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The Lamplighter

By Ken Towery

What's all this business about Congressmen picking up their marbles and going home, or somewhere?

It's just what we were afraid of when we warned, some time ago, that if people didn't quit picking on Congressmen, complaining about their pay raises, their selfish perks, their exempting themselves from the laws they foist upon the rest of us, their absolute refusal to come to grips with the nation's budget woes, they might just quit. They might just take their lucrative retirement income and leave. Then where would we be?

It looks like we are about to find out. It appears over half a hundred are already out of the running. A few got beat in the primaries. Many more have announced they aren't gonna take it any more. The only sad part of it is that some of those who are quitting are doing so out of disgust, not with the voters and what they are demanding, but out of a sense that nothing will change. Both the House and Senate are losing good people in this category.

Many more, however, appear to be leaving one step ahead of the voters, or one step ahead of the sheriff, depending on who gets to them first. The House of Representatives, over the strenuous and emotional objections of Speaker Foley, Majority Leader Gephardt, and the rest of the Democratic leadership, finally voted to turn over the "bank" records to a Special Counsel for examination. The Special Counsel, who may end up being a "Special Prosecutor," says he has already uncovered evidence of what might be "a classic check kiting" scheme in the bank's operation.

We've had more than a few ask "How in the world did we get in this mess?" The answer is not terribly involved. In fact, it is quite simple. But perhaps it can best be illustrated by two examples.

Those of our readers who have access to C-SPAN, the cable t.v. channel that quite often broadcasts live coverage of goings-on in the Congress, may have seen one example. The House was debating a Republican resolution that would open up the bank records to the Special Counsel. Mr. Foley and his "leadership" were opposing that resolution. Mr. Foley's troops were almost in a state of panic. It was obvious many Democrats were deserting the leadership position, since a number of them had joined with Republicans in turning down a previous resolution by Foley and Gephardt that would have effectively delayed full disclosure until after the elections.

A member of the House, from Wisconsin I believe, was standing in the

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Organizers gear up for pioneer reunion

The Pioneer Association members have been busy for many months making plans for this year's Old Settlers Reunion, to be held May 23.

The theme for this year's event is, "1992-Saluting Yesterday, Celebrating Today!"

Besides the full day of events on the 23rd, the Floyd County Museum has also planned special events during the week prior to Old Settler's.

The Museum will hold an Open House, Friday, May 22, from 1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Refreshments will be served from 4 to 6 p.m. Highlights of the open house will include the presentation of Maylene Mickey's award winning painting of Mary Lou Bollman, and a lecture by Jack T. Hughes, Ph.D., speaking on "Coronado's Expedition and the Blanco Canyon Connection" (See story inside for more detail).

The Museum will also start taking entries into their Wildflower Show Saturday morning, from 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. Judging will begin at 11:00 a.m. For more information on this show,

contact Mamie Wood, 983-2608.

Also at 9:00 a.m., Saturday, the Community Band will open the ceremonies with a 30 minute concert under the pavilion. This will be followed by Boy Scout Troop 357 raising the flag.

The washer pitching contest also kicks off at 9:00 a.m. on the east side of the square. For more information on this event, contact Garry Burson, of Lockney.

Registration also begins at 9:00 a.m. under the direction of Barbara Edwards.

Arts and crafts booths will once again fill up the courthouse lawn. The deadline for reserving a booth space is Friday, May 15. For information, contact DarLee Foster, 652-3824.

Clar Schacht is in charge of the beard contest, which begins at 10:15 a.m.

Kathy Becker heads up this year's style show, and the arts and crafts auction is being organized by Bill Daniels and Gladys Jones.

Get your floats ready for Saturday's parade, which begins at 2:30 p.m. Anyone wanting to register for the parade should come to the south side of the square under the awning. You should be assembled by 2:00 p.m. on the parking lot of the First Baptist Church. Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Lyles are the organizers for the parade.

The Roping Championship will be held at 4:30 p.m., at the Floydada Rodeo Grounds. Contact Brett Marble for more information.

Other special events on Old Settlers will include the Nifty Fifty Auto Club display in the 100 block of North Wall, the Texas Plains Chapter Two Cylinder Club display of antique tractors, the entertaining County Caravan band, Cow Patty Bingo and the popular bar-b-que lunch.

The evening will end with a Whirlers Square Dance at 8:00 p.m. at Duncan Elementary and a country western dance by the "Slow Motion" band, at 8:00 p.m. under the pavilion.

County inmate is found dead

Floyd County inmate Landon Kyle Bush, 18, died Saturday night, as a result of hanging in his cell from a rope made of socks.

Jailers discovered inmate Bush hanging from a window bar in his cell, at 8:37 p.m. A light pulse could be felt by the jailer who immediately began CPR. An ambulance was called and paramedics continued CPR. He was transported to Lockney General Hospital where he died at 9:35 p.m.

Bush, 18, had been arrested April 22 on charges of forgery. He was being held in the Floyd County Jail pending

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Floydada teenager injured in one-car rollover

Crystal Sanders, 15-year-old daughter of Curtis and Iva Sanders of Floydada, is in stable condition at Methodist Hospital, with a broken back as a result of a one car accident Saturday night.

According to DPS Trooper Ron Parks, Miss Sanders was traveling north on Hwy. 207 when she lost control of the vehicle, 1.2 miles north of Floydada.

"The vehicle then slid 300 feet sideways, hit a tree, climbed the tree, flipped on its back and landed upside down on the other side of the tree," said Parks.

"We don't know how she lost control. It was raining and there was water on the road. That could have been a factor."

The accident occurred at approximately 11:45 p.m. Parks was called at 11:51 p.m. and arrived four minutes later.

"EMTP Paul McIntosh arrived with me," said Parks. "She was lucky we could get there so fast."

Miss Sanders was laying outside of the vehicle when DPS arrived, but it is unknown if she crawled out of the car or was thrown out.



EMS PERSONNEL RENDER AID--Floydada EMS personnel responded quickly to the Tuesday afternoon accident at the intersection of Wall and Hwy 70. Robert Riddle of Lubbock was injured when his southbound 1977 Plymouth ran under the flatbed trailer of an eastbound tractor trailer. The top of the car was sheared back. Riddle is in critical condition at University Medical Center, with a closed head injury. Staff Photo

Lubbock man suffers head injury in accident

Floydada police and emergency personnel were called to the scene of a major accident Tuesday, at 12:43 p.m., after a flatbed tractor trailer ran over the top of a 1977 Plymouth at the intersection of Wall Street and Hwy. 70.

A Lubbock man, Robert Wayne Ripple, 58, is in critical condition at

University Medical Center, Lubbock, with a closed head injury, as a result of the accident.

According to the police report, Ripple was traveling south on Wall Street, on the wrong side of the road. He pro-

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1992 graduates featured this week

Photos of 1992 Floydada High School and Lockney High School graduates are being published in this week's edition of The Hesperian-Beacon.

Lockney graduates can be found in Section B and Floydada graduates in Section C.

Publication of the photos is made possible by Floyd County businesses, who sponsor the sections each year.

We would also like to extend a sincere thanks to Jack and Allison Robertson of R Photography of Floydada, who provide us with copies of all the senior pictures that they photograph.



BEST IN THE STATE-- Lance Patridge, Rance Ford and Ryan Ford, members of the Computer Science team of Lockney High School, were named state champions of the Computer Science division competition at the State UIL 2-A Academic Conference. The competition was held Saturday May 9 on the University of Texas campus in Austin. LaDora Aufill (second from left) is the team sponsor and accompanied them to Austin. Staff Photo

Computer science team named state champs

Rance Ford, Lance Patridge and Ryon Ford, members of the Computer Science team of Lockney High School, were named state champions at the 1992 University Interscholastic League 2-A Conference. The competition was held Saturday, May 9th on the University of Texas campus in Austin.

LaDora Aufill, computer teacher at high school and sponsor of the team, stated, "We were ecstatic, this is the first time that we have won a state championship in an academic event." The boys did such a good job and I am so proud of them."

To qualify for the state meet the team placed first at the regional academic meet held in Abilene. Rance Ford was

recognized as the student with the highest individual score at the regional meet.

The computer competition is divided into two parts, a written portion and a programming portion. Each of the areas of the contest counts for 50 percent of the score.

The purpose of the UIL Academic program is to use competition to develop students' higher order thinking skills.

Students who compete at the UIL State Meet also qualify for Texas Interscholastic League scholarships.

Aerial spraying planned Thursday morning

The city of Floydada will receive aerial mosquito spraying on Thursday morning, May 14, between sunrise and 11:00 a.m. Residents are asked to take the necessary precautions to protect your pets, bees, or anyone allergic to the spray.



OLD FASHIONED RIDE TO THE PROM--Andy Stapp treated his date, Cassidy Mallet, to a unique, dependable and very friendly ride to Lockney's Prom, Saturday night.

Stapp chose this transportation over the "limo" ride to give Cassidy a night she'll always remember. Their amiable driver was Donnie Bybee. Staff Photo

By The Way

By Alice Gilroy

In our rush to put together two extra sections this week of senior pictures, we forgot to give some extra credit to Jack Robertson of "R Photography." This year, just like he has done in the past, he printed up a copy of all the senior pictures just for us. All the photos of the Floydada Seniors were done by R Photography. He had them done for us before we even remembered it was time to ask for them.

We missed out on some other things too.

There were a couple of events that we should have covered last week, but we didn't make it.

I'm sorry to the folks who showed up for the National Day of Prayer. We were tied up. It was important to us, but so were the other things we were involved in. I heard it was a good crowd. Keep up the good work.

We also didn't make it to Amateur night in Floydada. Sorry again. We heard the entertainment was great. I hope this is just the beginning of future amateur nights. I know the organizers worked hard and so did the entertainment.

Main Street in Lockney is sure looking good. There are new businesses on the street and they believe in making their windows decorative.

Claude and Wilma Brown have always had a knack for pretty windows but now theirs isn't the only block looking good.

I'd start naming the new folks on the block but I'd end up forgetting somebody and then I'd be in trouble.

I just want to thank those that have not sat around in despair but have gotten up, invested their money, and are trying to improve their community.

Now I just hope they believe in adver-

tising like Brown's Department Store does. When businesses help out their local paper, they help themselves and help us help the community.
Good Luck!

Donnell Gowens, the Superintendent of the Highway Department, wants everyone to know about a pretty Sunday drive you can take.

Gowens says he has been around here for 16 years and the wildflowers blooming on FM 97 to Flomot and FM 065 to Quitaque are the prettiest he has ever seen.

He's right too. I've been down FM 97 lately. It's gorgeous.

Mr. J.K. West has a project going and he needs ya'lls help.

He is trying to find the biggest tree in Floydada. He has been walking and driving all over the city and has narrowed it down to the tree at the home of Veda Dorsey, 401 Mississippi. The tree is 115 inches around the lower base. I know—I was there and helped him measure.

If you've got one bigger—let Mr. West know.

SOME JOKES TO BRIGHTEN YOUR DAY

Upscale store owner: What a sweet child! Here's a treat just for you.

Upscale mother: What do you say to the nice lady?

Upscale tot: Charge it, please!

A committee is an organizational device for achieving delay in an orderly manner.

Not found in Webster's
Gerbil: a rat with a good press agent.

Watercolorist will have May art display at bank

The First National Bank of Floydada is sponsoring an exhibit of paintings by West Texas Watercolorist Dr. Ray Freeman of Hale Center. In February of last year, Dr. Freeman retired from a fulfilling career of practicing family medicine at Hi-Plains Hospital for 38 years. During his busiest schedule, he always found time for his art; now, he pursues it full time.

Freeman said that he began working with the drawing when he was a teenager, using mostly pen and charcoal. In high school, an architectural and mechanical design class led to a skill that enabled him to design later in life: for example, a hanging staircase for his home in Hale Center. In Texas Wesleyan University, he discovered oil painting, "and I was switching my major back and forth between art and business; the artist stated. The Dallas-Fort Worth area native did graduate work at TCU... "and along the way, I found my true love — medicine!" Although Dr. Freeman dedicated his energies and his skills from that point to the fine art of healing and caring for others, he never forgot his old acquaintance with paint, canvas, and brushes.

"In 1979, I took up the medium of watercolor and have stuck with it since," he said. "I don't know why watercolor is my preference. I just find it more free-flowing and casual. I think I can do more with watercolor." Freeman's favorite subjects are western, portraits, landscapes, and wildlife. His paintings show excellent detail, and all portraits are recognizable to anyone who might know the portrait-subject.

Dr. Freeman is a member of the Plains Art Assn. and the American Physicians Art Assn. His painting, "Yellow Grosbeak", is featured in the Wyeth-Ayerst calendar for this year. He has won over 40 awards in juried shows, exhibited four selected works in Cork Gallery at Avery Fisher Hall, Lincoln Center, N.Y., and is the winner of the Cotton Baron's Ball design competition for this year.

The First National Bank of Floydada is privileged to offer this exceptional exhibit for the viewing pleasure of the community and surrounding area. You are invited to see Dr. Freeman's paintings through the month of May during regular banking hours.



BANK ARTIST—Dr. Ray Freeman of Hale Center is exhibiting several of his paintings at The First National Bank in Floydada during the month of May. The West Texas Watercolorist retired from his career of practicing family medicine in order to pursue his art full-time. —Courtesy photo

County inmate is found dead

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The next grand jury hearing. Bush was last seen at 8:25 p.m. after he requested matches to smoke a cigarette. A jailer brought him the matches and returned 12 minutes later on a regular check of inmates.

"Jailers are required by law to make rounds every hour," said District Attorney Becky McPherson. "Their logs show that they were making rounds approximately every 30 minutes. "Bush was staying in a cell with another prisoner who was in a deep sleep due to medication. The cellmate was not aware what was going on."

An autopsy by Pathologist David Hoblit, of Lubbock, confirmed that Bush's death was the result of hanging.

The death is still under investigation by Texas Rangers. "An investigation is always done when there is a death in a jail," said McPherson. "An outside agency has to conduct the investigation."

Services for Landon Kyle Bush, were at 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, May 12, in the First Baptist Church. The Rev. Harold Abney, pastor, officiated.

Burial followed in the Lockney Cemetery under direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

He was born, May 16, 1973, in Plainview. He moved to Lockney from Las Vegas, N.M. in 1988. He was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Linson of Las Vegas, N.M.;

his grandparents, Billy Dollar of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Linson of Las Vegas; a sister, Kellie Bush of Lockney; and two brothers, Walter Linson of Muleshoe and Matthew Linson of Holiday.

Injury suffered in accident

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ceded into the intersection without stopping or yielding the right of way and drove under the flatbed trailer of an eastbound 1991 Freightliner. The top of the car was sheared off by the trailer and the back eight tires of the trailer then ran over the top of the car.

Floydada EMT's and paramedics, assisted by Lockney EMT Jimmy Kemp rendered emergency aid and prepared Ripple for helicopter transport to University Medical Center, where he is in intensive care.

The Freightliner belonged to Jewel Street Truck Lines of Oklahoma. The driver of the tractor-trailer was uninjured.

POLICE NEWS

In other police action this week, a criminal trespass complaint was filed against Rose Ann Deltoro after she created a disturbance at the junior high and refused to leave when asked to do so.

According to the police report, Deltoro entered the office of the Junior High Principal Bruce Bramlett, May 8, at 9:00 a.m. She came to complain about an incident involving her child. Bramlett and witnesses stated that Deltoro became loud and was shouting obscenities. She threatened Bramlett and refused to leave when asked. The police were called to the scene and arrived as Deltoro was leaving the campus. She was later charged with criminal trespass.

Police also received a report of a burglary of a residence that occurred sometime the evening of May 2, at an apart-

ment in the 400 block of N. 10th.

The residence was entered by prying off a screen window. Food and beverages were stolen from the home. The loss was estimated at \$25.00.

A disorderly conduct complaint against Lonnie Joe Brown, 45, of Floydada, was filed on May 4.

Two juveniles also faced disorderly conduct charges after fighting on May 6. One of the juveniles sustained a broken nose from the fight.

May 9, at 11:35 a.m., in the 700 block of E. Thornton, police arrested Edward Sullivan, 24, on warrants from Hale County.

Steven Luna, 18, was arrested May 10, at 9:30 p.m. in the 200 block of Jackson Street on Denver City warrants.

Clarence Douglas Walding, 50, was arrested May 7 on city warrants.

Courtroom Activities

In county court, May 7, Ramon Coronado, 46, of Floydada, pled guilty to his May 1, 1992 charge of possession of marijuana. He was sentenced to 30 days in jail which was probated for six months. He was also ordered to pay court costs.

Coronado also pled guilty to a May 1 charge of DWI. He was fined \$350.00 plus court costs and sentenced to six months in jail, which was probated for two years.

May 8, Pablo Nuncio Jr., 46, of Lockney, was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case.

Also on May 8, Rose Ann Del Toro was charged with criminal trespass. There was no disposition on this case.

On May 11, Lourie D. Buchanan pled guilty to the July 5, 1990 charge of possessing alcoholic beverage with in-

tent to sell. He was fined \$500.00 plus court costs and sentenced to 90 days in jail.

May 11, James Earl Ellis, 28, of Plainview, pled guilty to reckless conduct. He was fined \$250.00 plus court costs and sentenced to 30 days in jail which was probated for six months.

The June 5, 1991, charge of DWI against Ellis was dismissed on May 11, 1992.

The February 7, 1992 charge of terroristic threat, against Franklin Leon Williams, was also dismissed on May 11.

May 12, Antonio Soto Rodriguez, 41, of Lubbock, pled guilty to his January 24, 1991 charge of DWI. He was fined \$750.00 plus court costs and sentenced to 9 months in jail which was probated for two years.

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Council swears in new members

By Juanita Stepp

During a May 8 City Council session, the City of Lockney seated two new members and two returning members following the canvassing of votes from the May 2 election. J. D. Copeland and Gary Marr were reelected to their council seats in the election and Terry Jones and Bill Anderson were elected to first terms. Each was sworn in by City Attorney Paul Lyle after the election results were certified as valid.

Marr was elected to the post of Mayor Pro Tem. He is thus authorized to act in the mayor's place if the mayor is absent or otherwise unable to fulfill his duties during the next year.

Mayor Wofford also appointed a check signing committee for the coming year. It will consist of himself, Copeland and Jones.

Mayor Kenneth Wofford presented plaques of appreciation to outgoing council members Jim Doucette and Ronnie Aston.

SANITATION FIRM REQUESTS INCREASE

Ron and Vickie Coomer of Triple C Sanitation, the firm contracted to haul Lockney dumpster trash, met with the council to request an increase in their rates of 50¢ per month on each household effective September 1, 1992. Coomer based the proposed rate hike on increasing costs to his firm and increased regulations the firm must ob-

serve. No action was taken on the matter at this time.

