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**TRAINING IN FRIGID WEATHER**--Jurahee Jones, 10 year old daughter of Joe and Anne Jones, is one of many youngsters who have been busy working with their livestock preparing for the upcoming stock shows in Lockney and Floydada, January 7. The County Stock Show is set

for January 21-22. Jurahee did not let the freezing temperatures and damp weather keep her from working with her lamb on Tuesday. She will be prepared for whatever the weather brings this weekend.

Staff Photo

## Youth compete on Saturday

# Floydada gears up for stock show

The yearly Floydada Junior Livestock Show, held in preparation for the County event will be held this Saturday, January 7.

The show which is sponsored by the Floydada Chamber of Commerce was made possible this year courtesy of Coca-Cola, who will be supplying all of the winning buckles and ribbons.

The chairman of the show will be Mark Standlee. He will be assisted by Kerry Siders and Barron Wetsel. Clar Schacht will announce the show.

Superintendents include Bill Womack for lambs, Franklin Harris, swine, and Nathan Johnson, steers.

The show judge will be Todd Kennedy, a swine breeder from Tecumseh, Oklahoma.

The Floydada Chamber of Commerce will be in charge of the concession stand.

Participants must have their entry

## New DWI law now effective

A new DWI law, known as ALR, went into effect January 1, 1995.

The Administrative License Revocation (ALR) law will automatically suspend the driver's license of anyone caught driving while intoxicated.

The Texas Legislature voted ALR into law during its last session after looking at its practice in other states. Similar ALR laws are in effect in 37 other states and the District of Columbia.

"It seems very clear that ALR would save lives," said State Senator Judith Zaffarini, who sponsored this legislation.

"It has been an enormous success everywhere it's on the books. In Oklahoma, alcohol involved traffic fatalities declined 30 percent the year after ALR was enacted in 1983," Zaffarini said. "Minnesota reduced its traffic fatality rate by 50 percent ten years after implementing ALR in 1978. Those results really hit home with us."

Col. James R. Wilson, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety said, "ALR will help make Texas' roadways safer. License suspension as a consequence of drinking and driving should make potential offenders think twice before getting behind the wheel."

Under the new law, if a driver is arrested for DWI and either fails or refuses to take a chemical blood/breath test, his license is automatically suspended. First offenders lose their license for 60 days for failing the test and 90 days for refusing the test.

Repeat offenders who fail the test lose their license for 120 days if they have been previously suspended for failing or refusing the test. Repeat offenders who refuse the test lose their license for 180 days if previously suspended for failing

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cards submitted at the show barn by 9:00 p.m., Friday, January 6.

The lamb show is slated to begin at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday. The swine show will begin fifteen minutes after the completion of the lamb show. The steer show will begin 15 minutes after the completion of the swine show.

Approximately 25 lambs will be shown in this year's show, 130 swine and approximately 25 steers.

Rules and regulations are generally the same as in years past. Entries will be accepted from any regularly enrolled 4-

H member, 9 years old or in the 3rd grade or above, prior to the show.

Entries will also be accepted from any FFA or FHA member under the supervision of the county agent or a Floydada vocational agriculture instructor and attending public school in Floydada, provided the entry is in show condition.

Animals will be exhibited by owners unless the owner has two or more animals in the same class, or at the discretion of the vocational agricultural teacher or county extension agent.

## Lockney Junior Livestock Show set for this Saturday

LOCKNEY--The Lockney Junior Livestock Show will be exhibiting their animals on Saturday, January 7 beginning at 9:00 a.m. The show will be held in the show barn at the Floyd County Fairgrounds east of Lockney.

The livestock show is sponsored by the Lockney Chamber of Commerce and they will be presenting the ribbons and prize money.

Chairman of the event will be Ted Young and Tina Graves will serve as secretary. Judge for the event will be Curtis Preston.

Animals are to be in the show barn by

## South Plains Extension Courses begins in Floydada in January

The Floydada Chamber of Commerce has announced the upcoming schedule of South Plains College Extension Courses being offered in Floydada beginning in January.

The college accredited courses to be offered are:

Monday nights--Micro Computer Applications or History 231;

Tuesday nights--Government 232 or American Government Function;

Thursday nights--Psychology 234 (Human Growth & Development).

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## Car plunges off Caprock

# Area doctor killed in accident

Dr. Randell L. Hunter, D.C., 32, of Quitaque, was killed Tuesday afternoon, January 3, when his Toyota pickup traveled off an embankment at the edge of the Caprock and rolled down the canyon wall.

Dr. Hunter was a partner with Dr. David Martin at the Lifestyle Clinic in Floydada. He also maintained a chiropractic clinic in Quitaque where he lived.

The accident occurred on FM 97, 2 miles west of the Quitaque Highway #1065 and 24 3/4 miles N.E. of Floydada.

According to police reports the vehicle was traveling south on Hwy. 97 when it ran off the roadway to the right. It appeared Hunter over corrected and then ran off the roadway on the left going through the fence and off the embankment.

The vehicle impacted with the canyon wall three times and overturned numerous times. Dr. Hunter was ejected from his vehicle.

The time of death is estimated at 12:40 p.m. Briscoe County Sheriff's Department called in the accident to

Floyd County at 5:28 p.m. after a search was conducted for Dr. Hunter when he did not show up for work. Hunter was a Doctor of Chiropractic medicine and also a Certified Chiropractic Sports Physician.

Before coming to Floydada, Dr. Hunter had been in practice with Dr. Martin in Denton.

He was a native of Flomot. He was born July 18, 1962 and graduated Mataro High School in 1980. He went to West Texas State University where he graduated Cum Laude in 1984, with a BS degree in General Studies.

He graduated Magnum Cum Laude in 1988 from Chiropractic College in Pasadena. He then entered into practice in Denton.

He also completed post graduate studies at the Parker Chiropractic College in Dallas in the area of sports related injuries. Dr. Hunter had worked with the Pro Rodeo circuit in conjunction with the Wrangler Sports Chiropractic Program.

He had also been an associate doctor with the Association of Volleyball Professionals (Pro Beach tour).

Dr. Hunter is survived by his parents,

Wayne and Jimmie Hunter of Flomot and his grandfather, Horace Hunter of Quitaque.

Funeral services are pending with Myers & Long Funeral Home in Quitaque.



DR. RANDELL L. HUNTER



A FRESH YEAR--Newly elected and returning Floyd County officials were sworn in Sunday, January 1, in the Floyd County Courthouse. Officials taking the oath were: (L-R) District Clerk Barbara Edwards, J.P. Pct. #2 & #3

Dotie Stansell, County Treasurer Mary Shurbet, County Clerk Margaret Collier and J.P. Pct. #1 & 4 Tim Burge. Judge Hardin (far right) administered the oath of office.

Staff Photo



COMMISSIONERSTAKE OATH--(L-R) Commissioner Pct. #2, Lennie Gilroy, and Commissioner Pct. #4, Jon Jones, took their oath of office January 1, in a ceremony

in the Floyd County Courthouse. County Judge Bill Hardin, (far right) administered the oath.

Staff Photo

## Council names Edwards as interim Lockney Police Chief

LOCKNEY--Jerry Edwards has been appointed to the position of interim police chief for Lockney by the Lockney City Council. He will serve for six months in this capacity before a final choice is made.

Edwards moved to Lockney in February, 1987 and went to work for the police department. He has been night patrolman for seven years and ten months.

"I want to see the police department continuing in the direction it is now going. We want to continue working with the citizens and the youngsters. We will still be involved in school and youth activities, Boy Scouts and the hunting safety program," stated Edwards.

"My wife, Linda, and I have enjoyed living in Lockney. Everyone has made us feel at home," he continued. Edwards graduated from Clovis High

School and was employed by the T.N.M.&O. bus company for 28 years. After his retirement from the company he attended and graduated from the police academy and was employed by the Lubbock Police Department for nine months before moving to Lockney.

He has completed approximately 900 hours in schools and seminars for officers including cult and gang awareness, field sobriety, bombs and classes given by the FBI and Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms departments. He is a certified jailer and certified intoxication operator.

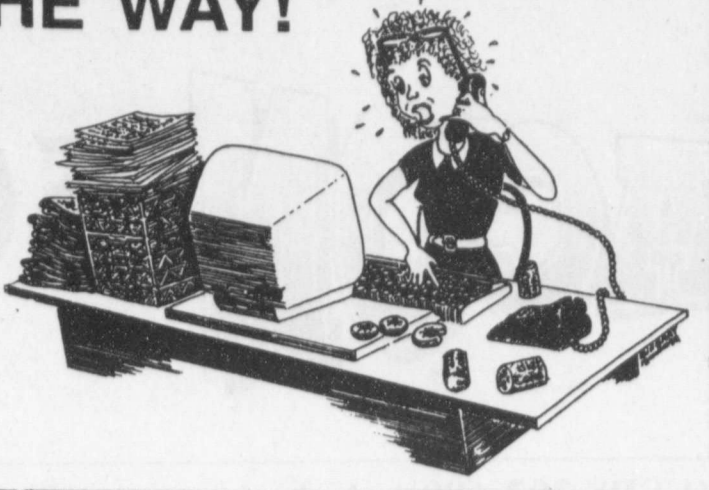
Edwards is a past president of the South Plains Investigators Association. He has been a Mason for thirty years and a Boy Scout leader for fifteen years. He and his wife are members of the Grace Fellowship Church.



LOCKNEY POLICE CHIEF JERRY EDWARDS

## BY THE WAY!

BY  
ALICE  
GILROY



I sure started out the year on the wrong foot. I knew I was going to leave something out last week when I did the end of the year review.

I also knew it was going to have something to do with one of the schools—and of course it also had to have something to do with sports.

I know I left off lots of things that some people thought were more important but I only got one complaint. I was asked why did I put in Lockney's All District Baseball and not Floydada's All District Baseball choices.

I couldn't believe I did that. I tried so hard to be fair to both towns.

When I highlighted a Lockney accomplishment I tried extra hard to make sure there wasn't a Floydada accomplishment I was missing.

After the complaint three different people scanned the pages of the paper

and they couldn't find any mention of Floydada All District Baseball.

That made me feel better.

If there were some Whirlwinds named to All District we were never informed of it. I have a feeling that Floydada didn't have any All District Baseball players. If they had, and we didn't have a story, surely we would have heard about it from Moms and Dads.

While we were scanning we did find that in June, 1994, Brandon Gilliland was named to the All South Plains Baseball Team and David Norwood was named All South Plains Coach of the Year.

