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## Punkin Day returns

Yearly festival brings crowds to Floydada

FLOYDADA--Food, games, entertainment, bargain shopping and lots of laughter are guaranteed products of Floydada's Punkin Day Festival.

The festival kicks off Saturday with the 5K run and the opening of the Arts and Crafts Booths at 9:00 a.m.

Anyone wishing to enter the 5K, Fun Run or Stroller Race should pre-register at 8:30 a.m. at the Farm Bureau office.

Also the pumpkin entries for best baked, best decorated, biggest, smallest, prettiest and ugliest should be entered under the pavilion by 8:30 a.m.

As in years past there is always a chance to win money at the festival. You could win \$25.00 in the "Guess The Weight of the Pumpkins" contest or take your chances on \$1,000 in the Cow Patty Bingo contest.

The Punkin Day Committee has taken extra steps this year to provide a variety of entertainment under the pavilion around lunchtime.

According to the organizers, "persons of various backgrounds" will compete for the notorious title of "Miss Punkin Patch."

If you look close you may actually

### Used book sale to benefit local library

Floyd County Friends of the Library volunteers have been busy preparing for the big used book sale to be held during Pumpkin Days. According to Friends president, Joyce Lipham, proceeds of the sale will be used to support efforts to build a new Floyd County Library that will be more accessible and better able to serve the needs of the community than the present library, located on the second floor of the County Courthouse.

Thousands of donated books will be available for purchase at bargain prices. Titles available range from those suitable for very young children to adult works, and include light fiction, classics, and non-fiction.

Friends of the Library invites all members of the community to drop by the First National Bank Community Room this Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, pick out some good books, and make a donation by your purchase to a very worthy community project. The sale will be open from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Thursday and Friday, and from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday.

### Fajita Feast to help the Floyd County Friends

All proceeds from a Fajita Feast cooked by El Rancho Restaurant in Floydada will go to the Floyd County Friends and the Multi-Purpose Center project.

The Feast will be served on Sunday, November 17, at Duncan Elementary. Tickets can be purchased at the door or in advance, from a Floyd County Friends Board member.

"We are thankful to El Rancho owners, Barney and Ricky Reyes," said Friends President Nick Long.

"We are also grateful to Friends Board Member Billy Colston. He lined this all up."

Tickets to the feast will be \$6.25 for adults; \$4.00 for children 11 and up; and free for children 3 and under. The Fajita Feast will include all the trimmings of a Fajita meal, such as beans, rice, guacamole, tortillas and hot sauce.

Because of the harvest work currently in progress take-out meals will be offered.

"We will serve up to 500 people," said Long.

"We hope the public marks this day on their calendar. We currently have \$84,000 in cash and pledges and we are working hard to get that number above the 6 figure mark.

"We are so thankful that a business is offering this type of fund raiser."

recognize some of the contestants. To enter the pageant report to the pavilion before noon, October 26 in your choice of attire. Give a printed or typed description of yourself to Judy Dunlap to be read during modeling. Demonstrate your special talent and be prepared to answer an interview question.

Other entertainment will be provided by Jurahee Jones and Lana McCandless, of Floydada, who will perform their unique rendition of "Love Potion Number Nine" and "Wild Thang".

Shannon Edwards Beard will display power tumbling skills and 15-year-old country music singer, Kallie Rogers, of Ralls, will complete the noon entertainment.

Rogers is the granddaughter of Frank and Helen Breed and has performed in jamborees, the Cactus Theatre, Ralls Cotton Boll Pageant, talent shows and Acuff Steak House.

The famous Fat Man's Race has been replaced by the Stroller Race. The Stroller Race will be separate from the Fun Run this year and will run the same course as previous fat men (around the courthouse square).

Decorated or undecorated strollers equipped with pumpkins, dolls or even real babies are permitted. There is a \$15.00 entry fee to participate in the stroller race (or any of the other races), but the cost will cover a race T-shirt. You will need to sign up for the race by filling out an entry form and bringing it to the Farm Bureau the day of the race.

#### KIDS GAMES

All the favorite kid's games will return and Cargill's Pedal Tractor Pull will also be going on throughout the

day.

Every age is considered in the games and no one can get away from the festival without trying one of the games. There is pumpkin seed spitting, pumpkin drawing, pumpkin carving, pumpkin toss, pumpkin bowling and pumpkin rolling.

The classic and hilarious wheelbarrow race begins at 3:30 followed by Rotary's Pumpkin Pie Relay Race.

#### COSTUME CONTEST & TRUNK OR TREAT

Because of large crowds Punkin Day organizers need everyone who wants to be in the Costume Contest at the High School by 5:00 p.m.

The Costume Contest begins at 5:30 p.m. and must be over by 6:30 p.m.

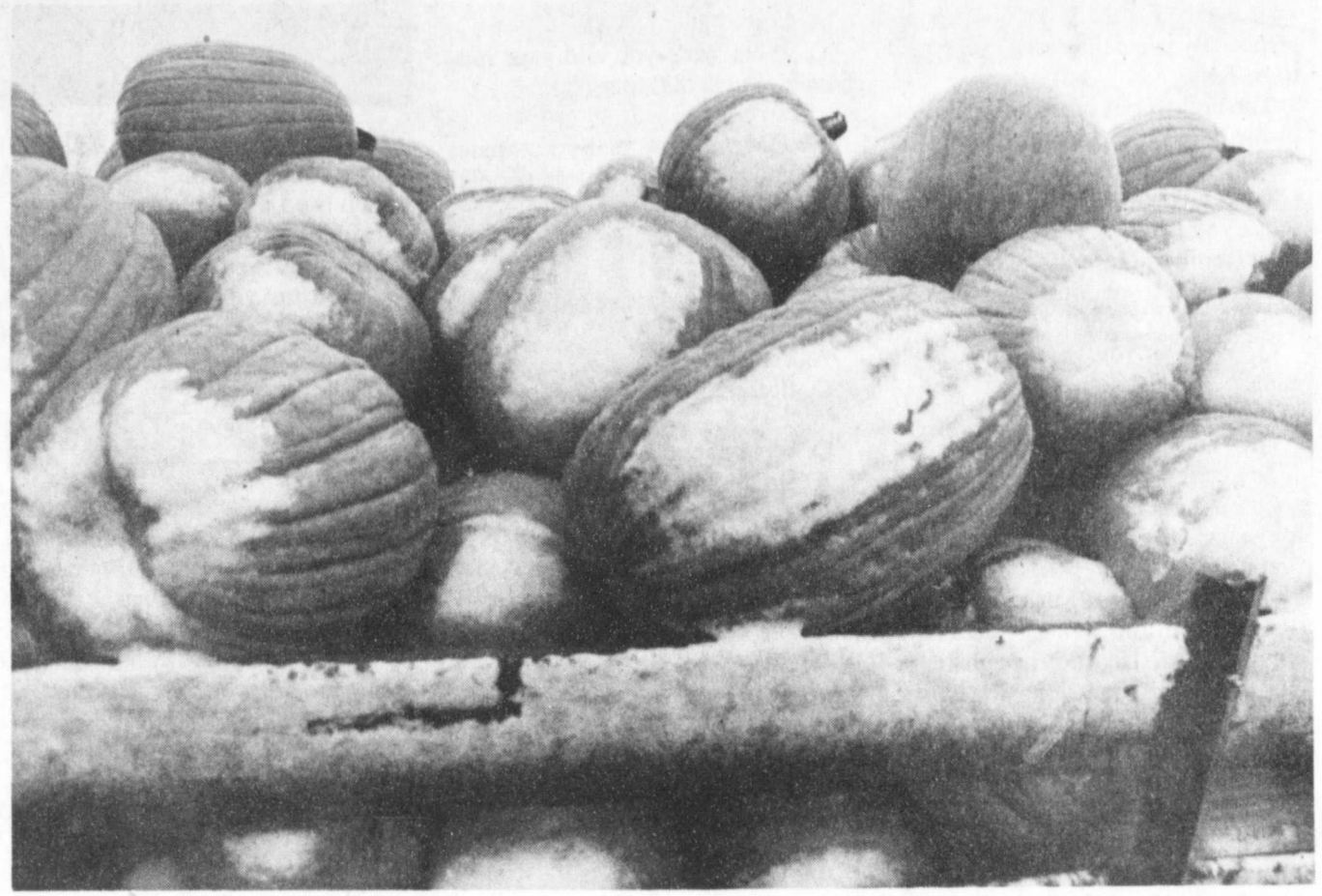
Trunk or Treating begins at 6:00 p.m. and will end at 8:00 p.m. Ghosts and goblins should follow the walking path at the High School park. A variety of vehicles will be parked along the path and volunteers will pass out candy. Only children in grades 6 and under are allowed to accept candy.

Candy or money donations are still needed for the Trunk or Treat event. Any business or individual who wants to help out should call the Floydada Chamber of Commerce.

Antique farm implements and motorcycle clubs will also be on display Saturday.

The 1990 Study Club will have a Halloween Carnival at the Massie, from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. and KFLP will have a Youth Street Dance from 9:00 - 12:00 p.m.

A complete Punkin Day Schedule, sponsored by The First National Bank of Floydada, can be found on page 3.



FROST ON THE PUMPKIN--Snow and sleet on Monday left snow in the fields and on pumpkins waiting for shipping. Although Energas' official tempera-

ture was 37 degrees many outside the city reported experiencing their first freeze early Tuesday morning. Staff Photo

## Extension agent hired

A new County Extension Agent, J.D. Ragland, was hired by the Floyd County Commissioners on Friday, October 18.

Ragland, 32, is currently Castro County Extension Agent. He has served in that position for 6 years.

A native of Ralls, Ragland graduated Ralls High School and then attended Tarleton State University. He graduated from Tarleton State in 1986 with a degree in Agriculture.

While serving as the Assistant County Agent in Randall County,

Ragland earned his Master's degree in Agriculture from West Texas A&M in Canyon.

With a move to Floyd County, Ragland will be closer to his parents who still live in Ralls.

"I grew up on a cotton farm," said Ragland. "As a youngster I was part of the 4-H program and participated in the beef, lamb and swine projects. "I'm looking forward to working with the folks in Floyd County. I don't have any immediate plans. I just want to get my feet wet first and go from

there." Ragland's first official day is November 15th.

### Daylight Savings Time

Ends

Sunday, Oct. 27

Turn your

clocks back



### Shooting of dog draws complaint

By Juanita Stepp

FLOYDADA — Floydada City Council members listened as a local resident, Tonia McMurrian, presented a complaint regarding the death of her dog recently. The incident occurred when a city police officer answered a complaint alleging the animal would not allow a neighbor go to the dumpster in the alley.

According to the statement made by Mrs. McMurrian at the Thursday, October 17 session, she felt Police Officer Harold Snell's shooting the dog was inappropriate. McMurrian told the council she thought animal control should have been called and allowed to handle the matter.

Her husband stated the dog had never bitten anyone nor had anyone ever complained about the animal although another dog at the residence had been the subject of previous complaints. Mr. McMurrian said Officer Snell should have returned to his patrol car when the dog growled and barked at him and called animal control.

Karen Houchin, City Attorney, advised the council to make no statements and conduct no discussion of the matter at this time. She advised that as the city's legal counsel, she would look into the matter and make a report back to the council.

Mayor Hulon Carthel suggested utilizing a free mediation service available through South Plains Area Governments (SPAG). This would allow an impartial mediator to hear both sides of the issue and make a recommendation for resolution. The McMurrians and the council agreed to the suggestion.

Council members reappointed several representatives whose terms on city boards expire in October. Ralph Jackson and Barbara Gilliland were reappointed to serve on the Planning and Zoning Commission and Board of Adjustment. Charles Craig, Jeff Johnson, L.B. Stewart, and Bill Brown were reappointed to serve on the Airport Board. All appointments are for two-year terms.

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### Floydada school receives portion of grant from AT&T

The Floydada School District will be the recipient of a portion of a \$200,000 grant given to The Institute of Texas Cultures by AT&T.

The grant is for the development of multicultural education programs in six large and small Texas cities. Dallas, San Antonio, Nacogdoches, Odessa and Brownsville will also benefit from the grant.

"We don't know yet how much money will be available to Floydada," said Floydada Superintendent Jerry Cannon. "We plan to use our funds to help train our teachers in the better use of technology in the classrooms and in developing multi-cultural understanding. We feel it will help the teachers and the children and we are very grateful to AT&T."

The grant announcement was made by AT&T on September 18. On October 18 local school officials attended a videoconference at the Region XVII Education Service Center to receive recognition for their award.

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PUMPKINS AT WORK--This pumpkin farmer appears to be trying to get his pumpkin horse to pull the pumpkin trailer out of the yard on 2nd Street in

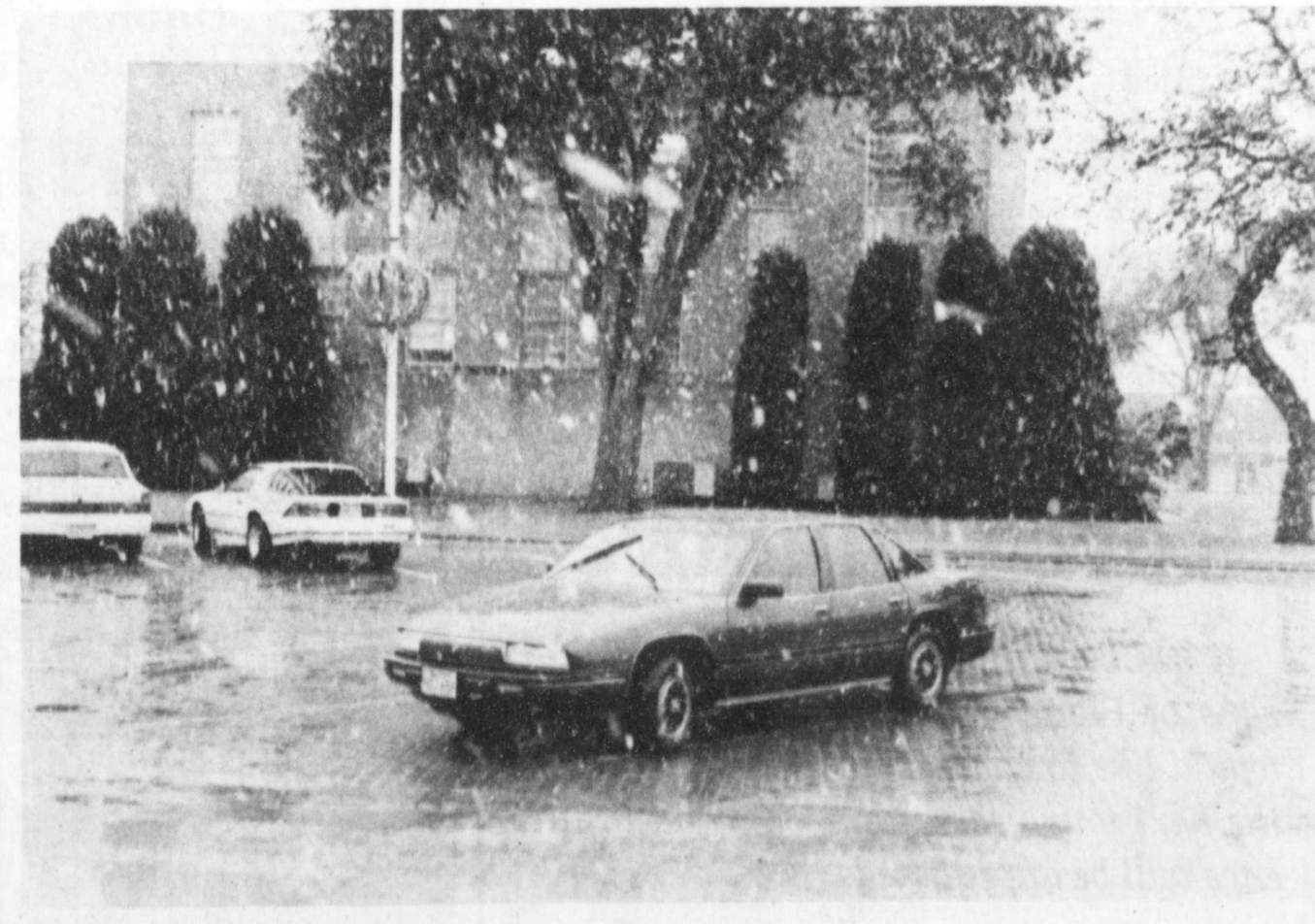
Floydada. They hadn't made much progress by the end of the day. Staff Photo

### All Courthouse Intersections to be 4-Way Stops

FLOYDADA -- Beginning Monday, November 4, 1996, the traffic control lights at the corners of California - Wall, and Missouri-Main, will be changed to a 4-way stop. This action is being taken to provide better safety at these intersections.

All four intersections around the Floyd County Courthouse will now be 4-way stops.

Motorists are reminded to drive cautiously and courteously when approaching these intersections because it may take some time before all motorists get used to stopping at these corners.



SNOW FLURRIES in downtown Floydada, October 21 did not stick to the pavement but did leave a slight

covering of snow in the fields outside the city limits. Staff Photo



**BY THE WAY**



By  
Alice Gilroy

The funniest stories are always the ones that are true life.

Some of the funniest stories are the ones that come out of the courtroom—especially when they aren't supposed to be funny.

The courtroom bloopers collected in the books, "Humor in Court" and "More Humor in Court", by Mary Louise Gilman, are guaranteed to make you laugh.

Remember, these are actual statements taken from court transcripts:

Q. What is your brother-in-law's name?

A. Borofkin

Q. What's his first name?

A. I can't remember.

Q. He's been your brother-in-law for years, and you can't remember his first name?

A. No, I tell you I'm too excited. (Rising from the witness chair and pointing to Mr. Borofkin). Nathan, for God's sake, tell them your first name!

Q. Did you ever stay all night with this man in New York?

A. I refuse to answer that question.

Q. Did you ever stay all night with this man in Chicago?

A. I refuse to answer that question.

Q. Did you ever stay all night with this man in Miami?

A. No.

Q. Doctor, did you say he was shot in the woods?

A. No, I said he was shot in the lumbar region.

Q. How did you happen to go to Dr. Cherney?

A. Well, a gal down the road had had several of her children by Dr. Cherney, and said he was really good.

Q. Do you know how far pregnant you are right now?

A. I will be three months Novem-

ber 8th.