Other items addressed by the pair included the consideration of a T-alley in the Meriweather Addition. According to Coomer, when a new truck is put into service in September, it will not be able to maneuver in that alley. Other arrangements to collect the dumpster trash in that area will have to be made. Coomer pointed out to the council that observing the regulations is becoming increasingly important due to the fact that violations will mean cancellation of pickup services. He said that the state will be looking at those who generate the waste to handle cost of processing it in the future. He also stated that recycling plans will be mandated in the future.

Mayor Wofford ended the discussion saying, "We will have to face the problems as we come to them and handle them as best we can."

SEAL COAT BIDS

Bids for the annual seal coating program for city streets were opened at the Monday meeting. Appian Corp. of Hereford submitted a base bid of \$16,946.66 and Ronnie Zahn of Lubbock submitted a base bid of \$19,005.60. The two were the only bidders and the bid went to Appian Corp. on a motion by Marr, seconded by Fortenberry and approved unanimously.

A short discussion was held concerning the possibility of investing in a Twin Max 1000, a device for smoothing alleys and dirt based streets. No decision was made and the council will look into the matter further. The estimated cost of the machine is about \$4,500.00.

STORM DAMAGE TO CITY BUILDINGS

Damage appraisal to the three city owned building roofs was reviewed. The appraisal was not approved by the council. Fortenberry suggested that the council obtain repair estimates before accepting the insurance appraisal in settling the claim. The council will consider the matter after getting repair specifics.

DEPARTMENT HEADS APPOINTED

Department heads for the coming year were appointed by the mayor. Each alderman will be responsible for a par-

ticular department of city operation. Fortenberry will continue to be the liaison for the fire department, Copeland will remain as the landfill head and Marr will be in charge of streets and alleys. Jones moves into the post for the police department and Anderson will oversee the farm and sewage system.

SWIMMING POOL DISCUSSED

The summer swimming pool operation was discussed by the council. After being informed by attorney Lyle that the swimming pool could not be handled in the same matter as it has been in the past. He told the council that they needed some type of contract and liability agreement in order to protect the city and its interests.

The council agreed to contact Violet Cooper, who has operated the pool in the past, and discuss with her what her requirements for the position are and determine what the city needs to be doing. No action was taken on the matter at present. A meeting has been scheduled for Monday, May 18 at 9:00 A. M. in order to further discuss the matter. It is imperative, according to the mayor, that the matter be resolved quickly so that the pool can open shortly.

OTHER MATTERS

Routine matters such as the reading and approval of the minutes and the payment of monthly bills were handled by the council at the morning session. Financial statements were reviewed and approved as presented and brief department reports were presented by individual aldermen.

Fortenberry was the only department head with a matter to report at this time. He stated that after conferring with the fire department, it was their wish that the old ambulance be retained as a backup and not sold at this time.

Budget amendments were also approved.

Attending the session were Mayor Kenneth Wofford, Council members Sam Fortenberry, J. D. Copeland, Gary Marr, Terry Jones, Jim Doucette, Bill Anderson and Ronnie Aston, city attorney Paul Lyle, city secretary Charlotte Hooten, Dickie Lambert, Ron and Vickie Coomer, City Engineer Johnson and the Hesperian-Beacon reporter.



SMASHED REMAINS--Crystal Sanders emerged from this wreckage with a broken back, after the Chevrolet Corsica slid out of control on Hwy. 207, ran up a tree and flipped over. She is in intensive care in stable condition at Methodist Hospital.

Staff Photo

County considers possible state paving

By Juanita Stepp

Mel Pope, of the Texas Department of Highways, met with the Floyd County Commissioners Court on Monday, May 11, to discuss a recently submitted proposal for construction and paving of a road in Northeast Floyd County. The proposed highway would run from South Plains to Quitaque if approved for construction.

Pope told the group present that the construction costs would probably run about \$150,000.00 per mile on level ground, more in the rough country off the caprock area. He estimated total costs of the approximately 20 miles of highway at about \$4 million.

"Money from the recently approved federal highway bill has not started flowing yet," said Pope. "The farm to market road program is not active at this time and I don't know if I can get that much allotted for Floyd County."

He suggested that everyone in favor of the proposed road give him all the information that they could concerning the ways in which the road would benefit the area. He also suggested that it would be advisable to contact government representatives to solicit their support of the project.

Among the beneficial items pointed out by some of those present who support the road were: agricultural use, school bus use, mail route use, recreational use by providing access to Caprock Canyon State Park and access to the linear railroad park under consideration in the area. As a historical piece of the Ozark Trail, it would also warrant construction of the road according to one interested party.

Pope estimated the time needed in order to obtain authorization for the project, design the highway, hold public hearings and arrive at construction would be the better part of a year. He also told the gathering that the county would be responsible for obtaining the right of way for the project and clearing it of utilities, fences and other obstructions.

Other action at the Monday morning session included the payment of monthly bills, and reviewing the

monthly reports from the county clerk, district clerk and both Justices of the Peace. Budget amendments were also approved by the commissioners.

County treasurer Glenna Orman reported that the county began the month of April with \$147,585.02 and took in receipts of \$359,711.98 and transfers of \$188,044.91. Disbursements totaled \$425,692.72 and transfers out were \$188,044.91, leaving a balance on April 30 of \$81,604.29.

Orman also reported \$597,000.00 in certificates of deposit at the First National Bank in Lockney which have earned interest of \$9,427.14 to date. Installment indebtedness at this time totals \$31,938.05 according to the treasurer.

MAY 8 SESSION

The Floyd County Commissioners also met on May 8. The Friday morning session was for the purpose of authorizing the purchase of fuel for Precinct 2.

Motion for the purchase was made by Jackson and seconded by Bishop. The vote was unanimous.

Farm work contracts were unanimously approved for Clark Harris, Bud Taylor, Mrs. M. L. Hartman by Ed Hartman, Gale McPherson, Garvin Beedy and Robert Daniels. Contracts previously approved for Adrain Helms and Truman Merrell were voided in the same action. Motion for the action was made by Bearden and seconded by Taylor.

A motion by Bearden was approved unanimously authorizing the judge to sign a letter of intent to participate in a program being instituted by the West Texas Library System. The program is an attempt to place computers and fax modems in all member libraries with the costs being shared by the library system and each individual library.

The court will meet again on Thursday morning, May 14, at 8:30 to consider advertising for a motor grader and to approve farm work contracts.

LOCKNEY CEMETERY ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the Lockney Cemetery Association will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Memorial Day, May 25, 1992 at the Community Center on East 8th Street in Lockney. There will be a Memorial Service after which the financial statement will be given and officers will be elected. The public is invited.

Old Settlers Dance

Blake Kitchens

\$5.00 per person

May 23 9-1

Floydada Rodeo Grounds

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Floydada All Band Spring Concert is Sunday afternoon

The annual All Band Spring Concert will be held on Sunday, May 17, at the High School Auditorium, beginning at 2:30 in the afternoon. Presented in the concert will be the R.C. Andrews Twister Band, the Junior High Seventh and Eighth Grade Breezer Bands and the High School Whirlwind Band. The Bands will play their recent contest numbers plus several pop tunes which will be fun for everyone present.

In addition to the concert bands, we

will also be presenting many of our State solo and ensemble events. The High School Band has twenty two members participating in the State solo and ensemble contest, June 1, on the campus of the University of Texas in Austin. These events will include three solos, a trombone trio and the High School Stage Band.

Special awards will be presented to the outstanding band members of their respective grades as well as honoring other outstanding members for their various activities.

Directors of the Bands are Mr. John M. Odom and Mr. Ben L. Hill. The public is invited to the concert and a special invitation is given to all members of the various Band members families. There is no admission charge for the concert.

Tech museum curator will speak to Society

The Caprock Genealogical Society invites the public to hear Karol Robb, Ph.D Monday, May 18, at 7 p.m. at the Floyd County Museum in Floydada.

Ms. Robb who earned her Ph.D in Folklore from the University of Indiana, M.A. from Cooperstown, N.Y. in American Folk Culture and her B.S. in Elementary Education will be speaking about "Preserving Local Folk Traditions and Culture Utilizing Oral History Methods".

She is presently serving as Curator of History and Textile Collections for the Museum at Texas Tech University and is an Assistant Professor of Museum Science.

The program will benefit those interested in preserving the history of family traditions.

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FAIR BOARD MEETING

The Floyd County Fair Board meeting will be held in Floydada at the Chamber of Commerce office, 105 W. California, on Tuesday, May 19, at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to share their ideas.

PRESERVING LOCAL FOLK TRADITION

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FLOYDADA SINGLES

Floydada Singles will meet at 6 p.m. Saturday, May 16, for a potluck meal. Hostesses will be Mattie Wester, Bessie Wilson and Edna Gilly.

OLD SETTLERS ARTS AND CRAFTS

Booths for Old Settlers Arts and Crafts Show are available this week. Call DarLee Foster, 652-3824.

ANDREWS PTA

R.C. Andrews PTA will meet at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 20, for the purpose of installing officers.

OLD SETTLERS STYLE SHOW

The Old Settlers Style Show will feature aprons and eyeglasses. If you have any items for this event contact Kathy Becker, 983-2092.

LOCKNEY EX-STUDENTS

The Lockney Ex-Student Association is trying to locate ex-students, former teachers and coaches. If you have addresses call or write Dewanda Blenden, 652-2563, Box 966, Lockney, TX 79241.

FLOYDADA COMMODITIES

Caprock Community Action will distribute commodities at the Massie Activity Center in Floydada on Monday, May 18, from 12 noon to 3:00 p.m. Residents are asked to not arrive before 12:00 noon. Bring a box or sack and your white commodity card. New applications will not be accepted after 2:30 p.m.

LOCKNEY PTA

Lockney PTA will meet at 7:00 p.m. Monday, May 18, at Lockney Elementary School.

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May 7	79	52
May 1	79	56
May 2	78	62
May 3	78	58
May 4	85	57
May 5	96	56



MRS. JUAN PABLO MARTINEZ

Lopez and Martinez say marriage promises

Maria Juanita Lopez became the bride of Juan Pablo Martinez during an afternoon ceremony in St. Lawrence Catholic Church, St. Lawrence. Officiating the recitation of vows was Father Charles Greenwell of St. Lawrence, assisted by Deacon Jesse Cavazos of Levelland and Deacon Calvin Stalter of Amarillo.

The altar was highlighted with two baskets holding white flowers, mums, carnations and gladiolas. Candelabras stood behind each basket arrangement.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jose Ma Lopez of Garden City, Texas. The groom is the son of Mrs. Augustina Martinez and the late Felipe Martinez of Floydada.

Escorted by her parents and given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an elegant white satin gown, made by her mother. The bodice, heavily hand-beaded with iridescent sequins and

pearls, featured a sabrina neckline and long pouf sleeves tapering to the wrist. The full skirt, highlighted with cutout lace appliques, was sprinkled with hand-beaded pearls and sequins and fell to a chapel length train, bordered in lace, pearls and sequins.

Her headpiece, a crown of pearls and orchids, accented with roses, was attached to a floor-length veil.

Attending her sister as maid of honor was Martha Lopez of Odessa. She wore a white off-the-shoulder taffeta dress and a white hat with blue chiffon ribbon and bow.

Bridesmaids were Natalie Currie of Big Spring, Anna Cavazos of Levelland, Dana Anthony of Floydada and Lee Ann Makie of Garden City. They were attired in royal taffeta dresses, also featuring off-the-shoulder necklines. Their white hats were also accentuated

with blue chiffon ribbon and bows.

All bridal attendants carried a single white tiger lily tied with white and blue ribbons.

Flower girls were Cindy Lopez of Andrews, niece of the bride, and Jamie Johnston of Floydada, niece of the groom. Their dresses were of white taffeta, accentuated with blue flowers and their headpieces consisted of baby's breath wreaths. Their white baskets, decorated with white ribbons and flowers, held white rose petals.

Ring bearer was Joe David Lopez of Andrews, nephew of the bride.

Acting as best man was Ricky Lopez of Plainview. Groomsmen were Luke Huitt of Garden City, Bill Lopez of Garden City, brother of the bride; Ed Wayne Cypert of Garden City and Joey Halfmann of St. Lawrence.

Seating guests and also lighting candles were Jose Lopez Jr. of Andrews and Larry Lopez of San Antonio, both brothers of the bride.

All male attendants wore black tuxedos with royal blue ties and cummerbunds. The groom was attired in a black tuxedo with white shirt and black tie and cummerbund.

Musical selections during the ceremony were presented by the choir of St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church in Floydada. The group consists of Ricky Vasquez, Olga Enriquez, Emma Sanchez and Manuel Rendon. Miss Modesta Lopez and Miss Luz Lopez, aunt of the bride, vocalized a special song for the couple.

Padrinos and madrinatas of gifts for the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Cavazos of Levelland, Ingles; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stalter of Amarillo, lasso; Mr. and

Mrs. Richard Quiroz of Austin, libro and rosario; Miss Luz Lopez of Mexico, aunt of the bride, arras; and Mr. and Mrs. Rosalio Lopez of Garden City, Bible.

A reception followed the ceremony in the church hall, which was decorated in the bride's chosen colors of white and blue.

A lattice panel, intertwined with white crepe paper and blue ribbons, stood behind the bride's table. The three-tiered wedding cake was decorated with white roses and blue flowers.

The groom's table held a traditional chocolate cake with chocolate roses. It displayed an eagle insignia, symbolizing the groom's service in the Army. The table also held champagne glasses for all the guests.

A dinner and dance followed the reception.

The bride is a 1980 graduate of Garden City High School. She also graduated from Howard College, then transferred to Angelo State University, where she earned her Bachelor of Science in 1984. She is currently attending UTPB in Odessa working towards her

Masters. She has been employed by the Floydada Independent School District for the past five years.

Martinez, a graduate of Floydada High School, served with the U.S. Army and is currently active in the Army Reserve. He is employed by Blanco Offset Printing in Floydada, where the couple is making their home.

Floyd County Lifestyles

Cecil Carthel's celebrate 50th wedding anniversary

Cecil and Charlotte Carthel of Lockney celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary, Saturday, May 9, with an outdoor barbecue held at Charles and Barbara Carthel's house.

Those attending were Bill and Lavona Pitchford of Canton, Mike and Becky Myers of Denton, Brenda Dennis and

children of Port Aransas, Texas, Bucky and Margaret Adams and daughter of Petersburg, Billy Bob and Robin Sherman and daughter of Lockney, Russell Carthel of Lockney, Ray Gene and Winnie Carthel of Russellville, Arkansas, Lavirn Carthel of Lockney, Bobby Frank Carthel of Lockney.

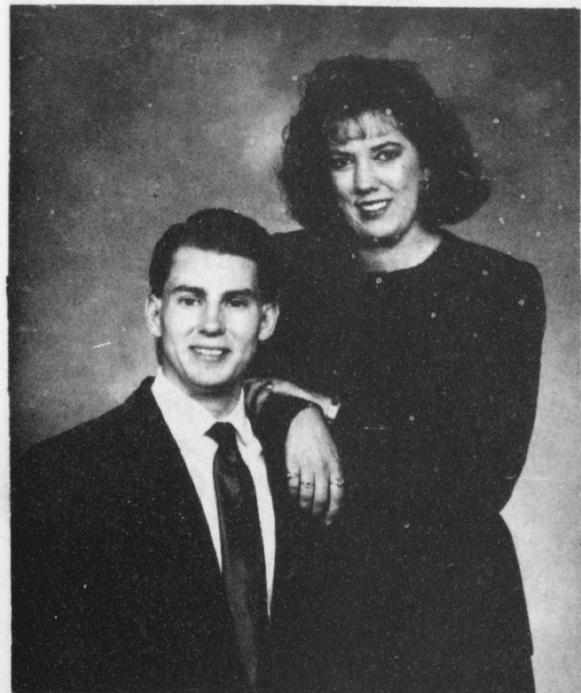
County museum plans open house May 22nd

The Floyd County Historical Museum will hold Open House Friday, May 22, from 1 to 6 p.m. with refreshments served from 4 to 6 p.m.

At 4 p.m. Mrs. Maylene Mickey, Plainview artist and former Floyd County resident, will present her painting which was awarded first place in the Spring Show of the Plainview Art Association. Mrs. Mickey's portrait of Mary Lou Bollman won the blue ribbon in the Pastel Division and is to be placed in the

Permanent Art Collection in the museum.

At 6 p.m. Jack T. Hughes, Ph.D. retired Professor of Anthropology from West Texas State University and self-employed consulting archaeologist will speak about "Coronado's Expedition and the Blanco Canyon Connection." Dr. Hughes has held many professional positions in the fields of Anthropology and Archaeology. He specializes in archaeology of Texas, the Great Plains, America and early man.



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED--Mr. and Mrs. Van L. York of Borden County announce the engagement and upcoming wedding of their daughter, Catherine Sue to Marcus Gaylon Amonett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Amonett of Ralls. Cathy is a graduate of Borden County High School and will be a May graduate of Lubbock Christian University. Marc is a graduate of Ralls High School, attends Texas Tech University and is employed by Fields and Company. The couple will wed July 25, in the Indiana Avenue Baptist Church in Lubbock.



GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY--Mr. and Mrs. JD Nash of Floydada will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary at an informal reception on May 23, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. at the Wall Street Parlor, 402 S. Wall in Floydada. The reception will be hosted by their children, Larry and Margaret Irby of Odessa, Spike and Camilla Wideman of Lubbock, Paul and Stephanie Nash of Lubbock, Mike and Martha Hadderton of Floydada, and the couple's eight grandchildren. Pete and Pauline were married May 27, 1942, in Italy, Texas. You are invited to make this a part of your "Old Settlers" celebration. Your presence is the only gift desired.

Senior Citizens Rockins

There were 47 people that enjoyed a delicious meal and dominoes Thursday night.

Guest in Sol Barclay home for the weekend was Myrtle Taylor, Milton Sutton, Bobbie Painter, Jessie and Larry Gould, Jason Johnson, Wilma Adams, Lori, Brent, Brandon Poole, Chris Anderson, Lisa Gonzales and Doylene Black.

We express our sympathy to Billy Dollar on the death of his grandson, Kyle Bush.

AILING
Shorty Clark (broken ankle), Mr. and Mrs. Norman Codwall, Myrt Hill

MENU

- May 18 - 22
- Monday:**
Hamburger steak, brown gravy, oven brown potatoes, mixed greens, green salad, cake
- Tuesday:**
Fried chicken, gravy, mashed potatoes, green peas, jello salad, fruit
- Wednesday:**
Pork chops, sauerkraut, lima beans, coleslaw, banana pudding
- Thursday:**
Chicken fried steak, gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, green salad, cherry cobbler
- Friday:**
Roast beef, baked potatoes, carrots, corn salad, pan cookies

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Doran and Dunn united in garden wedding

Catherine Doyle Doran and James Lane Dunn were united in marriage recently in an afternoon garden wedding at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Dunn. The double ring ceremony was officiated by the Reverend Darrell

Copeland. The reception was held in the garden immediately following the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Anne A. Eades of South Dartmouth, Massachusetts and Mr. George R. Doran of

Trophy Club, Texas. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Andrew P. Doyle and the late Mr. Doyle of New Bedford, Massachusetts and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Doran of Wellesley Hills, Massachusetts.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Dunn of Houston. He is the grand-

son of Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Jackson and Mrs. Frank Dunn and the late Mr. Dunn, all of Floydada.

