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A view from The Lamplighter

By Ken Towery

We can now relax. The Brady bill is now the Brady law. Our big cities will no longer be jungles with various tribes contesting for drug turf. The criminal element, now convinced that the nation means business, will, no doubt, back off. The lion will lay down with the lamb.

It is also true that the moon is made of green cheese.

The Congress of the United States, long dominated by liberals intent upon socializing America, has made itself famous for standing truth on its head. For years we have been told that passage of the Brady bill would have a tremendous impact upon the crime situation in our big cities. No amount of logic, no amount of reason, seemed to deter them. Finally, when they got a President who agreed with them, and with the help of a national media also dominated by liberals, they came out on top. The Brady bill was passed and is now in effect.

Not so strangely, however, no sooner was the bill passed than we began to hear, from the same people who were instrumental in its passage, that we should not expect too much from it, that really it is only the first, symbolic, step toward solving the real problem. The next step must be licensing those guns now in the hands of gun owners. And their ideal world, of course, will only come when all guns are removed from the hands of private citizens, when the Second Amendment is interpreted as applying only to the government, a government run by a self-serving class of professional, power-hungry career poli-

In our own personal opinion, we have no real quarrel with the theory of a five day waiting period before a citizen can buy a handgun. But in the real world it will have little or no effect upon the crime situation in America. Those who commit the crimes will find their weapons. They will commit their crimes. And they will also be assured that when, or if, they do get caught, the chances of going to prison and staying there, will

be slim indeed. But no matter how meaningless the law will be in dealing with crime in America, it was very meaningful in the world of politics. This now proves, to those who don't think, that Mr. Clinton, Mr. Foley, Mr. Mitchell and all their liberal political kith and kin, have finally turned the page and are now "tough on crime."

One short item before we turn to a paragraph on the upcoming elections, and before some of our readers begin to think we are being somewhat heartless in our assessment of the Brady bill, now the Brady law. We know, or rather we knew, Jim Brady. We were together in the Reagan campaign in 1980, during which I was "officially" the press "spokesman" for the campaign. Jim was a former newsman also involved in the campaign. He was a big, friendly bear of a man, who in fact went by the nickname "Bear." He was well thought of by members of the travelling press. Much of the time he travelled with the candidates, but as far as I could tell had no real, identifiable duties other than to be a good guy. The real head of the overall press operation was Lyn Nofziger, who was my immediate chief. When the campaign was over, and Reagan won, there was much speculation concerning who would go to the White House as Press Secretary. Nofziger didn't want it. Others who far outranked Brady didn't want it either. It finally went to him, and it was he who was with Reagan during the assassination attempt and it was he who got hit in the head by a bullet meant for Reagan. For a long time his survival was questionable. Ultimately his wife, Sarah, whom I did not know, became interested in the subject of gun control and aligned herself, and Jim, with those who finally passed the bill. One can understand her emotional concerns, and her actions. One can also understand the concerns of those who passed the bill. But that does not make future assassination attempts any less likely. Nor will passage of the bill make drive-by shootings any less likely in our nation's

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CHAMBER HONORS--Floydada Chamber of Commerce bestowed citizens with awards during theirannual banquet Saturday night. This year's recipients were (back, 1-r) Mark Lee, Employer of the Year; Nick Long, Extra Mile Award; Roy Roy and Richard Larson, Cargill Hy-

brid Seeds manager, Special Award; and Clar Schacht, Citizen of the Year. The Citizen Through the Years award was presented to the family of the late Jerry Thompson. Accepting the award were his wife, Jan, and sons, Greg -- Staff photo by Sandy Price

# Outstanding citizens recognized

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

By Sandy Price

FLOYDADA—The prestigious and infrequently bestowed Citizen Through the Years award was conferred posthumously to Jerry Thompson Saturday night at the Floydada Chamber of Commerce's 46th Annual Banquet. Larry Ogden, the Chamber's '93-'94

president, presented the award.

"We that shared his life found a safe harbor amidst the storm of everyday life.

# Early voting tally rises

As of deadline time on Tuesday, March 1, there had been 292 early ballots cast in the March 8 Primary Election. According to officials in the Floyd County Clerk's Office, 5 people have voted early in the Republican Party and 287 have cast ballots for the Democratic

Early voting will end at 5:00 P.M. on Friday, March 4. The election will proceed on Tuesday, March 8 with voting taking place at polling locations around the county. (Voting locations are detailed in the back of the paper in legal notices from both Republican and Democratic Party.) All voters are asked to bring their voter registration card with them when they come to vote.

> **Election results** posted Tuesday

The Hesperian-Beacon office in Floydada will post the election results of only contested races on Tuesday night, March 8.

Candidates for city and school elec-

tions have been slow to file. The sign-up

period will continue through March 23.

As of presstime, four people have indi-

cated a desire to pursue an office in the

May 7 municipal elections. No candi-

dates have come forward, incumbent or

challenger, in the city races for Lockney

LOCKNEY CITY COUNCIL

cil representative this year in Lockney

are 1, 2 & 3. With the change to single

member voting districts, anyone who

wants to run should contact City Secre-

tary Charlotte Hooten at City Hall.

Anyone concerned about whether or not

their district will vote on May 7 or

wondering which district they should

vote in, may obtain more information by

LISD BOARD OF TRUSTEES

School District are up for election this

time. Incumbents in those districts, #1,

Three seats for Lockney Independent

Districts which will elect a city coun-

and Floydada.

calling 652-2355.

He accepted us as we were and knew voice — Excuse me, his vocal projecyou Jerry," Ogden said.

"I hope he knows what's happening here tonight. He would be proud," said Jan Thompson, Jerry's wife, accepting the award with her two sons, Greg and Mark, at her sides.

representing Cargill Hybrid Seeds.

"There is a sign in front of Cargill which reads 'Momentum — Once you are moving in the direction of your goals is the positive belief that echoes in all that the employees of Cargill undertake; and so, we present this Special Award to a group of very dedicated people who have truly earned our admiration and applause," Carthel said.

This year's Citizen of the Year award is bestowed upon Clar Schacht and was presented by Bobby Gilliland.

kidding manner, telling of Schacht's contributions to the community. "He (Schacht) is noted in town for his loud Continued On Page 3

how to bring out the best in us. We miss tion — and jovial nature. He can be counted on to do or say anything. Which puts him in great demand at events where a person is needed to put others at ease or make a fool of themselves," Gilliland

Schacht accepted the award with a Anne Carthel presented the Special shaking voice, thanking both the Cham-Award to Richard Larson and Roy Ray, ber and his wife, the former Judy Maggard, and his two children, Meredith

Schacht is the agency manager of Floyd County Farm Bureau. He has lead - nothing can stop you.' I believe this his agency to win the National Quality Award three times, has served as treasurer for the Life Underwriters Association in insurance and is currently the

judge of District Three Farm Bureau. In every community there is always one individual who goes the extra mile in supporting the community through volunteer services and leadership. The chamber selected Nick Long, who is Gilliland introduced the award in a known even as far away as Dallas, as the "Punkin Man," as the recipient of this

# Lions Club commandeer Floydada radio station

By Alice Gilroy

Election sign-up is slow

The revolt has started and Floydada Lions Club will assault the local radio station armed with a quick wit and tongue twisting advertising. The yearly revolution will take place on Floydada's KAWA 900 AM, or KFLL 95.3 FM this Saturday, March 5, beginning at 7:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m.

The Lions thoroughly enjoy wrecking havoc on advertisers and listeners alike and you can tell by the laughter coming from the control room.

#2 and At-Large, are Jim Bob Martin,

Eddie Teeter and Gary Mangold. Any-

one interested in running for one of the

trustee positions may contact the LISD

administrative Office at 416 W. Willow

or call 652-2104 for more information.

FLOYDADA CITY COUNCIL

Large positions are on the ballot for May

7 in Floydada. Incumbents are Amado

Morales, Wayne Tipton, Clar Schacht

and Eric Cornelius. Anyone wanting to

sign-up for a place on the ballot should

contact City Hall at 114 W. Virginia or

Precinct 1 and Precinct 2 trustee

positions are up for election this year.

Incumbents Steve Lloyd and Trena

Simpson have indicated their intention

to seek reelection. Anyone who would

like to run for one of the school board

posts should contact the FISD Adminis-

trative Offices at 210 W. California or

983-2834.

983-3498.

FISD TRUSTEES

District 1, District 4, and two At-

Funds raised by the advertising read

on the air during "Lions Radio Days" goes to local charities and other Lion Club charities.

The Lions Club will use money to provide eyeglasses for local needy school children and will also give donations to local Boy Scout programs. Donations will also be give to help Lion Crippled Children's Camp, Lions Eye Bank and the Lions Diabetes Camp.

Advertisements are written by Lions and read on the air by Lions. At least one responsible Lion will man the controls and try to keep order in the radio room. Sit your family around the radio this Saturday and tune into KAWA 900 AM or KFLL 95.3 FM. for good music and

You'll never know what is in store and you'll always be surprised at what you hear-mainly because the Lions never know what they are going to do and are always surprised at what they



TOM HAYWOOD

# Kenneth Wyatt speaking at Lockney banquet Saturday

LOCKNEY—Kenneth Wyatt, artist, sculpture and author from Tulia will be the speaker at the annual Lockney Chamber of Commerce banquet. The banquet will be held Saturday, March 5 at 7:00 p.m. in the Lockney Elementary School Cafetorium.

Wyatt is well known for his western paintings and real life sculptures done in bronze and pewter. He is also an author with several books to his credit.

His series, "Offer Them Christ", are paintings of Jesus, Paul and the twelve Apostles. They were commissioned to commemorate the church for 200 years of Methodism in the United States.

He is currently working on paintings depicting fourteen women of the Bible. Wyatt turned to painting after 32

years as a Methodist minister. He was fourteen years old when he pastored his first church. He became an ordained Methodist minister in 1944 at Stephenville and was later ordained as a deacon and as an elder.

He graduated from Stephenville High School, John Tarleton Junior College and McMurry College. He did his graduate work at Baylor University and received a Doctorate of Fine Arts from McMurry.

Wyatt and his wife, Veda Mae, are the parents of a son Mark and a daughter Jill. Highlights of the chamber banquet

will include the naming of the Citizen of the Year and the Extra Mile Award. Two businesses have been selected to be recognized. New officers and directors for the coming year will also be announced.

Charlie McQuhae, chamber president, will be the master of ceremonies for the event. Members of the Lockney High School National Honor Society will serve the meal and Lucy Dean

Record will provide the dinner music. Tickets for the evening are \$10.00 per person and can be purchased from any chamber director, at the First National Bank, Lockney Cooperative office, Cargill Hybrid Seeds, Caprock Industries and the Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon office in Floydada. Tickets will also be available at the door.



**KENNETH WYATT** 

# High seeks Floyd County vote during campaign stop Seeking to be the Republican's choice

Doyle High, a candidate in the Republican primary for the Texas Senate Seat District #30, stopped in Floydada on Sunday to meet with constituents during a reception at The Lamplighter Inn.

to take on Incumbent Democrat Senator Steve Carriker, High told the crowd that

Carriker had put "his political ambitions ahead of our District's priorities." "For example," said High, "Carriker voted for the two largest tax increases in Texas history. In 1991 Carriker was the #1 biggest spender in the Senate voting for every single bill that called for more

spending. Carriker voted for a 324% pay High said he believed in the "common sense approach to running government." He opposes taxes, unfunded mandates, gun control and the Robin

Hood funding plan for public educa-High also expressed a strong desire for tort reform and for "stopping frivolous lawsuits which are costing the state

millions of jobs from the loss of businesses being afraid to locate to Texas." High has received the endorsement of Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry,

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#### **DOYLE HIGH** Lockney administrator resigns

By Alice Gilroy

W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital Administrator Jeff Reecer submitted a 30 day notice to the hospital board of directors on Feb. 15. His resignation will become effective March 15. Reecer and his family will be moving to Snyder where Reecer will serve as administrator of Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

A Lockney native, Reecer came to Lockney hospital Oct. 1, 1990, from El

Paso Sierra Medical Center. He is the son of Paul and Zora Reecer of Lockney. His wife, Dena Reecer, serves as the County Attorney and also has a private law practice in Floydada.

According to Hospital Board President Claude Brown, "Reecer is currently reviewing applications. If we have not chosen a permanent replacement by the time he leaves we may get an interim administrator."

# Haywood seeks Republican bid in March 8 primary

Tom Haywood, of Wichita Falls, is a Republican candidate for the Texas Senate, District 30, which now includes Floydada and Lockney.

"I want to serve the people of District 30 because I truly believe that I share their conservative beliefs and family values," said Haywood.

"I ran a very close race for this seat in 1992, nearly defeating the incumbent Steve Carriker," said Haywood. Haywood lost that seat by only about 2,000 votes out of nearly 200,000 bal-

Tom was born and raised in Dallas, where he met and married his high

school sweetheart Pat. They have been married for 34 years and are the proud parents of four children and three grandchildren.