Q. Apparently then, the date of conception was August 8th?

A. Yes.

Q. What were you and your husband doing at that time?

Q. Doctor, how many autopsies have you performed on dead people?

A. All my autopsies have been performed on dead people.

Q. Were you acquainted with the deceased?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Before or after he died?

Q. What happened then?

A. He told me, he says, "I have to kill you because you can identify me."

Q. Did he kill you?

A. No.

Q. Did he pick the dog up by the ears?

A. No.

Q. What was he doing with the dog's ears?

A. Picking them up in the air.

Q. Where was the dog at this time?

A. Attached to the ears.

Q. When he went, had you gone and had she, if she wanted to and were able, for the time being excluding all the restraints on her not to go, gone also, would he have brought you, meaning you and she, with him to the station?

MR. BROOKS: Objection. That question should be taken out and shot.

More next week!

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Don't forget to come to Floydada and enjoy the Punkin Day activities.

Lots of people have been working hard to ensure you a good time!

Come out and enjoy the food, games and great shopping!



**THORNTON HONORED FOR YEARS OF SERVICE**—Owen Thornton of Lockney was honored for his 26 years of service as a Director on the Lake Mackenzie Water Board at the October board meeting. President of the Board, Ed Norris of Silverton, presented the plaque to Thornton. It reads: "We greatly appreciate your pioneer service and the contribution you have made to Lake Mackenzie by serving on the board of directors." Thornton was a charter member of the board and served as one of Lockney's representatives from 1970 to 1996. Staff Photo

**Floydada Police**

October 11, at 11:55 p.m. police were called to a fight in progress in the alley at the Subway Shop. Two men were separated. One was a 14 year old and was released to juvenile officers and another, Ubaldo Dondiego Chavez, 18, was charged with Disorderly Conduct.

Also on October 11, at 8:15 p.m., police were alerted to a fight in the football stands. A woman, Monica Henderson, 19, was arrested for Disorderly Conduct.

October 12 police answered a call of a fight in progress in the 100 block of W. Tennessee. After arriving at the scene police arrested George Rosa, 29, and charged him with Disorderly Conduct.

October 13 police took a report of vandalism to the glass sign in front of the First Baptist Church in Floydada. The glass was broken sometime after 10:00 p.m. on October 12.

Also on October 13, at 4:16 a.m. a police officer on patrol noticed two vehicles in the 100 block of J.B. Ave. which had been vandalized. Obscene words were written on the cars, eggs were smashed into the paint and shoe polish was on the vehicles.

October 20, at 2:59 a.m. police stopped a vehicle in the 400 block of W. Lee. The driver, Guadalupe Garcia Vargas, 24, was subsequently arrested for DWI-2nd.

October 20, at 10:00 p.m., police received a complaint from a woman that her husband Remijio Tamayo, 32, had assaulted her. Tamayo was arrested and charged with Domestic Assault.

According to Police Chief James Hale the police department is investigating several incidents where young ladies, between the ages of 13-16, did not come home after school, after dances or after ball games. "We spent a great deal of time looking for the girls," said Hale, "and all the information we have shows them at some time in the residence of a 19 year old man living in Plainview. The case is being turned over to the county attorney to see if he will pursue charges of enticing a child."

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**Letter to the Editor**

I recently attended the Lockney High School Homecoming. I was in the class of 1940. Thank you for your excellent coverage of the homecoming.

I also want to thank all those wonderful people who labored so hard and long to make the homecoming happen.

Seeing your paper brought back many memories for me. My father, Wallace Harper Scoggins, was principal of Floydada High School back in the late 1920s. My mother, Gertrude Friend Scoggins, wrote numerous articles for the Hesperian. In addition she shared many of the poems she wrote with the Hesperian

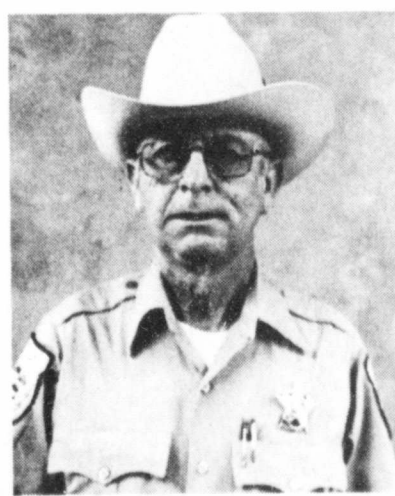
Our roots run deep in Floyd County. My great grandfather Harper purchased three sections of land in eastern and southeastern Floyd County in 1902 for \$2.50 per acre. My daughters still own 320 acres of that land.

During the depression my mother often wrote poetry for special occasions and gave them as gifts. Alas, she never made copies. So if anyone has copies of any of this poetry, I would be delighted to have a copy of them. Will pay copying and postage costs.

Sincerely,  
Merle F. Scoggins  
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**Royce Gilmore**

It has been a pleasure serving the citizens of Floyd County as Sheriff and I would like to continue as your Sheriff for the next four years. Your vote and Influence will be appreciated.

Pol. Adv. Pd. for by the Floyd County Democratic Party

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# The Lamplighter

By Ken Towery

Now that the Governor's tax commission has completed its hearings, what will come next?

From what we have been able to read about the hearings, held in various meetings across the state, nothing really conclusive has evolved. Nearly everybody had something bad to say about the overall tax situation (as have we, over many years), but not many people had a solution they were willing to share, at least not one that wasn't almost immediately shot down by somebody else. So what are we going to do?

One thing we are not going to do is see very much in the way of leadership on the part of our state officials. If some sort of "grass roots" opinion gets on any particular approach, that approach will find many champions in the statehouse. But very few of them, including the Governor, seemed inclined to go out on a limb and say "this is the way we ought to go." They will all say, quickly, that a state income tax is not the way to go, and they all say, quickly, that something ought to be done about the property tax. But that is about where agreement ends.

So in view of that, we will return to a suggestion we made several years ago, much to the chagrin of some elected officials in larger cities, and to modest approval from some in smaller communities. But first, a bit of background.

Texas currently has a state sales tax on certain goods and services. Additionally, state law allows political subdivisions to enact an additional tax on sales of those goods and services. That tax is collected at the point of sale. Fine. No problem. But then the additional tax, usually on the order of one percent, is returned by the state to the localities where it was collected, and where it is usually placed in the general revenue fund for use in various services such as police protection, or whatever.

Therein lies the problem, as we see it. That particular approach leads to several fundamental problems, considering the whole of Texas society. It not only allows, it encourages, the growth of poverty in our smaller towns and the accumulation of relative wealth in our larger cities. It makes it necessary for smaller communities to rely more heavily on other taxes as a source of revenue. The smaller communities have little besides property to tax, and even their tax base, in many cases, becomes less and less as more small businesses are driven out of business by huge discount warehouses in larger, adjoining, metropolitan areas. Discount warehouses, we might add, as well as manufacturing plants, that were drawn there by tax abatements given by city authorities anxious to see their own sales tax rebates grow.

(The Lt. Gov., Bob Bullock, has recently spoken out against the practice of school tax abatement handed out to a computer manufacturing company in Georgetown, for instance, pointing out that the company depended on an educated work force for its success. But while wanting the benefits of an educated work force, the company does not wish to pay its share of the cost.)

Mr. Bullock's point was well made, but the problem goes deeper than just the fairness of the tax abatement. It does indeed place some communities in a better position than others when it comes to attracting new business,

or keeping older ones afloat. But when the attraction of possible additional revenue from sales taxes are included, the urge (on the part of city fathers) to grant property tax abatement becomes almost irresistible. After all, if a Wal-Mart comes in it may dry up small businesses in its new location and in surrounding small towns, but it brings in a great deal in sales tax revenue, a portion of which, the way the system now works, comes from the surrounding community but goes into the coffers of those local governments where it does locate.

The net result is that consumers (and taxpayers) from surrounding towns help foot the bill for pot holes and police in the bigger place, while possible sales tax revenue, as well as property values, decline in their own.

A quick look at the situation here may help illustrate the point. A few years ago we did a cursory examination of annual sales tax rebates from the state to local communities in this area. The rebate, (that is, the return by the state comptroller's office of sales taxes collected here) to citizens of Floydada was a little over \$30 per capita. The return to Plainview was nearly \$100 per citizen. Over in Hale Center, where the Speaker of the House lives, the return was less than \$20. That simply means that Plainview receives about three times as much as Floydada on a per capita basis, in sales tax rebates from the state. And it means Plainview is where the tax was collected. It does not mean that citizens of Plainview spend three times more on taxable items, on a per capita basis, than citizens of Floydada. That is money that can go into the city's general fund, and money that can relieve pressure on property taxes. We see no reason why that disparity does not exist statewide.

We have long believed, and said, that a better way can be found. A simple procedure designed to return the tax to the communities that paid the tax in the first place, rather than to the community that merely collected the tax, would, we believe, go at least part of the way in reversing the downward economic spiral now evident in so many small communities. People would still go to the larger community to shop for many items, the way our society is organized and run nowadays. There are times when it may not be convenient, but it is necessary. But at least part of the tax would be returned to help the communities from whence it comes. And it would do that without hurting the larger community in the least. They would still have the jobs. They would still have the tax base. They would still have the economic draw.

And if a system were devised to do that, there would be less pressure for taxing authorities to grant so-called "tax abatement" for new businesses to come to town. They might still do it, and perhaps in some cases they should, but the reason would be for the creation of jobs and the improvement of opportunity for local citizens, not to enrich themselves at the expense of their neighbors via what we believe is an unfair tax system.

Such a system should not be difficult to devise. All that would be necessary, in our opinion, would be to return the additional sales tax now in place to the counties on an equal per capita basis, and allow the county fathers to distribute their share to the various taxing entities within their jurisdiction on the same basis, rather

than sending it all back to the localities where it is collected, as now is the case.

This in no way would be a panacea for the taxing problems inherent in the present system. Taxes by their nature are unfair. Some will work and pay taxes. Others will not, but will consume those taxes. Some will do both. The object should be to make those taxes as fair as possible. We believe the changes we suggest would be at least one small step in the right direction. It would not penalize Dallas or Houston, but the additional revenue flowing to small communities, small though it might be, would have, or could have, a tremendous effect in the quality of life in those communities.

There will be, of course, a few legislators representing the "inner city" who will take an immediate dislike to the idea. They will oppose anything they see as a possible reduction in tax revenue flowing in their direction. But they ought to pause and consider: cities do not benefit by the destruction of the surrounding countryside. Indeed, just the opposite is true. The strongest cities are those with the strongest supporting countryside. And that includes the smaller municipalities. The Legislature, the Governor, in fact anybody having an interest in the well being of our society, ought to put that thought, and keep that thought, front and center.

If you agree, let your elected officials know. They would appreciate hearing your thoughts.

# Business Of The Week

FLOYDADA--Edgar Hammond opened up Hammond Sheet Metal in June 1952 in a rented building on the corner of Jackson and Main.

Mr. Hammond's operation lasted 33 years and 8 months until he sold the business in March 1986 to his employees, Roger Emert, Buddy Gaither and Larry Stovall.

Emert, Gaither and Stovall are still partners in the operation. All three of the men were born and raised in Floydada.

Currently, Hammond Sheet Metal sells Lennox and Trane air conditioning and heating systems, but the men service all brands of heating and air conditioning.

Kay Hicks is the secretary for the men and keeps the office running smoothly.

Full time employee, Julio Mendoza, has worked at Hammonds for 23 years.

Emert has been a part of Hammond Sheet Metal since his employment in 1971.

Buddy Gaither started work in 1976 and Stovall began in 1980.

In the beginning, Edgar Hammond



ROGER EMERT, KAY HICKS, LARRY STOVALL, BUDDY GAITHER AND JULIO MENDOZA

did all sorts of sheet metal parts and repairs, from candle holders, roof jacks, roof and chimney flashing, gutter, irrigation dams and tractor and trailer repairs.

Hammonds reputation for service has spread and now Emert, Gaither and Stovall have a trade area which includes 26 towns in 13 counties.

"On any one day in the summer I

will put an average of 250 miles on my truck," said Stovall, "and Roger will do the same."

"We offer 24 hour service," said Stovall, "and we give free estimates on heating and air conditioning."

The business is located at 105 N. 5th Street in Floydada.



Come and see us on Punkin Day! This Saturday!

## Courtroom Activities

In District Court, October 17, Floyd County Grand Jurors returned indictments against 11 individuals.

Pete Jimenez, 21, of Floydada, was indicted on a 3rd degree felony charge of Assault on a Public Servant, which occurred on September 7, 1996.

Tomas Casarez, 20, of Edinburg, was indicted on a 3rd degree felony charge of Escape, which occurred on September 9, 1996.

Robert Biles, 18, and Christopher Fincher, 19, both of Plainview, were indicted on 3rd degree State Jail Felony charges of Burglary of a Building (Criminal Mischief), which occurred on June 1, 1996.

Juan Vargas, 24, of Lockney, was indicted on a 3rd degree felony charge of Driving While Intoxicated, which occurred on July 6, 1996.

Crystal Hernandez, 17, and Jorge Saldana, 17, both of Floydada, were indicted State Jail Felony Charges of Forgery/a Check, which occurred on August 21, 1996.

Jose Guadalupe Espinoza, 35, of Dougherty, was indicted on a 3rd degree felony charge of Driving While Intoxicated, which occurred on April 27, 1996.

Alfonso Carlos Jaramillo, 48, of Wichita Falls, was indicted on a 3rd degree felony, which was enhanced to a 2nd degree, for DWI, which occurred on September 8, 1996.

Robert Lee White, 44, of Plainview, was indicted on a 3rd degree felony, which was enhanced to a 1st degree, for DWI, which occurred on May 26, 1996.

Two State Jail Felony Indictments were returned against Jerry Walker Jr., 32, of Plainview, Endangering a Child, which occurred on August 23, 1996.

In County Court October 10, 1996: The April 15, 1996 DWI charge against James Louis Barbour, 55, of Wilbarger, was dismissed. Barbour pled guilty to a October 10 charge of Deadly Conduct. He was fined \$1,500 plus court costs;

Hilario Fearetiz Gonzalez, 52, of Mexico, pled guilty to a March 28, 1996 DWI charge. He was fined \$600 and court costs and sentenced to 60

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## 1996 Punkin Days Schedule

### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25

Local Merchants Dress in Costume  
Art Exhibit - First National Bank of Floydada

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26

- 8:30 a.m. Race Registration & Packet Pick-up at Floyd County Farm Bureau Decorated, Prettiest, Ugliest, Smallest, Largest entries, Baked Items
- 9:00 a.m. Arts and Crafts Booths Open / Antique Farm Implements / Motorcycle Clubs / Shows All Day / 1996 Pumpkin Days Coca Cola Classic 5K Run (\$15.00 Entry Fee per Race)
- 9:30 a.m. Judging for Entries - Under the Pavilion
- 10:00 a.m. Register for "Guess the Weight of the Trailer" - \$25.00 prize
- 10-12 Art Exhibit & Open House at 1st National Bank - Artist Jill Warren
- 11:00 a.m. Coca-Cola Fun Run
- 11:30 a.m. Stroller Race (Around the Courthouse)
- Noon Lunch Break - Shopping / Food & Arts Crafts Booths / Entertainment under the Pavilion - Lots of Talent & Laughs / Awards (Under Pavilion)
- 1:30 p.m. Cow Patty Bingo - \$1,000 in Prizes - Get your Tickets & Pooper Scooper Pumpkin Seed Spitting Contest - Main & Missouri
- 1:45 p.m. The Games Begin!! Pumpkin Drawing - children under 13 - Draw face on pumpkin in 3 minutes
- 2:00 p.m. (Approx) Carving Contest - Over 13 - Carve face in 5 minutes
- 2:20 p.m. (Approx) Pumpkin Toss - 5 & under - Toss into buckets
- 2:40 p.m. (Approx) Pumpkin Bowling - 5 & under / Knock Down Pins
- 3:10 p.m. Pumpkin Rolling Race - 12 & under / 13-29 / 30+
- 3:30 p.m. Wheelbarrow Race - 13 & up - Maneuver Blindfolded through Pumpkin Obstacle Course. Teams of Two
- 4:00 p.m. Rotary Club Pumpkin Pie Relay - Teams of 4 - \$4.00 Entry
- 4:00 p.m. Pedal Tractor Pull By Cargill - Throughout the Day

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### EVENTS MOVE TO HIGH SCHOOL & PARK AREA

- 5:00 P.M. Registration for Costume Contest
- 5:30 p.m. Costume Contest - For all ages - High School - R Photography will be on hand for pictures
- 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. "Trunk or Treating" - High School Park - Follow Walking Path to Goodies (Grades 6 and Under)
- 7:00 - 9:00 1990 Study Club Carnival - at the MAC - Game Booths for all ages
- 9:00 - 12:00 p.m. KFLP Youth Punkin Days Street Dance

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## McCaffree and Baxter

Shelly D'Ann McCaffree of Amarillo and Rex Baxter of Derby, Conn., plan to be married Dec. 28 in the First Baptist Church in Amarillo. The bride-elect is the daughter of Robert and Mary McCaffree of Amarillo. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Waldo and Carolyn Baxter of Hereford. He is the grandson of Cecil and Rena Baxter of Floydada. Miss McCaffree graduated in 1992 from Texas A&M University in College Station with a bachelor of science degree. She is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority and Amarillo Junior League. She is employed by Amarillo Independent School District as a teacher at Wolflin Elementary. Baxter received a BBA in marketing in 1991 from West Texas State University. He is employed by Market Growth Resources in Wilton, Conn.

