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Tickets still available to benefit Gala

Tickets are still on sale for the annual Floyd County Friends Benefit Gala, set for March 29, at 6:00 p.m. Proceeds from the gala will go towards the building of a Multi-Purpose Building in Muncy.

Tickets to the event will be \$25.00 each or a preferred seating table of eight can be bought for \$250.00.

The musical group, Harmony, will be the featured entertainment. Guests will also enjoy dinner music provided by Lucy Dean Record, on the piano, and Brady Rasco, on the fiddle.

A three course rib-eye steak dinner, under the watchful eye of Gregg Taylor and Ginger Mathis, will be served to guests at their tables.

Lowe's Pay-N-Save is underwriting the food costs for Floyd County Friends, and 4-Her's, under the guidance of Dee Chance, will serve dinner.

Trimmings will include a baked potato, fruit, home made rolls, blue berry muffins and cobbler.

Dora Ross will oversee the decorations of Lockney Elementary Cafeteria. Spring decor will transform the cafeteria into an elegant dining room, keeping with this year's theme of "Garden Grandeur".

The First National Bank of Floydada will sponsor a \$1,000 give-away at the banquet. Everyone who buys a ticket to the gala will have a chance to win the \$1,000.

"Bucks Bunny", the three-foot rabbit, stuffed with money, will also be auctioned off at the gala.

Shawnda Foster is working with Auctioneer Tim Assiter is arranging the live and silent auctions at the gala. A wide variety of items have already been donated and items are still arriving.

Tickets are available from the following Floyd County Friends board members or advisors: Hulon and Anne Carthel, Kenny and De Chance, Billy and Sherry Colston, David and Darlee Foster, Jody and Shawnda Foster, Randy and Julie Hancock, Coy LaBaume;

Jon and Elaine LaBaume, Nick and Melissa Long, Mike and Ginger Mathis, Lindan and D'Lynn Morris, John and Karen Quebe, Dora Ross, Martin and Robin Stoerner and Gregg and Chris Taylor.

Clinic gets Rural Health designation

Caprock Hospital District has received notification they have passed a rural health survey which will allow the clinic to become a Rural Health Clinic.

The Hospital Board of Directors were briefed on the rural health designation during their regular board meeting, March 18, at Nielson's Restaurant.

According to UMC representatives, Al Bendeck and Eric Givens, the Rural Health Clinic designation will enable Caprock Clinic, in Floydada, to receive greater reimbursement on Medicare and Medicaid patients. "This is a very positive thing for our clinic," said Board President Tom Farris.

Also during the meeting, EMS Board Representative Kyle Smith asked the hospital directors for an additional \$2,427.94 to pay for a Life-Pack 11.

The board had already approved \$12,500 for the equipment, but the equipment ended up costing \$14,927.94. The directors approved the additional subsidy for the Life-Pack.

Smith also asked the board for matching grant money to buy a new ambulance for EMS. According to Smith EMS plans to trade in their old ambulance and try and secure a grant. If the grant is approved EMS will need a matching \$35,000 in money from Caprock Hospital District.

The Directors approved the matching funds.

The ambulance will be the property of Caprock Hospital District.

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CHECKING OUT THE BEEF--Gregg Taylor measures the back of "Bert" to see if he will measure up to the task of producing enough rib-eye steaks for the Floyd County Friends Gala. Lucky for "Bert" he still

has some growing to do and, according to owner Ronnie Aston, "a few stock shows to win." Tiffany Taylor is holding the halter of her new friend.

Staff Photo

Superintendent finalists named

FLOYDADA — Jimmie Collins, currently serving as FISD assistant superintendent, is among two finalists for the position of superintendent. FISD board members selected three during a special meeting on Thursday, March 13, however one of the candidates withdrew his name from consideration.

The other finalist is Rudy Duran

from Clear Creek ISD.

Finalists will be interviewed in a called meeting on Friday, March 28 beginning at 1:00 p.m. Announcement of the new superintendent is expected in late March or early April.

Meeting in regular session on Tuesday, March 11, board members approved contract renewals for professional and para-professional per-

sonnel for the coming school year. Recommendations for renewals were made by administrative supervisors.

Central office renewals include Laveta Morren (secretary to the superintendent), Jan Thompson, (finance coordinator) Sharon Rainwater (Payroll/insurance coordinator) and Carol Brooks (bookkeeper). Grant

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Lack of manager may force closure of city pool

FLOYDADA — Advertising for someone to operate the Floydada Municipal Swimming Pool for the coming summer has not been successful according to City Manager Gary Brown. No one has stepped forward to take the job.

Brown told city council members during the Thursday, March 13, council session the pool may not be able to open this summer if someone interested in taking on the task can not be found.

Brown said the usual repairs and preparations must be in the works and completed by May in order to open the facility when school is out. Without someone committed to taking on the job, it would not be feasible to do the work said the city manager.

The operators from last year are moving said Brown and will no longer be available to handle the summer pool duties. The city provides the pool, insurance, water and chemicals. The operator must furnish the lifeguard and operate the concession stand, proceeds of which go to the operator.

"It isn't a money maker," says Brown, "but an operator could make a decent bit of money during the summer months. I have even put the word out among the local coaches, but have had no takers."

No council action was taken on the matter, but Brown was instructed to continue the search for a pool operator.

Nick Long and other representatives of Floyd County Friends came

before the council to request consideration if lottery sales rebate funds become available to the city. The group asked to be considered for funding to be used to maintain and operate the proposed multi-purpose center they are continuing to raise money for.

Brown told those present the bill appears to be doing none too well in Austin. He said his contacts in the last week or so seem to think it will not make it to a vote this session. No action was taken on the possible funding proposal although all council members appeared willing to consider the request. Mayor Hulon Carthel asked Long to return to the council if the bill is approved and the city is the recipient of the rebated funds.

A short public hearing was conducted concerning the 1997-98 application for funding for a water project. The city manager explained the proposal, saying that relocation of water lines beneath Highway 70 is the priority issue.

The expected cost is around \$250,000.00 for moving all existing lines to a lower depth and insuring they are accessible for repair or replacement in the future. The public hearing is one part of the official process in submitting an application for TCDFP grant funding.

A special meeting has been scheduled for 7:30 a.m. Thursday, March 27 at Nielson's Restaurant to approve the final submission of the grant.

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Mangold Hospital continues growth

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

Those who have not been to the W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital in Lockney in a while, or indeed ever, may be surprised. An up-to-date, expanding and handsome facility exists in this small community.

The new emergency area now includes two trauma rooms and three beds. The rooms are designated as a major and a minor room.

The major emergency room is equipped to treat the most serious problems. It contains only one bed and its own equipment.

A cardiac machine called a defibrillator is new to Lockney. The machine delivers several thousand volts of electricity to the heart lasting only a few milliseconds. The goal is to restore the coordinated relaxation and contraction of a normally-pump-

ing heart. Furthermore, the emergency area contains a new x-ray room and supplemental lab.

Before the latest renovations, the entire emergency unit was a one-room operating area.

The oldest part of the hospital was built in 1945. The structure was found to be in good shape, allowing additions and changes to be made on the existing site.

Five years ago, the old hospital space was turned into office space and storage space as new additions were built adjacent to the structure.

Administrator Robin Satterwhite is a student at Texas Tech who will graduate in May. After earning his master's degree in Business Administration with an emphasis in Health Organization Management, he plans to remain in Lockney at the Hospital.

He has witnessed a number of change since the four-and-a-half years he has worked at the hospital.

He has seen the creation of a "well-

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TRAUMA ROOM--Marsha Allen stands in one of two new trauma rooms at W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital's new emergency area. The emergency area also contains a new x-ray room and lab. Staff Photo

Cone's private school open to Floydada students

A private Christian School, in Cone, will now be open to communities of Floydada, Ralls, Lorenzo, Crosbyton and Cone.

Liberty Rock Christian School has been in operation for one year. "We were first opened to just the members of our church," said Barbara Lesley, wife of the Liberty Rock Church pastor, Troy Lesley. The interdenominational church has been in existence for 14-15 years.

"Our intent has always been to make the school available to the children in the area but we just wanted to make sure we had the commitment of our volunteers before we added more children," said Lesley.

The school is now open to children in pre-school through 6th grade.

Liberty Rock Christian School is a member of the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI). The school is located just south of Cone on Highway 62.

According to Lesley, the theme of the school is taken from a bible verse from the Book of Isaiah--"Great is the peace and composure of our children for they are taught of the Lord."

"We believe some schools are not

teaching accountability and restraint. We feel teaching the word of God in school will mold our children and make them at peace with themselves, the world, and with God," said Lesley.

"We just want to give parents an alternative. We are not competing with the public school system. We started the school because of parents concerns over some things which their children were being forced to learn and other things which their children weren't being taught.

Because the administrators realize that many of the children will have siblings in area public schools, LRCS will try to keep their school schedule similar to the public schools.

LRCS will currently hold 40 children and if more room is needed portable classrooms will be added. "We are receiving a lot of interest in pre-school and kindergarten ages at this time," said Lesley.

"We will have at least one certified teacher, if not more, to oversee the operations and will also have experienced teaching assistants.

"We feel the most important qualification for our teachers is that they

have a heart for God and for children." The tuition fees are still being arranged and according to Lesley will depend on the number of children

enrolled. "We are trying to keep the school affordable," said Lesley.

For more information on the school, call 806-657-4539. If teach-

ers are busy the phone may not be answered but an answering machine will take your message and your call will be returned.

Elections to produce some races

By Juanita Stepp
 Candidate signup for the Saturday, May 3, election was completed on March 19.

A final report on all candidates who have filed their intentions will be in next week's paper.

Write-in candidates have until April 3 to file a declaration to run as a write-in. Early voting is slated to begin April 14.

As of Tuesday, March 18:

Floydada Independent School District board positions up for election this year are Precinct 1, currently held by Steve Lloyd, and Precinct 2, held by Treva Simpson.

Dr. William Dean and Ricky Vasquez have signed up to run in Precinct 2. Incumbent Steve Lloyd has indicated he intends to run again for

the Precinct 1 position.

Lockney Independent School District trustee positions up for election on May 3 include Precinct 1, Precinct 2 and an unexpired at-large term vacated by the resignation of Mike Mathis.

Incumbents Jesse Garza in Precinct 1 and Jim Bob Martin in Precinct 2 have indicated they will be seeking re-election to their respective posts.

John Quebe has stated he will seek election to the unexpired term.

Caprock Hospital District will also hold an election of trustees on May 3.

All hospital district trustees are elected at-large. Currently holding positions up for election are Tom

Farris, Carmel Eastham and Denise Payne. Farris and Payne have filed their intent to seek re-election. Also filing a petitions are Kyle Smith and Ralph Jackson.

Floydada City Council has set May 3 as the date for election of a mayor and two council members. Mayor Hulon Carthel is seeking re-election to a third term.

Roxanna Cummings and Sheldon Sue have signed up to run for the District 3 council seat currently held by LeRoy Burns.

The final post slated for election this year is the District 2 council seat held by Dale Lawson who has signed up to run again.

The City of Lockney has three
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BY THE WAY



By
Alice Gilroy

I've been asked by the Juvenile Probation Officer, Bruce Ballou, to spread the word that their new Parent Adolescent Center needs furnishings. They are looking for donations for desks, chairs, couches, lamps, coffee tables, end tables, etc. If you want to donate, but don't have any furniture--they would be glad to take cash and they'll buy their own.

