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A view from The Lamplighter

By Ken Towery

Texas politics has changed a lot since the "old" days, when Texas, like Mexico, was a one-party state. When we were much younger politics began to get serious about the time dogwoods began to bloom in the Spring, and everything was settled in the heat of Summer. Then, the Fall was a relatively calm political period, except for national Presidential elections every four years.

The Fall is now a period of uncertainty, but for entirely different reasons. The massive defection of traditional Democratic voters to the ranks of independents and Republicans has caused that uncertainty to roll around every two years, rather than every four years. And this year the downward spiral in Bill Clinton's voter approval only compounds the situation.

There is even talk that Democrats may lose control of the Senate in Washington, though we doubt it. There is talk, which we regard as mostly speculation, that they may even lose control of the House, for the first time in 40 or so years. That would be even more astounding.

Still, strange things are happening out in the hustings. The mood of the electorate is uneasy, even rebellious. Incumbents previously thought safe are facing problems. One poll floating around among the lobbyists, for instance, puts Congressman Bill Sarpalus in danger, with his Republican challenger, Mac Thornberry, within striking distance of an upset here in the 13th Congressional District. (Lobbyists keep close track of these things, since it is very important to them that they be on the winning side.) The poll puts Sarpalus in a much weaker position in the Democratic stronghold of Wichita Falls, and in the District's rural areas, than was assumed to be the case. If he cannot carry voter-rich Wichita Falls by a substantial majority, the reasoning goes, he is in deep trouble.

The Statehouse is another area of uncertainty. What started out looking, to us, like smooth sailing to another term as Governor for Ann Richards, now looks like somewhat rougher sailing, with a great big "if".

If her challenger, George W. Bush, ever gets his campaign uncorked and takes the fight to Richards, the prospects are now for a much closer race. She has potential problems with the school thing, with the tax thing, with the appointments thing, with the ethics thing. There are real differences between the two, but we see no real indication, at this stage, that Bush will push her to the wall on most of these issues. He is, we believe, much more conservative, philosophically, than his father, but he has almost the same degree of "niceness" that led his father to become a sitting target.

In the absence of his carrying the fight to her, she will, at every opportunity, attack him (as she already has with her ill-tempered "jerk" remark) and he, unless he changes, will shake his head sadly and say "she's not being nice", or words to that effect. His campaign advisers may be counting on him coming across as the gentlemanly, put-upon male being attacked by the aggressive female, hoping for some sort of backlash in the process. If so, it's a very weak reed to lean on, in Texas politics.

We still have a couple of months to go, and a lot can happen. About the only thing that is certain now, is that there is a lot of rumbling in the countryside. If it continues until election day, the chances are good that both Washington and Austin will have a lot of different faces after November.

In passing. People have been known to complain, occasionally, about Congressmen voting for bills they haven't even read, thereby foisting upon the citizenry laws of one kind or another. It now appears Congressmen are not the only guilty parties.

Mr. Leon Panetta, President Clinton's new Chief of Staff, and the man evidently in charge of getting the "crime" bill through the Congress, was being interviewed Sunday on ABC's "face the nation." He extolled the measure at great length, praising the President for his leadership, praising the bill for its

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Lockney celebrating Old Fashioned Saturday

LOCKNEY—Plans for Lockney's annual Old Fashioned Saturday are in the final stages of preparation. The celebration is sponsored by the Lockney Chamber of Commerce in an effort to draw the community together for a fun event at the end of summer.

For the second year the Texas State Pedal Pullers will hold their state finals here and all first and second place winners from events held across the state during the summer will be in town hoping to win a berth in the national pull-offs scheduled later this year.

The Pedal Pull will take place on

Main Street between Locust and Bryant Streets beginning at 11:30 a.m. and is under the direction of employees from Cargill Hybrid Seeds. Last year 148 youngsters competed for ribbons and trophies and brought people to Lockney from all over Texas, New Mexico, and Kansas.

Main Street between Locust and Bryant will be roped off and arts, crafts, food and game booths will be set up along the sidewalks and in the street. Churches, study clubs, school organizations, youth organizations as well as individuals are invited to set up booths.

For more information or to reserve space for a booth contact Marilyn Anderson at the CableVision office, 652-3328. Booth rental is \$15.00.

Sign-up for a washer pitching contest is scheduled to begin at 1:00 p.m. behind 718 East Locust or on the lot south of the Taster Burger. Charlie and Missy Minnick are coordinating the event. If you need more information call 652-3752. Belt buckles will go to the first place team and cash prizes to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners. The buckles are on display at the First National Bank in Lockney.

Amateur entertainment will begin at 3:00 p.m. Anyone who would like to participate can contact Judy Jackson at the First National Bank in Lockney, 652-3355. The stage will be set up at Locust and Main.

The Lockney Lions Club will hold their annual Broom Sale from 8:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. at the corner of West College and Main Street.

The Lockney Senior Citizens will be

holding a bake sale at the Senior Citizen Building.

A dunking booth will be set up by the Longhorn Booster Club. Get your throwing arm ready.

Old Fashioned Saturday will conclude with a street dance beginning at 8:00 and continuing until 12:00. Music will be provided by Clyde the DJ.

Everyone is invited to join in the fun, food, games and entertainment. Be sure to bring your lawn chairs.



RESCUING 'DUMMY' VICTIM—Floydada volunteer firemen, along with firemen from across the state of Texas, watch carefully as procedure is presented on rescuing farm accident victims. The mock combine accident was only

one part of several demonstrations put on during this year's annual Agro-Rescue School held Saturday in Floydada. (See related story on page 3).

—Staff photo by Jack Alaniz

Floyd County Commissioners Court accepts comp claims

The Floyd County Commissioners Court accepted unpaid comp time claims as presented by the Floyd County Sheriff's Department during a special meeting held Tuesday, August 23. The morning session yielded a motion, made by Judge Bill Hardin, to accept the claims with the understanding that these claims represent all past comp time from the department and with the stipulation that acceptance is on an all or none basis and subject to clarification by the U. S. Department of Labor. The motion was seconded by Precinct 1 Commissioner Connie Bearden. All present voted in favor.

According to County Judge Bill Hardin, the county has either paid or allowed time off to cover all comp and overtime claims submitted by the Sheriff's Department in 1993 and to date in 1994. The claims under consideration stemmed from 1992 added Hardin.

Hardin said the court had requested that the Sheriff's Department provide past unpaid claims as part of an internal audit being conducted to satisfy a U. S. Department of Labor investigation. "The submitted claims come from 14 individuals and represent a total of 1,507.5 hours for which the county is agreeing to accept responsibility at this time," said Hardin.

No taxpayers attend Fisd tax rate public hearing

FLOYDADA—The scheduled public hearing to allow taxpayers to voice their comments and opinions concerning the proposed tax rate for 1994. The 1:00 p.m. public meeting went unattended by taxpayers.

The proposed tax rate to support the proposed budget for the coming fiscal year is \$1.146 per \$100.00 of appraised value. This represents an increase of approximately 8 percent over the 1993 tax rate.

Following the hearing, a motion was made by Don Hardy to set a date of August 29, 1994, at 1:00 p.m. as the time for adopting the tax rate. Adoption must

wait until the proper notice has been published concerning the holding of the hearing and the scheduled adoption of the rate. The August 29 meeting will take place in the board meeting room at the administration offices at 226 West California.

Present for the session were school superintendent Jerry Cannon, administrative assistant Jimmie Collins, board members Charlene Brown, Steve Lloyd, Don Hardy, Mitch Probasco, Trena Simpson and Billy Joe Villarreal. Board member John Campbell was not present. Others attending were Jan Thompson and the Hesperian-Beacon reporter.

that claims up to 480 hours (320 hours worked at time and a half) for deputies and jailers and up to 240 hours (160 hours worked at time and a half) for dispatchers could be handled with comp time off or by payment. Claims above that amount must be paid according to Department of Labor standards.

The court also approved payment for a diesel purchase by Precincts 1 and 4. Motion for this was made by Bearden with a second by Precinct 2 Commis-

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Floydada council holds public hearings

FLOYDADA—The City of Floydada conducted two public hearings during the August 18 regular session of the board. The first of two scheduled public hearings concerning a proposed application for Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) grant funds was held at the meeting. No action resulted from the hearing.

Kay Howard, representing the consulting firm HOWCO, explained to those present the process for submitting an application and the scoring criteria used in determining the eligibility of the application for funding. The 1994

Floydada application will be for the purpose of continuing work in upgrading the city water line system.

The second public hearing of the evening was for the purpose of allowing discussion concerning the proposed budget for the 1994-95 fiscal year to begin October 1, 1994. A brief overview of the budget proposal was presented by City Manager Gary Brown. No action was taken following the hearing.

Randall Griffin, Roxanna Cummings and Brenda Meyers appeared before the council to request that the city consider allowing the Floydada Chamber of Commerce to have office space in the renovated and expanded city hall facility when it is completed.

Griffin explained that the bad weather last Punkin Days and the low turnout at the spring banquet has left the chamber with no funds. He said that a bank loan has been obtained which should allow the chamber to function through Punkin Days this year. It is hoped that with good weather and a large turnout, the chamber will make sufficient profit to continue operating. He told the council that rent on the current location is \$150.00 per month and the group pays its own utilities, about another hundred dollars a month. In addition, the chamber manager is paid a minimal amount.

Meyers stated that the chamber is not looking for someone to do their work. She said the chamber would continue to function with the personnel and in the same manner as it has in the past. The

LGHD lowers tax rate for second consecutive year

LOCKNEY—After extensive deliberation, the Lockney General Hospital Board of Directors voted unanimously to lower the 1994 tax rate by three percent. The members of the board reached this decision during their regularly scheduled meeting on August 16. This tax reduction was affixed to the rate which had been lowered by five percent only a year before. The new tax rate is 44.71 cents per \$100 valuation.

The members of the board discussed that although the decrease was not remarkable, they were intent on doing all that they could to assist the members of the taxing district.

Claude Brown, president, noted the board's pleasure in the performance of the hospital being able to lower its tax rate while maintaining the high level of quality for patients in the district and

surrounding communities.

The board also discussed the different forms of managed care contracting into which W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital may consider entering, one of the more prominent of these being FirstCare. FirstCare is a Health maintenance organization that has significant interests in this area.

Other items addressed were future plans for remodeling the old hospital for a new emergency room and business offices. Capital budgeting items were considered, including a portable x-ray machine and new archiving equipment for the hospital.

Members present at the board meeting were: Claude Brown, Ronnie Hardin, Hubert Frizzell, and Jerry Johnson. Others present were Dr. Gary B. Mangold and Robin Satterwhite, Administrator.

USDA requests comments on 1995 feed grain program

Grant Buntrock, executive vice president of the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Commodity Credit Corporation, announced that public comments are requested on the 1995 acreage reduction program (ARP) percentages for corn, grain sorghum and barley. These percentages must be announced by September 30.

Public comments are also being sought, Buntrock said, on whether to exempt malting barley producers—as a condition of eligibility for loans, purchases and payments—from complying with acreage reduction requirements.

Buntrock said CCC is proposing that the 1995 ARP percentages be set at any percentage within the range of 0 to 12.5 percent for corn and within the range of 0 to 20 percent for grain sorghum and barley. The Agricultural Act of 1949 sets the oats APR at zero percent.

CCC is also required to propose various program options, accompanied by analysis, for the feed grain program. The options are to be accompanied by an analysis that includes estimated planted acreage, production, domestic and export use, ending stocks, season average producer price, program participation rate, and cost to the Federal government. Details will appear in the August 4 Federal Register.

Comments must be received by September 14 to be considered and may either be FAXed to (202) 690-1346 or mailed to: Grains Analysis Division, USDA/ASCS, Room 3742-S, P.O. Box 2415, Washington, D.C. 20013-2415. All comments will be available for public inspection in Room 3740 in the South Building of the USDA, 14th and Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. during regular business hours. The regulatory impact analysis on the 1995 feed grain program may be obtained from the same address.

Good News

Carl Lemons reported 2 1/2 inches of rain at Cedar Hill, Tuesday evening, August 23.

Two electrical poles were also blown down by the strong winds that blew through the area at the same time.

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MOSLEY ATTENDS CONFERENCES—Johnnie Mosley, FHA Region I Vice-President of Programs for the Future Homemakers of America, has attended the National FHA/HERO Leadership Meeting in Orlando, Florida, the Regional Executive Council meeting in Trinidad and will be conducting leadership workshops for other Region I schools during the fall semester. (See story elsewhere in the paper). Courtesy Photo

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BITS & PIECES

Ken Towery's (Mr Lamplighter's) book is FINALLY DONE!

The title is, *The Chow Dipper*. You have to read the book to fully appreciate the title—but you will appreciate it.

We will have *The Chow Dipper* on sale at the newspaper in mid September for those of you who would like to buy one. We are going to have a book signing party later if you want to bring your book and have it signed. We will let you know the date later.

If you are one of those people who has missed your broadcast of the Amarillo station, check out the ad on the Kress Translator on page 6. It will tell you how you can go about getting hooked up again.

Don't forget Old Fashioned Saturday in Lockney this Saturday. There is always good entertainment, good eating, and fun shops to browse through. Your whole family will enjoy it. We have a schedule of what is happening on the front page—check it out.

Does anyone remember the story we had in the paper about Judy Macha being saved from a rattlesnake by her Springer Spaniel. They were walking in a field in the Providence community and heard the rattler by her feet.

We told the story to praise Freckles (the dog) and to warn people that rattlesnakes are up on top of the Caprock too.

Well anyway there is an update on the story.

Last week someone killed a rattlesnake on the highway at the Providence

intersection.

Neither Judy or Freckles could positively identify the snake as the one that threatened them in the field.

Did you hear the story about the multi-millionaire bachelor who said he would pay \$100,000 to the person who introduced him to his future bride. He said he was too busy to look for one himself.

One of the girls that works here said she saw the guy on TV and he looked normal.

All of us women starting making plans on how to get introduced to him.

We figured we would go in pairs and then no matter how it turned out you were bound to get some cash (depending of course on if he picked one of us).

I knew if I had a chance at this marriage, I would have to divorce my husband. I also knew my husband wouldn't mind since I had a chance of being a multi-millionaire. Lennie (my husband) and I could be partners.

We could get a quick divorce and I would marry this normal multi-millionaire who can't find a wife. Then I could hire Lennie to be my butler, or upstairs maid. We could split my half and live happily ever after.

My new normal multi-millionaire husband would never know what was happening. I mean after all—if he's too busy to look for the woman he wants to spend the rest of his life with—he's got to be too busy to check on the upstairs maid.

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Lockney Police Report

A nine month old baby has been turned over to the Texas Department of Human Services after it was abandoned by his mother at the Allsup's Convenience Store in Lockney.

According to Lockney Police, officers were called to Allsup's, August 13, at approximately 10:45 p.m. in reference to the abandoned baby.

A man told police that the mother of the child, whom he had been dating, had left the child with him. He found the woman at Allsup's where he attempted to give her back the child, however she would not take the baby and left the store.

