



As just about everybody in Texas knows by now, a Fort Worth jury has returned a verdict of "not guilty" in the case of Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison. The District Attorney, Mr. Ronnie Earle of Austin, declined to pursue the matter when the judge refused to tell him in advance which pieces of evidence he would or would not allow to be introduced during the trial. The judge said he would examine the evidence piece by piece once the trial got underway, and make his ruling accordingly.

Mr. Earle didn't like that and refused to go forth. The judge then instructed the jury to return the not guilty verdict, which obviously was the only course left.

We have mixed emotions about this. While we were happy to see the jury return an innocent verdict, given the tainted history of that entire episode, we would have been much happier to see the trial run its course. Had that happened we would have gotten a glimpse of how the entire upper echelons of state government works. We would have gotten an inside look at the operations of Governor Ann Richards office, as well as that of Land Commissioner Garry Mauro, and Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, and Comptroller John Sharp. We would have gotten to see if Mrs. Hutchison was unique in using an office computer, or an office telephone, to keep in touch with political supporters, or whether the



**PEPPER HINKLE** 

FISD will begin 1994-95

# Hinkle named Miss Floydada

**By Sandy Price** 

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FLOYDADA-Pepper Hinkle, a Floydada High School junior, was crowned Miss Floydada Saturday at the Floydada Chamber of Commerce and the Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce's 1994 Miss Floydada Pageant.

Hinkle was also awarded Best Interview and Glamour Girl during Saturday night's festivities.

There's more to Pepper than a pretty face. She is a member of the National Honor Society, is FHS Student Council Reporter, is Co-Captain of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and is editor of the FHS yearbook. She finds time in

### **Floydada considers** curfew for minors

FLOYDADA-The Floydada City Council will begin the process of adopting a juvenile curfew ordinance. The council will begin the process during the regular council meeting, to be held tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m. The ordinance will be modeled after the curfew ordinance of the City of Dallas.

As written, the curfew hours will be between 11 p.m. and 6 a.m., Sunday through Thursday and 12:01 a.m. to 6 a.m. Friday and Saturday. The curfew will apply to young people under the age of 17.

her busy schedule to participate in sports.

"I play basketball and run track," Pepper said.

Pepper was sponsored by her parents, Bill and Duffy Hinkle.

During her reign as Miss Floydada Pepper will share her royal court with Jr. Miss Floydada, Cienna Carthel; Little Miss Floydada, Brenna Dawdy and Tiny Miss Floydada, Cassidy Ann Continued On Page 3

Gooch.

Cienna Carthel, the 1994 Jr. Miss Floydada, is the 10-year-old daughter of Hulon and Anne Carthel.

Cienna has two pets, Coco the cat and a rabbit named Tabitha. "I want to be a zoo nutritionist when I grow up," Cienna said. "There are so many endangered animals to be saved."

# Single member districts to be in place for May city elections

LOCKNEY — The City of Lockney has received notification that the single member voting district plan submitted to the U.S. Justice Department has been approved for implementation. According to Paul Lyle, the city's legal advisor, this means that the single member voting districts can be used for the first time to conduct the 1994 municipal elections scheduled for May.

City secretary Charlotte Hooten told the council that the scheduled period to announce as a candidate for city offices will begin on February 21. Council members up for election this year include Gary Marr, Terry Jones and J. D. Copeland. Anyone wishing to sign up to run for city council needs to contact Hooten at City Hall for further information.

Council members discussed the possible change of insurance companies now providing worker's comp and liability coverage for the city. It was decided to allow things to stand as they are

The council hopes local agents will

several different policies and agents

from other areas handling the insurance.

Insurance consultant Lloyd Woods will

be asked to develop bid specifications based on recent reviews of city insurance coverages and needs.

Those reviews showed that the community center and the city shop building were not insured under existing policies and action was taken at a called meeting on January 25 to correct this. The council cancelled property insurance policies with Germania Insurance and approved temporary coverage from TPS to fill in until the end of the current fiscal year

... Possible purchase of a new pumping system for the city swimming pool was discussed and tabled pending fur-**Continued On Page 2** 

**Chamber** banquet featuring Cowboys radio announcer

practice is common among statehouse politicians.

We have already seen enough to know, or at least strongly suspect, that Hutchison was something of a piker compared to Richards. Our readers will no doubt remember that within two months of the time the Travis County District Attorney raided Hutchison's office, confiscating thousands of pages of documents, the Governor's office suddenly discovered they were "drowning in paper" and shredded reams of telephone logs that state law says they should have kept and that would have been embarrassing had it been made public. The decision to destroy the documents came as reporters, and others, demanded access to the records.

When they got caught, the first reaction was to lie. Mr. Bill Cryer, the Governor's "spokesman" explained they were only doing what the previous Governor, Bill Clements, did on a routine basis. When challenged by Clements, Ms. Richards' office acknowledged their lie. They "discovered" that far from destroying records, Clements had maintained his records, as the law required. But would they then apologize to Clements? No, they would not. They had not accused Clements of doing anything criminal, they said.

All they had done was engage in falsehood. No apology was necessary, as they saw things.

And the District Attorney who was so quick to raid the office of the recently elected Senator (he couldn't even wait to obtain a search warrant) is still trying to make up his mind about what he is going to do about the Governor's admitted destruction of public records. He is also still trying, we presume, to make up his mind about what to do about Mr. Gary Bledsoe, the former Assistant Attorney General who was bounced from his job for allegedly doing political and personal work while on the state's payroll and on the state's time.

It is this apparent double standard that upsets so many people. It is what breeds cynicism toward government on the part of the people. Citizens are not so dumb that they can't recognize the blatant use of government resources for partisan ends. People recognize that tactic, and generally accept it when it involves pure politics, even if they don't like it. (The funneling of vast sums of public money into specific voting groups for instance). But when it comes to enforcing the law it's another thing entirely. Citizens, we believe, feel they have the right to see that their laws are enforced equally and fairly across the board.

In this particular case we believe a certain amount of poetic justice was arrived at. An exercise that was designed to weaken, if not destroy, the

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# school year on August 16

FLOYDADA — Floydada Independent School District Board of Trustees voted unanimously to begin the '94-'95 school year with a teacher workday on Tuesday, August 16. The action came during the February 14 regular session on a motion by Billy Joe Villarreal with a second by Mitch Probasco. There was an audience of more than 30 people in attendance to see the proceedings.

The workday will be followed by

### Call 9-1-1 for EMS

Floydada EMS is dropping their seven digit phone number. For emergencies call 9-1-1.

If you ever encounter problems with the 9-1-1 line call the Floyd County Sheriff's Office at 983- . 3232.

three staff development days for personnel. Students will begin classes on Monday, August 22, 1994. The first school holiday will be Labor Day, September 5, followed by Thanksgiving Vacation, November 23, 24 & 25. The end of the first semester and the third six weeks will coincide with the Christmas Holiday. Classes will dismiss at 2:00 p.m. December 21. A Teacher Workday on January 2 will begin the second semester and classes will resume on Tuesday, January 3. Spring Break will be March 13-17.

Other staff development days will be February 27-28 and April 17. Bad weather days are set for Monday, January 30 and Saturday, April 22. The final day of school will be Friday, May 19 and graduation will be that evening. Teachers will have a workday May 20.

Board members adopted a policy for ranking graduates, graduation and **Continued On Page 6** 

The council recognizes that there will for now but develop bid specifications for all city insurance needs and possibly be times, events and/or circumstances take bids in time to have new coverage when young people need to be out durin place at the start of the next fiscal year. ing the restricted hours and these exceptions will be written into the ordinance. bid on an overall package of coverage to Anyone interested in addressing the meet the city needs rather than having

council on this subject is encouraged to attend the council meeting. A date and time for a public hearing will be established during this meeting.

# Early voting underway for March 8 primary elections

Early voting for the March 8 Primary Elections began on Wednesday, February 16. The early voting period will run through Friday, March 4. Anyone wishing to cast an early vote in either the Republican or Democratic Primary Election may do so in the office of the Floyd County Clerk, Room 101 in the Floyd County Courthouse.

County Clerk Margaret Collier requests that voters bring their voter registration card with them when they come to vote. This will make it easier to determine the proper voting precinct in which your vote should be cast. The office is open Monday through Friday from 8:30 A.M. until 5:00 P.M. The office is closed on Saturday, Sunday and legal holidays.

# **Thompson Pharmacy changing ownership**

late Jerry Thompson, Denice Payne, has purchased Thompson Pharmacy. The sale was finalized February 1 and the Payne family will be moving from Plainview, to Floydada, within two weeks.

Denice is already a familiar sight in the pharmacy, having worked on a part time basis with Jerry Thompson for 12 vears.

She graduated from Floydada High School in 1972 after moving to Floydada with her parents in 1961. "My mom, Jackie Chadwick, and my dad, Kelly Chadwick, both went to work for the school system when we moved here," said Denice. "My dad was the coach and my mom was a teacher. My mom is still teaching school here."

After graduation Denice attended Pharmacy School at Southwest Oklahoma State University (SWOSU), where she graduated in 1976. She has worked at various pharmacies in Lubbock and Plainview besides her part time work for Jerry.

Her husband, Stan, has owned and operated Stan's Barber Shop in Plainview for 20 years. He will continue his business there.

A Lockney native, Stan graduated from Lockney High School in 1964. He and his wife, Denise have lived in Plainview for 16 years. They have two children, Justin, an eighth grader at Lockney R.C. Andrews.

A long time friend and associate of the the pharmacy to "Payne Family Pharmacy," but she was sure to emphasize that the name was the only thing that will be changing at the store. "Jerry and I

graduated from the same Pharmacy school," said Denice, "and we shared the same philosophies.

"We will keep the same service here

that everyone is familiar with and we will continue with the community involvement that Thompson's Pharmacy has always had in the past."



Junior High, and Genna, a 4th grader at NEW OWNERS--Denice Payne (right) has recently purchased Thompson Pharmacy in Floydada. The name of Denice will be changing the name of the business will be changed to Payne Family Pharmacy.

Pictured in the family's new business is Denice and her husband, Stan, and their two children, Genna and Justin. --Staff photo

The Dallas Cowboys will supply the laughs at the Floydada Chamber of Commerce annual banquet, Saturday, February 26. The team won't be there to tell the stories themselves but guest speaker Ray Stone, radio announcer for the Cowboys Football Report, will supply plenty of humorous "inside stories" on the players.

Stone has been producing his radio show for 19 seasons. I airs in 5 states on 186 stations. Over the past 14 years, Stone has spoken on the Dallas Cowboys throughout the Southwest. "Ninety percent of my talk is centered around clean humorous stories on the players," said Stone, "and ten percent is directed toward the need within a community to support the local Chamber of Commerce and local businesses."

Stone also produces the nationally syndicated "Inside the NFL", hosted by Roger Staubach and airing coast to coast on 740 radio stations. Other programs include coverage of the six major football conferences in the country plus "Inside the NBA" with host Bill Walton.

Other highlights of the chamber banquet will include the presentation of several awards, including: Citizen of the Year, Employer of the Year, Extra Mile Award and Citizen Through The Years. The Citizen Through The Years award is a special award that has only been presented one other time.

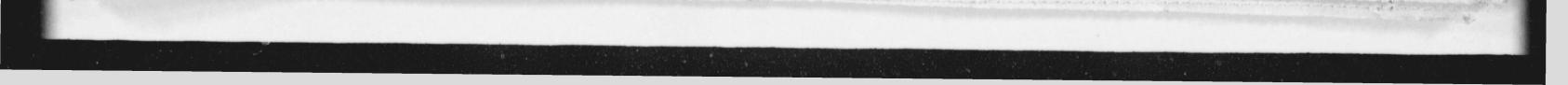
An appreciation plaque will also be presented to Cargill for all of their help and involvement in the Floydada community.

A football autographed by Dallas Cowboys will also be raffled off during the banquet. Tickets are currently on sale for the football and can also be purchased at the door of the banquet.

Tickets to the banquet are \$12.50 and are currently on sale at the Chamber office. The banquet will be held at Duncan Elementary, at 7:00 p.m., and will be catered by Nielson's Restaurant.

### **Pre-trial conference** set for Caprock **Hospital District**

According to court officials, a pre-trial conference has been set for Thursday, February 17, at 9:00 a.m. concerning two lawsuits (one filed by Dr. Tommy Swate and the other filed by former employee Derek Walls) and a Writ of Mandemus filed against the Caprock Hospital District and the district board of trustees. A visiting judge will be hearing the proceedings which will be held in the Floyd County Courtroom unless the District Court upstairs is not in use.



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#### **A View** The Lamplighter From

Districts in place for May elections

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Republican Mrs. Hutchison, ended up only making her stronger. An ambitious Travis County District Attorney, Mr. Ronnie Earle, ended up with egg on his face and a questionable political future. The attorney who defended Mrs. Hutchison so ably describes himself as a life-long Democrat. The Judge who presided, and who instructed the jury to return a verdict of innocent when Mr. Earle declined to pursue the case, is also a life-long Democrat, a respected former judge on the state's Court of Criminal Appeals. It's little things like that that give us hope that in the end, justice will still prevail. In most cases.

It is also our hope that out of this will come more clearly understood guide- \_ lines concerning what is permissable and what is not permissable concerning the operation of a state government office. In truth there can never be a complete separation of what is "official" and what is not, when it comes to an elected political office. There is even legitimate

ther information. Estimated cost of a

new pump and necessary accessories

was placed at \$4,417.00. The council

was reluctant to authorize the expendi-

ture without further information con-

cerning the type and size of the equip-

ment and any other items needed to

make it work properly. Council mem-

bers expressed a desire to make a deci-

sion in the next month or two in order to

avoid any delay in opening the pool next

of allowing a self defense program out

of Plainview to rent the community

center once a week to conduct classes in

Lockney. The city secretary was di-

rected to take an application for the

rental and a decision is to be made based

on that information and whether or not it

is an acceptable rental according to the

terms of the city ordinances which gov-

Locust and Main Streets were discussed

again. Hooten told the council that the

state has asked if Lockney wants to wait

until the state is able to install the ramps

(a wait of up to two years) or if the city

would want to install the ramp. Mayor

... ADA required wheelchair ramps at

ern the use of the community center.

. Council considered the possibility

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argument over what is "official" and what is not. It is normal, as well as natural, for an office holder to turn to his (or her) friends and supporters for advice when perplexed over a public issue. Is that phone call to a friend or supporter, seeking advice on a public issue, to be classified as a criminal act? Or is it to be a criminal act only when undertaken by someone from another political party? As we have said before, probably

enough to cause some readers to tire of our rantings, many politicians, especially in the Congress of the United States, do in fact abuse the rights and privileges of their office. The most flagrant abuse, in our opinion, is their continuing habit of foisting onerous laws upon the people, and then exempting themselves from those same laws.

Many more do not abuse their rights and privileges, despite all the temptations to do so. That is one reason we have such high regard for our good public servants and such low regard for our bad

service. He suggested that the city con-

sider setting specific fees and telling

new commercial customers seeking

water service what they will be charged

for trash pickup at their business loca-

Kenneth Wofford, Councilmen J. D.

Copeland, Gary Marr and Bil Anderson,

Charlotte Hooten, Paul Lyle and the

Hesperian-Beacon reporter.

Attending the session were Mayor

# Caprock Hospital Board denies Williams' request

FLOYDADA -- Members of the board of trustees for Caprock Hospital District denied a request made last month by Mrs. E. A. Williams for reimbursement of an insurance premium payment made several years ago by her husband who was president of the board at that time. Board member Fred Thayer stated that he felt the claim should not be payed.

"All the legal advice the board has been given over the years indicates that it is not the hospital district's obligation to repay the premium payment which was made on behalf of a contracted management service," said Thayer.

Board President Tom Farris added "It is my understanding that the obligation to repay the Williams' would fall to Dan Powers management organization rather than to the district. Any claim for reimbursement should be presented to him and his organization, not Caprock Hospital District."

Motion to deny the payment was made by Thayer and seconded by Joy Assiter. The vote was unanimous with Thayer, Assiter, Eastham and Farris voting. The remaining board member, Kenneth Pitts, was not present.