Pat is a public school teacher and administrator with the Wichita Falls Independent School District. Tom and Pat are active members of First United Methodist Church in Wichita Falls.

Haywood believes that the most important issues facing Texas today include crime, lawsuit abuse, and a common sense approach to balancing the rapidly growing state budget. "As a small business owner, I know how to Continued On Page 3



Just a little bit of election information for those of you who may be thoroughly confused about what state senatorial district you are in.

You may notice we have announcements from two Republicans running in Texas Senate District 30. The winner in the primary will face Sen. Steve Carriker.

You may ask yourself why we are concerned with fellows running in District 30 when we continue to run "On Your Payroll" information in our paper which lists this county in State Senate

I'm going to attempt to set the record straight. First of all-it's all very confusing, but you can rest assured that we aren't crazy and neither are you. We are also not the only ones who get confused. Even the Senator and Representative's offices get confused about whether we are in their district or not.

It all started with the 1990 census, the results of which required changes in many political districts.

The state legislature (controlled by Democrats) drew new lines creating a change in our Senate and House seats, as well as our Congressional District.

After the new lines are drawn, we lost Warren Chisum as our State Representative and got Pete Laney. But we kept Carriker in the plan drawn by the Texas Senate. Republicans challenged the new configuration in court, on a lot of grounds. The courts agreed and drew new Senate districts. We were put in Lubbock Senator Montford's 28th District (which is where we currently are until the election).

Then the Democrats took the case to a higher court, which threw it back to the State Legislature to decide.

Back to the beginning—and I repeat. The state legislature (controlled by Democrats) went back to its redrawn lines, which put us back in Carriker's

You may find this hard to believe but the Legislature returned to their original "gerrymandering".

We got Carriker again, or will have him if he wins. Personally we would have rather stayed in Montford's dis-

We will be in District 30 after the next election.

Our State Representative will still be Pete Laney in District 85.

We have had some comments throughout the year concerning our "On Your Payroll" list which we put in the paper. We have been told that we had the wrong Senator on our list-that it was supposed to be Carriker not Montford.

Every so often I would check it out by calling and making sure we were right. Two out of three times I would receive an answer like-"I'm not sure, but I think ya'll are in District 28-Let me check." They would then come back to the phone and say-"Yes, you're still in our district but you won't be for long."

So you see-you're not the only ones who are confused. You're just the only ones who will admit it.

Did you know that our senate district is larger than 10 individual states and about the same size as South Carolina? It stretches from Sherman on the eastern edge, Snyder on the southwest corner, and north up to Wheeler in the Panhandle. The district includes Floyd, Castro, Swisher, Armstrong, and Carson counties as well as the city of McKinney and part of Abilene.

I didn't make it to Floydada's Chamber Banquet and I'm very sorry that I didn't. I would have loved to cheer for those folks who won awards.

They were all very deserving individuals and I think that the judges who did the picking did a great job.

From what I understand there were a lot of very deserving people nominated. Isn't it great when you live in a community where it's hard to pick just one deserving person!

Congratulations Clar Schacht, Nick

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# Floydada bank featuring two artists in March

FLOYDADA--The First National Bank of Floydada is featuring artwork from two artists during the month of March. This month's guests are Carolyn Day and Marcia Standefer Breedlove.

Carolyn Day started painting in 1978 after rearing three children. She has studied under Conny Martin, Pat Krahn, Lonnie Mason, Bettie Felder, Carroll Collier and Mary June Holton. She has been the recipient of many awards in area shows. Her work is in private collections in Dallas, Houston, Ft. Worth, Corpus Christi and Lubbock as well as being in a Denver, Colorado,

After serving on the board of, directors of the Lubbock Art Association, the

last two of which she served as President, Carolyn is now the Public Relations Director and workshop chairman for the West Texas Arts and Botanical Association. She also teaches pastel classes for beginners. Some of her work can currently be seen in Butler's Framing Shop and Art Gallery.

Marcia Standefer Breedlove, a native of West Texas, grew up near Lubbock. She received her bachelor's and master's degrees from Texas Tech and has been an educator for more than 20

Like many people, Marcia has always enjoyed painting and maintained a studio in Denver, Colorado, for several years. Her work has been in gal-

# Kenneth Wyatt art exhibit on display at FNB in Lockney

LOCKNEY—The First National Bank in Lockney will have a showing of Kenneth Wyatt paintings on Friday, March 4. The exhibit will be shown in the lobby of the bank during banking hours. The public is invited to come by and enjoy the work of this western artist

When business is Good, It pays to advertise! When business is Bad, You've got to advertise!

Wyatt is well known for his western painting and real life sculptures done in bronze and pewter. He is a sought after after-dinner speaker and will be speaking at the Lockney Chamber of Commer Banquet on Saturday, March 5. Wyatt is also an author with several books to his

Currently he is painting 14 women of the Bible. His series entitled "Offer Them Christ" was commissioned to commemorate 200 years of Methodism in the United States. This series consists of Jesus, Paul and the twelve apostles.

Wyatt's oil paintings and watercolors are characterized by his attention to detail, feeling of intense emotion and depicting of realistic western scenes.

His books are filled with paintings and poems and his sculptures feature the western way of life.

leries in Denver, and Taos, New Mexico, and has won awards from Pastel Society of America and Allied Artists of America.

She was selected as a Merit Invitational Artist by the Lubbock Art Asso-



ciation. Marcia has also taught paint-

MARCIA S. BREEDLOVE

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# **Courtroom Activities**

In county court February 23, the fol-

Long, Mark Lee and Cargill! Best

wishes also to the family of Jerry Th-

ompson. He truly deserved the Citizen

Through The Years award. I felt sad

after I heard Jerry was going to get this

award. I just wished he was still alive to

accept it-then I started thinking about

the truly great rewards he received when

he got to Heaven. Its nice to know that he

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Don't forget the Lockney Chamber of

Commerce Banquet, this Saturday,

March 5, at Lockney Elementary

School, beginning at 7:00 p.m. The

speaker is Kenneth Wyatt. Everyone

who has ever heard Wyatt tells me that

he is a great speaker. I'm looking for-

One more don't forget——Don't for-

get the Lions Club Radio Days on Satur-

day, March 5, from 7:00 a.m. until 3:00

p.m. You probably won't be able to

stand listening to it for very long, but

you will get a lot of laughs while you do.

knows how we all feel.

ward to it.

lowing cases were filed: Jessie Ascencio, Theft; Terri Darlene Chaney, 25, of Floydada, was charged with DWI:

Jose Garcia Jr., 20, of Floyd County, Martin Garza, 29, of Floydada, DWI; Jose Guadalupe Gonzales III, 23, of

Floyd County, DWI: Kristopher Albert Long, Speeding Frances Nieto, Theft;

Jose Armando Ortiz, 27, of Floyd County, DWI and Evading Arrest; John C. Randle, Speeding Appeal; Lionel Roderick, Possessing Mari-

Pasquel Valdez, Driving While License Suspended; Darolyn Williams, 28, of Floydada,

DWI; There was no disposition on the any of

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"NEIGHBORS HELPING NEIGHBORS"

# City adds more recycling programs

By Alice Gilroy

In an effort to show "good will" toward complying with future state mandates, the City of Floydada has embarked on several recycling programs.

The landfill battle has been long and hard for Floydada and only with a concerted recycling effort from the citizens could the future of the landfill remain positive.

To reduce the large amount of newspapers in the Floydada landfill, the city has placed a recycling bin for newspapers at the Pay-n-Save parking lot. The bin is put out and picked up on Fridays and should only be used for newspapers and the advertising inserts inside of newspapers. No slick paper or cardboard boxes should be placed in this bin.

Another newspaper recycling bin has been placed inside Blanco Offset Printing plant to collect spoiled or unused newsprint. Printing newspapers all over the South Plains, Blanco Printing has traditionally had a large amount of paper

# Lamplighter

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As our readers know we normally do not get too involved in local races, figuring local citizens know the candidates as well or better than we. But we have been known to express views concerning state and national politics, as well as state and national politicians. This time, for reasons we won't go into right now, our comments will be rather brief. For those who vote in the Democratic Primary in March (and then usually vote Republican in November) we think one would be well advised to vote for Raul Gonzalez for the Supreme Court, rather than his opponent. For those who vote in the Republican Primary we think the best choice for State Senator would be Doyle High of Haskell. We think he would have the best chance of defeating Steve Carriker in November And this district would be well served with Mr. Carriker's defeat. The best choice, in our opinion, for Congressman in the Republican Primary would be "Mac" Thornberry of Clarendon. When the Primaries are over we can all assess our choices again.

to discard during the week.

People who wish to recycle their boxes can deliver them to Pay-n-Save loading dock where they will be flattened and packed for recycling. "We just ask that you do not leave the boxes at the back door without telling us they're there," said store manager Johnny Summers. "The wind blows the boxes into neighbor's yards if we are unable to put them inside right away."

"The city has also put out an oil tank for do-it-yourself oil changers," said City Manager Gary Brown. "Just bring your old oil and filters to the tank east of Floydada Fire Department on north Main Street. The city is also in the process of obtaining a grant for oil filter crushing equipment."

A grant is also in the making for the purchase of a chipper and light duty truck for tree limbs.

## Haywood seeks Republican bid

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balance a budget by cutting spending, not by raising taxes," said Haywood. "The people of Texas want lower taxes and less government regulation."

Tom also favors term limitations for our elected officials and local control of education. "I want to return control of educating our children to our local school districts, teachers, and parents."

Haywood was a physics professor at the University of North Texas and Midwestern State University, where he later served as Director of University Affairs. He moved from M.S.U. to become the Executive Director of the North Texas Oil & Gas Association, where he learned a great deal about the petroleum industry. He now owns a small business, a property tax and appraisal company in Wichita Falls.

He has served on the board of directors for Crimestoppers, Drug Free North Texas, Boy Scouts of America, Texas Association of Business and West Texas Children's Aid Society.

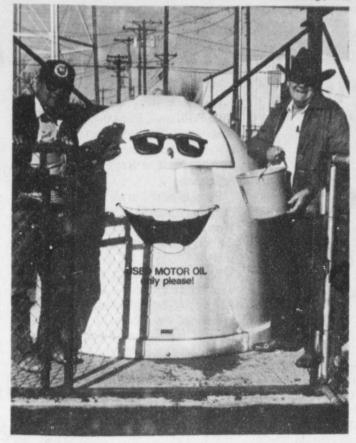
If anybody has a question or comment about any issue, Tom encourages you to call him toll-free at (800) 866-7330, or writing Box 8552, Wichita Falls, Texas 76307.

For those who use aluminum cans you can do your part for recycling and for cancer research by depositing your empty cans in the stock trailer by the Floydada Branch of the First National Bank in Lockney.

"When the landfill does open," said Brown, "people will have to do some things which won't be too popular, but which will have to be done in order to remain open. Anyone bringing a load of trash will be required to separate the trash for recycling. White metals, such as appliances, will have to be separated as will scrap lumber, limbs and yard

"We also anticipate placing designated dumpsters in the alleys for grass clippings," said Brown. "We shouldn't have to fill up our landfill with grass clippings if people would leave the cut grass on the ground. The clippings are good for the soil.

We had to show the EPA that we were willing to cooperate in order to keep our landfill open," said Brown, "it will now have to be a community effort to make the plan work."



OIL RECYCLING -- City employee Joe Falcon and NEWSPAPER RECYCLING -- City secretaries (1 to r) Municipal Judge Frank Breed are ready to deposit used Elza Mercado, Karen Lawson and Chris McGowan motor oil in the new city recycling facility. -- Staff Photo demonstrate using the newspaper recycling dumpster.



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Long is a native of Lockney and has spent 17 years in the radio broadcasting

and advertising business. 'He is described by friends and coworkers as someone who cares for his fellow man, one who loves his family, his church and his community," Nancy Marble said when she presented the

Pepper Hinkle, Miss Floydada, presented the Employer of the Year award to Mark Lee.

Lee is a graduate of Texas A&M. After graduation, Lee and his wife, Holly, formerly of Matador, moved to Floydada

## High courts county voters

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many newspapers, the National Federation of Independent Businesses and other pro-business groups, the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers and Texas Cattle Feeders, Texas Republican Party Chairman Fred Meyer as well as many others.

Both Doyle and his wife, Roberta, grew up on family farms and still have farming interests. They are registered pharmacists and have owned "The Drug Store" in Haskell since 1970.

He earned a bachelor's degree in pharmacy from Southwestern Oklahoma State University and a master's in pharmacology and toxicology from the University of Kansas.

High is a member of the boards of directors of the Texas Pharmaceutical and the West Texas Pharmaceutical Associations and is a member of the Legislative Steering Committee of the National Association of Retail Drug-

Doyle is a former member of the Board of Trustees of the Haskell School District, and an organizer and charter director of a new bank in Haskell. He is also a licensed real estate broker and licensed auctioneer.