According to police the man did not know what to do with the child so he called the police, who in turn contacted the Department of Human Services, Child Protective Agency. The case is currently being investigated by DHS.

A joint investigation between Lockney police, Floyd County Sheriff's Department and Hale County Sheriff's Department led to the arrest of three young Lockney men for the theft of a John Deere tractor from Hale County.

According to police reports, Sunday, August 14, at approximately 2:30 p.m., officers were called to the 200 block of S.E. 6th Street in reference to a "found tractor."

The tractor, a John Deere 4440 with a six row Hamby toolbar and bullet drags, had been backed into a back yard and left. Police attempted to find the owner at the time but were unable to do so.

In an attempt to find the site from which the tractor was stolen, Lockney Police tracked the tractor back to approximately 4 miles west of Lockney where the trail was lost at pavement.

Hale County was notified of the theft and later reported the tractor had been stolen from a farm approximately 6 miles south of Plainview.

"It appears that the three men were coming home from Plainview on dirt roads," said Police Chief Lennie Gilroy.

"The driver of the car lost control and the car ran into a ditch and stalled. The tractor was then stolen to tow their car back to Floyd County. The tractor was then left at the residence on 6th Street."

Arrested for felony theft were: James "Jamie" Ascencio, 18, of Lockney; Steven Alaniz, 17, of Lockney, and Gumaro Garcia, 17, of Lockney.

August 21, at approximately 1:30 a.m. police stopped at 1981 Cadillac. The

driver, Eloy Ochova, 37, of Lockney, was subsequently arrested for DWI. A passenger in the vehicle, Arturo Martinez, 39, of South Plains, was also arrested and charged with Public Intoxication.

Also on August 21, at 7:00 p.m., police investigated a dog bite call which occurred in the 500 block of N/E 8th. A Lockney woman reported that she had been bitten on the leg by a small black and white dog. The dog was placed in the Lockney pound. No charges have been filed on the owner of the dog at this

time. August 16, Lockney police stopped a vehicle for speeding in the 500 block of S. Main Street. After the driver was released it was found that the driver's license was suspended. Charges have been filed on the driver and police expect to make an arrest on the 33 year old Lockney man later this week.

August 10, police took a theft report from a residence in the 200 block of S/W 8th Street. It was reported that someone entered the fenced back yard and stole a "Love Your Pup" dog feeder.

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toughness and balance. It was not filled with social pork, he insisted. Finally one reporter, George Will, asked Panetta if he had read the bill. Panetta was off and running, in a different direction.

Then Sam Donaldson, usually very friendly to the Administration, insisted that he answer the question. Had he read the bill he was championing? Somewhat embarrassed, Panetta said he had not. But.

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LISD board sets tax rate and approves 1994-95 budget

LOCKNEY—The Lockney Independent School District Board of Trustees met for their regular session on Thursday night and voted to set the tax rate at \$1.24. They also approved the 1994-95 budget.

Members of the board of trustees present at the meeting voted unanimously to set the tax rate for the coming school year at \$1.24. The motion was made by Bernie Ford and seconded by Mike Mathis. Dickie Lambert was not present to vote. A public hearing to discuss the tax rate was held 8:00 p.m. on August 4th in the boardroom and no citizens attended the meeting.

A public hearing for the proposed 1994-95 budget was held prior to the regular meeting and no citizens were present at the meeting to discuss the budget. The amount of the proposed budget is \$4,228,941 and according to Superintendent Raymond Lusk, "We are running a lean budget. This year's budget is \$308,910 less than last year's budget." After a brief discussion the motion was made by Bernie Ford and seconded by Mike Mathis to accept the 1994-95 budget. The proposal was approved unanimously by those present.

The school principals reported on campus enrollments to the board members and at present there are 420 students enrolled in the school system. James Poole, principal at high school, reported 196 student. He also told the board that there will be seven Lockney students enrolled in the Alternative School at Floydada. Terry Ellison, principal at junior high, reported 210 students. He commented that the junior high enrollment is up 12 students from last year. Phil Cotham reported 420 students in elementary school. He stated that they had more 4 year olds than they had ever had before.

Lusk reported that several eighth grade students were enrolled in the Julie Ellison's Life Skills Management class and that Ted Young has several eighth grade students in his beginning Agriculture class.

Linda Terrell and Tonda Jolley met with the LISD board to explain the block classes they are teaching in high school this year. They attended classes at Texas Christian University this summer to prepare themselves to teach the course. They reported that they are teaching a two hour combined class of English, History and Government entitled Advanced Placement Humanities (AP). Each are teaching twenty students. There are 12 seniors, 10 juniors, 8 sophomores and 10 freshmen. The students were selected by their teachers as students who are unique and capable.

The textbooks the classes will be using are college level textbooks and upon completion of the course the students will be tested and graded and can receive college credit for the course if they score high enough.

Terrell is teaching grades 9 and 10. Her class will be studying the novel "A Separate Peace" by John Knowles. The novel is a story of the world of adoles-

cence during the time of World War II. The emphasis for World History is "A World in Flames" and "The War at Home" for American History. The Government portion of the class studies the process of Declaring War; the duties of the Executive Office of the President and Cabinet; the National Security Council; National Defense; the Departments of State and Defense; the Military; and Foreign/Defense Policy Agencies. The activities in the class will include research, role-playing, debate, war radio shows, building a timetable linking people and events, products, guest speaker, symbols, interviews and discussion.

Jolley will be teaching grades 10 and 12. They will study "The Sun Also Rises" by Ernest Hemingway, "The United States - The Twenties: Business and Culture" and "America's Democracy" Part 4 "Democratic Government. The English portion will include critical analysis of prose, essay and journal writings, vocabulary and mini SAT, ACT and AP drills. U.S. History study will include the post WWI repression and intolerance, the policy of complacency, prosperity with essays and multiple choice in AP format. In Government the study will be on the branches of the government, an attempt to make bureaucracy interesting and not a nasty word, state and local government before FeDaRism arrives. The study will be done with essays and multiple choice in the AP format. The linking theme to be focused on is that the 1920's in America were not just "Roaring".

Mrs. Aull is also teaching an Advanced Placement Math Class.

Lusk stated, "Studying the three classes together will make them mean something because they are all tied together." He also commented, "College Chancellors like to get AP students. They are more likely to stay in school and will take more advanced classes."

Jolley added, "An AP grade also looks good on a transcript."

Terrell commented, "This is so exciting, it will be a learning experience for the teachers as well as the students. Mr. Poole has been so helpful with all of this. He worked hard to arrange the schedule so that we could teach this block class and he has made some very good suggestions."

A letter from Shelia Faulkenberry, Chief Appraiser of the Floyd County Central Appraisal District, was read and discussed. She reported that at the next meeting of the appraisal district board of directors a discussion will be held concerning the delinquent tax situation in Floyd County and what could be done to improve it.

She stated that utilizing the local newspaper to publish the names and other information of taxpayers owing delinquent taxes and those who have tax suits or judgements against them was being done in other counties and she wanted to know how the taxing entities would feel about trying it here. The board related that they would have no problem in trying this as a tool of collection.

The board members approved the hiring of John Miller as band director and Mrs. Lusk for high school math.

The fuel bid from Lockney Oil and Butane was accepted by the board. N.H. Gammage stated that he would furnish no-lead gasoline for 11 cents over his invoice price and also low sulphur or high sulphur diesel for 11 cents over his invoice for school vehicles.

School lunch prices will remain the same as they were last year. Prices for lunches are \$1.00 for high school and junior high students, and 90 cents for elementary students. Teachers and adults will pay \$1.50.

State School Policy Update #46 was approved. This policy update sets guide-

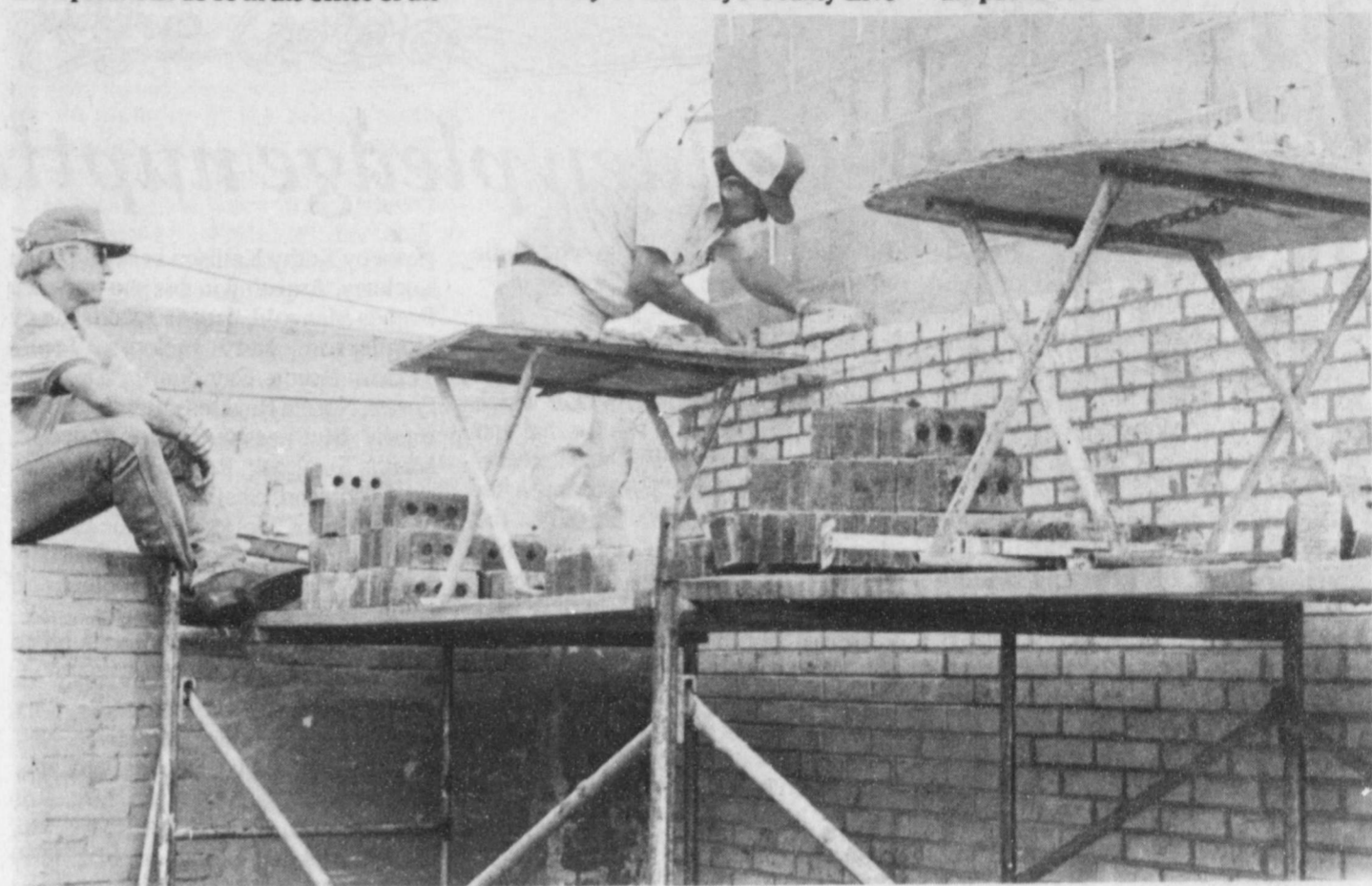
lines on Employee Standards of Conduct Regarding Sexual Harassment/ Sexual Abuse, Students Rights and Responsibilities Regarding Sexual Harassment/Sexual Abuse, and Student Discipline and Expulsion for Bringing a Firearm or Destructive Device to School. Anyone who would like to read this update can do so in the office of the

superintendent or any principals office.

The board requested a waiver on the number of days for Staff Development with the Plainview and Hale Center Schools. Teacher Visitation Day will be used to visit other classrooms within the Lockney district rather than schools in other towns. The one half day holiday on Monday of the Floyd County Live-

stock Show has been changed to a full day.

In regular business before the board the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, the financial statement was reviewed, and current bills were reviewed and approved for payment. No one came to speak at the public forum.



"WALL OF PRIDE" GETS FINISHING TOUCH--Tomie Beck picked a cool morning to lay brick on the wall surrounding the "Wall of Pride" mosaic. The brick will frame the tiles and give the wall a finishing touch. The mosaic, at the corner of Main and Locust in Lockney, was done by local citizens. Staff Photo

Firemen attend Agro-Rescue School

Approximately 200 firemen from around the state once again converged on the City of Floydada to learn hands-on training at the 11th Floydada Agro-Rescue School.

The annual event is conducted by the Fire Protection Training Division of the Texas Engineering Extension Service of Texas A&M. It is sponsored by the Floydada Fire Department, the Panhandle Firemen's and Fire Marshal's Association and the State Firemen's and Fire Marshal's Association of Texas.

Any fireman or rescue worker, both volunteer and paid, full and part-time, from cities and industries, are welcomed at the seminar.

Classes taught at the all day seminar include: Rappelling I, II & III, Grain Rescue and pesticide handling and first aid.

Rescue techniques are also taught for combines and corn headers, cotton strippers, hay balers, tractors and other heavy equipment.

Agro-Rescue classes teach not only the standard removal of victims from

machines but also the removal of large equipment from around a victim, one piece at a time.

Also covered are accidents which don't involve machinery, such as grain,

hazardous materials and downed electrical lines. Towers have been built for rappelling classes and makeshift grain silo's (containing polyethylene pellets) have even been built for training purposes.

One arrested for counterfeiting

FLOYDADA--One man, Edward Castenada, 22, of Floydada, has been arrested in connection with the passing of counterfeit bills in Floydada.

According to Floyd County Sheriff Charlie Overstreet, "There were six counterfeit \$20.00 bills passed in Floydada and an excess of 40 bills passed around the West Texas region."

Authorities are still investigating the case and more arrests are expected.

"Citizens should still be on the lookout for the counterfeit bills as they are still in circulation," said Overstreet.

According to Overstreet the counterfeit paper feels like office machine paper with roughed up edges. "Some of the edges are slightly torn."

The bills have also been described as slick and poorly colored.

The most common serial number of the bills being passed in Floydada, D00708642A, D09825698C and D08734936A.

If you suspect you have a counterfeit bill call the Sheriff's Department at 983-3232 or 652-2416.

In other activities this month, a Floyd County Deputy found a 1972 Cadillac stopped on the side of Hwy. 70, 1 1/2 miles North of Floydada, on August 14.

The Deputy stopped to assist the motorist and found 34 cases of Budweiser beer in the car. "We expect a warrant to be issued soon," said Overstreet, "then we will make an arrest."

Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor:

I want to take this opportunity to thank the tens of thousands of Texans who have written or telephoned me over the past several weeks to register their opinion as the health care debate continues to unfold in Congress.

I am proud of those Texans who have taken a firm stand on this issue, and I am heartened by the fact that so many people have voiced their support for my efforts to block a government takeover of health care in America.