Any help would be appreciated.

I hate to keep harping on this age thing. My upcoming birthday must be bothering me more than I thought. Do you ladies remember what it was like to get whistles on the street--or waves on the highway?

Usually it was very annoying--because often-times (not all the time) it came from somebody that couldn't get a date if he paid for it.

Anyway--the highway waves were always the most bothersome to me.

When I lived in Houston it made me very nervous when a car would pull up beside me and keep the same pace as me--refusing to pass or drop back.

Women have a sixth sense about when to look and when not to look.

They know instinctively that if they look over at the jerk behind the wheel--he will be waving like an idiot or blowing kisses, or hollering out the window.

If you give even the slightest encouragement (such as having the nerve to look) you may never get rid of him. So--young women don't look. They keep their hands tight on the wheel and their eyes peeled straight ahead. No amount of horn honking will get them to look.

If I was ever bothered late at night (or the wee hours of the morning), when I was coming home from work, I would simply turn on my inside light and let the fellow see me dressed in my police uniform. All of a sudden I wasn't worth any kind of effort on his part.

Things are different now. When a car pulls up beside me and starts honking his horn, then I know that he is trying to tell me something.

Unfortunately, at my age--it's not going to be that I am the love of his life and he can't live without me. It's going to be--you're getting a flat tire, your blinker is on, or your skirt is dragging the highway.

Courtroom Activities

In County Court March 10, Robert Alex Boatright was charged with Assault. There was no disposition on this case.

On March 13: Alejandro Flores Arrendondo pled guilty to an October 24, 1996 charge of Burglary of a Vehicle. He was fined \$400.00, court costs, restitution of \$50.00 and sentenced to 60 days in jail.

An August 1, 1996 charge of Possession of Marijuana, against Alejandro Arrendondo was dismissed.

Manuel Arrendondo pled guilty to an October 24, 1996 charge of Burglary of a Vehicle. He was fined \$400.00, court costs and sentenced to 60 days in jail. Arrendondo must also pay restitution of \$50.00.

Jay Cliff Bird, 45, of Post, pled guilty to Deadly Conduct. He was fined \$1,500.00 plus court costs.

A Feb. 6, 1997 DWI-2nd charge against Jay Cliff Bird was dismissed.

Xavier Cardenas, 32, of Floydada, pled guilty to Criminal Mischief. She was fined \$600.00 and sentenced to 6 months in jail which was probated for 2 years. She was also ordered to pay court costs.

A September 5, 1996 DWI charge against Cardenas was dismissed.

Graciela Rivera Gomez, 55, of Floydada, pled guilty to a Feb. 6, 1997 DWI charge. She was fined \$600.00 and court costs and sentenced to 60 days in jail.

Letter To The Editor

Today, March 13, 1997, I have received my Hesperian-Beacon dated February 27, 1997. You'd think mail was still going out by Pony Express! This isn't my point in writing, just thought I'd mention it. I really do enjoy my home town paper when I do get it.

The article concerning the new Parent-Adolescent Center in this paper is of much interest. I'm hoping to read of some of the benefits this institution will be making on both the parents and juveniles. Every county or city can use one of these well run facilities.

I have enjoyed the articles you have printed on the archeological digs in Blanco Canyon. The other article on the playa basins was of much interest.

"By the Way", I always turn to page two and read Alice Gilroy first. Then I read Mr. Towery's editorial, which is sometimes absent, to my sorrow.

Yours truly,
M.P. Taylor
Brownsville

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Mangold Memorial Hospital continues growth

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waiting lobby" for visitors in good health. Leaky pipes and a deteriorating floor have been replaced.

There is a fresh look as new carpeting and paint decorate the facility. Last March, new construction began. In addition to the new emergency room, new clinic space, including six exam rooms, and a nurses' station will be completed within a month.

Satterwhite believes the latest additions, which have been in planning for about three years, create an environment which is more conducive to the business of a hospital.

"It creates a much better operational flow," Satterwhite says. The advantage is having the doctors, offices and supplies in one location.

Satterwhite says the speciality of the hospital is family practice, especially obstetrics. An environment which patients and visitors find familiar and convenient is sought.

"We hope to create a lifetime relationship that will be mutually beneficial," Satterwhite says.

The three doctors have been in Lockney for a while.

Kevin Stennett, M.D. who spent his childhood in Lockney, has been at the hospital for eight years.

Kevin Stewart, M.D. is from Amarillo and has been in Lockney since 1992.

Gary Mangold, M.D. was raised in Lockney and has been at the hospital for 18 years. His father owned the hospital until it was sold to the district in the 70s.

A new doctor, Dr. Shayne White, is expected to begin his practice at

Mangold Hospital in July. Dr. White, from Shallowater, was an undergraduate at Texas Tech. He is currently completing his residency at Tech and will arrive in Lockney in June to complete his last rotation of residency. He will then remain at Mangold.

Patients at Mangold Hospital come

from across the South Plains, including, Lockney, Floydada, Tulia, and even Plainview.

Many of the smaller hospitals in the rural communities have had to affiliate themselves with a large hospital, such as Methodist, UMC, or St. Mary's. The Board of Directors at Mangold Hospital are very proud that

Lockney's hospital is still independent of any larger hospital.

The success of Lockney's hospital, Satterwhite believes, is directly related to community support. He is confident that the hospital has this support.

"The hospital has a very nice reputation," Satterwhite says.

CHD Board handles hospital business

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The Board of Directors also approved one indigent health care claim, totaling \$2,647.08.

Seven property bids were received from seven individuals:

A \$400.00 bid for lot 502 E. Ross, from Louis Gonzales was approved; a \$225.00 bid for lot 509 S. Main from Cruz Zavala was rejected; a \$201.00 bid on two lots 200-202 W. Jackson, from Cruz Zavala, was rejected;

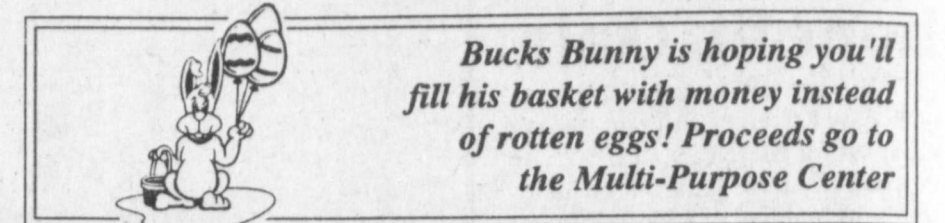
A \$200.00 bid on lot 310 W. Kentucky from Rickey Gonzalez was rejected; a \$150.00 bid on lot 510 E. Price from Francisco Luna was approved; a \$2,000 bid from Juana O. Serrato for lot 503 E. Ross was approved; a \$100.00 bid from James Minner for lot 507 E. Lee was approved.

Three bids were also received for the sale of all the hospital kitchen

equipment which includes freezers, refrigerators, tables and stoves. Bidding on the equipment were: Ben E. Keith Foods, \$5,000; Trex Equipment Co. Inc., \$5,145.00; and Babe Jones, \$5,655.00. Babe Jones was awarded

the bid.

Present at the 7:00 a.m. meeting were: Board members Tom Farris, Denise Payne, Rob Hefflin, Lee Battey, and Carmel Eastham; Kyle Smith, Al Bendeck and Eric Givens.



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Pay-N-Save to give away rodeo tickets

Lowe's Pay-N-Save in Floydada is planning a repeat performance of their successful parking lot rodeo on Thursday, March 20.

KLLL Radio will broadcast live from the parking lot from 4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. and children will be awarded with prizes for "Best Dressed Cowboy" and "Best Dressed Cowgirl".

Lowe's will also give away free ABC Rodeo tickets to the March 29th rodeo matinee performance at the Lubbock Coliseum.

Children will enjoy the stick horse races in the pavement rodeo arena and visitations from Chester Cheeta, Cluffy The Clown and the Moon Walk.

All ages will benefit from the great buys of five hot dogs for \$1.00 and four cokes for \$1.00.

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Rachel Castillo speaks to city council

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 During the Public Forum portion of the meeting, Rachel Castillo addressed the council concerning the Floydada Adult Learning Center. She told the council she has been conducting literacy classes (reading and writing) in her home for more than a year with nine adult participants.

Plans are now underway to expand the service and the curriculum to include GED classes, English as a second language, conversational Spanish, financial counseling and budgeting, and classes on how local governments work. Castillo said Texas Tech has donated 200 desks to the project and she is hopeful that a location for the classes can be found soon.

Castillo asked for no money, just the moral support of the council in her endeavor. "I just wanted you to be aware that this is going on and to know what it is if you are asked about it," said Castillo. "We are working very hard to meet a need that is not addressed in this community at this time."

"When I started thirty people signed up, but I had room in my home for only nine, so we began with nine who most needed help. These are people who want to participate in the community and want to be part of the education of their children. Learning

to read and write makes this possible for them."
 Mayor Carthel and the council members commended her on her efforts and assured her of their support for her project. "I see no reason why the council cannot put it on the agenda to pass a resolution demonstrating our support of your learning center," said Carthel. "I think we are all interested and probably could use a class in conversational Spanish ourselves."

Elza Mercado was officially recognized as the deputy city secretary. Albert Hill made the motion to sanction the appointment by City Secretary Karen Lawson. Jon Nielson seconded the motion and the vote was unanimously in favor.

A motion by Eric Cornelius with a second from Hill was passed by unanimous vote to appoint an election judge and an alternate for the May 3 municipal election. Donna Henderson and Jimmie Lou Stewart will serve as election officials with Henderson being the judge and Stewart being the alternate.

A variance was granted to Pedro and Peggy Aguilar on the recommendation of the Planning and Zoning Commission. They want to erect a carport within less than the required 5 feet of a property line. The commission and the council offered no objec-

tions. Motion was made by Cornelius, seconded by Hill and approved with a unanimous vote.

Sales of several taxing entity owned lots were approved on a split vote. Council members Clar Schacht, Hill, Cornelius, LeRoy Burns and Dale Lawson voted in favor of selling the lots. Councilman Jon Nielson voted against the sales. None of the sales will become final until all taxing entities involved have accepted the individual bids.

Bids were opened on the advertised sale of a 1984 Chevrolet Pickup being retired from the city fleet. Five bids were received.

Donald Wiley bid \$500.00, Cruz Zavala bid \$210.00, Tony Felan offered \$351.00, Martin Garcia bid \$405.00 and Johnny Smith offered \$575.00. A motion was made by Burns and seconded by Schacht to award the vehicle to the high bidder, Johnny Smith.

Council members Burns, Schacht, Hill, Cornelius and Lawson voted in favor of selling the lots. Councilman Nielson voted against the sale. Smith was awarded the bid on the split vote.

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved as presented and payment of February bills was authorized by the council. Council members also authorized the city manager to advertise for bids to dig a new pit at the Landfill.

Business Of The Week

LOCKNEY--Johnson & Johnson Garage has been a part of Lockney since Feb. 1st, 1946.

It was started by Lavon and Ike Johnson, who moved here in 1917 from Greenville, Texas. Current owner, Jerry Johnson, bought out the business from his mother in 1979, after his father Lavon passed away.

The business was first located in the old Harve Pennington building (where the Post Office is now). One year later it moved to its current location at 105 E. Locust.

In 1952, an addition was built on the back of the original building. In 1964, a flash fire almost destroyed the business, but the brother re-built and continued their work.

