford Pierce on December 29, 1945, in Floydada. He moved to Cotton Center in 1947. He later moved to Dimmitt in 1959. He moved to Zapata in 1972. He lived in Canyon Lake in 1981 and resided in Azle the past two months. He was a retired farmer and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, John L. Gross of Lubbock, Keith Gross of Longview and Darrell Pierce of Washington, Ill.; one daughter, Bernadene Tiner of Azle; one brother, Vernon Gross of Lockney; 13 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

The family suggest memorials to a favorite charity.

ROYACE A. MADDOX

Services for Royace A. Maddox, 90, of Ventura, California were at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, October 19, 1991, at Charles Carroll Funeral Chapel in Ventura. Masonic burial was in Ventura, California.

Mr. Maddox died Sunday, October 13, 1991, at his home in Ventura.

He was born October 4, 1901. He was the son of J.R. and Lydia Maddox, who were the first family to live in the present Floyd County jail. Mr. Maddox's father was deputy sheriff under J.A. Grigsby for awhile and then was elected sheriff in 1926, he served one term.

Maddox grew up in Floydada and graduated from Floydada High School. He was in the restaurant business in California.

Preceding him in death was a sister, Evelyn Deakins, and a brother, Clarence Maddox.

Survivors include one sister, Dola Lackey of Floydada; and nieces and nephews.

LEM PARSONS

Services for Lem Parsons, 93, of Spur were at 2 p.m. Saturday, October 26, 1991, in First Baptist Church with the Revs. Norris Taylor of Idalou and Genoa Goad, pastor of the church, officiating.

Burial was in Spur Memorial Cemetery under direction of Campbell Funeral Home.

Parsons died at 7:05 Thursday night, October 24, 1991, in St. Mary of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock after a brief illness.

He was born in Bosque County and was a longtime resident of the Dickens-Cosby Counties area. He married Mamie Grizzle on January 13, 1918, in Calgary. She died June 19, 1927. He married Edith Fisher on September 1, 1939, in Afton. He was a farmer and a Baptist. Two sons preceded him in death, Henry died in 1956 and Sam in 1968.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Mark of Ava, Mo., Curt of Hamlin and Sheldon of Spur; three daughters, Edith Pierce of Albuquerque, N.M., Vivian Roberson of Floydada and Jan Brown of Idalou; 19 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and eight great-great-grandchildren.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

MARIE PRICE

Services for Marie Price, 74, of Petersburg were at 2 p.m. Thursday, October 24, 1991, in the First Baptist Church in Idalou. Bro. James Price of Shallower officiated, and Rev. Calvin Gray, pastor, assisted.

Burial was in Idalou Cemetery under the direction of White Funeral Home.

She died at 3:40 p.m. Tuesday, October 22, 1991, at St. Mary of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock after a brief illness.

She was born in Matador. She attended school in Matador. She married C.C. "Tip" Price on December 25, 1932 in Motley County. She was a homemaker and a member of Idalou First Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by one daughter, Genatta Davis in 1982 and one grandson, Chad Wilson in 1981.

Survivors include two daughters, Larve Wilson of Nolan and Loratta McClesky of Lubbock; a brother, Jack Harris of Tuscon, AZ; six grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Texas Migrant Council uses volunteers for summer phase

Texas Migrant Council closed their Summer Phase program having served a total of 572 children and 401 families through Head Start Centers located in Ralls, Floydada, Plainview, Muleshoe, Hereford, and summer sites in Lubbock, Dimmitt and Plainview II.

The summer program began with Pre-Service Training for new and existing staff in the following areas: Child Abuse Prevention, Communications, Supervision, Career Assessment, Food Preparation, Maintenance, Stress, Time Management, Goal Setting, Classroom Management, Sanitation, Self-Esteem, Substance Abuse, Infant Educare, Toddler Educare, Success, TMC Model, Sullivan Reading, CPR-CPR Re-certification, Disaster & First Aid Training, USDA Training for Food Preparation.

Soila Reyes, Parent Involvement/Social Services reported a total of 1,364 parent volunteer hours and 271 parent volunteers, 50 community volunteers and 110 community volunteer hours plus 23 summer youth volunteers.

A total of 87 referrals were made through the center for Social Service/assistance and an additional 77 referrals were made through the Regional Office in Plainview. These referrals encompassed a variety of needs including food/shelter, clothes, gasoline, education, and medical.

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Floyd County's Red Cross elects officers and chairmen

The American Red Cross of Floyd County has recently met and elected officers and committee chairmen. The chapter is in the process of its membership drive. The cost of being a member is \$1.00 per person. This money goes to the Floyd County ARC and each member can vote and be elected to the board.

An Award Recognition dinner, in honor of all the volunteers, is planned for December in the Methodist Church fellowship hall. A potluck supper will be served.

Also planned is a fund raising garage sale on January 17 and 18. Residents are asked to save their Christmas discards for this fund raising project.

The Floyd County Chapter of the American Red Cross is currently in great need of several supplies. Some of the items needed are: TV, VCR, copy machine or 100+ copies from several

business, word processor, old suitcases, old trunks, old ice chest, folding tables and chairs, water jugs, fans, cleaning supplies, paper goods, office supplies and garage sale items for January.

The current board officers are Sharon Hinton, chapter chairman; Rosie Rendon, first vice-chairman; Tammie Shuping, second vice-chairman; Billie Jordan, treasurer; Gary Vick, secretary; and Charles Bradford, chairman of volunteers.

Committee chairmen are: Helen Teepie, disaster services; Rhonda Guthrie, health and safety services; Susan Green, youth services; Tammie Shuping, nursing services; Nathan Mulder, HIV/AIDS education; Helen Teepie and Edwina Hollums, public relations/fund raising.

The next FCARC meeting will be Nov. 4 at 6 p.m. in the FCARC office.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE

A regular meeting of the Board of Directors for Floyd County Central Appraisal District will be held on Monday, November 4, 1991 at 9:00 a.m. in the Appraisal Office Board Room, Room 107, County Courthouse.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City of Lockney will accept bids for a Mechanical Street Sweeper until 8:00 a.m., November 15, 1991, at City Hall, 218 E. Locust St., P.O. Box 387, Lockney, Texas 79241, with the following (or similar) specifications:

MECHANICAL STREET SWEEPER

Three (3) wheel sweeper
Pressurized cab with integral ROPS structure
With limb guards
Air conditioner and heater
Two-speed windshield wiper
Sliding side windows
Multi-adjustable seat for height and weight, spring-suspended with shock absorber, seat belt & 2 arm rests
Dual west coast type, 2 large dual parabolic mirrors
Gauges: speedometer/odometer, tachometer, hourmeter, engine oil pressure, engine water temperature, voltmeter, fuel gauge, gutter broom position indicators
Indicators: Water spray, low engine oil, high engine temperature, low hydraulic oil level alarm, air restriction and high beam
Diesel engine: Displacement - 500 cu. in. (8.2L), Horsepower - 175 HP
Pure hydrostatic drive - Foam filled front tire
Sealed beam headlights, combination stop and tail lights, self cancelling turn signals with two-way hazard flasher, back up lights, gutter broom spotlights
Full hydrostatic power steering
Electronic backup alarm, hopper warning alarm
Vehicle movement lockout, horn
High dump hopper
Double gutter brooms
Tuf grip disposable segments
Tool free gutter broom settings, in-cab controls
Revolving Dome light

TRADE-IN 1980 FMC Wayne Street Sweeper with double gutter broom. Model 2-4AHD

Bids must show CASH PRICE TRADE and CASH PRICE WITHOUT TRADE.

