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Council grants raise to city manager

By Juanita Stepp

FLOYDADA — Members of the Floydada City Council reviewed salaries during an executive session at the end of the Tuesday evening meeting on February 16. Following the closed session, a motion was made by council member Clar Schacht to increase city manager Gary Brown's monthly salary by \$750.00. The motion was seconded by council member Eric Cornelius. The motion was defeated 3 to 2 with Schacht and Cornelius voting in favor and council members Leroy Burns, Amado Morales and Ruben Barrientoz opposed.

Citing the recommendation made by Mayor Wayne Russell concerning the salary increase, Burns made a motion to increase Brown's salary by \$430.00 per month. Cornelius again provided the second. This motion passed with three votes in favor, Burns, Cornelius and Schacht. Morales voted against the motion and Barrientoz chose to abstain from the vote.

The monthly increase will make Brown's annual salary as city manager

total just over \$43,000.00.

SEAL COAT BID AWARDED

Floydada city council members voted unanimously to award the bid for the annual fifteen blocks of city street seal coating to Appian Corporation of Hereford. The firm submitted the low bid of \$46,787.00 for the project. Four other bids were received including Ronnie Zahn Paving of Lubbock (\$53,306.50), Lewis Construction Co. of Dumas (\$62,127.00), High Plains Pavers of Plainview (\$57,525.00), and Lipham Construction of Aspermont (\$48,321.00).

Motion for the action was made by Morales and seconded by Schacht. The city had budgeted \$50,000.00 for the project.

FINAL AUDIT REPORT RECEIVED

Edd Henderson Jr., from the firm of Edd Henderson CPA, presented the council with final drafts of the audit for the period ending September 30, 1992. The detailed financial report showed

that the city is in excellent financial shape and operating very efficiently according to Henderson.

The report has been upgraded this year from the usual annual audit to a Comprehensive Annual Financial Report detailing financial and statistical data on the city for the past eleven fiscal periods during the past ten years.

The report is the basis of an application by the city to the Governmental Financial Officers Association for a certificate of achievement in recognition of its status as an exemplary city in the areas of fiscal responsibility and operation.

The report was approved and accepted by the council on a motion by Schacht. Cornelius provided the second and the vote was unanimously in favor.

SUMMER PROGRAM OPERATORS APPROVED

Steve and Ann Assiter will operate the Floydada Municipal Swimming Pool during the coming summer. The couple ran the facility last year and were the only bidders for the job this season. Mrs. Assiter told the council that they would conduct the local swimming pool with the same standards and rules as last year and that they would price concessions comparable to last year.

Motion to approve the operators came from Barrientoz with a second by Cornelius. The vote was unanimously for the motion.

The Summer baseball program was also awarded to a return bidder. Bruce Bramlett, the only bidder, submitted a bid to run the summer leagues with only one change from last year. Bramlett requested an increase in compensation from \$2,000.00 to \$2,500.00 for the summer. He cited the large amount of time required to successfully administer the summer program as the reason.

Motion to grant the increase and award the summer baseball program to Bramlett was made by Burns. Morales made the second and the motion passed by unanimous vote.

AIRPORT LEASE DISCUSSED

City attorney Karen Houchin brought the council up to date on the rewriting of the Floydada Municipal Airport operator's lease. She told the council that the airport board had worked long and hard on the project and that all changes had been completed. The final draft of the new contract is now being prepared according to Houchin. The only item remaining to complete the task and have the contract ready to sign is a surveyors report containing the legal description of the land. Bad weather has made this difficult to obtain.

Mayor Russell and two local fliers, Mitch Probasco and Jim Crawford, asked that the process be completed as expeditiously as possible so that a contract could be executed and the airport begin full operations again. According to Russell, Floydada is getting a bad reputation because planes cannot get fuel and service at the facility. Without a contracted operator, there is no one on the premises to serve them and no one to take liability if something goes wrong said the trio.

Houchin was instructed to get the process finished and present a contract to the council at the earliest possible date. A special session will be called to handle the matter if necessary.

FP&L PROMOTION

The city council voted to continue to pursue the promotion of Floydada Power & Light as a provider of electric service to local residents. In addition to a previously approved advertising campaign, the council approved a series of employee rewards for city employees who can secure change over customers from SPS during the campaign.

Two change overs will result in an extra day off for the employee. Three change overs will add a meal for two at a local restaurant to the day off. A \$20.00 limit was set for the meal. Five

change overs gets the employee two extra days off. The employee who totes up the greatest number of change overs (at least five) will receive a cash reward of \$100.00 at the end of the sixty day promotion.

Motion to approve the incentive rewards was made by Schacht and seconded by Burns. The vote was unanimously in favor. Morales attempted to raise the cash reward to \$200.00 for the most change overs, but his motion died for lack of a second.

GENERAL ELECTION SET

Council members unanimously approved calling for the annual municipal election to be held on May 1. The position of mayor and two council members will be on the ballot this year. The two council members will be those serving District 2, Ruben Barrientoz and District 3, Leroy Burns. Any qualified candidate wishing to run for one of these positions should contact Sharon Quisenberry at City Hall in Floydada for information on signing up.

CITY MANAGERS REPORT

Brown reported that the oil reclamation grant the city had applied for last fall may soon be funded. If it passes review on March 4, the city will receive \$10,000.00 to use in setting up a used oil collection point for local residents.

Stated Brown, "This would allow the do-it-yourself oil changers to have a place to bring the used oil and safely dispose of it. SPAG personnel have told us that we stand a very good chance of having the project funded."

Brown also reported that the city is working with local tire dealers and service stations to provide a collection point for used tires at the Floydada landfill. The facility may have up to 500 tires on site at one time. Brown has proposed that local dealers be allowed to bring their used tires to the collection point and leave them for pickup. Dealers would be required to provide a signed statement detailing the number and type of tires being brought in. When the level reached 400, the city would arrange for the tires to be picked up and taken to a recycling facility at Stamford.

A final letter requesting specific exemptions from such items as lining, leachate collection and additional test wells has been completed and forwarded to the Texas Water Commission in what Brown hopes will be the last item needed before a final permit for the proposed landfill expansion is issued. Brown said that it is possible for a permit to be in hand within sixty days, but that

will depend on the actual date the TWC issues the new regulations. This is expected to happen in a few weeks, but could be delayed as has been the case in the past according to Brown.

The last item he reported on was the proposed settlement of an on-going court action against SPS by the West Texas Municipal Power Association which Floydada belongs to. The suit concerns an alleged overcharge and has been near settlement once before. The final outcome will be decided by a judge after the settlement proposal is submitted in the next few days said Brown.

Councilman Barrientoz asked Brown for an update on the status of the five new pickups the city had agreed to purchase from Floydada Ford-Mercury. Brown responded that the five pickups which were delivered to Floydada Ford for the city "did not meet the bid specs."

Brown added that Laura Farris, the owner of the dealership, had ordered the proper parts and equipment to bring the

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School districts schedule elections

Floydada Independent School District and Lockney Independent School District have slated May 1 as the date for annual trustee elections.

February 15 was the first day a potential candidate could place their name on the ballot. The sign-up period will extend through March 17.

FISD qualified candidates may sign-up at 226 W. California in Floydada during regular office hours until March 17. Board members up for election this year are Billy Joe Villarreal in Precinct 3 and Michael Hinsley, at-large.

Qualified candidates for LISD school board positions may sign up at 416 W. Willow in Lockney from now until March 17. Gary Mangold and Mike Mathis are the two school board members up for election this spring in Lockney.

Early voting in the election will begin on April 12 and run through April 27.

Cowboy poet to speak at banquet Saturday

Cowboy poet, Dennis Gaines, will be the featured speaker at Floydada's Chamber of Commerce banquet, February 20.

A working cowboy, Gaines is employed by the historic Matador Cattle Company in the Caprock foothills country of Motley County. He has been a Texas State Representative Poet at the Cowboy Poetry Gathering in Elko, Nevada.

He has also recited his original verse at the National Cowboy Symposium and Celebration in Lubbock and the Texas Folklife Festival in San Antonio.

Gaines was born in Mountain Home, Idaho, the son of an Air Force father and a native Texas mother. Whether moving body and soul halfway across the globe in his formative years as a ward of Uncle Sam, or yielding to his natural wanderlust in his adult years, Gaines has drawn heavily on his experiences and observations for use in his writing.

During his childhood and adolescent years the family was stationed at various

bases in such widely disparate locations as Texas, Louisiana, Okinawa and Germany. Dennis graduated from high school in San Antonio and is a veteran oil-boom mercenary of the late 70's and early 80's, having cast his shadow across drilling-rig floors in Texas, Louisiana, the Gulf of Mexico, India, Brazil, the North Sea and Alaska. Seeking a somewhat safer and saner occupation he started punching cattle and eventually writing and reciting cowboy poetry.

Other highlights of the banquet will be the presentation of several awards, including: Employer of the Year, Citizen of the Year and The Extra Mile Award.

The deadline for submitting your application for Employer of the Year is Thursday, February 18.

Tickets are now on sale at the chamber office, or from any board member for \$12.50 each. The banquet will begin at 7:00 p.m. and will be held at Duncan Elementary cafeteria. Nielson's Restaurant will cater the steak meal.

County gins report low counts for 1992 cotton crop

Even though Floyd County's cotton crop was meager and ginning by all counts should have been done very early—rain, snow and sleet slowed the process and kept what little cotton there was in the fields waiting to be stripped.

Of the 14 gins in the county six of them did not open. Of the remaining eight gins, 19,680 bales were ginned, with most of the gins finishing work February 4 and February 8.

D&J Gin in Lockney finished ginning the last week in December, ending up with 4,842 bales — the most bales ginned in the county.

According to Bob Lotspeich, with the ASCS office, Floyd County farmers originally planted 181,000 acres in cotton. When the wind, rain and hail stopped, 15,000 acres of cotton was left for harvest. Many turned to milo, soybeans and sunflowers to recoup some losses, however a glut in the market kept milo prices down.

At the present time the cotton future is favorable. Winter rains and snow have provided good underground soil moisture for 1993 dryland crops.

A breakdown of the gins bale count over a four year period is listed below:

GIN	1992	1991	1990	1989
Brown Gin	Not open	6,750	8,484	5,040
Darty Gin	3,621	11,179	11,671	5,722
D&J Gin	4,842	17,176	17,918	4,640
Floydada Coop	3,746	35,682	42,500	22,700
Hendricks Barwise	1,002	13,809	12,000	3,500
Lockney Coop	3,970	25,200	19,363	3,466
<i>(including South Plains)</i>				
Lockney Gin	Not open	8,500	9,700	2,060
Marble Bros.	316	3,243	3,550	1,050
McCoy Gin	Not open	3,443	6,400	4,023
Scott Gin	Not open	9,335	10,034	4,400
Sterley Gin	Not open	7,400	7,229	1,560
South Plains	Not open		8,137	
Crume Gin	350	6,000	6,700	No report
TOTAL	17,847	147,717	163,686	58,161

Lockney school counselor compares local TAAS results with state figures

Lockney School Board met for a regular called meeting, February 11, to approve bids on gas and food products, to extend contracts and to hear TAAS results from School Counselor Diane Lowe.

Lowe reported to the school board that 48% of Lockney's 11th graders met expectations on all tests taken, compared to the state level of 54%. Twenty-seven percent of the same group of students, when tested in the 9th grade, met expectations on all tests taken.

Lowe compared the ninth grade scores, from 1990, to show the improvement in the same group of students.

Other results showed: 20% of Lockney students did not meet expectations on one test, compared to the 24% of the state; 22% of Lockney students did not meet expectations on two tests, compared to 16% of the state; and 11% of Lockney students did not meet expectations on all three tests, compared to 5% of the state.

In the area of writing, 86% of Lockney students met minimum expectations compared to 83% of the state average; 22% of Lockney 11th graders mastered

all objectives compared to 29% of the state. Seventy-one percent of the same students in the 9th grade met the minimum expectations.

In the area of reading, 67% of Lockney's students met minimum expectations compared to 76% of the state; 21% of Lockney students mastered all reading objectives compared to 30% of the state. Fifty percent of the same students in the 9th grade met minimum expectations.

In the area of math, 60% of Lockney students met the minimum expectations compared to 60% of the state; 15% of Lockney students mastered all the objectives compared to 18% at the state level. In the 9th grade 31% of these students met the minimum expectations.

Lowe reported to the school board that sophomores and any juniors and seniors who have not passed will be taking the Exit level TAAS test on the following days: Writing, March 11; Math, May 4; and Reading, May 5. The 4th and 8th grades will be taking the regular TAAS tests on the same dates.

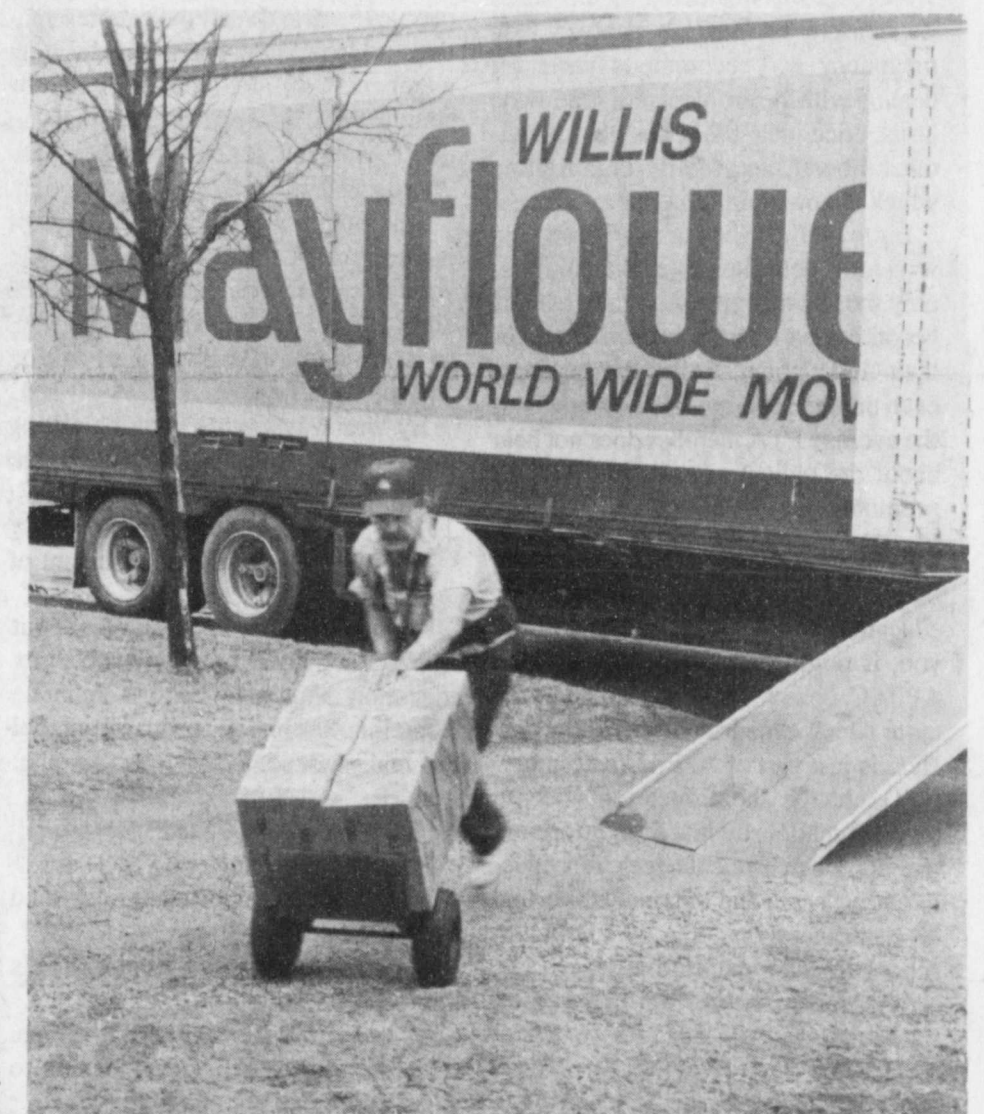
Superintendent Dub Hallmark reported on the progress of the gym construction and stated that they were behind schedule slightly and if the weather would cooperate the workers could continue.

Bids were approved by trustees, for gas/diesel and food products. SYSCO got the majority of the food bids and Bell Dairy was awarded the milk bid. Consumers was awarded the bid for gas/diesel.

Trustees also extended one year contracts for Principals James Poole, Terry Ellison, Phil Cotham and Coach John Lowe.

Trustees also called for school board election May 1st and appointed Jackie Lou Holt as absentee clerk. Two positions will be open for election, that being the terms of Dr. Gary Mangold and Mike Mathis. Anyone wishing to sign up for school board can do so February 15-March 17.

In a February 9th special board meeting, trustees called for bids for the chair back stadium seats and permanent aluminum grandstands. There was no other business at this meeting.



WORLD WIDE MOVING DELIVERS COOKIES--A moving van stuffed with Girl Scout Cookies was in the county on Monday delivering boxes to Lockney and Floydada Girl Scouts. The boxes will be distributed to the young saleswomen who will soon deliver them to all their anxious cookie customers. --Staff Photo

BY THE WAY!

