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Punkin Day Committee receives grant from Southwestern Bell

Floydada's Pumpkin Day Committee has been awarded a \$3,300 grant to be used in the promotion of Floydada and its annual 'Punkin Day' festival.

Floydada was one of 49 cities receiving a grant from Southwestern Bell's 1993 Economic Excellence Program. Floydada was also one of only two South Plains Communities to be recognized.

Ninety cities applied for grant money from the Economic Excellence Program, and a total of \$230,000 was given

away by Southwestern Bell of Texas. The Economic Excellence Program funds projects which encourage job creation, expansion, or retention of jobs and revenues in the state—programs in which it feels will help stimulate new business for years to come.

The Pumpkin Day Committee, chaired by Anne Carthel, had applied for a \$5,000 grant earlier in the year. In applying for the grant, it was necessary for the committee to list the areas the money would be used. The Committee

outlined expenses from previous 'Punkin Day' festivals and requested assistance in the areas of: downtown trick or treating, light pole decorations, travel expenses for celebrity judges and additional prize monies.

The committee was notified in May that their request had been approved. Many of the chairpersons of various Pumpkin Day committees attended a luncheon in Lubbock on Friday, May 14, at the Lubbock Club.

Irasema Velasquez, External Affairs Manager of Southwestern Bell introduced the program and presented grants to Anne Carthel, and to Slaton Chamber President Greg Balch. The Slaton grant will be used to assist Slaton Chamber with the Texas Avenue Opry House.

Don Caldwell provided entertainment for the luncheon and Russell Autry, president of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce was the guest speaker.

Attending the luncheon from Floydada were: Mayor Hulon Carthel and Anne Carthel, City Manager Gary Brown, Chamber President Tammy Leeson, Vicki Norrell, Brenda Heflin, Laura Turner, Jill Graham, Julianne Cornelius, Floydada Police Chief James Hale, Clar and Judy Schacht and Candy Thrasher.

Plane crashes in Dougherty field

Two Arlington men walked away from a plane crash in a Dougherty wheat field May 14.

DPS Trooper Marty Lucke and Floyd County Deputies were called to the scene of the accident, 2 miles west of Dougherty. According to the pilot the fuel gauges dropped possibly signifying a gas leak.

The plane, a Piper Archer Single Engine, land upright and sustained some structural damage.

The men were reportedly flying from Arlington to Plainview when the plane went down at 6:30 p.m.

Activities finalized for Floyd County Old Settlers Reunion

By Alice Gilroy

Activities for the annual Old Settler's Reunion May 28-29 have been finalized.

Special activities this year will include the new exhibit of a team of Percheron horses, a rope making demonstration at the Museum's Open House on Friday, and a old time Tent Show at the pavilion Friday night.

Other special events will be the returning Wildflower Show at the Museum, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., on Saturday. Judging will begin at 11:00 a.m., and will include several divisions, including: miniature, unusual container, antique, men, youth, miscellaneous and old fashioned.

Arts and crafts booths will once again fill up the courthouse square for all those interested in bargains and handcrafted items.

Sign-up for the Washer Pitching contest will begin at 1:00 p.m. across from the Fire Hall. Entry fee is \$20.00 per team and 1st place winners will be given buckles. Second place winners will be given money clips. Anyone with questions about this event should call Charles or Missy Minick in Lockney.

Olin and Jo Lyles are once again in charge of the parade which is scheduled

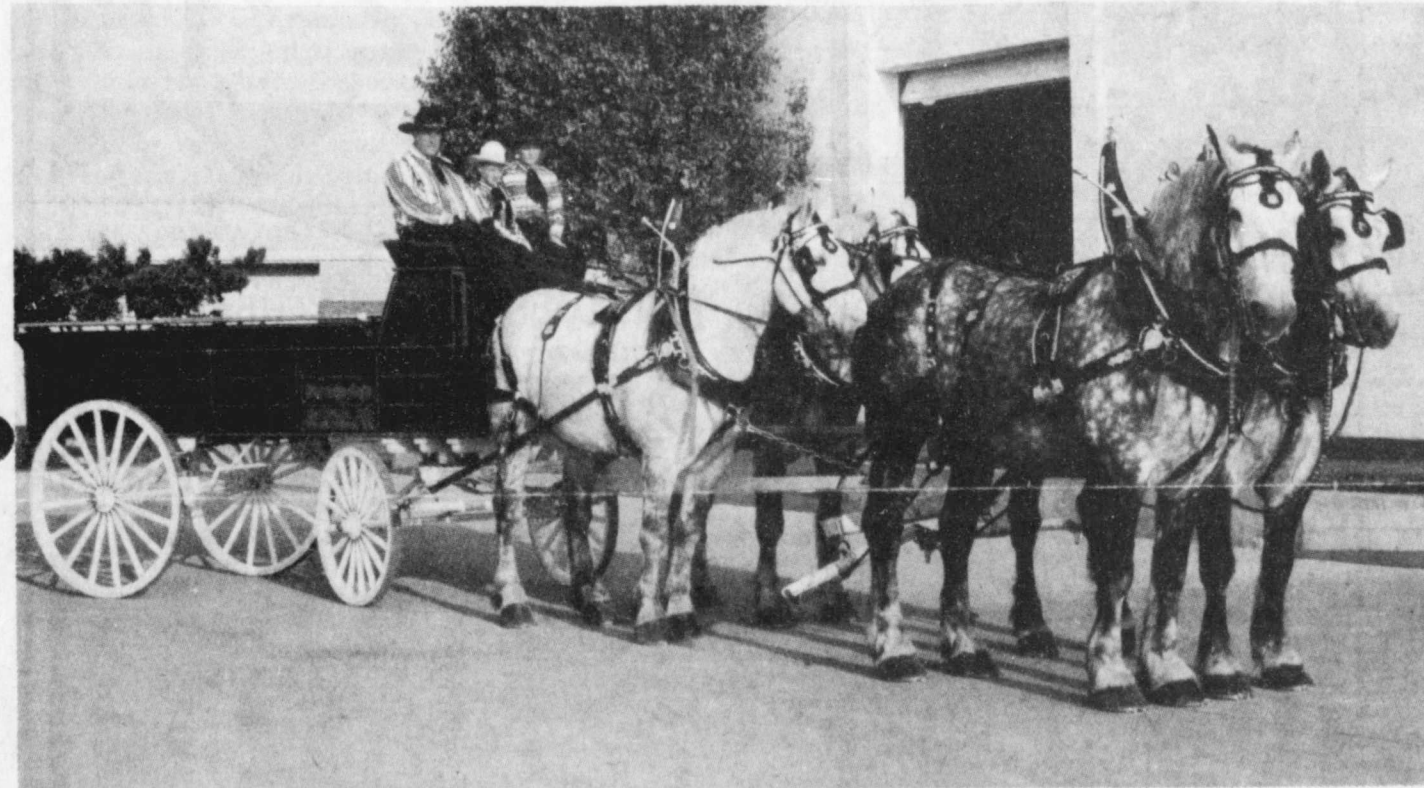
to begin at 2:30 p.m.

A variety of prizes will be awarded to participants of the parade. Chances to win can be found in categories such as: best pioneer float, best commercial float, best club float, best decorated bicycle, oldest tractor, best antique auto and oldest truck. Cowgirls and cowboys will be awarded for their best outfits and any band in the parade will earn \$50.00.

The beard contest is also planned for Saturday and anyone wishing to enter should start their beards now, and the Old Settlers Auction will also be a returning activity.

All money raised from the auction goes to the Floyd County Pioneer Association and anyone wishing to donate items for auction should call Molly Huffman, 652-3570, or Connie Johnson, 983-3603.

The popular and entertaining Country Caravan will return to Floydada. Their performance is slated to begin at 3:30 p.m. This year's theme for the Country Caravan is "Take A Trip to the Country." The performance features nearly 30 country music favorites in a fast paced 90 minute family entertainment package. The entertainment will feature show-stopping costumes, choreography, dancing, sound and lighting.



PARADE ENTRIES—"The Lone Star Hitch" will participate in the Floyd County Old Settlers Day Parade. This group of Percheron horses will pull the Kennedy Company antique freight wagon. The exhibit is sponsored by

the Kennedy's Sausage Company of Weatherford, Texas, and will give the parade watchers a glimpse of former day draft horses.

—Courtesy Photo

Lone Star Hitch riding in parade

The "Lone Star Hitch" belonging to the Kennedy's Sausage Company of Weatherford, Texas, will participate in the Floyd County Old Settler's Day parade on May 29. The team will be driven by Ken, Shirley and Casey Williams, also of Weatherford and is sponsored by the Floyd and Surrounding Counties Fair.

The "Lone Star Hitch" is reminiscent of a day when freight was moved by real "horse power". The hitch consists of four giant percheron draft horses and a remodeled antique freight wagon.

Percherons, native to France, were imported into the U.S. in the 1930's because of their ability to withstand the demands of street and farm work placed on horses. Established for use as war mounts the gentle giants were developed by crossing native Flemish stock with the spirited Arabian which demon-

strated an endurance that met the militia's needs. At the end of the Crusades the Percheron found its way into the work force developing its present day image of the "draft" horse.

Percherons are grey, black and sometimes bay with black. Heights of 17-19 hands are not uncommon among the breed. The four horses of the "Lone Star Hitch" are dapple grey with a height of 18 hands. The harness is fashioned after the Scottish style. The high peaked collars, the fancy chromed hames and the patterned leather is used to draw attention to the magnificent beauty of the horses.

In 1991 the driver, Ken Williams, discovered the antique freight wagon which was in total disrepair. Dated by an expert the 1895 undercarriage was used as the foundation to build the hitch wagon in use today. The Kennedy's

Sausage Company is proud to present for the public enjoyment their red, white and blue Town Dray Freight pulled by geldings chosen because of their stable nature.

Spring band concert is Monday

Floydada bands will present their annual Spring Concert at 7:00 p.m. Monday in the Floydada High School Auditorium. Participating in the concert will be the Sixth Grade Beginner Band, the Seventh Grade Intermediate Band, the Eighth Grade Junior High Band and the High School Band. The bands are under the direction of John M. Odum and Ben Hill.

The sixth grade, seventh grade and eighth grade bands will perform selections from their recent Floydada Festival Contest. Each of these bands re-



STATE SILVER MEDALISTS--Two Floydada High School seniors were awarded silver medals at the State track meet in Austin last weekend. Both students placed second in their respective events. Elisa Suarez competed in the 400 meters and Scott Crader competed in the discus. Three other Floydada students participating in the state meet were Adam Gonzales, who placed 4th; Tian Younger, 4th, and Michael Henderson, 7th.

--Staff photo

Suarez and Crader earn silver medals at Austin

by Bill Gray

Floydada Seniors Scott Crader and Elisa Suarez became the first Floydada athletes in a number of years to earn medals at the University Interscholastic League State Track Meet in Austin last weekend. Scott captured the second-place silver medal in discus with a toss of 166'-10". Richard Wills of Jourdan won the gold with a 179'-4" effort. Lady 'Wind Elisa Suarez was edged by less than a half second in the quarter-mile by Tina Smith of Manor. Elisa ran 57.5 in the 400 to Smith's winning time of 57.1.

Other Floydada State qualifiers per-

formed well, but came up short when the medals were on the line. Junior Adam Gonzales served notice to everyone that he will be a force to contend with next year as he placed fourth in shot put with a measurement of 54'-4 1/2". This toss was three feet short of Adam's school record of 57'-5", set at the Regional Qualifiers' Meet in Abernathy on April 23.

Senior Tian Younger ran a strong half-mile as she covered the 800 meters, in one of her best attempts, at 2:18.9 to finish fourth in the event. Aleda's Laura

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Farris joins Caprock Hospital Board

By Juanita Stepp

FLOYDADA — The Board of Directors for Caprock Hospital District (CHD) canvassed votes and swore in a new board member during a regularly scheduled monthly meeting on Thursday, May 13. Results of the May 1 Election were approved as presented to the board at the early morning session.

Newly elected board member Tom Farris was sworn in and seated on the board. Election of officers for the coming year was also on the agenda. Fred Thayer will continue to serve as president of the board on a unanimous vote of its members.

Jerry Thompson will be the vice president and Kenneth Pitts will serve as the secretary-treasurer. Both were elected by unanimous vote.

Board members passed a resolution to present to the bank authorizing Fred Thayer, Jerry Thompson, Kenneth Pitts, Ronnie Ammons, Yvonne Hounshell and Diane Emert to sign checks. In order for each check to be valid, two of the six

signatures must be on it.

Hospital administrator Ronnie Ammons presented a financial report detailing income for the month of April at \$15,880.00. Expenditures for the same period totaled \$45,844.00. The total balance of funds in all of the district's accounts was \$834,000.00 at the end of April according to the report. Ammons reminded the board that due to changes in the accounting methods from

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Floydada woman pleads guilty, given 30 years for sexual assault

LaRaine Carver, 29, of Floydada, pled guilty in the 110th District Court, May 18, to one case of Aggravated Sexual Assault. The offense, which is a 1st degree felony, occurred on March 17.

In a plea bargain agreement, the state agreed to dismiss 3 other cases of Aggravated Sexual Assault in exchange for a guilty plea on one. "We do this to protect the children from the pain of testifying," said District Attorney Becky McPherson.

After the guilty plea, Judge Randy Hollums sentenced Carver to 30 years in TDC. She must serve 8 1/2 years before she will be eligible for parole.

A co-defendant, Ronald Johnson "Rocky", 46, of Floydada, received 40 years in TDC, March 2, in a plea bargain agreement for the charge of aggravated sexual assault of the same children.

In other action in district court, May 12, grand jurors returned indictments against the following individuals:

Vince Alan Hope, 31, of Sweetwater,

Morales cited for violation of city ordinance

Amado Morales, councilman of Floydada, pled Not Guilty May 14 to recent charges of Failure to Purchase a Dance Permit.