The board approved the termination of a contract with physician Twiladawn Lovett. A letter from her attorney asked the board to consider releasing her from the contract to begin providing emergency room services at Caprock Hospital in May. The request asked that the board terminate the agreement by mutual consent since the hospital is not open. Termination in this manner would

### Why is scientific research important?

Research by the American Heart Association has made it possible to learn more about how to prevent heart diseases and stroke. What research has resulted in prevents these heart problems? (1) The effects of very low blood cholesterol. (2) Genes that cause high blood pressure. (3) Heart attacks with no warning signs. (4) Deadly blood vessel malformations. (5) The effects of stress.

Without research sponsored by the American Heart Association medical advances in the following would not have been made. The heart lung machine, the pacemaker, heart valve replacement, finding the link between dietary fat and high blood cholesterol, and drugs for treating high blood pres-

#### can progress in treating heart diseases and stroke.

Research is the starting point for all medical advances. Such as children with congenital heart defects going to school, playing sports, and living normal lives. This was not possible as recently as 20 years ago. Thousands of adults of all ages are surviving heart attack, stroke, and other heart and blood vessel diseases as the result of new techniques and drugs. Millions of Americans changing their diet and exercise habits and stopping smoking to improve their lifestyles reduce their risk of heart disease.

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mean that Dr. Lovett would retain the \$8,000.00 already paid to her, but the district would not be liable for payment of the remaining \$18,000.00 of the contracted recruitment bonus.

Motion to terminate the contract was made by Carmel Eastham and seconded by Joy Assiter. Vote on the matter was unanimous.

The board entered an executive session to discuss pending and contemplated litigation concerning Swate vs. CHD and Walls vs. CHD. No action was taken following the closed session.

A motion by Thayer with a second by Eastham approved the financial reports for the month of January and authorized payment of bills. All voted in favor.

Farris told those present that the reports show \$663,000.00 in bank accounts at the end of the period and displayed revenues totaling \$120,900.00. He then called for a resolution to empower someone from the district to sign safekeeping agreements pledging and releasing securities retained to insure the district deposits in the First National

Bank of Floydada. He suggested allowing the hospital administrator to do this. Thayer proposed making this an aspect of the board secretary. Assiter seconded this and the vote was all in favor.

A resolution was approved authoriz-ing the board president to act on the board's behalf to direct the duties of the administrator. Farris told the board this was necessary in order to facilitate the day to day operation of the closed facility. He assured the board that anything more than daily operation would have to come before the board for approval.

CHD attorney Michelle Gilmore told the board that the resolution was "as much for Ronny Ammons' protection as it is for the board. He needs to know that when he receives a directive from Mr. Farris, that he will not have another board member telling him that they do not agree with those instructions."

Motion to approve the resolution was made by Thayer and seconded by Assiter. The vote was all in favor.

... Hospital administrator Ronny Ammons told the board that drug sup-

# **Floydada Police Report**

On February 6, at 1:30 a.m. Floydada Police observed a driver of a pickup fail to stop at several stop signs. The vehicle was stopped at 5th and Kentucky and the driver, Jose Guadalupe Gonzales, 23, of Lockney was arrested for DWI. The passenger, Jose Efrain Perales, 32, of Lockney, was arrested for public intoxication.

February 7, at 11:30 p.m., police took a report of from a man complaining that another man had threatened him with bodily injury. Charges of "terroristic threat" are pending.

On February 8, at 2:15 p.m., police

were called to R.C. Andrews Elementary in reference to juveniles fighting on the playground. Four juveniles were

February 13, police observed a blue and silver pickup strike a red Pontiac Firebird in the rear, on 2nd and Virginia Street. The driver of the pickup drove on to the parking lot at Missouri and 2nd where it stopped. The driver, Martin Garcia, 29, of Floydada, was arrested for DWI.

The passengers in the Pontiac were not harmed.

plies purchased in preparation for the proposed January 9 opening of the hospital were to be returned on Wednesday and a refund sought since the board voted to abandon the hospital opening. Other supplies are being gathered and Ammons will be looking into returning those for refunds wherever possible.

Ammons also told the board that he has not had any recent contact with Dr. Sanders, a physician who had indicated an interest in coming here to practice.

Included in the administrator's report was the fact that the hospital license had been received from the state and returned to the licensing agency as the opening did not take place. Ammons also told those in attendance that a requested waiver had been granted which would allow the district to establish a Rural Health Care facility without the services of a physician's assistant. The waiver would require only a physician to staff the RHC until September of 1994.

... Minutes of the previous meeting were reviewed and accepted as presented.

... Property bids for proposed purchase of several tax title lots in Floydada were accepted by the board. The sales will not be finalized until all taxing entities involved with the Sheriff's Sale properties have approved the bids.

... Discussion of a policy for indigent health care was tabled until a later date. At present, no formal policy was available for discussion.

### Correction

We regret any embarassment we may have caused over a mistake we made in Hagood Crop Insurance's ad last week. We listed his FCIC prices incorrectly.



brought before the city judge and fined.

Kenneth Wofford indicated that he wanted the city to remain on the state list of ramps to be installed, but he felt it would be impossible to wait two years for the ramps since there are people in Lockney who have an immediate need for the ramps. He will contact the state and see if more information concerning when the state will install ramps can be obtained.

... The council approved an ordinance confirming earlier approval of a decrease in Southwestern Public Service rates in the city. Motion was made by Council member Gary Marr and seconded by council member Bil Anderson.

... Purchase of a tape recorder to record council meetings was considered as was the purchase of a fax machine. The council authorized \$500.00 towards securing a fax machine but decided against the purchase of a tape recorder.

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have learned more about the fundamental life processes of the cardiovascular system. Through continuing grants we

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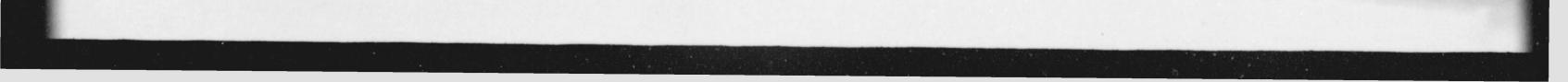
Castro, of Lockney, pled guilty to Burglary of a Habitation with Intent to Commit Kidnapping, which occurred on July 25, 1993. He was sentenced to 20 years in TDC. Castro was on probation for a Nov.

In district court, February 14th, Joe

19, 1989 Burglary at the time of this offense. He had received a 10 year probated sentence in that burglary. His previous ten year sentence will now be served concurrently with the 20 year sentence.

In county court, February 2, Noah Medrano Solis was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case.

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YOUNGER QUEENS--Three young ladies joined the new Miss Floydada Pepper Hinkle in receiving honors during Saturday night's pageant. The younger queens were (l-r)

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Little Miss, Brenna Dawdy; Junior Miss, Cienna Carthel, and Tiny Miss Cassidy Ann Gooch.

--Staff photo

# ounty Commissioners hold February session

The Floyd County Commissioners low the transfer was made by Jackson Court met in regular session for the month of February on Monday, February 14. Items on the agenda were mostly routine. Among the items considered was the appointment of four county residents to serve on the grievance committee. Accepting places on the committee were Robert Delgado and Claude Brown of Lockney and John Redding and Mike Giesecke of Floydada. Motion for the appointments came from Precinct 4 commissioner Howard Bishop and was seconded by Precinct 2 Commissioner Floyd Jackson.

The Commissioners unanimously approved transfers of securities by the First National Bank of Floydada from the First National Bank of Lubbock to the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas. The

Floydada. and seconded by Bishop.

County Treasurer Glenna Orman presented her monthly report stating that the county began the month of January with \$322,399.74 in county funds. Receipts for the month totaled \$197,599.45 and disbursements were \$187,327.05 leaving the county with \$332,672.14 in county accounts on January 31.

Orman also reported certificates of deposit in the amounts of \$350,000.00 in undivided taxes, \$130,000.00 for Precinct #3, and \$40,000.00 for Precinct #4. These CD's have earned \$3,594.55 in interest to date according to the treasurer

Also included in the treasurer's report was a listing of the machine hire earned during the month by each pre-

Precinct #2 had the remainder of the contracts. They included: #1354 for T.

B. Thomas, requested by Mike Buchanan, to work a waterway at a site 3 miles south of Aiken; #1355 for Bobbie Kellison requested by Rusty Wilson, no work specified; #1356 for Clark Harris requested by Monty Teeter to fill in a pit for pivot 5 miles south of Lockney on FM 378; #1357 for Bill Sherman to bury old improvements to return land to cultivation 2 1/2 miles n and 1/4 mile east of Lone Star School; #1400 for Angel Araujo to build up a waterway 8 miles north of Lockney; #1400 for Bobby Carthel to fill a wash 2 miles west and 3 miles south of Lockney; #1410 from Don Kelley to bury old improvements to return land to cultivation 1 mile east and 1 1/2 miles south of Aiken; #1412 from David Foster to clean up old improvements and return land to cultivation 1 mile east and 7/10 mile south of Aiken on 2883; #1413 for Robert Smith to bury a burned building and level the railroad right of way to return land to cultivation; #1416 from Elmer Lee Criswell to bury old improvements and return land to cultivation 1 mile south of Aiken; #1424 from Harold Ford to repair a terrace 1/2 mile east and 1 mile south of Sterley; and #1425 for Adella Ward requested by Jerry Cawley to level railroad right of way to return land to cultivation 2 miles north and 1 mile east of Lockney. Action was taken by the court to correct an omission from the December minutes of the meeting concerning three farm work contracts. Precinct 1 Commissioner Connie Bearden made the motion to amend the minutes to show approval of farm work contracts #1381 for Kenneth Bean, #1401 for Nita Jo Hartman, and #1392 for Gale McPherson. The motion was seconded by Taylor and approved by unanimous vote. According to County Judge Bill Hardin, the three contracts were approved in December, but were inadvertently omit-

... The court approved the use of a new form for donation of materials to the county. The new form will contain a section detailing the value of the materials submitted and allows the person donating the material to use that amount as a deduction on their income tax. The county will provide donators with the necessary form to document the deduction. Motion to utilize the new form was made by Jackson and seconded by Precinct 3 Commissioner George Taylor. The vote was unanimous.

... Monthly officials financial reports were reviewed and accepted as presented. These reports are from elected county officials whose offices collect fines and fees.

... Payment of monthly bills was authorized after review and approval of

newly crowned Tiny Miss Floydada follows: 1st, Ruth Ann Vasquez, daughtook both the Best Interview and the Glamour Girl title in the Tiny Miss competition.

Four crowned at Floydada pageant

Cassidy Ann wants to be an underwater mermaid policeman when she grows up so she can shoot the sea witch.

The judges selected four runners-up in each of the pageant's categories.

Runners-up for Miss Floydada are 1st, Misty Bertrand, daughter of Randy and Connie Bertrand; 2nd, Corinne Pesina, daughter of Delfino and Mina Pesina; 3rd, Amy Garcia, daughter of Vincent and Vicky Garcia; and 4th, Carrie Emert also named Miss Congeniality. She is the daughter of Weldon and Mary Emert.

Jr. Miss Floydada runners-up are as

# **This Week**

### FLOYDADA SINGLES

Floydada Singles will meet Saturday, Feb. 19, at the Senior Citizens building. Hostesses will be Doris Snodgrass and Ruth Scott.

### **FFA BOOSTERS**

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Best Interview trophy.

Cheryl and J.O. Dawdy.

when she grows up.

dad the most.

Cienna was also the recipient of the

Brenna Dawdy, age 9, was crowned Little Miss Floydada and named Best

Interview during Saturday night's pag-

eant activities. She is the daughter of

Brenna says she admires her mom and

They both work very hard and raise kids very well. They have gone through

a lot and came out great," Brenna said.

to be an actress, teacher and a housewife

She is in the fourth grade and aspires

Cassidy Ann Gooch, daughter of

Darrell and Katrina Gooch, will reign as

the 1994 Tiny Miss Floydada. The

Floydada FFA Booster Club meeting to elect officers and plan fundraisers will be at 7 p.m. Monday, Feb. 21, at the

Ag. Building at Floydada High School. All parents are welcome.

**FLOYDADA LIONS** Floydada Lions Club Sweetheart Banquet for members and their spouse or friend will be at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 17, at the Massie Activity Center. If you have not RSVP'd, contact Nick Long at 983-3441 or 983-3161.

**BLUE AND GOLD BANQUET** Lockney Boy Scouts will hold their Annual Blue and Gold Banquet Saturday, Feb. 19, at 7:00 p.m. at Lockney Elementary. All scouts and families are invited to attend and are asked to bring a side dish (salad, dessert or vegetable) to help feed your guests. The brisket, bread and drinks will be provided by the scouts. For more information, call 652-3532.

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**OAP Dinner Theatre presents** 

ter of Ricky and Ilda Vasquez; 2nd runner-up and 1994 Junior Miss Glamour Girl, Karen Renee Resio, daughter of Sandra Trevino; 3rd, Candice Herrera, daughter of Vivian Herrera; and 4th, Crystal Riojas, daughter of Balentine and Sara Riojas.

The four runners-up sharing the Little Miss Floydada court are 1st, Kayla Stovall, daughter of Larry and Rhonda Stovall; 2nd, Regan Beedy, also honored as Glamour Girl, daughter of Randy and Carlen Beedy; 3rd, Meghan Lynn Graham, daughter of Scott and Debra Graham; and 4th, Laura Reddy, daughter of Rick and Kelly Reddy.

Tiny Miss Floydada shares her court with four runners-up: 1st, Johanna Dawdy, daughter of J.O. and Cheryl Dawdy; 2nd, Randa Shurbet, daughter of Shannon and Mendy Shurbet; 3rd, Laura Herrera, daughter of Vivian Herrera; and 4th, CamaRay Gooch, Cassidy's twin sister.

**Recipients of Participation Medals** are Miss Floydada contestants, Misty Bertrand and Maria Mendoza; Junior Miss Floydada contenders, Ashleigh Williams, ShaVonne Taylor, Trisha Coursey and Carissa Coursey; Little Miss contestants, Kia Baker, Maggie Vick, Lauren Powell, Kristie Reyes and Wendy Evelyn Assiter; and Tiny Miss contenders, Katy Nicole Gooch, Kara Benton, Kaylynn Wickware and Nicole Benton.

Royal duties of the crowned 1994 Junior and Little Miss queens include helping with door prizes at the style shows, riding in the parades, assisting with the Punkin Days and assisting Miss Floydada with the Christmas Tree Lighting ceremony. Junior Miss Floydada will give the invocation at the style show.

Miss Floydada is expected to attend ribbon cutting ceremonies for new businesses, make an appearance at the Chamber breakfast in October, do the presentation for the Employer of the Year Award at the Chamber banquet, ride in the parades, present the awards and ribbons during the Punkin Days festivities, introduce the emcee at the style shows and model for the style shows. She is also given the privilege of turning on the Christmas lights at the annual Carole of Lights.

securities involved include \$200,000.00 in U. S. Treasury Notes which are tract work. Precinct #1 received pledged to secure the deposits of county funds in excess of the \$100,000.00 secured by FDIC coverage. Motion to al-

### **Letters To The Editor**

Residents of Floyd County,

The Texas Department of Parks and Wildlife is proposing to extend the pheasant hunting season. The proposed season will be the Saturday before Thanksgiving and run through the last day of December. They also propose to raise the bag limits to three birds a day instead of two birds a day.

The Texas Department of Parks and Wildlife will be holding a public hearing on the proposed hunting season. The first meeting will be held in Plainview on February 23, 1994 at 7:00 p.m. at the Hale County Courthouse. The second meeting will be in Lubbock on March 3 at the Landmark State Park at 7:00 p.m.

Residents of Floyd County, if you do not want to see the pheasant population dwindle down to an insignificant population, attend these meetings and voice your opinion. I feel that if the pheasant season is extended that in a couple of years there will be no more pheasant in this part of the country. Even the nonhunters in the county will lose out, everyone enjoys seeing the beautiful birds in our county. I feel we are very fortunate to have the pheasant and I would hate to lose them.

