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JACKSON NAMED CITIZEN OF THE YEAR--W.H. Hallmark, 1990 Citizen of the Year, congratulates Judy Jackson as he presents her with the 1991 Citizen of the Year trophy. She was honored at the Lockney Chamber of Commerce Banquet along with J.D. Copeland, Director Emeritus; Employees of the Year and Fireman of the Year. **Staff Photo**

Split vote necessitates runoff election

Butler and Overstreet are in race for Sheriff

necessitated a run off election for the democratic nomination for the office of Floyd County Sheriff.

A 50% plus one majority of the vote is and Bush garnered 93. necessary for a clear cut win. Deputy

A three way split of the vote has Langston Williams 199 to 96 votes. Democrat Bill Clinton and Pres. Bush carried the county in their respective primaries. Clinton received 833 votes

> Paul Tsongas followed Clinton with 159 votes and Pat Buchanan was 2nd to Bush with 43 votes.

Jackson is Citizen of the Year

residents and guests gathered in the Lockney Elementary School Cafetorium for the annual Lockney Chamber of Commerce Banquet and to hear the names of the 1991 outstanding citizens.

Lockney Scout Troop #259 presented the colors as Jessica Lemons and Zane Polsun played The Star Spangled Banner on their trumpets.

The invocation was given by the Rev. Harold Abney of the Lockney First Baptist Church.

Mayor Kenneth Wofford welcomed those present and introduced the out of town guests.

Bil Anderson, 1991 president of the chamber, turned over the gavel to incoming president Dub Hallmark. Hallmark accepted the gavel and presented Anderson with a plaque in appreciation for the work he had done while serving as president. Hallmark then introduced the newly elected officers and directors. Charles McQuahe will serve the chamber as vice-president; Karen Hooten, secretary and Tina Graves, treasurer.

New directors serving a three year term will be Betty Hayes, Wade Riza, Darrell Rasco and Nick Muniz. Holdover directors include Bill Davis, Ted Young, Libby Delgado, Jeff Reecer, Julie Hancock, Richard Larsen and Neta Marble. Judy Jackson, Robert Delgado, Bil Anderson, J.D. Copeland and Jack Covington are serving as appointed directors. Directors who retired are Lesca Durham and David Foster.

Bil Anderson introduced Lisa Mosley

On Saturday, March 7, 378 Lockney audience that they had received a grant of \$2,000 from the Ford Foundation to use in a worthwhile beautification project for Lockney. Lisa Mosley, art teacher for Lockney High School, came up with the idea of doing a clay tile mural on the wall at the new city park located at the corner of Locust and Main Streets.

Mosley appointed a group of students to serve as a steering committee and they

did the design for the wall. The wall will contain tiles that depict the history of Lockney. The tiles are being made by the students, teachers, administrators and any citizen who would like to come by the art department and make a tile. The committee hopes to have the project completed in late August or early September

W.H. Hallmark, named as the 1990 Citizen of the Year introduced his suc-

cessor, Judy Jackson, as the 1991 Citizen of the Year and presented her with the traveling trophy.

J.D. Copeland was named Director Emeritus and presented with a certificate. He has served on the chamber board for many years and has held all of the offices at some time. He presently holds the position of Historian.

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BANQUET HONOREES--Honored at the Lockney of the Year; Dub Dipprey, First National Bank Employee of the Year and J.D. Copeland Chamber of Commerce Di-

Charlie Overstreet garnered 759 votes, Royce Gilmore took 263 votes and Ellis Butler received 522 votes. Overstreet was 27 votes short of winning the democratic nomination. A run-off election will be held be-

tween Overstreet and Butler April 14. Incumbent Pct. 3 Commissioner George Taylor defeated Challenger

With a total of 56 votes, Ray Macha received the Republican nomination for Constable Pct. #2 & #3. Unless a writein candidate mounts a campaign against him in November, Macha will make

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Incumbents sign up for elections

Four incumbents have signed up for places on the May 2 ballot. Three places are open on the Lockney Independent District School Board and the City Council has four openings.

LISD BOARD

Incumbents Paul Glasson and Bernie Ford have signed up for two of the three positions available on the Lockney Independent School Board. Richard Lambert is the only incumbent who has not signed up to run at press time.

CITY COUNCIL

Incumbents J.D. Copeland and Gary Marr have signed up for two of the four

places open as aldermen. Jim Doucette and Ronnie Aston are moving outside the city limits and their positions will be open.

Qualified persons wishing to sign up for any of the positions on the ballot can do so at the following locations: Lockney school board sign up will be held at the school office located at 416 W. Willow. Jackie Lou Holt is in charge. City council sign up will be held at Lockney Cith Hall, 218 East Locust. Charlotte Hooten, city secretary, is in charge.

Wednesday, March 18 will by the final day for signing up for a place on the ballot.

Mitzi Nixon selected as new Floydada chamber manager

The Board of Directors of Floydada Chamber of Commerce have hired Mitzi Nixon as the new chamber manager, replacing Betty Marquis, who resigned this month.

An active chamber member and businesswoman, Nixon will assume her duties as office manager, March 16.

Mitzi and her husband, Danny are natives of Floydada. Mitzi graduated Floydada High School in 1978 and married in March of 1981. Her husband has worked for Lighthouse Electric for 15 years. They have two children, Scott, 8, and Laci, 4 months.

The Nixon's have owned Our Place Drive In for five years and Mitzi has managed the drive-in since that time. "I will continue to take care of my business along with my duties at the chamber," said Mitzi.

Mitzi comes to work for the chamber with plenty of experience under her belt. For the past two years, she has served on the Board of Directors for the regular chamber and she has been a member of

the women's chamber for five years. She has served in several capacities with the women's chamber.

Nixon said she is looking forward to her job and has a lot of ideas she would like to implement. "My first priority will be a much needed membership drive."



MITZI NIXON

and Phil Cotham and they explained about the "Wall of Pride" that they are currently working on. Cotham told the

Old Settlers is May 23 This year's Floyd County Pioneer Reunion (Old Settler's Day) will be on Saturday, May 23, 1992.

Chamber of Commerce Banquet were (I-r) Jimmy Kemp, Fireman of the Year; Dale Ross, Consumers Fuel Emrector Emeritus. ployee of the Year; Iasais Lerma, Tye Company Employee

Lockney City Council approves HBV vaccine for police and firemen

By Juanita Stepp

The City of Lockney will bear the expense of providing a series of three immunizations for all at risk personnel

Floyd County Commissioners asked to assist in RC&D Council

By Juanita Stepp

John LaBaume met with the Floyd County Commissioners Court on Monday, March 9, to request that the county approve participation in the Resource Conservation and Development Program being implemented by the Soil and Conservation Service. LaBaume asked that the court join the RC&D Council to assist in handling the program.

According to LaBaume, the purpose of the program is to accelerate the conservation, development and utilization of natural resources. The program is also designed to improve the general level of economic activity and enhance the environment and standard of living in authorized RC&D areas.

Precinct 1 Commissioner Connie Bearden made the motion to join the council. Precinct 3 Commissioner George Taylor provided the second and the vote was unanimous in favor.

MULDER PRESENTS AREA PERFORMANCE REWARD FUNDING BUDGET

Nathan Mulder presented the court with copies of the newly formulated program plan and budget for the 1993 fiscal year for the Community Justice Program in the 110th Judicial District. The four county program will serve Briscoe, Dickens and Motley Counties as well as the primary County of Floyd if approved by the Justice Department of the State of Texas.

No action was taken on the matter by the court. Approval will be requested after state approval is secured according to Judge Bill Hardin.

The proposed budget includes \$136,464.00 in salaries, \$20,756.00 for

fringe benefits and \$11,500.00 for travel expenses. Contract services for offenders are estimated at \$10,640.00 with professional fees placed at \$500.00. Supplies and operating expenses were

estimated at \$6,760.00 and an additional \$450.00 would be devoted to fiscal service fees. Funds for the budgeted items would

come from \$104,435.00 in state aid to be requested, \$75,136.00 from probation fees collected and \$1,000.00 in projected interest income. The remainder would be surplus funds retained from the 1992 fiscal year totaling \$6,499.00. Of the \$187,070.00 budget, \$136,635.00 is earmarked for supervision, \$23,837.00 for discretionary grants, \$8,640.00 for electronic moni-

second by Precinct 4 Commissioner Howard Bishop. The vote was unanimously in favor of the motion. Contracts were approved for: Travis Jones in Precinct 4 (maintain private turnrow for soil conservation, no location stated on application); W. C. Wisdom Estate by W. Kathryn Tomlinson Precinct 2 (bury oid improvements 3 1/2 miles southwest of Lockney); Ronnie Aston n Precinct 2 (clean old improvements south of Lockney); Carthel Brothers by Gary Carthel in Precinct 2 (no work description stated on application, site to be 1 mile west, 1/ 2 mile north and 1/2 west of Muncy); Larry Bramlet in Precinct 2 (level a terrace 4 miles east of Lockney); Lynn **Continued On Page 14**

who wish to be vaccinated against HBV. Motion for the action was made by Alderman Ronnie Aston during the regular session of the council on Thursday, March 5. The motion was seconded by Alderman Sam Fortenberry and approved by unanimous vote of the remainder of the council.

The action followed a statement by Police Chief Lennie Gilroy concerning the need for the protection. According to Gilroy, "the Hepatitis B virus is dangerous and very contagious and any one who routinely handles duties as a police officer, fireman or ambulance staffer could become infected."

Aston stated, "I feel that the city should provide the protection to any personnel at risk if they desire to take advantage of it."

The injections will be obtained for those wanting the protection at the best possible price to the city under the terms of the motion passed by the council.

"CHANGES" CONSIDERED

Jamie Charles met with the council to discuss making alterations in current city ordinances to allow his establishment, "Changes", to expand the hours during which it may operate and the ages of clientele it may serve.

Staff Photo

Charles told the council, "We are trying to do something positive for the kids of Lockney. We have tried to provide a place they can have fun with supervision instead of being on the streets getting into trouble."

According to Charles, the establishment was closed down in February by a city police officer after young people under the age of 18 were found to be

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Floydada will test sirens Friday

The City of Floydada will test their storm warning sirens at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, March 13.

May 2 election sign-up continues in Floydada

By Juanita Stepp

Candidate signup for the May 2 Spring elections continues through March 18 for the City of Floydada and for FISD school board. Caprock Hospital District board of director candidates may continue to sign up by petition until April 6.

CITY OF FLOYDADA

To date, incumbents Wayne Tipton (District 4), Clar Schacht (at-large) and Eric Cornelius (at-large) have declared themselves as candidates for city council positions. Jon Nielson has signed up to run for the District 1 post currently occupied by Amado Morales. Morales has not stated his intentions towards the office at press time this week. Others signing up are Albert Hill and Sheryl Burns LeCroy who are each seeking election as at-large candidates.

FISD ELECTION

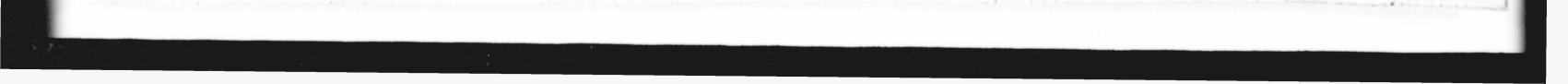
The five incumbent trustees have declared their intentions to seek reelection to their posts. No challengers have come forth at this time. Currently running are Steve Lloyd, District 1 for a 2 year term; Trena Simpson, District 2 for a 2 year term; John Campbell, District 4 for a 3 year term; Don Hardy, District 5 for a 3 year term; and Charlene Brown, at-large for a 3 year term.

CAPROCK HOSPITAL DISTRICT ELECTION

Only the two incumbents, Fred Thayer and Kenneth Pitts have presented petitions to run for election. Each is seeking reelection to positions on the board of directors for the district.

corrections. FARM WORK CONTRACTS

toring and \$17,958.00 for community Seven farm work contracts were approved on a motion by Bearden with a



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By The Way By Alice Gilroy

Boy was it crowded in Lockney Elementary Cafeteria Saturday night! There was a record crowd of 378 attending the Lockney Chamber banquet. Word has spread about how much fun Lockney has at their banquets and they may have to start looking for a bigger room to entertain in.

I really feel that local entertainment is the best. I know there are a lot of talented people living elsewhere and they are also fun to listen to, but sometimes I think people feel like they have to pay big bucks for an entertainer to bring in the crowds. Lockney has proved otherwise the past couple of years.

That reminds me of a story I heard someone tell the other day. He was explaining some issue and made the remark that he was not an expert. He said that everyone knows that experts come from someplace else, far away.

That's how I feel sometimes about the small towns having to pay a lot of money to get someone to come entertain them. All the folks who were entertaining at the Lockney Chamber Saturday night were just local talent. If a talent scout had been there, they probably could have signed them up to entertain far away and get paid the big bucks.

That's an idea-all the small West Texas towns could mobilize their local talent and just exchange them every year at banquets.

What I'm trying to say is that I really enjoyed myself Saturday night. I won't go into all the entertainment-if you weren't there it's your own fault-but I was thoroughly entertained. I came away from the banquet feeling great about living in Lockney, which is exactly what chamber banquets are supposed to accomplish.

Congratulations to all the award winners-especially the Citizen of the Year, Judy Jackson! It seemed to be a unanimous feeling among the crowd that Judy was a great choice for that award.

I got a news clipping from someone last week. The envelope was postmarked Harrison Arkansas, but there was no name anywhere.

The news story enclosed was clipped

news story quoted the Judge as saying, "The Sun's own staffers testified that some of the articles were factual or at least based on fact, and it became obvious that even they could not tell the difference. For instance...one staffer testified that an article about a farmer becoming a millionaire by making whips for wife beaters was a true story, while another staffer stated the story was false."

Thanks to whoever kept me up on all that. I enjoyed the story! *******

Speaking of lawsuits-did you hear about the homeless man, Richard Kreimer, who was awarded \$250,000 after he sued the public library in Morristown, N.J. for having him ejected. Other library patrons had complained about Kreimer smelling bad and staring at them. The police were called on several occasions and evicted him from the library.

Oh yeah-he also sued the police and won.

It seems a judge had overturned the library's rule that banned loitering, staring at people and hygiene that is a nuisance to other patrons, so the insurers settled with Kreimer.

Well-actually they settled with the American Civil Liberties Union who was representing Kreimer.

Do you ever wonder what got the world spinning in this direction? It gets kind of depressing when you think about how hard you work every week to make ends meet and take care of your family.

You want to send your children to college and you have to sacrifice for the money. You want to buy a home, but you can't scrape up the down payments.

Well now you know how you can make ends meet. Since welfare and the ACLU are so intent with rewarding those who don't work we need to go ahead and let the government take care of us.

Sell all your belongings and get a shopping cart. Don't bathe and never change your clothes. Hang out in public places and if your a man, be sure and sit close to women and stare at them.

After all-its their own fault for being in public places and for having a job.



NORMA RAGLAND

This Week GENEALOGY SOCIETY

The Caprock Genealogy Society will meet at the Floyd County Historical Museum on March 16 at 7:00 p.m. Dr. Karol Robb, from Texas Tech, will present the program. She has a Ph.D in Folklore.

FIRE DEPT. **CAR WASH**

Floydada Volunteer Fire Dept. is having a car wash (weather permitting) Saturday, March 14, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The price, of \$7.50 for cars and pickups and \$10.00 for vans and suburbans, will include vacuuming the inside. Raffle tickets for a Philco, remote control, programmable VCR will also be available for \$1.00 a ticket.

LOCKNEY HOMECOMING

Lockney Homecoming 1992 has been scheduled for the weekend of Oct. 9, 1992. Call Dewanda Blenden at 652-2563 for information about class contact representatives. For more information call John Quebe, 293-5788, or Mary Louise McCarter, 652-2609.

FHS CLASS OF '72

The Floydada Whirlwind Class of 1972 is looking for addresses or phone numbers for the following people: Carma Cates, Walter Harris, Julio Ibarra, Charles Jackson, Jimmy Kunkel, Joe Miller, Roy Lee Porter, Ricky Sneed, Dennis Stofel and Dorothy Walton. If you can help please call Laura Turner at 983-2454 or 983-2283.

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36-year bank employee retires

The First National Bank of Lockney will be losing a little bit of bank history when Norma Ragland retires, Friday, March 13.

An employee of the bank for 36 years, Norma began her bookkeeping duties in October 1954. At that time the First National Bank was located at 124 S. Main (now the Cablevision offices).

She remembers training Dub Dipprey, FNB Vice President, as a young man. "Dub would run up the steps every day after school and file checks," said Norma. After Norma's departure, Dub will be the longest serving employee at Lockney's First National Bank.

Norma had a three year break in her work at the Lockney bank, when she quit in January 1960 and moved to Quanah. She continued her banking work in Quanah at the Security National Bank. One year later, Norma and her husband, Homer Ragland Jr., moved back to Lockney.

She went back to work at Lockney's FNB in October 1963.

A native of Silverton, Norma graduated Silverton High School in 1946. She then attended a business school in Lockney. Norma and Homer were married in Clovis, 42 years ago.

They moved to Lockney in July 1953 when Homer went to work for Texas Energy. In 1961 the Ragland's adopted a two day old baby girl, Janice. They now have two grandchildren from Janice and her husband, John Cabler.

Norma has held the title of assistant cashier since 1971 and if there is anything you want to know about the history of the bank, just ask her. Norma has faithfully collected the history of the people she has worked with at the bank.

Not only has she saved one of her first deposit tickets from 1954 (showing her salary to be \$35.00 a week), but she also has a large collection of old photographs of employees throughout the years and

newspaper articles concerning the bank

She remembers the bank moving to its present location at Thanksgiving in 1959 and she remembers the first president that she worked under, Mr. M.W. Wiley. Since Wiley, Norma has served under eight other bank presidents.

The biggest change, other than personnel, that Norma has seen, has been the change to the computer age. "I've always worked in the bookkeeping department and we used to take a lot of time posting ledgers and statements. The computer has helped some, but the new computerized proof machine has really made a difference."

Norma will join her husband in retirement at the end of the week. They will celebrate their joint retirement with a drive to Alaska in June. "We'll come back when we feel like it," said Norma. Norma said the rest of her retirement

will be spent "enjoying my grandchildren and taking care of my mother."



Tornadoes can strike at any time, any place, in Texas. Listen to National Weather Service bulletins for weather information. If a warning is issued or you see a tornado, immediately take shelter below ground or in an interior hallway or bathroom on the ground floor. Stay away from windows.

If you're outside, lie flat in a ditch or ravine and cover your head with your arms. Do not stay in or under your car or mobile home, since both are easily moved by tornadoes. Do not try to outrun a tornado or drive away from it in your car



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out of the Times and the dateline was Favetteville.

Remember the story about the 101 year old woman that sued The Sun tabloid. They had published her picture with an article about a 101 year old Australian woman who was pregnant by a reclusive millionaire on her paper route. It was not true.

The Sun admitted that they had dug up her story from a 10 year old article, out of another newspaper, describing her long career as a newspaper carrier.

The Sun figured the woman (Nellie Mitchell) was dead by now and they could go ahead and use her picture with a fictitious story. They were wrong. Nellie was awarded \$650,000. Way to go Nellie!

Oh By The Way-The Sun's lawyers had said that the story was so fantastic that no one would believe them. This

Letter to The Editor

When someone is "insensitive" enough to complain about you-take it to the ACLU and get a whole bunch of lawyers working for you for free. When you are given the \$250,000, you can either go buy that home, send your kid to college, or do what Kreimer is going to do.

He said he is going to follow his favorite baseball team and travel (probably with his shopping cart). He said he might also undergo "lifestyle counseling" and hopes to design a curriculum from his experience to teach students about homelessness.

Well he doesn't have to design a curriculum. The lawsuit speaks for itself. What the judge awarded Kreimer already teaches young people all over New Jersey and elsewhere, about public decency and working for a living. *******

It is certainly encouraging to see

someone on the Democratic side of the

fence admit that we have a problem and

that some common sense changes can

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Vote necessitates run-off election

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WEATHER

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Floyd County history by becoming the first Republican to be elected to any county office.

The Republican race for U.S. Representative District #13 showed Beau Boulter winning the county with 81 votes, followed by Ernie Houdashell with 43 votes.

