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TYE DONATES DRILL--J.M. Tye (c) founder of The Tye Company in Lockney, donated his first grain drill to the Hale County Farm and Ranch Historical Museum in Hale Center in ceremonies held at the Tye

Company on Friday, May 3. With him at the ceremonies were his sons Steve (l) and John (r) and employees who have worked for him throught the years. Tye also donated an Oliver 55 tractor.

#### Wood gathering volunteers needed

Volunteers who would like to assist in gathering wood for the Old Settler's bar-b-que should meet at the Marisue Potts Ranch, May 10, between 5:00-5:30 p.m. With lots of help the wood will

be collected quickly. The Old Settler's bar-b-que lunch will be held May 25 in conjunction with a day full of other reunion activities.

#### Graduation party planned in Lockney

LOCKNEY--The parents of the 1996 Senior Class of Lockney High School are sponsoring a non-alcoholic Project Graduation party. This will be a well sponsored, all night party to help the seniors celebrate in a safe, memorable manner.

win prizes or money that will help them make the adjustment to college or the work force.

Several businesses and companies have indicated that they would like to make contributions to the party and the senior parents are giving individuals a chance to donate also.

If you would like to be included in this manner please contact Gary and Linda Marr or Danny and Vicki Clark.

#### Cake auction to benefit Cub Scouts and baseball league

LOCKNEY—The annual Lockney Cub Scouts/Little League Bake Sale will be held Saturday, May 11, in the Lockney Elementary Cafeteria.

Check-in time for the cakes and pastries will be at 7:00 p.m. The auction, conducted by Sam Fortenberry Auctioneers, will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Cakes and pastries won't be the only goodies auctioned off at this year's fund raiser. A basektball autographed by the "famous" Lockney Longhorn Basketball team is another item expected to bring in a good

This popular fund raising auction is held every year to raise money for the Lockney Cub Scouts and the summer league baseball programs.

The money raised every year is very helpful in promoting these youth organizations in Lockney and both organizations depend on the funds to support the children's activities.

The Cub Scouts use the bake sale event not only as a fund raiser but also as a way to get father and sons to work together on a project. According to the Scout rules, all cakes sold at the auction, which are submitted by the Scouts, must be made by the Scout and the father.

Anyone else wishing to help raise money for the organizations should bring their cake, cookies or some other treat to the Lockney Elementary Cafeteria by 7:00 p.m. and it will be sold at the auction.

All proceeds raised at the auction will go to the Cub Scouts and the Little League Association.

# **Incumbents** keep seats in Lockney elections

LOCKNEY--In Saturday's munici- Charles Huffman 69, Susan Williams pal elections, LISD incumbents Dan 48 and Boyce Mosley 41. Smith and Mike Mathis retained their seats. In the race for Lockney Hospital Board of Directors, incumbent Claude Brown was re-elected and Jack Covington won the other at-large seats on the school board.

Five names were placed on the ballot for the hospital board election. Incumbent Claude Brown received Rusty Wilson 136. 218 votes, Jack Covington 143,

SCHOOL BOARD

Dan Smith, Place 5, and Mike Mathis, At-Large, were returned to

Dan Smith received 45 votes and Jeff Don Terrell 43. Terrell was running as a write-in on the ballot. Mike Mathis garnered 183 and

# Old Settlers reunion will kick off May 24th

until 6:00 p.m.

An added Friday attraction this year will be the 100th birthday celethe newspaper office, next door to the museum. The birthday bash will begin at 2:00 p.m. and will continue Hesperian-Beacon guests are encouraged to travel back and forth from one open house to another.

Texas Speaker of the House and our State Representative Pete Laney is expected at the newspaper office sometime during the celebration. U.S. Representative Mac Thornberry is also expected to visit.

Registration for the Old Settler's Reunion will be at 9:00 a.m., Saturday, May 25, followed by the flag presentation and the business meet-

During the business meeting the traditional awards will be handed out to the Pioneer Woman, Man and

Arts and crafts booths will line the courthouse lawn all day and the arts and crafts auction will begin at 1:00 p.m. Also at 1:00 will be a washer pitching contest and the beginning of the Book Fair at the First National

The Old Settler's Reunion will kick A parade will begin at 2:30 p.m. The seniors will have chances to of Friday, May 24th, with the tradi- and participants should assemble on tional Open House at the Floyd the First Baptist Church parking lot. County Museum, from 1:00 p.m. The prize money has doubled this year in the hopes it will encourage

more parade participation. The best commercial float or club bration of The Hesperian-Beacon in float will earn \$100 for their first place winner. The best pioneer float will win \$35 for first place.

Riding clubs will earn \$100 for first all day until 7:00 p.m. Museum and place and any band in the parade will receive \$50. The best team drawn vehicle will win \$50 and the best dressed cowboys and cowgirls will earn \$25.

> Musical entertainment on Saturday will begin at 3:30 p.m. with the Harmony singers, followed by Texas Thunder and other area entertain-

At 6:00 p.m. the "Pickin & Grinnin" entertainment will be a sure crowd pleaser. The jamboree is open to area musicians and the audience is asked to bring your own chairs.

The First United Methodist Church will also present "Tom Sawyer" in a special dinner theatre Saturday night.

The evening will end with a square dance at the Massie Activity Center and a dance on the rodeo slab. Both dances will begin at 8:30 p.m and end at 12:00 p.m.

A complete schedule of events will appear later in this newspaper.

# Drought is affecting Ogallala's recharge rate

By Kori Kellison

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

The Ogallala Aquifer underlies the High Plains of Texas and provides water for many functions carried out in the area. The lack of rainfall and extensive use of water from the aquifer is causing a shortfall in the annual recharge rate, according to the groundwater districts of the High Plains area.

Eric Pierce, an intern for the Ogallala Regional Water Management Plan, said, "The depletion rate of the Ogallala Aquifer is exceeding its recharge. The area is also in a drought that will not improve these conditions."

"The drought, which may be severe will likely continue, in one form or another, into at least 1998 or 1999," Weather Data Inc. officials reported.

Because of these conditions, a water plan for the Ogallala Aquifer is being developed through a commit-Continued On Page 3

## J.M. Tye honored for contributions to farming Tye donates drill to museum

grain drill in 1964 and 32 years later this shiny green drill and an Oliver 55 tractor has been put on loan to the Hale County Farm and Ranch Museum in Hale Center. This drill was the beginning of the Tye Company in Lockney.

Tye was recognized for his contribution to the farming community in ceremonies held in Lockney on Friday, May 3 and at the museum in Hale Center on Saturday, May 4.

Approximately 100 employees and former employees were present when Vernon Hall, drove the Oliver 55 tractor pulling the drill into the plant. Tye's son John told those present the history of the drill and tractor.

Tye cut pieces of cardboard into full size shapes on his living room floor and put them together for his prototype. He had originally planned for it to be four rows but found that the tractors of that day would not be able to lift it when it was filled with seed so he reduced it to a three row unit. This was the first drill to incorporate a three-point hitch and raise up at the end of the rows for turning.

The building of this drill led to the opening of the manufacturing plant which has grown from a small build-

Lockney-- J.M. Tye built his first ing to a multi-building complex that has shipped equipment worldwide.

> J.M. Tye recognized several of his former employees and told of their contributions to his endeavor. The employees, in turn, recounted stories about Tye and the company.

Sam Thompson, who started to work at Tye's in 1965, stated, "Most of the plans for the equipment and buildings were drawn on the concrete floor with a piece of chalk before they were put on paper." He continued, "J.M. Tye was the best to work for. What he told us he would do, he did."

This first drill was purchased by Buck Kellison of Lockney. When he retired from farming he pulled the drill out of his farm sale and brought it back to Tye. Tye offered to pay him for it and was told that it wouldn't bring anything at the sale anyway and he wanted to give it back.

For many years Tye was the only manufacturer of the three point hitch drill in North America. Tye designed machines to place seed in the ground. His line ranged from drills as narrow as 48 inches wide to hydraulically folding drills as wide as 40 feet. They were both the three-point hitch and pull-type machines in conventional as well as no-till configurations. The

units were sold nationwide and exported to numerous locations world-

In 1977 The Tye Company introduced the Tye Pasture Pleaser, a machine designed to plant seed in a seedbed that is unprepared, such as a pasture, sod or unplowed wheat stubble. The machine was designed to renovate pasture land used for livestock

The success of the Tye Pasture Pleaser led to the introduction of the Tye Stubble Drill to be used in planting no-til wheat, soybeans, grained sorghum and other drilled grains. The drill utilized double disc openers and independent spring-loaded coulters.

In 1980 Tye developed the No-Till & Drill attachment to allow those owning a conventional Tye drill to adapt it to a no-till or minimum till planting situation. This attachment also enabled wider and large applications or no-till double disc drilling.

The Tye Company grew from a small manufacturing plant that first manufactured a three-row drill to a company that shipped equipment nationwide in its thirty-one year history. Now a part of that history will be on exhibit at the Hale County Farm and Ranch Museum for all to see.

# **UMC** sending PA instead of doctor

#### Battey and Heflin elected to hospital board

By Juanita Stepp

FLOYDADA -- CHD Trustees met in special session on Tuesday, May 7 to canvas votes from the May 4 Election. Four candidates sought election to two posts on the board.

Lee Battey garnered 108 votes. Rob Heflin received 76 votes. Ralph Jackson had 74 votes, and J.R. Turner got 60. A total of 197 ballots were cast in the election.

Motion to accept the results of the election as reported by Election Judge Lorena Newberry was made by Carmel Eastham and seconded by Rob Heflin. All voted in favor.

Heflin and Battey will be sworn in

Board members also discussed the coming change at the clinic with Dr. Antoine Albert leaving on May 18. Board President Tom Farris and

ported on a meeting they had with Al Bendeck, UMC representative in charge of clinic operations. According to Farris, UMC intends to place a Physicians Assistant in the clinic at Floydada at this time.

Bendeck reportedly told Farris and Payne the clinic is not generating enough income to warrant placing a second physician. Dr. Salmon Ahmad has indicated that he is willing to supervise two PA's, but only on a temporary basis. Both he and the board want two doctors for the clinic.

Bendeck also asked Farris and Payne if CHD would consider sharat the May regular session of the ing the cost of recruiting a physician and possibly paying a portion of the salary when one is found. No action was taken on this at the Tuesday morning session as it was not an agenda action item.

Board member Denice Payne re- Farris told the board the clinic is seeing as many patients and grossing as much as any of the other clinics UMC is involved with but Cogdell Clinic is expensive to operate.

Heflin stated that a PA as a temporary replacement for Albert might work, but added that he was fearful Dr. Ahmad would be overworked if the situation continued for more than a short time.

"I do not want to see Dr. Ahmad leaving because he is the only doctor," said Heflin. "We do not want to be in the situation where we have no doctors again."

Farris suggested that the board place discussion of the situation on the regular meeting agenda later in the month and contact UMC to ask officials there to participate in the discus-

The board agreed before adjourning the meeting.

# Whirlwinds named district champions

FLOYDADA - Floydada clinched its first-ever district baseball title in the fifth year of the revived program with a 11-3 victory at Shallowater last Friday. The Whirlwinds will close out their regular season and their final District 2-3A meeting with Friona at Preston Watson Field on May 7.

A win over the Chieftains would give the Whirlwinds an impressive 17-4 season record (8-2 in district action) and momentum as they enter the Bi-District round of the state playoffs against Sanford-Fritch, the num-

time and place of the playoff game is yet to be determined.

Floydada's 11-3 victory over Shallowater was not the offensive game that the final score indicated. The Whirlwinds were hitting .326 as a team for the season, but only managed three singles and four earned runs against a series of Mustang pitch-

The Shallowater starter, Todd Jordan, allowed only one Whirlwind hit (a single by Tomas Barrientos in the first inning), but issued 9 bases-on-

ber two seed from District 1-3A. The balls. The 'Winds drew 11 total walks from Mustang pitching, which, coupled with six errors, were the main difference in the final outcome of the

> Floydada starting pitcher Chris Enriquez allowed five hits, gave up two earned runs and walked one Mustang, as he registered his fifth win against one setback. Enriquez worked six innings before being relieved by Angel Aleman in the seventh inning.