The City Council reserves the right to waive all formalities, to reject any or all bids and to negotiate with the bidder of their choice.

ATTEST:
Erma Lee Duckworth
City Secretary

SIGNED:
Kenneth Wofford
Mayor

10-31, 11-7

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VIDEO MANIA, GAMES and pool tables. 2 hours/week. Supplement your income, net \$2000 year. 983-2912

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CARD OF THANKS

To Rev. Bill Wright, Lockney Funeral Home, Schacht's Floral and all our friends, We would like to acknowledge with grateful appreciation your phone calls, cards, flowers, food and your kind expression of sympathy.

The family of Ethel (Mrs. Box) Knox
10-31c

On behalf of the Upstairs Theater of the Floydada First United Methodist Church, I want to take this opportunity to thank the people of Floydada and the surrounding area for their support of our production, "Steel Magnolias." The response was truly overwhelming. I hope you enjoyed this play and will plan to attend others in the future.

Sincerely,
Grant Hambright
10-31c

Real Estate Advertising

All real estate advertised in this newspaper is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act of 1968 which makes it illegal to advertise "any preference, limitation or discrimination based on race, color, religion, or national origin, or an intention to make any such preference, limitation or discrimination."

This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. Our readers are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised in this newspaper are available on an equal opportunity basis.

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express my appreciation for all who responded with abundant generosity for the town wide garage sale, benefiting Jimmie Jo West.

Special thanks go to Alice Gilroy for helping me so sweetly with the notices in the paper.

Special thanks go to Roxanna Cummings and her mother, Evelyn Branch, for calling and offering the Lamplighter Inn. Their willingness to do anything they were asked made it a joy to work with them.

And to the many volunteers who came every day and worked so hard, another very special thanks. I believe we each felt and received a blessing. You worked very hard and did not quit until the job was done.

Also, thanks to the people who brought sacks and hangers.

To the businesses who helped and each person who brought things to be sold, I can't thank you enough. Because of your generous offers that kept coming and coming we were able to do this.

I will not try to name each person who donated to the garage sale items, but say to all who helped, May Gods richest blessings be yours.

Businesses, churches and others who helped were Hesperian, Mr. T Cleaners, Davis Lumber, Hale's Department Store, Radio Station, Cable TV, Script Printing, Dixie Dog, Cornelius Conoco Service, Nielson's Restaurant, New Salem Primitive Baptist Church, and Senior Citizens.

Also helping were Nick Long, Charles Bradford, David Lee, Hershel Hammons, Lane Decker, Dan Hagood, Robert Stovall, Darlene Stovall, and Stan Self.

Garage sale volunteers were Ernestine Gilly, Juanita Henry, Delores Cannon, Betty Chowning, Helen Lipham, Geraldine Gentry, Dorothy Neff, Betty Mae Boldeker, Edna Patton, Pauline Nash, Lee Moss, Eleanor Hendrix, Elaine Reid, Shirley Varner, Agnes Baker, Janice Davis, Grace Grundy and Clorine Holliday.

Please forgive me if I have left anyone out.
Thank you from the bottom of my heart,
Sandra Noland
10-31c



FARM EQUIPMENT

STEEL BUILDINGS - Must sell two steel buildings from cancellation. One is 40x40, brand new, sell for balance owed. Call Bob, 1-800-552-8504.

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FARMS FOR SALE

TWO 160 ACRE DRYLAND tracts. One located in the Liberty area and the other in the Fairview area. Call Larry S. Jones, Broker at 983-2052.

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313 ACRES OF DRYLAND and grass north of Lockney. Call Larry S. Jones, Broker at 983-2052.

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AN IRRIGATED TRACT of 257 acres west of McCoy, located on the highway. Call Larry S. Jones at 983-2052.

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IRRIGATED FARM FOR SALE at South Plains. Call 806-792-6987.

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FOR RENT

TRAILER HOUSE for rent. 222 E. Marivena, 983-5043.

10-31p

GARAGE SALES

FLOYDADA

INSIDE GARAGE SALE: First Assembly of God Church, 701 West Missouri, Saturday, 9:00 - ?

10-31p

HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED: Mechanical and welding experience needed. Thrasher Sand & Gravel. Call 983-2891.

11-21c

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FOR SALE BY OWNER: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, den w/fireplace, 1859 square feet living area, single car garage with carport. Good location near junior high. 1110 South 4th Street. 983-3629 after 6 p.m.

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2 BEDROOM, FORMAL DINING. 423 W. Jackson. Lease purchase/owner carry. 806-792-3587.

10-31p

FOR SALE BY OWNER: 3-2-2 brick home. Fireplace, sprinkler system. Best part of town. Evenings, 983-3253.

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FOR SALE: Fruit home in Floydada. For details call Weldon or Jane. 806-983-2040.

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BEAUTIFUL-BUCK GALLOWAY built 3/2/2 home. Great location. Call Sam Hale Real Estate for appointment, 983-3261.

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2/1/1 - BY OWNER, 416 W. Ollie, \$16,000, 983-5842 or 799-2579.

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REDUCED - Our home, 3 bedroom, isolated master, 2 baths, 2 living areas, formal dining, ceiling fans, sprinklers, well landscaped. Needs nothing but a loving family. Call Ray Reed, 983-3998.

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NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY - Price reduced on several of our listings. Call Sam Hale Real Estate at 983-3261.

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3 BEDROOM, 2 BATH, central air, fireplace, large kitchen with island, huge master bedroom with 2 large closets, fenced, west side. Call 983-3196.

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3 BEDROOM, 2 BATH, double carport, workshop behind house. Days, 983-2285; nights, 983-5610.

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MISCELLANEOUS

CARPORTS - PATIO COVERS, 10x20 carport, \$585.00. Free Estimates, 1-800-873-3271.

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WANTED - HESPERIANS 1976 - 1980, one or all. Call Neta at 983-3737 or 983-3644 after 6.

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FOR SALE: Large upright freezer, \$100.00, 983-2040.

10-31p

FOR SALE: Pecan fire wood, \$90.00 cord. Call 652-3405.

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FOR SALE: Queen size waterbed (hibernation series) with 6 drawer underdresser, excellent condition, \$85.00, 983-2101.

10-31p

BICYCLE for sale. Men's blue Murray, almost new, \$50.00, 983-3937.

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MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE: Brown cloth rocker, excellent condition, \$50. Call 983-5436.

10-31c

DELICIOUS PUMPKIN HONEY recipe. Send \$1 and SASE to: Family Recipes, 5210 16th, Lubbock, TX 79416.

11-21p

AEROBIFLEX CLASSES in progress! A great cardiovascular-weight workout. Come join the fun! Tuesdays and Thursdays, 5:30 - 6:30 at Della Plains gym. (Possible Saturday morning class). For more information call Kay at 983-5810 or 983-2584.

10-31p

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10-31p

FOR SALE: John Deere riding lawn mower, like new. 806-983-2040.

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FOR SALE: Electric wheelchair, matching folding wheelchair, bath seat for invalid, 806-983-2040.

10-31p

FOR SALE: 35 mm camera with flash and 3 lenses. Package deal. Will not sell separately. Pentax K 1000, Vivitar 49 mm lens, Vivitar 52 mm-135 mm telephoto, 28 mm Caranar wide angle, Minolta auto 25 flash. \$175.00. Call 983-3737.