#### Greg Pierce

Dear Editor,

I lived in Floyd county 16 years and always knew it was full of good people. My faith in Floyd people was revived last Wednesday morning when my pickup quit me about six miles east of Plainview.

I was on my way to Blanco Offset Printing in Floydada to print the Tulia Herald.

In case you fogot how cold it was last Wednesday morning, the wind was out of the north, colder than a well diggers bits on the northside of the well.

I was pretty lucky, only three cars passed me. Martha Porter was in the fourth and she gave me a ride to the restaurant in Lockney. Martha works at the cotton compress.

There were these fellows in the restaurant sitting around shooting the breeze and drinking coffee. I told them I was "broke down" and really needed to be in Floydada by 8 o'clock.

Bill Glasscock volunteered to take me on to Floydada.

My appreciation for these nice Floyd folk . . . Martha and Bill. Wendell Tooley

cinct for the performance of farm con-\$550.00; Precinct #2 received \$3,680.00; Precinct #3 received \$730.00; and Precinct #4 received \$100.00.

Sixteen farm work contracts were approved and two previously approved were voided on a motion by Jackson with a second by Bishop. The voided contracts were #1243, approved for Harold Ford on January 11, 1993, and #1119, approved for Nathan Johnson on September 14, 1992.

Precinct #1 contracts approved included #1417 to clean a waterway and repair a tailwater pit at a location 1 1/2 miles west and 3 miles North of Sandhill for Charles Holmes and #1414 for cleaning out stock water tanks 6 miles south of Lockney for the Goen Estate requested by Van Bradley. No new contracts were presented from Precinct #3. Precinct #4 had two requests, #1408 from Ken Campbell for grading a ranch road at a site 10 miles north of U.S. 70 on FM 28 then 1 mile east on the gravel road, and #1418 from A. C. Pratt for closing a tailwater pit to return the land to cultivation at a site 7 miles east, 1 1/ 2 miles north and 1/2 mile east of ted from the minutes of the meeting.

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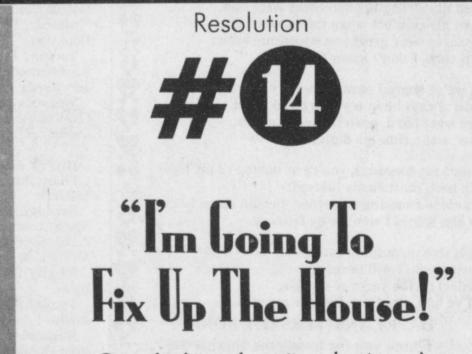
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accounts submitted. Budget amendments were also passed to allow the transfer of funds from accounts currently under budget to accounts over budget and facilitate the payment of the monthly accounts. A \$60,000.00 transfer was made from the Road and Bridge account to the four precincts with each receiving \$15,000.00.

... Minutes of the January meeting were read and approved as presented.

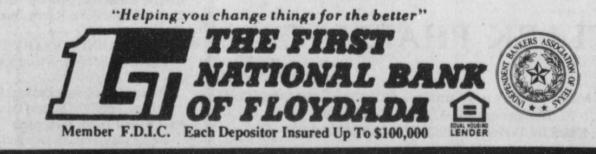
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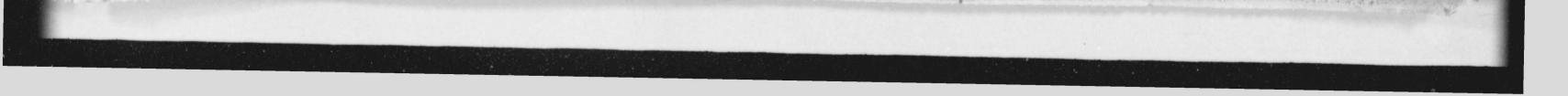


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# **Party honors Michael Arneel** on 5th birthday

FLOYDADA-Michael Arneel was honored with a birthday party Saturday, Feb. 5, at Pizza Gold in Floydada. He was five years old on February 8.

His cake was decorated with the X-Men. Pizza, cake, punch and tea were served.

Those attending the party were Jill Jones and Bryce and Travis of Childress, Sharri White and Michael and Justin of Paducah, Cagen Denison, Stacy Perryman, Mrs. Betty Luckett and grandsons, Cade and Gavin Luckett of Matador, Landon Lackey, Mrs. Ruth Gilliland, Nell Jones of Floydada, Robert and Kerri Arneel and Alyssa of Flomot.

Sending gifts were Orville and Ruth Lee of Flomot, Robert Arneel Jr. of Jacksonville, Florida, Ray and Mary Niswanger of Monroe, Louisiana, and Lupe Barry of Arlington.

# Floydada Senior **Citizens Menu**

February 21-25

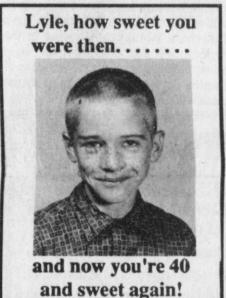
Monday: Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes, peas and carrots, bran muffin, pineapple chunks, milk/beverage choice

Tuesday: Roast beef, brown gravy, roasted potatoes, carrots, tossed salad, wheat roll, frosted cake, milk/beverage choice

Wednesday: Oven fried fish, baked beans, broccoli, cole slaw, combread, rocky road pudding, milk/beverage choice

Thursday: Spaghetti and meat sauce, Italian or mixed vegetables, waldorf salad, garlic bread, gelatin, milk/beverage choice

Friday: Meatloaf, corn cobbetts, green beans, tossed salad, hot roll, chocolate cake, milk/beverage choice





COUPLE TO MARRY -- Larry and Sandy Adrian of Lockney wish to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Erin Elizabeth, to Darryl McEndree, son of Mack and Carolyn McEndree of Aledo. Miss Adrian is the granddaughter of Raymond and Gladys Wood of Cotton Center and Donald and Marie Adrian of Petersburg. She is currently a junior at Texas Tech, majoring in Speech Pathology. McEndree is an Animal Science major and a candidate for December 1994 graduation. The couple plan a May 21 wedding in the 3rd St. and College Church of Christ, Lockney.

### Floydada Nursing Home Happenings

### **By Jo Bryant**

FLOYDADA-Hi! How are you? Fine and well is our wish.

We want to thank the Delta Kappa Gamma Iota Tau for the beautiful lap spreads which they made.

Our thoughts, sympathy and love go out to the family of Knox Jameson. We will miss him.

Our special event this week was our Valentine's party. Our queen was Doris Hillin; King, Homer Farmer; Jr. Queen, Kristie Reyes, and Jr. King, Jonathan Luna. They all were presented with a crown, banner ribbon, red carnation and a box of heart candy. Heart cookies, candy and punch were served by family members and volunteers. Thanks for all who voted and contributed to the activ-

Bernice Robinson had the first Bingo. Ray Beatty came and assisted the residents

Friday the residents went to Plainview on the bus ride. McDonald's treated us to ice cream.

Mike Holster came and played the piano for us for the Friday devotional. Marlon Prichard, the new youth director at First Baptist Church, gave the devotional. We welcome you to Floydada. Well you all be good to yourself and take care.

"How To Brighten Your Day"

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Learn from the past, don't dwell on it.

# Willson speaks to 1990 Study Club

By Tracy Campbell FLOYDADA—The 1990 Study Club had it's monthly meeting on February 9 in the home of Denise Holcombe. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by President Denise Holcombe. Denise recognized special guest Jim Willson who presented a history of Floyd County to the members. Mr. Willson spoke about Floyd be-

coming a county and the arguments of where the county seat would be. He also told us how settlers came here to start lives in agriculture and ranching.

Roll was then called by Secretary Tracy Campbell with members answering to what their funniest Valentine was. Denise called for officer reports which were given by Betty Ann Fortenberry, treasurer, and Deanna Logan, Sunshine Girl.

Deanna read aloud "Thank You" notes from Dustin James' family for the donation to his love fund and from Angie and Hayden Lipham for the pair of Reeboks when Hayden was born. February birthdays and anniversairies were then recognized by Deanna. Deanna also wanted to remind members that when something important happens in any member's lives she would appreciate being told so she can tell other members.

Denise then called for unfinished business which included a report from the Service Committee from Kayla Johnson. The committee planned a trip to the Floydada Nursing Home to deliver apples and cookies to the residents for Valentine's Day. Dara Ware made a motion to take the apples to the nursing home on Sunday, Feb. 13. The motion was passed and members were asked to meet at the nursing home with their children at 1:30 p.m.

Discussion was then brought to the floor about the annual Lingerie Auction. Members voted to postpone the auction until March 11 and it will be in the home of Betty Ann Fortenberry at 7:30 p.m. If members have any donations please contact Dara or Kelly.

Denise then asked for discussion on the Banana Split party for members and their children. Club members decided it would be Sunday, Feb. 13, in the home of Holly Lee. It was decided that we would have it after we delivered the apples and cookies to the Nursing Home. Members were asked to bring their favorite topping for the banana splits.

Dance was brought up and a volunteer was needed to fill the position of chairman for the Old Settlers Dance Committee. Tammy McDonough volunteered for the position and then Denise called for new business. There was no new business so the meeting was then adjourned.

The club held their January meeting at the Lamplighter Inn. Members enjoyed a tour and a meal prepared by the own-

Those members present were: Jan Beedy, Libby Campbell, Tracy Campbell, Sherese Covington, Betty Ann Fortenberry, Jeanine Helms, Denise Holcombe, Connie Hurt, Kayla Johnson, Holly Lee, Angie Lipham, Deanna Logan, Delinda Lucke, Kelly McCormick, Tammy McDonough, Sandra Schwertner, Regina Smith, Shelly Smith and Dara Ware.

### VALENTINE VISIT

On Sunday, Feb. 13, the members of the 1990 Study Club met at the Floydada Nursing Home to wish the residents a Happy Valentine's Day and to give them candy and a Valentine. The club donated apples and cookies to the nursing home, which will be passed out to the residents at the Valentine's Day party on Feb. 14.

Members brought their children and walked through the nursing home and talked to the residents in the lounge. We

enjoyed the visit with the residents and hope they enjoy the cookies and apples.

Those members in attendance were: Tracy Campbell, Sherese and Colton Covington, Betty Ann, Tye and Mandi Fortenberry, Denise Holcombe, Holly and Meagan Lee, Gayla, Morgan and Miles Marble, Tammy, Chase and Kendra McDonough, Sandra and Makenzie Schwertner, Regina, Kevin and Kody Smith, Shelly Smith and Dara and Clay Ware.

# Delta Kappa Gamma scholarship available

The Iota Tau Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma will be awarding a scholarship during the month of May for the 1994-95 school year.

The recipient of the scholarship must be a graduate of one of the schools represented by the membership of Iota Tau, which includes Abernathy, Plainview, Hale Center, Lockney, Floydada and Petersburg. The student must be majoring in the field of education and must have completed the sophomore year of college.

Interested persons may receive an application by contacting Mrs. Terry Ellison of Lockney or Mrs. Jerry Cannon of Floydada. Applications must be received by April 1, 1994.

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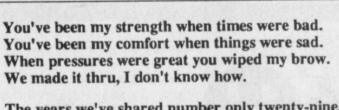
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ity fund. We will be having bake sales and noon buffet in the future, so come out and share with us. Donna Thiebaud,

R.N., and Jo Bryant went to Silverton to eat lunch at the Senior Citizens.

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The years we've shared number only twenty-nine, But you will always be in my heart and mind. Some times were hard, push turned to shove. There never was a time we didn't love.

When I count my blessings, you're at the top of my list. My life has been most richly blessed. When it came to choosing a partner, I could do no better. To no one else would I want to be fettered.

Our bond is strong, nothing can sever. To stop loving you, I will never. When I reflect on the years of my life, The best I've had, since you became my wife.

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY HONEY!** Thank you for loving me another year,

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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** Thursday, Feb. 17: Gilbert Reyna Friday, Feb. 18: Susie Frizzell, Dorothy Curry

Saturday, Feb. 19: Stacy Bigham, Ida Garces, Maria Elena Arellano, Ann Anderson

Sunday, Feb. 20: Martin Julio DeLeon, Joann Amador

Monday, Feb. 21: Felicita Castro, Hope Perez Tuesday, Feb. 22: Janie Martinez,

Kana Kennedy, Stanley LeFevre, Gregory Zavala, Jeran Butler

Wednesday, Feb. 23: Matt Williams, Charlotte Hooten, Joe Sibio, John Lee Carthel

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY Friday, Feb. 18: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Molino Saturday, Feb. 19: Federico and Maria Cervantes

Sunday, Feb. 20: Bobby and Ann McCormick Monday, Feb. 21: Louie and Cynthia

Bybee Tuesday, Feb. 22: Terry and Rachael

Andrae Wednesday, Feb. 23: Danny and Janie McAnally

# We Salute

### In Floydada

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** Thursday, Feb. 17: Michelle Herrera, Kylar Powell, Michael Herrera, Fletcher Powell

Friday, Feb. 18: Estella Salinas, Jim Gomez, Ruben Barrientoz Saturday, Feb. 19: Rick Fuller, Luke

Miller, Blake Mulder

Sunday, Feb. 20: Maria Reyes, Julie Lackey, Dora A. Ramirez, Rosa Villarreal, Jaime Cuellar, Leslie Dorman, Stacey Lloyd, Charlie Joiner

Monday, Feb. 21: Lanell McCandles, Michael Mercado, Brianna Weeks, Vance Gray, Dell Gray, Dusty Jahay Tuesday, Feb. 22: Mike McCann,

David Carr, Jacque Lorainne Barrientos Wednesday, Feb. 23: Jose Vasquez,

Elvern Roberson, Ashley Nicole M. Huerta, Layne Kirk, Randy Duke

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Thursday, Feb. 17: Vince and Amy Abshier

Friday, Feb. 18: Jack and Mac Daniels Sunday, Feb. 20: Otis and Dana Ellis, Pauline and Tubby Robertson Wednesday, Feb. 23: Don and LaNell McCandless

Discussion about the Old Settlers

# **PLAN FOR RETIREMENT**

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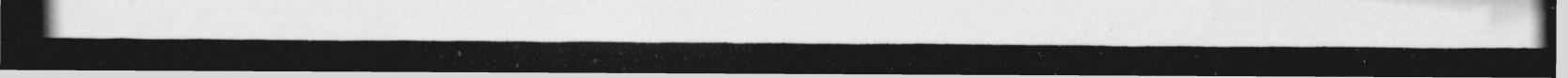
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# Grace Fellowship Church **celebrates fifth anniversary**

ney, will be celebrating their five year anniversary with a revival February 23-27. The revival will be led by Rev. Alan DeBoer, of Pegosa Springs, Colorado. Revival music will be led by Sherman and Tammy Aten, of Floydada.

Nighttime services will begin at 6:30 p.m., Wednesday - Sunday. February 27th, the morning worship will begin at 11:00 a.m. Each worship service will be followed by a fellowship meal. Sunday evening will feature a special time of "I Remember When" testimonies given by members of the church.

Grace Fellowship Church, an interdenominational church, began its ministry, January 22, 1989, under the name of Grace Fellowship Mission.

The first meeting, with a congregation of 21 people was held in a Lockney home. Enthusiasm grew quickly and the men in the congregation went to right to work to find a temporary building to hold services.

In two short weeks the church was moved into a room in the back of the Lockney Beacon, which was located at 211 N. Main. Working quickly, so the first Sunday communion could be held, the men cleaned and painted the room. Dark walnut pews were also purchased.

The first pastor of Grace Fellowship was Rev. Ray Starnes. He left the church in April, 1989 and Rev. Ted Samples took over. Samples is still the pastor with the church and will also be celebrating his own 5 year anniversary as part of Grace Fellowship.

The building was purchased in November with the faith that the membership would grow. The sanctuary was then moved to the south side of the building and more pews were moved in. Walls were built and painted, doors were installed, a baptistry was built and



Grace Fellowship Church, of Lock- blessings the church has received and invite the public to come and enjoy next week's revival, including the uplifting music by the Aten's and the powerful sermons of Rev. DeBoer.