The bride and groom both graduated from Stephen F. Austin State University and will reside in Nacogdoches, Texas following their honeymoon.



AUGUST WEDDING PLANNED—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Reecer of Alto, NM, formerly of Lockney would like to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Julie Kaye Reecer of Lubbock, to Terry Wayne Graham of Lubbock, son of Mrs. Flora Jones of Brundidge, Alabama, and the late Bennie Graham. Julie is a graduate of Lockney High School and received her BA degree in Public Relations from Texas Tech University. She is employed by Stuart Pharmaceuticals in Lubbock. Graham is a graduate of Pike County High School and attended Troy State University and Auburn University. He is currently employed at KLBK - TV 13 in Lubbock. The couple plan a August 29, 1992, wedding at Westmont Christian Church in Lubbock.

Hotchkiss' celebrate 50th

Johnny and Dorothy Hotchkiss of Canyon, formerly of Floydada will be celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary, Sunday, May 17, with family. They were married May 17, 1942 in

Clovis, N.M. at First United Methodist Church.

The Hotchkiss' have two children, Sam Hotchkiss of Pearsall and Susan Richardson of Canyon.

Senior Citizens News

By Thelma Jones

Mamie Wood and Lula Teague enjoyed Mother's Day in Lubbock. They met James Earl, Juanell and their granddaughter, Aspen Teague at the airport, all attended church, had lunch at Lubbock plaza. Enjoyed visiting friends in the afternoon until time for their departure for Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hartline of Leveland spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Cora Hartline and carried her to Furr's for lunch.

Mrs. Beulah Baker spent Saturday night and Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Sue in Ralls for Mother's Day.

Mrs. Mattie Wester, Mr. and Mrs. Joey Payne of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Payne of Vigo Park had lunch for Mother's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Aten and Joshua.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mayfield spent several days with his mother, Mrs. Muri Mayfield and at Canyon with relatives.

Linda Shelby of Lubbock and Loretta Johnson of Ralls visited Mrs. Myria Dade Saturday afternoon.

We still have several in the hospitals, Methodist and at Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Balios, Mr. and

Mrs. Joe Dunn of Lubbock and Mrs. Faye Jackson visited Mrs. Alma Dunn over the weekend.

Mrs. Grace Grundy had company over the weekend for Mother's Day.

Elizabeth Armstrong visited her sisters in Lubbock last week.

Mrs. Alma Smith and Mrs. Ethel Carmack went shopping in Plainview Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Wilks spent Sunday afternoon with his mother, W.J. Wilks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Glover of Dallas spent a few days last week with Mrs. Nora Hatley and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Daniel have returned home Monday from a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Tresman Glover from Madill, Oklahoma visiting her this week.

Remember we get the commodities Monday, May 18, at the Massie Activity Center from 12:00 until 3:00 p.m.

Lida Smithy and Lula Teague spent Friday night in Pampa with John and Shelli Tarpley their granddaughter.

They attended a stork shower Saturday morning for Shelli. They also visited Keith, Beverly and Ryan Teague.

side down cake, beverage choice

Friday:
Roast, gravy, mashed potatoes, carrot raisen salad, whole wheat roll, plum cobbler, beverage choice

WATCH/WARNING KNOW THE DIFFERENCE

Knowing the difference between a Tornado Watch and a Tornado Warning could save your life. A Watch means conditions are right for tornadoes to form. A Warning means a tornado has been sighted in your area, and you should take cover quickly.

Floydada Nursing Home Happenings

By Jo Bryant

Hi! hope this finds you all well and doing all right. There has been a lot of activity around here. We appreciate all who came and volunteer to visit.

Monday started the week as usual with morning coffee and juice. Bro. Bill Wright gave the devotional, Irene Wexler played the piano. Edna Patton, Ivola Walters, Decota Odam came to help sing. In the evening, the residents had current events, folded the newsletters and had some popcorn.

Tuesday, the employees enjoyed a Mexican dinner celebrating Cinco De Mayo. Music was also played during the day. At 2 p.m. the Companion -n-Caring volunteers had their monthly meeting. The ladies present were Selma Ortiz, Ola Smith, Shirley Varner, Sue Walker, Ruth McIntosh, Leona Neff, Dorothy Neff, Dolores Cannon, Jo Bryant and a guest, Mary James.

Wednesday was Bingo day, Otis Johnson had the first Bingo. Mary Alice Davis came and assisted the residents.

Thursday our mothers were honored with a party. They were all presented a rose corsage by the Companions -n-Caring. Mrs. Bradshaw was acknowledged as the oldest mother, 97, youngest

was Flo Ella Jarboe and Mrs. Burnice Walters, most children 8. They were presented flowers. Ruth McIntosh played the piano and we sang some "Good Ole Day Songs". The residents

were also served ice cream by the volunteers.

Friday, Molly Stringer came and gave the devotional on using our gifts and talents. She also played the piano and sang for us. In the evening, the residents went to Matador on the bus ride. Grace Gomez took us on the new bus, it's bright and colorful. Our Place treated the residents to ice cream.

Sunday, Calvary Baptist Church gave the devotional. They had a large group to come. We appreciate all our churches for coming on Sunday.

This week is National Nursing Home week. We invite you to come visit, residents, staff and say hello.

Monday the 18th is museum day and Thursday the 21st is our birthday party. Two birthdays are Ruth Benson and May Garrett.

Have a Good Week!
Thought
Don't think of friendship as something you get.
Think of it as something you give.

Floyd Data

Those spending Mother's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bradford were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Colston, Mrs. Notie Bell Fawver and Miss Delzie Bradford of Floydada and Mrs. Myrtle Blair of Plainview.



50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY—Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jarnagin wish to announce their 50th wedding anniversary. The Jarnagins have two sons, Gary and wife, Shannon of Idalou, Joe Mack and wife, Nancy of Port Orchard, WA. Glenn Jarnagin and Floriene Dorrell married May 17, 1942 in Lawton, OK. They have five grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

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MR. AND MRS. JAMES LANE DUNN

Bowden honored with shower in Holt home

Tamera Bowden, bride-elect of Tim Cooper was recently honored at a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Kenneth Holt in Lockney.

Guests were greeted in the receiving line by Mrs. Holt, Tamera Bowden, Nancy Bowden of Hart, mother of the bride; and Violet Cooper of Lockney, mother of the groom. They wore corsages of white daisies and baby's breath, tied with white satin ribbons.

Special out of town guests were Irene Cox of Plainview, grandmother of the bride and Elene McAninch of Plainview, great aunt of the groom.

The serving table was covered with a floor length off-white cloth with a lace heart overlay. The centerpiece was a Russian copper tea-kettle filled with white daisies and baby's breath. Other appointments on the table were brass and pewter. Finger foods and fruit punch were served to guests by Miss Tamara Burson.

The hostesses presented the couple with a vacuum cleaner. Serving as hostesses were: Charianne Burson, Sandra Cummings, Andy Ford, Glenda Ford, Cindy Cotham, Pat Frizzell, Emma Collins, Dahlia Hight, Fern Hartsell, Barbara Cawley, Ruby Terrell, Jean-

ette Marr, Cindy Ford, Anne Lee, Sally Shaw, Nancy Henderson, Jontha Mercer, Linda Kidd, Peggy Wiley and Heather Smith.

The couple will be married on May 23, in the First Baptist Church of Lockney.

New Arrival!

HAVENS

Gordon and Jerri Ann Havens of Wolfforth proudly announce the arrival of Haley Rebecah, who was born at 10:45 p.m., Monday, May 4. She weighed 5 lbs. and 13 oz. and was 19 1/2 inches long. This is their first.

Paternal grandparents are Richard and Vickie Havens of Lubbock. Maternal grandparents are Audry and Barbara McCormick of Lubbock, formerly of Lockney.

Great-grandparents are Turner and Sarah Hunter of Floydada, Ray McCormick of Plainview and Dorothy Davenport of Abernathy.

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Floydada Senior Citizens Menu

May 18 - 22

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Tuesday:

Fried chicken, coleslaw, potatoes au gratin, roll banana pudding, beverage choice

Wednesday:

Link sausage, baked beans, sauerkraut, cornbread, sweet potato pie, beverage choice

Thursday:

Salmon patties, broccoli and cheese sauce, rice, cornbread, pineapple-up-

Tonya Powell and Espinoza recite nuptials

Wedding vows uniting Tonya Powell and Javier Espinoza in marriage were read during a 5:00 p.m. ceremony in the chapel of the First Baptist Church of Floydada. Officiating were David Perez of Floydada and Nate Luna of Lockney.

Parents of the bride are Laticia Stephens of Floydada and George Powell of Anna, Texas. The groom's parents

are Enedina Espinoza of Floydada and Robert Espinoza of Eunice, New Mexico.

The altar featured a gold arch decorated with gold bows and white wedding bells. Candelabras, decorated with black and white bows and greenery, flanked the arch. The aisle was decorated with six aisle decors trimmed with black and white bows.

The bride, escorted by her uncle, Oran Eubanks, wore a magnificent gown of white satin beaded throughout with sequins and white pearls. The full chapel length train was accented with white satins and bows of pearls, beads and sequins.

She wore a fingertip length veil, attached to a teardrop headpiece of pearls and beads.

The bride's bouquet was made up of black and white roses surrounded with net and draped with black and white beads and ribbons. Gold roses and hearts was placed throughout the bouquet.

Serving as maid of honor was Tiffany Billegas of Floydada. Matron of honor was Deborah Beaty, sister of the bride, and bridesmaids were Vicki Jarrett, sister of the bride; Laura Espinoza, sister of the groom, and Becky Turner, cousin of the bride.

Bridal attendants wore identical tea length dresses of black and white taffeta organza. They carried white fans of black and white roses and streamers.

Flower girl was Courtney Jarrett, niece of the bride. The train girl was Nikki Beaty, niece of the bride. They were dressed identical in black and white with black and white baskets filled with flower petals.

Ring bearer was Joshua Maldonado, nephew of the groom. The train boy was Jimmy Espinoza, nephew of the groom.

Serving as best man was Michael Aleman. The groomsmen were Dale Beaty, brother-in-law of the bride; Victor Chavarria, Ray Martinez and Larry Galvan.

The groom wore a black notch tux-

edo. Male attendants wore black tuxedos with gold lamme ties and cummerbunds.

Guests were ushered by Robert Lopez and Marcos DeLaFuente.

Candles were lit by Joel Jarrett, nephew of the bride, and Alfred Maldonado III, nephew of the groom.

Musical selections were played by Sue Crow, pianist. "The Rose" and "You Light Up My Life" were sung by Sudy Cochran and Nora Cisneros. "Love Until The End of Time" was vocalized to complete the vows.

Presiding at the registration table was Misti Cochran.

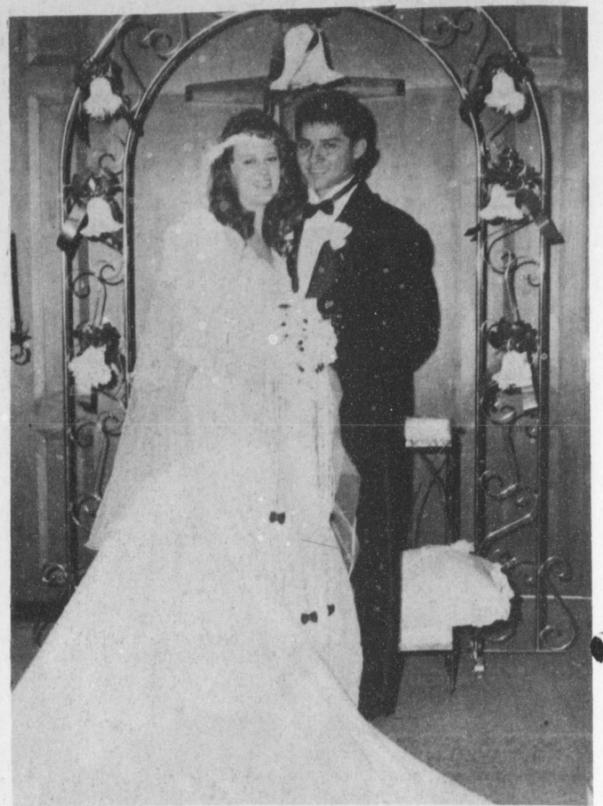
Following the ceremony, a supper reception and dance was held at the Massie Activity Center.

Serving punch and cake at the bride's table were Trish Pernell, Pam Bennett and Pat Franklin. The setting for the bride's table was a three-tier cake of traditional white trimmed in black and white. Also at the table was a brass punch bowl surrounded by black napkins of gold print with the bride and groom's names.

Presiding at the groom's table were Sudy Cochran, Kami Chance, Treva Edwards, and Gwen Orosco. They served chocolate sheath cake with mints and nuts.

The bride and groom will be residing in Phoenix, Arizona, where they both are employed and where the groom is attending Phoenix Institute of Technology, majoring in Architectural Drafting.

A rehearsal dinner, hosted by Oran and Deloyce Eubanks, uncle and aunt of the bride, was held Friday night at Pizca Gold.



MR. AND MRS. JAVIER ESPINOZA

Miniature LHS replicas will be sold by Athenas

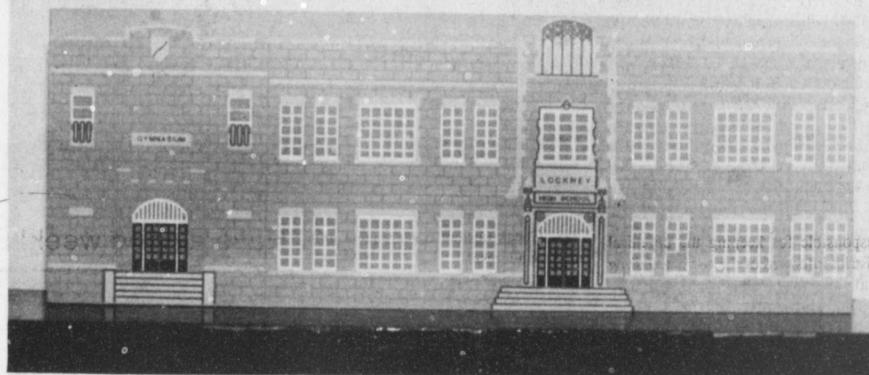
Athena Study Club has received an order of 275 miniature replicas of the Lockney High School building (circa 1950) to be sold at special events in Floyd County for the next few months, culminating with Lockney homecoming on October 9-10.

Some of the miniatures have been numbered and the first few will be donated to Floyd County Historical Museum, Lockney High School, and Lockney branch library.

School photos from the 1940s and 1950s were used to make a representative line drawing, which was then silk screened onto wood measuring 8" x 3" x 1".

Depending on the public's response to the miniature Lockney High School building, Athena Study Club is considering offering each year a reproduction of a historical Lockney building.

Proceeds from the sale of the miniatures will be used by Athena Study Club to support local projects.



LOCKNEY HIGH SCHOOL REPLICA (circa 1950)

Remember to attend the Floyd County Pioneer Reunion next weekend, May 23!

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Clubs and Organizations

1950 Study Club

By Nell Abram

The 1950 Study Club met May 5, in the home of Nettie Ruth Whittle with Geneile Evans as co-hostess. Members enjoyed a delicious salad supper.

President Edris Edwards conducted the business meeting. Roll call was answered with a program idea for next year. Sue Moore read the minutes of the previous meeting. Nettie Ruth Whittle gave the treasurer's report.

Federation Counselor, Lovene Moore, gave a report on the State Federation Convention. She reported that \$79,790.00 was given in scholarships in the state. Caprock District, which the 1950 Study Club is a member, gave more than in district in the state. Present at the convention was an active member who is 97 years old.

Geneile Evans reported on the "walking trail" for Floydada. She had met with the city officials who are interested in helping in this project.

Austin Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Williams, who is the Hugh O'Brian student, reported on the seminar in Amarillo. He was one of eighty four ambassadors attending. The 1950 Study Club helps send a Floydada student each year.

Francis Puckett was in charge of installation. Those installed were: President - Geneile Evans, 1st Vice President - Lovene Moore, 2nd Vice President - Shirley Morton, Secretary - Martha Lotspeich, Treasurer - Wanda Hickeron, Reporter Jane McCulley.

Committees appointed by newly installed President Geneile Evans were: Yearbook - Shirley Morton and Nettie Ruth Whittle, Finance - Marjorie McElyea, Notification - Carol Reese and Jane McCulley, Program - Roberta Russell, Community Action - Doris McLain, Christmas Greeting - Edris Edwards and Nell Abram.

Buffalo Grass Chapter NSDAR

Buffalo Grass Chapter NSDAR met April 28, at Lighthouse Electric. Vera Jo Bybee, Regent, called the meeting to order and it was opened in ritualistic form. She then gave the report on the State Conference that she and Mary Lou Bollman attended at Fort Worth in March. The chapter was awarded Certificate of Merit in the following: Lineage Workshop, Magazine Subscriptions, Advertising, Regent's Projects, Yearbook, Public Relations, 3rd place in Division I; and Columbus Quincennial. Roxanne Cummings read the President General's message.

Loretta Denning presented some plans for the May meeting. "A Decade of Service" to be held in observance of the 10th anniversary of the founding of the chapter. A salad supper will be held at 6:30 p.m. on May 26, at Lighthouse Electric. All members and former members of Buffalo Chapter are urged to attend.

The hostess Carolyn Marble and Ona Ruth Neff served refreshments to: Eugenia Bethard, Mary Lou Bollman, Vera Jo Bybee, Elfie Sherman, Grace Zablieski, Nancy Marble, Ozena Norris, Gene Reed, Roxanne Cummings, Dorothy Hodges, Emily Johnston, June Sherman and Loretta Denning.

1990 Study Club

By Holly Lee

The 1990 Study Club met in the home of Holly Lee. Business discussed included the final plans for the Old Settlers Dance to be held Saturday, May 23.

Members signed up to work the gates

at the dance. Other business included a check of the tickets sold for Cow Patty Bingo. All members still have available tickets to sell. Members also made plans to decorate a store window for the Old Settlers celebration.

After the business meeting members enjoyed chicken enchiladas, fresh vegetables, queso and chips, and turtle cake for dessert.

Hostesses were Sandra Schwertner and Holly Lee.

Members attending the meeting were Jan Beedy, Lori Battey, Sherese Covington, Brenda Hefflin, Cindy Fortenberry, Latona Davis, Sandra Schwertner, Holly Lee, Dara Ware, Tami Wofford, Gayla Marble and Miles Marble.

Harmony Extension Club

By Doris Snodgrass

The Harmony Extension Club met at 2 p.m. May 11, in the club room with Karen Miller as hostess.