The partnership was dissolved in 1978 and Jerry Johnson became the shop foreman and Lavon the sole owner.

"I grew up here," said Jerry, "but I didn't start earning a living with it until 1972."

Johnson and Johnson continues to



(LEFT-RIGHT) JIM GOMEZ, DELBERT NEWMAN, STEVE WRIGHT, JOE TAMBUNGA, JERALD JOHNSON AND JERRY JOHNSON

operate with a third generation son, Jerald. Johnson and Johnson stays very busy with their general vehicle repair. The business also specializes in pickup and irrigation repair. Jerry has been married to his wife, Dani, for 10 years. She is a teacher at Lockney Elementary.

Some races in Spring election

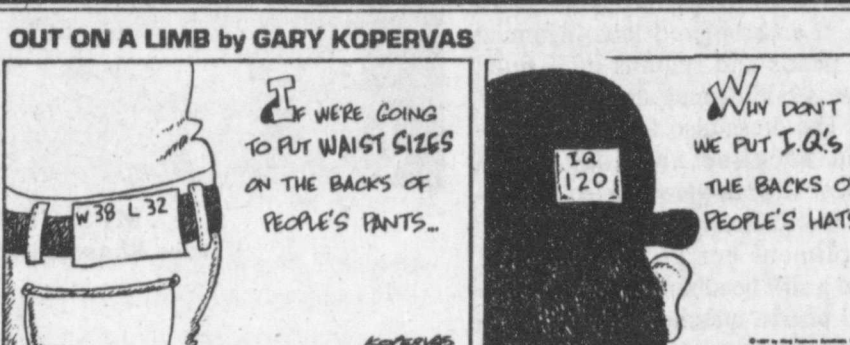
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 positions open for election this spring. The Mayor's seat, currently held by Gary Marr, is slated to be on the ballot.

The District 5 council seat held by Roger Stapp is up for election as is the District 4 seat held by Bill Anderson.

Lockney General Hospital District will have their election on May 3, at the Lockney High School.

Candidate petitions will be available at the Hospital Administrator's office, 320 N. Main, in Lockney. Petitions are due back April 8, 1997.

Three positions will be open. The positions are currently held by Terry Jones, Ronnie Hardin and Jerry Johnson.



GOEN AND GOEN CORRECTION--The employees in last week's Business of the Week picture were improperly identified. They are: (back row, l-r) Dale Goen, Pam Bennett, Greg Goen, Kyle Smith and Elaine LaBaume; (front, l-r) Pat Franklin and Gayle DuBois. Staff Photo



"I'm sorry, Mr. Provolone, but we'll need more than 'Business is business' for the Line 5 entry."

Floydada Police Report

March 5, at 5:50 p.m. police took a report from a woman that another woman had made an obscene gesture toward her. The women appeared before the Municipal Judge and Josefina Chavez, 42, was charged with Disorderly Conduct and fined.

March 7, police took a report from Floydada Cooperative Gins that a brown "Lee" utility trailer was missing from the gin lot. The license plate number is 155DPG.

March 7, at 9:43 a.m. police were called to the Caprock Cooperative School in reference to a 15 year old boy with a small amount of marijuana. The youth was turned over to the Juvenile Probation Department.

March 9, at 12:43 a.m., police were called to a residence in the 400 block of W. Missouri in reference to a domestic disturbance. A woman complained that her husband had choked her. According to Chief Hale, visible marks were evident on her throat and the husband, Salvador Chavez, 42, was arrested and charged with Assault.

Also on March 9, in the 600 block of S. Wall, police served a warrant on Jose Dewayne Guzman, 18, to revoke his probation.

Homeowners in the 500 block of W. Missouri returned home a one day trip and found that someone had cut down and removed their 12 year old Plum tree from their front yard. The tree was valued at \$200.00.

March 11, Floydada Police re-

ceived a report of forged checks being passed at several locations in town.

Handwriting comparisons were done, statements were taken and a suspect was identified through a photo ID line-up. According to Floydada Police Chief James Hale, "We know who the man is--but we haven't picked him up yet. The case was presented to the District Attorney and we have filed charges against a 31 year old man."

March 12, police took a report from a woman that her purse had been stolen from her car while it was parked in her garage in the 100 block of E. Jeffie. The purse was valued at \$60.00. There was \$30.00 in cash in the purse.

Also on March 12, police stopped a vehicle in the 500 block of E. Price after the driver failed to dim his headlights. Rene Morales, 34, was subsequently arrested for driving with his license suspended.

Police turned a 16 year old boy over to juvenile authorities after they observed him swinging a club at the car wash on S. 2nd. He was stopped in his vehicle and police found the club, two knives, a 13" steel bar, and a water pipe with marijuana residue in it.

March 15, the municipal judge heard a case of three juveniles complaining of an adult woman using vulgar language toward them. Lovene Porter Burleson, 40, was charged with disorderly conduct and paid a fine.

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Hickerson and Emery united in marriage

Rhanda Michelle Hickerson and Coby Dean Emery were united in marriage at the First Baptist Church of Lockney on Saturday, March 15, 1997, at 3:00 in the afternoon. Steve Ulrey, pastor of First United Methodist Church of Wellington, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Randy and Julie Hancock, of Lockney, and Blake and Carroll Hickerson, of Arlington. The groom is the son of Ted and Debbie Emery, of Hart.

Grandparents of the bride are Wayland and Margaret Jones, of Floydada, Mack and Gail Hickerson, of Dallas, and J.R. and Dorothy Hancock, of Plainview. She is the great-granddaughter of Mrs. J.W. McClure, of Floydada, and Mrs. V.H. Kellison, of Lockney.

Grandparents of the groom are Doyle and June Davis, of Hart, and Lee and Laura Emery, of Idalou.

The church was decorated with two arched candelabra and two spiral candelabra, each with accents of stargazer lilies, white lilies, ivy, and white carnations.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a white satin gown with re-embroidered lace, trimmed with pearls and sequins on a fitted princess bodice and along the hemline. The dress also featured a scalloped neckline and long fitted sleeves. The basque waist led to a full skirt and cathedral length train. To compliment her gown, the bride chose a silk headband accented with small pearls, attached to a silk illusion pouf and waist length veil edged in pearls.

The bride wore pennies in her shoes which were minted in the years of the bride and groom's birth. For something old, the bride carried her maternal grandmother's Bible, which had been carried by the bride's mother and aunt. Something new was her wedding attire, something borrowed was a single strand of pearls belonging to her mother, and something blue



MRS. COBY EMERY
(nee Rhanda Michelle Hickerson)

Photo by R Photography

was the traditional garter.

The bride carried a bouquet which was centered around one stargazer lily and one lily of the valley. The bouquet was accented with English ivy, stephanotis and wineberry satin ribbons.

Serving as maid of honor was Leslianne Hickerson of Lockney, the bride's sister. She carried one long

stemmed stargazer lily and a lily-of-the-valley accented with greenery.

Bridesmaids were Tiffany Ellison, of Lockney, Kelly Nanny, of Haskell, and Amanda Hancock, of Lockney, sister of the bride. Each attendant carried one long-stemmed lily of the valley accented with greenery. The bridesmaids wore knee-length wineberry shantung dresses with cap

sleeves, fitted bodices, and a jewel neckline.

Acting as best man was Clint Emery, of Hart, brother of the groom. Serving as groomsmen were Jeffrey Sutterfield, of Lockney, Richard Lauderdale, of Midland, and Jason Ethridge, of Hart.

Ushers were Jayson Wilhelm, of Miles, and John Welps, of Hart. John Emery, of Hart, brother of the groom, and Nathan Hancock, of Lockney, brother of the bride, were candlelighters and ushers.

Greg Jones, of Crosbyton, uncle of the bride, and Kristi Jones, of Plano, aunt of the bride, sang "The Wedding Song" and "To Me". Kristi also sang "The Lords Prayer". Zaida Ellison, of Lockney, was pianist.

Angie Clark, of Lockney, registered the guests.

A reception was held following the ceremony in the garden room of the church. Members of the house party were Duffy Hinkle, Karla Stapp, Shari Smith, Kay Martin, Karen Quebe and Cris Taylor.

Serving at the bride's table were Tamarah Burson, and Kay Lynn Lusk, both of Lockney. April Bennett, of Hart, and Angie Walters, of Loop, served at the groom's table.

The groom's parents were hosts for a rehearsal dinner at the Cotton Patch in Plainview.

A bridesmaids brunch was held at The Bridal House on the morning of the wedding. The brunch was hosted by aunts of the bride, Amy Ferguson, Kristi Jones, Channa Jones, and Tolya Dawson.

Other bridal courtesies included miscellaneous showers in Lockney and Hart, and a lingerie shower in Lubbock.

The bride is a student at Texas Tech University. The groom is a graduate of Tech and is completing his student teaching this spring.

Following a honeymoon trip to Disney World, the couple will reside in Lubbock.

Floydada Care Center News

By Jo Wilbanks

FLOYDADA - Hi! Hope this finds you all doing all right. It seems as if the March wind is blowing right along. Spring is in the air. I saw a robin in the yard Monday, a sign of spring. Some say spring is March 20, some say 21, anyway I think that we are all ready for spring.

The residents had their regular morning coffee, juice, and cookies each morning.

We appreciate Bro. Clark Williams, of First United Methodist Church, who comes each Monday morning to share the Word. Also thanks to Irene who plays the piano. Roberta Hardin comes on Wednesday to play the piano and give the devotional. Friday the ladies from the Sunday School class at First Baptist Church come to share and sing. Freida Simpson played the piano, and Margarette Word gave the devotion. There were several other ladies who came, we had a good crowd.

We have four members of the staff with birthdays in March. They are Tracy Wilson, Director of Nursing, March 5; Sally McIntosh R.N., March

10; Jo Wilbanks, Activity Director, March 18; and Marie Johnston, H.K. on March 26. Cathy Stark presented a beautiful cake decorated with colors of the rainbow and balloons. It was served at morning coffee. Thanks Cathy!

The resident birthday party will be this Thursday, March 20, at 3 p.m. There has been a time change. We do hope you can make it. Resident birthdays are Rebecca Smith, March 7, and Leona McCray, March 13.

We welcome a new resident, Robert (Bob) Owens to our facility.

Our love and sympathy go out to the family of Opal Guffee. We will surely miss her as she was so faithful to come out everyday and she always brought a dish for all the family parties that we had.

Well, until next time take care and don't do too much spring cleaning...no problem, huh?

Thought - 'Tis springtime, cold winter has passed. Warm breezes are blowing and spring is here at last. The trees start their budding, the bird's songs fill the air, and meadows are blossoming, with flowers so fair.

Athena Study Club meets in Hooten home

By Neta Marble

LOCKNEY—Members of the Athena Study Club met in the home of Dorothy Hooten, Tuesday, March 12. Pat Nelson served refreshments.

President Gayle Jackson called the meeting to order and Pat Nelson read the minutes of the previous meeting. The treasurer's report was given by Bettye Jackson.

Mary Louis McCarter reported on the elementary school U.I.L. competition. The Lockney students placed first overall and swept several divisions first through fourth places.

Vida Hrbacek asked those present if they would be interested in forming a Lockney Friends of the Library Association and after some discussion it was decided that those who did could talk to Doyle Dipprey, librarian.

