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## Evangelist-singer slated to entertain at Chamber event

Richard Campbell, full time evangelist and singer, will be the guest entertainer at the yearly Floydada Chamber of Commerce appreciation banquet February 29. He will entertain the crowd with a variety of gospel and contemporary music.

Campbell has been in full-time evangelism for over 14 years. He has recorded four gospel albums: "The Sweet Sounds of Jesus", "In Remembrance", "I'm Changed" and "His Name Is Jesus."

Campbell also lived in Floydada for a period of time and served as the Music Director at Floydada's First Baptist Church.

A Matador native, Campbell gradu-

ated from Matador High School in Mary 1965. He attended Texas Tech University in a football scholarship and graduated in 1972 with a degree in Physical Education.

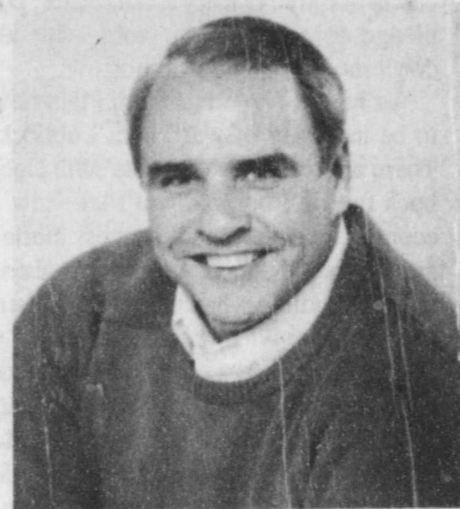
While a member of the Red Raider Football team he was named to the All-Southwest Conference defensive team in both 1968 and 1969. In January of 1970 Campbell played in the Hula Bowl Classic. In June of that same year he played in the Coaches All-American Game in Lubbock. Prior to that game Campbell sang the National Anthem, becoming the first athlete to sing before a game in which he would play.

Tickets to the annual banquet sell for \$12.50 each and can be bought at the

Chamber of Commerce office, from any director, or at the Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon. The banquet will begin at 7:00 p.m. at Duncan Elementary, February 29. Nielson's Restaurant will cater the steak meal.

During the banquet the several awards will be presented to outstanding Floydada citizens, including the Employer of the Year, Citizen of the Year and the Extra Mile Award.

The 1991 Chamber President, Laura Farris, will turn the gavel over to the upcoming Chamber President, Jeffrey Johnson. The Women's Chamber will also welcome a new president when Sue Chesshir turns over the gavel to her daughter-in-law Christina Chesshir.



RICHARD CAMPBELL

## County residents asked to report controlled burnings

Residents of Floyd County are reminded to notify the Floyd County Sheriff's Department or the Floydada Volunteer Fire Department whenever they intend to carry out a controlled burn.

Anyone burning branches or old building materials should call the Sheriff's Department or the Fire Department

before beginning to burn the refuse. This will prevent needless runs and expense for the fire department. It will also ensure that the fire department and its equipment will be available in case of a real fire emergency.

Notify the Sheriff's Department at 983-3232 or the Floydada Fire Department at 983-2834 before burning.

## Melissa Long appointed as new Floyd County Home Economist

By Juanita Stepp

Meeting in a called session on Monday, February 17, the Floyd County Commissioners Court opted to appoint Melissa Long as the Extension Agent Home Economist for the county. Long will take up the duties of the post on March 23, 1992.

Motion for the action came from Precinct 1 Commissioner Connie Bearden with a second by Precinct 4 Commissioner Howard Bishop. Vote on the matter was unanimous in favor of the appointment.

Long was recommended for the position by Dr. Kathy Volanty, District Director of the Extension Service. Long cites credentials including attending Haskell High School and Rochester High School. She also attended Hardin-Simmons University and received her degree from Texas Tech University in 1980.

She has four years experience in the extension field as an agent in Hale County from 1980 to 1984. She served as 4-H coordinator from 1980 to 1983 and was coordinator for the California Exchange and for the Canada Exchange. She was a Texas 4-H Congress sponsor and the agent in charge for the Electric Camp. Another duty included being the agent in charge of the food show and a

state fashion show sponsor. She was also a national leadership conference sponsor and lead a 4-H center workshop concerning record books. She has to her credit, numerous 4-H members who have won awards and scholarships while under her direction.

Long comes to the Extension Economist position from a post as Office Manager at State Farm Insurance. She is married to Nick Long and has one daughter, Molly. The family has lived in Floydada for the past 3 1/2 years.

### DPS COMPUTER APPROVED

The court approved the purchase of a computer for use by the DPS in Floyd County. According to Judge Bill Hardin, the state will purchase the next radar unit (estimated cost \$2,000-\$3,000) needed in exchange for the county purchasing the computer at an estimated cost of \$2,500.

Commissioner Bearden stated, "I think it is a pretty high dollar item for the benefit we would get."

Commissioner Bishop countered with, "I was under the impression that it would save time for the troopers and would pay for itself in a year or two."

Judge Hardin stated, "I don't think there is any question but what it would

save time, but whether or not this would result in more time on the road for the troopers or not would depend on the troopers."

Motion for approval of the purchase was made by Precinct 2 Commissioner Floyd Jackson who said, "I will make the motion since it looks like we will be spending the money one way or the other." Bishop provided the second. The two voted in favor of the purchase while Bearden and Precinct 3 Commissioner George Taylor voted against the measure. Judge Hardin broke the 2-2 tie by voting in favor of the purchase.

The only other matter handled at the session on Monday was the approval and payment of bills not available for consideration at the regular monthly session last Monday, February 10.

Present for the session were Judge Bill Hardin, Commissioners Connie Bearden, Floyd Jackson, George Taylor and Howard Bishop, Dr. Kathy Volanty, Melissa Long and the Hesperian-Beacon reporter.

## Tech student joins Hesperian-Beacon staff

Texas Tech student, Doug Fair, will be joining the staff of the Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon during his spring semester.

Fair's work and expenses is provided to the newspaper through a Readers Digest Foundation grant to the Texas Tech Journalism department.

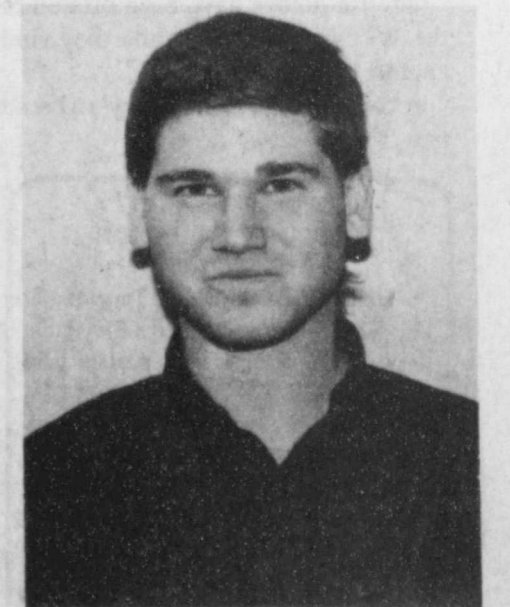
Fair, 22, is a junior at Tech and is majoring in Broadcast Journalism. He is required, as part of his studies, to work one semester with a newspaper.

His interests lie in sports and he hopes to one day do play-by-play television sports broadcasting.

"We hope to put his talents to work covering Floyd County sporting events and writing sports related feature stories," said Alice Gilroy, Hesperian-Beacon publisher.

This week's paper features two Lockney basketball stories written by Fair.

Fair was born in New York City and raised in Queens. His parents, Doug and Rosemary Fair, moved to the Dallas area when Doug was 11 years old. He enjoys all sports and has played high school and college tennis. He also taught tennis during summer breaks.



DOUG FAIR JR.



PLAYOFF ACTION--Pushing down the court Lockney Lady Horn, Carolyn Turner, finds an Olton Fillie in her way as she heads for the basket. The Lockney Lady Horns met the Olton Fillies Monday night in a playoff game for second place in the district. The game was held in Plain-

view at the Bulldog Gym. The lead changed back and forth several times during the first half before the Fillies pulled ahead. The Lady Horns had begun to close the gap in the fourth quarter when the buzzer ended the game and the score stood at 47-42.

Staff Photo

## Lions take to the airwaves Feb. 29

Floydada Lions Club will once again take to the airwaves, February 29, in an effort to raise money for charitable causes.

The annual event is remembered by listeners in the KKAP broadcast area, as a hilarious afternoon of Lions Club antics and spoofs on local advertisers.

Any advertiser brave enough to have his ad read on the air (which can be written by the talented comedians of the local club), will be rewarded knowing that his contributions will go back into the community to support worthwhile charities.

"All the money raised by Lions Club Radio Days goes back into the community," said the organizer's Chairman Nick Long. "Any money that is used for the operation of the Lions Clubs comes solely from membership dues.

"The money will be used in areas such as eyeglasses for needy children, Lion's Crippled Children's Camp in Kerrville, the Lions Diabetes Camp, scouting programs, wheelchair ramps, and other local charities."

Last year, the Floydada Lions Club was responsible for donating at least 20 eyeglasses to local children in need. The Lions are also responsible for all the wheelchair ramps in downtown Floydada.

Floydada children have also been sent by the Lions, to the Lions Diabetes Camp, and the local chapter is also known as a 100% contributor to the Lions Crippled Children's Camp.

"We are also a big supporter of the Lions Eye Bank," said Long. "As a matter of fact, an ex-Floydada Lions member Bill Smith wrote a song about the Lions Clubs efforts in helping

people to see. The song was first sung by Bill, right here at one of our weekly meetings. It was heard by some people involved with the Eye Bank and now Lions Club International is discussing making a video about the Eye Bank and using Bill's song. We will be playing the song for the first time on radio during our Radio Days, February 29."

Since 1988 the Lions Club has donated \$2,400 to the new ambulance and recently donated \$1,100 to the Jimmie Jo West Love Fund. Over \$500.00 is given every year to the local boy scouts by paying for their utility bills and other donations.

"We would appreciate any business that is contacted by a Lions to donate to Radio Days, said Long. "We hope you will get some advertising benefits from the program, but the whole purpose of Radio Days is to simply raise money for charities. We appreciate the businesses letting us 'kid' them on the air. We wouldn't do it if they weren't our friends."

The cost of advertising on Radio Days

is \$20.00 for three 30 second spots (or several minutes if it takes that long for the Lion to laugh his way through it).

KKAP is broadcast as far away as Amarillo, Brownfield, Muleshoe, Childress and Benjamin; and as close as Lockney and Plainview. It can be found on 900 AM and 95.3 FM.

## LISD board members schedule election

Lockney Independent School Board Members met on February 17th for their regular monthly meeting and set the date for the school board election. Also on the agenda was the hiring of personnel, principals and the athletic director.

The election for school board members is set for Saturday May 2. Members who have served three year terms and their positions are up for election are Dr. Paul Glasson and Richard Lambert. The position held by Bernie Ford will also be on the ballot. Ford is serving a one year term which was created by the resigna-

tion of Lisa Mosley.

Anyone wishing to sign up for a position on the ballot may do so until Wednesday, March 18th. Signups will be held at the LISD Superintendents Office, 416 Willow Street in Lockney, under the direction of Jackie Lou Holt.

The board went into executive session to discuss the hiring of personnel, principals and an athletic director.

Contracts were extended for W.H. Hallmark, superintendent, James Poole, principal at high school, Terry Ellison, principal at junior high and Joyce Evans, principal at elementary school.

## Floydada election set for May 2

By Juanita Stepp

Floydada City Council set the date for the spring election during the Tuesday, February 18, regular council session. The election will be held on May 2 in conjunction with the Caprock Hospital District election and the FISD election at Massie Activity Center.

There are four positions on the ballot this year including District 1, District 4 and two at-large seats. Amado Morales is the current councilman for District 1

and Wayne Tipton is the sitting council member for District 4. Clar Schacht and Eric Cornelius are the present at-large representatives.

Prospective candidates for city council may sign up at City Hall during regular business hours between now and March 18. Early voting (formerly known as absentee voting) will begin on April 13 and end on April 28.

LAWSON APPOINTED

DEPUTY SECRETARY

A motion by Councilman Eric Cornelius with a second by Clar Schacht called for the appointment of Karen Lawson as the Deputy City Secretary for Floydada. Lawson was approved by unanimous vote. The action makes it legal for her to serve in the place of the City Secretary, Sharon Quisenberry, should she be unable to carry out her duties at any time for any reason.

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# By The Way

By Alice Gilroy

Congratulations to Lockney's Lady Horns!

We are really sorry about the loss Monday night, but I have heard that the girls are handling it very well.

It was kind of surprising to me that Lockney fans were handling it so well too.

A mass of excited people converged on the Golden Corral after Monday night's game. From looking at them and talking to them you would have thought the girls had won the State Championship instead of losing a playoff bid. Obviously everyone is very proud of ya'll.

You have worked very hard and represented Lockney well. Thanks a million!

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We're happy around here about a new addition to the newspaper staff. He is a young Texas Tech student that loves sports.

He will be writing for us during Tech's spring semester (see the story on Doug Fair).

I'm happy with his writing but we have one problem. He covered the last two Lockney girls basketball games. He wrote a story on the Friday night game and his teacher edited it for our Tuesday deadline. Unfortunately she couldn't get his Monday night story back to him in time.

We are helping him out while he helps us out — so, we have to be patient for our Monday night story. It will be in next week's paper. Sorry!

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I received an emotional phone call from Debbie Wiley today. Well actually she didn't get emotional — I did.

For those of you who don't know Debbie and her husband, Buddy — they are the family that lost their home and possessions in a fire last week in Lockney.

Buddy is a born and bred Lockneyite. Debbie has not been as fortunate. She is from Fort Worth and also lived for a time in El Paso. This small town living is new to her, just like it was for me when I moved here.

I understood everything she was trying to tell me and I hope I can express it for her.

She called and wanted to put some kind of thank-you in the paper from her and Buddy. She was so overwhelmed that she didn't know where to start and the words were hard for her to express. She said that there was no way for her and Buddy to adequately express their appreciation.

I had gone to the fire to take pictures for the paper and had told Debbie that as soon as we got the information in the paper people would come out to help. She said that she had expected sympathy, but nothing like the response she has gotten from the community.

She said when she was sitting in the truck in her pajamas watching her house burn, someone brought her a sweat suit that they had run and bought at Brown's Department Store.

The firemen brought her a trash can full of her mother's china that had been in the house. (The firemen saw the set of dishes and quickly put them in the trash can before the fire destroyed everything else).

"I was sitting in the truck when the fireman brought me the dishes," said Debbie. "He said, 'Here, I hope this makes you feel better.'"

"How did he know what that would mean to me?"

Someone else touched the Wiley's by grabbing clothes out of the laundry room and taking them immediately to get washed. "Dicks Automotive donated all the soap and gathered up quarters to wash this stuff. I didn't even know what was going on."

The Wiley's woke up Tuesday morning to commodities left on their porch from an unnamed donor.

Several homes have been offered to the Wiley's to live in while they find another place to live.

A study club gave the Wiley's a brand new TV.

"We have a completely new home with the things that have been given us," said Debbie. "My kids have a whole new wardrobe of used clothes. They think they are the best dressed kids in town."

Debbie said that her and Buddy will not spend the money from the Love Fund to buy brand spanking new furniture. "We don't want to because there are so many wonderful memories from the things that have been given us. I have more towels than I've ever had and every time we dry off we remember the love that has gone into these things."

"When we move into another house and fill it with the things that have been given us, it will be 'The House That Love Built.'"

"It's like a patchwork quilt made out of scraps. It is put together with love and affection and each piece has a special place in your heart."

Debbie was laughing about how callous she had been coming from a big city. I told her that I knew exactly what she was talking about.

She said Buddy thinks she is nuts because this is all he is used to.

"I moved here with my three kids because I felt it was a stronger Christian community and I wanted my kids to grow up in this environment," said Debbie.

"I was divorced and there was a time when living in El Paso that my kids and I had no food to live off of. I went to a church there for help and they told me to go get food stamps. I never went back for help."

"I knew it was better here, but I guess I was still a little callous. I just want people to know how much love there is in this community. People did not have to do this for us, but they did."

Debbie told me that she lived in El Paso for 11 months and was burglarized nine times (and she lived in a nice neighborhood). She said the majority of the thieves were in gangs consisting of 9-11 year old kids.

For those of you who have been fortunate enough to know only the love of a small town it is hard for you to comprehend the feelings Debbie is trying to express. I do. I've lived in a big city. Buddy is lucky that he has lived in Lockney all his life. He probably already knew what his friends, family and complete strangers would do for him and his family.

Debbie is fortunate that she has found out. She said she would have been happy living in El Paso because that is all she knew, but not anymore. She knows now there is a better world out there.

Debbie said that she wants everyone to know that she is not just speaking for herself, but for Buddy too. Buddy is just not as gifted with gab as Debbie is.

Thanks Debbie and thanks to everyone who came through for the Wileys!

