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no prosecuting attorney. District Attor-

ney Becky McPherson has offered her

assistance in finding a suitable replace-

ment according to County Judge Bill

"I have checked with other counties

that have no elected county attorney,"

said Hardin, "and they are handling it in

various ways. Motley County has the

Briscoe County Attorney come one day

a week and they pay \$750.00 per month

for the service. Dickens County has an

attorney from Lubbock that comes from

Lubbock on a regular basis. They pay

The commissioners authorized Judge

Hardin to check into finding a suitable

attorney to serve Floyd County. He will

bring a report and recommendation

back to the court at a later meeting.

Motion for the action was made by Pre-

cinct 1 Commissioner Connie Bearden.

The motion was seconded by Precinct 2

Commissioner Floyd Jackson and ap-

The court also approved three farm

work contracts at the morning session.

All were for work in Precinct 2. They

included: cleaning up old improve-

ments to return land to cultivation at a

site 2 miles west of Lockney for W. L.

Thomas Jr.; cleaning up old improve-

ments to return land to cultivation for

Ray Aston at a site 1/2 mile south and 1/

4 mile west of Lockney; and cleaning up

the old railroad right-of-way 1 1/2 miles

south and 1 1/2 miles west of Lockney

for Floyd Jackson at the request of Rusty

made by Jackson and seconded by Pre-

cinct 4 Commissioner Howard Bishop.

The vote was all in favor.

Motion to approve the work was

\$15,000.00 per year for this."

proved by unanimous vote.

Hardin.

Thursday, June 9, 1994

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A view from The Lamplighter

By Ken Towery

This week the nation marks the 50th anniversary of D-Day for Operation Overlord, that momentous event half a century ago when, on the 6th day of June, 1944, some 130,000 allied troops, including nearly 60,000 Americans, crossed the English Channel and stormed the beaches of France.

ready taken place. Many bloody battles had already been fought. Many casualties had already been suffered in many other places. Rome was already in American hands. The names of any number of South Pacific islands had already been etched, temporarily at least, in the minds of Americans.

Still, the invasion of central Europe marked the beginning of the end for the war in Europe, though there were, as history records, many more battles and a great many casualties before that end came.

We sat down to write an entirely different kind of column about this anniversary, coming as it does within days after Memorial Day, when those who died in the nation's wars are remembered in differing ways by those now benefiting from their sacrifices. But something happened. The phone rang. It was the wife of George Williams of San Angelo, or rather the now widow of George, telling us her husband and my friend, had died during the night.

George, or "little George", he was sometimes called back on Corregidor (we had another George Williams in our battery, and he was a much larger man, physically, and that was one way of making the distinction), had been in poor health for years. But he kept fighting, until his heart finally gave out.

After Bataan fell, and Corregidor was finally also beaten into submission, the road ahead was uncertain at best. George and I, and another friend named Johnny Turner, a ranch youngster from West Texas whom we called "Tombstone", and still another friend named Roy

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Floyd County seeks lawyer Floydada ISD hires to serve as county attorney

The Floyd County Commissioners Bain several years ago. In the interim, to discuss alternatives to an elected county attorney. The county has been without an elected attorney to staff the

Court met briefly on Thursday, June 2, the district attorney filled the post, followed by attorney Dena Reecer. Each was paid on a case by case basis.

The resignation of Reecer because post since the retirement of Kenneth she is relocating has left the county with

Lockney ends season with fall to Holliday

America had been at war since December of 1941. Other D-Days had alstate playoff shattered

Floyd County Historical Museum

turning point. It was just a steady onerun-at-a-time whittling away of the bases," said Bobbitt. Longhorn's dream of a trip to Austin.

In a quarterfinal matchup, the Horns came upon a strong No. 2 state-ranked Holliday Eagle team that boasted a winning record of 25-1 and lost by an ending score of 8-0.

Perhaps it was the Eagles previous playoff experience that gave them the edge against the Longhorns. "We were pumped up," said game-winning pitcher Josh Bobbitt. "We came up short last year, and this year we wanted it bad!"

As the driving force behind their victory, Bobbitt cited the fact that last year we were already looking to Austin when we met up with New Deal in a similar game. This year we didn't."

Free lawn mulch available

FLOYDADA -- The City of Floydada has completed chipping the limbs that have been brought to the landfill or limbs picked up in alleys. This mulch can be picked up at the landfill between the hours of 8 a.m. and 6 p.m., Monday through Friday, or 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday's.

Anyone wanting the mulch needs to bring a container to put the mulch in.

"Coach told us that the Longhorns There wasn't any one play that was a had a lot of speed and strong athletes and we needed to keep them off the

> And that's just what they did. Knowing the Longhorns ability to come from behind, no one ruled out a

> comeback until the final out in the seventh inning. The Eagles scored one run on one hit in the first inning, and then brought in 3

> RBI's on two deep hits to left and center fields during the second inning. But after a throw by Chris Ochoa pulled him off the bag, first baseman

> second-inning surge by tagging out the runner. This left the Horns down 4-0. With excellent fielding by Jr. Guerrero on a groundball to second, and two strikeouts registered by relief

pitcher, Leo Vargas, the Horns came up

Jared Mosley was able to end the Eagles

to bat in the third inning. Bobbitt walked Ochoa. Then hits by Guerrero and Alfred Martinez found bases loaded with only one out. With Leo Vargas coming to the plate, Longhorn fans could see an opportunity to tie the game. But Vargas' groundball to shortstop David Twilliger who stepped on second, then fired to first, saw the

inning with the Horns still trailing 4-0. Stranding six men on base during the seven inning of play, the Longhorns were never able to capitalize on three

Eagles turn a double play, ending the

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new athletic director FLOYDADA — After sifting through approximately 30 applications,

the board of trustees for Floydada Independent School District selected Bryan Davis to serve as the athletic director and head coach for the school system during the coming year. Davis replaces Dean Bates who recently submitted his resignation.

Davis, 35, was hired after being interviewed in executive session at a special called meeting on Monday, June 6, according to school superintendent Jerry Cannon.

The new head coach comes to Floydada from Olton with three district championships to his credit during his four year tenure as athletic director and head coach with the system. Prior to that, he was assistant coach at Frenship ISD for eight years.

A graduate of Post High School, Davis participated in football, basketball, track and golf. He attended Howard Payne University and played football during his college years.

Davis and his wife Karen have three children, a ten year-old son, Brady, a seven year-old daughter, Marissa, and two year-old B.J.

The new head coach will assume his post with FISD this summer in preparation for the upcoming school year.

City council expands water improvements

FLOYDADA — The Floydada City Council acted on Thursday, June 2, to increase the water line improvements previously approved. Council members added 4,900 feet to the 9,100 feet already in the process of being completed. This means a total of 14,000 feet of new and/or larger water lines will be installed in the city.

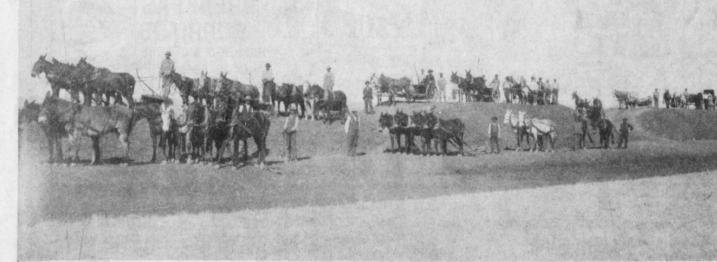
Motion to approve advertising for bids on the water line improvement work was made by Councilman Clar Schacht and seconded by Councilman Albert Hill Sr. The vote was unanimously in favor. A resolution to amend the grant proposal was also passed by

unanimous vote on a motion by Councilman Wayne Tipton with a second by Eric Cornelius.

The second item handled at the noon called council session was the appointment of the city electrical superintendent to serve as a representative to the West Texas Municipal Power Agency (WTMPA) board. Motion for the appointment was made by Cornelius and seconded by Tipton. All voted in favor.

The City of Floydada has two representatives on the board, the city manager and now the electrical superinten-

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THEN AND NOW -- The laying of track for the Llano Estacado Railroad in 1909 provides a stark contrast with the operations currently going on to remove the rail line between Lockney and Floydada. Early railway builders

(photo on left, courtesy of the Floyd County Historical Museum) relied on the muscle power of men and animals to accomplish their construction feats. Today, a single man with a machine (photo on right, Staff Photo) is able to demol-

ish in just a few hours what took the original crews many days to install. The removal of the steel rails and wooden ties along the pathway of the abandoned railroad brings to an end the era of rail transportation in this area of Texas.

Railroad history comes to a close in Floyd County

By Alice Gilroy & Juanita Stepp

An era is coming to a close with the final abandonment of the railroad line connecting Plainview, Aiken, Lockney and Floydada. For weeks crews have been spotted pulling up the former Llano Estacado Railroad Company tracks along Hwy

Like all towns in West Texas, Floydada transportation started with the horse and the covered wagon. The development of the "Ironhorse" revolutionized travel and shipping in the early days of United States History, coming to Floyd County in 1909. The Llano Estacado Railroad connected Plainview and Floydada. The Llano Estacado began with a group of local citizens determined to help the area grow

Temporary officers and directors formulated a \$200,000.00 capital stock plan for the sale of 2000 shares at \$100.00 each. Included in this group were: W.M. Massie who served as President, General Manager and a director; R.C.Andrews, Vice President and director; A.D. White, Secretary and director; W.T. Montgomery, Treasurer and director; R.A. Childers, General Solicitor and director; and directors Thos. L. Price, C. Surginer, W.W. Nelson, and E.C. Henry. All were Floydada residents with the exception of Price whose residence was listed as Jeferson

City, Missouri. According to information gleaned from the files of the Floyd County Historical Museum, other original stockholders included J.S. Pickel, G.T Riley, Daff Griffith, J.E. Burns, T.M. Moore, J.A. Nall, J.L., Dagley, S.K. Hamilton, W.L. Smith, W.A. Potts, T.J. Marshall, J.E. Huckabay, Nathan E. Waller, Bob Kropp, C.M. Bell, W.N. Allen, J.R. Vandergriff, R.L. Reeves, P.M. McDonald, Randolph Bros., J.W. Carroll, W.E. Broyles, W.S. McNeil, R.A. Stalcup, and W.C. Parkinson. The company grew to a total of 230 stockholders scattered from Floydada to Lockney and on to Plainview. Each owned at least one share. The largest stockholder was W.M. Massie who held 210 shares.

The Llano Estacado was bought in 1910 by the Santa Fe Raiiroad and ultimately operated as a part of the Burlington-Northern Railroad Company System. On June 1, 1989, Burlington-Northern announced their intention to abandon or discontinue service on the line. Local South Plains residents decided to come to the rescue.A group of concerned businessmen and farm producers formed the South Plains Rural Rail Association in August of 1989.