According to Police Chief James Hale, "Councilman Morales held two public dances on April 17 and May 8, without obtaining the necessary city permits for dances."

City Ordinance Sec. 6-51, Art. 4 states, "'public dance' as used in this article shall be taken to mean any dance or ball to which admission can be had by payment of a fee, or by the purchase, possession or presentation of a ticket or token or in which a charge is made for caring for clothing or other property, or any other dance to which the public generally may gain admission with or without the payment of a fee."

According to a spokesperson at Floydada City Hall, a \$2.00 fee is charged for a dance permit and there have been approximately 4-5 dance permits issued during the past year.

Permits have been issued for dances under the pavilion on Old Settlers, at the Massie Activity Center and the rodeo grounds. School functions are exempt from the ordinance.

According to Hale, "Morales was cited for two dances that were held in his barn. We received three complaints of loud music from neighbors and an officer had to be dispatched to the area."

The citation was issued to Morales on May 11 and he appeared before J.P. Tim Burge on May 14 pleading Not Guilty. Burge placed a \$500.00 bond for each charge and Morales then signed a Surety Bond at the Floyd County Jail.

According to Burge, Morales has requested a jury trial.

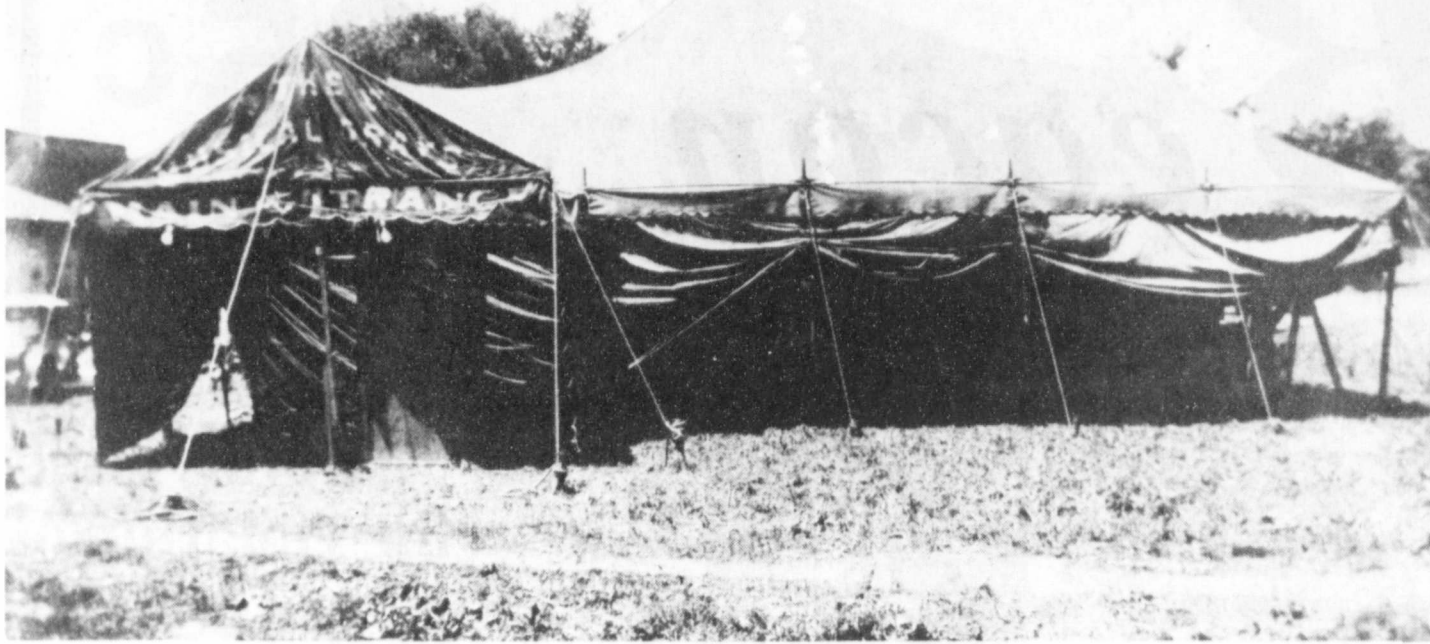
Morales could not be reached for comment.

Lockney ATPE hosting retirement reception Sunday

The Lockney Chapter of the Association of Texas Professional Educators will host a reception honoring retiring school personnel W.H. Hallmark, Peggy Hallmark, Gladys Bobbitt and Elvelyn Ulmer.

The reception will be held on Sunday, May 23, at the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church, Lockney, from 2:00 until 4:00 p.m.

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TENT THEATRE--The Musical Grays' tent theatre, in 1935, just two days before it was destroyed by a violent windstorm in Dickens, Texas. This photograph, along with mementos and pictures from a number of other repertoire companies, will be exhibited at the Floyd

County Historical Museum starting on May 28. That evening the special program "Tribute to Tent Shows" will be presented at 8:00 p.m. at the Floyd County Courthouse pavilion.

--Courtesy photo

Tent shows to be remembered

Harley Sadler last pulled up his stakes in this area in the 1940s, and it has been 36 years since Henry Brunks' Comedians' big tent appeared in Floydada. Years earlier the marquee lights of Mollie Bailey, the Haverstocks and the Musical Grays brightened the entrances of their canvas theatres. Those companies, along with others who included Floyd County and the South Plains as part of their annual routes from the early 1900s until the late 1950s, will be remembered during a special commemoration in conjunction with Floydada's 1993 Old Settlers' Reunion.

The Floyd County Historical Museum will host an open house on Friday, May 28, from 1:00 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. The feature exhibit, "Tribute to Tent Shows," will have its initial showing that day, and will remain at the museum through the month of June. The exhibit will include pictures, show heralds, and graphics made available through the courtesy and cooperation of the Southwest Collection at Texas Tech University and other sources. Displayed will be mementos from Harley Sadler's Own Show, Brunk's Comedians, Haverstock Comedians, Holland's Comedians, Musical Grays' Stock Company, and others.

Henry Brunk was the last to don the red wig and makeup of a tent show "Toby" during his farewell appearances on the South Plains in 1958. Brunk was but one of many "Toby" comedians to star on the repertoire stage in Floydada. However, it was Harley Sadler who made "Toby" a household word in Floydada, throughout Texas, and the Southwest during the heyday of the tent repertoire companies (1910-1940).

Before the days of radio, talking motion pictures, and television, approximately 400 of these traveling troupes brought live entertainment to rural America. They performed in local

opera houses, schools, or their own portable tent theatres, and presented a different three-act play each night of their week's stand. Between-act vaudeville (singers, dancers, magicians, and other forms of popular entertainment), plus street bands and full orchestras, were as important to the quality of the shows as were the dramatic productions.

The early days of tent repertoire produced a character unique to the American theatre - the "Toby" comedian. He was mostly portrayed as a red-haired, freckle-faced country bumpkin. Toby seldom got the girl in the simple, folksy plots - but he always outsmarted the villain or "city slicker." Toby cracked jokes, manipulated the plot, ad-libbed, and drew audiences into the performances. During the glory years of tent repertoire (1920-1935) there were literally scores of Toby comedians crisscrossing the country.

The owners or managers, more often than not, played the Toby roles themselves. Toby was the drawing card and the star of the show. Through the years those portraying the part became associated with the character - off stage as well as on stage. Harley Sadler was just as likely to be called "Toby" instead of his given name by the townspeople of Sweetwater, Abilene, or any other regular stop in his territory. The same was true with Henry Brunk in Boise City, Oklahoma, Neil Schaffner in Burlington, Iowa, or Erman Gray in Carrizozo, New Mexico.

Following open house at the museum, "tent show" type entertainment will be offered at the Floyd County Court House pavilion at 8:00 p.m. Admission to the single performance is free and seating is available on a first-come, first-serve basis. The format will include tent show band music, vaudeville specialties, a comedy quartet and more. A brief presentation will be given

about repertoire shows and their activities in Floyd County and the surrounding area. Former troupers are invited and are encouraged to give accounts of their years in the business.

The evening's performance will conclude with a skit which was used by a number of the tent companies. Entitled, "Toby Goes to the Funny Farm," the skit will be staged and directed by Bill Gray (who was born and grew up on tent repertoire shows). Mrs. Dell Gray will assist by coordinating the vaudeville and music. Featured will be the type of comedy usually associated with the Toby shows of yesteryears - clean, simple, and corny.

Although no tent repertoire companies have toured Texas for decades, there has been a resurgence of interest in this type of theatre in recent years. In 1976, the Harley Sadler Show was recreated and produced by Texas Tech University (complete with tent), and in 1983 the Tech Theatre presented, "Sainly Hypocrites and Honest Sinners," a traditional well-known tent show play. Post's Garza Theatre will present its fourth annual "Harley Sadler Show" during July, and Granbury's restored Opera House has included tent show plays the past two years.

Suarez and Crader earn silver medals

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Bailey won the 800 with 2:15.7 timing. Senior Michael Henderson, a Regional runner-up in the triple jump, failed to make the finals of the event at the State meet.

Bill's Notes
Congratulations to our young men and women who qualified for the trip to Austin. Tian made the trip three years in a row. Although she failed to medal, she must have the satisfaction of knowing that not very many make it to the State meet even once. Henderson did well all year, but was hampered in his preparations by injuries and knee surgery during the track season. A lot of folks would have checked it in at that point...but not Michael. He is certainly to be commended for his gutsy determination to stick with it in spite of the adversities. Adam had among the best shot put tosses in Class 3A for most of the season. He came up just six inches short of grabbing a bronze at the State meet. He's got another crack at it in 1994, and it would be no surprise to see him going for the gold in shot put as well as discuss next year.

Double "congrats" to our silver medalists, Scout and Elisa. State runner-up in anything in Texas is quite an accomplishment, and it couldn't have happened to any better young people that this duo. They won team points in multiple events for Floydada all year, and it was only fitting that they would finish in such fashion.

I may be repeating myself, but again I wish to express my personal thanks to Coaches Logan and Carr, and to those who assisted, for their dedication to the track programs. They might have been short-changed in numbers, but they developed what they had into quality track and field athletes. Great going on a good year! And, while I'm at it (for those who just might be interested)...the countdown is on. 81 days till two-a-days!!

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Auditions set for "God's Country"

Maybe your name won't be up in lights (since there are no marquees), but if you have ever heard the call of greasepaint, now's your chance.

Auditions for the 1993 Rio Blanco Heritage Foundation's production of "God's Country" have been scheduled for 7 p.m., Tuesday, June 1, at the Pioneer Memorial Building Auditorium in Crosbyton, an announcement from the Foundation revealed this week.

"Several major roles will be open this year," Ray Hindman, director of the 1993 production, said. "There are several male parts and a few less female roles to be cast on June 1," he observed.

Floydada native graduates from Wayland Baptist

Melva Brannon Dorman, Floydada native, participated in commencement exercises held Saturday, May 15, at Wayland Baptist University.

Dorman received her master's degree in science.

The graduation ceremony was held at 2 p.m. in Haral Memorial Auditorium.

"God's Country", the musical prairie drama depicting the early history of Crosby County and its environs, will be staged this year, July 29, 30, 31, and August 5, 6, 7, at the Blanco Canyon Amphitheater near the actual locales of many of the events portrayed in the

production. All members of the cast and crew are volunteers. The Blanco Canyon Amphitheater was designed, constructed, and is maintained by volunteers. 1993 will be the eighth production of "God's Country".

The LOCKNEY CEMETERY ASSOCIATION will hold its Annual Meeting, Monday, May 31 at the Lockney Community Center building on East 8th Street in Lockney, Texas.

There will be a Memorial Service at 10:30, after which there will be a Business Meeting, Financial Report and Election of Officers.

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GOD'S ARRANGEMENT

Our Father has provided us with a wonderful, purposeful world to live in. He has established and has set all of His creation in order.

In every single sphere of life God has a specific function based upon His Divine plan. We see the evidence of this in nature; for example, the earth is to hold and support all life forms. Man has been given the highest honor of all of God's creations on earth - to be responsible for the caring, maintaining and nurturing of the earth.

In this area of our responsibility we see that we have had great measures of success on the one hand, and yet failed miserably on the other. The primereason for the difference is **choice** - I am either willing to do my best in every area of my life, or I choose to compromise or neglect to do my best. The choice is ours but the result of our choices may be devastating both here and hereafter.

The conclusion is this: When you choose God you choose every good and perfect thing. This is to include a life that is as good as it is possible for you to live - not perfect, but yet striving for perfection. Only the blood of Jesus will make our lives perfect in the sight of God. Consider Romans 14:12. Read all of Luke 16:1-15.

We are each accountable to God for the way we use the life he has given us.

Comments or questions? The Village Preacher, PO Box 548, Lockney, Tx, 79241

May your soul prosper, Ed

Letter to The Editor

Dear Editor,
There is an urgency for people to respond to Senate Bill 1067. It is the Sodomy Law that is going to be repeated unless the voters put the pressure on the Legislators in Austin.

The House recommended to keep it intact (Sen. Jane Nelson, Lewisville, sponsor) but the Senate voted to repeal the law (our own Sen. John Montford, D., Lubbock voted to repeal it.)

It has now been sent to a Conference Committee and they will study and confer about the bill.

The bill, hundreds and hundreds of pages long, is a decodifying of the Penal Code. It is sponsored by Sen. Whitmire, Houston, and according to his secretary, they are wanting to do away with the sodomy law, because it is "insignificant" and has been on the books for 20 years, and never used. I asked her, if it was so "unimportant, miniscule and insignificant," why were we spending hours and days on this one little "insignificant" paragraph? She did not give an answer that seemed at all wise or a valid reason for doing away with this law.

I remembered right after Governor Richards got into office, she said she wanted the Sodomy Law repealed because it was useless and unimportant. When President Clinton took office, within days, he announced that the ban on gays in the military would be lifted.