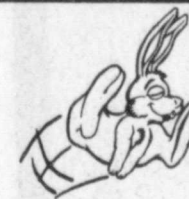

Upcoming meetings and events were discussed.

Judy Bailey, of Andrews, brought the program on 'Creative Memories' photo memory books. She explained the importance of keeping pictures and momentos in an orderly fashion and showed the various items she has for making your own individual books.

Present at the meeting were Mary Louise McCarter, Linda Kidd, Gayle Jackson, Vida Hrbacek, Barbara Mathis, Dorothy Hooten, Donnie Meriwether, Pat Nelson, Neta Marble, and Bettye Jackson.

Guests were Rita Webster, Leslie Patterson and Barbara Solomon.

The next meeting will be held April 15th at 7:00 p.m. at the Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon in Floydada. Neta Marble will be hostess and Barbara Mathis co-hostess.

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Floyd County Lifestyles

FCE Association meets

By Murl Mayfield

The Floyd County FCE Association met Thursday, March 13, at the County Extension Office meeting room with President Karen Miller presiding.

The opening exercise of the history of crossword puzzles was given by the president.

Recreation entitled "Celebrated Cities" was led by Murl Mayfield. Roll call was answered by five members, agent Melissa Long, and guest, Rachel Miller. The minutes were approved as read by Gladys Widener and she also gave the treasurer's report. Karen Miller gave a report on the Harmony Club programs and Murl Mayfield reported on the Homebuilder's meetings.

Karen Miller read information concerning the District TAFCE meeting

to be held in Colorado City on April 4th. The agents' report was given by Melissa Long. She reported that the 4-H woodworking project would begin on March 25. 4-Hers will be helping as servers at the Floyd County Friends Benefit Gala on March 29. 4-H Easter Bunny Cakes can be ordered from 4-H now through March 27th, the Senior 4-H Fashion Show will be held April 15th in Lubbock at the South Plains Mall and County Roundup will take place April 22, in Floydada.

Maye Williams announced that the Harmony FCE Club helped sponsor a 55 Alive Safe Driving Course which was taught by Glenn and Vivian Curtis. If there is interest in one being held in Floydada, persons should contact the County Extension Office at 983-4912.

Recipe of the Week

Low-Fat Corn Muffins

1 cup yellow cornmeal
1 cup all-purpose flour
2 tsp. baking powder
1/4 tsp. baking soda
1/4 tsp. salt
1 1/2 cups nonfat buttermilk
1/4 cup frozen egg substitute, thawed
1 tbs. vegetable oil
Vegetable cooking spray

Combine first five ingredients in large bowl; make a well in center of mixture. Combine buttermilk, egg substitute and oil in small bowl, stirring well. Add to cornmeal mixture, stirring just until dry ingredients are moistened.

Spoon batter into muffin pans coated with cooking spray, filling 3/4 full. Bake at 425 degrees for 20 minutes or until golden.

Remove from pan immediately.
Yield: 12

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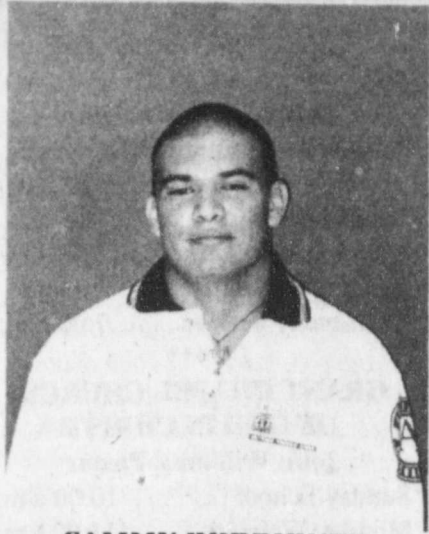
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Former FHS graduate serving communities with Americorps

For the past seven months, Samuel Rodriguez, of Floydada has been serving communities in Colorado and across a 17 state region, as a member of the Denver campus of AmeriCorps National Civilian Community Corps (NCCC). In late September Rodriguez joined hundreds of other young people, ages 18 to 24, in the 10 month residential national service program that focuses on getting things done in the areas of the environment, education, public safety, and unmet human needs.



SAMMY RODRIGUEZ

Members of the Denver campus of the NCCC completed their first round of projects in December, their second in March, and are already fast at work planning for the next round. Projects completed this year include among others, rebuilding the area affected by the 1995 bombing in Oklahoma City, tutoring and mentoring at-risk students in Denver schools, and building miles of trail on public lands and national parks throughout Colorado, New Mexico and Texas. Many corpsmembers are also trained in disaster relief with the National Red Cross. In response to recent flooding and landslides in the western states, several teams were deployed to California and Nevada to provide emergency assistance, helping hundreds of families access food, clothing, and shelter.

The National Civilian Community Corps is part of AmeriCorps. Dubbed the "domestic peace corps," AmeriCorps has over 40 programs with 25,000 members serving nationwide. There are five NCCC regional

campuses, three of which are located on downsized or closed military bases. They are located in Charleston, SC, Denver, CO, San Diego, CA, Perry Point, MD and Washington D.C.

The Denver Campus of the NCCC is located on the Lowry Air Force Base in Denver, CO. During local projects, Corps Members live in dormitories. When teams are deployed to projects in other cities and states, they live on-site in a variety of accommodations including, other military facilities, community centers, tents, and donated apartments or houses.

In exchange for 10 months of service, NCCC Corps Members receive room and board, a living allowance, uniforms, and educational awards to help finance their college education or pay back student loans.

Floydada Senior Citizen News

By Margarette Word
FLOYDADA - The center is open Monday through Friday. If you are interested in eating lunch at the center, please call by 10 a.m. This center is for anyone 60 years or older.

To be inducted into the Texas High School Coaches Association Hall of Honor July 30th at the THSC Coaching School in Ft. Worth will be Richard Marler, son of Orville and Lynn Marler of Floydada. Richard graduated from Floydada High School and has been at Port Arthur Austin, since 1974 where he doubles as athletic director.

Frances and Claude Weathersbee have just returned from a vacation of several weeks at Kerrville, Texas.

Jim and I went to Amarillo last Saturday to visit with my sister, Ella Oglesby, who had knee surgery last Friday. We also visited my two other sisters. My oldest sister has moved into a retirement center called Continental Apartments so we needed to see her and the new apartment. It's so nice to live within two hours of travel time to see them.

Virginia Waits of Hale Center and her daughter Elaine Siewert, Leah and Heather of San Angelo spent last Thursday with Deota Odom, their mother and grandmother and great-grandmother.

Lovene Moore of Floydada and daughter, Sharon Henson and granddaughter, Ambree Vickers of Waco, Texas, flew to Savannah, Georgia for spring break. They rented a car and drove to Myrtle Beach, South Carolina and then to Hilton Head, South Carolina, spending time on the beach.

Travis and Letha Lightfoot had visitors last week. They were Emmitt and Ermal Moody of Chico, Texas and Earldine Moody from Paradise,

Texas. They were also here to attend Opal Guffee's funeral.

Bobbie West of Pampa was her to visit Madge West.

As of last weekend Lucy Eastham was still in the hospital. She was to go home Monday or Tuesday.

Frances McClure was still at St. Mary's rehab after having hip surgery. Margie Lamb was in the hospital this past week having tests run.

Glenn Jarnagin is in the hospital at Laredo, Texas. It is my understanding they plan to transfer him to Lubbock.

Our sympathy to the family of Opal Guffee. She played bridge with us every week at senior citizens. We will truly miss her.

Remember to pray for one another. "Thought for the Week" -- God has given us tongues that we may say something pleasant to our fellow man. Heinrich Heine

Menu

Monday, March 24: Pork chop, baby lima beans, Harvard beets, tossed salad/Ranch dressing, hot roll, pumpkin bars or crunch

Tuesday, March 25: Baked chicken with mushroom sauce, blackeye peas, asparagus or zucchini, grapefruit sections, wheat roll, Snickerdoodles or chocolate cake

Wednesday, March 26: Hamburger steak, brown gravy, baked potato, okra, apricots, roll or cornbread, cookies

Thursday, March 27: Turkey, cornbread dressing, green beans, tossed salad/1000 Island dressing, hot roll, apple cobbler

Friday, March 28: Taco salad with lettuce, onion, cheese, meat, pinto beans, picante sauce, tortilla chips, apricots

March is good nutrition month

By The American Cancer Society

The American Cancer Society has designated the month of March to emphasize the importance of good nutrition in the fight against cancer. The human body is a remarkable machine and just like any machine, it runs best on the right fuel!

Some of the "right fuels" are: fresh fruits and vegetables, especially the green and yellow vegetables and the fruits rich in vitamins A and C. Select high-fiber foods such as whole grain cereals and bread for this may help reduce the risk of colon cancer.

Cut down on fat intake. There are many fat-free sour creams, cream cheese, salad dressings, yogurts, and cheeses that make food delicious and well-seasoned. Use dried fruits and raisins instead of nuts in some recipes, and buy water-packed canned tuna and fish. Remember not to fry anything, but bake, poach, or roast.

For additional information, call the toll-free number of the American Cancer Society, 1-800-ACS-2345.

Healthy Sweet and Sour Coleslaw

4 cups shredded cabbage
2 cups carrots, unpeeled and shredded

1/3 cup chopped green pepper
1/3 cup chopped yellow onion
1 Tbs. sugar

Combine vegetables and sprinkle with the tbs. of sugar.

Dressing: Combine and pour over vegetables:

1 Tbs. Dijon mustard
1 tsp. paprika
1 tsp. mustard seed
1 tsp. celery seed
1/2 tsp. black pepper
1/2 tsp. garlic powder
1 cup unsweetened orange juice
1/2 cup white wine vinegar

Toss lightly. Cover and refrigerate overnight. Drain, and toss before serving.

Yield: 10 servings (1/2 cup)

Look Who's New!

BARNES

Stetson Blake is proud to announce the arrival of his little sister, Whitney Leigh Barnes. Whitney is the daughter of Michelle and Brian Barnes of O'Donnell, Texas.

Whitney was born on Thursday, March 13, 1997, and weighed 7 lbs. 6 oz.

Grandparents include, Iantha Smith of Floydada and Gene Smith of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Mr. & Mrs. Ronnie Barnes of O'Donnell, Texas, and Donna Pennington of Lubbock.

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LOCKNEY SENIOR CITIZENS

By Gladys Ragle

LOCKNEY—The senior citizens met Thursday night March 13 and had a good group present. A good meal was served and everyone enjoyed the activities afterwards.

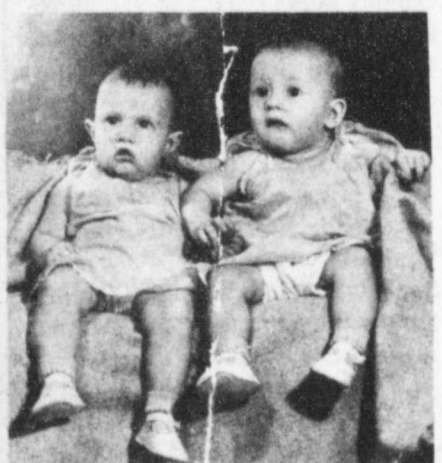
I can hardly believe they have so much done on the quilt. They are going to have it finished before long the way the quilting ladies are going. Thank you ladies!

Our community lost another good citizen with the passing from this life of Reed Lawson. Our sympathy goes out to Maudie and her family.