A total of 161 votes were cast in the Republican primary, and 1,882 votes were cast in the Democratic primary, representing 41% of the county's 4,995 registered voters coming to the polls.

For a breakdown of the local races, presidential races and the U.S. Representative race, see the chart inside.

THE FLOYD COUNTY

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dresses to: The Floyd County Hesperian-

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help control crime here in Floyd County. I wish the sheriff elect Godspeed and the citizens support in his work in improving our sheriffs office. I sincerely hope that all those ads that ran Published weekly each Thursday at in the paper, that sounded so much like 111 East Missouri Street, Floydada, those Republican ads four years ago, are Texas 79235. Second class postage paid saying what the candidate truly intends at Floydada, Texas 79235. to do. If so then the people of Floyd POSTMASTER: Send change of ad-County have scored a great victory for

themselves. The mean Republican individual, Ray Macha

> I want to sincerely thank everyone for their support.

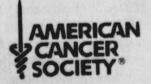
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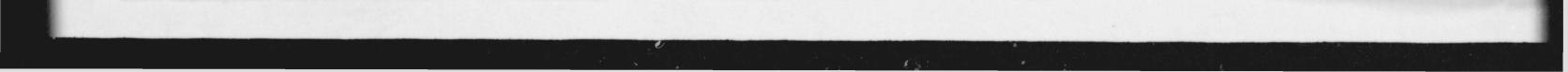
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Dear Editor,

Once upon a time there was a mean spirited individual, a Republican who ran for the office of sheriff in Floyd County. He was accused of mud slinging and vicious personal attacks on the incumbent, a Democrat. In his ads in the local paper he repeatedly stated that he held no animosity or personal dislike for the democrat incumbent, however, he strongly disagreed with the way he ran his office.

This Republican threat to the local party in control offered many alternatives and changes he felt needed to be made to better protect and serve the citizens of Floyd County. Of course, he being a Republican, made any disagreement with the Democratic sheriff automatic mud slinging and personal attacks. Well here we are four years later and there were three Democratic candidates who ran for the office due to the coming retirement of the sheriff. All three were telling the citizens of the changes that they were going to make if they took office. Strange as it may seem they all said basically the same changes needed to be made that the mean Republican was saying four year ago. And I have not heard any complaints of mud





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March 10, 1992 Primary Election Results

DEMOCRATIC	SW Floydada	Allmon	Sandhill	E. Lockney	Providence	Lone Star	South Plains	Cedar Hill	Baker	Harmony	Goodnight	W. Lockney	Dougherty	McCoy	SE Floydada	NE Floydada	Early	TOTAL
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School board handles full agenda

By Juanita Stepp

Meeting in regular session on Monday, March 9, the Floydada Independent School District recognized outstanding The bids will remain effective for thirty days according to the company representatives in attendance at the bid opening. Resignations were accepted from Dale Smith, vocational construction trades instructor, and from Clinton Fawver, R. C. Andrews Elementary

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B. Price	6	6	0	0	1	13
R. Powell	0	2	0	0	1	3
E. Houdashell	16	19	3	2	3	43
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COMMISSIONER						
B. Williamson	29	34	3	5	8	79
C. K. Rylander	13	22	2	3	7	47
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students for the month. Among those honored in the presence of their teachers, family and friends were three young ladies from A. B. Duncan Elementary School. Alicia Hinojosa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jose Hinojosa Jr., Valarie Perry, daughter of Mrs. Linda Perry, and Amanda Barnett, daughter of Mrs. Kathy Ferguson.

R. C. Andrews Elementary chose to honor Oscar Sanchez Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sanchez Sr., and Josh Tipton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Tipton. Principal Ellen Enriquez also announced the school's educator of the month, Mrs. Linda Harbin.

Junior High honorees were David Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson, and Chris Enriquez, son of Olga Enriquez. Jason Pyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pyle, and Amanda Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bailey. Each student was awarded a certificate of recognition for their outstanding efforts as students.

The board then moved on to the routine matters of reading and approving he minutes from the previous meeting and the payment of monthly bills.

Assistant superintendent Jimmie Collins presented the tax report.

STADIUM RELOCATION BIDS OPENED

Next to be handled was the opening of bids for the possible relocation of the football stadium. Collins stressed the fact that bids had been solicited for the purpose of determining costs for the project. No action was anticipated at this meeting said Collins.

The group was then addressed by James Robison, the architect from Plainview who had prepared the bid specifications concerning relocating the stadium and placed the bid notice for publication. Robison stressed the fact that the bids being opened were only for the relocation of the stands from the current location at Wester Field to the proposed location at the high school.

He pointed out that the bid specifications only included the actual seating and the foundation for it. No other aspects of the project were under consideration at this time.

Three bids were received and opened. The bids were as follows: Hastey Company from Plainview, \$48,400.00, with 90 days work time; Pharr Company from Lubbock, \$69,495.00, with 90 days work time; and TEC Construction from Amarillo, \$68,600.00, with 120 days work time.

Board president Charlene Brown told the gathering, "We had not realized just how expensive this was going to be. We had been told that relocating the stadium would run about \$40,000.00."

Collins reiterated that, saying, "That is what I had told you."

Hinsley made a motion to table the item until the next meeting. He said that the board needed time to study the matter and obtain more information concerning the cost. He also asked that board members try to ascertain what the public's opinion of the proposed stadium relocation would be. Hardy seconded the motion and the vote was unanimously in favor.

Grant Hambright spoke next, presenting the textbook committee's report which was approved on a motion by Billy Villarreal and seconded by John Campbell.

1992-93 SCHOOL CALENDAR

The proposed school calendar for the 1992-93 school year was approved by the board on a motion by Hinsley and seconded by Villarreal. The first day of classes will be Thursday, August 20 and the last day of school will be Friday, May 28. Graduation will follow on Saturday, May 29.

Students will be out of school on September 7 for Labor Day, November 25-27 for Thanksgiving, December 21-January 1 for Christmas, March 15-19 for Spring Break and April 11 for Easter. Teacher work days will be August 19, January 15, and May 29. Bad weather days are scheduled for January 25 and April 9.

Students will be dismissed at 1:00 p.m. on September 18, October 19, December 11, February 5, March 5, and May 7 for staff development.

RESIGNATIONSACCEPTED

School P. E. teacher. Motion to accept the resignations came from Steve Lloyd and was seconded by Villarreal.

The next agenda item, sale of city lots, was skipped as there were no tax title lots to sell this month.

At this point in the proceedings, Brown asked to speak to Superintendent Jerry Cannon outside the meeting room. The pair withdrew and shortly called two of the people attending the session, Mr. And Mrs. Hulon Carthel, out of the room. Brown and Cannon returned to the meeting after an absence of about ten minutes.

GED PREP COURSE APPROVED FOR FALL

Grant Hambright presented the board with a plan for a General Education Degree (GED) program for the fall semester at Floydada High School. According to Hambright, the Texas Education Agency requires that such a program be instituted to meet the needs of dropouts and potential dropouts.

The program will be designated as the High School Equivalency Program (HSEP) and is not a substitute for a high school diploma. Only students who are deemed at risk and are at least 16 years of age at the beginning of the school year will be eligible. In addition, the student must "have no reasonable expectation for graduating on schedule with the classmates who entered high school at the same time," said Hambright.

The program will be available on either a half day basis or a full day basis. As a half day program, the student will spend a minimum of two semesters in the program. As a full day program, a student must spend a minimum of one semester in the program to qualify for

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THANK-YOU

Thank-you, each of you, for your support during the election.

I am very grateful to each voter, co-worker and my family for your prayers, friendship and support of me.

Each of you and your actions will be remembered and cherished by me always.

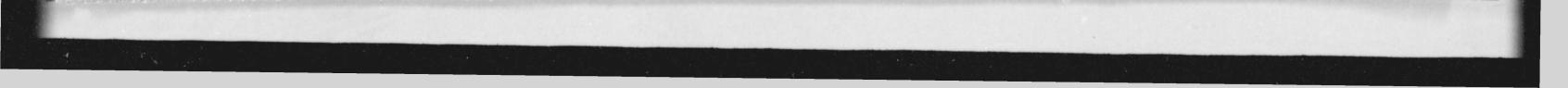
To <u>each of</u> you. I say <u>Thank-You</u> from my heart and I am honored to be your friend.

Sincerely, Charles Overstreet



TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND PARTIES

THE FLOYDADA COOPERATIVES GINS OF FLOYDADA HAS MADE APPLICATION WITH THE TEXAS AIR CONTROL BOARD FOR PERMIT NO. 21353 TO MODIFY THE COTTON GIN PLANT IN FLOYDADA, FLOYD COUNTY, TEXAS. THE GIN IS LOCATED at 319 N. 5TH STREET, FLOYDADA, TEXAS, 79235. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CON-CERNING THIS APPLICATION IS CONTAINED IN THE PUBLIC NOTICE OF THIS NEWSPAPER.



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NSDAR names Good Citizens

Buffalo Grass Chapter NSDAR met at Lighthouse Electric with Vera Jo Bybee presiding over the meeting. The program was given by the DAR Good Citizen award winners, one each from Lockney, Floydada and Ralls. They each read the essay they entered in the contest.

The winners were 1st place, Kenneth Davis of Floydada; 2nd place was awarded to both Jessica Lemons of Lockney and Micheal Merrick of Ralls.

Vera Jo Bybee and Carolyn Cunningham served an anniversary cake and other refreshments, this being the 10th anniversary of the organization of Buffalo Grass Chapter.

Those present were: visitors, Linda Lemons and her daughter, Jessica of Lockney, Velma Price and her son, Kenneth Davis of Floydada, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Merrick and their son, Micheal of Ralls, and members, Gladys Jones, Gene Reed, Emily Johnston, Mary Lou Bollman, Ona Ruth Neff, Nancy Marble, June Sherman, Elfie Sherman, Gayle Reay, Virginia Taylor, Dorothy Hodges, Sherry Colston, Ozena Norris, Vera Jo Bybee and Carolyn Cunningham.

Nancy Marble gave a biographical introduction of each essay contestant before they read their essays. Following is the introduction and then the essays that were read:

"FREEDOM - that's what America is all about - Freedom cannot be seen . . and it cannot be bought. Some people have it and don't think much about it. Others don't even know what it is. It's not something you are likely to get without a struggle, and if you lose it, it's almost impossible to get back again.

"Our American Heritage and My Responsibility to Preserve It - this is the topic for the essay that our DAR Good Citizens from Lockney, Ralls and Floydada were given to write without preparation. What a fine job was done by each one of them.

"The DAR Good Citizen from Locknev High School is Jessica Lemons, daughter of Linda Lemons and Marvin Lemons. An extremely talented, involved young woman, Jessica is a member of the National Honor Society, FHA, band, student council, annual staff

has lasted over 200 years and is still in existence today. The Constitution's most valuable part was the Bill of Rights. The Bill of Rights gives every person the same equal rights.

The civil rights movement along with the women sufferage movement were both issues tackled during the sixty's. Both of these movements were very important in history because of blacks and women's equal rights and also the right to vote. The demand for social freedom cried out tremendously at this time. The resolution of these two issues were a stepping stone for America. Today Negroes and women can do anything they want to as long as it does not affect others.

It is our responsibility to examine and try to understand our heritage. If you do not examine the mistakes that were made back then, you will probably make the same mistakes again in the present time. Knowing how America evolved will make a person more active and inclined to stand up for their rights. Our country would be much stronger if everyone realized that we are just one big family and the Constitution is the watch dog to assure that we will be protected from those that believe otherwise.

I want to preserve our heritage by learning all I can about it. It is truly magnificent that people fought for rights that they never lived long enough to receive. I want to remember how we were and not just think about how we are now.

Our heritage has played a dramatic role in all our lives. We can't get caught up in a frame in which the present is all that matters. We need to remember the reason there is a future is because there was a past.

Our American Heritage and My **Responsibility To Preserve It By Michael Merrick**

In this paper, I will first discuss my American heritage, and the consistency of this heritage. From there, I will go on to discuss my responsibility to preserve it and how to do it.

My heritage, as an American, consists of the principles which it is set in and operates. Our government, in fact, was set on the principle that all men are created equal and the government is to insure our rights as a whole, and as an individual. In the Preamble of the Declaration of Independence, it shows us this.

The people of this time and the people of the 13 original colonies were in bondage and pain. So, in order to work to the perfection of their land, they separated from the United Kingdom, becoming their own Republic. The new democratic government was there

Rights, the first 10 amendments to constitution.

When the founding fathers wrote our constitution for the operation of our government, this too was written in a manner to help ensure the natural rights of every man. The people then were afraid of being governed by a government that was too centralized, as they had been before under the rule of Great Britain. They didn't want any one man or any one organization to make the decisions so the constitution was written under the principle of "separation of powers".

The new government was divided into three different divisions the Executive, the Legislative, and the Judicial. Each one of these branches designed to operate under the principle of "checks and balances." This way, no one branch would become more powerful than the other branch, and at the same time, the government would still have power of the people and the country to do it's job.

In the Bill of Rights, a major part of my heritage, it displays my rights as an American citizen. Knowing, understanding, and participating in these rights, and even the other amendments and the constitution, helps me to become a more responsible citizen. But the rights listed are so essential and many people don't even know what they are. The first amendment, which protects the five basic freedoms of speech, press, religion, assembly and petition helps me and every other American citizen express my thoughts and opinion to my government. Without public opinion and support, our government would become powerless. The government of our great nation is of, by, and for the people.

By being an American citizen, it is my job and responsibility to preserve this heritage. It is my job to preserve these ideas and thoughts of these people that have survived through the years. It is the responsibility of every American citizen. Without preserving this, it might die out and people lose interest. So each and everyone of us needs to do our best to protect our countries heritage, and to uphold the foundations of our nation. Ask not, "What can my country do for me, but what can I do for my country?" (by J.F.K.) Well, I can help my country by preserving it and the heritage with it.

Our American Heritage and My **Responsibility To Preserve It By Jessica Lemons**

The heritage of our country has been taken for granted, especially in the past thirty years. We, as Americans, have forgotten the importance of the actions our forefathers

abides by the same basic rules and principles that were organized 200 years ago in the Constitution.

The men and women of our past gave us a steady ground to build from. They not only gave us rules to abide by; they fought in many wars. Because they did fight for us, our country is well-protected and has many al-

We, as Americans, take for granted the technology that we have to work with today. Do we ever consider what our ancestors had to work with? It was their desire that gave us what we have now. They had the will-power to sit down with a pen and paper, not with machines and electricity.

My responsibility to preserve our heritage is that of any American, to keep it alive. As a future parent, in order to fulfill this duty, I can teach my children not only what I did when I was a child, but what my greatgrandparents did. I feel that children are becoming more and more ignorant in history. Children feel that it is boring and I have often heard the comment, "Why should we have to learn about what happened so long ago?" Part of this problem could be solved by parents doing their duty to make it interesting at a young age.

Part of our heritage is the customs that we have accumulated over the years. For example, Thanksgiving; it is a holiday that only America celebrates. The pilgrims began this because they were thankful for the food and freedom they had. Today, do we still actually give thanks on that holiday, or are we too busy taking the day off from work and eating that wonderful meal that grandma prepared? I can also take this opportunity to preserve our heritage and customs by thanking the Lord for letting me live in a country where I am free and have the opportunity to be the best I can be.

The most important thing, however, that I can do for both the heritage and future of my country is to be patriotic. War is a tragic thing, but I think that the Gulf War was for the better. The patriotism of our country was becoming very distant. The war brought us all closer together and our patriotism improved greatly. The Gulf helped to prove that we are working together as a country to be successful, not as individuals. The war was most beneficial to teenagers who have only experienced two major tragedies: The War and The Challenger. The teenagers seemed to improve their patriotism the greatest.

I feel that every American has certain responsibilities. Mine, in order to keep our heritage alive, are to be a good parent and educate my children in history as well as math and English; I can continue to be patri-



JUNE WEDDING PLANNED-Wanda Moats of Lockney wish to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Donna Kay, to Kent Stephen Holt of Silverton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Holt of Silverton. Donna is the daughter of the late Billy F. Moats. She is a 1980 graduate of Lockney High School and an 1984 graduate of West Texas State University where she received her BS in Elementary Education. She is employed by Plainview I.S.D. as an first grade teacher at Highland Elementary. Holt is a 1977 graduate of Silverton High School and is presently engaged in farming in the Silverton area. The wedding is planned for June 20, 1992, at the First United Methodist Church in Lockney.



and participates in track, basketball and tennis.

"In addition to this full schedule, Jessica has been a cheerleader for four years, having been selected head cheerleader for one year. An accomplished musician and outstanding young woman, Jessica plans to attend TTU and study to become a secondary teacher of business or a foreign language. It is a real pleasure to introduce Jessica Lemons and ask her to share her essay.

"The DAR Good Citizen of 1991-92 from Floydada High School is Kenneth Davis, son of Velma Price. Kenneth has been a member of the football and track teams for four years being named All-District in football and advancing to Regionals in track his junior year.

"Kenneth is an outstanding member of the high school band and also the Community Band. Kenneth is serving as vice-president of the Student Council and the National Honor Society. He was recently named the "student of the month" for the third consecutive year. He is active in church and hopes to receive an appointment into West Point. Thank you, Kenneth, for sharing your essay with us.

"Our DAR Good Citizen from Ralls High School is Michael Merrick, son of Edward and Oleda Merrick. Michael was a counselor for the Boy Scouts of America and a Hugh O'Brien Youth Foundation Ambassador in 1990.

He has been a winner in many science fairs winning First Place with Marines in the Regional Science Fair in 1990. He has been active in Student Council and band, serving as Chaplin in 1990-91. Michael is the Music Leader at his church. He plans to attend college and would like to become an Aerospace Engineer. It's a pleasure to welcome Michael and ask him to share his essay."

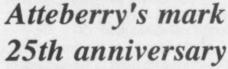
Our American Heritage and My **Responsibility To Preserve It By Kenneth Davis**

Our American heritage is one of our most interesting and fascinating spectacles in existence. Our heritage was established by several great men that were willing to commit their very own lives to guarantee that our country would have a strong government and resist taking a back seat in the economy. In 1776, when the Declaration of Independence was signed, our forefathers literally laid a foundation for America. By signing this, we said that we wanted our independence. We also said we would be strong and courageous until the end. The Constitution was later written because of the failure of the Articles of Confederation. The Constitution is a very important document. It

to try to ensure and protect the God-given rights of the people. But, the people wanted their rights written on paper to help ensure their rights. All this brought about the Bill of

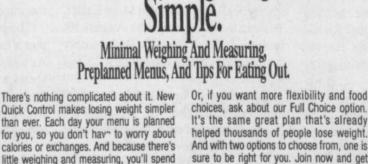
took to make our country what it is today. Our forefathers not only considered themselves, but they thought of us, too, their future. It is amazing that our country still

otic and love my country as I should simply because "It first loved me."



Paul and Brenda Atteberry of Floydada will be celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary on Wednesday, March 18. They will be at their home, 412 S. Main.

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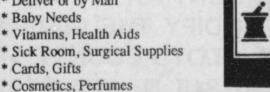
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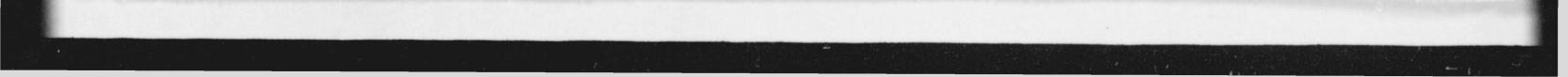
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Harris and Campbell exchange vows

In a recent formal candlelight ceremony, Tracy Dennise Harris became the wife of Wesley Hal Campbell. The ceremony was held at the First Baptist Sims officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Dennis and Margene Harris of San Antonio.