## Class of '56 holds reunion

**By Peggy Roberts**  
**LOCKNEY** - Members of the class of 1956 met together at the Lockney High School after the pep rally on Friday and at the elementary school on Saturday. There was lots of catching up to do since there were two class members who were attending their first reunion!  
 Saturday night, the class had dinner and a business meeting at the Plainview Country Club. Masters of Ceremony were Doyle McCAda and Dan Griffith. They kept us entertained with their antics. Ernestine Myers was recognized as chairwoman for the 40-year reunion. She did a wonderful job, contacting every member of the class, except two, informing them of the reunion. Doyle McCAda was elected chairman of the 45-year reunion to be held in Lubbock in 2001.  
 Sue Wilson and Beth Reynolds led a memorial service for Darlene Fortenberry, Kenneth Pinner, Bob Copeland, Darrel Waldroupe, Carolyn Campbell, Hope McGhee and Don Vernon.  
 Eddie Lynn Weise read one of her recently published poems.

A photographer was there to take group pictures.  
 Jim and Peggy Roberts were hosts for a Sunday brunch at their home.  
 Those attending the reunion were Doyle and Brenda McCAda, Lubbock; Frankie and Wilbur Adams, East Wenatchee, Washington; Barbara and Donice Casey, Seymour; Clara Lee Smith, Birmingham, Michigan; Clydene Oliver, San Saba; La Dora and Don Afill, Lockney; Jerry McQueen, Tyler; Dan and Shirley Griffith, Albany; Doyle Fowler, San Juan Capistrano, California; Theta and Junior Brotherton, Lockney; Mary Ann Stair, Plainview; Ernestine and Jimmy Myers, Ft. Worth; Dee and Elaine Nix, Fletcher, Oklahoma; Johnny and Betty Richards, Dublin; Eddie Lynn Weise, Lubbock; Doyle Dipprey, Lockney; Bennie and Ann Ballard, Lubbock; Nelda and James Morris, Lockney; Betty and Ted Bruce, Childress; Sue Wilson, Crosbyton; Beth Reynolds, Tulia; Foncine and Royce Carthel, Plainview; Lloyd and Leslie Williams, Central City, Colorado; Mary Wood, Claude; and Peggy and Jim Roberts, Lockney.

# Floyd County Lifestyles

## Baker and Steinhaus

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey L. Baker of Lubbock, are pleased to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kari Ann Baker of Oak Park, Illinois, to Charles Arthur Steinhaus, of Mundelein, Illinois, son of Mrs. Mary Hill of Frankfort, Illinois and Mr. Robert Steinhaus of Newport Beach, California.

Kari is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Baker and the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown, all of Lockney.

Kari is a graduate of Wheaton Christian High School and a graduate of Baylor of Northern Illinois with a BA and Masters of Accounting. She formerly worked for Coopers and Lybrand in Houston and Chicago and is currently a CPA with Quaker Oats in Chicago.

Charles is a graduate of Wheaton Christian High School and a graduate of the University of Illinois with a BA in Actuarial Science. He is presently employed with Hewitt Associates in Lincolnshire, Illinois.

The couple plans a December 28, 1996 wedding in Wheaton, Illinois, at Bethel Presbyterian Church.



**GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED** -- Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Stewart of Floydada recently celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary on October 19, 1996 by having a family dinner at the 50 Yard Line Restaurant in Lubbock. L.B. and the former Verna Lynne McPeak were married October 15, 1946, in Melrose, New Mexico. Their children are Juanita Williamson of Lubbock, and JoAnne Peek of Houston. The couple also has five grandchildren.

## Caprock District president speaks to 1950 Study Club

**By Carol Reese**  
**FLOYDADA** - Members of the 1950 Study Club met at Lighthouse Electric on the evening of October 8, for a Federation Day program.

Martha Lotspeich, president, presided over a brief business meeting. The club collect was led by Geneile Evans, and Jane McCulley gave federation report reminding members of the benefits of membership in Federated Women's Club, which was orga-

nized in 1897 and was instrumental in the establishment of libraries throughout the United States. Program hostess was Lovene Moore, who introduced Donna Craig, Caprock District President, who spoke to the group. Other hostesses for the evening were Martha Lotspeich and Roberta Russell.

"When people are serving, life is no longer meaningless."

Anonymous



**HICKERSON NAMED STATE RECORDBOOK WINNER**--Believing in Dreams, Achieving Goals and Reaching for the Stars was the theme for the 1996 Texas 4-H Awards Program Recognition Banquet held in Dallas during the State Fair of Texas. Leslieanne Hickerson was one of the forty-six 4-H'ers recognized throughout the state at the event. Miss Hickerson, was named the State Recordbook Winner in the Family Life category. She is a member of the Lockney 4-H Club. Courtesy Photo

## Harmony Club News

**By Doris Snodgrass**  
 The Harmony Extension Club met October 14, in the club room in the Harmony Community Center at 2 p.m. The meeting was called to order by the president, Vivian Curtis. The hostess, Maye Williams read an interesting tribute to senior citizens.

Karen Miller, secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting and they were approved.

The program was given by the FCE agent Melissa Long. It was a demonstration on one dish meals.

Those attending were: Arvie Schulz, Vivian Curtis, Juanita Poole, Ruth Scott, Anna Maude Hopper, Melissa Long, Imelda Ramsey, Karen Miller and girls, Bernice Dutton, Doris Snodgrass and the hostess, Maye Williams. Recreation was by Arvie Schulz.

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### Floydada Senior Citizen News

**By Margarette Word**  
**FLOYDADA** - The center is open daily from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. If you plan to eat lunch please call 983-2032 by 10 a.m.

Saturday, October 26, will be "Punkin Day" and the senior citizens will have a table of baked pumpkin goodies for sale. Everything will have pumpkin as part of the ingredients. This is a money making project for the center. Please come by and purchase lots of goodies. All proceeds will be used at the center.

If you have missed the senior news it is because I've been out of town.

We had a family get-together at Canton, where Gordon Bond and family live. Greg Bond and his family from Waco were there. We attended "Trade Days" at Canton too. We had a great trip.

Jim and I also traveled with a group of seniors from the First Baptist Church to Branson, Missouri. We saw lots of shows, had a great fellowship, and the fall foliage was taking place. We could see the change in the color of the trees each day. The colors were at their peak and very beautiful. Those who went on the trip were: our drivers, Mike Holster and Bud Henderson; Bob and Charlene Alldredge, Louis and Ferne Anderson, Alice Baker, Betsy Dempsey, Virginia Cage, Dorothy Reeves, Donnell and Wilma Gowens, Bill and Eleanor Hendrix, Dallas and Gale Ramsey, Lorene Newberry, Wanda Turner, Millard and Glenna Watson, Thomas and Marie Warren and Jim and Margarette Word.

### 1950 Study Club begins year visiting Circle Dot Ranch

**By Carol Reese**  
**FLOYDADA** - Members of the 1950 Study Club met at the Circle Dot Ranch in Northeast Floyd County for the first meeting of the new year. From the ranch home of Joe and Virginia Taylor the group was loaded on a trailer lined with blocks of feed for an exciting ride down to the edge of the canyon.

During the ride Virginia Taylor reminded us that we were treated to an unusually beautiful view of the ranch country due to the late summer rains. She also told us the interesting history of the ranch beginning with the arrival of her grandparents in the late 1800's. On the arrival at the edge of the canyon, we were served a delicious chuck wagon dinner, cooked by Joe Taylor, who reminded us that God

Jean and Joe Appling recently spent a weekend in Midland visiting Olin and Lena Mae Watson. Jean told me the Watsons sent their love to their Floydada friends and to tell everyone "hello".

Marie Allen of Angleton, Texas, recently spent two weeks with her sister-in-law, Ina Lewis.

Our sympathy to Jo V Bingham on the loss of her cousin.

Our sympathy to the family of Nora Hatley.

Our sympathy to the family of Charles Ray Hamilton.

We are sorry that Nancy Bishop fell while riding a bicycle and broke her right leg in two places. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Please pray for one another.

Thought for the Week - "Never regret growing old, because many are denied the privilege."

#### Menu

**Monday, October 28:** Enchiladas, pinto beans, okra and tomatoes, onions, peppers, saltines, fruit salad

**Tuesday, October 29:** Chopped BBQ beef, baked potato, broccoli and cheese, pears, hot roll, peanut butter cookie

**Wednesday, October 30:** Chicken fried steak, corn on the cob, peas and carrots, salad, hot roll, pears, peaches

**Thursday, October 31:** Salisbury steak, green peas, cauliflower, biscuit, cobbler

**Friday, November 1:** Meatloaf, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, tossed salad with ranch dressing, wheat roll, peach cobbler or frosted cake

gave us all the beauty of our surroundings as he thanked Him for the food. The view from the point was breathtaking and we could see parts of the Caprock trailway, a railroad trestle, the lights of Quitaque, and miles and miles of beautiful ranch land. After the bountiful meal, we were entertained with cowboy songs by the group, "Plum Crazy" interspersed with cowboy poems read by Virginia. We climbed on the wagon and were taken back to our automobiles just at dusk, with Virginia pointing out the names of the beautiful wildflowers in bloom. It was a memorable evening by all.

Hostesses for the occasion were Nell Abram, Gabriele Anderson, and Joy Smitherman, who presented us with our new yearbooks as we loaded into our cars for the return trip to Floydada.

Officers for the 1996-97 are: Martha Lotspeich, president; Wanda Hickerson, 1st vice-president; Nell Abram, 2nd vice-president; Shirley Morton, recording secretary; Geneile Evans, treasurer; Carol Reese, reporter; and Jane McCulley, Federation Counselor.

"The daily showers rejoice the thirsty earth and bless the flowering buds."

Prior

Turn that frown upside-down!  
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**RUTH TRAPP ENJOYS BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION** -- Residents celebrating birthdays this month in the Floydada Nursing Home were Ruth Trapp (pictured), Myra Hall and Oda Birchfield. Courtesy Photo

### Nursing Home News

**By Jo Wilbanks**  
**FLOYDADA** - Hi, once again on this cool drizzly Monday.

We began our day with morning coffee, juice, and cookies. At 9:30 till 10:30 is the devotional given by the different churches. We want to welcome Brother J.D. Young, from Bethany Baptist Church. He is now here, he also sings well.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Mac Ward.

Delzie Bradford has come home from the hospital.

On each third Tuesday, the ladies from the Companion "N" Caring come and do the manicures.

Dolores Cannon comes to roll and comb hair. She also cuts the mens hair.

Thanks goes out to the ladies from Calvary Baptist Church for the bananas Monday. The residents always enjoy them.

Once again thanks goes out to all

who brought some more pumpkins.

Punkin Day, October 26, will be held as usual. Perhaps some friends or family could take some residents downtown, just for a drive to see all the pretty decorations. The pumpkin lights are up and pretty. The pumpkin crop this year was pretty good.

The home has skirts and vests for sale for the Alzheimer Research Fund. They are pretty.

Come by and sit a spell, the residents would enjoy your visit.

I wanted to share the loss of our mother, Mrs. Elsie Wilbanks, on Friday, Oct. 18. She was in the Carillon Center in Lubbock.

Thought - "God of Love, you are gentle to our faults. Help me to remember that what others need most from me is not my know-how, but my caring and love."

Have a good week!

### LOCKNEY SENIOR CITIZENS

**By Gladys Ragle**  
**LOCKNEY**—There were only 35 people who turned out for our October 17th meeting - some short of our usual number. Maybe the attendance will increase again soon.

There have been a good number of people eating lunch at the Center Monday through Friday for which we are appreciative.

We have a number who are not able to fix for themselves and several single members who are glad to have a place to come and eat lunch in the company of others.

Just please don't forget to call and reserve a meal. You are supposed to call by 9:30 a.m. and if you have a reservation and you want to cancel it you are supposed to call by 10:00 a.m. If you do not call you will have to pay for the meal. These rules were instituted by the board when they started serving meals.

Bernice Miller moved to the Lockney Care Center to recover from the injuries she received in a fall in her home.

Mabel Perkins has improved enough to return to the Lockney Care Center after her stay at Mangold Memorial Hospital.

"Weekly Words of Wisdom" - Gratitude takes three forms: "a feeling in the heart", "an expression in words" and "giving in return."

#### MENU

**October 28-November 1**  
 Monday - Spaghetti, vegetables, salad, dessert

### VOTE Mac Thornberry

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### LUNCH IS SERVED

**Thursday, Oct. 24th**  
 Beef Stroganoff  
 German Chocolate Cake  
**Friday, Oct. 25th**  
 Chicken & Stir-fry Vegetables.  
 Assorted Desserts  
**Monday, Oct. 28th**  
 Chicken & Dressing  
 Cherry Fantasia  
**Tuesday, Oct. 29th**  
 Roast & Veggies  
 Apple Dumplings  
**Wednesday, Oct. 30th**  
 Baked Ham & Yams  
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**Thursday, Oct. 31st**  
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### Residents enjoy birthday party

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Myra Hall we honor...  
 ...her years are 89...  
 She has a lot of lovely friends  
 To help her pass the time!  
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Mrs. Trapp we're greeting...  
 She is so nice to know...  
 Just stop in for a visit  
 And you will hate to go!  
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Our Mrs. Oda Birchfield  
 Really takes "the cake" ...  
 It takes 100 candles  
 To bring her "up to date!"  
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Let's serenade these ladies  
 whose years have been so long...  
 So join us as we sing it...  
 The good old Birthday Song!

**By Lorilla Bradley**  
**FLOYDADA** - Thursday, October 17, was birthday party time at the rest home with members of the City Park Church of Christ hosting. Everyone was ushered into the dining room with the honorees being seated at the "honor" table. Their places were marked with special cards. We are so sorry Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Birchfield were unable to attend the party.

The table held a floral arrangement in autumn colors. Each lady wore a lovely corsage given by Williams Florist and Card Shop. The poem was read and all joined in singing the Happy Birthday Song.

The refreshment plate contained delicious chocolate cake or angel food cake and vanilla ice cream, along with a tasty fruit punch, which was served to the residents, honorees and employees.

The next party is to be November 21, at 2:30 p.m. You are invited to be with us.

### Alpha Sigma Upsilon meets

**By Maria Vasquez**  
**FLOYDADA** - Alpha Sigma Upsilon, Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met at the home of Dalia Arvizu at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, October 15, for its regular meeting. Vice president Maria L. Martinez welcomed all.

After our wonderful home cooked meal by Mrs. Arvizu, the meeting came to order. Roll was counted. One of our goals is to start selling one dollar tickets for the Beta Sigma Phi \$100.00 grocery shopping spree at Lowe's, which will be raffled on November 27, 1996. The funds generated by sales of the raffle tickets will be used for our community later in

the year. Motion was made to donate candy toward the community trunk or treating activity for Halloween.

November is the month of giving thanks for our abundance, so we have plans to give goodie baskets for someone special in our community.

Vicki Derryberry and Maria Vasquez gave the report on communication from international.

Some people just have all the luck. Lori Morales won the raffle for the third consecutive meeting.

Our next meeting will be November 5, 1996 in the home of Anna Rivera at 6:30 p.m.



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 One of Clinton's first acts was cutting the Drug Czar's staff 83%. Clinton cut \$200 million to stop drugs at our borders, cut 227 Drug Enforcement Agents and proposed cutting 621 more.  
 Clinton's Surgeon General even suggested legalizing drugs.  
 Bill Clinton has been absent without leave in the war against illegal drugs.

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# Mustangs gallop past Whirlwinds 33-0

**By Bill Gray**  
**FLOYDADA** - The Denver City Mustangs kept their District 2-3A title hopes alive with an impressive 33-0 victory over Floydada at Wester Field last Friday. John Kelly and Arlie Jordan scored two touchdowns apiece as the Mustangs dominated the Whirlwinds in every aspect to improve to 6-1 overall (3-1 in district action). Floydada fell to 1-6 for the year and 1-3 in 2-3A play.

The Mustangs continued their spot as the area's number one Class 3A defense by limiting the Whirlwinds to only 62 total yards and four first downs. Floydada's defense, although outweighed almost 70 pounds-per-man across the front, played well at times.

Kyle Pierce's fumble recovery put an end to the visitor's opening drive, but Floydada coughed up the ball on its first snap following the Mustang turnover. A third consecutive fumble in the game's first three minutes resulted in Floydada's Pedro Chairez coming up with the ball. However, the Whirlwinds' first offensive possession netted minus yardage to force a Michael Black punt.

Behind its huge offensive line, anchored by Division I college prospect Brad Woosley, Denver City marched 55 yards in 10 plays to the Whirlwind end zone. Kelly carried the final three yards, Thomas Ramirez added the conversion and the Mustangs were up

7-0 with 2:40 remaining in the opening period.

The Mustangs retained possession on the ensuing kickoff which led to their second score in the first two minutes of the second quarter. Jordan capped the 10 play, 45-yard drive with a 2-yard blast. Ramirez added the point-after and the visitors were well on their way to the one-sided victory.

Two consecutive penalties and a 6-yard loss prevented Omar Equia's 21-yard run on second down from giving the Whirlwinds their initial first down. It took the Mustangs only two plays to find the Whirlwind end zone following Black's second punt. Kelly's touchdown from midfield was followed by another costly Floydada turnover. Woosley scooped up his second

fumble recovery to give the Mustangs excellent field position at the Whirlwind 16-yard line. It took the visitors only five plays to crack into Floydada's end zone as Thomas Ramirez carried the final yard. The touchdown play hurt Floydada more than just adding to the total score as punter/receiver Michael Black was lost for the remainder of the game

with an ankle injury. The Whirlwinds managed to register their initial first down following the ensuing kickoff, but were stopped at midfield as the halftime horn sounded. Denver City had possession of the ball for 17 1/2 minutes of the first 24 minutes.

The Mustangs scored on their first offensive series of the second half, with Jordan carrying the final 34 yards of a 6-play, 56-yard drive. The Whirlwinds' inability to generate any type of sustained offense continued throughout the remainder of the game. Cy Cowart completed a 13-yard pass to Michael Palacios late in the third quarter for a first down, and Equia picked up a first down with a 14-yard romp late in the fourth quarter. Those two plays accounted for almost half of the offensive output by the Whirlwinds in the entire game.

The Whirlwinds travel to Acuff tomorrow where their hopes for staying one step out of the cellar in district action hinges on a victory over Lubbock Roosevelt. The Eagles, 35-6 losers to Littlefield last week, will be going for only their second district win. Denver City hopes to make Slaton one more victim in its quest for a playoff berth.