The Clinton plan, the Clinton-Mitchell plan and the Clinton-Gephardt plan will take away from us something

more important than our money, more important than our jobs and more important than our health care. It will take away our freedom.

I believe strongly that the Clinton health plan and its clones constitute a clear and present danger to America. Most bad proposals we can fix next year or the year after, but this health care plan, once approved, can never be repealed and can never be repaired.

That's why I'm fighting so hard to defeat the Clinton health care plan, and that's why your support means so much to me.

Phil Gramm
United States Senator

Courtroom Activities

In county court, August 16, John Henry Mendez pled guilty to theft. He was fined \$100.00 plus court costs and sentenced to 90 days in jail.

August 17, the following people were charged with theft:

Esperanza Jones, Frank S. Riojas, Lee Ann Hutchins, Alicia Hatcher and Ricky Benton. There was no disposition on these cases.

August 22, Augustine Adam Rubalcado was charged with assault. There was no disposition on this case.

Also on August 22, Armando Mata Lopez, 19, of Mexico was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case;

Donald Wayne Campbell, 44, of Floydada, was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case;

Tomas Casarez, 18, of La Feria, Texas, was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case.

Commissioners accept claims

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sioner Floyd Jackson. The vote was unanimously in favor.

The final item on the agenda was approval of farm work contracts. Eight were submitted and approved on a motion by Precinct 3 Commissioner George Taylor. Jackson seconded and all voted in favor.

Contracts approved included one in Precinct 1. It is for Doris McLain and involves cleaning up an old house and foundation at a site 1 mile west of Sandhill. Precinct 4 also had one contract, for Hershel Swepton to repair washes in a ranch road for purpose of soil conservation 25 miles northeast of Floydada.

Precinct 2 had three contracts to clean up old improvements and return land to cultivation including: Mary Bigham by Bill Bigham at a site 2 miles west and 4 miles south of Lockney; Reed Lawson by Dan B. Smith 16 miles north of Lockney; and Dan B. Smith 8 miles north of Lockney.

Precinct 3 also had three contracts including: W. M. Staniforth for spreading railroad material on a feed road 4 miles east of South Plains for conservation; Donnie Meriweather by Douglas Meriweather for conservation by reworking a feed road 6 miles north of South Plains; and Kay Crabtree to repair washes in terraces a mile north and 1 1/2 miles east of Floydada.

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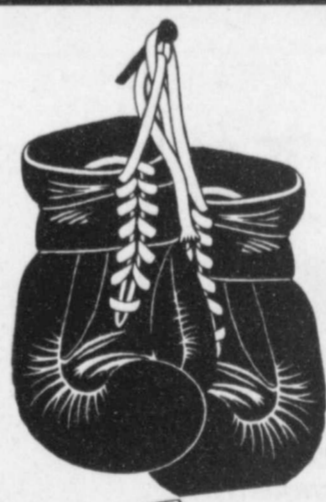


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Floyd County Lifestyles

Fortenberry-Golden pledge nuptial promises

Jennifer Diane Fortenberry of Lockney and Chad Taylor Golden of Lubbock were united in holy matrimony Saturday evening, August 20, 1994. The ceremony was held at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Street Church of Christ in Lockney with Glen Walton of the North Amarillo Church of Christ in Amarillo, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Sam and Kelly Fortenberry of Lockney. The granddaughter of Roy and Sandra Turley, Boyd and Gayle Reay of Lockney, and Eddie and Amelia Fortenberry of Abemathy. She is the great-granddaughter of Elfie Sherman of Lockney.

The bridegroom is the son of Larry and Jill Golden of Lockney. He is the grandson of Oscar and Gladys Golden of Lockney and Leonard and Lahoma Matsler of Floydada.

Given in marriage by her parents and escorted by her father, the bride wore a romantic sheath of white alcon lace. The bodice, beaded with pearls and sequins, featured a Sabrina neck, long sleeves, and a basque waist. The lace sheath adorned with beaded lace appliques was highlighted at the back waist with a peplum and a cathedral length train of silk taffeta. Completing her attire was a sequin and pearl tiara with a double pouf, tiered silk illusion, waist length veil. She carried a bouquet of gardenias. The wedding ring of her great-great paternal grandmother who married in 1901 was tied into the bridal bouquet. The penny worn in her maternal grandmother's shoe on her wedding day was also worn by the bride in her shoe.

Kori Kellison of Lubbock was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Tonya Hoyle of Matador, Kyla Nelson of Lubbock and Cari Partain of Lubbock. They wore street length dresses of fuschia faille and carried Gerber daisies and gardenias. Junior bridesmaids were Cecelia and Adrian Fortenberry of Plainview, cousins of the bride. Their dresses were tea length fuschia faille and they carried Gerber daisies. Flower girls were Laura and Brandi Patton of Lubbock. They wore white sequin and pearl trimmed lace tea length dresses and carried baskets of fresh flower petals.

Registering guests was Mary Lindsey Poole.

The groom wore a formal white tuxedo with white tie and cummerbund. Colt Golden of Austin, brother of the groom, attended as best man. Groomsmen were Clay Golden of Lubbock, brother of the groom, Lee Bertsen of Lubbock and Matt Hodges of Garden City, Kansas. They wore black tuxedos with black ties and cummerbunds. Junior groomsmen was Tyler Phillips of Lockney, cousin of the bride. He wore a black tuxedo and black tie and cummerbund as did Lee Fortenberry of Lockney, brother of the bride serving as ring bearer.

The group, HARMONY, made up of Travis and Amy Thornton, Lisa Mosley, Phil Cotham and Zelda Ellison, sang the "Parents Prayer" as the parents and grandparents were begin seated. During the ceremony they sang the "Wedding Song" and "Vows Go Unbroken".

The ceremony was performed with a background of lighted Grecian columns and greenery with floral arrangements.

The aisles were draped with white tulle bows and candles.

RECEPTION

Following the wedding, a reception was held in the Fellowship Hall which had been decorated in the fuschia and white theme featuring a lighted ice carving of a kissing bride and groom. After being served the guests moved to the outside where awnings and tables had been set up. Guests were invited to fill miniature champagne glasses from baskets of birdseed to "toast" the couple as they left in a festive horse-drawn surrey. The surrey, driven and furnished by a long time family friend, Donnie Bybee, had brought the bride and her attendants to the church for the wedding.

The couple left for a cruise in the Bahamas followed by a trip to Disney World in Orlando, Florida, before returning to make their home in Lubbock.

BRIDAL COURTESIES

Bridal courtesies included a miscellaneous shower held in Lubbock and hosted by Sherry Fogerson, Pat Pennington and Tonya McKenzie.

A second miscellaneous shower was

given by Kathy Kellison in her home in Lockney. Assisting in this shower were Brenda Mangold, Treena Aston, Nancy Henderson, Judy Jackson, Jenna Turner, Reeda Cay Smith, Dar Lee Foster, Norma Ragland, Vera Jo Bybee, Becky McPherson, Julie Hancock, Martha Sue Lusk, Ronee Patton, Kathleen Thornton, Shelia Poole, Ann Anderson, Sherri McDonald, Julie Ellison, Mary Louise McCarter, Robin Bowden, Jonatha Mercer, Cheryl Teeter, and Delinda Glasson.

A third shower was held in the home of Clara Robertson in Plainview. Assisted by Mrs. Fred Robertson, Mrs. Steve Barrett, Mrs. Jerry Caldwell, Mrs. Bill Cartwright, Mrs. Denver Ford, Mrs. Kim Hays, Mrs. Dan Isler, Mrs. Rob Lindsey, Mrs. Claude May, Mrs. Phil Pinnell, Mrs. Dan Rawdon, Mrs. Jerry Settle, Mrs. Wayne Snelling, Mrs. Steve Strokes, Mrs. Stephen Turner, and Mrs. Travis Wiseman.

Bill and Jenna Turner hosted a couples, outdoor bean and cornbread supper for the couple. A lingerie shower was given by Cari Partain, Suzanne Blackburn and Becky Beavers. The bridesmaid luncheon was held at the

4-H'ers participate in fashion show

—From Melissa Long, CEA-HE Casa del Sol, or House of the Sun, home of Mrs. Georgia Erickson of Crosbyton, was the setting for the Floyd County Junior 4-H Fashion Show held Sunday, August 21. 4-H'ers who participated in the show were 9-13 years of age who had completed a 4-H Clothing Project in the area of clothing construction, grooming, and consumer buying. Activities offered in conjunction with the fashion show included tours and pro-

grams at Vick's Cleaners, Kristi's, and Creative Stitchery in Plainview along with Robert Spence School of Modeling and the Texas Tech University Textile Research Center in Lubbock.

Other opportunities included a beginners apron workshop, a counted cross stitch project, a workshop on the buying division of the 4-H Fashion Show, and hands on instruction on the 4-H Design Competition. 4-H'ers were also led by senior 4-H'ers Kaci Mathis in making wrap bracelets and by Charla Yeary on decorated caps.

4-H'ers participating in this year's show included: Junior 1 Construction Division: Dressy - Bonnie Dunlap; Casual - Lindsey Mathis; Specialty - Janee Hrbacek; and Separates - Tasha Powell.

In the Junior 1 Buying Division was Casual - Traci McQuhae.

The Junior 2 Construction Division included: Dressy - Meredith Schacht.

Each girl received first place in her respective category.

Special awards given at the show included the Cotton Award, donated by Stacey and Shane Lloyd to Lindsey Mathis; the Best Interview Award, also donated by Stacey and Shane Lloyd to Janee Hrbacek; and the Best Model Award, presented to Meredith Schacht from the Floyd County Adult Leaders Association.

These 4-H'ers will participate in the District Fashion Follies to be held at South Plains Fair, September 27, at 6:00 p.m.

Bridal House in Plainview hosted by Amelia Fortenberry, Retha Fortenberry, Angie McDowell, Julie Abell, and Marcia Phillips.

A rehearsal dinner was a backyard buffet in Aiken at the home of Larry and Jill Golden, parents of the groom.

Dianne Johns and Branham exchange vows

The chapel of the First United Methodist Church in Floydada served as the setting for the marriage of Ms. Dianne M. Johns and Bryan P. Branham, both of Floydada, on Saturday, August 13. Bro. Hal Farnsworth, minister of the First Baptist Church in Floydada, performed the 2 p.m. ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Dorcie Warren of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Olen Branham of Stratford.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her son, Andrew Johns of Floydada and given in marriage by her children.

Mychelle Burns of Arlington, daughter of the bride, served as maid of honor. Ty Hacker of Lubbock served the groom as best man.

After a wedding trip to Colorado, the couple is making their home in Floydada, where the bride is employed by the Floydada Independent School District and the groom is employed by the Floyd County Sheriff's Office and Floydada EMS.



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Gilliland and Watson say marriage vows



GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY—Harlie and Valrie Vick will be honored on their 50th wedding anniversary with a come and go reception on Sunday, September 4, in the Wall Street Parlor of the First Baptist Church, Floydada. The event is being hosted by the couple's children. They request that the presence and cards of their family and friends be the only gift offered.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gilliland of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Gary L. Watson of Odessa are proud to announce the marriage of their children, Connie Kay Gilliland and Nolan Linn Watson. The bride is the granddaughter of Ruth Gilliland and the late Levis Gilliland of Floydada.

The double ring ceremony was held at 7:00 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 20, 1994, in the sanctuary of First United Methodist Church in Lubbock with the Rev. Chris Kiesling officiating.

Long-time friend of the bride, Janey Schwertner, served as maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Kate Shine, Carrollton; Leah Latimer, Abilene; Dershie Bridgford, Abilene, and Marcie Caldwell, Duncanville. Each wore a pearl bracelet and pearl earrings, given to them by the bride.

Gary L. Watson, father of the groom, served as best man. Groomsmen were Dal Watson of Midland and Zane Watson of Odessa, both brothers of the groom. Other groomsmen were Layne Young of Lubbock and Patrick Young of Odessa, long-time friends of the groom. All were attired, as was the father of the bride, in black tuxedos. Ushers were Mike Adams, Craig Bingham, Toby Burkes and Craig Morgan.

The bride, escorted by her father, wore a traditional styled gown featuring a sweetheart cut bodice with an overlay of imported Alencon lace over candlelight silk peau de soir. A jeweled wedding band collar topped the romantic

look of the gown and was completed with full length tapered sheer Alencon lace sleeves. Delicate beading of pearls and sequins accented the pattern of the lace.

A fitted basque waistline allowed the candlelight silk peau de soir skirt to fall gracefully to the floor and sweep into a mid-cathedral train. Tiny silk buttons fastened the bodice of the gown. Scalloped Alencon lace embellished with pearls and sequins completed the hemline.

In memory of the bride's brother, Cory, the Rev. Kiesling read a scripture from a Bible which belonged to him. Something old was a cameo which has been worn by every bride in her mother's family since the mid-1800's. Her wedding attire was something new. Something borrowed was a handkerchief belonging to her mother-in-law, and something blue was a satin ribbon on her garter. Her maternal grandfather placed a penny in her shoe for good luck. She carried a bouquet of lilies and roses.

After a honeymoon trip, the couple will reside in Lubbock. The groom is employed by Southwest Coca-Cola Bottling Company and the bride attends Texas Tech majoring in Elementary Education.

Among the family attending the wedding from Floydada were Ruth Gilliland, Bob, Barbara, Micheal and Brandon Gilliland, Butch and Edna Gilliland and Karen Gilliland of Albuquerque, New Mexico.



MRS. NOLAN LINN WATSON
(nee Connie Kay Gilliland)

Floydada Senior Citizen News

By Margaret Word

FLOYDADA—Our sympathy to Jane McCulley on the loss of her mother August 14. She lived in Oklahoma.

Our sympathy to Jo Harrison's family. Her funeral was held on Wednesday, Aug. 17, at the Church of Christ. Jo and Melton ate lunch at the center everyday. We will miss her.

Claude Weathersbee is home after surgery. We wish him a speedy recovery.

W.B. Eakin is in our local nursing home. He continues to improve. He was a faithful member at the center. He ate lunch everyday and attended the Saturday luncheons each month. We miss him and hope he can return to good health soon.

Thelma Jones has had some more health problems and is still at the nursing home. We pray that she will get to feeling better real soon.

We want to always remember those who are still in the hospital, nursing and retirement homes. They need our prayers, cards and visits.

Recently Evalene and Bob Goodnight

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attended a Medley family reunion at Echo Basin, Colorado. Seventy descendants of the R.F. and Ila Medley family attended. Those from Floydada, other than the Goodnights, were Loretta and LeRoy Burns, Sheryl and Sharkey LeCroy and sons, Shane and Rowdy, Shorty and Louise Turner, Dorothy and Doyle Turner and Margie and Travis Young.

Gladys Widener and daughter, Darlene and her husband, Jerry Solomon from Plano, drove to Covington, Ky., to visit their son and Gladys' grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Solomon and great-granddaughter, Jennifer. They spent two weeks visiting and sightseeing.