Parents of the groom are Wes and Lynn Campbell of Dougherty.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal white gown fash-Church in Socorro, with Bro. David ioned with a sweetheart neckline and long tapered sleeves. Sequins and pearls accented the molded bodice of the gown. The skirt swept into a full chapel



COUPLE MARRIES-Debra Denise Hale of Floydada and Morgan Lee Carlisle of Grove Hill, Ala., were united in marriage during a ceremony in Fi. Sill, Okla. The bride is the daughter of James Hale of Floydada and Jean Hale of Austin. The groom is the son of William Carlisle of Butler, Ala., and Inez Aldrich of Grove Hill, Ala. Tammy Bailey of Floydada served as matron of honor. Best man was Pvt. Lee Routh of Tennessee and groomsmen were Pvt. Ronnie Bailey of Floydada and Pvt. Lucas Van Eyk of South Carolina. The couple will make their home in Vecinza, Italy.

train. Her veil of silk illusion fell from a crown of pearls. She carried a bouquet of white silk flowers accented with pearls and a handkerchief borrowed from her paternal grandmother, Gertrude Harris.

To complete the traditional bridal ensemble, the bride wore an old crystal necklace given to her by her maternal grandmother, Dorothy Miller; a blue garter made by Mary Wynn; and a penny minted in the year of her birth given to her by the groom.

Her sister, Tammy Harris, was maid of honor. She carried a white fan with mauve roses. Bridesmaids were Tracy's sister-in-law, Carlina Harris; the groom's sisters, Donna and Sonya Campbell, and a friend, Rachael Ayala. Each attendant wore a teal dress which flowed from tea-length in front to floor length in the back and carried bouquets of mauve roses. Amanda Hill was the flower girl and her teal dress matched the other attendants and was trimmed with white and silver lace.

Grant Cage was best man. Ronnie Benjamin, Zach Nutt, Vance Star, cousin of the groom, and Travis Harris, brother of the bride, were groomsmen. James King and Robbie Green were the ushers. Jason Campbell, cousin of the groom, was ring bearer. He carried a cross stitch pillow made by Susan Huberty, cousin of the bride.

The bridal attendants marched in to a trio of flute, played by Jan Miller; violin, played by Charles Miller, aunt and uncle of the bride, and the piano, which was played by Wanda Zumbro. Mrs. Zumbro also played traditional music for the bride. Debbie Torres sang "The Gift of Love" and Surround Me With Love." Kim Bean of Deming and Jeff Miller

Senior Citizens News

By Thelma Jones There will be a covered dish luncheon Saturday, March 14, the program will be at 10:30 a.m., come be with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Glover of Dallas visited several days last week with his unt, Mrs. Nora Hatley.

Smith. There were several of her rela-

tives present and they visited Rebecca

Mr. Pat Bullock spent the weekend

Several relatives and friends spent

Thursday and Friday with Rebecca

Mrs. Tresman Glover, her sister and

children of Dill, Oklahoma spent a few

days last week with her mother-in-law,

the reception Sunday afternoon for Mrs.

Ethel Warren's 90th birthday at the

Jean Jones attended the funeral Satur-

day for a cousin, Mrs. Francis Wester.

Mrs. Mattie Wester, Ed Wester and

Mr. Hollis Payne of Vigo Park was

A grandson spent Monday and Tues-

Remember the covered dish luncheon

They had a house warming for Mr.

and Mrs. Robert Davis Sunday after-

dismissed from the hospital. He is doing

very well, reports Mrs. Mattie Wester.

day night with his grandmother, Mrs.

Several relatives and friends attended

Mrs. Jess Glover and other relatives.

Smith as it was her 95th birthday.

and Britt after lunch.

Massie Center.

Lula Teague.

Saturday, March 14.

with his daughter, Judy.

Alma Dunn spent one day last week in Plainview with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Montgomery.

of Denver, Colorado, cousins of the

For her daughter's wedding, Margene

wore a teal chiffon sundress with a bro-

cade jacket; Lynn chose a navy and

white dress. Both mothers wore cor-

A reception was held at Macey Center

immediately following the ceremony.

Two three-tiered cakes joined by a

bridge were on the table with nuts and

homemade mints. Cake was served by aunts of the bride and groom and also by

two friends, Carolyn Bean, Cheryl

Stark, Donna Kay Warren and Tina

Cummings, respectively. The guests

enjoyed a buffet of finger sandwiches,

dips and chips. Coffee and punch were

Those helping with serving were Rita

Out of town guests included Vance

and Betty Campbell, paternal grandparents of the groom; Mike and Cheryl

Stark and daughter, Tracie, aunt and

uncle of the groom; Ken and Polly

Campbell and daughter, Anna, aunt and uncle of the groom; Ruth and John

Cerutti and daughter, Christie, cousins

of the bride; Inez Campbell, great-aunt

of the bride, and Joseph and Susan

Huberty and children, Amy, Alicia, and

After a honeymoon to Albuquergue,

the couple are at home in Portales,

where they are students of New Mexico

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by

Wes and Lynn Campbell at the Val

Verde Steak House in Socorro. There

were about 50 family, friends and wed-

Michael, cousins of the bride.

State University.

ding party in attendance.

Case, Darlene Hill and Ruth Cerruti, cousins of the bride, Peggy Pegoda,

Michelle Perry and Linda Dennis.

bride, were the candlelighters.

sages of white roses.

served.

The shower for Mr. and Mrs. Craig Edwards of the McCcy Community was attended by a large crowd and gifts FriThursday, March 12, 1992 - The Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon - Page 5



MR. AND MRS. WESLEY HAL CAMPBELL

Floydada Senior Citizens Menu

March 16 - 20

Monday: Hamburger patty or liver with onions, potato au gratin, green beans, roll, yellow cake with icing **Tuesday:**

Lasagna, Three Bean Salad, tossed salad with Italian dressing, chocolate chip cookies, Italian bread Wednesday:



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Floydada Nursing Home Happenings

By Jo Bryant Hi! It was quite a change this morning after the warm weekend. Do hope all is well with everyone.

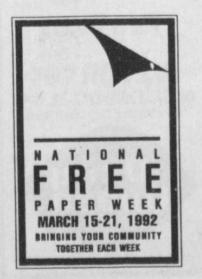
The week started off as usual around here with morning coffee, juice, cookies. Bro. Bill Wright came and shared the devotional with us. Irene Wexler, Edna Patton, Decota Odam and Ivola Walters came and helped sing. In the evening, the residents enjoyed the peanut butter and crackers as it was National Peanut Butter Day.

Bro. Richardson came Tuesday and gave the devotional. He also brought all the residents and staff bananas. In the evening the residents had arts and crafts. They made a butterfly.

Wednesday, the residents had exercise and games and enjoyed some songs. Henry Willis had the first Bingo. Ruth Hammonds and Mary Alice Davis came and assisted the residents. Philip Wilbanks came and played the piano for the residents that night.

Thursday was games and music. At 2:30 p.m. the residents had their monthly Resident Council meeting. They were served peanut butter and crackers. Ottis Johnson called the meeting to order. Wanda Gibbs, administrator, came and talked, visited with the residents; also Frances Henke R.N. attended the meeting in order to meet all of them and to meet their needs.

Friday was the Women's World Day of Prayer at the First Christian Church so



the ladies from the First Baptist Church, who usually give the devotional all attended the Day of Prayer, along with Jo Bryant. In the evening the residents went on a bus ride to Plainview. McDonald's treated them to some ice cream.

Mrs. Alma Smith brought the residents' their monthly Mature Living magazine. Thanks go to the ladies Sunday School classes, who provide the residents with the cookies.

Saturday, 2:30 p.m., the Martin's from Lockney and Elbert Parvin came and played country and western music. The residents enjoyed it.

A Thought:

Live in the present Don't regret the past Or fear the future.

Our love and sympathy go out to Brooks Callaway on the death of his brother, Otho Callaway, who passed away in California. Graveside services were in Matador.

noon. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dunavant. It's time to order your Tuxedo for Spring **Banquets** and **Prom** We havew all the newest styles. Order early for best selections. WILLIAN **RD SHOI** 128 W. California, Floydada 983-5013

day night. Their home was destroyed by There was a good crowd at the center fire last week. Friday for the 95th birthday of Rebecca

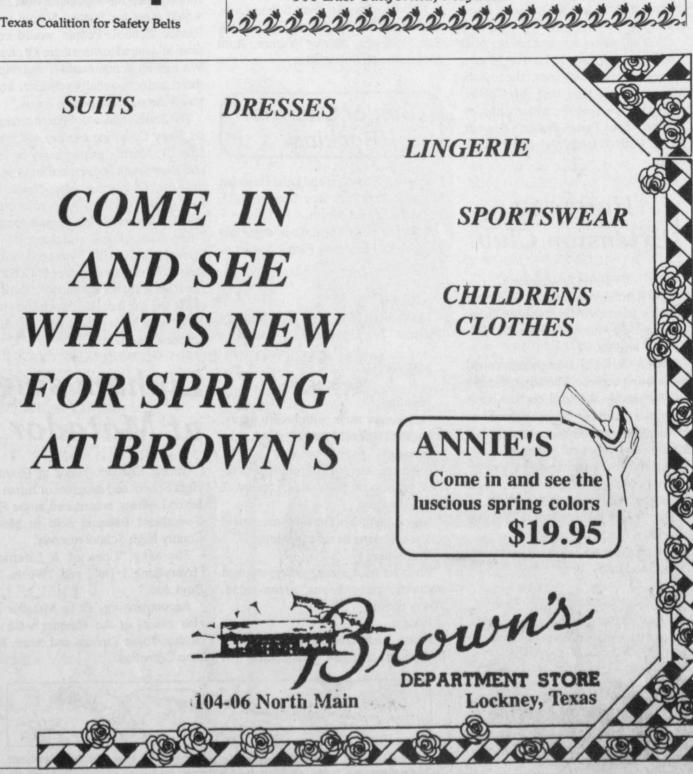
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bratton of Odessa visited Mrs. Eula Battey Sunday afternoon. She is a niece of Mrs. Battey.

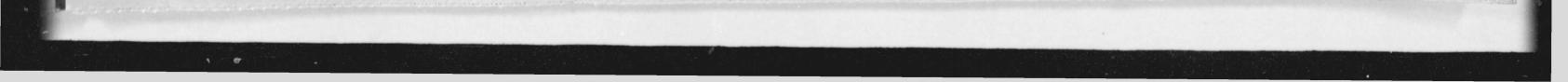
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Warren and family of Levelland spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Warren. Mr. and Mrs. Audy Moreman of Bentonville visited with Mrs. Murl Mayfield last week.

Myrtle Coleman and granddaughter visited Myria Dade Saturday afternoon. Terry Watson had company from Dallas over the weekend.

Buckle Up!

Texas Coalition for Safety Belts





Page 6 - The Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon - Thursday, March 12, 1992 Rebecca Smith feted on 95th

A host of friends and family members gathered, March 7, at Floydada's Senior Citizen's building, to celebrate the 95th birthday of Rebecca Smith.

A lovely and spry woman, Rebecca Smith, lives alone in a neat and beautifully decorated apartment. She maintains the apartment herself, with only one day of help from a woman who helps clean. Smith takes care of all her clothes washing and cooking herself. She also stays active with Senior Citizen activities and Canasta.

Because of two broken hips that have been surgically repaired, one with a new hip and one with pins, Mrs. Smith has had to slow down a little. She depends on friends for transportation and her movement around the kitchen is a little slower.

Talking to Mrs. Smith, one can't help but be impressed with her vitality. She is planning on "being around for at least five more years so she can't get her picture shown on TV by Willard Scott."

Smith was born March 7, 1897, in Berwyn, Oklahoma, to Mr. and Mrs. T.B. Floyd. "They have changed the name of the town I was born in to Gene Autry," said Smith. "Autry was raised there, but I didn't know him."

While still a baby, Rebecca moved with her parents to Dublin, Texas. After a short stay the Floyd's moved back to Waurika, Oklahoma. "I stayed there until I married Ham Smith, January 3, 1916," said Smith. "My husband was a rancher and farmer.

"On the third day of our marriage we moved to Floyd County where my husband continued in his ranching and farming. We came to Floyd County by train. The line stopped in Roaring Springs so a relative picked us up in his Model T Ford and drove us the rest of the way."

Mr. Smith died in January 1972, and Rebecca has been on her own ever since. She has lived in her current apartment for 18 years.

Smith attributes her long life to "clean living and hard work." She gives the same advice to anyone wishing to live as long. "I would tell any young person that asked me how to live this long to lead a clean life, keep busy and try and make lots of friends.'

Rebecca does have a lot of friends, which can be proven by the crowd of 100 people who came to pay her tribute at the birthday party Saturday.

Smith knows what it means to work hard. During her 56 years of marriage, Rebecca was a true "help mate" for her husband. "I did everything you could think of in the fields," said Smith. "I hauled grain, gathered cotton and hauled field hands around.

"Life has been a lot easier the past few scrub board."

society she considers the best and the worst in the past 95 years, Mrs. Smith

says the openness of people is the big-

gest change she has noticed. "Ten year

old children know as much as I did when

I got married. I don't think that is good.

sit with all the farmers, visit, and watch

Besides working in the fields beside

her husband, Smith also worked as a

clerk at Hale's Department Store for 12

She has been a member of the Meth-

odist Church since "about" 1918. "Be-

fore I joined the Methodist Church we

would meet for Sunday School in the

Blanco School. People would come

from all around to meet there for church.

We had all denominations worshiping

there, and occasionally a minister would

The Smiths had two children, a daugh-

ter Mary Catherine Murray and a son,

Ham Jr. Murray passed away in 1970

and Ham Smith Jr. is retired and lives in

Sulphur, Oklahoma. Mrs. Smith has

four grandchildren, numerous great

grandchildren and "lots of great greats."

For those of you searching for the

"great answers in life," you need look no

farther than the smiling face of Rebecca.

Her friends are her testimony to the kind

of life she has led. Hard work and clean

living have been good to the beautiful

Lipham sings

Spring Lipham, junior at Floydada High School and daughter of Julian and

Joyce Lipham, entertained at the FHA

Sweetheart Banquet held in Motley

She sang "Love of A Lifetime",

Accompanying her to Matador and

"Everything I Do", and "Where The

also guests at the banquet were her

mother, Joyce Lipham and sister, Juli-

County High School recently.

at Matador

Rebecca Smith.

travel through and preach for us."

the traffic go by."

years.

"Transportation has been a good



95TH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED--Rebecca Smith of Floydada recently celebrated her 95th birthday at the Floydada Senior Citizen's building. Over 100 friends and family came to pay tribute to this lovely woman.

--Staff Photo

We

Salute

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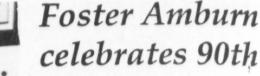
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Chavarria

Todd Williams



Foster Amburn of Canyon celebrated his 90th birthday Thursday, March 5, with a family meal at Luby's Cafeteria in Amarillo.

Amburn is a retired deputy sheriff of Floyd County. He and his wife moved to Canyon in January 1972.

Hosting the birthday dinner and attending the affair were Mrs. Foster Amburn of Canyon, Glen and Elizabeth Amburn of Tulia, Jay and Terri Amburn and family, Terrill, Tyler and Morgan Denae of Tulia, Nancy Amburn and children, Rhett, Cole and Lacey of Amarillo, Juanelle Taylor of Canyon, Joe and Lorraine Mains of Amarillo, and Thomas and Betty Amburn of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Amburn reside at 1304-5th Avenue in Canyon.

"When business is good it pays to advertise; When business is bad you've got to advertise."





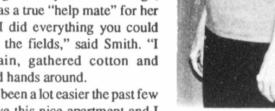
COUPLE TO MARRY-Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hernandez of Lockney are proud to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, DeeAnn, to Michael Castellon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Valeriano Castellon of Tulia. DeeAnn is a 1987 graduate of Lockney High School. Castellon attended Tulia schools and is employed by Excel. The couple will be married on March 28, at St. Alice Catholic Church.



1950 Study Club

The 1950 Study Club met March 3 at Lighthouse Electric with Shirley Morton and Nell Abram as hostess. Edris Edwards, president, called the

Recreation was directed by Arvie Schulz. Refreshments were served by the hostess to the following club members: Arvie Schulz, Ruth Scott, Maye Williams, Imelda Murry, Juanita Poole, Vivian Curtis, Doris Snodgrass and the hostess, Blanche Williams.



years. I have this nice apartment and I have really enjoyed it. I have a little stacked washer and dryer to do my clothes in, and that is a lot easier than a

When asked what kind of changes in

meeting to order and conducted the business session.

Sue Moore read the minutes of the previous meeting. Nettie Ruth Whittle gave the treasurer's report. The nominating committee read the s¹ of officers for the next two years? ey were voted in.

The officers are: Preside , Geneile Evans; 1st Vice-Preside , Lovene Moore; 2nd Vice-Presi It, Shirley Morton; Secretary, Martha Lotspeich; Treasurer, Wanda Hickerson, and Reporter, Jane McCulley.

Jane McCulley introduced Dr. Charles C. Craig who gave a program and slide presentation on his trip to Thailand. Afterwards members were given the opportunity to ask Dr. Craig questions.

Club members present were: Nell Abram, Edris Edwards, Lovene Moore, Marjorie Fowler, Wanda Hickerson, Martha Lotspeich, Jane McCulley, Marjorie McElyea, Sue Moore, Shirley Morton, Carol Reese, Roberta Russell, Nettie Ruth Whittle and guest, Alice Baker.

Harmony Extension Club

By Doris Snodgrass

The Harmony Extension Club met Monday, March 9 in the club room in the community center with Blanche Williams as hostess.

Vivian Curtis, club president, called the meeting to order. The hostess read a hint for the day. Roll call, each member brought a picture of Texas to show.

Ruth Scott read the minutes of the last meeting and they were approved.

Mae Williams read a article on the District meeting telling its contest. Ruth Scott gave the finance report.

There will be a council meeting Thursday, March 12.

The program on Texas was given by Doris Snodgrass.



Companions 'N' Caring

change. I remember we used to only Companions 'N' Caring met at Pizza come to town on Saturdays to buy gro-Gold March 3 at 7 p.m. for the regular ceries. There were so many people you monthly meeting. couldn't find a place to park. We would

New officers for the year were elected, they are President Selma Ortiz, Vice President Dorothy Neff, Secretary-Treasurer Ola Smith, Telephone, Leona Neff and Scrap Book, Sue Walker.

A St. Patrick's Day Social was planned for the residents on March 17 at 2:30 p.m.

Members present were Selma Ortiz, Dorothy Neff, Ola Smith, Leona Neff, Sue Hoogstra, Shirley Varner, Ruth McIntosh and Sue Walker.

Senior Citizens Rockins

Visiting Edna Cox and Lena Hawkins this weekend was their brother, L.D. Payne from Fort Worth. Georgia Ford spent four days last

week with her sister, Fanny Spears at Lampasas.

AILING Leslie Ferguson, Myrt Hill, Dorothy Thomas

MENU March 16 - 20

Monday: Hamburger steak with brown gravy, French fries, mixed greens, salad, cake **Tuesday:**

Fried chicken, gravy, mashed potatoes, green peas, jello salad, cookies Wednesday: Baked ham, Northern beans, candid

yams, coleslaw, banana pudding Thursday:

Chicken fried steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, green salad, cherry cobbler

Friday:

Roast beef, baked potatoes, green lima beans, coleslaw, pan cookies



Boys Are."

anne Cornelius.

The largest ears of all animals are those of the African elephant. They grow as large as four feet across.

Margaret Schacht and Flo Barnes.



OUR DIAMOND MISS-Kassidy Hill of Lockney was successful in winning two titles at the spring Our **Diamond Miss preliminary pageant** held February 29 in Lubbock. She captured the Glamour Girl and Modeling titles in the Young Miss division. She is now qualified to compete at Our Diamond Miss State to be held in Abilene in June. Her fees will be paid and she can then qualify for the national pageant, which will be in Las Vegas, Nevada, in August. She is the 12-year-old daughter of Elnetia and Billy Joe Hill of Lockney.

-Courtesy photo





School board handles full agenda

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testing. Hambright told the group that the testing center for FHS would be Estacado High School in Plainview.

A motion by Hardy with a second by Hinsley called for the approval of the program to begin with the 1992 school year in August. The board passed the motion unanimously.

TURNER APPOINTED ELECTION JUDGE

Louise Turner was appointed as the election judge for the upcoming May 2 trustee election. Motion for the appointment was made by Campbell and seconded by Lloyd. Approval was by unanimous vote.

Cannon reported that all board members had completed their required hours of school board training for this year. He also reported that he and Billy Villarreal and Steve Lloyd would be attending a school board law seminar on Tuesday, March 10.