A native of Walters, Oklahoma, High moved to Abilene in 1968. The Highs are active members of the First Baptist Church. They have two children, Holli High, employed by Anderson Consulting in Austin, and Kirk High, employed by Bank One in Fort Worth.

"I strongly believe in the values of honesty, hard work, home, family and faith," said High, "and I know we can do more, can do better without more government and heavy taxes."

Doyle can be reached by calling 817-864-2111 or writing Box 697, Haskell,

# Outstanding Floydada citizens recognized at banquet

to manage the John Deere dealership. In the nomination letter sent to the year's Extra Mile Award.

Chamber he was touted as "a young man with ambition, vision, compassion and community spirit; the main ingredients he is a top rate employer," his employ-

After he accepted the award, Lee thanked his employees for the honor.

"You are the employees of the year. You take care of the business more than I do," he said.

The evening's events included the announcement of retiring directors, holdover directors and the newly elected directors of both the Floydada Chamber of Commerce and the Floydada Women's Division.

The retiring directors of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce are Wally Davis, Mark Lee, Becky Emert and Larry

The hold-over directors are Randall Griffin, Stephen Becker, Roxanna Cummings, Tami Nielson, Sheldon Sue, Cindy Dudley, Bobby Gilliland, James

Hale, Margaret Herrera and Candy The newly elected directors are Kenny Chance, Paul Sharp, Jim Finley and Rick

The retiring directors for the Women's Division are Vickie Norrell, Julianne Cornelius and Debra Graham.

The hold-over directors are Julie Duke, Mitzi Nixon and Melissa Long, and the newly elected directors are Anne Carthel, Deedie Covington and Allison Robertson.

Entertainment for the evening was provided by Ray Stone. Stone had the

entire audience laughing with his funny, true life stories about the Dallas Cow-

On a more serious note, he advised Floydada residents to spend their money for a good employer - and that is what at home. "Money spent in Lubbock is lost money," Stone said.

He urged every property owner and every business owner to become active in the Chamber of Commerce.

"The heartbeat of America is not Chevrolet," Stone said. "It is communities like Floydada."

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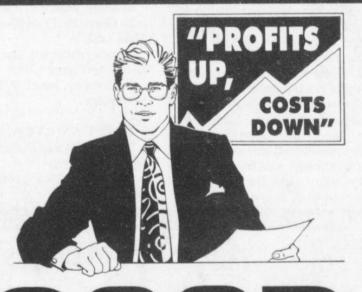
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# Christie Jack Pare named 1993 HEIB of the Year

Christie Laine (Jack) Pare has been named the 1993 Caprock Home Economist in Business of the Year. A native of Lockney, her parents are Delton and Clydelle Jack.

She has been a Marketing Representative-Home Economist for Southwestern Public Service Company since December 1989, providing educational programs to adults and youth groups, schools, civic clubs and businesses on electric safety, energy, lighting, appliances, food preparation and nutrition. Previously, she was a County Extension Agent for Home Economics in Gaines and Crosby Counties.

In the last four years, Christie has served as the Caprock group secretary, public relations chairman, membership chairman, colleges and universities chairman, delegate to the National HEIB meeting in Denver in 1992, and currently is the local group chairmanelect.

Pare is a member of the Texas and American Home Economics Association and the Texas and National Home

#### Floydada Senior Citizens Menu

March 7-11

Monday: Chicken fried steak, white gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, wheat rolls, fruit salad, milk/ beverage choice

Tuesday: Hot dogs on bun, pork and beans, cheese onions relish, marinated vegetables, pineapple gelatin, milk/bev-Wednesday: BBQ chicken, corn

cobbetts, spinach casserole, tossed salad, biscuit, vanilla pudding, milk/beverage Thursday: Hamburger steak, brown

gravy, macaroni salad, okra and tomatoes, apricots, wheat roll, oatmeal cookies, milk/beverage choice

Friday: Turkey or chicken and dressing, peas and carrots, tossed salad, hot roll, apple cobbler, milk/beverage choice

#### Lockney students recognized on WBU President's List

Three Lockney women were recently named to Wayland Baptist University's President's List for the 1993 fall semester. This list recognizes students carrying 12 semester hours or more and who

achieved a grade point of 4.0. Lockney students named to the list were: Sandra Cummings, a senior education major; Julie Dorman, a senior multidisciplinary education major; and Linda McCready, a senior office technology major, and the daughter of

Economist in Business groups.

She has been a member of the Texas Tech College of Human Sciences Alumni Association for four years and serves as the membership chairman. She also has been a member of the Texas Tech Ex-Students Association for 8 years.

Christie has served on the Texas Home Economics Association nominating committee: American Heart Association Food Festival and Heart At Work Committee; American Cancer Society Public Education Committee; Home Economics Advisory Committee for Lubbock Christian University in 1991; Outstanding Young Women in America in 1988 and 1991; and volunteered at the South Plains Food Bank and the Ronald McDonald House in 1992 and 1993.



**CHRISTIE PARE** 

# We Salute In Lockney

HAPPY BIRTHDAY Friday, March 4: Stephen Martin, Dorothy Bailey

Saturday, March 5: Retha Wofford, Larry Hammit, Lonny Hooten, Scott

Sunday, March 6: Otero Scheele, **Danny Cervantes** Monday, March 7: Juanita Broseh, Juan Guerrero, Frank Guerrero Jr.,

Thad Lusk Tuesday, March 8: Josie Palomin,

Jinna Sue Turner Wednesday, March 9: Sylvia Hernandez

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY Saturday, March 5: Frank and

Amelia Guerrero Sunday, March 6: Leonard and Julie

# West and Cagle marry in Abilene

Lisa Dale West became the bride of John William Cagle on Saturday, February 26, 1994, during a wedding ceremony in the Elmcreek Baptist Church in Abilene. The Rev. Sherman Ervin

Parents of the bride are Sherre West of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Johnney West of Fredricksburg. The groom is the son of Bill and Joanne Cagle of Pla-

Attending the bride as maid of honor was her sister, Jonna Cunningham of Abernathy. Best man was Rusty Cagle, brother of the groom, of Lubbock and Cortni Cunningham, niece of the bride, served as ring bearer.

The couple's grandparents are Mr.

and Mrs. John Key West of Floydada, Ms. Helen Shelby of Lubbock, Mr and Mrs. B.D. Vick of Brownwood and Mrs. Jo Cagle of Plainview.

The bride is a graduate of Floydada High School, Angelo State University and the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School, where she earned her Bachelor of Science in Physical Therapy. She is employed by Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene.

The groom, a graduate of Floydada High School, received his Bachelor of Science degree from Texas Tech Uni-

Following a wedding trip to South Padre Island, the couple will reside in

# Floydada Nursing Home Happenings

**By Jo Bryant** 

FLOYDADA--Hi! How are you this cold, snowy morning? At least the snow

Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. Several family members attended. The pies of all kinds were good. Thanks to all who attended and brought the pies.

dents that they recall have been in office can come to eat. Mrs. Ophelia Sanders during their lives, some had remembered

Bernice Robison had the first Bingo. Mary Alice Davis came and assisted the residents. The residents played dominoes and enjoyed some popcorn.

Friday, Donna Thiebaud and Jo Bryant ate lunch at the senior citizens in Silverton. They have a nice building there. They meet on the third Friday of the month. Faye Self, L.V.N., who fills in for us lives in Silverton. Jo Bryant, activity director, passed out the newsletter and calendar and explained the function of the Floydada Nursing Home.

Freida Simpson came and played the piano for us Friday morning. Jo Bryant gave the devotional

We welcome a new resident, Lois

Well it seems as if March came in like a lion with high wind, rain and snow. The Our main event was the pie supper on old saying is, if it does it will go out like a lamb.

March 8, Tuesday, we will be serving a noon buffet for senior citizens, ladies from the Companions 'n' Caring and for The residents discussed all the presi- the family. Let Dorothy Kerr know if you chose the menu for March. It will be fried chicken, potatoes, green beans, hot rolls and fruit.

Thought:

"Do not fear what may happen tomor-

The same loving Father who cares for

Will care for you tomorrow and every Either He will shield you from suffer-

Or He will give you unfailing strength

Be at peace then, and put aside all, Anxious thoughts and imaginings." -- St. Francis de Sales



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# We Salute In Floydada

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Thursday, March 3: James Lovell, David Battey, Lyndall Roberts, Mason Lipham, L.V. Assiter

Friday, March 4: Troy Morales, Haylie Brice, Molly Stringer, Sam Mercado, Jason Newsted

Saturday, March 5: Cynthia Hill, Linda S. Lucio, Cassie Herrera, Krista

King, Cade Miller, Willie Windom Sunday, March 6: Victor Herrera, Melissa Enriquez, Maisey Martinez, Eva Vasquez, Mary Enriquez, Sammy

Bradley, Lacy Golightly, Don Bean, Fred Cardinal, Shane King, Jaime King Monday, March 7: Jennifer Walding,

Gregory Vasquez, Gregory Poteet Wednesday, March 9: John Collins, Keith Richard Woody, Robert Lee Luna, JoAnna Johnston, Rachel Riojas, Emma Sanchez, Brenda Lee

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY Sunday, March 6: Mr. and Mrs. C.O.

Tuesday, March 8: Boone and Ruth

Wednesday, March 9: Randy and Julie Duke

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# Senior Citizens Rockins

There were 55 present for supper on Thursday night and everyone enjoyed games afterward.

Geneva, Theta, Gladys, Marie and Gene want to thank everyone that helped us host this month.

We have a very exciting month coming up. I believe the hosts will be Hazel and Jewel and anyone else who wants to

We will have entertainment next Thursday night.

We will have a quilt block demonstration and we want to get Mrs. Cypert to give a necklace demonstration. We have a lot of talent in our center, so come and join us.

We are still working on the building. Everyday there is something to do if you

Let's remember our people in our prayers: Martha, Jimmy, Georgia and everyone who is ill.

Our sympathy goes out to the Beverly Towler family on the death of her mother in Oklahoma.

March 7-11, 1994 Monday: Pork steak, two vegetables,

salad, dessert Tuesday: Chicken, two vegetables, salad, dessert

Wednesday, Chicken fried steak, two vegetables, salad, dessert Thursday: Pork chop, two vegetables,

salad, dessert Friday: Fish, two vegetables, salad,

The menu is subject to change.

# Pruning, gardening preparation are good activities in March

By Kerry Siders, CEA-Ag.

As spring gets nearer, gardening enthusiasts may be getting antsy to get back into the garden and get their fingernails dirty. Though it is still a bit early for new planting, fertilizing or mowing because frost and freeze are still with us, there are some things you can do to get a head start on the spring gardening season.

Now is the time to prepare garden soil for later planting. You can add compost, tree leaves that have not blown away, shredded pine bark, manure and other organic matter.

March is also a good month for pruning trees and shrubs that bloom during the summer months. Yet, do not prune severely at this time. This hinders them from starting new growth because they put all their energy into repairing damage. New research has also shown that

leaving a quarter-of-an-inch stub where you prune helps in the healing process of the tree. Pruning at this time should be reserved for trees and plants that bloom during the summer months. If you prune plants that bloom in the spring, you will be cutting off this year's blooms.

If you're not sure whether a particular plant blooms in the spring or summer, contact the County Ag. Agent at 983-2806 or your local nursery.

#### **Lockney Junior** Directors hold monthly meeting

LOCKNEY--First National Bank in Lockney Junior Directors met at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 24, at the Floydada Branch. Directors present were Nathan Davis, Chairman; Allen Martin, Heather Fondy, Jerod Glasson and Mandi Vrubel. Also attending were Ronnie Hardin, Judy Jackson, Paul Sharp, Stacey Smith, Sandy Walden and Robert Wilson.

Robert Wilson, the bank's attorney, spoke to the board members about what it took to become a lawyer. He addressed what kind of schooling and time it would take and the kind of demand there was for lawyers in Texas. He also indicated "one must have a love for the law to survive being a lawyer in these times."

Wilson also explained the meaning of bankruptcy and how it could help people as well as harm them.

After questions and discussion from board members, the meeting was adjourned.

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Tues..Mar. 8 Mexican Casserole Cookies-N-Cream Pie

Thurs.. Mar 10 Beef Stroganoff Cherry Fantasia

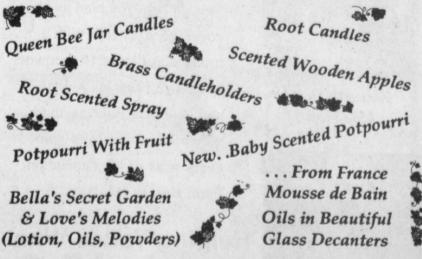
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# NSDAR awards Good Citizens

Buffalo Grass Chapter NSDAR met and let God help bring this country back to Tuesday, Feb. 22, at Lighthouse Elec- where it needs to be. tric. Mrs. Nancy Marble, Regent, presided. After the opening, Mrs. Janis Julian introduced the DAR Good Citizen Award winners. First place went to Allen Martin of Lockney, son of Jim and Kay Martin. The two runners-up were Trisha Kay Martin of Ralls, daughter of Harry and Sharon Wolfe, and Brandon Gilliland, Floydada, son of Bobby and Barbara Gilliland.