President Vivian Curtis called the meeting to order. Roll call was answered by a Woman to Admire by members Arvie Schulz, Vivian Curtis, Juanita Poole, Ruth Scott, Karen Miller, Maye Williams, Blanche Williams, Ann Maude, Doris Snodgrass and the agent Melissa Long.

The finance committee reported, Sunshine and program committee reported.

Our club will sell flavoring for a money making scheme for the Extension Club.

Melissa Long, the agent, gave an interesting program on Texas and it was enjoyed by all.

Karen Miller served refreshments.



KEEPING YOU WARM—Lockney Senior Citizens delivered a wide variety of handmade lap quilts to the Lockney Care Center on Friday. Shown here are several of the seamstresses who worked on the quilts: (l to r) Kathryn Cooper, Margie Turner, Neva Smith, Marie Wylie, Elfie Sherman. —Staff Photo

Club sets example for community service

By Holly Lee

The 1990 Study Club is a service organization. The club works each year to supply needy organizations with financial support. Along with sponsoring booths in all of the community celebrations, the club works hard at keeping a reputation for helping out when needed. From cobbler to ice cream at Punkin Days to decorating windows, the Old Settlers Dance, and cow patty Bingo, the club earns its profit through the pride and support of the members of Floyd County.

The 1990 Study Club has made contributions to the Floyd County Child Welfare Board, Diana Owens, The Edwards Family and Floyd County Day Care. New plans include a Drug Awareness program sponsored and directed by members for all levels at the Floydada schools. The club has a new interest in becoming directly involved with the

youth of Floydada and feels they have a lot to offer in helping the students understand the benefits of a drug free lifestyle. Members meet once a month and have a short business meeting followed by a meal and program. The organization currently has 18 members.

Your help and support in all of our activities is appreciated by both members and recipients. Activities currently

underway include the Old Settlers Dance, Saturday, May 23, at the Rodeo grounds and the Cow Patty Bingo at the Old Settlers Day celebration.

Contact any member or call 983-5431 or 983-3393 for ticket information. Prizes of \$500, \$300, and \$200 will be awarded to three lucky winners.

Thank you, everyone who voted and supported me in my bid for Councilman-at-Large on May 2nd. Also congratulations to Clar Schacht, Eric Cornelius and Amado Morales. Also, thank you Sharon Quisenberry.

Albert Hill Sr.

ARB to hear protests as of June 22

Property owners in the Floyd County Appraisal District will have an opportunity "later this month," to protest proposed appraisals of their property for local taxes. The district's appraisal review board (ARB) will begin hearing taxpayer protests on June 22, 1992.

After the ARB concludes its hearings and approves final property appraisals, local governments will use these appraisals to assess property taxes for 1992.

The ARB is a group of citizens who live in the appraisal district and who are appointed by the district's directors. Their responsibilities are outlined by the Texas Constitution, which requires that property be appraised equally and uniformly and that exemptions and productivity appraisal be properly granted.

Property owners may appeal before the ARB to protest any of the following appraisal office actions:

- * the appraised or agricultural value of the property;
- * unequal appraisal of the taxpayer's property compared to other property in the district;
- * inclusion of the property on the appraisal records;
- * denial of a partial exemption, such as a homestead exemption;
- * denial of agricultural-use, open-space or timber productivity appraisal;
- * determination that agricultural or timber land has had a change of use and is subject to a rollback tax;
- * identification of the taxing unit or units in which the property is located;
- * determination that the taxpayer is the owner of the property;
- * any other action of the appraisal office that adversely affects the property owner.

Shelia Faulkenberry, chief appraiser for the district, outlined the steps by which a property owner files a protest. First, the property owner must file a written notice of protest with the ARB. This must be filed by June 1 or within 30 days after the taxpayer is mailed a notice

of appraised value by the chief appraiser, whichever is later.

However, if the ARB sends a property owner a notice of any other kind of change in the appraisal records, or if the chief appraiser issues a notice for a property omitted in the prior year, the property owner has 30 days from the mailing date to file a protest.

Official forms for a notice of protest are available at the appraisal district office. "A letter from the taxpayer is also acceptable," Faulkenberry said, "as long as it identifies the property owner and the property that is the subject of the protest and indicates dissatisfaction with some decision or action of the appraisal office."

Each protesting property owner may offer evidence or argument, either in person or by filing an affidavit with the ARB. Property owners should be aware that the ARB has no authority over tax rates or spending and will not hear protests on those matters.

The ARB will schedule hearings as property owners file protests and will inform them of the time, date and place of their individual hearings at least 15 days before the scheduled hearing date.

The property owner will also receive a copy of the State Comptroller's pamphlet entitled Texas Property Taxes: Taxpayers' Rights, Remedies & Responsibilities and a copy of the ARB's procedures.

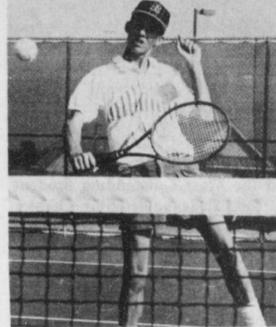
Faulkenberry said that protest hearings will be held for one day and that the ARB expects to approve the final appraisal roll on June 24, 1992. State law requires the ARB to review and approve the appraisal records by July 20, or when not more than 5 percent of the total property value in the district remains under protest.

Property owners protesting their valuation should not attempt to contact ARB members outside the hearing, the chief appraiser stressed. Each ARB member must sign an affidavit stating that no such contact has occurred with a property owner or the appraisal office staff before the scheduled hearing.

Texas Property Taxes: A Taxpayer's Guide to Rights, Remedies & Responsibilities is available at the Floyd County Appraisal District office. For a copy, contact the appraisal district staff at Courthouse Room 107, Floydada, TX 79235; 806-983-5256.



BRITTANY GREGORY



JOSH GREGORY

Former Floydada students qualify for state competition

A Clifton High School brother and sister duo has qualified to compete in Austin for Texas State UIL honors this May. Brittany and Josh Gregory, former Fisd students, each have advanced through district and regional contests to earn the opportunity to vie for All State honors.

Brittany, a junior at CHS, will travel to Austin for the second year in a row to compete in the State Solo and Ensemble Contest in band. Having earned a II in a french horn solo in 1991, Ms. Gregory will compete both in her french horn solo and in a brass ensemble this year. Brittany also served as the assistant drum major for Clifton's sweepstakes band, which won a fourth place standing in the state marching contest held in the University of Texas Memorial Stadium last fall.

Josh, by winning second place in the

Region II-AA tournament at Tarleton State University in Stephenville, has qualified for the state tennis tournament in Austin on May 15-16. Only a freshman, Josh played in the #1 singles position on the CHS varsity most of the year and won the District 15-AA crown. His accomplishment makes him the first tennis player from Clifton to ever compete at the state tournament, where he will be one of only eight AA players fighting for the state championships in singles.

Brittany and Josh both were students in Floydada schools until their family moved to Clifton. Their parents, Jack and Zacha, both teach in the Clifton Independent School District. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Cummings and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gregory, all of Floydada.

Sutton named Associate Dean at Auburn University

Charlotte Decker Sutton, daughter of Edell and Lovene Moore and Lane Decker of Floydada, was recently named Associate Dean within the College of Business at Auburn University in Auburn, Ala.

Among Dr. Sutton's responsibilities will be the coordination of the College of Business graduate programs, including the MBA program with more than 300 students. Auburn's College of Business has more than 100 faculty members and 4,900 students.

The announcement of Dr. Sutton's new position follows her recognition in Washington, D.C., as one of five outstanding business faculty members in

the United States. Named a Richard D. Irwin Fellow by Beta Gamma Sigma, national business honor society, she was one of 70 nominees nationwide.

Dr. Sutton will also be among 30 delegates from the United States to visit Russia, Latvia and Estonia this summer in an effort to provide assistance to small businesses in those countries. The delegation, which consists of university faculty members and business leaders from throughout the United States, will spend two weeks advising both existing and aspiring business owners as well as government officials.

Dr. Sutton is a 1971 graduate of Floydada High School.

Floyd County teachers invited to workshops

The Board of Directors of the Floyd County Soil and Water Conservation District invites all teachers of Floyd County to attend the nationally acclaimed PROJECT LEARNING TREE and PROJECT WILD workshops. These workshops have been established in cooperation with Texas Tech University for teachers to earn approved advanced academic training credit.

PROJECT LEARNING TREE, which will be held July 2, 1992, from 9:00 am. - 4:00 p.m., in the University Center, emphasizes the importance of a productive land base with respect to forest and other land resources. It is an

interdisciplinary, environmentally-focused supplementary curriculum program for integration into the regular curriculum at all grade levels. The conservation materials available consist of two guides containing multidisciplinary activities.

PROJECT WILD, which will be held July 3, 1992 from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., in the University Center, emphasizes wildlife ecology, management, and conservation. It is a supplementary education program for integration into the curriculum of language arts, social studies, mathematics, science and art. The conservation materials available

consist of guides with activities to help in teaching these courses.

Teachers may attend either one or both of the workshops for credit. A teacher may earn six (6) hours of AAT credit, which is a prerequisite for individual career ladder advancement, per workshop.

Registration information may be obtained from Texas Tech University, Division of Continuing Education. For additional information contact the Soil Conservation Service, USDA Building, Highway 70 East, Floydada, Texas. Phone number 983-2352.

Programs and services of the Soil Conservation Service are offered on a nondiscriminatory basis without regards for race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, marital status or handicap.

Property owners informed of 1992 values

Texas property owners have the right to be informed of changes in their property's value by local appraisal district. On May 7, 1992 Floyd County Appraisal District mailed 4,500 property owners their notices showing the 1992 proposed value.

Shelia Faulkenberry, chief appraiser of the district, reminds property owners that the notice of appraised value is not a tax bill. "Please do not pay from this notice," Faulkenberry said.

Faulkenberry emphasized the importance of the notice and the key information that it contains for a property owner. "A property owner has the right to appeal to the Floyd County Appraisal Review Board on any disagreement with the property's value, exemptions, ownership and other areas," she said.

The appraisal review board, more commonly called "ARB", is an independent panel of citizens responsible for reviewing the appraisal district's values. The ARB also hears and settles protest from property owners who disagree with some action by the appraisal district.

What should a property owner look for on the notice? "Take special note of the proposed value of 1992," Faulkenberry said. "The notice shows the land's value and any improvement value for the property for the current year." An improvement is a building, structure, fence or any other type of fixture to the land.

The appraisal notice also includes current year information on exemptions granted to the property. It provides last year's value, too.

Notices to property owners whose values went up or increased more than \$500 will also include "estimated taxes." These "estimated" taxes are based on the new value and estimated tax rates if the taxing unit set tax rates for the same amount of operating dollars as last year. Generally, taxing units set final 1992 tax rates in August and September.

Faulkenberry asks that a property owner look carefully at the legal description and mailing address to be sure that there are no errors. "If the notice contains an old address, please let the appraisal district know. Mail is only forwarded to a new address for a short time, and tax bills do not go out until October," Faulkenberry added.

A property owner can be liable for additional penalties and interest on a tax bill not paid timely. A property owner is

responsible for keeping the appraisal district informed of the correct mailing address.

The sample appraisal notice illustrates key information for a property owner. Any property owner is encouraged to contact the appraisal district to discuss any questions.

Faulkenberry added, "If you did not get a notice and want 1992 information about your property, please call the appraisal district at 806-983-5256. The general deadline for protesting to the ARB is June 1 for this year."

Here's what to look closely at on a Notice of Appraised Value:

FLOYD COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT				NOTICE OF APPRAISED VALUE		
IMPROVEMENT VALUE FOR LAND VALUE FOR AGRICULTURAL VALUE FOR		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>				
DISTRICT	IMPROVEMENTS	EXEMPTIONS	ASSESSED VALUE	TAX RATE	TAX AMOUNT	
IMPROVEMENT VALUE FOR LAND VALUE FOR AGRICULTURAL VALUE FOR		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>				
DISTRICT	IMPROVEMENTS	EXEMPTIONS	ASSESSED VALUE	ESTIMATE OF TAX RATE	ESTIMATED TAXES	

NOTE: This is NOT a tax statement. Do Not Pay from this Notice.

The estimated tax rates indicated for these taxing units are calculated to raise the same amount of total tax revenue from properties taxed in as these units raised for those purposes in . Each governing body of these taxing units may NOT adopt a rate that will increase tax revenues more than 3 percent from properties taxed in . without publishing notice in a newspaper that it is considering a tax increase and holding a hearing for taxpayers to discuss the tax increase. The taxes indicated would be levied on the above described property if the taxing units adopted these estimated tax rates.

PLEASE READ: If you feel that the proposed value for the above described property is incorrect, please contact the appraisal district office immediately at 806-983-5256. If we are unable to resolve the situation, you will be given an opportunity to schedule a hearing with the Appraisal Review Board. In order to be entitled to a hearing, you must file a written protest with the Appraisal Review Board. A copy of a notice of protest form can be obtained from the appraisal district office.

The governing body of each of these taxing units decides whether or not taxes on property will increase and the appraisal district only determines the value of property. If a taxpayer objects to increasing taxes and government expenditures, he or she should complete to the governing bodies at these taxing units. Only complete about value should be presented to the appraisal office and the appraisal review board.

For School Districts: For those taxpayers 65 years of age or older who received the \$10,000 residence homestead exemption for school district purposes, the amount of school taxes that will be imposed for will not exceed the tax ceiling established on those homesteads.

PHONE 806-983-5256
COUNTY COURTHOUSE, RM. 107
FLOYDADA, TEXAS 79235

Check current owner name and mailing address.
Review the property's legal description for any error.
Agree or disagree with the proposed value on the land, building(s).
Check if correct exemptions granted; if not, apply with appraisal district.
File a written protest with the district by June 1 if disagree with some action.
Read other items on notice that are required by law about property taxes.
Talk to district about any questions. Call 806-983-5256.

Have a good week!

Property Tax Protest and Appeal Procedures

The law gives property owners the right to protest actions concerning their property tax appraisals. You may follow these appeal procedures if you have a concern about:

- the value placed on the property
- any exemptions that may apply to you
- the cancellation of an agricultural appraisal
- the taxable status of your property
- the local governments which should be taxing your property
- any action taken by the appraisal district that adversely affected you.

Informal Review
Contact Appraisal District Staff
806-983-5256

Review by the Appraisal Review Board
If you can't resolve your problem informally with the appraisal district staff, you may have your case heard by the appraisal review board (ARB).

The ARB is an independent board of citizens that reviews problems with appraisals or other concerns listed above. It has the power to order the appraisal district to make the necessary changes to solve problems. If you file a written request for an ARB hearing (called a notice of protest) before the deadline, the ARB will set your case for a hearing. You'll receive written notice of the time, date and place of the hearing. The hearing will be informal. You and the appraisal district representative will be asked to present evidence about your case. The ARB will make its decision based on the evidence presented. You can get a copy of a protest form from the appraisal district office at Courthouse Room 107, Floydada, Texas, 79235

Note: You shouldn't try to contact ARB members outside the hearing. The law requires ARB members to sign an affidavit saying that they haven't talked about your case before the ARB hears it.

Review by the District Court
After it decides your case, the ARB must send you a copy of its order by certified mail. If you're not satisfied with the decision, you have the right to appeal to district court. If you choose to go to court, you must start the process by filing a petition within 45 days of the date you receive the ARB's order. If the appraisal district has appraised your property at \$100,000 or more you must file a notice of appeal with the chief appraiser within 15 days of the date you receive the ARB's order.

More information
You can get more information by contacting your appraisal district at Courthouse Room 107, Floydada, Texas, 79235. You can also get a pamphlet describing how to prepare a protest from the appraisal district or from the State Comptroller's Property Tax Division at 4301 Westbank Drive, Building B, Suite 100, Austin, Texas 78746-6565.

Deadline for Filing Protests with the ARB*

Usual Deadline
On or before May 31 (or 30 days after a notice of appraised value was mailed to you, whichever is later).

Late protests are allowed if you miss the usual deadline for a good cause. Good cause is some reason beyond your control, like a medical emergency. The ARB decides whether you have good cause.

Late protests are due the day before the approval review board approves records for the year. Contact your appraisal district for more information.

Special Deadlines
For change of use (the appraisal district informed you that you are losing agricultural appraisal because you changed the use of your land), the deadline is before the 30th day after the notice of the determination was mailed to you.

For ARB changes (the ARB has informed you of a change that increases your tax liability and the change didn't result from a protest you filed), the deadline is before the 30th day after the notice of the determination was mailed to you.

If you believe the appraisal district or ARB should have sent you a notice and did not, you may file a protest until the day before taxes become delinquent (usually February 1). The ARB decides whether it will hear your case based on evidence about whether a required notice was mailed to you.

*The deadline is postponed to the next business day if it falls on a weekend or holiday.

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FFA AWARDS—Among those receiving special recognition at the annual FFA banquet were (left to right) Misty Bertrand, who was named Star Greenhand; Nathan Whittle who received the Most Outstanding Student award for 1991-1992; Todd Cage, named Star Chapter Farmer; and Ag Instructor Barron Wetsel. —Staff Photo

Chavarria selected for Greenbelt Bowl

By Bill Gray

Floydada Whirlwind senior Ruben Chavarria has been selected to play for the South team in the 43rd annual Childress - D.S.A Greenbelt Bowl All-Star football game. Chavarria, a two time All-South Plains performer for the Whirlwinds, is among 48 area All-Stars that have been selected by a nominating committee from a list of some 200 nominees submitted by 100 area coaches.

Chavarria will join numerous All-State and Honorable Mention All-State high school grid stars who dot the rosters of the 1992 North and South squads that will assemble in Childress on June 2 for two-a-day conditioning and training. The game will be played at Fair Park Stadium on Saturday, June 6 starting at 6:30 p.m.

Head coach of the South team is Jimmie Keeling of Hardin Simmons University, and the North squad's head coach will be Mike Calcote of Midwestern State University. Chavarria is listed on the South roster at fullback, but is expected to see duty at defensive line-backer as well. He will be joined in the backfield by Dimmitt's Lincoln Stewart. Casey Summers, also of District 2-3As Dimmitt, is listed as a tight end. Tyson Willis of Tulia is the other District 2-3A player chosen for the game and is listed at wide receiver for the North squad.

The Greenbelt Bowl is one of the oldest high school all-star games in Texas, and is designed to give additional exposure to outstanding area seniors who have not yet signed college football scholarships.

Old timers still talk about high school stars like Frank Ryan from Houston, who played in one of the earliest games, and went on to be an All-Southwest Conference star at Rice University. Ryan later played quarterback in the pros at Cleveland. Then there was Ray McKown, the "Dumas Dandy" who came to Childress without a scholarship, but Abe Martin took him to T.C.U., where he made All-American. It seems that McKown was just an ordinary player until he was backed up in his own

end zone facing a 30 mile-per-hour wind — and kicked a 60-yard punt that got the Horned Frogs out of danger. Coach Martin commented, "Ray can't pass... he can't punt... he's slow... all that kid can do is beat you!"