BY ALICE GILROY



I haven't gotten on a soapbox in a long time (at least it seems like a long time to me), but now I have something I would like to tell ya'll about. Some friends of mine brought it to my attention and now I want to bring it to yours.

It concerns Senate Bill #20, which calls for State Mandated Sex Education in public schools.

State mandated means your choice of how sex education would be taught in your local schools would no longer be in your hands—the state would tell you how it would be done (and we all know how much better off we always are when the government starts telling us how we have to run our lives, manage our businesses and raise our children).

When I first started looking into the bill, I asked for a copy. It is very vague and seems pretty harmless.

It fact it is so vague that you wonder why they have to have the senate bill in the first place. If you didn't know who was behind it, it could very easily slide right past you. The bill has been recommended by APPAC, which is the Adolescent Pregnancy and Parenthood Advisory Council. Once you know about APPAC—this bill calling for state mandated sex education takes on a whole other meaning.

APPAC was mandated by the Texas Legislature in 1987 to analyze teen pregnancy and recommend ways for dealing with the problem on a state-wide basis. Nice idea, but it has become another liberal, anti-family organization which is now trying to push an agenda.

Little by little they are gathering and screening delegates to make sure that only those who agree with their agenda become a part of the team that makes their "recommendations." For instance, even though the State PTA is a member, the average PTA member does not hear about the radical agenda that APPAC promotes.

Even though the bill is vague, and they refuse to specify what type of sex education they will be force feeding you, it might help to know just what APPAC believes in (they do not promote Abstinence based sex education). Here is just part of APPAC's agenda:

(1) change the Education code to prohibit schools by law from informing parents when students seek reproductive health care and treatment (abortion or contraceptives) and to allow the school to grant excused absences and provide transportation for students leaving campus for such reproductive health services;

(2) Mandatory kindergarten through 12th grade comprehensive sex education—the sex education is values neutral.

(3) Community and school-based clinics to provide contraception and abortion referral.

Remember—you—the taxpayer are already funding this organization. The Southern Governor's Association is giving APPAC funding and so is the Texas Education Agency, the Texas Department of Health and the Texas Department of Human Services.

Back to Senate Bill 20. When you get through all the mumbo jumbo about how this bill is to promote Self Development and Life Skills Education from Kindergarten through 12th grade, you might be surprised to read the very last paragraph. It should make an alarm go off.

Section 3 states—"The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the calendars in both houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each house be suspended, and this rule is hereby suspended, and that this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted."

In other words—read it one day—vote on it and it's yours. State mandated sex education.

Opponents of the bill are asking people to write or call their representatives and the State Board of Education members. Don't let them tell you how simple the bill is—just tell them that you don't want the state to mandate how your local schools teach sex education.

Tell them you want to leave it like it is—controlled locally by parents and your elected school board officials. We don't know when the vote will come up, so it is imperative that you start writing and calling now.

By the way—while you're telling them to vote NO to SB 20, you might also ask them to vote YES to Senate Bill 151.

SB 151 calls for the abolishment of APPAC!

If you want to know more about APPAC and their comprehensive sex education approach, contact Julianne Cornelius. She has quite a bit of material that makes for some very good reading.

"The Toddler's Creed"

If I want it, it's mine.
If I give it to you and change my mind later, it's mine.

If I can take it away from you, it's mine.

If I had it a little while ago, it's mine.
If it's mine, it will never belong to anyone else, no matter what.

If we are building something together, all the pieces are mine.

If it looks just like mine, it is mine.

Courtroom Activities

In county court, February 9 Juan Borjas was charged with Failure to Stop and Give Information. There was no disposition on this case.

Also on February 9, Jose Guadalupe Gonzales III, 22, of Lockney was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case.

Jose Efrain Peralez Jr., 31, of Lockney was charged on February 9 for DWI. There was no disposition on this case.

Armando Vasquez, 60, of Lockney was charged with DWI on February 9. He pled guilty on February 10. He was sentenced to six months in jail and fined \$500.00 plus court costs. The jail time was probated for two years.

February 10 three people received deferred adjudication on speeding appeals. Bobby James Parrott had filed an appeal on Nov. 20, 1992; Don Clayton

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Thrash had filed an appeal on April 13, 1992 and Richard Stroud had filed an appeal on February 8, 1993.

Also on February 10, the January 7, 1993 Theft of Services charge against Rex Breed was dismissed.

February 15, Roger Vance Choate filed a speeding appeal. There was no disposition on this case.

February 16, Neal Wade Barrett, 27, of Flomot was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case.

In J.P. court there were 57 misdemeanor cases filed. One of the cases was a charge of Consuming Alcoholic Beverage While Operating a Motor Vehicle, which was filed against Antonio Rendenz, 33, of Post.

Castillo earns degree at OSU

Blanca Estela Castillo, daughter of Alfredo and Elvira Medrano of Floydada, was one of 1,225 Oklahoma State University students who completed their degree requirements at the end of the 1992 Fall semester. She earned a BA degree.

Included in the degrees awarded were 231 master's degrees, three doctor of veterinary medicine degrees, 20 doctor of education degrees, and 51 doctor of philosophy degrees.

February 1, at 11:35 p.m. police were called to a burglary of a habitation of a home in the 400 block of W. Kentucky. Entry was made by breaking the glass to the rear door and unlocking the door. Stolen were two homemade tattoo machines, valued at \$30.00; a wooden handle claw hammer, valued at \$20.00 and a yellow and blue lantern battery valued at \$10.00.

February 3, at 11:45 p.m., police observed a vehicle traveling west on East Ross. The vehicle left the normal traffic lane, crossed toward the right until it hit the curb on the right side of the roadway. The vehicle was stopped, and the driver, F.L. Williams, 52, of Floydada was arrested for DWI and unlawfully carrying

This Week

DATE SET FOR OLD SETTLERS

The date for Old Settlers Day this year has been set for Saturday, May 29, 1993.

FLOYDADA SINGLES

Floydada Singles will meet at 6 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 20, in the Senior Citizens building. Hostesses will be Edith Marrs, Doris Snodgrass and Geraldine Callaway.

DIABETES CLASSES

Diabetes class will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 25, in the lobby area of Lockney General Hospital. Classes meet the 4th Thursday of each month. For more information, contact Helen Teeple, R.N., 983-3801. Classes are free.

WOMENS SOFTBALL

There will be an organizational meeting for Lockney Women's Softball Thursday, Feb. 18, at 7:00 p.m. at Lockney Junior High Cafeteria. Any woman interested in playing softball in a women's league should attend. If interested, but unable to attend, contact D'Lyn Morris at 652-2270.

SCHOLARSHIP

The Iota Tau Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma will be awarding a scholarship in May of 1993. The recipient must be a graduate of either Abernathy, Floydada, Hale Center, Lockney, Petersburg or Plainview and must be majoring in the field of education and must have completed the sophomore year of college. For more information contact Mrs. Terry Ellison in Lockney or Mrs. Sheree Cannon in Floydada. Deadline for applications is March 1.

SINGLES DANCE CLUB

Plainview Area Singles Dance Club (for ages 39 and over) meets every Friday night at 7 p.m. at the Conestoga Best Western, 600 N. 1-27 (next to Kettle), Plainview. Visitors are welcome.

ADULT EDUCATION IN FLOYDADA

Adult Education Classes, including ABE, GED, ESL and Computer Lab, are now in session each Monday and Tuesday evenings from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. in the Floydada High School Coop Lab. Interested individuals may begin attending at anytime. Instructors are Jan Thayer and Mary Garcia.

ADULT EDUCATION IN LOCKNEY

Adult Education Classes in Lockney meet from 6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on Monday and Thursday nights at Lockney High School. Anyone interested in enrolling can go to LHS on one of the meeting nights. ESL, Basic Education and GED courses are available.

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC

Free blood pressure clinic is held in the community room of the First National Bank in Floydada every Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Everyone is welcome.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

Alcoholics Anonymous and Al-Anons meet each Tuesday night at 8:00 p.m. Anyone wanting the loving fellowship of men and women who can share their experience, strength and hope are welcome. Meetings are held in the County Extension Building, at the north end of the building. Anyone interested may call 983-3635 or 652-3546.

WEATHER

Courtesy of Energas			
DATE	HIGH	LOW	
Feb. 10	60	42	
Feb. 11	45	30	
Feb. 12	60	24	
Feb. 13	54	32	
Feb. 14	35	33	
Feb. 15	40	33	
Feb. 16	28	20	

Floydada Police Report

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Gooch was directed to a residence in the 800 block of S. 3rd and found Jesus Maldonado, 32, of Floydada at the residence with a stab wound in the right rib cage.

Maldonado told police that he had been in a fight with Pete Segura, 25, of Floydada and that Segura had been transported to Lockney General Hospital by private vehicle. Segura had also suffered stab wounds.

The investigation is continuing. Also on February 13, police were called to a report of Indecency With A Child. The investigation is continuing.

February 15, police arrested Rebecca Hernandez, 29, of Floydada and charged her with Forgery By Passing. According to police reports a forged check was passed, at Pay-n-Save, around the first week in October of 1992. The investigation is continuing and charges could be filed against another person.

Police Chief James Hale states that the department has received several complaints of obscene phone calls toward individuals. A tracer was attached to phone lines and the tracer was able to lock in on a person making a call. The investigation is continuing.

February 17, at 1:00 a.m. police were called to Allsups in reference to a juvenile stealing cigarettes. The juvenile was turned over to juvenile authorities.

Also on February 7, at approximately 7:45 p.m., police were called to the Floyd County Sheriff's Office to talk to a man who stated he had been shot at. The man told police that he had been standing in the 100 block of S. 5th when another man drove up beside him and shot at him. The complainant told police he knew the man who had fired the weapon and they had had a disagreement the day before. Police arrested Juan Sanchez, 41, on February 10 and charged him with Aggravated Assault with a Deadly Weapon.

February 8 at 4:00 p.m., police investigated a report of criminal mischief at a vacant home in the 100 block of W. Georgia. Several of the walls inside the home had been spray painted with black paint.

February 9 a woman came to the Floydada police station and stated that she had not signed for a check that had been passed at Pay-n-Save in December. The check was in an amount over \$300.00. Police are investigating.

February 11, two female students at Floydada High School were taken before the city judge and fined \$60.00 each for fighting at Floydada High School.

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The Floyd County Chapter of the American Heart Association would like to thank the following for helping make the "Bridge for Heart" fund campaign a great success:

Pay-N-Save
Kathy Becker and
the Floydada High
School Home Ec. Dept.
Thompson's Pharmacy
Park Florist
Sue's Gifts
Williams Florist
Susan Simpson
Jeanine's Creative Images
Debbie's Nails

R. Photography
Jim Word
Jimmy Willson
Ann Jones
Kelly Williams
Lynn Marler
Deen Braly
Corey Robertson
Floyd County
Hesperian-Beacon
All Bridge Participants

ALLSUP'S

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FEBRUARY 18-24, 1993

LOCKNEY & FLOYDADA

ALL TYPES
COCA-COLA
6 PACK 12 OZ. CANS
2.29
3 LITER BOTTLES
1.99

HORMEL
LITTLE SIZZLERS
12 OZ. PKG.
99¢

FAMOUS
ALLSUP'S BURRITOS

2 FOR 99¢

CORN KING
MEAT FRANKS
12 OZ. PKG.
59¢

SHURFINE
SWEET PEAS
17 OZ. CAN **39¢**

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RUSSET POTATOES
10 LB. BAG
\$1.29

SHURFINE
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16 OZ. CAN **39¢**

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TOM'S TUBE SNACKS

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79¢ EACH

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MAMA ANGELINA'S
3 PACK 36 OZ.
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10 OZ. BOTTLE **59¢**

CARRIZOZO APPLE CIDER
12 OZ. BOTTLE **49¢**

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BARBECUE WHOLE CHICKEN	\$3.99	(MEAT) CORN DOG	69¢
ALLSUP'S BURRITO	79¢	DELICIOUS HAMBURGER	69¢
BREAKFAST BURRITO	99¢	WILSON HOT LINKS	99¢
BURRITO BEEF & SALSA	\$1.19	SAUSAGE ON A STICK	\$1.39
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CALL IN ORDERS WELCOME CHECK OUR WEEKLY SPECIALS

Hill and Elias named Mr. and Miss LHS

Shawn Hill and Sandra Elias were named Mr. and Miss LHS for 1992-93 in a ceremony held Saturday, February 13 at the Cafetorium of Lockney Elementary School.

Named as First Runners-up were Mark Hernandez and Kori Kellison. Selected as Second Runners-up were Jenaro Zapata and Carolyn Turner. Dragan Tomic and Carissa Clark were announced as Third Runners-up and Lance Patridge and Sarah Silva Fourth Runners-up.

Recognized during the ceremonies

were the honorees for Mr. and Miss LHS, Class Favorites, Most Attractive, Most Creative, Most Outgoing, Most Adventurous, and Class Clown.

CLASS FAVORITES
Senior Class - Shawn Hill and Sarah Silva
Junior Class - Jason Graham and Esmerelda Gloria
Sophomore Class - Alfred Martinez and Mary Lindsey Poole
Freshman Class - Carlos Perales and Tamarah Burson

MOST ATTRACTIVE
Seniors - Tony Elias, Andy Stapp, Daniel Perez, Kori Kellison, Carissa Clark and Sandra Elias.
Juniors - Leo Vargas, Paul Raissez, Jason Graham, Melissa Salas, Angie Clark and Rhanda Hickerson.
Sophomores - Alfred Martinez, Jared Mosley, Timothy Perez, Mandy Hunter, Mary Lindsey Poole and Monica Flores.
Freshmen - Mark Arismendez, Carlos Perales, Frank Gutierrez, Tamarah Burson, Chelsea Patridge and Randi Jo Henderson.

Sophomores - Jared Mosley and Mandy Hunter
Freshmen - Carlos Perales and Chelsea Patridge

MOST ADVENTUROUS
Seniors - Jim Ed Davis and Carissa Clark
Juniors - Phineas Riddley and Aneatria Johnson
Sophomores - Juan Camacho and Trudi Lambert
Freshmen - Federico Cervantes, Jarrod Clark, Mark Arismendez, and Angela Hall

CLASS CLOWN
Seniors - Shawn Hill and Laurie Rodriguez
Juniors - Ricky Ascencio and Esmerelda Gloria
Sophomores - Tanner Johnson and Trudi Lambert
Freshmen - Steven Alaniz and Lisa Perez

Shawn Hill, president of the Lockney High School Student Council presented gifts to Foreign Exchange Students, Dragan Tomic and Sal Failla.

Max Green and Mary Lindsey Poole did a jitterbug number as the Rythm High Harmony sang "School Days".



MR & MISS LHS
Shawn Hill and Sandra Elias

Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor,

As a republican I seldom praise an elected official of the Democrat persuasion, but I am not so blinded of party affiliation that I fail to recognize when one shows promise of doing a good job.

Our newly elected Sheriff Charlie Overstreet has begun his tenure on the right foot. He is in the process of making many much needed changes to update our Sheriff's Office performance. There is a spirit of cooperation among all the county's law enforcement departments that has been lacking in the past. Jail security has been tightened, and jail trustees are further restricted for the safety of jail employees and local citizens.

All of these changes have a potential of lowering the crime rate and increase the quality of life in Floyd County.

I am especially impressed that he took the most worn out patrol car to use as his patrol car. In a tactical sense this was a wise decision to insure his deputies' speedy response time to emergencies. I think the willingness to drive the clunker says something else about him.

In this day and age few elected officials fail to appropriate all the privileges and perks they can from elected office. He could have driven a brand new patrol unit, and given his deputies a less reliable car. It's his attitude of being a servant of the people rather than a king that is most refreshing.

I hope he can work to get salaries commensurate with other sheriff's offices to enable him to retain well trained experienced officers.

He may be a Democrat, but he is a conservative Democrat and that's not always too far from being a Republican. He has my support, and yours too I hope. There is always a chance he may see the light and become a Republican sheriff in time.

The Evil Republican,
Ray Macha

Letter to the editor:

"And the beat goes on". Music transcends all languages. One may not be able to speak a foreign language, but the sound of music "speaks" to all who can hear. A few weeks ago I attended the mid-year Lockney Band Concert. The beginning 5th grade band students start off with some "simple" tunes using all the lung power they can muster just to blow the horns, and it's music! The 6th graders follow and already there is a noticeable mastering of the notes and ability to play. Then the Junior High band plays and another step is more than obvious in the progression of improved performance. Each piece shows greater control with the instrument as delicate numbers are being played. Then the High School band plays and the volume, control, and quality moves to a whole new realm. It's living stereo as each section of the band plays its individual parts that flow together in brilliant and moving tones. It's exciting and stirring, watching and listening, as the band plays. One is moved even by the smiles on the student's faces in-between numbers. They're enjoying it too!