Cannon passed out Service Center election ballots to be marked and returned by mail. FISD board members are eligible to vote for Service Center board members.

Cannon also presented the letter board president Charlene Brown had requested at last month's meeting expressing the board's displeasure with the manner in which the state had handled the textbooks containing errors during the textbook adoption process. Each board member was to sign the letter before it could be sent to state officials.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Cannon then called the board into executive session for two items. The first stated item was the discussion of school personnel, teacher assistants and secretaries. The second item on the agenda was ag personnel.

After coming out of executive session, the board approved a motion to renew professional personnel and teachers as presented. Motion was made by Hinsley and seconded by Campbell. The vote was unanimous.

Among those hired for the 1992-93 school year at Floydada High School:

ence/Health-4th; Linda Harbin, Language/Writing-4th; Kris Ross, Reading-4th; Linda Gayle Waller, Math-4th; Ruth Crump, Social Studies-4th; Lisa Becker, Spelling-4th; Anna Leta Bradshaw, Math-5th; Donnetta Keltz, Reading/Spelling-5th; Dana Crossland, Social Studies-5th; Penny Taylor, Science/ Health-5th; Margaret Jones, Language/ Writing-6th; Bettye Poole, Social Studies-6th; Frances Hambright, Math-6th; Melva Dorman, Science/Health-6th; Penny Giesecke, Reading/Spelling-6th; Sharon Graves, Special Education; Maria Kitten, Special Education; Tana Copley, Special Education; Dolores Collins, Chapter I Reading; Noma Lou Rainer, Chapter I Reading; Roberta Hardin, ESL/Chapter I Coordinator; Beverly Bates, Physical Education; Gail

Hale, Art; and Bobby Rainer, Music. Hired for A. B. Duncan Elementary School were: Susan Kirk, Early Education; Maria Peralez, Pre-K 4 year old program; Kindergarten -Linda Crader, Robbie Odom, Julie Lackey, Anna Rivera and Carlyn Crawford; First Grade-Sheri Turnbow, Carolyn Smith, Carolyn Cheek, Gloria Fannon, and Kay Cage; Second Grade-Sue Crow, Kay Dean Smith, Phyllis Smith and Sarah Sanders; Third Grade-Glenda Living-

ston, Donna Harmon, Dana Anthony, Sherese Covington, and Sheri Carr; Beth Faulkenberry, Speech Therapy; Anne Carthel, Physical Education; Kathleen Wood, Music; Sue Daniels, Special Education; Linda Dawson, Reading; Maria Lopez, Reading; and Kathryn Jahay, Counselor.

Hired for Caprock Education Cooperative were: Educational Diagnosticians Barbara Cocanougher, Kayla Johnson and Karen Quebe; and Linda Kay Hodge, Transition Coordinator.

Grant Hambright was hired as the Curriculum Director for the district.

Attending the evening session were superintendent Jerry Cannon, assistant superintendent Jimmie Collins and board members Charlene Brown, Steve Lloyd, Don Hardy, John Campbell Billy Villarreal, Michael Hinsley and Trena Simpson. Also present were principals Joe Christian, Bruce Bramlet, Ellen Enriquez and Bobby Weir. Others in attendance included Bill Weir, Hulon Carthel, Anne Carthel, Joe Stepp, Weldon Emert, Grant Hambright, the parents, teachers and friends of the outstanding students, a large group of parties interested in the items on the agenda for the executive session and the Hesperian-Beacon reporter.

Jackson selected Citizen of the Year at annual Lockney chamber banquet

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The chamber had drawn the names of three businesses and asked them to choose an employee of the year.

Named as outstanding employees for 1991 were: Dub Dipprey of the First National Bank in Lockney ; Iasias Lerma of Tye Company; and Dale Ross of Consumers Fuel.

Dipprey has worked at the bank for 36 years. He is presently Vice-President and sees to all aspects of the bank. He is ever aware of the needs of the customers.

Lerma has worked at Tye Company since 1980. He does an outstanding job and is always looking for ways to improve.

ceived many honors while in school. The highlight of these honors came when she was named Miss LHS during her senior year. She graduated from Lockney High School in 1965 and married her high school sweetheart Donnie Jackson. They have four children and two grandchildren.

To prepare for the business world she enhanced her education at Wayland with specific training in the field of banking. Jackson works at the First National Bank in Lockney.

Our Citizen of the Year has served on many boards and committees, a few of which include the Fair Board, Chamber of Commerce, Christmas Street Decora**HEARTFELT THANKS--The family of Fabian Torres** Sr. presented Floydada Policeman Ernest Back with a plaque this week expressing their appreciation for his efforts in assiting Richard Torres with CPR and rescue at-

you."

tempts for Fabian Torres Sr., who died of a heart attack.

The plaque reads, "In grateful appreciation for the outstanding service and loyalty in the rescue effort of Fabian Torres Sr." Making the presentation to Back was Fabian Torres Jr., (left) and his son, Richard Torres.

--Staff Photo

Lockney City Council approves vaccine for police and firemen

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present after 8:00 p.m. Current city ordinances define the establishment as a pool hall and prohibit under age patrons after 8:00 p.m.

Charles told the council he and his family have added video games, a snack bar, a small dance floor and a TV for the enjoyment of the kids and asked that the council allow him to serve the underage patrons later in the evening throughout the week and on Sunday afternoons.

Police Chief Gilroy confirmed that many changes and improvements had been made in the business which has for many years been a pool hall. He stated, "My concern is mixing kids and pool. This puts impressionable young people mixing with older, tougher people. I think there are clashes there."

Councilman Gary Marr voiced an objection to the dancing "unless there is parental supervision." Mayor Kenneth Wofford also told Charles that he would have to see that there were two seperate rest room facilities available to serve coed patrons.

Charles in turn expressed his gratitude to the council for listening to him and stated that the establishment "would continue to operate within the letter of the law as it stands until such time as the council sees fit to change it."

SWEEPER PAYOFF CONSIDERED

Mayor Wofford asked the council to consider using a maturing certificate of deposit to pay off the street sweeper purchased two months ago. The money to purchase the sweeper was borrowed from the FNB in Lockney to avoid penalty charges for taking a CD out early. He pointed out that the move would save the taxpayers the interest on the loan, but asked the council to consider whether or not they wanted to utilize the money in this manner or wait in case it might be needed for more urgent matters. The difference between the interest on the loan and the interest the money accrues in savings is less than one percent, so the savings would be negligible. No decision was reached after brief discussion and the matter was tabled on a motion by Aston with a second by Fortenberry.

tion of all business buildings is required', Fortenberry advised, "the council is going to have to look at paying more than the current \$50.00 per month for the services of a fire marshal. That type of inspection would take a lot of time."

The council asked that the laws and procedures be investigated and a report back be made concerning their obligations in the matter.

Kregg Hukill, representing City attorney Paul Lyle, agreed to see what information he could find on the coming legislation.

Financial statements were reviewed and each council member made a report on the department he is assigned to. Fortenberry lead the reports with the news that a communications repeater will be installed on Attebury Grain Elevator rather than on the tower as previously noted. This will make it more accessible for service and repair as well as making the installation easier. He also reported that the water heater serving City Hall had been replaced after the previous one failed to function properly. Councilman Dee Copeland had no new items to report concerning the closed landfill operation and Councilman Marr said he was not aware of any new complaints concerning the streets. Alderman Aston asked that the city consider assisting in paying for lights at the new ball park. He said that the cost is estimated at \$5,000.00 and he felt the city should think about paying half of the cost. Everyone present agreed that would be fair, but no action was taken as the matter was not on the agenda. A special session was called for 8:00 a.m. on Monday, March 9, to address the matter. The council entered an executive session at the end of the Monday morning meeting. The session was scheduled to discuss personnel. No action was taken following the closed session. Attending the March 5 session were Mayor Kenneth Wofford and Aldermen Sam Fortenberry, Dee Copeland, Gary Marr and Ronnie Aston. Council member Jim Doucette was not present. Also in attendance were Charlotte Mitchell, Kregg Hukill, Jamie Charles, Police Chief Lennie Gilroy, Alice Gilroy and

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Bob Alldredge, MOCT; Dean Bates, Athletic Director; Kathy Becker, Homemaking; Jimmy Burleson, P. E.; Lou Burleson, World History/Drama; Sheree Cannon, Counselor; David Carr, Health/Driver Ed; Mike Cocanougher, U. S. History; Hope Crabtree English; Cindy English; Al Galloway, VEH Metal Trades; Rex Holcombe, Biology; Lee Hurt, Math; Dale Jahay, Resource; Deborah Lloyd, Homemaking; Robert Lockwood, Math; Sharon Lockwood, Math/Computers; Deanna Logan, Biology; Kelly McCormick, Government/ Economics; Janet Milam, Business; John Odom, Band Director; Carol Reese, Library; Pam Rickets, Spanish; Tricia Ritchey, English; Jan Thayer, English; Bert Vandiver, Assistant Principal; J. E. Waller, Science/Drafting; Barron Wetsel, Agriculture; Joyce Williams, CVAE Homemaking; and Mac Willson, Science.

Hired for Floydada Junior High School were: Roseanne Bishop, Art; Jackie Chadwick, Language Arts; Kyle Clark, Science; Sherry Colston, American History; John Doerschuk, Math/ Computer Literacy; Ben Hill, Band; Teressa Hollums, Science; Holly Lee, Science; Dale Newton, Resource; Regina Smith, Math; Bernice Walters, Reading; Dara Ware, Language Arts; Jimmy Webster, Physical Education; and Suzanne Wyrick, Math.

Hired for R. C. Andrews Elementary School were: Martha Lunsford, Sci-



In county court, March 5, Ronald Gene Bailey, 39, of Floydada, pled guilty to his March 3 charge of DWI. He was fined \$500.00 plus court costs and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for two years.

Also on March 5, Ramon Trevino, 21, of Floydada, pled guilty to DWI. He was fined \$500.00 plus court costs and sentenced to six months in jail, which was probated for two years.

Trevino also pled guilty to evading arrest and was fined \$500.00 plus court costs. he was also sentenced to six months in jail which was probated for six months.

Have a good week!

Ross has worked at Consumers Fuel for 25 years and is recognized for his outstanding dedication to his customers.

Each year three businesses will be selected to choose an employee who stands out for their contributions to their customers and the community. These employees will be honored at the banquet.

Kenneth Wofford, mayor of Lockney, introduced Jimmy Kemp as the Fireman of the Year and informed the audience of the things that the fire department has accomplished in the last few years.

Kemp has been with the fire department for nine years. He is currently serving as Fire Chief and he holds an EMT (Emergency Medical Technician) certificate.

Bil Anderson called the names of those who have brought in the first loads of wheat, milo, corn and cotton and presented those present with a certificate and a check for fifty dollars. Dwight Teeple delivered the first load of milo to the Lockney Co-op elevator at South Plains; Claude Brown received his check for bringing the first load of corn at the Lockney Co-op; C.L. Henderson delivered the first load of wheat to the Muncy Elevator and Melvin Bradley ginned the first bale of cotton at D&J Gin.

In recognizing Judy Jackson as the Citizen of the Year Hallmark told the audience of her accomplishments.

"She was born and reared in Lockney and has been active in school and the community all of her life. She participated in many activities in high school including singing in the Starlighters Quartet all through school. She re-

tions Committee and Old Fashioned Saturday.

She is a member of the First United Methodist Church and of the Il Penseroso Study Club.

She has had a hand in making many events a sucess and the word "no" is not in her vocabulary."

The entertainment for the evening was led off by the acrobatics of Sherry's Flying Angels. The stage was filled with gymnasts doing cartwheels, flip flops, bend-overs and other routines to music. Seniors at Lockney High School, Jimmie Bradley, Jessica Lemons, Ignacio Luna and Kyla Zumwalt, sang several songs. They were followed by the Athena Study Club with a Hee Haw skit featuring jokes on local folks.

Miss Floyd County, Spring Lipham, took to the stage and did several songs. She was followed by the Il Penseroso Study Club and their game show skit. Several characters paraded up on stage and the contestants had to guess who they were from the hints that were given.

The singing group Harmony brought the night to a close. Members of the local group are Zelda Ellison, Phil Cotham, Lisa Mosley, Travis Thornton and Amy Thornton.

The benediction was given by the Rev. Gabriel Ortiz.

The meal was prepared by the ladies of the Lockney school cafeteria and served by members of the National Honor Society and the Student Council. Greeting guests were Miss Floyd County Spring Lipham, Miss Lake Mackenzie Jennifer Fortenberry, Miss Teen Tarrant County Mary Lindsey Poole, Junior Miss Floyd County Allison Mangold, Little Miss Floyd County Ruth Ann Vasquez and Tiny Miss Floyd County Meghan Graham.

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The council suggested that Charles make a decision to serve either those under 18 or those over 18 and arrange his business and hours accordingly. They agreed to look into combining the three exisiting older ordinances and writing a new ordinance to deal with business of this nature in Lockney at the

present. Motion by Fortenberry with a second by Aston tabled the discussion for the present time. Vote was unanimously in favor.

Wofford told Charles, "We appreciate what you are trying to do for the youth of Lockney and we will try to work with



LOCKNEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OFFICERS--Serving as officers for the 1992-93 Lockney Chamber of Commerce are (I-r) W.H. Hallmark, president; Tina Graves, treasurer; Karen Hooten, secretary; and Charles **Staff Photo** McQuahe, vice-president.

OTHER MATTERS

The council approved the minutes of the previous meeting and authorized the payment of monthly bills. The budget was amended to allow for the purchase of caliche for the alleys and gas for the ambulance.

The council briefly discussed the implications of coming state regulations concerning fire marshals and local building inspections. "If regular inspec-

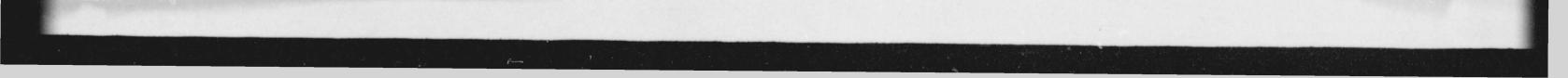
the Hesperian-Beacon reporter.

MARCH9 SESSION

Meeting in called session on Monday, March 9, the council heard additional information concerning the proposed lighting for the new baseball field at the city owned park. The cost was estimated at approximately \$5,000.00 by Danny Lambert. The council opted to share the cost with the baseball program, paying \$2,500.00 from city funds.



Have a nice day! FORD



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MEMBERS OF THE '55 TEAM - Edd Henderson Jr. (left) presents Whirlwind caps to Melvin Terrell, Laron Fulton and J. E. Waller, all members of the last Floydada Baseball team in 1955. Terrell had the honor of tossing out the first pitch to begin the Floydada-Wilson game on March 6. This was the first home game played by Floydada baseballers in 37 years. -Staff Photo

Whirlwinds bag initial baseball victory

By Bill Gray

The Floydada Whirlwinds posted their first baseball victory of the season as they outlasted the Wilson Mustangs 18-13 at the Floydada Diamond on March 6. The game was shortened to five innings due to darkness, but the 'Winds are credited with the win.

It was Floydada's first win on a baseball field in 37 years. The 'Winds haven't had losing teams for those four decades - there has been no Floydada High School baseball during that period. In pre-game ceremonies, Booster Club president Bobby Gilliland announced the names of 1955's team the last squad to represent Floydada under the coaching of the late Preston Watson. Those team members included Jack Womack, Stan Vickers, Cloyd Stephens, Glad Norman, Gordon Joiner, Kent Covington, George Chapman, Bobby Carmack, Melvin Terrell. Stanley Burleson, Laron Fulton, Kenneth Robertson, Don Sparks, Charles Viney, Larry White and J.E. Waller.

Waller, Terrell and Fulton attended the ceremonies, and were called to home plate where recognition was given as being part of Floydada's last baseball club in 1955. Ed Henderson Jr. presented each with a Whirlwind cap to commemorate the occasion. Melvin Terrell was selected to throw out the first pitch — and baseball was again a part of the Floydada athletic program.

In the 16-1 season-opening loss to Lubbock Christian on March 2, the 'Winds managed only one base hit and scored the single run on a stolen base. In Friday's contest Wilson scored with a run in the top of the first, but Floydada answered with two runs for a short-lived lead. The visitors countered with four runs in the second stanza, but the Whirl-

wind offense got untracked in the bottom of the inning.

Floydada rallied with eight big ones in the home half of the second to regain the lead 10-5, a lead they were not to relinquish. After Whirlwind starting pitcher Billy Villarreal was replaced by junior Micheal Gilliland, "Gill" pitched two innings and was credited with the win. Sophomore Brandon Gilliland pitched the final two innings in relief, and got the "save." The Whirlwinds take their 1-1 record to Ralls on March 10, and return home for a 4:00 p.m. contest against Hedley on March 13.

LINE SCORE

Wilson 144 04 - 13 3 6 281 43 - 18 11 6 Floydada

BILL'S NOTES

The team's first victory should be a confidence-booster to the youngsters. Both squads made some major mistakes, but the Whirlwind bats came alive with the 11-hit barrage. Coach Webster knows it will take a lot of skill and patience in training and retraining his young charges in good baseball mechanics. The coach was "very pleased with Billy V.'s performance.'

"Villarreal was 4 for 5 hitting, scored 5 runs and stole four bases," stated Webster. The coach added, "Johnny Eguia went 3 for 4, scored three times, had 3 RBIs, and stole a base. David Johnston was 3 for 3 and scored twice. Although he went hitless, Gabriel DeLaFuente scored three runs and stole three bases. It was also encouraging to see Brandon Gilliland pitch some pretty solid ball.'

The coach also expressed his appreciation for the large, enthusiastic crowd -- "it really helped to have that kind of fan support."

The youthful 'Winds are working hard and giving a good effort. They have a long way to go, but by district play they'll be very competitive. There will come a time, in the not-too-distant future, that it will be difficult to remember where Floydada didn't have baseball.

KUDOS certainly are in order for the City of Floydada and the school system in their combined effort to bring baseball back to Whirlwind Country!

'Winds take second in Whirlwind Relays

By Bill Gray

The Tulia Hornets edged host Floydada in overall points 166-151 to capture the 3A Boys' team championship of the annual Whirlwind Relays on March 7. Muleshoe placed third in the team standings with 117 points, followed by Friona (79) and Dimmitt (19).

Floydada's Lady 'Winds deadlocked with Muleshoe at 172 points to pace the 3A Girls' division. Third place tallied 148, followed by Friona, which had 56 total points.

In the boys' field events, Whirlwind Kenneth Davis had a 20'4-1/2" long jump effort to finish second behind Tulia's Corey Sanders. Floydada's Joey Enriquez placed sixth in the high jump at 5'8", and Jason Pyle's 11'6" height was good for second in the pole vault.

Floydada's shot put duo of junior Scott Crader and sophomore Adam Gonzales were 1-2 in the event with tosses of 49'5" and 49'3-1/2", respectively. Tulia's Tyson Willis won the discus with a throw of 145'4", but Gonzales (143'10") and Crader (143'7") were close behind at second and third.

Michael Henderson had an outstanding meet. The Whirlwind junior won the

besting Muleshoe's Robert Freeman by one and one-half inches. Henderson also won the 100 meter dash with a fine 10.75 and the 200 meter hurdles with a 22.93. He also anchored the winning 400 meter relay. Other 'Winds on the winning sprint relay team were Billy Villarreal, Kenneth Davis and J.R. Quilantan.

Davis was runner-up in the long jump with a 20'4-1/2" effort, and Quilantan placed sixth with a 19'1-1/2" jump. In other running events, Kenneth Davis ran a strong second in the 400 meters with a 54.42 timing, and Victor Mendoza's 2:46.89 clocking in the 800 meters earned him sixth place. Jackie Alaniz ran a fourth with a time of 5:04.79 in the 1600 meter (the metric mile), and placed fourth in the 3200 meters with a time of 11:01.23.

The Whirlwinds' 1600 meter relay team of Jonathan Simpson, Josh Thayer, Joey Enriquez and Jason Pyle finished fourth in the event. Pyle placed third in the 110 meter hurdles with a 16.12 timing, and Simpson (17.08) and Thayer (17.21) finished fifth and sixth in the event. Pyle also grabbed second place in the 300 meter hurdles, with Simpson finishing fifth.