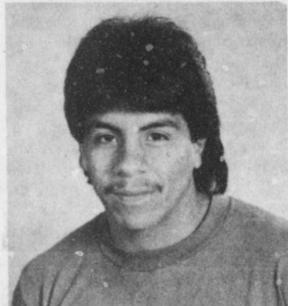
Others will remember Mike Hargrove from Perryton — the most valuable player in the game, who threw the winning touchdown pass to Craig Smith of the Jacksboro Tigers. Hargrove now manages the major league Cleveland Indian baseball team. Several years ago, Mike sent a \$100.00 check to Childress with the note "playing in the Greenbelt Bowl was a highlight of my young life and I will never forget meeting the other young athletes who have remained friends in my memories. Thanks for giving all of us the chance to play."

Similar stories are too many to share in this article, but the young men playing this year are going to be the leaders of their respective communities some ten years from now — and this football game will live in their memories forever.

The Greenbelt Bowl game is a civic undertaking by the citizens of Childress. They take pride in the fact that, as a community, they touch the lives of the parents and players. For many of the players it will be the final time to don

pads and participate on a gridiron. Hopefully, for a few, the game will be a springboard toward possible collegiate careers. And, there could be a possible "Frank Ryan" playing in the Greenbelt Bowl at Childress on June 6.

Ruben Chavarria had an outstanding four years as a starter for the Floydada Whirlwinds. As a linebacker, he was an impact player on defense. He started at fullback as a freshman and was named All-District 2-3A and All-South Plains following his junior and senior seasons. His talents will be showcased at the Greenbelt Bowl. Floydada football fans can be justifiably proud of his selection to the prestigious event.



RUBEN CHAVARRIA



NUMBER SENSE WINNERS — Leigh Dawdy, left, placed 2nd and Mario Nunez (right) placed first in 6th grade UIL district Number Sense competition May 2 in Floydada. Others participating were Amanda Fawver and Heather Cruz. Coaches for the youngsters were Clinton Fawver and Frances Hambricht. —Staff Photo

Joyce Williams is FHS Feature Teacher

This week's feature teacher is Joyce Williams, Floydada High's CVAE-Home Ec teacher. A native of Dumas, Texas, Joyce graduated from Crowell High School. She then attended Texas Women's University, Lubbock Christian University and graduated from Texas Tech, where she also did graduate work. Joyce is certified to teach Home Economics and Special Education.

She has had experience teaching in all Floydada schools. Along with teaching remedial reading and special ed at Duncan and R.C. Andrews, Joyce educated students at Della Plains. Now she is actively involved on the high school campus as CVAE-Home Ec teacher.

When Joyce is not involved in school activities, she likes to read and travel. Joyce also likes being active in her

church and volunteer work. Another place you might find Joyce is camping with her grandchildren.

One of Joyce's favorite quotes is "Good manners don't cost a penny, but are worth a million dollars." She tries hard to instill this in her students and enjoys helping young people gain new, enriching experiences through study, travel and work.



APPRECIATION AWARDS — Michael Hinsley, left, and Kim Hinsley, right, were presented with awards of appreciation for their service and dedication to FFA. Todd Cage, center made the presentations. —Staff Photo

Whirlwinds split district games

By Bill Gray

FRIONA 14, FLOYDADA 4

The Friona Chieftains broke open a tight 1-1 deadlock by scoring 11 runs in the bottom of the third inning, and coasted to a 14-4 victory over the Floydada Whirlwinds at Friona on May 5. The game was called at the end of five complete innings due to the 10-run rule.

Senior Billy Villarreal continued his hot hand at the bat as he went 2 for 3, scored twice, and knocked in a run. Micheal Gilliland and Rafael DeOchoa collected the other two Floydada base hits. DeOchoa also was credited with two RBIs.

Floydada's Brandon Gilliland pitched 2-2/3 innings, walked three batters, gave up eight hits and struck out two. Pitching in relief, Mike Ochoa worked 2-1/3 innings, gave up two walks and two hits, and fanned one Chieftain.

Commenting on Floydada's second district loss, Coach Jimmy Webster said, "Offensively, it was Billy (Villarreal) and Gill (Micheal Gilliland) again — with help from Ralph (Rafael DeOchoa). Billy singled, doubled, scored and stole twice. Ralph batted well in the fifth inning with two men on and a no-ball, two-strike count. He fought a pitch for a two-RBI single. He's been competing real well for us lately, and has improved throughout the season in a lot of ways."

Webster added, "Friona is a good ball club — very similar to Muleshoe. We caught their pitcher (Cuevas) while he was hot. He was tough today! Our pitching wasn't bad... they just hit it!"

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FLOYDADA	1 0 0 0 3	4	4	3
FRIONA	1 0 (11) 0 2	14	10	3

FLOYDADA STATISTICS		AB	R	H	RBI
Q. Johnson, 3b		2	0	0	0
B. Anderson, LF		1	0	0	0
D. Johnston, CF		3	1	0	0
B. Villarreal, SS		3	2	2	1
M. Gilliland, 1b		2	0	1	1
T. Terrell, 1b		1	0	0	0
R. DeOchoa, C		1	0	1	2
J. Thayer, CR		0	0	0	0
B. Gilliland, P/3b		3	0	0	0
G. DeLaFuenta		2	0	0	0
D. McCarty, RF		2	0	0	0
M. Ochoa, DH/P		1	1	0	0
		21	4	4	3

Errors: Q. Johnson (2), Villarreal 2B: Villarreal						
Pitching:						
IP	AB	H	R	ER	BB	K
B. Gilliland 2-2/3	21	8	12	9	3	2
(L2-4)						
M. Ochoa 2-1/3	10	2	2	1	2	1

FLOYDADA 14, DIMMITT 8

Whirlwind sophomore Brandon Gilliland hit the first home run in modern-day Floydada baseball, and the 'Wind defense turned its first double play for 1992, as the Whirlwinds fought from behind twice to outslug and overcome Dimmitt 13-8 at Watson Field on May 9. In a game of "firsts," Floydada also swept its first season series with a district opponent. But it wasn't easy.

The Bobcats opened the attack with two runs in the top of the second and added another score in the top of the third innings. The Whirlwinds stormed back in the bottom of the third inning

All-Sports Picnics planned for Floydada athletes

FLOYDADA HIGH SCHOOL
The All-Sports Picnic for Floydada High School will be Thursday, May 21, from 6:00-9:00 p.m. All high school athletes are invited.

with six runs. The Bobcats quickly overcame the 6-3 deficit with a four-run outburst in their half of the fourth inning.

Trailing 7-6, the Whirlwinds again responded. Rafael DeOchoa hit for a single, followed by Brandon Gilliland's towering home run. It was not only the team's first homer of the season — it was the first home run by a Whirlwind batter at the recently-refurbished and newly-named Watson Field. Gilliland's home run appeared to be the catalyst the Whirlwinds needed as they held the visitors scoreless the final two innings.

Floydada's Mike Ochoa pitched six complete innings in perhaps his best outing of 1992. Facing 32 batters, Ochoa struck out five, gave up seven hits and six walks in registering his third win of the season against two losses. Starting catcher Brandon Gilliland tossed off the mask and chest protector to take the pitching mound in relief when Ochoa started tiring. "Jed" pitched one inning in relief, gave up two walks, but denied Dimmitt a run or a base hit while facing five Dimmitt batters. Putting down Dimmitt's late bid for a rally, Gilliland was credited with the "save."

A happy Coach Webster commented, "Boy! We came out slow today. It wasn't pretty, but like the saying goes, 'Just win baby!' Our offense performed well (10 for 31), but our defense was brutal (8 errors). Our base running was atrocious! However, for one of our ugliest games of the year, we did some good things."

Webster added, "Jed's (Brandon Gilliland) home run was a big lift. It came at a good time, but not as timely as our 6-4-3 double play. That was great to see. We work on that play every day, and we finally got one. Another shot in the arm was the second inning single to left field that drove in two Dimmitt runs. But, Ken Cummings hit the cut-off man and "Q-Dog" (Quincy Johnson) threw the batter out going to second. That was good fundamental baseball."

The coach also noted the improvement at the plate. In addition to Gilliland's round-triper, Mike Ochoa had two doubles and David Johnston doubled with two out and drove in two RBIs. Webster also was pleased that the bottom of the lineup did the majority of the damage.

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FLOYDADA STATISTICS		AB	R	H	RBI
D. Johnston, CF		4	0	1	2
B. Villarreal, SS		5	1	0	1
R. DeOchoa, DH/C		2	3	1	1
B. Anderson, PR		0	1	0	0
M. Gilliland, 1b		3	1	1	0
B. Gilliland, C/P		5	1	2	4
G. DeLaFuenta, 2b		2	2	1	0
Q. Johnson, 3b		3	2	1	2
D. McCarty, RF		4	2	1	2
M. Ochoa, P		3	0	2	1
J. Thayer, LF		0	1	0	0
		31	14	10	13

Errors: Villarreal (3), Cummings (2), Johnston, McCarty, Ochoa						
2B: Johnston, Ochoa (2)						
3B: —						
HR: B. Gilliland						
Stolen bases: DeLaFuenta, 2; Johnson, 2; Villarreal, 1.						
Pitching:						
IP	AB	H	R	ER	BB	K
M. Ochoa	6	32	7	8	2	6
(W 3-2)						
B. Gilliland	1	5	0	0	0	2

BILL'S NOTES
Floydada's first high school baseball season in over 30 years is almost history. The Friona Chieftains will come in Friday at 5:00 p.m. to help close the curtain on the regular schedule. There were a lot of questions going in at the start of the season, but most should

agree that, all things considered, it was an outstanding year. Success is not always measured by the number of victories. The show of fan support at all the home and a number of the road games answered one of the big questions - how would high school baseball be accepted in Floydada?

Coach Jimmy Webster had a tough mission, but he has been very dedicated to reviving baseball at F.H.S. He and Coach Burleson have put in yeomen's service in developing a competitive team - virtually from scratch. Seniors Billy Villarreal, David Johnston and Quincy Johnson will be missed, but with their leadership and talents they helped pave the way. A lot of promise has been displayed by those many underclassmen who will be around Watson Field for the next several years.

A lot of behind-the-scenes efforts have contributed to the success of the inaugural season. The mutual cooperation by the school system and the City of Floydada has not gone unnoticed. Visitors from other 3A schools now considering starting baseball programs (such as Tulia and Littlefield) have been envious of the joint efforts put forth to bring baseball to Whirlwind County. In time we will have one of the finest high school facilities in West Texas. Countless volunteer man-hours have helped make that possible. And, speaking of volunteers, we would be remiss by not recognizing the job performed by Ed Henderson Jr. His time spent during the football season as Nick Long's radio "sidekick" and statistician has long been acknowledged. His many hours spent this season taking care of the baseball "book" have been a tremendous asset to the program - he's as much of the baseball team as the backstop! Hats off to you, Ed, for a job well done!

We had earlier mentioned in this column that a successful Whirlwind program would partially hinge on an active summer league for the development of potential high school players. It now appears that there will be TWO Floydada teams in the Tri-County League. This enthusiasm has been sparked by (1) the budding high school program, (2) volunteer coaches who are capable and willing to give their time to assist training our young athletes, and (3) the appointment of Bruce Bramlett as the director of the City of Floydada's Summer Baseball Program. The community is most fortunate to have a man of Bramlett's expertise and dedication to run the show.

Floydada has long been known for its highly competitive athletic teams. Athletic Director/Head Coach Dean Bates is to be commended, as is his staff of competent assistants, for upholding the Whirlwind traditions. Unlike a number of West Texas communities where football is the ONLY sport, Floydada is fortunate to have a well-rounded program. Just as the name "Whirlwinds" brings shudders in football circles, basketball, track, and the other sports follow close behind. It won't be long before Floydada baseball will have earned the same respect and credibility throughout the area.

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Floydada Girl Scouts hold Court of Awards



10-YEAR SCOUTS—Senior Girl Scouts, Moraima Vasquez (left) and Therese Sims were recognized with 10-year pins during Monday night's annual Girl Scout banquet. —Staff photo

Floydada Girl Scouts worked all year towards credit for their badges and patches and Monday night they were rewarded during their Court of Awards banquet held at Duncan Elementary Cafeterium.

The flag ceremony was conducted by the Senior Girl Scouts. A salad dinner was then served to all Girl Scouts and their parents.

Brownie leader Susan Kirk presented Try It patches to 16 Brownies. These were awarded to Bridgett Burleson, Laura Mendez, Crystal Riojas, Abelina Vasquez, Holly Wiles, Valarie Perry, Angela Porter, Kayla Stovall, Brooke Hayes, Sabrilla Green, Kimberly Reyes, Chelsea Kirk, Kimberly Green, Shella Perry, Sylvia Nunez and Yolanda Burleson.

Junior Leader Judy Schacht recognized 13 Juniors by presenting them with their badges. These included Sonya Mendoza, ShaVonne Taylor, Zan

Daniels, Carissa Coursey, Meredith Schacht, Marcelina Guzman, Nichole Hartline, Lucinda Guzman, Roni Emert, Angie Rodriguez, Ruth Vasquez, Dea Watson and Andrea Rodriguez. Junior Scouts had earned seven badges this year.

Five-year scouting pins were given to five girls, Zan Daniels, Angie Rodriguez, Meredith Schacht, Dea Watson and Ruth Vasquez.

Senior leader Elizabeth Sims bestowed badges on two Senior Scouts, Moraima Vasquez and Therese Sims.

Abel Vasquez and Carroll Sims escorted their daughters, Moraima and Therese to the front to receive their 10-year pins. Christy Garcia was not able to attend, but will also receive her 10-year pin.

These girls were also presented with a certificate from the Texas Department of Human Services recognizing them for their community services.

Cookie sale awards and incentives were also presented to all three troops by their leaders.

The top three cookie salesmen were recognized. Angela Porter was the top salesman for the Brownie troop. She sold 325 boxes. Carissa Coursey sold 410 boxes in the Junior Troop and Therese Sims

was the top salesman in the Senior Troop with 376 boxes.

Senior leader, Elizabeth Sims received her 10-year pin and the Green Angel award in Scouting. Junior Leader, Judy Schacht was given her five-year pin.

Other presentations during the evening included a T-shirt given to Glenda Wilson and a "Thank You" plaque given

to Clar Schacht by Judy Schacht. These were in appreciation of the help they extended to the troop throughout the year.

Girl Scout "Survival Kits" were presented to Susan Kirk and Judy Schacht by Elizabeth Sims for their efforts in leading the scout troops.

The banquet concluded with the rearing of the colors.



TOP COOKIE SALESMEN—Top cookie salesmen in each troop of the Floydada Girl Scouts were recognized during their banquet Monday night. Therese Sims (left) sold 376 boxes for the Senior Troop, Carissa Coursey (center) sold 410 boxes for the Junior Troop and Angela Porter (right) was the top salesman for the Brownie Troop with 325 boxes. —Staff photo



BROWNIE TROOP 201—Floydada Brownie Troop 201 members were recognized during Monday night's Court of Awards Banquet at Duncan Elementary. Those present were (back row, l-r) Bridgett Burleson, Laura Mendez, Crystal Riojas, Abelina Vasquez, Holly Wiles, Valarie Perry; (center row, l-r) Angela Porter, Kayla Stovall, Brooke Hayes, Sabrilla Green, Kimberly Reyes; (front row, l-r) Chelsea Kirk, Kimberly Green, Shella Perry and Yolanda Burleson. —Staff photo

Saturday game time changed

The Floydada baseball game against Friona scheduled for Saturday afternoon, May 16, has been changed to Friday afternoon, May 15, at 5:00 p.m.

See Floydada School Menu On Page 12



FIRST PLACE UIL SPELLER — Erika Miller, 4th grader at R. C. Andrews Elementary, placed first in UIL Spelling and Ready Writing in district competition on May 2. Other fourth grader competing included Justin McGuire, Jeffrey Lyles, Resa Mercado, NaLyn Simpson, Maria Rangel, Nichole Hartline and Felicia Garcia. — Staff Photo



JUNIOR TROOP 299—Girl Scout Junior Troop 299 members were recognized during Monday night's Court of Awards Banquet at Duncan Elementary. Those present were (back row, l-r) Sonya Mendoza, ShaVonne Taylor, Zan Daniels, Carissa Coursey, Meredith Schacht; (center row, l-r) Marcelina Guzman, Nichole Hartline Lucinda Guzman; and (front row, l-r) Roni Emert, Angie Rodriguez and Andrea Rodriguez. —Staff photo



DUNCAN STARS—The youngsters above were selected as the A. B. Duncan Elementary Stars of the Week for the week of May 11-15. Individual names were not available. -- Staff Photo



FIVE-YEAR SCOUTS—Bestowed with five-year pins at the annual Girl Scout banquet were Floydada Junior Scouts, (l-r) Ruth Vasquez, Zan Daniels, Meredith Schacht and Angie Rodriguez. Not pictured is Dea Watson. —Staff photo

Parent advisory council meeting slated in Floydada

Parents of students who are enrolled in the Chapter I Migrant and Chapter I Reading classes in the Floydada Independent School District are encouraged to be present for an important meeting, Monday, May 18, 1992, at 7:00 p.m. in the A.B. Duncan cafeteria. An explanation of the Chapter I and Chapter II programs and activities that are provided with funds made available for the education of Chapter I students will be discussed.

Parents are invited to participate in the discussion concerning the most beneficial ways the money may be utilized. Graduating migrant students from Floydada High School will be recognized. Please come to this important meeting and support your child and school.

el dia lunes, 18 de mayo, de 1992 a las 7:00 p.m. en la cafeteria de la escuela A.B. Duncan. Se dara un explicacion de los programas y actividades que son estipuladas con los fondos de el Capitulo I y Capitulo II.

Invitamos a todos los padres que participen en la discusion tocante a los beneficios en que el dinero de este programa se puede utilizar mejor. Nuestros estudiantes migrantes que graduaran seran reconocidos durante este programa. Esperamos contar con su presencia en esta junta importante y agradecemos de antemano el apoyo dado a su hijo y su escuela.

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R. C. Andrews students compete in UIL contest

District UIL competition was held May 2 at Andrews Elementary. Shonda Smith placed 2nd in the 5th grade spelling competition. Anna Campbell and Monica Galvan also participated from the 5th grade. Sixth grade spelling competitors were: Jamie McGuire, Kyle Pierce and Crystal Driver.