The Whirlwinds scored a run in each of the first two innings. They Continued On Page 8



DISTRICT CHAMPS BASEBALL TEAM--The members of the Whirlwind Varsity Baseball Team are: (back row, I-r) Coach David Kennedy, Jason Campbell, Chad Hinkle, Angel Aleman, Blake Bramlett, Jason Henderson, Coach Jackie McNew:

(middle row, l-r) Monty Anderson, Tomas Barrientos, Chris Enriquez, Joe Sanchez, Andy Young, Manager Chad Harmon; (front row, 1-r) Jesse Sanchez, Michael Mercado, Neal Nelson, Nick

Our centennial edition is coming along great! Thanks to the very hard work of the girls that work here, the knowledge and assistance of Nancy Marble at the Floyd County Museum and the unbelievable amount of help we are receiving from former editor, Jim Reynolds, we just might make our deadline.

We've still got a lot to do and I'm getting very tense. I'm going to be OK on May 23rd after the paper is on the newsstands. I feel sorry for the women I work with and for my family. They are all putting up with a lot of hair pulling and nail biting.

I apologized to everyone a month ago for what I would be like now. I also told them not to expect me to think about being sorry for being on edge now. They would just have to live with the earlier apology and I'll try to remember to apologize again when this is all over.

Mark your calendar for our birthday party on May 24, from 2:00 - 7:00

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Well the dreaded TAAS tests are over. I say dreaded because of what I've heard before. Actually in our house they weren't dreaded at all.

My third grader eagerly awaited the TAAS tests. He felt very important getting to take the TAAS. When he came home I asked him how it went. He said, "It was FUN!"

I asked him if he was nervous and he looked a little puzzled. I should have kept my mouth shut.

By and large Brandon loves school—even if he does get his "name on the board" on a regular

my husband has no fond memories. teachers truly care for the children. He has to remember to keep any comments about his past school ex- profession. periences to himself so he won't influence Brandon.

from school. There was a bully kid or (probably my own). I lack the paa bully teacher. You may have felt tience a teacher should have, but I stupid because you just couldn't sure appreciate the ones who are grasp a concept or because of rude remarks from classmates or worse truly enjoys.

yet, from the teacher. There was the problem of your clothes not being as nice as the other kids, of being out of style, or not having a boyfriend or girlfriend.

As parents we want to protect our children from anything or anyone who could hurt them. We want to be able to follow them around and heal any hurts-emotionally or physi-

When we send them off to school we depend on our teachers to love them and teach them. I can't think of a more awesome responsibility than the one we place in our teachers

I received a "Ann Landers" column in the mail the other day which is what got me started thinking on all of this. I don't know who sent it to me, but I did think it was worth sharing. You may have seen it already. It appeared in the March 23 issue.

It is a short essay by Haim Ginott, a teacher and psychologist:

"I've come to the frightening conclusion that I am the decisive element in the classroom," said Ginott.

"It's my personal approach that creates the climate. It's my daily mood that makes the weather. As a teacher, I possess a tremendous power to make a child's life miserable or joyous. I can be a tool of torture or an instrument of inspiration. I can humiliate or humor, hurt or heal. In all situations, it is my response that decides whether a crisis will be escalated or de-escalated and a child humanized or de-humanized."

Fortunately we are blessed in I also remember liking school but Lockney and Floydada. Most of our The ones that don't should try another

Teachers have a very stressful job. I couldn't handle it. I'm sure I would We've all got some bad memories strangle at least one child a day making school someplace my child

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for Tampering With Governmental Records (food stamps). She was sen-

tenced to 10 years deferred ajudica-

tion and ordered to pay restitution of

Connie Mendoza, of Floydada, for

AFDC (food stamps) and Medicaid

Fraud. She was also sentenced to 10

years deferred ajudication and or-

dered to pay restitution of

Armando Lopez, 21, of Floydada,

was sentenced to one year in county

jail, plus court costs, after he pled

guilty to Indecency With A Child.

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In county court, April 15 Rick charged with Theft over \$20.00 and Garcia pled guilty to a December 27, 1995 Assault charge. He was fined \$300.00 and sentenced to 90 days in jail which was probated for 6 months.

He must also pay court costs.

April 25, Moises Ramos Becerra, 40, of Lockney, pled guilty to a April 15 DWI charge. He was fined \$600.00 and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for 2 years.

He must also pay court costs.
Also on April 25, Johnny Irwin Priest, 48, of Amarillo, pled guilty to DWI. He was fined \$600.00 plus court costs and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for one

Steven Gutierrez was charged with filing a false report. There was no disposition on this case.

April 29, Charles Ray Hobbs filed a speeding appeal. There was no disposition on this case.

May 2, Andrew Cueva Villarreal, 20, of Lockney, pled guilty to a April 15 DWI charge. He was fined \$600.00 plus court costs and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for 2 years.

May 3, Kathleen Avalos Cerbantez was charged with Driving While License Suspended. There was no disposition on this case.

Also on May 3, Juan Manuel Camacho, 32, of Lockney, was charged with DWI. There was no disposition

May 7th, the following people were

#### Pray For Rain!

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# The Lamplighter

By Ken Towery

We see by the papers where the Governor has named his tax committee. We don't expect very much to come from it, and hope we are wrong.

The citizens Tax Committee on Property Tax Relief is supposed to find out how Texans want to finance their schools, in order that the present inordinate property tax burden might somehow be lessened. The committee is supposed to begin a series of "town hall" meetings this month, and eventually hold hearings all around We really don't know how it will

accomplish its mission, since it is not supposed to solicit suggestions from the citizens, nor is it supposed to write a report, or give the Governor any advice. It will, according to news reports, lay out three alternatives and ask citizens statewide which they would rather have: a property tax, a value-added tax, or a consumption tax. (The latter two options are, in our opinion, merely variations of the same thing.) The Governor insists the committee not include a state income tax as a possible alternative.

It's all very strange, but perhaps it is the only way to go. Especially if one doesn't want to make waves, if our "leaders" want to follow rather

The Texas tax structure is an abomination, in our own view. It is a major contributing factor in the gradual destruction of small towns all across the state. It has been "studied" by just about every governor since Allan Shivers. Mostly, the studies have resulted in some tinkering around the

edges, if anything at all. And while all those studies have been going on, the state has been changing drastically. There was a time when most of the children who attended our public schools were the children of property owning tax payers. It made sense, in a round-about way, for property owners to foot the bill. We do not know what the situation is today, in that regard, but we would guess it is entirely different. Our classes are crowded with the children of illegals, people who pay no property tax and have little prospect of ever paying property taxes. Still, property owners are expected to shoulder the burden of an increasingly expensive education establishment.

Surely, something ought to be done. But what?

In the first place, the only reason to have any sort of tax upon the citizens is to achieve some socially desirable goal. That can be safe streets, and safe homes. It can be for the defense of our country. It can be the health and welfare of our citizens. It can be the health, welfare and education of illegal immigrants. (To many, in the welfare and education industries, this is a very desirable goal.)

It can even be to pay unwed teenagers to produce more babies, and set them up in separate, subsidized housing, thereby making happy those in the lumber and baby industries. (To a substantial segment of our voting population, that has evidently been a very desirable social goal since the days of the Great Society).

Once the goal of social desirabil-

ity, or social necessity, is determined, we can get a handle on how much money the government needs. Then, the next battle is over who should pay the bill. That's when we get into that "don't tax me, tax that fellow behind the tree" argument. It's also when lobbyists earn their pay, and when bureaucrats lose weight, sweating while politicians decide their fate.

Personally, we don't see how we can do much with the tax structure until we come to grips with policies that drive tax collection. That is where political leadership fits in. If we adopt a policy that says the Texas tax payer is morally bound, and should be legally bound, to provide education and welfare for every foreign citizen who is successful in breaking our laws and entering the country illegally, (the Catholic bishops say so, and evidently our Governor thinks so) there is literally no way we can even come close to estimating how much money our government will need to meet those services. And if we don't know how cess

much money we are likely to need, how will we determine what course to take when it comes to taxes?

By Ken Towery

Lastly, of what value is a committee that is, according to press reports, precluded from issuing a report, or advising the Governor who appointed it, or even soliciting suggestions from those citizens who appear before it?

Governor Bush is quoted in the press as saying, "If they (the committee) go around the state, and no one shows up, it's pretty clear that it won't be as big a deal as I anticipated."

The question arises: Given the options before them, why should anyone even bother to show up?

The Governor has named some good people to the committee. They are successful people, busy people. How they will take to the strictures placed upon them is anybody's guess. We would think they are in for a good bit of frustration. The people of Texas would too, had they not already become somewhat immune to the pro-

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# Drought affecting Ogallala Aquifer

**Continued From Page 1** tee comprising a variety of interest groups.

The committee is made up of members from the cattle industry, municipal leaders, Texas Tech faculty, Texas legislators and employees of the area water districts. A. Wayne Wyatt, manager of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1, is co-chairman of the committee. Dr. Lloyd Urban from the Texas Tech Water Resources Center also serves as co-chairman for the committee.

Wyatt said, the plan divides different groups of major water users into target groups. The groups include municipalities, irrigators, livestock, manufacturing, and steam-electric cooling and mining. Research about the different groups is being done to find their level of water use and the supplies available to them. Also, the efforts each group makes to conserve water is being studied. New methods are under development to insure the most efficient water use.

Water plays a major role in the success of this agricultural economy. The committee reported that 90 percent of the water pumped from the Ogallala each year is used for agricultural purposes. This is not unacceptable, however, considering the impact irrigation has on crops.

MINOR INJURIES SENDS TWO TO HOSPITAL --

Maria Sepulveda and Esmeralda Sepulveda were

both transported to W.J. Mangold Memorial

Hospital following this traffic accident on N.E. 8th

(Hwy. 378) in Lockney. According to Lockney Police,

Donald Henderson, of Lockney, was traveling south

on 378 in a Chevrolet pickup. Sepulveda, driving

In the High Plains, irrigated cotton averaged 44 percent more pounds per acre harvested than dryland cotton. This figure is based on information included in the 1993 edition of Texas

Crop statistics.

To conserve water used for irrigation, researchers have developed surge valves, Low Energy Precision Application (LEPA) pivots, and the reduction of open ditches.

According to a report by Leon New from the Texas Agricultural Experiment station, LEPA center pivots and subsurface drip systems increase efficiency to about 98 percent with appropriate planning, preparation and

Surge valves typically improve furrow irrigation efficiency an average of 10 to 40 percent, dependent on soil type, land slope, length of run and management. Surge irrigation is inexpensive to adopt in relation to its benefits. Some growers have cut irrigation amounts with surge valves and good management by 50 percent, according to New's report.

Pierce said, "Another experimental method to provide water is the concept of precipitation enhancement. Precipitation enhancement is the attempt to change or control natural development of precipitation cloud forms in the lower half of the

earth's atmosphere."

Cloud seeding is designed to increase the number of nuclei around which moisture in the air can grow together and form raindrops, George W. Bomar, Senior Technical Specialist, Water Planning and Assessment Division of the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission in Austin, said.

A report by the Ogallala Regional Water Management Committee said, implementing a precipitation enhancement program can provide water for public water supplies by making additional water to be captured in the public water reservoirs, additional water for erop production, and runoff to be collected in playa basins. A portion of the water collected in the playa basins would recharge the aquifer, while other portions could be used for livestock and wildlife.

The committee is considering the resources the area already has and what they can build on.

The Ogallala Regional Water Management Plan affects every citizen in the 47-county area underlain by the Ogallala, including Floyd county. Wyatt said, "Everyone is a player and stakeholder, we all have something to lose if the High Plains runs short of

north in a 4-door Buick, was attempting to pull into a

driveway in the 500 block of N.E. 8th, and pulled in

front of Henderson. He was unable to stop the pickup

and struck Sepulveda's vehicle. Both Maria and

Esmeralda were treated for minor injuries and

Staff Photo

released from Mangold Memorial.



After being located in several different buildings around the courthouse square, "Joe's" has really settled into his new home at the corner of 100 S. Main and Missouri Street.

This space was formerly the Sears and Roebuck store but since it's purchase by Joe Stepp, of Dougherty, the building now houses a variety of useful lawn and gardening supplies and Joe's locksmithing and small engine repair shop.

In the spring the store is a favorite spot for those eager to bring color to their lawns. Joe's has a steady supply of customers who keep him busy ordering and re-ordering bedding and house plants.

The store will also keep you supplied with seeds, fertilizer, potting soil, root stimulator and a host of lawn and garden supplies.

Joe also rents tillers and chipper shredders.

When Stepp first opened his own shop in 1990 he specialized in the locksmith trade. Selling and repair-



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ing lawnmowers and other types of small engines was added later that first year. In 1995 Joe opened his now popular flower and garden shop.