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PERSONAL

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10-31p

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10-31p

SERVICES

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DON'S MUFFLER SHOP - All types of exhaust work, pickup and delivery, free estimates, 210 W. California, Floydada, TX. 983-2273. Out of town call 1-800-866-3670.

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WANTED

WANTED: Regulation size pool table in good condition, 983-2101.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF LELLA MAE PRUITT, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original letters Testamentary for the Estate of Lella Mae Pruitt, Deceased, were issued October 14, 1991, to Weldon Pruitt, who resides in Floyd County, Texas, and to Wanda Marie Pruitt Hogue, who resides in Harris County, Texas, as Independent Co-Executors, which Estate is being administered in Cause No. 5127 in the County Court of Floyd County, Texas, in probate.

All persons having claims against the Estate of Lella Mae Pruitt, Deceased, which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law to either Weldon Pruitt or Wanda Marie Pruitt Hogue, whose mailing addresses are:

WELDON PRUITT
911 W. Virginia
Floydada, Texas 79235

WANDA MARIE PRUITT HOGUE
11934 Moorcreek Dr.
Houston, Texas 77070

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REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

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Bids will be received at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 p.m., November 14, 1991, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Jim Combs, Resident Engineer, Brownfield, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Division of Construction and Contract Administration, D.C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

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First Baptist Church holds Fall Revival November 3-8

First Baptist Church in Floydada will be hosting their Fall Revival Nov. 3-8. Sunday services are scheduled for 11 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Weekday services, Monday through Friday, will be at 12 noon and 7:00 p.m.

Special emphasis for the week will include the following:

Monday: Baptist Men's Breakfast at 7:00 a.m.; and Sunday School night.

Tuesday: Children's Hot Dog Supper, 6:00 p.m., for grades 4 through 6; and Children's night.

Wednesday: Youth Breakfast, 7:00 a.m.; Youth night; and Youth Fellowship, 8:15 p.m.

Thursday: Family night. Services will be led by Dr. Claude Cone, Executive Director of the New Mexico Baptist Convention.

He has served in several churches in West Texas including the Slide Road Baptist Church and Calvary Baptist, both in Lubbock. He was pastor of First

Baptist in Pampa, before moving to New Mexico.

Music will be by Paul and Christy Newberry. They have been in full-time evangelism since March 1981. They have traveled throughout the United States, singing in revivals, concerts, and summer youth camps. They have participated in crusades in Brazil and Canada.

Paul was born in Dallas and has attended Hardin-Simmons University and Wayland Baptist University. He received his Master of Music degree from Hardin-Simmons.

Christy was born and raised in Floydada. After graduation from Floydada High School, Christy toured with the Continental Singers in 1975 and 1976, touring throughout Europe and South Africa. Christy also attended Wayland and received her BA from Hardin-Simmons University.

September sales tax rebates fluctuate in Floyd County

Sales tax rebate payments made to Floyd County cities in early October show an overall decrease for the month of September. Lockney exhibited a decrease while Floydada showed a small increase.

Total payments received in Floyd County to date in 1991 stand at \$132,268.47, a decrease of 0.41 percent when compared to the \$132,813.54 received at this time in 1990. Total amount received in the county for the month was \$13,030.96 as compared with \$13,626.63 received in October of 1990. This translates into a decrease of 4.37 percent county wide.

Lockney displayed a decrease of 20.94 percent from the same period in 1990. The check received by Lockney was in the amount of \$3,753.30 compared to \$4,747.48 received in 1990 at this time. Total payments to Lockney stand at \$39,865.46 as compared to \$40,775.48 to date in 1990 making the over all decrease 2.23 percent.

Floydada's check for September from the state comptroller's office was in the amount of \$9,277.66 and showed an increase of 4.49 percent over the \$8,879.15 payment received in October of 1990. Payments to date in 1991 received by Floydada total \$92,403.01, an increase over all of 0.40 percent from the \$92,038.06 received at this time in 1990.

Area cities, their September 1991 rebates and percentage of change are listed below.

Quitaque; \$684.39, -44.42
Silverton; \$1,200.38, -20.01%
Crosbyton; \$6,064.78, +8.86%

Lorenzo; \$2,145.47, +10.73%
Ralls; \$6,214.47, +36.71%
Abernathy; \$3,776.39, -35.25%
Hale Center; \$3,098.08, +5.01%
Petersburg; \$2,687.75, +38.19%
Plainview; \$1,653,49.04 +1.94%
Idalou; \$4,727.84, +31.51%
Lubbock; \$1,200,611.86, -1.16%
Matador; \$1,339.31, -24.45%
Roaring Springs; \$589.99, -78.03%
Tulia; \$17,101.57, -3.95%

Approximately \$100 million in local sales tax rebates went back to 962 Texas cities during the month, according to the state comptroller's office. Checks for this month represent taxes collected on

August sales and reported by September 15 by businesses filing monthly sales tax returns with the state.

Electronic transfer of these funds whenever possible provides local governments with instant access to their money. In return, the state saves money on the cost of paper, envelopes and postage when using electronic transfer instead of mailing the sales tax rebates.

Sales taxes are collected by merchants and forwarded to the state which retains a 6.25 percent share and returns the city sales tax portion to each city, county, hospital district or transit system. Neither Floyd County nor Lockney General Hospital District and Caprock Hospital district levies a sales tax at this time. No qualifying transit system, which could levy a sales tax, operates within the county.

All local sales taxes have been approved by local voters and may be used for any legal city expense.

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FALL REVIVAL NOVEMBER 3-8, 1991

First Baptist Church
401 S. Main Street
Floydada, Texas



Dr. Claude Cone
Preaching



Paul & Christy Newberry
Music

Sunday Services: 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.
Monday-Friday: 12:00 noon and 7:00 p.m.

Meal following Noon Service each day

Special Emphasis Nights

Nursery available for all services

CHURCH DIRECTORY

SPANISH BAPTIST MISSION
Floydada
Rev. Lupe Rando
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.
1st Wednesday:
Organization Night

SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD TEMPLO GETSEMANI
308 Mississippi
Samuel Rodriguez, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Evangelistic Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Family Night 7:30 p.m.

CARR'S CHAPEL
Service Every Sunday:
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
No Evening Services

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Rev. Robin Hoover
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Floydada
G.A. VanHoose, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
Sunday Evening Evangelistic 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Night Service 7:30 p.m.

SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH
Lockney
Father Jack Gist
Wednesday:
Communion Service 8:00 p.m.
Saturday Vigil:
Mass of Sunday 7:30 p.m.
Sunday Mass 12:30 p.m.

ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC CHURCH
Floydada
Father Adolfo L. Valenzuela
Sunday Mass 12:30 p.m.
Weekday Masses 7:30 p.m.
(Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday)
Office & Rectory Phone:
983-5878

WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST
Floydada 983-3548
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

GRACE FELLOWSHIP CHURCH
211 N. Main, Lockney
Rev. Ted Samples, Pastor
Interdenominational Church
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.

CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST
Floydada
Randall Morris, Preacher
Sunday:
8:15 a.m. KKYN Radio Broadcast
Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Spanish Assemblies 3:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

APOSENTO ALTO DE PENTECOSTAL
203 SE 2nd & College,
Lockney
652-2204
Chon Sepulveda, Pastor
Wednesday Evening 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship 5:00 p.m.

MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST
Lockney
Perry Zumwalt, Minister
Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m.
Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

WEST COLLEGE CHURCH OF CHRIST
West College & Third,
Lockney
Frank Duckworth, Evangelist
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 8:00 p.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
Providence Community
Gary Kleypas, Pastor
Sunday School & Adult Bible Class 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

IGLESIA DEL REY JESUS
404 E. 6th St., Lockney
Lupe Banda, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday:
Youth Service 7:30 p.m.

GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
John Williams, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Monday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday:
Prayer Service 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Service 7:30 p.m.

TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM
Lockney
Israel Tapia, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Christian Training 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
Floydada
Bob Chapman
Sunday:
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m.
Evening Service 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday:
Evening Services 7:30 p.m.

TEMPLO BETHEL SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Washington and 1st St.
Lockney - 652-2181
Gabriel W. Ortiz, Pastor
Olga L. Martinez,
Youth Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
Floydada
Rev. Ralph Jackson
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
BTU 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Mid-Week Prayer 7:00 p.m.
Thursday:
Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH
Clay Burdette, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA
Rev. Herman Martinez
308 W. Tennessee
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Prayer Service 2:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Tuesday:
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Thursday Service 7:30 p.m.

FRIENDSHIP CHAPEL CME
Floydada
Rev. James Jenkins
Sunday 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday:
Bible Study 8:00 p.m.

PRIMER IGLESIA BAUTISTA
Rev. Pedro Reyes
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

Church Directory Published Courtesy Of The Following Businesses:

- Brown's Department Store**
106 N. Main - Lockney - 652-3831
- City Auto**
201 E. Missouri - Floydada - 983-3767
- Clark Pharmacy**
320 N. Main - Lockney - 652-3353
- Davis Lumber**
102 E. Shurbet - Lockney - 652-3385
- Garcia's OK Tire Store**
308 S. Main - Floydada - 983-3370
- Sponsor Needed**
- Lighthouse Electric Cooperative**
Matador Highway - Floydada - 983-2184
- Lockney Co-op Gin**
West of City - Lockney - 652-3377
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221 S. Main - Floydada - 983-3787
- Pay-n-Save**
210 N. Main - Lockney - 652-2293
- Plains Electric Co.**
106 S. Main - Lockney - 652-2133
- Sponsor Needed**
- Schacht Flowers, Jewelry & Gifts**
112 W. Poplar - Lockney - 652-2385
- Thompson Pharmacy**
200 S. Main - Floydada - 983-5111
- Wilson Aerial Spraying**
Lockney - 652-2719

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Lockney
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 10:50 a.m.
UMY 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
United Methodist Women,
Hill Circle,
3rd Tuesday 9:30 a.m.
Ruth Wesley Circle,
2nd and 4th
Mondays 10:30 a.m.

TRINITY CHURCH
500 W. Houston Floydada
Ed Cooper, Pastor
Interdenominational Church
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Floydada
Rev. Howell E. Farnsworth Jr.
Sunday:
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Adult Church Training 6:00 p.m.
R.A.'s, G.A.'s, Mission Friends 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Evening Meal 6:00 p.m.
Acteens 6:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
Youth Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Floydada
Bill Wright, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Youth Fellowship 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Floydada
Claude Porter, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Bible Study 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Lockney
Dr. Fred Meeks, Interim Pastor
Greg Blair, Youth Minister
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
R.A.'s 5:30 p.m.
G.A.'s 2nd & 4th Wed. 4:00 p.m.
Discipleship Training 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
Youth Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
(Jr. High & High School)
Kids of The King
Childrens Choir 7:00 p.m.
Adult Choir 7:45 p.m.
Saturday:
Men's Prayer Meet. 7:30 p.m.
1st & 3rd Mondays:
Baptist Women 3:00 p.m.

EVANS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Sammy Hollaway
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Afternoon Worship 2:00 p.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
Floydada
Jim Jackson, Pastor
Sunday: Congregational
Singing 10:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH
Ernest Stewart, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH
Travis Curry, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.

Punkin Day visitors compete in array of events

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By 10:00 a.m., Saturday morning, tables were full of all shapes and sizes of pumpkins, corn and squash competing in categories ranging from smallest to largest, best carved and best painted.

For the third year, Herman Hoffman of Panhandle, Texas, won the largest pumpkin ribbon, with his 265 lb. Atlantic Giant. Hoffman said he planted the giant on May 11 and harvested it on September 13.

The smallest pumpkin category was won by Cienna Carthel. Cienna also won 1st, 2nd and 3rd with her "prettiest corn".

The ugliest gourd category was won by Na'Lyn Simpson.

The best painted pumpkin in the 12 and under division was won by Christy Hale, first; Ashley Hale, second, and Heather Ware, third.

In the 13 and over category of the best painted pumpkin, Gail Hale won first; Maggie Perry won second and third place.

The Best Carved division, 12 and under, was won by: Meredith Schacht, first and Danny Huggins, second. Kelly Williams won first, second and third place in the over 12 division.

Kathy Alley pleased the judges with her pumpkin pie and was awarded with the first place blue ribbon. Darlynn Hambright placed second and Elaine LaBaume was third.

5K & FUN RUN

The 5K race kicked off promptly at 10:00 a.m. and was followed by the Fun Run.

Winners of the 5K were: 14-18 years, Ronnie Hernandez, 18:48.6, first; Tiffany Ellison, 25:46.2, second; Rhonda Hickerson, 25:52.2, third;

19-29 years: Martin Riojas, 20:21.5, first; Jim Hambright, 21:39.4, second;

30-39 years: Jose Casarez, 17:47.2, first; Mark Jennings, 21:08.4, second; LaNell McCandless, 23:52.5, third;

40 and up: Joey Thacker, 18:56.9, first; John Stalcup, 22:41.4, second; Charles Hensarling, 24:50, third.

Overall winner was Jose Casarez with the fastest time of 17:47.2; Ronnie Hernandez, second, at 18:48.6; and Joey Thacker with 18:56.9.

Fun Run Winners were:

Under 6 years: Jay McGaugh, first; Marla Reeves, second, Spencer Schacht, third;

6-8 years: Tyrel Fuller, first; Lana McCandless, second, Tyler Helms, third;

9-12 years: Justin McGuire, 7:05, first; Wade Wiles, 7:14 second; Tara McCandless, 7:32, third;

13-16 years: Bryan Anderson, first, Kyle McKinnon, second;

17 years: Ronnie Hernandez, first;

26 and up: Mike Reeves, first; Bill Smith, second, and Ann Sands, third;

Strollers: Darla Keller, first; Judy Griggs, second.

FAT MAN'S RACE

Participants of the Fat Man Race were charged no entry fee but had to qualify with a sense of humor.

Bill Smith entered the "Fat Man" race with a small spare tire circling his waist, hanging by suspenders around his shoulders.

Clar Schacht ran in a Pumpkin costume and all contestants were numbered with signs such as 1000 lbs., 1100 lbs, 1200 lbs, etc. The only man without a number was a good sport from out of town who jumped in at the last minute. A paper towel was stuffed in his pocket designating him a contestant.

Winning the coveted title of "Head Fat Man" was Max Yeary.

Clar Schacht and Bobby Gilliland brought up the rear, with Schacht collapsing on the finishing line. Gilliland good naturedly pumped Schacht's chest to start the breathing again.

PUMPKIN DRAWING & CARVING CONTEST

The pumpkin drawing contest for children under 13 years of age began at 1:00 p.m. Each child was given a black marker and had one minute to draw a face on the pumpkin.

The categories and winners were as follows:

Three years and under: Jesalyn Bradley, first; Jason Nutt, second, and Dalton Ortega, third;

Four and five years: Josh Hammons, first; Stephanie Cruz, 2nd; Evan Tardy, third;

Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd grade: Ashley Robles, first; Kayla Stovall, second, Betsy Smith, 3rd;

Nine, 10, 11, and 12 years: Christiane

Leake, first; Resa Mercado, second; Shari Alanis of Muleshoe, third.