I'm sorry I missed those and any others that were overlooked.

I know some Floydada folks think I favor Lockney and some Lockney folks think I favor Floydada, but I promise—I didn't do it on purpose.



**ODEN LOSES FAMILIAR FACES**—L.B. Stewart and Doyle Walls were treated to a retirement reception, December 31. The pair retired in December after selling their interests in Oden Chevrolet. L.B. went to work at Conner Oden in August, 1950, as a mechanic. He worked his way up to service manager in 1963 and stayed in that position until his retirement. Doyle Walls started work at the

dealership in 1948, in the parts department. Walls went on to the sales department and in 1972, Walls, Stewart and Clinton Fyfee bought the dealership. During his part ownership of Oden Chevrolet, Stewart at one time was named as Employer of the Year by the Floydada Chamber of Commerce.

Courtesy Photo

## COURTROOM ACTIVITIES

In county court, December 29, the December 2 Criminal Trespass charge against Ruben Garza was dismissed.

Also on December 29, Sarah Hernandez pled guilty to a December 27 Assault charge. She was sentenced to one year deferred adjudication.

## Christmas Tree Disposal

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## Extension courses offered

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High School seniors are eligible to take these courses.

Late Registration will be held January 5-15 from 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m. in the Floydada Chamber of Commerce office.

Classes will start January 16 and will run from 6:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.

The books will be sold at the first class meeting at a book cost of approximately \$50.00 per course.

The cost for a three semester hour (one course) is \$119.00. Six semester hours is \$218.00 and nine hours is \$317.00.

A minimum enrollment of 15 persons

is required for a course.

High school seniors may apply for early admission through their high school principal. Other persons must be a high school graduate or possess the GED certificate.

To apply you must bring your social security number and your official transcript from high school or college. Proof of Texas residency for the previous 12 months is also required (a copy of a valid Texas Driver's License is sufficient).

For more information contact the Floydada Chamber of Commerce, at 983-3434, or South Plains College, 894-9611, ext. 341.

## New DWI law takes effect

Continued From Page 2 or refusing the test.

Drivers previously suspended for a DWI or involuntary manslaughter conviction who fail the test will be suspended for 180 days. Repeat offenders who refuse the test will be suspended for one year if previously suspended for a DWI or involuntary manslaughter conviction.

The new law also contains provisions for occupational licenses for offenders and appeals by offenders. Offenders may also be subject to criminal prosecution.

Drivers whose licenses have been suspended must pay a \$100 fee for reinstatement.

ALR has the added benefit of fighting crime without costing the taxpayers money, overcrowding prisons, overloading court dockets or adding to the state budget.

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## Floydada Police Report

The holiday season was relatively calm for the Floydada Police Department.

December 21, police arrested Lee Anne Dunavant, 17, for Outstanding City Warrants.

December 31, at 8:35 p.m., police were called to a fight in progress in the 200 block of W. Houston. When police arrived they had to break up a fight between an adult male and a 15 year old juvenile boy. The youth was turned over to his mother. Ernie Suarez, 21, of Floydada, was arrested for Disorderly Conduct.

December 31, at 2:40 a.m., Joey Enriquez, 19, of Floydada, was stopped in the 400 block of S. Wall after police observed the vehicle he was driving hit a curb and travel on the wrong side of the road. He was given a Field Sobriety Test and subsequently arrested for DWI.

January 1, at 12:08 a.m., police found a vehicle parked in Annie Taylor Park. According to police reports the car was occupied by a man drinking alcohol with a 15 year old girl. The man, Arnolando Trevino Jr., 21, of Lorenzo, was charged with DWI and Contributing to the Delinquency of a Minor.

January 1, at 6:15 p.m. police stopped a car at 12th and Virginia Street, after they observed the vehicle crossing the center stripe. The driver, Petra Delao Martinez, 37, of Snyder, was given a Field Sobriety Test and was subsequently arrested for DWI.

A passenger, Ruben Banda Olquin, 21, of Floydada, was charged with Public Intoxication.

The vehicle was also occupied by three children, 6 months old, 3 years old and 10 years old. Police also charged the driver with three counts of Child Endangerment.

January 1, at 12:53 a.m., police pulled over a vehicle after noticing a defective tail light. The driver, Francisco Garza Lamas, 18, was subsequently arrested for DWI. A passenger, John Able Arellano, 25, was charged with Public Intoxication.

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**COLD WORK**--Floydada city workers battled the bitter cold, Tuesday, after an 8" water main connecting the water tower to the 14" line coming from Lockney, burst. Digging lasted from 9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. The city was never without water but did suffer low pressure for a period of time. Staff Photo

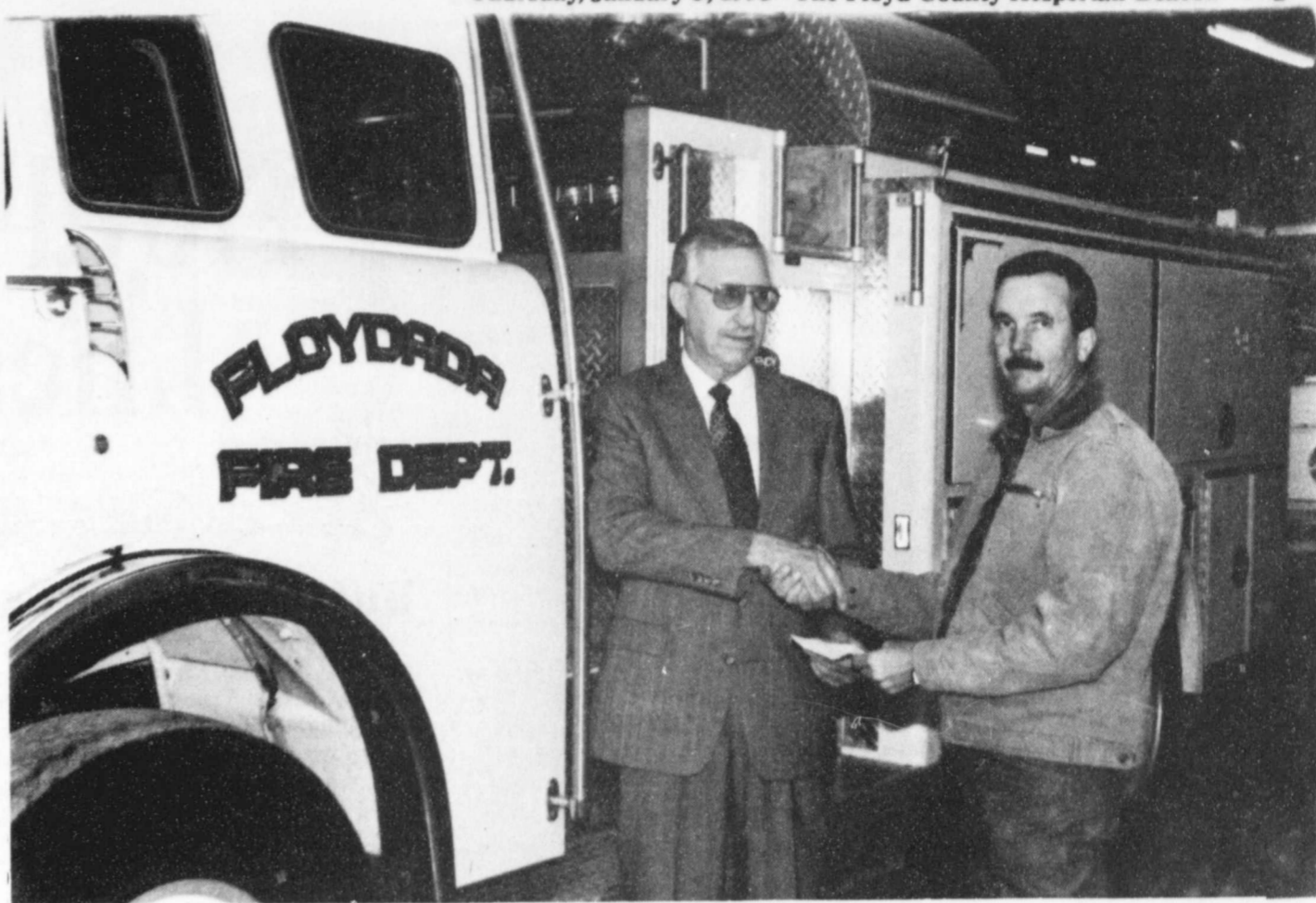
## BBB warns of overseas job opportunities

by Nan Campbell, President

Throughout the year, the BBB receives many calls about dubious overseas job opportunities that are advertised in the newspaper classifieds. The appeals usually target high school and college graduates. Typical ads promise high paying jobs in interesting or exotic foreign cities, but claim little or no experience is necessary. Closer to home, other ads promise postal or government jobs all over the country. Unlike legitimate employment firms that have permanent addresses, unscrupulous employment firms usually run their operations from out-of-state and offer applicants only a phone number or mail drop address. Job seekers should not be fooled by a firm's promise of a refund, if no job materializes. Check the company out through your BBB before doing business with them. And also check out foreign job offers with that country's consulate or embassy. Ask the BBB for a free pamphlet called "TIPS ON OVERSEAS JOB SCAMS" when you call 763-0459.



*"Freedom of conscience, of education, of speech, of assembly are among the very fundamentals of democracy and all of them would be nullified should freedom of the press ever be successfully challenged."*  
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**FNB DONATES**--C.J. Payne (left), representing the First National Bank of Floydada, presented Assistant Fire Chief Larry Guthrie with a donation of \$500.00 to the Floydada Volunteer Fire Department in appreciation for the work the department does throughout the year. Staff Photo



**AND THEY SAY FLOYDADA AND LOCKNEY CAN'T GET ALONG**--Troy Johnson, left, of Floydada, gets a kiss from Corbin Kellison of Lockney, during a stock show competition at the 1994 Houston Livestock Show. Floyd County youth are gearing up now for more stock show competition coming up soon. --Courtesy Photo

## Longhorns break even at Wildcat Classic

By Lisa Mosley

The Longhorns came back from Christmas break only to face their cross-county rival Floydada in the opening game of the Littlefield Wildcat Classic.

In first-round action, the Whirlwinds bested the Horns 73-65. Despite three players in double figures (Jared Mosley 26, Shannon Veal 17, Devon Phillips 14), Floydada pulled away from a 20-20 first quarter tie to win the opening game.

In second-round action, Phillips burst out of the gate scoring 32 points in an 83-58 victory over the Post Antelopes.