The Sam's Travel Club recently spent several days in Ruidoso. There were 14 rigs and 30 people attending the get-together. They attended a musical program at Castle Mountain and a dinner theatre at Bent Tree. They really had a good time visiting and sightseeing.

Recently Irene Irby had visitors, Joyce and Ed Meachen from Midland. They all attended the Alva Johnson family reunion at the Bed and Breakfast Hotel in Turkey.

Last week I listed the things that need to be done at the center to make it a more pleasant place to attend. Since we are a non-profit organization we need your financial support.

If you would like to help or need more information, refer to last week's article or call the center at 983-2032.

Thought for the Day: "This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad in it."

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Aug. 29-Sept. 2

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Wednesday: Meatloaf, corn cobbets, green beans, chocolate cake, hot rolls, tossed salad, milk/beverage choice

Thursday: Tuna croquette, blackeye peas, spinach, cabbage salad, cornbread, peanut butter cookie, milk/beverage choice

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

Sams visit Ruidoso

By Marjorie McElyea

FLOYDADA—Several rigs left the Massie Activity Center on Wednesday morning as they began their journey to Ruidoso, N.M.

The group made a mid-morning stop at Brownfield and arrived in Ruidoso about 2:30 p.m. Later two more rigs came in and three rigs were already there, so there was a total of 13 present.

Wednesday afternoon, the Gilbreaths received a death message and left for home Thursday morning. Betty lost a sister-in-law.

We spent most of the day visiting, some went to the races. That night we all went to the Bent Tree Dinner Theater. The food was great and a youth group from Levelland entertained us with good western music.

Friday we visited an art gallery and some museums, then we had lunch at the Cattle Baron.

Friday night we went to the Castle Mountain Theater and the entertainment

Look Who's New!

BROTHERTON
Ricky and Robin Brotherton of Stratford are the proud parents of a daughter, Rebecca Diane Brotherton. She was born at 1:03 p.m. on August 9, 1994, in Dumas and weighed 9 lbs. and 14.6 oz. and was 21 1/2 inches long.

Grandparents are Steve and Judy Bertelson of Claytonville, Lloyd and Donna Brandis of Amistad, N.M., and Jr. and Theta Brotherton of Lockney.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Garner of Claytonville, and Ms. Mae Willis of Wichita Falls, Texas.

McCLAREN
Gim and Karla McClarren of Littlefield announce the arrival of their daughter, Malanie Ashlin McClarren, who was born Tuesday, July 26, 1994, at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock.

She weighed 7 lbs. 15 ozs. and was 19 1/4 inches long.

She has an older brother, Teagan Scott McClarren, who is 2.

Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ward of Dougherty, and Mrs. Flo McClarren of Clovis, N.M.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mac Ward of Dougherty and Mrs. Fay Harris of McAdoo.

RACE
Karl and Sharon Race of Lubbock are pleased to announce the arrival of their son, Matthew Caleb, born on Thursday, July 28, 1994. He was 8 lbs. 7 oz. and was 20 inches long.

Grandparents are Bill and Ann Race of Lockney and Dr. Gene and Lavonne Mechem of Hale Center.

Great-grandparents are Claude and Wilma Brown of Lockney.

Robin and Lori Satterwhite of Lockney are uncle and aunt.

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Member F.D.I.C.

Hesperian-Beacon publisher recalls his life as "The Chow Dipper" in war and politics

In the torturous world of American prisoners of war held by the Japanese after the fall of Bataan and Corregidor, the "chow dipper" was a man of great, but transient, power.

Pulitzer Prize-winning Texas newsman Ken Towery was a chow dipper in one such prison for American POWs in Manchuria, northern China, for much of the war.

Chosen by his fellow prisoners of war, the "chow dipper" divided among his group the meager rations provided by their captors. If he was not fair, if he sought to favor his friends, he did not remain the chow dipper long—among starving men, meager rations could be tolerated peacefully only if all shared equally.

A new book by Towery, with an introduction by columnist William F. Buckley Jr., takes us inside worlds known to few Americans: from the ragged edge of prisoner life in China, to the knife edge of life in politics and journalism, Towery provides revealing insights into personalities and events that have helped shape recent history.

The Chow Dipper: A Personal and Political Odyssey (Eakin Press, \$22.95 hardcover) "is essentially a private foot soldier's view of war and politics during our own time, something of a mem-

oir," according to the author, who now owns two West Texas newspapers and in 1955 broke the story about the Texas veterans land scandals.

Towery, whose life has embraced war, journalism, politics, and public affairs, grew up on farms in South Texas. He joined the army as an eighteen-year-old volunteer in January 1941, as Hitler overran Europe. Posted to the island fortress of Corregidor in Manila Bay, he was an anti-aircraft artilleryman when the Japanese struck Pearl Harbor. Following the six-month siege of Bataan and Corregidor, he was a prisoner of war for three and one-half years, primarily in Hoten Prison Camp No. 1, in Mukden, Manchuria, an industrial city known as Shenyang to the Chinese.

Following the war, and after several years in Veterans Administration hospitals, he became a reporter for the *Cuero Daily Record* and was soon made managing editor, where he wrote the series of articles that uncovered what became known as the "Veterans Land Scandal" that resulted in the indictment and conviction of the Texas land commissioner. It was this series that won for Towery the Pulitzer Prize.

Towery went on to report on politics from Austin for the *Austin American-Statesman*, the *Waco Tribune-Herald*,

and the *Port Arthur News*, before joining the staff of Texas Senator John Tower in Washington. He served as the senator's administrative assistant for a number of years. He ran Tower's 1966 reelection campaign and the campaign in Texas for Richard Nixon's 1968 presidential bid. Towery was appointed assistant director for the U.S. Information Agency in 1969, and was shortly promoted to deputy director in charge of policy and planning for the agency. He left the government in 1976, during the Ford presidency, and returned to Texas.

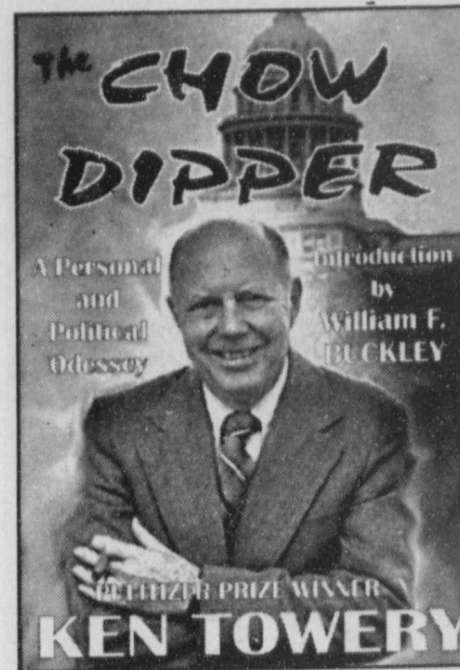
Towery ran Senator Tower's last reelection campaign in 1978 and was active in Ronald Reagan's 1980 campaign for the presidency, serving as press spokesman. In 1981, Reagan named him to a five-year term on the board of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting, later reappointing him for a second term. He served two years as chairman of the board.

Towery's newspapers are *The Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon*, edited by his daughter, Alice Gilroy, and *The Crosby County News & Chronicle*. He and his wife, Louise, make their home in Austin.

Jerry Friedheim, vice-president of The Freedom Forum in Washington, D.C., and former president of the American

Newspaper Publishers Association said: "Ken Towery has a freedom message for every American, because he has lived many freedoms to the full—freedom of liberty and spirit as cherished by an unyielding prisoner-of-war... freedom of the press as crafted by a courageous, Pulitzer Prize winning journalist... freedom of political practice as exploited by a savvy election-campaign manager... freedom world wide as nurtured by a leader of USIA and public broadcasting... and freedom of an accomplished wordsmith to weave us an unvarnished yarn about individuals and ideals, rights and wrongs, hopelessness and hope. *The Chow Dipper* is a remarkable read—with lessons you will remember always.

The Chow Dipper will be available for sale at The Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon and The Crosby County News-Chronicle in mid-September.



BOOK COVER—Ken Towery, publisher and owner of The Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon and the Crosby County News-Chronicle, has written a book entitled "The Chow Dipper." Release of the book is planned for mid-September 1994. Shown is the cover of the book.

We Salute In Floydada

- HAPPY BIRTHDAY**
 Thursday, Aug. 25: Marti Stepp, Vince Abshier, Dean Smith, Tamara Black, Meghan Graham, Jasmine Mitchell
 Friday, Aug. 26: Joseph Chavez, Candy Thrasher, Angel Michelle Sanchez
 Saturday, Aug. 27: Jason Owens, Kenneth Marley
 Sunday, Aug. 28: Sabrina Inguarn, Mary Poteet, Linda Ratliff
 Monday, Aug. 29: Donnell Weeks
 Tuesday, Aug. 30: Flora McNeill, Allen Ruddell, Dale Jahay, Sharon Lockwood, Arturo Rivera Jr.
 Wednesday, Aug. 31: C.J. Payne, Max Yeary, Kelsey Williams, Pedro Ramos, Oscar Castillo, Clark Williams

- HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**
 Thursday, Aug. 25: Sammy and Sandra Bradley
 Friday, Aug. 26: Ramon and Jannette Coronado
 Saturday, Aug. 27: Carlos and Francis Riojas
 Monday, Aug. 29: Pablo and Estella Salinas
 Tuesday, Aug. 30: Scott and Beth Faulkenberry, Robert and Connie Luna
 Wednesday, Aug. 31: Adolfo and Mita Chavarria

We Salute In Lockney

- HAPPY BIRTHDAY**
 Thursday, August 25: Jamie Butler, Kevin Hernandez
 Friday, August 26: Angela Prather, Cindy Ka Stanford, Phillip Luna, Sr., Rayford Cumbie
 Saturday, August 27: Pat Reyes, Dylan Aufill, Troy Dane, Wyman Rexrode, Jeff Griffith
 Sunday, August 28: Melissa Felan, Kelly Prayor, Garrett Mathis
 Monday, August 29: Cullen McQuhae, Dale Ross
 Tuesday, August 30: Jody Foster, Ramon Arevalo, Ruben Guerrero, Jr., Andrea Elias
 Wednesday, August 31: Aaron Dietrich, Jerry Miller, Paloma Estrada

- HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**
 Saturday, August 27: Gordon and Dimple Adams
 Sunday, August 28: David and Donna Guerra
 Wednesday, August 31: Garry and Nancy Griffith

Reunions FAIRVIEW-CAMPBELL-CENTER

Fairview-Campbell-Center reunion will be held at the Massie Activity Center in Floydada, on Sunday, September 4, 1994, at 10:00 a.m. Lunch will be served to all.

August birthdays celebrated

By Lorilla Bradley
 August is a hot month... Anyway you take it... We simply cannot cool it off So what we do is "fake" it!

 Mona Dunn we honor... She always looks so nice And for a birthday party No need to ask her twice!

 Our Mr. Clarence Guffee Has weathered many years... And for the time he's counting We give him many "cheers"!

 We welcome Mr. Eakin... Who worked with cars and cattle. Depending on the time in life Which one he had to "battle"!

 Let's cheer these lovely people With the good old Birthday Song... So join us in the singing And come out good and strong.

 Thursday, August 18, was party time at the Rest Home with members of the City Park Church of Christ hosting. The Hesperian-Beacon photographer came for the picture taking followed by everyone being ushered into the dining room with the honorees being seated at the "honor" table. It was laid with a pink cloth and adorned with a floral arrangement of silk flowers in deep, and varied shades of pink. Places were marked with special cards.

The poem was read and all joined in singing the Happy Birthday song. Seated with Mona Dunn was her sister, Ruth

Harrison, and two sisters-in-law, Lillian Smith and Alta Smith. Mr. Eakin's guests were his wife, Mary Alice and daughter, Betty Chowning. Visiting with Mr. Guffee were his wife, Opal and son, Corkey. Another guest included Joe Gallegas visiting with Ernest Gallegas. We were so happy to have all of these people with us and we hope you will be with your loved ones or friends when their "special" day is here.

A delicious refreshment plate of poppy seed cake, lemon cake and angel food cake was served with a tangy fruit punch to the honorees, guests, home residents and employees.

The next party will be Thursday, Sept. 15, 2:30 p.m. You are invited to attend.

Sylvia Coleman earns Masters of Education

FLOYDADA--Sylvia D. Coleman received a Masters of Education degree in Educational Administration from East Texas State University on August 13.

She received her B.S. degree in Elementary Education from Angelo State University.

A 1981 graduate of Floydada High School, Sylvia currently teaches in Dallas.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Coleman of San Antonio and the Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Jackson of Floydada. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Bearie Coleman of Floydada.

Billie Pate hospitalized

FLOYDADA--Billie Pate, mother of Bo Poage of Floydada, has fallen and broken her ankle. She is in a Ruidoso, N.M., hospital. She would enjoy hearing from her friends. Anyone wishing to send cards or letters of encouragement may mail them to: Box 4106-H.S., Ruidoso, N.M. 88345.

She will be transferred to Lubbock August 29 and can receive cards at 5410-92nd, Lubbock, TX 79424.

Have a nice day!



AUGUST BIRTHDAYS--Residents of the Floydada Nursing Home, who have August birthdays, were honored during a birthday celebration last Thursday, August 18, at the home. This month's honorees included three residents, (l-r) Mona Dunn, Clarence Guffee and W.B. Eakin. The nursing home observes residents' birthdays the third Thursday of each month.

--Staff photo

Senior Citizen Rockins

By Gene Newton
 There were 55 present for the Thursday night get-together. We had a delicious meal and everyone enjoyed the games.

We will have a bake sale on Saturday, August 27th during Old Fashioned Saturday. Please bring your baked goods and come and help.

We were real glad to have Edna Workman back in circulation. It is also nice to know that Lucy Dean made another safe trip home from Colorado. Welcome home girl!

We wish Willis Reynolds great success with his eye surgery.

MENU

- August 29-September 2, 1994**
 Monday: Hamburger steak, salad, vegetables and dessert
 Tuesday: Spaghetti with meat sauce, salad, vegetables and dessert
 Wednesday: Chicken fried steak, salad, vegetables and dessert
 Thursday: Chicken strips, salad, vegetables and dessert

Friday: Roast beef, salad, vegetables and dessert
 Menu is subject to change.

CORRECTION: My apologies for incorrectly identifying Hazel Johnson as Fay Ferguson in the photo and Senior Citizen story last week. I'll try to do better...Neta

American Heart Association holds first county meeting

The Floyd County Division of the American Heart Association, held their first meeting of the year, Monday, August 15, at Nielson's Restaurant.

Presiding was President Grant Hambright.

Other new officers for 1994-1995 are Jack Robertson, Chairman of the Board, Deen Braly; Secretary, Tom Farris; Treasurer, Kelli Williams; Program, Lavada Garret; Communication, Beth Echart, Memorial.