Eula Bramlet was taken to Mangold Memorial Hospital on Sunday afternoon with pneumonia. We hope she will soon be able to return home and be well again.

Hazel Johnson is also ill and we hope she will be home and improving soon.

"Weekly Words of Wisdom"
A man of many companions may come to ruin, but there is a friend who



Back in 1937
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sticks closer than a brother. Proverbs 18:24, N.I.V.

MENU

March 24-28

Monday - Charbroiled steaks, vegetables, salad, dessert

Tuesday - Beef enchiladas, vegetables, salad, dessert

Wednesday - Chicken fried steak, vegetables, salad, dessert

Thursday - Tamale pie, vegetables, salad, dessert

Friday - Baked chicken & dressing, vegetables, salad, dessert.

Meals will be served with rolls, tea and coffee.

Have A Nice Week!

Chit Chat This & That

By Wanda J. McLendon
LOCKNEY - Well! Do we keep our winter clothes out or bring out our spring clothes? I've always heard if you see a Robin that spring is here. My apricot tree has blossomed out this weekend.

The residents enjoyed the wearing of the green for St. Patrick's the 17th. We didn't see any pots of gold or leprechauns, but you know Blarney's the Irish gift of gab. We know of several that have this gift around here. Shamrocks were provided for the residents to wear on Monday.

We are looking forward to our annual Pre-K Easter egg hunt, the 28th at 10:00 here at the facility. With spring fever in the air, we are about to burst.

We sure enjoyed the Lockney seniors of '97 for our senior supper. We wish you all the best of luck.

If you get a chance come and visit with us. We'll treat you right. Until next time, take care.

Family Council of Lockney

Care Center honors Class of '97

By Sandra Moody
LOCKNEY—The Family Council of the Lockney Care Center co-hosted a hamburger supper with the Lockney Care Center honoring the Lockney High School Class of '97 on March 10.

The attendance was great and we congratulate the seniors on their successes.

The Family Council was organized last month. We would like to invite

anyone, especially family members of the Care Center residents, to join us in this adventure.

The purpose of the Family Council is to provide support for the families of the residents and to center on the new residents families that are coming in.

The meetings will be held on the first Monday of every month at 6:30 p.m. in the Lockney Care Center Dining Room.

Easter Reception

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Blackwood to appear at Trinity Church

FLOYDADA--Jimmy Blackwood will be appearing at Trinity Church in Floydada, one night only, Wednesday, March 26 at 7 p.m.

Blackwood is a singer and evangelist with a rich heritage in Christian music.

His father, Dr. James Blackwood, is the only living member of the original Blackwood Quartet. Blackwood has been singing since 1963 and travels in a full-time solo ministry.

In March 1984, Jimmy was healed of cancer. His testimony has been widely circulated in the book "Deliverance in the Valley of Death" written by Rev. Dan Betzer. He has also been a guest on TBN, 700 Club and many other Christian television stations.

This interdenominational ministry takes Blackwood to many churches across the nation where he sings, shares his testimony and preaches the gospel in an exciting evangelistic style.

Blackwood is ordained by the International Ministerial Fellowship, Minneapolis, Minn., Rev. Frank Masseran executive director. This is an interdenominational organization



JIMMY BLACKWOOD

of pastors, evangelists, music ministers and missionaries.

Blackwood is also a member of the International Charismatic Bible Ministries, Inc., Tulsa, Okla., and the International Convention of Faith Ministries, (ICFM), Little Rock, Ark.

Pastor Henry Russell extends an invitation to each one in this area to attend this service at Trinity Church located at the "Y".

Local club meetings held at Harmony Community Center

The Harmony F.C.E. Club and Homebuilders Club met in a joint meeting March 10, at 2 p.m. in the Club Room at the Harmony Community Center.

Vivian Cervantes, President, called the meeting to order. Bennie Dutton read a story on St. Patrick's Day. Roll call was answered by a subject you would like to know more about.

Vivian Curtis announced a driving course to be taught at Petersburg on Tuesdays and Thursdays. After her announcement she gave an elaborate health report. Sue Lovell gave a very interesting program on Elder Hostility. She spoke about genealogy and told many stories that were very interesting.

Refreshments were served to the following: Meryl Mayfield, Gladys Widener, Jo Nell Fauver, Sue Lovell, Malissa Long, Imelda Ramsey, Anna Maude Hopper, Ruth Scott, Karen

Miller & children, Juanita Poole, Bennie Dutton, Vivian Curtis, and Doris Snodgrass.

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Question: Can you give us a guideline for how much work children should be given to do?

Dr. Dobson: There should be a healthy balance between work and play. Many farm children of the past had daily chores that made life pretty difficult. Early in the morning and again after school they would feed the pigs, gather the eggs, milk the cows and bring in the wood.

Little time was reserved for fun, and childhood became a drab experience. That was an extreme position, and I certainly don't favor its return. However, contrast that level with its opposite, recommended by some modern behaviorists who say we should not even ask our children to water the lawn or let out the cat. According to their recommendation, Junior should be allowed to lie on his overfed stomach watching six or eight hours of worthless television while his schoolwork gathers dust in the corner.

Both extremes, as usual, are harmful to the child. The logical middle ground can be found by giving the child an exposure to responsibility and work, but preserving time for his play and fun. The amount of time devoted to each activity should vary with the age of the child, gradually requiring more work as he grows older.

Question: What do you think of the phrase "Children should be seen and not heard"?

Dr. Dobson: That statement reveals a profound ignorance of children and



DR. DOBSON

their needs. I can't imagine how any loving adult could raise a vulnerable little boy or girl by that philosophy. Children are like clocks, and they must be allowed to run.

Question: My 13-year-old daughter is still built like a boy, but she is insisting that her mother buy her a bra. Believe me, she has no need for it, and the only reason she wants to wear one is because most of her friends do. Should I give in?

Dr. Dobson: Your straight and narrow daughter needs a bra to be like her friends, to compete, to avoid ridicule and to feel like a woman. Those are excellent reasons. Your wife should meet this request by tomorrow morning, if not sooner.

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.

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Discipleship Train. 5:45 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
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SPORTS

Winds capture championship

By Bill Gray

FLOYDADA 9, Hale Center 3
FLOYDADA - Floydada rallied to defeat Hale Center 9-3 in the opening game of the Floyd County Baseball Tournament at Watson Field on March 14. Chris Enriquez allowed 5 hits while striking out two in the error-filled opener.

Aided by two Whirlwind errors, the Owls scored three runs in the first frame. Tomas Barrientos' sacrifice fly in the third inning scored Cody Stovall, but Hale Center's Eric Dominguez struck out Angel Aleman with two men on base to put a temporary end to Floydada's comeback. The Whirlwinds stranded nine base runners in the game.

Nick Williams' two-out double in the fourth inning brought in Jason Campbell as the Whirlwinds battled to get back into the contest. Aleman's single in the fifth inning brought in Barrientos to knot the score at 3-all, and Chad Hinkle's sacrifice fly produced a run by Anderson to put the 'Winds up 4-3.

Floydada broke open the tight game with five big runs in the sixth inning. Stovall and Williams had consecutive singles. Ruben Barrientos walked to load the bases, and Tomas Barrientos came through with a base hit with no outs to knock in two. A hit by Jason Campbell and an Owl error kept the Whirlwinds in control. The 'Winds finished the game with 12 base hits. Williams' double in the fourth inning was the only Floydada hit for extra bases.

Hale Center dropped to 2-2 for the year as the Whirlwinds remained undefeated in three outings.

	R	H	E
Floydada	001 125	- 9	12 4
Hale Center	300 000	0 - 3	5 4

	AB	R	H	RBI
Nick Williams, 2b	4	1	3	1
Ruben Barrientos, dh	3	1	0	0
Tomas Barrientos, ss	3	2	2	3
Monty Anderson, c	4	1	3	0
Angel Aleman, 1b	4	1	1	3
Richard Casillas, rf	4	0	0	0
Chad Hinkle, 3b	3	0	0	1
Jason Campbell, cf	4	1	1	1
Cody Stovall, lf	4	2	2	0
Chris Enriquez, p	0	0	0	0
Totals....	33	9	12	9

Pitching	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Chris Enriquez	7.0	5	3	2	1	2

FLOYDADA 10, Shallowater 5
Floydada defeated Shallowater 10-5 in the bitter-cold second game of the tournament on March 14. Each team committed five errors on a night that would have been more appropriate for late-October football.

The Mustangs broke the scoring ice with a second-inning run, but the Whirlwinds cranked up their offense with a 4-run rally in the bottom of the frame. Three Shallowater errors, coupled with base hits by Richard Casillas, Abran Gonzalez and Jason Campbell, led to the Whirlwind scoring avalanche.

The visitors attempted their own rally in the third inning by scoring one run, but the Whirlwinds turned a double play to end the threat. Floydada added two more runs in the bottom of the inning, and scored three Anderson and Barrientos, a two-run run in the fourth on base hits by double by Casillas. Casillas then scored on a single by Gonzalez.

The Mustangs fought back with three runs in the top of the fifth inning. Rusty Workman cracked a triple to drive in Matt Martinez, who had a lead-off single. Workman then scored on a sacrifice fly by Tony Ortiz. Shallowater's rally was cut short when Whirlwind catcher Monty Anderson nailed Todd Jordan in an attempt to steal second base.

The Whirlwinds closed out the scoring in the bottom of the sixth inning when Anderson scored on a sacrifice fly by Gonzalez. Casillas went 3-for-4, scored twice and had three RBI's. Gonzalez was 3-for-3 and also produced three RBI's. Senior Chad Hinkle struck out 8 and walked only 3 Mustangs in capturing his second victory of the 1997 campaign. It was also Chad's second complete-game win of the year.

	R	H	E
Floydada	042 301	- 10	9 5
Shallowater	011 030	0 - 5	7 5

	AB	R	H	RBI
Nick Williams, 2b	4	0	0	0
Monty Anderson, c	3	2	1	0
Tomas Barrientos, ss	3	2	1	0
Angel Aleman, 1b	3	1	0	0
Richard Casillas, rf	4	2	3	3
Abran Gonzalez, dh	3	1	3	3
Cody Stovall, lf	4	1	0	1
Ruben Barrientos, 3b	3	1	0	1
Jason Campbell, cf	3	0	1	1
Chad Hinkle, p	0	0	0	0
Totals....	30	10	9	9

Pitching	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Chad Hinkle	7.0	7	5	2	3	8

FLOYDADA 6, Childress 3

FLOYDADA - Monty Anderson and Tomas Barrientos connected with back-to-back home runs in the bottom of the third inning, and Angel Aleman added a round-tripper in the fifth frame to help power the Whirlwinds past Childress 6-3 at Preston Watson Field last week. Aleman became the second Floydada pitcher to capture a complete-game victory in the young season as the senior hurler struck out nine Bobcats while allowing only two bases-on-balls.

A two-out home run by Mark Evans staked the visitors to an early 1-0 lead, but the Whirlwinds answered with three runs in the bottom of the first inning - it was a lead that the 'Winds were never to relinquish. The Bobcats scored in the top of the third as a result of Floydada's lone error. Cody Favor pounded a double in the sixth inning to drive in Evans for the Bobcats' final run.

Capturing his initial pitching victory of the season, Angel Aleman helped his own cause by going 2-for-2 at the plate and knocking in two runs. He also scored twice. Abran Gonzalez had a pair of RBI's, and Nick Williams singled in the first inning and scored on Aleman's hit to center field.