I listen to taped music but it doesn't have the same impact as actually being there to see and hear it being performed. It's the same way with sports. We can watch it on TV but actually attending a game is much more enjoyable and exciting. The same analogy could be used for attending worship services! The difference is if you missed the band concert you will not get another opportunity to attend next week like you can at sports or worship. It's a shame that we can't have weekly band concerts, but if they did, the attendance would soon become like that at some of our churches worship services!

I do not understand why we, as parents, don't "push" our children into music as we do into sports. Sports is an excellent discipline and so is music. One of the differences is I see people in their

enjoying it. The life span of an athlete is just a few years. My knees have difficulty in straightening up after I bend down, but fortunately I can still hear. Let the band play on! Not next week, but in a few months we will get to hear the band again. It's a good thing that quality lasts. Thank you, Mr. Zalman and the Lockney Band, for your time and talent for another year of magnificent moving music. Wouldn't it be nice if we needed a larger auditorium to accommodate all the people who will come to the next concert?

Gary Kleypas,
Pastor
Providence Community

Dear Editor,

At 30 (something) recently I found myself nervous to go to the principal's office, yet because of concern and curiosity that is exactly what I chose to do.

The school had notified my husband and me of concerns for our child ranging from grades, conduct and daily preparations for classes.

As I think most parents feel at those moments, it is a natural re-action to defend one's offspring denying actions from our child that as parents we feel our child is not capable of.

With somewhat shame I must admit that I found excuses for un-becoming behavior or/and lack of cooperation, dis-believing what our school staff begged us to listen to.

Being honest I must admit that at times one finds fault in our school systems without just cause, yet because one day that I accepted an invitation to spend a day in school to simply observe the children and staff I now see our school in a very different way.

I was able to observe a staff of very caring people trying to make a difference in our children's lives.

We have tried very hard to provide the proper supplies for our child as any parents do, yet I noticed many students from class to class who did not have the simple supplies with them such as paper, pen, or books needed for the class.

I was welcomed with open arms by all of the staff members which helped me to feel very much at ease. Not knowing exactly what I should do I began at the first of every class introducing myself to the teacher explaining that my visit was to prompt my child to do his/her best and to observe the class, hoping to convey to not only my child but to all of the students that parents support our school system.

I was asked many times by students, "Why are you here? What trouble is your child in?"

My response, "I'm here because I love my child, and I want not only my child but all of the students to know that we as adults whether it be staff or parents want to give every effort to help each and every student to achieve his/her dreams.

I'm proud to say that the whole class responded well to my visit actually wanting my participation in their day.

I saw beaming faces with eyes that sparkled to realize that just an ordinary mom wanted to spend a day with them.

The point of my writing is to beg! each and every parent to take just one hour or a whole day with your child at school. I was hesitant, nervous and uncomfortable at first, but please believe me when I say I learned so very much, and ended up at the end of the day not only supporting my own child, but all the classmates who I found to be wonderful young people who need us as parents to support not only the basketball, football or band activities, but they need us to support the daily activities most of all!

My day in school also left me with much respect and admiration for our Lockney school staff.

I feel I have learned a very important lesson at my age.

Our school system can not reach its goal for our children without us the parents.

Mrs. Jeff Gary
Lockney, Texas

New partner announced by Lubbock CPA's

Sandefur & Swindle, CPA's, of Lubbock, Texas, announces the addition of Randel J. Terry, CPA, as a partner in the firm effective January 1, 1993.

The firm was established in 1980 by founding partners Hal L. Sandefur and B. Randolph Swindle. In 1984, the firm moved to a new building at 3306 64th Street and James O. McAteer was admitted as a partner. In 1989, Jerry E. Schulz was admitted as a partner.

Mr. Terry is formerly from Mangum, Oklahoma. He received his B.S. Degree in Accounting from Southwestern Oklahoma State University in May, 1982, and his CPA certificate in September, 1987. He is a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, the Texas Society of CPA's, and the Institute of Management Accountants. Randel and his wife, Sharon, are the parents of three children.

Mr. Terry has been employed by the firm since August, 1988.



MR & MISS LHS RUNNERS-UP-Mark Hernandez, Kori Kellison, Carolyn Turner, Jenaro Zapata, Lance Patridge, Sarah Silva, Carissa Clark and Dragan Tomic were named as runners-up to Mr. and Miss L.H.S. in ceremonies held on February 13.

Photo by Cindy Perez

Parks named on Dean's List

Phyllis Parks of Floydada was named to the Dean's List at Lubbock Christian University for the 1992 Fall semester. In order to be considered a part of the Dean's List a student must maintain a 3.5 grade point average. Phyllis earned a 3.53 GPA.

LCU is a liberal arts University emphasizing strong academics in a Christian atmosphere. In the last two years LCU students have brought national and international recognition to the University.



FVFD RECEIVES DONATION--C.J. Payne, senior vice president and cashier at First National Bank of Floydada, presented a contribution on behalf of the bank to Floydada Volunteer Fire Department Fire Chief Bobby Welborn. The money is used in all areas of operation by the department and donations from individuals or organizations are "greatly appreciated."

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Church names Valentine Kings and Queens

St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church, Floydada, named Valentine Kings and Queens in three age divisions during a celebration at the church Sunday afternoon. Children vying for crowns had spent the past several weeks collecting penny votes, with the children raising

the most funds being crowned. All the youngsters competing raised a combined total of \$1,070.40. The money raised will benefit the church's new building fund.

Master of ceremonies for the afternoon celebration was Ricky Vasquez.

Selected as queen in the 1-5-year-old age division was Melissa Morales, 5-year-old daughter of Martin and Silvia Morales. First runner-up was Victoria Perez, 3-year-old daughter of Robert and Barbara Perez.

In the 6-10-year-old division, Margo

Morin, 7-year-old daughter of Dianna Enriquez, was named queen. First runner-up was Melissa Torres, 7-year-old daughter of Joe and Diana Torres.

Jennifer Hernandez, 12-year-old daughter of John and Irene Hernandez, was bestowed the queen's crown in the 11 years and over age group. First runner-up was Andrea Garcia, 13-year-old daughter of George Garcia and Robert and Barbara Perez.

King honors in the 1-5 age division went to Greg Gonzales, 4-year-old son of Pete and Rosa Gonzales. First runner-up was Michael Graham, 16-month-old son of Randy and Teresa Graham, and second runner-up was Randy Lerma, 20-month-old son of Randy and Olga Lerma.

Andrew Arvizu received the King's crown in the 5-year-old and up division. He is the seven-year-old son of Fernando and Dalia Arvizu. First runner-up was Allen Arvizu, 8-year-old son of Fernando and Dalia Arvizu.

Young ladies selected as queens were awarded their crown, along with candy, banner and flowers. Kings were given their crown, banner and candy.

Runners-up to the queens received flowers, candy and a banner, while the runners-up to the kings received candy and a banner.

Entertainment during the ceremony included a duet by Royanne Mercado, 12-year-old daughter of Roy and Elza Mercado, and Chris Enriquez, 14-year-old son of Olga Enriquez, who sang "The River".

A flute duet was played by Jennifer Hernandez, 12-year-old daughter of John and Irene Hernandez, and Linda Vargas, 13-year-old daughter of Juan and Ermelinda Vargas.

Melissa and Eric Morales, children of Martin and Silvia Morales, sang a tune entitled, "Would You Be My Valentine."

Ruth Vasquez, daughter of Ricky and Ilda Vasquez, ended the celebration by singing "Daddy's Hand."

Refreshments were served in the church hall following the presentations. Door prize winners included Randy Graham, Tina Rodriguez, Ruth Vasquez, Angela Torres, Ronni Morales, Gracie Torres, Irene Hernandez and David Vasquez.

Olga Enriquez, coordinator for the Valentine celebration, extended a thank you to everyone who donated items to make the event possible. She added, "I would like to thank all businesses and individuals who also donated door prizes."



CHURCH KINGS AND QUEENS—St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church in Floydada held a Valentine's Day celebration Sunday and selected their Valentine's Kings and Queens. Youngsters competing for crowns collected penny votes. Receiving honors in three age divisions were (l-r) Randy Lerma, 2nd runner in the 1-5-year old division; Melissa Torres (back, left), 1st runner-up, 6-10-year-olds; Greg Gonzales, King, 1-5-year olds; Melissa Mo-

rales, Queen, 1-5-year-olds; Andrea Garcia (back, center), 1st runner-up, 11 years and over; Jennifer Hernandez, Queen, 11 years and over; Allen Arvizu (back, right), 1st runner-up, 5-years and over; Andrew Arvizu, King, 5-years and over; and Michael Graham (front, right), 1st runner-up, 1-5-year-olds. Not pictured are Victoria Perez, 1st runner-up in the 1-5-year-old division and Margo Morin, Queen in the 6-10-year-old division.—Staff photo



VALENTINE KING AND QUEEN—Kermit Glover, left, and Jennelda Fulton were named Valentine King and Queen at the Floydada Nursing Home last week. The residents were selected for the honor by votes cast by the staff, residents and family members. They were bestowed a crown, banner, long stem carnations and candy.—Staff photo

Senior Citizens Rockins

By Gene Newton

LOCKNEY — There were 68 that enjoyed a delicious meal and fellowship. There was a sing-a-long, Lucy Dean played and Kathryn Cooper lead the songs. Thanks girls it was a good job. Thanks to all who helped in the kitchen and in the center to clean it up. "We had two guest in Granny Eyes". Theta Brotherton's guest was her granddaughter, Jennifer Dane of Plainview. Gene Newton was surprised with a Valentine cake, large enough to feed everyone from her husband, Arvie and granddaughter, Tori Minick. Tori was her guest.

Let's remember our sick in prayer. Herman Huffman, Plainview hospital. L.T. O'rear of Hot Springs, Ark., are visiting Dorothy Shipp. Bertha Rolling visited her son in Amarillo over the weekend.

Jimmy and Theresa Stennett have a new grandson, born Friday to Kevin and Michelle.

Harmon and Ann Handley's son from Washington are here visiting.

Ladies don't forget to come out to exercise on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings at 9:00 a.m.

Katheryn and Rosa Cooper, two grandchildren from Lubbock visited over the weekend.

MENU

February 22 - 26

Monday:

Spaghetti and meat sauce, green peas and carrots, tossed salad, cake, garlic toast

Tuesday:

Baked chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, green jello salad, apple-sauce cake, rolls

Wednesday:

Beef tips and rice, succatash, carrot and raisin salad, banana pie, roll

Thursday:

Ham, lima beans, spinach, coleslaw, oatmeal cookies and sliced peaches, cornbread

Friday:

Meatloaf, mashed potatoes, buttered squash, tossed salad, cherry cobbler, rolls

HAVE A GREAT WEEK!

We Salute . . .

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Thursday, Feb. 18: Simon Herrera, Gary Nixon
Friday, Feb. 19: Jason Harrison
Saturday, Feb. 20: Stacy Lloyd, Maria Reyes, Jerry Wickware, B.K. Bates, Laura McCarty, Rosa Villarreal
Sunday, Feb. 21: Michael Mercado, David McCarty, Ann Jones, Dusty Jahay, Javier delaFuente

Monday, Feb. 22: David Carr, Rebecca Burns, Jacque Lorainne Barrientos

Tuesday, Feb. 23: Crystal Yannis
Wednesday, Feb. 24: Barbara Gilliland

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Thursday, Feb. 18: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Daniels, Doyle and Frances Miller
Friday, Feb. 19: Coleta and Gene Mitchell
Saturday, Feb. 20: Kim and Sarah Hinsley, Mr. and Mrs. M.S. Robertson
Wednesday, Feb. 24: Mr. and Mrs. Juan A. Garcia

WE SALUTE YOU IN LOCKNEY

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Thursday, February 18 - Manuel DeLeon, Dorothy Curry
Friday, February 19 - Stacy Bigham, Ann Anderson, Maria Arellano
Sunday, February 21 - Hope Perez
Monday, February 22 - Gregory Zavala, Dolores Auld
Tuesday, February 23 - Charlotte Hooten, Traci Bradley
Wednesday, February 24 - Tommie Beck, Bobbie Kellison

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Thursday, February 18 - Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Molina
Friday, February 19 - Mr. and Mrs. Federico Cervantes
Saturday, February 20 - Mr. and Mrs. Jr. Rendon
Sunday, February 21 - Mr. and Mrs. Louie Bybee
Wednesday, February 24 - Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Lindeman, Mr. and Mrs. Curly Service



JUNIOR VALENTINE KING AND QUEEN—Rudy Luna, left, and Avis Nicole Birdine Porter were crowned Junior Valentine King and Queen at the Floydada Nursing Home last week. Luna is the five-year-old son of Dora and Frankie Luna, and Avis is the two-year-old daughter of Hazel Jones. They were rewarded with a crown, banner, carnation and candy. Children of nursing home staff members competed for Valentine King and Queen honors by collecting penny votes. Proceeds raised by the children will benefit the residents activity fund.—Staff photo

Whirlwind Sams travel to Clyde for first 1993 campout

By Betty Gilbreath

The Whirlwind Sams met at the Massie Activity Center on Friday, Feb. 12, to travel to Clyde, Texas, for their first campout of 1993.

John and Christine Lyles were trail boss for this outing. Those leaving Floydada were John and Christine Lyles, Boone and Ruth Adams, Claude and Frances Weathersbee, Darrell and Nancy Mayo, Vernon and Eva Parker, J.W. and Betty Gilbreath and Kenneth and Barbara Willis.

We stopped at a roadside park southeast of Post for a coffee break and doughnuts. We arrived at the Arrowhead RV Park in Clyde about 12:45. After lunch we were joined by Harold and Charlene Norrell, Blanton and Ruby Hartsell, Bob and Jean Kendrick and George and Betty Miller. Later in the afternoon, we enjoyed games of joker, some started putting a jigsaw puzzle together or just visiting.

About 5:30 we had reservations at Red's Barbeque and Catering for dinner, this was enjoyed by all. After returning to the RV Park we played more

games until bedtime.

Saturday started with coffee and sweet breads and cookies in the recreation room, then played games. After lunch everyone did their own thing, some went to Abilene to the cutting horse show, then to the mall. Later the group met at "Cahoots Catfish and Oyster Bar" for dinner. George Miller's brother, Earl and wife, Marian and daughter, Amber from Colleyville, joined us for dinner. After returning to camp, we played games and visited.

The highlight of our campout ends with our Sunday morning devotional time. Frances Weathersbee had our service titled "Hallmark of a Christian." Boone Adams opened with prayer and J.W. Gilbreath led singing. Darrell Mayo closed with prayer. After singing "Happy Trails", some returned to Floydada and others to different places for a few days.

Thanks to John and Christine for a well planned weekend, the ones that were unable to attend missed a good time.

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Floydada Nursing Home Happenings

By Jo Bryant
FLOYDADA — Hi! Once again it's time to share with you what is happening. Sorry that I missed the news last week, but was in Plainview all day for a meeting.

Monday, Bro. Williams shared the devotional with us, Irene Wexler played the piano. At 2:00 the residents painted ceramics, Lennie Willis, Etoile Stanley, Bernice Robison, Knox Jameson and Kermit Glover. They painted lambs and rabbits.

Tuesday, Bro. Richardson came and gave all the residents bananas and gave the devotional and sang some songs. It was good seeing him as he has been gone for awhile. At 4:00 the school children came and gave the residents a

Valentine, and played some basketball. Wednesday, was Bingo Day, Etoile Stanley had the first Bingo. Mary Alice Davis came and assisted the residents, she brought them some homemade heart sugar cookies. Fr. Richardo Selidos came and gave the devotional on the "Salt of the Earth", and listened to some taped songs on praise and glory.

Thursday morning, the residents had exercise and played the Ball-Mit game. At 2:30 was the Valentine party with the crowning of the Nursing Home King and Queen, Kermit Glover was voted King and Jennelda Fulton was voted the Queen. They each received a crown, banner, red carnation stem, corsage and candy. Also chosen were the Junior King and Queen. The King was Rudy

Luna and Queen was Avis Porter, they were crowned by last year's Queen Kimberly Aleman and King Roland Enriquez, they received a crown, candy, and flowers.

The ladies from the Companion 'N' Caring served ice cream with fresh strawberries for the topping, also sugar heart cookies were served. The money collected for the King and Queen will be used for the resident's activity fund.

Friday, Rev. Ralph Jackson gave the

devotional taken from Romans 8. We sang some songs. On to the bus ride to Plainview, it was a pretty, warm day to go. Joyce Lipham played the piano.

Our monthly birthday party is Thursday. We invite you to attend, we have four birthdays.

We want to welcome our new resident, Ralph Gee and Mr. and Mrs. Ruby and Clinton Hobbs of Matador.

Ottis Johnson is in the hospital at this time.

Farris and Figari to marry

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kinder Farris announce the engagement of their daughter, Anne Elizabeth, to Ernest Emil Figari Jr. of Dallas, son of Mrs. Ernest E. Figari of Houston, and the late Mr. Figari Sr.

An April wedding is planned. Miss Farris was graduated from Texas Christian University and has been asso-

ciated with Intercity Investments, Inc. of Dallas.

Figari was graduated from Texas A&M University and the University of Texas School of Law. He completed his masters degree in Law at Southern Methodist University and is a partner of Figari and Davenport of Dallas.