The media has been completely silent on repealing the Sodomy Law. So why all the secrecy on an "unimportant, insignificant law?" Why did Sen. Montford's secretary tell me (when he had already voted to repeal it?) that "she didn't know anything about the bill or if he had voted or not."

Bob Whitman, lawyer activist, Arlington, Tx., said, "when Bill Clinton lifts the ban he is going to push national acceptance of homosexuality (Feb. 1-93, Newsweek).

Rep. Cal Anderson, D., Seattle, said he will, "introduce a measure giving homosexuals the same protection against discrimination now covering people based on religion, race, sex, ethnic origin, and disability." (They already enjoy the same rights and equal protection under the law as everyone else.)

What has all this got to do with the Sodomy Law being repealed? Use the dictionary to define Sodomy, and realize until this is done away with, homosexuality is illegal. So if the law is repealed and no longer illegal, then it paves the way for men to marry men, and women to marry women, adoption of children by gays and the ability to obtain a minority status.

Aids would increase more. Already in New York City, 64% of homosexuals are HIV positive. Yet, we receive "education" from programs like GOALS, in our own high school, where a 27 year old man, dying with aids, said it was not a homosexual disease.

A new definition of Aids is now putting women with cervical cancer, people with T.B. into Aids statistics, which they try to project its "everyone" disease or people disease.

Aids is an incurable disease, its a long, suffering, painful, agonizing death. Why are they wanting to make it readily available to legalize homosexuality?

Free exercise of religion is a First Amendment right. Sexual orientation is

not. The average lifespan for a homosexual man is 39 years old. God loves us all, and wants us to live a clean, healthy lifestyle. We all fail at times throughout our lifetime, and do things that displeases Him, but it never nullifies or voids His Word, just because we did a wrong thing.

When the June 5 election comes, remember too, Sen. Bob Krueger, also supports gays and their agenda.

The legislators and their numbers that are on the Committee to repeal the Sodomy law in Texas are: Sen. Whitmire (Houston, sponsor) 512-463-0115; Sen. Wentworth (San Antonio) 512-463-0126; Sen. Armbrister (Victoria) 512-463-0118; Sen. Parker (Port Arthur) 512-463-0104; Sen. West (Duncanville) 512-463-0123.

At this writing, Speaker Pete Laney (Hale Center, 512-463-0604) has not appointed the House Conferees to Senate Bill 1067, but it could happen any time.

A USA News Today, on the front page, last week, had the latest study done on the statistics of homosexuals and lesbians. The study was done by Rudmeyer Institute, revealing that 1% of men are gay and 4% of women are lesbians. For years, because of the erroneous Kinsey report, the liberal projected 10% of men were gay. This is quite a shock to learn that, even though it is a significant percentage, yet it is a very small percent of people that are controlling the direction our nation has taken in very recent years.

We must take action through prayer, writing and calling our legislators.

The media is not going to give us all the truth, when the homosexuals and lesbians marched in Washington recently, some of the groups are literally naked and never got arrested, but by comparison, PRO-Life Christians are being arrested and hauled to jail for their peaceful demonstrations.

Our calls and letters and prayers do work. Let's be encouraged to do this and earnestly seek for all of us to stand for truth.

It is not homophobia to oppose homosexuality!

Sincerely,
Joyce Liphart

COURTROOM ACTIVITIES

In county court, May 5, Roberto Guerrero, 26, of Floydada, was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case.

May 10, James Richard Bailey, 48, of Floydada, pled guilty to his January 4, 1993 charge of DWI. He was fined \$500.00 plus court costs and sentenced to six months in jail which was probated for 2 years.

May 11, Erbey H. Molinar Jr., 35, of Floydada, was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case.

Also on May 11, Louis Ray Peralez, 21, of Floydada, was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case.

Hilario Gaytan Reyes was charged on May 11 with criminal trespass and assault.

Jesus Mesa Ascencio was charged on May 12 with Transporting Alcoholic Beverages in a Dry Area.

Ernest Doyle Johnson, pled guilty on May 13, to his March 5 charge of criminal trespass. He was fined \$100.00 plus court costs. He was also sentenced to 34



OLD TIME ROPE-MAKING--The Floyd County Historical Museum invites everyone to visit the museum on Friday, May 28, during the Open House hours to view the rope-making demonstrations to be presented by Mr. Bill Barrett of Sweet Home, Oregon. Mr. Barrett has crafted the rope-making machine patterned after the machines which have been in his pioneer Crosby County family for many generations. Scout groups, school classes, senior citizens and other interested groups may contact the museum to schedule a special tour time. --Staff photo

Lockney ISD reviews policy for use of school facilities

Lockney's School Board discussed a new policy for the public's use of school facilities and also policies for student discipline in a May 11 board meeting.

Trustees agreed to implement a policy that the only school facility that would be available for community use, other than school related activities, will be the elementary cafeteria.

A deposit will be required and a fee of \$100 must be paid for the use of the facility. The Junior High facility will no longer be available for private use. Anyone wishing to rent the elementary

cafeteria should call Phil Cotham.

School board members also discussed student discipline and agreed to work on a new policy to deal with disruptive students.

The 93-94 budget was amended by trustees to include \$17,000 in expenditures. Of that \$17,000, \$11,000 went to the Appraisal District for the LISD's percentage of payment for the purchase of a new building for the Appraisal District.

Also included in that expenditure was \$6,800 for the purchase of lots across the street from the high school. The lots will be used for parking since the new gym took up the parking space of the high school.

The board also canvassed and approved the election results.

Dan Smith was appointed as a delegate to the state convention and Jim Bob Martin was named as the alternate.

In other action, the board:

- * Approved school policy manual update #40
- * Approved wall and ceiling panels for new gym;
- * Accepted the resignation of Laura Wilson, Jr. High Aide, and Terri Fortenberry, elementary school teacher;
- * Hired Krista Kirkland and Bryan Gerlich as coaches, Lori Satterwhite as a high school English teacher, Leeta Prather, junior high English teacher and Cindy Cotham, 3rd grade teacher;
- * Approved 27 transfers from Petersburg, Silverton, Floydada and Plainview.

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Farris joins Caprock Hospital

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Ammons also reported on a group of purchases he made earlier this month for the hospital. Sixteen good quality electric beds were purchased from West Texas Hospital which has closed down. The beds cost \$3,625.00, a fraction of their original value. Also purchased from the defunct facility were 3 crash carts at \$95.00 each. New ones run in excess of \$300.00 stated Ammons.

Other purchases included leather benches for the clinic, an executive desk and an excellent patient transfer stretcher said Ammons.

A new telephone system is being installed at this time and the administrator told the board that it is costing far less than anticipated. The original cost was placed at nearly \$20,000.00 for a system throughout the hospital and the clinic. Improperly connected piping in the basement caused a flooding situation which ruined parts of the current phone system. Ammons told the board that insurance coverage will pay on the damaged system, enabling the district to purchase the new system for about \$7,000.00, the sum of the \$5,000.00 deductible and \$2,000.00 additional contribution from CHD.

The boilers are now shut off and the flooding problem is over said Ammons. The new boiler system has arrived and is due to be installed in the next three months. Honeywell, the company providing the boiler system, was also able to rectify a short in the fire alarm system and bring it into compliance with regulations according to the administrator.

Financing the purchase of the boilers was discussed. Ammons favored this as a course of action in order to retain more capital for hospital operation during the first months after it is reopened. New board member Tom Farris asked why the board would even consider financing the \$140,000.00 purchase when the district was able to pay up front and save the interest. He pointed out that the CHD contract for financial services with First National Bank of Floydada extended a

one million dollar line of credit to the district specifically for hospital operation with the repayment interest tied to the prime rate, currently 6 percent.

Ammons told the board he had no records reflecting that fact and that he knew nothing of a line of credit. He explained that many of the CHD records from the previous administrations are missing.

Farris told Ammons that he would get a copy of the contract to him as soon as possible.

Ammons next spoke of a problem in the clinic. He said that an unfortunate accident had caused a fire, burning portions of the carpet and wall covering in one of the physician's office areas. Smoke and soot had also been carried through the ventilation system into other portions of the clinic.

According to Ammons, the damaged area of the clinic should be covered by insurance. The Board instructed Ammons to see that a claim is filed under the appropriate insurance coverage to repair the damages.

Other items covered at the session included:

...Contract negotiations with Dr. Ngo and Dr. Tomasevic were discussed by the board. At this point in time, nothing has been finalized. Both contracts are tentatively set, but changes could still be made stated Ammons.

...Board members learned that the recruiting firm searching for physicians has made 225 personal contacts and sent out 10,000 mail inquiries to date with no response.

...Discussed changing board meeting time from the present 7:00 a.m. to later in the day. No change was made in the meeting time at this point.

...Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Correction

It was incorrectly printed in last week's paper that 200 students visited Floydada for a recent Band Festival. The actual number of students visiting was 2,000.

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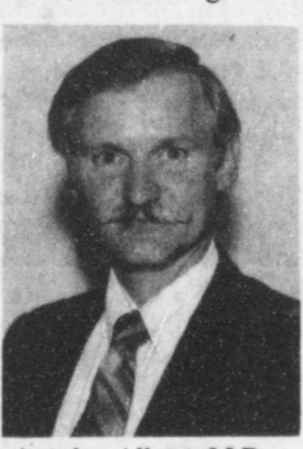
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Pre-nuptial Bible ceremony held for Hernandez

A white Bible ceremony was held at First Baptist Mission to honor Rhoda Hernandez on her forthcoming marriage. This is a ceremony in which the Baptist women give Biblical advice to the soon to be bride.

The couple was presented with two Bibles. One is to be given to the first non-Christian they have in their home and the other is a bride's Bible for her to carry during her wedding.

The attendees were Sandy Rando, Rosie Rando, Nora Cisneros, Sandy Garza, Mary Ann Reyes, and Connie Mendoza.

The program was led by Janie Rando. The music was presented by Janie Rando and Kay Tinney. The theme was "A Perfect Love." The pastor delivered a short sermon and led in prayer.

A reception followed the ceremony. The youth of the church presented the couple with a laundry basket full of towels. This was presented by youth president, Tim Rando.

The church and dining area were decorated with mauve and pink. A cake was decorated by Mary Garcia and pink punch was prepared by Lily Maldonado.

Look Who's New!

ATEN

Joshua Lee is proud to announce the birth of his little sister, Tamara LeBrooke Aten born at 12:25 p.m. Thursday, April 29, 1993, in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock.

Brooke, as Joshua calls her, weighed 6 lbs. 3 ozs. and was 19 1/2 inches long. The children's parents are Sherman and Tammy Aten of Floydada.

Grandparents are Tommy and Ruth Aten of Hobbs, New Mexico, and Hollis and Jo Payne of Floydada.

Great-grandmother is Mattie Wester of Floydada.

We Salute In Floydada

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Thursday, May 20: Pam Holmes, Harvey Garza, Jody Bueno

Friday, May 21: Don Faulkenberry, Rosa Linda Arjona

Saturday, May 23: Tim Lipham, Manuel Enriquez, Wendy Pierce

Monday, May 24: Andy Rainwater, Andy Williams, Nicole Odom

Tuesday, May 25: Kristi Bennett, Albert Chavarria Sr., Robert Lockwood, Jan Rubio, Abel Anthony Garcia, Tony Hernandez Jr.

Wednesday, May 26: Serafin Sanchez, Ron Parks, Sharkey LeCroy, Omar Garza, Kimberly Bueno, Frances Hambricht

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Wednesday, May 19: Lionel and Benita Longoria

Sunday, May 23: Mr. and Mrs. Miguel Rangel Sr.

Monday, May 24: Ray and Betty Hernandez, Mike and Karol Rainwater

Wednesday, May 26: M.J. and Flora McNeill

Floydada

Senior Citizens Menu

May 24-28

Monday: Baked chicken, butter beans, mixed vegetables, cornbread, fruit salad with oranges, oatmeal raisin cookies, milk/beverage choice

Tuesday: Meatloaf, potato salad, green beans, tossed salad, hot rolls, brownies, milk/beverage choice

Wednesday: Brisket, parslid new potatoes, fried okra, biscuits, apricots, gingersnaps, milk/beverage choice

Thursday: Pork chops, au gratin potatoes, carrots and zucchini, cornbread, pineapple cobbler, milk/beverage choice

Friday: Ham salad sandwich on wheat, kidney beans, vegetable soup, purple plums, milk/beverage choice

Floyd County Lifestyles



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED--Steve Ferguson of Ralls and Sandra Ferguson of Ralls are pleased to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Stacy Elane to Ernest Gonzales, son of Daniel and Adelina Gonzales of Ralls. He is the grandson of Celia DeLaGarza of Idalou. Miss Ferguson is the granddaughter of Edith Marrs and Leon and Willie Mae Ferguson of Floydada. She is a candidate for graduation at Ralls High School and plans to attend American Commercial College this fall. Gonzales is a 1989 graduate of Ralls High School and a 1990 graduate of Phoenix Institute of Technology in Phoenix, Arizona. He is employed by H&H Trailer Sales in Lubbock. The couple plan a June 12 wedding.

4-H members present program to Homebuilders Extension Club

The home of Jonelle Fawver was the meeting place May 11 for the Homebuilders Extension Club at 2 p.m. First on the agenda Melissa Long surprised everyone with a demonstration on Production Horticulture (Floydada Pumpkins) by Bonnie Dunlap and Erin Dawdy, 4-H members. They were getting in their practice for the District meeting May 15.

Roll call was answered with "Who is your family eye doctor and how often do you see him/her." Everyone agreed on the response "When we have to".

Minutes were read and approved. The treasurer's report, recreation, reports of the TEHA District II meeting and election of officers for 1994 were all on the agenda. New officers are Sue Lovell, president; Jonelle Fawver, vice-president and reporter; Gladys Widener, secretary-treasurer, and Murl Mayfield, council delegate.