The association consisted for one representative from each of the five counties in the Lubbock cluster. Floyd County Precinct 1 Commissioner Connie Bearden represented Floyd County. Other counties represented were Hall, Briscoe, Hale and Lubbock. The purpose of the organization was to secure backing to purchase

the rail line and keep it operating. These organizers believed it was their interest in the line that ultimately attracted a buyer. "In my opinion, the forming of the South Plains Rural RailAssociation is what attracted a buyer and operator," said Bearden in a April 5, 1990 interview with the Floyd County Hesperian. "Up until that time there had been no interest shown in buying the line. In the first meeting we had, with shippers and bankers, we got enough pledges (\$80,000-\$90,000) to buy bonds to rehabilitate the line."

The group raised funds for their project from local banks, businesses and producers. This enabled them to work with lawyers, consultants and agents to try

keep the line open and serving the area. Local rehabilitation of the line was not necessary because the Floydada Spur was sold to AMERAIL, an Illinois-based subsidiary of the TEMCO Corporation in April of 1990. "The 27-mile Floydada line will continue to operate as the Floydada and Plainview Railroad," said Richard C. McClure, president of AMERAIL in the April 5th Edition of the Floyd County Hesperian.

Local producers and residents of the county were pleased to see the newly painted and brightly colored red, white and blue engine operating along Floyd County

lines. The pleasure was short lived, however and the company announced plans to abandon the line in 1992 after the grain harvest was completed. The Plainview-Floydada line was quietly disbanded in 1993. The tracks along the line in Floyd County are now being removed and the right-of-way is being returned to cultivation in many areas.

Longtime Floydada resident, Will Martin, remembered the coming of the railroad in a March 23, 1989 story printed in the Floyd County Hesperian. He shared his memories, saying, "I remember my mother telling me about the time the first train came to town.

"There was a big crowd on hand for these times. There were speeches, forecasting what a neat place the railroad would make Floydada, etc. The train men took all the school kids to Lockney and back but doggone it, I was too small to take a

"I have a great liking for the old steam train. Ever since I was lage enough to see one run down the track, I liked to see them trail smoke behind when going toward the wind and seeing them blow steam to clean out the pipes. It was wonder ful to hear that loud whistle when the train came up to a road crossing, and when

the engine was switching in the yards, we could hear that old brass bell ring. "The depot was first located across Price Street on the north next to what we used to call the depot lake. In 1913 we had two or more weeks of rain and the depot was surrounded by water...the wagons had quite a time carrying freight to and from the depot."

"In the early days, the section crews went to work on hand cars," recalled Mar tin. "There were usually five men in all, with two of them on each end of a long lever pumping up and down to propel the car along the tracks. The foreman sat

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EMS RECEIVES DONATION .- Stan Pierce (left), an EMT Intermediate student, presented Larry Ogden (center), representative for Lighthouse Electric, with a check in appreciation for allowing the EMT class to use their facility for meetings and classes. The money was collected from EMT students. Lighthouse, in turn, donated the check to the Floydada EMS.Accepting the donation was Paul McIntosh (right) Floydada EMS Director.

Railroad history comes to a close in Floyd County

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between the two men in front. I always thought he was lazy"

Martin remembered the automobiles being unloaded from boxcars and the grain coming to and from the elevators along the track. "Most of the businesses also had coal shipped in to sell to most everybody for fuel to heat and cook with," said Martin. "They would hire people to unload cars of coal and other things had to be loaded onto cars to be shipped out of town. Indirectly, the early railroad gave lots

"The first trains spent the night in Floydada and went to Plainview about eight each morning. They would pick up and leave freight as they went through Lockney. They would leave Plainview, come back through Lockney and reach Floydada about 2:30 or 3:00. It was a mixed train, freight with baggage and passenger cars combined.'

Martin also remembered an unusual event on the railway in the "early 1920s or

"It seems that on a fairly windy afternoon; a train was switching in the yards in Plainview. The engine bumped a car to the east. A brakeman had failed to direct the car to a branch track and it just kept coming on down the main line. None of the train crew noticed the runaway car.

"As the wind was pretty high and Plainview is several feet higher in elevation than Floydada, the car was gaining speed. Someone saw the car as it passed Lockney. A brakeman met the car at about Muncy and stopped it by the time it reached the yards in Floydada. That sure was a brave man. The car had been going an estimated 50 m.p.h. when he caught it. I don't know if Santa Fe kept a record, but

In that old railroad story Martin expressed his sorrow at other lines begin abandoned around the county and was hoping that the railroad history was not coming

"I hear that they are trying hard to do away with the branch line and other lines in this part of the country," said Martin. "I was born before railroad came into Floyd County and surely I won't live to see them all gone.

Sadly that statement has proven true for Martin and others. A new generation has begun which will have no memories whatsoever of the railroad lines in this

Council expands water improvements

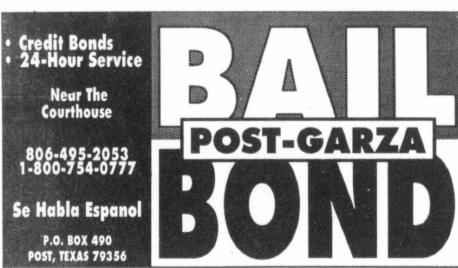
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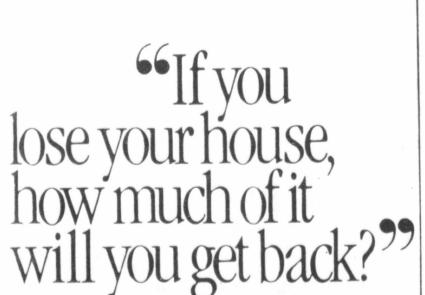
dent. Gary Brown and Connie Galloway are the current holders of those positions and will represent Floydada in matters concerning cities which continue to operate an electric company.

Council members also agreed to employ Mary Kelley to develop a grant proposal concerning the Communi-Care phone system the city would like to obtain. Kelley will be responsible for putting together a grant request designed to secure funding for the community service system which would be utilized to monitor ill and elderly citizens on a daily basis.

Motion to approve the hiring of Kelley was made by Councilman Le-Roy Burns. Cornelius provided the second and the vote was unanimously in

Council members were shown a video concerning the role of a council member before the session ended.





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get a lot back.

Area code needed for all long distance calls

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company customers in West Texas and the Texas Panhandle will soon start including their three-digit area code when making long-distance calls within their own area codes, it was announced recently.

The dialing change, which will not affect customers' rates for basic telephone service, their long-distance rates or 9-1-1 services, is a result of mandated modifications to the North American Numbering Plan, which was announced last fall. The new dialing pattern will affect customers in the 806 and 915 area

The plan is administered in the United States, Canada, Bermuda and parts of the Caribbean by Bell Communications Research (Bellcore). Last fall, Bellcore and Southwestern Bell announced that the changes would begin in July 1994.

Local business and residential customers are being reminded of the change again later this month and in June through letters and bill insert notices. Additional reminders will be provided through newspaper ads, bill inserts and bill messages until the new dialing pattern becomes mandatory.

During the "permissive" dialing period beginning July 1, Southwestern Bell customers may start dialing their area code in long-distance calls within their area code region. Beginning January 3, 1995, customers must dial a "1" or "0" plus the area code and seven-digit number for all long-distance calls.

When the system was created in 1947, it established 152 area codes that



This Week's

Announcements

LHS CLASS OF 54

Lockney High School Class of 1954 will hold their 40th year reunion June 10, 11 and 12 at the Sheraton Inn, 505 Ave. Q, in Lubbock. All former students, parents, teachers and friends are invited to attend any or all of the festivities. For more information contact Evelyn Hooten Mattison in Lubbock, 806-791-3111, or Barbara Mathis in Lockney, 806-293-1050.

SOUTH PLAINS **COLLEGE COUNSELOR**

A counselor from South Plains College will be available at the Floydada chamber office, 105 W. California, from 7-9 p.m. Thursday, June 9, to answer questions pertaining to the courses, credits and financial aid and provide information concerning enrolling in college courses to be offered in Floydada for the fall semester.

PUNKIN DAY MEETING

A Punkin Day organizational meeting will be held at 7 p.m. June 15 at the Lamplighter Inn. Everyone is invited to

ATENS AT FIRST CHRISTIAN Tammy and Sherman Aten will be in charge of the 11 a.m. worship Sunday, June 12, at the First Christian Church in Floydada. The church cordially invites everyone to share this experience with them.

DRIVERS ED CLASSES

Summer Drivers Ed Classes in Lockney will begin on Tuesday, June 14. Those who are interested must be 15 years old before July 8. For more information or to sign-up call John Zalman at 652-3582. Everyone is to meet in the band hall on June 4.

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC

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

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

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

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were projected to be sufficient until the year 2000. However, due to the nation's increase and shifts in population and the technological advances that have enabled the skyrocketing use of cellular phones, pagers, facsimile machines, and additional telephone lines, the system is exhausting the available supply of phone numbers.

While no new area codes are projected in the foreseeable future in West Texas and the Texas Panhandle, this new dialing pattern will enable local telephone switching devices to define the call's routing. For most residential customers, this new dialing pattern will be little more than a minor inconvenience until they become accustomed to

Business customers, however, must modify their private branch exchanges (PBX) or internal telephone switching systems and other equipment, such as fax machines and email systems, to ensure that they can recognize and process calls under the new dialing pattern.

Plexar systems currently in use by local businesses will automatically be modified through Southwestern Bell. If they are not using a Plexar system, business customers must contact their local vendors to discuss modifying their PBX

All customers, residential and business users, must also reprogram the phone numbers used in their Call Forwarding and Speed Dialing services to include their home area code for longdistance calls.

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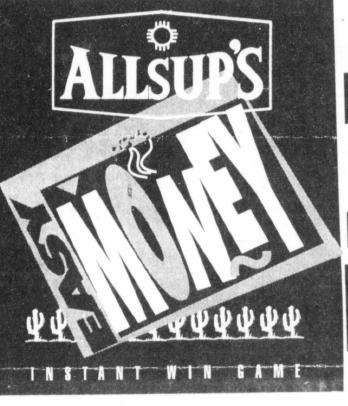
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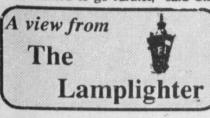
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hits and an Eagle error, while Holliday added runs in the fourth, fifth, and seventh innings to realize their dreams of being one of the final four teams bound for Austin.

"They were good, really good," said David Norwood, head baseball coach for the Longhorns. "We just got beat by a good ball team."

For the eight seniors on the Longhorn team who graduated the week before, it was a disappointing end to an unbelievable season.

"I wanted to go further," said Chris



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Creecy from Montana huddled together in a prison camp to be numbered by the Japanese. We reasoned that it might be important that we receive numbers close together. It might have some bearing on what happened, and we wanted to stay together if at all possible. We were close during the battles, we were all from farm or ranch backgrounds, and we didn't want to be separated if we could help it.

It worked. George got 856, Turner got 857, and I got 858. Creecy got 860. We got separated occasionally, but by and large we managed to keep track of each other, and help each other through the 3 1/2 years we were "guests of the Emperor."

Now George Williams is gone. He was a good man. A good soldier. I have no doubt he was a good husband and father. He had to be. He was one to do his duty. I know he tried his best to do his duty, during a period when that was what was expected of young men.