Floydada Senior Citizens Menu

February 22-26

Monday: Salmon or tuna patty, black-eye peas, spinach, cornbread, frosted cake, milk/beverage choice

Tuesday: Fish nuggets, red beans, turnip greens, cornbread, apple cobbler, milk/beverage choice

Wednesday: Meat loaf, mashed potato, broccoli, hot roll, lemon cake, milk/beverage choice

Thursday: Chicken pot pie, tossed salad, wheat roll, peaches, milk/beverage choice

Friday: Pork chop, baked potato, peas and carrots, wheat rolls, applesauce, milk/beverage choice

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CELEBRATE 50TH ANNIVERSARY—James and Eva Lee Nichols of Breckenridge will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Feb. 20, 1993. The couple moved from Floydada upon retirement in October 1989. They have six children, Nancy Campbell of Louisville, Ky., Jimmy Nichols of Breckenridge, Jackie Cockrell of Irving, Billy Nichols of Santee, Calif., Tammie Murry of Louisville, Ky., and Richard Nichols of Trophy Club. They also have 10 grandchildren. Mrs. Nichols, the former Eva Lee Oden, was self employed as a seamstress, and also owned a beauty salon upon retirement. Mr. Nichols retired from farming in the Lakeview and Pleasant Hill communities before operating a service station in Floydada. He worked at Producers Coop before moving to Breckenridge. A summer celebration is being planned by the children and grandchildren.

Your Health ★ Our Care

By Trina Wilson, RN

What does AIDS mean to people? The word itself conjures up much confusion, misconception, and fear. What most people remember about HIV and AIDS is that it causes death. There is no known cure, but there is a great deal we DO know about HIV, and perhaps with understanding we can show you how to minimize any chance of your contracting the disease.

The first question is, how can I avoid getting HIV? This has been one of the most confusing areas of this disease, and it shouldn't be. The fact is that HIV is difficult to catch. This virus can only survive in a limited environment. Contact with air kills it. It dies in water. It cannot live without food, and it would die in seconds if it ended up on a toilet seat. Ironically, technicians studying the virus in a laboratory under controlled conditions have had a hard time keeping this virus alive for study purposes. In studies of AIDS victims and their families, there has never been one case of the virus being passed on to family members through normal family contact. This includes family members hugging and kissing each other and eating together.

At present we know the virus is transmitted in very real and specific ways. We also know the virus is found in large quantities in semen, vaginal fluids which includes menstrual blood as well as other vaginal secretions, blood, and breast milk. Taking a good look at these primary bodily fluids, blood, semen and vaginal secretions, then you can determine the main modes of transmission. One of these modes of transmission is sexual contact.

If a person is having any type of sexual contact with another individual and they are sharing fluids, whether vaginal fluids or semen and one individual is infected, then the person who is not infected is taking a chance on contracting the HIV virus. So, unprotected sexual contact with an infected individual can result in HIV transmission.

Another way to get the HIV virus is by sharing needles, because HIV contaminated blood left in the dirty syringe is maintained into the individual who is not infected. This is blood to blood contact and extremely dangerous.

In the past, there were concerns about the nation's blood supply being tainted with HIV, however, now all of the donors are screened and all of the blood is tested. The chance of contracting HIV through a blood transfusion is very rare.

The mode of transmission that is becoming an increasing concern is from mother to child. Individuals who are infected with HIV, and who become pregnant have a very high probability of passing the HIV virus onto their unborn

child.

One of the main misconceptions about HIV and AIDS is that it is a homosexual disease. Though the vast majority of people with AIDS today in the U.S. are gays, the rate of increase among heterosexuals is increasing at an astronomical rate. One thing to remember is that in certain parts of the world, heterosexuals actually outnumber homosexuals as far as having the HIV virus and AIDS is concerned. There is no reason to believe that if present trends continue, this could not happen in the U.S.

Prevention - how do you keep from getting HIV? Again, you have to look at the ways this virus is transmitted: Blood, vaginal fluid, semen, and breast milk. We have heard much in the media about "safe" sex, but even with so-called "safe" sex one must be very careful. If you rely upon condoms, knowing that they have between eight and fifteen percent failure rate, it means that 15 out of every 100 times you have "safe" sex you are taking a chance at the roulette wheel of contracting HIV. To add to your "safety" margin a proven spermicide should be used as well as a latex condom. The only true way to avoid contracting the HIV virus is celibacy, but, we all know it is in our nature as human beings to have relationships with others of our kind. So, keeping this in mind, the way to avoid contracting HIV and still be sexually active is to have a long-term monogamous (single partner) relationship with an uninfected individual.

Parents, never forget that if we have children (teens) having babies (and we do), then those children are exposing themselves to the risk of HIV. It is up to us to give the guidance and care they so desperately need in the area of sexual awareness. No one can do this job better than a loving parent, not health classes in school, not magazines, not newspaper articles, and certainly not the information those same children receive from their peers. If we are to make a difference we must begin in each, individual home to educate our children and to raise our personal and family morals to a higher plane.

Look Who's New!

STENNETT

Dr. Kevin and Michealle Stennett would like to announce the arrival of their son, Keenan Todd, born February 12, at 8:29 a.m. at Lockney General Hospital. Keenan weighed 8 lbs. 13.9 oz. and was 22 1/4 inches long.

Grandparents are Jimmy and Theresa Stennett of Lockney and Bill and Kay Rogers of Plainview.



GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY—Mr. and Mrs. Jay McPherson of Midland celebrated their golden wedding anniversary with a reception Saturday at Midland Center. Hosts were their children and grandchildren. McPherson and the former Kathleen Myers were married Feb. 10, 1943, in Floydada. They have two children, Karen Johnston of Greenville and Pamela Webster of Midland, as well as five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. The family lived in Lockney before moving to Midland in 1969. Mrs. McPherson is a sister of Merle Mooney of Lockney. They have been in farming; were motel owners in Lockney; and have been in the dry cleaning business and brickmason business in Midland. They are members of the Methodist Church. McPherson is a member of VFW and is a veteran of World War II, having served with the U.S. Air Force in the European Theater of Operations.

Club hosts husbands for Valentine's

By Linda Harbin

The 1956 Study Club remembered some pleasant and amusing Valentines Day experiences when they met to celebrate Valentines Day on February 9 at the Bridal House in Plainview. A delightful meal of marinated filet mignon, baked potato with all the trimmings, and tossed salad was served to study club members and their husbands. Chocolate cherry cheesecake and coffee completed the delicious meal.

Husbands competed for the best "red" gift in a Chinese gift exchange. Judy Schacht's cheesecake which was in a

red trimmed pie carrier seemed to be the most sought-after gift.

Members and spouses returned to Floydada pleasantly full and entertained. Those attending were: Steven and Kathy Becker, John and Judy Dunlap, Bart and Shawnda Greer, Bill and Linda Harbin, Nick and Melissa Long, Latresa Miller, Patti Miller, Randy and Sharon Rainwater, Clar and Judy Schacht, Eddie and Jennisu Smith, A.T. and Candy Thrasher, Bud and Penny Taylor, and former member Neal and Lisa Becker.

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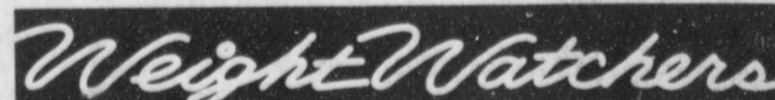
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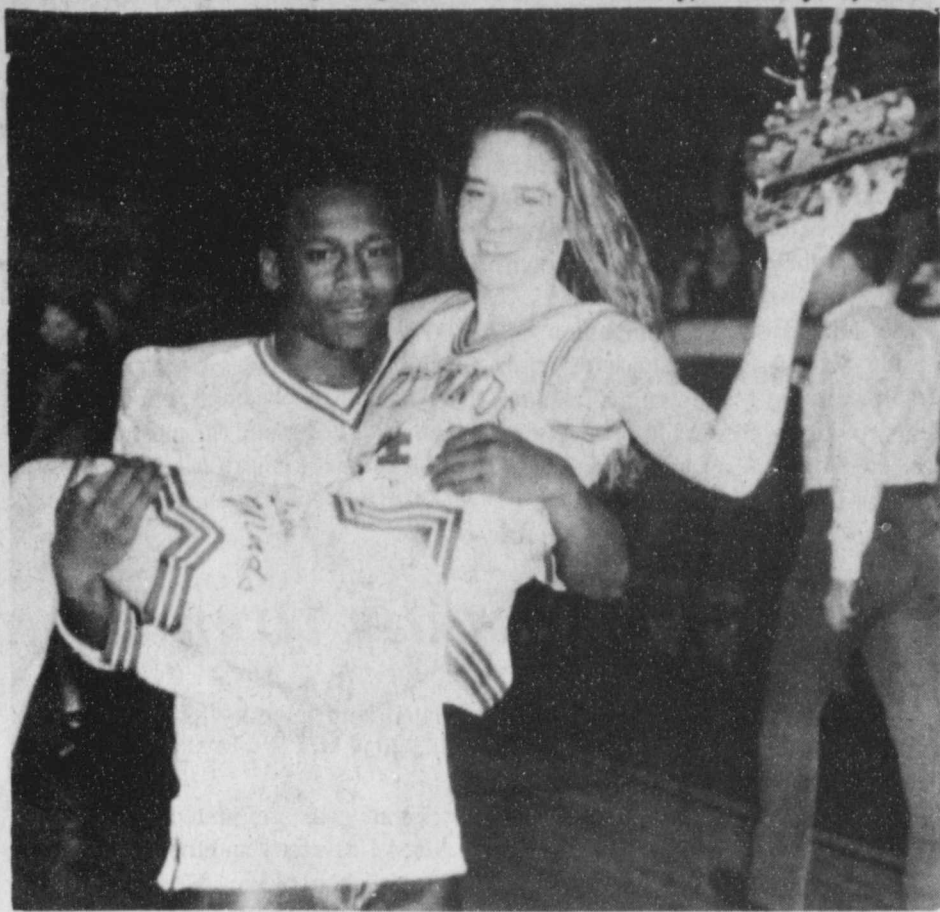
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BASKETBALL HONOREES -- The Basketball Beau and Sweetheart were announced during the halftime activities of the Floydada-Littlefield match on Tuesday, February 9, at FHS. Michael Henderson was tagged for the honor of Basketball Beau and Tian Younger was named the Basketball Sweetheart for the 1992-93 season. -- Staff Photo

The Best That We Can Be In '93

By Annett Garcia
Our first FHS senior in the spotlight this week is Criselda Valdez. She is the daughter of Natalia Rubio. Her nickname is "Chris". She is a newcomer to Floydada High, and has attended school here for a year.

Within this time she has been chosen senior class reporter by her senior classmates and nominated as one of the outstanding seniors by the faculty.

Criselda has attended school in Edinburg, Texas and was on the drill team which she treasured very much. (For those who don't know, Chris is an awesome dancer.)

Criselda's favorite book is "The Color Purple" by Alice Walker. In school, her favorite subjects are history, English, and government. In her spare time you will find Chris reading, definitely dancing and writing about our fellow seniors for the paper.

She admires Martin Luther King Jr. and John F. Kennedy the most. If Criselda were to receive gifts, she would be pleased the most by smiles, kindness and honesty. These are traits that can be given by Criselda as well. She is very

easy to get along with because of her warm and friendly personality. When Criselda especially wants something done she follows in Martin Luther King Jr's footsteps.

Chris has future plans to attend West Texas State University and become a lawyer. Later, her plans consist of getting married and waiting to have children.

Someday she wants to make all her dreams come true. I believe in you, Chris, and so do many others. Good Luck and God Bless!

Another senior in our spotlight is Jeremy Keith Rubio. He is the son of Gabe Rubio and Jan Rubio. Jeremy has attended school in Floydada for eight years. In previous years he attended Leaky Independent School.

The activities he is involved in this year include football, tennis, and fellowship of Christian athletes. An honor that he has received just recently has been accepting the athletic award in tennis.

Jeremy's plans for the future includes attending college, and someday marriage. If Jeremy had a choice of an occu-

ption he would become an aircraft mechanic.

Jeremy's favorites include the television show McGyver and his favorite foods include pizza and tacos.

Jeremy attends the Floydada First Baptist Church and enjoys singing in the choir. He is active in youth activities.

Some things that he has to offer people are his listening skills and warm, friendly smile. On the weekends, Jer-

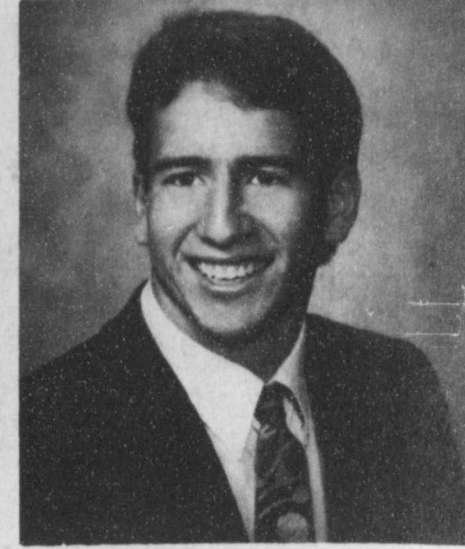
emy enjoys going out with friends and playing tennis.

Jeremy is an outstanding and definitely outgoing senior at F.H.S. He has a lot of potential and has high expectations.

I wish all the luck and more to both Jeremy and Chris! May all your dreams and aspirations come true. With seniors like these, the Class of '93 is The Best That Can Be!



CRISELDA VALDEZ



JEREMY RUBIO

Andrews students and parents recognized

Students and their parents were recognized for their academic efforts during an honor roll tea Thursday evening at the school. The theme of the tea centered around the song "The Wind Beneath My Wings", by Larry Henley and Jeff Silva. School Principal Ellen Enriquez dedicated the words to this song to all the parents.

Parents of honor students were rewarded with a bumper sticker stating "I Am The Proud Parent Of An R.C. Andrews Elementary Honor Student". Students recognized were given a certificate by administrative assistant Jimmie Collins and a button expressing that they were R.C. Andrews Achievers.

Students and parents recognized were: Amanda Barnett, daughter of Kathy and Larry Ferguson; Josh Caballero, son of Joe and Mary Caballero; Tasha Clemmons, daughter of Bill and Elaine Clemmons; Brad Cruz, son of Rene and Dora Cruz; Cindy DuBois, daughter of Craig and Gail DuBois; Bonnie Dunlap, daughter of John and Judy Dunlap; Clint Fyffe, son of Stephen and Barbara Fyffe; Mandy Holbert, daughter of Phil and Stephanie

Holbert; Jackie Lucio, daughter of Joe and Mary Lucio; Kelsy Pierce, daughter of Stan and Wendy Pierce; Erin Ralston, daughter of Penny and Bud Taylor; Dusty Anderson, son of Mike and Barbara Anderson;

Also, Erick Arellano, son of Adam and Ester Arellano; Jody Bueno, daughter of Frances Bueno; Breanna Burge, daughter of Tim and Diane Burge; Heather Carr, daughter of David and Sheri Carr; Jessica Cisneros, daughter of Lionso and Maria Cisneros; Jessica Coronado, daughter of Ramon and Juanita Coronado; Mandy Emert, daughter of Roger and Diane Emert; Analisa Enriquez, daughter of Abe and Ellen Enriquez; Kember Everett, daughter of Rob and LaShay Everett; Veronica Galvan, daughter of Alamar Ovalle; Tara Gilly, daughter of Craig and Trudy Gilly; Tiffany Henderson, daughter of Edd and Sharon Henderson; Ty Hendrix, son of Joel and Billie Hendrix;

Also, Candice Herrera, daughter of Vivian Herrera; Dustin Jones, son of Larry and Rene Jones; Shane Lloyd, son of Steve and Judy Lloyd; April Lopez, daughter of Irene Lopez; Jeffrey Lyles,

son of Tommy and Sallye Lyles; Laci Martinez, daughter of Joe and Thelma Martinez; Justin McGuire, son of Jerry and Jodie McGuire; Erika Miller, daughter of Hugh and Karen Miller; Jimmy Parks, son of Ron and Phyllis Parks; David Rainwater son of Michael and Karol Rainwater; Maria Rangel, daughter of Miguel and JoAnn Rangel; Lindsey Reddy, daughter of Rick and Kelli Reddy; Kylan Sanders, daughter of Mark and Dee Sanders; Shannan Smith, daughter of Jerry and Jan Smith; Josh Tipton, son of Kevin and Pam Tipton;

Also, Karen Wyrick, daughter of Kirt and Suzanne Wyrick; Carissa Coursey, daughter of Roger and Sara Coursey; Laura Dean, daughter of William and Jo Dean; Dusty Duke, son of Randy and Julie Duke; Fabian Falcon, son of Jose and Toni Falcon; Amanda Green, daughter of Sam and Susan Green; Kyle Keltz, son of Terry and Donnetta Keltz; Angie Rodriguez, daughter of David and Aurora Rodriguez; Katie Sanders, daughter of Brent and Sarah Sanders; and Shonda Smith, daughter of Victor and Stacey Smith



STARS OF THE WEEK — Chosen as the A. B. Duncan Stars of the week for the week of February 1-5 were: (1st row, left to right) Daniel Baron, Dustin Ochoa, Valerie Riojas, David Mancilla, Valerie Almaguez, Eason Campbell; (2nd row) Kristin Rubio, Sabrilla Green, Lupe Puentes, Kayla Stovall, Desira Gross, Julian Palacios;

(third row) Senaida Gonzales, Malorie Gomez, Margaret Martinez, D.J. Summers; (fourth row) Stephen Mendoza, Michelle Puentes, Samantha Santos, Tye Wood, Victor Lopez, Jose Ramos, Christina Nichols, Tina Martinez and Martin Garcia.