The club agreed to accept Harmony's nominee for TEHA chairman and elected Jonelle Fawver as the nominee for vice chairman to take to council on May 13.

The county-wide meeting and program was planned for June 22 in the council room.

The program "Windows to the Soul and the Body" was from You and Your Doctor by Bruce B. Dan M.D. Dr. Dan stated that your eyes speak volumes about your health. This was proved by different conditions and diseases shown through examination of the eyes.

Some of the conditions were your liver functioning incorrectly, a tumor of the tissues behind the eye, brain or spinal tumor, injury or hereditary genes. Lazy eye (amblyopia) a blinding disease

in childhood, Graves' disease as Barbara Bush had, yellowing sclerae (hepatitis, cirrhosis or gall bladder) and diabetes were some of the diseases he could detect from examining the eye. He said, "I may not know much more about your soul, but I certainly will have learned a lot about your body." The program was given by Jonelle.

Refreshments were served to Barbara Willis, Gladys Widener, Murl Mayfield, Sue Lovell, Agent Melissa Long and hostess Jonelle Fawver.

The club's next meeting will be May 27 in the home of Barbara Willis with Melissa Long giving the program.

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Jill Graham feted with layette shower

Jill Graham was guest of honor during a baby shower held Thursday evening, May 13, in the Floydada home of Laura Turner.

Mrs. Graham was given a gold pin with the face of a cherub and baby items hanging down from it as a corsage for the event. Special guests attending included Bonnie Graham, Eva Graham, Jane Graham, Judy Strickland and Nelta Bartos.

The serving table was covered with a lace tablecloth and highlighted with a basket decorated with crayons and completely filled with baby essentials. Five helium balloons were attached to the basket. Shurbet punch was served from a crystal punch bowl, along with various cookies, nuts and mints.

A changing table was given to the honoree by hostesses, Carol Brooks, Billie Campbell, Maria Brown, Julie Lackey, Carlen Beedy, Nancy Hagood, Kelly Ann Kirk, Laura Turner, Trena Simpson, Anne Jones, Anne Carthel, Roijon Johnson, Julianne Cornelius, Kay Tinney, Cheryl Dawdy, Mary Sanders and Kelli Reddy.

FHA-HERO hosts Spring Style Show

FHA-HERO members of the Blue Bonnet Chapter at Floydada High School hosted the Spring Style Show at 3 p.m. Friday, May 14, in the CVAE-Home Ec classroom.

Models who showed their sewing projects included Sandra Coleman, Pat Pancardo, Hilda Rodriguez, Maria Rosa and Victor Trevino. Family, friends and faculty were guests.

A reception followed the style show. The serving table was covered with a blue cloth. Fresh cut flowers were arranged in a center bouquet. Punch and cookies had been prepared by the students. President Sandra Coleman poured punch. This is an annual event for the students.

This week they are studying jobs at the nursing home. Mrs. VanHoose and Mrs. Fortenberry taught them about jobs at the dry cleaners.

We Salute in Lockney!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Thursday, May 20: Eric Humphreys Saturday, May 22: Sharon Kleypas, Mike Ford

Sunday, May 23: Sasha Wood, Marc Wilson

Monday, May 24: Nicole Mosley, Felix Nuncio Sr.

Tuesday, May 25: Elba Pyle Wednesday, May 26: Bertha Herrera, Bryan Bybee

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Thursday, May 20: Jimmy and Theresa Stennett

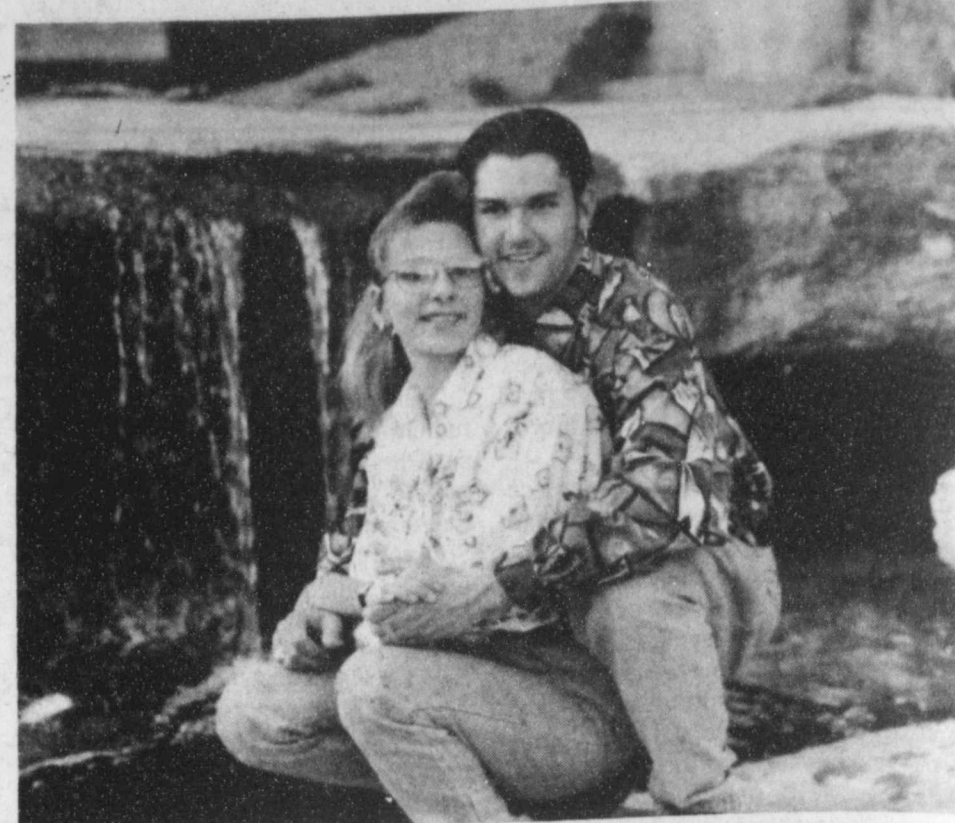
Friday, May 21: Phil and Cindy Cotham

Saturday, May 22: Greg and Susan Patridge, Gary and Sharon Kleypas

Sunday, May 23: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. John Zalman IV, Tim and Tamera Cooper

Tuesday, May 25: Sammy and San Juana Silva, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Zavala

Wednesday, May 26: Adam and Elizabeth Rodriguez, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bob Martin



COUPLE TO MARRY--Mr. and Mrs. Donnell Gowens of Floydada, wish to announce the engagement of their granddaughter, Ricci D'Ann Gowens, daughter of Sally Gowens of Carrollton and the late Rick Gowens, to Jacob Lee (Jake) Jones, son of Cecil and Donna Jones of Lockney. The bride-elect is a student at International Business College in Lubbock. Jones will be attending South Plains College in Levelland in the fall. The wedding is planned for August 7 at 3:00 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Floydada.

Dr. Stewart answers questions for Il Penseroso Junior Study Club

By Cris Taylor

Il Penseroso Junior Study Club met in the home of Shawnda Foster for a lovely patio supper. Co-hostesses, Melody Wiley and Cris Taylor served a wide variety of meats and cheeses for members and guests to make their own pocket-pita sandwiches. Chips, along with tea and punch, accompanied the meal. Peach cobbler and ice cream was served for dessert.

Dr. Kevin Stewart graciously gave up his evening so that club members could have an informal question and answer format with him. Questions posed ranged from "what is the safest sun screen protection to gall bladder symptoms. Having thanked Dr. Stewart for his time the meeting continued.

Secretary Melody Wiley called roll and read the minutes from the last meeting. The minutes were approved and President Rise Ford continued. The club quilt has been finished and was on display for all to see.

Members voted to give \$50.00 to the Elaine Hardy Scholarship Fund again this year.

Members were asked to fill out their Yearbook and Secret Pal information sheets and hand them in. The members voted on the Club Woman of the Year and the results will be told at the next meeting.

Amy Brice told members of the reception honoring the retiring teachers. It will be held at the First Methodist Church on May 23 from 2:00 until 4:00 p.m. and the public is invited.

Letters of resignation were read from Julie Dorman, Cindy Cotham, Julie Ellison, Terri Fortenberry, Tracy Long and Kathy Young. Letters of invitation will be sent to Tamera Cooper and Jeanne Anne Williams.

The next club meeting will be held at Michealle Stennett's house on May 27th for our end-of-the-year party.

Everyone is to bring a covered dish and secret pal gift.

Officers for the 1993-94 club year are as follows: Michealle Stennett, President; Heather Stowe, Vice-President; Diane Lowe and Tami Wofford, Second Vice-President and Yearbook Chairwoman; Lou Satterwhite, Secretary; Victory Stewart, Treasurer; Rise Ford, Historian; Pat Schawb, Reporter; Kim Teeter, Sunshine Chairwoman.

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Floyd County Home Extension Council plans future events

Floyd County Home Extension Council met at 2 p.m. May 13 with council chairman, Jonelle Fawver, calling the meeting to order.

Roll call was by Maye Williams. For communications, Melissa Long, Extension agent, reported on all the letters of thanks from the Plainview District meeting, for the help Floyd County club members offered for the district meet.

Maye Williams read the minutes, which stood approved as read.

Club reports were given as follows: Harmony had nine members who had lunch and toured the Lamplighter Inn in Floydada. They met with Doris Elaine Reid for a shoe recycling. They learned how to match an old pair of shoes with a certain garment, the process works well and is fairly simple.

Homebuilders met in the home of Muri Mayfield. A program, "Shield Against Crime" was given by Harold Snell. On April 13, they met in the home of Sue Lovell, who showed pictures of her trip to the Holy Land. On May 11, a meeting was held in the home of Jonelle Fawver. Melissa Long presented 4-H girls doing a Methods skit.

T.E.H.A. chairman Maye Williams has informed members wanting a cookbook, that a \$1.00 deposit would hold a book for them. Cost of the books is \$12.00.

Council officers were elected. These are Karen Miller, president; Jonelle Fawver, vice president; Karen Miller, delegate to state meeting, and Jonelle Fawver, alternate. The state meeting will be in Waco.

Harmony officers will be Karen Miller, president; Vivian Curtis, vice president; Arvie Schulz, secretary-treasurer; Blanche Williams, council delegate; Juanita Poole, reporter.

Homebuilders officers are Sue Lovell, president; Jonelle Fawver, vice president and reporter; Gladys Widener,

secretary-treasurer; Muri Mayfield, council delegate; Jonelle Fawver, council chairman.

Karen Miller, Gladys Widener and Maye Williams were appointed as the nomination committee for council officers. They were elected to report at the August council meeting.

Maye Williams gave the T.E.H.A. report and Melissa gave the agent's report.

She announced that a program on Waste Management will be given at Lighthouse Electric on June 3 from 7 to 9 p.m. Everyone is invited.

June 5, there will be a canner testing from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the council room. Everyone is invited to bring their old canners if they need a gasket or any other parts replaced. The cost for testing will be \$4.00, but your cooker will be safe and repaired if needed.

June 8 will be the 11th State Roundup. If all qualify there will be 20 going to the state roundup. There are 18 participants in the Rifle Teams - Jr. I won 3rd, Jr. I won 1st and Sr. won 2nd. There are four participants in the Livestock Judging and seven in the Horse Judging.

The Consumer Decision Making had eight participants; two Share the Fun Teams, 15 participants; nine Method Demos, 19 participants; one Public Speaking, one participant.

There will be 43 attending the Roundup on Saturday.

July 12-22 the agents will be in Georgia.

Kerry Siders, the new county ag agent, attended the council meeting in order to meet all those present.

Club members agreed on how much the two agents help and encourage the local 4-H youngsters. They recalled on how fortunate they were to have had club work in Floyd County since 1926. They have learned to make lye soap, can meat, peas, beans, corn, hominy and make quilts.



FIRST BABY BORN IN NEW HOSPITAL—Juan and Rosa Linda DeOchoa of Floydada are the proud parents of Juan Jesus. He is the first child to be born in the newly opened facilities at W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital in

Lockney. The newborn was delivered on Wednesday, May 12, 1993. He weighed 6 lbs., 5 ozs. and was 19 inches long. He has one sister, Linda, who is three years old. The new arrival was delivered by Dr. Stewart. —Staff Photo



COMPETITION WINNERS—Janee and Karah Jo Hrbacek were winners in the Southwest Trampoline and Tumbling Association state meet. Janee (l) received a 1st in Trampoline in Division I. She is classified Level 3 in ability. She received a gold medal. Karah Jo (r) placed 3rd in State, 3rd in Trampoline, and 3rd in Group Tumbling. She is classified as Level 2 in her age group. She received medals for her efforts. The girls are the daughters of Ricky and Renee Hrbacek of Lockney. —Staff Photo

Floydada Nursing Home Happenings

By Jo Bryant
Hi! Once again on this cool, spring day, glad that we escaped the storms.

Must say that we had a busy full week. The Rev. Williams started the week as usual with the devotional. We sang some songs. Irene wasn't with us as she spent the weekend for Mother's Day in Amarillo. At 2:30 the residents painted ceramics.

Tuesday, the children from the Day Care Center came, the residents gave them each a balloon. The residents always enjoy the children.

Wednesday, our nurses were acknowledged with cake, punch, mints and nuts. Wanda Gibbs presented each one a gift and expressed her appreciation, thanks for all that they do. Bingo at 2:30, Lennie Willis had the first Bingo. Mary Alice Davis came and assisted the residents. Ann Helms came and played the piano at 6:00, also Philip Wilbanks came and played the piano too, we sang some songs.

Thursday, the residents enjoyed ice cream sundaes with their favorite topping. Trinity group came and visited and

sang some songs. Judy Miller played the piano.

Friday, Leigh Szydoski came and gave the devotional on parents. Joyce Lipham played the piano. On to Plainview on the bus ride. McDonald's treated them to ice cream and drinks.