Leah Lackey won first place in the Pumpkin Carving contest. Second place was won by Gail Hale and Cindy Dudley won third. The pumpkin carvers were given three minutes to carve a pumpkin.

SEED SPITTING

The new seed spitting contest was won by Randy Duke, who managed to spit a pumpkin seed 29 feet and 4 inches.

PUMPKIN ROLLING

The Pumpkin Rolling Race in the 12 and under division was won by Lisa Martinez. Mack Lackey placed second and Fabian Valdez won third.

In the 13-39 year division, Ray Morales, won first; Todd Kelley won second and Jim Hambright placed third.

In the 30 and over division, Joe Casarez of Plainview, won first; William Windfield of Lubbock, won second; and Ron Earl took third.

In the Open Class division, Carrie Summers won first, Shonda Guthrie placed second and Nicole Davis placed third.

WHEELBARROW RACE

The grand prize winners of the popular Wheelbarrow Race were Charles Bradford and David Lee. Blindfolded Bradford pushed his navigator across the finish line with a time of 11:06 seconds. Bobby Luna and Eric Luna won second.

PUMPKIN PIE RELAY

Spectators crammed the sidewalks to witness the famous Pumpkin Pie Relay Race.

The teams of four raced back and forth in front of Sue's Gifts and Hale's Department Store, cramming a piece of pumpkin pie in their mouth before touching their relay partner who raced to the other end.

Winning the relay in the 25 and up division was the City Slickers team.

Their team consisted of: Robert Luna, Jesse Rodriguez, Roel Cisneros and Brad Swaffar. Second place went to the "Outsiders" team, consisting of: Ray Morales, Sammy Mercado, Daniel Medrano and Chele Duran.

Third place went to the Slow Pacers, consisting of: Matty Martinez, Joe

Martinez, Arturo Reyes and Michael Mendoza.

In the 24 year and down division, first place was awarded to the Pumpkin Eaters team, consisting of: Jesse Castillo, Blanca Castillo, Alfred Medrano and Margaret Medrano.

Second place went to the First Baptist Youth team of: Scott Crader, Jeremy Rubio, Jammie Davis and Josh Thayer.

Third place was awarded to the Junior Junkies, consisting of: Todd Dage, Jayna Dunn, Joe Hernandez and Annette Garcia.

After the race was over, officials were approached by a Lubbock team who had not been able to run. The good natured teams of the Lions Club and the City Slickers ran one more time to give the Lubbockites some competition. The City Slickers won a second time.

The Lubbock team consisted of: Barbara Beal, Dorothy Walker, Danny Beal and another unknown member.

OTHER WINNERS

The winners of the \$50.00 Savings Bonds in the Punkin Days Poetry Contest were: Teresa Juarez of R.C. An-

draws; Jennifer Bramlett, Junior High; Heather Fondy, High School. The overall winner of the Punkin Days coloring contest was Duncan student, Bonnie Dunlap. Bonnie was also a recipient of a \$50.00 Savings Bond.

The Savings Bonds were donated by Floydada's First National Bank and the Floydada Branch of Lockney's First National Bank.

Everywhere you turned, guests were given the opportunity to win a variety of raffles.

Joyce Anderson of Crosbyton won the \$100 shopping spree from Pay-n-Save. Proceeds from the ticket sales went to the Jimmie Jo West Love Fund.

The A.B. Duncan PTA raffle, of a 2-1/2

inch screen TV was won by Joyce McQuhae of Lockney.

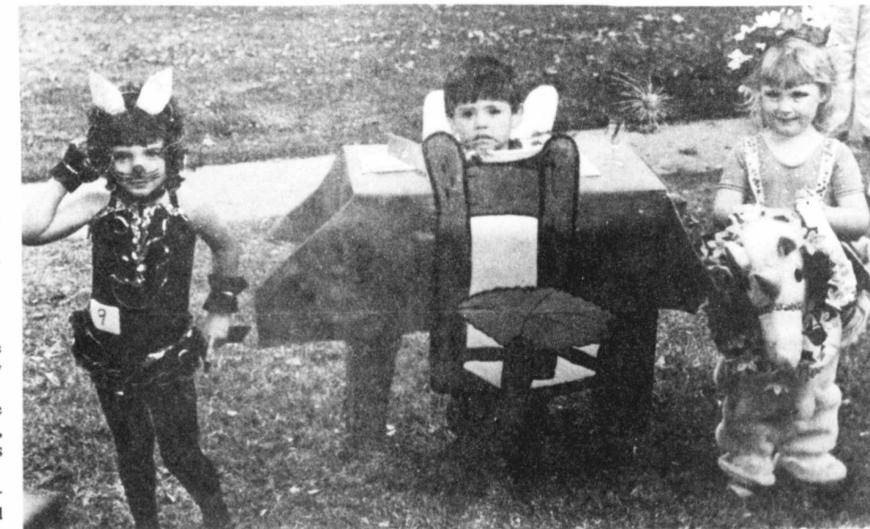
The painted pumpkin, raffled by the PTA was won by Spencer Schacht. R.C. Andrews School was painted on the pumpkin, by Gail Hale.

The Keeping You In Stitches Quilt Show awarded their Punkin Days quilt to Phyllis Smith of Floydada. Gladys Jones' quilt was picked as the best quilt displayed at the quilt show.

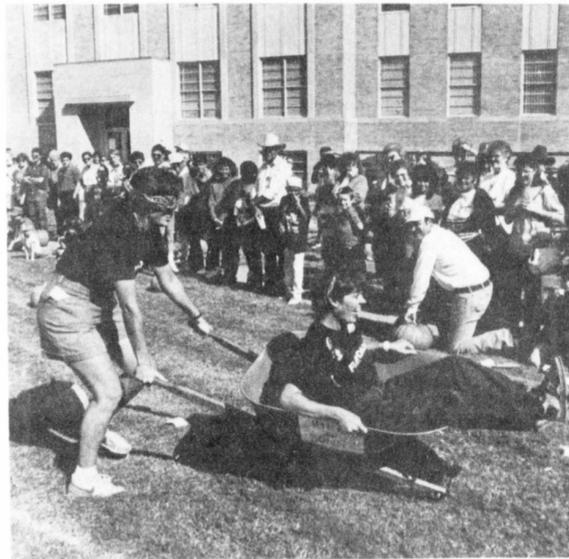
The 4-H Club awarded Trina Simpson with the grand prize \$1,000 gift certificate from Travel World. David Turner of Lockney won the 2nd place raffle prize of a pair of \$200.00 handmade roper boots. Cynthia Turner of Plainview won \$100.00 in cash.