— Staff Photo

FHA-HERO chapters hold Valentine luncheon

By Hilda Rodriguez
Three FHA-HERO Chapters hosted a Valentine luncheon Friday, Feb. 12, in the CVAE-Home Ec. classroom at FHS. It was our February meeting.

Members of the Sunshiners Club set and decorated the tables with pink cloths, candles, flowers and individu-

ally decorated place cards. The Red Rose Chapter decorated the ceiling and bulletin board with red, white and pink streamers and hearts. We all made crepe paper roses. The menu was prepared by all the classes. Taco salad, strawberry cake, iced tea and punch were served from the buffet. The Bluebonnet Chap-

ter baked the cake and cleaned up afterwards as their share of the party.

Sarah Hernandez, president of the Red Rose Chapter presented Cookie Gonzalez with a decorated mirror as her award for being high salesperson during the 1992-93 candy sale.

Our advisor, Mrs. Joyce Williams, took pictures of members, with their best beaus, and other guests. Everyone listened to Spanish music tapes during the luncheon. It began at 12:06 and was over when fifth period began.

Our March meeting will be at the regional meeting in Odessa. Everyone who is passing in all subjects and has all their candy money turned in is eligible to go to the regional meeting March 12 and 13. We will stay at the Holiday Inn.

Floydada School Menu

February 22 - 27

Monday:
Breakfast - Grape juice, toast, jelly, milk

Lunch - Ham, green beans, sweet potatoes, peaches, hot roll, milk

Tuesday:
Breakfast - Orange juice, sausage, toast, milk

Lunch - Healthy Heart Menu - Baked fish, carrots, broccoli, apple, whole wheat roll, milk

Wednesday:
Breakfast - Apple juice, toast, scrambled egg, bacon, milk

Lunch - Healthy Heart Menu - Baked chicken nuggets with gravy, buttered potatoes, tossed salad, pineapple tidbits, whole wheat roll, milk

Thursday:
Breakfast - Pineapple juice, pancakes, syrup, milk

Lunch - Cheese enchiladas, pinto beans, tossed salad, cornbread, jello with fruit, milk

Friday:
Breakfast - Grape juice, dry cereal, graham crackers, milk

Lunch - Chili dog, French fries, tossed salad, peach cobbler, milk

Duncan Kids Can!

Dear Duncan Parents,
How time flies! It is already the 4th six weeks. We are proud and thankful that we have valid gains in our TAAS scores. We as teachers and you as parents have done a tremendous job of teaching and supporting our kids. Keep up the great work.

We are beginning the busiest part of our school year. Please, come and join us. We want the best support and collaborative effort that we can have as parents and educators. We believe in you!

Sincerely,
Bobbie Weir, Principal

4-YEAR-OLD PRE-KINDERGARTEN AND EARLY EDUCATION

SKILLS: Social relations/initiative; creative representation; movement; language and literacy; math (classification, seriation, number, space and time)

ACTIVITIES: Plan-do-review; work time; small group time; circle time; finger-plays, role playing, stories and music

OTHER COMMENTS: Early Education and Pre-K 1 and 2 are focusing on key experiences important to young children's development.

MUSIC

All students are involved in "I Can Sing A Song" for note awards and, also, Show and Tell involving musical instruments. The Composer of the Month is Scott Joplin. All grades are playing sound and sight games for the musical instruments unit.

K: Folk songs, patriotic and Valentine songs; imitate melodic patterns; singing games.

1st: Accompany with rhythm instruments; action songs; folksongs, seasonal, patriotic and Valentine songs; singing games; discrimination of loud/soft and upward/downward sounds.

2nd: Imitate and perform rhythmic pat-

terns; compare and contrast up/down directionality, also, high/low concepts; sing popular and folksongs; singing games; construct new lyrics; identify musical forms; use Curwen signals with pitch.

3rd: Sing spirituals, popular and folksongs; rounds and partner songs; construct new lyrics; singing games; use Curwen hand signals/simple melodic notation; identify musical forms/singing and listening; accompany with melody instruments (keyboards unit later in month).

SPECIAL EDUCATION

LANGUAGE ARTS: Letter writing and other writing activities; contractions, abbreviations; capitalization, punctuation; suffixes, prefixes.

SPEECH/LANGUAGE: Second and third graders are learning about adjectives, and how descriptive words enhance oral expression concepts, relating to partial relation.

ARTICULATION: Students are working on their individual articulation errors.

FIRST GRADE

LANGUAGE ARTS: Capitalization; punctuation; alphabetical order; poetry

MATH: Money; place value; addition, subtraction above 10; greater than, less than, equal

SECOND GRADE

LANGUAGE ARTS: Sequential order; adjectives; synonyms; antonyms; descriptive writing

MATH: Addition and subtraction with regrouping; problem solving; telling time

SCIENCE: Nutrition

SOCIAL STUDIES: Our country

THIRD GRADE

LANGUAGE ARTS: Dictionary skills; reports

MATH: Multiplication; measurement

SCIENCE: Simple machines; natural resources and conservation

SOCIAL STUDIES: Community government; Floyd County history



DUNCAN STARS — Selected as A. B. Duncan Elementary Stars for the week of February 15-19 were: (1st row, left to right) Frankie Ibarra, Tyler Chesshir, Julie Ann Castillo, Matt James, Isidro Segura, David Vasquez, Mikey Rangel, Jessica Garza, Sharon Nelson, Brian Odum; (2nd row) Lauren Powell, Amanda Ortiz, Molly Long, Delia Gonzales, Luke Taylor, Junet Rodriguez, Elisha Crosby, Alfredo Rodriguez, Chris Wiley; (third

row) Michael King, Dustin Covington, Lewis Fawver, Tracy Ramirez, Jacob Morales, Cody Leeson, Andrew Arvizu; (fourth row) Eric Enriquez, Chris Hill, Stella Suarez, Crystal Ledbetter, Navidad Rosa, Miranda Burton, Nicholas Haddereon, Justin Reeves and Martin Garcia. Not pictured were Pablo Salinas and Adam Ethridge.


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Kellison's three-pointer takes playoff game into overtime

Kori Kellison's three point shot just as the buzzer was sounding the end of the game took the playoff game between Lockney and Shallowater into overtime. After a hard fought overtime the Lockney girls fell to Shallowater 76-73. The win gave the Shallowater Fillies second place in District 3-2A.

Kori Kellison led the scoring with 22 points. Other two digit score makers

were Lisa Vargas with 17 points, Carolyn Turner 13 points and Nicole McDonald 13 points.

The Lockney girls made eight 3 point shots and were never behind more than 6 points during the game. Each time they fell behind they came back and when they went to the dressing room at half time they were only one point behind.

The second half was a mirror of the first half with the Lady Horns giving their all. When the game went into overtime the score was never more than three points apart. With two seconds left Shallowater hit a three pointer and made two free throws to take second place in the district.

The game was played at Coronado High School in Lubbock on Tuesday, February 16.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney -20..18..13..18..
OT..4-73
Shallowater -21..18..17..13..
OT..7-76

SEASON RECORD: 19-10

DISTRICT RECORD: 6-5

Lockney School Calendar

LOCKNEY 4-H CLUB MEETING

The Lockney 4-H Club will meet Monday, February 22 at 7:00 p.m. in the Lockney Community Center

The program for the meeting will be on baseball cards.

CLASSES RESCHEDULED

The classes for parents on "Preparing For The Teenage Years" have been rescheduled for Tuesday, February 23 at the Lockney High School Home Economics Lab. The meeting will begin at 7:00 p.m.



STUDENTS NAMED FOR POSITIVE ATTITUDES--Three students at Lockney Junior High were selected for their positive attitudes toward school (P.A.W.S.). The students are (l-r) Pepper Billington 7th grade; Amy Davis 6th grade; and Delanda Watson 8th grade. Staff Photo

Positive attitudes of students being recognized by P.A.W.S.

By Zeldia Ellison
LOCKNEY — Positive attitudes are still working successfully for students in Lockney Junior High.

Amy Davis is the daughter of Bill and Frances Davis of Lockney. She has been a real asset to our junior high as she has made A's in English, theater arts, band, American history, reading, and math. Amy enjoys riding and showing horses. She made news recently by winning some events at the Odessa Horse Show. Amy, a sixth grader, likes to read and says she likes junior high "because it is different from elementary."

Pepper Billington, a seventh grader, is the daughter of Tommy Billington of Lockney and Belinda Henry of Lubbock. Pepper has already made a name for herself in the area of twirling competition. She has many trophies for solo, x-strut, and pageant competition all over Texas. Her dream is to twirl for a college someday. In school, she is a competent student, for she has made A's in science, history, English, band, and athletics.

Eighth grader, Dalanda Watson, is the daughter of Sylvester and Pat Garcia of Lockney. Besides athletics and band, Dalanda has made excellent grades in history. When asked what her favorite subject was in school, without any hesitation Dalanda answered, "history". When not in school, she likes to go walking.

Congratulations to these young ladies who are such positive influences in our school.

Kacie Young is 8th at El Paso livestock show

LOCKNEY — Kacie Young, 3rd grader at Lockney Elementary School placed 8th with her Other Purebred middleweight pig at the Southwestern International Livestock Show and Rodeo held at El Paso.

Lockney School Menu

Heart Healthy Menu Week

February 22-26

Monday:

Breakfast - Hashbrown potatoes, toast, scrambled egg, milk
Lunch - Beef stew with mixed vegetables, cornbread, fried okra, banana, milk

Tuesday:

Breakfast - Grape juice, oatmeal, toast, milk
Lunch - Macaroni and cheese, broccoli, celery stick, whole wheat roll, peas in gelatin, milk

Wednesday:

Breakfast - Pineapple, peanut butter and graham crackers, milk
Lunch - Chicken and rice casserole, green peas, lettuce, roll, peaches, milk

Thursday:

Breakfast - Applesauce, pancakes, ham, milk
Lunch - Swiss steak, mashed potatoes, coleslaw, apple cake, roll, milk

Friday:

Breakfast - Cereal, cheese, orange, milk
Lunch - Hamburger, tomatoes, cooked carrots, apple, cookie, milk



LITTLE LONGHORNS NAMED--Named as Little Longhorns at Lockney Elementary School for the week of February 15-19 were (l-r, back row) Alanda Garrett, Brandi Wright, Yara Guerrero, Elizabeth Torres, David Ray, David Martinez; (l-r, 2nd row) Elizabeth Duran, Velvet Johnson, Tasha Powell, Alana Galloway, Jessica

Garza, Sabrina Gross; (l-r, 3rd row) Eulalio Lopez, Ramon Ascencio, David Balderas, Justin Wright, Dusty Rose, Hector Morales; (l-r, front row) Janet Leal, Armando Pinales, Philip Luna, Sydney Williams, Davis Hooten, and Danny Cervantes.

Staff Photo

Lockney Math/Science team participates at Coronado

LOCKNEY — On February 6, the Lockney High Math/Science Team participated in the Coronado Meet. There were 17 schools in the A, 2A, and 3A division. Lockney placed 8th overall.

Placing in individual events: Number Sense: Brady Marr, 5th; Carlos Perales, 9th; Coby Marr, 5th; Angie Clark, 10th; Lance Patridge, 6th. The Number Sense

Team placed 6th.

Calculator: Brady Marr, 5th; Jared Mosley, 8th. The Calculator Team placed 8th.

Mathematics: Carlos Perales, 8th; Brady Marr, 10th; Jared Mosley, 5th; Max Green, 10th; Dragan Tomic, 5th. The Math Team placed 7th. The Science Team placed 8th.

On February 13, the Lockney Math/Science Team participated in the Monterey Meet with 21 schools.

In number sense, Coby Marr placed 7th and Brady Marr placed 10th.

In calculator, Jared Mosley placed 3rd. In math, Jared placed 6th. In science, Jared placed 7th, Coby placed 8th, and Cynthia Martin placed 9th.

Lockney Basketball Report

DISTRICT RECORD: 5-8

LONGHORNS WIN FINAL GAME 70-63

The Lockney Longhorns finished the season with a 70-63 win over New Deal.

Jared Mosley scored 19 points for Lockney. Leo Vargas scored 15 points, two of which were three pointers. Marcus Bueno scored 11 points, Alfred Martinez and Jason Graham each scored 10 points, Phineas Riddley 3 points and Shawn Hill 2 points. The team scored 13 of the 20 attempted free throws.

Coach Cassler stated, "I am extremely proud of the hard work and tremendous improvement of this young team this season. I look forward to next year with great anticipation and high expectations. Great Job, Longhorns!"

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney - 14..19..15..22-70
New Deal - 19..18..10..16-63
SEASON RECORD: 10-19
DISTRICT RECORD: 6-8

LOCKNEY JV BOYS TOPPED BY OLTON JV

In a low scoring game the Lockney JV team fell to Olton 42-25.

Carlos Perales scored 8 points, Shannon Veal 6 points, Brady Marr 5 points, Roumaldo Chavira hit a 3 pointer, Milce Hernandez 2 points and Jared Clark 1 point.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney - 7..4..4..0-15
Olton - 10..15..6..11-42

THREE JV MEMBERS SCORE IN GAME WITH SPRINGLAKE-EARTH

Three members of the Lockney JV team scored in the game with Springlake-Earth. The score at the end of the game stood at 30-15.

Shannon Veal led the scoring for Lockney with 6 points. Roumaldo Chavira 5 points and Carlos Perales 4 points.

SCORES BY QUARTERS:

Lockney - 7..4..4..0-15
Springlake-Earth - 6..6..16..2-30

NEW DEAL JV WINS OUT OVER LOCKNEY JV

The New Deal JV boys outlasted the Lockney JV team 41-29 in the last game of the season.

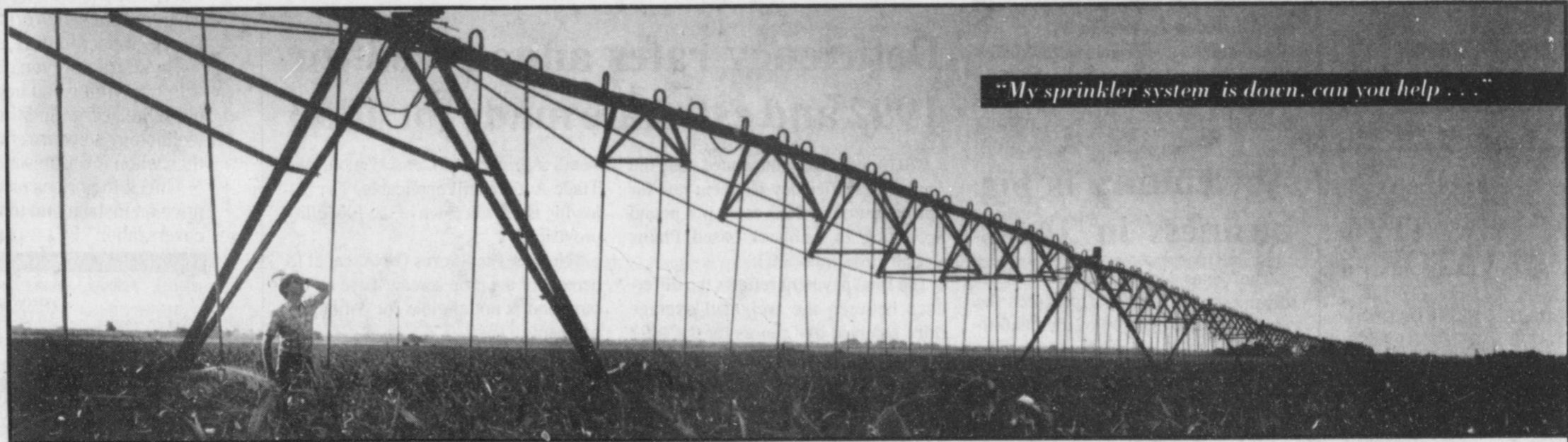
Carlos Perales led the scoring with 11 points. He was assisted by Roumaldo Chavira and Jared Clark with 5 points each. Dragan Tomic added 4 points, and Brady Marr and Shannon Veal 2 points each.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney - 5..4..10..10-29
New Deal - 10..6..12..13-41



ELS LAB STUDENTS RECOGNIZED--Veronica Robles (l) was named Lab Pal of the Week and Rebecca Rendon (c) and Sabrina Gross (r) each turned in Perfect Papers. The three were recognized as Lab Students of the Week at Lockney Elementary School. Staff Photo



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February 22 - 26, has been designated to emphasize the importance of tuning up spraying equipment and to remind producers to apply chemicals in a manner that is safe, accurate and environmental sound. Cooperating in this effort are Spraying Systems Co., the Alliance for a Clean Rural Environment (ACRE), the National AgriChemical Retailers Association, the Cooperative Extension System, the National Future Farmers of America, and many agricultural companies. The week encourages producers to get their sprayers calibrated accurately, brush up on safety measures and follow the correct chemical mix, rinse, and fill procedures.