The Bobcats, predicted to finish in the upper division of District 1-3A, dropped to 5-4 for the year. The Whirlwinds, last year's 2-3A champion and a pre-season pick to be one of the front-runners in this year's realigned district, remain undefeated so far in their two non-district contests.

	R	H	E
Floydada	302 010	- 6	8 1
Childress	101 001	0 - 3	6 0

(Individual statistics)	AB	R	H	RBI
Floydada				
Nick Williams, 2b	2	1	1	0
Ruben Barrientos, 2b	1	0	1	0
Monty Anderson, c	3	1	1	1
Tomas Barrientos, ss	3	2	1	1
Angel Aleman, p	3	2	2	2
Richard Casillas, rf	3	0	1	0
Abran Gonzalez, lf	3	0	1	2
Chad Hinkle, 3b	3	0	0	0
Cody Kirk, dh	3	0	0	0
Jason Campbell, 1b	2	0	0	0
Dusty Duke, cf	0	0	0	0
Totals....	26	6	8	6

Pitching	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Angel Aleman	7.0	6	3	3	2	9

Whirlwinds defeat Jackrabbits 16 - 4

FLOYDADA 16, RALLS 4
The Whirlwinds scored in every inning to easily defeat the Ralls Jackrabbits 16-4 in the championship game of the Floyd County Tournament. The game was called after 4 1/2 innings due to the U.I.L. 10-run rule.

Ralls scored twice in the top of the first inning. Abie Rubalcado's leadoff single was followed by a double off the bat of Joseph Morales. Morales then scored on a ground-out to second base by Moises Salazar. Floydada's Angel Aleman, who would win his second complete game of the year, struck out Brandon Beversdorf to retire the side.

Aleman, named to the All-Tournament team along with teammate Abran Gonzalez, gave up five hits and four earned runs while striking out eight Jackrabbits. Aleman allowed only three walks in the championship game, and helped his own cause with a 3-run homer in the bottom of the first inning.

Ralls' only other scores in the contest came in the top half of the second inning. Rubalcado's two-out single with two men on drove in Mendella and Diaz, but Aleman struck out Morales to end the Ralls rally.

Floydada would add another run in the fourth inning on a single by Aleman which scored Tomas Barrientos, but put the game out of reach with 7 runs in the bottom of the fifth inning. The Whirlwinds managed only two base hits in the final inning, but the Jackrabbits' pitching and two costly errors allowed the 'Winds to breeze to the victory - and the championship.

(Individual statistics)	AB	R	H	RBI
Floydada vs. Ralls				
Nick Williams, 2b	4	0	0	0
Monty Anderson, c	3	2	1	0
Tomas Barrientos, ss	3	3	2	1
Angel Aleman, p	3	3	3	5
Abran Gonzalez, lf	2	3	1	2
Dusty Duke, cf	2	1	1	1
Chad Hinkle, 3b	0	1	0	2
Jason Campbell, 1b	2	1	2	1
Chris Enriquez	3	1	0	0
Totals....	22	16	11	13

Pitching	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Angel Aleman	5.0	5	4	4	3	8



ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM PLAYERS -- Members selected for the All-Tournament Team in the Floyd County Baseball Tournament are Abran Gonzalez, left, and Angel Aleman, right. Staff Photo



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Army worms march through Texas wheat fields

By Texas Ag Extension Service

Wheat producers should watch for emerging army cutworms. The pests have been identified as infesting wheat in the North central portions of the Texas Panhandle and in southwest Kansas alfalfa fields. I have not detected cutworm in fields checked in Crosby-Floyd counties over the past two weeks. However, I cannot check every field and there may be some areas that have economic infestations.

The army cutworm is a sporadic pest of wheat and alfalfa in the Texas Panhandle. Occasional heavy infestations can cause considerable damage to both of these crops. Although there is no reliable way to predict when a major outbreak will occur, they do prefer dry conditions.

Farmers should be aware that cutworms lay eggs and hatch offspring in the fall. There is only one generation per year. Thus, when cutworms emerge in the spring, you will find that numbers per square foot do not increase because there is no reproduction occurring. This species will feed periodically as temperatures allow during the winter and given the type of winter, the worms can be quite large by March. Mature larvae can

attain lengths of 1.5 to 2 inches. The worms are greenish-brown or greenish-gray, and have a narrow pale stripe down their backs which runs the full length of the body.

Although true cutworms, they feed on foliage much like armyworms. During sunny days they will be under debris or slightly underneath the soil surface. Their presence will be obvious on plants during overcast days and at night when temperatures are above freezing. Farmers should look for the pest in dryland fields, or the dry corners of center pivot irrigated wheat where higher infestations have been found.

Insecticide applications are justified when four to five army cutworm per square foot are causing visible damage in well established wheat. In poor, thin stands of wheat, the economic threshold should be dropped to two per square foot. During heavy outbreak years, it is not uncommon to find 10 to 20 army cutworm per square foot. Effective treatments for wheat are Karate or Lorsban SG.

If you suspect that you have economic infestations of cutworm, please contact me at (806)675-2426.

Millions to be released from CRP

By Shawn Wade

Over one million acres of High Plains Crop land is due to be released from the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) September 30, 1997. Producers and landowners across the area are now in the process of preparing bids in hopes of re-enrolling their highly erodible crop land. Each of these contracts will have to be re-bid to remain in the CRP.

According to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., (PCG) the final rule published by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) should clarify most questions that remain in the minds of producers.

The 15th CRP sign-up began March 3 and will continue through March 28. Interested producers and landowners should be aware that only bids received through March 28 will be considered. Some acreage and practices will be eligible for continuous sign up.

Information about rental rates and eligibility requirements can be obtained from County Farm Service

Agency (FSA) offices.

Additional information can also be obtained from the internet at the following addresses:

<http://www.usda.gov> - USDA Home Page

<http://www.cotton.org> - National Cotton Council

In short eligibility in the new CRP will be limited to land with an Erodibility Index (EI) of 8 or higher. The only exceptions to this basic requirement are: cropped wetlands; land in a designated conservation priority area; certain high priority acreage and practices, including those practices eligible for continuous sign up.

The following is a brief explanation of the major points of the CRP sign up process.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS: Erodibility Index (EI)=8 or higher.

SIGN UP DATES: March 3 - March 28, 1997.

Continuous Sign Up - Only for acreage to be placed in Filter Strips, riparian buffers, grassed waterways, field windbreaks, shelter belts, living



Floyd County Farm News

Applications accepted for emergency loans

Applications for emergency farm loans for losses caused by drought are being accepted at the Farm Service Agency (FSA) office located in Floydada, Becky Rainer said today.

Floyd County is one of 32 in Texas recently named by Secretary of Agriculture Dan Glickman eligible for loans cover part of actual production losses resulting from the drought.

Mrs. Rainer said farmers may be eligible for loans of up to 80 percent of their actual losses or the operating loan needed to continue in business, whichever is less. For farmers unable to obtain credit from private commercial lenders, the interest is 3.75 percent.

"As a general rule, a farmer must have suffered at least 30 percent loss of production to be eligible for an FSA emergency loan," Mrs. Rainer said. Farmers participating in the Federal Crop Insurance program will have to figure in proceeds from those programs in determining their loss.

"Applications for loans under this emergency designation will be accepted until August 8, 1997 but farmers should apply as soon as possible. Delays in applying could create backlogs in processing and possibly over into the new farming season," Mrs. Rainer said.

FSA is a credit agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. It is authorized to provide disaster emergency loans to recognized farmers who work at the end rely on farming for a substantial part of their living. Eligibility is extended to individual farmers who are U.S. citizens hold a majority interest.

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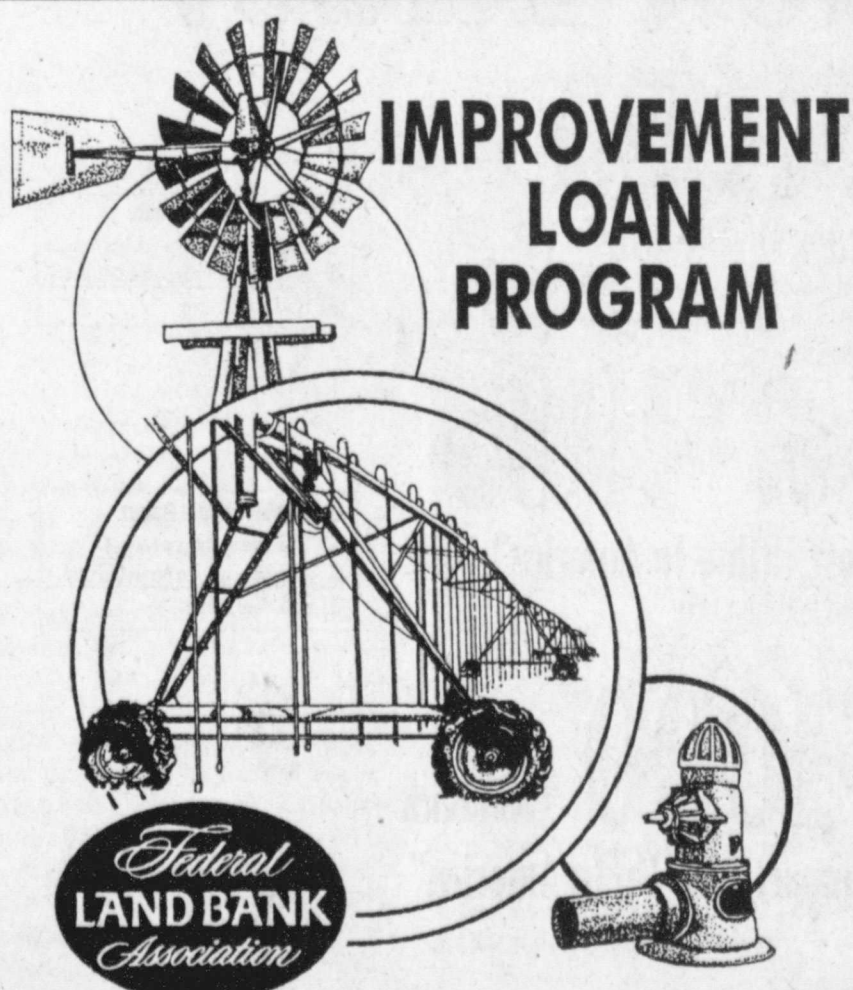


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- 6:30am-6:35am Agricultural Weather Outlook
- 6:35am-6:45am Livestock Grain and Cotton Markets
- 6:45am-6:52am Farm News
- 6:53am-6:55am The Bottom Line Report
- 6:56am-7:00am Agricultural Weather Outlook

Hourly Market Updates

- 9:30am Commodity Market Update
- 10:30am Commodity Market Update
- 11:30am Commodity Market Update
- 1:30pm Commodity Market Update
- 2:30pm Commodity Market Update
- 3:30pm Commodity Market Update

Noon Agri-Business Report

- 12:30pm-12:35pm Agricultural Weather Outlook
- 12:35pm-12:45pm Grain and Livestock Review
- 12:45pm-12:52pm Farm News
- 12:53pm-12:55pm The Bottom Line Report
- 12:56pm- 1:00pm Agricultural Weather Outlook

Saturday Agri-Business Report

- 6:30am-6:45am Farm Bureau Roundup
- 6:45am-6:50am Market Reports
- 6:50am-6:55am Farm News
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Floyd County Farm News

Dividend dollars given to stockholders

More than 1,300 area farmers, ranchers and rural property owners who do business with the Panhandle-Plains Federal Land Bank Association (FLBA) will find more than the usual bills and letters in the mailbox next month.