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	5	\$200.00
	6	\$221.00
	7	\$242.00
	8	\$263.00
	9	\$294.00

(Rates do not include fees or books)

Required Documents: Social Security Number, driver's license, completed Early Admissions Form (where applicable). Please bring ACT or SAT scores if available. The student must be present for registration.
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For additional information regarding extensions, contact: Western Texas College, South College Ave., Snyder, Tx. 79549 - 915/573-8511, Ext. 390

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STUDENTS OF THE MONTH—Named as Students of the Month for April at Lockney Junior High and receiving certificates were (l-r, back row) Cynthia Martin, Eddie Ascencio, Joshua Robnett, Kimberly Martinez, Michael Mondragon and Nicole Emert; (l-r, front row) Jeff Archer, John Deleon, Kelli Clark, Lisa Perez and Mark Arismendez. Not pictured was Terri Luna. Kelli Clark received a certificate for Perfect Attendance. Named as

Shorthorns of the Month were Kimberly Martinez, Lisa Perez and Eddie Ascencio. Martinez received a cassette player courtesy of Lockney Insurance; Perez received a \$25.00 Gift Certificate from Brown's Department Store, Ascencio received a miniature Texas Tech basketball and football from Jim Doucette Enterprises and Clark received a free movie rental and small pizza.

--Staff photo

It's for parents, too!

4-H is not just for kids

(Editor's Note: The following is the third article in a series.)

4-H develops youth through the involvement of parents, other adults and volunteers who organize and conduct learning experiences for youth in a community setting. It is important for the parents to participate, because successful 4-H'ers have the interest and support of their parents.

Parents can help by assisting their sons and their daughters in choosing 4-

H projects. They can provide transportation to local meetings and county activities, provide refreshments for functions, and attend 4-H meetings and other activities with their children. Additionally, they can keep informed about 4-H through 4-H newsletters.

Parents can become 4-H boosters, and support their local 4-H leaders and get acquainted with them, and, above all, let them know how much their efforts are appreciated.

Parents can also become 4-H leaders. 4-H leaders range from organization to project leaders, to activity leaders, to teen advisers, to recruiters, to organizers, to resource persons, and the list continues.

Any parent can become a leader. All it takes is an interest in young people. If you like young people and are willing to learn from experiences, and if you want to share your talents, skills, and hobbies, you have the qualities of becoming a 4-H leader. You, the parent, are needed to help youth become better citizens.

Contact your county Extension office to volunteer.

Lockney School Menu

May 18-22

Monday:

Breakfast — Scrambled egg, toast, milk, pineapple juice
Lunch — Salmon patties, broccoli and cheese, creamed potatoes, hot roll, milk

Tuesday:

Breakfast — Cereal, peaches, toast, milk
Lunch — Pizza, french fried potatoes, mixed vegetables, milk, fruit cocktail, cake

Wednesday:

Breakfast — Pancakes, fruit cocktail, cheese, milk
Lunch — Ham, hot roll, buttered corn, green beans, milk, ice cream

Thursday:

Breakfast — Toast, cereal, fruit, milk
Lunch — Chicken pot pie, biscuits, milk, pears, salad

Friday:

Breakfast — Toast, eggs, fruit, milk
Lunch — Fish on bun, french fried potatoes, tossed salad, milk, peach cobbler



DAVID G. MARTINEZ of Lockney was the recipient of the McNeil Consumer Products Company Award. Martinez was recognized during Southwestern Oklahoma State University's School of Pharmacy annual honors and awards convocation ceremony held on the Weatherford campus.

Reese Air Force Base slates open house for Sunday, May 24

Colonel William C. Henny, commander of Reese Air Force Base's 64th Flying Training Wing, has announced that the U.S. Air Force's Thunderbirds and the U.S. Army's Golden Knights will perform at Reese during the base's annual open house on Sunday, May 24.

"The two demonstration teams will have to share top billing with the Air Force's newest training aircraft, Reese's own T-1A Jayhawk," Colonel Henny said. He noted that: "The T-1A will be on public display and make a flyover above Reese for the first time during an open house. Our personnel are really looking forward to giving our open house visitors their first look at our T-1As."

The Thunderbirds are the Air Force's renowned Air Demonstration Squadron from Nellis AFB, Nevada. The Golden Knights are the Army's famed Parachute Demonstration Team based at Fort Bragg, North Carolina. They both will be helping the personnel of Reese AFB celebrate "fifty years of training the world's best military pilots," said Colonel Henny.

"This year's Open House is a tribute to over 50 years of cooperation and support between the base and its personnel, and the citizens of the Lubbock area community," said Colonel Henny. "I invite all residents of the West Texas-Eastern New Mexico area to come out on May 24th to help us celebrate the start of our 52nd year and to see up close how the Armed Services perform their mission."

Although the Thunderbirds and the Golden Knights will be the featured flying and parachuting attractions, there will be numerous aircraft performing flyovers and flying capability demonstrations. The remainder of the aircraft will be on static (ground) display on the flightline parking ramp.

The base will be open to the public from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. During that time, there will be a variety of continuing activities. Static display aircraft will be open for public inspection on the flightline aircraft parking ramp. A number of other operational and support exhibits and displays will be available for viewing either on the flightline or in adjacent hangars. There will be continuous demonstrations by personnel from Reese units and units from other bases.

There will be as many as 40 military and civilian aircraft on static (ground) display on the flightline parking ramp when the gates open. The display will include fighters like the Air Force's F-15 Eagle, an F-15E version of the Eagle, the F-16 Fighting Falcon, and F-111. Attack aircraft like the Air Force's A-10 Thunderbolt II and AT-38 Talon will have cockpit viewing stands available.

The C-5 Galaxy will be open for walk through inspection by visitors. The C-141 Starlifter and the KC-135 Stratotanker will also be on display representing the tanker-transport forces.

The Tactical Air Command will send an F-15 Eagle that will put on a fighter aircraft capability demonstration.

There has been no change in the primary mission of the base "to train pilots" since its establishment. "With the arrival of the T-1A Jayhawk last January, Reese is now the Air Force's premier pilot training base," said Colonel Henny. "We have received the Air Force's first new training aircraft to be delivered in more than 30 years. Now, we are laying the foundation for spe-

cialized Undergraduate Pilot Training (SUPT) that will carry Air Force pilot training through at least the first three decades of the 21st century. Reese's legacy will carry the Air Force through the next 50 years of its history," Colonel Henny concluded.

Lt. Colonel Bob Grosvenor, Reese Open House Project Officer, recommends that persons interested in visiting the base during Open House "Arrive early! Come for the Thunderbirds 9 a.m. arrival show and you can see two Thunderbird shows. We know that traditionally many visitors travel 100 to 400 miles to see a Reese Open House. Since Sunday is the second day of the federal

government's Memorial Day Holiday Weekend, there may be even more visitors to the Lubbock area than usual, so make your plans early. Make room reservations now if you need them! Also, bring along plenty of lotion to protect you from the sun. The Reese weatherman has been told to get us a sunny day with no clouds and unlimited visibility, so that should be the weather forecast for May 24th," the Colonel says with a smile.

Colonel Grosvenor assures visitors that: "We promise to take good care of parking areas, and we will have rest stations with cold drinks and a first aid

station in both the north and south parking areas," he states.

"Remember," says Colonel Grosvenor, "whether you are coming to Reese from a distance or from nearby Lubbock, the most important thing is to come early and try to avoid the last minute rush before Thunderbird showtime. When you are driving in the vicinity of Reese, please be patient and follow the directions of the law enforcement officials who will be trying to make each motorist's arrival and departure as smooth and rapid as possible. Just show the same courtesy to other drivers as you expect and we will all have an enjoyable show day."

Survey shows feedlot industry is expanding in SPS service area

Feedlots within the area served by Southwestern Public Service Company are feeding more cattle than ever before. SPS's just-released annual Fed Cattle Survey shows a 1.3% increase in fed cattle from 1991 from 1990 — the third consecutive year of growth.

Feedlots in the SPS service area fed 5,644,113 head of cattle in 1991. The 1990 total was 5,570,203.

The survey showed that the one-time total capacity of area feedlots also posted a slight increase during 1991, from 2,887,275 to 2,904,585.

"Cattle feeding remains a vital part of this area," said Dave Krupnick, SPS manager of agricultural and wholesale marketing. "We hope the modest, steady growth of these feedlots — and the feedlot industry — is an indicator of economic growth for the entire region."

We Salute in Floydada!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Thursday, May 14 - Deryl Evans, Maximo Riojas

Friday, May 15 - Isidro Rocha, Connie Luna

Saturday, May 16 - Clovis Myrick, Olivia Mercado

Sunday, May 17 - Elda Enriquez, James Owens

Tuesday, May 19 - Rick Holmes, Elsa Crystal Medrano, B.J. Chappel

Wednesday, May 20 - Ronnie Emert, Marcie Mendoza, Whitney Williams, Loreta Bolton

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Sunday, May 17 - Larry and Rhonda Guthrie, Sharkey and Sheryl LeCroy

Monday, May 18 - Jimmy and Sandy Garza, Dale and Kathy Jahay, Craig and Trudi Gilly

Tuesday, May 19 - Albert and Patricia Hill

SPS annually prepares a Fed Cattle Survey including feedlots in its service area, which covers 52,000 miles. The region includes the Texas and Oklahoma panhandles, the Texas South Plains, eastern and southeastern New Mexico and southwestern Kansas.

Another good indicator for the industry from the survey, according to Krupnick, is the increase in the number of cattle slaughtered at the 13 beef-packing plants in the SPS service area. Fed cattle slaughtered in the area increased 2.7%.

Krupnick pointed out that several packing plants are located just outside the service area. "That accounts for the difference between the number of cattle slaughtered and the number fed," he said.

Information from the Fed Cattle Survey is used across the country by ag-related industries, Krupnick said. "It lets others know how vital agriculture and

food-processing are to this area," he said.

"We're pleased that these numbers reflect positive trends for this region."

Another one of those trends is a steady growth in the total number of feedlots in the area: 117 in 1989, 120 in 1990, and 122 in 1991.

The Fed Cattle Survey includes a chart on the ten-year history of fed cattle, the one-time capacity of surveyed feed lots, as well as information on the number of feedlots with 5,000 head capacity or more, and a county breakdown of lot capacity and numbers fed.

Copies of the report and survey are available at SPS offices across the company's service area or may be obtained by contacting the SPS Agricultural Marketing Department (806-378-2181) at the SPS headquarters building, Tyler at Sixth Street, Amarillo, Texas, 79170.

Nicotine patch may help smokers 'kick the habit'

Smokers can now resist the urge to light-up by patching up with a 2-inch strip called the transdermal nicotine patch.

This small patch can be attached daily to the upper body for six to eight weeks. A gradual reduction in the dose of nicotine administered through the patch helps a person stop smoking without symptoms of nicotine withdrawal. Symptoms of withdrawal include irritability, lack of concentration, anxiety, restlessness and an increased appetite.

The surgeon general and most physicians have long warned of the health hazards of nicotine, but many long-term smokers have found that quitting isn't so easy.

"Transdermal nicotine therapeutic systems are good news for people trying to give up smoking," said Mina Horne, R.N. at Methodist Hospital. "The patch's ability to deliver medication at a constant rate into the bloodstream and reduce the frequency of drug induced side effects makes it easier for the patient to adhere to the therapy."

The skin has natural absorbing qualities that allow a steady concentration of the drug into the bloodstream, enabling the dose size of certain drugs to be reduced.

"The only side effects I've heard of

from the transdermal nicotine patch have been a slight skin irritation where the patch was placed and some sleep disturbances. Continuing to smoke while wearing the patch may result in a nicotine overdose, making the individual very ill," Horne said.

According to the February 1992 issue of P&T, the transdermal drug delivery offers many advantages over conventional drug administration.

* When drugs pass directly through the skin into the bloodstream they bypass the gastrointestinal tract, avoiding the neutralizing effects and the breakdown of the drug that occurs in the stomach, intestine and liver.

* Rate controlled transdermal systems produce much steadier concentrations of drugs into the bloodstream, reducing side effects.

* A once daily or weekly regimen is easier to follow than taking oral medication or injections.

* It is easy to discontinue treatment by simply removing the transdermal patch. For more information about Methodist's Hospital's smoking cessation program called Smoke Stoppers or the nicoderm transdermal patch, contact Mina Horne, R.N., or Frank Horne at Methodist's Hospital's LifeStyle Center at (806) 793-4386.

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Cowboy Camp Meeting scheduled May 21-24

Caprock Cowboy Camp Meeting is planned for May 21-24 at a location six miles east and 2-3/4 miles north of Silvertown. This Christian camping experience is interdenominational and welcomes all ages.

The camp meeting will begin Thursday, May 21, with a supper at 6:30 p.m. Churches participate in National Day of Prayer last Thursday

Representatives of several Floydada churches assembled for the National Day of Prayer held at the City Hall last Thursday, May 7.

The community expresses their thanks to the following churches who participated: New Salem Primitive Baptist Church, Spanish Assembly of God, Bible Baptist Church, First Christian Church, Calvary Baptist Church, West Side Church of Christ, First United Methodist Church, St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church, Spanish Baptist Mission, First Assembly of God, Trinity Church, Church of God in Christ and First Baptist Church.

Choir practice will be at 7:30 p.m. and an evening service will follow at 8:00 p.m.

The schedule for Friday, Saturday and Sunday will be as follows:

- 6:30 a.m. - Breakfast
- 8:00 a.m. - Bible Study
- 9:30 a.m. - Sunday School
- 11:00 a.m. - Morning Service
- 12:30 p.m. - Dinner
- 1:30 p.m. - Youth Activities
- 3:00 p.m. - Afternoon Service
- 5:00 p.m. - Prayer Tree
- 6:30 p.m. - Supper
- 7:30 p.m. - Evening Service
- 8:00 p.m. - Camp Fire Service

Camp preachers will be Boyce Evans of Lubbock and John Keefe of Tulsa, Oklahoma. Music director will be Jimmy Burson of Silvertown and youth director will be Tommy Hawk of Omaha.

There are no hook-ups available, but guests are invited to bring a bedroll, tent, RV, travel trailer or motor home.

The meeting is sponsored by the Ranchmen's Camp Meeting Association of the Southwest and you don't have to be a rancher or cowboy to attend.

The Lamplighter

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well, arguing passionately against the resolution for disclosure. He took the Foley-Gephardt position that how the House ran its business was nobody's business except members of the House. It was up to the House to decide what to do, if anything, about the bank records. He realized, he said, that public opinion was demanding that everything be revealed. But he did not come to Congress, he shouted, "to be blown about by the winds of public opinion."

Then, in a statement of faith that will be long remembered, he loudly proclaimed "Public opinion be damned."

He received a good round of applause. Clearly many agreed with him, even if they could not vote with him for obvious reasons.

We have not seen the official record of that debate, but we suspect that during the five day period granted members to "extend and revise" their remarks, that particular remark got "revised" somewhat. For the Record.

Example number two: Out in El Paso, Rep. Ron Coleman, who wrote 673 bad checks totaling \$275,848.00 over 39 months, is facing re-election. Is he worried? Not in the least.

He told the Austin American-Statesman the check kiting would be "irrelevant" as a campaign issue, since the "bank" has been closed. He says he never made a secret of his method of operation, that he told his constituents he knew about the system and he used it. (He did this after it came to light. At first he acknowledged writing some 300 bad checks. It was not until after the March 10 primaries that the full extent of his check writing became known.)

But the real reason Rep. Coleman feels so secure is the makeup of his District. During years of service in the Texas Legislature and the U.S. Congress, he proved himself to be a very reliable liberal. His Congressional District is heavily Democratic, and heavily Hispanic. He just does not believe Hispanics would ever vote for a Republican, no matter what. He may be wrong. In fact, history suggests he is wrong. John Tower used to do quite well in El Paso. Given the choice between a Republican who may be honest (who knows?) and a Democrat who obviously sees nothing wrong with "using the system" they may just surprise the incumbent. Let us hope.

Mr. Ross Perot, the newest phenomenon to hit the political scene, says when he is asked what is wrong with the political process, he tells people to "go home and look in the mirror."

We think we know what he means, and in some respect he may be right. But in our view the people are not to blame, or if so, it is only because they are not given all the facts. For many years we

have had a national media that is generally sympathetic to the idea of concentrating political and economic power in Washington. To accomplish that goal, generally referred to as the "liberal agenda", they have consistently praised those politicians who believe as they believe, and condemned or ignored those politicians who stand in their way. Washington is crawling with "reporters." It is ludicrous to assume the dominate media in Washington was unaware of much of what was going on. But to make war on the perks and privilege would have been to make war upon political soul mates. That is seldom done by the Washington media. It has been, and is, a very cozy arrangement.

It must be pointed out that this whole "rubbergate" scandal was not ferreted out by the Washington press. First indications of it came from the General Accounting Office, and it was pushed by a small group of freshmen House members, "outsiders", embarrassed that they were part of an institution that condoned it. Fortunately there were a few in the press who picked it up and ran with it, to the extent that others had to pick it up. Reaction among the people did the rest.

So we are not among those who might tend to blame a vast "silent majority" out there for what goes on in Washington, or Austin either for that matter. Yes, it is true that a host of special interests, special voting groups, like it just the way it is. But not, in our view, the "people." Most of the "people" have simply bowed out, disenchanted, disgusted with politicians who seem to stand for nothing except gaining public office and looking after their own financial interests. We would note that probably less than 30 percent of the electorate voted in the primaries that selected the nominees of both the Democratic and Republican parties. Give each party half the vote, for illustration, and we have Clinton now being endorsed by less than 15 percent of the electorate. The same for George Bush. That leaves something like 70 percent of the electorate out there, looking, waiting, weighing how they will vote in November.

We believe the "people" would like to have a government, and a system of politics, they can be proud of. Many of them went onto the battlefields and fought for it. Many have brothers, sons, cousins, who went onto the battlefields and died for it. Our reading of the situation is that their kinsmen, "the people", are now about to do something about it. Let us hope that the Ron Coleman's of this world, and all others who had a hand in protecting a "system" of perks and privilege designed for their own personal benefit, or their Party's benefit, will suffer the consequences. No matter which individual, and no matter which party.

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.

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 10:00 a.m.

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

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

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

CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST
Floydada
Gene McCarty, Minister
Sunday:
Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship.. 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

EVANS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Sammy Holloway
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Afternoon Worship ... 2:00 p.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

CHURCH DIRECTORY

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Lockney
Harold Abney, Pastor
Greg Blair, Youth Minister
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
R.A.'s 4:30 p.m.
G.A.'s, 2nd & 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 & High School)
Kids of The King
Children's Choir ... 6:30 p.m.
Adult Choir 7:30 p.m.

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

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:
Bible Study 7:30 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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.

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

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

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

VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH
Bro. B.G. Hill, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service ... 7:30 p.m.

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

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

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When To Call An Ambulance

When should you call an ambulance instead of driving to the emergency department? Ask yourself the following questions:

- *Is the victim's condition life-threatening?
- *Could the victim's condition worsen and become life-threatening on the way to the hospital?
- *Could moving the victim cause further injury?
- *Does the victim need the skills or equipment of paramedics or emergency medical technicians?
- *Would distance or traffic conditions

cause a delay in getting the victim to the hospital?