The Lady 'Winds had a strong show-

year. 1991 State qualifier Tian Younger took up where she left off last Spring as the talented Floydada junior won her specialties - the 100 meter hurdles in 17.52 and the 300 hurdles by a large margin over Muleshoe's Kelly, 49.96 to 52.27. Tian anchored the winning 1600 meter relay team, which included Elisa Suarez, Pepper Hinkle and Lezlie Warren, in a 4:31.90 time over Tulia's 4:34.67.

The Lady 'Winds' 400 and 800 meter relay teams, consisting of Crystal Sanders, Kayla and Shayla Turner, and Elisa Suarez were runners-up in both events to Tulia's outstanding sprint relay squads. Candy Smith, Tulia's All-State basketballer and 1991 state track qualifier, won the 200 meter dash. However, Kayla and Shayla Turner finished second and third for the Lady 'Winds with 28.43 and 28.50 times, respectively.

Floydada's Pepper Hinkle placed first in the high jump with a 4'8" effort, and Viola Hernandez captured second place in the metric mile (1600 meters) with a respectable 6:26.10 clocking. Hernandez blazed to victory in the 3200 meters by a full thirty seconds as she bested Muleshoe's Mendoza 14:24.44 to 14:54.42. Lezlie Warren finished third

Floydada dismissing early Friday

Floydada schools will dismiss classes at 1:00 p.m. Friday, March 13, for staff development. The week of March 15-21 is Spring Break, so classes will resume at regular hours on Monday, March 23.



By Katharine Davis The first senior of the week is Lesha Black, daughter of Nat and Beverly Collins. She has two brothers, Michael and Lamont, and one sister, Tamara. Lesha loves school and is very in-



RIBBON WINNING FORM - Floydada sophomore Adam Gonzales releases the discus in what proved to be a second place finish in the Whirlwind Relays on March 7. Teammate Scott Crader finished third in the event. Crader and

ing in their first major track meet of the



WINNING STRIDE - Lady 'Wind junior Tian Younger breaks the tape on the anchor lap of the 1600 relay at the Whirlwind Relays on March 7. Younger victories in the 100 and 300 hurdles helped propel the young women into a tie -Staff Photo with Muleshoe for the 3A girl's team championship.

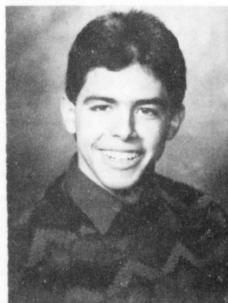
Billy Villarreal awarded scholarship to Texas A&M

Floydada High School, received the President's Achievement Award Scholarship from Texas A&M University in the amount of \$10,000. This prestigious award is payable in annual stipends of \$2,500 for four years of undergraduate study at A&M, where Villarreal plans to

APPLE OF OUR EYE - Second grade teacher Phyllis Smith is this week's Apple of Our Eye at A. B. Duncan Elementary School. She has been teaching for 22 years, 16 in - Staff Photo Floydada.

Billy J. Villarreal Jr., senior at attend and major in pre-med with intentions of finishing out at A&M School of Medicine so he can fulfill his lifelong aspiration of becoming a doctor.

> This scholarship was awarded to him on his academic accomplishments throughout high school. He has maintained an A+ average throughout high school and is taking advanced courses this year. He could possibly be eligible for more scholarships or grants, should he further prove himself academically at Texas A&M.



BILLY J. VILLARREAL JR.

and Maria Ovedia garnered sixth in the 800 meter run, won by Sandy Green of Muleshoe.

Lady 'Winds freshman Danika Dudley ran a strong fourth in the 400 meter dash, and gave an indication of Floydada's strength of underclassmen for the coming years. Junior Zora Woody tossed the discus 90'5" for second place and registered a third in the shot put with a throw of 29'3". Emily Parks placed fourth in the discus with a 80'7-1/2" effort and was sixth in shot put with a 28'0" toss.

Crystal Sanders continued the trend of Floydada underclassmen placing well in the meet as the sophomore registered a 15'10-1/2" long jump to win first in the event by six and one-half inches. Sanders also placed third in the triple jump at 30'1". Freshman Shayla Turner had a respectable fourth place finish with a jump of 29'2-1/2".

BILL'S NOTES

Floydada's boys' and girls' track squads appear to have a lot going this year. Junior Tian Younger, a state qualifier in 1991, improves with every outing. If ever there was a "lock-in" for a state berth, this young lady is it . . . in the 100 and 300 hurdles.

The Hinkle twins are exciting, as is Zora Woody in her specialties of discus and shot put. Viola Hernandez is approaching state quality times in the 2-mile (3200 meters), and the Lady 'Winds' 1600 meter relay team should be a real contender at the district level as well as regionals.

The Whirlwind boys have equally impressive people in individual as well as team events ... and again it will come from some of the outstanding underclassmen.

Michael Henderson has already established himself as one of the premier springers in the district (Henderson ran a 10.75 100 meters last Saturday at Floydada while Littlefield's Trevor Blair was posting a 10.78 at the Roosevelt Relays. It will be a classic match when these two face each other in the 2-3A District meet later in the Spring.

The same can be said for the Whirlwinds' shot put and discus entrants, Scott Crader and Adam Gonzales. Both have the potential to advance to the regional and state levels and they well could be 1-2 in the shot put going to regionals.

Floydada's 400 relay team is equally exciting, and will be a strong contender at the district level. It won't take a whole lot more to put this foursome into regional-level qualifications.

There are definitely some "sleepers" in both Floydada track squads. The girls could go to region in the 1600 relays, the 3200, and the 800 relays. The boys could have some state qualifiers, particularly in the shot put, 100 meters, 200 meters, and 400 relays. Tian's going to Austin again, folks ... how many of you want to join her?

volved in sports. She has been on the basketball team all four years and was named the Offensive Player for 1990-91. She ran cross country for three years. She was on the mile relay team in track which made it to regionals in 1991. Her favorite class in school is psychology and she wishes there were more classes at school like it.

The person she most admires and would like to meet is Michael Jordan. She enjoys watching him play basketball.

Lesha also likes watching "A Different World" and reading "Nancy". Her favorite movies are "Ghost" and "Beaches".

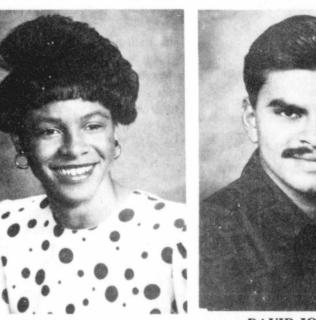
Lesha plans to attend San Angelo and major in physical education and minor in psychology. She hopes to find the "right guy" and get married someday.

The next senior is David Johnston, son of Jesus and Aurora Johnston. His siblings are Daniel, Aaron and Jessica.

David is a very active student and leader at F.H.S. During his junior year, he was class president and captain of the Pep Squad.

This year, as Senior Class President, David dedicates a great deal of time to helping the school. He is also a member of the Pep Squad so he attended most of the football games and encouraged fellow classmates on to victories. He plays center field on the baseball tam.

Gonzales were 1-2 in the Shot-put with throws of 49' 5" and 49' 3 1/2", respectively. -Staff Photo



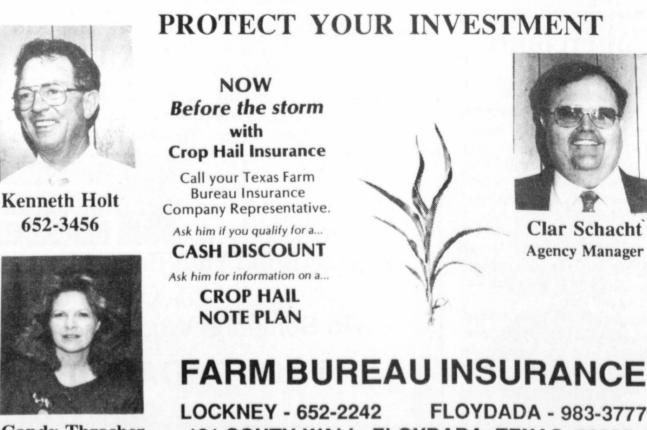
LESHA BLACK

In his free time, David likes to listen to Ice-T and play the bass. He loves to watch "Cheers". He also likes the movie "Beaches", the book Great Expectations, and the color blue.

David's future plans are to attend Texas Tech and major in Accounting. He hopes to get married and have a family someday.

Lesha and David are both spectacular leaders at F.H.S. God bless them both in everything they do.





Candy Thrasher

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WOODWORK WINNERS-Floydada High School VOCT woodworking class members have qualified to compete at the state level with their woodwork projects. All projects that were entered in the District level were awarded first place. Displaying some of the winning projects are (I-r) Eddie Hernandez, George Garcia, Victor Trevino and Luis Gomez, all of Floydada; Ramon Padilla and Shane Hooten, of Lockney, and Mr. Dale Smith, instructor. Not pictured are Alberto Lopez, LeRoy Martinez and Eddy Machado of Floydada and James Hernandez of Lockney. -Staff photo

Spring Lipham earns trip in REA speech contest

tion Youth Tour Speech Contest, sponsored by Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc., was held at the Lighthouse headquarters in Floydada. Winners this year were Christy Potts of Motley County High School and Spring Lipham of Floydada High School.

Spring is the daughter of Julian and Joyce Lipham of Floydada, and is a 17year-old junior at Floydada High School.

These two girls will be participating in the June 4-16 Youth Tour to Washington, D.C., along with winners from other electric cooperatives from across Texas. They will depart from Lewisville, Texas, on June 4 by bus for the trip to Washington, where they will tour the Capitol, visit the White House, historic monuments, museums, and government buildings, see the House of Representatives and Senate in session, visit their Congressman, and participate in a wreath laving ceremony at the Tombs of the Unknown Soldiers in Arlington Cemetery.

The idea of sending young people to Washington was originated by the late President Lyndon Johnson in the early

The 28th annual Government-in-Ac- 1950's, when as a Senator, he selected outstanding young people and offered them the opportunity to visit Washington and see their government in action. The present format of selecting winners from electric cooperatives to participate in the Youth Tour to Washington was begun in 1965. Over the past 27 years, Lighthouse has sponsored 56 students



SPRING LIPHAM

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FHA-HERO DELEGATES ATTEND REGIONAL MEETING - Attending the regional meeting at Tascosa High School in Amarillo last month were (left to right) Blue Bonnet member Debbie Draper, Red Rose Chapter secretary Priscilla Herrera and Blue Bonnet Chapter song leader and sergeant at arms Stacy McHam. Not pictured was Julie Johnston, Blue Bonnet secretary and treasurer who also attended. Workshops included date rape prevention and the extended family. Background shows quilt blocks made in sewing class. Joyce Williams is the class advisor. -- Staff Photo

Local karate students vie in tourney

Floydada karate students participated in the Lone Star Karate Tournament at Reese Air Force Base. Those placing were:

Sparring

- 8 year old intermediate, Tye Stewart, 3rd 14 year old intermeidate, Cody Ward, 2nd
- Jr. Black Belt, Shane Derryberry, 3rd Men's Black Belt, Sharkey LeCroy, 2nd 1st

Forms 16 year old intermediate, Melanie 3rd LeCroy, 2nd

Jr. Black Belt, Shane Derryberry, 3rd LeCroy, 3rd

The group also participated in the Lubbock Karate's 4th Annual AKBBA Tournament at Wolfforth. Those plac-

Sparring

- 8 year old beginner, Mandy Holbert, 1st
- 16 year old advanced, Melanie LeCroy, 2nd
- 11 year old advanced, Raul Romero,

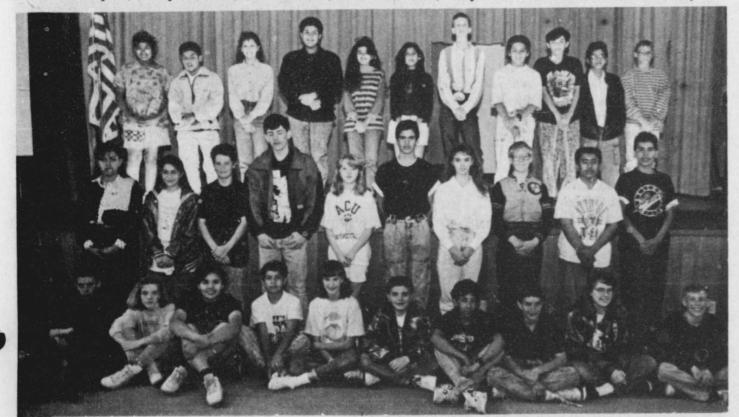
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- 14 year old intermediate, Cody Ward,
- 16 year old advanced, Melanie

ing were:

8TH GRADE HONOR ROLL - Eighth grade honor roll listings this six-weeks at FJHS included: All A (front row, left to right) Zach Abshier, Jennifer Bramlet, Lacy Golightly, Neal Nelson, Tale'a Owens, Tim Rando, Alex Vallejo, Jodie Villarreal, David Watson and Amber Womack; A-B (2nd row) Anthony Muniz, Priscilla Peralez, Missy Pernell, Richard Powell, Lyndi Probasco, Hilda Rodriguez, Mary Salazar, Joe Sanchez, Joe

Ysasaga; (third row) Demencio Lopez, Maricella Lucio, Eric Luna, Robert Luna, Rebecca Luna, Frankie Maldonado, Tammy Martinez, Dana McCandless, Margarit Medrano, Michael Mercado, Michael Molinar; (back row) Rance Barnett, Arnulfo Cervera, Lina DeLeon, Shane Derryberry, Christy DuBois, Anthony Emert, Melissa Fowler, Amanda Garcia, Chad Guthrie, Jason Harrison, Mary Ellen Hernandez and Kacie Lackey.



7TH GRADE HONOR ROLL - Seventh graders at FJHS honored this grading period included: All A (front row, left to right) Monty Anderson, Laci Christian, Tammy Cisneros, Omar Eguia, Christy Hale, Chad Harmon, Carlos Hernandez, Chad Hinkle, Kaci Keltz, Will Warren (not pictured were Chad Benjamin and Stacey Lloyd); A-B Honor Roll (2nd row) Erika Martinez, Lydia

Mendoza, Jerry Beyers, Ben Outlaw, Dustin Owens, Alycia Porter, Anthony Robles, Peppre Selman, Matthew St. Germaine, Marcos Torrez, Jacob Guzman; (back row) Audrey Aguilar, Tomas Barrientos, Kelli Bertrand, Jesse Cabello, James Castillo, Jessica Charles, Todd Cocanougher, Nichole Coronado, Chris Enriquez, Miguel Gomez, Vicente Guzman and Todd Hinsley. -- Staff Photo

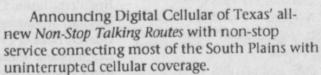


JR. HIGH V.E.H. METAL TRADE-Floydada Junior High V.E.H. Metal Trade students entered their projects at the District 3 VOCT contest at Tulia High School. Displaying their projects are (I-r) Balentine Riojas, threeshelf corner table; Reynaldo Martinez, two-shelf corner

stand; Raymond Mendez, stacked table; Mr. Al Galloway, instructor; and Johnny Joe Martinez, seat. Other students who entered projects, but are not pictured, were Francisco Ahumada, study stand, and Dewayne Weir, table. -Staff photo

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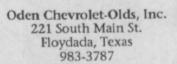
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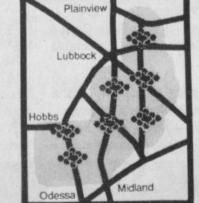
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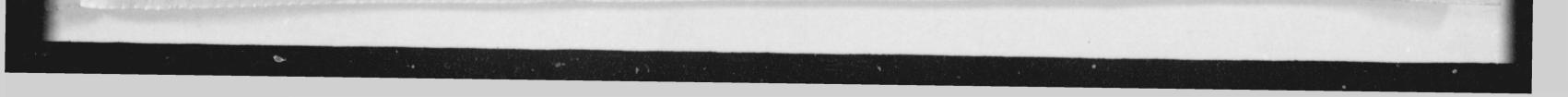




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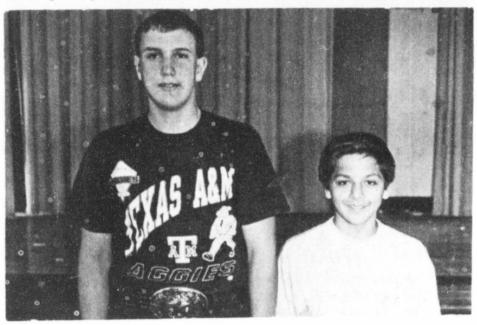
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DESIGN AN AD WINNER-Fabian Falcon (left) and his teacher, Mrs. Gail Hale display the ad that won Fabian a 3rd place in the Design An Ad contest, sponsored by the Amarillo Globe-News. Falcon, a fifth grader at R.C. Andrews Elementary, designed an ad for United Supermarkets. The entire school was able to participate in the event, which was an area-wide contest. -Staff photo



MAR CH STUDENTS OF THE MONTH - David Watson and Chris Enriquez (left to right) were the Students of the Month for March at Floydada Junior High - Staff Photo School.

Duncan Elementary Honor Roll

4TH SIX WEEKS 1ST GRADE

1-A "A" — Dustin Covington, Jamie Johnston, Brady Rainwater Laura Reddy, Holly Wiles

Aguilar, Jeremy Duran 1-B

2-D "A" - Brenna Dawdy, Corey Hurt, Joanna Johnston, Scott Nixon, Saman-

tha Santos, Tara Williams "A" Average - Cris Childers, Michael Eubanks, Lee Roy Garza, Jessie "A" Average - Juan Alaniz, Josh Lee Guzman, Christopher Herrera,

R. C. Andrews Honor Roll

4TH SIX WEEKS GRADE4

Straight "A" - Heather Carr, Erin Dawdy, Mandy Emert, Kember Everett, Veronica Galvan, Felicia Garcia, Tara Gilly, Nichole Hartline, Tiffany Henderson, Kalli Hopper, Dustin Jones, Shane Lloyd, Jeffrey Lyles, Erika Miller, Lindsey Owens, Jimmy Parks, Maria Rangel, Kylan Sanders, Na'Lyn Simpson, Shannan Smith, Ty Terrell, Josh Tipton, Tiffany Trujillo

"A" Average - Dusty Anderson, Jody Bueno, Jessica Cisneros, Jessica Coronado, Gracie de la Fuente, Analisa Enriquez, April Lopez, Laci Martinez, Justin McGuire, Resa Mercado, Veronica Morales, Christine Pesina, David Rainwater, Lindsey Reddy

"B" Average - Shannon Bailey, Breanna Burge, Kocrist Burks, Daniel Cervera, Daisy Charles, Cynthia Chavez, Nancy Chavez, Maribel Cuellar, Artemio Diaz, Randi Duke, K.C. Graves, Candice Herrera, Jessica Johnston, Nora Lira, Nicky Longoria, Gabriel Mendoza, J.R. Mercado, Scott Miller, Crystal Milliken, J.J. Morales, Alex Pait, Leslie Perez, Mark Romero, Marivel Saldana, Ruth Vasquez, Amanda Williams, Karen Wyrick, Deborah Ysasaga, Lucinda Guzman

GRADE 5

Straight "A" - Anna Campbell, Carissa Coursey, Victoria Cummings, Zan Daniels, Dusty Duke, John Dunavant, Amanda Green, Kyle Keltz, Royanne Mercado, Nikki Meyers, Monica Morales, Reagan Pernell, Angie Rodriguez, Oscar Sanchez, Katie Sanders, Meredith Schacht, Shonda Smith, Cody Stovall, Chad Turner, Dea Watson, Dane Sanders

"A" Average — Amber Arney, Ruben Barrientoz, Ivan Cervera, Jordan Chaparro, Mary Jane Cisneros, Rita Coronado, Roni Emert, Fabian Falcon, Oscar Garza, Ross James, Mark Lucio, Micah Marble, Lance McHam, Melanie Phillips, Karen Resio, Chris Reeves, Paul Ross, Jennifer Segura, Mandi Yeary

"B" Average - David Bishop, Michael Black, Becky Briones, Tamisha Burks, Chris Butler, Elena Chairez, Carmela Chavarria, Ricardo Chavez,



MARCH 9 DUNCAN STARS-Duncan Stars for the week of March 9 were (front row, r-l) Faustino Chairez, Jonathan Luna, Naida Lira, Lydia Vitela, Joel Sanchez, Mike Garza, Erica Williams, Ashley Norrell; (center row, r-I) David Rodriguez, Christopher Hernandez, Kristie

Reyes, Chase Tipton, Amanda Rendon, Esmeralda Torres, Jennifer Ashley, Tina Martinez, Benny Terrell; (back row, r-l) Samantha Santos, Jonathan Martinez, Rudy Trevino, Rowdy Derryberry, Tyrel Fuller, Erika Eguia, -Staff photo Sara DeHoyos, Cecilia Peralez.