When the men stormed the beaches of Normandy, we knew nothing of it. By then we had been in prison camps for more than two years. No word of such things filtered into our midst. There was no radio, no t.v., no newspapers, no mail. One day was pretty much like the last. The soldiers, sailors and Marines fighting their way north from the south Pacific were still a long way away from that prison camp in Manchuria where we survived as best we could.

But if the men of D-Day hadn't done their thing, and if the men of the Pacific hadn't done their thing, I suppose we would still be doing our thing in the prison camps of Manchuria. If, that is, anyone was left. And America would be a vastly different place.

So our thanks go to all of them, and to all those at home who rallied around and supported them. We also hope those who now benefit from their sacrifices try to remember, as often as possible, what kind of a country, and what kind of a society, they felt they were fighting

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Ochoa, "but it was a good year." Ochoa, who moved to Lockney at the beginning to the year, said that he was glad he was able to be a member of the Regional Champion Longhorn team.

For Leo Vargas, a four-year letterman who was on the first competitive baseball team fielded by LHS four years ago, it was the end to a stellar career. Named MVP of the 1994 Longhorn team, Vargas was a key component with his outstanding pitching ability and teamleading bat in the Longhorns advancement through the playoffs. Even though the disappointment showed on his face, Vargas admitted that "it feels great to have made it this far."

"It was a great season and a lot of fun," Norwood said.

And in the words of shortstop Tanner Johnson..."We'll be right back in it next

Home-schooling is alternative taken by Floydada parents

By Alice Gilroy You can find the "Home-Schoolers" all over the United States in almost any size town, but because of misconceptions about "Home-Schooling" most families are very quiet about their choice

of staying home to study. According to the mother of one local "Home Schooler," Marie Poteet, "There is a ridiculous feeling among some people that if you "home-school" your child, the only reason he is scoring high is because you are cheating.

"It takes a great deal of discipline on the part of parents and children to homeschool. Statistics show that test scores of children who are taught in the home exceed the scores of children who are taught in public schools."

According to those that home-school most people do not understand that the children still have to pass the same SAT tests that children in public schools do. The tests are monitored and are accepted by all Universities. The cost for an achievement test is \$20.00 which is then graded and ranked by the state. Parents also keep very accurate records of their daily activities.

"Many people stay away from homeschooling," said Poteet, "because they think the Universities won't take their children unless they graduate from a state accredited high school-but that is not the case. The colleges just look at the SAT tests and there are also all kinds of scholarship resources available to home-schoolers."

Marie's son, J.W. Poteet Jr., began home-schooling when he was in the 2nd grade because of the Poteet's dissatisfaction with the public schools in the Austin area. "My son was being taught that homosexuality was alright and that same sex parents were O.K. as long as everybody loves each other. We decided to pull him out of school and I began to home-school."

J.W was home-schooled by his mother until he entered Floydada High School as a sophomore. He graduated this year with a 3.762 grade point average, but because of a local school board ruling he was unable to graduate as a Valedic-

"The school board ruled this year that you had to attend a state accredited school for four years before you could may hurt our son's chances to get scholarships but J.W. is being considered for

be considered as Valedictorian or Salutatorian," said Poteet. "We thought that

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the National Merit Scholarship and the University of Texas has already offered him a \$1,000 scholarship. The University of Houston has also offered scholarships."

According to Poteet, "Anyone can home-school. You don't have to be a brain-you just have to be dedicated. If you are not good in one subject there are all kinds of resources you can draw

Poteet obtained her curriculum from Alpha Omega in Arizona, at a cost of \$200.00 per year. Besides books, curriculum is also offered through videos and via satellite through your own television. There are also all kinds of extra curriculum you can obtain in areas that your children are interested in.

"For instance, J.W. wants to study Aeronautics in college so we obtained curriculum in that area. At the age of 17 years old, on the same day J.W. graduated from Floydada High School, he was also able to obtain his pilots license. The flight training was part of the homeschooling course."

In the Poteet household, "homeschool" begins the same time as public school and ends at the same time. If there is a snow day at the public school there is a snow day at home.

"We go on field trips but we don't have assemblies," laughed Marie. "Many times several families of homeschoolers will come together for field

Even though Marie has finished with her son's school she is still busy homeschooling her 13 year old daughter, Jeanette. "Jeanette has never been to public school," said Marie.

"Lots of people think that is terrible. They question the kids ability to 'adjust to the real world'. I tell them that my kids get plenty of interaction outside of school through their church and their neighborhood. Children will always find each other and will play with whoever they are compatible with. I believe it also makes the children very independent. They are not swayed by peer pressure.

"Home-schooling makes children very disciplined. They have to sit and work until the work is done. If my child made less than an 80 on a test then I assume he did not understand, so we go over it until they do. It is very good for the kids because of the one-on-one dis-

"I don't know very many teachers in public schools who wouldn't love to be able to do that with their kids. It is an ideal environment for learning."

According to Marie, when J.W. entered Floydada High School and was tested he excelled in some areas and was weak in others. "When he saw where he was behind then he stayed after school and tutored and pretty soon he was excelling in those areas also. I really appreciate his teachers, Mr. Lockwood and Mr. Wilson. They were fantastic and really pushed J.W. to achieve. They took that extra time. The principal, Mr. Christian, also was great in helping us make sure J.W. had all the credits he needed to graduate."

Said Marie, "There are a lot of homeschoolers now and the number is on a steady increase every year. Homeschooling is the poor man's answer to tutors or private schools."



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YOU DID A GREAT JOB!—Lockney Longhorn baseball team members Leo Vargas (at left) and Chris Ochoa (right) are being congratulated for a job well done following their 8-0 heartbreaking loss to Holliday last Friday in

Abilene. The loss brought to an end the Longhorns recent winning streak and their hopes to compete in the state

-Staff photo

Rickey Davis is FNB artist for June



Municipal judge attends seminar

RICKEY DAVIS

The Honorable Frank A. Breed has successfully completed the course of study in judicial education in fulfillment of the annual requirements set forth in the Rules of Judicial Education by order of The Supreme Court of the State of Texas. Judge Breed attended the 12hour course in Houston this year May

Judge Breed was appointed by the Floydada City Council in August, 1990 and his caseload consists primarily of traffic misdemeanors and state law and city ordinance violations.

The Judge's hours at City Hall, 114 W. Virginia, Floydada, are 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Davis has studied with Dr. Emilio FLOYDADA — Rickey Davis of Plainview is the displaying artist for the month of June at the First National Bank in Floydada His works will be on exhibit during regular bank hours throughout the month.

Davis is the co-owner of Uniques & Antiques and has been an art teacher in Plainview for 21 years. He is a graduate of West Texas A&M in Canyon, earning a B.S. Degree in Fine Arts.

According to Davis, his favorite media to work in is oil, "but, I have worked in watercolor, tempera, acrylics and pastels." He favors landscapes and florals as subjects. "I have also done some portraits and character studies."

Cabellero, Stephan Kramer, and Romaine Swan, all of Amarillo. Others he has studied with include Pat Krahn and Paul Milosowitch of Lubbock. He is a past president of the Plains Art Associa-

Says Davis, "As an artist, I am very critical of myself. I admire the work of others much more. In fact, I have maybe two or three of my paintings in my home. The other things I have and enjoy are by someone else."

Everyone is invited to stop in and see the paintings of this talented South Plains artist.

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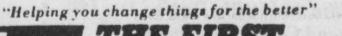
The winners of the two \$100.00 Shopping Sprees at Pay-N-Save in Floydada during "Old Settlers" were Johnny Gourdon and Helen Guthrie. Congratulations! We would like to thank all of you who participated in the Shopping Spree Drawing.



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MR. AND MRS. JAY HOLLUMS

April Denton and Hollums exchange wedding vows

Jay Hollums, son of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Hollums of Floydada, and April Denton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Denton of Waco, exchanged wedding vows in Miss Nellie's Pretty Place in Cameron Park in Waco, with Dr. Earl Blair officiating.

The bride wore a full length white satin wedding gown with a train edged in several layers of voile netting. She carried a bouquet of white roses with blue accents.

Wedding vows were exchanged in front of a center fountain with a backdrop of a floral arch and centered cross. The background of bluebonnets surrounded the tiered stair setting where the guests sat.

In addition to being the best man, D.G. Hollums, brother of the groom, sang "I Will Be Here" for the solo.

The bride's sister, Michelle Mae Denton, was the maid of honor and was dressed in a short length blue formal. The bridal gown attendant was Miss Casey Tomlinson.

At the conclusion of the wedding, guests were feted with the bride and groom wedding cake and punch in the arbor above the seating area. Guests included the grandmothers, Mrs. Dorothy Tomlinson of Waco, Mrs. Edwina Hollums of Floydada and Mrs. Lois Gay of Cleburne. Other guests, that were relatives, included Clifford Gay of Dallas, Christy Purvis of Dallas and Harryette Hollums of Cisco.

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration recalls safety seats

-From Melissa Long, CEA-HE Child Safety Seat recalls are issued by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and involve serious safety problems that should not be ignored. The repair kits are "FREE" of charge and to delay in requesting them

could put children at risk needlessly. Owners who have questions about recalls or any safety recall should call NHTSA's toll-free Auto Safety Hotline at 1-800-424-9393.

The manufacturer should be contacted if one owns a safety seat that has been recalled. In most cases, the defect is a small part on the safety seat. The manufacturer will supply the replacement part or kit for no charge. The child should continue using the safety seat until the repair kit arrives. An unrestrained child is at far greater risk than using a seat that needs some adjustment. Recent recalls include:

Dream Ride seats manufactured by Cosco, Inc., 1-800-221-6736; light blue and pink plaid fabric, manufactured from 1/1/89 thru 1/11/94, seat cover material does not meet federal safety

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standard for flammability.

Renolux child safety seats produced by FBS, Inc., 1-800-476-5273; blue tweed safety covers, manufactured from 5/89 thru 6/93, seat cover material does Sams Travel Club not meet federal safety standard for flammability.

Century Child Safety Seats, 1-800-837-4044; red harness release button on all 3000STE, 3500STE, and 5500STE models may jam in a sudden stop or crash, Century will send replacement kit

Fisher Price, 1-800-845-8813; plastic part inside buckle fails so that the buckle will not fasten and the child will not be restrained, contact FP for new shield

with buckle assemble. Gerry Guardian - Takata-Gerico Corporation, 1-800-845-8813; buckle assembly fails to meet release force requirements, too easy for children to release themselves, new buckle replace-

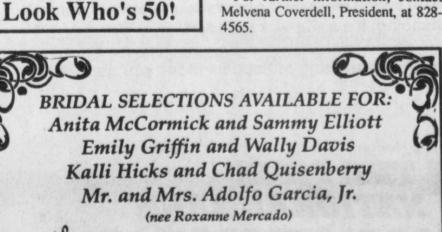
ment kit available Owners should be able to find the manufacturer, model number, etc. attached to the safety seat and have the information available when calling the manufacturer

LVN's to meet on June 14 in Lubbock

Licensed Vocational Nurses Association of Texas, Lubbock Division 18, will meet Monday, June 14, from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. The meeting will be in the Arnett Room of St. Mary of the Plains Hospital.

Featured speakers for June will be Janice Stewart, Trudy Hutton, and Judy Sawantz. They will be speaking on "Parkinson's Disease."