The response to the garden part of his shop has encouraged him to expand what he will be offering. Customers will now be able to order trees from Joe's and he will also carry shrubs.

The Christmas season brings beautiful Christmas trees and poinsettias to Joe's. Easter lilies are availabe in season. and beautiful hanging baskets are

He is assisted in the shop by his daughter Sabrina, and his wife Juanita.

girls were brought before the city

judge for fighting at Floydada High

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#### Floydada Police Report

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Also on May 7, two fifteen year old School.

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In last week's police report this newspaper apologizes for the error in reporting on an April 28 disturbance.

In reporting the incident only one name was given. We were going to check on the rest of the information before the story was pasted on a page. Unfortunately the story went to press without completing the story.

The incident was reported as a disturbance between two men in the 300 block of E. Kentucky. The police were called to the scene and the men were given the opportunity, by police, to file charges against each other for disorderly conduct.

In last week's story we reported that Amado Morales, 43, of Floydada, has filed disorderly conduct charges against ???. The question marks should have said, Andy Martinez, 22, of Floydada.

Martinez, in turn, filed Disorderly Conduct charges against Morales. Also on police activity, on May 1, at 4:55 p.m. police were called to R.C. Andrews in reference to a fight. As a result an 11 year old boy was taken

before the city judge. May 4, at 12:09 a.m. in the 400 block of N. 10th Street, police observed a disturbance. The officer stopped and while he was getting the information, he observed a woman strike another woman in the face. Police arrested Jerlean Ledbetter for assault. After she was taken to the county jail, the officer went back to check the back seat of the patrol car and found a small amount of marijuana stuffed in the back seat. Ledbetter was subsequently charged with possession of marijuana.

May 5, at 5:50 p.m., at 9th Street and Price, police investigated an accident. According to the police report, a pickup hit the rear end of a car and then fled the scene of the accident. The driver of the car was taken to the hospital where she was treated and released.

Police found the pickup involved in the accident in the 900 block of S. Main. The driver, Heladio Herrera Saldana, 39, of Floydada, was arrested and charged with Failure To Stop And Render Aid, Tampering With Physical Evidence, No Insurance and Driving an Unregistered Motor Vehicle.

May 7 police arrested Jennifer Head, 19, and David Hitt, 17, for

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#### Lockney Bike-A-Thon to benefit St. Jude's Hospital

LOCKNEY--St. Jude Children's Research Hospital has announced plans for the Lockney "Wheels For Life" Bike-A-Thon to be held on May 11, 1996 at Lockney Elementary School beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Coordinator, for this years event is Karen Wilson. She encourages all residents and businesses to support this community effort.

St. Jude's Research Hospital, founded in 1962 by the late entertainer Danny Thomas, is the largest childhood cancer research center in America in terms of the number of patients treated and treatment success.

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# Wright and Miller

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Miss Miller is a graduate of Texas Tech University, and is an elementary teacher for Floydada I.S.D.

Mike attended Texas Tech University and is currently engaged in farming. The couple plan a June 15, 1996 wedding in Odessa, Texas.



Brad and Jennifer Jackson are Memorial Hospital in Lockney.

Their son weighed 6 lbs. and 12 1/2 ozs. and was 20 inches long.

Grandparents are Cecil and Linda Childress, and Kenneth Brooks of Beach, California.

Great-grandparents are Margaret and Fred Jackson and Clovis and Polly Myrick, all of Floydada Nettie Gambol of Childress.

**SHAKLEE** 



Tracy Adams and Steve Karlin proud to announce the birth of their wish to announce the birth of their daughter, Michaela Lee Jackson, born son, Stephen Ray Adams Karlin, born May 3, 1996 at 7:15 p.m. at Mangold Monday, April 8, 1996 at 7:20 p.m. at UMC.

The baby weighed 6 lbs. and 6 ozs. and was 19 1/4 inches long.

Grandmothers are Pat Adams, of Jackson of Floydada, Dixie Brooks of Tahoka and Marcella Karlin, of Long



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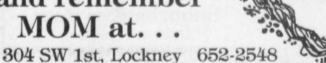
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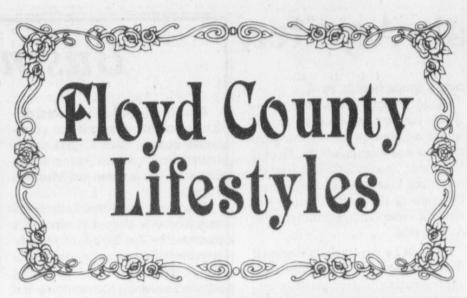


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COUPLE TO CELEBRATE 60TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY --Delbert Jack and Lillian Wilson Whitfill, former Floydada residents who now live in Lockney, will be celebrating their 60th Wedding Anniversary. They were married May 9, 1936 at St. Alice Catholic Church in Plainview. Their children are Margaret Kitchen of South Plains, Helen Dixon of Phoenix, Anthony Whitfill of Floydada, Laura Neff of Dalhart, Carolyn Newton of Lubbock, eleven grandchildren and seven great-Courtesy Photo

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Sunday, May 12: Kyndra White, Michael Rea

Monday, May 13: Dallas Ramsey, Juan Jesus DeOchoa, Justin Marble, Teresa Mininx, Valerie Perez, Katelyn Hernandez

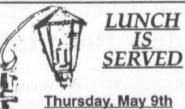
Tuesday, May 14: Deryl Evans, Ricky Mercado, Janie Dominguez Wednesday, May 15: Connie Luna, Erin Ralston, Isidro Campos, Kenny

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY Thursday, May 9: Jack and Lillian

Sunday, May 12: Emmett and Lucille Willis

Monday, May 13: Kelly and Craig Hambright

Happy Mother's Day!



Thursday, May 9th Barbeque Cherry Cheese Cake Friday, May 10th

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Tuesday, May 14th Lasagna Peach Cobbler Wednesday, May 15th Beef Stroganoff Carrot Cake

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# Lockney Senior Citizens

By Glady Ragle

LOCKNEY--We had a real nice crowd at our Thursday, May 2 meeting with 57 people attending. We also had a good pot luck meal to enjoy.

John Turner's sister and her husband from Hale Center came and ate and visited with us and John and Margie. We welcome them back any time they can come.

Bake Sale time again! The Senior Citizens will have a bake sale on Friday, May 10 at 8:30 a.m. until - -. at the Senior Citizen building. Pick up something in particular for your Mother's Day meal. If you would like something in particular you would like give us a call and see if we have it for you.

R.V. and Rita Webster were returned to their home from from the hospital and are doing better. We wish them well.

S.J. Williams fell at his home and broke his arm. He is at home and his daughter Betty Dipprey and her husband Charles have been staying with him. At last report he was feeling rolls.

some better. We hope he gets better fast and can be with us before too

Leonard Strickland fell and broke his bad leg and had an additional fracture in the back area. We was taken to Mangold Memorial Hospital but was to be moved to the Lockney Care Center on Saturday.

"Weekly Words of Wisdom" The difference between stumbling blocks and stepping stones depends

on how a person uses them. MENU May 13-May 17

Monday, May 13: German sausage, vegetables, salad, dessert Tuesday, May 14: Swiss steak, veg-

etables, salad, dessert Wednesday, May 15: Chicken fried steak

Thursday, May 16: Fish, vegetables, salad, dessert

Friday, May 17: Roast beef, vegetables, salad and dessert.

Meals served with coffee, tea and

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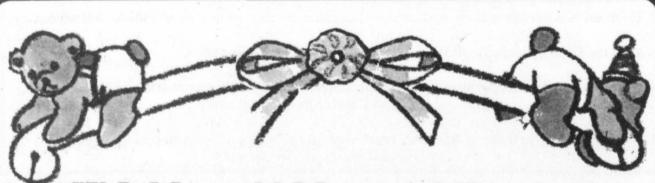
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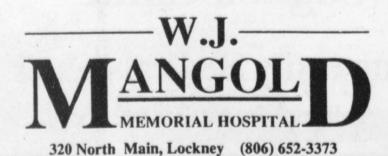
JOE ANGEL GONZALES Jr., son of Joe Angel Gonzales and Sandra Molina of Plainview, Texas, was born April 3, 1996 at 10:27 a.m. He weighed 6 pounds and 11 ounces. Grandparents are Richard and Yolanda Luna of Lockney, Texas, and Martina Torres of Plainview, Texas.

ERIC LEE HERNANDEZ, son of Jose Hernandez and Isabel Ybarra of Olton, Texas, was born April 11. 1996 at 3:16 p.m. He weighed 6 pounds 12.5 ounces. Grandparents are Rita Ybarra and Alfredo Ybarra, both of Petersburg, Texas, and Lucy Flores of Olton, Texas.

CARLEY LAYNE STONE, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Stone of Plainview, Texas, was born April 11, 1996, at 9:22 p.m. She weighed 9 pounds. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Rick Etheredge of San Angelo, Texas, Jess and Sharlote Stone of Gail, Texas, David and Nita Goodwine and Ron and Marianne Brunson, all of Plainview, Texas.

ALEXROSA, son of Mary Martinez of Floydada, Texas, was born April 17, 1996, at 10:51 a.m. He weighed 7 pounds and 10 ounces.

VIRGINIA ANGELITA DANIEL, daughter of Consuelo Rojo and Jose Daniel of Plainview, Texas, was born April 19, 1996, at 7:01 a.m. She weighed 9 pounds and 2 ounces. Grandparents are Jose N. and Juanita Daniel of Plainview, Texas.





WEBBS CELEBRATE 73RD WEDDING ANNIVERSARY -- Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Webb celebrated their 73rd Wedding Anniversary Sunday, April 28, with a luncheon at Neilson's Restaurant. Those present for the occasion were their daughter, Jo Gilbert and her husband, Calvin, of Lubbock; their granddaughter, Cheri Sherrod and her husband, Greg, and their children, Josh, Jennifer and Jordan of Lubbock. Their son, Gene, of Sweetwater, was unable to attend because of illness. Floyd Webb married the former Artie Plumlee on April 30, 1923 at Roaring Springs, Texas. They have 2 children, 5 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren, and two great-great grandchildren.

**Courtesy Photo** 

#### Happy 73rd Anniversary Mom & Dad

73 years have passed since that young man rode his horse through rocks and sand to take a bride to be his own, to share his love and make a home.

The bride was so beautiful in her gingham dress, her hair so full, she knew he was the only one to share her love and make a home.

Together they did make that home for their daughter and only son they always made us fill so secure and taught us how to endure anything that came our way.

So Mom and Dad, I just want to say, that you are the dearest people on this earth, and I love you with all my heart

You gave us all that you had to give and I can't even start to thank the good Lord up above for all your care and tender love and for all the things you say and do and for giving me parents such as you.

> Happy Anniversary! Jo and Gene

## Floydada Senior Citizen News

By Margarette Word

FLOYDADA - The center is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. If you are 60 years or older this center is for you. If you plan to eat lunch, please call 93-2032 by 10

The center is in need of someone who would like to "volunteer" their time during the lunch hour to serve tea. No pay involved, but your lunch would be FREE. Call 983-2032 if you the senior adult choir singing during are interested. You do not have to be a senior citizen.

tended her 50th year high school re-Jordan High School at Long Beach, California. She and her classmates had a great time visiting and touring Long Beach and seeing all the changes that have taken place over the past 50 years.

From there Sue traveled on to Santa Monica to visit her sister, Lu Artz, several years. We will miss her. who lives in an ocean front condo. They attended an "Early California

Historical" drama at Hermit, California, which has been running for the past 68 years in April.

Sunday morning, May 5, the youth at the First Baptist Church sponsored a breakfast which was served to the senior adults. There was a large crowd. A get-acquainted game was played and the youth choir sang two beautiful songs. It was "Senior Adult Day" at the First Baptist Church with the morning services.

May 5-9 at Plains Baptist Assem-Sue Lovell has recently spent two bly was the 23rd "Senior Adult Enweeks in California. April 20, she at- campment" week. Several of our senior adults attended either part or all union. It took place at David Starr day activities. The camp minister was Walter Goodnight. Several missionaries spoke. The "Singing Women of West Texas" brought some of the en-

Our sympathy to Thelma Jones relatives. Her funeral was last Mon-After the reunion, Sue visited her day, April 6th. She was a charter friends, who use to live in Lubbock member of the organization of Senior but now live at La Habra, California. Citizens here in Floydada. She also wrote the Senior Citizen News for

Our sympathy to the family of Winnie Neal.