> DeBoer is currently the pastor of Community Bible Church in Pegosa Springs. Raised on a farm in South Dakota, Rev. DeBoer sensed the call of God to be involved in the ministry as a boy of 11-12 years old.

Seminary training was completed at Grace Theological Seminary, a sister school theologically to Dallas Seminary.

He has been married to his wife, Sharon, since 1969. They have three children.

DeBoer said, "I have come to understand the significance of personal worship and how that is the motivating factor in understanding who God is and what God desires. I desire to motivate people to prayer, not by words but through discovery of a meaningful relationship with out Father."

Sherman Aten was born in Hobbs, New Mexico. He was a participant in the New Mexico All-State Choir for three years and licensed to the Gospel Ministry by the Northside Church, Hobbs, in 1981.

Ordained to the Gospel Ministry in 1987, Aten led "Super Summer" programs in 1987 and 1988. He has sung with the Singing Men of West Texas and Singing Churchmen of New Mexico.

He married Tammy Payne of Floydada in 1985. They have two children.

Tammy Payne Aten was raised in Floydada. She is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Hollis Payne. At Wayland Baptist University Tammy was a member of the "International Choir", "Spirit

Sherman and Tammy have assisted in over 200 churches all over the U.S., singing and playing in revivals, concerts and youth functions. They have participated in mission crusades to Bolivia, Yucatan and Wales. Both Sherman and Tammy write and arrange music as part of their repertoire.

### This 'n' That Hobby Club holds Valentine party

This 'n' That Hobby Club met Monday night, Feb. 14, at 6 p.m. at Lighthouse Electric for their annual Valentine party. Mamie Bunch, president, extended a welcome to guests. Jo Lyles read scripture about Love and also read the poem by Helen Steiner Rice, "What Is Love?" Johnny Bill Sue offered a prayer of thanks.

Those present were Bettye and Sam Baker, Winnie Beedy, Mamie Bunch, Mildred and Johnny Cates, Thelma Crawford, Dorothy and T.L. Holland, Fave and Son Jackson, Queen Annie Lawson, Jo and Olen Lyles, Dorothy Reeves, Margie and Johnny Bill Sue and Ila and Glen White.

# **Obituaries**

FRED DRAKE

Graveside services for Fred T. Drake, 89, of Plainview were at 10 a.m. Friday, Feb. 11, in Plainview Memorial Park with Dean Brookshire of Ninth and Columbia Street Church of Christ, officiating. Burial arrangements were by Wood-Dunning Funeral Home.

Mr. Drake died Tuesday, Feb. 8, 1994, in Heritage Home. He was born on Jan. 2, 1905 in Lawrenceburg, Tenn. He was a U.S. Coast

Guard veteran of World War II, a farmer and a rancher. He was a member of the Main Street Church of Christ in Lock-

He married Juanita Elizabeth Cowart on March 28, 1930 in Erick, Okla. They moved to a farm in the Lockney area in 1958 from Ardmore, Okla. She died on June 19, 1973.

Survivors include a brother, Carl of Sulphur, Okla.; and two sisters, Susan Lake of Deming, N.M., and Myrtle Lester of Abilene.

A brother, James Drake, is deceased. The family suggests memorials to a favorite charity.



### ZELDA EPPERSON

Graveside services for Zelda Epperson, 87, of Chickasha, Oklahoma, were at 2:00 p.m. Monday, Feb. 14, at the Lockney Cemetery. Services were under the direction of the Brown-Binyon Funeral Home of Chickasha, Okla.

Mrs. Epperson was born on August 21, 1906, in Silo, Oklahoma, the daughter of Annie Waites and Addy Cates. She died on Friday, Feb. 11, 1994, in Chickasha.

She married William J. Epperson on May 19, 1921 in Silo, Okla. He preceded her in death in March of 1972. She lived most of her life in the Durant area and moved to Lockney in 1950. She moved to Chickasha in 1992.

She was a member of the Lockney First Baptist Church.

Also preceding her in death were her parents, one brother and one sister. Survivors include three daughters, Geraldean Joines of Oklahoma City, Okla., Billye L. Heath of Watsonville, Calif., and Peggy J. Roberts of Lockney; a son, Joe E. Epperson of Chickasha, Okla.; two sisters, Addy Lou Haggerty of Durant, Okla., and Starr Guyer of Ardmore, Okla.; a brother, Edgel Cates of Durant, Okla.; 10 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; and six greatgreat-grandchildren.

#### **EDDIE R. GOODALL**

Services for Eddie Randal Goodall, 44, of Frith were at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 16, at First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Archie Echols, pastor, and the Rev. James Preston, pastor of First United Methodist Church of Lubbock, officiating. Burial was in Westlawn Memorial Park by Minton/ Chatwell Funeral Directors of Borger. Mr. Goodall died Monday, Feb. 14, 1994, in St. Anthony's Hospice in Amarillo.

He was a native of Borger and was a

#### FRANCISCO SEGURA

Rosary for Francisco Areola Segura, 69, of Lubbock was recited at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 16, in Guajardo Funeral Chapels.

Mass will be celebrated at 2 p.m. today (Thursday, Feb. 17) in Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church with the Rev. Roland Buxkemper, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in City of Lubbock Cemetery.

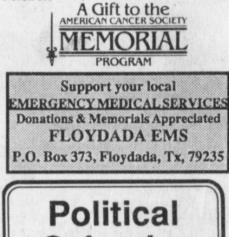
Mr. Segura died Monday, Feb. 14, 1994, at his residence.

He was born on Aug. 2, 1924, in Karnes City. He married Paula Sanchez on June 10, 1948, in San Marcos.

He was a farmer and a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II. He was a member of Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Lee Gutierrez of Carrizo Springs, Felipe Segura of Arlington and Paul Segura of Lubbock; four daughters, Rebecca Perez of Spur, Lupe Ross of New Home, Martha Perez of Oklahoma City, Okla., and Matilda Rodriguez of El Paso; two brothers, Julian of Spur and Juan of Floydada; a sister, Feliz Molina of Haskell; 41 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Esteban Segura, Elias Segura, Sandro Perez, Raymond Segura, Felipe Segura Jr. and Tony Perez Jr.







# FHS begins third baseball season

#### **By Bill Gray**

FLOYDADA-Floydada opens its 1994 baseball campaign next week with a game at Plainview on February 22 against the Bulldog JV. The Whirlwinds will host Abernathy in the home opener at Watson Field at 5:30 p.m., February 25. A home-and-away series with Post, two tournaments, and a double header at Lockney on April 4 are part of the 15plus games on Floydada's non-conference schedule.

There is reason for optimism as Coach Jimmy Webster begins his third year as the Floydada mentor. Although the 'Winds will be a very young team, there are several veterans around which to build. Six returning starters, including

JV BOYS -- The FHS Junior Varsity Boys Basketball Team this year included: (back row, lleft to right) J. R. Quilantian, Michael Molinar, Rance Barnett, Peter Luna; (front) Shane Derryberry, Auggie Gonzales, Joe Ysasaga, and Joe -- Staff Photo Sanchez.



JUNIOR VARSITY GIRLS -- The FHS JV Girls Basketball Team this season included: (Back row, left to right) Kelli Bertrand, Jodie Villarreal, Missy

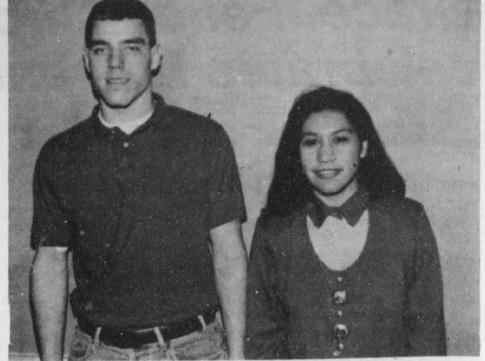
seniors Brandon Gilliland, Rod Vela and Gabriel dela Fuente, will form the nucleus for the 1994 club. Although both lack baseball experience, seniors Elias Gutierrez and Tyrone Henderson are excellent athletes and should bolster the team's senior leadership.

Junior Ken Cummings and sophomores Michael Mercado and Neal Nelson were all solid performers last year. Derrick Martinez is another upperclassman expected to contribute to the depth of the team.

The squad will be strengthened by several freshmen who have already proven their capabilities on the diamond. Monty Anderson, Chris Enriquez, Chad Hinkle, Angel Aleman and Tomas Barrientos all were on Ed Henderson's Junior Babe Ruth team which was undefeated and won the Plainview League title last summer. It is a giant step from Babe Ruth leagues to high school competition, but all of those youngsters are expected to step in and contribute. Several will more than likely be filling starting positions once the season begins.

Defending 2-3A champ Tulia again will be strong. Not only do the Hornets have skilled, returning veterans, but also have one of the better young coaches in the area. Mike Echols, as is Floydada's Jimmy Webster a product of Lubbock Monterey, Lubbock Christian University and Texas Tech, brings a solid background to Tulia's second year of high school baseball.

Muleshoe and Friona have had baseball programs for several years, and will again be contenders for the district crown. Littlefield and Dimmitt have fielded teams, adding to the overall strength of the district. The Whirlwinds open District 2-3A play at Muleshoe on Saturday, April 9.



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BEAU AND SWEETHEART -- Brandon Gilliland and LuAnn Martinez were honored last Friday evening as the FHS Basketball Beau and Sweetheart for -- Staff Photo the ending season.

# Floydada Basketball Report

#### **By Bill Gray LITTLEFIELD 65 FLOYDADA 38**

FLOYDADA-Floydada shot a season-low 30% from the floor (14 of 46 attempts) in a 65-38 loss in 2-3A basketball action at Littlefield on February 8. The Whirlwinds were also well under their average from the free throw line (7 of 21 attempts) in their second loss of the year to the state-ranked Wildcats.

Whirlwind Tyrone Henderson, District 2-3A's leading scorer on the season, was held to only 12 points by the stingy Wildcat defense, which caused 16 Floydada turnovers. Henderson added 10 rebounds as the Whirlwinds had 33 team rebounds.

Rod Vela, the only other Floydada player to hit double figures, scored 11 points (which included 3 of 4 attempts from 3-point range). Brandon Gilliland accounted for 7 points and 2 rebounds. Zach Abshier and Tyson Edwards each contributed 4 points to close out Floydada's output. The Whirlwinds had 7 steals against the playoff-bound Wildcats.

Joey Polk's 16 points led Littlefield's balanced scoring attack as all but one player on the Wildcat roster put points on the board. Allen Blair had 14, Derek Smith 9, Justin Johnson 8, Tyson Carr 3,

"We didn't shoot the ball very well. It looked real bad in the second half, but we scored at about the same rate as the first two quarters." He added, "We played better defense in the first half, but they were able to hit more of their open shots after the halftime break. We put in some new defensive twists in the first half, but they adjusted well later on. That's when they blew open the game . .. one moment we were down by 12 and the next thing I knew they had a 30-point lead.'

Merket said that free throws and passing the ball had been trouble spots all year. The Littlefield game was no exception. For the season the 'Winds were about 50% from the line. They hit less than 40% of their attempts against the Wildcats.

The coach added, "Had we hit another 10 free throws (many of them 1 and 1 situations), the outcome would have been a lot closer." Praising the Wildcats, the Floydada coach stated, "They are so quick; they can take you out of it in a hurry. That's what they did tonight. Their 2 low-post defense gave us a lot of offensive problems. They also hurt us with their back cuts when we were playing man-to-man. We got into foul trouble, and once the momentum

Coach Hayden Merket commented, 71-64 victory over Floydada at Graves Gymnasium on February 11. With the defeat, the Whirlwinds finished the 1994 campaign at 12-14 (3-7 in District 2-3A action).

> Tyrone Henderson closed his Whirlwind career with a game-high 26 points and 13 rebounds. Brandon Gilliland contributed 15 points and 8 rebounds in his final appearance. Freshman Vernon Cooper scored 8 points, handed out two assists, and had a pair of steals in his first varsity starting role. Zach Abshier and Tyson Edwards scored 4 points, respectively. Gabriel DeLaFuente had 3, and Elias Gutierrez and Aaron Noland each scored 2 points. Friona's balanced scoring was led by Kip Preston's 20 and Cory Hamilton's 14.

Floydada had 34 team rebounds (17 on offense and 17 on defense). Those figures are indicative of Friona's high percentage night on their shots from the floor. The Whirlwinds had 13 turnovers, 11 steals, and caused the Chieftains to turn over the ball 8 times.

Friona opened the game shooting well, and held a 6-point lead at the end of the first quarter. Unable to pull away, the

Chieftains upped their lead to 7 points at halftime. Even though the Whirlwinds shot only 39% from the floor, they stayed close throughout the contest.

Floydada failed to take advantage of its size and inside strength advantage. Friona's motion offense worked well most of the time, allowing the Chieftains to make a number of high percentage shots "in the paint." Floydada gave a good effort in closing out the season, but just came up 7 points short.

#### **BILL'S NOTES**

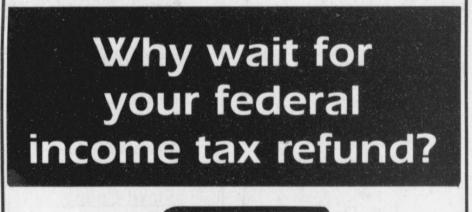
**Burger Basket** 

The first season under Coach Hayden Merket is history. Twelve wins against 14 losses (3-7 in District 2-3A) can be interpreted in many ways. The 'Winds were very competitive in most games all year while learning a new system. Henderson, Glasscock, Vela and Gilliland, along with the other seniors, will be hard to replace. But, several talented and skilled underclassmen will return for the next several years. Folks have got to understand that it takes a while to rebuild a program into a yearly playoff contender (it wasn't that long ago that the Dallas Cowboys were on the bottom rung of the NFL ladder ... just look at 'em now). Hayden will have a winner here in Whirlwind country . . . just give him the chance.

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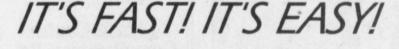
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Pernell, Lyndi Probasco; (middle) Christy Hale, Salina Shorter, Lacy Golightly, Amy Garcia; (front) Pepper Hinkle and Elisavet Navarette.





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Ryan Ayala 2, Jermaine Davis 4, Danny Vargas 4, and Michael Verene 5.

The Wildcats scored 8 unanswered points to open the second half and were on top by 12. The 'Winds stayed close in the first two periods, but Littlefield's surge after intermission became too much for Floydada to overcome.

changed . . . we were in trouble for the remainder of the game."

FRIONA 71 **FLOYDADA 64** The Friona Chieftains won their only district game of the year with a narrow

### WHIRLWIND BASEBALL SCHEDULE 1993-1994

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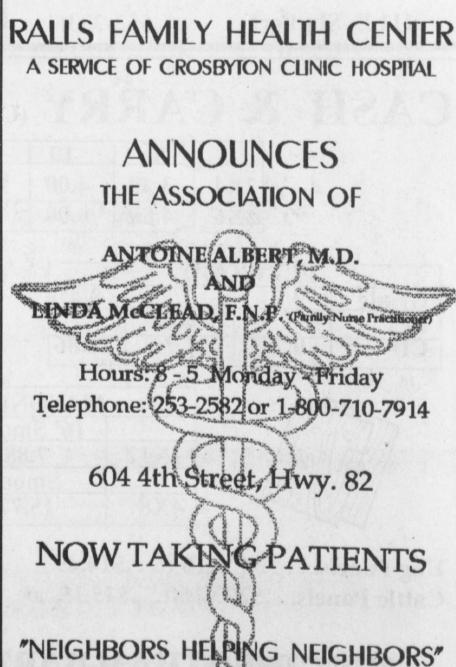
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February 21-25 Monday: No School **Tuesday:** No School Wednesday: Breakfast - Grape juice, dry cereal, graham cracker, milk Lunch - Chili dog, French fries, tossed salad, peach cobbler, milk Thursday: Breakfast - Apple juice, toast, scramble egg, milk Lunch - Baked chicken nuggets w/ gravy, buttered potatoes, tossed salad,

pineapple tidbits, whole wheat roll, milk Friday: Breakfast -- Pineapple juice, pan-

cakes, syrup, milk Lunch - Cheese enchiladas, pinto

beans, tossed salad, cornbread, jello w/ fruit, milk



**Candy Thrasher** 

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crowned their 1994 Valentine Sweetheart during an afternoon ceremony at the church Sunday afternoon. Selected as this year's queen was Monica Morales (center). Runners-up were (l-r) Marty Herrera, 1st runner-up; Lina

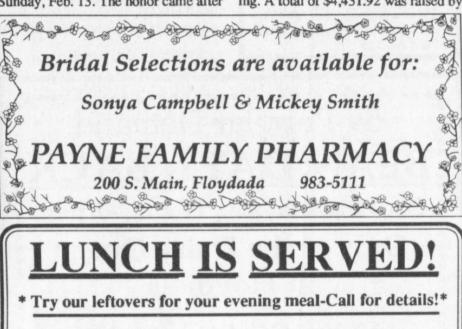
VALENTINE SWEETHEARTS--St. Mary Magdalen DeLeon, 4th runner-up; Adrieanna Gomez, 2nd runnerup; and Veronica Cabrera, 3rd runner-up. As a group, the girls raised more than \$4,000 to benefit the church's new building fund.