For further information, contact Melvena Coverdell, President, at 828-



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Buffalo Grass Chapter NSDAR meets

By Loretta Denning

FLOYDADA--Buffalo Grass Chapter NSDAR met at Lighthouse Electric. A salad supper was served at 6: 30 p.m. June Sherman and Sue Lovell were hostesses. In Mrs. Lovell's absence, Ona Ruth Neff assisted June with hostess

The Regent, Nancy Marble presided. Two members who had been absent for several months were welcomed: Virginia Taylor who had been ill for almost a year and Rilla Sue Woody, who had moved away for several months, but is back with us again.

After the opening exercise, Vera Jo Bybee read the President General's message, commenting on some of the statements of Mrs. Blair, President General. Nancy Marble gave a short report on National Defense, using an article in the

DAR magazine titled "Warning Signs on National Security." The officers made their reports, the minutes were read and business session was finished.

Loretta Denning was the Program Chairman, being responsible for the memorial service. We honored the following deceased members: Mary Anne Swepston, Sept. 23, 1985; Emma Lou McKinney, Oct. 12, 1988; Liza Barton Jones, June 2, 1988; Alice Lowrie Henry, Sept. 11, 1990; and Frances Linnie Fletcher Abbot, Oct. 30, 1990.

The next meeting will be Sept. 27. Members present were: Mary Lou Bollman, Sherry Colston, Dorothy Hodges, Ozena Norris, Gene Reed. Nancy Marble, Rilla Sue Woody, Vera Jo Bybee, Roxanna Cummings, Emily Johnston; Sandra Smith, Virginia Taylor, Ruth Burleson, Ona Ruth Neff, June Sherman and Loretta Denning.



GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY-A reception in honor of the Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary of Albert and Otero Scheele will be held Sunday, June 12, at Trinity Lutheran Church, Providence, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. The couple was married May 26, 1944 in Wilson, Texas. Hosting will be their children and their families, Linda Stutts of Brenham, David Scheele of Midland, Diane McCormick of Galveston, Rebecca Duckworth of Longmont, Colo., Lisa Peckenpaugh of Farnsworth and Ralph Scheele of Rockwall. Friends are very welcome to attend.

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Tamarah Burson

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Thursday, June 9: Bobby Pinner, Eddie Teeter, Johnny Reynaga, Feliciano Mondragon, Sr.

Friday, June 10: Jeff Kleypas, Lesca Durham, David Bosquez, Doris Ray, Jeaine Rodriquez

Saturday, June 11: JonthaLee Mercer, Lisa Stansell

Sunday, June 12: Hilda Salazar Monday, June 13: Heather Graham Tuesday, June 14: Junior Guerrero. David Reyes, Jr., Cameron Kemp,

Wednesday, June 15: Alice Ford, G.M. Webb, Orlando Mondragon

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Saturday, June 11: Ed and Patty Hull Tuesday, June 14: Dand and Nina Teuton, Roy and Saundra Turley, Craig and Julie Ellison

Wednesday, June 15: Lennie and Alice

hold regular meeting

by Marjorie McElyea

The meeting was called to order by president Harold Reese. He began by introducing Randy Hollums. He and his wife Teressa have returned to be members of the club again.

The birthday song and anniversary song was sung to birthdays, John Lyles, Marjorie McElyea, Darrell Mayo, June Patzer, Boone Adams, Yvonne Thaxton, Wayne Russell and any anni-

Programs and business for the area 10 Samboree were discussed also. We voted to adopt a new patch for the State Samboree. Harold Reese was nominated as assistant director of the Chapter 10 area Samboree. Minutes were read by Francis Weath-

ersbee and were approved as read.

Wagon Master Harold Norrell called on Trail Boss Fred Thaxton to report on the Palo Duro trip.

We will park at Yukka Flats.

The door prize was won by Boone The July cookout at the RV park will

be at 6 p.m.

by the Bennetts, Paynes, and Thaxtons. financial report and we were dismissed by singing Happy Trails led by Boone

FLOYDADA

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Thursday, June 9: Rey Gomez Friday, June 10: Lottie Hall, Jeremy Hernandez, Jennifer Hernandez, Margarita Romero, Evan Johnson, Julian Runnels, Jennifer Luna, Tate Greer, Gerardo Ochoa

Saturday, June 11: Mandi Yeary, Coy Holmes, Rudy Medrano, Shawnda Greer, Boone Adams

Sunday, June 12: Alan Livingston, Patti Miller, Resa Mercado, Kody Smith, Kevin Smith

Monday, June 13: Joyce Smith, Aaron Enriquez, Jesus Rodriguez, Terence Fuller, Judy Schacht, Albert Hill

Tuesday, June 14. Tyler Parsley Wednesday, June 15: Maribel Cuellar, Jerry Summers, Edd Henderson, Lynda Seymour, Jose Torres, Scot Holster

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Friday, June 10: Mark and Cindee Appling, Bert and Vicki Vandiver Saturday, June 11: Monroe and Arvie

Sunday, June 12: Randall and Gayla

Tuesday, June 14: Mark and Holly

Wednesday, June 15: Lennie and Alice Gilroy, Dallas and Gale Ramsey, John and Cindy White



leon, North Dakota.

Look Who's New!

Bruce and Jolenta Martin of Mansfield are proud to announce the birth of their first baby. Heather Nicole, was born Monday, April 25, 1994, at 11:47 p.m. She weighed 6 lbs. and 1 ounce and was 18 1/2 inches long.

Grandparents are Mel and Marjorie Holcomb of Lockney and John and Mary Vetter of Bismark, North Dakota. Great-grandparents are Vera Cox of Lockney and George Gross of Napo-

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Alyssa Arneel honored on 2nd birthday

Alyssa Arneel, daughter of Robert and Kerri Arneel of Flomot, was honored Sunday, May 5, two days before her 2nd birthday with a party at her home.

The theme for her party was Barney. Hot dogs, hamburgers, cake, punch, Kool-Aid and cokes were served to Sharri White, Michael and Justin of Childress, Larry Jones, Bryce and Travis of Paducah, Nell Jones of Floydada, Robert and Kerri Arneel and Michael and the honoree.

Kristan and Landon Lackey of Floydada were unable to attend but sent a

Alyssa was also honored with a birthday party Sunday, May 29, in Arlington at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Lupe Barry. Twenty guests from Arlington, Grand Prairie and Dallas attended.



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Reecer family reunion held over Memorial Day weekend

by Mavis Reecer

The Reecer family reunion was held on Memorial Day Weekend in Ruidoso, New Mexico. Hosts for this year's reunion was Ronald and Janis Reecer of Alto, N.M.

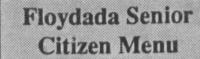
The group met at noon on Saturday for a picnic at the Oak Ridge Campgrounds on Ski Run Road. That night everyone attended the Flying J. Wrangler Chuckwagon Supper and Show. On Sunday evening, a hamburger cookout was hosted by Donald and Mavis Reecer of Alto, N.M., at the little Creek camping area.

Those attending this years event was Clara Reecer, Paul and Zora Reecer of Lockney; Jeff, Dina and Chloe Reecer

Jordon Reecer of Amarillo; Steve, Jana Sean and Ryan Hill of Seminole; Dona and Joann Smith Mike and Dawn, Tanner, Amanda and Jim Smith of Farmington, N.M.

Donald and Mavis Reecer of Alto, N.M. Tim Reecer of Irving; Julie Graham of Lubbock; Ronald and Janis Reccer of Alto, N.M. Russ, Kara and Christian Reecer of Ft. Worth; Other guests attending were Virginia and Dink Gamm of Alto, N.M. Lester and Judy Smith of Roswell N.M.

Next year's reunion will be hosted by Paul and Zora Reecer on April 29-30 and will be held in Lockney.



June 13-17

Monday: Chicken enchiladas, mexicorn, stewed tomatoes, tossed salad, saltine crackers, orange cake, milk/beverage choice

Tuesday: Chicken fried steak, white gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed veggies, wheat roll, fruited gelatin, milk/beverage choice

Wednesday: BBQ chicken, corn cobbets, spinach casserole, tossed salad, biscuits, apple cobbler, milk/beverage

Thursday: Beef roast, au gratin potatoes, green or wax beans, lettuce/tomato salad, banana pudding, cornbread, milk/ beverage choice

Friday: Pepper steak, rice, squash, milk/beverage choice



INSTALLING OFFICERS OFFLOYDADA CHAPTER #31, O.E.S. were as follows (I-r), Past Grand Matrons, Betty Phillips Hager, Installing Grand Marshall, Beulah Speer, Installing Grand Officer, Brooks Speer, Assistant Installing Grand Officer, Dell Gray, Worthy Matron, Bill Gray, Worthy Patron, Past Grand Patron, B.F. Hutson,

Installing Grand Chaplain, Naomi Wolfe, Installing Grand Secretary, and General Grand Chapter Committee Member and Past Grand Patron of Texas, Leonard Ellington, Installing Grand Organist. Mrs. Gray and Mrs. Wolfe are Grand Examiners for Districts 2 and 4, respectively. The officers were installed on June 3 in the Floydada Masonic

--Staff photo

Have A Good Week!



Who's famous for stalling And also for falling? He is ten times four. Can he make it one more?

Franklin and Culpepper families hold reunion at Massie Activity Center

The William Franklin and Jeanette Culpepper family enjoyed their semiannual reunion Sunday, May 29, at the Massie Activity Center.

Several family members attended worship services at the First Baptist Church. The family played horseshoes and taught the younger children to pitch washers. A special trip to the museum was planned. The family members had written stories about their memories of their first houses. Some of those stories were shared. Also a family time-line was presented and explained. Also there was a display table for old pictures and current family pictures.

The family enjoyed the Old Settlers activities and luncheon on Saturday.

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Adams, Ringgold, La.; Gerald and Janet Chapman, Amarillo; Mabel Redwine, Floydada; Margrette Holmes, Floydada; Elaine Wilson, Lubbock; Stan, Judi and Stephanie Chapman, Amarillo; Dane, Rhonda, Shay and Jerry D. Chapman, Pampa. Special guests were Debbie and Kelli Bertrand,

Evers family reunion planned for June 10-12

The friends and family of Daisy Watson Evers will be meeting for a weekend of fellowship on June 10, 11 and 12. The reunion will be held at the Sheraton Inn at the Civic Center in Lubbock, 505 Ave. Q. For more information contact Ken Custer at 214-503-

Floyd County 4-H to host St. Jude's Bike-A-Thon

FLOYDADA — Everyone is invited and encouraged to Help someone by having fun! All interested biker riders and biking enthusiasts are asked to sign up for the St. Jude's Bike-A-Thon and help children in the fight against cancer. The big event is scheduled for Saturday, June 18, from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m.

A planning meeting is slated for Friday, June 10, at 4:00 p.m. in the Floyd County Extension Office of the Floyd County Courthouse Annex in Floydada. Riders and helpers are needed and all ages are encouraged to participate.

Anyone wanting more information can call Sarah Sanders at 983-2320 or the 4-H Office at 983-2806.