Dear Editor:

We were surprised at the contents of "The Lamplighter" column of January 30, 1992 in which you were critical of the leadership of Plainview. As noted in the beginning of the column, "We don't normally comment on matters involving other communities or the way they are run," unless our comments are positive. We are dismayed by your editorial. Further, we are puzzled by the misinformation contained in your comments.

We are, and have always been very proud of our relationship with the leadership of Floyd County and its cities. We pledge to continue to work with all concerned for a better tomorrow.

We have never considered Plainview to be in a "tug of war" with Lubbock. There are times we compete with Lubbock for jobs, but many of Plainview's economic development success stories are partly a result of Lubbock's assistance. We know when to work together, and we know when to compete.

The Plainview community did not offer any incentives for the Wal-Mart retail store to locate in Plainview. In fact, Wal-Mart announced that it would be constructing a retail outlet in Plainview, long before the decision was made on where the distribution center would be located. One of the essential inducements in securing the Wal-Mart distribution center for Plainview, was the raising of \$1,000,000 through private donations from the citizens of the greater Plainview area who have faith in our future. The area economy has benefited from this fine corporate citizen.

We are exceptionally proud of our newspaper, the Plainview Daily Herald, which plays a major role in the development of our community. Our newspaper strongly supports the efforts of the city, county and industrial foundation to provide jobs to the area economy. The Herald is everything but "predatory" to our community.

Our local politicians are accustomed to public criticism, and many times will accept such as "just part of the job." But when "The Lamplighter" stated that, "... there's a sucker born every minute..." and "sometimes they end up on City Councils, in places like Plainview," we take exception. It is the citizens of our democratic community who elect the governing officials of the City of Plainview, Hale County, Plainview Independent School District and State and National Representatives. To suggest that our citizenry does not display good sense is highly offensive. We have great confidence in the ability of area citizens, including those of Floyd County, to elect competent leadership to all elective offices. We believe the records of those elected officials speak for themselves.

"Zero-sum enterprises?" The Wal-Mart distribution center pays \$1,300,000 per year to local taxing entities (in real property taxes) and has cre-

# Letters To The Editor

ated at least 970 jobs; Excel is expanding its Plainview Plant; Azteca has created 200 jobs and is expanding; Bean-time Foods will create 150 jobs. Many of these jobs are and will be filled by residents of Floyd County.

We pledge ourselves to continue to work for the betterment of all, including our good neighbors in Floyd County.

Sincerely,  
E.V. Ridlehuber  
Mayor

J. David Williams  
Chairman,  
Plainview/Hale County  
Industrial Foundation, Inc.

Dear Mr. Towery:

Your Lamplighter article on January 30, 1992, was well done and very interesting, indeed.

I want to point out one interesting fact that I'm sure you know, but did not mention in the article. The fact is what caused Azteca Milling Company and the Gruma Corporation in Mexico to locate their corn milling plant on the south edge of the town of Plainview. It was because of a study made and presented by Mel Knowles of the Wal-Mart Distribution Center Transportation Department to a group which included Mr. Roberto Gonzales of Los Angeles, California, who is the Chief Executive Officer and principal owner of the Gruma Corporation, which in turn owns Azteca in addition to five other subsidiaries, in the office of Pioneer Hi-Bred International just north of town on October 22, 1988. That study showed that the empty back-haul of trucks haul-

ing into the Wal-Mart Distribution Center and going to Los Angeles, Atlanta, Georgia, Houston, Texas, and into Canada could be utilized to haul their product, corn flour. We, therefore, think this contributed to the decision to locate the Azteca plant in this trade area, which we sincerely hope will help our farmers who will grow food corn.

The land we know as the old Cates Dairy Farm only produced advalorem taxes of approximately \$400.00 annually, and now the Distribution Center is located thereon, and is Hale County's largest taxpayer. We had no idea that Wal-Mart was going to locate a retail store in Plainview.

The Distribution Center now furnishes jobs for 1,000 people in three shifts, and in addition, it now appears that Azteca will furnish jobs for 215 people.

I thank you for reading my letter and want you to know that my only motive is for what is best for the trade area.

Yours truly,  
J.B. Wheeler  
Chairman Emeritus

Dear Editor,

I am very distressed and appalled at what the State Board of Education Committee has done regarding the \$20.3 million for the new U.S. history textbooks that are filled with over 5,200 errors. Many states are already using them, without the knowledge of the errors.

Who discovered the errors? This sends chills down our spines when we realize that the errors were not found by the hundreds of authors, (which, according to the Gablers', were mostly Junior

High and High School teachers), not the editors, nor reviewers employed by the publishers, nor our states' own education staff, nor the panels of 15 reviewers noticed anything unusual until the Mel Gablers' of Longview, and Professor Frey, Professor of History, of Christian Heritage College, working together began finding errors.

The Gablers' have been checking textbooks for 30 years. They have been called fundamentalist, conservative textbook critics, by the Wall Street Journal.

I looked up the word fundamentalist, and my dictionary defines it as "Any person that refuses to accept any teaching which conflicts with the literal interpretation of the Bible." So, I have to assume that they also refuse to accept lies pertaining to history books. I agree with them, don't you?

But, then, my dictionary is ancient, so, maybe the new dictionaries were written by non-fundamentalists and liberals who do their damndest to change history and morals and values.

One of the Educational board members, Will Davis, Austin, said, "We'll never get an 'error' free book," an Educational Commissioner, Lionel, "Skip" Meno, said, "these were the best books we've ever had." Is this an April Fool's joke or what?

State Rep. Kent Grusendorf, R., Arlington, had urged the board to delay buying any of the textbooks for a year because additional errors were found after Publishers certified last month that the books were correct.

"Students should not be made to use

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## Courtroom Activities

In county court, February 13, Jesus Maldonado was charged with Driving While His License Was Suspended. There was no disposition on this case.


Steven Warren, 33, of Littlefield, was charged February 13 with DWI. He was fined \$500.00 plus six months in jail which was probated for two years. He was also ordered to pay court costs and his drivers license was suspended for 90

days.

February 17, John Kenneth Jackson, 61, of Lockney, was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case; Jamie McDonald, 21, of Lockney was charged with DWI and evading arrest. There was no disposition on this case;

Caroline Thomas Smith, 39, of Amarillo, was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case.

Large for a Medium Charge



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Ocean Spray CRANBERRY OR CRANAPPLE JUICE 48 oz. \$2.09

COOKIES 'N' CREAM 16 oz. pkg. 89¢

# Floydada election set for May 2

## Continued From Page 1 SUMMER POSITIONS TO BE ADVERTISED

The annual summer jobs of baseball coordinator and swimming pool operator will be advertised for in the next few weeks. Motion for seeking a baseball coordinator came from Cornelius with a second by Councilman Ruben Barrientoz. The issue passed by unanimous vote.

Schacht made the motion for advertising for a swimming pool operator. Councilman Wayne Tipton provided the second and the motion passed unanimously.

## TDH SERVICES EXPLAINED

Maybelle Enriquez and Sharon Kohout of the Texas Department of Health appeared before the council to present a short program concerning the services the department offers in Floydada and the surrounding area. The pair stressed the fact that the department provides preventative well care instead of the usual sick care other services provide. They also told the council that they hope to be able to open a field office in Floydada if an appropriate location presents itself.

## VARIANCE GRANTED

The council approved a Planning and Zoning Commission recommendation for a variance to a city ordinance for Bill Stringer. Stringer had asked for permis-

## This Week

### DIABETES CLASSES

Diabetes class will meet Thursday, Feb. 27, at 7:00 p.m. in the lobby of Lockney General Hospital. Classes are free. For more information call Helen Teeple, 983-3801.

### FLOYDADA GIRL SCOUT COOKIES

Floydada Girl Scouts have received their cookies. Anyone who was not contacted, but would like to buy some cookies, may call Brownie Leader Susan Kirk, 983-3299; Junior Leader Judy Schacht, 983-2906, or Senior Leader Elizabeth Sims, 983-2256.

### STOCK SHOW GENERAL MEETING

Kim Hinsley, president of the Floyd County Stock Show Association, announces that the 1992 Floyd County Stock Show Association general meeting will be held on March 23, at 7:30 p.m. at Lighthouse Electric meeting room. Purpose will be to elect directors and discussion of general rules and regulations, standing rules and all stock show business.

### STOCK SHOW LAMB PROGRAM

Gary Brown, lamb superintendent, will have a meeting March 12 at 7:30 p.m. in the community room of the First National Bank, Floydada, for anyone interested in the lamb program of the stock show.

### LOCKNEY CHAMBER BANQUET

Tickets are available for the Lockney Chamber of Commerce Banquet from chamber directors or at the door. The banquet will be held Saturday, March 7, at 7:00 p.m. at the Lockney Elementary Cafeteria. Tickets are \$8.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children under 12.

### PICKUP TICKET SALES

The Lockney Chamber of Commerce is selling tickets on a 1992 Chevrolet pickup. Only 2000 tickets will be sold. They are \$20.00 each and the pickup will be given away at the chamber banquet on March 7. Tickets are available in Lockney at the FNB, Consumers Fuel, Lockney Coop, D&J Gin, Caprock Industries, SPS or from chamber members.

### STUDENT/FACULTY BASKETBALL GAMES

The R.C. Andrews PTA will be sponsoring two student/faculty basketball games on Friday, Feb. 21, at 6:30 p.m. at the Floydada Junior High gym. The student girls will take on the faculty women and the student boys will take on the faculty men. Admission is 50 cents for students and \$1.00 for adults.

### FIRST AID AND CPR CLASS

Floydada Red Cross will sponsor a First Aid and Adult CPR Class on Monday, Feb. 24, and Tuesday, Feb. 25, from 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. at the Floydada Fire Dept. The cost of \$20.00 must be prepaid before Feb. 21 to Rhonda Guthrie. For more information call her at 983-5089.

sion to locate a garage on his property just two feet from the property line instead of the required five feet. The variance was unanimously approved on a motion by Councilman Amado Morales with a second by Schacht.

### ADA AUDIT SLATED

City Manager Gary Brown asked the council to approve a personnel audit estimated to cost \$4,000.00 to \$4,500.00. He explained that the audit would assist the city in meeting the standards set up by the Americans With Disabilities Act. The audit would provide accurate job descriptions and comparison information for the city to use in complying with the ADA.

Discussion followed with the council opting to allow Brown to see if other area cities would be interested in participating in an audit and sharing the cost. He was then directed to handle the matter to the best of his judgement with an authorization to spend no more than \$4,500.00. Motion for the action came from Councilman Leroy Burns with a second by Morales. Vote was unanimous in favor.

### FIREMEN FUNDS CONSIDERED

The question of providing funds for a group of firemen to attend a state convention in June was tabled pending further fund raising by the Floydada Volunteer Fire Department. The city will consider augmenting the funds prior to the June convention if more money is needed to meet the cost of the trip and the schools for the firemen.

Also considered by the council was a motion to pay \$100 per month to the fire department for the services of a fire marshal as required by law. The city currently pays Bobby Welborn as the fire marshal. Under the approved change, the city would pay the department for contract labor and the department would pay who ever acts as fire marshal in any given instance. Motion was made by Councilman Wayne Tipton and seconded by Barrientoz. The vote was unanimous in favor.

### PICKUP BIDS OPENED

Bids were opened on the sale of a 1981 pickup. Two were received. Tony Felan of Lockney bid \$700 for the vehicle and City Auto in Floydada bid \$500. The bid was awarded to Felan as the highest bidder on a motion from Barrientoz with a second by Morales. The vote was unanimous with Councilman Burns abstaining to avoid a conflict of interest.

### CITY TO SEEK AWARD

Seeking a National Management Award was addressed by the council. The city accountant, Edd Henderson, CPA, had previously recommended that the City of Floydada make application for the award. It is approved for only a few with the best record of budgetary management and financial responsibility.

According to Mayor Wayne Russell,

the award would be an asset if the city ever needed to issue bonds to raise money and it would demonstrate financial stability and fiscal responsibility when applying for grant programs.

The council approved applying for the award on a motion by Burns with a second by Barrientoz. The vote was unanimous and the council authorized a one time expenditure of \$500 to \$1,000 to cover the cost of assembling the information needed for the application.

### ANNIE TAYLOR PARK MONUMENT

City Manager Gary Brown stated that the city had been approached by Tommy Collins concerning the procurement of a plaque for Annie Taylor Park to honor the lady it was named for.

Collins came forward to tell the council that the plaque and monument would cost \$1,265.00. He also told the council that his group had raised \$185 toward the cost ad planned fund raisers to seek more donations. A barbecue is being planned as the weather warms up. Councilman Amado Morales suggested that the item be placed on a future meeting agenda so the city could consider making a donation to the fund in honor of a woman who has done a great deal for the City of Floydada.

### OTHER MATTERS

The council also approved the payment of monthly bills and the minutes of the past meeting during the Tuesday evening session.

Brown gave a brief report concerning the many on-going projects the city is involved in. He told the council that a jail agreement is still in the works, but progressing slowly and that the Texas Parks and Wildlife park grant paperwork has arrived. Brown indicated that the city will have until December of 1994 to complete the park improvements under the recently approved grant.

Brown also told the council that the landfill application is still being reviewed, but no indication has been made by the state that it will be approved or denied. Work on the baseball field at the High School Park continues and is nearing completion according to Brown. The school will be using the field from February to mid-June and then it will be used for summer city leagues and the pony leagues.

Barrientoz asked that Brown look into making some improvements in the Washington Park area. He asked for a basketball backboard and hoop at least. Morales added that picnic tables would be appreciated also.

Attending the session were Mayor Wayne Russell; Councilmen Leroy Burns, Wayne Tipton, Eric Cornelius, Amado Morales, Ruben Barrientoz and Clar Schacht; Sharon Quisenberry, Gary Brown, Karen Houchin, Karen Lawson, Elza Mercado, Chris McGowen, Joe Stepp, Jon Nielson, Sheryl LeCroy, Rhonda Guthrie, Maybelle Enriquez, Sharon Kohout, Tommy Collins, Albert Hill and the Hesperian-Beacon reporter.



**NEW EMPLOYEE**--Angie Veld has joined the staff of the Floydada Branch of The First National Bank in Lockney as a teller, effective Feb. 18. She, and her husband of three years, Scott Veld, are the parents of Tasha, 6-1/2, and Jorde, 1-year-old. The daughter of Joyce and Ted Anderson, she has resided in Floydada all her life. --Staff photo

## New Books at the Library

**NEW IN FICTION:**  
Humans by Donald E. Westlake  
Bygones by LaVyrle Spencer  
Morning's Gate by Ann Victoria Roberts  
Guardian Angel by Sara Paretsky  
Twilight's Child by V.C. Andrews  
No Greater Love by Danielle Steel  
Happy Endings by Sally Quinn  
Blindsight by Robin Cook

Surviving Adolescence by Larry Dumont

**NEW IN NONFICTION:**  
Unto the Sons by Gay Talese  
The Complete Book of Bicycling by Eugene A. Sloane  
Heart of a Lion by Bob St. John  
Seize the Moment by Richard M. Nixon  
8 Steps to a Healthy Heart by Robert E. Kowalski  
The De-Valuing of America by William J. Bennett  
This Old House Kitchens by Steve Thomas  
Under Fire by Oliver L. North  
Wisdom of the 90's by George Burns

## Women's Softball Association elects 1992 officers

Members of the Lockney Women's Softball Association held a meeting on Thursday, February 13th and elected officers for the coming year.

Angie Veld was elected president, Nora Salazar vice-president, Julie Hancock treasurer and Anilita Hill secretary. Elected to the board of directors were Sally Philips and Dixie Smith.

The next meeting will be held on Monday February 24, 1992 at 7:00 p.m. in Floydada at the PCA building (rear entrance). The members will vote on major association changes and everyone is asked to attend if at all possible.