MARCH 2 DUNCAN STARS - Pictured right to left are the March 2 Duncan Stars: (front row) Armando Chavarria, Luis Lopez, Adrianna Gonzales, Chris Longoria, Jessica Rodriguez, Daniel Ochoa, Marisela Peralez; (middle row) Scotty Gilbert, Michael Rea, Abelina Vasquez, Sonia Delgado, Scott Nixon, Jurahee Jones,

out. Together, we can produce success-

We are excited as always about the

many positive opportunities that we

have with our kids. Once again let me

thank you, the parents, for all of the help

we get from you. We think you are the

Skills: Identify and name - Types of

transportation, four basic food groups;

sequencing, time of day; fine motor,

scissor skills; cognition, learns about

Activities: St. Patrick's Day and

Skills: Language Arts - Dictating

experiences, describing colors, length,

width; Motor development - gross and

fine motor skills; Social emotional -

personal hygiene, expressing feelings

and emotions; Math, Social Studies,

Science - Review counting, numbers,

needs vs. wants, water; Time Arts -

Review - Cutting, glueing, theater arts

through puppets, music, clay and ma-

nipulatives; General Knowledge -

Easter things in sky, circus, calendar,

Activities: All skills will be presented

and taught through children's literature,

time; social, learns about the family

Easter holiday; Spring things

PRE-KINDERGARTEN

4-YEAR-OLD

shapes and colors

Bobbie and Duncan

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EARLY EDUCATION

greatest.

Stella Suarez, Matthew Rainwater; (back row) Elizabeth Rodriguez, Vanessa Garcia, Jessica Diaz, Shawnda Owens, Navidad Rosa, Tamara Black and Roger Mendoza. Not pictured are Suelema Saldana, Albaro Chavez, Raphael Eguia, Jessica Garza, and Sylvia Mancilla. - Staff Photo



"A" - Cody Leeson, Tyler Helms, Chelsea Kirk, Tracy Ramirez

"A" Average - Andrew Arvizu, Annabell Baltierro, Kimberly Green, Jason Henderson

1-C

"A" — Madison Becker, Ragan Beedy, Joshua Galvan, Jessica Rodriquez, Kellen Wyrick, Victor Yannis "A" Average - Ruddy Castaneda, Dustin Griggs, Brooke Hayes, Ahsley Norrell

1-D

"A" - Lewis Fawver, Vanessa Luera, Amanda McHam, Margo Morin, Kayla Stovall, Elisha Crosby

"A" Average — Junior Hernandez, Chase Mitchell, Daniel Ochoa, David Rodriguez, Maggie Vick

1-E

"A" - Janna Szydloski, Chase Tipton, Kristie Reyes

"A" Average - Marlena Garcia, Marisela Peralez, Tosha Veld, Johnny Joe Garcia, Tiffany Davis, Delia Hernandez

2ND GRADE

2-A

"A" --- Chris Hartline, Stephen Mendoza, Amanda Rendon, Rebecca Warren, Lindsey Whitten, Brad Yeary

"A" Average — Jessica Gilly, Crystal Ledbetter, Laura Rocha, Esmeralda Torres

2-B

"A" — Jessica Castaneda, Trisha Coursey, Laura Miller, Justin Reeves "A" Average - Allen Arvizu, Rocky

Reyes, Abby Sanders, Abelina Vasquez

Zane Logan, Anthony Suarez 2-E

"A" - Marisa Barrientos, Erica Diaz, Ashley Hale, Jurahee Jones, Van Jones, Jonathan Martinez, Nicholas Hadderton, Heather Ware, Amado Morales "A" Average - Bambi Cochran, Melody Eubanks, Cleto Guzman, Ashley Martinez

3RD GRADE 3-A

"A" - Amanda Barnett, Mandy Holbert, Lana McCandless "A" Average - Shanta Ledbetter, Jessica Luera, April Molinar, Christy Ortiz, Matthew Rainwater

3-B "A" — Tasha Clemmons, Cindy DuBois, Sylvia Nunez, Marcos Valadez "A" Average - Erika Delgado, Rowdy Derryberry, Ruben Guzman, Valarie Perry, Andi Probasco, Vanessa Garcia

3-C "A" — Josh Caballero, Brad Cruz "A" Average - Bonnie Dunlap, Tyrel Fuller, Valorie Hartline, Alicia Hinojosa, Shawnda Owens, Cynthia Hernandez, John Daniel Chaparro

3-E "A" --- Cienna Carthel, Sam Holmes, J.J. Medrano, Kelsy Pierce

"A" Average - Nicole Butler, Leon Childers, Jessica Diaz, Victor Juarez, Chance Powell 3-F

"A" — Tamara Black, Clint Fyffe, Jackie Lucio, Erin Ralston, Lisa Smith,

April Warren, Antonio Santos "A" Average — Austin Campbell,

April Fortenberry, Roger Mendoza

Dora de Hoyos, Juan de la Cruz, April Diaz, Tony Diaz, Jamie Dumas, Lupe We are having a great school year so Duran, Jaron Everett, Ty Fawver, Manfar. We are excited about this fifth six uel Fraire, David Garcia, Martin weeks. It is hard to believe that we only Gomez, San Jui Gomez, Rosa Guerrero, have two six weeks left in this school Kristi Gutierrez, Marcelina Guzman, year. We have many essential elements Joe Guzman, Ticen Harper, Toni Herthat our kids have to master this six nandez, Daniel Herrera, Elizabeth Irlas, weeks. Mack Lackey, Keith Ledbetter, Eric We will be doing our NAPT standard-Lopez, Joey Luna, Jonathan Martinez, ized testing in April. Our testing dates Juan Martinez, Benny Mendez, Marcie are April 7-9th. Our kids will need lots Mendoza, Sonya Mendoza, Erbey Moof rest and a good breakfast on the linar, Patrick Odom, James Owens, mornings that we test. I am sure that we Princess Palacio, Tony Powell, Maria can count on you, our parents, to help us

Rea, Jason Reed, Amy Reyes, Caroline Rodriguez, Gabriel Rodriguez, Dianna Romero, Scott Salazar, Esmeralda Saldana, Chris Sanchez, Martin Suarez, Sulema Tamayo, ShaVonne Taylor, Jennifer Trevino, Paul Vallejo

GRADE 6

Straight "A"-Leigh Dawdy, Crystal Driver, Jason Henderson, Jamie McGuire, Jennifer Noland, Mario Nunez, Kyle Pierce, Neisha Simpson "A" Average — Warren Bishop, Amanda Fawver, Lisa Martinez, Tara McCandless, Crystal Meyers, Michael Palacios, Tyson Whittle, Wade Wiles, Ashleigh Williams

"B" Average — Eric Abshier, Blake Bramlett, Jason Campbell, Richard Casillas, Rosantina Cervera, Ubaldo Chavez, Heather Cruz, Elizabeth Cuellar, Stephanie Emert, Monica Galvan, Betty Gomez, Diane Gonzales, April Gourdon, George Guzman, Marty Herrera, Adriana Hill, Dusty Jahay, Teresa Juarez, Abel Lopez, Lisa Lopez, Joe Lucio, Jennifer Luna, Marina Luna, Jessica Maldonado, Derek Martinez, Angie Medrano, Johnny Joe Mendez, Paulo Mendoza, Dane Nichols, Jeannie Ochoa, Adam Perales, Denise Peralez, George Perez, Jamie Reyes, Justin Robinson, Jennifer Rodriguez, Shelby Romero, Ponsiano Rosa, Suzanna Rosa, Jorge Saldana, Tim Simpson, Valerie Taylor, Jacob Thrasher, Shonda Turnbow, Linda Vargas, Shannon Ware, Sherri Williams

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5th Six Weeks

ropes and balance exercise. Exploring feelings through songs, discussion and sharing time. Games, movement to music, puppets and a lot of manipulatives.

Other Comments: Spring fever is here! Spring break will be welcome by the kids and by me. We all need to recharge so that we can finish out the year with a bang!

KINDERGARTEN

Language Arts: Story plot/main idea/ retell story; facts/details; sequence; continue ABC's and blending

Math: Clock, calendar, thermometer; money; addition

Science: Animals; plants

Social Studies: Texas Health: Safety, traffic and pedestrian;

pollution; community helpers FIRST GRADE

Language Arts: Descriptive writing; capitilization; punctuation

Math: Money and place value; 2 digit addition and subtraction

Science: Living and non living Social Studies: Texas; Our county SECOND GRADE

Language Arts: Synonyms/antonyms/homonyms; descriptive writing; sentence structure

Math: Subtraction/addition with regrouping; begin review of all concepts for achievement test

Science: Animals and their habitats; food/nutrition

Social Studies: Texas; Our county (U.S.)

THIRD GRADE

Language Arts: Letter writing; poetry; fact and opinion

Math: Multiplication facts; 2-digit multiplication

Science: Soil; volcanoes and earthquakes

Social Studies: Texas; responsible citizens

SPEECH/LANGUAGE

Early Education and Kindergarten are learning a poem about "My Puppy".

First grade students are studying how to correctly answer "WH" questions. Second and third grade students continue to work on parts of speech. We will be studying adjectives and adverbs.

ARTICULATION Articulation students work on individual errors.

MUSIC

Skills: K-1st - Patriotic and seasonal songs; singing action songs; movement/ music (games); rhythmic activities.

2nd-3rd - Folksongs from America and other countries; seasonal songs; singing games; keyboard instrument activities.

SPECIAL EDUCATION

Math: Multiplication; skip counting, multiples; maintain addition skills; maintain subtraction skills Language Arts: Writing activities; reference materials; capitalization;

punctuation

Kindergarten and First Grade: Ball handling which includes: bouncing, catching, dribbling and underhand and overhead passes. These skills will be used in stations and games once basic skills are learned. The next several weeks will be spent on rhythms and rhythmic activities which will include songs with clapping, tapping or other movement activities incorporating manipulative item like lummi stick, parachute, streamers and etc.

Second and Third Grades: Ball handling which includes: dribbling, passing, catching, pivoting and the use of these skills in drills, as well as the basic lay up shot. Rhythmic activities include simple folk dance routines using lummi sticks, parachutes, panelchutes, etc., to encourage more aerobic benefits.



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FEBRUARY STUDENTS OF THE MONTH - Melissa Enriquez, Raul Ramirez and Cassy Fawver (left to right) were the Floydada Junior High -Staff Photo Students of the Month for February.

picture books and language experiences. Physical exercise with bean bags and large balls, tongs and tweezers,



Lockney Home Ec students tagged at meeting for outstanding skills

and Mandy Hunter of Lockney recently community service project related to and 29. Competitors from all over the region participated in eleven major categories: all-star chapter, all-star project, designing a business, child development, family communications, food service, illustrated talk, job interview, parliamentary procedure, public relations and community service.

of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Ellison; Mandy Hunter, freshman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hunter; and Jennifer Fortenberry, senior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fortenberry, students at Lockney High School, received metals presented at a recognition session honoring all participants during the second general session of the conference. Mandy and Tiffany received a first place medal and Jennifer received a second place medal.

Tiffany Ellison and Mandy Hunter competed in the Little Friends Event. This event encourages members to apply their knowledge of child develop-

participated in the STAR Events recog- children. These projects were evaluated nition program at the Region I Leader- by such criteria as the extent to which ship Meeting of Future Homemakers of the project applied child development America in Amarillo, on February 28 knowledge, the benefits derived by the children, and the quality and clarity of the goals and description of the project. Jennifer Fortenberry competed in Job Interview in the Senior Comprehensive and Technical Home Economics division. This event is designed to allow individuals the opportunity to demonstrate their abilities to complete a job Tiffany Ellison, freshman, daughter application form, participate in an interview, and communicate their personal understanding of and ability to perform home economics related job requirements. By simulating a job interview situation with business and industry person, participants will be acquainted

> procedures. The STAR Events program of Future Homemakers of America is based on the belief that all people can be winners. Competition, evaluation, and recognition all stress cooperation as the basis success. Both youth and adults work

together as managers of the events and

with current employment needs and

Jennifer Fortenberry, Tiffany Ellison, ment in planning and carrying out a as evaluators of the participants. "We saw Peer Pressure a real issue and planned Little Friends to bring it to people's attention." Mandy and Tiffany said, "In addition working with our little friends, was fun." Jennifer felt that job interview was very realistic and she

> gained knowledge in job application. Their chapter advisor is Trenna Aston and Julie Ellison.

Future Homemakers of America is a national vocational student organization and has involved over eight million youth since its founding in 1945. It is the only in-school student organization with the family as its central focus and is unique among youth organizations because its programs are planned and run by members.

Through its programs, the organization helps today's young men and women prepare for multiple rules as wage earners, community leaders, and caring family members. Participation in national projects and chapter activities helps members develop "skills for life"-planning, goal settings, decision making, and interpersonal communication-necessary both in the home and workplace.



THREE PARTICIPATE IN LEADERSHIP MEET ---Mandy Hunter, Jennifer Fortenberry and Tiffany Ellison participated in the STAR Events Recognition Program at the Region I Leadership Meeting of Future Homemakers of America held in Amarillo recently. Each received a medal at a recognition session honoring the participants. The students are members of the FHA organization at Lockney High School. **Staff Photo**

Lockney FHA chapter is recognized as a **Champions Chapter by Texas Association**

The Lockney Chapter of Region I, Future Homemakers of America has been recognized by the Texas Association as a Champions Chapter. To become a Champions Chapter, the local organization must increase membership, affiliate 100% of the students in a home economics class, affiliate 100 or more new members, affiliate as a new chapter in another school or program. The Lockney Chapter became a Champions Chapter by increasing membership. The president of the Lockney Chapter is Jennifer Fortenberry and the advisors are Julie Ellison and Treena Aston.

Future Homemakers of America is a national vocational student organization for vocational home economics education students with the "family" as its central focus. It is unique among youth organizations because programs are planned and conducted by its student life"-decision making, and interper-

members develop those "skills of sonal skills necessary in the work place and the home.

Lockney varsity tracksters compete in Whirlwind Relays

teams traveled to Floydada last Saturday and participated in the Whirlwind Relays. The girls team came home with 66 points which gave them 4th place. The boys team placed 5th with a total of 69 points.

GIRLS VARSITY

800 relay - 1st, Michelle Delgado, Nicole McDonald, Danielle McDonald and Lisa Vargas, 1:57.36.

Discus - 1st, LaDonna Butler, 109'3". 200 meter run - 2nd - Danielle McDonald.

Shot Put - 2nd, Shawn Hill, 43'4 1/2". 400 Relay - 3rd, 47.40. Discus - 1st Shawn Hill, 143'4";

3200 meter run - 1st Michelle

Delgado, 13:33.76.

BOYS VARSITY

Carlos Raissez, 120'2". Triple Jump - 6th, Vargas, 34'8".

400 Yard Dash - 6th, Mikhael Durham, 58.93.

800 Meter Run Perez, 2:11.39; Gutierrez, 2:23.45.

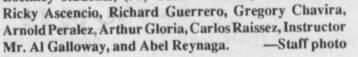
300 Hurdles - 3rd, Brandon Teal, 46.67.

METAL TRADES COOP-FHS Metal Trades Coop competed at the District 3 VOCT contest at Tulia High

ribbons. Pictured with some of the winning projects are Lockney students, (I-r) Oscar Palomin, Paul Raissez,

The Lockney girls and boys varsity

School. All projects receiving 1st place became eligible to compete in the state meet in Arlington on April 24 and 25. Floydada entered 23 projects with 19 earning first place



members. The youth centered leadership helps

1600 meter run - 1st, Michelle Delgado, 6.09.

100 Yard Dash - Phineas Riddley, 11.94; Juan Vasquez, 12.72.



HEADED FOR STATE AGAIN--Michelle Delgado placed 1st in the three events she was entered in at the Whirlwind Relays held Saturday, March 7 in Floydada. Delgado placed 1st in the 1600 meter run, the 3200 meter run and **Staff Photo** as a member of the 800 yard relay team.

Lockney Junior High School Honor Roll

4TH SIX WEEKS 6th Grade

"A" Stacy Bigham, Rodolfo Cervantes, Adam Cummings, Jessica DeLeon, Jeff Kleypas, Ryon Smith, Callie Wilson "R"

Pepper Billington, Leslianne Hickerson, Wesley Hunter, Simon Martinez, Gretchen Ouebe, Jeremy Rodriquez, Bloisa Solis, Michael Vargas, Natalie Vasquez, Bradley Veal, Rita Mann Wiley

7th Grade

"A" Kaci Mathis, Tim Mitchell, Johnnie Mosley

"B"

Amy Anderson, Dale Baeza, Kelli

Clark, Mandy Galloway, Anthony Gonzales, Dewayne Jones, Janet Jones, Corbin Kellison, Geraldo Luna, Allison Mangold, Michael Mondragon, Joe Tambunga

8th Grade

"A" Randi Jo Henderson, Brady Marr, Cynthia Martin, Angela Hall "B"

Matilda Banda, Rowdy Boggs, Tamarah Burson, Marissa Comancho, Federico Cervantes, Jared Clark, Nicole Emert, Lee Ann Gallaway, Cody Hayes, Carlos Perales, Lisa Perez, Saundra Pyle, Michael Reynaga, Josh Robnett, Tikka Smith, Leigh Wood

Have a good week!

Lockney wins season opener in five innings

The first game of the 1992 baseball season ended in a win for the Lockney Longhorns after five innings of play. Lockney played Tahoka on Friday March 6th and the score at the end of the five innings stood at 20-6.

Leo Vargas pitched the first three innings. He struck out five players, walked two and had two pitches hit.

Alfred Martinez pitched two innings. He struck out four batters and had one ball hit.

Juan Vargas hit 3 out of 4 times at bat, 4 RBI's with 3 runs scoring.

Jared Mosley hit 2 out of 5 times at bat, 2 RBI's with 2 runs scoring.

Leo Vargas hit 2 out of 3 times at bat, 1 RBI with 1 run scoring.

Alfred Martinez hit 2 out of 5 times.

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STUDENTS OF THE MONTH - Announced recently as the February Students of the Month at Lockney Junior High School were: (back row, left to right) Corny Garcia, Tamarah Burson, Lorraine Banda, Allison Mangold, Amy Anderson, Gloria Torrez, Melissa Sepulveda, Jimmy Owens; (front row) Pamela Grimaldo, Kory Harrison, David Hernandez, Miguel Guerrero and Corey Lemons. Tamarah Burson was designated as the Shorthorn of the Month and received a Coleman sleeping bag donated by Clark Pharmacy, three movie rentals from Lee's Home and Auto and a small pizza from Main Street Pizza. Pamela Grimaldo had a perfect attendance record and was awarded a camera donated by Lockney Insurance Agency as a reward for her diligence. -Staff Photo

Understanding newborn cries

You take your new baby home and all he seems to do while he's awake is cry. A crying baby can be upsetting to new parents, leading them to feel helpless.

However, fussy crying periods are normal for new babies. In fact, during the first week of life, a perfectly normal baby will often spend half his waking time crying. This is because it usually takes an infant six to 10 weeks to develop his own regular 24-hour schedule, according to Lauri Dalrymple, R.N., parent educator.

According to Dalrymple, the different types of crying include the following:

* A Hunger Cry. This type of crying pattern is usually rhythmical; the baby cries, pauses, and then cries again.

* A Fussy Cry. A whiny, nasal, continuous cry may signal that your baby is about to have a bowel movement, that he is sick or that he is uncomfortable because of a wet or dirty diaper. A fussy cry may also signal that your baby is fatigued and needs rest.