Stallings is May TTU graduate

Allen Lee Stallings graduated recently from Texas Tech University with a Master of Science degree in crop sci-

More than 1,900 student at Texas Tech University received degrees durign 1994 spring commencement exercises

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1994-95 O.E.S. OFFICERS are (back row) Willyne Norman, Assoc. Conductress; Wayland Jones, Assoc. Patron; Pam Meador, Ruth; Joy Assiter, Adah; Margaret Jones, Assoc. Matron; Darlynn Hambright, Conductress, and Wayne Russell, Sentinel; (front row) Sherry Colston, Martha; Roberta Russell, Treasurer; Bill Gray, Worthy

Patron; Dell Gray, Worthy Matron; Judy Thayer, Organist, and Gordon Hambright, Marshall. Other officers not pictured are Flora McNeill, Secretary; Melba Vickers, Esther, and M.J. McNeill, Treasurer. These officers were installed in an open installation on June 3 at the Floydada Masonic Lodge Hall.

Senior Citizens Rockins

by Gene Newton There were 48 present Thursday night. Everyone seems to have enjoyed them-

Everyone seems to be having some-

where and enjoying summer. The president asked for help to move some furniture do we have to appoint someone? Come on we need some vol-

Harley and James have got our building all the same color we wanted to thank them for a nice job Let's not forget our sick. Our prayers

are with you and your family. Monday: Chicken, vegetables, salad,

Tuesday: Char broiled steak, veg-

etables, salad, dessert Wednesday: Chicken fried steak, veg-

etables, salad, dessert Thursday: Spaghetti, vegetables, salad, dessert

Friday: Fish, vegetables, salad, des-

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West Texas A&M awards diplomas

Degrees were conferred on 74 master's and 383 baccalaureate candidates at West Texas A&M University's commencement exercises May 14 at the Amarillo Civic Center.

Cynthia A. Hill of Floydada earned her BSN in Nursing.

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point average of 3.50 or better were recognized as honor graduates. The three levels of recognition are Cum Laude (3.50-3.74), Magna Cum Laude (3.75-3.89) and Summa Cum Laude (3.90-

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4-H honors Mitchell for leadership

Warren Mitchell, Floyd County 4-H Leader, was among the 20 adult leaders honored during a recognition luncheon at the District 2 Adult Leaders Association meeting held May 14 in Levelland. The recognition luncheon took place during the District 2 4-H Roundup event. Mitchell was cited for his many years of service to 4-H. During his many years of involvement with 4-H, Mitchell has led rifle projects and taken teams to disrict and state competitions. He works with the Lockney Stock Show as well as the Floyd County Stock Show and he has worked on 4-H Exchange fund raising activities as well as sponsoring the trips to other states.

Warren and Charlotte Mitchell have been 4-H supporters through the years with their three sons, Matt, Joe, and now Tim, who is on this year's state qualifying rifle team.



HONORED BY 4-H-Warren Mitchell was honored for outstanding leadership to Floyd County 4-H during the District 2 Adult Leaders Association meeting held in conjunction with the District 2 4-H Roundup in Levelland May 14.

Floyd County 4-H Council holds meeting

By Cody Hayes

County 4-H Council had a meeting in Floydada at the 4-H Extension office.

At the meeting the 4-H county camp was discussed first. Decisions were made about who would lead certain activities during the camp. The recreations would be directed by the 4-H recreation team members. The council decided that the flag ceremony for the camp would be done by Mark Terrell and Max Green. We also decided that the theme for the party would be Spanish Times.

Max Green and Jerod Glasson volunteered to bring a sound system for the dance and everyone is to bring a board

After the discussion of the camp, there was a discussion over library volunteers for the Floydada library reading time. Kaci Mathis, Tim Mitchell, Cynthia Martin, and Charla Yeary all volunteered to present a demonstration at the library. Next, we discussed about

a sewing project to aid the junior 4-On Tuesday, May 24, the Floyd H'ers. Kaci Mathis and Charla Yeary volunteered for that.

After the activity discussion we ate and then continued with county council officers elections.

The election results were as follows: President, Charla Yeary; Vice-President, Michael Mercado; Secretary, Chelsea Patridge; Reporter, Cody Hayes; County Yearbook Chairman, Tim Mitchell and Kaci Mathis; County Program Chairman, Mandy Hunter and Lezlianne Hickerson; District Council Delegates, Cynthia Martin and Mark Terrell; and Parliamentarian, Misty Bertrand.

Our meal was enjoyed by all including Melissa Long, Kerry Siders, Charlotte Mitchell, Susan Patridge and Betty

at Camp Rio Blanco near Crosbyton.

The girls were working on a camping

patch and some were able to complete the patch during the two sessions. The troop was accompanied by Jim

taught them some knot tying. Both guys

laid a trail with signs for the girls to fol-

low. The girls did some cooking on an

through the camp telescope and see Ju-

After dark everyone was able to look

open fire and also on camp stoves.

By Carol Huggins



CAMP OUT AT RIO BLANCO--Lockney Girl Scout Troop 154 spent two weekends at Camp Rio Blanco. Girls attending were (back row, I-r) Rebecca Rendon, Lisa Molina, Lindsey Lerma, Amber Wood, Claudia Rosales; (front row, I-r) Cathy Rosalas, leader; Melanie Huggins, Leticia Gueriero, Sara Davis, Mary Lou Zavala and Carol Huggins, leader.

Floydada team participates in West Texas Baseball League

After the first week of play, Floydada's entry in the West Texas League has found the competition considerable stronger than last year's Plainview Summer Baseball League. Sponsored by Floydada Power and Light, this is virtually the same team that dominated the Plainview League a year ago with an undefeated run enroute to the championship.

The team, called the Floydada Tornadoes, composed of returning Floydada varsity and incoming freshmen players, is coached by Edd Henderson, Jr. and Mr. James Webster of Lubbock.

Graduated senior Brandon Gilliland is also playing on the Floydada team, in anticipation of having a chance at collegiate baseball this year.

The Tornadoes opened against Tulia at Watson Field on May 31 and came up on the short end of a 15-4 score. Since that opener a week ago, Floydada has defeated Levelland, and lost to Amarillo High, Canyon, and Plainview. As Henderson noted, "It will be a long season (over 30 scheduled games plus two tournaments), and our kids will have to quickly adjust to the level of competition—especially the younger ones. We want them to have fun, while at the same time tune up their basics of hitting, pitching and fielding."

Game 1 Watson Field, Floydada May 31, 1994

Tulia 552 03 15 Floydada 031 00 4 Game Terminated on 10-run rule.

Game Comments: Because Angel Aleman and Michael Mercado were unable to play, Monty Anderson was

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pressed into service as starting pitcher. date—we showed improvement in a He gave up ten earned runs and walked number of areas," said Coach Hendersix while allowing 9 hits in the shortened

Game 2 Conner Field, Canyon June 2, 1994

Floydada 000 001 3 4 Canyon 111 003 X 6 Game Comments: Floydada played much better offensively and defensively. The key to the loss was Floydada's inability to score with run-

ners on base—the Tornadoes stranded 14 runners on base. Tomas Barrientos went 2 for 3 at the plate and scored a run. Angel Aleman pitched well in the losing cause as he issued only 4 walks while allowing 6 runs.

Game 3 Watson Field, Floydada June 3, 1994

Amrillo High 000 343 2 12 8 8 Floydada 100 100 6 8 6 3

Game Comments: Floydada had its best offensive showing of the season by scoring eight runs on six hits, including 6 runs in the bottom of the 7th inning to make the score respectable.

Game 4 Jaycee Park, Plainview June 4, 1994

Floydada 203 003 2 10 9 Levelland 003 000 0 3 5 2

Game Comments: Floydada logged its first victory of the season with a 10-3 verdict over Levelland at Plainview's Jaycee Park. In-coming freshman Richard Casillas pitched the complete game, allowing only 5 hits while walking 3 batters. Gilliland led the Floydada offense with a triple and 2 RBI's, and Tomas Barrientos cracked a double with a pair of RBI's.

"All in all, it was our best game to

6 1 3

Game Comments: Floydada had only one hit into the 5 inning game. Jason Henderson pitched the first four innings, and allowed 3 hits. Blake Bramlett pitched on inning of relief and allowed one hit and a run.

and Danny Huggins who helped with their camping skills. Danny instructed the girls in putting up tents and Jim

Game 5 Jaycee Park, Plainview June 4, 1994

Floydada 240 00 Plainview A's 430 21 10 4 6

piter with some of it's moons. One of the weekends was cool and rainy but that didn't stop the activities. Everyone just put on their raincoats and enjoyed a hike. They even spotted several animal tracks in the Big Sandy river

Girl Scouts camp out at Rio Blanco bed. Of course, this lead to a lot of specu-LOCKNEY--Lockney Girl Scout lation as to what they might be. Everyone agreed the hike was the highlight of the girls hope to go back again soon. Troop 154 recently spent two weekends

Both weekends were great fun and all

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Perales, Michael Reynaga Junior: Coby Marr, Dede McCarty, Jared Mosley

Martin, Chelsea Patridge, Carlos

Senior: Tony Banda, Angie Clark, Max Green, Amy Hernandez, Rhanda Hickerson, Allen Martin, Oscar Palomin, Debbie Pyle, Carlos Raissez, Melynda Smith B Honor Roll

Freshmen: Amy Anderson, Dale Baeza, Kelli Clark, Sara Duenas, Mandy Gallaway, Janet Jones, Corbin Kellison, Kimberly Martinez, Michael Mondragon, Chad Stapp, Joe Tambunga Sophomore: Mark Arismendez,

Rowdy Boggs, Tamarah Burson, Freshmen: DeWayne Jones, Kaci Marissa Camacho, Jairod Clark, Nicole Emert, Aaron Graham, Cody Hayes, Brady Marr, David Padilla, Kalpesh Patel, Saundra Pyle, Veronica Reyes, Josh Robnett, Adrian Rosales, Tikka Smith, Bryon Towler, Shannon Veal, Leigha Wood

Junior: Kristen Abney, Amy Arjona, Thomas Banda, Lalo Chavira, Chris Guerrero, Mandy Hunter, Trudi Lambert, Kay Lynn Lusk, Margee Mann, Alfred Martinez, Ashish Patel, Matthew Raissez, Robert Romero, Chris Sepulveda, Mark Terrell, DeKayla VanZandt

Senior: Holly Ascencio, Ricky Ascencio, Manuel Banda, Josie Cavazos, Jerod Glasson, Angie Hooten, Maricela Luna, Mary Luna, Oscar Palomin, Paul Raissez, Glen Truett, David Turner, Leo Vargas

Duncan Elementary School Honor Roll

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Moreno, Jackie Rendon, Mandi Wood "A" Average -- Victor Mata, Silver Retirement Ruiz, Victoria Gonzales, Mikey Rangel, Gregory Vasquez, Raul Mendoza, Issac Brown, Andrew Weeks

SECOND GRADE

"A" -- Josh Bradley, Chance Crossland, Lindsey Nutt, Becky Warren, Sylvia Mancilla, Alyssa Bennett, Molly Long, Joey Martinez, Eason Campbell, Melissa Dunlap, Sarah Ochoa

"A" Average -- Luis Lopez, Suelem Saldana, Mason Becker, Skyler Cornelius, Brenda Cuellar, Karla Hill, Eric Morales, Ross Bennett, Veronica Garcia, Amy Nichols

THIRD GRADE

"A" -- Tanner Battey, Ragan Beedy, Laura Reddy, David Rodriguez, Dustin Covington, Brooke Hayes, Chelsea Kirk, Elsa Medrano, Amber Overstreet, Marisela Peralez, Jessica Rodriquez, Kayla Stovall, Madison Becker, Ruddy Castaneda, Jamie Johnston, Margo Morin, Brady Rainwater, Kellen Wyrick

"A" Average -- Jason Aleman, Larae Gilliland, Tyler Helms, Tracy Ramirez, Joseph Cuevas, Johnny Joe Garcia, Tana Holmes, Margaret Martinez, Mari Mendoza, Chase Mitchell, Daniel

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Floyd County 4-H'ers head for Texas A&M State Roundup

Twenty Floyd County 4-H'ers will attend State 4-H Roundup June 6-10 on the Texas A&M University Campus. Over 2,000 4-H'ers, parents, and leaders from across the state will be involved in the week long event.