"This is what I want to see more of," said Longhorn coach Rodney Dowell. "Devon has finally started shooting the ball."

Mosley added 31 points in the victory over Post.

Third round-action found the Longhorns facing the Idalou Wildcats. For the first time in the tournament, the Horns took the lead early and held it throughout the game.

Carlos Perales' play, especially in the second half was a big boost to the team. With three quick steals turning into points for the Horns, the team took over and never looked back.

"Carlos is really coming around and I know by next year he'll be a major force in the paint," said Dowell.

Mosley led the team with 33 points, followed by Veal with 7 points and 13 assists and Phillips with 9 points and 12 assists.

"I thought we had a great team effort against Idalou and lots of kids contributed," said Dowell.

In the consolation championship game, the Horns once again faced the Floydada Whirlwinds.

The Winds burst out to take a 29-9 lead in the first quarter, but the Horns began to chop away at that lead in a 17-point rally in the second quarter.

Trailing by 15 points at the end of the third, the Longhorns rallied back to within four points in the closing minutes only to have the lead widened by the Winds shooting at the free-throw line.

A total of 57 fouls were called in the game, 35 against Lockney and 22 against Floydada. Fouling out of the game were Mosley for Lockney and Barnett for Floydada.

"I thought we played four really hard games in the tournament and I am proud of our kids and the effort they gave," said Dowell. "Romualdo Chavira boosted our team's play throughout the tournament, and I really don't think Mosley has peaked yet."

Mosley scored a total of 117 points in the tournament.

The Horns return to district play against Morton and Olton this week.

Individual Stats for the consolation game for Lockney were: Scoring: Mosley 27, Phillips 5, Veal 13, and Chavira 7. Rebounds: Mosley 18. Assists: Veal 6, Phillips 5.

### VARSITY GIRLS

The Lady Horns lost to the Abernathy Varsity Lady Lopes 49-48 in a close overtime battle in girls basketball December 16 at Abernathy.

The Lady Horns trailed 29-19 at halftime, but returned in the second half to stun the Lady Lopes and shut down their offense, allowing Abernathy to score

only 13 points in the second half.

Leading with only seconds to play in regulation, a costly turnover by the Lady Horns gave Abernathy a final shot that fell to tie the game 42-42.

The Lady Lopes outscored the Lady Horns 7-6 in overtime to win the game.

"This was a close district ball game against a state-ranked team," said head coach Kenneth Housden. The Lady Horns season mark fell to 6-7 and 1-1 in district.

The Lady Horns were led by Dede McCarty with 17 points and 8 rebounds. Chelsea Patridge with 8 points and Tikka Smith with 8 points.

In holiday action, the Lady Horns turned a close contest into a runaway as they shot down the Clarendon Lady Broncos 55-29 in girls basketball Dec. 19 at Clarendon.

Dede McCarty scored 20 points and pulled in 11 rebounds to lead the team.

The Lady Horns fell behind 95 at the end of the first period, led 20-18 at halftime, and then led 37-25 going into the final period.

The Lady Horns improved their season mark to 7-7.

Those scoring for the Lady Horns were McCarty 20, Tikka Smith 9, Chelsea Patridge 8, and Kimberly Martinez 6.

The Lockney Lady Horns rallied to defeat the Hale Center Owlettes 32-26 in girls basketball December 13 at Longhorn Gym in a contest where both teams were slow getting started.

The Lady Horns trailed by five at halftime after scoring only 13 points.

Hale Center jumped in front 8-5 after the first quarter, and held an edge of 10-8 in the second quarter. The Lady Horns had an advantage of 9-0 in the third period to take a lead of 22-18 going into the final period.

Lockney connected on 3 of 13 three-pointers and hit 4 of 14 from the line. The Lady Horns made 9 of 28 field goal attempts. The Owlettes sank 2 of 6 free throw tries.

This was the opening game of district play. The Lady Horns improved their season mark to 6-6 and are 1-0 in district competition.

### 8TH GRADE BOYS

The Lockney 8th grade Shorthorns rolled over the Morton 8th Grade boys Indians 46-24 December 5 at Longhorn Gym in Lockney.

LJHS broke into the victory column for the first time this season and is now 1-5.

Thad Lusk scored 14 points, while Marc Wilson added 11 points and played aggressive defense.

"Marc played very well defensively and pulled down some key rebounds," said LJHS Coach Todd Hallmark.

The Shorthorns took the lead 6-5 after the first quarter, and margins of 15-8

and 12-6 in the second and third quarters boosted the lead to 33-19 going into the final period.

"The team as a whole played much better than in the past," said Coach Hallmark.

The scoring for the Shorthorns was Lusk 14, Wilson 11, Matthew Lerma 6, Ryan Graves 9, Cooter Durham 4 and Frank Guerrero 2.

### 8TH GRADE GIRLS

The Lockney Eighth Grade Lady Shorthorns trounced the Morton Junior High Lady Indians 43-10 in girls basketball December 5, 1994 at Morton as the winners steadily pulled away in the contest.

Nine players from Lockney scored, while holding the Lady Indians scoreless in two quarters.

The Shorthorns took the lead 10-3 after the first quarter, and margins of 6-0 and 20-7 in the second and third quarters boosted the lead to 36-10 going into the final period.

LJHS improved its season mark to 1-2.

Those scoring for the Shorthorns were Cassidy Hill, 9; Dana Martinez, 8; Ysenia Saucedo, 7; Noelia Balderas, 4; Sally Martinez, 4; Shamona Cole, 3; Veronica Villarreal, 3; Michelle Smith, 3; and Lacey Aston, 1.

### 7TH GRADE BOYS

Getting an excellent team performance, the Lockney 7th Grade Shorthorns routed the Morton Junior High Indians 53-22 in boys basketball December 5 at Longhorn Gym.

"It was a total team effort by all of the kids," said LJHS Coach Todd Hallmark. "We had great defensive pressure."

The Shorthorns took the lead 10-3 after the first quarter, and margins of 18-8 and 10-8 in the second and third quarters boosted the lead to 38-19 going into the final period.

LJHS improved its season mark to 3-3.

Those scoring for the Shorthorns were Jordan Lambert 14, Chris Jones 8, Robert Bartlett 8, Kevin Aull 6, Elias Saucedo 4, Josh Quebe 4, and Brandon Prather 7.

### 7TH GRADE GIRLS

The Lockney 7th Grade Lady Shorthorns overpowered the Morton Junior High Lady Indians 41-17 in girls basketball December 5, 1994 at Morton. LJHS now stands at 3-0.

The team was led in scoring by Christina Amador and Tessa Davis with 12 points each.

The teams were deadlocked 13-13 after the opening period, the Shorthorns went into the locker room up 23-14 at halftime, and then held a lead of 31-14 after the third quarter.

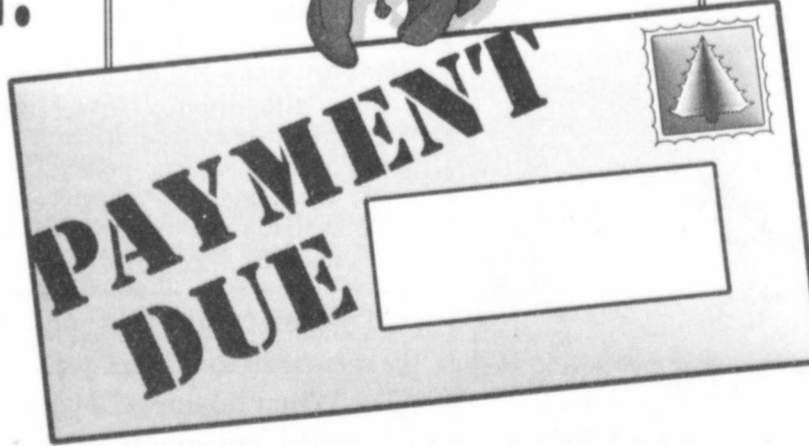
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### Smoljan and Younger

Joseph and Delphine Smoljan of Orland Park, Illinois, would like to announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter, Jennifer Smoljan to Moody Younger, son of Jakey and Leora Younger of Floydada.

Miss Smoljan graduated from Robert Morris College in Chicago, Illinois and is an Executive Secretary at LaSalle Partners corporate headquarters office in Chicago.

Moody graduated from Texas Tech University with a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering and from S.M.U. with a Master of Business Administration. He is an Assistant General Manager for LaSalle Partners in Nashville, Tennessee. He is the grandson of the late Pierce and Ora King of Floydada and the late Waylon and Doris Younger of Whitney.

The wedding will be held at St. Adalbert's Church in Chicago on Saturday, March 25, 1995, at 4:00 p.m. The couple plans to reside in Nashville, Tennessee.

### Martin gives thanks to friends and family during holiday season

by Will Martin

Today we hear so much of doom and gloom, moral decay, all of us are headed for destruction, and many other negative thoughts.

I do not find it all that way in my life present and past. People have been very nice and loving to me in the past times and the recent holidays. I think there are no better people any where than there are in Floyd County.

First, I want to thank the members of West Side Church of Christ for their help in time of need and encouragement over the years. This is the church that I believe in and try to work faithful in and with.

I also wish to thank the members of The First Methodist Church for their thoughtfulness on Christmas Day.

Also to members of Trinity Church for the bountiful generosity at Thanksgiving. I felt I have great friends in both Trinity and Methodist Churches.

To all friends everywhere who remembered a lonely old man I give my heart felt thanks.

I thank the nice little girl scouts of Troop 318 for the good homemade candy and other things given to me for Christmas.

To my son Jesse Marion and daughter, Carolyn Ann I owe much for their love and care over the years, and to my wonderful grand and great-grandchildren. I love all 18 of you. My only living sister she and I have been pals all for these many years she is named Annie Lee.

Gloria Martinez health care worker I give thanks for her unselfish care to me and others.

No forgetting Misti Johnson one of the best and caring nurses I have ever known. Also thanks all others health care workers to me and other people. May God Bless all.

#### 1956 Study Club news

The 1956 Study Club meet December 13, 1994, at the Lighthouse Electric for a program on Festive Foods presented by Christie Pare. Everyone was anxious to try the new recipes for the holidays.

We then went to Vicki Christians home for our gift exchange and refreshments. Co-hostesses were Rozanne Bishop and Vicki Vandiver. Roll call was answered with "Favorite Christmas Morning Breakfast," after which we all enjoyed opening our gifts and visiting.