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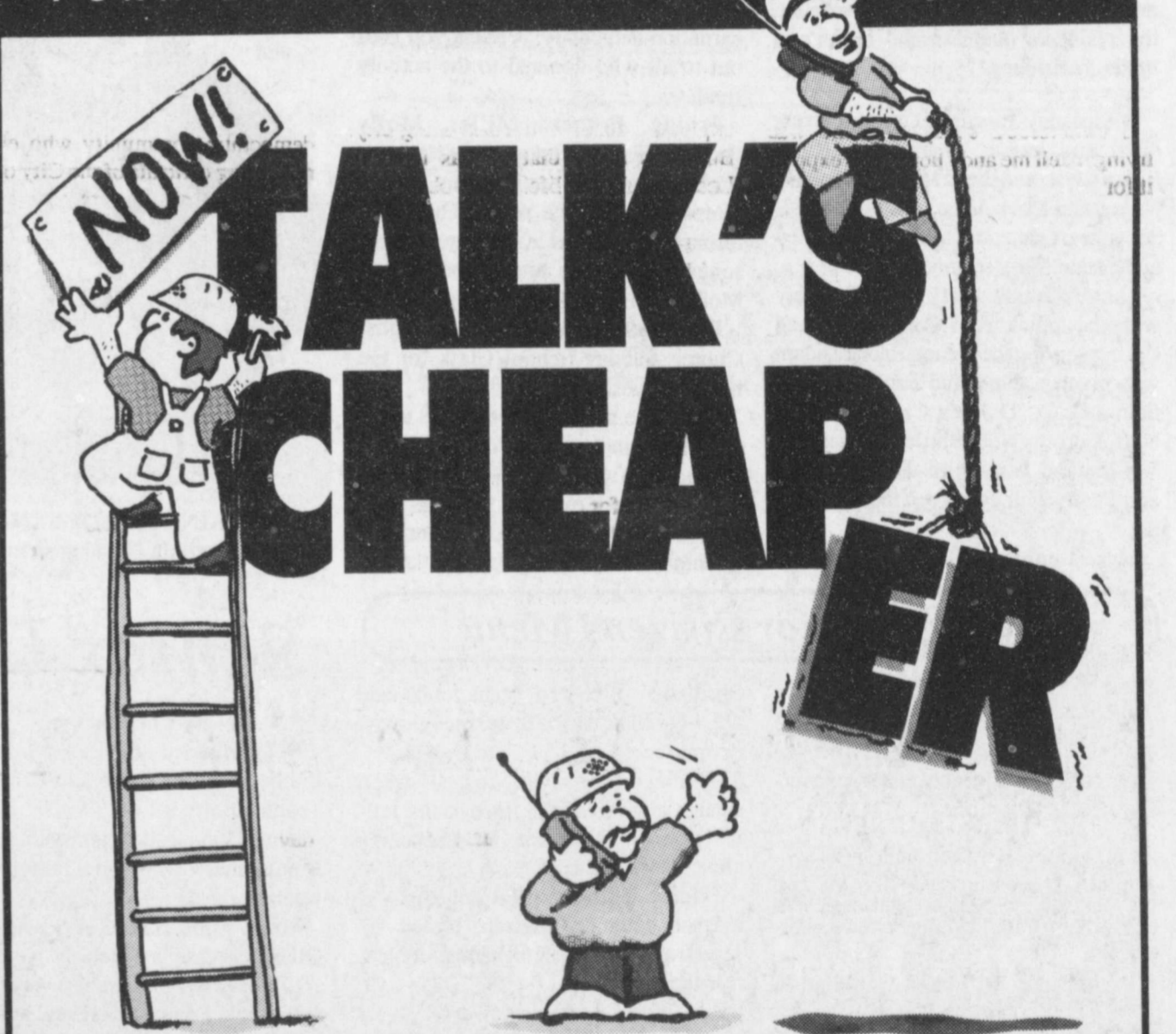
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**VALENTINE KING AND QUEEN**--Floydada Nursing Home crowned their 1992 Valentine King and Queen on Thursday, February 13. Selected for this year's honor were Henry Willis and Ellen Galloway. They were voted on by residents, staff, families and friends. --Staff Photo

### Floydada Nursing Home Happenings

By Jo Bryant

Hi! How are you? We come once again to share with you on what is happening.

Monday started the week with morning juice, coffee and cookies. Bro. Bill Wright gave the devotional on "Calling to be Fishers of Men". Irene Wexler played the piano. Kellie Williams came at 2:30 to present a program on "Heart". She passed out pamphlets on the subject.

Tuesday, Brother Richardson came and brought the residents some bananas and gave the devotions. We sang some songs and the ladies from Companions and Caring came to do manicures. Later, the residents had arts and crafts and made Valentines.

Wednesday morning, we did exercises and had a sing-a-long. Ruby Holcomb scored the first bingo when we played and Mary Alice brought the residents heart cake and a Valentine. They appreciate Mary so much.

The Valentine Party was Thursday with the ladies from Companions and Caring serving ice cream. Each resident was given a heart and cupid corsage. Selma Ortiz, Dolores Cannon, Leona Neff, Dorothy Neff, Shirley Varner, Sue Walker and Ala Smith did the honors and Penny Muncy played the piano for us.

Mrs. Lennie Willis and Edward

Jameson crowned the new Valentine King and Queen, Henry Willis and Ellen Galloway. Each was selected for the holiday honor by the staff, family and friends. Each received a crown, rose and a box of candy. The Hesperian-Beacon came and took a picture.

Kimberly Aleman was chosen Junior Queen and Roland Enriquez was selected Junior King. The competition was a huge success and each winner was presented a crown, ribbon, wand and heart shaped box of candy. Others competing were Kristi Reyes, Josephine Luna, Vanessa Hernandez, Stephanie Campos, Randy Lerma, and Harvey DeLaFuente. Each contestant got a red carnation and candy. A thank you goes out to all who donated to the activity fund.

Friday, Frances Miller, Molly Stringer, Esther Parker and Geraldine Parker came and sang for us. Frieda Simpson played the piano. Their performance included a mixture of old songs, love songs and gospel songs. Molly Stringer closed with a prayer.

We want to thank the First Baptist Church Sunday School Class for the heart cookies.

Our Place treated the residents to ice cream when they enjoyed a bus ride around town with Grace Gomez driving.

We welcome our new resident, William Sauls, of Quitaque, and our new director of nursing, Frances Henke.

## Floyd County Lifestyles



**T.M.C. VALENTINE KING AND QUEEN**--The Texas Migrant Council King and Queen were Ashley Fonseca, four years old, and Dustin Rosa, four. Ashley is the daughter of Frances Fonseca and Rafael Hernandez and Dustin is the son of Gregorio Rosa III and Teresa Nieto. The two were chosen for raising the most money for the center. --Staff Photo



**JUNIOR KING AND QUEEN**--Roland Enriquez and Kimberly Aleman were chosen Floydada Nursing Home Valentine Junior King and Queen. --Staff Photo



**LOCKNEY CARE CENTER VALENTINE KING AND QUEEN**--Frank Yeary, 82, and Edna Thompson, 92, were chosen Valentine King and Queen by the staff and residents of Lockney Care Center. Yeary had lived in Silverton and has been a resident since December. Edna is from Lockney and has been a resident since January 1991. The Flomot Baptist Church entertained.

### Senior Citizens Rockins

Thursday, February 20, will be potluck and we will have live music too. Mr. and Mrs. Francis from Silverton.

Myrtle Hill came home Wednesday, February 12, visitors at her home Thursday, were Edna Workman, Barry Barker, Georgia Galloway, and Bobbie Sue. Calling was Ruby Kiser, Virginia Sissney, Sandra Butler. She is resting and improving and having several visitors each day.

We had a very, very good Valentine party and potluck supper on the 13th. There were 65 in attendance.

Myrtle Sutton visitors at the party were her three daughters and her son also, a granddaughter and her husband. Congratulations to Inez Rhodes on her new great-grandson, Stephen Anthony Munginia born February 6.

Marguerite Caldwell celebrated her 75th birthday on Saturday, February 15, with a party at South Park Baptist Church, Lubbock, hosted by Norman and their daughters, Virginia and Jack Dunlap and June and Jim Hill.

Special guests were her sister Abi Hampton of Littlefield and brothers, Karl Langford of San Angelo, Johnny Langford of Houston and Marshall Langford of Dimmitt. Also attending were 34 relatives and friends to help her celebrate.

Visiting in the home of Norman and Marguerite Caldwell this week were their daughter and son-in-law Jim and June Hill from Mansfield. Virginia Dunlap of Lubbock also visited a few days with her parents and sister.

February 7 - Leonard and Virginia Strickland  
February 10 - Lester and Ella May Carter

#### AILING

Bernice Miller, Dorothy and W.L. Thomas, Henry Ford and Alice Ford, Myrtle Hill, Les Ferguson, Flo Ratliss, Murle Rogers, Fred and Billie Huggins

#### MENU

February 24 - 28

**Monday:**  
Beef patties with mushrooms, mashed potatoes, green lima beans, green tossed salad, cake

**Tuesday:**  
Bar-B-Q beef on 1/2 bun, potato salad, pinto beans, coleslaw, cherry delight

**Wednesday:**  
Roast beef, candied yams, green peas, tossed green salad, bread pudding

**Thursday:**  
Chicken fried steak with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, tossed salad, pineapple cobbler

**Friday:**  
Chicken with dressing, giblet gravy, mashed potatoes, green peas, cranberry sauce, pumpkin pie

### We Salute . . .

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Thursday, Feb. 20: Maria Reyes, Chelsea Nicole Rando, Stacey Lloyd, B.K. Bates

Friday, Feb. 21: Dusty Jahay, Fred Jackson, Brianna Weeks, Michael Mercado

Saturday, Feb. 22: Vincent Garcia, Sudy Cochran, David Carr, Rebecca Burns, Jean Rickettes

Sunday, Feb. 23: Layne Kirk  
Monday, Feb. 24: Barbara Gilliland  
Tuesday, Feb. 25: Ricky Reyes, Stan Pierce, Jesse Finley

Wednesday, Feb. 26: Sheryl LeCroy Taack

#### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Thursday, Feb. 20: Otis and Dana Ellis

Wednesday, Feb. 26: Randy and Sharon Rainwater

### Floydada Senior Citizens Menu

Feb. 24-28

**Monday:** Pork chops, white rice, three bean salad, stewed tomatoes, brown 'n' serve rolls, cherry cobbler, milk/beverage choice, margarine

**Tuesday:** Baked cod, tartar sauce, mixed vegetables, cole slaw, cornbread, custard pie, milk/beverage choice, margarine

**Wednesday:** Chicken enchiladas,

Spanish rice, refried beans, chocolate chip cookies, milk/beverage choice, margarine

**Thursday:** Lasagna, tossed green salad, Italian dressing, green beans, Italian bread, cheesecake, milk/beverage choice, margarine

**Friday:** Chicken fried steak/gravy, mashed potatoes, spinach, brown 'n' serve roll, jello, milk/beverage choice, margarine

### Look Who's New!

#### CHILDS

Mark and Sheila Childs of Canyon are proud to announce the birth of their son, Braden Carrick, born at 11:30 p.m. Feb. 15, 1992 in High Plains Hospital, Amarillo.

The couple's first child, Braden weighed 8 lbs. 5 ozs. and was 20 inches long.

Grandparents are Gordon and Margaret Robertson of Dorsett Poole, England, Nedra Pruett of Canyon and Edward Childs of Houston.

Great-grandparents are Grace Jarrett of Floydada and J.C. Sanders of Canyon.

#### SMITH

Brian and Heather Smith of Lubbock, are proud to announce the birth of their first son, Brayden Kip. He was born Wednesday, February 5, 1992 in Methodist Hospital at 10:47 a.m. He weighed 6 lbs. 7 oz. and was 20 inches long.

Proud grandparents are Ken and Jackie Holt of Lockney and Joe Dear and Betty Smith of Muleshoe.

Great-grandparents are Jack and Lucille Frizzell of Lockney, Burl and Helene Holt of Floydada, Vida Adkisson and Houston and Beth Smith, all of Abernathy.

### Senior Citizens News

By Thelma Jones

Betty Howard and Inez Hopkins of Lubbock spent the weekend with Lula Teague. Betty is Lula's sister.

Alma Dunn visited her brother, Floyd Montgomery while in Plainview last week one day.

Mrs. Willie Sandefur visited with Ollie DeFreese last week.

Lillie D. Perry visited last Wednesday with Viola Brown and Ruth Harrison.

Lula Teague visited Rebecca Smith Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Elizabeth Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. John McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Snell of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Soloman attended dinner in Lubbock, Saturday for Lorena McKinney and Billy Snell.

Doris Nixon carried her mother, Mrs. Alma Rape for a doctor's appointment in Lubbock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lotspeich spent

the weekend in Oklahoma visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Huckabee of Lubbock visited his aunt, Mr. Eula Battey also, Mrs. Lorene Newberry visited Eula Battey Sunday afternoon.

We are glad Mrs. Ethel Warren is able to be out some the last few days.

Lula Teague attended the funeral Monday morning for Jerry Smith. J.B. Smith visited Lula on Saturday.

Sympathy to the families of Lloyd Cumbie on the loss of their brother.

Mrs. Mattie Wester, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Payne of Vigo Park, spent Valentine Day with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Aten and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Irwin of Lubbock spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Valree Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Belinda Odell of Lubbock visited her grandmother, Mrs. Ethel Warren Sunday afternoon.

#### LAMAZE CHILD BIRTHING CLASSES

are being sponsored by Lockney General Hospital. They will be held at the First Baptist Church in Lockney, 401 South Main Street. CLASSES will start Tuesday, March 10th at 7:00 p.m. til 9:30 p.m. and continue for 7 weeks. COST is \$25.00 per couple (husband &/or coach).

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## Clubs & Organizations

### Homebuilders Extention Club

Tuesday, February 11, the Homebuilders Extention Club met at Jonelle Fawvers home with three members present. President Barbara Willis called the meeting to order and roll was called. Reading of minutes of the last meeting and treasurers report was given by Jonelle, secretary/treasurer.

Gladys Widener is to have the meeting February 25 and Lillian Smith will give the program.

We discussed the District 2 meeting at Snyder, April 1.

Gladys gave a very good program on the Heart and High Blood Pressure. She told about "new cures" for surgery, miracle drugs and more. The process of Rotabator, which unclogged the arteries of plaque and restoring the blood flow. The Atherocath is another drilling type accompanied by a balloon, which also drills through the plaque in the arteries. Even though there are still problems of returning plaque, 450 hospitals across the nation using these procedures totaling 15,000 successful operations.

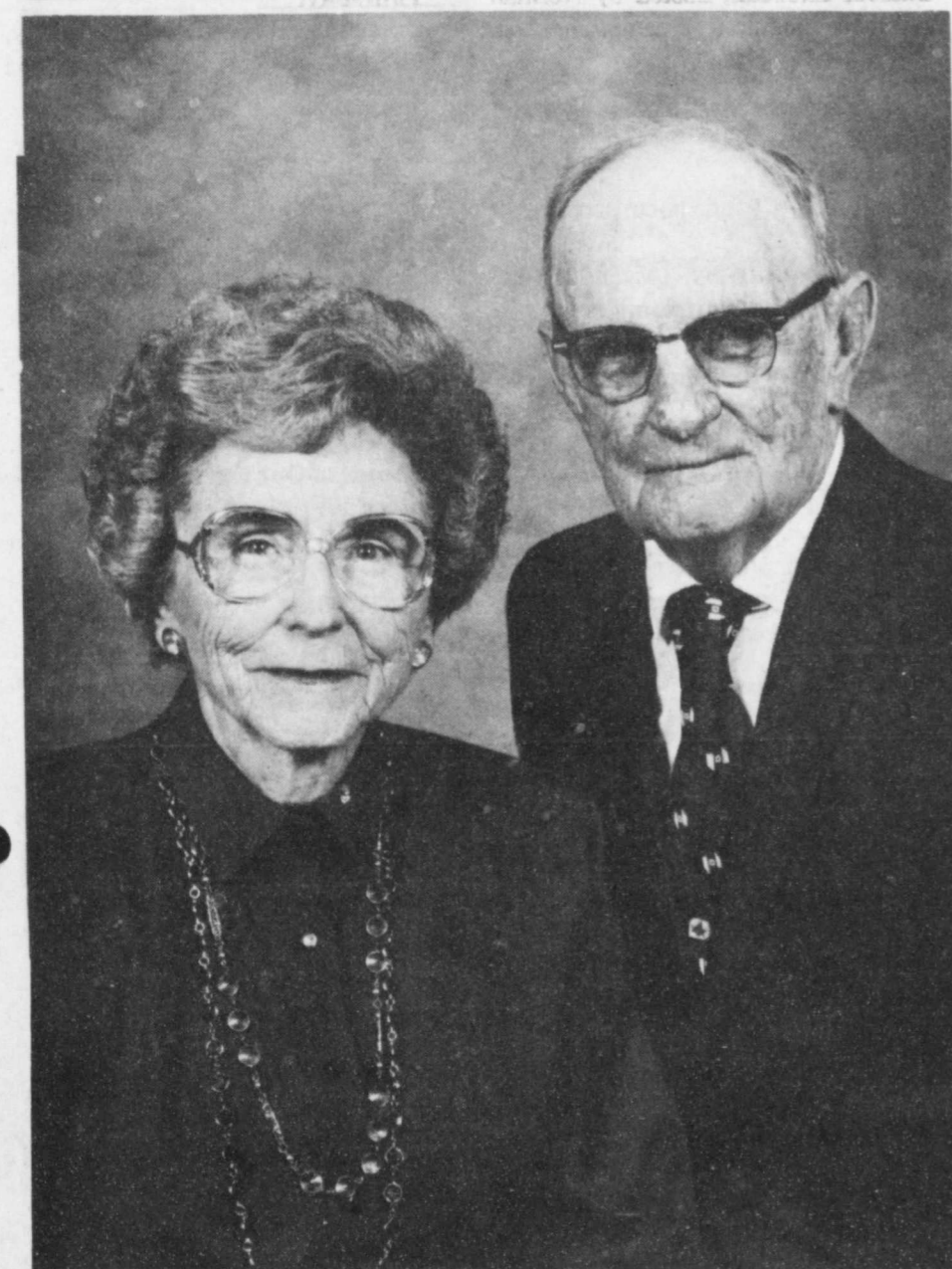
Some miracle drugs are beta blockers, calcium blockers, anti-hypertensives and enzyme inhibitors are to fight build up of plaque in the arteries. An eleven step test to check if you are at risk was given with stress on stop smoking, and other risk factors. Some of the eleven risk factors were history (personal and family), smoking, diabetes, high blood pressure, diets, stress and exercise/fitness.