--Staff photo

# Morales selected Valentine Sweetheart

year-old daughter of Amado and young ladies who all competed by spon-Frances Morales of Floydada, was soring food and bake sales, dances and crowned 1994 Valentine Sweetheart at various other activities in their efforts to St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church on raise funds for the church's new build-Sunday, Feb. 13. The honor came after ing. A total of \$4,431.92 was raised by

FLOYDADA-Monica Morales, 13- several weeks of fundraising by five the five candidates.



### Fri., Feb. 18

The girl raising the most amount of money was crowned sweetheart. Runners-up in the event were: 1st runner-up Marty Herrera, 14-year-old daughter of Margaret Herrera; 2nd runner-up Adrieanna Gomez, 15-year-old daughter of Jim and Gloria Gomez; 3rd runner-up Veronica Cabrera, 16-year-old daughter of Artemio and Selia Diaz; and 4th runner-up Lina DeLeon, 17-yearold daughter of Domingo and Paula DeLeon. Each young lady was presented with a crown, flower, banner and candy.

Escorting the candidates were Michael Molinar, Joe Sanchez, Adam Gonzales, Jesse Sanchez and Daniel Johnston.

The afternoon ceremony was emceed by Lucio Vasquez, who introduced each of the candidates and their escorts, along with entertainment for the event.

Entertainment included a solo by Karen Resio, who vocalized "Daddy's Hands"; Maritess Houseal, who sang

# Lockney hosting O.E.S. school

tions. Leland G. Benefield, Worthy

LOCKNEY-The Order of the Eastem Star will hold the District II, Section III School of Instruction in Lockney on February 22, 1994, at the Masonic Hall, 214 N. Main. Registration and coffee will begin at 8:00 a.m. The school will start at 9:00 a.m. A courtesy luncheon will be held in the dining hall at 1:00

Mrs. Marcella Curry, Worthy Grand

Matron of Robstown, will be giving II, Section III, has been in charge of Master gardener program open to county residents

Floyd County residents with the proverbial "green thumb" can sharpen their gardening skills and help others in their community by taking part in a program being offered again this Spring by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "We're joining other South Plains

counties to conduct an intensive Texas Master Gardener program," said Kerry Siders, county extension agent. "This is 50 hours of outstanding instruction in all aspects of ornamental horticulture and gardening and can lead to designation as a Certified Texas Master Gardener," he said.

Persons wishing to enter the program should already have knowledge and skills in basic ornamental horticulture, gardening and general related areas, the

county agent said. Participants selected for the program will receive 50 hours of instruction during 12 evening sessions and a field trip. Instructors will include faculty of the Extension Service, the Texas Forest Service and the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, which are agencies of the Texas A&M University System; Texas Tech University; and members of the West Texas Arts and Botanical Association, and the Lubbock Rose Society.

All training will be at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center in Lubbock. It is on FM 1294 just east of Interstate 27 at the Shallowater exit. There is a course fee of \$50 which includes a detailed Master Gardener Handbook, other training materials, a certificate and wallet identification card.

### Grand Patron, will be unable to attend due to serious illness. Mrs. Dell Gray, Grand Examiner District II, will supervise the examination room. Mrs. Margie Daniel, District Deputy Grand Matron of Abilene, will assist the Grand Officers in demonstrations. Mrs. Nellie Webb, Deputy Grand Matron of District

At the end of the training, participants must pass a written examination and complete 50 hours of volunteer horticultural service in their county, under supervision of their county Extension Service faculty. Upon satisfactory completion of these requirements, a graduate will become a Certified Texas Master Gardener. To retain certification, a Master Gardener must update his training every two years.

"In our county, the volunteer service will include such duties as assist 4-H youth with Method Demonstrations, presentations to civic clubs, community beautification projects and other horticulture projects," Siders said.

Application blanks and other information for the Master Gardener program are available at the county extension office. The blanks must be completed and returned to the county agent by Feb. 23. The agent must select trainees from the county by Feb. 28.

Participants must agree to attend at least nine of the 12 training sessions, pay the \$50 fee and agree to provide 50 hours of volunteer service during 1994.

Training begins March 8. Other sessions are March 10, 15, 22, 24, 29 and 31; and April 5, 12, 14, 19, 21 and 26. There will be a field trip in May. Subjects to be covered include botany, soils, turf, use of chemicals, the Don't Bag It lawncare program, house plants, xeriscapes, water conservation, fruits, nuts, woody ornamentals, herbaceous ornamentals, windbreaks, roses, annuals, vegetables, insect control, plant diseases, weed science and composting.

#### ritualistic and constitutional instrucpreparations for the school.

District II, Section III, consists of eleven chapters. They will be included in the school program. They are Floydada, Tulia, Plainview, Lemond, Canyon City, Hereford, Lockney, Happy, Muleshoe, Dimmitt and Olton.

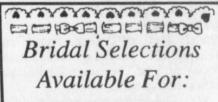
The Fraternal Visit will be held at 3:00 p.m., preceded by the Humanitarian Program. Mrs. Dorothy Hodges, District II Chairman, will be in charge of the drill and presentation. A highlight of the Fraternal Visit will be the initiation of candidates performed by Grand Offi-

A banquet will be held in Plainview at the Cotton Patch Restaurant at 6:30 p.m. following the Fraternal Visit. Entertainment will be by Phil Cotham of the musical group Harmony. Pre-school activity will consist of a salad supper which will be held at the Grace Presbyterian Church at 11th and Garland Streets in Plainview, at 7:00 p.m. It will be hosted by Plainview Chapter #37.

All members of the Easter Star are invited to attend the activities that are being held.



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Kappa Gamma Society met February 7 in the homemaking department of Lockney High School. Hostess Vickie Vandiver and the other Lockney members served a delicious meal of stew, combread and banana pudding.

# Senior Citizens Rockins

#### **By Gene Newton**

There were 82 present Thursday night and if you missed it we are sorry. We had some of the West Side Church of Christ singers at the center and they brought us supper music. It was beautiful and we do thank each and everyone who came and sang for us.

We are looking forward to Teri and Cecil White on Thursday, February 17th. So if you like gospel don't miss their entertainment. Let's try to have another big count.

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ing them. So when we have entertainers that you don't care for feel free to go on back to the new room and enjoy your game. We want everyone to enjoy the the chapter.

Iota Tau meets in Lockney

building. Back when Mryt Hill was helping make lap robes, she brought her featherweight black Singer sewing machine to the center and it got misplaced or someone borrowed it. If you know its whereabouts please bring it back to the center or take it to her husband, James. It is several years old and has sentimental value.

Let's remember to pray for the sick in our community.

### MENU

Monday, Feb. 21: Hamburger steak, beans, corn, salad and dessert Tuesday, Feb. 22: Roast beef, potatoes, carrots, salad and dessert Wednesday, Feb. 23: Chicken fried

steak, potatoes, sweet peas, salad and dessert Thursday, Feb. 24: Chicken and

dumplings, beans, potatoes, salad and dessert Friday, Feb. 25: Salmon croquettes,

potatoes, green beans, salad and dessert This menu is subject to change.

### Floydada **Senior Citizens**

**By Thelma Jones** FLOYDADA-Ricky and David Holland, sons of T.L. and Dorothy Holland, are attending the Olympics this week.

James Earp of Dallas spent the weekend with his mother, Opal Earp and sister, Molly Stringer. Elizabeth Armstrong visited last

week in Lubbock with relatives. Alma Dunn is spending a few days in

Lubbock with relatives. The Bradfords had an 80th birthday dinner Saturday for Delzie Bradford.

Letha Mulder spent the weekend in Clarendon with her sisters.

Irene King is back and cooks every other week at the center.

Mrs. Richard Botkin visited Mrs. Harvey Tardy and Lanell Sunday afternoon.

Bro. Lupe Rando is having tests this week at Lubbock.

The Senior Citizens are having a garage and bake sale on Feb. 26 at the center.

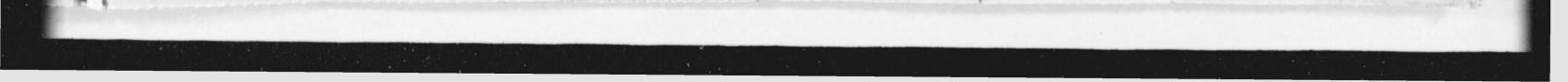
Judy Lowry read a moment of meditation from "Chalkdust". Kathy Sanderson and Ruth Naron shared several songs with the group. A notice was received of the transfer

of Sandra Williams to the Mu Lambda Chapter in Graham, Texas.

The remainder of the time was spent working on a service project. Everyone contributed to the construction of lap robes and baby blankets. These will be donated to the nursing homes and hospitals in the communities represented by







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High School recently participated in a nearlywed game. Armando Garza, Shelly Coleman and Marcus Collins; Students entered as couples and separately answered a 100 question survey. Winners were those answering the most questions the same. They were: (back row, left to right) 4th place winners; Ricky Coronado and Julie Johnson;, Mar- absent when the photo was taken.

NEARLYWED WINNERS -- FHA students at Floydada garet Medrano and Peter Vallejo III, Olga Sanchez and (front) third place winners Jamie Crow and Adam Soto, first place winners Sara Castillo and Rod Vela; and 2nd place winners Olivia Huerta and P. J. Valdez who was -- Staff Photo

# FHA/HERO week celebrated

FLOYDADA-February 13-18 is FHA/HERO (Future Homemakers of America/Home Economics Related Occupations) Week. The Floydada FHA Chapter has 48 members this year. They have been involved in several successful projects.

Officers were elected in October. In November, FHA had a Thanksgiving dinner in the high school cafeteria. They had spaghetti and all the trimmings. Each member had a guest. Games were played after the meal. Each person also brought a toy for a child. These were distributed to needy children at Christmas.

In December, a fundraiser was successful. The money will go toward other projects and for members and officers to go to region and state meetings in the spring.

During the January meeting, members donated clothes for a clothes box' given to the Spirit of Sharing.

February: Individual and Family Living Class made up a questionnaire to ask of dating couples at the high school. Questions dealt with relationships in a

dating, family and friends scenario. Winners of the contest, The Nearlywed Game, won dinners for two, movies, candy, or flowers.

FHA/HERO week activities included: \

Monday, Teacher Appreciation Day, Members selected a teacher at the high school and presented him/her with a token of appreciation. Also, they put donuts in the lounge.

Tuesday, Community Day, members met after school and recycled cans.

Wednesday, Earth Day, members planted a tree in the park and cleaned the campus. They will also clean the highway if weather permits.

Thursday, Y.E.S. Day, members will visit the nursing home and presente a recycling project to residents.

Friday, Friendship Day, members will reach out to others during the day with small tokens. There will be a balloon liftoff at 8:15 a.m.

Members participating during the week will go bowling in Plainview on

### No school in Floydada Monday and Tuesday

The Floydada Independent School District will be conducting campus staff development workshops on Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 21 and 22; therefore, students will not attend classes on those days. Classes will resume at their regularly scheduled time on Wednesday, Feb. 23.

Other upcoming staff development days are scheduled for March 28 and April 29.

FHA officers for this year are President, Nelda Enriquez; Vice-President, Sara Castillo; Secretary/Treasurer. Olga Sanchez; Reporter, Angie dela Fuente; and Parliamentarian, Moraima Vasquez. Sponsors are Billie Peden and Deborah Lloyd.

# FISD to begin '94-95 school year August 16

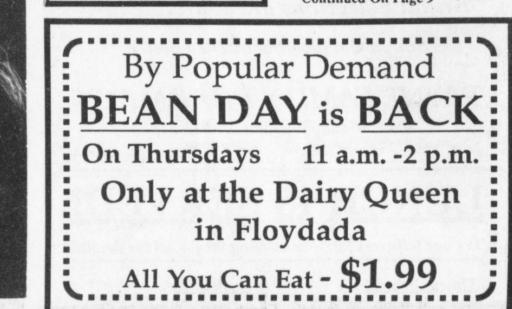
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honor graduates. Voting in favor were Charlene Brown (who made the motion), Steve Lloyd (who seconded), Don Hardy, John Campbell, Trena Simpson and Villarreal. Probasco voted against adopting Policy Statement #1. Under the new policy, students will be ranked based on grade point average and are eligible for graduation when they acquire the required number of credits.

Superintendent Jerry Cannon stated that a check with attorney Paul Lyle had resulted in the determination that a school or a board has no way to prevent the early graduation of students if they have properly acquired sufficient credits to graduate.

The board approved Policy Statement #1, as presented by FHS Principal Joe Christian. This varied from Policy Statement #2 only in requiring all course

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### Never Before Like '94

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#### **By Melissa Faulkenberry** and Nelda Enriquez

FLOYDADA-Sandra Ramirez, the daughter of Martin and Francisca Ramirez, is the first senior in the spotlight. Sandra has three brothers, Gerardo, Martin Jr. (who is attending South Plains College) and Joe Luis. She has attended Floydada schools for five years. Before she came to Floydada she attended schools in Mexico.

Sandra was born on August 24, 1976. Sandra likes to read, listen to music and go out with her friends in her spare time. However, while she is at school, she enjoys U.S. Government and Economics. She likes to watch Highlander and Melrose Place on T.V. and her favorite movie is Hard Target. Sandra also enjoys listening to music groups such as La Mafia and Selena y Los Dinos and her favorite song is Angel Baby.

In her spare time, when she goes out to eat, Sandraenjoys lobster and pizza. She attends the First Baptist Church. she also collects stuffed animals, reads books such as The Beach House, and admires her parents.

We asked Sandra where she would go

choose to go to Spain and take my mom with me."

We also asked her to give her opinions about Floydada High School and she replied, "I would like to change the gossip and some people's attitudes."

Sandra, what are your plans for the future? "I plan on attending South Plains College and study to become a nurse.



Then, I plan on getting married, traveling and having a family." Good Luck, Sandra!

Yolanda Cervera is our second senior in the spotlight this week. She was born on June 28, 1975, to Maria and Victor Cervera, who is a farmer. She has two brothers, Julio and Daniel Cervera. Yolanda has attended Floydada schools for 13 years, because she admires the teachers and students here.

However, if she could change something about Floydada High School she replies, "It would be the rules."

Yolanda collects stuffed animals, enjoys watching Martin on T.V., and listening to Spanish music. Some of her favorite songs and groups include "Me Quede Con Las Ganas De Robarte Un Beso," Bronco and Liberacion. She enjoys typing in school. Some of her hobbies include fixing people's hair, reading books such as Frankenstein and eating pizza.

We asked Yolanda where she would travel if she had a choice of anywhere and she replied, "I would go to Paris with my boyfriend, Jaime Zapata."

In the future, Yolanda plans on going

where she is the secretary.

Sara would like to travel to Australia with her boyfriend and fiancee, Pete Martinez. They plan to get married in June. She also hopes to get a job teaching at one of the elementary schools here in Floydada.