Each aspect of spraying carries equal importance in the safe and accurate application of pesticides. With the development of high-activity pesticides and concerns about groundwater protection, farmers have good reason to accurately apply pesticides and keep sprayer maintenance and calibration "right on

the money".

Sprayer Calibration

Too often, one essential operation gets overlooked in pesticide application. Calibration or equipment adjustment is essential to obtain desired rates.

An estimated 4 of every 5 sprayers in the field are calibrated inaccurately. One of the major problems is the fact that applicators too often rely only on spray charts for nozzle tip specifications. Many applicators do not realize how fast spray nozzles change with use. Brass or aluminum nozzles can wear enough after 10 hours of use to increase application rate by 12% or more. Calibrate application equipment before every use to insure good pest control and avoid the hazard and expense of over-application. Replace and discard worn nozzles.

Many methods of sprayer calibration may be used. One of the easiest methods is that of ounce calibration. A Crosby County producer first told me about his method. Then, I learned about the details of this method at a meeting.

1) Determine the distance to drive in the field from the following chart. Use nozzle spacing for broadcast booms. For directed and band rigs, use the row spacing.

2) Set the throttle, operate all spray equipment, and drive the determined distance. Record the number of seconds required to drive the measured distance. An average of 2 to 3 trips would be more accurate than 1 run.

3) Catch spray for the recorded time in step 2 in a container marked in oz. If system is a broadcast boom, catch spray from one nozzle during noted time. On directed rigs, catch spray from all nozzles per row for noted time. 4) Nozzle or nozzle group output in oz for recorded time equals the gallons per acre actually applied. 5) Repeat for each nozzle to assure uniform distribution.

Hint: The reasoning behind this method is that the distance travelled for each row width or nozzle spacing equals 1/128 acre, and one ounce equals 1/128 gallon.

Only calibrate with water in the spray system. Even though water is used, observe all pesticide safety precautions because residual pesticide may be present in the sprayer system. Measuring containers should be used only for that purpose and should be permanently marked, accordingly. Again, replace any nozzle tip with more than a 10% variation.

For further information, contact your local county Extension office.

Row Width or Nozzle Spacing (in)	Distance (ft)	Row Width or Nozzle Spacing (in)	Distance (ft)
40	102	26	157
38	107	24	170
36	113	22	185
34	120	20	204
32	127	18	227
30	136	16	255
28	146	14	291

Sarpalius meets with PCG officials

Officials at Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG) say a breakfast meeting with U.S. Representative Bill Sarpalius will hopefully provide the framework for a close working relationship on cotton-related issues.

The meeting, which involved PCG staff members and officers and representatives from the Rolling Plains Cotton Growers Association (RPCG), was held to acquaint the Congressman with the two organizations and promote a close working relationship.

Rep. Sarpalius serves the 13th Congressional District, which includes the majority of the Texas Panhandle and part of the Rolling Plains area along the Oklahoma border. Sarpalius' district, by virtue of a redistricting plan adopted by the Texas Legislature in 1991, likely contains the highest number of cotton acres of any current congressman.

The 13th District had slightly over 1.7 million acres planted to cotton in 1991. Over 1.3 million of the cotton acres were planted in counties served by PCG.

Issues discussed by PCG and RPCG officials included the progress the new Administration was making in filling positions within the various agencies, the proposed reorganization of USDA, the importance of maintaining the current Farm Bill as is and also maintaining

federal funding for projects like Boll Weevil Eradication that can directly benefit the environment, rural economies and farmers.

Sarpalius agreed with PCG officials on the importance of these issues. He pledged to work closely with PCG on these and future matters.

Sarpalius also noted that he would be chairing a subcommittee on rural development, environmental and small business issues within the House Agriculture Committee. He noted that this would be a good opportunity to enter testimony and other beneficial information into the Congressional record that could help direct future legislation.

MORE COTTON NEWS

Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG) has recently learned that producers need to be aware that tax information Form CCC 1099-G, issued by the Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC), will show marketing loan gains along with other government payments.

PCG is encouraging producers to seek the advice of accountants on how to handle the marketing loan gains to avoid the possibility of double taxation of income. One example of how this double taxation could occur is if loan receipts are categorized for tax purposes as income. If an option to purchase contract is subsequently executed with a merchant the marketing loan gain shown on Form 1099 could already have been included as income.

A marketing loan gain is the difference between the loan principal and the AWP in the week the loan was redeemed.

Agriculture is big business in Texas

The Texas agriculture industry is as diverse as the land that produces the states abundant supply of food and fiber.

* Bees are state's smallest livestock, but they packed a wallop in honey production during 1991 with 10.92 million pounds.

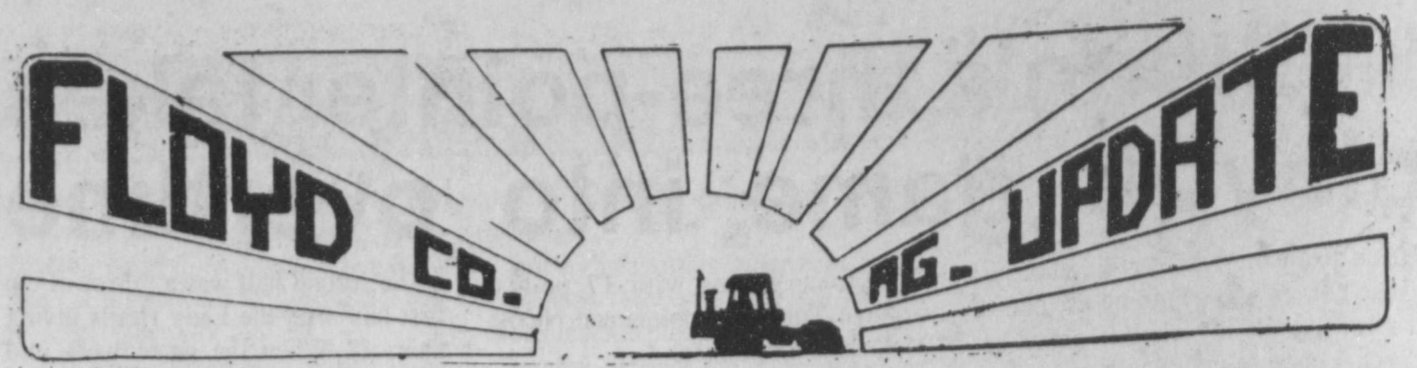
* Texas farmers and ranchers added almost \$12 billion to the state's economy during 1990 through the sale of crop and livestock commodities. This created more than \$36 billion in economic activity in Texas and provided a paycheck for one out of five Texans.

* Total value of Texas agricultural exports topped \$2.5 billion in FY 1990, which generated around \$2.6 billion in non-farm economic activity.

* Total value of Texas fresh market vegetable production rose 31 percent during 1991 to \$126.71 million and accounted for 3.2 percent of the total value of U.S. fresh market production.

* Texas winter wheat production totaled 84.00 million bushels during 1991, enough to bake over six billion loaves of bread.

* And where does all this diversified production come from? The land — 131 million acres in Texas.



Farm machinery safety tips given

With the farm planting season just around the corner, it is important to remember one aspect of farming that has life and death repercussions: farm equipment safety.

Farming may not seem like it, but it's one of the nation's most dangerous professions.

Nationally, hundreds of people are injured or die each year in farm machinery accidents. In Texas alone, about 70 deaths annually result from farm machinery accidents, said Dr. Charlie Coble, a professor of machinery and environmental engineering at Texas A&M University and a researcher with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

And for every death, Coble said, an estimated 10 people suffer permanently disabling injuries, such as the one in the national news recently in which a North Dakota teen-ager's arms were severed in a farm machinery accident.

But Coble said many — if not most — of these accidents can be prevented by

playing it safe around farm equipment.

"Farmers generally have a lot of jobs to do," he said. "They work a lot of hours so they tend to take shortcuts, and many times in doing that, they don't work as safe as they should."

The piece of farm equipment that is the source of most accidents is the tractor, Coble said, because it is a relatively unstable vehicle.

"The center of gravity is higher, the wheels are larger," he said. "Combine that with the fact that the operator is on rough ground, ditches, close to slopes. One wheel goes down in a ditch, and the tractor overturns. These are the most common types of accidents."

Coble offers these suggestions when operating farm equipment:

* Make sure all safety shields are in place.

* Update old equipment. Machines still in use that are 30 to 40 years old are not equipped to meet today's safety standards.

* Be aware of the terrain. Rough ground, ditches and slopes are likely places for tractors and other equipment to overturn.

* Work with another person. If an emergency should occur, you have help.

"Many times the operator of a tractor or a machine is working alone, and this helps turn an accident into a fatality because there's no one around to help," Coble said.

* And do not allow children to operate machinery. Children have the highest number of farming accidents.

"It's not unusual to see 9- and 10-year-olds driving tractors in the state," Coble said. "In most cases, these kids don't have the response judgement needed to operate a tractor. If they have

a problem, they don't always respond the right way.

"We need to be very careful with our children not to send them out to do an adult's job."

He also said that adults must be aware of where children are at all times around farm equipment.

"We have had several accidents in the past few years with round hay bales falling off of trailers onto children," Coble said. "Two-year-olds, 3-year-olds being crushed. We have to be aware, and to keep our children out of the way."

Although safer, improved equipment has contributed to a drop in the number of Texas farming deaths, from a high of about 200 a year in the 1960s to about 70 now, Coble said, farmers still need to exercise extreme caution around farm machinery.

"Unfortunately, most agricultural machines are made and manufactured to cut, throw, shred, mow, slice, chop. And for any machine made to do that, it's rather difficult to make it 100 percent failsafe so that if someone gets in the way of that he is not sliced, cut or thrown."

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Deficiency rates announced for 1992 and estimate made for 1993

USDA officials announced that the final 1992 deficiency payment rate for upland cotton is 20.3 cents per pound according to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG).

The final payment reflects the difference between the weighted average price received by farmers for the 1992 calendar year and the 72.9 cent target price mandated by the 1990 farm bill.

PCG officials note that the 20.3 cent final payment rate will translate into a 12.8 cent final payment to producers who received the advance payment of 7.5 cents.

"The announcement of the 1992 deficiency payment rate at 20.3 cents is good news for High Plains cotton growers," says Donald Johnson, PCG Executive Vice President. "This should really help get most producers on firm ground financially to begin the 1993 crop."

USDA's estimate for the 1993 deficiency payment rate was announced February 3 and set at 20.55 cents per pound, with an advance payment of 10.275 cents available at sign-up. Sign-up for the 1993 cotton program will begin March 1 and run through April 30.

Program provisions announced so far for 1993 seem to parallel last year's provisions with the exception of the Acreage Reduction Program (ARP) percentage which fell to 7.5 percent.

Producers are reminded that flexibility provisions written into the 1990

Food, Agriculture, Conservation, and Trade Act are still applicable. The following is a breakdown of the flexibility provisions:

* Normal Flex Acres (NFA) equal 15 percent of the crop acreage base on the farm and is not eligible for deficiency payments.

* Optional Flex Acres (OFA) equal 10 percent of the crop acreage base on the farm and is eligible for deficiency payments only if planted to the original program crop. Program crops planted on NFA and OFA acres are eligible for loan whether or not the producer is participating in the commodity program for that particular crop.

* Maximum Flex Acres (MFA) equal the sum of NFA and OFA.

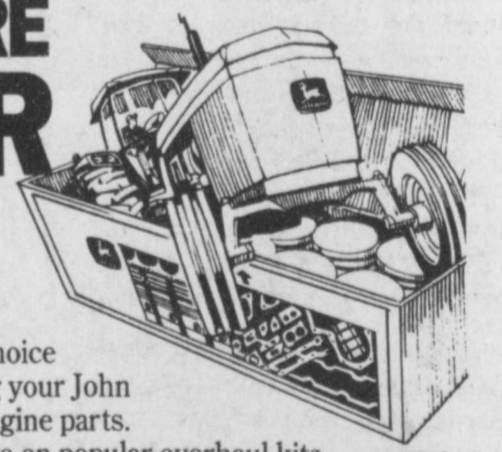
Other information regarding the 1993 crop are the Target Price and Payment Yields which remain frozen at 1990 levels.

"This information will allow cotton producers on the High Plains to start planning their 1993 crops," notes Johnson.

Johnson added that the final day to request a loan or a Loan Deficiency Payment on 1992 cotton is May 31, 1993.

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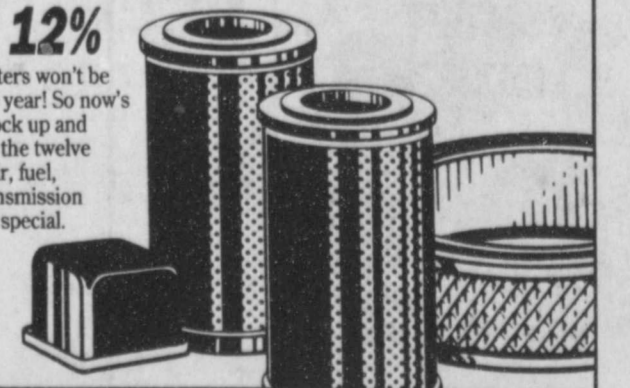
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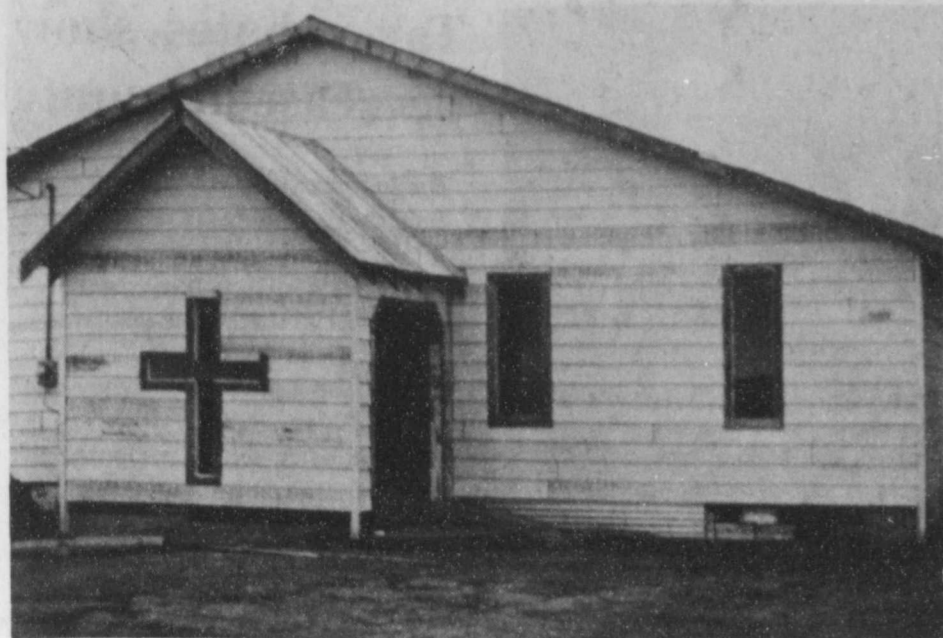
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CHURCH TO HOLD FIRST SERVICES--Reverend Manuel Rendon proudly announces the official opening of the Power of Praise Pentecostal Church. The facility, built over a period of time by parishioners, is located at 704 North Main in Lockney. The first service to be held in the new church is scheduled for 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, February 20. "Everyone is welcome and all are invited to attend the opening of this labor of love," stated Rendon. A reception will be held at the Lockney Community Center on SE 8th Street.

Lockney FUMC will host missionary conference

LOCKNEY — The First United Methodist Church of Lockney will host their annual missionary conference February 19, 20 and 21. Ten percent of the churches annual budget is spent on home and foreign missions. This is a result of the missionary conference and the "Faith Promise Pledge."

This year the conference will feature three missionary speakers for the three day event.

Dr. Edward and Genell Poitras, former missionaries from Korea who are currently living in Dallas, Texas will share with us their work. Dr. Poitras is presently a professor of World Christianity at Perkins School of Theology in Southern Methodist University. Genell is presently working with Bryan's House as a social worker with children who have H.I.V. and with children from homes with aids.

Eleanor Clah works with our United Methodist Indian Mission "Four Corners" in Shiprock, N.M. The granddaughter of an Indian tribal chairman. Eleanor has a story to tell that will interest all of us.

The missionary conference schedule is: Friday, February 19, at 7:00 p.m. a Mexican Stack, covered dish meal, with Maranatha as host and at 8:00 p.m. a mission meeting, each missionary will speak.