If the answer to any of these questions is "yes," or if you are unsure, it's best to call an ambulance. This is true even though you can sometimes get to the hospital faster by driving than by calling an ambulance. Paramedics and emergency medical technicians communicate with the physician in the emergency department by radio. They are trained to begin medical treatment on the way to the hospital. This prevents any delay that could occur if the patient is driven to the emergency department. The ambulance

can also alert the emergency department of the patient's condition in advance.

If you live in a community with a single emergency number, calling for help is easy. Just dial 9-1-1. When you call for help, speak calmly and clearly. Give your name, the address, phone number, location of victim (such as upstairs in the bedroom), and nature of the problem. Don't hang up until the dispatcher tells you to. They may need additional information or need to give you instructions.

Recognizing Emergencies

How do you tell the difference between a true emergency and a minor problem? Certain symptoms are so alarming that the need for emergency care-or even an ambulance-is obvious. But what should you do about more common illnesses and injuries?

Only a doctor can diagnose medical problems. But, you can protect your family's health by learning to recognize certain symptoms.

Know which symptoms to watch for. According to the American College of Emergency Physicians, the following are warning signs of a medical emergency:

- *Difficulty breathing, shortness of breath

*Chest or upper abdominal pain or pressure

*Fainting

*Sudden dizziness, weakness or change in vision

*Change in mental status (such as unusual behavior, confusion, difficulty arousing)

*Sudden, severe pain anywhere in the body

*Bleeding that won't stop

*Severe or persistent vomiting

*Suicidal or homicidal feelings

You should also be familiar with the symptoms of common illnesses and injuries.

Trust your instincts. Parents are usually very good at recognizing signs of

unusual behavior or other symptoms that indicate an emergency. Many other factors, including the time of day, other medical problems, or state of mind, can make an otherwise minor medical problem an "emergency."

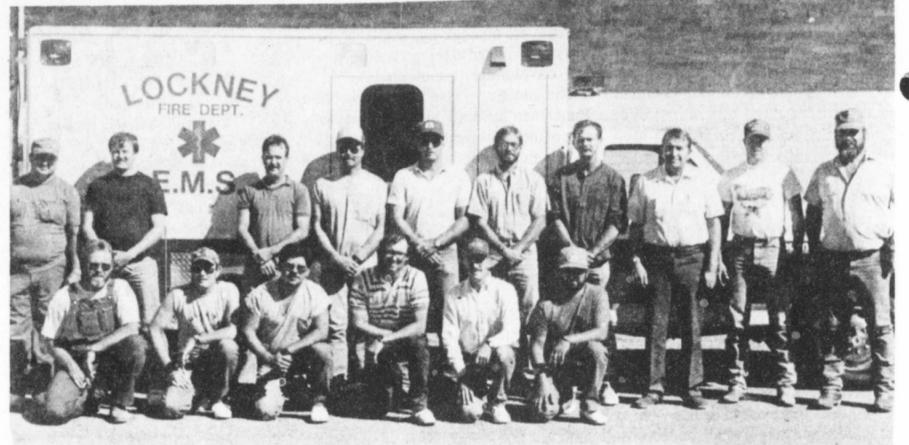
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FLOYDADA EMS PERSONNEL--EMS personnel serving the Floydada area are: (left-right) Richie Porter, EMT-P Intern; Paul McIntosh, EMT-Paramedic; Rhonda Guthrie, ECA; Becky Emert, ECA student; Lori Bradford, ECA student; Shonda Guthrie, ECA student;

and EMS Director Ted Porter, EMT-P Intern. Not pictured are Joyce Owens, EMT; William Bertrand, EMT; Mary Porter, ECA; Bryan Branham, EMT; Placido Gonzales, EMT; Mike Reeves, EMT-Paramedic; Stan Pierce, ECA student. Staff Photo



EMS WEEK PROCLAIMED--Members of the Lockney Volunteer Fire Department are currently working on updating their EMS skills. Eight members of the department have received their Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) certificates and the remainder of the members of the department hold their Emergency Care Attendant

(ECA) certificates. Many hours are spent in the classroom, on the job training and testing for each of these certificates. Very few small towns have the number of qualified technicians that Lockney has. Governor Ann Richards has designated May 10-16 as EMS Week. Staff Photo

Hollums awarded Silver Beaver

The South Plains Council of the Boy Scouts of America presented John R. (Randy) Hollums of Floydada with the Silver Beaver Award. A limited number of awards are given to those who have shown "Distinguished Service to Boyhood."

Hollums was one of four to receive the designation at ceremonies in Lubbock last weekend. He was credited with being "a driving force in keeping the scouting movement alive and well in his district, as well as sharing time with his community."

He served as a committee member of a Cub Pack and Scout Troop and is currently serving as the District Chairman after being a member of the District Committee and a former District Commissioner. He received the District Award of Merit and is a member of the Order of the Arrow.

Active in the First United Methodist

Church of Floydada, Hollums is also a member of the Chancel Choir. He is Past Worshipful Master and an active member of the Masonic Lodge. A member of

the Eastern Star, he is also a past president of the Rotary Club. Hollums is an active member of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce and past president of the Board of City Development and Industrial Foundation.

Others attending from Floydada included Bobby and Barbara Gilliland, Rex Harrison and Anne and Jimmie Willson.

With the number of awards presented based on the number of units registered to the council the preceding year, the Floydada area has been well represented in the 217 awards given since 1931. Among those honored in the past are James M. Willson Sr., J. M. Willson Jr., Dr. Robert N. Arnold, James H. Word, Carl Minor, Jewel E. Eliza, Charles Neil, Dr. Charles Craig, Ed Wester, Bob Lotspeich, S. H. (Herb) Allman, Wilson G. Bond, James C. Arnold and Jack Kastman.



JOHN R. (RANDY) HOLLUMS



SPRING STYLE SHOW -- Participating in the Spring Style Show for the CVAE Home Ec class at FHS which is taught by Joyce Williams were (left to right) Katrina Sessions, Yolanda Ledbetter, Stacey McHam, Alma Ascencio & her niece, Julie Johnson and Norma Martinez. -- Staff Photo

Floydada School Menu

May 18-22

- Monday:**
Breakfast — Grape juice, cinnamon toast, milk
Lunch — Hamburger pizza, corn, sweet peas, peaches, milk
- Tuesday:**
Breakfast — Orange juice, scrambled eggs, toast, milk
Lunch — Corn dogs, tater tots, peanut butter cookie, applesauce, milk
- Wednesday:**
Breakfast — Pineapple juice, hot rice cereal, toast, milk
Lunch — Bar-b-q chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, pineapple tidbits, hot roll, milk
- Thursday:**
Breakfast — Apple juice, pancakes, syrup, milk
Lunch — Cheese enchiladas, pinto beans, tossed salad, fruit salad,

- cornbread, milk
- Friday:**
Breakfast — Grape juice, dry cereal, graham crackers, milk
Lunch — Hamburger w/mustard, French fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, pineapple cake, milk

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

SEALED BIDS FOR LEASE WITH OPTION TO PURCHASE ONE (1) 1992 MODEL SCHOOL BUS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE FLOYDADA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, 226 W. CALIFORNIA, FLOYDADA, TX, 79235 UNTIL 7:00 P.M. ON JUNE 8, 1992, WHEN BIDS WILL BE PUBLICLY OPENED.

FOR DETAILS AND SPECIFICATIONS CONTACT FLOYDADA I.S.D. AT 806/983-5382. FLOYDADA I.S.D. RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS AND TO WAIVE TECHNICALITIES. ENVELOPES WITH BID PROPOSALS SHOULD BE SEALED AND MARKED IN THE LOWER LEFT CORNER: LEASE/PURCHASE-SCHOOL BUS, BID OPENING, 7:00 P.M., JUNE 8, 1992.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

We the undersigned County Judge and Commissioners in and for Floyd County, Texas hereby certify that we have this date made an examination of and compared the County Treasurer's Monthly report, filed with us on this 11th day of May, 1992, and have found the same to be correct and in due order and that the total of all funds held by the County Treasurer, as well as other assets in her hands in the sum of \$81,604.29.

First National Bank, Certificate of Deposits \$597,000.00.

WITNESS OUR HANDS, officially, this 11th day of May, 1992.

William D. Hardin, County Judge
Connie D. Bearden, Commissioner Precinct No. 1
Floyd W. Jackson, Commissioner Precinct No. 2
George Taylor, Commissioner Precinct No. 3
Howard G. Bishop, Commissioner Precinct No. 4

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Floydada - Producers Coop Elevator	2:00 - 3:00 a.m.	983-2821
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Rudolph McCurdy
5-14p

We would like to express our heartfelt thanks to the many ones who called, sent cards and flowers to our granddaughter, Carla Bean Davis while she was in serious condition in a Lubbock hospital. We want to thank you for the many prayers offered in her behalf. Also, we want to thank Bro. Bill Wright for being with us, and to Bro. Howell Farnsworth for the beautiful memorial service. Floydada EMS for your quick response, Dr. Mangold and Lockney General Hospital for your concern and care.

John Key and Madge West Family
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Bea and Will Martin
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We want to thank our dear family and friends for all the nice things they did for us at the time of my (Bea's) surgery and during my convalescences. For prayers, flowers, cards, food, calls, and visits, and any other things that we may have missed.

May God Bless each of you.

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Twelfth CRP signup set for June

The USDA Soil Conservation Service reminds farmers facing conservation compliance deadlines that the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) could be their ticket to staying in compliance, saving soil, and making profit.

Mark Lewis, Soil Conservationist, said the twelfth CRP sign up will be June 15-26 at the USDA building in Floydada.

The first eleven sign ups resulted in the acceptance of approximately 4.1 million acres in Texas, while Floyd County accepted about 98,000 acres. Under the Conservation Reserve Program, farmers receive annual rental payments in exchange for agreeing to put land into permanent vegetative cover for 10 years.

Landowners wishing to enroll land

into the Conservation Reserve Program state the rental rate they require to take their land out of crop production. Those bids are either accepted or rejected by the USDA in Washington based upon environmental benefits and production payments from ASCS.

Wes Oneth, state conservationist, says the Conservation Reserve Program is a good option for farmers who must have applied soil conservation systems by the end of 1994 in order to remain eligible for USDA programs.

Oneth explains, that the Conservation Reserve Program allows farmers to be "in compliance" without having to install various conservation measures, such as terraces and waterways, which can be costly to construct. Cost-share money is available to help producers

establish permanent vegetation on CRP land.

Programs and services of the Soil Conservation Service are offered on a nondiscriminatory basis without regard for race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, marital status or handicap.

Fields need to be examined for thrip every 2 or 3 days beginning at 50 percent emergence

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

Cotton pest management in our part of the world begins with cotton emergence. Thrips are presently moving from drying wheat fields, and will attack cotton as it comes to a stand. Fields that are not protected by an at-planting insecticide need to be scouted closely every 2 to 3 days, beginning at 50% emergence. Why so early? Those plants

For dryland crops

Soil testing and fertilizing recommended

By Mike Mallett, CEA-Ag

One major component of crop production is the soil. Remember that the soil feeds the plant and the producer feeds the soil. If you have not soil tested this year or have not fertilized your dryland crop take time to do so. Two samples from each field site should be taken — one from 12 inches and the other at 18 inches. (There may be nitrogen remaining in the soil from a late planted or previous crop.)

Water status of the plant is the nutrient primarily responsible for growth and fruit site production. One inch of water yields 35 pounds of lint. Nitrogen nutrition and sunlight is largely responsible

for fruit retention. Fifty percent of the plant nitrogen is found in the seed.

Nitrogen Usage Per Bale	
	Pounds/Ac
Roots	3-5
Stem	3-5
Leaves	25-35
Seed	35-45
Lint	1

Nitrogen fertilization should be delayed until first square and then sidedress. How much N to apply may depend not only on soil test results but also the season, variety and water. However,

soil N should be applied prior to July 15. Foliar Urea (N) could be applied at the 10-12 pounds/application rate every seven to fourteen (7-14) days.

ADD CHART

Conclusion of Phosphorus
- Crop yield response to P seldom occurs
- Banding is more important in dryland

- Roots do not absorb nutrients in dry soil
- Phosphorus deficiency makes for a smaller plant, bolls and leaves

The key to a successful cotton crop is adequate water and fertility, sufficient heat units, a long growing season, a dry fall, and fair prices!

Several cotton result demonstrations have been recently planted. Planted have been two irrigated variety trails with Warren Mitchell and Randy Henderson, one dryland variety trail with Don Sutterfield and a cotton seedling disease trail (comparing seed treatments) with Van Bradley. These demonstration sites will soon be marked so producer can view them throughout the growing season September 24 has been tentatively set for our County Extension Cotton Field Day.

Service to help farmers with management of irrigation water

A new service to help South Plains farmers manage irrigation water more effectively has been developed at the Texas A&M Agricultural Research and Extension Center here. Called the "Potential Evapotranspiration Network" (PET Network), it will help irrigators determine the amount of water their crop is using at various stages of crop development.

The daily reports will show both PET and heat units (HU). Evapotranspiration (ET) is the amount of water a crop and its surrounding soil uses as the crop grows, and it depends on plant size and stage of development, explained Dr. Rose Mary Seymour, agricultural engineer with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

PET is the amount of water that potentially would be extracted by climatic conditions if the soil is completely covered by the plant. HU, sometimes called growing degree days, are based solely on temperature, Seymour said. They measure the heat energy available to fuel plant growth.

The PET Network is a cooperative project between the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the Extension Service. It is being sponsored by the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1.

Weather data will be collected at Experiment Station research facilities at Halfway, Lubbock and the AG-CARES farm at Lamesa. Scientists at the Lubbock Center then calculate the PET and HU for the previous 24 hours. This information then is sent by facsimile machine to news media serving the South Plains. Newspapers, radio and television stations throughout the area are regularly using the reports, Seymour said.

"For any given day, there is a unique PET amount based on temperature, radiation, wind and humidity in the air," Seymour said.

PET doesn't indicate the amount of water used by a particular crop, Seymour said. Different crops use different amounts of water for development. The amount of water used by a crop is called consumptive use or actual ET. Consumptive use minus rainfall equals the amount of water the crop needs replaced by irrigation.

Irrigators can use the PET to determine the amount of water, or ET, their crops are using by multiplying the daily PET by a crop coefficient. The crop coefficient is a value that changes with the crop development. Coefficient tables for various local crops are available from county extension offices.

At the start of the growing season, when a crop is small, the crop coefficient is small. As the crop grows, develops a canopy and begins reproductive development the coefficient increases. At maximum crop development the coefficient reaches its maximum value. The coefficient stays at a maximum as the crop matures and slows down at the end of the season. Then the coefficient also reduces.

With certain types of irrigation systems, researchers have found, deficit irrigation or applying less water than the total consumption use of the crop can produce high yields.

"Deficit irrigation works only when smaller amounts of water can be applied frequently to the root zone without significant evaporative losses," Seymour said.

In general, high frequency deficit irrigation isn't feasible with surface irrigation or sprinkler systems, Seymour noted. But she said PET information can be used to calculate irrigation quantities with any system.

Irrigation systems suited to high frequency deficit irrigation are low energy precision application (LEPA) or drip systems, the Extension Service engineer said. With these, she recommends irrigation frequencies of three to four days for cotton and five to six days for corn, unless rainfall following the previous irrigation exceeds the ET.

Irrigators who can't use the high frequency deficit irrigation technique can still use PET to estimate the consumptive use of their crops, Seymour said. "They then can anticipate water needs more accurately and be ready to apply the right amount of water when they irrigate," she said.

HU data can help farmers time application of fertilizers, pesticides and growth regulator chemicals and estimate crop maturity.

Floyd County Pheasants Forever chapter plans quarterly meeting

The spring quarterly meeting of the High Plains chapter of Pheasants Forever will be held at Nielson's Restaurant on Tuesday, May 19, at 7:00 p.m.

In attendance will be Bill Wallander, President of Pioneer Chapter; Peter Berthelsen, Regional Manager of Pheasants Forever; Gene Miller and Danny Swepston, Biologists for Texas Parks and Wildlife.

that emerge first will be the most vigorous, and will account for a major portion of yield potential.

Thrips are slender, straw-colored insects, only about 1/15-inch long when mature. Adult thrips are winged. Eggs are laid into plant tissue. Newly hatched immatures are whitish in color, and barely visible to the unaided eye. As immatures grow in size, they resemble adults, but lack wings. Thrips move in a snake-like or zig-zag pattern. They can

be found on the underneath sides of leaves and in the terminal area, especially in the folds of newly emerging leaves. When these insects feed in the terminal area, they can damage tissue that eventually forms the first squares. Thrips rasp the plant tissue with their mouthparts, then suck the plant sap that exudes from the wound. Health tissue outgrows damaged tissue, thus causing leaf puckering and crinkling.

When scouting a field, you should count the number of thrips on at least 10 randomly selected plants per 23-30 acres of the field. Be sure to look inside the folds of emerging leaves by prying the folds open with a toothpick or a pencil point. Keep track of the number of thrips per plant, and calculate the average number per plant. Treatment should be considered at the following levels: 50% emergence to 1st true leaf - 1 thrips per plant; 1st to 4th leaf - 2 thrips per plant; 4th to 5th leaf - 5 or more thrips per plant. These are general treatment levels to be used only as a guideline. Other considerations include weather conditions, and health and vigor of the plants.

Once a decision has been made to make foliar insecticide application for thrips control, do not delay. A banded application with a ground rig is relatively inexpensive. However, due to time requirements and weather conditions, a ground application may not be made in a timely enough fashion to prevent significant damage. In this case, the cost of an aerial application may be justified. I am not aware of any studies on the effectiveness of thrips control via aerial application; but according to my personal experience and observations, good control can be achieved. A foliar application for thrips control, using a local systemic insecticide, will normally provide about 7 days control.

Preventative treatments used as planting are an effective means of controlling thrips in fields near maturing wheat. Seed treatments normally provide about 3 weeks control from planting, whereas granular in-furrow insecticide, normally provide 4 to 6 weeks control.

Farm Equipment Manufacturers hold spring management clinic

More than 345 registered manufacturers, suppliers, spouses and guests representing 154 member companies met at the Hyatt Islandia Hotel in San Diego, California, April 25 - 29, to develop manufacturer/supplier partnerships during the Farm Equipment Manufacturers Association's 34th Annual Spring Management Clinic.

"The FEMA Supplier Showcase is a productive enhancement to the Clinic which is structured to serve as a meeting place for the shortline manufacturers and their suppliers," said John Tye, FEMA President and President of The Tye Company in Lockney.

The FEMA Spring Management Clinic is where industry leaders have traditionally turned to update their management skills. Tuesday's full day of programming opened with a keynote address from Dave Garwood of R.D. Garwood, Inc. titled "Reshaping the Future of Industry — Shifting Paradigms".

Concurrent special interest roundtable sessions were held on the topics of "Problem Solving in Manufacturing", led by R.D. Garwood; "How To Protect Your New and Existing Products from Knock-Offs" led by St. Louis attorney Larry Evans; "Planning and Implementing Marketing Ideas" by Dr.