Since February is "Heart Month" we need to take heed for our health.

Refreshments of crackers, dip, cake, jello and coffee were served.

Those present for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Sue, Nick Long, Stephen Becker, A.T. Thrasher, Clar Schacht, Jerry Cannon, Bart Greer, Randy Rainwater, Neal Becker, and Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap, and Susan Simpson.

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SIXTIETH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED--Mr. and Mrs. M.S. Robertson of Floydada recently observed their sixtieth anniversary with a dinner at Furr's Cafeteria hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Crader. Robertson and the former Pauline Hampton were married February 20, 1932 in Floydada. They have two daughters, Linda and Jimmy Crader of Floydada and Deanne and Jay Miller of Garland. They also have four grandchildren, Misti Justice and April Miller of Garland and Scott and Lisa Crader of Floydada.

### 1990 Study Club

The 1990 Study Club met at Cindy Fortenberry's house Monday, Feb. 10. After a short business review, members were reminded of the February social.

Members and their husbands will meet at the home of Dana Pyle on Feb. 15 for the lingerie auction. Lingerie for both men and women will go to the top bidders. As with all 1990 Study Club functions, proceeds go to local charities identified by members and the Child Welfare Board.

Hostesses Mendy Shurbet and Lori Battey served a lasagna supper. The program was presented by Derinda Patton of Silverton. She demonstrated several fashion ideas with scarves and jewelry. Members could purchase Premier Jewelry after the program.

Members attending were Lori Battey, Jan Beedy, Shawnda Brown, Sherese Covington, Latona Davis, Cindy Fortenberry, Brenda Heflin, Traci Helms, Holly Lee, Gayla Marble, Kelli McCormick, Dana Pyle, Mary Sanders, Sandra Schwertner, Mendy Shurbet, Janet Thornton and Dara Ware.

For the March meeting, Study Club will travel to Turkey, for a tour and dinner at the Turkey Hotel. Due to bad weather during January, the tour of Wal-Mart Distribution in Plainview was cancelled. For those members that did not have to travel, a short meeting was held at Nielson's.

### 1956 Study Club

By Judy Dunlap

A tour of the old Lamplighter Inn in downtown Floydada began an evening of fun for members of 1956 Study Club and their husbands, February 11.

The group assembled in the dining room and was served a Sweetheart Dinner consisting of ham, green beans, creamed potatoes, cornbread, rolls, and heart cakes. Sheldon Sue led an invocation.

Judy Schacht, president of the club,

issued a welcome. She then invited couples to share their "funniest wedding story". Much to the enjoyment of the group, some stories were true and some were invented for the occasion.

Husbands then participated in a Chinese gift exchange of heart shaped gifts.

Roxanne Cummings, who owns the Lamplighter Inn along with her mother, shared a brief history of the inn. She also declared their intentions of obtaining a National Landmark for the historic building. She urged those present to "Call us first before you throw ANYTHING away."

### Il Penseroso Jr. Study Club

The Il Penseroso Jr. Study Club met on February 13, at the high school art dept. Shawnda Foster called the meeting to order and old business was discussed. The members will be performing a skit at the annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet. Those in charge say the citizens won't want to miss this skit! The annual Il Penseroso Bridge Tournament will be on March 11 and proceeds will go to the Jackson Taylor Love Fund.

In new business, members voted to purchase a television to be given to the Buddy Wiley family who lost many items in a recent fire. Our March 12 meeting will be a Dinner Theatre given by Lockney's One Act Play. Athena Club members will be our guests.

Those attending the meeting were Shawnda Foster, Rise' Ford DarLee Foster, Renee Hrbacek, Cindy Cotham, Traci Long, Marva Rasco, Julie Ellison, Terri Fortenberry, Donna McCarter, Cris Taylor, Tami Wofford, Pam Fulton, Robin Sherman, Michealle Stennett, Melody Wiley, Karla Stapp, Heather Stowe and Diane Lowe.

Our guest for the evening was Dana Wright, a first grade teacher at Lockney Elementary. The next meeting is February 27, and Traci Long and Kathy Kellison will present a program on making hair bows and button covers.

### Alpha Sigma Upsilon

Alpha Sigma Upsilon, chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, met for their first regular meeting of the month in the home of Tammy Leeson.

The meeting began with guest speaker, Charles Overstreet, who is one of the candidates for the position of Floyd County Sheriff.

Everyone was then served a meal of stew, cornbread and dessert by the hostess.

The business meeting was called to order by President Hope Warren, with all members standing for opening rituals. Roll was taken with eight members present and two excused absences. Minutes from the last meeting were read and approved.

With no correspondence to take care of, they moved on to unfinished business. After going over meeting assignments and changes, plans were finalized for the Valentine banquet. A date was then set to have rituals for a new member. Voting was held for this year's sweetheart, which was to be announced at the banquet on Feb. 15.

Everyone stood for closing rituals and mizpah.

### SWEETHEART BANQUET

Alpha Sigma Upsilon, chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, held their annual sweetheart banquet on Feb. 15 at the Lamplighter Inn.

Following a dinner of ham and dessert, secret sister gifts were exchanged. Tammy Leeson was then crowned sweetheart for the coming year.

The group's next meeting was planned for Feb. 18 in the home of Maria Lopez.

### Athena Study Club

By Dorothy Hooten

The Athena Club met Tuesday, Feb. 11, for a Valentine party with their husbands as guests. A meal was served at the Main Street Church of Christ activity center with Vida Hrbacek as hostess and Kathy Allen as co-hostess.

Roll call was answered by "How did you meet your spouse", and then the ladies presented their husbands with a special valentine.

The singing group "Harmony" entertained the group with some favorite selections. The group consists of Travis and Amy Thornton, Zeldia Ellison, Lisa

Mosley and Phil Cotham.

Seventeen members met for a business meeting with Bettye Jackson, president, presiding.

A report was given on proceeds from the Book Fair held Jan. 20 through Jan. 24 in Lockney with Kathy Allen as chairman.

The nominating committee presented names to club members for officers of the upcoming year 1992-93.

Meeting was adjourned.

### 1950 Study Club

The February American History meeting of the 1950 Study Club was held in the home of Lovene Moore with Marjorie McElyea as co-hostess.

President, Edris Edwards conducted the business meeting. Fourteen members answered roll call with an interesting Texas fact.

Dr. Estelle Owens of Wayland Baptist University brought an interesting program "She Is Nobody's Baby Now", a history of American women since the turn of the century.

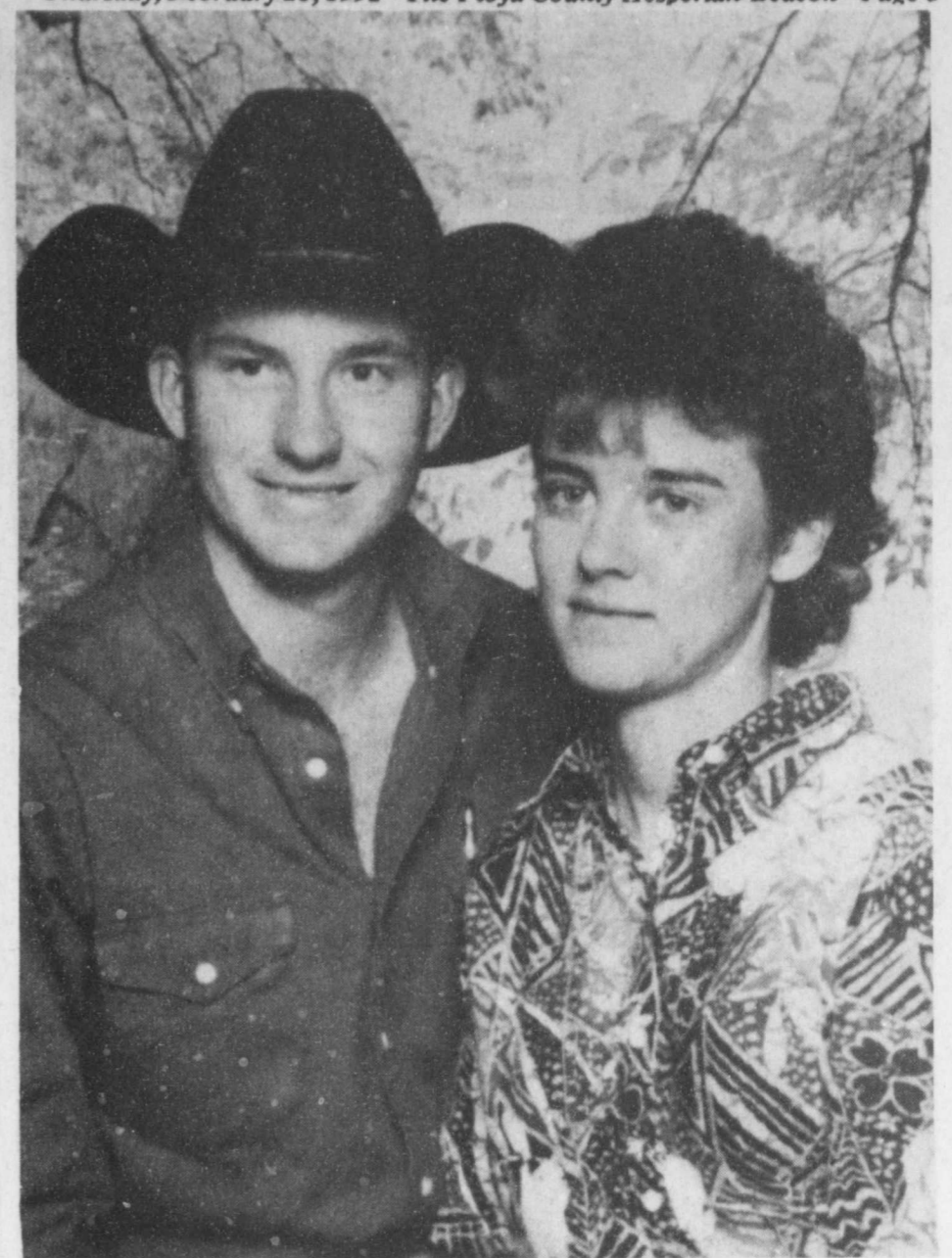
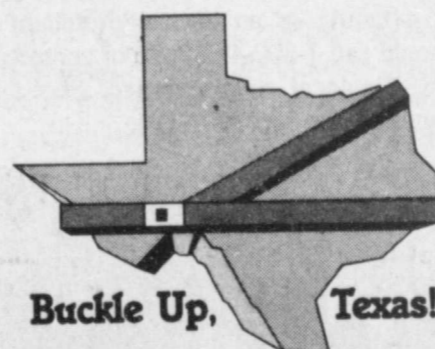
Members present were: Nell Abram, Edris Edwards, Geneile Evans, Margie Fowler, Wanda Hickerson, Martha Lotspeich, Jane McCulley, Doris McLain, Sue Moore, Carol Reese, Roberta Russell, Nettie Ruth Whittle, the hostess and co-hostess. Frances Puckett was a guest for the evening.

### This 'N' That Club

Monday evening, February 17, was the annual Valentine party for the "This 'N' That" hobby club. Six-thirty, at the Lighthouse party room, was the time of sharing our meal of sandwiches, chips, dips, relish trays, assortment of pies, tea and coffee on pretty decorated tables with Valentine motifs.

After the meal and visiting were games of 84.

Enjoying the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Son Jackson, Johnny B. Sue, Glen White and T.L. Holland. Others were Jo Lyles, Mamie Bunch, Queen A. Lawson, Winnie Beedy, Thelma Crawford, Oleta Wilson, and Jonelle Fawver. Guest were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tye.



COUPLE MARRIED—Ida Turnbo of Snyder, wishes to announce the marriage of her daughter, Kimberly Jean to Bryan Henderson, son of Ira and Gail Henderson of Lockney. Kimberly is the daughter of the late Alfred Turnbo. The couple was married February 15, in Snyder. She is a graduate of Snyder High School and Bryan is a graduate of Lockney High School. He is presently employed by Wal-Mart in Plainview. They will make their home in Lockney.

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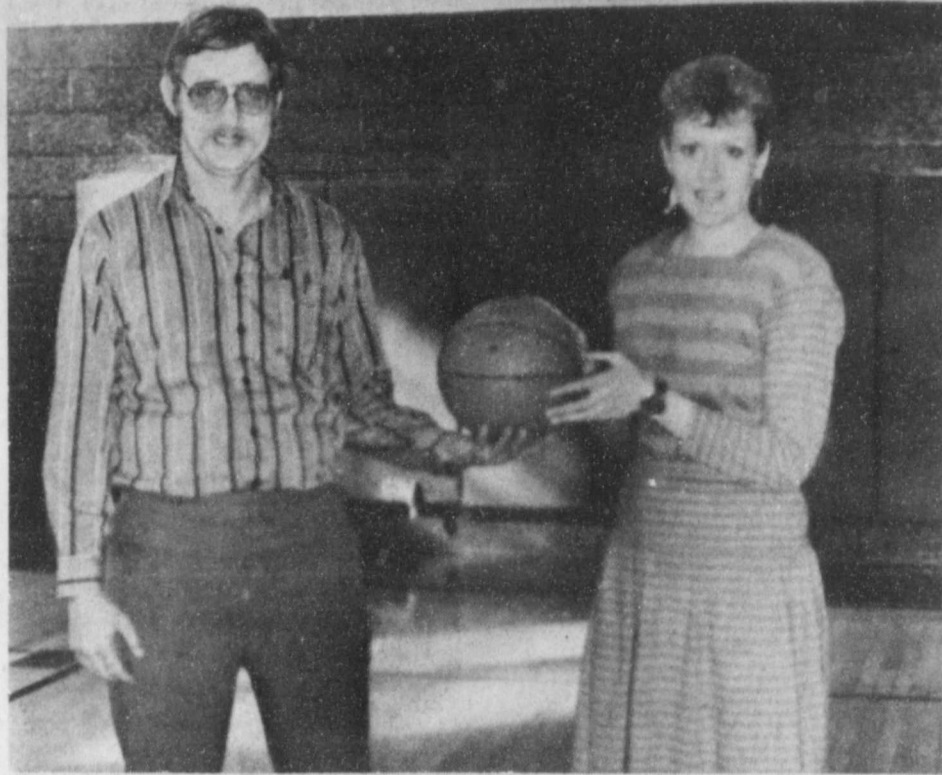
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**STUDENT-FACULTY GAMES BEGIN** — Dale Jahay (left) will be coaching the men's faculty team and Dara Ware (right) will be coaching the women's team in the student-faculty basketball games at FHS on Friday, February 21. —Staff Photo



**CUSTODIANS TO PARTICIPATE** — FHS custodians who have agreed to be a part of the annual Student-Faculty Basketball games include (back row, left to right) Dale Jahay (coach), Rolando Cisneros; (front, left to right) Sammy Mercado, Abel Vasquez, David Sanchez, and Armando Enriquez. Not pictured is Clinton Fawver. —Staff Photo

## Student-Faculty games slated Friday at FHS

Friday, Feb. 21, promises to be an exciting, fun-filled night of basketball. The R.C. Andrews PTA is sponsoring two faculty/student games.

The student girls coached by Jason Pyle and Tad Terrell will take on the faculty women coached by Dara Ware. The student boys coached by Tian Younger will take on the faculty men coached by Dale Jahay.

Referees for the games are Bobbie

Weir and B.K. Bates. Ann Carthel, head-cheerleader, along with the rest of her cheerleading squad will urge the teams on to victory. Laura Turner, serving as nurse for the games, will be on hand to "doctor" any injuries that may occur.

The first game starts at 6:30 p.m. at the junior high gym.

Tickets are \$1.00 for adults and 50 cents for students and can be purchased at the door.



**STUDENTS AND FACULTY PLAY** — These students, coached by Tian Younger (front row, left) and Brad Swaffar, will be playing in the FHS Student-Faculty Basketball games this Friday. Left to right in the back row are Gabriel Garcia, David Johnston and Nufo Morales. The other student in the front is Jackie Alaniz. —Staff Photo

### Laura McCarty on Dean's List at LCU

Laura McCarty of Floydada has been named to the Dean's List for the fall semester at Lubbock Christian University. She is the daughter of Gene and Eleanor McCarty and posted a 3.88

grade point average during the semester. A student must complete the semester with at least a 3.50 GPA to be on the list. LCU is a select private institution which emphasizes academics in a Christian atmosphere.

## Local families needed for exchange students

ASSE International Student Exchange Programs (ASSE) is seeking local families to host boys and girls from Scandinavia, France, Italy, Spain, Germany, Holland, Great Britain, Switzerland, Japan, Canada, and New Zealand, 15 to 18 years of age, coming to this area for the upcoming high school year.

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Students speak English and are sponsored by ASSE, a non-profit public benefit organization. ASSE is the only student exchange program that is affiliated with the Swedish and Finnish Departments of Education, cooperates with the Canadian Provincial Ministries of Education and is approved by the New Zealand Department of Education.