On Saturday, February 20, at 7:00 a.m. a all church breakfast with the Methodist men as host, Eleanor Clah will be the speaker. At 7:00 p.m. there will be a sandwich supper, Builders will be host. Genell Poitras will speak at 8:00 p.m.

There will be coffee and donuts Sunday, February 21, at 9:15 a.m. At 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, Adults and Youth Sanctuary, Eleanor Clah will speak,

Children's K-5th, Grade Educational Wing. At 10:30 a.m. is Morning Worship with Edd Poitras as speaker, Faith Promise. A covered dish luncheon, Lamplighters and New Life at 12:00 noon.

Everyone is invited to all or any part of the conference which begins Friday, February 19 with a church meal. A nursery will be provided for all services.

Council grants raise for Floydada City Manager

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vehicles up to spec and was in the process of installing the additions, but had come to the city with another proposed solution after she had received some calls concerning the matter. Brown said that she asked the city to allow her to order in five more trucks that would meet the specs. She indicated to Brown that she would sell the original five "as best she could". Brown informed the council that the new pickups are expected to be in by the end of the month.

Other items handled by the council were the payment of monthly bills and the reading and approval of the minutes from the previous meeting. Also on the agenda was a proposal that Floydada join other Texas cities in a group called Texas Water Partnership. According to Brown, the organization is designed to track legislative action in Austin and work toward less regulation and state mandates on the behalf of it's members. The membership fee is \$500.00. A motion by Morales, seconded by Schacht, was unanimously approved authorizing the payment of the fee and membership in the group.

Attending the session were Mayor

Wayne Russell, councilmen Amado Morales, Ruben Barrientoz, Clar Schacht, Leroy Burns and Eric Cornelius, city manager Gary Brown, city secretary Sharon Quisenberry, and city attorney Karen Houchin. Others present included Linda Ratliff, Randy Duke, Ann Assiter, Ruben J. Barrientoz, Ken George, Skyler Cornelius, Jon Nielson, Jeffrey Johnson, Mitch Probasco, Jim Crawford, Elza Mercado, Chris McGowen, Karen Lawson, Joe Stepp and the Hesperian-Beacon reporter.

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211 N. Main Lockney, Texas
Church Phone..... 652-2332
Pastors Phone..... 296-6122
SUNDAY:
Bible Study 9:45
Morning Worship... 11:00
Evening Worship... 6:30
WEDNESDAY:
Prayer Service 6:30
If you are in need of prayer, counseling, or if you have a problem in your life, please call - we want to help you.
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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 5:00 p.m.

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

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.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Lockney
Harold Abney, Pastor
Les Reed, Youth Minister
Kent Lloyd, Music Minister
Sunday:
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 10:45 a.m.
Discipleship Training... 6:00 p.m.
Kids of The King
Children's Choir... 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
Youth Activities... 7:00 p.m.
RA's and GA's 7:00 p.m.
Pre-School Choir... 7:00 p.m.
Adult Choir 8:00 p.m.
3rd Saturdays:
Men's Breakfast... 7:00 a.m.
1st Tuesday and 3rd Mondays:
Baptist Women 3:00 p.m.

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

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Floydada
Clark Williams, 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.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Lockney
Tommie Beck, Pastor
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
UMY 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m.
United Methodist Women, Hill Circle, 3rd Tuesday... 9:30 a.m.
Ruth Wesley Circle, 2nd and 4th Mondays 10:30 a.m.

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.
Evening Worship... 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Service... 6:30 p.m.

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

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

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

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

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

PRIMER IGLESIA BAUTISTA
Deacons In Charge of Services
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
Msgr. Tim Schwertner, Pastor
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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Father Ricardo Salditos
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Weekday Masses 7:30 p.m.
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TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM
Lockney
Pedro Reyes, Interim 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
James Poteet, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday: Prayer... 7:30 p.m.

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
Sunday School 10:00 a.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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983-3767

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320 N. Main - Lockney
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Goen & Goen Insurance
102 E. California - 983-3524

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Lockney Co-op Gin
West of City - Lockney - 652-3377

Lockney Ins. Agency
105 N. Main - Lockney - 652-3347

Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home
329 W. Calif., Floydada, 983-2525
402 S. Main, Lockney, 652-2211

Oden Chevrolet-Olds
221 S. Main - Floydada - 983-3787

Pay-n-Save
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652-2293

Plains Electric Co.
106 S. Main - Lockney - 652-2133

Producers
Dougherty - 983-3020
301 E. Missouri - Floydada
983-2821

Schacht Flowers, Jewelry & Gifts
112 W. Poplar, Lockney, 652-2385

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Public Welcome

Obituaries

MYRTIE MAE BALLARD

Services for Myrtie Mae Ballard, 87, of Lubbock were at 3 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 17, 1993, in First United Methodist Church of Floydada with the Rev. Rodney Kruse, Chaplain for Hospice of Lubbock officiating.

Burial was in Floydada Cemetery under the direction of Resthaven Funeral Home of Lubbock.

She died at 8:40 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 14, 1993, at the Golden Age Nursing Home after an illness.

She was born at Merkel and grew up in Crowell. She married Floyd Ballard on Nov. 8, 1925 in Thalia and they moved to Floydada in 1930. He preceded her in death on Sept. 20, 1955.

Mrs. Ballard moved to Lubbock from Floydada in 1968 and was a member of the Floydada First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include four daughters, LaFaun Stoker of Lubbock, Julia Baker of Floydada, Helen Hallmark of Lamesa and Louise McKinney; two sons, Eugene Lawson of Floydada and Theodore Lawson of Lubbock; one sister, Etta Brisco of Brownwood; three grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Casket bearers were Dale Lawton, Rex Lawson, Billy Keith Baker, Don Webster, Craig Ligon and Brad Stoker.

AUDREY MOREHEAD

Funeral services for Frances Audrey Morehead, 79, of Plainview were at 10 a.m. Friday, Feb. 12, 1993, in St. Mark's Episcopal Church with the Rev. Sam Hulsey, bishop of the Diocese of North-west Texas, and the Rev. Charles Chapman, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Plainview Memorial Park by Lemons Funeral Home.

Evening prayer and Holy Eucharist was celebrated at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in St. Mark's.

Mrs. Morehead died at 8 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 10, 1993, at her residence following an illness.

She was born Frances Audrey Farris, the daughter of the late John N. and Lora Rucker Farris, on Oct. 2, 1913 in Floydada. She married Lucian Morehead on Sept. 4, 1937 in Floydada.

She graduated from Floydada High School in 1930 and attended Ward-Belmont College in Nashville, Tenn. She also attended the University of Texas at Austin and Texas Tech University.

Mrs. Morehead moved to Plainview in 1937. She worked as home economics supervisor for WTA and completed income tax returns for Griffin & Morehead. She was a member of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, the Altar Guild, the Calendar Club, the Plainview Junior League, the Study Club, the Knife and Fork Club, the Plainview Country Club, the Plainview Women's Golf Association and the Plainview Ladies Bridge Association and was a Silver Life Master Bridge Player.

Survivors include her husband; one daughter, Lucinda Garrett of Edmonds, Wash.; one son, John F. of Austin; two brothers, John Farris and Kinder Farris, both of Floydada; four grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to St. Mark's Episcopal Church or to Hospice of the Plains.



CONNIE C. REED

Funeral services for Connie C. Reed, 73, of Panhandle were at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 13, 1993, in First Baptist Church with Dr. Jim Perkins, pastor, officiating.

Graveside services were at 3 p.m. in Lockney Cemetery. Burial arrangements were by Minton-Chatwell Funeral Directors.

Mr. Reed was a peace officer for 30 years. He began his law enforcement career as a city police officer at Lockney and Floydada. He later worked as deputy sheriff in Floyd County before moving in 1972 to Carson County, where he continued working as a deputy sheriff. He then was appointed Carson County sheriff after Frank Whitehead resigned in 1977. He remained Carson County Sheriff for 11-1/2 years.

He was an influence to many throughout his life-long service to the public, in particular the youth who were at risk, working closely with Boys Ranch and Girlstown. In addition, he served many years in Floyd County as a volunteer fireman and ambulance driver. He helped organize and administer the walking blood bank in Lockney.

Mr. Reed was born in Wynnewood, Okla. He married Flois Cunningham in 1947. He was a member of the Lockney Masonic Lodge No. 867, past District Deputy Grand Master of IOOF Lodge, Lockney Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Texas Sheriff's Association. He was past president of the Panhandle Peace Officers Association.

He was an Army veteran of World War II, serving in the Medical Corps in the Pacific Theater with the 142nd General Hospital as an orthopedic technician and bone specialist. He also was stationed at China, Burma and India.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Kelly Reed of Fort Campbell, Ky.; three daughters, Connie Bertrand of Floydada, Darlene Reed of Panhandle and Kaylene Medina of Dickinson; and four grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Cal Farley's Boys Ranch.

M.L. 'DUTCH' WIELAND

Funeral services for M.L. "Dutch" Wieland of Carlisle, Arkansas, were held at 10 a.m. Monday, Feb. 8, 1993, with the Rev. A.B. Hicks officiating. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery by Boyd Funeral Home.

Mr. Wieland died at 8:45 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 4, 1993, in the Veterans Hospital in Little Rock, Ark.

He was born March 21, 1913 in Houston, the son of the late Herman and Mary B. Wieland, longtime Lockney residents. He came to the Plains of Texas with his sister Anna Bell Weiland in 1934 from Leon County.

He married Marie Moran on Nov. 1, 1945. She died July 1, 1983.

He served three years in the U.S. Army during World War II and moved to Pasadena where he farmed and worked for the Pasadena School District until his retirement, then moved to Arkansas.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Barry (Brenda Joyce) Calva of Lonoke; one brother, Herman of Houston; four sisters, Dorothy Cummings of Floydada, Margaret Hill of Lakewood, Calif., Anna Bell Tumlison of Pasadena and Gladys Moore of Palestine; three grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

He was also the uncle of Kelvin Cummings of South Plains.

TOBY WILLIAMS

Services for Larry Dillard "Toby" Williams, 57, of Floydada were at 3 p.m. Monday, Feb. 15, 1993, in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Howell Farnsworth, pastor, officiating.

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

Mr. Williams died at 1:11 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 13, 1993, in St. Mary's Hospital, Lubbock, after a short illness.

He was born Dec. 22, 1935 in Spur. He married Jean O'Neal on Nov. 15, 1952 in Spur.

A retired theater operator, he had owned and operated the Capada Drive-In from 1976 through 1985. He was also active with the youth baseball program for several years in the early '70s.

He was a member of the Victory Baptist Church in Floydada.

Survivors include his wife, Jean; three daughters, Debbie Owens of Lubbock and Duffy Hinkle and Dee Dee Leatherman, both of Floydada; three brothers, Alton Williams of Lubbock, Jerry Williams of Lovington, N.M., and Robert Williams of Phoenix, Ariz.; and four grandchildren.

four grandchildren.

Pallbearers were John Campbell, Jack Ochoa, Mike Anderson, Adrain Helms, Jay Amburn, Paul Atteberry, Julian Lipham and Walter Davis.

American Heart Association gives to support research

The American Heart Association has always emphasized prevention as the best way of reducing disability and death from heart attack and stroke. Consequently, research is our No. 1 priority.

Of the major areas to which we commit funds (public and professional education, community service programs, and research), it is research that received the greatest amount of our funds we receive from donations and memorials. In 1990-91 the American Heart Association gave more than \$95 million to support research.

This commitment to research comes from our fundamental understanding that learning more about the life processes of the cardiovascular system is the only sure way we can continue to progress in treating and perhaps one day preventing a heart attack and stroke.

If the American Heart Association spent its entire yearly revenues for medicine and surgery to treat patients, we could only give each of the more than 69 million Americans with heart attack and stroke about \$3.00, and we would learn nothing that might keep current and future generations disease-free. Funding research is the most cost-effective way to invest our funds to benefit the greatest number of people.

In the past ten years death rates from heart attack declined 30.0%. Death rates from stroke declined 31.5% in the same period. In the same period death rates from all forms of heart disease combines 23.4%.

An estimated 1,000,000 Americans die from heart attack and stroke each year. Each year these diseases kill more than 170,000 Americans under age 65. In 1992 heart attack and stroke will cost Americans \$108.8 billion.

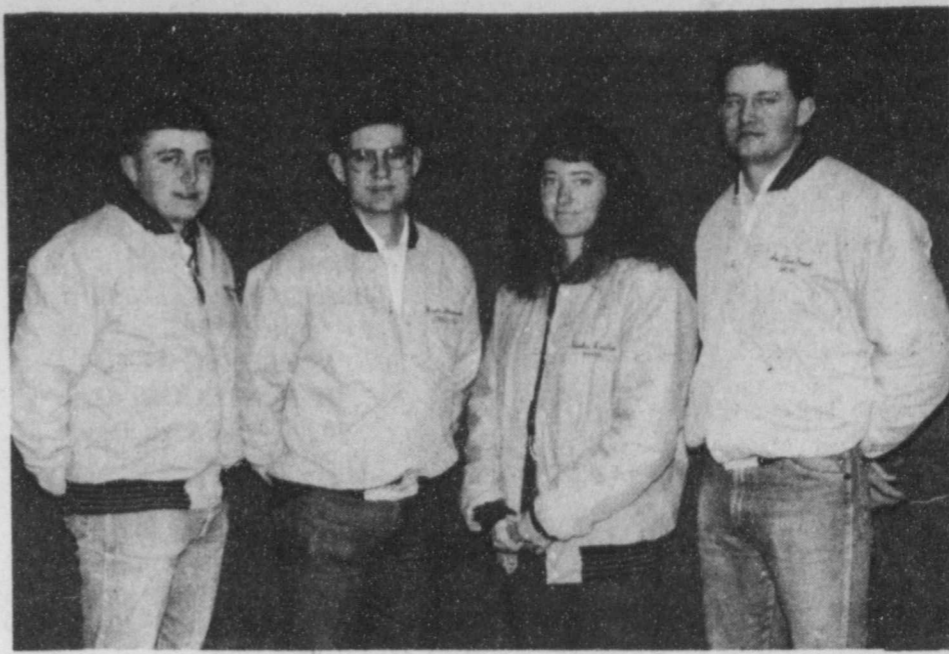
The American Heart Association's research in the future will continue to reduce the expensive cost of heart attack and stroke.

Bank of America Texas reinvestment programs rated "satisfactory" by OCC

Bank of America Texas announced that its community reinvestment programs have been rated "satisfactory" by the Office of the Comptroller of Currency (OCC).

The Community Reinvestment Act (CRA) of 1977 is designed to encourage financial institutions to identify and help meet the credit needs of the communities they serve. Regulators make a comprehensive examination of a financial institution's compliance with the Community Reinvestment Act and then assign it one of four ratings: outstanding, satisfactory, needs to improve, and substantial noncompliance.

"This is the first rating we have received on our community reinvestment



BURLESON SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS SELECTED--Clarendon College recently named the individuals awarded the David E. "Dusty" Burleson Memorial Scholarships. This year's recipients are: (left-right) Donald Edwards Jr., Mineola; Jason Sherwood, San Jon, New Mexico; Trisha Austin, Claude; and Jon David Fennel, Amarillo. Student selection is based on outstanding academic achievements, personal accomplishments and financial need. The scholarships, in the amount of \$300, are made possible from the proceeds of the Burleson Memorial Roping. This event was established by Stan and Lou Burleson in memory of their son "Dusty", who was a student in the Ranch and Feedlot Operations program at Clarendon College.

Operation Lookout formed to assist families of missing children

The recent death of Shawn Lee Perry of Earth has prompted Operation Lookout, a clearinghouse for missing children to develop a brand locally in Lubbock. The organization is headed up by Mary Wilson who recently moved to Lubbock. She is assisted by Charles Ferguson, formerly of Floydada.

Mary Wilson has been led to his work because of tragic circumstances in her own life. She has not been in contact with her son for 18 years. He left one Friday after school for a weekend camping trip with his father—who Wilson had divorced five years before—and he has never returned. Wilson believes the son is with his father in another country. She also believes that one day the two will be reunited—as was the case with her and her 22-year-old daughter, who was abducted from the hospital when she was 3 days old.

According to Wilson, the infant was stolen by a doctor who then sold the baby. The doctor is currently in prison and was recently featured on the TV show, "Current Affair." (Wilson says she will also be on "Current Affair," to tell her story.)

"I never gave up hope," Wilson said. "You can't." The mother and daughter were reunited in February.

"That's why I feel a real calling to be in Lubbock," Wilson said. "I know there

is a need for me to be here. My experience and heartache helps me help others in the same situations.

"There were many organizations involved in the Shawn Lee Perry case and that case is just one of many that demonstrates that there is a need in this area."

Wilson moved to Lubbock Nov. 5 to begin the branch of the nationwide organization. The agency, founded in 1984 by Michael and Melody Gibson of Mountlake Terrace, Wash., provides assistance for families with missing children who disappear prior to age 18.

According to the Lubbock Police Department, 700 children were reported missing in 1991. "From what I understand, that's about as many children as the population of many communities around here," Wilson said.

Wilson's main objectives are to increase community awareness and activate volunteers. She will be soliciting workers to call for donations and to help distribute information. "All it takes to bring a child home is for one person to see a poster," she said.