Member-stockholders of Panhandle-Plains FLBA will benefit from a \$1 million dividend distribution announced today. This dividend will reduce their interest cost by 3/4 to 1/2 percentage point depending on the rate plan they use. Checks are to be mailed to members around the first of April.

For members of the association formerly known as Caprock-Plains FLBA prior to its merger with the FLBA of Amarillo and High Plains FLBA into Panhandle-Plains FLBA, the dividend check sent in April will not be the first check received from the association this year. Just under \$2.1 million was distributed to these stockholders the last of February. As part of the merger, capital of the three associations was equalized. More

than 590 farmers, ranchers and rural home owners in Briscoe, Floyd, Hale, Hall, and Motley Counties received checks averaging \$3,547.00 per member.

"Panhandle-Plains is pleased to return profits to association shareholders. Dividend payments are planned to be issued annually, which will lower the cost of credit for our members," said Kenneth Hooper, Sr. Vice President at the Plainview office.

Panhandle-Plains FLBA has approximately \$135 million in loans outstanding to farmers, ranchers and agribusinesses in 16 counties. Offices are located in Amarillo, Pampa, Perryton, and Plainview. "This adds validity to our cooperative philosophy of providing the lowest cost credit possible to the stockholders."

The association is under the direction of a stockholder-elected board of directors. Members include Larry E. Fairchild of Adrian; C.L. Edwards, Panhandle; Ervin J. Davis, Happy; Ronnie N. Hopper, Petersburg; Dean Turner, Matador; Jerry K. Oswalt,

TFB recognizes 96 as successful year

Texas Farm Bureau's 307,560 member families can look back on 1996 as one of the organization's most successful years regarding state, national and regulatory affairs.

Many groups are envious of TFB's previous legislative accomplishments, especially considering the fact that the organization is probably involved in more issues and work directly on more bills than any other association in the state.

On a state level, TFB President Stallman was appointed to a property tax advisory committee appointed by Governor Bush to evaluate the opinion of voters about property taxes across Texas. He was the only representative of agriculture.

Property Tax relief will be the priority issue of the Texas Farm Bureau in the 1997 legislative session. Members must make their representative aware of their wishes. Another priority issue will be the protection of the Private Property Rights law passed in the last session. Many groups will be expected to either weaken or exclude themselves from its provisions.

Nationally, 1996 turned out to be a banner year for TFB and its interests.

In April, the President signed into law the Federal Agriculture and Improvement Act of 1996 (1996 Farm Bill). This law provides farmers the flexibility to plant for their profits in the marketplace. It does not penalize producers for not planting a particular crop. The TFB Farm Program Advisory Committee had recommended additional flexibility in its policy proposals to both TFB and AFBF. In particular, President Bob Stallman was appointed to the 21st Century Commission on Agricultural Policy by House Agriculture Committee Chairman Pat Roberts. This Commission was created by the Farm Bill to evaluate the future of agriculture policy and the role of government in Agriculture.

In other organization activities carried out in 1996: *Worked with Senators Phil Gramm and Kay Bailey Hutchison, as well as Congressman Bill Archer, Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, on legislation exempting the first \$100 in dues exempt from income tax. This legislation had a significant impact on the income situation of not only the state Farm Bureau, but those at the county level.

*Farm Bureau has long sought to have health insurance premiums for sole proprietorship be deductible from income taxes. This year, the 30 percent threshold was increased and will incrementally increase to 80 percent over the next 5 years.

*Played a key role on eliminating the Delaney Clause from federal food safety regulations. The law was changed to a limited risk/benefit standard in a major improvement for the scientific community as well as the regulated public. The Delaney Clause, passed four decades ago, was perceived as too inflexible for good food safety policy.

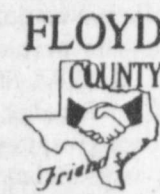
*The Texas Farm Bureau Friends of Agriculture (AgFund) had a success rate of approximately 85 percent during the elections cycle. Of that figure, three new congressional elections were won, one new state Senate seat elected, and a new farmer legislator elected.



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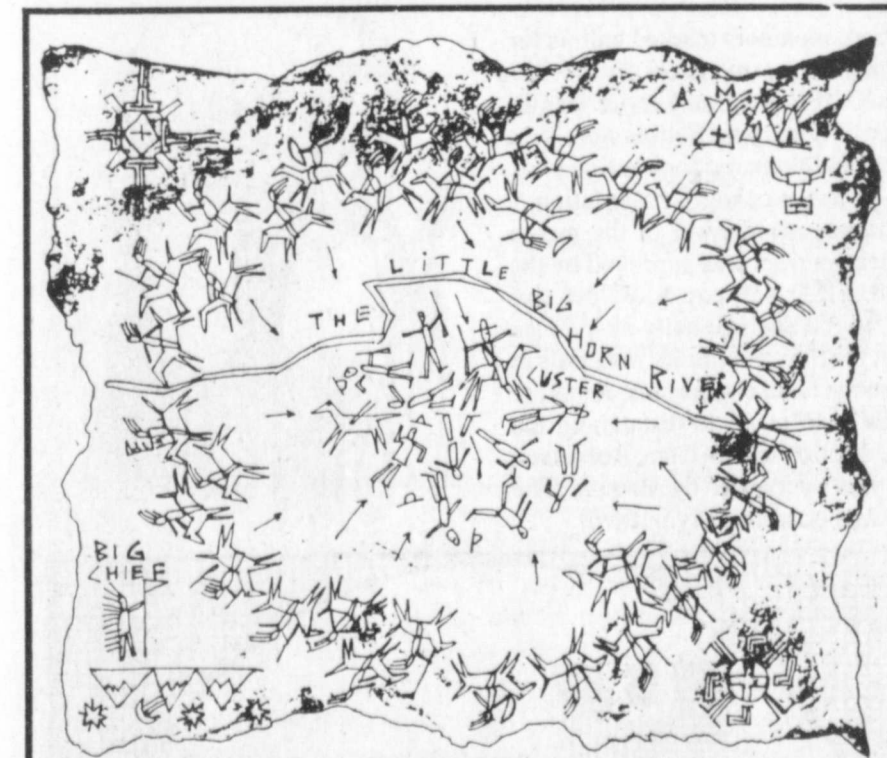
Junior Market Steer Show:
Other Breed and Crossbred, Heavyweight - 9th, Bryan Bybee
Junior Market Barrow Show:
Yorkshire and other Purebred, Lightweight - 30th, Tyler Bybee
Mediumweight Crossbred - 19th, Ashley Brock
Light Heavyweight Crossbred - 14th, Ty Young
Junior Market Lamb Show:
Mediumweight Southdown - 5th, Sarah Martin
Lightweight Medium Wool - 18th, Tim Mitchell

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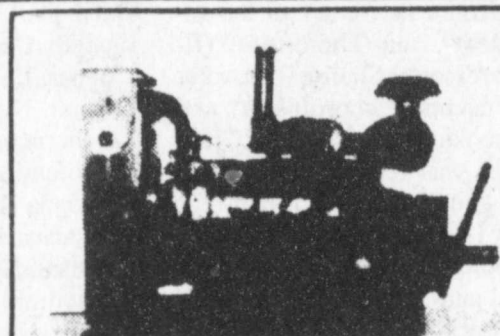


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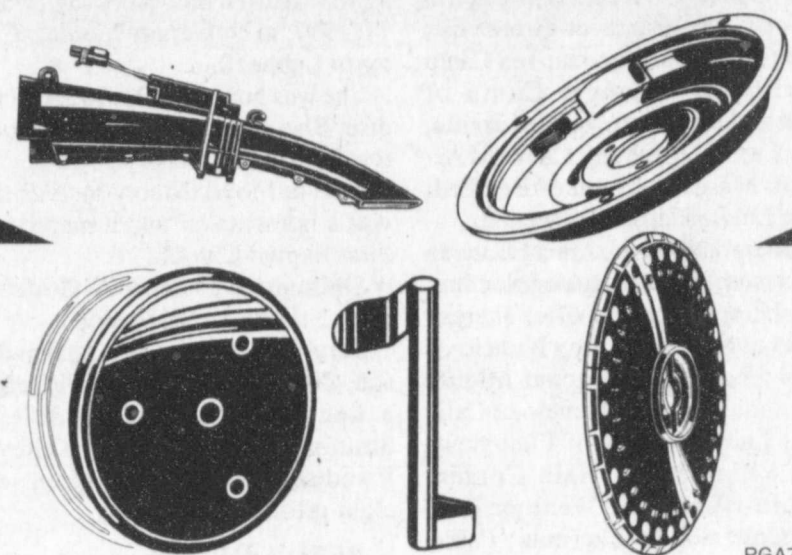
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Obituary

DELORES CANTU
Funeral services for Delores Cantu, 60, of Nocona, were held at 10 a.m. Friday, March 14, 1997 at the St. Joseph Catholic Church. Father John Stasiowski officiated with burial at Spanish Fort Cemetery under the direction of Skott-Morris Funeral Home.

Rosary was held Thursday, March 13 at 7:00 p.m.

A housewife, she was a Catholic, born April 1, 1936 in Castroville, the daughter of Palilo and Leonor Costallina Nuncio. She married Joe Cantu who preceded her in death August 9, 1987. She passed away at 5:18 a.m. Tuesday, March 11 at Wilson-Jones Hospital in Sherman.

Survivors include her children: Jose Cantu Jr. of Nocona; Lupe Molsbee of Nocona; Arturo Cantu of Decatur; Leonor Miller of Kernersville, North Carolina; Sam Cantu of Grapevine; Angelito Cantu of Nocona; Ted Cantu of Arlington; Joangle Cantu of Nocona; Alex Cantu of Benerville, North Carolina; Johnny Cantu of Arlington; Margaret Cantu of Bedford; and Jo Lindia Cantu of Sherman;

Brothers and sisters, Anna Enriquez of Sherman; Frances Rea of Nocona; Victor Nuncio of Huntsville; Theresa Nuncio of Sherman; Tony Nuncio of Denton; Rosana Picazo and Miguel of Denton; Samantha Nuncio of California; Lucy Sanches of Plainview; Mary Villarreal of Hale Center; Marcelo Nuncio of Weatherford; Lupe Gonzales of Sherman; Pable "Pewe" Nuncio of Lockney; Felix Nuncio Sr. of Lockney and Willy Nuncio of Elestle; and 14 grandchildren.

LEE ROY CRUTCHFIELD

Funeral services for Lee Roy Crutchfield, 68, of Lubbock, were at 10 a.m. Monday, March 17, 1997 in the Resthaven Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Howell Farnsworth, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Floydada, officiating.

Graveside services were at 2 p.m. Monday, in the Floydada Cemetery, under the direction of Resthaven Funeral Home. Mr. Crutchfield died Friday morning in the Methodist Hospital following an illness.

Born on April 25, 1928 in Paris, Texas, he married the former Billie Fern Hopper on February 18, 1949 in Borger. She preceded him in death in 1970.

He lived in Floydada for many years where he owned the Crutchfield Tire Co. He then moved to Paris and owned a barbecue restaurant for 4 years, before moving back to Lubbock and owned Lee Roy's Bar-B-Que on the Idalou Highway for five years.