The exchange students arrive from their home country shortly before school begins and return at the end of the school year. Each ASSE student is fully insured, brings their own spending money and expects to bear his or her share of household responsibilities, as well as being included in normal family activities and lifestyles.

The students are well screened and qualified by ASSE. Families may select the youngster of their choice from extensive student applications, family photos and biographical essays. Students and families are encouraged to begin corresponding prior to the student's arrival.

ASSE is also seeking local high

school students to become ASSE exchange students abroad. Students should be between 15 and 18 years old and interested in living with a host family, attending school and learning about the lands and people of Scandinavia, France, Italy, Spain, Germany, Holland, Britain, Switzerland, Canada, or New Zealand.

Students should have a good academic record and desire to experience

another culture and language through living with a warm and giving volunteer family. Academic year and shorter term summer vacation programs are available.

Those persons interested in obtaining more information about becoming a host family or an exchange student should call 1-800-473-0696 or contact ASSE's local representative: Shelia Butterfield at 806-794-9194.



**DUNCAN STARS** — Duncan Stars for the week include (front row, left to right) Cynthia Castillo, Mayra Jimenez, Bernice Alaniz, Gregory Garcia, Tiffany Davis, Mari Mendoza, Allen Arvizu, Zach Emert, Chris Childers, Heather Ware; (second row) Rolando Enriquez, Eric Morales, Marcos Valadez, Cienna Carthel, Evie Sanchez, Brandi Cruz, Patricia Sanchez, April Fortenberry, Max

Garza; (third row) Mary Diaz, Natasha Clemmons, Josh Hammonds, Jason Henderson, Ashley Juarez, Lewis Fawver, Marlana Garcia, Chris Wiley, Laura Miller, Brad Yeary; (back row) Eric Enriquez, Ray Perez, Frank Hernandez, Rick Garcia, Ashley Enriquez, April Warren, Christopher Yannis, Cynthia Hernandez and Leon Childers. —Staff Photo

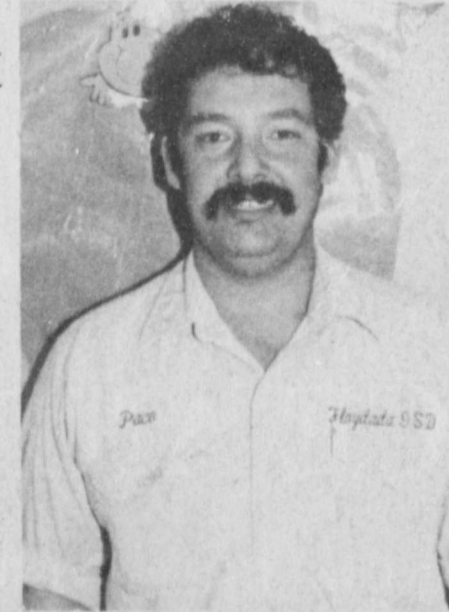
### Anita McCormick named to HSU President's List

Anita R. McCormick of Floydada was named to the Hardin-Simmons University President's List for the 1991 Fall semester.

The President's List is composed of students carrying 12 or more semester hours who have grades of A in all courses for the semester.

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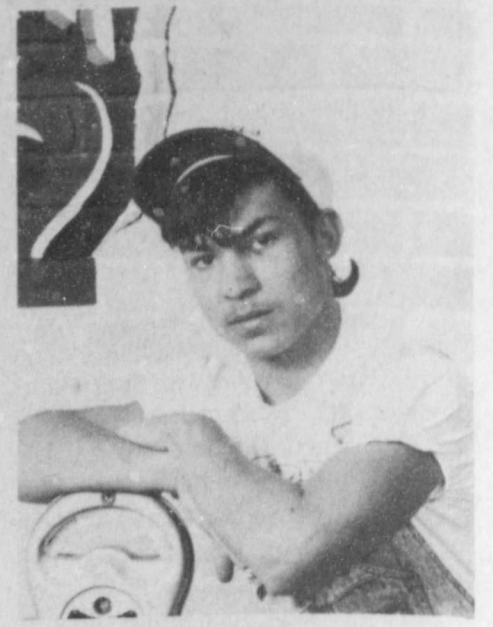


**APPLE OF OUR EYE** — Paco Garcia, a janitor, was selected as the Apple of Our Eye for the week of February 10. He has been employed by the school for 5 years. —Staff Photo

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ROSEMARY GONZALES



NUFO MORALES

## Coming Through in '92

By Katharine Davis

The first senior of this week is Rosemary Gonzales, daughter of Guadalupe and Irene Gonzales. She has one brother, Lupe, and two sisters, Rosalinda and Rebecca Avila.

She has attended Floydada schools for ten years. Before coming to Floydada, she attended school in Fisher, Minnesota, and Skidmore, Texas. She enjoys her classes at school, especially Spanish, Typing and Geometry.

She is a member of the Future Homemakers of America. The thing she likes most about F.H.S. is the teachers, because they are very special to her.

If Rosemary could travel anywhere in the world, she would choose Paris, France, and she would take David Castillo with her. She would like to meet Amy Grant, the singer of her favorite song, "Baby, Baby."

She loves to eat pizza and watch "Who's The Boss." "Mermaids" is her favorite movie. Rosemary also enjoys reading "Garfield."

Rosemary's future plans are to attend Del Mar College and study cosmetology, and then further her education at St.

Mary's University, where she hopes to obtain a degree in child psychology.

Our next senior is Nufo Morales, who is the son of Gloria Morales. His siblings are Junie, Ray, Mando, and Rosie. He has attended Floydada schools all his life. He enjoys being around his friends at school and loves art class.

He attends First Spanish Mission. When asked who he admires the most, he said his brother Mando. He would like to meet Kirk Hammett someday.

Nufo likes to listen to Metallica, Meg A Deth, and Anthrax. His favorite songs are "Nothing Else Matters" and "Enter Sandman." His other favorites include the show "Fresh Prince of Bel Air", the movie "New Jack City", the color black, pizza, and the cartoon "Droopy."

Nufo's future plans are to attend either Texas Tech or Angelo State University. He is going to be a commercial artist or a coach.

Rosemary and Nufo both are ambitious seniors who are ready for graduation.



**APPLE OF OUR EYE** — Sarah Sanders is a second grade teacher at A. B. Duncan Elementary and has been working there for 14 years. She is the Apple of Our Eye for the week of February 17. —Staff Photo

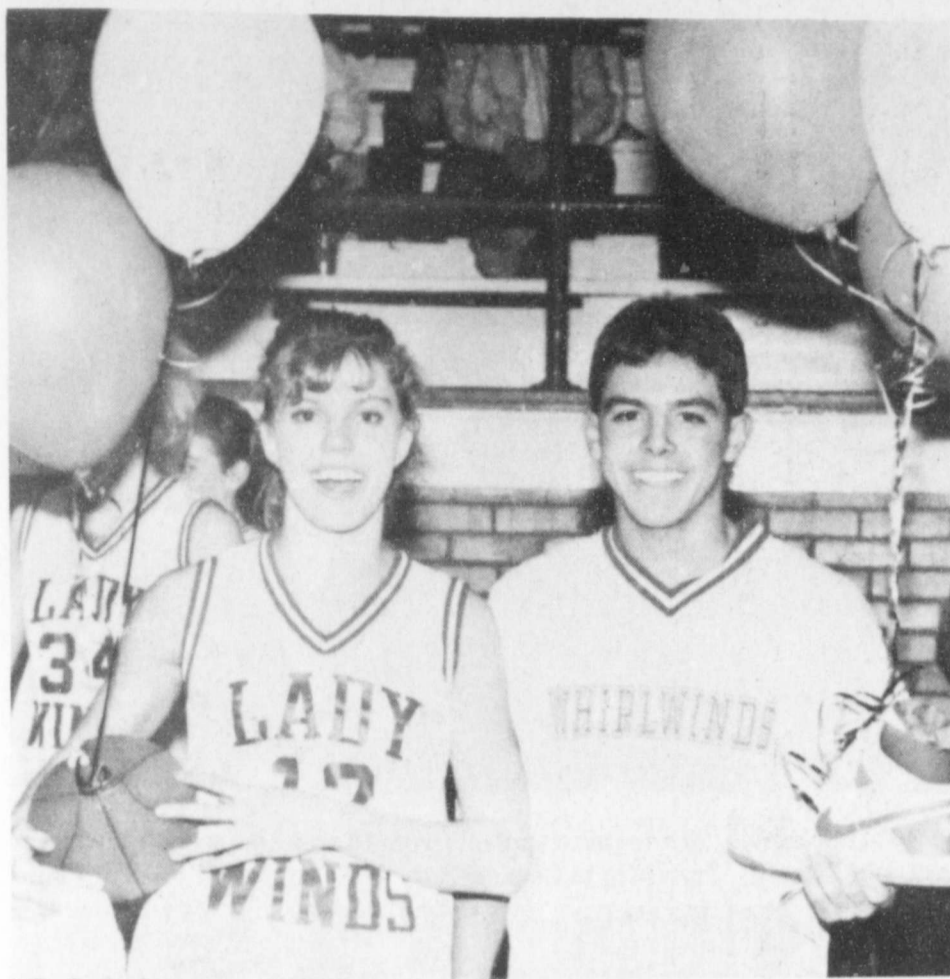
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## New names added to FHS 1992 grid schedule



**BASKETBALL FAVORITES**—FHS Seniors Kalli Hicks and Billy Villarreal were named Basketball Sweetheart and Basketball Beau by their teammates during a break in game action on February 11. —Staff Photo

The University Interscholastic League's January biennial realignment had no effect upon Floydada's district opponent for the next two years. Once again the Whirlwinds join Littlefield, Tulia, Dimmitt, Friona and Muleshoe to comprise the membership of District 2-3A. Floydada will again be one of the smallest AAA schools competing in Region I.

The realignment process created an almost wholesale change in Floydada's 1992 non-conference football schedule. Crane, Lubbock Roosevelt, Canyon and Slaton have been replaced by Brownfield, Hamlin, Big Lake-Reagan County and Childress. Only longtime foe Lockney remains on the Whirlwinds' 1992 non-conference slate.

After a two year home-and-home series with Crane in the season openers, Floydada will travel to Lockney to open the 1992 campaign. The Whirlwinds maintain an advantage in the 70-plus years' County Championship series, but when the two squads take to the field on September 4, all past years' records will be forgotten. As always, it will be a tough contest between two of Texas

schoolboy football's oldest rivals. Floydada has faced Lubbock Roosevelt in week two for the past four years. The Eagles elected not to schedule the 'Winds this year, and the Brownfield Cubs have been added for the next two years. Brownfield, one of the area's larger 3A schools, will be a formidable opponent for Floydada's home opener on September 11.

The Whirlwinds will venture to Hamlin for the third non-conference contest with the Pied Pipers. Although a 2A squad, Hamlin is a yearly contender for post-season play in the highly competitive District 7-2A. It will be the first meeting between Floydada and the Pied Pipers.

Big Lake's Reagan County Owls replace Canyon for 1992. Canyon and Floydada have staged some classic battles in recent years, and the heated rivalry will be missed. However, District 6-3A's Reagan County is a perennial playoff contender. The Owls posted a fine 8-1 regular season record in 1991 and defeated Fabens 34-12 in the Bi-District round of the playoffs. State 3A finalist Burnet eliminated Reagan

County in the Area round 39-8. Floydada will meet Reagan County on September 25 at a neutral site yet to be determined.

Floydada will host the Childress Bobcats at Wester Field as the Whirlwinds welcome their exes for Homecoming, 1992. The Bobcats and 'Winds have a storied rivalry — both in playoffs and as one-time district foes. The latest edition of their fierce battles was last November 15, with Charlie Johnston's Bobcats edging the 'Winds 21-20 in a wild Bi-District thriller at Plainview. The Childress-Floydada game on October 2 should be a real crowd-pleaser for the Homecoming crowd and the Whirlwind faithful.

District 2-3A remains intact — only the schedule has been altered. The 'Winds open district play at home

against Friona on October 9. The remainder of the district slate is: October 16 - Muleshoe (away); October 23 - Tulia (home); October 30 - Littlefield (away); and November 6 - Dimmitt (away).

According to Whirlwind mentor Dean Bates, "Scheduling this year's non-district games presented some real problems. With Lubbock Dunbar's addition to District 3-3A, Slaton had to drop us to make room for the Panthers. We attempted to add Denver City, Idalou and several others, but they didn't want to play us."

Bates added, "We feel the teams we were able to schedule will be very competitive and will prepare us for district. We are particularly pleased to get Childress for Homecoming... it should be quite a game!"



### FHS one act play group seeks help gathering props

It is time for the one act play contest preparation to begin at Floydada High School. The play "Heaven Can Wait" by Harry Segall, publishers, Dramatists Play Service Inc. has been chosen for this year's competition.

A fine cast was selected by four judges and is in rehearsal at Floydada High School.

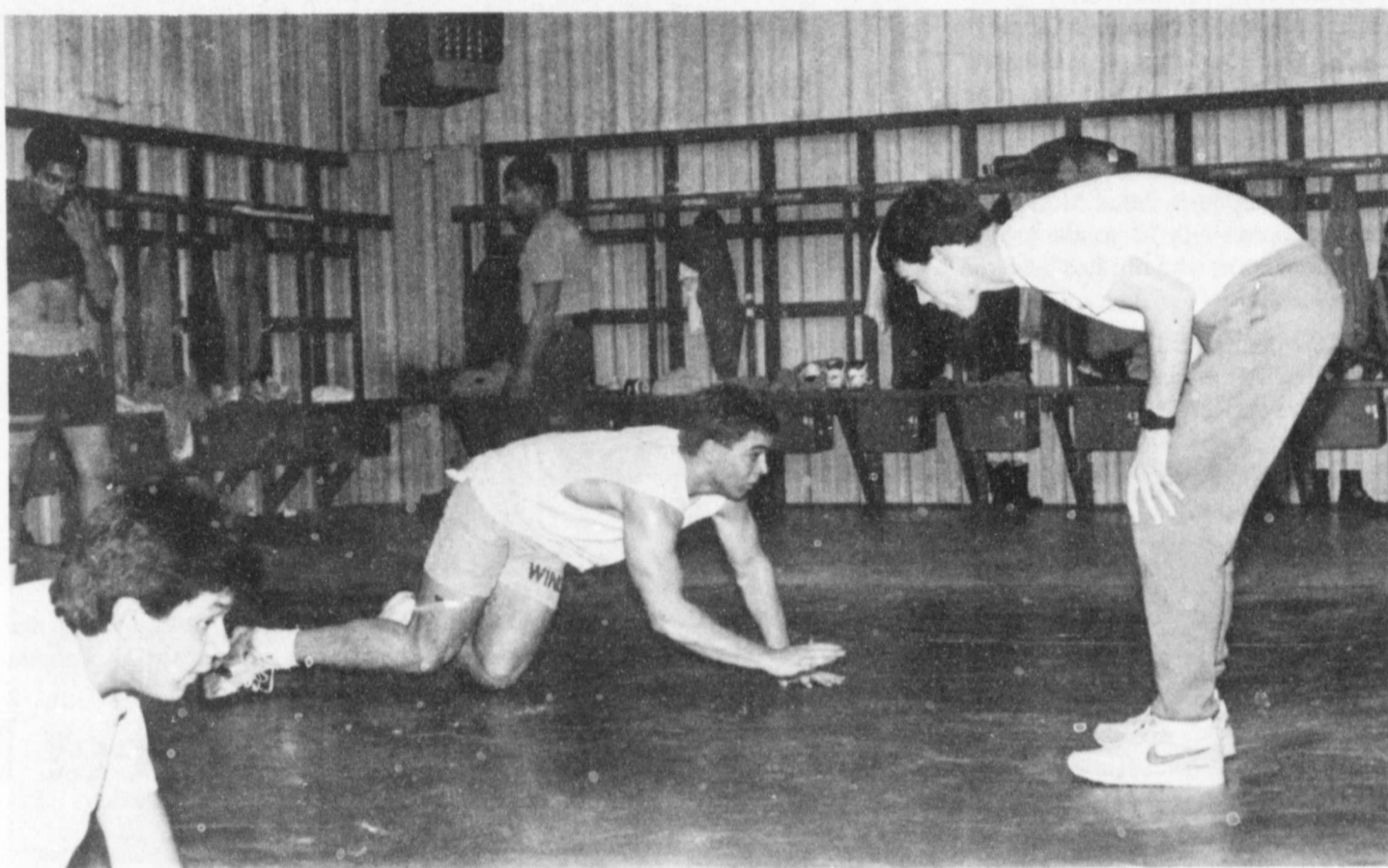
The play is set in the 1930's and they need some help gathering costumes, furniture and properties. If anyone has, and would be willing to loan the theater department the items they would be very grateful. They will need to use them through March 27. You may call high school, 983-2340, or Lou Bursleson, 983-2977.