Good luck to these girls, may all their dreams come true.



SARA CASTILLO

if she could travel anywhere. "I would

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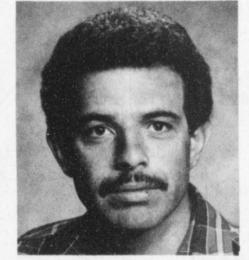
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to South Plains College and major in Cosmetology. "If everything goes O.K. with me and my boyfriend, we plan to get married." Well, Yolanda, I hope everything goes O.K.



### **YOLANDA CERVERA**

The final senior is Sara Castillo. She is the daughter of Rachael and Aurelio Castillo Jr. Sara has one brother, James and one sister, Marissa Morales.

She has attended schools in Floydada for 8 1/2 years. She previously attended Oak Dale Elementary, Bowie Middle School in Amarillo. Some honors presently held by Sara are president of Undivided Youth Ministry, vice president of F.H.A. and a student council representative.

Sara enjoys listening to "Never Let You Go" by Steelheart. Her favorite color is blue and her favorite food is hamburgers and fries.

This senior collects Mickey Mouse and Dalmation items. She attends Templo Getsemani Church, where she is involved in teaching the 3 and 4 year olds on Wednesdays. She is also involved in her church's youth group,

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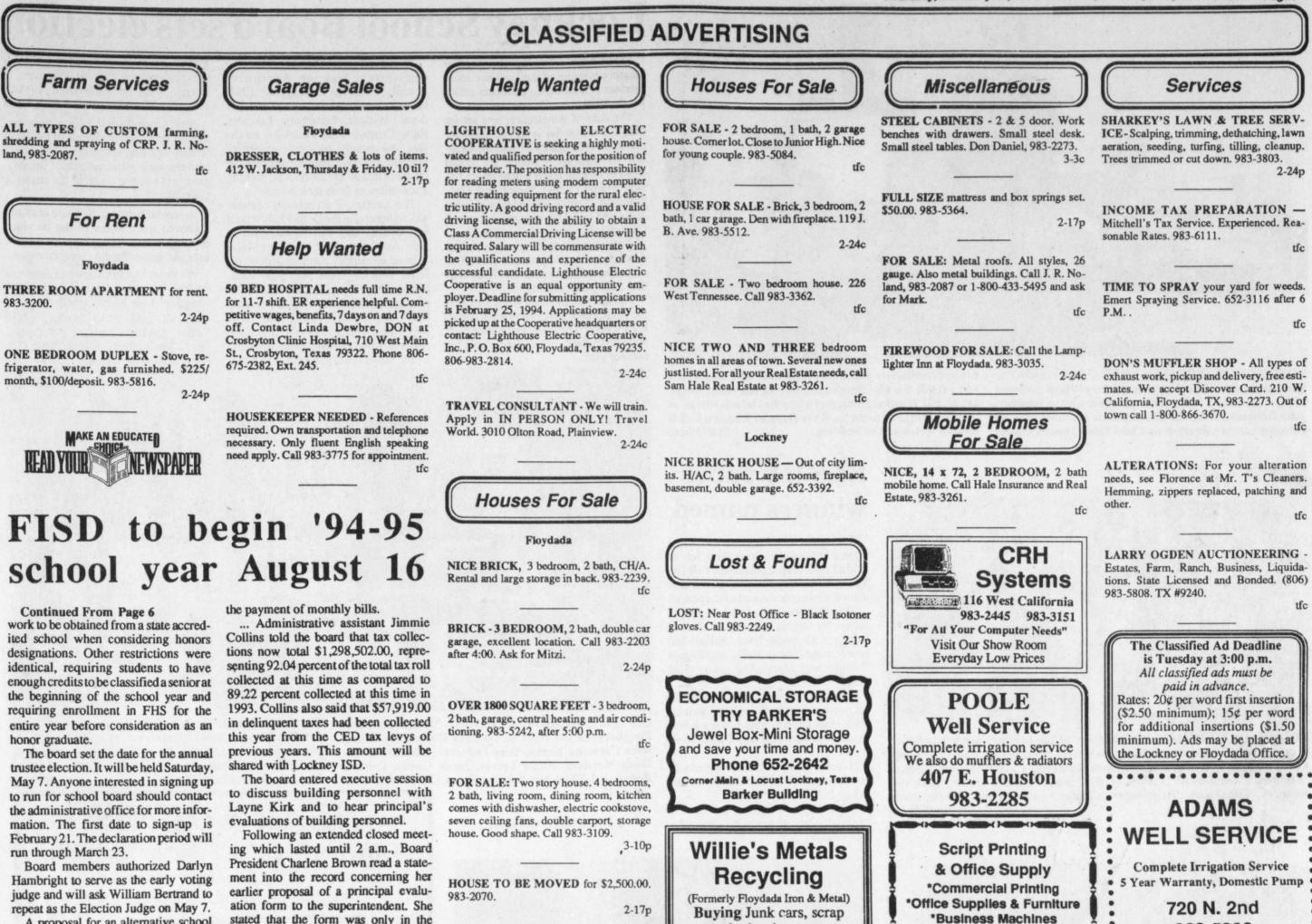
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A proposal for an alternative school to be held at Della Plains was approved on a motion by Lloyd with a second by Simpson. The plan would combine efforts of several area school districts in keeping certain at risk students in school and assisting them in obtaining their high school diploma. These would include students who have difficulty attending school through a necessity to work or because they have small children at home. According to Cannon, the proposal is to be tried for a year. It should be self-supporting once it is in operation and will require only start-up funding split between the participating schools.

Mike Anderson, a parent of an R. C. Andrews student, came before the board to voice his objection to the manner in which a fight at school was handled last week. According to Anderson, his son was involved in an incident at school which resulted in a ride to City Hall with the police and an appearance before the city judge.

Anderson said it felt that was a bit harsh for 11 year-olds, but seemed most upset about the time it took for the school to notify parents that the student was in trouble. He and another parent, Gale Campbell, said that they were not notified until after the students were removed from the school. Anderson pointed out that the official policy concerning fighting requires the parents to be contacted before the child is taken to the police station.

R. C. Andrews Principal Ellen Enriquez told the board that every attempt was made to contact the parents and she regreted they felt that it had not been. No action was taken by the board, but principals were instructed in the future to try contacting the person listed as an emergency number before the student leaves the school if parents are unavailable.

Floydada City Manager Gary Brown spoke briefly to the board to inform them that a curfew ordinance is on the agenda for the Thursday evening City Council Meeting. He invited anyone interested in a curfew to come to the meeting and passed a short overview of the proposed ordinance around for board members.

... Board members voted to approve the Gifted and Talented Plan as presented. Motion was made by Campbell, seconded by Villarreal and approved by unanimous vote.

... Sale of tax title lots to several individals was approved by the board. The sales will not be final until all taxing entities involved in the sheriff's sale lots have approved the sale.

... Board meeting night for March was changed to the third Monday, March 21, to avoid a conflict with spring break.

... Minutes from the previous meeting were read, corrected and approved.

proposal stage and she and Cannon were doing preliminary groundwork on the project.

stated that the form was only in the

Moving on to contract renewals for personnel, Villarreal made a motion to extend Administrative Assistant Jimmie Collins' contract by one year and grant him a 2.5% salary increase. This was seconded by Lloyd and approved by unanimous vote. This makes his contract effective through the '95-'96 school year.

FHS Principal Joe Christian was also renewed for one year with no increase in salary. The motion for this came from Hardy and was seconded by Simpson. The vote was 4-2 with Villarreal and Lloyd voting against. This makes his contract effective through the '95-'96 school year.

FJHS Principal Bruce Bramlett was extended for one year with a 2.5% increase in salary on a motion by Campbell with a second by Probasco and all voting in favor.

R. C. Andrews Principal Ellen Enriquez was renewed for one year with no salary increase on a motion by Lloyd, seconded by Simpson and passed 5-1 with Probasco voting against. This makes her contract effective through the 1994-95 school year.

Motion was made by Lloyd and seconded by Villarreal that Bobbie Weir, principal at A. B. Duncan Elementary, not be extended. She will have a contract effective through the '94-'95 school year.

Sheree Cannon, Special Education Director, was extended one year and given an increase of 2.5% on a motion by Hardy, seconded by Campbell. Her contract will be effective through the 1995-96 school year.

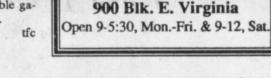
Athletic Director Dean Bates was extended one year by unanimous vote, making his contract effective until the '95-'96 school year. Motion was made by Lloyd and seconded by Villarreal. No action was taken concerning salary increase for Coach Bates.

Outstanding students for the month were recognized by the board. A. B. Duncan Elementary School honored Ragan Beedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Beedy, and Tyler Helms, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kary Helms. R. C. Andrews Elementary School chose Erica Diaz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Diaz, and Melinda Eubanks, daughter of Brenda Eubanks.

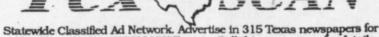
FJHS selected Roni Emert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Emert, and Adriana Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hill as the outstanding Junior High students. FHS students Brandi Ross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Ross, and Kevin Staples, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Staples were also honored.

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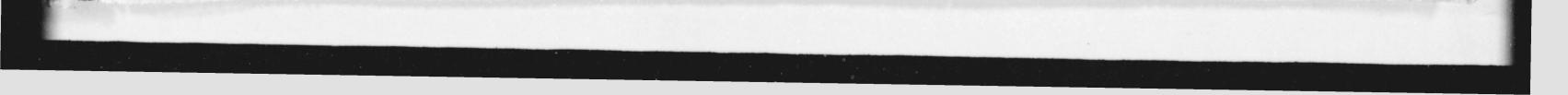
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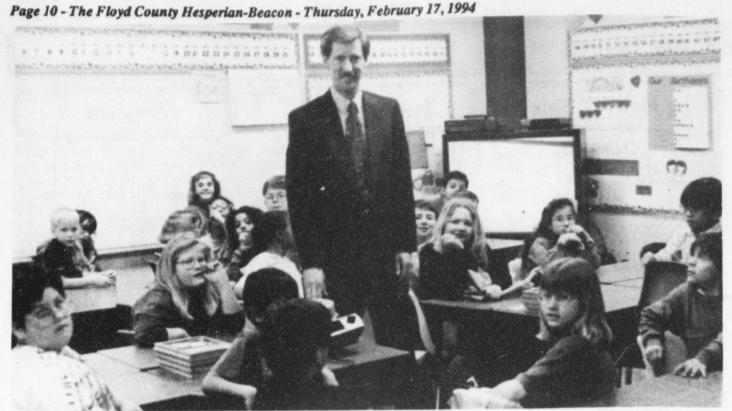
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**ROBINSON BRINGS WEATHER PROGRAM--The** third grade class at Lockney Elementary School gathered in Mrs. Cotham's room for a program on the weather. John Robinson of KCBD Channel 11 in Lubbock showed videos of stormy weather and told those present how to

protect themselves and where to go to be safe both inside and outside. He also showed slides of the television studio. the KCBD Weather Center set when they televise the news and weather, and pictures of the Doppler Radar which is located on top of the building. Staff Photo



8TH GRADE SHORTHORNS--Members of the Lockney 8th grade Shorthorn basketball team are (I-r, back row) David Hernandez, Adam Cummings, Casey Lambert, Devon Phillips, Josh Lambert, Carson Johnson, Simon Martinez, Coach Dowell; (I-r, front row) Tyson McDonald, Bradley Veal, Max Ramirez, Willie Luna, Clyde Walker, Charles Van Zandt and Anthony Poole. **Staff Photo** 

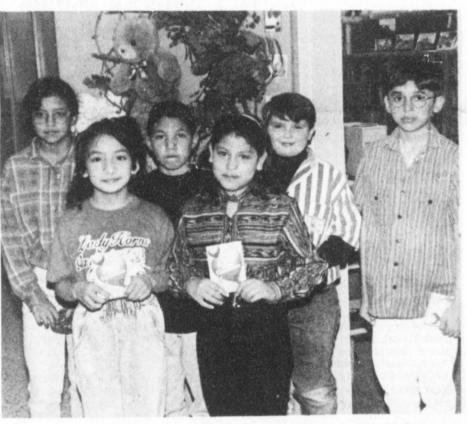
# **ELS** lab paper winners named

Students in Mrs. Patterson's ELS Lab classes at Lockney Elementary School held a Perfect Paper contest the first two weeks of February and six students were named winners at the end of the period. The students who turned in perfect papers are Lorena Bernal and Michael Padilla, fifth grade; Brad Durham and Jose Morales, fourth grade; and Krystal Castillo and Mary Anguiano, third grade.

Each of these winners has turned in complete papers with oral and written work from three to nine lessons in the ten days between February 1 and February 14.

Students from the classes are recognized each week for Perfect Papers and as Lab Pal.

The students who won the contest received a box of valentine candy for their efforts.



# Lockney School Board sets election

LOCKNEY-During the regular monthly meeting of the Lockney Independent School Board members called for the 1994 school board election.

The date of the election was set for May 7. The first day to sign up to run for the board is February 21 and the deadline for sign up is March 23. Board members whose terms will be up are Jim Bob Martin, Eddie Teeter and Gary Mangold. Teeter and Mangold were appointed to fill the unexpired terms of Carlton Johnson and Bernie Ford.

Anyone wanting to sign up to run for a seat on the board can do so in the office of the Superintendent at 416 West Willow during office hours.

Members of the board voted to extend the contracts of principals James Poole, high school; Terry Ellison, junior high and Phil Cotham, elementary school, for another year.

Also discussed and given a one year commitment was the Alternative Schools Cooperative program. LISD has been working with school officials from Floydada, Petersburg, Lorenzo, Ralls, Crosbyton and Plainview for the past few months on this cooperative program and have worked out details to the point that all the schools are seeking a commitment from their boards.

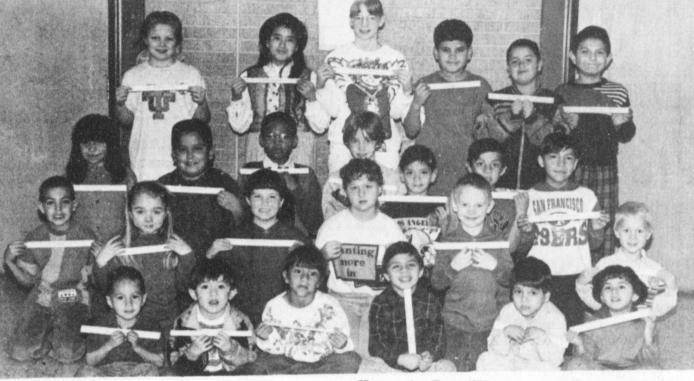
The campus, if all schools commit, will be housed in the Della Plain School in Floydada and will be designed to serve At-Risk students from ages 14-21. A basic academics program will be offered, with emphasis placed on vocational, TAAS preparation and GED preparation when needed. Most academic courses will be self paced. LISD hopes that this school will meet the needs of some of the At-Risk students. The board voted to accept sealed bids

on the ag pickup. The pickup is a 1989 crew cab pickup with 90,000 miles. A notice will be published in the Hesperian-Beacon concerningthe bids.

Mrs. Linda Terrell gave a presentation on the different aspects of the High School G/T English program. She covered the basic requirements of the program and showed some of the students projects.

In regular business the board read and approved the minutes of the previous meeting, approved payment of current bills and reviewed the financial report.

Present at the meeting were Superintendent Raymond Lusk, board members, Jim Bob Martin, Paul Glasson, Gary Mangold, Mike Mathis, Eddie Teeter, Dickie Lambert; principals, James Poole, Terry Ellison, Phil Cotham; and Linda Terrell.