Kay Brotherton, Committee Chair-

man of the Heart Walk, gave a progress report from her committee, setting Saturday, October 1, as the day for that event. We'd like to invite everyone to make plans to join us that day for a fun time.

Attending this first meeting of the year were Board Members: Wanda Hickerson, Lavada Garret, Jim Word, Beth Echart, Sue Fuller, Paul Sharp, Joy Assiter, Kay Brotherton, Deen Braly, Kelli Williams, Grant Hambright and Lynn Marler.



TERESA WEAVER EVANS

Evans begins school of law at St. Mary's

FLOYDADA--Teresa Weaver Evans will begin St. Mary's University School of Law in August 1994. She graduated from the University of Texas at Arlington in December 1993.

While attending UTA, she was a member of Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity International, Alpha Chi Honor Society, a Dean's List honoree, and employed in the Criminal Investigations Divisions, Forgery Section, of the Arlington Police Department.

Teresa is a 1981 graduate of Floydada High School and the daughter of Sue and Gary Fuller of Floydada.

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This Week's Announcements

SCOUT SIGNUP

Sign-up for Tiger Cubs, Cub Scouts, Webelos and Boy Scouts for Pack and Troop 357 will be Tuesday night, Aug. 30, at 6:30 p.m. in the Duncan Elementary cafeteria. If you need more information, call 983-2603, ask for June.

QUEENS' CONTEST APPLICATIONS

Applications for the Little Miss and Miss Floyd County Pageant at the Floyd County Fair can be picked up at Hale's Department Store in Floydada or from Shelia Poole in Lockney.

LOCKNEY YEARBOOKS

Lockney High School's 1994 yearbooks are in and may be picked up at the Art Department.

LONGHORN SPIRIT T-SHIRTS

Longhorn spirit T-shirts can be ordered now. Shirts will be black with red and white artwork. Cost is \$10.00 for short sleeves and \$13.00 for long sleeves. Double X and triple X sizes are also available for an additional charge. Call Lisa Mosley, 652-3811, for information.

LAMAZE CLASSES

W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital will offer Lamaze Childbirth Classes starting Thursday, Sept. 8. Classes will meet each Thursday for seven weeks from 7:00 to 9:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Lockney. To register call Molly Stringer, R.N., at 983-5854.

OLD FASHIONED SATURDAY

Lockney Lions Club will be having their broom sale on Old Fashioned Saturday, Aug. 27, from 8 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. They will be set up on the corner of West College and Main Street.

EMT CLASS

Anyone interested in taking an EMT class this fall should contact Mike Reeves at 983-5436 for more information.

VETERANS OFFICER

Veterans Service Officer Ralph Jackson is available in the county courtroom on Friday afternoons from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC

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

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

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

SALVATION ARMY

The Lockney Salvation Army is in need of donations. Clothes, shoes and other items are needed. Help is needed in the community.

LOCKNEY RESERVE SEATS

Reserve seats and parking spaces for the Lockney football games are currently on sale and will continue until Sept. 2. Price includes seats and admission to all home games. You can make your reservations by going by the superintendent's office at 416 W. Willow.

WEATHER

Courtesy of Energas		
DATE	HIGH	LOW
Aug. 17	98	71
Aug. 18	102	74
Aug. 19	104	76
Aug. 20	81	74
Aug. 21	88	67
Aug. 22	90	70
Aug. 23	96	72
RAIN: Aug. 18 -- .3"		

Planning ahead is stressed for holiday traveling

From the Texas Department of Public Safety

Labor Day is the last long weekend of the summer. For 40 people on Texas highways in 1993, it was the last weekend of their lives.

Major Lamar Beckworth of the Texas Department of Public Safety urges every motorist to be especially watchful during this holiday period. We want everyone to have a good time and to enjoy the holidays, but above all we want it to be an accident free weekend.

To make your travel plans more enjoyable, Major Beckworth suggests relieving a little stress by planning ahead, leaving ample time for any unforeseeable problems that might occur, taking frequent breaks on long trips and by driving friendly. It's the Texas Way.

Labor Day is also associated with picnics and lakes, so this holiday season, take time to make sure that your vehicles and trailers are in good working condition. When driving on lake roads, be especially alert. These roads often have no shoulders, are winding and hilly. With reduced visibility and an increase in large recreational vehicles, our best defense is to stay alert, insure that all occupants are buckled up and slow down. This will allow more time to react, if a hazardous situation should occur.

Major Beckworth also reminds us that "boozin' & cruzin'" is not a safe mix. So whether you are driving your vehicle on the roadway or operating a boat on the lake, if you are going to drink, please use a designated driver.

Have a good week!

Floyd County Church Directory

AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

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203 SE 2nd & College
Lockney 652-2204
Chon Sepulveda, Pastor
Wednesday Evening 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship 5:00 p.m.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH

810 S. 3rd, Floydada
Darwin Robinson, Pastor
Sunday:
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m.
Evening Service 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday:
Evening Services 8:00 p.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

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

CARR'S CHAPEL

Service Every Sunday:
Morning Worship 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
No Evening Services

CHURCH OF CHRIST

West College & Third, Lockney
Frank Duckworth, Evangelist
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday Service 8:00 p.m.

CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST

Floydada
Gene McCarty, Minister
Sunday:
Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
(Summer 8:00 p.m.)

EVANS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH

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

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Floydada
Vance Mitchell, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
Sunday Evening Evangelistic 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Night Service 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Floydada
Rev. Howell E. Farnsworth Jr., Michael Holster, Music/Ed.
Sunday:
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Interest Studies 5:30 p.m.
Discipleship Training 6 p.m.
Youth Choir 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday:

Children's Choirs 4:00 p.m.
Evening Meal 5:45 p.m.
R.A.'s & G.A.'s 6:45 p.m.
Preschool Choir 6:45 p.m.
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
Youth Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
Adult Choir 7:45 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Lockney
Harold Abney, Pastor
Les Reed, Youth Minister
Kent Lloyd, Music Minister
Sunday:
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Discipleship Training 6:00 p.m.
Kids of The King
Children's Choir 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
Youth Activities 7:00 p.m.
RA's and GA's 7:00 p.m.
Pre-School Choir 7:00 p.m.
Adult Choir 8:00 p.m.

3rd Saturdays:

Men's Breakfast 7:00 a.m.
1st Tuesday and 3rd Mondays:
Baptist Women 3:00 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. Robbin Hoover
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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

FRIENDSHIP CHAPEL CME

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

GRACE FELLOWSHIP CHURCH

211 N. Main, Lockney
Interdenominational Church
Rev. Ted Samples, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

John Williams, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Monday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday:
Prayer Service 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

IGLESIA DEL REY JESUS

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

MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST

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

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

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

NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Floydada
Jim Jackson, Pastor
Sunday: Congregational
Singing 10:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

PRIMER IGLESIA BAUTISTA

Lockney
Johnny Silva, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 5:00 p.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.
G.A.'s 7:30 p.m.
Ambassadors 7:30 p.m.
Fellowship Luncheon - 1st Sunday of Month
Music Worship - Last Sunday with evening service

PRIMERA MISION BAUTISTA

Floydada
Rev. Lupe Rando
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.
1st Wed. Organization Night

SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Lockney
Msgr. Tim Schwertner, Pastor
Wednesday:
Communion Service 8:00 p.m.
Sunday Mass 11:00 a.m.

SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH

Ernest Stewart, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD TEMPLO GETSEMANI

308 Mississippi
Rev. Thomas G. Lopez
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Evangelistic Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Family Night 7:30 p.m.

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Lockney
Pedro Reyes, Interim Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Christian Training 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

TEMPLO BETHEL SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Washington and 1st St. Lockney 652-2181
Armando Pinales, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

TEMPLO EVANGELICO PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Natividad Luna, Pastor
515 E. Missouri, Floydada
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.

TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA

Rev. Herman Martinez
308 W. Tennessee
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Prayer Service 2:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Tuesday:
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Thursday Service 7:30 p.m.

TEMPLO PODER DE LA ALABANZA PENTECOSTES

Rev. Manuel Rendon, Pastor
704 N. Main, Lockney 652-3704
Sunday Services 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

TRINITY CHURCH

500 W. Houston Floydada
Interdenominational Church
James Poteet, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday: Prayer 7:30 p.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Providence Community
The Reverend Charles Chapman, Supply Pastor
Sunday School & Adult Bible Class 10:15 a.m.
Worship Service 11:30 a.m.

VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH

601 W. Lee, Floydada 983-5437
Gordon Parsley, Pastor
Sunday School & Church Service, Continuous 10:00 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer & Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

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200 S. Main, Floydada, 983-5111

Wilson Aerial Spraying

Lockney - 652-2719

1994 LOCKNEY LONGHORN FOOTBALL SCHEDULES

VARSITY

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
SEPT. 2	Floydada	Home	8:00
SEPT. 9	Petersburg	There	8:00
SEPT. 16	Crosbyton	There	8:00
SEPT. 23*	Springlake-Earth	Home	7:30
SEPT. 30*	Olton	There	7:30
OCT. 7*	Morton	Home	7:30
OCT. 14*	Hart	There	7:30
OCT. 21*	New Deal	Home	7:30
OCT. 28*	Hale Center	There	7:30
NOV. 4*	Abernathy	Home	7:30

* District Games

JUNIOR VARSITY

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
SEPT. 1	Floydada	There	7:00
SEPT. 8	Petersburg	Home	7:00
SEPT. 15	Crosbyton	Home	5:00
SEPT. 22	Springlake-Earth	There	7:30
SEPT. 29	Olton	Home	7:30
OCT. 6	Morton	There	7:30
OCT. 13	Hart	Home	7:30
OCT. 20	New Deal	There	7:30
OCT. 27	Hale Center	Home	7:30
NOV. 3	Abernathy	There	7:30

SHORTHORNS

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
SEPT. 1	Open		
SEPT. 8	Petersburg	Home	5:00
SEPT. 15	Crosbyton	There	5:00
SEPT. 22	Springlake-Earth	There	5:00
SEPT. 29	Olton	Home	5:00
OCT. 6	Morton	There	5:00
OCT. 13	Hart	Home	5:00
OCT. 20	New Deal	There	5:00
OCT. 27	Hale Center	Home	5:00
NOV. 3	Abernathy	There	5:00

Lockney and Farwell lock horns Friday

By the Lockney Quarterback Club Reporter

LOCKNEY—The Steers of Farwell journey to town Friday night for the second and final scrimmage of the season. Moerbe and Company will be waiting, ready to "lock horns" at the Longhorn corral. Action is set to begin about 6:00 p.m. The JV team is slated to start with the varsity to follow.

The coaches were pleased with the Lorenzo scrimmage. The boys made some mistakes but there were some bright spots too.

Coach Malcolm Moerbe stated, "I thought the athletes really showed good effort and intensity. We really need to work on conditioning but that will come with time. We really had some bright spots on both sides of the line of scrimmage. Now that the players are comfortable with our base offense and defense we can start adding some things and prepare a game plan for Floydada. The coaches and players are ready to start the season."

SEVEN LETTERMEN RETURN

Only seven lettermen returned from last year's 6-4 team. Four offensive and five defensive regulars are back and many of them are being asked to play new positions.

Since graduation took a heavy toll coaches are moving boys around to try and fill some holes.

Matthew Raisse will anchor the line at center and play end on defense. Mikhael Durham is moving from tight end to tackle to help beef up the line. He

plays linebacker on defense.

Lalo Chavira is back again at cornerback and halfback on defense. Tanner Johnson is at quarterback after playing wide receiver last year. He plays safety on defense.

Michael Henderson is at the other corner in defense and halfback on defense. Carlos Perales will be a guard on offense and linebacker on defense. Joe marks returns as linebacker and fullback.

There will be many new faces in the lineup this fall. If Lockney is to have success this year the younger players will have to grow up and come through in a hurry.

Community Band trying to reorganize

The Floyd County Community Band is going to try to reorganize. If you play an instrument and would like to participate, please be at the Floydada High School Band Hall at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 30.

Those present will decide when they want to meet and at what time. Anyone interested, but who cannot be present for the meeting, should contact John Odum at the band hall, 983-2711, or Bobby Rainer.

Please Use CAUTION in School Zones

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Scrimmage at Watson Field in Floydada Friday, August 26, 1994

Varsity Scrimmage will start at approximately 7:30 p.m.

Sponsored by the Floydada Booster Club

The first meeting of the Booster Club will be at 7:00 p.m. August 29 in the FHS Cafeteria

SPORTS

Slaton Tigers prevail in 'Winds first scrimmage

By Bill Gray
FLOYDADA--There are no declared winners in a controlled football scrimmage. If there were, Slaton would have been the clear-cut victor over the Floydada Whirlwinds at Tiger Stadium on August 19. Pre-season scrimmages are a necessary means by which coaches are able to evaluate the performances of their teams against outside opposition, and make the necessary adjustments to improve the performance of their squads.

Slaton lived up to its pre-season billing as one of 1994's better Class 3A teams on the South Plains by sowing the offensive firepower which led the Tigers to a playoff berth a year ago. Slaton returned 20 lettermen from the 1993 team that lost to highly-regarded Vernon 35-13 in the bi-district round of the 3A playoffs.

Returning All-South Plains running back Oskar Solis scored three of the four Tiger touchdowns while Slaton's stout defense held the Whirlwinds to Vernon Cooper's lone touchdown. A 70-yard scoring romp by Solis, on the Tigers' initial offensive possession, was an indication of things to come.

Although Slaton's first score would have been nullified by a penalty flag under actual game conditions, it appears that Solis will again be one of the most productive rushers in the area. The talented senior led all area 3A ball carriers the past two seasons and accounted for over 3000 yards while averaging over eight yards-per-carry.

Slaton's offense, however, wasn't all Oskar Solis. All-South Plains quarterback Chris Hammons, who passed for 1254 yards in nine regular season games a year ago (he led the area 3A teams in that category), clearly established that he was ready to direct Coach Steve Culwell's complex "I" offense to bigger and better results in 1994.

According to Floydada coach Bryan Davis, "The Slaton offense returns a number of talented people, and they are near mid-season form. We didn't prepare for their multiple sets as we would have done had it been a regular season game. They are a disciplined and well-coached team and should go far this year."

Coach Davis added, "We saw some things we liked and found some places that need some work. I thought our line matched up pretty well at times -- especially considering that few of our linemen have seen any varsity experience. Overall, we were pleased with the first scrimmage... other than some bumps and bruises we came through without any serious injuries. They were a very physical team, and we were fortunate in that respect."

Floydada's first unit offense had its problems with the Tigers' experienced 4-3 defense, although the Cooper brothers (Pete and Vernon) had several nice gainers off the option. The Whirlwinds mounted several sustained drives, but could only manage one score against Slaton's stopper unit.

The Whirlwinds' senior quarterback Sammy Rodriguez performed well, but had difficulty with the Tigers' pass rush (led by 1993 All-South Plains defensive end Jason Orr). Zach Abshier showed confidence as Floydada's backup quarterback by completing a couple of nice passes and running well on several option-keepers. Ken Cummings had a good outing at wide-out and fullback Michael Mercado made his presence felt on several plays.