Allen Martin will begin the week of competition with an interview for a 4-H Foundation Scholarship. On Tuesday and Wednesday, Cynthia Martin and Charla Yeary will take part in the State 4-H Fashion Show. Wednesday will also see the rifle team of Tim Mitchell, Kaci Mathis, Matt Whittle, and Josh Robnett in competition.

Thursday's activities include the State 4-H Food Show involving Mandy Hunter and Kaci Mathis. A Landscape and Production Horticultural Illustrated Talk will be presented by Charla Yeary and Amand Ogden. Mark Terrell, Max

Green, Allen Martin, Rhanda Hickerson not only involves cooking, but learning and Kay Lynn Lusk will make a Family Life Presentation and a Share-the-Fun Skit will be given by Leslianne Hickerson, Bryan Bybee, Kristen Abney, Cynthia Martin, Chelsea Patridge, Cody Hayes, Stacey Lloyd, and Eric Bartlett.

FOOD SHOW CONTESTANTS PREPARE FOR COMPETITION by Kaci Mathis

Mandy Hunter and Kaci Mathis were up early Tuesday morning to leave for the State 4-H Food Show. The girls earned the tip to the Texas A&M campus at College Station by winning first place at both the county and district levels. Only four 4-H'ers (one per category) from District 2 will compete at the state

the nutritional value of food and fitness. To participate in the food show, a 4-

H'er must be involved in a foods project. The food show is a way to be recognized at many levels. A 4-H'er must choose a dish to prepare by himself, that falls into one of the following categories: Main Dish, Fruits and Vegetables, Nutritious Snacks and Desserts, and Breads and Cereals. The dish needs to be nutritious in some way. Contestants research and study many questions

which the level of intensity depend on the age group. Some sample questions are: What are the main nutrients in your dish and what do they do for the body? What are the food groups and how many servings do you need daily? What preparation principles did you learn as a relevel. The Foods and Nutrition project sult of this project?

A judge at the food show interviews you, and they can choose any question they want to ask. For example, one year, a judge asked a nine year old girl, "How many calories are in a fat gram?" When you are preparing for the food show, don't be surprised if the judge asks you an off the wall question. The dish is also and overall value.

For the Food Show, Mandy made Light Potato Salad. This potato salad uses red potatoes and light nonfat dressing. Because Mandy's dad is diabetic, this recipe is very good for him. Not only is this recipe good for diabetics, but for any other person looking to stay healthy. Kaci made a Spinach-Mushroom Cheesecake. A special ingredient in this cheesecake is Feta Cheese. This cheesecake is especially good at parties and brunches. It is much like a cheeseball, because it is served on crackers.

To cook at A&M, both girls must take everything they need to prepare their dish, from a mixer to paper towels. Nothing will be provided at the contest preparation site. Mandy and Kaci will have four hours top prepare their dish before they are judged. The state contest is different from county and district in many ways. At state, contestants are judged by three judges on an one-to-one basis. At the other shows, there are two judges at the same time. Also at county and district, you bring you dish already prepared.

To advance to state is a great achievement. Even if they don't win, Mandy and Kaci will gain experience for years to come. Below are their recipes for refer-

Light Potato Salad

from Mandy Hunter 6 medium red potatoes, unpeeled 1/2 c. diced onion

1/2 c. diced celery 1/4 c. chopped red sweet pepper 1/4 c. chopped green pepper

judged on taste, uniqueness, appearance,

1/2 teas. salt 1/8 teas. pepper Wash potatoes and cut into 1/2 in. cubes; cook in boiling water until tender. Drain and let cool. Combine potatoes and next 8 ingredients; toss gently. Set aside. Combine yogurt and remaining ingredients; stir well, and pour over potato mixture. Toss gently; cover and chill. Yield:9 servings (72 calories per 1/2 cup serving).

SPINACH-MUSHROOM CHEESECAKE

from Kaci Mathis Butter or margarine

1/4 c. grated carrot

1/4 c. diced dill pickle

1/4 c. sweet pickle relish

1/4 c. plain nonfat yogurt

2 TBS. spicy brown mustard

1/4 c. light mayonnaise

12 oz. jar diced pimientos, drained

3/4 cup Italian-seasoned breadcrumbs,

1/4 cup butter or margarine, melted

and divided 1-10 ounce package chopped frozen

spinach, thawed 1 cup chopped fresh mushrooms

1/4 cup finely chopped onions 2 cloves garlic, minced

1-2 ounce jar diced pimiento, drained 3-8 ounce packages cream cheese,

1-7 ounce package feta cheese, drained

1/3 cup milk

4 large eggs

3/4 teaspoon salt

1/4 teaspoon ground red pepper 1/4 teaspoon black pepper

1/8 teaspoon ground nutmeg Grease bottom and sides of a 9-inch springform pan with butter. Dust sides of pan with 1 tablespoon breadcrumbs. Combine remaining breadcrumbs and 2 tablespoons melted butter; firmly press into bottom of pan. Set aside.

Drain spinach on paper towels; set aside. Cook chopped mushrooms, chopped onion, and minced garlic in remaining 2 tablespoons melted butter in a large skillet over medium-high heat, stirring constantly, 3 minutes or until crisp-tender. Stir in spinach and pimiento. Set aside.

Beat cream cheese at medium speed with an electric mixer until creamy. Add feta cheese, beating until blended. Gradually add milk, beating at low speed until blended. Add eggs, one at a time, beating after each addition. Stir in spinach mixture, salt, red pepper, black pepper and nutmeg. Pour into prepared pan.

Bake at 300 degrees for 1 hour or until almost set. Turn oven off, and partially open over door; leave cheesecake in oven for 1 hour. Remove cheesecake from oven, and let cool completely on a wire rack. Cover and chill until serving time. Serve room temperature with crackers. Yield: 25 appetizer servings.

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FLOYD COUNTY 4-H'ERS competing at State 4-H Roundup June 6-10 include: (back row, left to right) Bryan Bybee, Kaci Mathis, Amanda Ogden, Eric Bartlett, Tim Mitchell, Rhanda Hickerson, Cynthia Martin, Stacey Lloyd; (front row) Leslianne Hickerson, Charla Yeary,

Chelsea Patridge, Kristen Abney and Mandy Hunter. Not pictured are Matt Whittle, Josh Robnett, Mark Terrell, Max Green, Allen Martin, Kay Lynn Lusk, and Cody

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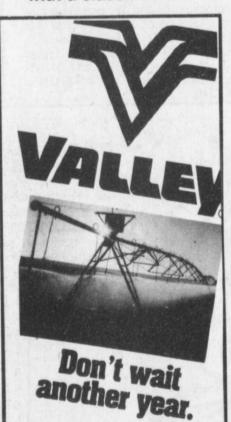
Lockney Public Library begins summer program

The annual summer reading program at the Lockney Library is set for June 13 through July 8.

The theme for the program is "Familiar Faces and Far Away Places." A story hour will be held on Wednesdays from 3:00 to 4:00 P.M., for children aged 3-10.

Members of the Lockney 4-H club will be assisting Doylene Dipprey, li-

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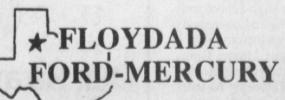


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Teacher lands role in "The Music Man"

Belinda Bradley of Floydada has landed a role in the summer production of "The Music Man."

She is among more than 30 persons who will be featured in the two-act musical, which will be staged July 7-10 in the Theater for the Performing Arts at South Plains College.

"It's going to be fun," said Jay Brown, theatre instructor at South Plains College who will be serving as director. "It's a good, hard-working bunch."

Performances will be held at 8 p.m. July 7-9 and 2 p.m. on July 10. Admission is \$5 for adults and \$3 for students.

Bradley is the new speech and theatre teacher at Floydada High School. She has the role of Ethel Toffelmier.

Shannon Gammage announced as USAA national award winner

The United States Achievement Academy announced today that Shannon Gammage has been named a United States National Award winner in Math-

This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognized less than 10% of all American high school students.

Miss Gammage, who attended Coronado Junior High was nominated for this National Award by Julie Brantley a math teacher from Coronado Junior High in Plainview.

She will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook published nationally.

Shannon is the daughter of Ron and Shelley Gammage of Plainview and is the granddaughter of Emma Collins and Mr. and Mrs. N.H. Gammage all of

Second summer registration is July 7 at SPC

Registration for the second summer term at South Plains College is July 7.

Sign-up on the SPC Levelland campus, located at 1401 College Ave., is 2-7 p.m. in the Student Center. Enrollment on the SPC Lubbock campus, located at 1302 Main in Lubbock, is 9 a.m.-1 p.m. and 4-6 p.m.

Classes begin July 11. Late registration on the Levelland campus is 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. and 5:30-6:30 p.m. July 11-12. Late registration on the Lubbock campus is 8 a.m.-1 p.m. and 4-6 p.m. July 11 and 8 a.m.-3 p.m. July 12. A \$15 late registration fee will be charged.

Final day to drop courses is Aug. 1 and final exams will be given Aug. 11.

Summer 1994 bulletins are available listing course offerings and other information.

To obtain a bulletin, contact the SPC registrar's office in Levelland at 806-894-9611 or Lubbock campub at 747-

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Her previous roles have included Ruth in "Blythe Spirit," Marian Paroo in 'The Music Man," Laura in "Glass Menagerie," Lola in "Damn Yankees," and Dolly in "Annie Get Your Gun."

She directed "Six Impossible Things Before Breakfast," "Livin' de Life," "And They Dance Real Slow in Jackson," and "Picnic" in UIL One-Act

competitions.

The Lubbock native attended Monterey High School and went on to earn acting honors at both Wayland Baptist University and Hardin Simmons Uni-

She was a teacher at Denver City High School for four years prior to accepting the position at Floydada.

Leigh and Erin Dawdy given national recognition

FLOYDADA—The United States Achievement Academy has announced that Leigh Marie Dawdy of Floydada has been named an All-American Scholar and her sister, Erin Nicole Dawdy has been named as a United States National Award winner in English.