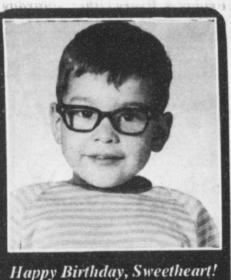
Brandon was unable to be present and Mrs. Julian read his essay. Trisha Kay Martin read her essay and Allen then read his essay. They were titled: "American Heritage and Our Responsibility to Preserve It."

The students essays read as follows: By Allen Martin

We, the people of this great nation should be very proud of our American heritage. Over two hundred years ago, our forefathers battled through numerous hardships in order to establish their own society. A society in which they were free to choose how to live their life and a society free of the tyranny they had lived under for so long in Great Britain. This nation was for ged from the hard work, suffering, and blood of a multitude of men and women who had the desire to call themselves Americans. In this day and age, I feel we have gotten away from many of the principles upon which this nation was founded. We as Americans hold the key to our own future and I think we have a responsibility to preserve the heritage we are so fortunate to have.

"In God We Trust", this statement appears on every piece of currency in the United States. When this country was established, that statement was very true. However, I feel we as a society have lost many of the morals which made the founders of "America" the type of strong, courageous people they were. They had the strength to stand up for what they believed, mainly because they had faith that God would stand by them. Their religion was an important part of their society, and because of their strong religious ties, their society was much closer and stronger.

In our society today religion is not nearly as important. There are those of us who have a strong Christian background or beliefs, but those in charge have let their faith wander right out of their lives. Government personnel have quit allowing God to guide them in their duties. In fact they have tried to totally take God out of the government. Through the separation of church and state, they have made it to where prayer and religious beliefs are not allowed to take place in public schools. We as Americans need to work to preserve the statement, "In God We Trust",



From Benita and Daniel

"Hard Work", this a principle which played a key role in the founding of this na-

tion. Those who set out to make this a great nation had to work very hard to achieve their goals. The early settlers of America had to work extremely hard in order to simply survive. They prided themselves on hard work and that is essentially what allowed them to be so successful in founding a new nation, one that would later become the most powerful and prosperous nation on the planet.

Despite the fact that the United States is one of the most predominant nations in the world, I feel we have lost sight of what it was that got us to where we are today. Many people do not realize that the true key to success comes from hard work and perserverance. They expect great things to happen to them without them having to really work hard to do it. Too many people would rather someone else do the work and just benefit from the final results. We as Americans must remember how important hard work is and strive to work hard to better ourselves and our nation.

Finally, I feel that in our society today we are too concerned with taking care of our selves and insuring that we get what we want. We seem to not worry about our fellow Americans and hope that their shortcomings work out for our personal gain. Early Americans had to really work together and help one another through the tough times. Without the help and support they provided for each other, that our way of life will be around for many

our heritage going. In doing that we must first of all keep photographs and accurate records of our family's past. Second, we must keep the next generation aware of everything our ancestors fought to keep for us.

They may not have been able to pass down

much of price value, it's the mental value that matters. It may be a story they used to read to us or a blanket they used to tuck us in bed. To keep all of this preserved we must keep it within the family from generation to generation. Another way to keep our great heritage going is to keep the basic thoughts going such as morals, and religion that we sometimes forget and when we forget, we are forgetting about our heritage!

When I hear the word heritage I think of family first. But we must not for get the heritage of our great country. Most all of us have had a family member who fought to keep this country great. Whether it be the Revolution, World War I, World War II, Korea, Viet Nam, Desert Storm, or just someone who saw the misfortunes this country has faced and managed to stand by our beliefs and never give

By Brandon Gilliland The importance of our heritage is not only about the present, but it is also a valuable asset to the Americans of the future. We should cherish everything that we have and realize that many other people do not even have the opportunity to even consider. So, what is there that we can do to be certain

**ALLEN MARTIN** 

BRANDON GILLILAND

TRISHA K. MARTIN

this country might not have ever been a reality. I strongly believe that if we as Americans would begin trying to help one another rather than take advantage of one another we can improve this nation and solve many of the problems we face.

Although this great nation has many problems, it is still the United States of America. We as citizens are lucky to live in such a great nation. As citizens we must always remember our forefather 's faith, hard work, and be-We must remember our heritage and that it is our responsibility to preserve it. We, the youth of America, hold an even greater task, for we are the future and the future of this great nation lies in our hands.

By Trisha Kay Martin

Our ancestors worked hard for the little they received in their time. The things they left us is our heritage. They may have passed down a quilt, or a book, but they always passed down a part of their lives and their way of life like their morals, and beliefs. When people think of heritage they think of possessions that are passed down from one generation to another. But I disagree. Heritage to me is our past, what our ancestors left of themselves, such as family stories, beliefs and religion. This kind of heritage is what makes each person the unique people

It is our responsibility to preserve and keep

The importance of our heritage started when the United States first started to take form. From the very first Americans, we have always appreciated the fact that we want the very best and that we will work very hard in order to achieve all our many goals. From the wagon wheel, to the electric motor, we have strived for the unique trait of opportunity that many people can't even begin to

Our freedom is the building block of all of our lives. Many people have fought and died in order that it continue to thrive throughout not only the good times, but the bad times as well. Every American should respect the opportunity to work and achieve everything that they have a chance to consider. That very point is what people have wanted to give others from the very beginning. So, for that matter, we should do everything in our power to further that privi-

Preserving our way of life starts from day one. It is basically taught every day of our lives that not only we are special, but that everyone around us is also special. If this was not a factor, then the point to succeed would not even be a factor, much less a necessity. Thus, our way of life would be drastically altered. Although, it is a necessity, so we should take on the responsibility of ensuring that not only my children have the chance to go out and buy the clothes that they want, but my great-grandchildren's children have that same opportunity and ambition.

In conclusion, it is my opinion that all of us contribute to the ongoing of our heritage. It started a long time ago with the original thirteen colonies and it should continue to

thrive forever. Everyone who steps foot inside this country should have the opportunity to achieve the "American Dream" and not only be a success, but a major contributing factor to not only our society, but also the entire nation of people that make our \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Mrs. Julian presented each of the students with a DAR Good Citizens cer-

tificate and pin from the chapter. The hostesses, Mmes. Vera Jo Bybee and Gayle Reay served refreshments to: visitors, Mrs. Nell Norvell of Hereford, Mrs. Ruth Burleson of Lockney, Mmes. Barbara and Ruth Gilliland of Floydada, Allen Martin of Lockney and his parents, Jim and Kay Martin, Trisha Kay Martin of Ralls and her mother, Mrs. Sharon Wolfe, her brother, Paul and a friend, Jay Heathington, and members: Mmes. Jeannette Wilson, June Sherman, Emily Johnston, Dorothy Hodges, Mary Lou Bollman, Margaret Wheeler, Ona Ruth Neff, Susan Dunavant, Ozena Norris, Nancy Marble, Gene Reed, Janis Julian and Sandra Smith.

In the business session, June Sherman read the President's General's message and Jeanette Wilson presented a Resolution from the State Regent's office concerning the Preservation of Cemeteries, Parks and Historical Sites. Several of these have been destroyed by the building of new highways and also by Urban Growth.

The chapter accepted Mrs. Ruth Burleson as a chapter member pending her acceptance by NSDAR at the next board of management meeting April 5.

Members reported ill were Martha Mangold in Lockney hospital; Eugenia Bethard recovering at home from knee surgery, and Virginia Taylor improving at home with a back injury.



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PREPARING POPCORN—Duncan Elementary PTA members gather at the school every Friday morning in order to prepare and distribute popcorn to students. The activity is a fundraiser for the PTA. Volunteers involved in the popcorn sales are (I-r) Josie Torrez, Sandra Bradley, Shawnda Greer, fundraising chairman; Julianne at the school.

Cornelius, Dee Leatherman, Abby Battey, Vickie Norrell and Brenda Heflin. Not pictured is Deedie Covington. PTA members also invite parents to visit their child's school during Texas Public School Week, Feb. 28 through March 4. Parents may visit with their child's teacher or have lunch

# Co-op sponsors youth tour for 30th year

FLOYDADA--Again in 1994, for the 30th consecutive year, Lighthouse Electric Cooperative will sponsor two area high school students on the Government-in-Action Youth Tour to Washington, D.C. This year's tour is scheduled for June 9 to June 21.

As participants in the Youth Tour, local winners will join other winners from across the state to travel by chartered bus to Washington where they will spend six days touring places of historical interest, visiting members of Congress, and getting a first-hand view of their government in action.

Any high school age boy or girl who resides in the general service area of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, which includes the school districts of Plainview, Petersburg, Floydada, Lockney, Valley, Memphis, Lakeview, Crosbyton, and Motley County, other than immediate family members of Lighthouse employees or directors, will be eligible to compete for the trip.

The two winners will be selected from participants in the Co-op's Youth Tour contest, with the finals to be held April 7, 1994, at the Lighthouse Electric Cooperative headquarters in Floy-

Contestants will be required to submit an essay to the Cooperative headquarters by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, April 1, 1994. The essay must be an original composition by the contestant on the

subject, "The REA - Is It's Mission

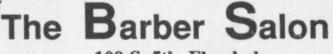
Accomplished?".

From the essays submitted, a maximum of six (6) finalists will be chosen to present their essays orally to a panel of judges at the cooperative headquarters in Floydada at 6:30 p.m., Thursday, April 7, 1994. From these six fi-

nalists two winners and two alternates will be chosen.

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CHRISTOPHER BRANTON, son of Robert and Tricia Vernon of Plainview, was born February 9, 1994 at 10:26 p.m. He weighed 7 lbs. 14 ozs. Grandparents are Vaughn and Ethelyn Hunt of Lockney and the late Don Vernon; Mark Wende of Abilene and Cynthia Williams of Quin. Great-grandparents are Thelma Price of Plasinview and Katherine Wende of

BRADEN ELEE, son of Crawford and Marvina Mason of Matador, was born February 9, 1994 at 1:54 p.m. He weighed 8 lbs. 10 1/2 ozs. Grandparents are Bud and Virginia Brinsfield of Matador, Ray and Connie Mason of Plainview, and Marvin and Mary Smoak of Matador.

DERRIK FRANKLYN, son of Jeffrey Lynn Smith and Sonya Ramirez of Silverton, was born February 10, 1994 at 5:41 p.m. He weighed 6 lbs 10 oz. Grandparents are Lynn and Connie Smith of Silverton and Adelmira Ramirez of Silverton and the late Frank Ramirez

SOLEDAD ESTEFANA, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Salvador Aguilar of Plainview, was born February 12 at 1:10 a.m.. She weighed 6 lbs, 7 ozs. Grandparents are Felipe Aguilar of Rio Verde San Luis Potosi, Mexico, and Manuel and Mary Garcia of Petersburg.

DARRION BEIGHN, son of Juan Baca Jr., and Shondai Flores of Plainview, was born February 13, 1994 at 9:09 a.m. He weighed 7 lbs, 7 1/2 ozs. Grandparents are Juan and Josephine Baca Sr. of Plainview and Manuel and Betty Nagar

STACEY RENEE, daughter of Carmen Ledesma of Lockney, was born February 18 at 3:40 p.m. She weighed 4 lbs, 15 1/2 ozs. Grandparents are Toribio and Amelia Rodriquez of Lockney.

TRACY ANN, daughter of Hector and Jennifer Enriquez of Floydada, was born February 20, 1994 at 3:36 a.m. She weighed 7 lbs, 7 ozs. Grandparents are Selma Mendoza of Floydada, Leonardo Gutierrez of El Paso, and Hector and Maria Enriquez Sr. of Floydada.

JESSICA LYNN, daughter of Bobby and Maria Alcozer of Plainview, was born February 22, 1994. She weighed 7 lbs, 3 ozs. Grandparents are Vicente and Irma Gaitan of Uvalde and Bobby and Hope Alcozer of Aiken.

JUAN JAIME, son of Maria G. Garcia of Plainview, was born February 23, 1994 at 10:12 p.m. He weighed 6 lbs, 13 1/2 ozs. Grandparents are Juanita D. Magana and Ismael B. Garcia of Plainview.

TROY GLENN, son of Esther Salas and Rudy (Frank) Loya Jr. of Plainview, was born February 23, 1994 at 3:35 a.m. He weighed 7 lbs. Grandparents are Joe and Ramona Moreno of Plainview and Rudy Sr. and Delma Loya of Ruidoso, New Mexico.

XAVIER RENEE, son of Julio Cesar and Gabina Cervera of Floydada, was born February 26, 1994 at 4:59. He weighed 6 lbs, 10 1/2 ozs. Grandparents are Victor and Maria Cervera of Floydada and Manuel and Gloria Suarez of Floydada.



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#### Lockney FHA News

By Holly Ascencio

February 12-19 is designated as National Future Homemakers of America Week. Members of the Lockney FHA made locker tags for the students to let everyone know about FHA Week and to help celebrate.