#### Bill's Notes

There isn't a whole lot to say about the loss to Denver City. It was expected...but, someone forgot to tell Kyle Pierce, David Lightfoot and a few others that the 'Winds were 31-point underdogs. The Whirlwind defense played tough at least in the early going. Sure hope Black's injury is not serious. If so, he'll be missed in a number of areas.

Few high school teams, regardless of classification, have the size and mobility of the Mustangs. Brad Woosley is indeed a top college prospect...remember his name. You'll be seeing him on Sundays someday! The 'Winds were outmatched and outmanned...but, they still played with a lot of heart. They should grab their second district victory at Acuff this week, which should be a confidence-builder for the last couple of games.

#### Score By Quarters

Denver City	7	20	6	0	33
Floydada	0	0	0	0	0

#### Scoring Summary

**1st Quarter**  
 DCHS - John Kelly 3 run (Thomas Ramirez kick), 2:40.

**2nd Quarter**  
 DCHS - Arlie Jordan 2 run (Ramirez kick), 9:11. DCHS - John Kelly 51 run (Ramirez kick), 5:56. DCHS - Thomas Ramirez 1 run (kick failed), 1:03.

**3rd Quarter**  
 DCHS - Arlie Jordan 34 run (kick failed), 6:16.

#### Team Statistics

Floydada	Denver City
0	5
0 of 6	3rd Down Conversions 13 of 14
0 of 0	4th Down Conversions 0 of 1
20	1st Downs 22
4-44	Rushes-Yards 61-375
18	Passing Yards 11
62	Total Yards 384
2-4-0	Com-Att-Int 1-1-0
5-27	Penalties 3-25
5-37.6	Punts-Avg. 0-0
6-2	Fumbles-Lost 5-2
55	Return Yards 26
13:03	Time of Possession 34:57

#### Individual Statistics

**RUSHING** - FHS: Omar Equia 5-37; Albert Hill 2-5; Mario Nunez 2-3; Richard Casillas 2-2; Vernon Cooper 1-2; Andy Young 2-1; Cy Cowart 6 (-6).  
**DCHS**: Arlie Jordan 12-87, 2 TDs; Braughn Curtis 17-85; John Kelly 7-82, 2 TDs; Thomas Ramirez 11-54, 1 TD; Nicky Archer 4-54; Jeffery Rodriguez 5-19; Waylon Moore 5-5.

**PASSING** - FHS: Cy Cowart 2-4-0, 18 yds. DCHS: John Kelly 1-1-0, 11 yds.

**RECEIVING** - FHS: Mario Nunez 1-5; Michael Palacios 1-13 DCHS: Jay Ocheskey 1-11.

**FUMBLE RECOVERIES** - FHS: Kyle Pierce, Pedro Chairez. DCHS: Brad Woosley (2).



**GOING DOWN --** A Floydada High School ball carrier loses his battle to avoid Denver City defensive players last Friday in Floydada.

-- Staff Photo

## Have a Great Week!

### Homer Ragland wins seventh week of grid contest

**By Juanita Stepp**

Winner of the seventh week of the football contest was Homer Ragland of Lockney, one of three who missed seven games this week.

Ragland selected Denver City to win with a combined total score of 42 in the tie-breaker, nine points over the actual total of 33 (Denver City 33, Floydada 0). He can pick up the prize check for \$25.00 at the Lockney Office on Friday.

Earning the second place check of \$15.00 is Enrique Medrano of Floydada. He also missed 7 and chose Denver City to win with a total combined score of 20, thirteen points under the actual combined total of 33. A check will be waiting for him on Friday in Floydada.

Third place goes to Joe Copeland of

Lockney, who also missed 7 games and chose Denver City to win with a combined score of 56, 23 points over the actual score. A \$10.00 check will be waiting for him on Friday in Lockney.

Four entries earned honorable mention with 9 missed games. These entrants included: Eddie Amaya of Lockney, Mike Anderson, Fernando Arvizu, and Keith Marricle, all of Floydada.

Those missing ten games were: Christopher Gonzales, Johnnie Mosley, Phil Cotham, Mark Ford, H. G. Graham, and W. L. Carthel, all of Lockney and Carrie Davis, Sheree Cannon, Deneen Marricle, Santos Billegas, Gene Lowrance, and W. H. Simpson, all of Floydada. The remainder of the entries missed more than ten games this week.

#### Last Week's Game Results

- 1. Lubbock Roosevelt 6 2. Littlefield 35
- 3. Brownfield 31 4. Lubbock Cooper 7
- 5. Slaton 13 6. Seminole 21
- 7. Dimmitt 16 8. Tulia 10

- 9. Perryton 55 10. Muleshoe 0
- 11. Dalhart 21 12. Friona 44
- 13. Am. River Rd. 52 14. Sanford-Fritch 0
- 15. Highland Park 0 16. Hale Center 0
- 17. Olton 6 18. Hart 28
- 19. Iowa Park 7 20. Vernon 42
- 21. Childress 14 22. Bowie 19
- 23. Canadian 12 24. W. Tx. High 13
- 25. Lamesa 8 26. Levelland 47
- 27. Plainview 0 28. Lubbock Estacado 25
- 29. Kress 62 30. Happy 0
- 31. Motley County 0 32. Sudan 46
- 33. Hereford 26 34. Canyon Randall 14
- 35. Pampa 14 36. Borger 17
- 37. Monterey 10 38. Coronado 16
- 39. Nebraska 24 40. Texas Tech 10
- 41. Kansas State 23 42. Texas A&M 2C
- 43. Oklahoma 28 44. Baylor 24
- 45. Colorado 20 46. Kansas 7
- 47. Auburn 10 48. Florida 51
- 49. Mississippi 0 50. Alabama 37
- 51. USC 35 52. Arizona State 48
- 53. Memphis 0 54. So. Mississippi 16
- 55. San Diego St. 48 56. New Mexico 42
- 57. Rice 35 58. SMU 17
- 59. Falcons 28 60. Cowboys 32
- 61. Giants 21 62. Redskins 31
- 63. Buccaneers 9 64. Cardinals 13
- 65. Saints 7 66. Panthers 19
- 67. Steelers 13 68. Oilers 23
- 69. Broncos 45 70. Ravens 34
- 71. Jaguars 14 72. Rams 17
- 73. Colts 9 74. Patriots 27

**Tie-Breakers:**  
 Floydada 0 - Denver City 33 (Total 33)  
 Lockney 41 - Bovina 15 (Total 56)

### Lockney Junior High 7th graders are 2-0 in district play

**By the Lockney Coaching Staff**

**LOCKNEY**--The 7th grade Short-horns made the long road trip to Bovina this past Thursday and returned home with a big victory. The 30 to 0 win gave the Short-horns a winning record on the season and added confidence going into the Highland Park game. The Short-horns also are at the top of the district race holding a 2-0 lead but face a big challenge this week.

Lockney's first touchdown came via a 9-yard run by Mo Collins. Jared Lambert finished the play off with the two point conversion. And the Short-horns lead was 8-0 early in the first quarter. The young Lockney defense

held the Mustangs to 3 and forced them to punt.

On the Horns next possession Mo Collins once again struck gold and, so why stop a good thing, as Lambert did the honors again on the two conversion. The Short-horn lead now stood at 16-0 and the Lockney defense, lead by Brandon Alvis, Frankie Gonzales, Freddie Gonzales and Jessie Gonzales took over the game.

As the Mustangs were forced to punt again the Lockney offense struck swiftly as back-up quarterback Jared Lambert took the helm. The Horns went 57 yards in three plays ending with Brandon Alvis in the end zone. The point after attempt was unsuccessful but the touchdown upped

the Lockney lead to a 22-point spread. The dominating 4-3 defense of the Short-horns took control of the game holding the Bovina offense once again. Once back out on the field wide out Mike Bueno found the end zone on the end around and Hector Morales did convert on the point after attempts, finalizing the score at 30-0.

"These young men get better every game and our coaching staff is excited about seeing these young men mature into varsity players. This group plays with a lot of passion and they love to play the game. However, we had better be ready to play this week because I have heard Highland Park has a great 7th grade group," said Coach Dowell.

**VOTE**  
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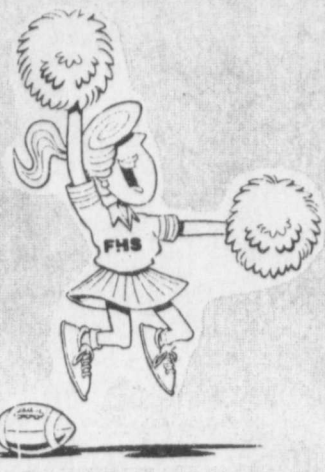
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**Lockney pastes Bovina 41-14**

# Longhorns remain undefeated

**By the Lockney Coaching Staff**  
LOCKNEY--Fueled by a quick start in the first quarter, the Lockney Longhorns upped their season record to 7-0 with a convincing 41-14 win over co-leader Bovina. With the victory the Horns took over sole possession of first place with a 2-0 district ledger.

The home teams special teams struck first after an impressive opening drive defensive stand. On an attempted Bovina punt Longhorn Ryon Smith laid a crushing blow on the Mustang punting team jarring the ball loose into the end zone where teammate David Hernandez recovered the pigskin for a 6-0 lead.

After another defensive stand led

by defensive tackle Richard Guerrero, the Horns reached pay dirt again, this time on a 41 yard pass and run play from Adam Cummings to J.R. Walker. Cummings pass to Hernandez on the conversion upped the Longhorns tally to 14-0.

Longhorn defensive back Devon Phillips set up the next score by returning a tipped pass by Charles Van

Zandt to the Mustang 7-yard line. On the next play, Phillips found the end zone behind a strong block by Anthony Poole to up the margin to 20-0.

Bovina reached into its bag of tricks with a fake punt on its next possession. But Phillips alertly nailed the ball carrier short of the first down and the Horns marched down the field. Anthony Poole scored on a 3-yard run

and Phillips converted the two point conversion for a 28-0 lead.

Lockney upped the score to 35-0 on the last play of the first half as the Horns reached into their own bag of tricks. Quarterback Cummings threw a backwards pass to Carson Johnson on the left side. As the Mustang defense drew near Johnson lofted a 20 yard touchdown strike to a wide open

Charles Van Zandt. Johnson's conversion kick sent the fired up team into the locker room at halftime with a 35-0 lead.

Keeping the pressure on, the Horns scored again to open the second half. A 26-yard interception return by Willy Luna set up teammate Phillips for a 37 yard touchdown run in which the Junior standout took a pitch from Cummings, streaked down the sideline and stiff-armed the final defender on his way to the end zone.

Two late scores by Bovina made the final tally 41-14. The Horns now prepare for the home stretch of the district season. The Horns will play Highland Park in Amarillo on Friday night at 7:30 p.m.

**STATISTICS**

Bovina	Lockney
125	Yards Passing 119
141	Yards Rushing 176
14	First Downs 14



**VOTE**  
**Mac Thornberry**  
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**ON THE WAY TO THE GOAL LINE --** Devon Phillips (#12), 180 lb. Junior, eluded Bovina's defense to make a touchdown play during game action on

Friday, October 18. The points added to the Longhorn victory and helped maintain the unbeaten record of LHS.  
-- Staff Photo

**Coach's Comments**

**By Coach Malcom Moerbe**  
LOCKNEY--Our boys came out of the dressing room ready to play Friday night. The first half was really an impressive performance. We relaxed a little bit after that but all in all it was a good solid overall performance.

We have a lot to shoot for now. Highland Park is only one half game behind us in the standings. We cannot overlook them. They are huge and those are the teams that give us problems. Their offensive line averages 220 pounds and they have a 200 pound fullback. Defensively they are one of the better teams we have seen. Nobody has moved the ball consistently against them this season. We must play well to beat them.

I know this is a long trip but we would appreciate a big turnout in Amarillo by our fans. Our boys men-

tion often how much they notice and appreciate your great support. You are a huge part in any success we accomplish.

**DEFENSIVE POINT LEADERS**  
**Game:** Devon Phillips, 58; Richard Guerrero, 34; J.R. Walker, 30; Danny Vasquez, 30.

**Season:** Charles Van Zandt, 249; Devon Phillips, 219; Danny Vasquez, 191.

**OFFENSIVE LEADERS**  
**Rushing Yards -** Devon Phillips, 120; **Passing Yards -** Adam Cummings, 99; **Receiving -** J.R. Walker, 4 for 99 yards; **Blocking -** Jeff Archer; **Special Teams -** Ryon Smith.

**NOTICE**

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**ANOTHER WINNER --** James McNeil, center, kicked a field goal from the 10-yard line to earn the \$50.00 prize at last Friday's game. He donated his winnings back to the Accelerated Reading Program at Floydada Junior High. The event is a fund raiser sponsored by the Floydada Junior High PTO. All weekly winners will compete for a \$250.00 prize at the final home game.  
-- Staff Photo

**Lockney 8th grade is victorious**

**By the Lockney Coaching Staff**  
LOCKNEY--The 8th grade Short-horns traveled to Bovina and took care of business from the beginning, winning the game 26-6.

The kids played well from the beginning. This is probably our best start all year. The kids came out ready to play. Our defense played much better this week, getting to the ball and playing with a little enthusiasm. I think the defense set the tone from the beginning and our offense was able to feed off of that.

Defensively several individuals played well. Michael Vega, Chris Anguiano, Miguel Padilla, Marty Jimenez and Christopher Ascencio all had good games.

Offensively we were able to get some big plays and because of that found the end zone. The offensive line of both groups played well allowing our backs an opportunity to run. Taurean McDonald had an exceptional game running the ball. Others playing well were A.J. Thornton, Jeremy Butler, and Kyle Pachiano.

"My hat goes off to our defense because they had their best complete game of the year. The kids came out early and proved they wanted to win the game. Once again our offensive line played well. I am proud for these kids and the way they have performed all year. They are a great group of kids that work hard and want to win. Our next game is at Highland Park so come and watch our young groups."

**Lockney JV beats Bovina 8-6 Thursday**

**By the Lockney Coaching Staff**  
LOCKNEY-- The Lockney Junior Varsity team traveled to Bovina Thursday and came home with an 8-6 victory. Our kids wanted to go out and make a good showing to make up for last weeks loss.

We had more intensity than we usually have. Defensively, the kids did a good job. We would bend but only broke once. We had some kids step up that usually don't play a lot. Eddie Amaya had to play linebacker after Jessie Ledesma was injured. He had never played linebacker but recorded 9 tackles and an interception. Others that had good offensive games were Robert Bartlett, Marc Wilson, Brett McQuhae, and Victor Alaniz.

Offensively, we had a hard time moving the ball on the ground, but we had a lot of success in the air. McQuhae, Josh Quebe and Cooter Durham all had good games catching the ball. The Horns lone score came when quarterback Jordan Lambert hit a starting Cooter Durham from 4 yards out. Lambert then found McQuhae in the end zone to make the score 8-0.

The offensive line did a great job of pass blocking. We were very proud of the way our kids played on Thursday. We will play Highland Park here this Thursday at 5:30.



**AREA YOUTHS CAPTURE HONORS IN NFL GATORADE PUNT, PASS & KICK COMPETITION --** Approximately 50 participants took part in the NFL Gatorade Punt, Pass & Kick competition in Lockney, Oct. 5, at Mitchell-Zimmerman Field. Winning honors are: 3rd Place : Frankie Gonzales, Ty Arjona, Jon Sherman; 1st Place - A.J. Thornton, Crystal Martinez, Jordan Lambert, Marcos Ascencio, Cagan Cummings; 2nd Place - Holly Arjona, Jonathan Martinez, Kelsey Hooten, Jeran Butler, and Dahlen McCarter. First place winners will now move on to a Sectional competition, to be held Oct. 26, in Lubbock. They could qualify for the Team Championship competition to be held at Dallas, in conjunction with the Dallas vs. Green Bay Game.  
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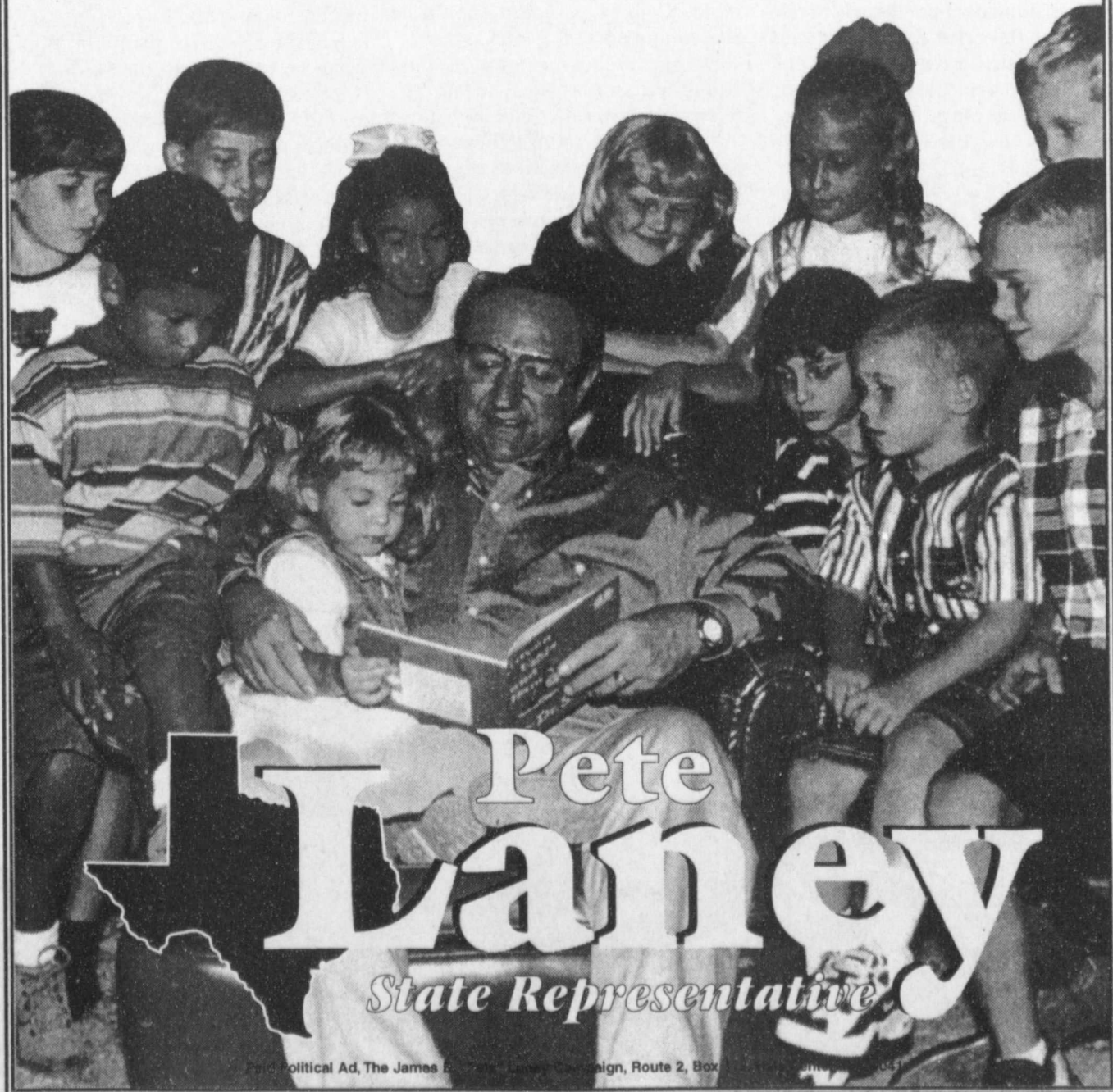


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**CLARENDON COLLEGE PAW PALS** -- Students selected as ambassadors for Clarendon College are back row (l-r) Derrick Martinez, Angel Harris, Bryan Ivy, Tony Clark, Bryan Shed, Will Edwards, Sally Bradshaw; front row (l-r) Lisa McCoy, Traci Martin, Monica Jalomo, Nikki Unruh, Shanna Wise. Not pictured: Olin Lynch, Casey Elliott and Kim Wootten. *Courtesy Photo*

## Martinez chosen student ambassador at college

FLOYDADA - Derrick Martinez of Floydada has been chosen to serve as a Student Ambassador for Clarendon College. An elite group, Martinez is one of only fifteen outstanding students selected to assist the college in important and official duties.