Remember to pray for the families who have lost loved ones, for the ill, for those facing surgery and for

"Happy Mother's Day"

"Thought for the Week" - Kindness is more important that wisdom, and the recognition of this is the beginning of wisdom.

Theodore Isaac Rubin, M.D.

Senior Citizens Menu

Monday, May 13: Fish nuggets, potato salad, spinach, sliced tomatoes, cornbread, poke cake

Tuesday, May 14: Spaghetti and meatsauce, zucchini, Waldorf salad, garlic bread, gelatin

Wednesday, May 15: Roast, mashed potatoes, wax or green beans, tossed salad/French dressing, wheat roll, carrot cake

Thursday, May 16: Hamburger steak, brown gravy, broccoli rice casserole, sliced tomatoes, wheat roll,

fresh apple Friday, May 17: Oven fried chicken, white gravy, mashed potatoes, Harvard beets, bran muffin,

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**VOLUNTEERS HONORED—The Floydada Nursing Home honored** volunteers who serve the residents at their facility with a luncheon at Nielsons Cafeteria, Thursday, April 25. Thirty nine certificates of appreciation were presented. Special recognition was given to Dolores Cannon for her nomination as Volunteer of the Year from Unicare Health. Shown here are: (1-r) B.A. Hyatt, interim administrator of the care center, Dolores Cannon, and Jane Martinez, Activity Director.

# Cannon honored for outstanding service

Floydada Nursing Home honored the volunteers who serve the residents of the facility with a luncheon at Neilsons Restaurant. 39 certificates of appreciation were awarded to recognize those who have rendered volunteer service at the center over the past year. Jane Martinez, Activity Director of the facility, organized the event

and gave a welcome to the volunteers. B. A. Hyatt, Interim Administrator, then spoke to the group and stated that Unicare Health Facilities which operates the nursing home wishes to reach out to the community and give something back, not just take from the local community. He expressed hope that this volunteer appreciation lunch would become an annual event.

Mr. Hyatt stated that the clientele served by the nursing home is the generation that plowed the sod, built the roads, strung the wire and gave us the greatest civilization and culture that the world has ever known. "We owe a debt of gratitude to the seniors of our land," he stated. He continued on to say, "The corporation can not provide all of the needed services to the residents. Paid staff can care for the physical needs, but it is only by the love and service rendered by friends, family and volunteers that the deep social needs can be met.

Special recognition was given to Dolores Cannon, and Jane presented her red roses to honor her as an outstanding volunteer. Mr. Hyatt read a statement that is being sent to nominate Dolores for the honor of "Volunteer of the Year" for Unicare Health Facilities national award which will be given out in June of this year.

The winner of the national award teer of the Year."

FLOYDADA - On April 25th. who will be chosen from nominations from the many Unicare facilities over the nation will be honored at the Unicare Annual Conference held at the Marriott Lincolnshire Resort in Lincolnshire, Illinois this summer.

> (Editors Note: The following is a copy of the nomination essay that was entered to nominate Dolores.)

> Dolores Cannon is a breath of inspiration to the residents of Floydada Nursing Home. She is so much a part of the resident life that it may appear to some that she is part of the staff.

> Mrs. Cannon started coming to visit a family member, but also shared her caring mannerism with others, and when her loved one was no longer a resident she realized how much the others needed her, and continued her visits month after month, and years went by until she has fulfilled eighteen years.

Dolores cuts hair, gives shampoos and renders personal service in a way that is special. She is on hand three or four days a week, and more often if there is special need. She logged well over one hundred hours in 1995, and doesn't even begin to log all the hours she spends in caring service.

Mrs. Cannon was named "Citizen of The Year" in 1995 at the annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet on May 2, 1995 which indicates that her benevolent spirit reaches the entire community, not just the Floydada Nursing Home. She is loved and respected in her home town for what she does for others, but more than that she is loved for who she is. Her gracious personality radiates to all she meets and the staff and residents of Floydada Nursing Home - are delighted to nominate her for "Volun-

# The Floydada Nursing Home invites you to visit during National Nursing Home Week May 12-17.

The Week Long Celebration will include:

SUNDAY: A Mother's Day meal with family members joining their mother for lunch at the nursing home or at a Mother's Day Tea at 1:30 p.m.

MONDAY: The Happy Hatters from Dumas will entertain at 2:00 p.m.

TUESDAY: Mike Holster will lead a sing-along at 10:00 a.m. Joyce Lipham will play the piano at 2:00 p.m. and a Musical will be held at 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY: We will have a Pie Social at 3:00 p.m.

THURSDAY: Birthday Party at 2:00 p.m. Grammy and Pop from Silverton at 3:00 p.m. and Music at 6:00 p.m.

FRIDAY: HamburgerCookout at noon.



PEREZ RECEIVES AWARD--Barbara Perez is awarded a Unicare jacket in honor of her selection as Employee of the Year at the Floydada Nursing Home by B.A. Hyatt, Administrator.

#### The Floydada Nursing Home

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STUDENTS COMPLETE GREAT AMERICAN CHALLENGE --Among the students successfully completing the Great American Reading Challenge are: (Back row, l-r) Ragan Beedy, Dustin Covington, Laura Reddy, Ashley Norrell, Janna Szydloski (front, l-r) Tyler Helms and Jamie Staff Photo

## Lockney scouts enjoy campout

By Kana Kennedy

Lockney Cub Scouts spent an enjoyable weekend, April 26-28, camping at the Scout camp in Post.

More than a usual number of Lockney Scouts attended this campout. Fourteen Scouts and 11 leaders attended.

The many activities enjoyed by the scouts included hiking, fishing and the safe usage of BB guns and bows and arrows. There was also a lot of good food to eat.

Most of the scouts agreed that the most enjoyable part of the campout was sleeping outside.

If this sounds like something you would like to do, you need to join the

Some of our upcoming activities include our annual parent-son cake and cookie auction, summer swimming, a campout in June, and a 3-day Day Camp at Broadway Street Park in Plainview.

We always have a great time and if you would like to enjoy the fun with this gang you can join anytime. You don't have to wait until the beginning

of the school year to join. We will be having our annual graduation ceremony the 23rd of May. Anyone is welcome to attend.

If you would like more information on joining the scouts, call Kana Kennedy at 652-3666. You and your parents can attend a den or pack meeting before you join, if you would like to check it out for yourself.

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> They are: (1) recite the Pledge of Allegiance, (2) sing our National Anthem, (3) memorize the Preamble to the Declaration of Independence, (4) complete trivia questions of the U.S., summer (5) memorize the states in alphabetical order, (6) know all states and capitals, (7) write a 2-page Presidential report, (8) name the 5 Great Lakes, (9) Fill in a blank U.S. map, (10) Complete questions on U.S. landmarks, (11) name the original 13 colonies, (12) do a project of some kind

Family members are encouraged to help these students. As a reward this year, these Great Americans went on to Carlsbad Caverns and spent the

We are very proud of these students: Dustin Covington, Tyler Helms, Jamie Johnston, Ashley Norrell, Laura Reddy, Janna Szydloski and Ragan Beedy.

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STATE UIL LITERARY WINNERS--Four students from Lockney High School competed in the State UIL Literary Competition at the University of Texas on May 3rd and 4th. Brady Marr placed 3rd in Calculator, Lee Anne Gallaway 6th in Literary Criticism, Dewayne Jones 6th in Number Sense and Kelli Clark 4th in preliminaries. Sponsors are LaDora Aufill, Tonda Jolley and Lori Satterwhite.

# FJHS participates in reading challenge

For more information call the FLOYDADA - Many fun activities will happen at FJHS on May 13 - 17 as part of the Accelerated Reader LISD schedules summer National Reading Challenge Week. TAAS test administration schools nationwide to acknowledge their students' reading accomplishments and to celebrate increased en-The summer administration of the 11th graders, or 12th graders in the thusiasm for literature.

> Teachers at FJHS are planning to celebrate their students' reading progress beginning Monday, May 13.

> FJHS will kick off the week with a reading day when students, teachers, secretaries, principal, teacher assistants, custodians, etc., spend the entire day reading accelerated reader books or other reading material.

> Tuesday is the most exciting day, thanks to FJHS Principal, Monty Hysinger. He will be dressed up as "Mrs. Doubtfire", thanks to the students reaching their 10,000 points

Jackie Lucio, who has earned over

bly where FJHS will also recognize outstanding readers.

May 16, is the "Banana-Split The week has been set aside for Party" for all students who have earned 100 or more points all year. On May 17, the PTO will hold an auction for all items left in our Read-

> ing Store. The students at FJHS are very excited about the upcoming National Reading Challenge Week and have

earned a fun time. One part of the school's reading curriculum is the Accelerated Reader Reading Management Program. Students earn reading points based on the reading level and difficulty of the books they've read, and the number of questions they answer correctly on computerized book tests.

Over 1,000 schools across the U.S. are participating in National Reading Challenge Week. The publisher of the Accelerated Reader, Advantage Learning Systems, Inc., is sponsoring the week to draw attention to the efforts of dedicated student readers ev-

erywhere. "This week is designed to celebrate the achievement of students who put aside other distractions and focus their attention on high-quality children's literature," said Judith A. Paul, director of Advantage Learning Systems,

Wisconsin Rapids, Wis. "Not only are

May 15 will be the awards assem- these children demonstrating improved reading skills, but they are discovering the true joy of reading.

"We're also acknowledging the efforts of hard-working, dedicated reading teachers who have committed themselves to improving their students' reading abilities. To hear a student say 'thank you for helping me become a better reader' is the best year-end present a teacher can get,"

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# FHS Senior Spotlight

July 16

July 17

July 18

By Cindy Hambright

PRISCILLA PERALEZ One of our FHS Senior Spotlights this week is Priscilla Peralez, daughter of Monica and Raymond Peralez. She has been part of the Floydada schools for 12 years. Priscilla has been Junior Class Vice-president,

Senior Class Secretary/Reporter, Student Council Representative, and a cancer survivor for 3 years. Priscilla's best memories of high school are of all her friends and her enjoying themselves. This she will miss. One thing Priscilla would have

changed in the past 4 years would be to have had a better attitude towards everything and everyone. Her favorite movie is "The Color of Night", her favorite color is hunter green and she likes taking trips to Minnesota and Arizona.

Priscilla admires her parents, because "through all the rough times we've all been strong.'

Priscilla plans to attend college, but this time she is not sure where or what her major might be. Her motto is "if you can't fight with your friends who can you fight with?"

**MELISA GARCIA** 

One of the FHS Senior Spotlights this week is Melisa Garcia, daughter of Virginia Garza and George Garcia and niece of Barbara and Robert Perez. She has attended Floydada schools for 13 years. She has been involved in band, which went to State

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her sophomore year.

Melisa's best memories of Floydada High School are the band trips. She says she will miss the closeness of the teachers and students. If she could have changed one thing in the past four years, Melisa would have studied harder and made better grades. The television show, "Fresh Prince of Bel Aire", the movie "Philadelphia", LORD OF THE FLIES, and "Dennis the Menace" are some of Melisa's favorite things.

The person Melisa most admires is her aunt, Barbara, because "she has been there for me all the times I have needed her the most".

Melisa plans to attend college after high school graduation and pursue a career in nursing or physical therapy. The motto she would like to be remembered by is "believe and achieve".

PAT PANCARDO Another FHS Senior Spotlight this week is Pat Pancardo, daughter of Maria Garza. Pat has attended Floy-

dada schools for 12 years. The one thing Pat would have changed about school would be to have made the lunch time longer. Her favorite color is black and her favorite class is Parenting and Child De-

By Dana Crossland

By Melissa Long, CEA-FCS

II 4-H Leadership Camp and Electric

Camp have been set for June 11-13

and June 24-28, respectively. 4-H'ers

at least ten years old and not older

than 12 years by the campdate are eli-

gible to attend Leadership Camp held

on the South Plains College Campus.

4-H'ers at least 13 years of age by

the camp date are eligible to attend

the South Plains District II 4-H Elec-

tric Camp at Cloudcroft, New

Registration for Leadership Camp

and Electric Camp are due to the

County Extension Office by Thurs-

spring of 1996 are eligible to take any

section of the exit level test that they

have not yet mastered. In addition,

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The person Pat most admires is her After graduation Pat would like to

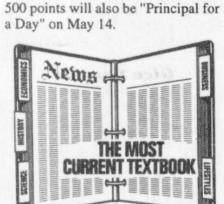
pursue a job working with children.