- Items needed include:
- Radio that stands on the floor
  - Wing back chair
  - Three end tables
  - Telephone
  - Bowler Hat
  - Man's suit, size 40, double breasted coat
  - White tux
  - Nurse's uniform

Members of the "Heaven Can Wait" cast are: Michael Gilliland, Scott Crader, Jason Owens, Sylvia Caballero, Brandon Gilliland, Jodee Breed, Roxann Cavazos, Christy Benjamin, D.G. Hollums, and Katharine Davis. Crew members are Chris Wilson, Alissa Wilson and Jennifer Harbin.

Tuesday night, March 10, at 5:00 p.m. there will be a dress production at Lockney. Ralls and Lockney High Schools will also perform their contest productions for the public to see.

Contest date is March 26 at Wayland University Theater. Floydada will be the last play for district contest which will be approximately 3:00 p.m.



**LOSE SOMETHING** — Whirlwind footballer Scott Crader (center) and Coach Kyle Clark appear to be looking for a lost article. In reality, Crader and other 'Winds were going through conditioning drills during the off-season program. —Staff Photo

### Ex-students plan homecoming activities

**By Julianne Cornelius**  
The officers for the Ex-Student Association for Homecoming, 1992, met Thursday, February 6, 1992, at the school administration office at 6:00 p.m.

After the invocation, the business meeting was called to order by President Darlynn Hambright. The minutes from the January 24, 1989 meeting were discussed.

After accepting the resignation of Olin Watson, Jr., as treasurer, we elected Penny Golightly as the new treasurer. A treasurer's report was then given.

Homecoming 1992 will be October 2.

The football game will be against Childress. We discussed a possible downtown pep rally on Thursday, including a snake dance, bonfire, etc. . . We discussed holding registration in the high school gymnasium Friday p.m. and Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. A suggestion was made to have a Punt-Pass-Kick after school Friday, for the younger kids. We discussed having an after-game coffee in the jr. high cafeteria.

The meal on Saturday will be held at A.B. Duncan, four school buses will shuttle from high school to Duncan. Catering services for the meal were discussed. The business meeting will be

held at 2:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium. During the business meeting we decided to give special recognition plaques to the Oldest Class Member in attendance, and to the Ex-student who traveled the furthest. We will then hold the Memorial Service.

The Dance was discussed briefly as to the location. President Darlynn Hambright then announced that the Homecoming Committee will meet the first Thursday of each month at 6:00 p.m. and encouraged anyone interested in helping to please attend. There being no further business, the meeting was then adjourned. Those in attendance were: President Darlynn Hambright, Vice President Bobby Gilliland, Recording Secretary Julianne Cornelius, Treasurer Penny Golightly, and visitors Flora McNeill, Ann Helms, and Kerwin Baxter.

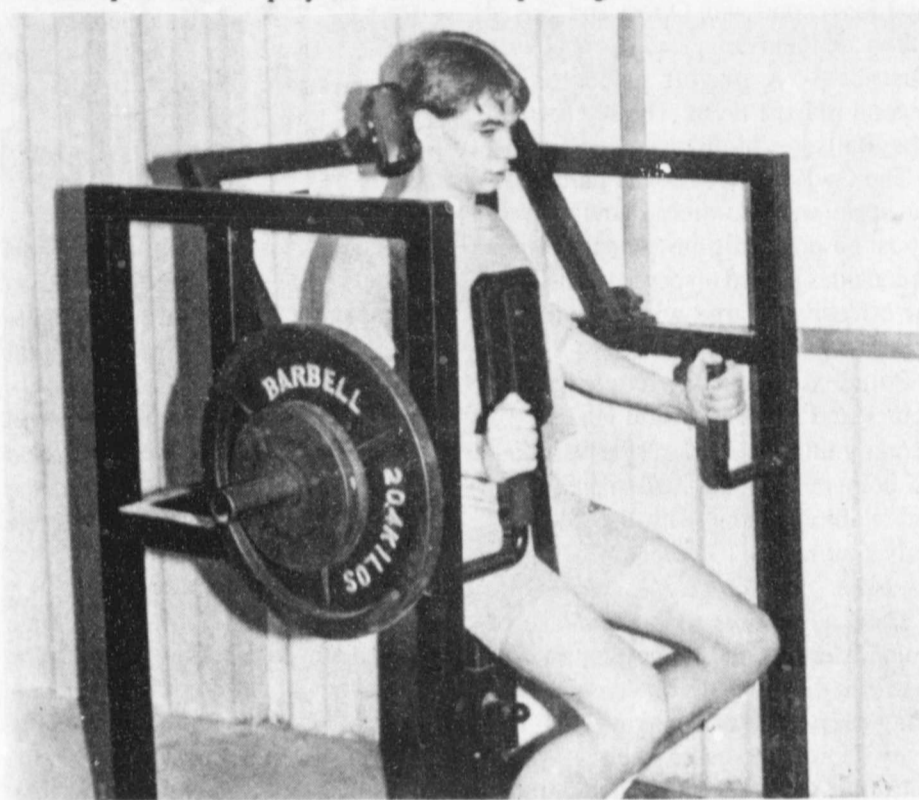
### Clarendon College to focus on ranch and feedlot scholarships

The Clarendon College Ranch and Feedlot Operations Program will be the focus of a new scholarship funding effort by the Panhandle Livestock Association at its 77th annual meeting to be held in Amarillo, Saturday, February 22, at the Harvey Hotel.

The meeting will begin with a reception at 11 a.m. to be followed by a luncheon at 12 noon. Jack Moreman, Director of the Clarendon College RFO program, will be luncheon speaker. An afternoon fashion show by Images of Pampa will feature modeling by members of the association.

The evening will begin with a reception and silent auction at 6:30 p.m. Proceeds from the auction will be used to help fund the Ranch and Feedlot Operations Scholarship. There will be a dance from 7:30 p.m. until midnight with music by the Khiva Shrine Western Swing Band.

Reservations for the Panhandle Livestock Association meeting should be made by Friday, February 14, according to President Nancy McIntyre of Spearman. For reservations or additional information, please contact Mrs. McIntyre at (806) 659-2083.



**SITTIN'S NOT ALWAYS EASY** — FHS Junior Josh Thayer operates one of the lift machines during one of the Whirlwind off season conditioning and weight training sessions. —Staff Photo

### Phyllis Parks is listed on LCU Dean's

Phyllis Parks of Floydada has been named to the Dean's List for the fall semester at Lubbock Christian University. She is the daughter of Ronald Parks and posted a 4.0 grade point average during the semester.

Recently Phyllis was honored with a reception given by the University President, Executive Vice-President and the

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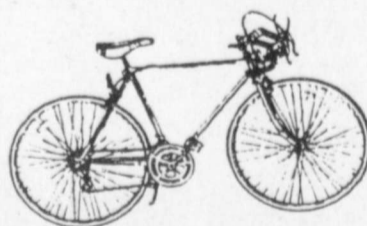


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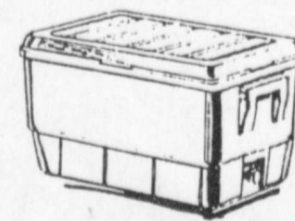
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# Lady Horns in playoff scramble

(Editor's Note: Research for this article, by Texas Tech journalism student Doug Fair, was made possible by a grant from the Reader's Digest Foundation.)

Painted on the dressing room door at the Lockney High Gym is "Hustling Horns", and that is just what the Hale Center Owlettes found at the Lockney-Hale women's basketball game Friday night.

The Lady Horns used 32 minutes of hustle, smothering defense and the strong inside play of LaDonna Butler to lead the Lady Horns to a decisive 50-27 victory over the Owlettes.

The victory brought the Lady Horns record to 18-11 overall and 4-3 in the second half of district play.

They finished regular season play tied for second with Olton, and played Olton at Plainview High School in a District 3-2A playoff game for the second playoff berth. The winner will play Ralls in a bi-district playoff game.

The Owlettes' chances of pulling off an upset were severely damaged seconds before halftime when Belinda Poindexter picked up her fourth foul on an offensive charge with six seconds remaining in the first half.

Poindexter, the Owlettes leading scorer and the area's third leading 2A scorer going into Friday's game scored 15 points, but was forced to sit out the entire third quarter with the Owlettes only trailing by 10 points at halftime, 24-14.

The Lady Horns took advantage of Poindexter's absence. They continually harassed the Owlettes on defense, covering every inch of the gym floor. The Lady Horns increased their 10-point halftime lead to a 35-20 lead after three quarters.

The Lady Horns' offense was lead by LaDonna Butler, who was too strong around the hoop for her defensive counterparts. Butler finished with 19 points to lead all scorers. Nicole McDonald added 12 points for the Lady Horns.

Hale Center finished its basketball year with a 9-17 record, 4-3 in the second half of district play.

The Lady Horns play-off bid ended Monday night with their 47-42 loss to the Olton Fillies.

The game was played at Plainview High School to a packed auditorium.

An in-dept story on Monday's game will appear in next week's Hesperian-Beacon.

Hale Center Owlettes 50-27 in a district game on Friday night. Leading the scoring for the Lady Horns was LaDonna Butler with 19 points. She was followed by Nicole McDonald with 12 points.

### LOCKNEY 42 - OLTON 47

The Lady Horns lost a heartbreaker to Olton on Monday night. After rallying in the last quarter the buzzer sounded all too soon.

LaDonna Butler led the scoring in the playoff game for second place in district. She scored 15 points and was followed by Carolyn Turner with 13 points. Michelle Delgado scored 7 points, Nicole McDonald 6 points and Dede McCarty 1 point.

### SCORES BY QUARTERS:

Lockney . . . 8 . . . 7 . . . 11 . . . 16  
Olton . . . . 9 . . . 14 . . . 12 . . . 12

### LOCKNEY 50 - HALE CENTER 27

The Lockney Lady Horns bested the

## Lockney Basketball Report

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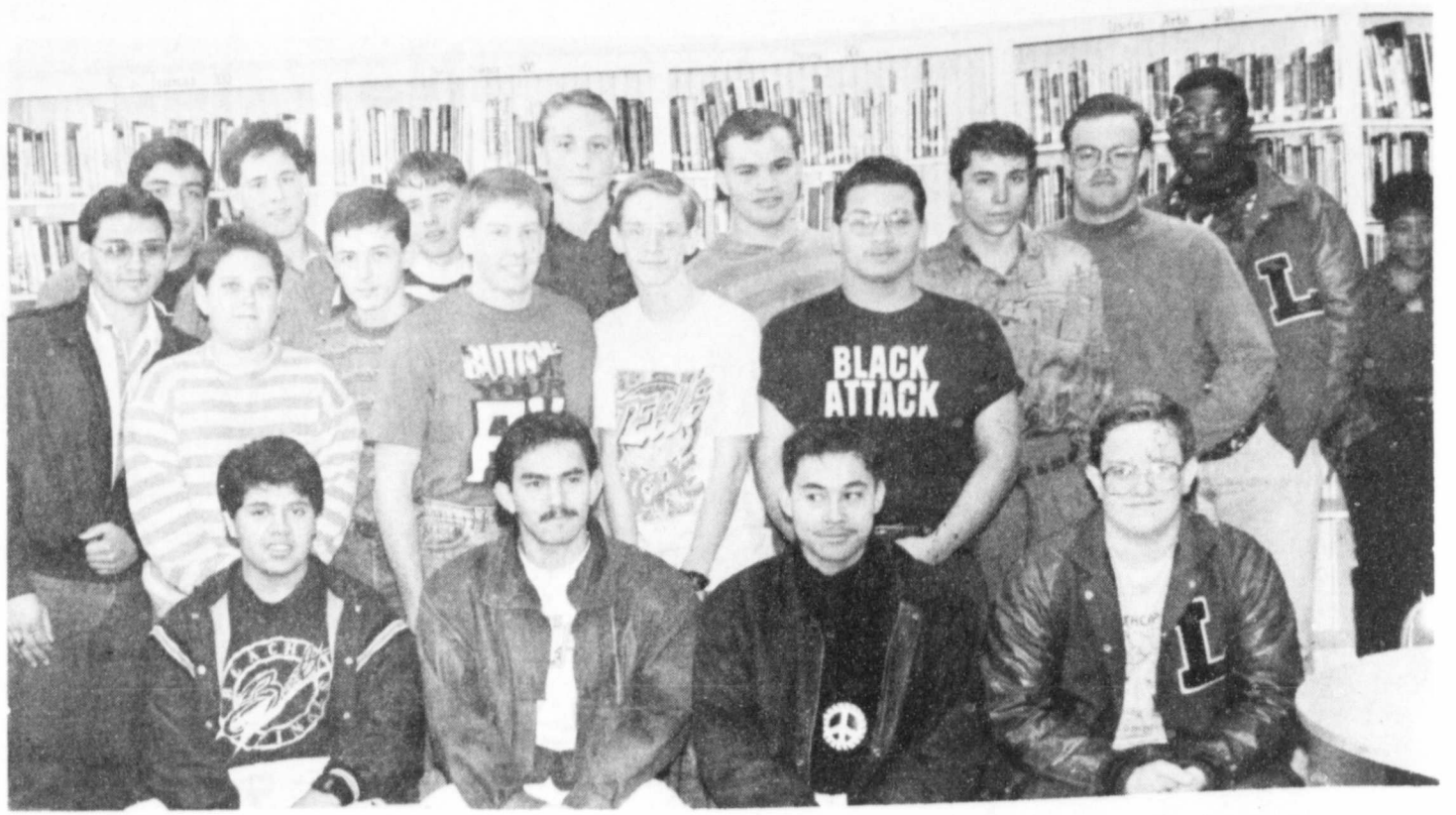
The Lockney Longhorns' basketball team was not short on heart and effort in Friday's District 3-2A matchup with the Hale Center Owls, but they were a few short of stopping Koy Smith.

Smith, the area's leading 2-A scorer, lead the Owls with 24 points as Hale Center defeated Lockney, 77-42. The Owls, who will represent District 3-2A as district champions in the upcoming playoffs, left no doubt who the dominant team in this game would be as they jumped out to a 23-7 lead after the first

quarter. When Smith was not scoring off of offensive rebounds or hitting long range "N.B.A." three pointers, he was setting up his teammates with outstanding passes.

Dwight Johnson added 15 points for the victorious Owls. Jared Mosley led the Longhorns with 12 points, to lead three Longhorns who finished the game in double digits.

The Owls improved their record to 21-5 and finished the second half of district play with a perfect 7-0 record. Lockney finished its season with a 2-25 record. The Longhorns were 1-6 in the second half of district play.



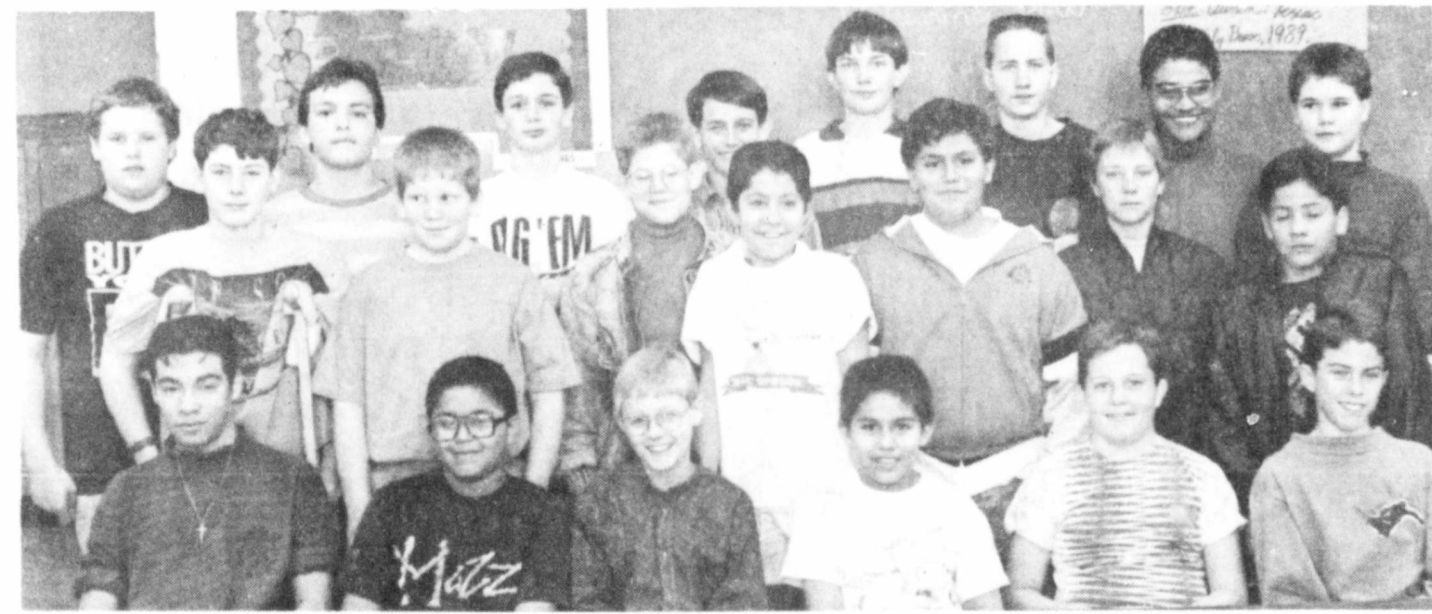
**HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS COMPETE--Lockney High School students competed in a Math and Science Meet against students from 10 area high schools. The meet was held in Lockney.** Staff Photo



**PARTICIPANTS IN MATH AND SCIENCE MEET--Students from Lockney High School participated in a Math and Science Meet held at Lockney High School on Saturday, February 15th.** Staff Photo



**STUDENTS WIN TROPHIES--Students at Lockney Junior High participated in the Math and Science Meet held locally Saturday. The trophies were won by both the junior high girls and the boys.** Staff Photo



**JUNIOR HIGH STUDENTS PARTICIPATE--Students from Lockney Junior High were among winners at the Math and Science Meet held locally Saturday. The boys and girls placed in all of the events.** Staff Photo



**MATH AND SCIENCE PARTICIPANTS--Lockney fifth graders participated in the Math and Science Meet held in Lockney last weekend. Over two hundred students from the area took part in the event.** Staff Photo

## Math and science meet held at LHS

A Math and Science Meet was held at Lockney High School on Saturday, Feb. 15. Approximately 200 students from 10 area high schools and five junior high schools participated.