Martinez, the son of Junior and Mary Martinez of Floydada, is a Pre-Vet major.

Clarendon College's Student ambassadors are known as PAW Pals (Peers Advising and Welcoming). Members of the 1996-97 PAW Pals are charter members of CC's ambassador program. The organization was created to ease new students' transition from high school to college and to assist in the recruiting of future students for Clarendon College.

"Our ambassadors provide new and future students with another support person," Christi Ross PAW Pal adviser said. "They are available to answer academic and student activity questions with first-hand experience." Ross added that the students selected as PAW Pals were chosen on their academic progress, extracurricular involvement, attitude, and personality.



**LITTLE LONGHORNS NAMED**—Students at Lockney Elementary School named as Little Longhorns for the week of October 21-25 were (l-r, front row) Julissa Vargas, Sulema Ascencio, Krystal Carillo, Paula Alvarez, Luis Bernal, William Foster, Katie Vasquez, James Mercado; (l-r, middle row) Cole

Harrison, D.J. Rosales, Rion Auffill, Ashley Raisse, Benita Valles, Erica Bloss, Dora Bueno; (l-r, back row) Landon Cotham, Michael Martinez, Laura Solorzano, Amy Molina, Frankie Mendez, Shelly Pachiano, and Emily Mercado. *Staff Photo*

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**CEI LAB PALS**—Named CEI Lab Pals for the week of October 21-25 at Lockney Elementary School were Sharon Hickey and Melissa Hernandez. *Staff Photo*

### Attention

#### Floydada & Lockney

Caprock Community Action has funding available to assist households who are 60+ in age or are disabled. A statement of disability is required when the applicant is under the age of 60. These funds are to help with heating or cooling bills. Applicants must meet program criteria.

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## HALLOWEEN DANCE

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## At School This Week In Lockney

Thursday, October 24-October 25: Ending of Red Ribbon Week at Lockney Elementary.

Thursday, October 24: JV plays Highland Park, here at 5:30; Junior High plays Highland Park, there at 5:30.

Friday, October 25: Pep Rally will be held in parking lot before Longhorn bus leaves. District game against Highland Park, there at 7:30.

Saturday, October 26: Cross Country in Lubbock.

Monday, October 28-November 1: Drug Free Week at Lockney Elementary

Tuesday, October 29: Annual TAAS supper for Sophomores at 6:30 in Longhorn Gym. College Day at Matador for Seniors.

Monday, October 28: PLAN test (pre-ACT) at 8:00 a.m. in Longhorn Gym, Cost \$7.50.

Thursday, October 31: Coca Cola Scholarship for seniors due. LEARN representative will be here.



**CAPROCK CAMPERS**--Hornet Patrol camping were (l-r, kneeling) Will O'Connell, Danny Molina; (l-r, standing) Chris Hennagan, Roy Molina, Danny Huggins, Jeffrey Hunter, Adam Jones, and Wade Miller. *Courtesy Photo*

## Hornet Patrol camps out at Caprock Canyon Park

LOCKNEY--The Hornet Patrol of Lockney Boy Scout Troop 259 went camping September 28-29 at Caprock Canyons State Park near Quitaque.

The Lockney scouts worked on knots, lashings, hiking, map and compass activities and attended a program of cowboy songs and poetry presented by the state park rangers at the Little

Red camping area.

Patrol members who went were Chris Hennagan, Danny Huggins, Jeffrey Hunter, Adam Jones, Wade Miller, Danny Molina, Roy Molina, and Will O'Connell. They were accompanied by Scout leaders Bill Hunter, Jim Huggins and Carol Huggins.

## Best teachers earn spot in 1996 directory

A select group of America's teachers are being honored by their former students, in the fourth edition of Who's Who Among America's Teachers®, 1996.

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The Floydada educator honored in Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 1996 was Jackie Chadwick. The Lockney educators in Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 1996 were Pam Cathey Fulton and Holly Vaughn Norwood.

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# Floydada City Council...

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The Floydada Development Board was the subject of discussion by the council. Apparently, the by-laws of the organization have been misplaced. A review of the records by the city attorney has resulted in finding two charters, one for the Floyd County Development Corporation and one for the Floydada Development Company.

Houchin said the Floyd County Board falls under the jurisdiction of the county, but the Floydada Development Company board is appointed by the city. She suggested the council officially appoint a board and that the board then develop by-laws for operation.

Council members agreed to appoint a ten member board consisting of representatives from Southwestern Public Service, Energas, Lighthouse Electric Company, Floydada Power & Light, First National Bank of Floydada, West Texas National Bank, American State Bank, Floyd County Commissioner's Court, and two private citizens.

Each business will select a representative to serve on the board and the council will appoint the two citizens. At this time, City Manager Gary Brown will represent Floydada Power & Light on the board.

Luis Saenz, 1026 S. 4th St. was granted a variance to build a carport closer to a property line than the 5 feet acceptable by city ordinance. The request was given a favorable recommendation by the Planning and Zoning Commission prior to consideration by the council.

Council members considered and approved a bid for a tax title property in Floydada. Johnny Summers offered \$600.00 for two lots at 903 and 905 S. Leonard. The sale will not be final until all taxing entities involved have approved the transaction.

Council members approved signatures of the Mayor, the City Manager and the City Secretary on checks and paperwork necessary for the 1996 TCDP Water Grant. Motion was made by Councilman Eric Cornelius and seconded by Councilman Albert Hill. All voted in favor.

Advertising for an additional police officer was approved on a split vote. Floydada will seek a possible replacement for the fifth member of

the department following the resignation of Earnest Back at the end of September.

Motion to advertise was made by Councilman Jon Nielson and seconded by Councilman Hill. Voting in favor were Nielson, Hill, and Councilmen LeRoy Burns, Dale Lawson and Clar Schacht. Voting against the motion was Councilman Eric Cornelius. Cornelius voiced the opinion that the department should return to four officers, the number on the force before the city obtained grant funds for a temporary officer from the federal government.

Council members voted unanimously to designate Saturday, October 26, as Trick or Treat night in Floydada. This coincides with the annual Punkin Day Celebration and Trunk or Treating at the City Park near the high school. Trick or treating will not be encouraged at any other time, including Halloween which falls on a Thursday evening.

Also approved at the session were the minutes of the previous meeting and the payment of monthly bills. City Manager Gary Brown reported that the small unused well south of town has been baled and will pump more than a hundred gallons a minute, but will not be used unless absolutely necessary. He also said the joint well project with Mackenzie Water Authority has been canceled since the four cities (Floydada, Lockney, Silverton & Tulia) did not want to take on additional debt. Engineering fees for the project to this point will need to be paid by the cities.

Brown told the council that a petition has been filed for a private club in Floydada on East Missouri. He said the facility being discussed is a bring-your-own-bottle club and steakhouse being developed by Babe Jones. In response to questions, Brown said the city has no ordinance against such businesses and there are no county or state regulations to prevent it either.

Brown then reported that Albert Juarez has purchased an old church on South Wall Street and says it will be a recreation hall. The city manager stated that this is allowable, but noted that it can not be used as a full time dance hall under city ordinances. Occasional dances are permitted.



**CERTIFIED NURSE AIDE TRAINING GRADUATES** -- On Saturday, Oct. 5, 1996, nine students graduated from the Certified Nurse Aid (CNA) training program taught by Rural Nurse Resource, Inc. (RNR) in Floydada. The graduation ceremony was held at the First United Methodist Church in Floydada. The Rev. Lupe Rando was the guest speaker. Pictured (l-r) Ezereal Gonzales, Floydada; Janie Rando - (Valedictorian), Floydada; Soila Luna, Ralls; Ann Martinez, Floydada; Elvira Arellano, (Clinical Award) Floydada; Andrea Cruz, Plainview; Regina Swaffer, Lubbock; Dana McCarty, Lockney; Leigh Ann Hickmott, Plainview (Salutatorian). Courtesy Photo

# FISD receives grant

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Attending the conference were: School Board members Trena Simpson, Jack Robertson, Curriculum Director Grant Hambricht and Cannon.

AT&T Foundation also awarded a 1.5 million grant to the Center for Occupational Research and Development (CORD) in Waco to train Texas teachers to use technology in math

and science classes.

According to an AT&T press release, CORD will use the \$1.5 million grant to "help make Texas teachers more technologically proficient. CORD also will establish a consortium of electronically linked educational organizations to plan, design and conduct interactive training and other professional development courses for teachers and administrators across the state."

# Courtroom Activities

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October 16 Clemente Arizpe pled guilty to Assault. He was fined \$600 and court costs and sentenced to 6 months in jail which was probated for 6 months.

October 17, 1996, Felix Reyes, 45, of Runge, Texas, pled guilty to a June 2, 1994 DWI charge. He was fined \$750 and court costs. He was also sentenced to 9 months in jail which was probated for 2 years. His drivers license was suspended for 180 days.

Also on October 17, Albert Alaniz, 45, of Pennsylvania, pled guilty to DWI. He was fined \$600 and court costs and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for 2 years.

Also on October 17 Veronica Fay Jimenez, 27, of Hale County, was charged with Fleeing and DWI. There was no disposition on this case.

October 17, Susan Dawn English, 37, of Floydada, was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case.

October 18, Denis Hilburn Casey, 35, of Seymour, was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case.

**VOTE**  
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# 1996 Floydada Homecoming Memorial List

Memorial List Courtesy of Moore-Rose White Funeral Home of Floydada

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| <p><b>Class of 1912</b><br/>Ada Ellis, Willie Mae Foster (Enochs)</p> <p><b>Class of 1914</b><br/>Bernice Henry Barker, Mable Newell Scott</p> <p><b>Class of 1917</b><br/>Dr. Hubert Seale</p> <p><b>Class of 1918</b><br/>Pauline Bishop Dickey, Mae Montague Garrett, Foy Cannady Meredith</p> <p><b>Class of 1919</b><br/>Allene Hopkins Henry, Joe Williams</p> <p><b>Class of 1920</b><br/>Cecile Mitchell Alden, Truitt Butler, Lola Porterfield Edwards</p> <p><b>Class of 1921</b><br/>Velma Terry Stephens</p> <p><b>Class of 1922</b><br/>Rev. Arthur Lee Jordan, Vaughan West Murff, Foy E. Smith, Leslie Surginer, Aileen Stovall Williams</p> <p><b>Class of 1923</b><br/>Ethel Houghton Bishop, Cleo Snodgrass Crawford, Maurine Andrews Delk, Gladys Covington Edwards, Blanche Ramsey Williams</p> <p><b>Class of 1924</b><br/>L.D. Britton, Leonard Holmes, Dan Jenkins, Hazel Jones Mitchell, Maudie Meredith Muncy, Gwendolyn Green (Torrence), Ora Mae Robbins Wrigley</p> <p><b>Class of 1925</b><br/>Marion Carpenter, Billy Daily, Grace Porterfield Herman, Roy Jameson, Jean Ayres Jenkins, Alpha King, A.C. Rainer, Jewell Heard Readheimer, Gardner Surginer</p> <p><b>Class of 1926</b><br/>Winnie Juanita Wilson Beedy, Tom Bishop, Olivia Elizabeth Thacker Bobo, Bonne Rhea Stephens Brown, Anna Glee Shaw Cornelius, Johnny G. Decordova, Minnie Norton Dye, John R. Gamble, Velma Heard, Betty Lewis, Audry Felton (Prideaux), Ethna Green Vicent, Walton B. Wilson</p> <p><b>Class of 1927</b><br/>Ila Wright Bradford, Ina Sims, Opal Nelson Higgins, Mrs. Ebb Warren</p> <p><b>Class of 1928</b><br/>Dr. Steve Marshall, Sidney Carter, J.R. Evers, Seaton Howard, Peg McKinney, Robyn Swinson Reed, Walter Arthur Robbins</p> | <p><b>Class of 1929</b><br/>Clarence Ashton, Lloyd A. Bedford, Robbye Archer Brady, Eugenia Hoffman Clanton, Henry Culpepper, Orville Poore, John Key West, Ruth (Enoch) Whitaker, Floyd Wilkes</p> <p><b>Class of 1930</b><br/>Bill Baker, Floyd Bell, Verna Lyles Boteler, Dorothy Crawford Brook, Ruby Cothorn May, Audrey Farris Morehead, Bill Smith, Artie Mitchell Oswald, Joe H. Smith Jr., Howard Welborn, Grady Dunavant</p> <p><b>Class of 1931</b><br/>Daisy Eudy Calvery, Lucille Ethridge, Helene Hay Holt, Ruth Rutledge Mast, Bessie Sherrill Wilson, Floyd Bell</p> <p><b>Class of 1932</b><br/>Layton Dorrell, Blanche Hilton Grundy, C.L. McMurray, Mable Culpepper Redwine, Jean Bain Rushing, Janell Stovall Sullivan, Billy Joe Welch, Aaron Williams</p> <p><b>Class of 1933</b><br/>Opal McNeil Ashton, Ora Belle Calahan Brown, Ray Chapman, Virgil Crawford, Kinder Farris</p> <p><b>Class of 1934</b><br/>James G. Badgett, Gladys Ruth Brown Badgett, Imogene Roy Gray, Albert Lyles, Lloyd Nelson, (Rolein) Smith, Buck Walding, Adele Evers (Whisenant)</p> <p><b>Class of 1935</b><br/>Roy Crawford, Orville Lightfoot, Orville Stewart, Weldon Thornton, Charlie Wright, Jo Alton Noland</p> <p><b>Class of 1936</b><br/>Vida Mae Day Culpepper, Malcolm Lider, N.B. Mooney, Gilbert Shirley, Tommie Rawdon Trinder, Ray Lloyd</p> <p><b>Class of 1937</b><br/>Ethel Westfall Barker, Inis Fyffe Eatmon, Blanche King (Enos), J.S. Hale, Worth Shipley Howard, Pauline Sparks Parker, L.O. Rainer</p> <p><b>Class of 1938</b><br/>Dorothea Fuqua Hunter, Mary Wilson Hicks Jackson, Leona Holmes O'Hare, Keith Tye</p> <p><b>Class of 1939</b><br/>Dovie Donathan Mallow, J.T. Stovall, Ed Wester, Juanita (Galyean)</p> <p><b>Class of 1940</b><br/>Ben Blackman, Eugene Boren, Eunice Covington, Louis Newell, Lee Jean Newberry</p> <p><b>Class of 1941</b><br/>Beryle Bishop, Kenneth Bishop, Winston Brown, Marjorie Duncan Dunn, Tommy Griffin, Ella B. Crabtree Hammock, L.C. Hill,</p> | <p>Laverne Handley Lunn, Vernon McNeely, Russell Patterson</p> <p><b>Class of 1942</b><br/>Gracie Waller (Ewen), Alice Helms, Aldine Williams</p> <p><b>Class of 1943</b><br/>Charles Dudley, Wiley Milton, Dorothy Tye (Schnek)</p> <p><b>Class of 1944</b><br/>Mrs. Hope Boyd, Peggy Bishop Roberts</p> <p><b>Class of 1945</b><br/>Melvin Hollums, David Perry, Lane Decker, Nell Latham Baumann</p> <p><b>Class of 1946</b><br/>Welton Dunavant, Claudie Gene Hammit</p> <p><b>Class of 1947</b><br/>Mickey Kennamer, George Reid May, Joyce Porter Wallace, Richard Wiley</p> <p><b>Class of 1950</b><br/>Don Pope, Ben Ewing, Barbara Marshall, Mary Lou Fawver McCready, Charles Patterson</p> <p><b>Class of 1951</b><br/>Dub Hodge</p> <p><b>Class of 1953</b><br/>Connie Bearden, Don Grigsby</p> <p><b>Class of 1954</b><br/>Buddy Widener</p> <p><b>Class of 1955</b><br/>LaFaun Ballard Stoker, Freida Jarrett Hale, D'Ann Witkowski Tingle</p> <p><b>Class of 1956</b><br/>David Badgett, Pat Helms Pennington</p> <p><b>Class of 1957</b><br/>Jo Arlon Noland, Cheryl Crawford Simmons</p> <p><b>Class of 1958</b><br/>Eugene Beedy</p> <p><b>Class of 1960</b><br/>Leo Smith</p> <p><b>Class of 1963</b><br/>Bruce Horton</p> <p><b>Class of 1965</b><br/>Vickie Jarboe Pitts, Gary Jarnagin, Jimmy Upton, Anna Sellers Smith</p> <p><b>Class of 1966</b><br/>Billy Staniforth</p> <p><b>Class of 1977</b><br/>Dorman McCormick</p> <p><b>Class of 1987</b><br/>Richard Gonzalez</p> <p><b>Class of 1992</b><br/>Roxann Cavazos</p> |
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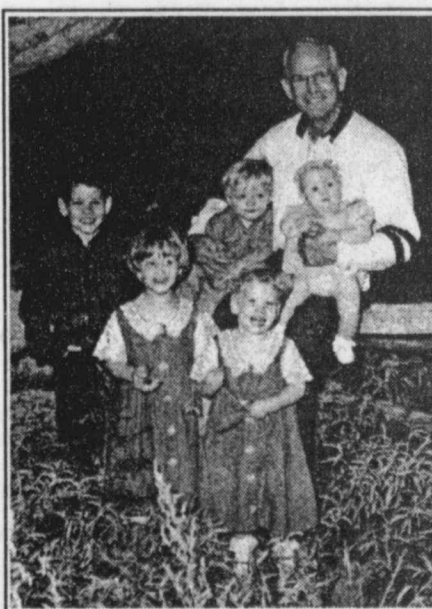
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Hollis Cain has raised more money from more supporters in the district than his opponent.