The USAA has established the All-American Scholar Award Program in order to offer deserved recognition to superior students who excel in the academic disciplines. The All-American Scholars must earn a 3.3 or better grade point average. Only scholars selected by a school instructor, counselor or other qualified sponsor are accepted. These scholars are also eligible for other awards given by the USAA.

Leigh, who attends Floydada Junior High, was nominated for this National Award by Mrs. Deanna Logan. She will appear in the All-American Scholar Directory, which is published nationally. This is the third consecutive year, she has been nominated for this award. As a sixth grader, she was nominated by Mrs. Frances Hambright and as a 7th grader by Mrs. Dara Ware.

Erin, a student at R.C. Andrews Elementary, was nominated for her national award by Mrs. Margaret Jones, an English teacher. Erin will appear in the United Stated Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, published nationally.

Criteria for selection as a National Award winner are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative



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"Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in American history. Certainly, winners of the awards should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement," said Dr. George Stevens, Executive Director of the United States Achievement

The Academy selects All-American Scholars and National Award winners upon the exclusive recommendations of teachers, coaches, counselors, and other qualified sponsors. Once awarded, the students may be recognized by the USAA for other honors.

Leigh and Erin are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Dawdy of Floydada. Their grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Dawdy of Idalou.



ERIN N. DAWDY

Texas Tech releases names of Lockney honor students

Texas Tech University has released the names of students listed on the Dean's and President's List. Included on the lists were three Lockney students.

Students on the president's list earned a perfect 4.0 grade point average while enrolled in 12 or more semester hours of classwork. Students finishing 12 or more hours with a grade point average of 3.5 to 3.9 qualfied for the dean's list.

Erin Elizabeth Adrian McEndree, a senior, was named to the Dean's List. She is a communication disorders major and is the daughter of Larry and Sandy Adrian of Lockney.

Kori Shay Kellison, a freshmen and pre-physcial therapy major, was named to the dean's list. She is the daugther of Ricky and Kathy Kellison of Lockney. Jayson Lee Lusk, a freshmen, was named to the President's List. He is the

son of Raymond and Martha Sue Lusk

and is a food technology major. Have A Good Week And Stay In The Shade!

KIDD RECOGNIZED AT TEXAS TECH—Texas Tech University College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Sciences dean Sam Curl recognizes Phillip

Deadline is June 24 for TASP registration at SPC

Kidd with the Outstanding Student award for the 1993-1994 school year.

June 24 is the registration deadline for the final TASP exam of the summer scheduled July 23 at South Plains College in Levelland.

The exam will be administered at 8 a.m. in the SPC Student Assistance Center on the third floor of the Library building. Fee is \$26.

The TASP (Texas Academic Skills Program) test measures a student's strengths and weaknesses in reading, writing and mathematics. The test is required of any full or part-time student who has not earned at least three semester hours of college credit prior to 1989.

The TASP test is not used as an admissions criterion but is designed to indicate whether or not a student possesses adequate basic college-level skills necessary to begin an undergraduate degree, said Claudine Oliver, director of guid-

ance and counseling at SPC.

be successfully mastered before a student is awarded an associate degree or allowed to transfer into junior or senior level courses. Exemptions are granted to students who have earned at least three semester credit hours of collegelevel work prior to the fall of 1989 or who are enrolled in certain certificate

dents who do not take the TASP test the Student Assistance Center.

For more information on SPC's testing procedures, contact the SPC guidance and counseling office at 806-894-

ABC's for summer protection

This summer, parents should teach ness. Give the child a non-aspirin pain their children the ABC's -- Away, Block and Cover.

rays should begin early in life since people get approximately 80 percent of their total lifetime sun exposure by age 18," said Dr. John Wolf, chairman of dermatology at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

Wolf says teach your child the following ABC's for safe, summer fun:

A = Away. Stay away from the sun from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. when the sun's rays are most intense. Let your child have indoor fun like playing games, reading a book or helping bake cookies.

B = Block. Use a sunblock with a sun protection factor (SPF) of 15, covering the shoulders, lips, nose and ears. For fun, your child might enjoy wearing colored sunscreen.

C = Cover. Encourage your child to wear a T-shirt and a baseball-type cap, and ask them to play in the shade. Letting them run through a water sprinkler under a large tree is a time-tested way to have fun and keep cool. Protect young eyes with sunglasses. Choose fun shades like neon-colored, cartoon and multicolored glasses.

The natural effects of aging increase with more sun. A serious result of sunlight exposure is skin cancer, the most common form of cancer in Americans.

A sunscreen is the best defense against damage to a young child's tender skin -- especially for infants. Although some sunscreens are especially formulated for infants, it is best to keep babies out of

"Babies 6 months old and younger should be kept out of direct sunlight and wear protective clothing," Wolf said. "If an infant is outside in a stroller, be sure there is shade or a protective covering."

Wolf says parents should have a skin first aid kit including a sunscreen, a moisturizing lotion and a pain reliever

For sunburns, place a cool, wet compress on the affected area and apply a soothing lotion to treat peeling and dry-

Karen Jones awarded DDS degree

Karen Lloyd Jones has received a Doctor of Dental Surgery (DDS) degree from The University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio.

She is the daughter of Melvin and Janet Lloyd of Floydada and the granddaughter of Ella Lloyd of Floydada and Betty Boren of Farmersville. She is a graduate of Floydada High School and attended college at Amarillo College and Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

Dr. Jones graduated Magna Cum Laude and received the SouthwestAcademy of Restorative Dentistry Award. Other honors received include Excellence in Clinical Dentistry Award, the American Society of Dentistry for Children Award, Dean's List for Academic Achievement and selected a member of Senior Honor's Program.

All three parts of the TASP test must

A pre-TASP test, designed for stuprior to fall registration at SPC, will be administered June 21 and July 19. The test will be given from 9 a.m. to noon in

9611, ext. 366 or 368.

Anita McCormick reliever for burning and stinging. If blisnamed on HSU

"Skin protection from the sun's harsh immediately.

> wary about protecting the skin from sun exposure.

"To a child, nothing's more fun than playing outdoors," Wolf said. "But don't let sunburned skin ruin your child's sum-

tering occurs, consult a dermatologist **President's List** If your child is taking medication that

Anita R. McCormick of Floydada has makes skin sun-sensitive, be especially been listed on the President's List at Hardin-Simmons University for the 1994 Spring semester. The President's List is composed of

students carrying 12 or more semester hours who have grades of A on all courses for the semester.

Bugs are back

and in a buzz

The bugs are back. And they're in a

Even if you dread that familiar sum-

mer scenario, there is little you can do

to prevent a run-in with one of the many

vicious, venom carrying insects that in-

vade every pool party, picnic, baseball

"Repellent will keep mosquitos at bay,

but the only way to avoid the sting of a

harmful flying insect like a wasp or hon-

eybee is to stay a safe distance away,"

says Dr. Robert Fromm Jr., Director of

Emergency Services at The Methodist

Dr. Fromm says swatting at them with

your hand may just stir them up, so its

best to just move away as fast as you

can. "If you should disrupt a nest or bee-

Certain flying insects, like the hon-

eybee, can sting just once, but several

will strike several times and that means

breath, weakness and generalized swell-

ing usually mean a lot of venom has

been secreted into the skin," says Dr.

Fromm. "If you notice those symptoms,

bee will leave its stinger stuck in your

skin along with a small sack which con-

tains venom. Don't squeeze it! Dr.

Fromm advises gently scraping it off the

skin so the venom will not penetrate.

All insect stings will likely produce

some localized swelling, redness of the

skin, pain and an itching sensation. "The

best way to treat most stings is to apply

ice for the swelling and a lotion or cream

to relieve the itching," says Dr. Fromm,

"but try to resist the urge to scratch the

affected area since that often causes an

And one more thing. Interestingly

enough the smell of some fragrances and

trash is a magnet for most stinging in-

If you are stung by a honeybee, the

"Nausea, vomiting, shortness of

more poison penetrating your skin.

hive, run!" says Dr. Fromm.

it's time to see a doctor."

game and barbecue.

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Obituaries

EUGENE V. BOREN

Graveside services for Eugene Verl Boren, 71, of Sachse, Texas, were at 3 p.m. Wednesday, June 8, in Floyd County Memorial Park under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral

Mr. Boren died Saturday, June 4. 1994, in Arlington, Texas.

He was born on Oct. 8, 1922 in Floydada. He was a 1940 graduate of Floydada High School and a veteran of World War II.

He served as a corporal in the 425th Signal Corps Regiment. He fought with General Douglas MacArthur from New Guinea to the Phillipines and participated in the liberation on Manila. Corporal Boren was the signal corpsman who sent MacArthur's famous message, "I have returned."

He graduated from Texas Tech University with a degree in Chemical Engineering in 1953 and worked for Texas Instruments, Inc. for 32 years, retiring in 1989. He was a skilled gardener and gunsmith.

Survivors include his wife of 48 years, Evelyn Withers Boren; a son, Carl L. Boren of Dallas; three daughters, Theresa Leopold of Arlington, Patricia Boren of Dallas and Angela Boren of San Mateo, Calif.; his mother, Ruby Dunavant Boren of Corpus Christi; a brother, W.C. Boren of Corpus Christi; four grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was a brother-in-law of Floydada residents, Wanda Withers, Walter and Mary Alice Davis and Linda and Bill Gattis of Del City, Oklahoma.

MARY HUTTON

Graveside services for Mary Hutton, 88, of Lockney were at 4 p.m. Sunday, June 4, in Lockney Cemetery with Bob Wright, pastor of Assembly of God Church in Spur, officiating. Burial was under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hutton died at 5:37 p.m. Saturday, June 4, 1994, in Lockney Care Center following a lengthy illness.

She was born Mary Cole on Oct. 3, 1905. She was married to Thomas A. Hutton. She moved to Floyd County in 1946 and was a retired grocery store manager. She was a member of Assembly of God.

Survivors include a son, Thomas Hutton of Newalla, Okla.; four grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas Hutton in 1964; one brother, Bill Cole and a sister, Barbara

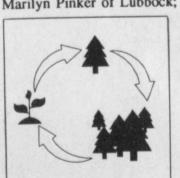
DORIS OWENS

Funeral services for Doris Owens, 68, of Lubbock were at 2 p.m. Friday, June 3, in Sanders Funeral Home Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Elvin Waters, pastor of Faith Today Ministries, officiating. Burial was in Peaceful Gardens Memorial Cemetery by Sanders Funeral

Mrs. Owens died Wednesday, June 1, 1994, at Lubbock Methodist Hospital. Born Sept. 27, 1925 in Grayson County, she married Wilburn Monroe Owens on Dec. 10, 1941 in Post. He died in October 1972. She moved to Lubbock from Tahoka in 1951.

Mrs. Owens was a member of Faith Today Ministries.

Survivors include a son, Edward of Lubbock; three daughters, Nell Tyson of Houston, Linda Burleson of Smyer and Marilyn Pinker of Lubbock; her



mother, Effie Stephens of Lubbock; three brothers, Leslie Stephens, Murrell Stephens and Dub Stephens, all of Lubbock; three sisters, Betty Marquis of Floydada, Ruth Layton of Marble Falls and Wanda Lampp of Lubbock; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

A son, Johnny, died July 3, 1985.