Our January meeting will be in the home of Teresa Minnix.

Members present were Rozanne Bishop, De Chance, Vicki Christian, Dana Crossland, Judy Dunlap, Shawnda Greer, Darlynn Hambright, Linda Harbin, Donna Henderson, Melissa Long, Patti Miller, Teresa Minnix, Sharon Rainwater, Judy Schacht, Jenni Sue Smith, Atha Sue, Penny Taylor, Vicki Vandiver, Leora Younger.

Mitzi Nixon was voted in as a new club member.

"When business is good it pays to advertise; When business is bad you've got to advertise."

#### Look Who's 12!



Happy Birthday

# Floyd County Lifestyles

## Buffalo Grass Chapter NSDAR meets

The Buffalo Grass Chapter of NSDAR met December 12, at the Lamplighter Inn in Floydada fifteen members were present. After the meeting was opened, Mrs. Nancy Marble, announced that June Sherman would

present the Historical program: a book review "Christmas In Texas" by Elizabeth Silverthorne. After the program, June Sherman and Roxanna Cummings served refreshments to: mmes. Nancy Marble; Rilla Sue Moody; Gene Reed; Mary Lou Bollman; Ona Ruth Neff; Virginia Taylor; Vera Jo Bybee; Ruth Burleson; Sherry Colston; Sue Lovell; Joyce Williams, Carolyn Cunningham and Loretta Dunning.

During the business session, June Sherman read the President General's message. Virginia gave the report on National Defense.

On November 28, Buffalo Grass Chapter met at the Floyd County Historical Museum. The program "Preserving Local Records" was by June Sherman. Some time was spent cataloging and preserving records in the museum. These consist of Cemetery Records, Genealogical Records, and other historical papers.

Ona Ruth Neff and Carolyn Marble, hostesses served refreshments to seven members. Susan Dunavant read the President General's message. Acknowledgment of the books; afghans made by Ozena Norris; and Clothing was read from the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo.

The January meeting will be Tuesday, January 24, at Lighthouse Electric. Mrs. Joyce Williams will bring the program "the Alternative School" members are urged to attend and guests are welcome.

### Look Who's New!



#### LUCKE

Marty and Delinda Lucke are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Ashley Danielle. She was born on January 1, 1995, at 8:55 p.m. in St. Mary of the Plains Hospital, Lubbock, Tx. She weighed 6lb 13 oz. and was 19 3/4 inches long.

Her proud grandparents are Cecil and Linda Jackson of Floydada and J.B. and Ava Lucke of Anson. Great-grandparents are Fred and Margaret Jackson of Clovis and Polly Myrick of Floydada.

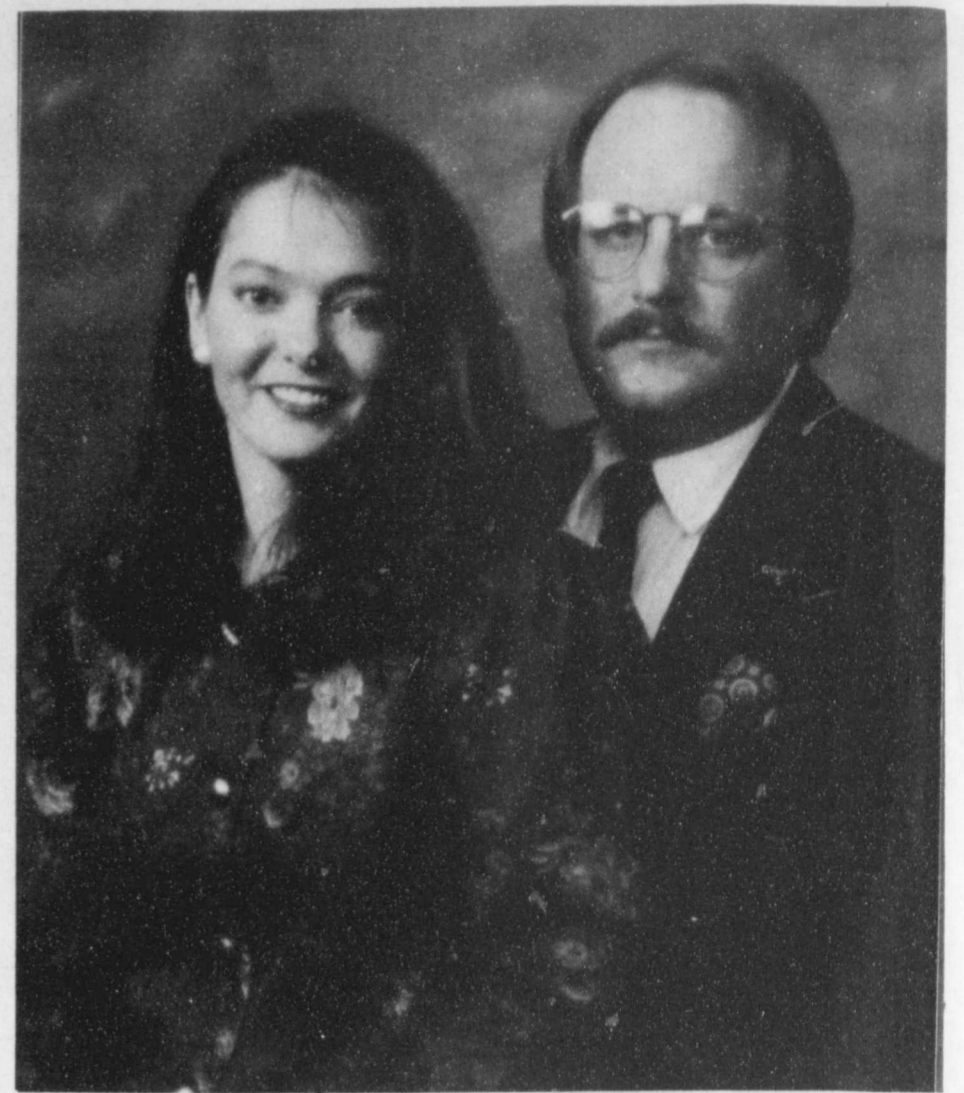
#### MARQUIS

Troy and Kristine Marquis of Mississauga, Ontario, Canada, are proud to announce the arrival of their first child. A son, Austin James Marquis was born at 9:49 p.m. at Credit Valley Hospital on December 15, 1994. He weighed 8lbs. 2oz. and was 20 inches long.

Grandparents are Dennis and Thelma Grosh, of Orlando, Florida, and James and Darlenda Marquis of Floydada.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Lillie Cranford and the late Troy B. Cranford of Plainview, and F.M. Marquis and the late Jane Marquis of Floydada.

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Susan Simpson  
Independent Beauty Consultant  
983-5325



BOBBI DENAY HARTMAN AND KERRY D. PRATT

### Hartman and Pratt

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie D. Hartman of Wellman announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Bobbi Denay Hartman, to Mr. Kerry D. Pratt, son of Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Pratt of Floydada.

A February wedding is planned. Miss Hartman is a graduate of Texas Tech University. She is a former employee of Plano Independent School District.

Mr. Pratt is also a graduate of Texas Tech University and is engaged in agriculture.

### Shower Selections Available For:

Jennifer Smoljan and Moody Younger  
Amy Hinsley and Jimmy Brumfield  
Kristy Hinsley and Brandon Carroll  
Jo Lee Ellis and Don Higgs

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FLOYDADA TX 79235-2726

## HALE'S SEMI-ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE Begins Friday, January 6 9:00 a.m.

### READY-TO-WEAR DRESSES

Go Vickie, Etoile, Sabino, Leslie Lucks

69.00 - 123.00 ..... NOW 48.30 - 86.10

### CASUAL WEAR & SEPARATES

Joyce - 39.00 - 91.00 ..... NOW 27.30-63.70

Northern Isle - 24.00 - 110.00 ..... NOW 16.80-77.00

Alfred Dunner - 39.00-91.00 ..... NOW 27.30-63.70

Starfire - 41.00-79.00 ..... NOW 28.70-55.30

On The Verge - 45.00-69.00 ..... NOW 31.50-48.30

Ambitions Skirts - 41.00-53.00 ..... NOW 28.70-37.10

Blouses - Jennifer Blair - Isaacs - Witt 25.00-56.00 ..... NOW 17.50-39.20

Western Shirts - 33.00-48.00 ..... NOW 23.09-33.60

Windsuits - 51.00-67.00 ..... NOW 55.70-46.90

Jeans - 37.00-48.00 ..... NOW 25.90-36.00

### LINGERIE

Group of GOWNS, P.J.'s, ROBES  
1/3 - 1/2 off  
JOCKEY for HER  
25% off

### GIRL'S READY-TO-WEAR

"MATY" Dresses 31.00 - 51.98

NOW... 21.70 - 36.40

STEELE Jeans & Tops 7-14

15.00-32.00 NOW 10.50 - 22.40

WINDSUITS - 4-6X 46.00 NOW 32.19

7-14 - 48.00 NOW 33.60

BUSTER BROWN for Boys & Girls

9.00-33.00 NOW 6.30-23.10

### WOMEN'S & CHILDRENS READY-TO-WEAR

Already Marked 1/2 price  
NOW 1/2 of 1/2



WE'RE BRINGING UP GOOD OLD-FASHIONED VALUE FOR YOU!

### SHOE SALE

Lots of Women's, Kid's and Athletic Shoes  
STILL ON SALE !!