The residents enjoyed hamburgers, potato salad and baked beans for Friday's cookout lunch.

Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family of Walton Hale.

Billie Hanna is back with us now. We have a new nurse, Donna Thibaud R.N. from Petersburg. We welcome her and are so glad to have her with us.

The staff are playing Safety Bingo, there will be nice prizes for the winners.

We have three birthdays for the month of May: Ruth Benson, May Garrett and Ruby Hobbs. Party will be at 2:30 Thursday, May 20.

Thought: "I have held many things in my hands, and I have lost them all, but whatever I have placed in God's hands, that I still possess."

Senior Citizens Rockins

By Gene Newton

There were 58 present for another delicious meal on Thursday night at the center. Due to school activities some of the members had to eat and go. There was a business meeting called by Mr. Duvall and I'm sorry I missed it, but when you have grandchildren involved at school that's important also.

It has been brought to our attention that we need to build an activity, craft and badly needed storage rooms onto our present building. It will be voted upon by all our members before we start anything.

Mr. Duvall said that we would vote on it June 10 at our regular Thursday night get together. If you are interested in your organization please be present to voice your opinion, or at least vote "for" or "against" this idea.

It has been said that we have not filled the present building up yet and that is not what it is all about. When we have demonstrations or lap robe making for our community needs we can't begin

until after lunch because we will mess up the dining room. It just can't be done - lunch, quilting, exercise, bridge and dominoes all at the same time, in one room. So, let's consider this. "Thanks". We need to remember the sick in our community and pray for their recovery.

MENU
May 24-28

Monday - Chicken fried steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, harvard beets, tossed salad, cherry cobbler, roll

Tuesday - Meatloaf, English peas, macaroni and cheese, applesauce jello, sugar cookies, roll

Wednesday - Oven fried chicken, gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered squash, carrot coins, apple cobbler, roll

Thursday - Beef tips over rice, okra and tomatoes, Waldorf salad, chocolate pudding, roll

Friday - Broiled hamburger steak, brown gravy, red beans, corn, cole slaw, cornbread

Senior Citizens News

By Thelma Jones

Mrs. Pearl Reddy and daughter, Nell of Midland visited Mrs. Robert Smith Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Wilson and Mary Wilson have company. Their daughter and baby of San Antonio are visiting.

Mrs. Ethel Warren spent the weekend with her son, Johnny Lynn Warren and family in Lubbock.

The luncheon was enjoyed Saturday and Sunday at the Senior Citizens.

There was a good crowd attending. Geraldine Calloway had relatives to visit her last week.

The program at the Baptist church was real good and a large crowd attended.

Mrs. Virginia Waits of Hale Center spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Deeota Odam.

Mrs. Alma Dunn visited Mrs. Eula Batey Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ragsdale spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Guffee. Clarence is back in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert of Lubbock spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Webb.

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El Progreso Study Club honors four seniors as Citizenship Girls

Sandra Elias, Jeri Ann Lambert, Kori Kellison and Sarah Silva were recognized by the El Progreso Study Club as Citizenship Girls for 1993. The girls, who are seniors at Lockney High School, were chosen by the faculty. The guidelines used in the selection include scholarship, citizenship, character and leadership.

The young ladies and their mothers were treated to dinner in the home of Kathleen Thornton. Mothers seated at the honorees table were Maria Elias, Peggy Lambert, Kathy Kellison and Maria Silva. Also present were Miss Kellison's grandmothers Kathleen Thornton and Johnnie Kellison.

Following the meal Merle Mooney expressed her pride, and that of the study club, in the young ladies chosen for the honor.

Mrs. Mooney then gave a brief history of the Citizenship Girls. She stated that the tradition began in 1953 and at that time it was sponsored by the Lockney Business and Professional Women's Club. The organization disbanded in 1987 and the tradition of honoring four outstanding girls from the graduating class was continued by the El Progreso Study Club.

For the past 40 years four senior girls have been honored annually and, including the 1993 honorees, 160 girls have been chosen for the recognition.

Mrs. Mooney commented, "We feel that it is an honor to be chosen as a Citizenship Girl and we are very proud of you four who have been added to the list."

She showed those present the plaque to which the girls names have been

added and stated that it will hang in the library at high school along with the plaques from years past. The girls received an engraved charm as a gift from the group.

Following Mrs. Mooney's presentation each of the girls was called on to tell about one of the other honorees. They each told of memories they have of each other while growing up and of activities and events they have been involved in throughout their school years.

Members of the El Progreso Study Club present were Edythe Clark, Faye Ferguson, Elaine Gibson, Cornelia Johnson, Hazel Johnson, Bobbie Kellison, Alice Mitchell, Merle Mooney, Laverna Sams, Dorothy Smith, Doris Thacker and the hostess, Kathleen Thornton.



LHS CITIZENSHIP GIRLS RECOGNIZED--El Progreso Study Club recognized four senior girls from Lockney High School at a dinner meeting on Wednesday, May

19. Girl honored were (l-r) Sarah Silva, Kori Kellison, and Sandra Elias. The girls mothers were also present at the event. Staff Photo



DIVISION I WINNERS--The LJHS Band competed in the Hale Center Band Festival and earned a Division I rating in both Concert and Sightreading. They brought home the sweepstakes trophy and the band was named runner-up as the Outstanding Junior High Band. Seventh

grade students participating were (l-r, back row) Rita Mann-Wiley, Gloria Torrez, Leslianne Hickerson, Brandi Miller, Jessica DeLeon, Natalie Vasquez, Pepper Billington; (l-r, front row) Josh Lambert, Carson Johnson, Tyson McDonald, Miguel Guerrero and Johnny Gonzales. Staff Photo



SWEEPSTAKES WINNERS--The LJHS Band competed in the Hale Center Band Festival and brought home the sweepstakes trophy as well as earning a Division I rating in both Concert and Sightreading. The band was chosen as runner-up for the Outstanding Junior High Band award. Seventh grade students participating were

(l-r, back row) Rodolfo Cervantes, Adam Cummings, Jeremy Rodriguez, Jeff Archer, Wesley Hunter, Eric Bartlett, Jeff Kleypas; (l-r, front row) Stacy Bigham, Callie Wilson, Erin Schaeffer, Ashlee Breckenridge, and Kimberlee Widener. Staff Photo



TRACK AND FIELD DAY--Lockney Elementary youngsters enjoyed two days of track and field events last week. Children competed in a variety of events including: sack races, shoe kicks, obstacle courses, three-legged races, hoola hoop, jump roping, and a variety of relay races and distance runs. Staff Photo

All band parents invited to booster meeting on Tuesday

John Zalman, Lockney Band Director, has announced a meeting of the Lockney Band Boosters for Tuesday, May 25, at the high school band hall. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. and he asks that all parents please attend.

Lockney School Menu

May 24-26

- Monday:**
Breakfast - Peanut butter, graham cracker, fruit, milk
Lunch - Sloppy Joe on bun, vegetable, fruit, milk
- Tuesday:**
Breakfast - Bread, cheese, fruit, milk
Lunch - Ham sandwich, vegetable, fruit, milk
- Wednesday:**
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Lunch - Cheese sandwich, vegetable, fruit, milk

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STUDENT DOING PRACTICE WORK--David Martinez of Lockney, a student at Southwestern Oklahoma State University in Weatherford, Oklahoma, will be doing his pharmacy practice courses during the fall 1993 semester. The course includes a series of four experimental rotations in selected pharmacy sites across the state of Oklahoma. Students will be working at hospital and community pharmacies, clinical sites and at selected sites which will allow the students to work in such settings as nuclear pharmacy, home health care and consulting pharmacy.

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SPORTS AWARD WINNERS — FHS sports participants receiving awards at the All-Sports Picnic included: (front row, left to right) Gabino Suarez, Tara Vickers, Tian Younger, Elisa Suarez, Holly Henderson; (back row) Todd Cage, Tate Glasscock, Rance Golightly, Micheal

Gilliland, Spring Lipham, Jammie Davis, Amber Poole, Scott Crader and Michael Henderson. Not present for the photo were Maria Oviedo, Dana McCandless, Eric Luna, Geert Smeekens, David McCarty and Jason Pyle — Staff Photo

Floydada athletes honored at All-Sports Picnic

Floydada High School athletes were recognized for their achievements during the annual All-Sports Picnic on Monday, May 17.

Gabino Suarez was honored as the Outstanding Defensive Player in basketball and cross-country track. Tara Vickers received the Fighting Whirlwind Award for Golf and Tian Younger was the Fighting Whirlwind in track and basketball. Elisa Suarez was named Fighting Whirlwind in track and cross-country as well as being honored as the outstanding basketball defensive player. Holly Henderson was named the outstanding offensive player.

Others receiving the Fighting Whirlwind included Todd Cage in Football, Tate Glasscock in golf, Rance Golightly in tennis and Micheal Gilliland in baseball. Gilliland also received the award for outstanding offensive lineman in football and the football academic award. Fighting Whirlwind awards also went to Spring Lipham, Amber Poole and Jammie Davis in tennis.

Davis was also named outstanding offensive back for football. Scott Crader was chosen for the Fighting Whirlwind award in track and received recognition as the outstanding defen-

sive lineman in football. Michael Henderson received a Fighting Whirlwind award in track and was named outstanding offensive back in football.

Maria Oviedo took home the "Spirit of the Winds" award for girls track. Dana McCandless was also recognized for her achievements in girls track.

Eric Luna was named the most improved baseball player and Geert Smeekens was designated most improved in tennis. Basketballs most improved player was David McCarty and Jason Pyle was most improved in football. Pyle also received the Fighting Whirlwind award in track and an outstanding defensive back in football.

Floydada Baseball Report

By Bill Gray
DIMMITT 7, FLOYDADA 6

The Dimmitt Bobcats overcame a 6-5 Floydada lead by scoring twice in the bottom of the seventh inning to edge the Whirlwinds 7-6 at Dimmitt on May 11. Floydada outhit the Bobcats 9-7, but once again had trouble holding on to a lead in the late innings.

Dimmitt's leadoff man singled to start the game-winning rally in the seventh. The second man up drew a base-on-balls. The Whirlwinds committed a critical error on a possible double-play ball, allowing the tying run to score. An intentional walk loaded the bases for the Bobcats, and they capitalized on the opportunity as the following man up rapped a single for the game winner.

"We had every chance in the world to win the game, but didn't do it," commented a disappointed Jimmy Webster.

"Mike Ochoa kept us in the game with his pitching, but our bats were too silent to get anything going. Mike Mercado slapped two big doubles, and David McCarty went 2-for-3 and drove in two runs," said the coach.

Ochoa and Josh Thayer added two singles each, but the "Winds couldn't get the base runners around to the plate when the game was on the line.

Coach Webster added, "Losing this many close ones is disheartening and frustrating."

	R	H	E
Floydada	200	111	1693
Dimmitt	400	010	2776

	AB	R	H	RBI
SS Cummings	4	2	0	0
2B E. Luna	3	0	0	0
PH Henderson	1	0	1	0
RF Mercado	4	2	2	1
C B. Gilliland	4	0	0	0
SS-P Vela	3	0	0	0
P-3B Ochoa	4	2	2	0
LF B. Luna	4	0	0	0
CF McCarty	3	0	2	2
RF Thayer	2	0	2	0
Totals	32	6	9	3

Errors - Mercado, Ochoa, E. Luna
2B: Mercado 2
Stolen Bases: Ochoa 2 (13), Cummings (9), Henderson (3), McCarty (15), Thayer (2)
Pitching: IP AB K BB H R ER
Ochoa L (5-10) 6 25 3 5 6 7 4
Vela 0 1 0 0 1 0 0

LITTLEFIELD 2, FLOYDADA 1
Coach Jimmy Webster said it best when he stated, "I think this game really exemplified our season. We came close, but couldn't push ourselves over the

top." Those comments came following a 2-1 Floydada loss to Littlefield at Watson Park on May 15 to close the 1993 baseball season.

The Whirlwinds lost the final three District 2-3A games by a total of five runs. In spite of the loss, it was one of the best games played at Watson Field since baseball was re-introduced last year.

Littlefield broke a scoreless tie with a run in the top of the third. The "Winds tied the game at 1-all with a run in the bottom of the fourth. The Wildcats scored the only run they would need to secure the victory in the top half of the fifth inning. Floydada managed only three base hits off tough Littlefield pitching.

Whirlwind starter Rod Vela pitched a tremendous game in the losing cause, as he struck out 11, walked none and gave up seven base hits.

Coach Webster stated, "There aren't enough words to describe Rod's pitching performance. He had a real gutsy game."

The 11 strikeouts, along with no walks, was the best outing by a Floydada pitcher this year. The Whirlwinds also had one of their better games defensively as they committed only one error.

Coach Webster summed up by saying, "It's been a frustrating year, and I feel badly for the seniors - Josh Thayer, David McCarty, Micheal Gilliland and Michael Henderson. They are great kids and hard workers with great attitudes. I wish we could have done better for them."