MARIBEL CERVERA Maribel Cervera, daughter of Gabriela and Jose Cervera, is a FHS Senior Spotlight this week. Maribel has attended Floydada schools for eleven and a half years. Prior to that time she was in Dimmitt. When she was a freshman at FHS, she was a member of a track team that became District Champions.

The best memories and the things Maribel will miss the most are the same. They are her friends. If she could have changed one thing in the past 4 years, she would have tried harder and worked more. Maribel has many favorite things, such as "Party of Five", TV show; "Ghost", move; IN LOVING MEMORY by Danielle Steel and sports.

Maribel most admires her parents, because "they're always right."

Maribel wishes to attend college after graduation, but she doesn't know where, probably Amarillo. She would like to pursue a job in business or



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# Whirlwinds earn district championship

missed opportunities in both innings forward to going into the playoffs." to add to the margin by stranding three in the first and left two on base in the second. However, the third inning belonged to Floydada. The 'Winds scored 7 runs on only one base hit (a single by Aleman). Four Shallowater errors and four wild pitches led to the Mustang downfall. Six of Floydada's runs were scored with two outs.

Floydada added another run in the top of the fourth. Chad Hinkle led off with a walk, advanced to second on a wild pitch, and eventually scored on another wild pitch. The Mustangs staged their most serious threat to get back into the game with 2 runs on 3 hits and a Whirlwind error in the bottom of the inning. Shallowater added another run in the fifth inning, but could make no further headway against the Whirlwind defense.

Floydada closed out the scoring with another run by Hinkle in the sixth inning. Joe Sanchez collected the Whirlwinds' final base hit in the inning. Coach David Kennedy summed up the victory which assured the Whirlwinds' their first district baseball title. "It was an ugly affair," said the coach, "But, I couldn't be prouder of a bunch of kids. We only had three hits, but scored 11 runs by taking advantage of their mistakes. I want to give the kids credit for sticking with it - we had some slow times in the middle of the year, but they stayed with it. We got our focus and intensity back. We're where we wanted to be all along, and everyone's looking

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Pitching IP H R ER BB SO Chris Enriquez 6.0 5 3 2 3 1 Angel Aleman 1.0 1 0 0 0 1

Floydada 8, Dimmitt 7

Home runs by Angel Aleman and Monty Anderson accounted for five of Floydada's eight runs as the Whirlwinds twice came from behind to edge Dimmitt 8-7 at Preston Watson Field on April 30. The victory improved Floydada's overall season record to 15-4. More importantly, the Whirlwinds' improved to 6-2 in the district race - two full games ahead of the rest of the pack, with two games remaining in the regular season.



Anderson's fourth-inning home run with a man on base came after the Bobcats had taken a 6-5 lead in the top of the inning. Aleman, the starting pitcher, helped his own cause with a 3-run homer in the bottom of the third inning. It was Aleman's first round-tripper of the season.

Tomas Barrientos continued his assault with the bat by going 1-for-3 and an RBI. He also scored a run. Michael Mercado, batting over .400 for the year, was 2-for-3 and one runbatted-in. Jason Henderson and Joe Sanchez collected the other Floydada

Aleman struck out three Bobcats while allowing 7 hits and 4 earned runs in 3 2/3 innings of work. Chad

Hinkle picked up his fourth win against one loss in 3 1/3 innings of relief. Hinkle struck out three and walked five, but only gave up one earned run on two hits.

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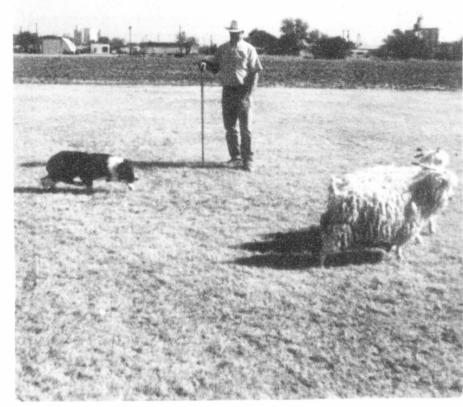
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SPORTS INTERVIEW -- Edd Henderson Jr., one of the announcers responsible for game reports on Floydada Radio Station KFLP, interviews Chad

Hinkle following a recent game. Fellow team members and fans had an opportunity to hear the inter--- Staff Photo view first hand.



HARD AT PLAY-Choise Smith demonstrated the work of his sheep dog to the youngsters of Duncan Elementary, during Old West day. Besides the hard work of this sheep dog, Duncan kids were also treated to roping practice, sour dough biscuits cooked over hot coals, a tour of a chuck wagon and special petting on calves and a horse.



JV WHIRLWIND BASEBALL TEAM--Members of the JV Baseball Team are: (back row, l-r) Coach Jackie McNew, Chris Sanchez, Dusty Duke, Cody

Stovall, J.R. Riojas and Martin Suarez and Coach Kennedy; (front row, l-r) Ruben Barrientos, Chad Turner, Danny Herrera and Cory Kirk. Staff Photo

#### Lockney JV team ends season with win over Ralls

By David Sutterfield

LOCKNEY--The Lockney junior varsity baseball team ended their season Saturday with a 14-0 win over

Miguel Guerrero pitched a two hitter. He did a great job on the mound, and he had great support from the

It is hard to single out individual players because they all played the best game of the year. We wished that we had more games to play because we have improved so much.

Coach Norwood said after the game, "This was a great hitting exhibition. We were swatting the ball like a cow swats flies."

We, as coaches, were extremely proud of these young men and look forward to seeing them all back next

Have a Nice Day!

Heritage News Forum

# Colleges requiring fewer basic courses

By Edwin Feulner

Ever wonder why most young people-even those who have attended prestige colleges or universities-don't seem to know a whole lot about life or the world around them?

It could be because in the headlong pursuit of top-rated sports teams, expensive, over-specialized research fa- them cilities, and-let's be frank-money, America's most prestigious colleges and universities have forgotten their the National Association of Scholars

basic task: to teach students something about history, literature, mathematics, the natural sciences, foreign language, philosophy and English.

The reason most "Generation Xers" don't come away from college with such a "bottom-line" education is simple: It's no longer required of

I don't make this accusation lightly. According to a study just released by

IS IT SMILING??—This Duncan youngster kept her eye on the expression of this gentle calf who didn't seem to mind the attention it was getting from lots of kids during Duncan's Old West Day.

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(NAS), America's leading schools of "higher" education have eliminated most of the core academic requirements once considered essential to a liberal-arts education. At the 50 colleges and universities identified by U.S. News & World Report as "America's best," the commitment to a structured general education "has largely vanished" over the past 30

In short, there has been "a purging from the curriculum of many of the required basic survey courses that used to familiarize students with the historical, cultural, political and scientific foundations of their society," the NAS study shows.

Of course, the study merely quantifies what many of us have been observing about American education for decades: U.S. educators have forgotten what education is all about. According to NAS President Stephen Balch, America is "in danger of losing the common frame of cultural reference that for many generations has sustained our liberal, democratic so-

According to the NAS study, the number of top schools that require what we used to call "freshman English" has dropped to just over onethird. Only 12 percent still require math; only 34 percent require students to study science; only 2 percent require the study of history; only 4 percent have required courses in philosophy; and not a single one of the top schools requires students to study great literature.

Even the school year has been shortened, from an average of 191 days in 1964 to only 156 classroom days in 1993.

"To a considerable extent, the structured curriculum was dashed to pieces

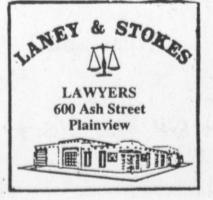
during the late 1960s and early 1970s when the rage in higher education was a radical libertarianism based on notions of 'relevance' and the assumption that a special insight belonged to youth," the NAS study states. As a result, colleges and universities today "can no longer guarantee that students acquire a basic knowledge of their

civilization and its heritage." The product of all this, in the words of my late friend, philosopher Russell Kirk, is "lax institutions at which every lad and lass can succeed, because all standards for entrance or graduation have been swept away." We end up with students "able to ascertain the price of everything—but the value of nothing.'

That's what you get, dear parent, for \$10,000 to \$25,000 per year and rising, when you send your son or daughter to America's most prestigious colleges and universities.

If I were you, before I spent that kind of money, I'd get my hands on the NAS study, send it to the president of the college or university your child has chosen, and demand a re-

Note: Edwin Feulner is president of The Heritage Foundation, a Washington-based public policy research institute.





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HONORED FOR TWENTY YEARS--Interim Director of the Floydada Nursing Home, B.A. Hyatt (middle), presents Dorothy Kerr (left) and Angelia Hernandez (right) with pins commemorating 20 years of service with the nursing home. Gloria Enriquez and Minnie Soliz received 10 year pins; Clara Porter, Mary Coleman, Nancy Robinson, Allen Hoogstra, Jane Martinez and Delia Campos received 5 year pins; and Alice Henderson, Rosie Cortez, Yolanda Cruz, Linda Beaty, Sally McIntosh, Barbara Perez and Faye Self received 1 year pins.

# Lacy Aston to compete in State 4-H Food Show

By Melissa Long, CEA-FCS Lacey Aston, senior 4-H'er from Lockney, will be among 48 4-H'ers competing in the State 4-H Food Show to be held in conjunction with State 4-H Roundup on the Texas A&M Campus, June 3-7. Lacey took top honors with Strawberry Salad in the Senior Snacks and Desserts category at the District Food Show in Levelland last December.

Contestants in the State Food Show prepare their entry dish and answer questions relating to food and nutrition, project experiences, leadership opportunities and community service work. Top winners in each of four categories will be awarded scholarships in the amount of \$750.

Lacey is the 15 year old daughter of Ronnie and Treena Aston.

serve on a lettuce leaf as a salad or with whipped topping as a dessert.

Cookbook author to

enthusiasts are invited to meet cook-

book author Carole Curlee on Satur-

day, May 25 from 1-4 p.m. in the

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pes in her two most recent cook-

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STRAWBERRY SALAD 2 cups pretzels, crushed

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8 ounce cream cheese 1 cup sugar 8 ounce Cool Whip

2 1/4 cup water, divided

Press into a 9x13 pan. Bake at 400

degrees exactly 8 minutes. Cool well.

Beat cream cheese and sugar, then

fold in Cool Whip. Spread over

cooled crust and seal edges well. Dis-

solve jello in 1 1/4 cup of boiling

water. Add 1 cup cold water and

thawed strawberries. Let stand 10-15

minutes and cool to room tempera-

ture. Pour over cheese mixture and

refrigerate for several hours. May

Curlee will be on hand to auto-

graph copies of her books. She is also

pleased to share her catering secrets

Copies of her books may be re-

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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.)

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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.

Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship . . 10:45 a.m. FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Prayer Meeting . . . 6:00 p.m. Lockney Evening Worship . . 6:30 p.m. Harold Abney, Pastor Evening Services ... 8:00p.m. 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.

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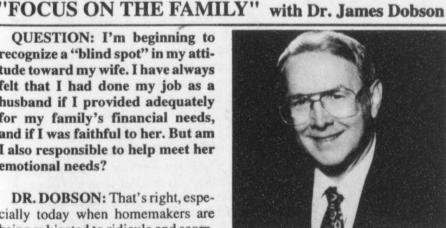
mined. \* The notion that motherhood is a worthwhile investment of a woman's time suffers unrelenting bombard-

\* The concept that a man and a woman should find their identity in each other, rather than as separate and competing individuals, is said to be intolerably insulting to women.

\* The belief that divorce is an unacceptable alternative has been abandoned by practically everybody.

\* The role of the female as helpmate, bread baker, wound patcher, love giver, home builder and child bearer is nothing short of disgusting.

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author and president of Focus on the Family, a nonprofit organization dedicated to the preservation of the home. Correspondence to Dr. Dobson should be addressed to: Focus on the Family, P.O.

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JOSE AGUIRRE, SR.

Graveside services for Jose Aguirre, Sr., 93, of Floydada were at 11 a.m. Thursday, May 2, 1996, at the Floydada Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White. Father Elbert Fadallan of St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church officiated the ser-

Mr. Aguirre died Tuesday morning, April 30, 1996 at this residence.

He was born March 19, 1903 in Saltillo, Coah. Mexico, where he also attended school. Mr. Aguirre married Juanita Garcia. She passed away April 16, 1988.