### WOMEN'S HANDBAGS

1/2 - 1/4 off

### JEAN SALE

Boys Acid-Wash WRANGLERS

JUST... 7.99

Boys BUGLE BOY Jeans

JUST... 4.99

WRANGLER Student Sizes

JUST... 7.99

Men's Colored Pre-Wash WRANGLERS (except black)

JUST... 9.99

### LEVI 550 and 560

Red Tag SALE... 29.99

Flannel Boxers - LOONEY TUNES

1/4 off

"SUPER HUMAN SAMURAI"

Kids Tee Shirts

1/4 off

## Hale's Department Store

Floydada, Texas

983-2388

### MEN'S ALL MEN'S SUITS & SPORTCOATS 1/2 Price

**MEN'S SLACK SALE!**  
All HAGGAR Wrinkle-Free Cottons  
32.00

SANSABELT Belted and Non-Belted Wave-Blend Dress SLACKS reg. 66.00-80.00 NOW 49.99  
HAGGAR Perma-Press Dress SLACKS 1/4 off

Men's Cotton SWEATERS Reg. 80.00 - 90.00 NOW 39.99 and 44.99  
Men's and Boy's Southwest Look YEST 1/3 off

### JACKET SALE

MEMBERS ONLY Racer JACKET 39.99

(Big & Tall Slightly Higher) "MO BETTA" Western JACKETS 1/3 off

WALLS Work JACKET 20% off  
NAVAJO Blanket Coat reg. 65.00 NOW 44.95

Canvas LAND'S END JACKET reg. 56.00 NOW 39.99  
Leather Western Bomber JACKET NOW 99.99

Boy's JACKETS 25% off

### SHIRTS

Men's & Boys Western SHIRTS 20% - 50% off  
Men's Long & Short Sleeve Knit SHIRTS 20% - 50% off

Boys Long & Short Sleeve Knit SHIRTS 25% - 50% off  
Men's Long Sleeve Dress SHIRTS 25% off

Men's Long Sleeve Sport SHIRTS 25% - 50% off  
Short Sleeve Sport SHIRTS 25% - 50% off

## SALE

### Christmas Items Reduced

## SCHACHT

Flowers, Jewelry & Gifts

112 W. Poplar, Lockney 652-2385 M-S: 8:30-5:30

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**BOY SCOUTS MAKE DONATION**--Lockney Boy Scouts made a \$100.00 donation to the Lockney Care Center at the care center's annual Christmas party. The scouts held fund-raisers to raise the money. Pictured here are mem-

bers of Troop #259 and their pack leader, Chuck Auffill (with microphone in hand). He presented the money to Wanda McClendon, (right) Activities Director at Lockney Care Center. Staff Photo

## Floydada Senior Citizens News

by Margarette Word

**FLOYDADA**--James and Sue Lovell had their daughter, LuAnn and Mike Collins, Jim and John from Lubbock for Christmas dinner. Also John Belaska attended. After lunch Mr. Belaska went to Plainview to be with his wife who is at the Care Inn Nursing Home.

W.C. Patton of Lubbock and George and Donna Patton of Abernathy ate lunch and spent the day with their mother, Edna Patton.

Frances Gunter went to Amarillo to be with his mother, Mamie Duren and his sister, Estelle Mize during the Christmas holidays.

Glenn Jarnagin went to Wichita Falls to visit relatives during the holidays.

Edwina Hollum's daughter, Harriet Purrus of Cisco and granddaughter Christy Purrus of Carrollton were here for Christmas.

Dorothy Carthel fell during the holidays and broker her shoulder, arm and ribs. Our prayers are that she will recover quickly.

Irene King served 30 people turkey and dressing the weekend before Christmas. Christmas Day, Irene worked all day at the First United Methodist Church serving food to those who were in need.

Gladys Widener went to her son's, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Solomon of Plano for Christmas. There were four generations there.

Beulah Baker went to Ralls to be with her daughter and grandchildren Christmas day.

Melton Harrison went to Plainview to be with his daughter.

John Key and Madge West went to Lubbock Christmas Eve to be with their daughter.

R.G. Dunlap went with John and Judy Dunlap and family to Matador to be with Judy's mother for Christmas.

T.L. and Dorothy Holland's sons Charles and family of Fort Worth, and David Holland of Colorado were here visiting during the holidays.

Betsy Dempsey went to Las Vegas, Nev. to be with her daughter Pat and Mac Baker and their children to spend several days during the holidays.

Thomas and Ila Marie Warren had their four children and their families for Christmas dinner. There were 25 people there, of which, 13 were grandchildren.

Mamie Bunch went to be with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Finley at Midland for the holidays.

Lorella Bradley had her son Sammy and family plus two sisters-in-law, Neta Stephens of Jirad and Melvina Stephens of Spur for Christmas dinner.

Guy Garrison went to Amarillo to be with his nephews and to visit a cousin who is in the veterans hospital.

Blanche Williams had lunch with her son Leon Williams and family.

Alma Smith and Crawford Sandefur went to Lubbock Christmas Eve to be with the Kyle Curry family. Crawford went on Christmas Day to Midland to be with her brother.

Visitors in the Howard and Nancy Bishop home for Christmas dinner were: Mike and Rozanne Bishop, Warren and David; Greg Bishop; Harold and Alice Paige (parents of Rozanne Bishop) from Oklahoma City; Geraldine Callaway, Floydada and Florene Teal of Lubbock (sisters of Nancy); Jim and Shirley Peggam (sister of Howard) from Canyon; Wes and Kimberly Welborn, Amburn, Alyssa, and Art from Channing (Kimberly is Howard's niece); Mrs. Neva Calaham (Nancy's aunt from Floydada Nursing Home). Afternoon visitor was Mike Breed from Arkansas Pass.

Lee and Margaret Burton and a grandson from Lubbock were at the center on Friday eating lunch with Margaret's sister Elizabeth Armstrong.

Margarette Word went to Canton, TX to be with her son Gordon and Francine Bond, Clay and Kyndall and son Greg and Mona Bond, Bethany and Michael of Waco for the holidays. Also at the Gordon Bond's home were Francine's mother and father, Jon and Fran Lippens of Fort Worth.

Jim Word spent Christmas here with his family. A daughter Beth and Bruce Atkinson and Bruce's mother Goldye of Lebanon, MO., were here. Beth's son's Jay Arnold who is in the Army at Ft. Bragg, North Carolina and Jimmy and Sally Arnold of MO., were here. Sandy Carr of Denton (daughter of Ann and Charles Carr), Mary Garrett of Floydada (daughter of Jim Word) Gertrude Carr (mother of Charles Carr) all attended the Carr's Chappel Christmas Eve Party and then went to Ann and Charles Carr,

Chase's home for Christmas Eve dinner and a few days of visiting.

Memorials and donations are still coming in and we do appreciate your contributions to the building fund and everyday expenses. Those who donated during December are as follows: Grace Jarrett, in memory of Florene Jarnagin; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jackson, in memory of Ray Smith; Dell Yandell; This and That Hobby Club c/o Mildred Cates; Mrs. E.L. Widener, in memory of Gertrude Smitherman and Bill Baker; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith in memory of Gertrude Smitherman; Sue Moore, in memory of Gertrude Smitherman; Jim and Margarette Word, in memory of Gertrude Smitherman; Delmas McCormick Farms; Willie McCormick in memory of Gertrude Smitherman; John and Geneva Cookrell in memory of Gertrude Smitherman; Florene Jarnagin and Bill Baker; Dale Goen in memory of Bill Baker; Mrs. Kendris Julian in memory of Bernard Stewart; Floydada 4-H Club c/o Randy Duke; J.W. and Betty Gilbreath in memory of Gertrude Smitherman.

Our total collected as of Friday, December 30 was \$3,990.00. Thank you all.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Harold Huggins who passes away Dec. 24th. He was a faithful member and ate lunch at the center everyday. We will miss him.

This is a busy time of the year, but please remember those who are ill, in the hospital, nursing and retirement homes, lonely and in need of our prayers and cards.

### Floydada Senior Citizens Menu

January 9-13

Monday: Pork chop, baked potato, mixed vegetables, raisen bread, apples or applesauce

Tuesday: Chopped BBQ beef, baked potato, broccoli and cheese, pears, hot roll, peanut butter cookie

Wednesday: Salisbury steak, green peas, cauliflower, cornbread, peach pie or cobbler

Thursday: Green chili chicken, refried or pinto beans, tossed salad, cornbread, fruit salad, ranch dressing

Friday: Turkey and dressing, carrots, tossed salad, thousand island dressing, cranberry sauce, hot roll, apple crisp

### Floydada School Menu

January 9-13

Monday  
Breakfast: Orange juice, cheese toast, milk

Lunch: Chicken fried steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, peaches, hot roll, milk

Tuesday  
Breakfast: Apple juice, hot rice cereal, toast, milk

Lunch: Corn dogs, french fries, gingerbread, applesauce, milk

Wednesday  
Breakfast: Pineapple, juice, pancake, sausage on stick, milk

Lunch: Hamburger Pizza, corn, pickle spears, pineapple, milk

Thursday  
Breakfast: Grape juice, dry cereal, graham crackers, milk

Lunch: Beef Tacos, pinto beans, tossed salad, jello with fruit, cornbread, milk

Friday  
Breakfast: Orange juice, pancakes, syrup, milk

Lunch: Chili cheese sandwich, french fries, tossed salad, banana, milk

**They Are The Future!**  
Please Use Caution In School Zones.



## This Week's Announcements

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS**  
Alcoholics Anonymous and Al-Anon 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.

**AL-ANON**  
Group meetings for relatives and friends of alcoholics and drug addicts are held each Monday and Friday at 12 noon and on Wednesday's at 8:00 p.m., in the Haynes Building, 812 West 8th St., Plainview. For more information call 293-1433 or (800) 945-4928.

**AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY**  
The American Cancer Society Floyd County unit will meet Monday, January 9, at 5:00 p.m. in the Community Room of the First National Bank of Floydada. Members please be present for the first meeting of the new year.

**PINEWOOD DERBY**  
Cub pack 357 will have their Pinewood Derby Saturday, January 7, 1995, at the Massie Activity Center. Weigh-in will begin at 1:30 p.m. and races will start at 2:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to come join in the fun.

**BANK ART EXHIBIT**  
The First National Bank of Floydada reminds you to be sure to see the exhibit by local artist Jo Goen in the bank lobby through January 13, 1995.

**WEATHER**  
Courtesy of Energas

DATE	HIGH	LOW
Dec. 28	48	44
Dec. 29	50	42
Dec. 30	44	39
Dec. 31	38	24
Jan. 1	38	24
Jan. 2	42	24
Jan. 3	34	24

**ADULT EDUCATION IN LOCKNEY**  
Lockney Adult Education Classes meet on Monday and Thursday evenings at Lockney High School. Classes start at 6:00 p.m. Interested persons can enroll at any Monday or Thursday class. You may come after 6:00 p.m. if necessary.

**SALVATION ARMY NEEDING ITEMS**  
The Salvation Army in Lockney is needing blankets, coats and winter clothing for adults and children.