	R	H	E
Floydada	001	010	0273
Littlefield	000	100	0131

	AB	R	H	RBI
SS Cummings	4	0	1	0
2B E. Luna	4	0	0	0
DH Mercado	3	1	0	0
1B Abshier	0	0	0	0
C B. Gilliland	2	0	0	0
P Vela	3	0	0	0
3B Ochoa	2	0	0	1
LF B. Luna	1	0	0	0
RF Thayer	3	0	0	0
CF McCarty	3	0	2	0
Totals	25	1	3	1

Errors - Ochoa
Stolen Bases: McCarty 3 (18), B. Gilliland (1), B. Luna (3)
Thayer (2)
Pitching: IP AB K BB H R ER
Vela 7 26 7 2 1 0 11

Floydada School Menu

May 24-28

Monday:
Breakfast — Orange juice, cinnamon toast, milk
Lunch — Fish nuggets, green beans, buttered potatoes, oatmeal cookie, hot roll, milk
Tuesday:
Breakfast — Grape juice, toast, jelly, milk
Lunch — Hamburger pizza, corn, applesauce, milk
Wednesday:
Breakfast — Apple juice, bacon,

scrambled eggs, toast, milk
Lunch — Beef tacos, tossed salad, pinto beans, cornbread, pears, milk
Thursday:
Breakfast — Pineapple juice, pancakes, syrup, milk
Lunch — Corn dogs, pickle spears, pork and beans, banana, milk
Friday:
Breakfast — Orange juice, dry cereal, graham crackers, milk
Lunch — Bologna cheese sandwich, tossed salad, fruit salad, ice cream, milk



GREAT AMERICAN CHALLENGE — R. C. Andrews students involved in the Great American Challenge, a history knowledge competition, included: (back row, left to right) Erika Miller, Kylan Sanders, Tiffany Henderson, Heather Carr, Cynthia Chavez, April Lopez, Jessica Cisneros, Nichole Hartline, Lindsey Reddy; (middle row)

Shannan Smith, Tara Gilly, Cindy Suarez, Dustin Jones, Shane Lloyd, Jeff Lyles, Scot Holster; (front row) Rene Mendoza, Tiffany Trujillo, Jody Bueno, Maria Rangel, Randi Duke, Veronica Galvan and Josh Tipton. Not present for the photo were Laci Martinez, Analisa Enriquez and Ty Hendrix. — Staff Photo

5th graders accomplish "Great American Challenge"

The fifth grade Social Studies classes at R.C. Andrews Elementary School have recently completed a challenge from their teacher, Dana Crossland.

Each student was given a list of activities that dealt with the United States to complete on their own time.

"This work was above and beyond the regular class work. It involved a lot of work from the kids and their families," stated Mrs. Crossland. "These students are truly outstanding and are great Americans."

In completing the challenge, the students had to learn 11 items. These included 1. reciting the Pledge of Allegiance; 2. singing the National Anthem; 3. memorizing the Preamble to the

Declaration of Independence; 4. completing a 38 question trivia on the U.S.; 5. knowing the states in alphabetical order; 6. knowing all the states and their capitals; 7. presenting a two page report on any U.S. president; 8. naming the five Great Lakes; 9. knowing the location of all the states by filling in a blank map; 10. completing a U.S. landmark puzzle; and 11. naming the 13 original colonies. Students completing the challenge

included Laci Martinez, Jessica Cisneros, Jody Bueno, Analisa Enriquez, Tara Gilly, Scot Holster, Josh Tipton, Shannan Smith, Kylan Sanders, Erika Miller, Veronica Galvan, Cynthia Chavez, Lindsey Reddy, Ty Hendrix, Jeff Lyles, Nichole Hartline, Tiffany Henderson, Heather Carr, Dustin Jones, Shane Lloyd, Maria Rangel, Veronica Galvan, Rene Mendoza, Randi Duke, Tiffany Trujillo and April Lopez.

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

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

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

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

More information
You can get more information by contacting your appraisal district at Courthouse Room 107, Floydada, Texas, 79235. You can also get a pamphlet describing how to prepare a protest from the appraisal district or from the State Comptroller's Property Tax Division at 4301 Westbank Drive, Building B, Suite 100, Austin, Texas 78745-6565.

Deadline for Filing Protests with the ARB*

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

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

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

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

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

Trail Day celebrates opening of Caprock Canyons trail

National Trail Day, June 5, 1993, will be celebrated in Quitaque, with the opening of the unique Caprock Canyons Trail. Hikers, bicyclists, history buffs, outdoor enthusiasts, and folks just looking for good, family fun will not want to miss this event. This rural west Texas town will be decked out in its "company's comin'" finest for the full day of activities.

Horse drawn wagons and other open air trailers will transport visitors from their parking area to Main Street. A stroll down the street opens participants to a world of rustic charm. People visiting along the street, shops ready for Saturday, Quitaque's Sidewalk Museum displays, rockin' chair story tellers, old fashioned hay ride, antique car show—all just begin a long list of enjoyable activities that will be happening throughout the day. The community will be serving a barbecue lunch from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. There will be a western dance that evening at 8:00 p.m. Other entertainment will be going on throughout the day and the Caprock Jamboree music show will be taking place in

nearby Silverton at 7:00 p.m. Visiting dignitaries from State Government and Texas Parks and Wildlife will be present for the ribbon cutting and opening of the new trail system. An inaugural tour will take place and visitors will be able to experience the interpretive tour or be among the first to ride or hike up the trail from Quitaque, across the valley, through the historic F Ranch, past the Valley of Tears, near the site of Camp Resolution, up Quitaque Canyon, through the old railroad tunnel, and on up the Caprock escarpment to the Circle Dot Ranch.

The historical setting, breathtaking view, and the clean outdoors combine in a special magic to offer visitors a unique Caprock Adventure.

Planned events begin about 10:00 a.m. The ribbon cutting for the Trail is expected to happen about noon. Everyone is invited to spend the day in Quitaque.

Questions may be directed to the Quitaque Chamber of Commerce at 806-455-1456 or after 5:00 p.m. to 806-455-1179.

Whirlwind Sams enjoy campout

By Betty Gilbreath

Whirlwind Sams traveled to Roaring Springs Ranch for our May campout. On Friday morning, the Norrell's, trail boss, Thaxton's and Gilbreath's left Floydada at 9:00 a.m., we joined the rest of the group that had left on Thursday afternoon. These included Weathersbee's, Adams', Feuerbacher's, Parker's, Russell's, and Willis'. Later Friday afternoon the Reecers, Livingston's and Patzer's joined us.

Friday evening we all toured Thacker Jewelry, this was very interesting. We returned to the park and enjoyed games of Rummikub, jokes and started a jigsaw puzzle. At 6:00 p.m. we all met at the L&L Cafe for a chicken and beef fajita supper, this was enjoyed by all.

Saturday morning we all went back into town to the cafe for coffee and visitation. Everyone in this little town is so friendly, which makes you feel so

welcome. Saturday evening we played games or rested until about 5:15 and then we all went to Dickens to eat barbecue, it sure was good.

The Cates', West's, Hartsell's, Kendrick's and Mayo's joined us. Also we had one guest, the Kendrick's grandson Ben Stewart that attended Tech this year. After returning to the park we had a bonfire and enjoyed relaxing and fellowship.

Sunday morning we had coffee and sweet breads prepared by the Harold Norrell's, then our devotional time. Harold Reese led the opening prayer. Frances Weathersbee had our devotional "Devil's Bockade."

J.W. Gilbreath led the singing, after singing Happy Trails, we all departed for home. Thanks again to Harold and Charlene for a well planned weekend, those that were unable to attend missed a good time.

Harmony Extension Club hears program on Texas ghost towns

By Doris Snodgrass

The Harmony Extension Club met at the Harmony Community Center club room at 2 p.m. Monday, May 10.

Karen Miller, vice president, called the meeting to order in the absence of the President Vivian Curtis. Juanita Poole gave an informative Thought for The Day.

Ruth Scott called the roll that was answered by the "Most Recent Ghost Town That I Have Visited." Ruth also read the minutes of the last meeting.

Club officers were elected for the year 1994. These will be: President, Karen Miller; Vice-President, Vivian Curtis; Secretary, Arvie Schulz; Council Dele-

gate, Blanche Williams; and Reporter, Juanita Poole.

Motion was made and seconded that our club support Homebuilder nominee for vice TEHA chairman.

June 5th is Dedication Ceremony Day for Caprock Canyon State Park Trailways in Quitaque. Karen Miller gave an interesting program on Ghost Towns in Texas. Some were Estacado, Old Emma, Belle Plains - near Baird, Texas, and others.

Refreshments were served to the following: Arvie Schulz, Ruth Scott, Anna Maude Hopper, Maye Williams, Karen Miller and three girls, Doris Snodgrass, and the hostess Juanita Poole.

Public Notice


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SWBT estimates these new services will increase its annual revenues during the first year by approximately \$2.4 million. VMS providers and Telephone Answering Services and their subscribers are the types of customers likely to be affected by approval of these services.

The proposed recurring monthly rate and nonrecurring installation charge is as follows:

Rate Element	Recurring	Nonrecurring
NSII	\$6,000.00	\$2,000.00

Persons who wish to comment on this application should notify the Commission by June 10, 1993. Requests for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757, or you may call the Public Utility Commission Public Information Office at 512-458-0256, or 512-458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

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 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Bible Study 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Evening ... 7:00 p.m.

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 Service Every Sunday:
 Morning Worship ... 9:00 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
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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 Hollaway
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Afternoon Worship ... 2:00 p.m.
 Training Union 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Wednesday:
 Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

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.
 Michael Holster, Music/Ed.
 Todd Keller, Youth
 Sunday:
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m.
 Interest Studies ... 5:30 p.m.
 Discipleship Training... 6 p.m.
 Youth Choir 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship ... 7:00 p.m.
 Wednesday:
 Children's Choirs ... 4:00 p.m.
 Evening Meal 6:00 p.m.
 R.A.'s & G.A.'s 6:30 p.m.
 Preschool Choir 6:45 p.m.
 Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
 Youth Bible Study ... 7:00 p.m.
 Adult Choir 7:45 p.m.

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.

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 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.

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 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
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 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
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 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
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 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.
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 Christian Training ... 5:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday:
 Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

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 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Service ... 7:30 p.m.

TRINITY CHURCH
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 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.

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

VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH
 Bible Study 10:00 a.m.

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 West College & Third, Lockney
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 Morning Worship ... 10:30 a.m.
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 Wednesday Service... 8:00 p.m.

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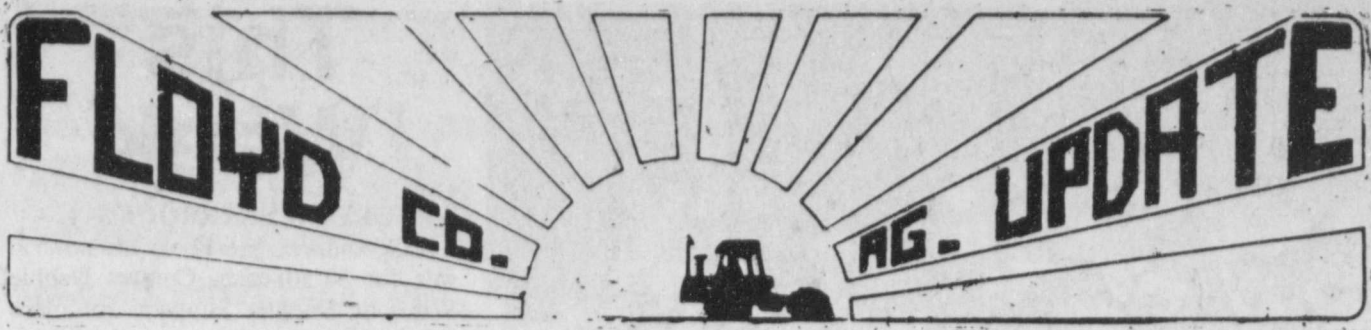
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Corrected schedule released May 11

PCG announces schedule revision

By Shawn Wade

Announcement of the 1993-crop Upland Cotton Premium and Discount schedule by USDA May 5 was slightly premature according to Lubbock based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG).

Following the initial release of the loan schedule several mistakes were recognized by PCG and other industry officials. After calling these problems to the attention of USDA it was discovered that the wrong schedule had been released on May 5. USDA officials say that growers need to be careful and check to make sure they are using the

correct schedule that was released May 11.

"In order to make sure the correct premium and discount information is used, PCG is in the final stages of putting together a schedule of minimum loan rates for the various qualities of cotton says Donald Johnson, PCG Executive Vice-President. "We are putting this together so that everyone will have the correct information to go by."

Problems that make the initial premium and discount schedule inaccurate were isolated in color grades 52 and 62. It seems a few of the grade 52's in leaf

grades 1-2 and all the leaf grade 3's were valued more than their grade 51 counterparts. Color grade 62's were also valued higher than grade 61's in all leaf grades except 5 and 6 which were correct.

"If the loan values you are using have the grade 62's worth more than the grade 61's then you are using the wrong loan schedule," says Johnson. "If this is the case please throw away the schedule you are using and get a copy of the corrected premium and discount schedule."

PCG encourages everyone to take a few minutes and determine if they have the correct premium and discount schedule.

SCOUT TRAINING WORKSHOP

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service has announced the date of the 1993 High Plains Scout Training Workshop. The annual workshop will be held at the Ollie Linder Center in Plainview on June 1.

According to the Lubbock based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG) the workshop has been accredited by the Texas Department of Agriculture for up to five Continuing Education Credits (CEU's) for commercial, non-commercial and private pesticide applicators. There is no charge for the workshop and the public is welcome to attend.

Field plot demonstration information implemented

According to Kerry Siders, Floyd County CEA-Ag. field plots demonstrating cotton varieties at the Warren Mitchell farm in Lockney and Jeff Payne farm on the county line south of Floydada, and cotton seedling disease study at the James Hinton farm in Dougherty have been implemented.

Demonstrations have also been implemented to look at pre-emergence herbicide control of problem weeds in cotton. These studies include a Caparol and Zorial herbicide trial at the Mark Whittle farm, Floydada, and a command herbicide trial with Thimet insecticide at the Mitchell farm



AGENTS HONORED--County Extension Agents of the South Plains District, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, hold plaques they received for compiling the best demonstration handbooks in their district. The handbooks, which present results of on-farm educational demonstrations and other information, are used by producers to improve farming and ranching practices. (l-r) Monty Dozier, Lamb County; Kerry Siders, Floyd County

agent, formerly Castro-Lamb agent-entomology; Rick Smathers, Crosby; Mark Brown, Lubbock County, formerly Crosby-Floyd agent-entomology; and Jett Major, Hockley County. The awards were provided by Plains Cotton Growers, Texas Corn Growers, Texas Grain Sorghum Producers, High Plains Research Foundation and West Texas Agricultural Chemical Institute.