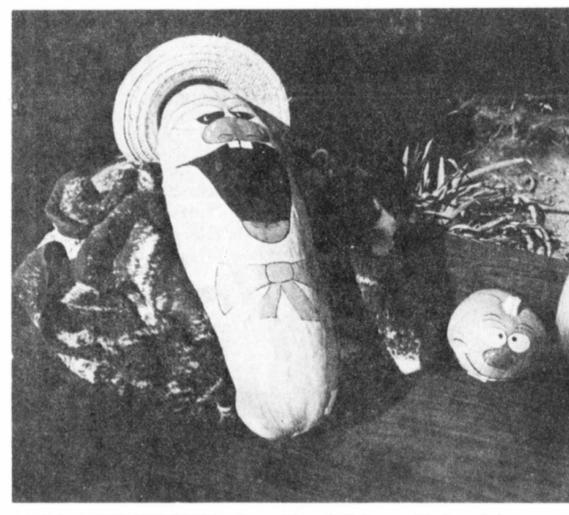
INFANT THROUGH 3-YEARS-OLD—Winners of the costume contest in the Infant through 3-year-old division were (l-r) Stacy Griggs, 3rd; Elizabeth Bertrand, 2nd, and Bristol Keller, 1st, who is being assisted by her mom, Darla. —Staff photo



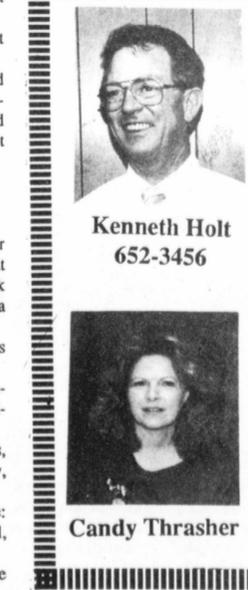
4 AND 5-YEAR-OLDS—Winners of the costume contest in the 4 and 5-year-old division were (l-r) Michael Shavhan, 2nd; Dustin Ochoa, 1st, and Meghan Graham, 3rd. —Staff photo



NO WAIT, NOT THAT WAY!—Suzanne Wyrick (in wheelbarrow) appears to be worried about where her blindfolded driver, Stacy Reeves, is taking her as the two head towards the finish line during Saturday's wheelbarrow races. The duo was just one of the teams competing in the races during Floydada's annual Punkin Days celebration. —Staff photo



ALL SHAPES AND SIZES—Pumpkins of all shapes, kinds and sizes were on display during Saturday's Punkin Day activities. The "singing" banana squash on the left lays comfortably with its straw hat and tie, while the miniature pumpkin on the right just sits there grinning. —Staff photo



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Public Notice

On July 1, 1991, Southwestern Bell Telephone filed an application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas that proposes to delete Paragraph 3.4(G) from Section 3 of Southwestern Bell's intrastate Access Service Tariff, which concerns credits where a customer uses Switched Access Service to furnish a service which has been defined to be an exchange service. The application was assigned Docket No. 10463.

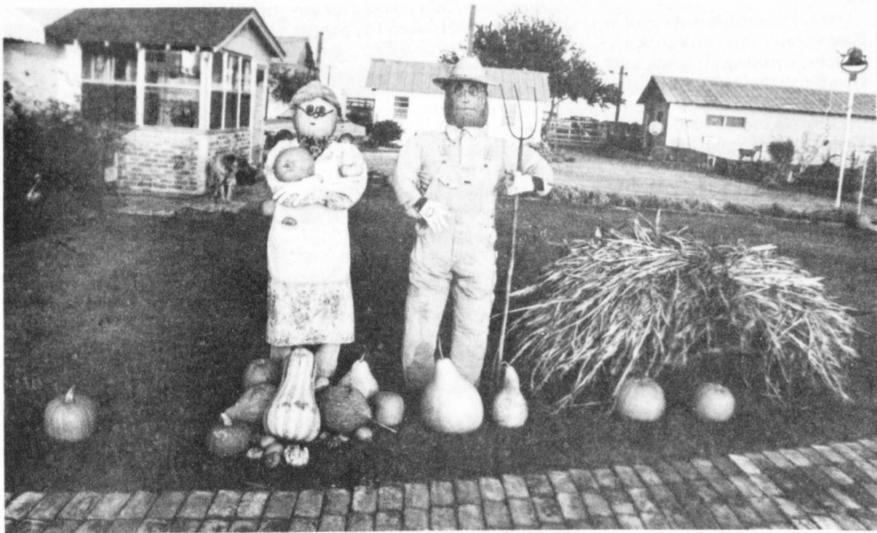
Because Southwestern Bell is not aware of any customers who presently use switched access service to furnish an exchange service, Southwestern Bell does not believe its revenues will be affected. However, certain interexchange carrier customers of switched access service have made claims under the aforementioned tariff. Such customers, but only to the extent they provide an exchange service using switched access, would be affected by this application. Based on claims made for credits (assuming such credits were allowable), Southwestern Bell's revenues would be affected by no more than \$1,168,962 annually, which is .037 percent of the Company's adjusted revenue for the 12-month period ending December 31, 1990. It is not possible to know how many interexchange carriers might believe themselves entitled to credits, but 189 carriers have registered with the Commission pursuant to PUC Substantive Rule 23.61.

The tariff, after suspension, is proposed to be effective May 1, 1992.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible, but no later than November 15, 1991. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256. The telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) number is (512) 458-0221.

Southwestern Bell Telephone

Punkin Days 1991



BEST DECORATED RESIDENCE—The home of Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Finley, 1/2 mile east of Floydada on Lee Street, received first place honors in the Best Decorated Residence category. The two pumpkin people shown are just a small portion of the pumpkins used to decorate the Finley's yard. —Staff photo



BEST DECORATED BUSINESS—The City of Floydada was awarded first place for their display in the Best Decorated Business category. —Staff photo



ADULT COSTUME WINNERS—Winners of the costume contest in the adult division were (l-r) June McGaugh and Linda Jackson, 2nd; Becky Emert, 1st, and Helen Griggs, 3rd. —Staff photo



POLICE ESCORT—Floydada Chief of Police James Hale escorts four of Floydada's Punkin Day 'guests', along with their little 'brown bags', to his car after they hung around the square a little too long Friday afternoon during the costume contest. —Staff photo



CARVING THEIR WAY OUT OF JAIL—Floyd County residents and guests of all ages were 'arrested' during Saturday's Punkin Day activities. In order for the 'prisoners' to be let out of jail they had to either carve a pumpkin or pay \$1.00. —Staff photo



HOPING THE PIES WERE COOKED—The first lap runners of the Pumpkin Pie Relay took a bite of their slice of pumpkin pie with hopes that this year's pies were cooked. The teams of four competed for ribbons during Saturday's Punkin Day events. —Staff photo



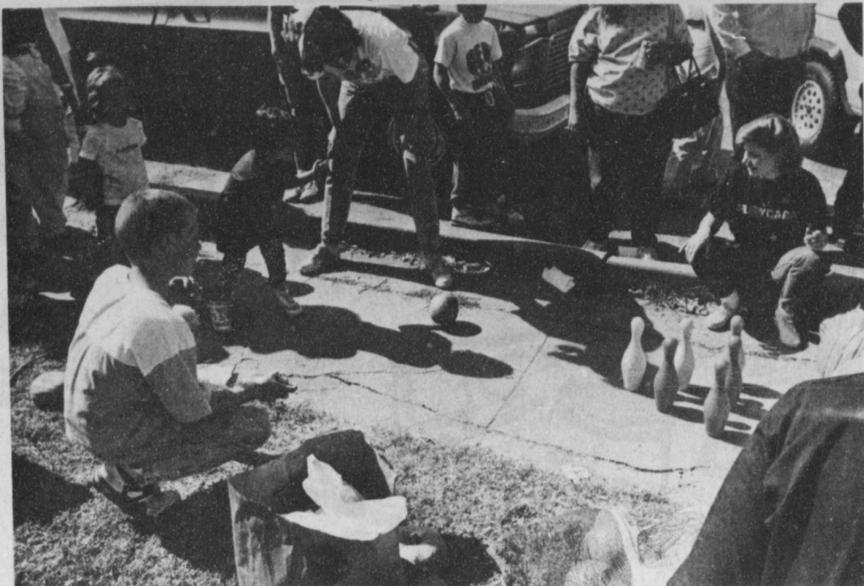
AND THEY'RE OFF—Competitors of the Fun Run and Stroller Race took off anxiously when they heard the gun go off during Punkin Days. The annual race is a mile long. —Staff photo