Winning students from Lockney High School included:

Calculator: Chris Sepulveda, 5th; Jared Mosley, 6th; Shawn Hill, 6th; Lee Truett, 7th.

Number Sense: Coby Marr, 5th; DeDe McCarty, 7th; Allen Martin, 3rd; Rhanda Hickerson, 4th; Debbie Pyle, 5th; Jerod Glasson, 7th; Angie Clark, 8th; Lance Patridge, 4th; Ignacio Luna, 3rd; Chris Villa, 6th; Refugio Perez, 8th. Math: Jared Mosley, 2nd; Coby Marr, 5th; DeDe McCarty, 6th; Leticia Vargas, 7th; Victoria Guerrero, 10th; Allen Martin, 3rd; Glenn Truett, 5th; Rhanda Hickerson, 6th; Aneatria Walker, 6th; Anabel Camacho, 6th; Angie Clark, 6th; Lance Patridge, 6th; Carissa Clark, 8th; Ignacio Luna, 7th; Chris Villa, 8th; Jennifer Fortenberry, 10th.

Science: Coby Marr, 3rd; Jared Mosley, 7th; DeDe McCarty, 10th; Max Green, 6th; Allen Martin, 8th; Antonio Banda, 8th; Cindy Perez, 10th; Pauline Gonzales, 5th; Carissa Clark, 7th; Andy Stapp, 10th; Shawn Hill, 10th; Jessica Lemons, 9th; Kyla Zumwalt, 9th. Literary Criticism: Lila Booker, 1st; Kori Kellison, 1st.

As a team the Lockney Number Sense received a 2nd place trophy and the

Lockney Math received a second place trophy.

### JUNIOR HIGH

The Lockney Junior High team came in first in math, second in number sense and second in calculator. They won the first place sweepstakes award for junior high schools.

Lockney Junior High winners include:

Number Sense: Rodolfo Cervantes, 2nd; Jessica DeLeon, 6th; Jeremy Rodriguez, 8th; Dewayne Jones, 4th; Tim Mitchell, 10th; Brady Marr, 2nd; Carlos Perez, 4th; Lee Anne Galloway, 6th; Cory Garcia, 7th. Calculator: Dewayne Jones, 5th; Mandy Galloway, 8th; Allison Mangold, 8th; Brady Marr, 1st; Lee Anne Galloway, 3rd; Carlos Perez, 4th.

Science: Rodolfo Cervantes, 4th; Eloisa Soliz, 6th; Tim Mitchell, 1st; Allison Mangold, 7th; Brandon Covington, 10th.

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emy Rodriguez, 9th; Eloisa Soliz, 10th; Dewayne Jones, 1st; Tim Mitchell, 4th; Mandy Galloway, 6th; Allison Mangold, 8th; Brady Marr, 1st; Randi Jo Henderson, 2nd; Angela Hall, 3rd; Leigha Wood, 4th; Tikka Smith, 4th; Carlos Perez, 6th; Lee Anne Galloway, 6th; Tamarah Burson, 6th; Diana Lemons, 9th; Marcy Vasquez, 9th.

### FIFTH GRADERS

Fifth grade students participated on the junior high level.

Winners from fifth grade include: Number Sense: Dana Martinez, 1st; Lindi Miller, 2nd; Brett McQuhae, 3rd; Todd Allen, 3rd.

Math: Michelle Smith, 1st; Tessa Stapp, 2nd; Brett McQuhae, 3rd; Lindi Miller, 4th; T.J. Allen, 5th; Dana Martinez, 6th; Jeremy Stapp, 7th.

Science: Michelle Smith, 1st; Brett McQuhae, 2nd; T.J. Allen, 4th; Lindi Miller, 5th; Dana Martinez, 5th; Tessa Stapp, 7th.

## 4-H & FFA students earn awards

Members of the Lockney FFA and 4-H clubs brought home several ribbons from the San Antonio Junior Livestock Show.

Winning entrants include Lacy Aston with her Breed Champ Crossbred

Swine; Ryon Smith - 5th place Medium Weight Lamb; Cassidy Mallett - 1st place Lightweight Simmental Steer; Jeffrey Griffith - 9th place Medium Weight Duroc; Lindsey Mathis - 6th place Heavy weight Cross; Brittany Aston - 2nd place Chester White.

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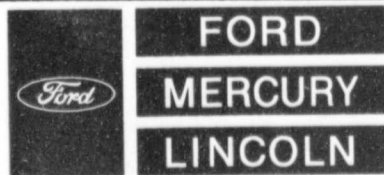
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**Chris Villa and Jennifer Fortenberry**

**Mr. and Miss LHS named for 91-92**

Chris Villa was named Mr. LHS and Jennifer Fortenberry Miss LHS for 1991-92 in a ceremony held Saturday, February 15 at the cafeteria of Lockney Elementary School.

First Runners-up were Jimmie Bradley and Jessica Lemons; Second Runners-up Juan Vargas and Daisey Blanco and third runners-up Clay Golden and Anna Vargas.

Kay Williams served as Mistress of Ceremonies and she opened the event with the following statement: "For the past 8 days the eyes of the world have been trained on Albertville, France. Athletes who have spent thousands of hours training for their one chance at an Olympic medal are being applauded for their hard work and dedication. In much the same way, tonight, we are gathered to honor students of Lockney High School who have dedicated themselves to being excellent representatives for our school."

Recognized during the ceremonies were the honorees for Mr. and Miss LHS, Most Attractive, Most Unique, Best Attitude, Best Dressed, Most Dedicated and Class Favorites

Mrs. Williams introduced the following student council officers: President Daisey Blanco; Vice-President Kyla Zumwalt; Secretary Lila Booker; and Treasurer Tony Ascencio.

**CLASS OFFICERS:**

**Class of 1992** - President Ignacio Luna; Vice-President Tony Ascencio; Secretary Jimmie Bradley; Treasurer Chris Villa; Reporter Jessica Lemons; and Sergeant-at-Arms Jarod Harrison.

**Class of 1993** - President Shawn Hill; Vice-President Mark Hernandez; Secretary Sandra Elias; Treasurer JoAnn Amador; Reporter Priscilla Beltran.

**Class of 1994** - President Max Green; Vice-President Melissa Salas; Secretary Cindy Perez; Treasurer Allen Martin; Reporter Rhanda Hickerson.

**Class of 1995** - President Alfred Martinez; Vice-President Juan Comacho; Treasurer Leticia Vargas; and Secretary Mandy Hunter.

**MOST ATTRACTIVE**

**Freshman:** Jared Mosley, Mary Lindsey Poole, Tanner Johnson, Mandy Hunter, Alfred Martinez and Lisa Vargas.

**Sophomore:** Paul Raissez, Angie Clark, Brandon Teal, Cassidy Mallett, Leo Vargas, Melissa Salas.

**Junior:** Tony Elias, Kori Kellison, Andy Stapp, Carolyn Turner, Daniel Perez, Carissa Clark.

**Senior:** Jimmie Bradley, Jennifer Fortenberry, Chris Villa, Jessica Lemons, Clay Golden, Anna Vargas.

**MOST UNIQUE**

**Freshman:** Michael Hernandez, Trudi Lambert

**Sophomore:** Carlos Raissez, Esmerelda Gloria

**Junior:** Shawn Hill, Carissa Clark

**Senior:** Ignacio Luna, Daisey Blanco

**BEST ATTITUDE**

**Freshman:** Coby Marr, Mandy Hunter

**Sophomore:** Allen Martin, Angie Clark

**Junior:** Shawn Hill, Alicia Sepulveda

**Senior:** Rance Ford, Tara Mallett

**BEST DRESSED**

**Freshman:** Jared Mosley, Mary Lindsey Poole

**Sophomore:** Leo Vargas, Melissa Salas

**Junior:** Tony Elias, Sandra Elias

**Senior:** Chris Villa, Jennifer Fortenberry

**MOST DEDICATED**

**Freshman:** Justin Graham, Dede McCarty

**Sophomore:** Max Green, Rhanda Hickerson

**Junior:** Lance Patridge, Carolyn Turner

**Senior:** Rance Ford, Michelle Delgado

**CLASS FAVORITES**

**Freshman:** Alfred Martinez, Trudi Lambert

**Sophomore:** Max Green, Esmerelda Gloria

**Junior:** Shawn Hill, Kori Kellison

**Senior:** Chris Villa, Daisey Blanco

**Mr. LHS, CHRIS VILLA** - Villa is the grandson of Santos Gonzales and Jonita Gollegos. He has been selected by his peers as Class Favorite for four years, Most Courteous two years, and Most Attractive four years. He has

served his class as Vice-President his sophomore and junior years and is currently treasurer of the senior class.

Villa has been a member of student council all four years. He was elected vice-president both his sophomore and junior years. He is a member of the National Honor Society and the annual staff. He was selected to serve on the "Wall of Pride" committee this year.

Villa has been very active in UIL events. He has participated in number sense, science and math all four years; journalism two years and typing his sophomore year.

Running is important to Chris. He ran track for two years and as a freshman was a member of the cross country team that qualified for state.

According to his peers, "You always see Chris with a smile on his face."

**MISS LHS, Jennifer Fortenberry** - Jennifer is the daughter of Sam and Kelly Fortenberry. She has been a member of the National Honor Society for three years and is presently serving as its president. She is also participating in the G/T program.

Academic endeavors have included the JETS math contest, science and the computer team her junior year in which she placed second at state with a Drug Awareness Program. She has competed at UIL on the math and science team and as a sophomore placed third in UIL accounting and second in UIL typing which qualified her for regionals in both categories.

A member of FHA she served as president her junior year. She also qualified for state in FHA Star Events. Her junior year Jennifer was a member of the one act play cast that participated at the area meet. She has been a member of the student council and band. A vibrant cheerleader for four years, Jennifer was chosen Outstanding High School Cheerleader at the West Texas Cheerleading Camp.

Athletics in which she has participated are basketball and tennis. She has been Homecoming Queen nominee and was voted Most Attractive all four years. She was also chosen Most Dependable by her classmates during her junior year.

**FIRST RUNNERUP, Jimmie Bradley** Jimmy is the son of Van and Cheryl Bradley. He has participated in football for three years and led the team as a senior captain. Awards came as a junior, being selected Honorable Mention Center and as a senior Honorable Mention Defensive End.

Jimmie has played basketball for three years and was chosen captain this year. In addition to basketball Jimmie has participated in both tennis and track for two years.

He is a four year member of FFA and is a member of FHA. The art committee for the "Wall of Pride" is an exciting project that Jimmie is a part of.

As a junior, he was chosen by his classmates as Most Dependable and Most Attractive. He is currently serving as senior class secretary. This past summer he attended the American Legion Boys State Symposium.

**FIRST RUNNERUP, Jessica Lemons** The daughter of Marvin Lemons of Plainview and Linda Lemons of Lockney, Jessica has been an outstanding student in both academics and extracurricular activities. She has been a cheerleader all four years and is serving as head cheerleader this year. Jessica is currently secretary of the National Honor Society where she has been a member for three years.

She has been an All-Region band student for two years and also uses her abilities as a trumpeter in various community services. She has served on the Band Council and as secretary.

Her classmates have elected her as treasurer for her sophomore and junior years and she is reporter this year. She was chosen Class Favorite her freshman year and Most Attractive for three years.

UIL activities include regional qualifier in both accounting and journalism. She was also part of the computer team who captured second place at state for a program on Drugs.

She participated in basketball for three years and won the Desire Award as a sophomore. She has run cross country for two years and played tennis for two years.

**SECOND RUNNERUP, Juan Vargas** - Vargas is the son of Mrs. Angie Vargas. His interests run enthusiastically into sports. He has participated in football all four years, being selected

Honorable Mention his sophomore through senior years. As a senior he was also named All District first team defensive back.

He was a part of the state qualifying team in cross country as a freshman. Vargas has run track all four years and qualified for regionals in the mile relay as a sophomore.

Baseball was added to the sports program last year and Vargas was a part of the district runner-up baseball team. He plans to play again this year.

He has played basketball all four years and has been chosen Most Athletic three years by his classmates.

**SECOND RUNNERUP, Daisey Blanco** - Miss Blanco's parents are Rodolfo and Mario Blanco. She has been a very active student during her four years at LHS. She is currently serving as president of the Student Council where she has served as a representative as a freshman and junior.

Daisey has played basketball all four years, run track and as a junior was a member of the cross country team that qualified for regionals.

Her classmates have chosen her Class Favorite for her sophomore, junior and senior years. Most Attractive during her junior year and Class Clown for three years. She also has served as class reporter her freshman year.

She has been a cheerleader all four years. She served as a JV cheerleader as a freshman and varsity leader as a sophomore, junior and senior.

Her other activities have been band for four years, FHA three years and FCA reporter this year.

**National FHA Week recognized**

National FHA Week was held February 10th - 14th and the Lockney FHA celebrated this week by being more assertive.

Members let the school know how much the school appreciated everyone, including the teachers.

On Monday, February 10th the members of the chapter passed out to everyone tags reading "FHA Loves You" along with Hershey Kisses.

**THIRD RUNNERUP, Clay Golden** - Clay Golden is the son of Larry and Jill Golden. He has a strong background in 4-H and FFA. He has shown steers his freshmen through senior years. He has been a member of FFA for two years. Golden received the Showmanship Award for steers in the county show as a senior.

The activity he has enjoyed most is the one-act play in which he has been involved for four years. He served as crew committee as a junior and as a cast member the other years.

He has participated in band for four years and has served on the band council. As a senior he is percussion leader.

His classmates elected him Most Attractive both his sophomore and senior years.

**THIRD RUNNERUP, Anna Maria Vargas** - She is the daughter of Manuel and Lourdes Vargas.

She spent her freshman and sophomore years at Silverton High School where she was a member of FHA, the Booster Bunch, Student Council and was named Best Dressed as a sophomore.

She transferred to Lockney as a junior where she is has been a member of FHA her junior and senior years. She has also been selected Most Attractive as a junior and a senior.

Those present at the ceremony were entertained by Mr. Jim Haney, Tony Banda, Ryan Ford and Orlando Garza and also a singing group consisting of Jimmie Bradley, Jessica Lemons, Ignacio Luna and Kyla Zumwalt.



**GIRLS JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM**--Members of the Lockney Longhorn Junior Varsity girls basketball team for 1991-92 are (l-r, front row) Mandy Hunter, Lisa Vargas, Melissa Salas; (l-r, back row) Dede McCarty, Danielle McDonald and Tiffany Ellison. Not pictured is Rhanda Hickerson. Staff Photo



**BOYS JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM**--Members of the Lockney Junior Varsity boys basketball team for 1991-92 are (l-r, front row) Michael Hernandez, Jim Davis, Alfred Martinez, Brandon Teal; (l-r, back row) Manuel Banda, Mikhael Durham, Allen Martin, Lalo Chavira, Junior Guerrero and Mark Terrell. Not pictured is David Turner. Staff Photo

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Breakfast - Toast, sausage, apple slices, milk  
Lunch - Bar-B-Q, pinto beans, coleslaw, cornbread, fruit gelatin, milk

**Wednesday:**  
Breakfast - Pinto beans, tortillas, peaches, milk  
Lunch - Beef pot pie, fruit cobbler, biscuits, French fried potatoes, milk

**Thursday:**  
Breakfast - Cheese sandwich, curly fried potatoes, milk  
Lunch - Italian spaghetti, broccoli and cheese, pears, creamed corn, hot rolls, milk

**Friday:**  
Breakfast - Cereal, toast, banana, milk  
Lunch - Hamburger, lettuce, tomatoes, vegetable soup, crackers, ice cream, milk

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# TDH office provides variety of care needs

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The Texas Department of Health is a state governmental agency responsible for bringing comprehensive public health services to the citizens of Texas. Public Health Region 2 serves a 40-county area in the Panhandle and South Plains.

There are many services that the health department provides including the following:

Child Health Services which include newborn screening, developmental testing, physical assessment and safety seat loaner program.