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Robertson re-elected to Texas State Soil and Water Board

Paul E. Robertson of Hale Center was re-elected May 4 to serve a two-year term on the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board.

Robertson represents State District One which consists of 51 counties in the Panhandle and South Plains region of the state and encompasses 49 soil and water conservation districts.

The Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board's chief responsibility is to coordinate the programs of Texas' 212 soil and water conservation districts. Unlike many state agencies and commissions whose policy making bodies are gubernatorial appointees, the elected by soil and water conservation

districts.

A long time soil and water conservationist, Robertson presently serves on the Board of Directors of the Hale County SWCD. He has been a member of the SWCD board since May 1979.

A cotton, corn, soybean and hybrid seed producer, Robertson is owner and operator of Mar-Pat Cotton, Inc., in Lamb County. He also founded and operates the Paul E. Robertson Insurance Agency which provides agricultural crop insurance to area farmers.

In other agricultural areas, Robertson is a past member of the Board of Directors of the Texas Cotton Ginners Association. He served in that capacity 10 years. He holds membership in the Plains Cotton Growers Association. He also served six years on the Board of Directors of the Texas Independent Cotton Ginners Association.

Locally, Robertson is a past president of the Hale County Farm Bureau in which he served in all elected positions of the organization.

A veteran of WWII, Robertson served in the European Theater and in the China-Burma-India Theater. He is a deacon in the First Baptist Church of Cotton Center and has served six years on the Executive Board of the Texas Baptist General Convention.

Seminar to aid in managing waste

From Kerry Siders, CEA-Ag.

On Thursday, June 3, Floyd County residents will have an opportunity to learn more about waste management around the home, office, and farm.

Sponsored by the Floyd County Extension Service, the seminar will be held at the Lighthouse Electric community meeting room in Floydada, at 7:00 p.m.

Solid wastes in the home, office, and lawns will be discussed by County Home Economics Agent Melissa Long, Master Gardeners Virginia Taylor and Carolyn Marble, and Dan Reid of Landscape Specialties Company. Gary Brown, Floydada City Manager, will discuss the local landfill situation. Solid and hazardous waste information for agricultural producers will be discussed by Bill King, Texas Water Commission, and County Agriculture Agent Kerry

Siders. The seminar should conclude at 9:00 p.m. after a question and answer period. All county residents are invited to attend. For more information, call 983-2806.

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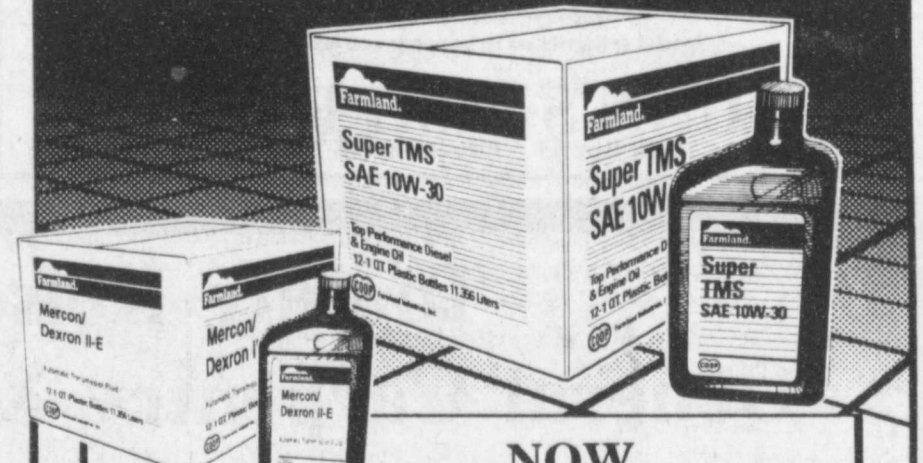
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Financial statement course to be taught

Producers wanting to learn more about developing financial statements to improve their record keeping should sign up now for a course to be taught June 3 at the Texas A&M University Computer Training and Education Center in Halfway. This course will utilize Quicken 6, a low cost, easy-to-use cash record keeping system that continues to be popular among South Plains farmers.

With the decreasing cost of computers and the improvements in low-cost, high quality software, computerized cash record keeping is an option for more and more farmers, said Dr. Jackie Smith, economist and management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Lubbock. With increasing demands for record keeping in agriculture, it becomes even more important to have information at our fingertips, he said.

Participants in the course need to be familiar with Quicken and have used it enough to be comfortable with transaction entry. The course will begin with an overview of financial statements and their purposes and a review of the basics of Quicken. Further review will include using other asset and other liability accounts to handle inventories, growing crops, depreciation and family living

withdrawals. The afternoon will be spent using Quicken to develop the cash flow balance sheet and income statement.

The course will run from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The cost for the session will be \$50, which includes workshop materials and a catered lunch. Couples are encouraged to attend, and will be charged only one registration fee if they share a computer. Registration is limited to 14 to ensure hands-on participation. The deadline for registration is May 27.

For more information contact your

local county extension agent or telephone Dr. Jackie Smith at the Texas A&M Research and Extension Center in Lubbock, (806) 746-6101.



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Obituaries

WANDA FRY

Services for Wanda F. "Tooter" Fry, 66, of Lubbock were at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, May 18, 1993, in Resthaven Funeral Home Chapel.

Graveside services were at 1 p.m. that afternoon, in Muleshoe Cemetery under direction of Resthaven Funeral Home of Lubbock.

She died at 11:30 a.m. Saturday in the Lutheran Home of West Texas after an illness.

She was born in Muleshoe and graduated from Muleshoe High School. She attended Draughan's Business College and moved to Washington, D.C., during World War II to work for the Pentagon. She owned two business in Floydada and Plainview and retired as collection manager for Citibank and Citicorp of New York City. She moved to Lubbock in 1968.

Survivors include a half brother, Jim Cox of Muleshoe.

WALTON HALE

Services for Walton Hale, 92, of Floydada were at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 15, in City Park Church of Christ with Vurel Vick, minister of Church of Christ-San Antonio and Gene McCarty, minister of City Park Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was in Floyd County Memorial Park by Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

Mr. Hale died at 7 a.m. Wednesday, May 12, 1993, in Floydada Nursing Home following a lengthy illness.

He was born Aug. 9, 1900 in Huckaby, Texas. He married Mary Louise Vick on Feb. 3, 1924 in Fort Worth. She died on Aug. 20, 1989.

He moved to Floydada from Lubbock in 1929, and opened up the first J.C. Penney store. He left J.C. Penney's in 1945 and opened Hale's Department Store. The original location of Hale's was on the west side of the square, in the area of today's First National Bank's drive-in window. He moved his store in 1951 to its present location on East California Street.

In 1991, Mr. Hale was selected as Pioneer Man of the Year by the Old Settler's Association. He was a former city councilman and hospital board director. He was also a member of the Rotary Club, Paul Harris Fellow and City Park Church of Christ.

Survivors include one daughter, Floy Jean Adkisson of Kerrville; one son, Bill Hale of Floydada; a sister, Emma

Jean Vickers of Lake City, Colo.; two brothers, J.E. Hale of Grandberry and W.C. Hale of Johnson City; six grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Pallbearers were Jim Word, Sam Baker, Richard Hale, Steve Hale, Mike Hale and Paul Haines.

JOSE TAMBUNGA SR.

Funeral mass for Jose Tambunga Sr. of Lockney was celebrated at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 15, in San Jose Catholic Church with Msgr. Tim Schwertner, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Lockney Cemetery by Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

Rosary was recited at 7 p.m. Friday, May 14, in Moore-Rose-White Chapel.

Mr. Tambunga died Thursday morning, May 13, 1993, in Hi-Plains Nursing Home in Hale Center after a lengthy illness.

He was born Sept. 30, 1922 in Hondo. He moved to Floyd County in 1971 from Motley County and worked as a farm laborer. He was a member of San Jose Catholic Church.

He married Maria Herrera on March 9, 1953 in Mexico.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Josie Tambunga of Plainview and Juanita Gutierrez and Yolanda Tambunga, both of Lubbock; three sons, Joe Jr., Jesse and Jake, all of Lockney; three sisters, Manuela Vara of Del Rio, Isidra Rodriguez of Greeley, Colo., and Lupe Yanez of California; two brothers, Sotero of Greeley and Jesse of Cone; and two grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Andy Rodriguez Sr., Andy Rodriguez III, Ruben Rodriguez, Stevan Rodriguez, Miguel Padilla, Johnny Tambunga and Joe Tambunga.

The family suggests memorials be made to Hospice of the Plains in Plainview.

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DUNCAN STARS—Selected as Duncan Stars this week were (front row, l-r) Ashley Fonseca, Ricky Garcia, Domanik Gutierrez, Rudy Luna, Shannon Bolton, Gabino Ramos, Buddy Perry, Alejandro Ascencio, Tomas L. Hernandez, Meagan Eubanks, Mayra Ascencio, Jackie Rendon, Silver Ruiz, Lolly Garza, Nikki Carver, Jason Sanchez, Lionel Williams, Kristin Lackey; (2nd row) Kia Baker, Wendy Assiter, Joanna Garcia, Shawnda Davis, Valerie Almaguer, Yvette Rubio, James Carver, Russell Casillas, Cody Ware, Travis Burge, Katya Vega, Gregory Vasquez, Luke Miller, Joey Martinez, David Hoang, Amanda Ortiz, Jay McGaugh, Clari Castillo; (3rd row) Rachel Miller, Anna Valadez, Melissa Charles, Joanna Riojas, Jeremy Lloyd, Skyler Cornelius, Daniel Garcia, Andrea Martinez, Junet Rodriguez, Jenifer Dudley, Adrian Martinez, Jason Aleman, Scotty Gilbert, Tiffany

Davis, David Rodriguez, Janna Szyldski, Eric Garza, Roxanne Rodriguez; (4th row) Adriana Gonzales, Kristie Reyes, Ruddy Casteneda, Kayla Stovall, Mari Mendoza, Chase Tipton, Yolanda Burleson, Eric Enriquez, Michael Eubanks, Martin Garcia, Jessie Lee Guzman, Ashley Martinez, Scott Nixon, Librado Palacios, Edward Porter, Abelina Vasquez, Erika Hamm, Chris Assiter, Bambi Cochran, Christopher Hartline, Aaron Hernandez, Crysta Ledbetter, Stella Suarez, Lupe Delgado, Victor Lopez, Melody Eubanks, Abraham Yannis, Ricardo Sanchez, Chad Hinkle, Crystal Balboa, Christy Acy, T. J. Fuller, Chris Herrera, Nick Hadderton, Justin Reeves, Paul Segura; (5th row) Manuel De La Fuente, Christina Nichols, Brenda Saucedo, Jose Ramos and Benny Terrell. Also named but not present for the photo were Jermaine Rando, Coy Lisbon and Josh Galvan. — Staff Photo

Property owners informed of '93 values

Texas property owners have the right to be informed of changes in their property's value by local appraisal districts on May 11, 1993 Floyd County Appraisal District mailed 3000 property owners their notices showing the 1993 proposed value.

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

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

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

What should a property owner look for on the notice? "Take special note of the proposed value for 1993," Faulkenberry said. "The notice shows the land's value and any improvement value for the property for the current year." An improvement is a building, structure, fence or any other type of fixture to the land.

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

Notices to property owners whose values went up or increased more than \$500 will also include "estimated" taxes. These "estimated" taxes are based on the new value and estimated tax rates if the taxing unit set tax rates for the same amount of operating dollars as last year. Generally, taxing units set final 1993 tax rates in August and September.

Faulkenberry asks that a property owner look carefully at the legal description and mailing address to be sure that there are no errors. "If the notice contains an old address, please let the appraisal district know. Mail is only forwarded to a new address for a short

time, and tax bills do not go out until October," Faulkenberry added.

A property owner can be liable for additional penalties and interest on a tax bill not paid timely. A property owner is responsible for keeping the appraisal district informed of the correct mailing address.

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

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

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

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

Faulkenberry said that protest hearings will be held for one day and that the ARB expects to approve the final appraisal roll on June 28, 1993. State law requires the ARB to review and approve the appraisal records by July 20, or when not more than 5 percent of the total property value in the district remains under protest.

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

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

This Week

ANDREWS YEARBOOKS
R.C. Andrews yearbooks are now on sale for \$7.50 each. Contact Debbie Wiles or Daphna Simpson for more information.

J&K INSURANCE RIBBON CUTTING
The Ladies Chamber of Commerce will be sponsoring a Ribbon Cutting at J&K Insurance at 4:30 p.m. Thursday, May 20. Everyone is welcome.

FLOYDADA BAND BOOSTERS
Floydada Band Boosters meeting will be at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 25, in the high school band hall.

DIABETES CLASSES
Diabetes classes will be at 7 p.m. Thursday, May 27, in the lobby area of W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital. The classes, held the fourth Thursday of each month, are free. For more information, contact Helen Teeple RN at 983-3801.

WHIRLERS
Whirlers Square Dance Club will be dancing at the Massie Activity Center on Saturday, May 22, at 8:00 p.m. Sid Perkins will be the caller. This is what is usually called the "Old Settlers" dance; however, this time it will not be on Old Settlers Day. Everyone is welcome to visit.

OLD SETTLERS AUCTION
Floyd County Pioneer Association will be having their auction on Old Settlers Day under the pavilion, south of the courthouse. Anyone in Lockney wishing to donate items may contact Molly Huffman, 652-3570, or call Connie Johnson, 983-3603, in Floydada.