David Kohl of Virginia Tech University, and "Legal Implications of the Manufacturer/Dealer Contract" presented by San Roseberry attorney at law. Dr. Mike Skinner, president of SEE, Inc., Louisville, Kentucky, rounded out the Tuesday program with an address titled "Fast Facts for Getting and Keeping Sales".

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FmHA releases loan servicing regulations affecting borrowers

Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) has released long delayed new loan servicing regulations which will affect all borrowers. The new rules, at 396 pages and weighing in at nearly three pounds, began arriving in FmHA County Offices last week. They are expected to be implemented shortly with a mailing of as many as 40,000 delinquency letters to farmers.

The new rules sharply cut back the terms of servicing to delinquent borrowers. Pending their issuance, FmHA has had a moratorium on servicing since November 1990.

Pete Morrow, Director, Southwest Farm Advocacy Group, state "Many farmers behind in payments for reasons beyond their control have been unable to seek refinancing of their loans with

FmHA because of this moratorium. At long last, many will be able to address the problem."

Continued Morrow, "We're still sorting out many aspects of these new regulations, but it is safe to say they are not farmer-friendly. FmHA has fixed a program that wasn't broken. Nevertheless, there are still many options for borrowers, it just may be a little harder to find them in the regs."

"Farmers who need servicing because they have used up their borrowing limit should go to their County Office now and ask for the new application forms," advised Morrow.

A summary of the new regulations can be obtained from Southwest Farm Advocacy Group by calling their Lubbock office at (806) 793-3030 or in Phoenix at (602) 246-8077.

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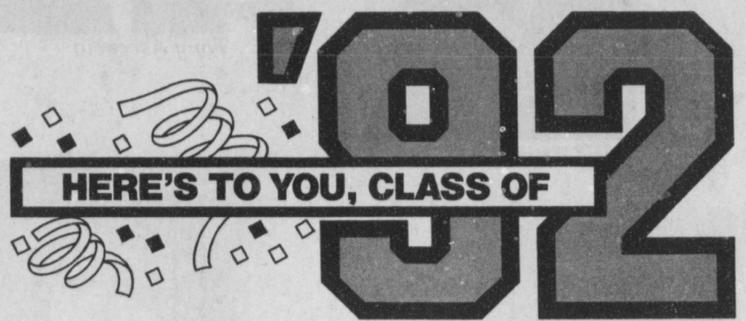
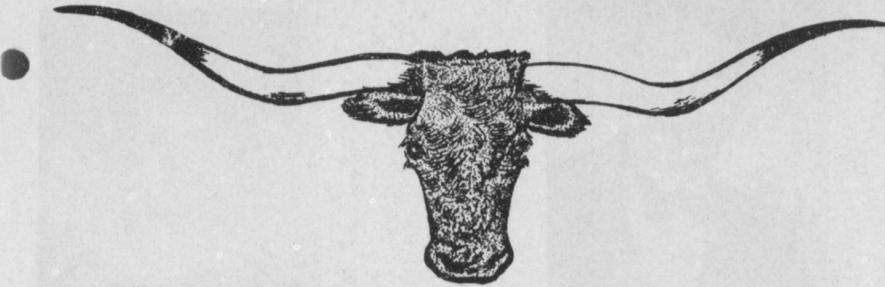
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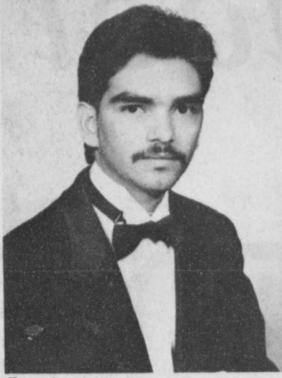
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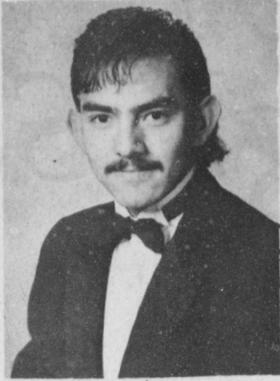
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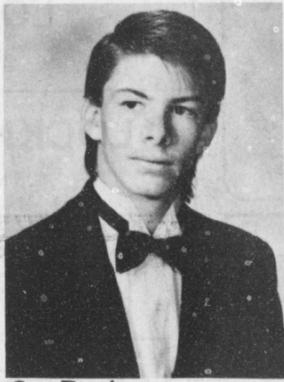
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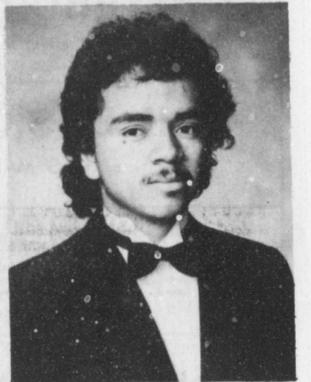
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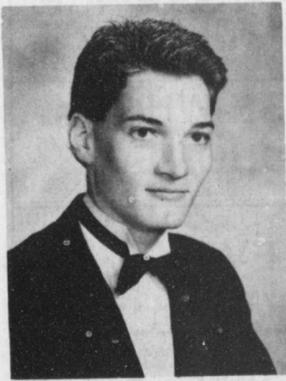
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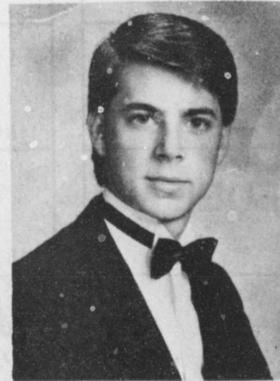
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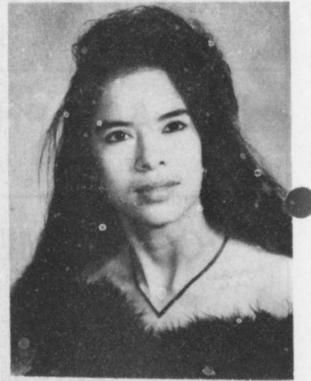
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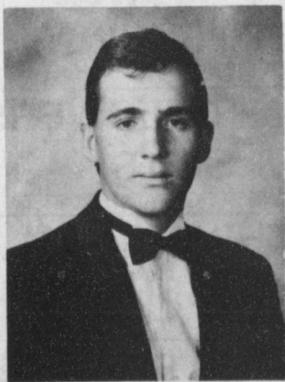
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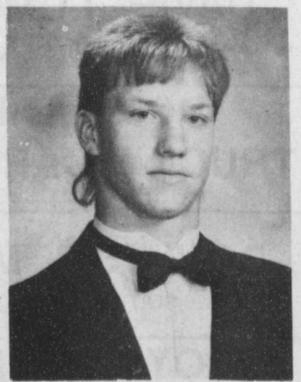
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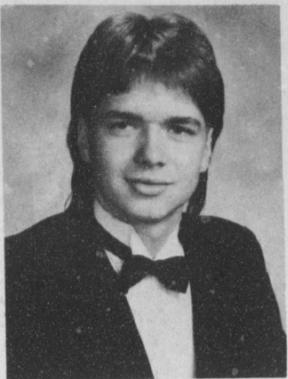
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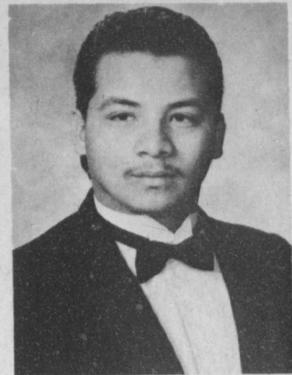
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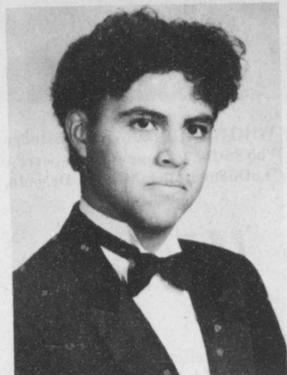
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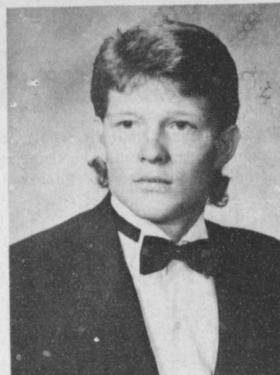
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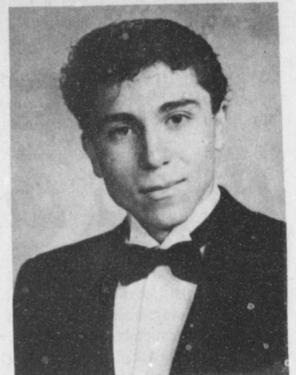
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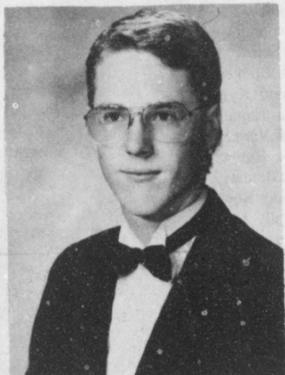
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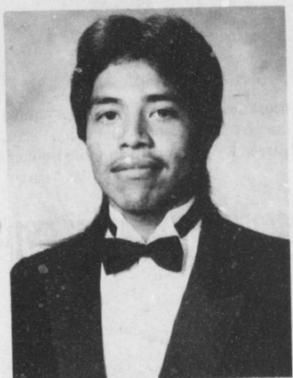
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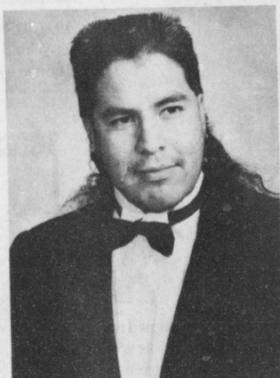
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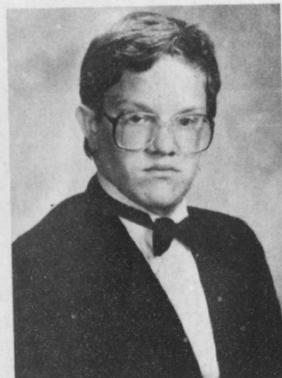
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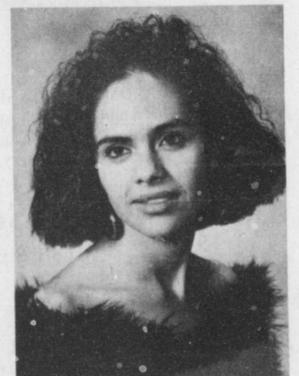
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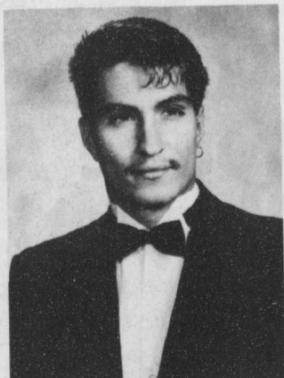
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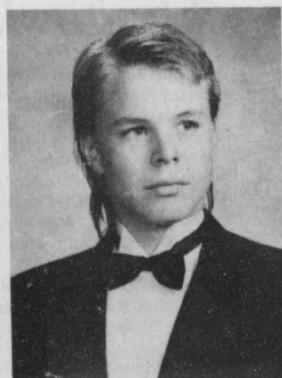
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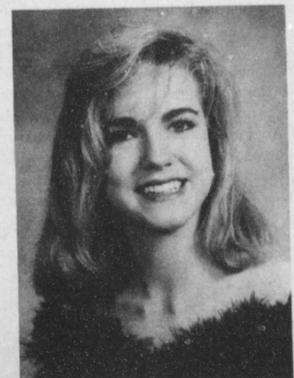
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Matt Workman



Kyla Zumwalt



STUDENTS HONORED AS WHO'S WHO--Students honored as Who's Who in the various subjects at the Lockney Junior Senior Prom were (l-r, top row) Rance Ford, Chris Villa and Ignacio Luna; (l-r, front) Calixta Guerrero, Jessica Lemons and Jennifer Fortenberry. The event was held at the "River of Elegance". Photo by Lisa Mosley



WHO'S WHO HONOREES--1991-92 students named as Who's Who in the various subjects were (l-r) Jimmie Bradley, LaDonna Butler, Michelle Delgado, Ruffy Perez and Juan Vargas. The students were honored at the Junior-Senior Banquet held Saturday, May 9 alongside the "River of Elegance". Photo by Lisa Mosley

Prom takes seniors through "River of Elegance"

"River of Elegance" was the theme as members of the Lockney High School Class of 1992 were treated to a banquet and prom by the members of the Junior Class. The event took place on the night of Saturday, May 9, 1992. The cafeteria at Lockney Elementary School was turned into the San Antonio River Walk and the Alamo and Tower of the Americas were a part of the decorations.

The welcome was given by the President of the Junior Class, Shawn Hill,

who also served as Master of Ceremonies for the evening. The response was given by Ignacio Luna, President of the 1992 Senior Class. Sandra Elias and Joann Amador gave the invocation and benediction.

Officers of the 1991-92 Junior Class are President, Shawn Hill; Vice-President, Mark Hernandez; Secretary, Sandra Elias; Treasurer, Joann Amador; and Reporter, Priscilla Beltran. They presented the students who had been cho-

sen as Who's Who in the various subjects, and those selected as Best-All-Around, Most Friendly, Most Courteous, Most Likely to Succeed, Most Representative and Most Popular. Kings and Queen of the Prom were also crowned.

Lockney High School Principal, James Poole, announced the two students who were chosen as "Best All Around". Chris Villa was chosen as Best All Around Boy and Jennifer Fortenberry as Best All Around Girl. Named as Most Representative of the Senior Class and Lockney High School were Michelle Delgado and Jimmy Bradley.

Rance Ford and Jennifer Fortenberry were named as the two students who are "Most Likely to Succeed".

Announced as "Most Friendly" students were Chris Villa and Daisey Blanco.

"Most Courteous" honors went to Chris Villa and Tara Mallett.

Jennifer Fortenberry and Jimmy Bradley were named "Most Popular" stu-

dents.

Those students selected as Who's Who in the various classes were: Art - Chris Villa and Jimmie Dale Bradley; Library - Refugio Perez; Math - Rance Ford and Jennifer Fortenberry; Biology - Jennifer Fortenberry; Physics - Rance Ford; Band - Jessica Lemons; Spanish - Elizabeth Garcia; Home Economics - Lila Booker and Kyla Zumwalt;

Drama - Ignacio Luna; Accounting - Calixta Guerrero; Computer Science - Rance Ford; English - Lila Booker; Journalism - Chris Villa and Kyla Zumwalt; Agriculture Science - Jimmie Dale Bradley; Football - Juan Vargas; Girls Basketball - LaDonna Butler; Boys Basketball - Jimmie Dale Bradley; Girls Track - Michelle Delgado; Boys Track - Refugio Perez; Baseball - Juan Vargas; and Typing - Kyla Zumwalt.

Named as Kings and Queen of the prom were Chris Villa, Jimmie Bradley and Jennifer Fortenberry. Villa and Bradley tied in the voting and they took turns dancing with the queen as they led off with the first dance.



TRIO NAMED PROM KINGS AND QUEEN--Jennifer Fortenberry was named Prom Queen and Chris Villa and Jimmie Bradley Prom Kings at the Lockney Junior-Senior Prom. Villa and Bradley tied in the voting and shared the first dance with Miss Fortenberry. Photo by Lisa Mosley



BUTLER SIGNS AGREEMENT--LaDonna Butler (seated center) signed an agreement with Western Oklahoma State to play basketball for them. She will receive a full scholarship. Miss Butler was joined at the signing by her parents, Ellis and Sandra Butler. Also in attendance were (l-r, top row) Eddie Fortenberry, girls basketball coach at Lockney High School and Bill Phillips, basketball coach at Western Oklahoma State. Miss Butler is a senior at Lockney High School and has been a starting member of the Lockney Lady Horns Basketball Team for three years. --Courtesy Photo

LaDonna Butler signs scholarship agreement

LaDonna Butler signed a scholarship agreement to play basketball at Western Oklahoma State University at Altus, Oklahoma.

Bill Phillips, head of mens and womens basketball at the college, joined Butler, her parents, Ellis and Sandra Butler, and Eddie Fortenberry, girls Lady Horns basketball coach, at the signing ceremonies.

"LaDonna became the first girls basketball college scholarship winner from Lockney in a long, long time," stated Fortenberry.

Miss Butler was a three year starter for the Lockney Lady Horns. She averaged 16.7 points and 10.0 rebounds during Lockney's 1991-92 district co-runnerup

season. The teams 1992 record stood at 18 wins and 12 losses.

She was honored with the Fighting Heart Award at the 1992 Sports Banquet and named Who's Who in Girls Basketball at the Junior-Senior Banquet.

Miss Butler also participates in the discus throw in track and advanced to the 3-2A Regional meet held in Abilene. She qualified for Regionals by placing 2nd in the discus throw at the district meet held at Shallowater.

She was named to the 1st Team All District Basketball team in District 3-2A in 1992 and she was named as an Honorable Mention on the District Team her sophomore and junior years.



1991-92 WHO'S WHO HONOREES--Lockney High School students named as Who's Who at the Junior-Senior Banquet are (l-r, top row) Ruffy Perez, Jimmie Bradley; (l-r, front) Elizabeth Garcia, Kyla Zumwalt and Lila Booker. Photo by Lisa Mosley

Lockney High School Honor Roll

5th Six Weeks

Grade 9

"A" 90 and above

Deidra McCarty

"B" 80 and above

Tiffany Ellison, Justin Graham, Victoria Guerrero, Coby Marr, Jared Mosley, Mary Poole, Julio Ramirez

Grade 10

"A" 90 and above

Tony Banda, James Martin, Debbie Pyle

"B" 80 and above

Manuel Banda, Anabel Camancho, Angie Clark, Jerod Glasson, Esmerald Gloria, Max Green, Amy Hernandez, Rhanda Hickerson, Angie Hooten, Cassidy Mallett, Ubaldo Ochoa, Cyndie Perez, Michael Rodriguez, Melissa Salas, James Truett, David Turner, Anetria Walker

Grade 11

"A" 90 and above

Carissa Clark, Ryan Ford, Kori Kellison, Gregory Patridge

"B" 80 and above

Jennifer Anderson, Linda DeLeon, Sandra Elias, Melissa Griffith, Jeri Lambert, Tami Vernon

Grade 12

"A" 90 and above

Tony Ascencio, Lila Booker, Rance Ford, Jennifer Fortenberry, Jessica Lemons, Ignacio Luna, Tara Mallett, Chris Villa

"B" 80 and above

Daisey Blanco, Kevin Cook, Coy Davis, Clay Golden, Domingo Luna, Refugio Perez, Brandon Poole, Jason Robnett, Tammie Soliz, John Truett, Anna Vargas





You're A Winner!

Congratulations on making the grade. Our best wishes are with you.

We're **P**ROUD OF YOU!