Mr. Aguirre moved to Floydada in 1967 from Crystal City. He was a car-

He is survived by two sons, Jose Aguirre, Jr. of Floydada and Richard Aguirre of Amarillo; two daughters, Ramona Barrientos of Floydada and Elida Balderas of Dallas; 30 grandchildren and 29 great-grandchildren. Grandsons were the pallbearers.

NORMA LOUISE CROSBY

Services for Norma Crosby, 56, of Floydada were at 2 p.m. Monday, May 6, 1996, at Mt. Zion Baptist Church with the Rev. Ralph Jackson officiating. Burial was in the Floydada Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

Mrs. Crosby died Wednesday evening, May 1, 1996 at Lubbock's Methodist Hospital.

She was born January 14, 1940 in Gonzales, Texas, and attended school in Welder, Texas. Mrs. Crosby moved to Floydada in 1986 from Denver, Colorado. She worked for Interim Health Care as a provider. She was a member of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church.

She is survived by three daughters, Mary and Teresa Crosby of Florida and Karen Crosby of Denver, Co.; seven brothers, Walter of Austin; Sylvester of Floydada; Roy Lester of Garden City, Kansas, Charles of Slaton, James of Amarillo, Van of Heidelberg, Germany, and McAuthor of Denver Colorado; two sisters, Brenda and Shirley Mitchel of Wichita, Kansas; and five grandchil-

She was preceded in death by two brothers, Joe Avan, Jr., and Willie

JUAN C. DELEON

Rosary for Juan c. DeLeon, 88, of Lubbock were at 7 p.m. Sunday, May 5, in W.W. Rix Chapel. Mass was celebrated at 11 a.m. Monday, May 6, in Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church with the Rev. Jim O'Connor officiating. Burial was in Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park under the direction of Rix Funeral Directors.

Mr. DeLeon died Saturday, May 4, 1996, in Methodist Hospital.

He was born June 12, 1907 in Mexico. He married Rafaela Silva on February 13, 1932 in Cameron. She preceded him in death on September 23, 1994. He moved to Lubbock in 1968 after farming in the Floydada area for many years. He worked at Dunlaps in Lubbock until retirement. He was a member of Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church.

Survivors include five sons, Blas, Samuel, John Jr. and Domingo, all of Lubbock and Lupe of Peralta, N.M.; six daughters, Louisa Luna of Wichita Falls, Julia Cristan, Sue Hernandez and Irene Vasquez, all of Lubbock, Mary Martinez of Floydada and Lydia Garcia of Flower Mound; 32 grandchildren; 38 great-grandchildren; and 1 great-great grandchild.

Pallbearers were Steve DeLeon, David Luna, James DeLeon, Darin Martinez, Alan Hernandez, Raul Garcia Jr., John Michael DeLeon, Jacob DeLeon, Donald Cristan, Veronica Vasquez, and Leslie

#### THELMA SMITH JONES

Services for Thelma Lucy Smith Jones, 84, of Floydada were at 10 a.m. Monday, May 6, 1996, at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Howell Farnsworth officiating. Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

Mrs. Jones died Saturday morning, May 4, 1996 at UMC in Lubbock.

She was born June 8, 1911, in Floyd County. She attended school in McCoy and graduated from Floydada High School. Mrs. Jones married Harry Jones August 9, 1931, in

McCoy. He died May 16, 1937. Mrs. Jones was a charter member of the Senior Citizens and a member of the Eastern Star. She also wrote a column for the Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon for many years. She was a member of First Baptist Church.

She is survived by two sisters, Marie Tardy of Floydada and Clara Martin of Hale Center; and seven nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by four brothers, George L., Leonard, Robert and Willie Smith; two sisters,

Lilian Payne and Bell Day. Pallbearers were grand-nephews. MARY HELEN LACKEY

Services for Mary Helen Lackey, 84, of Amarillo, were at 11 a.m. Wednesday, May 8, 1996 in Brooks Chapel with the Rev. Ed Modrick, pastor of Suburban Bible Church, officiating. Burial followed at 3 p.m. in Floydada Cemetery, directed by Brooks Funeral Directors.

She died May 5, 1996 in Amarillo. Mrs. Lackey was born in Spur, Texas on May 26, 1911. She graduated from Floydada High School in 1928. She moved to Hereford from Floydada in 1957 and moved to Amarillo in 1962. She worked at Ketchen Gallery and Blackburns in Amarillo. She was a Methodist.

Survivors include one son, Larry White of Canyon; one daughter, Mar-Gwen Crawley of Randolf Township, NJ; three grandchildren, Joni White, Lori Fatheree, and Blayne White; and two great-grandchildren, Claire Fatheree and Hunter Fatheree.

Memorials may be made to the Area Special Olympics, 2400 Line Avenue, Amarillo, Texas 79106,

WINNIE NEIL

Services for Winnie Neil, 83, of Floydada were at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 8, 1996, at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Howell Farnsworth officiating. Burial was in Floyd County Memorial Park under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

Mrs. Neil died Monday morning, May 6, 1996 at the Floydada Nursing

She was born December 21, 1912 in Dickens County. She attended school in Dickens and Lakeview. Mrs. Neil married Ryburn Neil. He died May 11, 1989. She was a member of First Baptist Church.

She is survived by one daughter, Carolyn Jackson of Amarillo, one daughter-in-law, Carol Franklin of Pensecola, Fl.; six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one

son, Gene Franklin. Pallbearers were Louis Anderson, Bart Greer, Jon Jones, Travis Jones, Norman Muncy, A.C. Pratt, Kerry Pratt and Edwin Wilcox.

J.A. (ALTON) NOLAND

J.A. (Alton) Noland of Blue Ridge, Texas, formerly of Floydada.

Mr. Noland was born in Floydada June 18, 1917, to T.M. and Ida Francis Noland. He was married to Asale McGuffey on Oct. 12, 1935. He farmed in Floydada and Lockney until 1966 when he and his wife moved to their ranch in Blue Ridge, Texas. There he continued to be a successful rancher, contributing to the community by being president of the Blue Ridge Rodeo Club and president of the Frognut Water Supply for several

Mr. Noland was preceded in death by his son Joe A. Noland; two brothers, Tom and Audie Noland; three sisters, Flora Warren, Ruby Williams and Effie Roland.

He is survived by his wife, Asale of Blue Ridge; a daughter, Joyce Noland Francis and husband Mike, of Austin; five grandchildren, Tamra Smith and husband, Bobby of Tyler, Terri Noland Ferris, and husband Patrick of Haltom City, Texas, Toni Noland Bevins and husband, Brack of Tyler, Robert Mack and wife Donna of San Antonio, and Cassie Mack Edmonds and husband Chris,

Six great-grandchildren, Whitney and Katherine Mack of San Antonio, Mackensie Ferris of Haltom City, Kaleigh Joe and Scott Smith and Katherine Bevins of Tyler.

# Friends of the Library

The Friends of the Floyd County Library have scheduled a Used Book Sale for June 8. At this time, they are seeking donations of books, both hard cover and paperback, for inclusion in

Anyone who would like to donate books may take them to Pay-n-Saveor Payne's Family Pharmacy in Floydada. A call to 983-3126 or 983-5769 will bring someone to you to pick up your donations.

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CHAMBER DIRECTORS--The new directors of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce are: (back row, l-r) Sheldon Sue, JimFinley, Tony Ricketts, Marlon

Pritchard, Martha Lotspeich, Jon Jones, Bert Vandiver, and Roy Ray; (front row, l-r) Jake Galvan, Paul Sharp, Jimmy Willson and Kyle Minnix.

# Long presents interesting program to Whirlwind Sams on plans of the Multi-Purpose Center

By Betty Gilbreath

President, George Miller opened the regular monthly meeting, Monday night, May 6, at 7 p.m. at Lighthouse Electric. Bill Feuerbacher led the invocation.

Members with May birthdays were recognized. They were: Ruth Adams, Harold and Carol Reese, Claude Weathersbee, Darlyn Hambright, and Mac McElyea. We had only one anniversary, Rufus and Ruth Lusk. J.W. Gilbreath led the group in the birthday and anniversary song.

Guests were recognized at this time. They were Nick Long and Mrs. Beulah Freidman, sister of Rufus

Lusk. Delicious refreshments were furnished and served by Darrell and

Nancy Mayo, assisted by Harold and Charlene Norrell and Jerry and Glenda Livingston. The food was delicious and the table decorations were beautiful. This was enjoyed by all.

J.W. Gilbreath, is program chairman for May. Betty Gilbreath introduced the program for the evening. Nick Long presented a very interesting update on the Multi-Purpose Center that Floydada and Lockney is striving to build to accommodate civic activities for both of our cities. This information was enjoyed by all. Nick is not a stranger as most of our group know and enjoy him.

In the absence of secretary, Dartha Westbrook, Betty Miller read correspondence and the minutes of the April business meeting.

Nancy Mayo, treasurer, gave a financial report.

There were 19 rigs represented at our business meeting. Members present were Boone Adams, Harold Bennett, Bill Feuerbacher, J.W. Gilbreath, John Lyles, Darrell Mayo, Mac McElyea, Harold Norrell, Blanton Hartsell, Bob Kendrick, Jerry Livingston, Rufus Lusk, Keith Patzer, Hollis Payne, Harold Reese, Wayne Russell, Fred Thaxton, Don Chesshir and two guests, Nick Long and Beulah Friedman.

Our next meeting will be June 3, at Lighthouse Electric.

Boone Adams led the group in "Happy Trails" to close the meeting for the evening.

# Buffalo Grass Chapter NSDAR hold meeting

By Loretta Denning

FLOYDADA - Buffalo Grass Services were held Tuesday, April Chapter NSDAR met April 23, at the 23, 1996 at Turrentine-Jackson Fu- Floyd County Historical Museum in neral Home in McKinney, Texas for Floydada. Mrs. Dorothy Hodges, Regent, called the meeting to order. Rilla Sue Woody read the President General's report.

June Sherman gave a short review of the Anti-terrorism Bill which was passed by Congress recently. This was the report for National Defense.

The plans for the open house at the

museum on May 24, and arrange- ning. ments for the Wild Flower show for June Sherman directed a genealogi-Old Settler's Day, as well as the con- cal library workshop. Several books tinuation of open house on Saturday, were indexed and filed in the proper were all discussed, and those who can, will be working at this time.

The hostesses, Virginia Taylor and Carolyn Cunningham, served refreshments to Vera Jo Bybee, Gene Reed, Mary Lou Bollman, Dorothy Hodges, Ona Ruth Neff, Ruth Burleson, Nancy Marble, June Sherman, Rilla Sue Woody, Sue Parson, and Loretta Den-

places, and the family history records also were arranged in proper order.

The next meeting will be May 28 at 6:30 p.m. at Lighthouse Electric. This will be a salad supper. The memorial program will be led by the Chaplain, Loretta Denning. Nancy Marble and Sherry Colston will be



AWARD WINNERS--Piano students of Mrs. Dell Gray who were presented with awards at the Spring Recital on April 13 were (l-r) Rachel Griffin (Tie-1st Place, Most Excellents, Most Scales Progress), Jamie McGuire (Tie-2nd Place), Kristan Lackey (Runnerup: Most Excellents, Tie-3rd Place), Molly Long (Tie, 3rd Place), Mrs. Gray, Kristen Leon (Tie-2nd Place), Meghan Graham (Honorable Mention), Tonya Marr (Tie-1st Place), Skyler Marr (Henry Slaughter Award, Tie-3rd Place).

# Announcements

CLASS OF '76 MEETING

The FHS Class of '76 will be having a meeting, Thursday, May 9, at 7 p.m. in the community room of the First National Bank of Floydada, to finalize plans for the 20th Reunion.

LOCKNEY LITTLE LEAGUE CUB SCOUT FUND RAISER

The Cub Scouts and Little League will have their annual cake auction, Saturday, May 11, at 7:30 p.m. at Lockney Elementary. Proceeds benefit the two organizations.

MEMORIAL SERVICE NAMES NEEDED

Anyone who has had a relative who has died and not been mentioned in the obituaries in the Lubbock paper or this newspaper, should contact Flora McNeill, at 983-3911, so the name can be included in the Old Settlers memorial service.

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

There will be a meeting of the Floyd County Friends of the Library on Monday, May 13, at 5:00 p.m. in the Lighthouse Electric community room. All members and prospective members are urged to attend this meeting.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

The American Cancer Society Floyd County Unit will meet Monday, May 13, at 5 p.m. in the community room of the First National Bank of Floydada.