Pete Cooper intercepted a Tiger pass and returned it about 40 yards for one of Floydada's defensive highlights. Other outstanding Whirlwind defensive efforts were turned in by linebacker Neal Nelson and defensive ends Angel Aleman and Zach Abshier. Tim Rando, Anthony Emert and Peter Luna all made some good plays from their defensive tackle slots.

The Whirlwinds will host Lubbock Cooper at Wester Field on August 26 in the final tune-up before September 3rd's opener at Lockney. Cooper is an improved team after last year's 4-5 squad. The Pirates have an experienced quarterback (Will Truby) and several veteran receivers to go along with a number of defensive returnees. The Cooper scrimmage should give Floydada's coaching staff another look as to how far the team has progressed since the opening of fall practice.

BILL'S NOTES

It was a controlled scrimmage at Slaton last Friday -- controlled in the sense that the Tigers pretty well controlled the Whirlwinds... both on offense and defense. Coach Davis later confirmed my evaluations when he said, "They were at mid-season form."

I think the Whirlwinds made a good showing against Slaton with all things considered. It's difficult to go head-up with a team of this caliber with experienced folks like D.G. Hollams and Terry Harris watching from the sidelines in street clothes. To compound the

defensive depth problem, Johnny Segura went down with an injury during the scrimmage (his injury is not thought to be serious).

Lubbock Cooper comes to Wester Field this week to help the Whirlwinds wind down their pre-season preparations. Floydada should find the going a little easier against the Pirates, but Cooper has always been a very physical club... we've had a couple of quarterbacks go down in the past years against the Pirates. So, the 'Winds had better prepare for some good, old fashioned smash-mouthed football.

"Meet the Whirlwinds" will follow the Cooper scrimmage, complete with water-melon feed, etc. Booster Club prez Edd Henderson announces that they will have their first meeting in the FHS cafeteria on Monday, August 29, at 7:00 p.m.



HOLD THAT TIGER -- Slaton receiver Juan Muniz (#80) attempts to break the tackle of FHS defender Frankie Luna in scrimmage action. The highly regarded Tigers were a stern test for the 'Winds last Friday. Staff Photo

1994 FLOYDADA WHIRLWIND FOOTBALL SCHEDULES

VARSITY

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
SEPT. 2	Lockney	There	8:00
SEPT. 9	Brownfield	Home	8:00
SEPT. 16	Post	Home	8:00
SEPT. 23	Childress	Home	8:00
SEPT. 30	Lubbock Roosevelt	There	8:00
OCT. 7*	Dimmitt	There	7:30
OCT. 14*	Littlefield	Home	7:30
OCT. 21*	Muleshoe	There	7:30
OCT. 28*	Shallowater	There	7:30
NOV. 4*	Friona	Home	7:30

* District Games

J.V. AND 9TH GRADE

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
SEPT. 1	Lockney	Home	7:00
SEPT. 8	Brownfield	There	5:30/7:00
SEPT. 15	Post	There	5:30/7:00
SEPT. 22	Childress	There	5:30/7:00
SEPT. 29	Lubbock Roosevelt	Home	5:30/7:00
OCT. 6	Dimmitt	Home	5:30/7:00
OCT. 13	Littlefield	There	5:30/7:00
OCT. 20	Muleshoe	Home	5:30/7:00
OCT. 27	Shallowater	Home	5:30/7:00
NOV. 3	Friona	There	5:30/7:00

BREEZERS

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
SEPT. 1	Open		
SEPT. 8	Brownfield	Home	
SEPT. 15	Post	Home	5:30/7:00
SEPT. 22	Childress	Home	5:30/7:00
SEPT. 29	Lubbock Roosevelt	There	5:30/7:00
OCT. 6	Dimmitt	There	5:30/7:00
OCT. 13	Littlefield	Home	5:30/7:00
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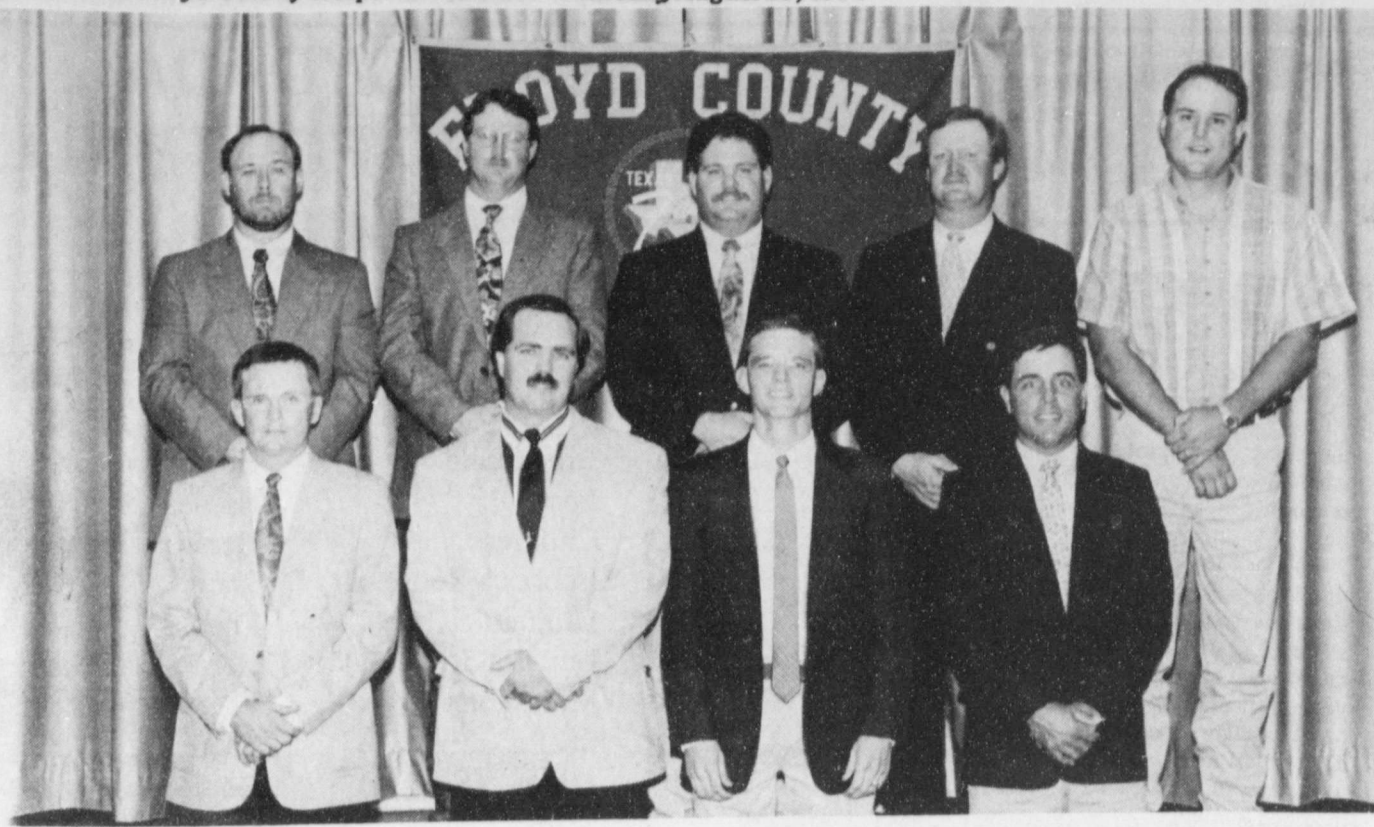


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FLOYD COUNTY FARM BUREAU DIRECTORS-- Named as directors for Floyd County Farm Bureau are (l-r, back row) Jay Lackey, David Vaughn, Monty Teeter, Mark Beedy, Steve Johnson; (l-r, front row) Jim Covington, J.D. Terrell, Mark McCormick, and Bart Greer. The directors were named at the annual banquet. Staff Photo

Floyd County Farm Bureau hosts annual membership meet

The Floyd County Farm Bureau hosted their 42nd annual membership meeting, Friday, August 19, at Duncan Elementary. New board members were elected, seminar students addressed the audience and other reports were given.

Board member Bart Greer reported to the members that four students were sent by the Floyd County Farm Bureau, to San Angelo for the Student Citizenship Seminar.

Attending the seminar were Trudy Lambert, Michael Mercado, Mandy Hunter and David Watson. Hunter and Watson were on hand to address the members and thank them for their sponsorship.

Hunter told the members that she had learned about "free enterprise and the Constitution." "We also heard from motivational speakers," said Hunter, "and we learned how important it is to

know how our government works and how it affects me. I learned that the Farm Bureau is more than just insurance."

Bobby Welborn also thanked the Farm Bureau for their sponsorship to the fireman school at Texas A&M. "We had five fireman go to the school," said Welborn, "and your sponsorship paid the expense of sending one fireman."

Welborn told the audience that 126 acres are used for training. "Our training consists of fighting ship fires to bucket fires," said Welborn.

Welborn said there are 698 instructors at the school and in the three week training period, 4700 people will go through the school.

Welborn also thanked Farm Bureau for their donation of a tanker truck.

John Quebe gave the President's report and reviewed the different programs provided by the Farm Bureau. Quebe told the members that Farm Bureau has very strong programs for youth and the organization feels a responsibility to train the youth for leadership roles.

Clar Schacht gave the Agency Manager's Report and challenged the members to take an active role. He said it had been a good year as far as insurance because so far there had been no hail. He said to be aware that in the future farmers were going to be required to carry crop insurance. "There will be no more disaster payments," said Schacht.

Mark Beedy gave the membership report and reviewed some of the benefits available to Farm Bureau members. Benefits included: \$1,000 accidental death benefit on husband and wife with a \$500 benefit for dependent children; free notary public service; free travel arrest bond; purchase of tires, batteries and tillage through TASCOS dealers; special family group or individual hospitalization plan; insurance policies on all aspect of business, farm and home;

prescription drug discount program; AmeriDent Dental Group Plans; Discount Eyewear program; Texas Farm Bureau Credit Card; Discount Long Distance Savings and Financial Services.

New directors elected during the membership meeting were: Jimmy Covington and Steve Johnson. Jay Lackey returned as a director. They will join the other directors: J.D. Terrell, Mark Beedy, Bart Greer, Mark McCormick, David Vaughn and Monty Teeter.

Bob Stallman, the new president of Texas Farm Bureau, was the speaker for the evening. He reported that membership in Farm Bureau was up and said that Farm Bureau was participating in legislative, regulatory and political activities.

Stallman felt the most important issue to Farm Bureau and it's members at this time was the issue of private property.

Stallman said Farm Bureau would fight against unfunded mandates and for compensation for loss of property value as a result of these mandates.

Stallman also felt it was necessary for Congress to conduct a cost benefit analysis and determine how much each new program was going to cost society before the programs were implemented.

"Texas Farm Bureau will make their number one priority to see to it that a strong and meaningful private property rights bill be passed," said Stallman.

Plaques were presented to Joe Jones and John Quebe for six years of outstanding service and devotion. A former president's plaque was presented to John Quebe.

Members were served a bar-b-que meal which was catered by Roy's in Quitaque, and door prizes were presented at the end of the meeting.

Have a nice day!

Floydada City Council holds public hearings

Continued From Page 1

ber function is either a part of city business or is housed in city offices. No action was taken at this time, but the issue will be considered at a later date.

Roy Garris, new manager of Mackenzie Municipal Water Authority, came before the council to present the annual budget report. He told the council that the budget for the coming year would be up about \$60,000.00 due to filter and equipment problems which need to be taken care of this year. Floydada's share of the base monthly operating cost of Mackenzie will fall by about \$95.00 per month although it will remain over \$2,000.00 per month.

Garris told the council that the lake authority is actively looking for an alternative water source since rainfall has been so short this year, only 5.7 inches so far. He added that the current water level is about 78 feet, only 68 of which are pumpable as the pump is located 10 feet off the bottom. He added that water quality decreases as the water comes from lower and lower levels. This means added cost for chemicals and treatment for the water being pumped to the four member cities.

Floydada was complimented for pumping city wells to supplement water supplies during peak use periods throughout this summer. According to Garris, Tulia and Lockney are also pumping limited amounts to add to their

daily supply, but Silverton does not have a well to pump and must rely entirely on Mackenzie Water Authority for all city water.

The council approved the payment of monthly bills and accepted the monthly financial statements as presented. Also approved by unanimous vote were line adjustments to various accounts on a motion from council member Clar Schacht with a second by council member Wayne Tipton.

A resolution allowing the amendment of the annual budget to allow transfer of funds between city accounts was approved on a motion by Schacht with a second by council member Leroy Burns. Everyone voted for the motion.

Another financial matter approved at the evening session was the ratification of expenses involved in digging a new pit at the Floydada Municipal Landfill. A motion from council member Albert Hill with a second by Schacht approved the use of sanitation reserve funds for the payment of the expense. All voted in favor.

The council voted unanimously to approve Ordinance #776, putting in place an emergency management plan as a guide for handling a natural or man-made disaster should one occur. The ordinance also allows mutual aid agreements in cooperation with the county and the City of Lockney. Motion was made by Schacht with a second by council member Dale Lawson.

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The council next approved a resolution joining other small Texas cities in asking the state legislature to pass legislation allowing general law cities the right to own and operate a cable TV system. The action is being taken in response to the fact that small cities are being bypassed as the cable TV industry upgrades facilities and services because they are economically unattractive for the major industry players.

According to Brown, this would allow a city like Floydada to purchase the cable facility in their town and operate it for the benefit of it's citizens, not as a major source of income. Motion to approve the resolution was made by Tipton and seconded by Lawson. All voted in favor.

Other items addressed at the Thursday evening session included:

... Minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed and approved on a motion by Hill with a second by Schacht.