Prizes were given out at the end of the week.

On Monday, February 14, FHA

members sponsored a Valentine party for the Lockney Care Center. FHA members really enjoyed spending time with the elderly people at the center.

On March 11-12 FHA will be going to Lubbock for the FHA Regional meet-

#### Lockney school dismissing early

Lockney schools will dismiss at 12:00 on March 8th and 9th for Staff Development.

Lockney schools will dismiss for Spring Break at 3:00 p.m. on Friday, March 11th and return to classes on Monday, March 21st.



TPCC AWARD WINNER -- Recipient of a Texas Parent Coordinating Council Distinguished Service Award this year was LISD employee Maria Arellano. The award is given for service, commitment and leadership in -- Staff Photo fostering parental involvement in school programs.



LITTLE LONGHORNS NAMED-Named as Little Longhorns of the Week at Lockney Elementary School were (L-r, back row) Vanessa Walker, Tyler Bybee, Holly Arjona, Jessica Bianco, Wade Miller, Jesus Lopez; (l-r, middle row) Janee Hrbacek, Cheryl Reed, Melody Her-

nandez, John Wayne Lopez, Marcus Ascencio, Jeran Butler, Danny Molina; (I-r, front row) Isabel Torrez, Vanessa Becerra, Rima Gonzales, Lydia Mendoza, Frankie Hays, Adrain Luna and Nathan Hancock.

-Staff Photo

Lockney School Menu

March 7-11

Monday Breakfast: Chicken breakfast sticks, milk, fruit cocktail Lunch: Corn chip pie, corn, lettuce

Tuesday Breakfast: Oatmeal, milk, ham, pine-

salad, sopapillas, apple, milk

apple

Lunch: Ham and cheese sandwich, french fried potatoes, grapes, milk

Wednesday Breakfast: Oatmeal, milk, ham, pine-

Lunch: Corn dog w/mustard, banana, fried okra, vegetable soup, crackers, milk, ice cream

Thursday Breakfast: Eggs, roll, gravy and ba-

Lunch: Hamburger steak, mashed potatoes, carrots, rolls, milk, fruit gelatin

Friday Breakfast: Cereal, milk, toast,

Lunch: Sloppy Joe on bun, lettuce, tomatoes, potato salad, apple cobbler, milk

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ELS LAB STUDENTS RECOGNIZED—Juanita Mendoza was named Lab Pal of the Week and Rigo Ascencio received the Perfect Paper award at Lockney Elementary School for the week of February 28-March 4. The students are members of Mrs. Patterson's ELS Lab class.

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# Arellano receives TPCC Service Award

LOCKNEY-Region XVII hosted the 14th annual Texas Parent Coordinating Council Conference on February 23-25 at the Holiday Inn Center in Lubbock. Maria Arellano of Lockney received the TPCC Distinguished Service Award at the conference. Mrs. Niebes (Arleen) Raissez, representing the Lockney PAC, also attended the conference.

The TPCC award was given for distinguished service, commitment and leadership in fostering parental involvement in a school or district-wide programs. The plaque was presented by Jay Cummings, representing the Texas Agency of Education. Receiving the parents award was Mr. and Mrs. Joe Llanes of Lubbock ISD.

Nominations for these honors are submitted by the school districts from throughout the state of Texas. Nonlinees are selected based on their length of service and the quality of their activities and contributions. Mrs. Arellano has worked for Lockney ISD for nearly 19 years and 15 of these with the migrant

#### LHS Math/Science Team competes at Monterey meet

Lockney High School Math/Science Team competed in the Monterey Invitational Meet on Feb. 12th. Seventeen 1A, 2A and 3A schools competed as well as seventeen 4A and 5A.

The Number Sense Team came in 6th place. Individuals placing in the top ten were: Dewayne Jones, 9th; Brady Marr, 5th; Coby Marr, 7th; Debbie Pyle, 8th; Angie Clark, 9th; and Allen Martin,

The Calculator Team placed 7th. Individual winners were: Dewayne Jones, 10th; Brady Marr, 8th; and Max Green, 8th.

The Math Team also placed 7th. Team members placing in the top ten were: Dewayne Jones, 9th; Brady Marr, 2nd; and Allen Martin, 10th. In Science, Federico Cervantes

placed 9th and Tim Mitchell placed 4th. The Computer Science Team placed 2nd. Members of the team are Angie Clark, Coby Marr and Allen Martin. The Math/Science Teams placed 8th

Other Literary Events were also held at Monterey.

In Literary Criticism, Lee Ann Galloway placed 1st and Tiffany Ellison placed 5th.

program as record clerk, liason aide, tutorial aide and as service coordinator.

Approximately 500 parents from Migrant, Bilingual/ESL and Chapter I programs from across the state participated in the many sessions offered. They gained new knowledge in their efforts to enhance the education of their children. Many concurrent sessions were presented, with strategies and activities that enhance the role of parents as the primary educators of their children. The conference also focused on the importance of parental involvement, and their role in site-based instructional models and in campus improvement

The conference theme was "Con Carino y Ganas todo es Possible!" (Caring and Determination Make All Things Possible).

Keynote speakers were Dr. George Gonzales, internationally known language, author, and speaker, spoke on Wednesday. On Thursday Mrs. Carmyn Neely, Deputy Superintendent for Instructional Service for Lubbock ISD, gave the program. Dr. Jay Cummings, Executive Deputy Commissioner of Education of Special Populations and Adults, TEA, from Austin spoke on

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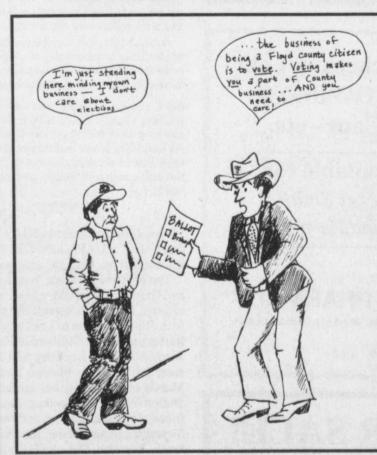


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AHAAWARDS PLAQUE—American Heart Association, Floydada chapter president Kyle Smith (back, right) presented an award of appreciation to Duncan Elementary P.E. teacher, Rebecca Geron and several of her Jump Rope for Heart participants. The plaque was given in appreciation for participating in the annual Jump Rope for Heart

fundraiser for the AHA. Students present for the presentation were (back, I-r) Dustin Covington, Laura Reddy, Tana Holmes, Maggie Vick, Chase Mitchell, Larae Gilliland and Amber Overstreet; (front, 1-r) Kayla Stovall, Jessica Rodriguez, Tracy Ramirez, Joseph Cuevas, Brandi Cruz, Ragan Beedy and Gloria Chairez. -Staff photo

tend lunch to an hour.

through college.

sister. I can understand why. Both of

these girls have excelled in many areas

of FHS and many areas outside the

Some advice for school leaders, ex-

Heather will plan to attend Angelo

TAAS testing

planned next week

FLOYDADA--Floydada ISD stu-

dents in grades 4, 8, 10, 11 and 12,

along with out-of-school examinees

will be involved in TAAS testing

next Tuesday, Wednesday and

On Tuesday, the writing portion

will be administered; Wednesday,

the reading; and Thursday, the math.

Those students who will be tested in

grades 11 and 12 will only be the

ones who have not mastered one or

Parents are urged to make sure that

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days and that they are prepared to

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should be well rested and will need

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State or South Plains to begin her trip

# Never Before Like '94

By Melissa Faulkenberry FLOYDADA--This senior spotlight

features Aimee Fondy. Aimee, born Jan. 9, 1976, is the daughter of Kathi and Alan Fondy. She has one sister, Heather.

Aimee spent 1/2 year at Slaton kindergarten and the rest of her years at Floydada. She has earned a list of credentials: head cheerleader, varsity basketball, National Honor Society, F.C.A., Jr. F.C.A. reporter and N.H.S. reporter. Outside her busy school life, Aimee works in the fields spraying.

When Aimee is relaxing you may find her absorbed in a Calvin and Hobbes comic strip or playing her favorite song, "The Dance." Aimee might recommend you watch the T.V. show, "Seinfeld" or read "To Kill A Mockingbird." Aimee likes athletics best of all in school.

We asked Aimee about her past vacations and she says her U.M.Y. ski trip was the best. She attends United Methodist Church and is involved in the youth group.

Tell Leslie, Lacy and Misty to pack a bag, Aimee says she would someday like to go to the Bahamas and bring



AIMEE FONDY

Although Aimee most admires her parents, she would like to meet Tom

After high school, Aimee will begin college and get her degree and take the rest as it comes.

Good Luck, Aimee! Our second senior of the week is Heather Fondy, sister to Aimee, our first senior featured this week. Heather, born

Jan. 9, 1976, also is the daughter of Alan and Kathi Fondy. Heather stays busy with her school and church activities. She is in N.H.S., Junior Board of Directors of First National Bank in Lockney - Floydada

Branch, and is president of United Methodist Youth group. After school, Heather works at Script Printing and Office Supplies and helps Aimee take care of Buffy and Pepper,

Some of Heather's favorite things are Italian food, the book "The Promise" by Danielle Steel and the music group,

That must have been a great ski trip with UMY, because Heather picked it



#### **HEATHER FONDY**

#### Floydada School Menu

March 7-11

Monday: - Apple juice, cinnamon Breakfast toast, milk

Lunch - Steak fingers, mashed potatoes, green beans, chocolate pudding, hot roll, milk

Tuesday: Breakfast - Grape juice, scrambled egg, toast, milk Lunch - Pig in blanket, corn, pickle

spear, pineapple tidbits, milk Wednesday:

Breakfast - Pineapple juice, sausage, toast, milk

Lunch - Vegetable beef soup, crackers, pimento cheese sandwich, fruit cup, milk

Thursday: Breakfast - Orange juice, pancakes,

syrup, milk Lunch — Beef tacos, pinto beans, tossed salad, jello w/fruit, cornbread,

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

Lunch — Chili cheese sandwich, French fries, tossed salad, apple cobbler, milk

# Lennie Gilroy



I would appreciate your vote and support in the Republican Primary, March 8. I hope to talk to as many of you as I can in the coming months.

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# FISD hosting public forum

FLOYDADA--The Floydada Independent School District will be hosting a public forum entitled, "Raising Student Expectations to Meet Real World Needs." It will be conducted in the A.B. Duncan Elementary School cafeteria on Thursday, March 10, at 7:00 p.m.

The purpose of this forum is to solicit input from parents, business leaders, community members, teachers, and students as to what graduates need to know and be able to do when they exit high

Roundtable discussions facilitated by FISD staff will be used to collect ideas from participants regarding these skills and in what setting the skills will be used.

#### FJHS students vie in Math/Science meet

FLOYDADA-Floydada Junior High's Texas Math/Science Coaches Association team (TMSCA) placed fourth overall in the TMSCA meet in Idalou on Saturday, Feb. 5. They placed in the small school division in Science.

Individuals placing in the Science division were: Warren Bishop, 10th; Jason Henderson, 8th; Tyson Whittle, 8th, and Mario Nunez, 7th. Nunez also placed 3rd in the eighth grade Science

Others attending the meet were Nick Williams, Michael Palacios, John Martinez and Kyle Pierce.

#### Have A Great Week!

#### **Andrews hosting Health Awareness Fair**

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their child's P.E. time on Monday, March R.N.

FLOYDADA--R.C. Andrews Elemen- 7; Wednesday, March 9; Thursday, March tary School will be hosting a Health 10, or Friday, March 11, between the

The fair will take place in the gym and Parents are invited to attend during is being presented by Mary H. Cervantes,



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FRESHMEN

Faculty Honor List: Monty Anderson,

Chad Benjamin, Chad Harmon Honor Roll: Jimmy Garcia, Vicente Guzman, Stacey Lloyd

Honorable Mention: Tomas Barrientos, Kelli Bertrand, Laci Christian, Tammy Cisneros, Marcus Collins, Vernon Cooper, Ricky Derryberry, Omar Eguia, Shondra Emert, Balinda Escobedo, Rheann Foust, Hillary Goodwin, Christy Hale, Carlos Hernandez, Chad Hinkle, Todd Hinsley, Kenny Holmes, Susy Maldonado, Erika Martinez, Lydia Mendoza, Vickie Ochoa, Marcos Torrez, Jose Vargas, Brenda

Faculty Honor List: All grades 90 or

Honor Roll: All grades 85 or above Honorable Mention: All grades 75 or



COMPETE IN TMSCA MEET—Floydada Junior High students competing in a TMSCA meet in Idalou recently were (back, l-r) Jason Henderson, Mario Nunez, Kyle Pierce, Michael Palacios; (front, 1-r) Warren Bishop, Tyson Whittle, John Martinez and Nick Williams.

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## Wheat and feed grain deficiency payments raised

-- From Texas Corn Growers Association

Secretary of Agriculture Mike Espy has announced that the loan level and advance deficiencey payments for the 1994 crops of wheat and feed grains have been raised.