**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.

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

**SHAKLEE**  
983-5246

## We Salute In Floydada

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**  
Thursday, January 5: Pamela Lockwood, Stacey Smith  
Friday, January 6: Dianna Romero, Nell Jones, Saida Mulder, Aaron Noland  
Saturday, January 7: Jim Gowin, Maria Elena Cisneros, Jennifer Crow  
Sunday, January 8: Atha Sue  
Monday, January 9: Rosemary Segura, Ramon Trevino, Lori Ann Rodriguez, Tina Martinez  
Tuesday, January 10: Maria Garza, Bill Hinkle, Felix Riojas  
Wednesday, January 11: Jan Willson, Kay Brotherton, Tomas Delgado, Efrén Gerardo Gonzales

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**  
Friday, January 6: Juan and Mary Zavala; Roland and Charla Adams  
Saturday, January 7: Mr. and Mrs. Doris Jones  
Monday, January 9: Irvin and Lynda Seymour

Have a good week!

Bridal Selections Available For:

Rayanna Dout and Phillip Glasson



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Kristy Hinsley and Brandon Carroll  
Bobbie Hartman and Kerry Pratt

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## W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital

is pleased to announce their new arrivals!

**KRISTALYN MARTINEZ**, daughter of Joe and Rosanna Martinez of Silverton, was born on December 2, 1994, at 11:15. She weighed 7lbs. 9oz. Grandparents are Epifano and Estelza Garza of Bean and Felipa Martinez of Silverton.

**SUSIE MARIE SALAS**, daughter of Steven and Angie Salas of Plainview, was born on December 4, 1994, at 6:38 a.m. She weighed 6lbs. 8oz. Grandparents are Baldomero and Isabel Moya of Lockney and Joe Salas, Jr, and the late Jesusa Salas of Lockney. Great-grandparent is Elvira Salas of Lockney

**KATIE SCARLETT GARCIA**, daughter of Juan Jose and Jennifer Garcia of Lockney was born on December 5, 1994 at 7:37 p.m. Grandparents are Victor and Melinda Grimaldo of Lubbock and Manuel and Rosalia Garcia of LaJoya, Texas.

**DARREN LEO OCHOA**, son of Lisa Vargas and Christopher Lee Ochoa of Lockney was born on December 7, 1994 at 2:06 a.m. He weighed 6lbs. 3 1/2 oz. Grandparents are Genaro and Angie Zapata and Tomas and Linda Ochoa all of Lockney.

**AMY NOEL GONZALES**, daughter of Cosme and Melinda Gonzales, Jr, of Lockney, was born on December 13, 1994, at 2:35 a.m.m She weighed 6lbs. 15oz. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs. Cosme Gonzales Sr of Lockney. Great-grandmother is June Van Cleve of Floydada.

**CRESENCO LOPEZ**, son of Armando and Blanca Lopez of Lockney, was born on December 14, 1994 at 5:16. He weighed 8lbs. 3 1/2 oz. Grandparents are Demencio and Juanita G. Lopez and Juan and Lucia Nunez all of Floydada.

**NICOLE MARIE BRIONES**, daughter of Rene and Angela Briones of Tulia, was born on December 15, 1994, at 2:53 p.m. She weighed 7lbs. 4 oz. Grandparents are Ricardo and Magarita Briones and Guadalupe and Erminia Benavidez all of Tulia.

**MEAGAN DANELLE GONZALEZ**, daughter of Ricardo and Rosemary Gonzalez of Floydada, was born on December 17, 1994 at 12:15 p.m. She weighed 6lbs. 9oz. Grandparents are Guadalupe and Irene Gonzalez of Tynan, Texas and Ignacio and Irma Blanca Gonzalez of Houston, Texas.

**AHWDRY DELEIDA PECINA**, daughter of Ivan and Nora Pecina of Lockney, was born on December 19, 1994 at 2:00 p.m. She weighed 7lbs. 9oz. Grandparents are Tony and Nora Casillas of Ralls and Esteban and Pureza Pecina of Mexico.

**DANIEL MARTINEZ**, son of Juan and Maricela Martinez of Floydada, was born on December 27, 1994, at 2:51 p.m. He weighed 7lbs. 11oz. Grandparents are Lorenzo and Enriqueta Nunez of Mexico and Gertrudes Martinez of Westlaco, Texas.

**W.J. MANGOLD**  
MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

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## January Clearance Sale

50% off Winter Merchandise

Sale Starts Saturday, January 7 at 9:00 a.m.

**GUYS & GALS**

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## STOREWIDE CLEARANCE

Metrosene Thread. . . . . (Jan. 9-13). . . 99¢

Selected Patterns. . . . . 60% off

Fabrics. . . . . 25-75% off

Sale Begins January 9 and Ends January 20

**JUST SEW**

Plainview Towne Centre 296-5254 M-F: 10-6

# Lockney Salvation Army supporters commended

by Arthur P. Barker, Chairman  
Lockney Chapter of the Salvation Army

Not only did the cotton crop turn out good, but Lockney's local Chapter of the Salvation Army also had a good year. "We thank each one who gave canned foods to the Boy Scouts," said Arthur Barker, chairman of the Lockney Chapter. "We also want to thank every one who gave cans at the Thanksgiving Service, held by the local churches, and for the money and clothes that was also

given." Working together the community donated 88 Christmas baskets full of food, chicken, and toys, serving a total of 259 persons. 289 individuals were supplied with gas, oil, over night stay or food and clothes. Total people served and helped on their way were 548 persons. "A special thanks also goes to Alicia Luna, our unpaid store worker," said Barker.

## Whirlwind Basketball Report

The Whirlwinds improved their overall record to 9-9 on the season during their appearance in the Wildcat basketball tournament in Littlefield on December 28-30. Floydada opened with a 73-65 victory over Lockney, but the 'Winds were knocked out of the championship bracket by Grady, New Mexico. Victories over Meadow and Dawson enabled Floydada to meet Lockney again - this time with 5th place at stake. "I was pleased with our overall showing," commented Coach Hayden Merket. "Our scoring was well-balanced and (we) had more than one player turing in a high-point game. Grady (New Mexico) was tough, but they were the eventual tourney winner (topping Littlefield in the championship game)." Zach Abshier's 22 points led Floydada's 73-65 win over the Longhorns on December 28. Zach also had 9 rebounds and a couple of blocked shots. Pete Cooper scored 20 as he hit 9 of 11 from the field. Pete also had three steals and three assists to go along with 8 rebounds. Vernon Cooper also scored in double figures with 13 points. Sammy Rodriguez, the team leader in assists, had 5 against Lockney to go along with his six points. The Whirlwinds were defeated 83-54 by Grady in second round action on December 28. Pete Cooper was high-point man for Floydada with 10. Abshier and Vernon Cooper each had p points as the Whirlwinds lost by 29 points to the eventual winner of the tournament. Floydada defeated Meadow 64-58 in the consolation bracket on December 29. Rance Barnett led all Whirlwind scoring with 17 points as he hit 7 of 11 from the field and 3 of 9 from the line. Abshier knocked down 10 rebounds and blocked 5 shots while scoring 14 points. Other point producers were Peter Luna 13, Pete Cooper 10, and Vernon Cooper 6. The Whirlwinds ran away from Dawson 92-51 in the consolation semifinals on December 30. Abshier's hot hand produced 33 points (15 of 23 from

the field) as the 'Winds shot 51% as a team. Abshier also pulled down 12 rebounds and blocked a shot. Vernon Cooper was 50% on field goal attempts as he scored 18 points, and had 4 assists and 3 steals. Barnett totaled 16 points (8 of 11 from the field) and knocked down 7 rebounds. Other point producers were Pete (assists and a couple of steals), Omar Eguia 5 (4 assists and a steal), Peter Luna 4 (7 rebounds and a blocked shot), and Michael Molinar 3 (3 assists and 4 steals). Although he scored only one field goal, Sammy Rodriguez led with 7 assists, had 4 rebounds and 3 steals. In the consolation final (for 5th place) on December 30, the Whirlwinds defeated Lockney for the second time in the tournament. Abshier scored 19 points in the 83-76 victory over their Floyd County rival. Pete Cooper hit 6 throws, totaled 17 points, and dished out two assists. Peter Luna was 5 of 9 from the field and 9 of 11 at the line for 19 total points in the well-balanced offensive output. Vernon Cooper also hit in double figures with 13 points. Peter Luna had a good night on the boards with 14 rebounds. Omar Eguia had 7 points and Rance Barnett scored 4 to complete Floydada's point output. Following the final non-district tune up against Petersburg this Tuesday, the Whirlwinds travel to Dimmitt January 6 for the District 2-3A opener. Floydada will host Muleshoe in the season's first home district game on January 10.

**BILL'S NOTES**  
As the Whirlwinds enter district play at Dimmitt tomorrow night, they appear to be somewhat stronger overall than the past seasons. For one thing, they are a more balanced scoring team, with three players averaging in double figures through the first 18 games. Zach Abshier leads the Floydada offense with a season average of 19.2 points a game, followed by Pete Cooper (13.5) and Vernon Cooper (13.1). Abshier also is averaging 9.2 rebounds and 2.4 blocked shots per game. Zach also leads in total points scored with 345 in 18 games. Pete is second in points scored with 243 (hitting 45.8% from the floor) and Vernon is averaging 37.9% from the field with 235 total points. Coming off the bench, Peter Luna and Rance Barnett are averaging 7.2 and 6.0 points-per-game, respectively. Sammy Rodriguez leads in assists with 91, with Vernon Cooper close behind with 82 for the year. As a team, the Whirlwinds are hitting 44% from the field and 53% at the free throw line. Defensively, Zach leads in total rebounds with 165 and Luna is second in the category with 118. Rodriguez leads the team with 42 steals, followed by Vernon Cooper's 40. Perennial playoff contender Dimmitt shares the district favorite's role with newcomer Shallowater. The Bobcats and Mustangs are picked by most to be the teams to beat for post-season play. Littlefield, a state tournament participant in 1994 is in a rebuilding year and is not expected to be a district threat. With improvements at Friona, Muleshoe, and Floydada, this year's District 2-3A race appears to be one of the tightest in recent years.

## Social Security recognizes role of grandparents

By Terry Richardson  
Social Security Manager  
in Plainview

More and more grandparents find themselves assuming the role of parents in the absence of their own children because of death or disability. When this happens, Social Security may recognize the grandparent as the "parent" for benefit purposes. When the grandparent retires, becomes disabled, or dies, the grandchild may be able to qualify for benefits if certain conditions are met. Generally, the biological parents of the child must be deceased or disabled, or the grandchild must be legally adopted by the grandparent. In addition, the grandchild must have begun living with the grandparent before age 18 and received at least one half support from the grandparent for the year before the month the grandparent became entitled to retirement or disability insurance benefits or died. Also, the natural parents of the child must not be making regular contributions to his or her support. If the grandchild was born during the one-year period, the grandparent must have lived with and provided at least one-half of the grandchild's support for substantially all of the period from the date of the grandchild's birth to the month the grandparent became entitled to disability or retirement benefits. The grandchild may qualify for benefits under these circumstances even if he or she is a stepgrandchild. However, if the grandparents are already receiving benefits, they would need to adopt the child for it to qualify for benefits. For more information on how grandchildren may qualify for benefits, call your nearest Social Security office.