The Immunization Program provides an immunization clinic in Floydada monthly, on the first Monday of each month. In the Ralls office an immunization clinic is held weekly on Thursday and immunizations are also provided for the public schools. Flu and pneumonia vaccines are available from September through December.

Maternal Health Services include prenatal care, family health and parenting classes, Miha and Medicaid eligibility screening and also referrals for the WIC program.

Diabetes and hypertension screening are a part of the Adult Health Program. Comprehensive Cancer Detection screening is also available.

Through the Tuberculosis Control Program clinical services are available for diagnosis and treatment.

Screening, selected treatment, and education and counseling is available through the Sexually Transmitted Diseases Program.

Family Planning Program includes the physical assessment, approved method of birth control and pregnancy testing.

All of the services mentioned above can be obtained through the Ralls Field Office. This is a preventive health clinic. Other services are offered through the Lubbock office.

The Ralls office is open from 8:00 to 5:00, Monday through Friday. Appointments can be made by calling 253-2502. Staff in the Ralls office includes Bettye Baker R.N.; Mary Gonzales, Clerk; Maybelle Enriquez, C.S.A., and Diana Vasquez, C.S.A.

# Heart disease prevention areas outlined by American Heart Assoc.

Prevention is the best weapon against heart disease. February is American Heart Month and the American Heart Association of Floyd County theme is, "What every generation needs to know". The most important prevention is knowing the risk.

"Diseases of the heart and blood vessels, including heart attack and stroke, are leading causes of death in Texas," says Lynn Marler, president.

Extensive studies have identified several factors that increase the risk of heart attack and stroke. No single risk factor causes heart disease; but the more risk factors you have, the greater your chances of developing it.

Some risk factors cannot be changed. So focus on these:

1. Cigarette smoking is the most preventable cause of death and the greatest factor causing heart attack. It puts extra strain on the heart, and it causes a shortage of oxygen in your heart. So if you don't smoke, don't start and quit if you do.

2. High blood pressure is the force exerted by the heart when it pumps blood through the arteries. It's too high if you have a series of readings over 140/90. Have your blood pressure checked often. You can help control it by eating healthful foods, exercising regularly and limiting how much sodium you use. You also may need to take medication.

3. Cholesterol is a fat-like substance found in animal tissue. The higher your cholesterol level, the more likely that cholesterol will build up in your artery walls. This is called atherosclerosis. It slows blood flow or blocks off blood vessels completely, causing either a heart attack or stroke. Maintain a cholesterol level set by your doctor. You can help control your cholesterol level

by reducing fat and saturated fatty acids in your diet, and by losing weight if necessary. You can reduce saturated fatty acids by eating less animal fat, coconut, palm, and palm kernel oils. You can reduce cholesterol in your diet by eating less fatty meat, egg yolks and whole-milk dairy products. If you inherit high blood cholesterol, your doctor may prescribe cholesterol-lowering drugs.

4. Physical inactivity can lead to obesity and high blood cholesterol, which are risk factors for heart disease. Exercise alone can't prevent or cure heart attacks or stroke, but it can help reduce your risk, and improve your chance of surviving heart attack. Exercise 30 to 60 minutes at least three times per week.

5. Even if you are over weight, you are more likely to develop heart disease and stroke if you are more than 30 percent over your ideal weight. Excess weight puts more strain on the heart. See your doctor to find out how much you should weigh. Then maintain your ideal weight by balancing your calorie intake with exercise and physical activity.

The American Heart Association encourages all ages to know the warning signs of a heart attack. The signs are: uncomfortable pressure, fullness, squeezing or pain in the center of the chest for more than two minutes; pain that spreads to the shoulders, neck and arms; severe pain, dizziness, fainting, sweating, nausea or shortness of breath. The American Heart Association works to reduce disability and death from heart diseases and stroke by accomplishing that through public and professional education and by supporting vital heart research.

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# CHURCH DIRECTORY

<p><b>SPANISH BAPTIST MISSION</b> 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 *****</p> <p><b>SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD TEMPLO GETSEMANI</b> 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. *****</p> <p><b>CARR'S CHAPEL</b> Service Every Sunday: Morning Worship ... 9:30 a.m. Sunday School ..... 10:30 a.m. No Evening Services *****</p> <p><b>FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH</b> Rev. Robin Hoover Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m. Sunday Worship ..... 11:00 a.m. *****</p> <p><b>FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH</b> 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. *****</p> <p><b>SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH</b> Lockney Monsignor Jack Gist Wednesday: Communion Service ..... 8:00 p.m. Saturday Vigil: Mass of Sunday ... 7:30 p.m. Sunday Mass ..... 12:30 p.m. *****</p> <p><b>ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC CHURCH</b> Floydada Father Adolfo L. Valenzuela Sunday Mass ..... 11:30 a.m. Weekday Masses ..... 7:30 p.m. (Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday) Office &amp; Rectory Phone: 983-5878 *****</p> <p><b>WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> Floydada 983-3548 Sunday Worship ..... 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening ..... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday ..... 7:00 p.m. *****</p> <p><b>GRACE FELLOWSHIP CHURCH</b> 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. *****</p> <p><b>CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> Floydada Gene McCarty, Minister Sunday: Bible Study ..... 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship ... 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday: Bible Study ..... 7:30 p.m. *****</p> <p><b>APOSENTO ALTO DE PENTECOSTAL</b> 203 SE 2nd &amp; 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. *****</p> <p><b>MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> 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.</p>	<p><b>WEST COLLEGE CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> West College &amp; Third, Lockney Frank Duckworth, Evangelist Morning Worship ... 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Service ... 8:00 p.m. *****</p> <p><b>TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH</b> Providence Community Gary Kleypas, Pastor Sunday School &amp; Adult Bible Class... 10:00 a.m. Worship Service ... 11:00 a.m. *****</p> <p><b>IGLESIA DEL REY JESUS</b> 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. *****</p> <p><b>GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST</b> 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. *****</p> <p><b>TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM</b> 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. *****</p> <p><b>BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH</b> 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. *****</p>	<p><b>TEMPLO BETHEL SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD</b> 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. *****</p> <p><b>MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH</b> 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. *****</p> <p><b>AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH</b> 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. *****</p> <p><b>TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA</b> 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. *****</p> <p><b>FRIENDSHIP CHAPEL CME</b> Floydada Rev. James Jenkins Sunday ..... 9:45 a.m. Morning Service ..... 11:00 a.m. Wednesday: Bible Study ..... 8:00 p.m. *****</p> <p><b>PRIMER IGLESIA BAUTISTA</b> 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. *****</p>	<p><b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH</b> 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. *****</p> <p><b>TRINITY CHURCH</b> 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. *****</p> <p><b>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH</b> 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. Acteans ..... 6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting ..... 7:00 p.m. Youth Bible Study ... 7:00 p.m. *****</p> <p><b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH</b> 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. *****</p> <p><b>CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH</b> 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. *****</p> <p><b>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Lockney Harold Abney, Pastor Greg Blair, Youth Minister Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship ... 10:45 a.m. R.A.'s ..... 4:30 p.m. G.A.'s, 2nd &amp; 4th Wed. 3:15 p.m. Discipleship Training . 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship ... 7:00 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer Meeting ... 6:30 p.m. Youth Bible Study ... 6:30 p.m. (Jr. High &amp; High School) Kids of the The King Children's Choir ... 6:30 p.m. Adult Choir ..... 7:30 p.m. Saturday: Men's Prayer Meet. . 7:30 p.m. 1st and 3rd Mondays: Baptist Women ..... 3:00 p.m. *****</p> <p><b>EVANS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Rev. Sammy Holloway Sunday School ..... 10:00 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. *****</p> <p><b>NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Floydada Jim Jackson, Pastor Sunday: Congregational Singing ..... 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m. *****</p> <p><b>SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Ernest Stewart, Pastor Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m. *****</p> <p><b>VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH</b> 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. *****</p>
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## 1992 Farm Program

# USDA announces provisions

On Jan. 17, USDA announced common provisions for the 1992 crops of wheat, feed grains, upland cotton, soybeans, and other oilseeds. Part of this announcement included USDA's estimated and advanced deficiency payment rates, and these are included in the attached table of farm program provisions.

These estimated rates serve as guaranteed minimum deficiency payment rates for any paid conserving use acres when the farmer participates in either the 0/92 or 50/92 program.

Below are highlights of some of the other common provisions announced.

\* Sunflower seed, safflower, flaxseed, canola, rapeseed, and mustard seed may be planted on conserving use acreage under the 0/92 program. When doing so, farmers must choose whether to accept deficiency payments for the base crop or retain price support eligibility for these minor oilseeds. Further, crumbe and sesame may be planted on either 0/92 or 50/92 conserving use acres. Since neither of these crops is eligible for CCC loans, deficiency payments on the base crop are automatically retained.

\* Corn and sorghum permitted acres are combined for 1992. Therefore, a farmer may plant corn on sorghum base and vice versa. However, regardless of which of these is planted, planted and considered planted credit will be given based on the existing ratio of corn and

sorghum crop acreage bases. Further, deficiency payments will be determined by the current crop acreage base, not by which crop is actually planted. Therefore, participating corn and sorghum producers cannot shift the mix of their feed grain crop acreage base, nor is there any program benefit incentive to do so.

\* Dry peas (Austrian peas, wrinkled seed, green, yellow and umatilla) and lentils may be planted on up to 20% of wheat and feed grains base. This acreage will be considered planted to the base crop for planting history purposes.

\* Single skiprows in cotton will qualify as conserving use under the 50/92 programs. New skiprow rules allow for either 30-inch rows or, at the option of the producer, 32-inch rows if these were established prior to the 1991 crop. Consequently, the minimum width skip allowable for 1992 is 60 inches, plant to plant. Any field where the skips are less

than 60 inches will be considered solid planted.

\* Since the soybean price for the 1992/93 marketing year was projected to exceed 105 percent of the soybean loan rate, soybeans may be planted on both normal flexible acreage and optional flexible acreage.

\* Crops prohibited from being planted on flexible acreage are the same as for 1991, except that mung beans may now be planted on that acreage.

\* Oats for harvest is not permitted on the ACR of wheat and feed grains.

\* The production of black-eyed peas, even for donation, is not permitted on cotton ACR and CU acreage.

*As always, producers are highly encouraged to verify program provisions with their local ASCS offices prior to making final program participation decisions.*

## 1991 cotton crop sets new mark for bales classed as "Barky" cotton

The apparent legacy of the High Plains 1991 cotton crop is going to be a new mark for the percentage of bales classed as "Barky". According to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers the latest classing reports from the Lubbock and Lamesa classing offices indicate 1991 is sure to go down as the barkiest ever recorded.

Through February 7, well over 80 percent of the cotton classed had been reduced at least one grade for bark.

This year's situation has been a grim reminder to producers being hit with one and two grade reductions for bark. October's hard freeze and the continued wet weather that has caused harvest activities to stretch well beyond the norm have all contributed to the current situation.

For this reason many producers are looking forward to the upcoming Universal Standards Conference. At this conference a recommendation from the National Cotton Marketing Advisory Committee to separate color and leaf in the USDA grading process will be considered.

According to Donald Johnson, PCG Executive Vice President the recommendation has a potentially positive side for producers, the elimination of mandatory penalties for bark.

"If the Cotton Marketing Advisory Committee's recommendation is adopted there would be a significant change in the way bark is viewed by USDA," explains Johnson. "PCG is going to remain very involved in the effort to get this recommendation adopted and then implemented."

Since 1987 PCG's Plains Cotton Improvement Program has funded a series of research projects at the Texas Tech University Textile Research Center (TRC) specifically dealing with the effect bark has on spinning performance. These studies have shown that with the new machinery available to textile mill's bark doesn't create a significant problem except in extremely heavy amounts. On the basis of this research PCG has begun an effort to support the Advisory Committee's recommendation.

PCG will be presenting their findings on bark at several meetings as well as at

the Universal Standards Conference itself in June.

If adopted the recommendation will mean more money in the pockets of High Plains producers. Reduced bark penalties and the elimination of the averaging rule for samples that don't match the trash and color requirements of the same grade will be the major effects of the adoption of the recommendation.

### MORE COTTON NEWS

The Texas Department of Agriculture, the Texas Water Commission and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service have agreed to cooperate in providing waste pesticide and container recycling collections at four sites in Texas. Locations and dates for the collections are: February 24, Edna, TX; February 27, Elsa, TX; March 2, Munday, TX; and March 5, O'Donnell, TX.

TDA officials note that only private agricultural producers, farmers and ranchers, will be allowed to use the collection sites. Producers are encouraged to bring old, obsolete or unusable pesticides and herbicides. Each site will also accept empty plastic and metal containers that have been triple rinsed and rendered unusable by puncturing.

Waste chemicals that are eligible for collection are: insecticides, fungicides, rodenticides, nematocides, bactericides, growth regulators, harvest aid chemicals, pesticides used on livestock as well as other miscellaneous uses, and all formulations of herbicides except those which contain 2,4,5-Trichlorophenoxyacetic acid (2,4,5-T). Unknown substances suspected of being one of the eligible substances will be accepted with as much information as the producer can provide written on the container with a permanent marker.

Substances that will not be accepted at the collection sites are: waste oils, solvents, paints, explosive materials, pesticides and herbicides containing 2,4,5-T and Silvex, unrinsed or improperly rinsed containers, and fertilizers that are neither hazardous nor contain pesticide additives.



## New uses found for lowly gourd

By Mike Mallet, CEA-Ag.

The lowly Texas buffalo gourd is finding a new use by helping researchers fight the corn rootworm, a major corn pest in Texas and across the Midwest.

A cooperative program between the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the U.S. Department of Agriculture has elevated the gourd from a nuisance along Texas roadsides to a lure that attracts insects to their fate.

Researchers are seeing positive results in test plots in South Texas and South Dakota and are hopeful that testing will do equally well in other Corn Belt states.

"It's got a lot of potential," said Dr. J.W. Stewart, entomologist with the Extension Service in Uvalde.

"If it works as well as I think it will, we could see a 15 percent increase in corn production in rootworm-infested fields in South Texas," Stewart said.

The Mexican corn rootworm, which attacks the roots of the corn plant and hampers the flow of nutrients to leaves and ears, can reduce yields of non-rotated corn by 20 percent or more. More than 1.5 million acres of corn are planted annually in Texas.

Considered the worst corn pest in Midwest, the western corn rootworm --

a cousin of the Texas variety -- is blamed for \$1 billion in control costs and yield reductions.

Twenty-five million acres of corn are planted annually in the Midwest, according to Dr. Gerry Sutter, researcher with the USDA in Brookings, S.D.

Stewart and Sutter have tested the effect of soil types and longevity of soil pesticides on the rootworm for 11 years.

Soil insecticides used at planting time do not always provide adequate control. No matter what you do, some rootworms will always get by you.

The researchers, along with Scentry Inc., developed a new rootworm feeding stimulant that attracts and kills the adult beetles.

Testing began the summer of 1991 in a 100-acre field near D'Hanis, Texas as well as a 16-square-mile area of corn fields near Brookings, S.D.

The product, called Compel, is made from the roots of buffalo gourd, commonly found in South Texas, combined with small amounts of pesticide. Applied aurally, the sticky base allows blobs to cling to corn plant leaves.

A member of the cucurbit family, the buffalo gourd attracts the beetle to the bait.

With the bait, only about 2 percent of

the insecticide normally used in sprays for adult corn rootworm beetles is being used. The beetles feed on the bait until they get a toxic dose of insecticide, which sometimes takes less than two minutes.

On the South Texas site, the reduction in beetles in the treated corn fields was nearly total and literally seen overnight, according to Stewart.

In South Dakota, the treatment killed more than 600,000 beetles per acre -- an estimated 90 to 95 percent rate of mortality.

Both researchers acknowledged that the real test of the product will come next spring when scientists determine how many rootworms emerge from the treated fields and when untreated and treated areas are evaluated.

Another benefit of the bait is that it won't hurt other beneficial insects, such as lady beetles and predaceous thrips. The bait is expected to be available commercially in a couple of years.

## Disaster oversight hearings requested

Texas Farmers Union President Joe Rankin has urged Chairman Kika de la Garza, House Agriculture Committee, to hold oversight hearings on the disaster program.

Rankin said, "The implementation of the current disaster bill has gone far astray from Congressional intent. As presently administered the bill has the potential to become a political nightmare with too many unanswered questions."

Disaster program benefits relate only to loss of Yield due to natural disasters, be it drought, hail, flood, insects, or sandstorms. "PREVENTED HARVEST or DELAYED HARVEST with REDUCED QUALITY is also a natural disaster and an act of God, just as much as prevented planting, hail or early freeze, and should be considered as such within the disaster program," Rankin stated.

The TFU president continued, "These catastrophic losses are not bad management or mismanagement - they are the result of the continuation of natural disasters which have occurred through the planting, growing and harvesting cycle of the crops."

The present disaster sign-up does not provide fair and equitable allocation of true natural disaster losses. Now is the time that an oversight hearing should be held to move USDA toward implementation of the disaster program, as intended by Congress.

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