The 1994 corn price level is \$1.89 per bushel, an increase of 17¢ per bushel from 1993. The 1994 wheat price level is \$2.58, an increae of 13¢ per bushel.

Producers may request 50 percent of their estimated deficiency payments for 1994 wheat and feed grains during the signup period, which begins March 1 and ends April 29. The advance deficiency payment rate for corn is \$0.20.

The Texas Corn Growers Association and the American Corn Growers Association has urged the Secretary to raise the loan rate since he took his position. We feel that this is a step in the right direction on the Administration's part to help increase farm income.

#### Cotton popular in spring style shows

According to a recent article in the trade publication Women's Wear Daily (WWD) cottons, both woven and knit, were a top story in loungewear and sleepwear at the recent Intimate Apparel Salon in New York City.

At this showcase of up-and-coming innerwear designers and smaller firms, spring and transition lines were the main attraction.

According to WWD, major tones included sand, beige and taupe. Cotton was prevalent in foundations with pretty embellishments, oversized shirts and boxer shorts, camisoles, gowns, robes and at-home wear such as tunics over wide-leg pants.



# Hunters and landowners voice opinions on pheasant season

A meeting was held Thursday, March 3, at the courthouse in Plainview regarding rules and regulation changes in hunting and fishing by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. Approximately 30 Floyd and Hale County hunters and farmers were present. The majority of those present were there to voice their opinions on the changes in the length of season and bag limit on pheasants.

The bag limit proposal by TPWD would increase from 2 cocks per day, four in posession to 3 cocks per day and 6 in posession.

The proposal to lengthen the season would change from 16 days beginning the second Saturday in December to 43 days starting the Saturday before Thanksgiving and running through December 31.

The majority of those who spoke were opposed to both the changes in length of the season and bag limit.

Ray Macha and Keith Marble agreed that Floyd County has more birds than ever before but that if the season were lengthened and more birds could be taken that would all change. Both made the point that a longer hunting season would work against farmers as it would interfere with harvest.

Macha also stated that extra game wardens were called in during pheasant season and that with the lengthening of the season it would overlap with other hunting seasons and the game wardens would be spread too thin and more illegal birds would be taken. He continued that he would not be against adding 7 days to the season beginning the first of December.

Gary Carthel commented that the pheasant population was the best it had ever been and he did not have any ob-

jections to making the changes. Layne Kirk stated that he thought

lengthening the season would be a good idea in that it would decompress the number of hunters coming in at one time. "I would like to see the changes made. I know that we will still have as many the first weekend but it would slack off as the season progressed," he

He told those present that the bird ratio in this area is 1 cock to 4 hens, and in other states the ratio is between 1-8 and 1-10 and their season is up to 72 days. "I also know that they have a lot of corn and feed," he commented.

He continued, "The effects of hunting the ringnecked pheasant is not significant to the population of the birds. What basically hurts the population is the high intensive cotton farming, the cleaning up of fence rows and areas where the birds nest and feed."

"Speaking from Hale County were Joe Don Scott, president of Pheasants Unlimited; Paul Hayes, Jeane Browning, Bill LaFont, H.M. LaFont, Kenneth Soehgen, Charles Baker, Saundra Baker, David Wayne Garrett, Ray Boggs and John Newton. They were opposed to both changes.

They reported that the bird population in Hale County has been dwindling over the past few years and that they want to preserve the numbers that are here now. All stated that the changes in the regulations will only deplete the population more. Hail and coyotes were given as two other reasons for the dwindling

David Garrett stated that he did not hunt but he would like to see things stay as they are so that there would be birds for his children to enjoy. He remembers when there were no birds in this part of the county and the effort that it took to get them established.

John Newton stated that too many hunters do not follow the bag limits as it is and he saw no reason to make any

Charles Baker is a hunter education teacher in the area and he commented on the hardship on the farmers to have hunters in the area for any longer period of time. He also wanted to see more hunter education courses for the kids and to possibly have the season open during the Christmas holidays so that more kids

could hunt. A guide and comment form was passed out that explained the changes in hunting and fishing rules. The guide followed along with the video that was

Other changes that were proposed for this area include:

The season and bag limit for Rio Grande Turkeys. Presently the season starts the first Saturday in April and runs thru the first Sunday in May. The proposed change includes starting the third Saturday in April and running for 37 consecutive days. The bag limit is three and would change to four. Floyd and surrounding counties are included in this

Change the minimum length of smallmouth bass caught at Greenbelt Lake from 14 to 18 inches and reduce the limit from 5 fish to 3 fish;

Prohibit trotlines, juglines and throwlines in lakes and stream segments lying totally within State Park bound-

Also on the agenda for changes were a muzzleloader season, archery season, managed lands buck permit for white tailed deer, desert bighorn sheep hunt-

The local game warden can provide more information on these changes and any comments on the changes of the rules and regulations can be addressed to Dr. Rudy Rosen, Director of Fisheries and Wildlife Division, Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, 4200 Smith School Road, Austin, Texas, 78744.

**Tommy Assiter** 

Tim Assiter

**Becky Emert** 

# Advanced deficiency payments announced for upland cotton

By Shawn Wade

The final piece of the puzzle is now in place according to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG). That puzzle is the 1994 Upland cotton program and the final piece was today's announcement of an upland cotton advance deficiency payment rate of 6.45 cents per pound.

The advance payment rate is 50 percent of the 12.9 estimated deficiency payment rate announced February 18. The advance will be available to producers when they sign-up for the 1994 cotton program. The sign-up period is scheduled to begin March 1 and run through April 29, 1994.

The announcement of the 50 percent advance payment rate is especially good news for producers according to Donald Johnson, PCG Executive Vice President.

"Having the advance payment set at 6.45 cents will make a big difference to producers this year," says Johnson. "Combined with last week's announcement of the 1994 program's common provisions producers now have all the information they will need to finalize

Concerned producers were worried that USDA would set the advance payment at the 30 percent minimum level. Most agree that if the payment had been set at the lower level they would have been forced to borrow more money up front to get them through the crop year

their 1994 operating plans."

Even though producers have been able to improve financial positions following the 1993 crop, money is still tight and the higher advance payment will help by lowering the amount they have to finance.

In the announcement USDA estimated upland cotton advance payments will total \$340 million. ELS cotton producers can expect an advance payment of 8.48 cents per pound, with USDA



estimating \$6 million in advance ELS deficiency payments.

In addition to the announcement of the advance payment rate, Secretary of Agriculture Mike Espy also announced that upland cotton producers may plant designated crops such as oilseeds (soybeans, sunflowers, safflower, canola, rapeseed, mustard seed, and flaxseed) and mung beans on up to 50 percent of the announced 11 percent acreage reduction program requirement. Producers, however, must agree to give up deficiency payments on an acre for acre basis for each acre (or portion thereof) of the reduced acres planted to the designated crops.

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# Lawn scalping not beneficial

By Kerry Siders, CEA-Ag.

With warmer weather around the corner, it's not unusual to see homeowners out scalping their lawns. This is a practice that has been the subject of some controversy. As with most subjects, there are two sides.

One side says there is no agronomic benefit to the lawn from scalping. All this scalping activity generates is a great deal of organic material (and dust), much of which ends up in the landfill.

The other side states that while the above may be true, scalping "cleans" up the lawn and makes it look better. Some say scalping keeps all winter weeds in

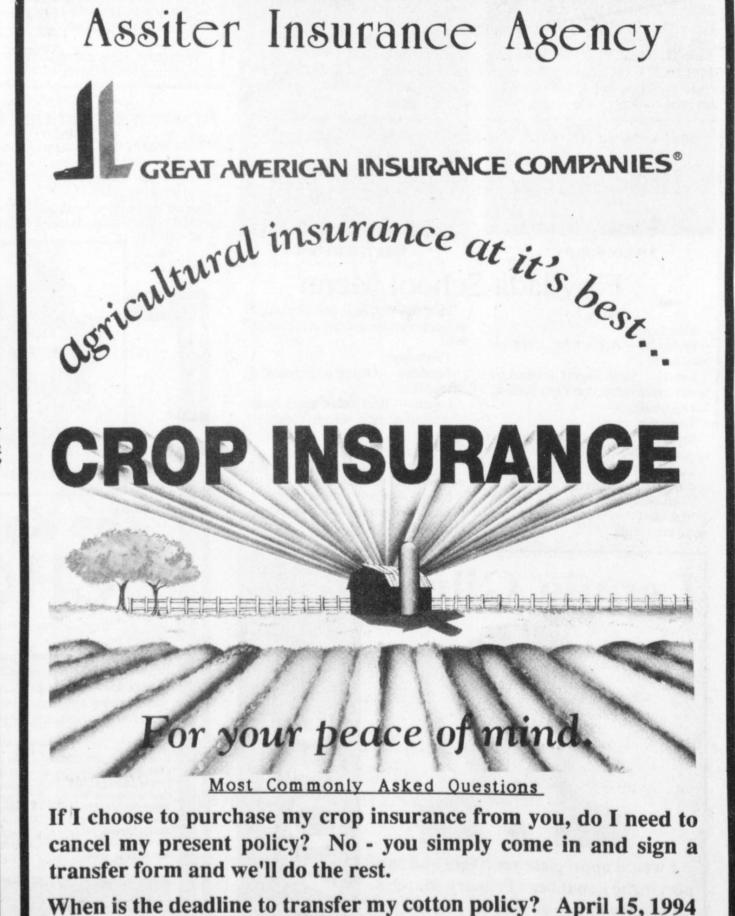
the lawn from going to seed. The bottom line is there is no reason to scalp a lawn in the spring. It doesn't harm the lawn, but there is no benefit to the lawn either. Many homeowners feel it's a dirty job and would rather not do if it at all possible. They don't scalp golf courses or football fields, and they get along very well . . . so why scalp lawns?

# **Texas** Independence Days

March 6, 1836 183 men perish in fall of the Alamo

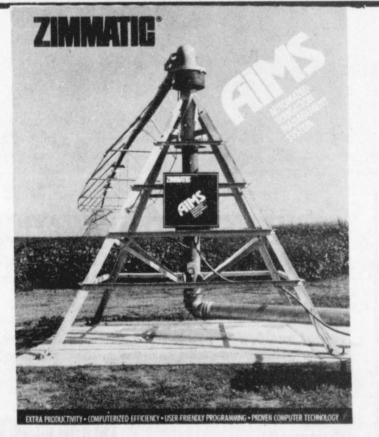
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# Floydada's Trinity Church celebrates 10th anniversary

1984 marked the official opening of Trinity Church of Floydada. March 6, 1994, Trinity will celebrate its Tenth Anniversary. Trinity Church had its beginnings during the Fall of 1983 meeting first in the home of former Floydada residents Paul and Dartha Westbrook.

The small group met in the homes of various members and in the Senior Citizen building until March of 1984. In March the church moved to a temporary location at the Trade Center on the Y which was owned by the Westbrooks. at which time the church was officially organized with 37 members under the leadership of Pastor G.A. VanHoose.

The last ten years have seen a flurry of activities at the church. A new modern sanctuary with an education wing and a kitchen were constructed bringing great pride to the members of the church and community. A special thanks must go to the Texas Baptist Retirees Camp Ministry Builders who volunteered their construction expertise to this ambitious project.

The celebration Sunday, March 6, will feature the Rev. Dale Kitchens of Slaton whose ministry has been helpful to the church in the past. All ministers who have helped in the church have been invited to share with the congregation in the special 2:00 p.m. service that will feature special music by local and guest artist.

A special invitation has gone out to

FLOYDADA -- Sunday, March 4, all past members who would like to join in this special event to join with the present church in a homecoming fellowship. The Trinity ladies will serve lunch after the morning worship service and a reception will follow the afternoon service. The entire community is urged by present Pastor James W. Poteet to join us in this celebration of God's blessing and preparation of the

# **Fair Board** plans meeting tonight at D&J

LOCKNEY--With 1994 well underway, plans for the 1994 Floyd and Surrounding Counties Fair will begin soon. With the success of the past two fairs, coordinators are looking for some new ideas and board members to make the 1994 Fair even more successful.

The Fair board will be having a meeting Thursday, March 3, (tonight) at 7 p.m. at D&J Gin in Lockney.

On the agenda for the meeting is the election of 1994 officers. If anyone is interested or knows of someone who may be interested in participating on the board, they are asked to attend.

For more information, call Shawnda at 652-3351 or 652-2383.



STOPLIGHT CHANGED--The stoplight at the corner of California and Main Streets in Floydada has been changed to a 4-Way stop. City of Floydada employees installed the new light last Friday -- Staff photo

Pastor James W. Poteet and the members of Trinity Church in Floydada invite you to a celebration of victory!

# 10th Anniversary Reunion TRINITY CHURCH

Floydada, Texas at the "Y"

Sunday, March 6, 1994 Servces at 9:45 A.M. and 2:00 P.M. Speaker - Rev. Dale Kitchens

Lunch will be served and a Reception will follow the afternoon service. All area residents are invited to share with us in this celebration of Victory as we prepare for the future.