James E. "Pete" Laney received over 80% of his campaign cash from lawyers, unions and lobbyists outside the district, including \$25,000 from the liberal NEA Texas affiliate.

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# LISD approves employee extended sick leave policy

LOCKNEY—The Lockney ISD board met Tuesday, October 15 and covered a short agenda. Items included an employee leave policy, ESL report, and policy update #52.

Board members discussed and then approved an employee extended sick leave policy. Employees of the school district can receive ten extra sick days if needed for a serious condition. This will include illnesses, and hospital stays. The days will be added on to the present sick day policy. Board members voted to try the program for a year and then evaluate the outcome.

A report was given on the ESL (English as a Second Language) program in Lockney schools. The school system has a total of 19 students who are qualified for the classes. Board members were given an update on this program. The classes are available for those who speak only Spanish at home and are in a low income bracket. Students can be opted out of these

classes at the request of their parents. Policy Update 52 was approved. This is a portion of Senate Bill 1 which the Legislature passed in 1995. Since that time the bill has been reworked and reworked and the school districts note the changes and approve the updates.

Inspections were made on the fuel tanks at the LISD Bus Barn and they were found in excellent working order and no leaks were detected. The schools also were given an asbestos test and were given a good report. The checks are made every three years.

Athletic Director Malcom Moerbe gave the board an update on the football teams and their standings.

Present at the meeting were Superintendent Raymond Lusk; board members, Jim Bob Martin, Carlton Johnson, Jesse Garza, Bernie Ford, and Louie Bybee; Principals James Poole, Terry Ellison, and Phil Cotham; and Athletic Director Malcom Moerbe.

Thanks for reading the Hesperian-Beacon

# Punkin Day Special

Extra Long Chili Cheese Dog & Fries. . . . . \$1.99  
10 oz. Blizzard. . . . . 99¢

# School Special

12:00 - 12:30 p.m.

Home Style Burger & French Fries. . . . . 1.99  
Nachos. . . . . 99¢  
4 pc. Steak Fingers. . . . . 1.99  
Large Drink. . . . . 99¢

**Floydada**



411 W. Houston, Floydada 983-5121



## A. W. Coltharp Memorial Scholarship established

FLOYDADA - An A. W. Coltharp Memorial Scholarship has been established at Floydada High School by Jewell Coltharp, other family members, former students, and friends of the late A. W. Coltharp.

A. W. Coltharp came to Floydada in 1953 and was Floydada Junior High School principal for 21 years, retiring in 1975. Soon after his retirement, he and his wife, Jewell, moved to East Texas so that he could enjoy his favorite pastime, fishing. At the time of his death in March, 1994, he and Jewell were living at Hideaway Lake near Tyler.

Hundreds and hundreds of junior high school students were touched by this kindly man, who was their friend and confidant as well as principal. The many faculty members and school personnel who served with him found him to be always encouraging, bringing out their best efforts. He and his wife were active and faithful members of the First Baptist Church.

All former students, co-workers, and friends who want to give to this scholarship fund can send their contributions, which will be tax deductible, to the First National Bank of Floydada. Contributions can also be turned in to the principal's office at Floydada High School. Checks should be made out to the A. W.

Coltharp Scholarship Fund. A local committee working with Mrs. Coltharp to set up the scholarship are Sally Galloway, Audrey Spence, and Carol Reese. Contributions to the scholarship can also be turned in to these committee members.



A. W. COLTHARP

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600 Ash Street  
Plainview

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Mac Thornberry  
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**THE FLOYD COUNTY MEN OF INTEGRITY INVITES ALL MEN FROM 12 TO 112 TO OUR MONTHLY MEETING AT 7:30 P.M. ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 28 AT THE FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH IN FLOYDADA. OUR GUEST SPEAKER WILL BE PAUL RAMON FROM PLAINVIEW. WE WILL HAVE A GROUP OF LOCAL YOUTH TO PERFORM SPECIAL MUSIC. WE WILL ALSO HAVE REFRESHMENTS AND FELLOWSHIP. PLEASE COME AND BRING A FRIEND.**

### "FOCUS ON THE FAMILY" with Dr. James Dobson

QUESTION: I've concluded that my husband cannot comprehend my emotional needs. He will not read books that I give him, nor will he attend seminars, listen to tapes or even talk to me about my frustrations. Nevertheless, he is a good man who is faithful to me and has been an effective father. What do you suggest I do with this dilemma?

Dr. Dobson The answer I'm about to give you will not satisfy you. My advice is that you change that which can be altered, explain that which can be understood, teach what can be learned, revise that which can be improved, resolve that which can be settled and negotiate that which is open to compromise.

Create the best marriage possible from the raw material brought by two imperfect human beings with two distinctly unique personalities. But for all the rough edges that can never be smoothed and the faults that can never be eradicated, try to develop the best perspective on the difficulty and determine in your mind to accept reality as it is.

The first principle of your mental health is to accept that which cannot be changed. You could easily go to pieces over the adverse circumstances beyond your control, but you can also resolve to withstand them. You can resolve to remain stable, or you can yield to cowardice.

Someone wrote: "Life can't give me joy and peace; it's up to me to will it. Life just gives me time and space; it's



DR. DOBSON

up to me to fill it."

Can you accept the fact that your husband will never be able to meet all your needs and aspirations? Seldom does one human being satisfy every longing and hope in the breast of another.

Obviously, this coin has two sides: you can't be his perfect woman, either. Both partners have to settle for human foibles, faults, irritability, fatigue and occasional nighttime "head-aches."

A good marriage is not one where perfection reigns; it is a relationship where a healthy perspective overlooks a multitude of "unresolvable." Thank goodness my wife, Shirley has adopted that attitude toward me!

Dr. James Dobson is a psychologist, 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. Box 444, Colorado Springs, CO 80903.

Dr. Dobson is brought to you courtesy of West College & 3rd Street Church of Christ, Lockney.

# Floyd County Church Directory

**AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Bible Study . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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**BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
607 W. Lee St., Floydada  
J.D. Young, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening  
Prayer Meeting . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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**BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
810 S. 3rd, Floydada  
Darwin Robinson, Pastor  
Sunday:  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 10:45 a.m.  
Prayer Meeting . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:30 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Evening Services . . . . . 8:00 p.m.  
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**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Claude Porter, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Bible Study . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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**CARR'S CHAPEL**  
Service Every Sunday:  
Morning Worship . . . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
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**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
West College & Third,  
Lockney  
Frank Duckworth, Evangelist  
Morning Worship . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 5:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Service . . . . . 8:00 p.m.  
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**CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Floydada  
Gene McCarty, Minister  
Sunday:  
Bible Study . . . . . 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Bible Study . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
(Summer . . . . . 8:00 p.m.)  
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**EVANS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. G.A. Blocker  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Afternoon Worship . . . . . 2:00 p.m.  
Training Union . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Prayer Meeting . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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**FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
701 W. Missouri, Floydada  
Vance Mitchell, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 10:50 a.m.  
Sunday Evening  
Evangelistic . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Night Service . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Rev. Howell E. Farnsworth Jr.  
Pastor  
Michael Holster  
Music/Adm./Sr. Adults  
Marlon Pritchard,  
Students/Ed.  
Sunday:  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Discipleship Train. . . . . 5:45 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Children's Choirs . . . . . 4:00 p.m.  
Evening Meal . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
R.A.'s & G.A.'s . . . . . 6:45 p.m.  
Preschool Choir . . . . . 6:45 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Youth Bible Study . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Adult Choir . . . . . 7:45 p.m.  
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**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Lockney  
Harold Abney, Pastor  
Phil Cotham,  
Interim Music Minister  
Debbie Wiley, Youth 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 &  
Youth . . . . . 5:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:30 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Prayer Meeting . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Youth Activities . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
RA's and GA's . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Pre-School Choir . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Adult Choir . . . . . 8:00 p.m.  
3rd Saturdays:  
Men's Breakfast . . . . . 7:00 a.m.  
1st Tuesday and 3rd Mondays:  
Baptist Women . . . . . 3:00 p.m.  
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**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Reverend Ione Sedinger  
Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
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**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Clark Williams, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Youth Fellowship . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
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**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Lockney  
Tommie Beck, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:15 a.m.  
Worship Service . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
UMY . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
United Methodist Women,  
Hill Circle, 3rd Tues. . . . . 9:30 a.m.  
Ruth Wesley Circle:  
2nd & 4th Mondays . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
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**FRIENDSHIP CHAPEL**  
CME  
Floydada  
Rev. James Jenkins  
Sunday . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Service . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Wednesday:  
Bible Study . . . . . 8:00 p.m.  
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**GRACE FELLOWSHIP CHURCH**  
211 N. Main, Lockney  
Interdenominational Church  
Rev. Ted Samples, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Service . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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**GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST**  
John Williams, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Monday Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
Tuesday:  
Prayer Service . . . . . 8:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Service . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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**IGLESIA DEL REY JESUS**  
404 E. 6th St., Lockney  
Lupe Banda, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Evening Service . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Tuesday:  
Youth Service . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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**MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Lockney  
Russell Harris, Minister  
Bible Study . . . . . 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Ladies Bible Class . . . . . 9:30 a.m.  
Bible Study . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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**MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Rev. Ralph Jackson  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
BTU . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Mid-Week Prayer . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Thursday:  
Bible Study . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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**NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Sunday: Congregational  
Singing . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
3rd Sunday, Elder Don Martin  
4th Sunday, Tom Taylor  
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**PRIMER IGLESIA BAUTISTA**  
Lockney  
Pedro Villareal, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Service . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Service . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
G.A.'s . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
Ambassadors . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
Fellowship Luncheon -  
1st Sunday of Month;  
Music Worship;  
Last Sunday with evening service  
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**PRIMERA MISION BAUTISTA**  
Floydada  
Rev. Lupe Rando  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 10:55 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
1st Wed. . . . . Organization Night  
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**SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Lockney  
Msgr. Tim Schwertner, Pastor  
Wednesday:  
Communion Service . . . . . 8:00 p.m.  
Sunday Mass . . . . . 11:30 a.m.  
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**SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Ernest Stewart, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
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**SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD TEMPLO GETSEMANI**  
308 Mississippi  
Rev. Thomas G. Lopez  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Evangelistic  
Service . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Family Night . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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**ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Father Elbert Fadallan  
Sunday Mass . . . . . 11:30 a.m.  
Weekday Mass . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
(Tuesday and Friday)  
Phone: 983-5878  
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**TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM**  
Lockney  
Pedro Reyes, Interim Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 p.m.  
Worship Service . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Christian Training . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Prayer Meeting . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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**TEMPLO BETHEL SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Washington and 1st St.  
Lockney 652-2181  
Gabriel W. Ortiz, Pastor  
Olga L. Martinez, Youth Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Service . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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**TEMPLO EVANGELICO PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**  
Natividad Luna, Pastor  
515 E. Missouri, Floydada  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Service . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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**TEMPLO LIBERTAD**  
203 SE 2nd, Lockney  
652-1104  
Pastor Juan A. Gutierrez  
Wednesday Evening . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Worship . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
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**TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA**  
Rev. Herman Martinez  
308 W. Tennessee  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Prayer Service . . . . . 2:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Tuesday:  
Evening Service . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
Thursday Service . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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**TEMPLO PODER DE LA ALABANZA PENTECOSTES**  
Rev. Manuel Rendon, Pastor  
704 N. Main, Lockney  
652-3704  
Sunday Services . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wednesday . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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**TRINITY CHURCH**  
Floydada  
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# Floyd County Farm Page

## Floyd County FSA News Letter

**From the Floyd County FSA Upcoming Dates:**  
**October 28:** Last day to file nomination petitions for Community B (LAA-2).  
**November 11:** Office will be closed for Veteran's Day.  
**November 15:** Final planting date for small grains and final date to file 1996 small grain production records.  
**December 2:** Last day to return voted ballots for Community B (LAA-2).  
**December 31:** Final date to report small grain planted acreages for insurance purposes.

**Extension of Emergency Grazing of CRP:** Floyd County has been extended for approved emergency grazing of CRP acreage until November 30, 1996.

Emergency haying provisions are not authorized. Participants who apply for extended grazing shall obtain a conservation plan with NRCS, before approving the request.

**1996 Floyd County Loan Rates:**  
 Wheat - \$2.65; Corn - \$2.20 bu.; Barley - \$1.80 bu.; Oats - \$1.11 bu.; Grain Sorghum - \$3.53 cwt.; Soy-

beans - \$4.50 bu.; Sunflowers/Oil - \$8.37 cwt.; Sunflowers/other - \$8.60 cwt.; Upland Cotton- \$.5175 lb.

**Floydada Fire Department:** The Floydada Fire Department is in need of balers, strippers and combines which can be used in Agri-Rescue School.

The fire department is willing to give a value statement for the donor to use with his tax statement. Contact Floydada City Hall at 983-2834.

**1996 Fruits and Vegetables:** Producers should contact this county office to calculate a "Producer History" if you intend to plant fruits or vegetables on contract acres.

**1996 Final Payments:** All 1996 Farm Program final payments have been issued. Wheat, barley, oats and cotton 1995 deficiency overpayments were automatically deducted from the final 1996 PFC payments. The 1997 advance payments (December 1996 or January 1997) will be offset by 1995 corn and grain sorghum overpayments. No interest will be charged on the overpayments deducted from PFC payments.

**Farm Changes:** All producers

should inform this office of any changes in interest by December 1, 1996., if producers or owners remain the same, but their shares change, or if a new producer or owner is being added to the Production Flexibility Contract.

**Future CRP Program:** The USDA is currently in a comment period about the future of CRP. Ag Secretary Dan Glickman made an announcement two weeks ago about the future CRP bid/signup periods.

After the comment period has ended, the final rules will be written. Then Congress will have an opportunity to have hearings again. If you would like to comment about any area of the CRP write those comments down and send them immediately to: Cheryl Zavodny, FSA, CEPD P.O. Box 2415, STOP 0513 Washington, D.C. 20050-0513

**Weed Reminder:** Producers should be reminded of weed control and normal cropping practices under the provisions of the Production Flexibility Contract and CRP producers. Weeds must be controlled to avoid penalties.



**IT'S NOT THE YELLOW BRICK ROAD--but scarecrows are popping up all over. This one on 2nd Street was waiting to welcome visitors from all around for Punkin Days this weekend.** --Staff Photo

### Organization joins in boll weevil litigation

The High Plains Weevil Recall Organization is joining the South Texas/Winter Garden Zone in an effort to file an Amicus Curiae Brief (Friends of the Court Brief) in support of the Plaintiff (Appellees) position against the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation. The fund has been raised and a law firm has the legal process. The organization is gathering names from interested persons who would like to join the Amicus Brief. Any person interested in joining should send their name, address, and the following short statement:

*I give permission for my name to be used on the Friends of the Court Brief to be filed with the Texas Supreme Court in support of the Plaintiff (Appellees) position against the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation.*

The statements need to be sent to: High Plains Weevil Recall Organization, P.O. Box 530, Hale Center, Texas 79041.

Names will be accepted until October 31st. Call (806)-839-2948 or (806)-296-6523, for further information.

### Farm Bureau Report

The number of U.S. farms and total farmland has dropped slightly from last year, according to a study released by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

There are 2.06 million farms in the nation today, a drop of less than 1 percent from 1995. Total farmland is estimated at 968 million acres, also down less than 1 percent from last year. The average farm size in the U.S. is 469 acres, unchanged from 1995.

"It is encouraging to see the numbers have stabilized somewhat in the farm and ranch sector," said Floyd County Farm Bureau president, Monty Teeter. "Two million farms sounds like a lot, but when you look at the big picture, it's pretty amazing. Only two percent of our nation's population lives on a farm and ranch, yet they manage to feed themselves

and the other 98 percent of the population and still others abroad."

Texas remains the state with the most farms at 205,000, followed by Missouri with 104,000 and Iowa with 98,000. The five states with the largest decrease in farm numbers are Alabama, Georgia, Indiana, Iowa and Ohio.

The largest farmland increase occurred in Louisiana.

### A Glance at the MARKETS

**Closing Commodity Prices.**

COTTON . . . Dec. . . . .	75.85
WHEAT . . . Oct. . . . .	4.08
MILO . . . . . Oct. . . . .	4.57
CORN . . . . . Oct. . . . .	5.26
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### Thompson named council chairman

The Texas Beef Council's board of directors has elected Chance O. Thompson, Jr., of Breckenridge, as its chairman and Jim Williams, of Boling, as vice chairman for its fiscal year starting Oct. 1.