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

**APOSENTO ALTO DE PENTECOSTAL**  
203 SE 2nd & College  
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 . . . . . 7:30 p.m.

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

**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. James Woodworth  
Interim Pastor  
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.  
UMY . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
United Methodist Women, Hill Circle, 3rd Tuesday . . . . . 9:30 a.m.  
Ruth Wesley Circle, 2nd and 4th Mondays . . . . . 10:30 a.m.

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

**GRACE FELLOWSHIP CHURCH**  
211 N. Main, Lockney  
Interdenominational Church  
Rev. Ted Samples, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Service . . . . . 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.  
Thursday:  
Bible Study . . . . . 7:00 p.m.

**NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Jim Jackson, Pastor  
Sunday: Congregational  
Singing . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.

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

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

**SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Lockney  
Msgr. Tim Schwertner, Pastor  
Wednesday:  
Communion Service . . . . . 8:00 p.m.  
Sunday Mass . . . . . 11:30 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**  
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Rev. Thomas G. Lopez  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
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Evening Evangelistic Service . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Family Night . . . . . 7:30 p.m.

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**TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM**  
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  
Glenn Wachob, Pastor  
983-5499  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 10:50 a.m.  
Sunday Evening . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: Family Night . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Victory In Jesus Radio Broadcast  
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**TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
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The Reverend Charles Chapman,  
Supply Pastor  
Sunday School &  
Adult Bible Class . . . . . 10:15 a.m.  
Worship Service . . . . . 11:30 a.m.

**WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Floydada 983-3548  
Sunday Worship . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday . . . . . 7:00 p.m.

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**Clark Pharmacy**  
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January 6 is final date for pre-registration

# Assistant to President to speak at Caprock Cotton Conference

Marion Berry (not the Mayor of Washington DC), the Special Assistant to the President for Agricultural Trade and Food, will speak on Tuesday at the 1995 Caprock Cotton Conference which is January 17 and 18. Mr. Berry will have some definite insights on the Farm Bill, Secretary of Agriculture, GATT, NAFTA, etc. Also on the program is Nicholas J. Hahn, President and CEO of Cotton Incorporated, New York. Mr. Hahn will present information on Cotton Incorporated activities and the cotton industry.

The Caprock Cotton Conference has been located in Crosbyton the past few years, but will be at the Plains Baptist Assembly in Blanco Canyon this year to facilitate more people.

## Cotton Acreage Reduction Program set at zero percent

by Shawn Wade  
USDA announced that the 1995 crop Upland Cotton Acreage Reduction Program has been set at zero percent. The announcement finalizes one of the most important parts of the 1995 program and reflects a significant decrease from the 7.5 percent preliminary ARP announced October 31.

PCG officials note that the zero percent set-aside figure is good news for producers who can now get on with the business of making plans for the 1995 crop year. The zero ARP announcement means producers will be able to plant 100 percent of their cotton base acres to the fiber crop and remain eligible to draw deficiency payments on 85 percent of those acres.

"The way it stands now producers on the High Plains and across the Cotton Belt will be able to make full use of their cotton acreage in 1995," says PCG Executive Vice President Donald Johnson.

Other speakers on Tuesday, January 17, include Adam Ballinger, Publisher of Fiber News Magazine out of Memphis, TN; Mark Lang the Director of Economic Services with the National Cotton Council (NCC) in Memphis; Marshall Kuykendall with "Take Back Texas" a property rights organization; then a real treat - Dr. John Ganaway, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station cotton breeder will lead a panel discussion with three leading biotechnology company leaders. They will discuss the future of biotech in cotton, costs, availability, etc. The day will wrap up with the "Grown and Made" program from the NCC.

On Wednesday the 18th, several production technology presentations will be given. These will include Tom Fuch - IPM in Texas; Frank Meyers - Boll Weevil Eradication; Kater Hake - 94 Cotton, What We Learned; Bill Lyle - moisture management; Wayne Keeling - system approach; Norman Hopper - seed quality; Jim Leser - 94-95 insects; Carl Anderson - 95 cotton marketing; and some result demonstration reports from myself on Venice mallow control and BXN buctril resistant cotton; David Kostroun - cotton pest monitoring; and Greg Jones - cotton variety tests.

Ten (10) continuing education units (CEU's) will be given for both days or 5 for one day. Many exhibitors in farm equipment, crop protection chemicals, seed dealers, irrigation equipment, etc. will be present. Many door prizes, a free conference cap, and good meals both days will be provided.

Preregistration is due January 6. Contact me here at the Floyd County office of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at 983-2806 for more information or registration forms if you have not received one.

Other provisions of the 1995 cotton program previously announced include the 1995 Loan rate of 51.92 cents per pound and the upland cotton target price of 72.9 cents per pound. No word has been received concerning the estimated 1995 deficiency payment and if there will be an advance payment offered in 1995.

Several other program provisions, including sign-up dates for the program are expected to be announced in early January.

Producers interested in participating in a pilot project designed to evaluate the effectiveness of prescribed burning of Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) grassland to control overwintering boll weevil populations should mark January 9 on their calendars according to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG).

Two informational meetings designed to educate producers on the goals and scope of the pilot program have been scheduled for January 9. The first will be from 9:00 a.m. through 10:30 a.m. in Lamesa at the Show Barn located at the Dawson County Fairgrounds. The second is also set for January 9 in Seminole at the Gaines County Community Center. This meeting will start at 2:00 p.m. and run through 3:30 p.m.

For more information about the meetings please contact the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at 806-746-6101.

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MARION BERRY

## Loan available for economic injury disaster from SBA

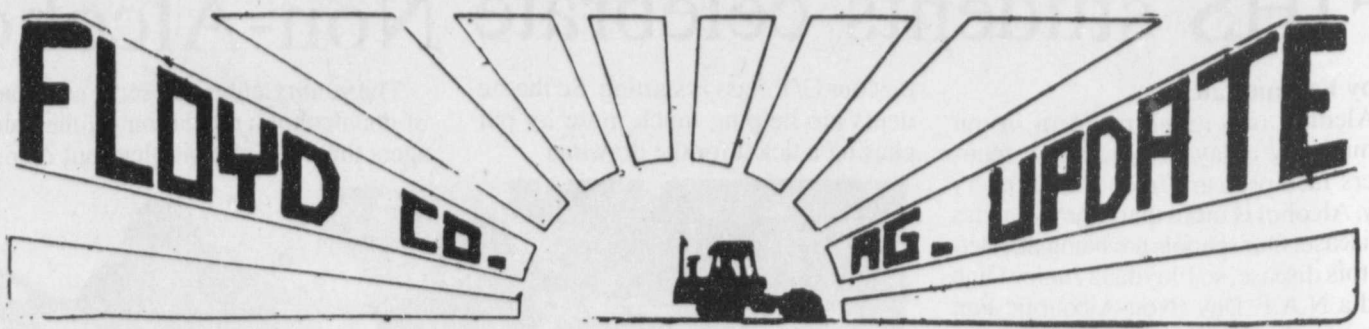
Businesses depending on farmers and ranchers in Armstrong, Briscoe, Castro, Floyd, Hale, Randall and Swisher Counties can now apply for low interest Economic Injury Disaster Loans from the U. S. Small Business Administration (SBA). These loans are available to help businesses meet normal operating expenses that cannot be met due to the effects of a disaster. Extensive rain and hail which occurred May 1 through May 31, 1994, and again on July 9, 1994, caused many farmers and ranchers to experience reduced incomes which may have had an adverse economic effect on businesses depending upon these producers. Farmers and ranchers are not eligible for this loan program but may be eligible for disaster assistance through other Federal agencies.

To obtain an application or receive additional information, interested business owners may call the SBA toll-free at 1-800-366-6303 or TDD 817-267-4688 for the hearing impaired. The deadline for filing applications is June 26, 1995.

Due to the extensive rain and hail, many producers experienced crop losses and were not able to purchase goods and services at normal levels. Businesses that are dependent upon these producers may have experienced decreased sales, reduced gross profit margins, increased accounts receivable or difficulty in moving inventories at normal levels. To the extent these problems have caused the business difficulty in meeting its normal obligations, these loans may be of assistance. The loan can help a business meet installments on long-term debt, accounts payable and overhead expenses that would have been met had the disaster not occurred. Refinancing of long-term debt, however, is not eligible under this program.

The loan is designed for those businesses with substantial disaster-related needs and is intended to supplement monies the business owner can provide from other sources.

Loans may be approved for up to \$1,500,000 for actual disaster-related financial needs of the business. Interest rates are four percent (4%) and terms may extend to thirty (30) years, depending upon the repayment ability of the individual applicant. To qualify, businesses must be small by SBA's size standard. Businesses which can meet their financial needs through other sources are not eligible.



## Record wildlife totals result of conservation efforts

—From High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1

Results from a 1994 Texas Parks and Wildlife Department study (TPWD) indicate that wildlife populations have reached record numbers within the state.

Each year, TPWD personnel go into the field and hand count the wildlife population.

"Texas has the largest population of white-tailed deer in the United States," says Andrew Sansom, Executive Director of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department in Austin. "Also, Texas hunters will harvest more wild turkey than any other state."

At one time, wild turkey were almost extinct. Thanks to restocking and hunting limits, there are more wild turkey in Texas today than at any time prior to World War II.

Sansom adds that the bag limits for other wildlife has been increased due to population increases. For example, bag limits for ducks have been raised from three to four per day, and bag limits for doves have been raised from 12 to 15 per day. For the first time, the TPWD has issued a trophy tag for the red drum fish on the Texas coast.

Sansom attributes the population increases to several key factors.

"Texas hunters and fishermen have supported conservation efforts within the state for many years. Sportsmen must purchase a license to hunt or fish within the state. The revenue from the license sales supports TPWD and its programs."

"The TPWD staff plays an important role in the conservation effort. Sansom considers his staff to be the best in the United States."

"Private landowners have had a great interest in wildlife conservation for many years. "The critical element is working with private landowners in Texas," says Sansom. "They will determine the future of Texas wildlife."