* A Cry of Pain. Cries of pain, as

opposed to discomfort, are often shrill and piercing and usually unmistakable. A cry of pain may begin suddenly, like a shriek, stop and then begin again.

* A Cry of Boredom. Between the second and fifth month, most babies learn to cry when they're bored. A cry of boredom may start as something else (a coo or gurgle) and then build up to a wail of protest when a parent doesn't come to the rescue. Boredom cries are usually a dead giveaway that there is no pain, hunger or discomfort because the baby stops crying and smiles when a loved one appears.

* A Colicky Cry. This is the most distinctive and upsetting type of cry. If you're not sure whether your baby has colic, he probably doesn't. A colicky cry is a non-stop, inconsolable scream that seems interminable.

As they get older, babies learn other ways to communicate and crying begins to taper off. New parents should keep in mind that crying is both natural and normal for their baby.

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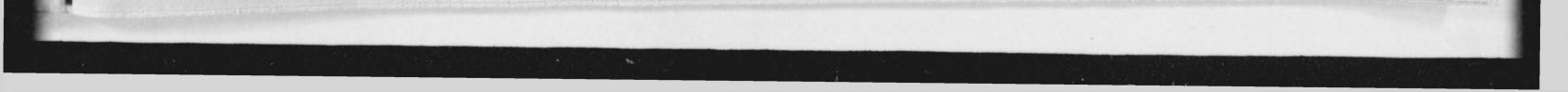


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Main Street Church of Christ Lockney



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OTHO CALLAWAY

Graveside services for Otho B. Callaway, 85, of Sunnyvale, Calif., were at 2 p.m. Wednesday, March 11, 1992, in Crowley, minister of Matador Church of Hospital. Christ, officiating.

Funeral Home.

Callaway died Friday afternoon, March 6, 1992, in El Camino Hospital in U.S. Army during World War II. Mountain View, Calif., after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Motley County and married Rosemary E. Garrison on July 3, 1989, in McAlister, Okla. He had Calif.

Valley, Calif., and Ronda Duvall of McAlister; a stepson, Ray Garrison of Salinas, Calif.; a brother, Brooks Callaway of Floydada; and six stepgrandchildren.

CLARENCE FELTON

Graveside services for Clarence "Chock" Felton, 66, of Lubbock were at 1 p.m. Tuesday, March 10, 1992, in Resthaven Memorial Park with Horace Coffman, associate minister of Broadway Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was under the direction of Resthaven Funeral Home.

Felton died at 4:20 p.m. Sunday, March 8, 1992, in University Manor Nursing Home after an illness.

He was born in Oklahoma City, Okla. He had lived in Lockney for 15 years before moving to Lubbock in 1990. He was a U.S. Navy veteran and a retired cotton broker.

Survivors include three sons, Scott of Dallas, Steve of Fort Worth and Mark of Lubbock; two daughters, Sherry Fisher of Euless and Katherine Feiton of Buena Vista, Calif.; a sister Betty McCorkel of Big Sandy; and 10 grandchildren.

LEE VERNON HARRIS

Graveside services for Lee Vernon

ist minister, officiated. Burial arrangements are by Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

Mr. Harris died Thursday, March 5, East Mound Cemetery with Mike 1992, at 11 p.m. in Lockney General

He was born January 17, 1913, in Burial was under direction of Seigler Pittsburgh, Texas. He moved to Floyd County in 1966 from Clarendon and was a retired landscaper. He served with the

He married Mary Joann Harris on January 15, 1990 in Lockney.

Survivors include his wife; nine was a longtime resident there before daughters, Jolene Harris of Matador, moving back to California in 1991. He Anita Potts of Carrollton, Varie Harris of Canyon, Martha Harris of Lockney, Jimmie Harris, Magdalene Harris, Diserved in the U.S. Marine Corps for anna Harris, Marie Harris, Victoria more than 30 years. He later worked for Harris, all of Lubbock; seven sons, the U.S. Postal Service in Sunnyvale, Ivory Harris of Oklahoma, Danny Potts of Plainview, Luke Harris of Giddings, Survivors include his wife; two step- Matthew Harris, James Harris, James daughters, Robin Pettengill of Scotts Potts and Joseph Harris, all of Lubbock; five sisters, Lilly Mae Harris of Matador, Madine Brown, Mae Allen Butler, Fern Jones and Katy Mae Harris, all of Clarendon; three brothers, Jimmy Lee Harris of Matador, and Bud Lee Harris and Benny Lee Harris, both of Clarendon; and two grandchildren.

LOUISE TERRY

Services for Louise Terry, 76, of Plainview were at 2 p.m. Wednesday, March 11, 1992, in Lemons Funeral Home Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Rob Winkler, pastor of Calvary Church, officiating.

Burial was in Plainview Cemetery. Mrs. Terry died Monday morning, March 9, 1992, in St. Mary of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock after a lengthy illness.

She was born in Burkburnett and moved to a farm north of Plainview in 1930. She attended Wilson and Liberty schools. She married William Daniel Terry on March 24, 1934, in Floydada. Her husband died on May 12, 1984.

Survivors include two sons, Jim of Plainview and Don of Washington, Okla.; two brothers, James L. Richardson of Lubbock and Jesse Richardson of Plainview; eight grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

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TEMPLO BETHEL SPANISH ASSEMBLY **OF GOD** 'Washington and 1st St. Lockney - 652-2181 Gabriel W. Ortiz, Pastor Olga L. Martinez, **Youth Pastor** Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 5:00 p.m. Wednesday Service ... 7:30 p.m. ***** MT. ZION **BAPTIST CHURCH** Floydada **Rev. Ralph Jackson** Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday: Mid-Week Prayer . . 7:00 p.m. Thursday: Bible Study 7:00 p.m. **** **AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH Clay Burdette**, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday: Bible Study 7:30 p.m. **** **TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA Rev. Herman Martinez** 308 W. Tennessee Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Sunday Prayer Service.. 2:00 p.m.

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Claude Porter, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Harris, 79, were at 2 p.m., Tuesday, March 10, in Lockney Cemetery with the Rev. James Jenkins, retired Method-

Planning ahead saves lives during severe weather

storms and floods can strike virtually any part of Texas at any time, spring seems to bring an increase in violent weather.

You can take precautions to assist yourself and your family in the event of a tornado.

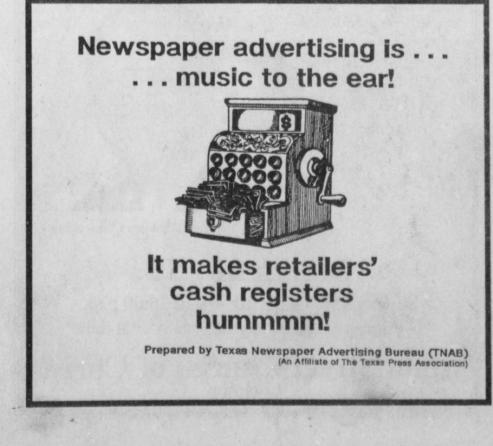
Periodically hold a tornado drill so that family members know what to do and where to go if the National Weather Service issues a tornado warning. The safest part of a house during a tornado traditionally is the basement, but be aware of the potential for flooding if there is heavy rain in the area. Interior bathrooms, hallways and closets on the ground floor also offer protection from tornadic winds. Avoid windows and outside walls. Take along blankets or sleeping bags to protect yourself from falling debris and shattering glass, which are frequently cause of death and injury during a tornado.

Make certain you have a portable radio and several flashlights (and fresh batteries for both) as well as bottled water, extra prescription medications nomena and related information.

Although tornadoes, severe thunder- and a first aid kit in your shelter area. Remember, if a tornado strikes, electricity, gas, water and sewer service may be disrupted for several days.

> Mobile homes and automobiles are dangerous places to be during a tornado. If you live in a mobile home, make sure all family members know where the nearest substantial shelter is. If you are in your mobile home or car and can't get to a better shelter: go outside, lie down in the nearest ravine, ditch or culvert and cover your head with your hands. Be aware of the possibility of flooding in low-lying areas. Do not hide under your mobile home or car because both can easily be picked up and carried away by a tornado.

> Your local, city or county, emergency management office can provide you with additional information on severe weather precautions. The Governor's Division of Emergency Management, the National Weather Service, the Texas Insurance Advisory Association and the Federal Emergency Management Agency are sources of information and publications on various weather phe-



Floydada Father Adolfo L. Valenzuela Sunday Mass 11:30 a.m. Weekday Masses 7:30 p.m. (Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday) Office & Rectory Phone: 983-5878 **** WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST 983-3548 Floydada Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m. Wednesday 7:00 p.m. ***** **GRACE FELLOWSHIP** CHURCH 211 N. Main, Lockney Rev. Ted Samples, Pastor Interdenominational Church Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Wednesday Service ... 7:00 p.m. **** **CITY PARK** CHURCH OF CHRIST Floydada Gene McCarty, Minister Sunday:

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

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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.

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. *****

Morning Service 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m. *****

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Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening ... 7:00 p.m. ****

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Lockney

Harold Abney, Pastor Greg Blair, Youth Minister Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. G.A.'s, 2nd & 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 & and 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.

EVANS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Sammy Hollaway 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.

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

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





Federal Land Bank reduces fixed rates

Fixed rate loans for the purchase of agricultural land or rural homes fell to 8.20% this week, local Federal Land Bank Associations (FLBAs) announced.

The new rate is 2% less than the previous fixed rate available for these loans purposes and is the lowest fixed rate FLBAs have offered in several years.

Up to \$50 million is available for loans through this program, which features a 10-year fixed rate after which the borrower can convert to either a variable rate, or select another fixed rate. Loan payments are amortized for up to 40 years.

"On a typical \$65,000 loan, the new rate means a yearly savings of \$1,300 to a home or land buyer," said Michael R. Davis, president of the Farm Credit Bank of Texas.

The Texas bank provides loan funds to 49 locally-owned FLBAs in Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi and Texas. FLBAs have provided long-term agricultural and rural home financing for the past 75 years. Together, they have about \$2.7 billion in loans outstanding to more than 42,000 farmers, ranchers and rural homeowners in the four-state region.



March 15-22 **Texas observes National Ag Day/Week**

By Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry

Many of us go about our daily lives with little thought of the more than 20 American million men and women who provide us with the food on our tables, clothes on our backs and shelter over our heads each day. Many consumers still hold a simple view of America's agriculture system - a barn and a silo, some seeds and a plow. But our food and fiber industry is enormously varied and increasingly complex. The industry essentially provides the food, fiber and day.

National Agriculture Week (March 15-21) and National Agriculture Day (March 20, 1992) is a time to honor the people who store, transport, process and merchandise the output from our farms

designed to direct attention to the important contributions made by those farmers and ranchers who provide for our daily needs and to increase the public's awareness of our food and fiber industry

Agriculture is America's biggest industry and the second largest in Texas. Our state's food and fiber system generates \$11 billion a year in sales and pumps more than \$32 billion into Texas' economy.

Agribusiness is also one of the state's major employers. One of every five other products consumers use every Texans is employed in some phase of agriculture - from growing food and fiber to selling it at the supermarket.

Texas agricultural production is carried out by some 186,000 farms and ranches. These operations raise more cattle, cotton, sheep and goats, and proand ranches. This year's observance is duce more wool and mohair than any

other state in the country.

The export of agricultural goods currently provides the nation's only positive trade balance. In 1990, \$40 billion worth of U.S. agricultural products were sent abroad. Texas ranks fifth among all states in agricultural exports, generating almost \$2.7 billion in sales annually. Agriculture defines our history, our

strength and our economic future. It is the common thread that links all 254 counties in Texas.

The observance of National Agriculture Day and National Agriculture Week will help the general public be aware of how closely tied we all are to food and fiber producers. Activities will be held across the state in conjunction with this celebration, including displays, educational programs and special events.

Thursday, March 12, 1992 - The Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon - Page 13 'Price Risk Management' is workshop scheduled

By Mike Mallett, CEA-Ag. A farmer may not be able to control price, but he can control how and when he prices. Market information and price reduction tools can provide valuable assistance in timing pricing decisions, in marketing, and production planning.

To help producers make the most of their products at the market place, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service will hold a two day workshop on March 26-27. Training will begin at 9:00 a.m. and conclude at 4:00 p.m. each day.

Cost for the two day workshop will be \$50.00. The registration fees cover workshop materials and catered meals for each day of the program. Spouses are encouraged to attend at no additional charge.

The workshop will be conducted at the Lockney Community Center in Lockney. The training will feature cotton as the commodity of study. REGIS-TRATION IS DUE BY MARCH 16.

For additional information call the Floyd County Extension Office at 983-2806.

School districts asked to review food bids specs

Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry is urging Texas school districts to review their food purchase bid specifications and remove any barriers that discriminate against Texas goods and products.

Perry said that bid specifications that favor other states not only thwart Texas agriculture but hurt the entire Texas economy.

"Although it may be inadvertent, bid specifications used by many Texas school districts actually require that certain commodities be grown outside our state," Perry said in a letter to school board members and other school officials statewide. "Some districts' bid requirements specify, for example, the use of Washington apples, Florida green peppers or California tomatoes.

"Yet, these same products - and many others - are grown right here in Texas in large quantities, of excellent quality and at competitive prices."

Texas' public schools spend some \$500 million on food purchases every year - a market Perry is working to open to more Texas producers through his Project TEACH initiative. Short for Texas Education and Agriculture Cooperating for Health, Project TEACH is also aimed at enhancing the nutritional value of the state's public school meals and the agricultural literacy of youngsters. The effort was launched by Perry in September. "When allowed to compete on a level playing field, Texas farmers can go ahead with the finest producers the world over," Perry said. "But when a school district effectively shuts out Texas products, they make the playing field anything but fair."

In his letter, Perry is encouraging school districts to review their bid specifications. "If they are unfairly written," he said, "I urge you to change them so that Texas producers have the same access to our school food service industry as do non-Texas growers."

Agriculture is the state's second largest industry, pumping more than \$32 billion into Texas economy every year. One in five Texans is employed in farming, ranching or a related industry, such as food processing.

Texas' public schools produce some two million lunches and 600,000 breakfasts daily.



Guest speakers announced

Jesse Moore, Director of the United States Department of Agriculture-Agricultural Marketing Service (USDA-AMS), and Paulette Zakrzeski, Senior Government Relations Representative for the National Cotton Council (NCC), have agreed to be guest speakers at the 34th Annual Meeting of Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG).

The PCG meeting is scheduled to begin at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, April 9 at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center in conjunction with the Texas Cotton Ginners' Association (TCGA) convention and trade show. The PCG meeting will be in the west end of the Center's Banfuture, especially the environmental issues that threaten to alter drastically the way U.S. farmers are allowed to work their land.

"We are pleased that Jesse Moore and Paulette Zakrzeski have agreed to speak at our meeting this year," says Donald Johnson, PCG Executive Vice President. "High Plains producers will have an excellent opportunity to hear first hand about what is going on in Washington and what effect it could have on them personally."

In addition to the guest speakers the PCG meeting will feature addresses from the President and Executive Vice noon following the meeting, Producers the High Plains Boll Weevil Diapause Program, and a report on the Plains Cotton Improvement Program. Following the PCG meeting the afternoon seminar will feature Kater Hake from the NCC as well as speakers from the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and Texas Agricultural Experiment Station in Lubbock. Topics to be discussed at the seminar will range from what went right and wrong in 1991, the mechanics of applying fertilizer and irrigation to get the maximum benefit, and marketing strategies for 1992.



quet Hall and includes a buffet lunch at President to the membership, a report on BREED CHAMP AT SAN ANGELO--Amber Womack showed the Breed Champion Heavyweight Crossbreed Barrow and the 1st place Middleweight Hampshire Barrow at the livestock show in San Angelo. The barrow were raised by Womack Farms. **Courtesy Photo**

as well as ginners are encouraged to attend the meeting.

Following the PCG meeting and luncheon will be the Texas High Plains Cotton Seminar from 1:15-4:40 under the theme "It's Got to Get Better in '92."

The TCGA convention begins at 9:00 a.m. Thursday and continues through Saturday. The convention's reputation of being the largest gathering of cotton people on the High Plains is understandable. The 1991 attendance figures from TCGA showed that nearly 5,500 people attended the event and it is expected that the same number will attend in 1992.

During the PCG meeting Moore is expected to discuss the upcoming Universal Standards Conference and some of the proposed changes to the cotton classing system. One of the most important proposals is one that will separate color and leaf into two grades and eliminate additional grade reductions for bark.

Zakrzeski is expected to discuss the activities in Washington and what the ndustry can expect to confront in the

The PCG Board of Directors will meet following the membership meeting for the election of 1992-1993 officers. Current officers include President Larry Nelson of Tulia, Vice President Wayne Huffaker of Tahoka and Secretary-Treasurer Frank Jones of Lamesa. Each of these individuals has served the maximum two-year term in his present position. The PCG Board of Directors is currently in the process of being elected in a series of county election meetings across the 25-county area.

Ethanol promotion continues

Houston is facing tough clean air regulations like other metropolitan areas. The Houston City Council will ultimately have to make the decisions as to how the city will meet those guidelines. TCPB has their answer-ethanol made from Texas corn. And John Ford, a TCPB consultant, will present a detailed program on the benefits of ethanol as a clean burning alternative motor fuel during a March 24 Houston City Council meeting.

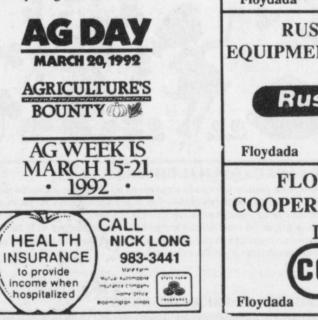
Dallas city leaders, after hearing a similar TCPB presentation, have already announced plans to include ethanol in their alternative fuels program. And unleaded gasoline sold in El Paso is already ethanol blended.

"Ethanol promotion is a big TCPB priority," says Carl King, executive director. "It offers the potential for another huge market for our corn. The campaign to make sure leaders of major Texas cities are aware of ethanol's benefits is very important."

King adds that in another ethanol note, "The World of Outlaws," a major automobile racing organization, recently announced it would allow the use of ethanol in its competition. "That means more and more people involved with auto racing and other uses of premium motor fuel realize that ethanol is a clean burning octane booster," says King. He points out that TCPB has been

contacted by a company planning to build a major ethanol plant near Corpus Christi.

"This would be a vital step forward for ethanol production in Texas" he says. "It could be another outlet for South Texas Com."



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Board meeting tackles corn disease and insects

The February Texas Corn Producers Board meeting was highlighted by discussion of numerous research programs proposed by the Texas A&M University System and private researchers.

After proposals had been made, the board approved \$105,207 in projects to combat mites, earworms and other insects, as well as aflatoxin and other problems which can cut into corn profits.

Several projects dealing with mite research were approved, including one which will examine the emergence rate of mites from alternate host plants on the High Plains.

"Spider mites and Banks grass mites have been a major problem for this area

FLOYD COUNTY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Texas Agricultureal Extension Service

(TAEX)

March 26-27 - Price Risk Management Workshop Lockney

- Register by March 16

March 16 - 4-H Record Book Workshop

March 24 - Swine Production & A.T. Clinic

- Cotton

- Cost: \$50.00

for many years," says TCPB Executive Director Carl King. "Your TCPB is determined to maintain research programs which help us identify the best miticides and other methods of preventing and controlling these insects."

Corn earworm research in the Panhandle-South Plains area was also approved by the board, as were programs to study corn diseases found on the High Plains.

Aflatoxin, a problem which has plagued South and Central Texas growers, again will receive attention. Research projects include studies to develop aflatoxin resistant hybrids, and studies to determine the vulnerability of field and food corn to fungus which

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causes development of aflatoxin. The board also approved a multi-research plan aimed at pest management in downstate production areas.

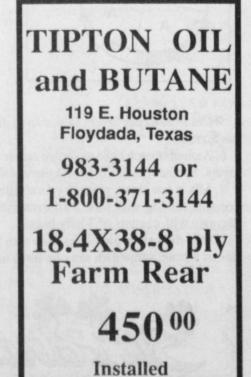
"The strong lineup of research projects is an indication that your half-cent per bushel checkoff dollars are being

Cotton Shorts...