OBIE SWEAT

Graveside services for Obie Anderson Sweat, 92, of Siloam Springs, Ark., former Hale County resident, were at 2 p.m. Saturday, June 4, in Plainview Cemetery with the Rev. Tommie Beck, pastor of First United Methodist Church in Lockney, officiating. Burial was under the direction of

Wood-Dunning Funeral Home. Mr. Sweat died Wednesday, June 1, 1994, in Rogers Nursing Center in

He was born on February 19, 1902 in Indian Territory in Oklahoma and married Maggie Kate on April 10, 1922 in Duke, Okla. She died on Dec. 9, 1979. They came to Floyd County in 1923. He was a farmer in Hale Center and Plainview before moving to Siloam Springs two years ago.

A son, Herbert, who died in 1941 also preceded him in death.

Survivors include a son, Clifford and daughter-in-law, Alice, of Siloam Springs, Ark.; a sister, Vera Cox of Lockney; a grandson, Roger of Siloam Springs and a granddaughter, Vickie and her husband Pete and two great-grandchildren Jeoffery and Justin all of Fayettville.

Wesley and Wanda Moore of Lake Palestine and Freddie and Nova Jean Ivy of Mansfield spent a few days in Lockney with Vera Cox and a sister Marjorie and Mel Holcomb during the time of the funeral.

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> **** **EVANS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH** Rev. G.A. Blocker

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> 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.

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Thursday Service 7:30 p.m.

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Floyd County has been approved for emergency having and grazing of ACR and CU for Pay acres, under the 1994 Acreage Reduction Program, because of conditions that caused supplemental feeding above normal during the winter and spring, hay stocks were reduced significantly. The County Committee also requested that CRP acres be released also, but this request has been denied at this time. To my knowledge, there have not been any counties approved for Emergency Haying and Grazing of CRP acres anywhere. Producers that want to hay and graze these acres must file an application with this office BEFORE any haying and grazing takes place during the restricted period. Some of the restrictions are as fol-

lows:

The producers shall not:

*Remove cover to the extent the land is exposed to wind and water erosion. *Harvest approved covers for grain

or seed. *Hay or graze wildlife food plots.

*Hay or graze wildlife habitat. *Hay or graze alfalfa this is or could

be irrigated. *Hay or graze locally approved program crops or mixtures containing pro-

*Cover established with ACP funds

until the growth is well established. *Graze Small Grain crops allowed to

remain standing.

If the participant sells standing or harvested hay, or leases the grazing privilege to a livestock producer, the participant must obtain from the livestock producer a signed statement that the livestock producer will not resell the hay or subrent or sublease the grazing privilege to anyone, and that the haying or grazing will be used to feed livestock owned or leased by that livestock pro-

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grazing they may still have, (except small grain left standing requests), and will also allow producers to plant haygrazer (non-hegari mixtures or other grain sorghum mixtures) on these acres for grazing and/or hay. Inaccurate certifications or failure to make application and complete necessary paperwork could be very costly, so remember to take care of this promptly to avoid contract terminations.

CERTIFICATION REMINDER

July 15, 1994, is the final certification date for Feed Grains and Cotton. Please contact this office to schedule an appointment so that we can help save you time, and avoid unneeded delays.

LIVESTOCK FEED PROGRAM Floyd County has been approved for the emergency livestock feed program. Livestock owners that have lost part of the grazing or crops normally produced to feed livestock should apply. It is important that an application be initiated as soon as possible. An application may be initiated by contacting the Floyd County ASCS office either by phone or in person. Producers should be prepared to provide the livestock owners and farm serial numbers where the feed crops or the grazing is located. Applications will be taken of an appointment basis. Please call to schedule an appointment if interested in the program. If an appointment is scheduled and/or the application is completed within fifteen (15) days from the date application is initiated, the date of application will be the date used to start your feeding period.

TOLERANCE RULES

In complying with the farm programs, tolerance rules have changed for 1994. Tolerance will be the larger of 5% or one acre, not to exceed 50.0 acres. An accurate acreage report is essential, acreages reported outside of the allowable tolerances are subject to the affected crop, or land use being ineligible for program benefits, or a penalty. Please make sure your reported acres are accurate. Guaranteed measurements can be obtained from this office when the applicable fees are paid. Measurement Service is offered at a reasonable rate, and can save you money, stop by and check it out.



SIDERS' SIDELINES

By Kerry Siders, CEA-Ag

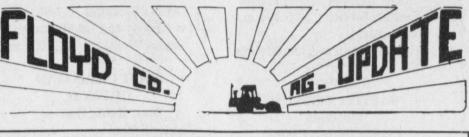
Post-directed herbicides in cotton

-From Kerry Siders, CEA-Ag. If you have problem weeds in cotton which your preplant herbicides are not controlling and/or you did not utilize the preemergence at-planting herbicides, you need to plan on using post-directed herbicides. Directed sprays will be most beneficial when applied to 3 to 6 inch cotton in order to catch the weeds when they are small (generallly less than 2 inches).

Applying herbicides to 3 to 6 inch cotton requires specialized equipment and precision nozzle arrangement. Excellent results can be obtained on small cotton with "sliding show or skid-type" application equipment. These rigs may also be used in larger cotton.

Fender-type cultivators are effective for making precision-directed applications to small cotton while cultivating the middles. Nozzles can be mounted on the fender and adjusted to cover a 12 to 16 inch band under the cotton. A regular cultivator with gauge wheels to maintain constant nozzle-ground clearance may also be used to apply directed herbi-

Some herbicides which can be used as post-directed are: Bladex, Caparol, Cotoran, Direx or Karmex, DSMA, MSMA, and Cobra. Consult your chemical dealer or give me a call on specific usage of each of the chemicals which vary in weeds controlled and various restrictions.





Figures reflect lower deficiency payments

By Shawn Wade

Marketing figures and the average price received by farmers for the period January through March indicated lower cotton deficiency payments can probably be expected in 1994 according to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers

PCG officials note that tightening world stocks and increased demand have helped drive cotton prices higher, causing the weighted average price for cotton through March to climb to 66.1 cents per pound. Through the same period in 1993 the weighted average price was a full 12.9 cents lower at 53.2 cents per pound.

Marketing during the first quarter of 1994 are running behind 1993 figures by some 749,000 bales. Cumulative marketing for the first three months of 1994 totaled 3,764,000 bales.

The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) estimated the 1994 Upland cotton deficiency payment at 12.9 cents per pound in February with an advance payment of 6.45 cents per pound available at programs sign-up.

Although it is still too early to recognize any meaningful trend from the year to date marketing and price information that has been released, given current marketings and the weighted average price received the projected 1994 deficiency payment totals 8.26 cents per pound. After subtracting the advance payment of 6.45 cent per pound many producer's have already received the final payment would only total 1.18 cents per pound.

"The good news for cotton producers at this time is the increase in the price of cotton over the last few months," notes PCG Executive Vice President Donald Johnson. "The only down-side to higher prices is its effect on he even-

tual size of this year's deficiency pay-

Historically, Johnson adds, the calendar year weighted average price of cotton used to figure deficiency payments is higher than the prices actually paid for High Plains cotton.

Upland cotton deficiency payments are calculated as the lesser of the difference between the 72.9 cent target price and either the Commodity Credit Corporation loan rate or the average price received by farmers weighted by total marketing for the calendar year.

The preliminary volume of marketings and prices received in cents per pound as reported by the National Agricultural Statistics Service through March appear below.

Preliminary Marketings and Prices Received Through March 1994

	Marketings (1000 Bales)		Price (cents/lb.)		Weighted Ave. Price	
	1993	1994	1993	1994	1993	1994
January	2681	2100	53.0	63.7	53.0	63.7
February	1009	922	53.8	65.6	53.2	64.3
March Source: NAS	823 SS, Wash	742 ington, I	56.3 D.C.	66.1	53.8	64.6

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FmHA loan program targeting socially disadvantaged groups

Socially disadvantaged groups are benefitting from a special loan program offered by the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA). "FmHA is reaching out to members of socially disadvantaged groups to help them obtain their goals of farm ownership," said George Ellis, Texas FmHA State Director.

Applicants must be a member of the following race/ethnic origin groups: black (not of Hispanic origin), Hispanic, American Indian or Alaskan Native, Asian/Pacific Islander, or women.

The socially disadvantaged outreach is mandated by the Agriculture Act of 1987, and defines a Socially Disadvantaged Applicant (SDA) as "an applicant who has been subjected to racial or ethnic prejudice or cultural bias because of his/her identity as a member of a group without regard to his/her individual qualities."

Under this program, FmHA will try to find persons in the SDA categories who are interested in farming. FmHA will be prepared to seller lease, to those applicants who qualify, a farm held in inventory if any are available in the county of the applicant's choice. FmHA can also provide other loan and technical assistance, if needed, to help the borrower get started.

The SDA statistics (all categories) so far in Fiscal Year 1994 (as of March 31, 1994) are as follows:

Direct Farm Operating Loans: Obligated: 111, Amount: \$4,374,340



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We would like to say "Thanks" to all those who offered prayers, sent flowers and cards, or made visits while Glenn was in the hospi-

A special thanks to Brother Hal and Brother McGuire for their many prayers and visits. We appreciate you both very much.

We also appreciate Marlon and the youth of the First Baptist Church for their prayers and cards. Thank you so much and we love vou, everyone.

Glenn is home now and doing better. In His Love, Glenn and Ila White

Words cannot express the feeling of love and gratitude we feel toward our friends and neighbors during the loss of our dear loved one, Lou Ola (Ewing) Hood. The prayers, kind words, cards, flowers, and food furnished by the church and others was so very much appreciated. It is so nice to know we have friends and others who were concerned and cared during our sad hours. May God bless each of you. Bill Hood

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Specifications can be obtained from Mr. Jimmie Collins, Business Manager at the School Administration Office.

The bids will be presented to the School Board at their regular meeting on June 13, 1994 at 7:00 p.m. Floydada Independent School District reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids in the best interest of the School District.

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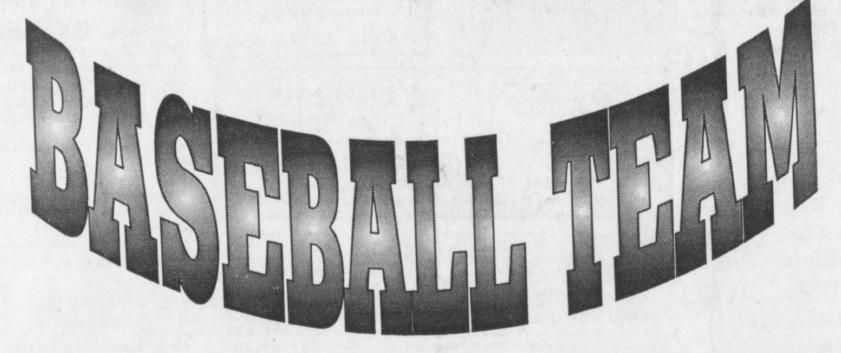
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