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Youth Bible Study ... 7:00 p.m.

Adult Choir ..... 7:45 p.m.

Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship . . . . 10:45 a.m.

Discipleship Training . 6:00 p.m.

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

> \*\*\*\* CALVARY **BAPTIST CHURCH** Floydada

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

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Bible Study . . . . . 7:30 p.m. **EVANS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH** Rev. G.A. Blocker

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

> FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH Floydada

Vance Mitchell, Pastor Sunday School . . . . . . 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship ..... 10:50 a.m.

Sunday Evening Evangelistic..... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday:

Night Service ..... 7:30 p.m. FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Floydada Rev. Howell E. Farnsworth Jr. Sunday:

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**METHODIST CHURCH** Floydada Clark Williams, Pastor Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m. Youth Fellowship . . . . 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship . . . . 6:00 p.m.

**FIRST UNITED** METHODIST CHURCH Lockney **Tommie Beck, Pastor** 

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

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

**GRACE FELLOWSHIP CHURCH** 211 N. Main, Lockney Interdenominational Church

Rev. Ted Samples, Pastor Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship . . . . 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship . . . . 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Service ... 6:30 p.m. **GRANT CHAPEL** 

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

Prayer Service . . . . 8:00 p.m. Wednesday Service....7:30 p.m. **IGLESIA DEL REY JESUS** 404 E. 6th St., Lockney

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Ladies Bible Class...9:30 a.m. Bible Study . . . . . 7:30 p.m.

MT. ZION **BAPTIST CHURCH** Floydada

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

Thursday: Bible Study . . . . . . . 7:00 p.m.

**NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH** Floydada Jim Jackson, Pastor

Sunday: Congregational Singing . . . . . . . 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m. \*\*\*\*

> PRIMER IGLESIA **BAUTISTA** 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

> **PRIMERA MISION** BAUTISTA 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.

**GOD TEMPLO GETSEMANI** 308 Mississippi Rev. Thomas G. Lopez Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.

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Prayer Meeting ..... 7:30 p.m.

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**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

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Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship . . . . 10:50 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.



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# **Obituaries**

#### CLARENCE BIDDLE JR.

Funeral services for Clarence Elwood Biddle Jr., of Holidaysburg, Pennsylvania, were Wednesday, March 2, in Moeller Funeral Home. Burial was in Valpariso, Indiana, cemetery.

Mr. Biddle died Sunday, Feb. 27, 1994, in Holidaysburg Hospital.

He was born on Aug. 11, 1931. He had been a steel mill worker since 1950 and was retired from the steel mill in Gary, Ind. He was a volunteer fireman in East

Survivors include two daughters, Gloria Smith of Plainview and Susan Green of Floydada; four grandchildren, Kirk Smith and Kittreena Smith, both of Plainview, and Amanda Green and Kimberly Green, both of Floydada; four sisters; and one brother.

#### **JOYE BRALY**

Witness to the Resurrection Service in memory of Joye Mills Braly, 92, longtime Tulia resident, was celebrated at 2:00 p.m. Monday, Feb. 28, in the First Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Janel Blair officiating, assisted by Dr. Charles Teykl of First Presbyterian Church, Plainview. Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery under direction of Wallace Funeral Home.

Mrs. Braly died at 4:05 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 26, 1994, in Plainview's Prairie House Living Center after a lengthy illness. She was under the care of Hospice of the Plains.

Born in Clay County, Texas, Joye Mills came by covered wagon with her parents in 1902 to start a homestead in Castro County. An educator, artist, and author, she earned degrees from both W.T.S.U. and Northwestern University in Chicago. She married R. Huse Braly on July 25, 1934 in Tulia. He died Dec. 28, 1972.

She taught school at Kansas State Teachers College, West Texas State, Florence and Kit Carson, Colorado, Floydada, and Tulia. She was an Ordained Elder and served several years as Clerk of Session of the First Presbyterian Church. "A Long Line of Witnesses" was authored by Mrs. Braly and published in 1977.

She was a member of the Progressive Study Club and the Texas Retired Teachers Association. In 1977 she was selected for a Panhandle Womens Distinguished Service Award by W.T.S.U.

Survivors include two daughters, Bobbie Smetherman of Fresno, Calif., and Betty Crager of Lubbock; three sons, Sam of Santa Fe Springs, Calif., Deen of Floydada and Jack of Tulia; a sister, Audrey Rusher of Hereford; a brother, Don Mills of Amarillo; and a granddaughter, Jill Smetherman of Fresno, Calif.

The family suggests memorials to the Memorial Fund First Methodist Church, Floydada, or Hospice of the Plains, Plainview.

#### **RUBY BUSBY**

Services for Ruby Busby, 91, of Lock-March 3, in Main Street Church of Christ with Mr. Ed Hull, minister, officiating.

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If you are unable to come into the Senior Citizen Centers please call for an in home service.

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Burial will be in Lockney Cemetery by Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

Mrs. Busby died at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, March 1, 1994, in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital.

She was born Ruby Sams on May 18, 1902 in Lockney. She married Frank Busby on March 11, 1925 in Childress. He died on May 8, 1965.

A homemaker, she was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include two nieces, LaDora Aufill of Lockney and Doris Meriwether of Plainview; and two nephews, Jimmy Sams of Plainview and W.E. Hawkins of Quitaque.

She was also preceded in death by a daughter, who died on Jan. 1, 1936; two sisters and four brothers. The family suggests memorials be

made to a favorite Children's Home.

#### MINNIE DYE

Services for Minnie A. Dye, 87, of Roaring Springs were at 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 27, in Roaring Springs Church of Christ with Mike Crowley and Ted Kingery, minister of Silverton Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was in Roaring Springs Cemetery under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home of Matador.

Mrs. Dye died Thursday, Feb. 24, 1994, in Crosbyton Clinic Hospital. She was born on Jan. 27, 1907, in Carrington, N.D. She graduated from Floydada High School and attended

Abilene Christian College. She taught school. She married William Alfred Dye on Dec. 26, 1928, in Floydada. He died on July 7, 1972. She moved to Roaring Springs in

1928. She was a member of the Church of Christ and the Roaring Springs Senior Citizens organization. She was active in the Motley County Home Demonstration Club, where she had served as president.

Survivors include four sons, Norton of Fresno, Calif., Duane of Lake Jack-

son, A.J. of Knoxville, Md., and Chet of Crosbyton; a daughter, Barbara McNutt of Spade; two sisters, Margie Oldham of Lufkin and Roxie Thomas of Conway, Ark.; 18 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Jeff Thacker, Wayland Moore, Bruce Lefevre, Charles Gwinn, Anthony Kingery and Ronnie Davis.

#### MILDRED T. HAMM

Services for Mildred Teeple Hamm, 82, of Floydada were at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 27, in South Plains Baptist Church with the Revs. Ernest Stewart, pastor of South Plains Baptist Church, and Nathan Mulder, a Baptist pastor,

Burial was in Floyd County Memorial Park by Moore-Rose-White Fu-

Mrs. Hamm died at 6:30 a.m. Friday, Feb. 25, 1994, at her residence following a short illness.

She was born on Feb. 25, 1912 in Waco. She married Harold Hamm on July 3, 1932 in Clovis, New Mexico. He died March 6, 1993. She moved to Floyd County in 1965 from Amarillo.

A homemaker, she was a member of South Plains Baptist Church.

Survivors include four daughters, Annelda Staples of South Plains, Haroldene Aufdemorte of Lakeway, Texas, Jeaneva Huff of Amarillo and Arlaine Berkes of Arlington; and nine grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Fred Marble, Dwight Teeple, Ray Teeple, Hansel Sanders, L.N. Johnson and Lon Colvin.

#### VANDA L. SMITHERMAN

Funeral services for Vanda Lea Smitherman, 78, of Lubbock were at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 1, in Shepherd King Lutheran Church with the Rev. Mel Swoyer, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Abernathy Cemetery by Resthaven Funeral Home.

## Card of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone for their prayers, cards, visits and phone calls during Reed's recent hospital stay. We also want to express our appreciation to the doctors and nursing staff at Mangold Memorial Hospital.

Thank you, Reed and Maudie Lawson Dan and Reeda Cay Smith Larry and Sunny Hammit

Thanks to all my friends and family for your cards, food, concern and prayers while I've been sick.

Nina Teuton

We would like to take this opportunity to express our gratitude to everyone for their caring sympathy during our recent loss. We ney will be at 10:00 a.m. Thursday, are truely grateful to all who took the time to send a card or flowers, and to those who called and visited. Especially wonderful were all the prayers offered on our behalf.

Sincerely, The Family of Dorothy McClendon

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Thanks again. Jan Beedy, Deedie Covington, Sherese Covington, Brenda Heflin, Jeanine Helms, Holly Lee, Vicki Norrell, Shelly Smith, Janet Thornton, and Chad Quisenberry

Thank you everyone for the flowers, food and all your prayers and thoughts and words of sympathy expressed to us during the loss of our loved one, Estefana Mercado.

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To All Our Friends and Neighbors, Thank you for all your kindnesses at the loss of our loved one, Annie Pinner. Every card, flower, food offering, memorial and prayer is greatly appreciated and will always

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Mrs. Smitherman died Saturday, Feb. 26, 1994, in West Texas Lutheran

She was born on June 28,1915 in Schulenberg. She was a homemaker and member of Shepherd King Lutheran Church.

She married Roy Harding. He died in March of 1992.

Survivors include four sons, Monty Bob Smitherman of Abernathy, Roy Lee of Idalou, and Vernie Ray and Jim Harding, both of Lubbock; a daughter, Roxy Ann Saroka of College Station; three brothers, Milton Forester and Floyd Forester, both of Lubbock, and Luther Forester of New Home; three sisters, Arvie Schulz of Floydada, Myrtle Bartlett of Meadow and Ludell

six great-grandchildren. A son, Robert Henry, died in 1973.

Meil of Cactus; 12 grandchildren; and

**NELL WALKER** Funeral services for Nell Walker, 85. of Carnegie, Okla., were at 10:30 a.m. Monday, Feb. 28, in Pitcher-Hackney Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Robert Hester officiating. Burial was in Carnegie Cemetery.

Mrs. Walker died Friday, Feb. 25,

She was born in Tishomingo and moved to Carnegie as a child. She was a homemaker and a member of Alden Baptist Church.

Survivors include a son, Loyal Walker of Carnegie; four daughters, Joy

## **Political** Calendar

**Democratic Primary** March 8, 1994

> **State Senator** District 30 Steve Carriker

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#### TAMAKEA L. WALL

Services for Tamakea LaShalee Wall, 8, of Anton were at 2 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 24, in Macedonia Baptist Church, Anton, with the Rev. Joe L. Harrison, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Anton Cemetery under direction of McCarty Funeral Home of Littlefield.

The child died Monday, Feb. 21, 1994, in University Medical Center in Lubbock. She was born on May 7, 1985, in

Lubbock. She attended Lorenzo and

Anton elementary schools and was a

member of Macedonia Baptist Church. Survivors include her mother, Betty Ann Wall; her stepfather, Vernon

Brown; her stepmother, Rosie Lee Wall; five brothers, Charles Ray Wall of Floydada, Robert Wall Jr. and Tyrone Wall, both of Lorenzo, Jimmy Wall of Amarillo and Quincy De Vaughn of Littlefield; and 10 sisters, Judy Wall and Martha Wall, both of Dallas, Patricia Wall, Jackie Wall and Gloria Wall, all of Lorenzo, Elizabeth Wall, Sonja Wall, Tina Wall and Angel Wall, all of Anton, and Vonetta Gocher of Levelland.

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In the Primaries Tuesday, March 8

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Specifications and bid sheets may be obtained from Charlotte Hooten, City Secretary, 218 East Locust, Lockney, Texas, beginning March 16, 1994. The City Council of Lockney, Texas, reserves the right to accept or reject any and/ or all bids and to waive all formalities for the best interest of Lockney, Texas.

> Charlotte Hooten City Secretary 3-3, 3-10c

#### NOTICE OF GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION REPUBLICAN PARTY (AVISO DE ELECCION PRIMARIA GENERAL, PARTIDO REPUBLICANO)

To the Registered Voters of the County of Floyd, Texas: (A los votantes registrados del Candado de Floyd, Texas:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M., March 8, 1994, for voting in a general primary election for the Republican Party to nominate Members of Congress, Members of the Legislature, and state, district, county and precinct officers; and for the purpose of electing county and precinct chairman.

(Por lo presente se da aviso que los sitios de votación designados abajo estaran abiertos de las 7 de la mana a las 7 de la nocheel dia 8 de marzo de 1994, para poder votar en una eleccion primaria general del partido Republicano para nombrar a los miembros del Congreso, los miembros de la Legislatura, y los oficiales del estado, distrito, condado y del precincto; y con el proposito de eligir al presidente del condado y del precincto.)