LITTLE LONGHORNS NAMED--Named as Little Longhorns of the Week at Lockney Elementary School were Cameron Kemp, Dina Ledesma, Michelle Gross, Ulisis Martinez, Angel Torres, Jamie Cuella, Cristina Pesina, A.J. Thornton, Sabrina Gross, Cody Bailey, Paul

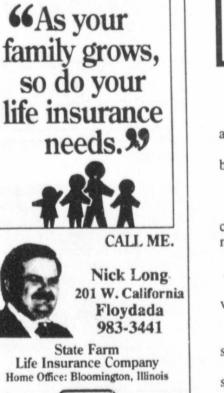
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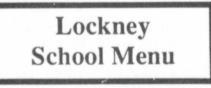


Team members of the Shorthorn team for 1993-94 are: (back, l-r) Matthew Lerma, Marc Wilson, Chris Rodriquez, Hank Henderson, Mike Vargas, and Coach Dowell; (front row, I-r) Abel Luna, Eddie Ochoa, Sammy Graham, Thad Lusk, Ryan Graves and Brett McQuhae. -Staff photo





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### Wednesday:

Breakfast: Cereal, toast, banana, milk Lunch: Grilled cheese sandwich, vegetable soup, crackers, grapes, milk

Thursday: Breakfast: Oatmeal, ham, apple-

sauce, milk Lunch: Taco, pinto beans, lettuce salad, Spanish rice, sopapillas, milk

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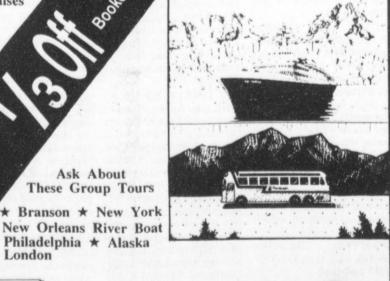
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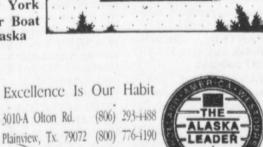


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ELS LAB RECOGNIZES PERFECT PAPERS--Winners of the Perfect paper contest held in the ELS Lab at Lockney Elementary School were (I-r, back row) Lorena Bernal, Jose Morales, Brad Durham, Michael Padilla, (I-r, front) Mary Anguiano and Crystal Castillo. Recognized with Perfect Papers for February 7-11 were Jose Morales and Michael Padilla. **Staff Photo** 

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8TH GRADE LOCKNEY WHITE—Team members of the Lockney White 8th grade Lady Shorthorn team for 1993-94 are: (l-r) Lori Garcia, Hope Rendon, Becky Lambert, Erin Schaeffer, Coach Ventura, Ashlee Breckenridge, Kimberlee Widner, Alana Davis, Shelly Pinales, and Rita Mann-Wiley. —Staff photo



8TH GRADE LOCKNEY BLACK—Team members of the Lockney Black 8th grade Lady Shorthorn team for 1993-94 are: (l-r) Stacy Bigham, Leslianne Hickerson, Eloisa Soliz, Pepper Billington, Gretchen Quebe, Coach Ventura, Noemie Sepulveda, Jennifer Cabello, Gloria Torrez, Callie Wilson and Jessica DeLeon. —Staff photo



7TH GRADE LOCKNEY WHITE—Team members of the Lockney White 7th grade Lady Shorthorn team for 1993-94 are: (l-r) Amy Davis, Noelia Balderas, Ana Zavala, April Ochoa, Kenzie Prater, Jalie Robnett, Coach Ventura, DeeLisa Muniz, Carolyn Pinales, Susie Peralez, and Lisa Cuellar. —Staff photo



7TH GRADE LOCKNEY RED—Team members of the Lockney Red 7th grade Lady Shorthorn team for 1993-94 are: (l-r) Tessa Stapp, Lacey Aston, Lilia Mondragon, Jessica Fernandez, Ysenia Saucedo, Coach Ventura, Lindi

# Julian reports for duty

FLOYDADA—2nd Lt. Jon T. Julian, son of Kendis and Janice Julian of South Plains, reported for active duty to Barksdale Air Force Base in Shreveport, La., on January 17, 1994.

He received his B.A. degree in Telecommunications from Texas Tech University in May 1993 and was commissioned a 2nd Lt. in the U.S. Air Force.

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Prior to his commissioning, Lt. Julian served as Squadron Commander of the Arnold Air Society, Cadet Operations Group Commander and Cadet Vice-Commander of the U.S. Air Force R.O.T.C., Detachment 820.

He was the recipient of the DAR R.O.T.C. medal and designated a distinguished graduate of the program. Lt. Julian currently serves as a maintenance officer for the 32nd Air Refueling Squadron.

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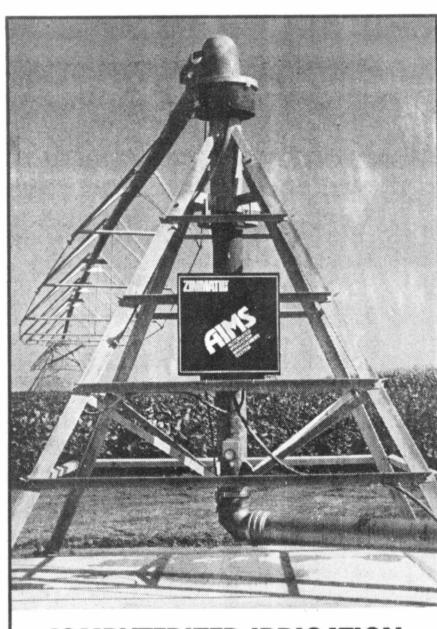


JV LADY HORNS—Team members of the Lockney Junior Varsity Lady Horns team for 1993-94 are: (back, l-r) Coach David Brewer, Janet Jones, Victoria Guerrero, Cynthia Martin, Kimberly Martinez, Leigh Wood, Debrah Ballejo; (front, l-r) Allison Mangold, Amy Anderson, Lisa Perez, Mandy Hunter, Mandy Galloway. Not pictured are Kaci Mathis and Jennifer Lynn. —Staff photo

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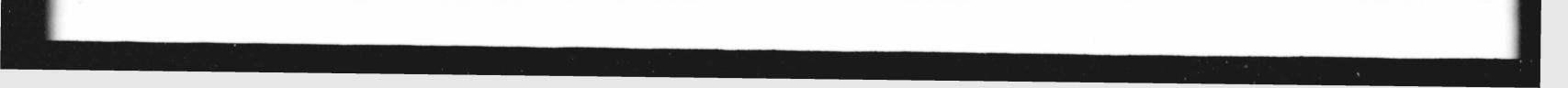


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# Six to ten inches of moisture needed

Floyd County producers within the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 need six to ten inches of water from precipitation and/ or irrigation to bring the five foot root zone soil profile to field capacity before the 1994 spring planting, according to pre-plant soil moisture survey data released by the Water District and the **USDA-Soil** Conservation Service (USDA-SCS).

Soil moisture readings are taken by lowering a neutron probe into a permanently-installed aluminum access tube at each monitoring site in the Water District. These sites are chosen based upon the soil type, the variations in the saturated thickness of the Ogallala Aquifer which indicates possible well yields, and typical farming operations in the area.

Soil moisture sites were also anayzed by crop type. For cotton, soil moisture readings indicate an average of 0.20 inches per foot in the top three feet, increasing to a 0.70 inches at the five foot depth.

Sorghum shows an average of 0.35 inches of available soil moisture per foot in the top three feet, increasing to 0.75 in the next two feet. Wheat shows 0.70

inches available in the top foot of soil, 0.40 inches at the three foot level, and 0.70 inches at the five foot layer.

Corn has the highest available soil moisture due to irrigation. The top foot of the soil shows 0.90 inches of available soil moisture, 0.60 at the three foot level, and 1.10 inches at the four and five foot levels.

Generally, each foot of soil holds two inches of soil moisture or a total of about 10 inches in the five foot root zone soil profile.

Data was collected at the Floyd County soil moisture sites in mid-November and early-December. Since then, very little precipitation has fallen to replenish the soil moisture. Recent snows have added small amounts, but farmers are encouraged to check moisture conditions at the two and three foot levels.

Historical data shows that aboveaverage crop yields are more likely when the five foot root zone soil profile is at or near field capacity at planting. Any precipitation received between now and the start of planting will improve soil moisture conditions and influence prospective crop yields.

Furrow diking will help maximize the benefits of any rainfall that occurs prior to spring planting. Maintaining furrow dikes during the growing season will continue to benefit crops by keeping rainfall on the field to be soaked into the soil.

The annual pre-plant soil moisture survey data informs irrigators about general plant-available soil moisture conditions across the 15-county Water District service area.

"Irrigators can use this information to estimate the amount of water needed to bring their soil to field capacity without over-irrigation. Producers should remember that this information reflects general soil moisture trends and should not be used in place of individual testing on their farms," says Wilfred E. "Willie" Crenwelge, USDA-SCS Soil Scientist.

Copies of the regional and/or Floyd County Soil moisture survey maps are available by contacting your local USDA-SCS field office or the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1, 2930 Avenue Q, Lubbock, Texas, 79405-1499 or by calling (806) 762-0181.

# **IFDATE** Two local agri-businessmen named to cotton organizations By Shawn Wate

High Plains cotton producers and ginners maintain a high profile within the U.S. cotton industry according to Lubbock based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG).

That's good news for High Plains cotton producers say PCG officials. The presence of so many PCG members. many of whom currently serve on the PCG Board of Directors, in the national arena, helps provide invaluable contact with people from government agencies and other parts of the Cotton Belt.

Furthermore, these contacts allow PCG to voice the concerns of the cotton producers on the High Plains directly to the decision-makers at the Federal and State levels.

Some of the positions currently held by PCG Board members include Chairman of the National Cotton Council (NCC) Texas Unit Myrl D. Mitchell, Lenorah; and, Texas Producer Chair-

# **Beef cattle artificial insemination** clinics being planned statewide

In order to better serve and educate ranchers and producers, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service has in the past worked closely with industry groups in co-sponsoring educational programs in artificial insemination for beef cattle in Floyd County. Due to the

### the jointly sponsored programs includ-1993 annual report ing ABS, COBA-Select Sires, Inc., for CI now available Elite, Inc.



Committee Jackie Burris, Wellman. Mitchell also serves as the Southwest Ginner Representative to the NCC Board of Directors.

"High Plains cotton producers have always been eager to take on new challenges and do the hard work that is necessary for success and our current representatives are no exception," says PCG Executive Vice-President Donald Johnson. "The quality individuals currently serving on our various industry Boards and Committees are a major factor in the High Plains maintaining its position of strength within the industry."

Johnson adds that when producers get involved and take an interest in the resolution of key issues it enables PCG and other industry organizations to be more effective when working on their behalf. In addition to the NCC, PCG Board members also serve on the boards for

low numbers of participants to support

this program the past two times, no

program will be held here in the county

this year. However, those that are inter-

ested in attending a clinic should take

advantage of a series of statewide clinics

set for 1994. Companies participating in

Medina Valley Genetics and Bovine

corporated. The following is a list of High Plains

producers currently serving as members or alternates to the National Cotton Council, Cotton Board and Cotton Incorporated.

#### **HIGH PLAINS PRODUCER** REPRESENTATIVES National Cotton Council:

Delegates: J. Kevin Belt, Hale Center; Dan B. Smith, Lockney; Jackie Burris, Wellman; Frank B. Jones Jr., Lamesa; Ron Craft, Plains; Ronnie Hopper, Petersburg; and Rocky King, Midkiff.

Alternates: Mark Williams, Farwell; Brad Bell, Seminole; Don Langston, Lubbock; Bruce Key, Tarzan; and Wilbert Braden, Midland.

Cotton Incorporated:

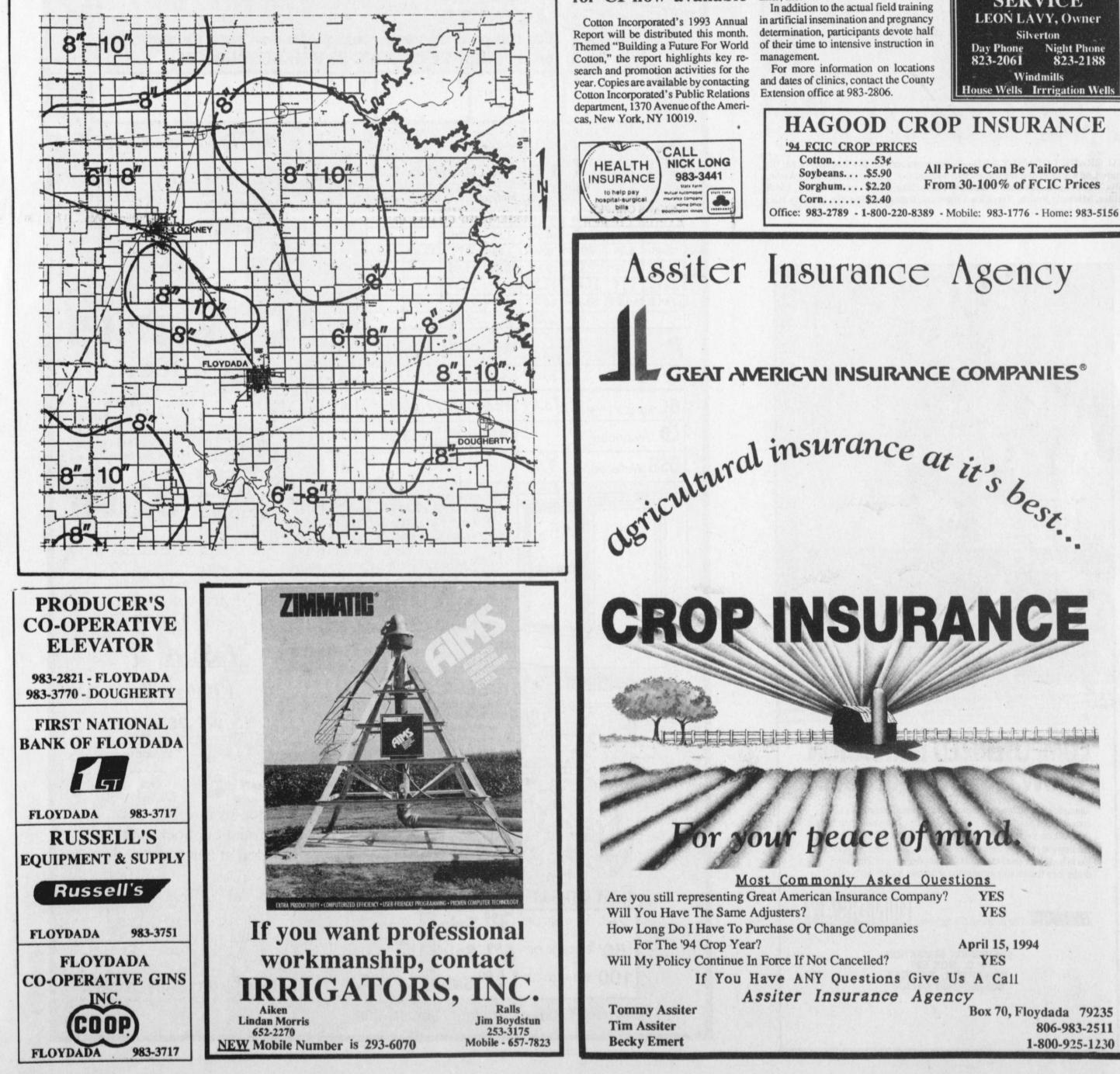
Director: Wayne Huffaker, Tahoka; Doyce Middlebrook, Lubbock; Gary Ivey, Ralls; Larry Nelson, Edmonson, Vice Chairman; and Eddie Smith, Floydada.

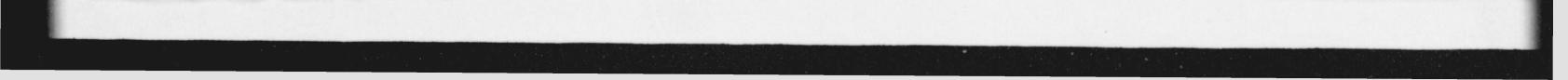
Alternates: Kevin Riley, Dimmitt; Jackie Mull, Idalou; Ricky Bearden, Plains; Wesley Butchee, Seagraves; and Dave Nix, Lamesa

Cotton Board:

Keith Streety, Levelland, Chairman: S.M. True, Plainview, Member; R.D. McAllister, Slaton, Alternate; Kent Nix, Lamesa, Alternate.