Thompson, president of Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, represents that group on TBC's board. He replaces Bob Nunley of Sabinal, Texas, who represents the Independent Cattlemen's Association. Williams represents the Texas Purebred Cattle Alliance on the TBC board.

The board also elected Danny Evans of Sulphur Springs and Jay O' Brien of Amarillo. Evans represents the southern division of Mid-American Dairymen, Inc. on TBC and O'Brien represents Texas Cattle Feeders association.

In addition, the board seated two new directors. They were Clay Birdwell of Hereford representing the Texas Cattle Feeders Association and

L.C. Harrison of Wichita Falls representing the Texas Farm Bureau.

The Texas Beef Council (TBC) is one of 44 state beef councils charged with collecting and administering the \$1 per head beef checkoff program. Congress created the checkoff program with the Farm Bill of 1985. It stipulates that producers nationwide must pay \$1 per head every time any bovine (beef or dairy) changes ownership. These funds are invested in programs of research, education and promotion of beef.

By law, 50 cents of each dollar must go for national promotions through the Cattlemen's Beef Promotion and Research Board. Members of that board are appointed by the Secretary of Agriculture. The remaining 50 cents can stay in those states that have state beef councils. However, because Texas is the largest cattle producing state, the TBC board of directors elects to send an additional 40 percent of the in-state

funds for national and international promotions.

TBC's mission in Texas is to extend national beef programs generated by the National Cattlemen's Beef Association (NCBA). It does this domestically through programs that provide scientifically-based, factual information about beef to retail supermarkets, foodservice operators and distributors, educators, and health professionals. All these individuals have influence on the ultimate consumers of beef. TBC also conducts joint beef promotion programs with retailers and foodservice operators.

TBC also encourages Texas companies to become active in export market development. In cooperation with the U.S. Meat Export Federation (USMEF), TBC introduces foreign trade teams to U.S. beef production practices and Texas exporters.

The TBC board is comprised of representatives of the 10 beef and dairy organizations that are certified to nominate Texas directors. There also are two at-large members to assure regional and industry-specific representation.

**COTTON NEWS**  
FROM PLAINS COTTON GROWERS, INC.

**By Shawn Wade**  
 Harvesting activity on the High Plains continues to expand. According to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., producers making use of harvest aid products appear to have the upper hand on preventing late-season aphid build-ups.

"Essentially fields with the highest potential for late season aphid build-ups are later maturing and have some new growth on them," says PCG Executive Vice President Donald Johnson.

According to recent estimates, only about 35 percent of the area crop has been treated with harvest aids at this time.

Johnson adds that avoiding potential aphid problems will help reduce the chances of a repeat of 1995's limited sticky cotton problem.

"For the individual producer, it is important to be as proactive as possible in every aspect of crop production," notes Johnson. "In addition to other tangible benefits, timely harvest through the use of harvest aids will significantly reduce the potential for sticky cotton."

Sticky cotton causes serious problems for manufacturers. If allowed, sticky cotton could also reduce the over-all demand for High Plains cotton that producers have worked so hard to create.

So far less than ten percent of the area has been harvested and the USDA Cotton Classing office at Lubbock has run a total of 44,624 samples from the 1996 crop.

Quality-wise, early returns exhibit a fairly typical pattern. Almost 30 percent have been called barkly so far, which indicates fields being stripped a little too quickly.

Other quality factors appear to be holding up very well. Average values are shown below:

Leaf Grade	3.24
Color Grade: 21 -	46.9%
31 -	42.5%
Micronaire	40.18
Strength	28.86 g/Tex
Length	34.60

Anyone interested in learning more about the way cotton is classified or how a bale is assigned various qual-

ity values can attend one of two meetings being held October 29 and 30.

The Lubbock Cotton Classing Office Growers Advisory Committee will meet Tuesday, October 29, at 10:00 a.m. at the USDA Classing Office in Lubbock, 4316 Ironton.

The Lamesa Cotton Classing Office Growers Advisory Committee will meet at 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, October 30, at the USDA Classing Office in Lamesa.

Both committees will be given reports on office operations as well as being provided a tour of facilities. Producers who have never had the opportunity to go through either of the two offices are invited to attend.

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# Tax rate history for Floyd County

The chart below gives the tax rates for all taxing entities in Floyd County from 1981 through 1996. Following each line of figures across will display the tax increases or decreases over the 16 year period. (The County Education District levied taxes at the

rate of .7131 in 1991 and .8067 in 1992 to supplement Floydada and Lockney school tax revenues.)

It should be noted that the City of Floydada supplements tax revenues with income from Floydada Power & Light, city water service, sewer serv-

ice and sanitation services. The City of Lockney also supplements tax revenues with water, sewer, and sanitation income.

Floyd County and most other taxing entities do not have additional sources of revenue. School districts

do receive additional funding from various state and federal sources.

The tax burden in 1996 for property owners in the City of Floydada totals \$2.23910 per \$100 of assessed value. Property owners in Lockney are being taxed at the rate of

\$2.55135 per \$100 of valuation.

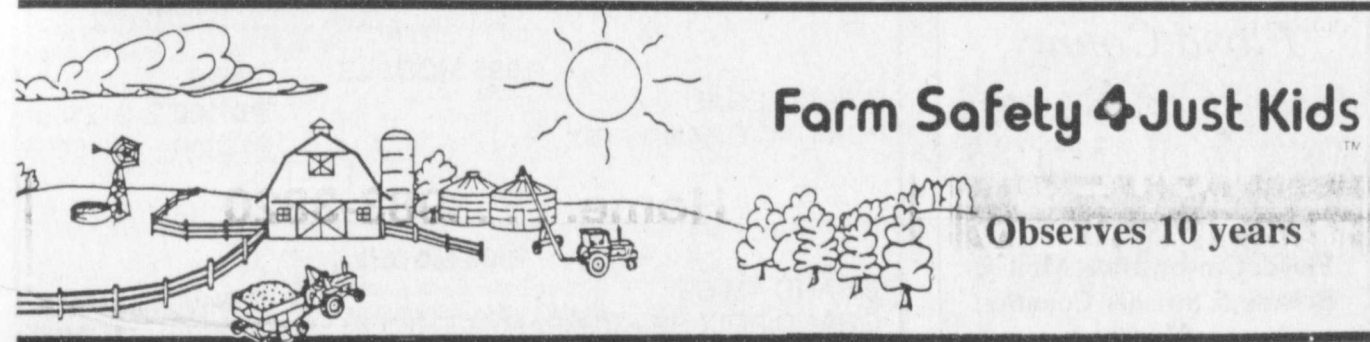
Property owners in rural areas of Floyd County will pay a rate of \$1.63550 per \$100 valuation in real property tax and a rate of \$1.93440 for personal property tax. The personal property rate in Lockney is

\$2.55135 and The City of Floydada does not collect personal property taxes. The difference in real property and personal property rates stems from exemptions offered by some taxing entities for homesteads and senior citizens.

ENTITY	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
COUNTY	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.25	0.272	0.29	0.3122	0.3355	0.3654	0.3665	0.403	0.4	0.3786	0.3786
FISD	0.74	0.78	0.78	0.73	0.7	0.7	0.69	0.66	0.72	0.78	0.193	0.193	1.08	1.146	1.08	1.0985
LISD	0.72	0.75	0.78	0.77	0.67	0.67	0.7	0.72	0.75	0.862	0.2637	0.2626	1.12	1.24	1.1635	1.1635
DISD	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.67	0.67	0.71										
SISD	0.51	0.51	0.51	0.525	0.625	0.698	0.72									
CAPROCK HOSP	0.2	0.18	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.1648	0.1797	0.23	0.247	0.42	0.4249	0.4249	0.4249	0.3	0.175	0.15
MANGOLD HOSP	0.22	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.2383	0.237	0.4599	0.4672	0.4852	0.4852	0.46094	0.4471	0.3839	0.3839
HIGH PLAINS WATER	0.0077	0.0073	0.0075	0.0073	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.0072	0.0072	0.0074	0.0078	0.008	0.0084	0.0084	0.0084
FLOYDADA	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.36	0.36
LOCKNEY	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.2	0.21	0.224	0.35	0.3568	0.3478	0.37	0.3848	0.393	0.39519	0.39519	0.3733	0.37335
MAC WATER	0.18	0.325	0.28	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.2873	0.2931	0.2789	0.2752	0.2749	0.2749	0.2854	0.2893	0.2583	0.2436



**A BEARY HAPPY HALLOWEEN--**Driving past this decorative yard on 2nd Street will certainly be a delight to young and old with its many different settings like this one with a pumpkin baby and teddy bears. --Staff Photo



## Farm Safety 4 Just Kids

Observes 10 years

Keith Algreen wasn't worried about suffocating when he climbed into the full gravity flow wagon of shelled corn. He was just trying to help. Tragically, the flowing grain pulled him under and he suffocated at the tender age of 11. Keith's mother, Marilyn Adams, quickly realized the importance of giving children age- and ability-appropriate tasks on the farm.

"I can only hope that awareness following Keith's tragic death prevents another family from experiencing the same situation," says Adams, president and founder of Farm Safety 4 Just Kids, initiated in 1987.

Since then, Farm Safety 4 Just Kids has grown from a one-woman cam-

paign, whose sole purpose was to educate the public of the dangers of flowing grain, to a recognized force advocating the prevention of farm-related childhood injuries, health risks and fatalities. Today, members and chapters of Farm Safety 4 Just Kids throughout North America provide educational programs, as well as farm safety and health resources to individuals and groups.

"Agricultural injuries and diseases are serious facts for children. The key to turning such statistics around is local initiatives and efforts. Farm Safety 4 Just Kids chapters are accomplishing this," says former Surgeon General Dr. C. Everett Koop,

Chairman of the National SAFE KIDS Campaign.

In fact, a Johns Hopkins' study shows a 44% decrease in injury death rate to children caused by farm machinery over the last decade. One can only conclude that Farm Safety 4 Just Kids ten years of service has had a significant impact on this reduction.

"As a society, we need to help ensure the future of farming and a future generation of farmers," says Adams.

For more information about Farm Safety 4 Just Kids, membership and chapters, contact the national headquarters office at (515) 758-2827.

## Veterans receive low interest loans

Texas veterans now have \$110,000 in special low-interest loans available for the purchase of a home, land, or to make home improvements.

"The special programs have never been more popular with Texas veterans," said Vickie Blackman, a Texas Veterans Land Board (VLB) representative. "We made just under \$100 million in home and land loans last year to veterans looking to improve the quality of their lives," said Blackman.

She said veterans responded positively when the VLB increased the maximum amount of a VLB land loan to \$40,000.

"That means veterans who want to buy land now have the option of borrowing \$20,000 at 6.65 percent or \$40,000 at 8.85 percent," she said. Both carry a 30-year term and require a 5 percent downpayment.

Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro, who serves as chairman of the VLB, said the VLB currently has more than \$100 million available for direct home loans at 6.17 and 6.67 percent interest.

"I want to urge every veteran and real estate professional to take advantage of this outstanding program. It's part of a Texas tradition of special benefits for Texas veterans that goes back to the Republic of Texas when those that fought for Texas independence were rewarded with land grants for their service to the state," Mauro said.

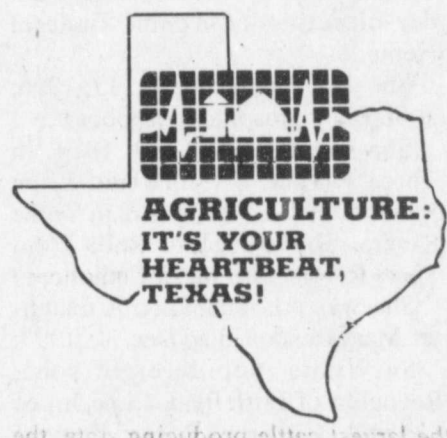
"The Texas veterans home loan program is far and away the best deal in today's home buying market," Blackman added. "And Texas veterans are responding in record numbers to rates that are well below the current market. They understand that these programs offer substantial savings on a 15 or 30-year mortgage and allow you to get more home for your money."

Blackman stressed that veterans are not limited to homes costing \$45,000 or less.

"Veterans who want to buy a home costing more can combine a VLB loan with an FHA, VA or conventional loan to get a lower blended rate and a lower monthly payment," she explained.

There are 1.8 million veterans in Texas that are eligible for the VLB benefits.

For more information or details on how to apply for your VLB benefits, call 1-800-252-VETS for assistance.



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## Termites eat up homes

When it comes to termite control, it's the homeowner's choice whether to use conventional treatments or some of the newer treatments now available through pest control operators. However, the key to management is to be thorough any time a home or business is treated, according to Dr. Barry Pawson, assistant research scientist with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Pawson, who studies the behavior of termites at Texas A&M University, said, "Termites are not going away. If there is one area that is not treated, they will eventually find it." He collects termites and feeds them on blue and red filter paper. The dye gets into their bodies and marks them as being part of his sample. By studying their lives, he can figure out how best to manage their numbers.

There are about 2,200 species of termites in the world — 22 of which reside in the state. From 12 to 15 of these in Texas can be considered pests, depending on the severity of the damage, he said.

Conventional treatments, which place termiticides around the foundation of the home, still work well. They usually give protection for about four years, Pawson said.

The success of conventional treatments will depend on several factors, he said. Soil texture, or the amount of sand, silt and clay, soil pH and the amount of organic matter all interact with termiticides making it less available to the invading termites. Applicators also play an important role in successful treatment. A thorough job

using the highest label rate of termiticide will provide the longest protection.

Some homeowners may opt for using the newest control methods becoming available to pest control operators. The newest strategy involves placing baits around a home. Pawson is currently testing baits under varying conditions in Texas.

One of these baits, buried in tubes from 12 to 18 inches away from the foundation of the house, uses an insect growth regulator (IGR). Termites molt every six to eight weeks and the IGR prevents them from forming a new cuticle. Without new skin to protect them, they will die. One of the drawbacks of this method is that control does not occur immediately.

Another type of bait station uses a toxic bait. Termites feed on the bait and carry it back to the colony, feed on it and die. "The amount of toxic material in the bait is very important so that termites don't detect it," he said. Pawson is currently studying bait formulations to see which works best.

In the spring, termites will swarm and new colonies are formed. "They're very bad fliers," Pawson said. "Only about 1 percent to 2 percent survive. Birds love them. They're susceptible to heat and arid conditions.

On the other hand, if a colony becomes fractured, or isolated, due to drought or heavy rainfall, the colony may reproduce faster. The key to protection is keeping that barrier—whether it's conventional or baits—around the home, he said.

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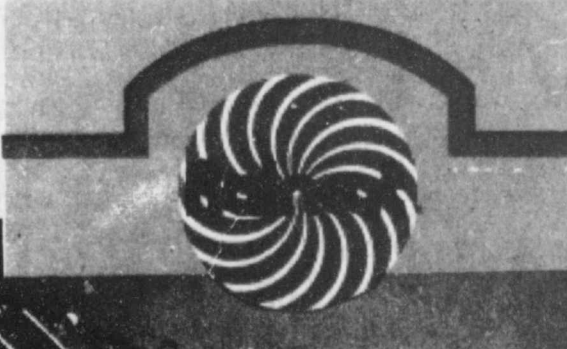

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# Obituaries

## HELEN EDDLEMAN

Services for Helen Eddleman, 83, of Pampa were at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, October 22, 1996, in Quitaque Church of Christ with J.D. Nance officiating. Delos Johnson, minister, assisted the service.

Burial was in Resthaven Cemetery under direction of Myers-Long Funeral Directors.

She died Sunday, October 20, 1996, in Pampa.

She was born August 9, 1913, near Bonham. She moved to Pampa from Quitaque in 1986. She married Bruce Eddleman in Memphis in 1934. He died in 1979. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include a daughter, Thelma Waters of Pampa; two sons, Richard of Amarillo and Randall of Floydada; a sister, Louise Pinson of Phoenix, Arizona; eight grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorial to Hospice of the Panhandle, P.O. Box 2795, Pampa 79065.

## CHARLES HAMILTON

Memorial services for Charles Ray Hamilton, 68, of Floydada were at 10 a.m. Monday, October 21, 1996, at First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Clark Williams, minister, officiating.

Cremation was under direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada.

He died Friday morning, Oct. 18, 1996, at Mangold Memorial Hospital in Lockney.

He was born October 10, 1928 in Brownfield. He moved to Floydada in 1937 from Lamesa and graduated from Floydada High School. He was also a graduate of Texas A&M University. He married Bobbie Medlen March 20, 1954 in Floydada.

He was a Lt. in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. He was co-owner of CRH Systems in Floydada and was a farmer. He was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Bobbie; two sons, Calvin Ross of Flower Mound and Clay Morgan of Arlington, Virginia; and five grandchildren. Memorials may be made to the Landscaping Fund of First United Methodist Church of Floydada.

## ALFRED MARTIN

Graveside services for Alfred Martin, 78, of Flomot were at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 23, in Flomot Cemetery with J.D. Nance, a Church of Christ minister of Silverton, officiating.

Burial was under direction of Seigler Funeral Home of Matador.

Martin died Tuesday, Oct. 22, 1996, at his residence.

He was born Sept. 3, 1918, in Flomot. He married Sylvia Waters on April 10, 1936, in Silverton. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

He was a farmer and rancher.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Eldon of Quitaque; a daughter, Nova Turner of Matador; a brother, Raymond of Lockney; two sisters, Edith Washington of Flomot and Gertrude Light of Amarillo; four grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

## WELDON MIZE

Services for Weldon Barron "Doc" Mize, 76, of Weatherford were at 2 p.m. Friday, October 18, 1996, in White's Funeral Home Chapel of Memories with the Revs. Don Thompson and Benny Mize officiating.

Burial was in East Greenwood Cemetery.

Mize died Wednesday, Oct. 16, 1996, in a Weatherford hospital.

He was born April 1, 1920, in Rotan. He was a U.S. Army veteran, and he retired at the rank of colonel. He received a bachelor's degree in science and a master's degree in physics and chemistry.