#### LOCATIONS OF POLING PLACES (UBICACIONES DE LOS SITIOS DE VOTACION)

Precinct Number (Num. de Precincto)

1, 16, 24, 23

9, 17, 11

7, 18, 5

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Location (Ubricacion)

Ag Extension Bldg., east side of courthouse, Floydada First Baptist Church, South Plains

Carmel Eastham residence, Dougherty Lobby of new Lockney Gymnasium, 406 W. Willow

#### NOTICE OF GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION **DEMOCRATIC PARTY** (AVISO DE ELECCION PRIMARIA GENERAL, PARTIDO DEMOCRATICO)

To the Registered Voters of the County of Floyd, Texas: (A los votantes registrados del Candado de Floyd, Texas:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M., March 8, 1994, for voting in a general primary election for the Democratic Party to nominate Members of Congress, Members of the Legislature, and state, district, county and precinct officers; and for the purpose of electing county and precinct chairman.

(Por lo presente se da aviso que los sitios de votación designados abajo estaran abiertos de las 7 de la mana a las 7 de la nocheel dia 8 de marzo de 1994, para poder votar en una eleccion primaria general del partido Democratico para nombrar a los miembros del Congreso, los miembros de la Legislatura, y los oficiales del estado, distrito, condado y del precincto; y con el proposito de eligir al presidente del condado y del precincto.)

#### LOCATIONS OF POLING PLACES (UBICACIONES DE LOS SITIOS DE VOTACION)

**Precinct Numbers** (Num. de Precincto) Precinct # 1

Precinct # 5

Precinct #7

Precinct #9

(Ubicacion)

Location

Southwest Floydada at Massie Activity Center East Lockney at City Hall Providence Lutheran Church South Plains at South Plains Baptist Church

Cedar Hill at Cedar Hill Assembly of God Church Precinct #11 Harmony at Harmony Community Center Precinct #16 Goodnight at Fairmont Baptist Church Precinct #17 West Lockney at Lockney Methodist Church Precinct #18

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OFFICIAL NOTICE OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE MEETING

11:00 a.m. March 8, 1994

Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc. Headquarters

East U.S. Highway 70

Floydada, Texas

In accordance with Article IV. Section 4.06 of the Bylaws of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc., the Board of Directors has appointed a Committee on Nominations to prepare a list of nominations for Directors to be elected at the annual membership meeting of the Cooperative on April 28, 1994. Three (3) Directors, one each from District 2, District 5, and District 8, will be elected in 1994. Although Directors are nominated from the District which they represent, all members in attendance at the annual meeting vote on all candidates who may be properly nominated.

**SECTION 4.02 QUALIFICATIONS:** 

No person shall be eligible to become or remain a director of the Cooperative who is a close relative of an incumbent director or an employee of the Cooperative, or is not a member in good standing of the Cooperative and receiving service within the District he represents; PROVIDED, that the operating or chief executive of any member which is not a natural person, such as a corporation, church, etc., or his designee, shall be eligible to become a director, from the Directorate District in which such member is located, if he or such designee (1) is in substantial permanent occupancy, direction or use of the premises served by the Cooperative, and (2) is a permanent and year-round resident within or in close proximity to an area served by the Cooperative; BUT PROVIDED FURTHER, that no more than one (1) such person may serve on the Board of Directors at the same time. No person shall be eligible to become or remain a director of, or to hold any other position of trust in, the Cooperative who is not at least eighteen (18) years of age or is in any way employed by or financially interested in a competing enterprise, or a business selling electric energy or supplies to the Cooperative, or a business primarily engaged in selling electrical or plumbing appliances, fixtures or supplies to, among others, the members of the Cooperative. No person shall take or hold office as a Director who is the incumbent of or candidate for an elective public office in connection with which a salary is paid.

#### **SECTION 4.05 DIRECTORATE DISTRICTS**

The territory served by the Cooperative shall be divided into nine (9) Directorate Districts. Each District shall be represented by one director and the Districts are described upon the map on the territory served by the Districts are described upon the map on the territory served by the District attached to the Bylaws and made a part hereof.

#### **SECTION 4.06 NOMINATIONS**

It shall be the duty of the Board of Directors to appoint, not less than thirty (30) days nor more than one hundred eighty (180) days prior to the date of the meeting of the members at which directors are to be elected, a Committee on Nominations, consisting of not less than five (5) nor more than eleven (11) members. The Committee shall prepare and post at the principal office of the Cooperative at least twenty (20) days prior to the meeting a list of nominations for directors to be elected, listing separately the nominee(s) for each Directorate District from or with respect to which director must, pursuant to this Article, be elected at the meeting. The Committee may include as many nominees for any director to be elected from or with respect to a Directorate District as it deems desirable. Any fifteen (15) or more members of the Cooperative, acting together, may make additional nominations in writing over their signatures, listing their nominees(s) in like manner, not less than fifteen (15) days prior to the meeting, and the Secretary shall post such nominations at the same place where the list of nominations made by the Committee is posted. The Secretary shall mail to the members with the notice of the meeting, or separately, but at least ten (10) days prior to the date of the meeting, a statement of the names and addresses of all nominee(s) for each Directorate District from or with respect to which a director must be elected, showing clearly those nominated by the Committee and those nominated by petition, if any. The chairman at such meeting, after all nominations so made have been duly announced, shall call for additional nominations from the floor and shall ascertain and announce, after any nominations made from the floor, the particular Directorate District from or with respect to which any additional candidates have been nominated.

#### **NOMINATING COMMITTEE FOR 1994**

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Bids will be received for the total or separateitems desired until 4:00 P.M. on April 15, 1994. Send inquiries or bid material to Central Plains Center for MHMR and Substance Abuse, Att: Seth Halbert, 2700 yonkers, Plainview, Texas 79072. Clearly mark all bids, "Insurance Bid".

2-17, 2-24, 3-3c

#### NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF WALTER S. HANNA, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary were issued on the Estate of WALTER S. HANNA, deceased, No. 5236, now pending in the County Court of Floyd County, Texas, on February 23, 1994, to WARREN A. JOHNSTONE, whose residence is 2104 Campbell Road N.W., Albuquerque, Bernalillo County, New Mexico.

All persons having claims against said estate now being administered are hereby required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed

Dated February 23, 1994.

Dena A. Reecer, Attorney for the Estate State Bar No. 16673350 P.O. Box 7 Floydada, Texas 79235 (806) 983-5122 3-3c

# Whirlwinds open baseball season with two victories

By Bill Gray

FLOYDADA--After breezing to an 18-5 baseball victory over the J.V. Bulldogs at Plainview on February 22, the Floydada Whirlwinds defeated Abernathy 7-6 in an extra-inning home opener at Watson Field on February 25. The win over Abernathy was Floydada's first over the Antelopes in modern times, and the 2-0 mark is the Whirlwinds' best season start in Coach Jimmy Webster's three years as the Floydada baseball coach.

#### FLOYDADA 18,

the 10-run rule.

PLAINVIEW J.V. 5 Senior Brandon Gilliland went 2-for-5, with 4 RBIs and scored twice, to lead Floydada's 15-hit attack in the 18-5 opening victory over the Plainview J.V. Gabriel DeLaFuente knocked in 3 RBIs while going 3-for-5 at the plate in the Whirlwind offensive barrage. The game was terminated after six innings due to

Coach Webster was pleased, especially with Floydada's offensive power, for the first game of the year. He commented, "The offense has the advantage this early in the year . . . we came out and did a good job at the plate." He noted that Floydada's first four batters did a good job of putting the ball into play. "We are really trying to stress hitting the ball with authority."

The coach added, "Defensively we had a breakdown or two, but that's to be expected this early. Our pitching was just so-so. (Chad) Hinkle came in and added some welcomed relief . . . I was pleased to see that. Rod (Vela) was a little inconsistent and was up in the strike zone all night. I thought he (Vela) threw fairly well for this early in the season and considering the weather conditions."

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SS-3B	DeLa	Fuente	5	2	3	3	
1B	Merc	ado	4	3	2	3	
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DH	Hend	erson	4	2	2	0	
RF	Alem	an	-	*	-	-	
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Errors - DeLaFuente 2, Aleman, Anderson; 2B - Gilliland, Nelson; 3B - none; HR - Mercado (1), Gilliland (1); Stolen Bases -DeLaFuente 4, Gutierrez 2, Mercado 2, Henderson, Nelson, Cummings, Anderson

Pitching:	]	P AB	K	BB	Н	R ER	
Vela (1-0)	4 1	/3 24	6	6	5	5 4	
Hinkle	1.2	2/3 8	2	3	1	0.0	

#### FLOYDADA 7, ABERNATHY 6

Freshman Monty Anderson scored from third on a base hit by Elias Gutierrez in the bottom of the 8th inning to break a 6-all deadlock as the Whirlwinds edged Abernathy 7-6 at Watson Field on February 25. The home opener was greeted by weather conditions more suitable for the third or fourth round of late-November football playoffs. Due to the strong winds and temperatures, the chill factor hovered around 10 degrees for most of the

The Whirlwinds appeared to have the game well in hand and held a 6-3 lead after six innings. However, the Antelopes rallied for 3 runs in the top of the seventh inning. Floydada was unable to respond in the bottom of the seventh, and the stage was set for the Whirlwinds to pull out the victory in the home half of the first extra-inning game of

The extra-inning win illustrated just how far Floydada's baseball program has progressed in three years. "I thought we did a fine job of keeping our composure after allowing Abernathy to tie the game in the 7th inning," stated Coach Webster. "In the past two years I think we would have just folded up the tents and gone home. Instead . . . we knew we still had control of our situation, and Rod (Vela) dug down and struck out two men (with runners on 2nd and 3rd) to end the inning."

Webster added, "I can't say enough about how well Angel Aleman threw for six innings. This helped because Jed (Brandon Gilliland) and Gabby (Gabriel DeLaFuente) had sore arms. Aleman (a freshman) stepped up and not only kept us in the game, but I thought he controlled their bats very effectively."

Following a few early breakdowns, the Whirlwinds played well defensively and committed only three errors. Floydada's 10-hit attack displayed the hitting improvements the team has made in the last year. Neal Nelson pounded two doubles and Tyrone Henderson also had an extra-base hit. Gutierrez, Gilliland and Anderson also had good offensive outings. Webster added, "As a team we are doing some

things extremely well. We are swinging the bats with authority and are digging down and competing. I also think we are playing with much more emo-

tion than in the past . . . and I like it!" The Post Antelopes come to Floydada for a 6:00 p.m. date at Watson Field on March 1. The Whirlwinds travel to Childress on March 4 and 5 for their first tournament action of 1994. In addition to the host Childress Bobcats, others scheduled for the tournament are Lockney, Altus (Oklahoma) J.V., Iowa Park, and Amarillo River

Road. The Whirlwinds' next home appearance will be against Lubbock Cooper on March 25.

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CF	Gu	tierrez	AB 5	R 1	H <sub>2</sub>	RB 2	I
3B-SS	De	LaFuente	4	0	1	1	
1B	Me	rcado	2	0	0	0	
C	Gil	liland	3	1	2	1	
RF-2B	Hir	nkle	0	0	0	0	
DH	He	nderson	4	0	1	1	
P-RF	Ale	eman	-	-			

3 1 2 0 Nelson 3 1 0 1 Cummings 3 .2 1 1 Anderson 3B-C Totals 31 7 10 7

Errors - DeLaFuente, Mercado, Cummings; 2B - Nelson 2, Henderson; 3B none; HR - none; Stolen Bases - Anderson 3 (4), DeLaFuente 2 (6), Vela 2 (2), Cummings 2 (3), Gilliland (1)

Pitching:	IP	AB	K	BB	Н	R	EF
Aleman	6	26	8	3	7	5	3
Vela 2-0	2	9	5	1	2	1	0

Make no mistake about it . . . Floydada baseball is well on its way to being on the map. It was only a matter of time before Coach Jimmy Webster's dedication, to build a ball club from scratch, started paying of f. Take the returning veterans, who have certainly had their ups and downs in the past two years, and add several talented (but unproven) freshmen . . . that spells WIN-NER any way one looks at it.

Defensively, this team is far ahead of Jimmy's first two editions of Whirlwind baseball. They are gutsy and confident, and appear to have turned their play up a notch or two. Their bats are booming (25 base hits

in the first two games . . . already with hone runs by Gilliland and Mercado).

The Winds are going to be an exciting bunch to watch for the next several years. Playoff chances are well within the realm of possibilities for this season. They will gain valuable experience in non-district play with two tournaments and a double-header against Lockney.

Before it's over, the 'Winds will be a definite factor in the District 2-3A race. Coaches Webster and Burleson, along with the young student-athletes, have put in a lot of work to take the team to the present level. The end results of their efforts are now starting to be very evident.

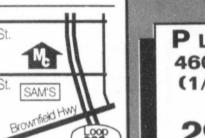
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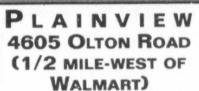


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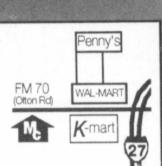
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