MY TIRE'S VISIBLE—Bill Smith (center of photo) prepares for the Fat Man's Race with his 'visible tire' during Punkin Days Saturday. One of the requirements for the race was that the entrant have a 'visible tire'. Some of the other participants in the 'race' included Clar Schacht, Bobby Gilliland, Nick Long, Mike Reeves, Paul McIntosh, Larry Guthrie and Monte Williams. Also competing was a Lubbock resident, who was in town for the activities and decided to join in the fun. Lockney Chief of Police Lennie Gilroy (left) prepares the runners for the start of the race. —Staff photo



SNACKTIME FOR 'FAT MAN' RUNNERS -- Nick Long checks in at one of the snack stops on the route of the Fat Man's Race in Floydada on Saturday, October 26, during the Punkin Day Festivities. Monte Williams is close behind in the quest for goodies and glory. Staff Photo



PUMPKINS DON'T ROLL STRAIGHT -- Many unsuspecting children learned the horrible truth about the logistics of Pumpkin Bowling as they tried their hand at the event during the 1991 Punkin Day Children's Games last weekend. Staff Photo



CROSSING THE LINE -- Anne Carthel removes the tag as Ronnie Hernandez crosses the finish line in the Fun Run to earn first place honors. Staff Photo



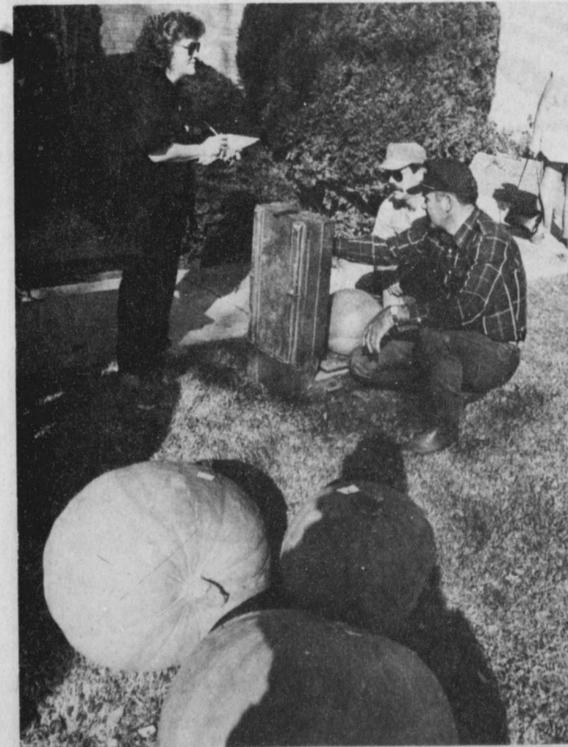
5K WINNER -- The over-all winner of the 5K race was Jose Casarez. Staff Photo



NEVER GIVE UP -- 24 month old Oliver W. Winfield of Lubbock was the last to cross the finish line in a pumpkin rolling event. The youngster stuck to the task even though he was the youngest entrant in the Punkin Day activities. Staff Photo



FUN RUN PARTICIPANT -- Tony Powell made his usual valiant effort as he joined in the annual Punkin Day Fun Run assisted by a cousin, Richard Powell. Staff Photo



GREAT PUMPKIN WEIGH-IN--Melissa Long (left) records the information as County Agent Mike Mallett (right) and Brent Crossland (center) weigh the entries early Saturday morning for the Pumpkin Growing Contests. --Staff photo

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS
For the November 5, 1991, Election
John Hannah, Jr., Secretary of State

This November, Texans will have the opportunity to vote on 13 proposed amendments to the Texas Constitution. To help you make informed decisions on these propositions, we present the following summaries of the proposed amendments. Below you will find the proposition as it will appear on the ballot followed by a brief description of the effect the proposition will have if it is passed.

Proposition 1:

"The constitutional amendment allowing home-rule cities with a population of 5,000 or less to amend their charters by popular vote."

Summary: A home-rule city is a city that is able to govern itself, generally through the actions of a city council or commission. To become a home-rule city, a city must have a population of at least 5,000, it must hold an election to become a home-rule city, and the measure must pass by a majority vote. Once a city becomes a home-rule city, it may adopt a charter, and this charter may be amended through an election every two years. However, under current law, if the population of a home-rule city falls below 5,000, the city is no longer allowed to amend its charter. If passed, this amendment would allow home-rule cities whose populations have fallen below 5,000 to continue to amend their charters through elections.

Proposition 2:

"The constitutional amendment mandating the repayment to the Department of Transportation of monies expended to assist the Texas Turnpike Authority in the construction, maintenance, and operation of turnpikes, toll roads, and toll bridges."

Summary: If passed, this amendment will allow the legislature to authorize the Texas Department of Transportation to spend money on turnpikes, toll roads, or toll bridges of the Texas Turnpike Authority. The Department of Transportation may use any available money that it has for this purpose. However, if the Department of Transportation uses money from the state highway fund, this money must be replaced by money collected by the Texas Turnpike Authority from tolls and turnpike revenue. Currently, the state is not allowed to use any public money to build or maintain toll roads or turnpikes.

Proposition 3:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to further implement and enhance the administration of the veterans' housing assistance and land programs and to expand the investment authority of the Veterans' Land Board."

Summary: If passed, this amendment would ease the restrictions on how the Veterans' Land Board can invest money from the Veterans' Land Fund and the Veterans' Housing Assistance Fund. The board may invest any money that is not to be used for the payment of principal and interest on bonds, the purchase of lands, or the payment of expenses. In addition, the board is no longer limited to investing this money in bonds or securities of the federal government.

Proposition 4:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of up to \$1.1 billion in general obligation bonds for acquiring, constructing, or equipping new prisons or other punishment facilities to confine criminals, mental health and mental retardation institutions, and youth corrections institutions, for major repair or renovation of existing facilities of the institutions, and for the acquisition of, major repair to, or renovation of other facilities for use as state prisons or other punishment facilities."

Summary: If passed, this amendment will allow the state to issue up to \$1.1 billion in general obligation bonds. The money from selling these bonds will be used to acquire, construct, or equip new prisons and substance abuse facilities, mental health and mental retardation institutions, and youth corrections institutions. This money will also be used to repair and renovate existing facilities. The bonds and interest on the bonds will be paid from the first money coming into the state treasury that is not set aside by the state constitution for other purposes.

Note: A general obligation bond is a bond that is repaid from the State's general revenue fund. Most of the money in this fund comes from state taxes and fees.

Proposition 5:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the exemption for ad valorem taxes of certain property in an enterprise zone."

Summary: This amendment deals with property owned by an individual or organization that does business in an enterprise zone. If passed, this amendment would allow a county, a junior college district, or a municipality to exempt certain personal property from ad valorem taxation. To be exempt from this tax, the following conditions must be met: (1) the property must be acquired or brought into the state in an enterprise zone to be forwarded outside the state; (2) the property must be assembled, stored, repaired, maintained, manufactured, processed, or fabricated in the enterprise zone; (3) the property must be transported outside the state within 175 days after being acquired or brought into an enterprise zone; and (4) the person who acquired or brought the property into an enterprise zone is in a qualified business.