# McDonald to join SPS

Carroll McDonald, previously director of utilities administration for the City of Lubbock, joined Southwestern Public Service Company on Feb. 1 as administrative assistant for municipal relations. He retired from the city on Jan. 31.

McDonald will report to SPS Division Manager Jake Webb of Lubbock and will coordinate special projects for SPS Vice President of Marketing Gary Gibson.

McDonald will be working with communities who receive wholesale power from SPS. SPS currently provides wholesale power to municipal utilities in Lubbock, Brownfield, Tulia and Floydada. The company also is preparing a response to requests for proposals to provide wholesale power and related services to the City of Las Cruces, New Mexico.

"Carroll brings a wealth of experience and knowledge of the needs of communities that provide municipal electric service," said Webb. "He has a strong utility background and an excellent understanding of the long-term competitive issues facing municipal utilities, such as capital investments and the

cost and availability of natural gas and other fuels."

Gibson said this position presents a unique opportunity for McDonald to serve as a resource to area municipal utilities.

"Municipal utilities, as well as investor-owned utilities, face a myriad of competitive issues related to low-cost, reliable power," McDonald said. "My job will be to help assure that SPS and the municipal utilities work together as productively as possible."

McDonald originally worked for SPS from 1952 to 1978. He began as a groundman on a line crew in Clovis, New Mexico, and progressed through several positions, eventually becoming the SPS district manager in Lubbock in 1972. He then joined the City of Lubbock in 1979.

SPS is the franchised provider of electric service in 96 communities located in eastern and southeastern New Mexico, the South Plains and Panhandle of Texas, the Oklahoma Panhandle and southwestern Kansas. The company also provides wholesale power to four municipal utilities in Texas and to 17 rural electric cooperatives in Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma.



VALENTINE KING AND QUEEN -- Doris Hillin, left, and Homer Farmer, residents of the Floydada Nursing Home were named Valentine King and Queen during a celebration at the nursing home this week. The two were presented with a crown, banner, flowers and candy. --Staff photo

### Worship at the Church of Your Choice

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**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH** 

Harold Abney, Pastor

Lockney

Sunday:

**AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH** Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday:

Bible Study ..... 7:30 p.m. \*\*\*\* **APOSENTO ALTO DE PENTECOSTAL** 

203 SE 2nd & College 652-2204 Lockney **Chon Sepulveda**, Pastor Wednesday Evening ... 7:30 p.m. Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m. Sunday Worship ..... 5:00 p.m. \*\*\*\*\* **BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH** 810 S. 3rd, Floydada

**Darwin Robinson**, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School .... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship . . 10:45 a.m. Prayer Meeting .... 6:00 p.m. Evening Service ..... 6:30 p.m. Wednesday: Evening Services .... 7:30 p.m.

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> **CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST** Floydada

Sunday:

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 **BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Robin Hoover** Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m. **Claude Porter**, Pastor Sunday Worship ..... 11:00 a.m. Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m. \*\*\*\*\* Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m. **FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** Floydada **Clark Williams, Pastor** Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m. **CARR'S CHAPEL** Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m. Youth Fellowship ..... 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m. Sunday School .... 10:30 a.m. \*\*\*\*\* FIRST UNITED \*\*\*\* **METHODIST CHURCH** Lockney **Tommie Beck**, Pastor Sunday School ..... 9:15 a.m. Gene McCarty, Minister Worship Service ..... 10:30 a.m. UMY ..... 5:00 p.m. Bible Study ..... 9:30 a.m. Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m. Morning Worship.. 10:30 a.m. United Methodist Women, Hill Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m. Circle, 3rd Tuesday . . 9:30 a.m Wednesday: Ruth Wesley Circle, 2nd and 4th Bible Study ..... 7:30 p.m. Mondays ..... 10:30 a.m. \*\*\*\*\* **EVANS CHAPEL** FRIENDSHIP CHAPEL CME **BAPTIST CHURCH** Floydada **Rev. G.A. Blocker Rev. James Jenkins** Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m. Sunday ..... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m. Morning Service ..... 11:00 a.m. Afternoon Worship .... 2:00 p.m. Wednesday: Training Union ..... 6:00 p.m. Bible Study ..... 8:00 p.m. Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m. \*\*\*\*\* Wednesday: **GRACE FELLOWSHIP** Prayer Meeting ..... 7:00 p.m. CHURCH \*\*\*\*\* 211 N. Main, Lockney FIRST ASSEMBLY Interdenominational Church **OF GOD CHURCH Rev. Ted Samples, Pastor** Floydada Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m. Vance Mitchell, Pastor Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m. Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m. Evening Worship ..... 6:30 p.m. Morning Worship ..... 10:50 a.m. Wednesday Service ... 6:30 p.m. Sunday Evening \*\*\*\* Evangelistic..... 6:00 p.m. **GRANT CHAPEL** Wednesday: **CHURCH OF GOD** Night Service ..... 7:30 p.m. **IN CHRIST** \*\*\*\*\* John Williams, Pastor FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m. Floydada Monday Worship .... 11:00 a.m. Rev. Howell E. Farnsworth Jr. Evening Service ..... 7:30 p.m. Sunday: Tuesday: Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m. Prayer Service ..... 8:00 p.m. Morning Worship.. 11:00 a.m. Wednesday Service....7:30 p.m. Interest Studies . . . . 5:30 p.m. \*\*\*\*\* Discipleship Training...6 p.m. **IGLESIA DEL REY JESUS** Youth Choir ..... 6:00 p.m. 404 E. 6th St., Lockney Evening Worship ... 7:00 p.m. Lupe Banda, Pastor Wednesday: Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m. Children's Choirs ... 4:00 p.m. Evening Service ...... 6:00 p.m. Evening Meal ..... 5:45 p.m. Brown's **Barwise Gin Dept. Store Barwise Community** 983-2737 106 N. Main - Lockney - 652-3831 **Clark Pharmacy Davis Lumber** 320 N. Main - Lockney 102 E. Shurbet - Lockney 652-3353 652-3385 Lighthouse Goen & Goen **Electric Coop** Insurance Matador Hwy.-Floydada-983-2184 983-3524 102 E. California Oden **Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home Chevrolet-Olds** 329 W. Calif., Floydada, 983-2525 221 S. Main - Floydada - 983-3787 402 S. Main, Lockney, 652-2211 Producers Schacht

Tuesday: Youth Service ...... 7:30 p.m. \*\*\*\*\* MAIN STREET **CHURCH OF CHRIST** R.A.'s & G.A.'s.....6:45 p.m. Lockney Preschool Choir . . . 6:45 p.m. Ed Hull, Minister Prayer Meeting ..... 7:00 p.m. Bible Study ..... 9:30 a.m. Youth Bible Study ... 7:00 p.m. Morning Worship ..... 10:30 a.m. Adult Choir ..... 7:45 p.m. Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday: Ladies Bible Class ... 9:30 a.m. Bible Study ..... 7:30 p.m. \*\*\*\*\* MT. ZION Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m. **BAPTIST CHURCH** Floydada **Rev. Ralph Jackson** Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m. BTU......6:00 p.m. Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m. Wednesday: Mid-Week Prayer . . 7:00 p.m. Thursday: Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m. \*\*\*\* NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE **BAPTIST CHURCH** Floydada Jim Jackson, Pastor Sunday: Congregational Singing ..... 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m. \*\*\*\*\* PRIMER IGLESIA BAUTISTA Lockney Johnny Silva, Pastor Sunday School ......9:45 a.m. Worship Service ..... 11:00 a.m. Training Union ..... 5:00 p.m. Evening Service ..... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Service .... 7:30 p.m. G.A.'s ..... 7:30 p.m. Ambassadors ..... 7:30 p.m. Fellowship Luncheon - 1st Sunday of Month; Music Worship -Last Sunday with evening service

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Floydada **Rev. Lupe Rando** Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship ..... 10:55 a.m. Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening ... 7:00 p.m. 1st Wed.... Organization Night \*\*\*\* SAN JOSE **CATHOLIC CHURCH** Lockney Msgr. Tim Schwertner, Pastor Wednesday: Communion Ser ..... 8:00 p.m. Saturday Vigil: Mass of Sunday .... 7:30 p.m. Sunday Mass ..... 12:30 p.m. \*\*\*\*\* SOUTH PLAINS **BAPTIST CHURCH Ernest Stewart**, Pastor Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m. \*\*\*\*\* SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF **GOD TEMPLO GETSEMANI 308 Mississippi Rev. Thomas G. Lopez** Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m. **Evening Evangelistic** Service ..... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday: Family Night ..... 7:30 p.m. \*\*\*\*\* ST. MARY MAGDALEN **CATHOLIC CHURCH** Floydada **Father Ricardo Salditos** Sunday Mass ..... 11:30 a.m. Weekday Masses ..... 7:30 p.m. Cargill **Hybrid Seeds** 652-3339. Aiken Feather **Your Nest** 120 S. Main-Lockney - 652-2491

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(Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday) Office & Rectory Phone: 983-5878 \*\*\*\* **TEMPLO BAUTISTA** SALEM Lockney **Pedro Reves, Interim Pastor** Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m. Worship Service ..... 11:00 a.m. Christian Training .... 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer Meeting ..... 7:30 p.m. \*\*\*\*\* **TEMPLO BETHEL** SPANISH **ASSEMBLY OF GOD** Washington and 1st St. 652-2181 Lockney Armando Pinales, Pastor Sunday School ......9:45 a.m. Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship..... 5:00 p.m. Wednesday Service ... 7:30 p.m. \*\*\*\* **TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA Rev. Herman Martinez** 308 W. Tennessee Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m. Sunday Prayer Service.. 2:00 p.m. Evening Worship. .... 5:00 p.m. Tuesday: Evening Service .... 7:30 p.m. Thursday Service ..... 7:30 p.m. \*\*\*\*\* **TEMPLO PODER DE LA** ALABANZA PENTECOSTES **Rev. Manuel Rendon, Pastor** 704 N. Main, Lockney 652-3704 Sunday Services ...... 10:00 a.m. \*\*\*\*\* **TRINITY CHURCH** 500 W. Houston Floydada **Interdenominational Church James Poteet**, Pastor Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening ..... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer. ... 7:30 p.m. \*\*\*\*\* 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 601 W. Lee, Floydada 983-5437 **Gordon Parsley**, Pastor Sunday School&Church Service, Continuous......10:00 a.m. Evening Service ..... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer&Bible Study ... 7:00 p.m. \*\*\*\*\* WEST COLLEGE **CHURCH OF CHRIST** West College & Third, Lockney Frank Duckworth, Evangelist Morning Worship .... 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Service .... 8:00 p.m. \*\*\*\*\* WEST SIDE **CHURCH OF CHRIST** 983-3548 Floydada Sunday Worship ..... 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening ..... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday ..... 7:00 p.m. \*\*\*\*\*



JUNIOR KING AND QUEEN--Floydada Nursing Home 1994 Junior King and Queen were Jonathan Luna and Kristie Reyes. The two earned the honor by raising the most amount of money, which will benefit the residents' activity fund. Jonathan, 7, is the son of Abran and Janie Luna and Kristie, 9, is the daughter of Manuel and Alex Reyes. --Staff photo

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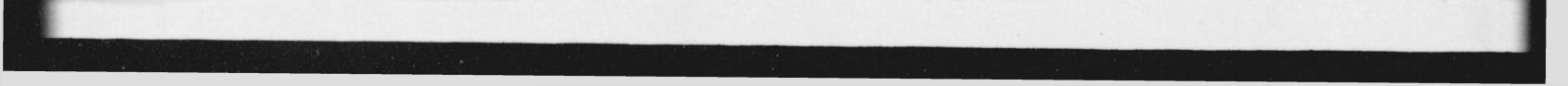
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MISS FLOYDADA RUNNERS-UP—Runners-up in Saturday night's Miss Floydada Pageant were (l-r) Carrie Emert, 4th runner-up; Amy Garcia, 3rd runner-up; Corinne Pesina, 2nd runner-up, and Misty Bertrand, 1st runnerup. —Staff photo by Sandy Price



LITTLE MISS RUNNERS-UP—Runners up in the Little Miss Floydada competition were (l-r) Laura Reddy, 4th runner-up; Meghan Graham, 3rd runner-up; Regan Beedy, 2nd runner-up, and Kayla Stovall, 1st runner-up.



JUNIOR MISS RUNNERS-UP—Runners-up in the Junior Miss Floydada competition were (l-r) Crystal Riojas, 4th runner-up; Candice Herrera, 3rd runner-up; Karen Renee Resio, 2nd runner-up, and Ruth Ann Vasquez, 1st runner-up. —Staff photo by Sandy Price

# Floydada students win at regional art competition

Floydada art students in Roxanne Bishop's class, recently competed in the West Texas Regional Scholastic Art competition. Several students came home winners and two of Bishop's students will advance to national competition.

Gold Key winners, who will advance to Nationals, were: Tyson Edwards, 12th grade, Drawing, and Bobby Luna, 10th grade, Communication Arts.

Anthony Robles, 9th grade, was a Silver Key winner in the Drawing division.

Honorable Mentions included: Amy Gilly, 12th grade, Printmaking, Ismael Vega, 11th grade, Painting, Luis Ybarra Jr., 12th grade, Drawing, Anthony Robles, 9th grade, Painting, and Diane Gonzales, 8th grade, Ceramics.

The Scholastic Art Competition has been conducted annually for 67 years by Scholastic Inc., in conjuction with regional sponsors to encourage junior and senior high school students to achieve in creative art. Regional exhibitions give

students the opportunity for local recognition and scholarship offers. National honors are gold medals, scholarships, cash awards, and the honor of display at a nationally prominent location.

This is the 67th year of the National Scholastic Arts Awards program. It is sponsored by the Texas Tech Art Department in cooperation with Hallmark Cards and Strathmore Paper Company.

The West Texas Regional encompasses 67 counties in Texas, and 18 counties in New Mexico. It was judged by Angela Heath, M.F.A., Dr. Marvin Platten, Associate Professor, College of Education, Texas Tech University, Francis Stephen, M.F.A., Professor of Art (retired), Texas Tech University.

Please Use CAUTION in School Zones



DECA students compete at District level

FLOYDADA—Floydada High School DECA Chapter competed at the 28th Annual District 8 LDC contests in Wichita Falls February 7 and 8. The group had several members that placed 1st and 2nd, who now qualify for the state competition.

Placing at the competition were: Danika Dudley, 1st place, high point honors, on District Quiz Bowl Team; Kenneth Marley, 1st, in Quick Serve Restaurant Management; Scott Hulme, 1st, in Advertising and Visual Merchandising; Zacha Harris, 1st, in Hospitality and Tourism Marketing; and Nate Davis, 1st, in Supervisory Level of General Marketing;

Olivia Huerta, 2nd place, third alternate, in Hospitality and Tourism Marketing; Kevin Staples, 2nd, second alternate, in Hospitality and Tourism Marketing; Amber Pyle, 2nd, first alternate, in Supervisory Level of Retail Merchandising.

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TINY MISS RUNNERS-UP—Runners-up in the Tiny Miss Floydada competition were (l-r) CamaRay Gooch, 4th runner-up; Laura Herrera, 3rd runnerup; Randa Shurbet, 2nd runner-up, and Johanna Dawdy, 1st runner-up. —Staff photo by Sandy Price

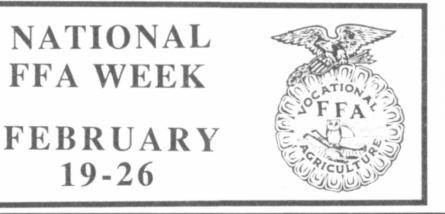


The group will compete at the state level on March 10-12 in Houston.

Have A Nice Day!

**DECA COMPETITORS--Floydada High School DECA** students competed at the District level in Wichita Falls last week. Earning honors were (back, I-r) Nathan Davis,

Kenneth Marley, Scott Hulme, Kevin Staples; (front, 1-r) Olivia Huerta, Amber Pyle, Danika Dudley and Zacha Harris. --Staff photo



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