WEATHER
Courtesy of Energas

DATE	HIGH	LOW
May 12	72	51
May 13	81	52
May 14	92	57
May 15	92	58
May 16	83	62
May 17	89	62
May 18	68	60

Cards Of Thanks

I would like to say Thank You to Kay Rainwater and Mike and Stacey Reeves for working Saturday evening at the Volunteer Parent Concession Stand.

Kenny Griggs, Concession Stand Coordinator
5-20p

Our Dear Friends, Floydada and Lockney - Thanks for your cards, calls, prayers, encouragement and a special thanks to Bro. Farnsworth during our recent hospital stay.

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Plainview
5-20c

In Memory of Jose Tambunga Sr.
Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair. Perhaps you sent a funeral spray, if so, we saw it there. Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say. Perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us that day. Whatever you did to console our hearts, we thank you so much.

Thanks to Dr. Hugh Wilson, Hi-Plains Nursing Home and a very special thanks to all the wonderful people at Hospice of the Plains in Plainview. May God bless each and every one of you.

From the Tambunga family.



AWARD PRESENTED — Gary Platt, sales manager for Floydada Ford Mercury, recently received an ESP Outstanding Achievement Award for contributing to the success of the 1992 extended service plan program and furthering consumer loyalty and satisfaction. — Staff Photo

LEGAL NOTICE

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND PARTIES

You are hereby notified that Providence Farm Supply, Incorporated has applied for Texas Air Control Board (TACB) Permit No. 22513. This permit, if approved, will authorize the operation of an existing Grain Dryer in Lockney, Floyd County, Texas. The location of the existing facility is located at the intersection of FM 788 and FM 2301 near the City of Lockney. This facility will emit the following air contaminants: particulate matter - grain dust and products of combustion from the burning of natural gas - nitrogen oxides, sulphur dioxides, unburned hydrocarbons and carbon monoxide.

A copy of all materials in the public file is available for inspection and reproduction at TACB Lubbock Regional Office at 4630 50th Street, Suite 600, Lubbock, Texas 79414, telephone (806) 796-3494, and at the TACB Central Office, 12124 Park 35 Circle, Austin, Texas 78753, telephone (512) 908-1000. The facility's compliance file, if any exists, is available for public review in the regional office of the TACB. Inquiries about the permit application should be directed to the TACB Permits Program in Austin or the TACB Lubbock Regional Office.

You may submit written comments concerning the permit application to the TACB Executive Director in Austin. All written comments received within 30 days after the second publication of this notice shall be considered by the Executive Director in determining whether to issue or not issue the permit. All written comments will be made available for public inspection at the TACB Central Office in Austin. This notice is to be published on May 20, 1993 and on May 27, 1993.

Any person who may be affected by emissions of air contaminants from the proposed facility may request the Board to hold an informal public meeting and/or contested case hearing on the permit application pursuant to Section 382.056 (d) of the Texas Health and Safety Code. The Board is not required to hold a contested case hearing if the basis of the request is determined to be unreasonable. All requests for a contested case hearing must be received in writing within the 30-day comment period regardless of whether an informal public meeting has been held or scheduled on this matter.

Before a permit can be issued for this facility, the applicant must demonstrate that all emission sources are in compliance with all TACB Rules and Regulations and all applicable Federal Regulations. This includes the application of "best available control technology" to each new or modified emission source and compliance with all ambient air quality standards.

5-20, 5-27c

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4 FAMILY GARAGE SALE - 402 S. Main. Saturday, 9-7 3 storm doors. 5-20c

GARAGE SALE: 905 W. Georgia. Thursday only, 9-5. 5-20c

Garage Sales

CONSOLIDATION SALE: Exercise bike, microwave, country decorating crafts, women's clothes-size 7-8, dishes. Saturday, 7:30 - 4:00. 113 Mae Ave. 5-20c

1002 S. 4TH, FLOYDADA. Wednesday-Saturday, 7 to 7. Dishes, curtains, bedspreads, sheets. 5-20p

YARD SALE - 336 W. Hallie, Saturday, 9:00 - 7 Children to adult clothes, baby items, misc. 5-20p

GARAGE SALE - Saturday only, May 22, 8:00 to 7 Mattress set and lots of household items. 103 W. Ollie. 5-20p

GARAGE SALE: 323 W. Tennessee, Friday, 9-2. 5-20p

ESTATE SALE - 320 W. Jeffie, Saturday, 8:30 - 5:00, Sunday, 8:30 - 1:00. 5-20c

Lockney

BASKET SALE: 119 W. College, Saturday Only, 9-6. 5-20c

BIG GARAGE SALE - 318 W. Bryant, this Friday and Saturday. 5-20p

Other

YARD SALE - Large size ladies and men's clothing, shoes, miscellaneous. Thursday, noon-Saturday noon. Barwise Elevator. 5-20p

UNIFORM PANTS, SHIRTS, COVERS - All sizes. Dishes, toys, childrens clothing. 2619 Hoyle Street, Seth Ward, Plainview, 296-9483. 1 block east, 3 north of Pay-n-Save Grocery on East 24th. 5-20p

Help Wanted

INSECT FIELD SCOUTS needed to work June through early September. College course work in agriculture or biology helpful. Apply at County Extension Office, Courthouse Agri. Bldg. Floydada. 983-2806. Equal Opportunity Employer. 5-20c

TEXAS MIGRANT COUNCIL is now taking applications for cook aide and teacher aide. Apply at Texas Migrant Council, 702 N. 2nd, Floydada, or call 983-5701. 5-20c

ATTENTION STUDENTS - National retail firm filling full/part-time openings throughout Floyd County. \$9.25 to start. Must be 18. Interview in Lubbock. 806-793-0536. 6-10p

OPERATE A FIREWORKS STAND outside Floydada June 24 thru July 4. Make up to \$1,500.00. Must be over 20. Phone 1/210-429-3808 or 1-800-364-0136. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. 6-17p

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CLASSIFIED READERS BEWARE You are urged to use caution in responding to classified ads offering jobs, merchandise or services with unreasonable claims. Extra caution is important when ads require you to send money for information.

For more information and assistance regarding the investigation of get-rich-quick, work-at-home and other financial/business opportunities, The Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon urges readers to contact the Better Business Bureau, 1206 14th St. #901, Lubbock, Tx. 79401, or call 806-763-0459.

REAL ESTATE ADVERTISING

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

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HOUSE FOR SALE - 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central heat/air, fireplace, newly remodeled kitchen, 2450 sq. ft. 983-3268. 120 Mae. Mike Cocanougher. tfc

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HOUSE FOR SALE - Three bedroom, 2 baths, double garage, basement. West Lockney. Call 296-5006. 6-3p

HOUSE FOR SALE - 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, central heat & air, "Redi-Built". 652-2314. 5-27p

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SPECIAL RUNOFF ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION ESPECIAL DECISIVA)
To the Registered Voters of The County of Floyd, Texas:
(A los votantes registrados del condado de Floyd, Texas):

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on June 5, 1993, for voting in a special election to elect a U. S. Senator.
(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el dia 5 de Junio, de 1993 para votar en la Eleccion Especial para elegir senador de los Estados Unidos.)

- LOCATIONS OF POLLING PLACES (DIRECCIONES DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)
- S. W. Floydada #1.....Massie Activity Center
 - Providence #7Lutheran Church
 - Cedar Hill #11Assembly of God Church
 - Goodnight #17Fairmont Baptist Church
 - Dougherty #20Producers Farm Store
 - N. E. Floydada #24Della Plains
 - East Lockney #5City Hall
 - South Plains #9Baptist Church
 - Harmony #16Harmony Community Center
 - West Lockney #18Lockney Methodist Church
 - S. E. Floydada #23County Courtroom, Courthouse

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at the office of the County Clerk of Floyd County in Floydada, Texas between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on the 19th day of May, 1993 and ending on the 1st day of June, 1993.

(La votacion en adelantada en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en el oficio del Secretario del Condado de Floyd, Floydada, Texas entre las 8:30 de la manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el dia 19 de Mayo, 1993 y terminando el dia 1 de Junio, 1993.)

Issued this the 11th day of May, 1993.
(Emitada este dia 11 de Mayo, 1993.)

William D. Hardin
Signature of County Judge
(Firma del Juez del Condado)
5-13, 5-20 & 5-27c

Kerrie Pitts juggles school and rodeo in her active life



(Editor's Note: Research for the following article, by Texas Tech journalism student Ann R. Moore, was made possible by a grant from the Reader's Digest Foundation.)

By Ann R. Moore

Juggling school, rodeo practice and study requires scheduling and a dedicated attitude. Kerrie Pitts, 20, knows how to do all those things.

Pitts has maintained a 3.5 GPA (Grade Point Average) at Howard College, Big Spring, since her first semester in September, 1991. A sophomore at Howard College on a rodeo and agricul-

ture scholarship, Kerrie graduates this spring from the two-year school.

Pitts became interested in rodeos when she was a little girl. Along the way she also developed interest in cross country and basketball, but she concentrates on the rodeo with her limited time.

She is a member of the NIRA (National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association), the HPJRA (High Plains Junior Rodeo Association), TCRA (Texas Cowboys Rodeo Association), and the WTBTAA (West Texas Barrel Racing Association).

She balances riding her two horses,

Sugar and Cousin, in the breakaway, her favorite event, and barrel racing events.

She will transfer to West Texas State University in Canyon, after graduation with a major in elementary special education, with a special interest in speech pathology. She wants to focus on hypotherapy, a form of specialized therapy for children with emotional problems or children who have suffered strokes. The therapy includes horseback riding.

"They get so excited, they just can't help improving," Pitts said. "The ones with emotional problems open up and begin talking; the ones with strokes

better develop their motor skills and balance."

When Pitts has free time, she spends it

with her friends at Sunday cookouts. Kerrie is the daughter of Kenneth and the late Vickie Pitts of Floydada.



BARREL RACING—Kerrie Pitts runs barrel on Cousin, her 10-year old gelding, at the XIT Rodeo in Dalhart, Texas, two years ago. --Courtesy photo

Appraisal Review Board to hear protests

FIRE POSTER WINNER — Chad Guthrie, son of Larry and Rhonda Guthrie, received a first place trophy at the Panhandle Firemen's Convention for his fire poster depicting fire prevention. Guthrie also won a 2nd place trophy in the hose relay competition. His poster will advance to state competition in Waco later this year. — Staff Photo

Tulia-Childress playoff game slated at Watson Field

A bi-district baseball game between the Tulia Hornets and the Childress Bobcats will be played at Watson Field in Floydada on Thursday, May 20, beginning at 5:00 p.m. Admission to the game is free.

Property owners in the Floyd County Appraisal District will have an opportunity "later this month," to protest proposed appraisals of their property for local taxes. The district's appraisal review board (ARB) will begin hearing taxpayer protests on June 28, 1993.

After the ARB concludes its hearings and approves final property appraisals, local governments will use these appraisals to assess property taxes for 1993.

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

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

- *the appraised or agricultural value of the property;

- *unequal appraisal of the taxpayer's property compared to other property in the district;

- *inclusion of the property on the appraisal records;

- *denial of a partial exemption, such as a homestead exemption;

- *denial of agricultural-use, open-space or timber productivity appraisal;
- *determination that agricultural or timber land has had a change of use and is subject to a rollback tax;

- *identification of the taxing unit or units in which the property is located;

- *determination that the taxpayer is the owner of the property;

- *any other action of the appraisal office that adversely affects the property owner.

Shelia Faulkenberry, chief appraiser for the district, outlined the steps by which a property owner files a protest. First, the property owner must file a written notice of protest with the ARB. This must be filed by June 11 or within 30 days after the taxpayer is mailed a notice of appraised value by the chief appraiser, whichever is later.

However, if the ARB sends a property

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

When residents receive their Notice of Appraised Value, the following items should be checked closely:

- *Check current owner name and mailing address.

- *Review the property's legal description for any error.

- *Agree or disagree with the proposed value on the land, building(s).

- *Check if correct exemptions granted; if not, apply with appraisal district.

- *File a written protest with the district by June 1 if disagree with some action.

- *Read other items on notice that are required by law about property taxes.

- *Talk to district about any questions.

Faulkenberry added, "If you did not get a notice and want 1993 information about your property, please call the appraisal district at 806-983-5256. The general deadline for protesting to the ARB is June 11 for this year."

Four Floydada students graduate from Wayland Baptist University

Four Floydada students participated in Wayland Baptist University's 83rd Spring Commencement in Harral Auditorium in Plainview on Saturday, May 15.

Graduates included Mary H. Molinar, daughter of Ms. Defina Gonzales of Plainview, bachelor of arts in multidisciplinary education; Kevin Lee Carter,

son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Carter, bachelor of business administration; Dana Marie Pyle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Benson, bachelor of science in multidisciplinary education; Jo Ann Cavazos, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cavazos, associate of technology and office technology; and Mary Ann C. Reyes, associate of technology and office technology.

NOTICE

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND PARTIES

PROVIDENCE FARM SUPPLY, INCORPORATED has made application with the Texas Air Control Board for Permit No. 22513 to construct a Grain Dryer in Lockney, Floyd County, Texas. The location of the proposed facility is at the intersection of FM 788 and FM 2301 near the City of Lockney. Additional information concerning this application is contained in the public notice section of this newspaper. This notice is to be published on May 20, 1993 and May 27, 1993.

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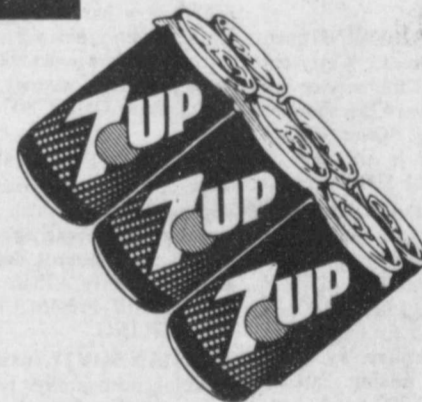
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12 oz. cans



Thursday, Friday & Saturday ONLY!

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