The purpose of this amendment is to encourage economic development in enterprise zones. Because some personal property will not be taxed, it will be less costly to operate a business in an enterprise zone.

Notes: An ad valorem tax is a tax imposed on the value of property. An enterprise zone is an area that has substantial poverty, unemployment, and economic distress. A qualified business is a business that is actively engaged in a new business in the enterprise zone or is expanding a business that is already active in the enterprise zone. "Enterprise zones" and "qualified businesses" are designated by the Texas Department of Commerce.

Proposition 6:

"The constitutional amendment creating the Texas Ethics Commission and authorizing the commission to recommend the salary for members of the legislature and the lieutenant governor, subject to voter approval, and to set the per diem for those officials, subject to a limit."

Summary: If passed, this amendment will create a Texas Ethics Commission that is established by the Texas Constitution. The commission will consist of eight appointed members. These members will be selected by the Governor, the Lieutenant Governor, and the Speaker of the House from lists of names submitted by legislators from each major political party. This commission can recommend the salary of the members of the legislature. It can also recommend that the salary of the Speaker of the House and the Lieutenant Governor be higher than the salary of the other members. If the commission recommends a change in salary, the voters of the state will be able to accept or reject the salary change at the next general election for state and county officers. If the voters approve the recommended salary, the salary will take effect on January 1st of the next odd-numbered year. If the voters reject the salary, the salaries would remain the same. In addition, the commission can set the per diem of the members of the legislature and of the Lieutenant Governor. This per diem could be raised or lowered every two years, as necessary. The commission will also have other powers and duties as provided by Senate Bill 1, 72nd Legislature, Regular Session (the ethics bill). Finally, this amendment provides that an increase in the Lieutenant Governor's salary will not disqualify a legislator from becoming Lieutenant Governor.

If this amendment does not pass, there will still be a Texas Ethics Commission that is established by statute. This commission could not set the per diem of the members of the legislature.

Note: A commission that is established by the Texas Constitution can only be repealed by the voters. A commission that is created by statute can be repealed by the legislature.

Proposition 7:

"The constitutional amendment to allow the board of trustees of a statewide public retirement system to invest the funds of the system in a manner that the board considers prudent."

Summary: If passed, this amendment will change the way in which the board of trustees of each statewide public retirement system can invest the system's funds. Currently, a board can only invest its retirement funds in securities (stocks, bonds, etc.). However, if this amendment passes, a board may invest its retirement funds in any way that it thinks is prudent.

Proposition 8:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the voters of this state to consider state debt questions in the form of ballot propositions that must clearly describe the amounts, purposes, and sources of payment of the debt only after approval of the propositions by a two-thirds vote of each house of the legislature."

Summary: This amendment deals with the way that voters will vote on legislative action that would create a debt for the State. Currently, all propositions that create state debt must be approved by two-thirds of each house of the legislature and by a majority of voters during a constitutional amendment election. When these propositions are passed, they actually become part of the state constitution.

If passed, this proposition would still require propositions that create debt to be approved by a two-thirds vote of the legislature and a majority of the voters. However, when these propositions are passed, they will not become part of the state constitution. Instead, they will be enacted by statute. In addition, when the proposition is placed on the ballot, it must clearly describe the purpose of the debt, the cost of the debt, and how the debt will be repaid. The amount of the debt in the proposition can not be exceeded or renewed unless the proposition says that the debt can be exceeded or renewed.

Note: Creating a debt for the State means spending money that the State does not currently have. Selling bonds is one way that State debt is created.

Proposition 9:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the commissioner of the General Land Office to issue patents for certain public free school fund land held in good faith under color of title for at least 50 years."

Summary: This amendment deals with lands that are technically owned by the state of Texas. In some cases, people have purchased or acquired this land from someone other than the State. While the State still technically owns this land, some people who purchased or acquired the land did not know that the land was owned by the state. From the time that these people purchased or acquired this land, they have believed that they are the legal owners.

If passed, this amendment will allow the Land Commissioner to give the legal title for this land (called public free school fund land) to certain people. A person is entitled to receive a legal title to this land if: (1) the land is surveyed public free school land; (2) the person could not gain the land's title under previous law; (3) when the person acquired the land, he or she did not know that the land was legally owned by the state and has believed that he or she has owned the land since January 1, 1941; (4) the person has a recorded deed on file in the county courthouse and has claimed the land for at least 50 years as of January 1, 1991; and (5) all taxes on the land, including any interest and penalties for late tax payments, have been paid for at least 50 years.

Note: Public free school fund land is owned by the State. Any revenue that this land generates (through sale, rent, etc.) is placed in the Permanent School Fund.

Proposition 10:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxes certain property of a nonprofit corporation that supplies water or provides wastewater service."

Summary: This amendment deals with property owned by a nonprofit corporation that supplies water or provides wastewater services. If passed, this amendment will allow the legislature to exempt property that is owned by these corporations from ad valorem taxes. In order for this property to be exempted, the nonprofit corporation must meet the following conditions: (1) the corporation's bylaws must say that, if the corporation stops operating, any leftover assets must be transferred to an organization that provides water supply, wastewater service, or both; (2) the leftover assets must be property that can be used for water supply and wastewater services.

Note: An ad valorem tax is a tax imposed on the value of property.

Proposition 11:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing a state lottery."

Summary: If passed, this amendment will allow the State to operate lotteries. The State would also be able to contract with other organizations that would operate lotteries on the State's behalf.

Proposition 12:

"The constitutional amendment to increase from 20 percent to 50 percent the percentage of Texas water development bonds previously authorized by Texas voters that may be issued for economically distressed areas."

Summary: This amendment deals with reallocating a percentage of the \$500 million of Texas water development bonds that were approved by Texas voters in 1989. These bonds were to be issued to fund water supply, water quality, and flood control projects. Currently, the board is limited to issuing 20% of the \$500 million (or \$100 million) of these bonds to provide water and wastewater facilities to economically distressed areas of the state. If passed, this amendment will allow the board to issue up to 50% of the \$500 million (or \$250 million) of these bonds for this purpose.

Proposition 13:

"The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of general obligation bonds not to exceed \$300,000,000 to continue existing programs to provide educational loans to students, with repayments of student loans applied toward retirement of the bonds."

Summary: If passed, this amendment will allow the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board to issue up to \$300 million in general obligation bonds. The money from selling these bonds will be used to finance educational loans to students. In the past, all bonds in this program have been retired through repayments from student borrowers, not the taxpayer.



Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon FOOTBALL CONTEST

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Football Contest Rules

Any subscriber or individual above the age of 7 years old who purchases a Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon is eligible to enter this newspaper's weekly football contest, except employees of this newspaper and family members living in the same household.

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 the game. In addition, write in the two tie breaker footballs your guess of the combined total points to be scored by the two teams listed in each tie breaker football. Also circle the team you believe will win. Circle both teams if you think the game will end in a tie.

The only entries which will be considered for prizes will be those on official entry forms which are brought to the Hesperian-Beacon office in Floydada or to the Hesperian-Beacon Office in Lockney by 5:00 p.m. on Friday. No photocopies will be accepted.

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 breakers - prizes will be shared by those involved in the tie.

The tie breaker scores will be utilized only in the event of a tie on the number of games correct. Print your name and address plainly on the official entry form and double check your choices before clipping out the entry form and depositing it at the Hesperian-Beacon office before 5:00 p.m. on Fr. Entries are limited to one per person per week. Weekly winners are limited to one per household.

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