... The council approved offers on tax title lots sales, first amending a previous request to donate four lots to Mt. Zion Baptist Church. The church will pay \$10.00 per lot for the property since it has been learned that taxpayer owned

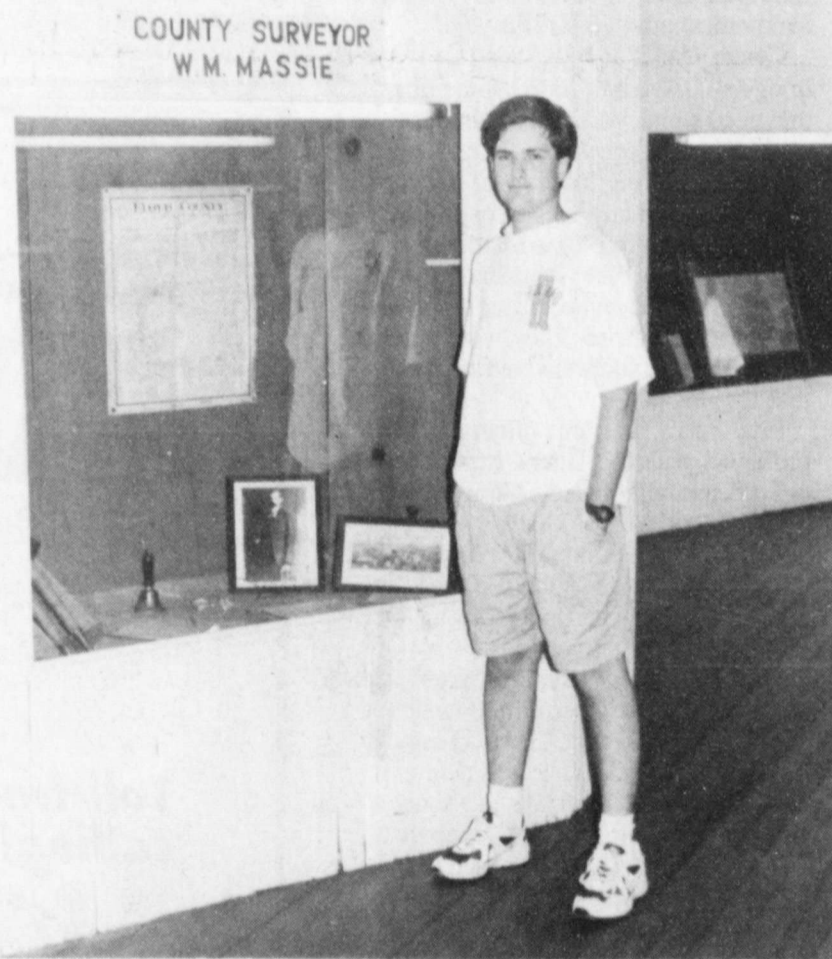
property cannot be given away.

Sale of Lots 8 & 10, Blk. H, Andrews Addition, and Lot 3 Blk. 9, Honerhea Addition, were approved by the council. Mauricio Rodriguez, Jr. of Edcouch, Texas, submitted bids of \$400.00 per lot for the first two and \$300.00 for the third lot. Motion for approval was made by Schacht with a second by Tipton. All voted in favor.

... A proposal from Edd V. Henderson, CPA, was approved by the council for preparing the audit on the 1993-94 fiscal year financial records for the year ending September 30, 1994. Motion was made by Burns with a second by Hill and approved by unanimous vote.

... The city manager told the council that the city is still generating power on a nearly daily basis to supplement power being purchased from SPS. Generating power to supply the city during peak usage times is less expensive than paying a premium for SPS power when usage spikes. City generation of electricity also allows service to continue without the possibility of brown outs or black outs.

Brown also told the council that the city is still pumping wells to augment the daily water supply for Floydada.



MASSIE DESCENDANT VISITS -- Jonathan Murray of Enola, Pennsylvania, grandson of Geraldine Massie Murray and great grandson of W. M. Massie, reads about his Floyd County roots during a recent visit to the Floyd County Historical Museum. -- Staff Photo

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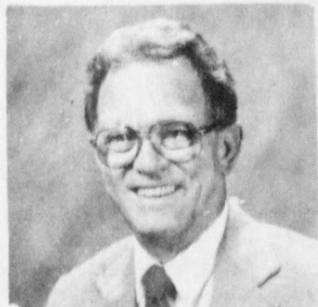
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ASCS approves 63 cost-share requests for conservation practices

At the end of July, the Floyd County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service had approved 63 cost-share requests for conservation practices under the Agricultural Conservation Program (ACP). The program offers conservation measures to correct severe soil, water and environmental problems on farms.

ASCS officials state conservation practices were applied on nearly 7,000 acres of farmland in the county. Farmers who were approved for cost-share funds should report the completed conservation practice and submit bills to our office, if they have not already done so, as soon as possible so that payments may be issued promptly. If for some reason an approved practice cannot be completed by the expiration date of the con-

tract, producers should notify the county ASCS office immediately.

Conservation practices eligible for cost-share assistance include terraces, diversions, irrigation water conservation, pipeline, tailwater pits, and seeding or sodding operations. Funding for the 1994 ACP totaled \$120,949.

In administering the ACP, ASCS identifies conservation problems in the county, determines priorities for the most cost-effective solutions to the problems, and selects practices for the county program.

ASCS officials state cost-share requests are evaluated as to the loss of soil or water, and the amount that can be saved by performing the practice that is requested.



SIDERS' SIDELINES

By Kerry Siders, CEA-Ag

I attended a Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission (TNRCC) meeting in Plainview the last week. First item of interest was the Utility Engine Rule. This rule commonly referred to as the "lawn mower rule" applies to all utility engines less than 25 horsepower. This rule will control hydrocarbons and carbon monoxide, which are blamed for destroying the ozone. It will regulate all engines manufactured from 1996 on. Existing engines will not be required to be modified. Manufacturer cost increase is said to be "only \$5".

On diesel engines, the rule applies to those greater than 50 horsepower and non-road equipment. This will control oxides of nitrogen. It takes effect in 1996 also, with no retro fitting requirements. The cost increase estimate to manufacturers is "only \$220 per engine".

This concerns me because they tried to get the well motors early on in this rule but could not. They settled on three engines and said "that's all". I'll let you decide if \$5-\$220 is "only \$5-\$220", and whether or not it "that's all".

The burning of treated seed and insecticide bags came up also. I asked them point blank why we cannot burn these items. They said they assume that since these bags had pesticide residue in them that they are hazardous materials and should be taken to a commercial incinerator at a cost of \$10 per bag. This is not only too costly, inefficient, and not practical, but not necessary because burning like that in small volumes in the field allows for the safest way for decomposition of the chemical residues. Currently TNRCC is not enforcing not burning unless it is a "huge" fire because there is not actual rule.

The final item I will mention concerns a dust or PM-10 study that was conducted in Lubbock. EPA allows for only

so much particulate matter in the air at any one given time. Well, as anyone that lives in West Texas can tell you, dust storms are a common occurrence. Yet as we all know the severity of these storms has been reduced tremendously because of CRP and minimum tillage. The speed of the wind and the amount of soil moisture are the main causes of dust problems. It sounds as though EPA will not be satisfied on this and the implications for restriction on agriculture because of this dust issue could be far reaching.

Silverleaf Nightshade Control

Now is an excellent time and basically the only way to get good control of silverleaf nightshade, commonly referred to as white weed. Silverleaf nightshade is a perennial weed with an extensive root system. Applications of Roundup, timed when the berries are yellow, is the best time of the year to get good root control of silverleaf nightshade. This stage of nightshade development may not occur until mid-September.

These applications can be either spot sprays or broadcast applications. In areas densely populated, broadcast would be most effective. Roundup should not affect this year's cotton crop, but seed quality will be affected if you're planning on saving seed for next year. In areas with marginal silverleaf nightshade populations and a fair cotton yield potential, Roundup applications should be applied after 50% of the bolls are opened. A rate of 1 quart Roundup per acre with 2% ammonium sulfate and 1/2% volume per volume of a surfactant in less than ten gallons of water per acre, for broadcast application should be used. For more information on this, give me a call.

Make plans to enter exhibits in the upcoming Floyd County Fair

The Floyd and Surrounding Counties Fair is scheduled for September 15, 16, 17 at the fairgrounds located east of Lockney.

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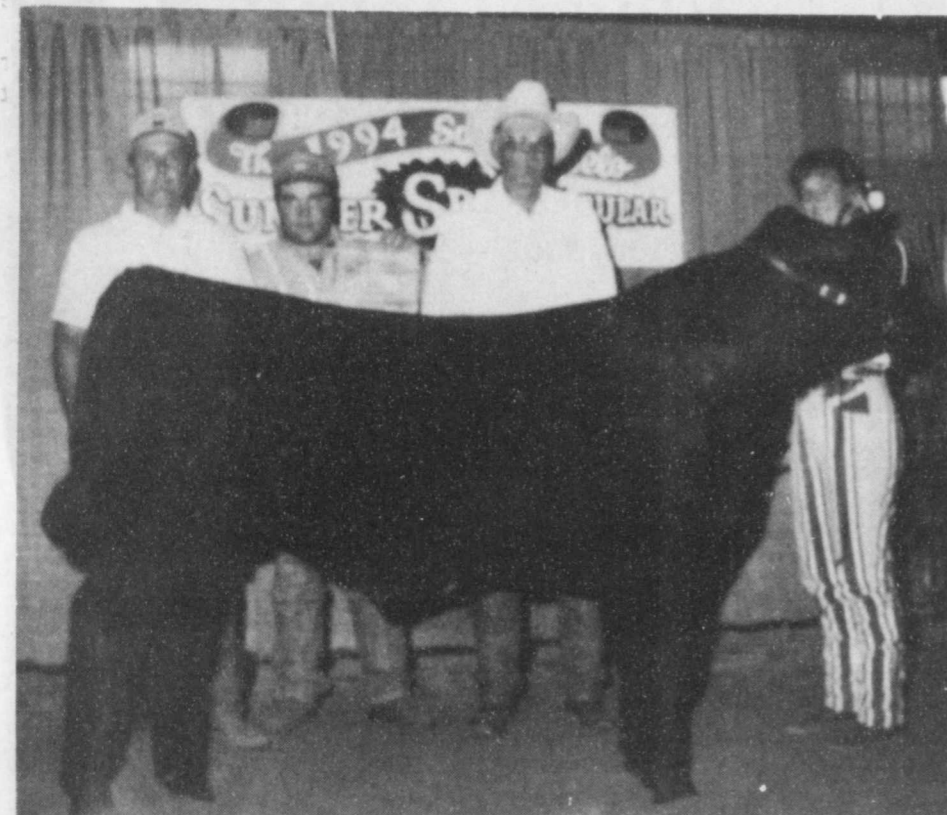
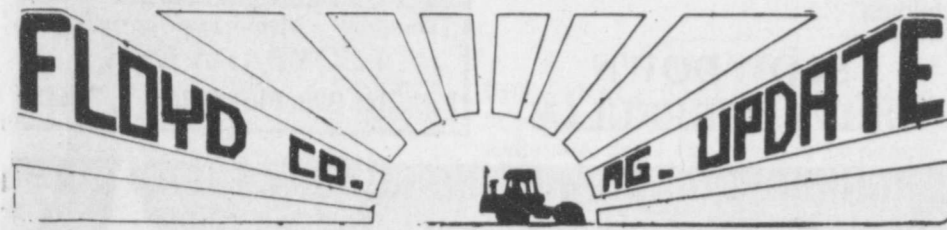
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WOMACK NAMED GRAND CHAMPION--Three Floydada FFA students participated in the Summer Spectacular Steer Show in San Angelo recently. Amber Womack (right) showed the Champion Chiania and was also named Grand Champion overall. Pictured with her were (l-r) Joe Womack, her father; Mark Standlee, FFA instructor at Floydada High School; and the show's judge. Others attending the show were Todd Hinsley, who placed third with his mediumweight Hereford and Chad Hinsley, who placed first in his class, and also received Reserve Champion Simmental honors. --Courtesy photo

CRP informational meeting set for today at the Lubbock Civic Center

The Soil Conservation Service is hosting an informational meeting about the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) at the Lubbock Civic Center today (Thursday). The meeting begins at 9:00 a.m. and concludes at 4:00 p.m.

This is an important meeting that will enable CRP participants to consider their options and make informed decisions about future land uses and resource management needs.

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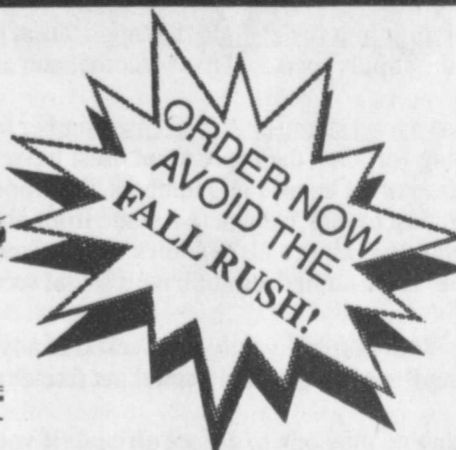
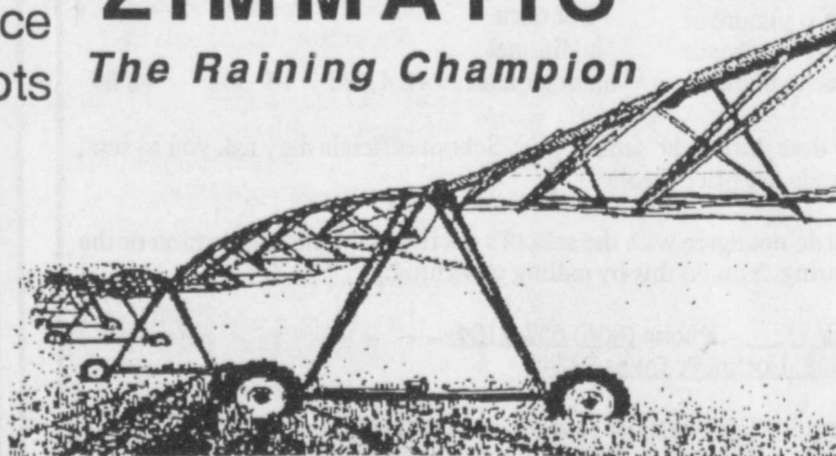


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Obituaries

HOMER LEE FARMER

Services for Homer Lee Farmer, 90, of Floydada were at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, Aug. 23, in Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Howell Farnsworth, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Floyd County Memorial Park by Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

Mr. Farmer died at 2:15 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 21, 1994, in Floydada Nursing Home following a lengthy illness.

He was born on January 21, 1904 in Clay County, Texas, and moved to Floyd County in 1928 from Dickens County. He served in the Army during World War II.

He was a farmer and a member of the First Baptist Church.

He is survived by a sister, Winnie Neil of Floydada.

The family suggests memorials be made to the American Heart Association or a favorite charity.

GLADYS FEWELL

Services for Gladys Fewell, 95, of Lockney were at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Aug. 24, in First United Methodist Church in Lockney with the Rev. Tommie Beck, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Lockney Cemetery by Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

Mrs. Fewell died at 11:10 a.m. Monday, Aug. 22, 1994, at her residence following a lengthy illness.

She was born Gladys Vivian Barnes on March 3, 1899 in Waco. She married Harold Fewell on Sept. 11, 1915 in Hill County. He died on March 4, 1977.

She moved to Floyd County in 1925 from Hill County and then to Lockney in 1964. She was a housewife and member of the First United Methodist Church in Lockney.

Survivors include a son, Ross Fewell of Lubbock; 13 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; and seven great-great-grandchildren.

She was also preceded in death by two sons, Bill Fewell and Moody Fewell and two grandsons.

Grandsons served as pallbearers. The family suggests memorials be made to Hospice of the Plains, 4412 Olton Rd., Plainview, TX 79072, or to a favorite charity.

L.H. GILREATH

Graveside services for L.H. "Bud" Gilreath, 85, of Lubbock were at 10:30

a.m. Monday, Aug. 22, in Resthaven Memorial Park with the Rev. Jimmy Nunn, associate pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating.