According to DNR, in 1991, U.S. customers continued to use more cotton in their apparel at the expense of manmade fibers and wool. In a recently published survey by the Fiber Economics Bureau focusing on end uses in the U.S. of the three major fiber categories, cotton, wool and man-made, cotton accounted for nearly 57 percent of apparel. Recent DNR headlines seem to confirm this lead. "Pleated Cotton Twills Drive Casual Slacks Biz for Retailers" says pleated cotton twills are the top performing item in the casual slacks business at retail, and stores expect the trend to continue beyond next spring. Also, "Market Pickin' More Cotton for Dress Shirts." According to the article. Cotton is gaining clout in the dress shirt business as "the whole industry has moved in the all-cotton direction."

well spent," says King, noting that with less than a 10% request for checkoff refunds, Texas growers are supportive of the checkoff program.

More information on research expenditures is available through the TCPB office in Dimmitt.



Running Out of Time?

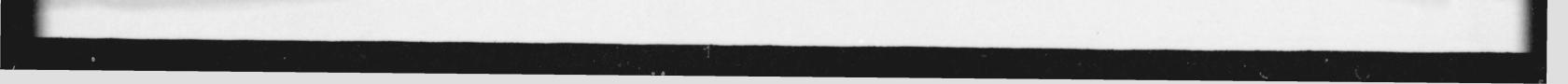
We have what you need to Re-Bed and Apply Herbicides

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Campbell in Precinct 1 (build a terrace 12 miles southwest of Floydada); and Eddie Smith in Precinct 1 (rebuild waterway-terrace 10 miles south of Floydada).

OTHER MATTERS

A request from Motorola to renew their antenna site lease was approved by the court on a motion by Bearden with a second by Precinct 2 Commissioner Floyd Jackson. The request was accompanied by a check in the amount of \$1,683.00, the annual payment on the lease.

Judge Hardin pointed out to the court that the antenna tower would need to be repainted this year. Cost estimates for the work were placed at under \$2,000.00. No action was taken concerning this matter at this time.

The court approved all accounts and reports relating to county finances for the month of February. Among the items considered were the payment of monthly bills and the review of reports from county officials concerning fees collected. Submitting reports were Justice of the Peace for Precincts 2 & 3, Dottie Stansell, County Clerk Margaret Collier, District Clerk Barbara Edwards, and Lowell Bilbrey, Justice of the Peace for Precincts 1 & 4, who turned in two reports covering January and February.

Treasurer Glenna Orman reported to the court on the overall condition of county finances for the previous month. She told the court that the county began the month of February with \$373,634.41 in county funds. Receipts for the month totaled \$145,325.00 and transfers in amounted to \$188,832.08. Disbursements were \$331,903.79 and transfers out were \$188,832.08. The final balances in county accounts at the end of February were \$187,055.62.

Orman also told the court that the county had \$528,000.00 in Certificates of Deposit which have earned \$7,051.75 in interest so far this year. These funds are reserved to see the county through the fiscal year until October 1, 1992. Installment indebted-

Her report was approved unanimously on a motion by Bishop with a second by Jackson.

The court voted to transfer \$10,000.00 from the road and bridge fund into each precinct, for a transfer total of \$40,00.00. Motion for the action came from Jackson with a second by Bearden. Other budget amendments were also made to enable payment of various

accounts. Among the amendments passed were: increase JP 2&3 equipment by \$55.75 taken from her supply funds; increase miscellaneous laborjanitor-by \$20.00; increase courthouse equipment by \$1,600.00 taken from county attorney's operating expense; increase county clerk's equipment by \$59.00 taken from county clerk's travel; increase sheriff's department clothing allowance by \$277.21 taken from prisoner care; and increase the Floyd County Law Library fund by \$500.00 taken from the general fund. Motion for the transfers was made by Jackson with a second by Bearden and the vote was unanimously in favor of the motion. Judge Hardin told the commissioners that they might be thinking about courses of action open to them in the event that an autopsy has to be performed in the future. Hardin said that the county had been using Dr. Ralph Erdmann, the Lubbock pathologist now under indictment, for autopsies. The advisability of continuing to utilize him is questionable, according to Hardin.

A proposal from Potter County has been received by Floyd County. The proposal offers two means of handling an autopsy. The first was a contract requiring a \$200 per month fee for participation and a charge of \$800.00 per autopsy. The second option offered was no contract with a charge of \$1,500.00 per autopsy.

Judge Hardin reminded the court that in the last two years, there has been only two occasions in which an autopsy was ordered. No action was taken on the matter at this time.

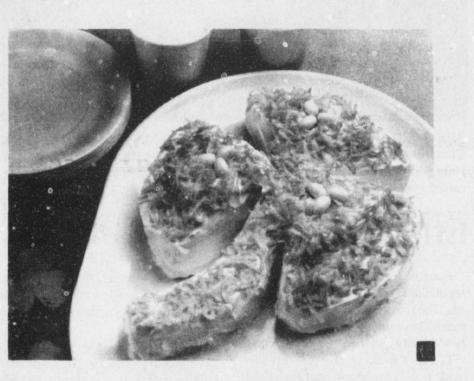
Attending the Monday morning session were Judge Bill Hardin and Commissioners Connie Bearden, Floyd Jackson, George Taylor and Howard Bishop. Also present were Nathan



OFF TO A GOOD START--LaDonna Butler got the track season off to a good start with a first place win in the Discus throw at the Floydada Whirlwind Relays. She threw for a distance of 109'3"The meet was held in Floydada on Saturday, March 7. Staff Photo

Cooking for St. Patrick's Day The Microwave Way

According to legend, missionary St. Patrick brought the three-leaf, green shamrock plant to Ireland 15 centuries ago and today it is a national symbol in that country. Whatever one's heritage, people across America enjoy celebrating St. Patrick's Day, March 17, with green clothing, Irish food and shamrock decorations. Home economists suggest joining the fun this year by making a shamrock cake. This recipe is made with a convenient mix for both the cake and frosting. Using the microwave oven cuts the "baking" time in half. With the easy-to-follow directions for cutting and assembly, this party dessert is ideal for family, schoolroom or office celebrations.



Floyd County Courthouse Records

Marriages:

Armando Lopez, Rebecca Avila. James King, Bettye Jane Baker. Pete Jiminez, Melisa Garza. William Grant Hambright, Cindy Helen Day.

Probate:

Preston Watson: Will and Appl. to probate, 2-10-92. Virgil M. Brasher; Will and Appl. to

probate, 2-10-92. J. C. Anderson; Will and Appl. to

probate, 2-11-92.

Deeds:

Jackie Lee Elliott et ux to Amy and Ben Jared, two tracts of land in Floyd County.

Mike Vickers to Sharon Henson, E. 30 ⁶ Lot 13 and all of Lot 14, Blk. 11, Western Addition Annex, Floydada. Gerald Sams to Felix Hernandez et ux, undivided 1/4 vested remainder interest

in S. 1/2 of Lots 14, 15 and 16, and closed T-Alley, Blk. 29 Lockney.

Kenneth B. Sams to Felix Hernandez et ux, undivided 1/12 vested remainder interest in S. 1/2 of Lots 14, 15 and 16, and closed T-Alley, Blk. 29 Lockney. Bettie M. Sams Boedeker to Felix Hernandez et ux, undivided 1/6 vested remainder interest in S. 1/2 of Lots 14, 15 and 16, and closed T-Alley, Blk. 29 Lockney.

Juan M. Silva et ux to Michelle Cabrera, Lot 16, Blk. 3, Floydada.

Billie Christian Campbell to Carroll Jeanine Helms, Lots 5 and 6, Blk. 76, Floydada.

Alva Jo Phillips to L. Gale McPherson et ux, 5.07 A. tract in Floyd County. Michael K. Reeves et ux to Jack D. Robertson et ux, Lots 8 and 9, Blk. 86, Floydada.

Raymond L. Poole et ux to Manuel Barrientos Jr., Lot 6 and W. 10' Lot 7, Blk. 113, Floydada.

Bettie R. Counts to Felix Hernandez et ux, undivided 1/2 vested remainder interest in S. 1/2 of Lots 14, 15 and 16, and closed T-Alley, Blk. 29 Lockney. Sandra Thompson to Sylvia Salazar, Lots 8 and 9, Blk. 1, South Side Addition, Lockney.

Opal Rosson et al to Dorothy Nell Swinson, Lots 7 and 8, Blk. 6, West Side Heights Addition, Floydada.

J. R. Belt Farming, Inc. to J. R. Belt,

four tracts of land in Floyd County. Ray Reed et ux to Roland Dee Adams et ux, E. 45' Lot 5 and W.40' Lot 6, Blk. 3, Caprock Addition, a subdivision of Blk. 7, Price First Addition, Floydada. Kenneth Bean to Albert Juarez, S. 76' Lots 9,10 and 11 and E. 31.2' Lot 12, Blk. 8, Bartley Heights Addition, Floydada.

Robert Lee Daniels et ux to William Michael Mathes et ux, a tract of Land in Floyd County.

Dorsey Baker and Wanda Baker to Dorsey Baker and W. Norton Baker, tract of land in Floyd County.

Resolution Trust Company to James Cage at ux, S. 20' Lot 2 and all of Lot 3, Blk. 6, Baker Heights Addition, Floydada.

Rutulio Raygoza to Isabel Garza Lopez, Lots 9 and 10, Blk. 7, Moore Addition #1, Lockney.

Carol Fay Benson Bates et al to Drewey Alan Benson Jr. et ux, Lot 7, Blk. 2, New Home Addition, Floydada. Scott Simpson et ux to Jaime Cervan-

tes and Mary Helen Perez, E. 10' Lot 5 and all of Lot 6, Blk. 111, Floydada.

Carl Lee Jr. et ux to Tony L. Garza et ux, N. 90' Lots 14, 15 and 16, Blk. 32,

Lockney.

Billie Christian Campbell to Carroll Jeanine Helms, Lot 12, Blk. 129, Floydada (correction deed).

Earl B. Starkey to Johnnie Starkey, tract of land in Floyd County.

Carolyn L. Luckenbach and Donna M. Burger to LaVerna Sams, Lot 6 and N. 26' Lot 7, Blk. 27, Lockney.

Lillian C. Parks to Darla Sue Hancock, tract of land in Floyd County.

Drewey Alan Benson Jr. et ux to Minnie Fay Thomas Easter, Lot 7, Blk. 2, New Home Addition, Floydada.



ness for the county now stands at \$34,302.05 and tax collections are 90.96 percent complete according to Orman.

Mulder, Jon LaBaume, Glenna Orman, Margaret Herrera and the Hesperian-Beacon reporter.

Happy St. Patrick's Day!

March 17



PARA LOS CASOS MAS DIFICILES

Ante ti vengo con la fe de mi alma a suplicar tu sagrado consuelo en mi dificil situacion. No me desame pares en las puertas aque se han de abrir en mi camino. Sea tu brazo poderoso el que las abra para darme la tranquilidad que tanto ansio. (Decir aquir tres peticiones dificiles). Suplica que te hace un corazon afigido por los duros golpes del cruel destino que no han vencido siempre en la lucha humana. Ya que si tu poder divino no interviene en mi favor, sucumbire por falta de la ayuda, brazo poderoso, asisteme, amparame y conduceme a la Gloria Celestial. Gracias. Dulce Jesus. **M.G.**

PLEGARIA AL ESPIRITU SANTO

Espiritu Santo, Tu que aclaras todo, que iluminas todos los caminos para que yo alcance mi ideal, Tu que me das el Don Divino de perdonar y olvidar el mal que me hacen y que en todos los instantes de mi vida estas conmigo, yo quiero, en este corto dialogo, agradecerte por todos y confirmar una vez mas que nunca quiero separarme de ti por grande que sea la ilusion material. Deseo estar contigo y todos mis seres queridos en la gloria perfecta.

Gracias por tu misericordia para conmigo y los mios. La persona debera rezar esta oracion al Espiritu Santo, decir la peticion y a los tres dias recibira la gracia por mas dificil que esta sea. Se manda a publicar en cuanto se reciba la gracia. Gracias, Espiritu Santa. M.G.

ORACION MILAGROSA

Confio en Dios con todas mis fuerzas, por eso le pido a Dios que ilumine mi camino y otorgue la gracia que tanto deseo. Mande a publicar esta Oracion Milagrosa y observe lo que ocurria al cuarto dia.

M.G.

Floyd County Memorial Park, Inc. Statement of Condition Perpetual and Irrevocable Funds in Trust as of December 31, 1991.

Funds deposited in the Trust Department and under the supervision of the Hale County State Bank, Plainview, Texas

U.S. Government Securities \$33,296.57

I certify that the foregoing statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. /S/ Quaid Richburg Quaid Richburg, President

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SHAMROCK PARTY CAKE (makes 2 cakes)

1 white, 2-layer cake mix

(with ingredients to prepare according to package directions) Green food coloring

1 package (7.25 oz.) fluffy white frosting mix (for 2-layer cake) 1 cup shredded coconut

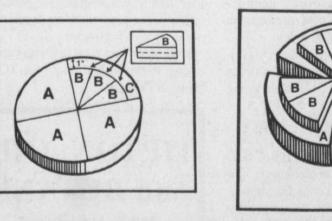
Coconut jelly beans or other round white or green candies

1. Grease two 8x1-1/2 inch round glass cake dishes. Line with waxed paper. Grease waxed paper. Set aside.

2. Prepare cake mix batter according to package directions. Stir in 8 to 10 drops green food coloring. Divide batter between two dishes, using 2-1/4 cups for each.*

3. Microwave one at a time at MEDIUM (50%) for 4 minutes. Rotate dish a half turn. Microwave at MEDIUM for 4 minutes longer. Then microwave at HIGH (100%) for 1 to 1-1/2 minutes or until wooden pick inserted in several places comes out dry (may be a few damp spots on surface). Cool 10 minutes. Remove from dish and cool completely. For best results, freeze cake layers before cutting and decorating.

4. Prepare frosting according to package directions. Cover and set aside.



5. Cut frozen cake layers as shown in diagram. Cut each piece labeled B in half horizontally.

6. Assemble each cake as shown on serving tray. Use frosting between B and A layers. Spread remaining frosting over cakes.

7. Mix a few drops green food coloring and 1/4 teaspoon water in bowl. Add coconut, tossing with fork until evenly tinted. Sprinkle coconut over cakes and decorate with clusters of 3 jelly beans.

*Deep-dish glass pie plates may also be used. Since cake layers are cooked one at a time, same dish may be used for both.



Helping Hands of the Hospital

PUBLIC NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE

You are hereby notified of the opportunity for written public comment concerning the Construction Permit Application No. 21353 by Floydada Cooperative Gins, Inc., of Floydada to modify the gin plant in Floydada, Floyd County, Texas. The plant is located at 319 N. 5th Street, Floydada, Texas 79235. This facility emits the following air contaminants: particulate matter, gin trash and lint, nitrogen oxides, volatile organic compounds, and carbon monoxide and sulfur dioxide.

A copy of all materials submitted by the applicant is available for public inspection at the TACB Lubbock Regional Office at Briercroft South #1, 5302 South Avenue Q, Lubbock, Texas 79412, telephone 806-744-0090, and at the TACB, 12124 Park 35 Circle, Austin, Texas 78753. All interested persons may inspect materials and submit written comments to the Executive Director of the TACB. Any person who may be affected by emissions of air contaminants from the proposed facility may request a contested case hearing from the Board on the construction permit application pursuant to Section 382.056 d of the Texas Health and Safety Code. All comments and hearing requests must be received in writing by April 18, 1992. All written comments submitted to the Executive Director shall be considered in determining whether to issue or not issue the permit. All comments will be made available for public inspection at the TACB office in Austin.

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NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF VIRGIL N. BRASHER, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of VIRGIL N. BRASHER, were issued February 24, 1992, in Cause No. 5143, pending in the County Court of Floyd County, Texas, to:

ESTHER D. BRASHER

The residence of such Independent Executrix is Floyd County, Texas. The address is:

Route 1 Lockney, TX 79241

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED this the 25th day of February, 1992.

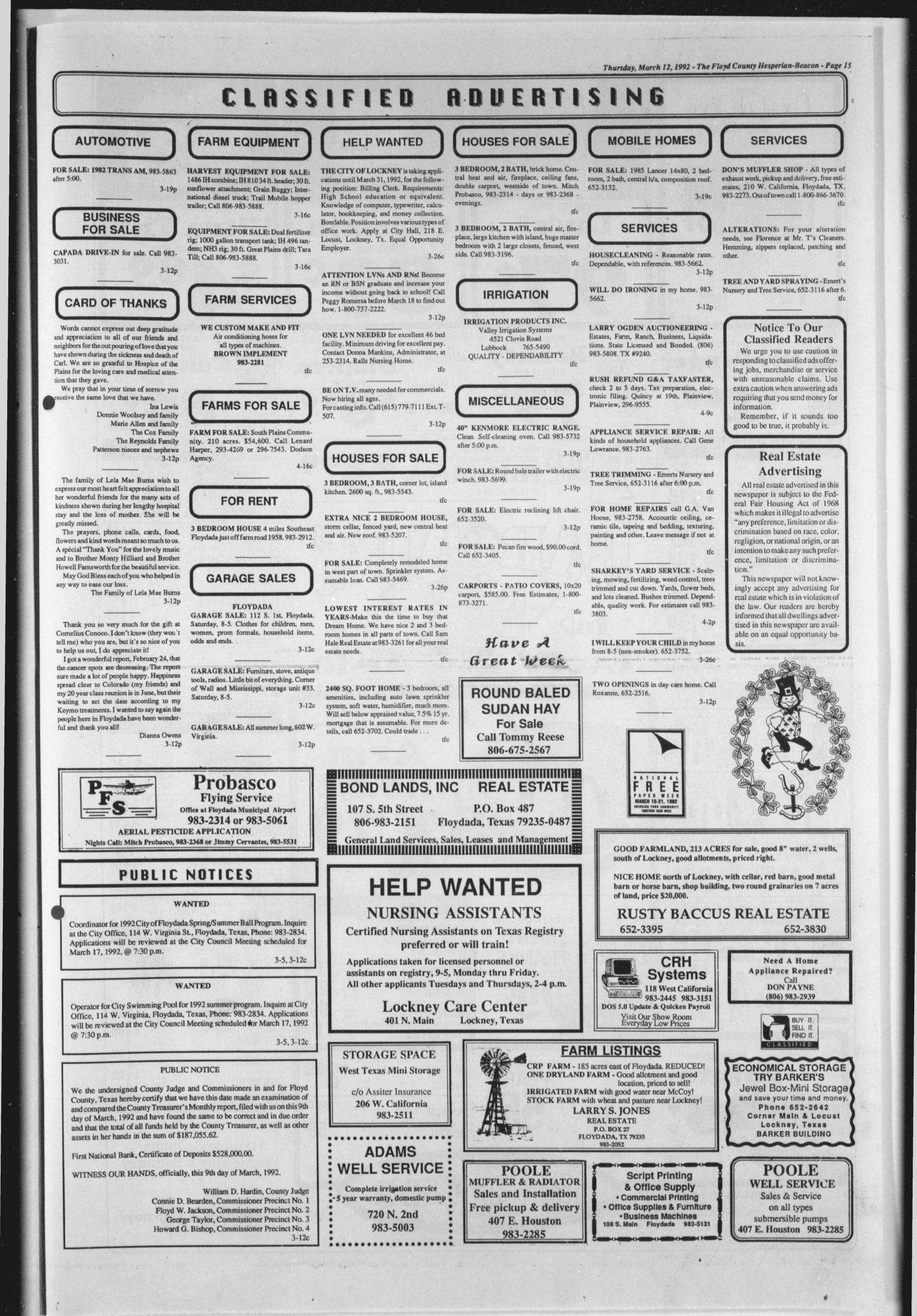
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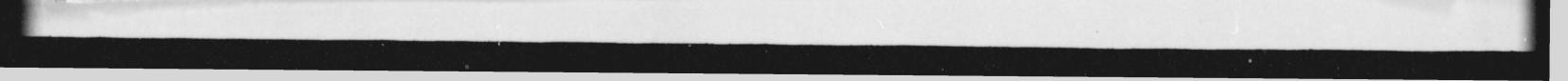
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> By: BENNETT G. COOK SBN: 04721600

ATTORNEYS FOR THE ESTATE 3-12c







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