PROMISE KEEPERS

There will be a Promise Keepers meeting Tuesday, May 14, at 7:30 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Lockney.

**RURAL NURSE** 

RESOURCE, INC. Rural Nurse Resource, Inc. (RNR), a nonprofit organization that provides health and safety education, will have a Certified Nurse Aide (CNA) Class. The CNA class will train individuals to care for patients in the Nursing Home, Hospice, Home Health, and private care setting. It is 6 weeks long and is limited to 12 students. The course starts on Saturday, June 1, 1996 with a Community CPR/First Aid Class. Registration began on May 2, and will last through May 24.

CNA classes will be held at the RNR office and training center in the NE wing of the closed Caprock Hospital building located at 901 W. Crockett in Floydada. To receive an application packet or for more information call RNR's office at 983-8096.

**RURAL NURSE** RESOURCE, INC.

Rural Nurse Resource, Inc. (RNR), a nonprofit organization that provides health and safety education, will have an American Red Cross community CPR/First Aid Class on June 1, 1996. The class will be from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. It will be held at RNR's office and training center in the NE wing of the closed Caprock Hospital building located at 901 W. Crockett in Floydada. For more information or to sign up, call 983-8096.

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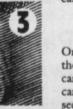
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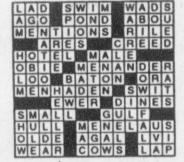
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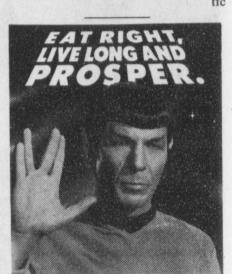
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Quotations should be submitted to the main office just south of Lake Mackenzie or mailed to Mackenzie Municipal Water Authority, Rt. 1. Box 14, Silverton, Tx. 79257.

Quotations will be accepted until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, May 28, 1996.

Mackenzie Municipal Water Authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all quotations and, or waive any information.

#### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Notice of opportunity to make comments or request a public hearing is hereby given by Caprock Community Action Assn., Inc. on the continuation of rural public transportation services within Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, King, Motley, and Hale Counties. Financial assistance to provide this service is being sought from the Federal Transit Administration through the Texas Department of Transportation in the amount of \$483,066.00. Service will be for the general public, will be demand response, and fares will be charged for the service. Additional vehicles will not be required to provide this service. Written comments or a written request for a public hearing are being accepted at Caprock Community Action Association, Inc., 224 S. Berkshire, Crosbyton, Texas until June 7, 1996. Further information can be obtained at 224 S. Berkshire, Crosbyton, Texas.

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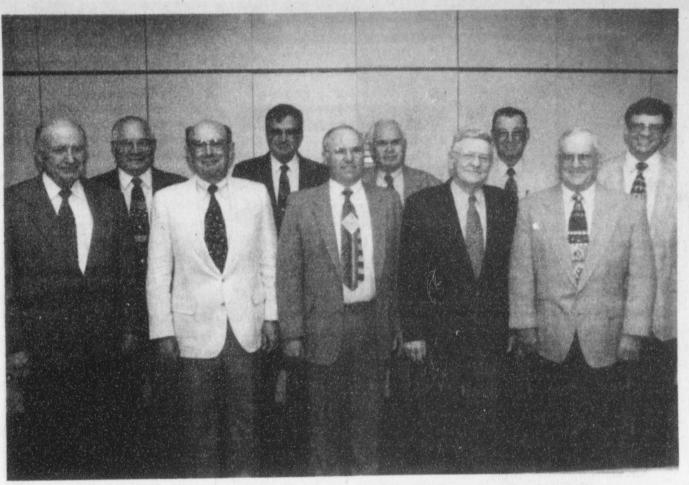
The City of Floydada will conduct a final public hearing on its 1994 Texas Community Development Program Water Improvement Grant May 16, 1996 at 7:30 P.M. The meeting will be held at City Hall, 114 W. Virginia Street, Floydada, Texas. Topics to be discussed are completion of water lines and expenditure of grant and local funds.

The City encourages recipients of the project as well as other interested citizens to participate in the hearing. Citizens unable to attend this meeting may submit their views and comments to Sharon Quisenberry, City Secretary. Handicapped individuals that wish to attend this meeting should contact City Hall to arrange for assistance. Individuals who require auxiliary aids or services for this meeting should contact City Hall at least two days before the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made. If anyone interested in attending the public hearing requires a translator, please contact the City Hall office prior to the public hearing so arrangements may be made All written comments will be addressed in writing within fifteen days after public hearing.

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# Farm News



LIGHTHOUSE OFFICIALS--Lighthouse Electric Company officials for the coming year include: (left to right)attorney Harry Jung, board president Louis Lloyd, secretary Gaylord Groce, Jerrold Vinson,

Ronald Mullin, Don Bean, vice president L. B. Brandes, Harold Burk, Jimmy Bownds, and general manager Bill Harbin.

-- Staff photo

# Farm bill brings sweeping changes

ing changes away from depressionera government supports, but the dust will settle with income bolstering market strategies, Texas A&M Agriculture Program officials believe.

"The greatest demand will be for programs that teach marketing techniques such as forming marketing clubs and hedging," said Dr. James Richardson, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station policy economist. "We're not telling anyone to fold the tent and go home."

The Farm Bill outlines a historical transition in policy away from the subsidies provided by government to maintain steady farm incomes to the so-called "right to farm" measure that allows producers to make decisions as support payments are phased out over a seven year period.

The measure will save an estimated \$13.2 billion over that time, and some fear that the savings for taxpayers will come at the expense of lost farms. But Agriculture Program leaders said planning in advance and trying new ventures can reduce the chance for

"Our whole effort is in the strategic opportunities and looking at solutions for agriculture producers, agribusinesses and rural communities," said Dr. Ed Hiler, vice chancellor and dean of agriculture at Texas A&M. "We are committed to contributing to the solutions, and we have some experience already with that type of situation."

Hiler noted that when wool and mohair producers lost their government support programs a few years ago, the Agriculture Program through its Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and Texas Agricultural Extension Service agencies worked with the state's producers to get a marketing co-operative and processing plant put together.

"There is no question that this new farm bill will lead to more valueadded opportunities for Texas producers," Hiler said. "And that is something that we've been pushing for years."

Richardson said the new bill means a completely new way of decision making for producers. And, he said, without the guaranteed price supports from government, the variability of Texas farm income is likely to increase by some 30 percent, meaning farm income could be at times onethird less or one-third higher depending on market and world events.

"We will have to find new ways of balancing the risk," he said. "We have to come up with better marketing strategies."

For cotton growers, the governmental transition payments will taper off from about 9 cents per pound this year to 5 cents per pound by the year 2002, he said.

Richardson said that the state's producers probably will not begin to feel the effect of the new measure until the turn of the century, but that gives growers about three years to make changes to secure their operations.

"There will be significant structural pressure on moderate-sized farms," Richardson said. "And the greatest

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The 1996 Farm Bill brings sweep- pressure will be on wheat, rice, cot-

He said farmers and commodity ton, peanuts and dairy farms. Those groups need to increase their emphaare the ones that need to start plan- sis on international markets, for ex-



HORSE JUDGING TEAM PLACES IN CONTEST -- Jr. 2 4-H Horse Judging Team members (l-r) Tyler Phillips, Kacie Young and Tasha Powell placed 2nd in the District 2 4-H Horse Judging Contest held recently in Canyon. Kacie placed 3rd in halter, and the team placed 1st in halter. Tyler placed 2nd in performance and the team placed 2nd in performance. Tyler was the 3rd High Individual overall in the Jr. 2 contest.



AREN'T I PRETTY -- Larry and Jill Golden of Aiken, showed this Llama to a Grand Championship at the Houston Live Stock Show. He was also shown at the San Antonio Livestock Show and was also named Grand -- Courtesy Photo Champion in that event.

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# Farm Service Agency takes action to help livestock industry with programs

has taken action to ensure the future stock. Ray Joe Riley, Chairperson of of the livestock industry in Texas. Texas farmers and ranchers have been Committee stated, "Emergency Grazapproved for livestock assistance under several programs that will give until September 30, unless there is producers who have suffered severe substantial improvement in pasture losses due to drought a chance for the future, according to Harold Bob Bennett, State Executive Director of the Farm Service Agency.

"Texas farmers and ranchers are receiving the earliest assistance ever provided by the USDA. The Farm Service Agency is committed to ensuring that Texas producers receive every possible benefit available to assist them in overcoming the emergency that has been created by severe drought", Bennett said.

The Texas State FSA Office began obtaining USDA approval of livestock assistance in January 1996. 53 Counties were approved for emergency grazing of Conservation Re-

the Texas State Farm Service Agency ing will continue in these counties conditions." Mr. Riley indicated that special consideration was made to ensure that there were no adverse environmental impacts of grazing CRP.

On February 23, 1996, President Clinton declared an emergency in the State of Texas, based on damage and losses caused by extreme fire hazards.

laration, 115 Texas counties have this emergency." been declared eligible for FSA Emersuring the safety of threatened com- sible date. munities.

assistance as early as possible. Most cal office of the Farm Service Agency.

The USDA's Farm Service Agency serve Acreage to provide feed for live- Texas counties were ineligible for emergency livestock assistance until after March 1, due to the normal grazing dates for pasture. Since March 1, the Texas State FSA Committee has taken action that has resulted in 218 Texas Counties being eligible for emergency livestock assistance through May 31, 1996. "Texas farmers and ranchers have

suffered significant losses due to the drought that has plagued the entire state," said Bennett. "The employees and committees of the Farm Service Agency are committed to helping as As a result of this emergency dec- many producers as possible through

The Farm Service Agency contingency Loan assistance. In addition, ues to work with the office of the these counties received special USDA Governor and is taking steps to proassistance for fighting fires and en- vide drought relief at the earliest pos-

For more information concerning USDA has continued to provide drought assistance, contact your lo-

# Farmers need Mother Natures help

By Shawn Wade Planting time has arrived and High Plains cotton producers will be looking for Mother Nature's help in getting the 1996 crop off to a healthy

According to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG) the majority of the area's dryland cotton acreage appears to have good sub-soil moisture. The situation of most concern right now is the moisture contained in the top 6-12 inches of the soil profile.

Producers are waiting for a "planting rain" to help them get the crop established. The majority of cotton on the High Plains is typically planted during the month of May. It is expected that the majority of the area's. irrigated acreage will be planted during the optimum planting period.

Dryland producers have less leeway, but should be able to stretch the planting window. Hopefully, the rainfall they need will come in the next thirty days. According to the Texas Agricultural Extension Service sign-up period. Specialist Kater Hake.

about the 1996 crop's yield potential." explains Hake. "In the dryland areas south of Lubbock we have a much better subsoil moisture situation than we did one year ago. Irrigated acreage should continue to have good potential barring an outbreak of detrimental weather or higher than expected insect pressure.'

Hake cautions that the area still has a long way to go before the end of the season

Sign-up for the newly enacted Mar- ture that we have." ket Transition Program has been that has participated in at least one of 3.2 million acres. Approximately 50 the past 5 years is eligible to be in- percent of the area's cotton acres are cluded. This ONE TIME sign-up pe- now considered irrigated. This shift riod ends July 12.

Producers signing the seven-year contract with USDA are guaranteed fixed, but declining, payments on contract acreage through the year 2002. Specific provisions are still being developed by USDA and should be ready by the start of the

be published as it becomes available. (TAEX), dryland cotton planted through the end of May can maintain most of its yield potential.

"The majority of our area has received only about one-half inch of precipitation during the first four months of 1996," explains Donald Johnson, PCG Executive Vice President. "We need rain and we need to get it before the end of this month to take full advantage of the deep mois-

Planted cotton acreage for the area scheduled to begin May 20. Acreage is estimated to be close to last year's from dryland to irrigated is the result of an upswing in the utilization of higher efficiency pivot irrigation sys-

So far it appears less than 15 percent of the area's crop has been planted to date. The majority of this acreage is concentrated in the southern half of the area. The next week to More detailed information about ten days should bring out even more 'Right now I am fairly optimistic the Market Transition Program will planters according to TAEX Cotton



STOCK SHOW PARTICIPANTS -- Floydada youth participating in the Rolling Plains Championship Steer Show at Seymour included: (left to right) Stacey Lloyd who earned a Brangus Breed Championship and Reserve Breed Championship, Tye Wood who won 3rd place in All Other Breeds, Mandi Wood who was Red Angus Reserve Breed Champion, Kelli Bertrand who won Hereford Reserve Breed Champion, and Todd Hinsley who showed the Reserve Breed Champion in Simmental and Chianina and the All Other Breeds Champion. Not pictured is Jurahee Jones who was 2nd place in Angus and Shorthorn Breeds as well as 7th in Herefords.