Interment was directed by Resthaven Funeral Home.

Mr. Gilreath died Friday, Aug. 19, 1994, in Methodist Hospital.

He was born Sept. 9, 1908, in Johnson County. He was a former member of the Masonic Order and a member of First United Methodist Church. He married Grace E. Crowder on May 23, 1931, in Hollis, Okla.

He was a bookkeeper for McKissack Automotive for 25 years.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Jack of Abilene; a brother, Roy of Dallas; three sisters, Wilma Voyles of Memphis and Ruth Boone and Frances Weathersbee, both of Floydada; and two grandchildren.

BILLY JOE HALENCAK

Funeral services for Billy Joe Halencak, 64, of Crowell were held at 4 p.m. Friday, August 19, in St. Joseph Catholic Church with the Rev. Oran Key officiating. Burial was in Crowell Cemetery under the direction of Womack-Manard Funeral Home. Rosary and prayer services were recited at 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 18.

Mr. Halencak died Tuesday, August 16, 1994, in a Seymour Hospital following a lengthy illness.

He was born in Crowell, Foard County, Texas, on May 13, 1930 to Frank and Della Halencak. He graduated in 1951 from Crowell High School and served four years in the Air Force during the Korean Episode.

He married Arleta Teague on June 23, 1956. He resided in Crowell all his life and was a mechanic.

Survivors include his wife, Arleta; three children, Billy Dean Halencak, Wesley Halencak and Arlene Young, all of Crowell; three brothers, Lonnie Halencak of Rayland, Rudolph Halencak of Fresno, Calif., and Raymond Halencak of Wichita Falls; four sisters, Mildred Kubicek of Vernon, Rosie Micola of Woodlake, Calif., Julie Connell of Waco, and Jo Bryant Wilbanks of Floydada; six grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Another son, Myron David Halencak, preceded him in death on Oct. 22, 1978, while serving in the U.S. Marines.

Pallbearers were nephews, Daryl

Halencak, Tommy Halencak, Johnny Halencak, Robert Halencak, Johnny Halencak and Richard Kubicek.

MARVIN JONES

Memorial services for Marvin Jones, 66, of Lubbock were at 10 a.m. Friday, August 19, in the Resthaven Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Johnnie Williams officiating. Cremation was under the direction of Resthaven Funeral Home and Crematory.

Mr. Jones died Saturday, Aug. 13, 1994, at his residence.

He was born on January 15, 1928 in Lockney. He married Jimmie Louis Bennet on January 18, 1951 in Denver City, Texas. She preceded him in death on November 24, 1992.

He worked for the Tye Company, which is now called Ag-Equipment in Lockney, as an agriculture engineer. He was a veteran of the United States Army.

Survivors include a son, Michael of Empire, Nevada; a daughter, Laurie Jones Neighbors of Pacific Grove, California; a sister, Ruth Turner of Denver City; and his mother, Ina Jones of Denver City.

W.A. KING

Funeral services for William Alpha King, 88, were held at 10:30 a.m. Monday, August 22 at St. Luke's Methodist Church in Haltom City. Burial was in the Bluebonnet Hills Memorial Park under the direction of Bluebonnet Hills Funeral Home.

Mr. King died Friday, August 19, 1994 at his home after a lengthy illness.

He was born October 10, 1905 in Indian Territory and that same year moved with his parents, E.C. (Ned) and Louella King to a farm in Floyd County. He completed high school in Floydada and received both bachelor's and master's degrees from Texas Tech University in Lubbock. He taught classes in agriculture at Floydada High School for several years.

He and Pernecie Calhoun were married on March 26, 1927 in Floydada.

During World War II, he worked with the Texas State Department of Education, supervising the installation of community-operated food canning plants for the war effort. He established farm shops throughout the state that kept farm equipment in production despite the scarcity of parts.

In 1945, Mr. King went to work for

the Fort Worth Area Chamber of Commerce as its first agriculture specialist. He remained there until his retirement in 1975.

Mr. King joined the Fort Worth Stock Show in 1946 as assistant livestock manager. He retired in 1978 after serving 31 years as director of show activities in all livestock departments except horses.

Working with the chamber and the stock show, Mr. King spearheaded the establishment of the Agriculture Development Fund. The program encourages junior show winners by offering a guaranteed, above-market price when their animals are sold in the Junior Sale of Champions.

Mr. King helped establish the Stock Show Sunday School and Breakfast for visiting 4-H and FFA exhibitors. He organized the Fort Worth Farm and Ranch Club which has established the W.A. King Award for Excellence in Agriculture. He had received numerous awards recognizing his involvement with youth.

Mr. King had been a Kiwanis Club member for 40 years. He was also active at St. Luke's Methodist Church, where he was president of the Friendship Class for married couples. In addition he was a member of the Fort Worth Wood Carvers.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank everyone who participated in the softball tournament, who helped and ate at the enchilada dinner and all those who donated money to help Yvonne Martinez.

She is still being examined at the Temple Hospital and asks for all your prayers.

Thank you and God bless you!

9-1c

We would like to express our heartfelt thanks to everyone for the calls, cards, visits, prayers, flowers, plants, food, and love shown to our family during this time of sorrow and loss. Thank you to those who made donations in memory of our mother. We will always remember these acts of kindness. May God bless and keep each of you.

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Gail Howard and Family
Kim Bullard and Family

8-25p

Survivors include his wife; one son, Bobby Ned King of Fort Worth; a brother, Raymond L. King of Lubbock, a sister, Blanche Enos of Lubbock, and several nieces and nephews in Floyd County.

OLIVER WARE

Graveside services for Oliver Ware, 82, of Quitaque were at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Aug. 23, in Resthaven Cemetery under the direction of Myers-Long Funeral Directors.

Mr. Ware died Saturday, Aug. 20, 1994, in Lockney.

He was born in Kent County. He was a veteran of military service during World War II.

He was a farmer and rancher in Quitaque.

Survivors include his mother, Ava Hawkins of Lockney; and four grandchildren.

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Floydada Girl Scout annual signup set

FLOYDADA — Annual registration for participation in the local Girl Scout program has been announced. Duncan students in kindergarten, first and third grade will register from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, August 30. Registration will be held in the cafeteria at A. B. Duncan Elementary School. Second graders will be registering at a later date, to be announced later by Debra Graham.

Fourth, fifth and sixth grade students can register at R. C. Andrews Elementary School on Thursday, September 1, from 4:00 to 4:30 p.m. in the cafeteria.

Late registration will be held on Sunday, September 4, from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. in the home of Elizabeth Simms at 800 W. Mississippi. All girls interested in being part of the program are invited to register.

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Parent/Guardian:

The Lockney School serves meals each school day. Elementary children may buy lunch for \$0.90 and breakfast for .50 cents. Children may also get meals free or at a reduced price. For High School and Junior High, children may buy lunch for \$1.00 and breakfast for .50 cents.

If you now get food stamps or AFDC for your children, your child gets free meals. If your total household income is the same or less than the amounts on the Income Chart below, your child can get free meals or reduced-priced meals. A foster child may get free or reduced-priced meals regardless of your income. The reduced price is .40 cents for lunch and .30 cents for breakfast.

HOW TO APPLY

If you now get food stamps or AFDC for the children you are applying for, the application must have the children's names, a food stamp or AFDC case number for each child, and the signature of an adult household member.

If you are applying for a foster child, the application must have the child's name, the child's "personal use" income, and an adult signature.

If you do not list a food stamp or AFDC case number for all children you are applying for, then the application must have the children's names, the names of all household members, the amount of income each person got last month and where it came from, the signature of an adult household member, and the adult's social security number or the word "none" if the adult does not have a social security number.

Household Size	INCOME CHART		
	Annual	Monthly	Weekly
1	\$13,616	\$1,135	\$262
2	18,204	1,517	351
3	22,792	1,900	439
4	27,380	2,282	527
5	31,968	2,664	615
6	36,556	3,047	703
7	41,144	3,429	792
8	45,732	3,811	880
For each additional member add:	+\$ 4,588	+\$ 383	+\$ 89

Verification: Your eligibility may be checked at any time during the school year. School officials may ask you to send papers showing that your children should get free or reduced-price meals.

Fair Hearing: You may talk to school officials if you do not agree with the school's decision on your application or the results of verification. You may also ask for a fair hearing. You do this by calling or writing:

Name Raymond Lusk Phone (806) 652-2104
Address Box 428, Lockney, Texas 79241

Reporting Changes: If your children get free or reduced-price meals because of your income, you must tell the school if your household size decreases or your income increases by more than \$50 per month or \$600 per year. If your children get meals because you get food stamps or AFDC, you must tell the school when you are not getting AFDC or food stamps for them. You may then fill out another application giving income information.

Confidentiality: School officials use the information on the application only to decide if your children should get free or reduced-price meals.

Reapplication: You may apply for meals anytime during the school year. If you are not eligible now but have a change in status, like a decrease in household income, an increase in household size, becoming unemployed or get food stamps or AFDC for your children, you may then complete an application.

Handicapped: Meal substitutions at no additional cost for children who meet the definition of "handicapped" will be served, provided a physician has submitted a statement attesting to this fact and prescribing a substitute.

IN THE OPERATION OF THE CHILD FEEDING PROGRAMS, NO CHILD WILL BE DISCRIMINATED AGAINST BECAUSE OF RACE, SEX, COLOR, NATIONAL ORIGIN, AGE OR HANDICAP. IF YOU BELIEVE YOU HAVE BEEN DISCRIMINATED AGAINST, WRITE IMMEDIATELY TO THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE, WASHINGTON, D. C. 20250.

We will let you know when your application is approved or denied.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice

of Vote on Tax Rate

The Floydada Independent School District Board of Trustees conducted a public hearing on a proposal to increase your property taxes by 6.1 percent on August 18, 1994, at 1:00 p.m.

The Floydada Independent School District Board of Trustees is scheduled to vote on the tax rate at a public meeting to be held on August 29, 1994, at 1:00 p.m. at 226 West California Street, Floydada, Texas, in the Floydada ISD Board Meeting Room.

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Ora Pauline Robertson
Route 3, Box 122
Floydada, Texas 79235 8-25c

ESTATE OF FLOYD E. WHISENANT, DECEASED

No. 5206
§ IN THE COUNTY COURT
§ OF
§ FLOYD COUNTY

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of FLOYD E. WHISENANT, Deceased, were granted to RICKY L. WHISENANT on 18th July, 1994, by the County Court of Floyd County, Texas. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby requested to present same to RICKY L. WHISENANT within the time prescribed by law. The post office address for these purposes is:

Estate of Floyd E. Whisenant, Deceased
Mr. Ricky L. Whisenant
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DONALD HARDY
COMPETING AT NATIONAL MOTOCROSS CHAMPIONSHIP

Hardy brings home wins from National Motocross races

FLOYDADA--Donald Hardy of Floydada competed in the WMA Nationals in Ponca City, Okla., on his 125cc and his 250cc Kawasaki motorcycles. After competing against 90 other competitors, he won 6th in his 250 Stock class, 6th in his 125 Modified class, and 9th in his 250 Modified class. The competition was held Aug. 1 through Aug. 4.

Hardy also competed in two classes on his 250 Kawasaki in Hurricane Mills, Tennessee, at Loretta Lynn's Dude Ranch Aug. 9-13.

After completing three races in each class, he finished 3rd in his 250 Stock class and 4th in his 250 Modified class.

There were 42 bikes in each class and each race was 25 minutes.

In order to compete in this Tennessee race, each rider had to qualify at a local race and finish in the top 10 to advance to the regional race. At the regional race, the riders had to finish in the top five to advance to the final race at Loretta Lynn's. Each of the 42 riders were the top riders from across the United States.

The Tennessee race is an AMA sanctioned race and is considered the most prestigious of all the amateur motocross national races. There were 28 different classes of bikes competing with 42 riders in each class, with a total of 1176 riders competing.

Local sales tax rebates drop

July 1994 sales tax rebates made to Floyd County cities from the state comptroller's office have been received with both Floydada and Lockney displaying a decrease in sales reported for June. Total rebates received in Floyd County this month were \$20,108.58, a decrease of 14.99 percent when compared to the \$23,655.97 received in July of 1993.

Lockney displayed a decrease of 33.80 percent from the same period in 1993 in over all receipts. The city's July check was in the amount of \$5,711.24

compared to \$8,627.80 received in July 1993.

Floydada's check from the state comptroller's office was in the amount of \$14,397.34 showing a decrease of 4.19 percent from the \$15,028.17 payment received in July of 1993.

Area cities, their July 1994 rebates and percentage of change are listed below.

Quitaque; \$4,186.47, +16.26%
Silverton; \$2,233.69, -0.51%
Crosbyton; \$6,626.49, -12.26%
Lorenzo; \$2,778.31, +20.90%
Ralls; \$8,293.45, +14.09%
Abernathy; \$15,965.78, +74.64%
Hale Center; \$4,813.17, -12.51%
Petersburg; \$3,150.99, +10.18%
Plainview; \$245,933.31, +2.79%
Idalou; \$5,7794.58, +8.34%
Lubbock; \$2,014,339.93, +4.51%
Matador; \$2,865.83, +4.10%
Roaring Springs; \$1,516.93, -37.21%

Tulia; \$25,908.29; +12.55%
Payments totaling \$197.9 million in local sales tax rebates went back to 1,073 Texas cities and 111 counties this month, according to the state comptroller's office. This month's sales tax payments include taxes collected on

June sales and reported to the comptroller by businesses filing monthly tax returns in July and for sales in April, May and June reported by quarterly filers.

Case International combines receive honors from Farm Industry News

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DONALD HARDY displays his 3rd place trophy and 4th place plaque which he won at recent National Motocross competitions. Staff Photo

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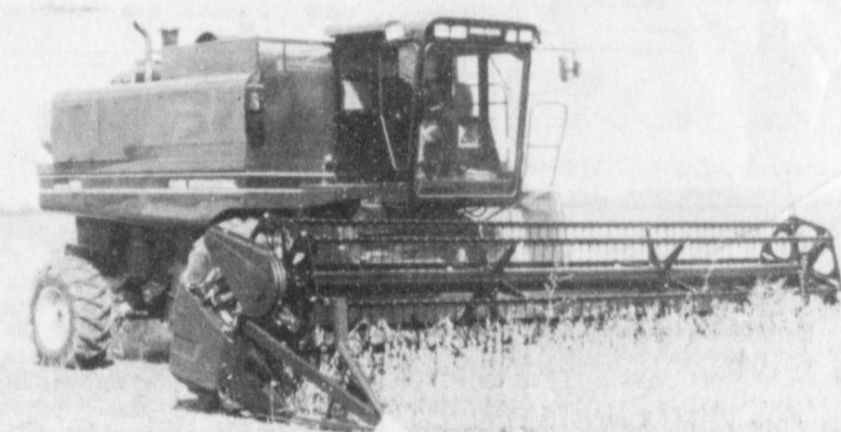
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