The organization operates solely on private donations. Anyone who would like to help out the organization either with donations or time should write Operation Lookout, P.O. Box 5081, Lubbock TX, 79407; or call, 1-800-782-1173.

Tax rebates show decrease in county

By Juanita Stepp

January 1993 sales tax rebates made to Floyd County cities from the state comptroller's office have been received. Year to date totals displayed a decrease from last year for both Floydada and Lockney. Lockney and Floydada figures indicate decreases in monthly rebates when compared to January of 1992 rebates.

Rebates received in Floyd County this month totaled \$9,723.45, a decrease of 5.47% percent when compared to the \$10,286.25 received at this time in 1992.

Floydada's January check from the state comptroller's office was in the amount of \$6,718.45 and showed a decrease of 2.02 percent from the \$6,857.07 payment received in January of 1992.

Lockney displayed a decrease of 12.37 percent from the same period in 1992 in over all receipts. The January check received by Lockney was in the amount of \$3,005.00 compared to \$3,429.18 received in January 1992.

Area cities, their January 1992 rebate, and percentage of change are listed below.

- Quitaque; \$895.34, +16.27%
- Silverton; \$1,059.55, +69.72%
- Crosbyton; \$4,776.09, -9.08%
- Lozeno; \$1,337.13, +9.41%
- Ralls; \$4,714.85, +2.73%
- Abernathy; \$4,458.01, -10.81%
- Hale Center; \$1,848.04, -10.48%
- Petersburg; \$1,060.92, +2.52%
- Plainview; \$128,934.97, -1.73%
- Idalou; \$3,020.97, -2.71%
- Lubbock; \$1,157,282.83, +6.40%
- Matador; \$1,163.69, +0.71%
- Roaring Springs; \$776.57, uncomputable
- Tulia; \$15,356.36, +34.27%

Payments totaling \$98.7 million in local sales tax rebates went back to 955 Texas cities and 109 counties this month, according to the state comptroller's office. This month's sales tax payments include taxes collected on November sales and reported to the Comptroller in December by businesses filing monthly tax returns.

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

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

Museum holds board meeting

Nancy Marble, new president of the Floyd County Historical Museum, held the first meeting of the museum Board of Directors on February 8. Minutes of the preceding meeting were read and treasurer's report was given by Jim Word, 1992 treasurer.

Four events were set for 1993 and include plans for Pioneer Day in May, a Genealogy workshop, plans for "Punkin Day" the last week in October, and the annual Christmas party at the museum the first week in December.

Other officials taking office for 1993 include Juanita Brosech, vice president; Wilma Gowen, secretary; and Janet Milam, treasurer.

Committees and committee members announced for the new year are:

Finance and Membership: Janet Milam, chairman; James H. Word, Vera Jo Bybee, J.D. Copeland, Nancy Marble

Building and Grounds: J.W. Cannon, chairman; June Sherman, Layne Kirk, J.K. West, Donnell Gowens

Archives, History and Genealogy: Carolyn Jackson, chairman; Janet Milam, Mary Lou Bollman, Kenneth and Juanita Brosech, June Sherman

Exhibits and Decorations: Nancy Marble, Connie Bertrand, Virginia Taylor, Carolyn Jackson, Carol Reese, Jim Word

Old Settler's Day: Vera Jo Bybee, chairman; Edwina Hollums, Olin Watson, Emily Johnston, Henry and Olive Hinton, Fred and Polly Cardinal

Hospitality: Virginia Taylor, chairman; Sherry Colston, Joyce Williams, Norma Welch, Wilma Gowens

Public Relations, Programs: Olin Watson, chairman; Virginia Taylor, Carol Reese, Bill Gray, J.D. Copeland

Courthouse News

Marriages:

Jerry Dwayne Edge, Stacy Denise Parrish.
Jose Fencio Torres, Rosa Lino Gonzalez.
Zachary Bill Nutt to Stacy Lanee Hinsley.

Probate: None Filed.

Deeds:

Sharon Alice Brewer to Clyde Harold Snell et ux, W. 10' of Lot 10 & all of Lot 11, Blk. 87, Floydada.
Sharon Pearson Mallicote to James M. Mallicote, 160 A. tract in Floyd County.
Maurice Steen et al to Bill Shurbet, 2.5 A. tract in Floyd County.
Bill Shurbet et ux to John C. Fortenberry et ux, 10.5 A. tract in Floyd County.
Troye L. Massie to Keith Stansell et al, multiple lots and acreage in Floydada.

Beulah Elva Denison to H. G. Denison 325 A. tract in Floyd County.
Lloyd Rucker et al to Tom Duvall, 2 tracts in Floyd County totaling .7 A.
JoAnn Duvall et al to Kenneth Smith et ux, 2 tracts in Floyd County totaling .7 A.

Earl Don Leach to Letta Faye Hooper et vir, Lots 10, 11 & 12, Blk. 1, Walling Addition, Lockney.

City of Floydada et al to Billy F. Marquis et ux, Lots 16 & 17, Blk. A, Bowers and Price Addition, Floydada.

Johnny Duane Smith et ux to Thomas M. Williams et ux, E. 1/2 of Lot 3 & all of Lots 4 & 5, Blk. 8, Texas Addition, Floydada.

Clyde Stapp et al to Robert C. Webb et ux, a tract of land in Floyd County.

Burlington Northern Railroad Company to South Plains Railway Services, parcel located in Hale and Floyd Counties from Plainview to South Plains along the railroad right-of-way.

Sue C. Robinson to Gene Bet, three tracts of land located in Floyd County.

Lloyd Widener Sr. to Lloyd L. Widener Jr., a 10 1/6 A. tract in Floyd County.

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

AUTOMOTIVE

AUTO FOR SALE: 1990 "Red" Pontiac Grand Am - Still under warranty, 44,000 miles - Price: Current "Blue Book Value", \$7,450. Call Jon LaBaume after 4:30 p.m. 983-3334.

2-25p

CARD OF THANKS

Dear Floydada Businessmen and Farmers, I would like to thank ya'll a whole lot for buying my pig. I really appreciate it. Thanks again.

Sincerely,
Brenna Dawdy
2-18p

CARD OF THANKS

Dear Businessmen and Farmers, Thank all of you for your contributions on my pig and other animals. I would also like to thank the businessmen and individuals who bought the Floyd County Jr. Livestock Show Association memberships that helped me become sweetheart.

Thank you,
Jayna Dunn
2-18p

HOUSES FOR SALE

THREE BEDROOM, TWO BATH, brick home, garage with door opener. 113 J.B. Ave. Call Monte Williams, 983-5699 after 5:00.

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2 BEDROOM HOME on 4 half-lots at 321 W. Georgia. One bath, garage, storm windows. Call 983-5169 for appointment to view.

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NICE TWO AND THREE bedroom homes in all areas of town. Several new ones just listed. For all your Real Estate needs, call Sam Hale Real Estate at 983-3261.

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2 BEDROOM, 1 BATH, garage, fenced backyard. \$25,000. 515 W. Kentucky. 983-2982 or 983-2154.

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ATTRACTIVE BRICK 3 large bedrooms, 2 baths in nice neighborhood. Fenced yard, central AC, full wall brick fireplace. Call 983-5112 or 806-793-9517.

1-28p

LAND FOR SALE

LAST ONE! Country Living State Owned Repo Land. Floyd County. 39.996 A. home-site/agriculture. 3 miles N. of Lockney off FM 378. \$154/mo. Mon. - Fri. 9 - 5 1-800-275-REPO.

2-25c

FARM SERVICES

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FARMS FOR SALE

210 ACRES, South Plains Community. \$250.00 an acre. Call Leonard Harper, Dodson Agency, 293-4269 or 296-7543.

2-25c

FOR RENT

ONE BEDROOM trailer house for rent. 983-2797.

2-25c

GARAGE SALES

FLOYDADA GARAGE SALE: 206 S. White. Saturday, 9:00 to ?

2-18p

HELP WANTED

TEXAS REFINERY CORP. needs additional person now in FLOYDADA area. Regardless of experience, write W.L. Hopkins, Box 711, Ft. Worth, TX 76101.

2-18p

CAPROCK HOSPITAL DISTRICT will now start accepting applications for future employment. For an application, please come by the business office, Mon. - Fri., 8-5: Nursing - DON, RN, LVN, AIDE, Pharmacy Tech, Central Supply, Laboratory Tech, Xray Tech, Respiratory Therapy, Dietician and Cooks, Accounting, Medical Records, Housekeeping, Quality Assurance, Clinic Nurse, PBX/Admissions, Insurance/Electronic Billing, Clerical.

2-18c

RECEPTIONIST/SECRETARY: Accepting applications for an experienced business oriented receptionist/secretary. Qualifications must include computer and typing experience, and other various office skills. This position will require someone that is dependable, organized, and willing to be an asset to the company. Applicants should contact: Triumph Seed Company, P.O. Box 1050, Ralls, Texas 79357 or call the office at 253-2584.

2-18c

POSITIONS STILL AVAILABLE to type names and addresses from home. \$500.00 per 1000. Call 1-900-896-1666 (\$1.49 min/18 yrs.+) or Write: PASSE - P1251 161 S. Lincolnway, N. Aurora, IL 60542.

3-11p

LOST & FOUND

REWARD: Lost on street in Lockney, older quilt and small wool blanket. If found, 652-2379.

2-18c

LOST: One red Limousin heifer, 600 lbs. M W brand on left side, lost north of Floydada. Martin Warren, 983-5840.

2-18c

MISCELLANEOUS

ROPER ELECTRIC STOVE, 4 burner, good condition; Frigidaire washer, light blue, good condition. 983-3587.

2-18p

SINGER 1993 new heavy duty unsold school models. Sews silk, canvas, leather, knits and jeans. Zigzags, buttonholes, monograms, overedges seams, etc. 10 year Singer factory warranty. \$198 with ad; \$439 without ad. Free UPS delivery statewide. Visa/Mastercard/Discover. Free layaway. Singer, 5418 Slide, Lubbock. 788-0608.

3-11c

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE: Electric stove with top and bottom oven, brown. \$125.00. Call 983-3076 or 983-3464.

nc

FOR SALE: Bluestem Hay - Round Bales, \$25.00; Ironmaster and W.W. Spar Grass Seed. 5 miles S.E. Floydada Farm Road 1958, Doyle Moore.

3-25p

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

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FOR SALE: Stamina home gym with attachments. Call 983-5005.

3-4p

FOR SALE: Used refrigerator, 983-5381 after 6:30 p.m.

2-18c

FOR SALE: KitchenAid dishwasher, Whirlpool 25' refrigerator with ice maker, Frigidaire cook top, Frigidaire double oven. All good and almond color. Phone 983-3888.

2-18p

FOR SALE: Three year old Sears riding lawnmower. Call 983-5469.

2-25p

FOR SALE: 1 king size mattress and box springs, \$100.00. Call 983-5732 after 6:00 p.m.

2-18p

WANTED

WANTED: Babysitter needed in my home for 2-year-old twins. 5 days a week beginning in April. Call 983-2829 or 983-2769.

2-18p

SERVICES

FOR CEMENT WORK, BACKHOE, dump truck, winch truck or day working. Call 983-5120 and leave message or mobile, 983-1120, Gary Bennett.

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3-11c

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2-25p

PUBLIC NOTICES

INVITATION TO BID

FLOYDADA PASSENGER TERMINAL

Separate sealed bids for construction of the FLOYDADA PASSENGER TERMINAL will be received by the Owner, Caprock Community Action Agency, until 3:00 p.m. EST, March 11, 1993 at their offices 224 S. Berkshire, Crosbyton, Texas 79322.

Each bidder will be required to furnish with their proposal a cashier's check, certified check or bid bond in the amount of 5% of the bid. The successful bidder will be required to enter into a contract with the Owner and furnish a separate "Performance Bond" and a "Payment Bond" in the amount of 100% of the contract price.

Plans & Specifications may be obtained from the office of L. James Robison & Associates, Architect, 205 W. 4th Street, Plainview, Texas with a deposit of \$50.00 per set. General Contractors may obtain 2 sets. Plans shall be returned by mail or in person.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids.

2-18, 2-25c

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioners' Court of Floyd County will accept sealed bids until 10:00 a.m., March 8, 1993, for the purchase of the following:

Ag Department: One new 1993 1/2 Ton Pick-up

TRADE-IN: (1) One 1987 3/4 Ton Crew Cab Pick-up
SN 1GTGR23KXHS526133

Special Note: Separate bids will be accepted for the purchase of the PICK-UP.

May be seen at the Courthouse.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Bidding Specifications are available in the County Judge's office, Floyd County Courthouse, Room 105, Floydada, Texas 79235. Bids shall be sealed when presented and will be opened at the above time and date.

All bids should be delivered to: County Judge, Floyd County Courthouse Rm. 105, Floydada, Texas 79235. Bids shall be sealed when presented and will be opened at the above time and date.

Payment will be made in cash upon delivery and approval. Floyd County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and right to waive all formalities.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT, FLOYD COUNTY, TX
BY: WILLIAM D. HARDIN, County Judge

2-18, 2-25, 3-4c

NOTICE TO RECEIVE PROPOSALS

THE CAPROCK HOSPITAL DISTRICT WILL RECEIVE PROPOSALS TO:

- REDUCE ENERGY CONSUMPTION
- REDUCE OPERATION COSTS
- IMPROVE FACILITY COMFORT
- IMPROVE FACILITY LIGHTING LEVELS
- REPAIR AND MODERNIZE HVAC EQUIPMENT
- REPAIR AND MODERNIZE FIRE ALARM SYSTEM
- PROVIDE NEW MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT
- PROVIDE ON GOING SERVICE TO GUARANTEE PERFORMANCE
- GUARANTEE ENERGY AND OPERATING SAVINGS

THE HOSPITAL DISTRICT'S OBJECTIVES IN ISSUING THIS REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS ARE TO PROVIDE A COMPETITIVE MEANS IN WHICH TO SELECT A SINGLE CONTRACTOR TO FULFILL THIS PROJECT. THE HOSPITAL DISTRICT WILL BASE CONTRACTOR SELECTION ON SEVERAL CRITERIA:

- A. EXPERIENCE AND QUALIFICATIONS
- B. TECHNICAL APPROACH
- C. FINANCIAL TERMS
- D. SERVICE CAPABILITIES
- E. VALUE OF NEW AND MODERNIZED EQUIPMENT AND IMPROVED FACILITY

COPIES OF THE REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP) ARE AVAILABLE AT THE ADMINISTRATION OFFICE, CAPROCK HOSPITAL, 901 W. CROCKETT, FLOYDADA, TEXAS 79235 BETWEEN 8-5, MONDAY THRU FRIDAY.

SEALED PROPOSALS SHOULD BE RETURNED TO THE ABOVE ADDRESS. THE PROPOSALS WILL BE OPENED AND TABULATED AT 2 P.M., MARCH 1, 1993.

CAPROCK HOSPITAL RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ACCEPT OR REJECT ANY AND ALL PROPOSALS. THIS IS A SOLICITATION FOR PROPOSALS AND IS NOT AN OFFER. ALL PROPOSALS AND INFORMATION RECEIVED IN RESPONSE TO THIS SOLICITATION WILL BECOME PROPERTY OF CAPROCK HOSPITAL DISTRICT.

2-11, 2-18c

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ACTUAL FACTS

ABOUT

FLOYDADA POWER & LIGHT

FROM YOUR CITY COUNCIL

**WE WANT TO HELP
YOU BUILD
FLOYDADA**



FACT:

Floydada Power & Light efficiently serves the city with dependable electric service, and this budget year, we plan to transfer surplus funds into the general fund to keep your city taxes down. Our system is debt free, and your support of Floydada Power & Light will assure our city of remaining on a sound financial basis providing all city services at a low tax rate.

FACT:

Floydada Power & Light provides **JOBS!** When our citizens needed electric service many years ago, Floydada Power & Light was created, and it has served our citizens and our city well. FP&L continues to upgrade its system with new lines and poles each budget year. When electrical supply to our city is interrupted, FP&L can generate its own electricity. In cases of emergencies, city employees can respond within minutes to any problem.

FACT:

Profits of Floydada Power & Light also help provide the following services to our community:

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|------------------------|--|----------------------------------|
| Ambulance Service | Fire Protection | Senior Citizen Activities |
| Parks & Swimming Pool | Streets & Street Lights | Trash & Brush Trailers |
| Christmas Decorations | Summer Ball Program | Assistance With Punkin Days |
| Commodity Distribution | Police Protection | Assistance With Old Settlers Day |
| | Assistance With School Activities.....etc. | |

Support Floydada Power & Light... independent and home-owned!

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If you are not already a Floydada Power & Light customer,
think about switching now!
CLIP OUT AND MAIL TODAY!

This Authorizes Floydada Power & Light To Provide Electric Service At:

ADDRESS _____

SIGNATURE _____

DATE SIGNED _____

CALL 983-2834 24 HOUR PHONE SERVICE

Mail to: Floydada Power & Light Box 10 Floydada, Tx. 79235

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