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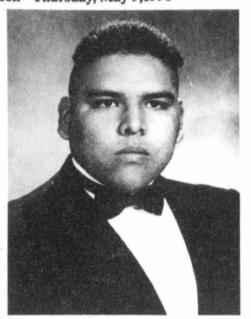
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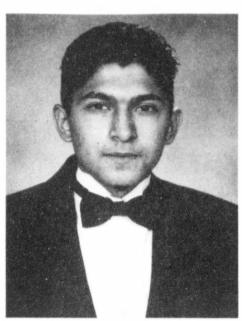
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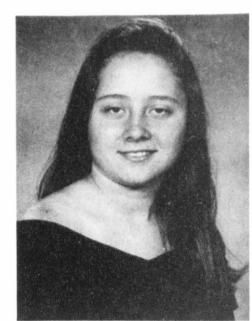
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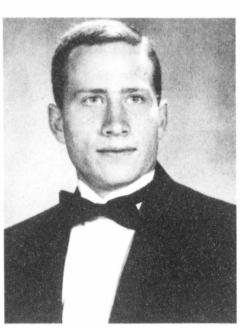
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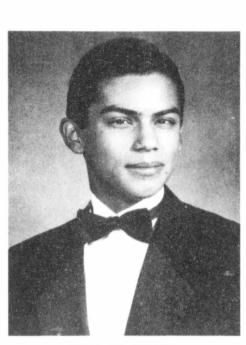
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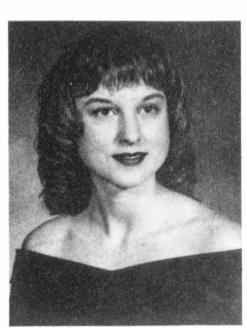
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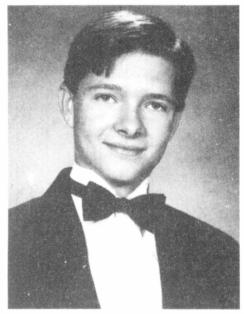
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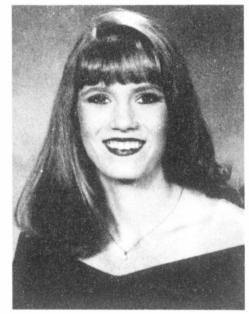
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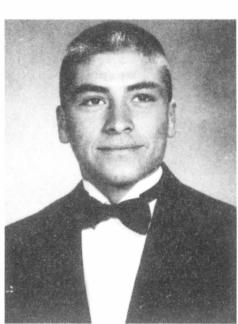
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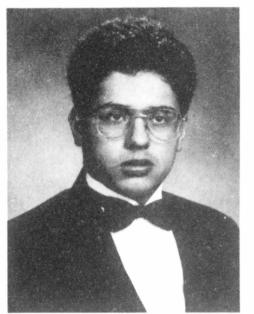
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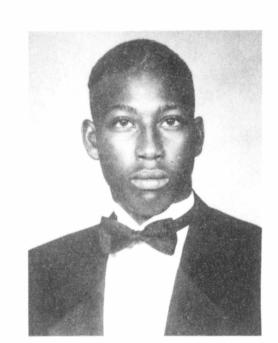
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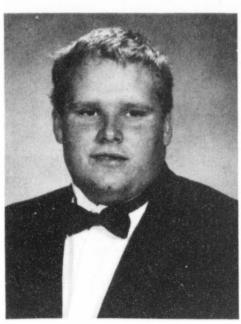
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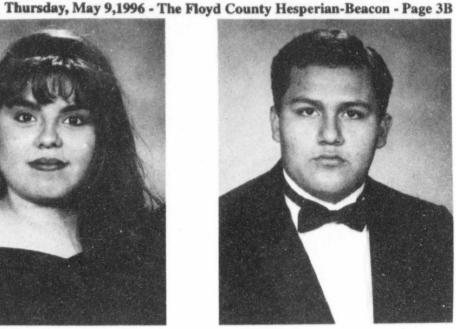
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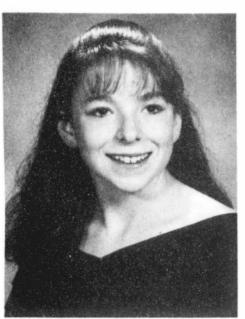
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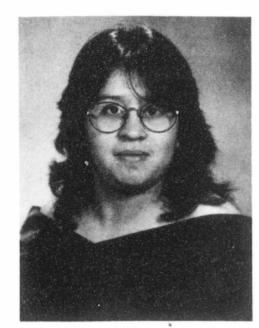
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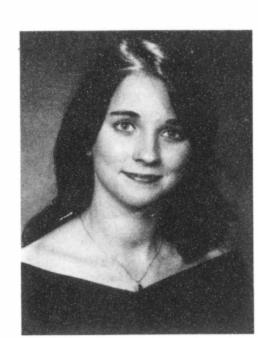
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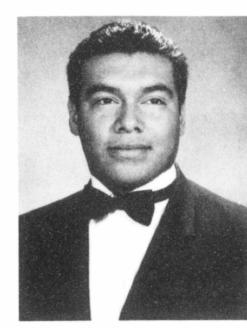
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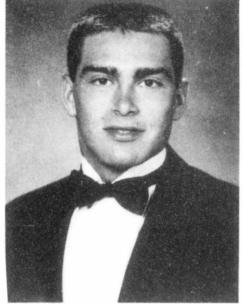
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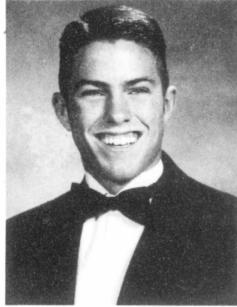
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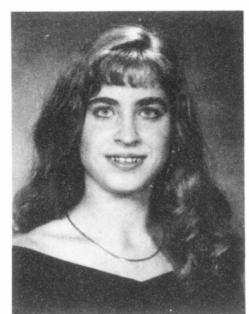
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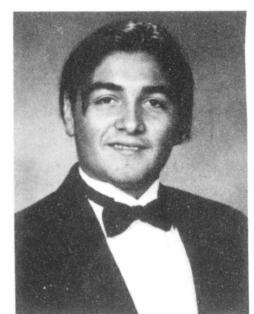
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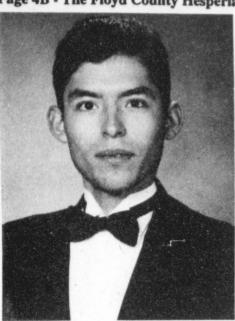
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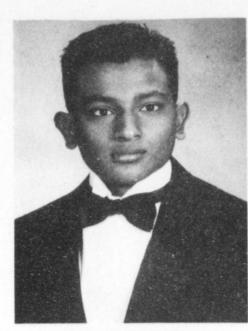
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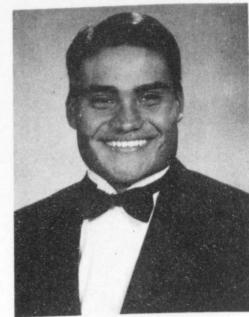
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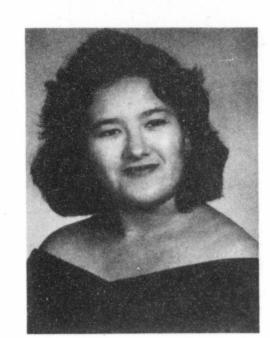
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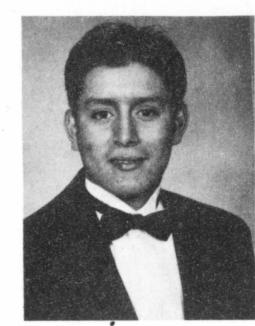
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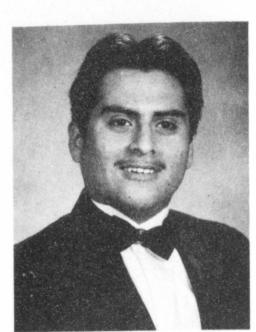
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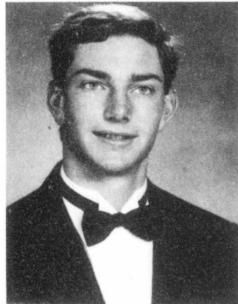
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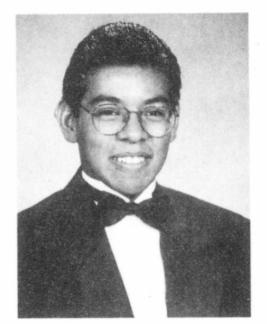
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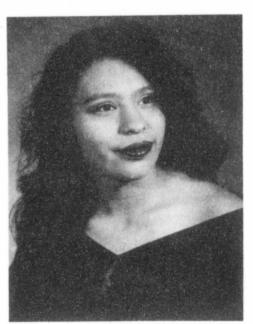
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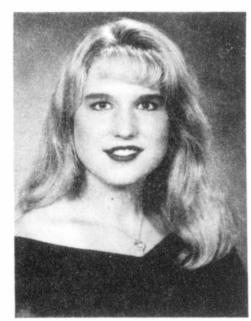
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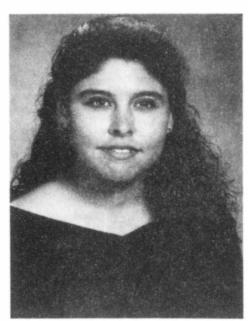
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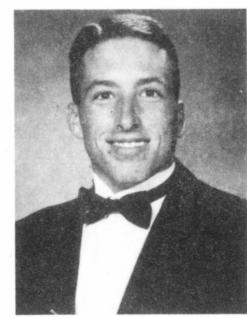
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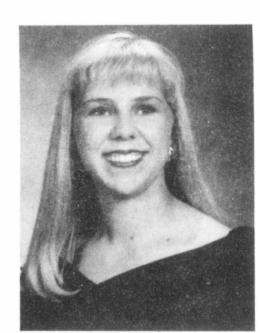
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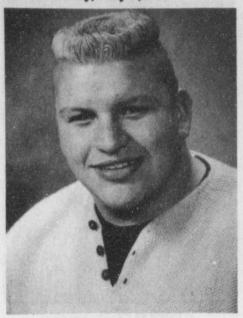
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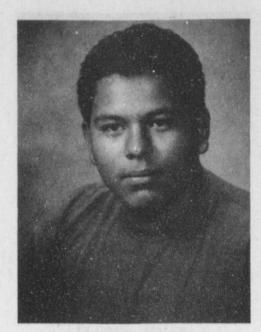
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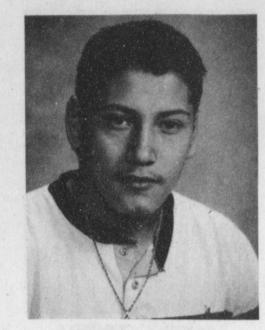
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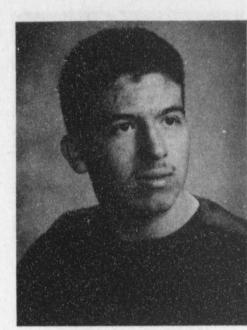
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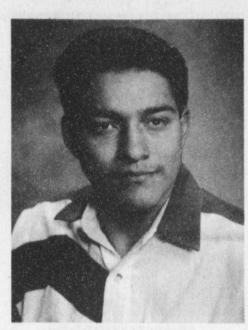
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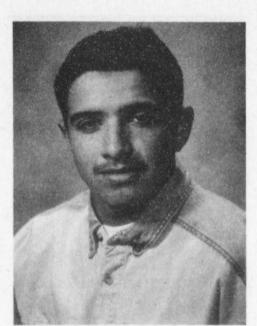
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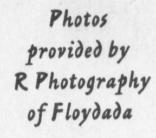
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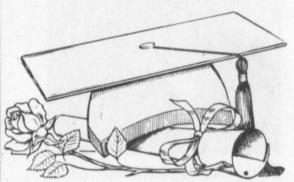


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