He taught physics and chemistry, and he coached football and track in West Texas schools for 38 years. He was a trainer, and he retired in 1989.

Survivors include his wife, Wanelle Messer Mize; two sons, Jack D. of Albuquerque, N.M., and Terry W. of Amarillo; a daughter, Tina Roberts of Weatherford; a brother, H.F. Jr. of Brownwood; three sisters, Willie Rivers of Rotan, Lenore Waldon of Roby and Dorothy Tolan of Lubbock; and six grandchildren.

## JULIA RENDON

Mass for Julia C. Rendon, 71, of Ralls, was celebrated at 10 a.m. Saturday, October 19, at St. Michaels Catholic Church with the Rev. Gerald Leatham officiating.

Burial was in Ralls Cemetery under direction of Adams Funeral Home.

She died Thursday, Oct. 17, 1996, at St. Mary Hospital in Lubbock.

She was born Oct. 30, 1924, in Three Rivers. She married Lupe Rendon on Jan. 17, 1937, in Three Rivers. She moved to Ralls from Three Rivers. She was a Catholic.

She was a homemaker. A daughter, Mary Rendon, died Dec. 30, 1993.

Survivors include eight sons, Reynaldo of Littlefield, Lupe Jr. of Lubbock, Gilbert of Borger, Tony of Sanford, and Raymond, Frank, Rocky and Ricky, all of Ralls; four daughters, Rosa Ramirez and Josie Aguilar, both of Lubbock, Sandy Ramirez of Ralls and Amy Ramon of Lockney; three brothers, Leonardo Campos of Beeville, Arasmo Campos of Ponce and Gilbert Campos of Corpus Christi; two sisters, Juanita Gonzalez of George West and Angelita Gonzalez of Lubbock; 43 grandchildren; 45 great-grandchildren; and a great-great grandchild.

## WYNONA STANLEY

Graveside services for Wynona Battle Stanley, 68, of Plainview, were at 2 p.m., Tuesday, October 22, 1996, assisted by the Rev. Neil Unwin, pastor of 1st Assembly of God Church. Burial was directed by Lemons Funeral Home of Plainview.

Mrs. Stanley died Sunday, at 11:35 a.m., October 20, in Hi Plains Nurs-

ing Home in Hale Center. She was born May 15, 1928, in Wilson Oklahoma.

Mrs. Stanley grew up and attended schools at Shallowater, Pleasant Valley and Irick. She graduated from Lockney High School in 1945. She moved to Plainview in 1945 and worked as a waitress at El Jardin, Chuck Wagon, Nu-Griddle, Snack Shack and Quick Lunch. She married February 28, 1981 to Frank Stanley in Bridgeport, Texas. He died November 2, 1985. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include three grandchildren, Misty Cantu of Plainview, Tammy Smith of Denver, Colorado, and Kurt Bailey of Bridgeport; and two great grandchildren, Cal Smith and Courtney Cantu.

She was preceded in death by one son, Michael Joe Bailey on March 18, 1996 and one granddaughter, Kristen Nicole Bailey on February 18, 1989.

## ELSIE WILBANKS

Services for Elsie Montgomery Wilbanks, 86, of Lubbock were at 11 a.m. Wednesday, October 23, 1996 in W.W. Rix Chapel with the Revs. Bobby McMillan and Ted Dotts, officiating.

Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park under direction of Rix Funeral Directors.

She died Friday, Oct. 18, 1996, in Carillon Medical Center.

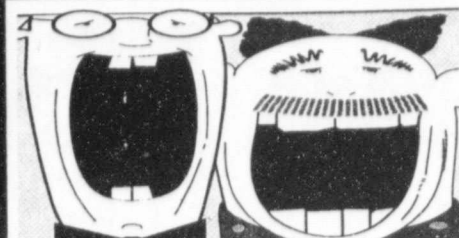
She was born Feb. 13, 1910, in Beaver County, Okla. She received a bachelor's degree from the University of Oklahoma and a master's degree from the University of Missouri. She married William Arnold Wilbanks in 1935 in Borger. He died Jan. 4, 1968.

She moved to Lubbock in 1939, and she was president of Roscoe Wilson PTA. She was awarded life membership by the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers. She helped in organizing Mortar Board, Theta Sigma Phi and Phi Mu Chapter at Texas Tech University, the Lubbock Art Association and the South Plains Genealogical Society.

She was an officer of the Texas Fine Arts Association, a DAR regent, vice president of the 20th Century Club and a 50-year member of the Order of the Eastern Star. She was a member of Phi Mu Sorority, Texas Watercolor Society, Clan Montgomery Society, Clan Ross Associating, German Texas Heritage Society, West Texas Scottish Heritage Society and St. John's United Methodist Church. She has authored and co-authored two books. She was editor of the Hutchinson County Herald in Borger, and she later worked as editor and part owner of the Potter County News in Amarillo. She worked in the printing, real estate and sales businesses in Lubbock.

Survivors include a daughter, Margot of Ridgefield, Conn.; a son, Philip of Floydada; a brother, Ross Montgomery of Lubbock; a sister, Polly Moss of Lubbock; five grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

## This Week's Announcements



### LOCKNEY AA

Open meetings of Alcoholics Anonymous, will be on Fridays, at 8 p.m., at Grace Fellowship Church, across from the hospital. If you are worried about your drinking, or someone else's, we understand, we care, and we want to help. Phone 652-3546 or 652-2280.

### ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

Alcoholics Anonymous and Al-Anons meet each Tuesday night at 8:00 p.m. Anyone wanting the loving fellowship of men and women who can share their experience, strength and hope is welcome. Meetings are at the Caprock Hospital, 901 W. Crockett. Anyone interested may call 983-3635 or 652-3546.

### BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC

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

### BLOOD PRESSURE AND GLUCOSE TESTING

Free blood pressure and glucose testing is held every other Thursday from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Lockney Care Center. Everyone is welcome.

### VETERANS SERVICE OFFICER AVAILABLE

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

### FLOYDADA 4-H

There will be a Floydada 4-H meeting, Monday, October 28, at 7 p.m.

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Pol. Ad. Pl. by Floyd County Republican Party

### LOCKNEY ADULT EDUCATION CLASS

Adult Basic Education classes will be held at Lockney High School on Monday and Tuesday nights from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. for anyone wishing to further their education, or prepare for GED and ESL. For information call 652-2141 between 10:00-11:30 a.m. Classes will begin Monday, Sept. 23.

### BOOTH SPACE FOR CARNIVAL

1990 Study Club will be hosting a Halloween Carnival Saturday, Oct. 26, from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Massie Activity Center. For information regarding booth space, call Becky Sharp at 983-2169.

### PUNKIN DAY ART EXHIBIT

Meet the artist, Jill B. Warren, and enjoy her exhibits of fine art at First National Bank of Floydada, Saturday, October 26, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

### LOCKNEY SALVATION ARMY STORE

The Salvation Army is taking donations. Childrens winter clothes and shoes are needed. The toy drive for Christmas will start soon.

### WEATHER

Courtesy of Energas		
DATE	HIGH	LOW
Oct. 16	88	57
Oct. 17	67	54
Oct. 18	85	37
Oct. 19	80	47
Oct. 20	82	56
Oct. 21	38	37
Oct. 22	59	35

### INFLUENZA CLINIC

The Texas Department of Health will be hosting an Influenza clinic for all FUSD employees. The clinic will be held Friday, October 25, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at R.C.A Elementary School.

### LOCKNEY PALS

Anyone interested in being Lockney PALS youth basketball director, please call D'Lyn Morris, at 652-2270 at home or 652-3325 at work.

### PUNKIN DAY RACES

Sign up for the races on Punkin Day. The cost is \$15 to enter. This includes a T-shirt and medal.

### HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL

St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church will be having a Halloween Carnival on Thursday, Oct. 31, from 7 to 9 p.m. at 301 S. Wall. There will be games, prizes, food and door prizes. Everyone is invited.

### TRICK OR TREATERS INVITED TO CARE CENTER

Children are invited to come to the Floydada Rehabilitation and Care Center for Halloween treats between 6 and 8 p.m. on Saturday, October 26, at 925 W. Crockett in Floydada.

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

### NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION (Aviso de eleccion general)

To the registered voters of the County of Floyd, Texas: (A los votantes registrados del condado de Floyd, Texas:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on November 5, 1996, for voting in a general election to elect Presidential Electors, Members of Congress, Members of the Legislature, and state, district, county and precinct officers.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales siyadas abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:0 p.m. el conco de Noviembre 1996 para votar en la Eleccion General para elegir electores presidenciales, Miembros del Congreso, Miembros de la Legislatura, y oficiales del estado, distrito, condado y del precincto.)

### LOCATIONS OF POLLING PLACES (DIRECCIONES DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

- S.W. Floydada #1.....Massie Activity Center
- East Lockney #5.....City Hall
- Providence #7.....Lutheran Church
- South Plains #9.....Baptist Church
- Cedar Hill #11.....Producers Elevator Office
- Harmony #16.....Harmony Community Center
- Goodnight #17.....Fairmont Baptist Church
- West Lockney #18.....Methodist Church
- Dougherty #20.....Producers Grain Store
- S.E. Floydada #23.....County Courtroom, Courthouse
- N.E. Floydada #24.....Caprock Community Action Bldg.

Early voting by appearance will be conducted each weekday at the office of the County Clerk of Floyd County in Floydada, Texas between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on the 16th day of October, 1996 and ending on the 1st day of November, 1996.

(La votacion adelantada en persona llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en el oficio del Secretario del Condado de Floyd, Floydada, Texas entre las 8:30 de la manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el dia 16 de Octubre, 1996 y terminando el dia 1 de Noviembre, 1996.)

Issued this the 24th day of Septmber, 1996.  
Emitada este dia 24th de Septiembre, 1996.  
William D. Hardin  
Signature of County Judge (Firma del Juez del Condado)  
Published 10-10, 17 & 24

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10-31p  
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Joe Jones, President  
Vicki Christian, Vice President  
Brenda Hefflin, Corresponding Secretary  
Jeanine Helms, Recording Secretary  
Sharon Quisenberry, Treasurer

### GARAGE SALES

Floydada  
**GARAGE SALE** at 903 W. Mississippi. Saturday, 9-2. 10-24c

**GARAGE SALE --** Friday, October 26, 9:00 a.m. 723 W. Kentucky. 19-24p

**GARAGE SALE --** 318 W. Mississippi. Miscellaneous household items, one out-board motor. Friday & Saturday. 10-24p

### HELP WANTED

**CITY OF FLOYDADA** is accepting applications for the position of patrolman. Applicants must be TCLEOSE certified with experience. Contact: City of Floydada Police Department, P. O. Box 10, Floydada, Tx. 79235. 806-983-2834. 10-31c

**HELP WANTED--**Two dependable persons for Rehab Aide position at Lockney Care Center and Floydada Rehab and Care Center. Experience preferred in therapy department. Inquire at 767-3987. 10-24c

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### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

In compliance with the Texas Good Faith Effort Program, Lockney General Hospital District d/b/a W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital encourages any Historically Under Utilized Businesses (HUBs) to contact the Hospital regarding any requested bids or contracting items. 10-24c

#### NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF DWIGHT KEITH JACKSON

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Dwight Keith Jackson, deceased, were issued on October 14, 1996 in Cause No. 5351 pending in the County Court of Floyd County, Texas, to: Gayle Jackson  
The address of such person is:  
Route 1, Box 123  
Lockney, Texas 79241  
Persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.  
Dated the 21st day of October, 1996.

Law Offices of  
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By Norton Baker  
State Bar No. 01602000  
Attorneys for the Estate

10-24c

**VOTE**  
**Mac Thornberry**  
Prof. Ad. P.I. by Floyd County Republican Party

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### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### PUBLIC NOTICE CITY OF LOCKNEY

The City of Lockney will take bids until November 6, 1996 to lease 45 acres of pasture land.  
Bids will be open and accepted at the regular council meeting on November 7, 1996 at 9:00 a.m. 10-17/10-24c

### REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

The Floydada Independent School District requests proposals for Reinsurance Contracts for its self funded medical program.  
Proposals should include 24/12 or a paid 12 month contract for a \$25,000.00 stop loss.  
Proposals must be received by 5:00 p.m. November 11, 1996. Address proposals in sealed envelopes to: Rick Holder, R.H. Administrators, 6502 Slide Road, Suite 300, Lubbock, Texas 79424.  
Any questions should be addressed to Rick Holder at the above address or phone (806) 794-0844, FAX (806) 794-2791. Thank you. 10-24c

### PUBLIC NOTICE

The City of Floydada has acquired by deed certain real estate properties formerly belonging to the railroads serving Floydada. This property is now being offered for sale to the general public.

A list of the property may be obtained from the Floydada City Secretary.

#### INSTRUCTIONS:

- Contact City Secretary's Office at City Hall for location of above lots.
- All bids shall be mailed or delivered to the City Secretary's Office at City Hall, 114 W. Virginia, Floydada, Texas, P.O. Box 10, Floydada, TX 79235-0010.
- Bids will be accepted until a bid has been approved.
- All property will be sold without warranty and in present condition.
- The reward of a bid will be made as soon as the City reviews and approves the bid.
- Payment will be made in cash.
- The above taxing entities reserve the right to accept or reject any and all bids submitted.

CITY OF FLOYDADA  
BY HULON CARTHEL, MAYOR  
10-24c



# FOOTBALL CONTEST



**WEEKLY PRIZES ARE:**

- 1ST - \$25
- 2ND - \$15
- 3RD - \$10

Weekly winners will be announced in the next week's issue of the Hesperian-Beacon & may collect their prize checks on Friday.

**South Plains Gin**  
1. Brownfield vs.  
2. Littlefield

**Sterley Spraying**  
3. Lubbock Cooper vs.  
4. Seminole

**FNB in Lockney**  
Member FDIC  
5. Denver City vs.  
6. Slaton

**Don Hardy Fuel Efficient Engine Service**  
15. Amarillo River Road vs.  
16. Tulia

**Schacht's Flowers, Jewelry & Gifts**  
25. Lubbock Coronado vs.  
26. Amarillo High

**Muncy Elevator**  
35. Missouri vs.  
36. Oklahoma State

**Brown Implement**  
45. Florida State vs.  
46. Virginia

**Producers Coop Elevator**  
55. Dolphins vs.  
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65. Chiefs vs.  
66. Broncos

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**Lockney vs. Highland Park**

circle winner and write total combined score in football

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**Tie Breakers**

**Floydada vs. Lubbock Roosevelt**

## 1996 Football Contest Rules

Any subscriber or purchaser age 7 or older is eligible to enter this contest. Only one entry per week per person.

To play, circle on the official entry form, the numbers of the teams you believe will win this week's games. To indicate a tie, circle the numbers of both teams playing the game. Also write a guess of the combined total points to be scored by the two teams listed in each of the tie-breaker footballs. Circle the team you believe will win. Circle both teams if you think the game will end in a tie.

Only entries on official entry forms brought to a Hesperian-Beacon office in Floydada or Lockney no later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday. No photocopies will be accepted and no mail entries will be considered.

Three cash prizes are awarded each week. In the event of ties (the same number of correct games & equal scores on tie-breakers) prizes will be combined & shared by those tied. The tie-breaker scores will be used only in the event of a tie on the number of games correct.

<p><b>American State Bank</b> Member FDIC 7. Bowie vs. 8. Vernon</p>	<p><b>Crime Alert Lockney</b> 9. Henrietta vs. 10. Childress</p>	<p><b>First National Bank of Floydada</b> Member FDIC 11. Iowa Park vs. 12. Jacksboro</p>	<p><b>West Texas National Bank</b> Member FDIC 13. Dimmitt vs. 14. Friona</p>
<p><b>Cargill Hybrid Seed</b> 17. Sanford-Fritch vs. 18. Muleshoe</p>	<p><b>Floydada Power &amp; Light</b> 19. West Texas High vs. 20. Spearman</p>	<p><b>Floyd County Farm Bureau</b> 21. Levelland vs. 22. Plainview</p>	<p><b>Floydada Coop Gin</b> 23. Palo Duro vs. 24. Lubbock Monterey</p>
<p><b>Lighthouse Electric</b> 27. Canyon vs. 28. Canyon Randall</p>	<p><b>Wilson Photography</b> 29. Texas A&amp;M vs. 30. Texas Tech</p>	<p><b>Payne Family Pharmacy</b> 31. Colorado vs. 32. Texas</p>	<p><b>Tipton Oil &amp; Butane</b> 33. Brigham Young vs. 34. Texas Christian</p>
<p><b>Lowe's Pay-n-Save Floydada</b> 37. Oklahoma vs. 38. Kansas State</p>	<p><b>Lockney Meat Company</b> 39. Iowa vs. 40. Ohio State</p>	<p><b>City Auto</b> 41. Southern Methodist vs. 42. New Mexico</p>	<p><b>Lowe's Pay-n-Save Lockney</b> 43. Indiana vs. 44. Penn State</p>
<p><b>Lambert Spraying</b> 47. Stanford vs. 48. Arizona State</p>	<p><b>Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co.</b> 49. Syracuse vs. 50. Boston College</p>	<p><b>D &amp; J Gin Lockney</b> 51. Nebraska vs. 52. Kansas</p>	<p><b>Lockney Cooperatives</b> 53. Baylor vs. 54. Iowa State</p>
<p><b>Clark Pharmacy</b> 57. Lions vs. 58. Giants</p>	<p><b>KFLP Radio</b> 59. Panthers vs. 60. Eagles</p>	<p><b>Attebury Grain</b> 61. Ravens vs. 62. Rams</p>	<p><b>Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon</b> 63. Chargers vs. 64. Seahawks</p>
<p><b>Script Printing &amp; Office Supplies</b> 67. Jaguars vs. 68. Bengals</p>	<p><b>Blanco Offset Printing</b> 69. 49ers vs. 70. Oilers</p>	<p><b>Our Place Drive-In</b> 71. Cardinals vs. 72. Jets</p>	<p><b>Ray Lee Equipment</b> 73. Packers vs. 74. Buccaneers</p>