About 98 percent of the land in Texas is privately-owned. Therefore, wildlife relies upon landowners to provide them with the necessary habitat for survival.

Landowners can also provide areas for nesting cover, day cover for cool breezes in the summer, and protection from snow and ice in the winter.

The specific habitat needs vary from species to species. Each specific habitat needs to be studied and considered when making land habitat decisions. For example, deer do not eat coastal bermuda grass, even though it is suitable for cattle and other animals. Coastal bermuda grass would therefore not be included in planning habitat for deer.

"Landowners can do a lot to augment wildlife habitat," says John Hunter, associate professor of Range and Wildlife at Texas Tech University.

He suggests that a few rows of grain around the edge of a field be left for food. Trees can be planted for cover; and food plots of wheat, sunflowers, sorghum, and corn may be planted in or near protected cover.

Playa lakes are the only winter habitat for many bird species on the Texas High Plains. According to Charles Coffman of the Natural Resources Conservation Service (formerly the USDA-Soil Conservation Service), playas can be enhanced for wildlife by leaving weeds and other vegetation growing around them.

With wildlife populations flourishing in recent years, Texas landowners have discovered a new source of supplemental income through hunting and fishing leases. If the wildlife habitat is excellent, wildlife is more abundant, and landowners can charge more for hunting leases.

Money to help cost-share the establishment of wildlife habitat is available from several agencies, such as the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) and the Texas Forest Service. Coffman recommends checking with each of the various agencies to determine which program will best suit individual needs.

Darwin Davis, agriscience instructor and landowner, does double duty to assist Texas wildlife populations.

For the past five years, Davis has taught wildlife management to students at Granbury High School near Fort Worth. Each year, he has approximately 50 students in the classes. Interest in the class has grown among urban students.

"I teach habitat management during the course, which includes planting and managing food plots, leaving cover strips, and providing water sources," he says.

Davis also teaches students to conserve the land, respect the environment, and identify wildlife species.

Many students have taken this knowl-

edge and actually implemented it in the field—just as Davis does.

Davis manages his family's 300 acres of land along the Paluxy River in Erath County and utilizes the same land management principles that he teaches in his classroom.

The land is managed for cattle production, but needs of wildlife are always considered in management decisions. Davis is always careful to leave food and cover for wildlife.

In recent years, Davis says he has seen an increase in the wild turkey population on his land. He has always had a large population of white tail deer.

The National Cattlemen's Association newsletter, *The Beef Brief*, recently noted that "cattle farmers and ranchers provide food and shelter for much of the nation's wildlife. Statistics show that 75 percent of U.S. wildlife habitat (excluding Alaska) is on private lands, and 85 percent of wild animals depend on pri-

ivate lands for food, shelter and water.

"Furthermore, public lands, including grazing lands managed by cattlemen, have growing wildlife numbers. Cattlemen own or manage more land than does any other industry. Thus, cattlemen are responsible for much of our wildlife habitat."

During the past few years, endangered or threatened species have received much attention throughout Texas and the United States. This has caused a majority of the urban population to believe that all wildlife are threatened or endangered. This is certainly not true. On September 28, 1994, TPWD Executive Director Sansom told members of the Texas Legislature's Agriculture and Wildlife Committee that "wildlife has never been more abundant in Texas."

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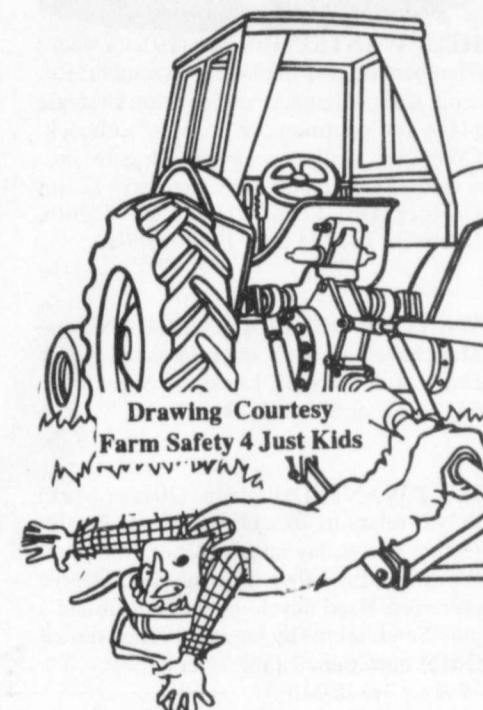
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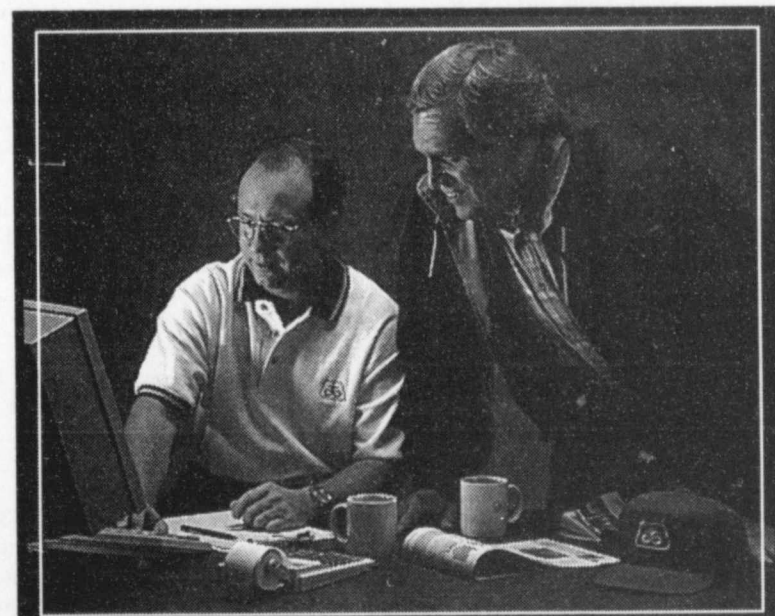
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# FJHS students celebrate Non-Alcoholic Fun Day

by Fabian Falcon  
Alcohol is a tough problem in our community today. As you know, teenagers face pressure from friends every day. Alcohol is more than a problem, it's a disease. Our schools are being affected by this disease, so Floydada Junior High had a N.A.F. Day (Non-Alcoholic Fun Day) to show teens that alcohol is not needed to have good fun.  
N.A.F. Day had many games for the teens in our school. Games such as Drunkard Jeopardy, No Beer Bingo, Drunkman's Maze, Dumb "Bud" Spelldown, and Drunk-N-Lose Squares. There was also a Fun Day Drawing with prizes. We also had guest speakers and showed a video on alcoholism. It was very educational and a lot of fun.  
Students helped by buying a ticket for the Fun Day Drawing. If we drew their ticket, they won a special prize. Plus, the money went to the Youth Center fund

that our G/T class is starting. So the students are helping much more by purchasing a ticket for the drawing.

The youth Center will serve as a place of nonalcoholic recreation for the teenagers that have the problem but do not

realize it. Finally, we are doing something about this problem in our community.



NON-ALCOHOLIC FUN DAY was celebrated by students at Floydada Junior High School on December 21. Students enjoyed a variety of activities designed to show that fun can be had without alcohol. -- Staff Photo

## Obituaries

**HELEN EASTHAM**  
Memorial services for Helen Eastham, 83, were conducted December 28, 1994, at First United Methodist Church, Clovis, N.M., with Dr. Terry Anderson, pastor, officiating.  
Mrs. Eastham was born on September 26, 1911 in Clovis and lived most of her life there. She married Carmel Eastham on August 3, 1933. He preceded her in death in 1976. She died on December 26, 1994 at a nursing home in the Temple, Texas area where she had resided the past 8 months.  
Survivors include three sons, Carmel Eastham, Jr. of Dougherty, Harry Eastham, Clovis, N.M., and Mike Eastham, Temple; one brother, Jack Highfill of Carlsbad, N.M., and one sister, Jane Alice Patrick, Jacksonville, Fla; nine grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.  
Pallbearers were grandsons and grandsons-in-law, Mark Eastham, Martin Eastham, Roger Coursey, Jerry McGuire, Russell Lawhorn, and Ricky Reyes.

Baptist Church.  
Survivors include two daughters, Pam Nelson of Hot Springs, Ark., and LaDonna Brandt of Amarillo; his two sisters, Lena Mae Ooley of Plainview and Opal Higgins of San Diego; his three brothers, Raymond Nelson of Plainview, Herman Nelson of Lubbock and Deane Nelson of Bellflower, Calif.; her two sisters, Clara Mulkey of Amarillo and Claudia Thorton of Lubbock; four granddaughters; and a great-grandson.  
The family suggests memorials to a favorite charity.

### CARDS OF THANKS

Friends,  
We will never be able to repay each of you, except to say thank you for each and every kindness shown to us. Friends and family are treasures and each of you are dear to us.  
Thanks again,  
Carl Jr. and Arne Lee  
1-5p

A special thanks to each of you for your kind words, cards, flowers, and every expression of sympathy at the passing of our mother. Your caring means a lot to us.  
The Family of Vivian Merrell  
Gay and Gale and family  
Eula Dewitt  
Billy D. Merrell  
1-5c

**WILLIAM L. NELSON**  
**FANNIE RUTH NELSON**  
Funeral services for William Lloyd Nelson, 80, and his wife, Fannie Ruth Nelson, 78, former Floydada residents, were at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, January 3, 1995, in N.S. Griggs Pioneer Chapel with David Evans of Trinity Baptist Church officiating.  
The couple died Saturday, Dec. 31, 1994, from injuries received in a vehicle accident 11 miles north of Amarillo.  
Mr. Nelson was born in Rhome and grew up in Floydada where he farmed. In 1955 he moved to Borger and worked for Phillips Petroleum Co. until retiring in 1979.  
Mrs. Nelson was born in Rochester and also grew up in Floydada. She was a homemaker.  
The couple married in 1937 in Floydada and moved to Amarillo in 1981. They were members of Trinity

My special thanks to everyone who helped Santa with deliveries on Christmas Eve! Many thanks to Judge Frank Breed, Officer Earnest Back, and Randy Gomez, without whom Santa couldn't have made it. Also, thanks to Mike Reeves for offering to help Santa too... I'm sure he will call on ya'll next year when toy production gets underway!  
Thank you to the Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon and to Floydada Cable TV for their assistance in promoting the event. Also, a special thanks to Joe Stepp for his donation of a Santa suit.  
Happy 1995  
Roxanna Cummings  
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### HELP WANTED

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