He was a member of the Baptist Church.

He is survived by his two daughters, Cerita Harris and Sherry Hale, both of Lubbock; four brothers, Lester, and R.V., all of Paris, and Lloyd of San Clemente, California; four sisters, Clara Jones, Oleta Decker, and Willie Ball, all of Paris, Texas, and Christell Mahan of Jacksonville, Florida; and three grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the America Cancer Society.

OPAL GUFFEE

Funeral services for Opal M. Guffee, 91, were at 2 p.m. Friday in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Howell Farnsworth, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Floyd County Memorial Park by Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

Mrs. Guffee died Tuesday, March 11, 1997, in University Medical Center in Lubbock.

She was born June 9, 1905, in Paradise. She attended Grub Hill Country School in Wise County. She moved to Floyd County in 1926 and was a homemaker and a member of First Baptist Church.

She married Clarence A. Guffee on Dec. 2, 1923, in Bridgeport.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Clarence E. Guffee of Floydada; a daughter, Sonja Ragsdale of Stratford; a sister, Mildred Kelley of Paradise; four grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

REED LAWSON

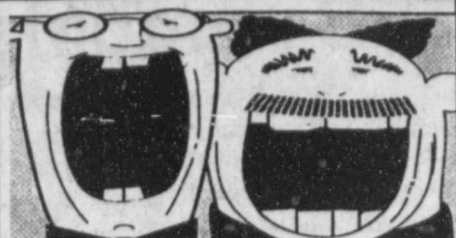
Services for Reed Lawson, 83, of Lockney were at 2:30 p.m. Monday, March 17, 1997 at the First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Harold Abney of the First Baptist Church, officiating and the Rev. Russell Harris of the Main Street Church of Christ assisting. Burial was in the Lockney Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home in Lockney.

Mr. Lawson died Saturday, March 15, 1997 at Methodist Hospital in Plainview.

He was born November 7, 1913 in Lockney. He graduated from Lockney High School and attended Texas Tech University. He married Maudie Renick on December 11, 1937 in Canyon. He was a lifelong resident of Lockney and had been a farmer in the Lone Star Community for 65 years. He was a member of the Lockney Masonic Lodge #867 for 53 years and had served as a past master. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Lockney.

He is survived by his wife, Maudie; two daughters, Reeda Cay Smith of Lockney and Sandra Mae Hammit of Pittsburgh, PA; one sister, Viola Rowell of Lockney; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

This Week's Announcements



OLD SETTLER'S QUILT

Anyone who would like to quilt on the Old Settler's Quilt can do so at the Old Blue Quilt Box, at 200 S. Main, in Lockney, on Monday and Tuesdays from 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. or Wednesday and Thursdays from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

LUPUS INFORMATIONAL MEETING

A Lupus informational meeting will be held March 27, at 1 p.m., at Total Home Health Care in Floydada, at 115 E. Missouri. The public is invited. If you are unable to attend and would like information on the Lupus Foundation, call 744-6666.

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 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.

CERTIFIED NURSES AIDE TRAINING

A Certified Nurses Aide Training Class will be offered by RNR, beginning March 24. Limit 12 students. Call (806)983-8096.

LOCKNEY SALVATION ARMY

The Salvation Army Store in Lockney is open and accepting winter garments.

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.

WALL OF PRIDE BRICKS

Engraved bricks for the sidewalk at the Wall of Pride can be ordered from now until May 1st. Cost is \$25. For information contact Karen Wilson, Lisa Mosley or Rita Webster.

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.

WOMEN'S GOLF

LCC women members - Let's start playing golf. Meet at the Pro-Shop on April 1st at 1 p.m. Bring a friend and let's have fun!

WEATHER

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DATE	HIGH	LOW
Mar. 12	69	54
Mar. 13	83	33
Mar. 14	47	33
Mar. 15	53	37
Mar. 16	60	52
Mar. 17	87	53
Mar. 18	65	32

SPS payment center now at Pay-N-Save

FLOYDADA--Pay-N-Save at 220 S. Second Street in Floydada is now accepting payments for Southwestern Public Service Company from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., seven days a week.

"We are pleased to offer our customers who wish to pay in person this new location and longer hours," said SPS President David Wilks. "We appreciate working with local businesses to provide this service. Of course, customers can continue to pay by mail or automatic bank draft, which may be the most convenient option of all."

Customers must bring their bills with them when making a payment. The payment centers can even accept payments to restore disconnected service. After payment, the customer will receive a verification code, and can then call SPS to restore service.

The new payment centers are being opened throughout the SPS service area. They are managed by Integrated Payment Systems, a subsidiary of First Data Corp., which is also the parent company of Western Union. First Data is the nation's leading provider of such services through a network of 40,000 locations across the country.

FISD board renews contracts

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Finalists will be interviewed in a called meeting on Friday, March 28 beginning at 1:00 p.m. Announcement of the new superintendent is expected in late March or early April.

Meeting in regular session on Tuesday, March 11, board members approved contract renewals for professional and para-professional personnel for the coming school year. Recommendations for renewals were made by administrative supervisors.

Central office renewals include Laveta Morren (secretary to the superintendent), Jan Thompson, (finance coordinator) Sharon Rainwater (Payroll/insurance coordinator) and Carol Brooks (bookkeeper). Grant Hambricht was renewed as federal programs/curriculum coordinator and Holly Lee will continue to be the TAAS coordinator, Vikki Yeary will be federal and Title I program assistant and Maria Vasquez will be Title I migrant clerk.

Renewals at Caprock Education Cooperative include educational diagnosticians Jan Hunter, Kayla Johnston and Karen Quebe, related services counselor Charlotte Dowell and half-time transition counselor Pat Laceywell. Others include SEMS/SERS clerk/directors secretary Diane Reyes, records clerk/diagnosticians secretary Ann Evans, and homebound assistants Betty Nichols and Ninfa Ochoa.

Professional renewals at A. B. Duncan Elementary included: Julie Vines, Maria Peralez, Mary Molinar, Rebecca Sharp, Linda Crader, Robbie Odom, Carlyn Crawford, Anna Rivera, Shelia Joiner, Carolyn Smith, Carolyn Cheek, Gloria Fannon, Judy Dotson, Denise Daughtrey, Kay Dean Smith, Julie Lackey, Phyllis Smith, Sarah Sanders, Glenda Livingston, Donna Harmon, Dina Cowart, Susan Kirk, Beth Faulkenberry, Regina Smith, Sue Daniels, Rose-Mary Finley, Linda Reid, Maria L. Martinez, Betty Poole, and Tammie Shuping.

Para-professionals renewed were: Nelda Ochoa, Mary Caballero, Carla Robnet, Rebecca Lara, Helen Hernandez, Dalia Arvizu, Leticia Ovalle, Petra Gonzalez, Irma Garcia, Alamar Mercado, Mary Martinez, Julie Duke, Nora Collins, Lana Benton, Margie Martinez, Cecelia Martinez, Sylvia Rendon, Kathy Muldar, Alamar Ovalle, Sue Cheshshir, Connie Hurt and Virginia Smith.

R. C. Andrews professionals renewed were: Martha Lunsford, Linda Harbin, Karol Rainwater, Kathy Holster, Lori Hoerman, Sue Crow, Kay Cage, Dana Crossland, Penny Taylor, Kathy Cortinas, Margaret Jones, Kay Rainwater, Sandra Robinson, Melva Dorman, Penny Giesecke, Carole Lyons, Judy Ballou, Gail Hale, Bobby Rainer, Robin Nixon and Betty Poole.

Para-professionals renewed at Andrews include: Kelli Reddy, Donna Henderson, Lily Maldonado,

Janis Julian, Debbie Bertrand, Rilla Sue Woody, Janie Flores, Alice Hernandez, Stella Benjamin, Ilda Vasquez, Doris Wilcox, Elizabeth Garza, Annela Staples, Hope Warren and Ester Arellano.

Floydada Junior High renewals for professional staff include John Bates, Rozanne Bishop, Dalene Burns, Jimmy Burns, Jackie Chadwick, Sherry Colston, Nelson Dotson, Jim Bob Hambricht, Teresa Hollums, Henry Hunter, Angela Lawson, Sallye Lyles, Jackie McNew, Lynda Reagan, Shelia Ward and Dara Ware. Para-professionals renewed included: Christina Cheshshir, Pauline Cooper, Christa Covington, Rebecca Davis, Norma Hernandez, Dee Leatherman and Billie Lowrance.

Professional personnel renewed at Floydada High School were: Esmeralda Arismendez, Doug Bawcom, Ed Cowart, Hope Crabtree, Randall Eddleman, Mary Garrett, Cindy Hambricht, Rex Holcombe, Lee Hurt, Dale Jahay, Kathy Jahay, David Kennedy, Rita Kennedy, Jim Knight, Sharon Kurklin, Randall Lightfoot, Robert Lockwood, Sharon Lockwood, Belinda Maddox, Roy Martinez, Janet Milam, Amanda Miller, John Odom, Pam Ricketts, Jill Sinkler, Leslie Standlee, Mark Standlee, Bert Vandiver, Jan Willson and Mac Willson. Para-professionals renewed were: Maria Cuellar, Vickie Emert, Mary Garcia, Albert Hill, Doris Nixon, Carlen Beedy and Mary Emert.

Coaching positions renewed included: Ed Cowart, Rex Helcombe, Lee Hurt, David Kennedy, Jim Knight, Randy Lightfoot, Roy Martinez, Mo Eddleman, Jimmy Burns, Jackie McNew, Dara Ware and Robin Nixon.

Certified personnel rehired at Caprock Counties Learning Co-op included Kathy Givens, Kenneth Kirk, Debby Wagner, Cathey Turner, Judy Hall, Jimmy Russell, Joyce Williams, Pypeer Wilkins, Reba Moore and Terri Kirk. Para-professionals rehired were: Oscar Garza, Kelly Pachiano, LeJuan Eddleman, Martha Garza, Belinda Guadalucazar, and Dendy Williams.

Resignations were accepted from Dale Newton, Janice Moss, S. Glen Schell.

New textbooks from which local books will be chosen were approved as presented to the board by Grant Hambricht on behalf of the FISD textbook adoption committee. The committee recommended adoption of all titles authorized by the state. Motion was made by Trena Simpson and seconded by Billy Joe Villarreal. All voted in favor.

Board members discussed the current policy pertaining to requests for copies of open records documents. A motion was made by Amado Morales to change one word in the current policy. Instead of stating requests for record copies "may" be made in writing, the policy will now state requests "must" be made in writing.

Energy commission approves merger

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission in Washington, D.C., today unanimously approved the merger of the Public Service Co. of Colorado (NYSE: PSR) and Southwestern Public Service Company (NYSE: SPS) to create New Century Energies.

"The commissioners were very complimentary of the fact that we were able to present to them a settlement agreement with no opposition," said SPS Chairman and Chief Executive Officer Bill D. Helton, who will become chairman and CEO of New Century Energies. "We now have all necessary state and FERC approvals. Approval by the Securities and Exchange Commission comes next. We are eager to move forward and complete the creation of our new, international energy company for this exciting time in our industry."

"We are very pleased," said PSCO President and Chief Executive Officer Wayne H. Brunetti, who will become vice chairman, president and chief operating officer of New Century Energies. "Completing the merger by

May 1 is now a goal within our reach. As we compete this process we can relieve the uncertainty that has existed among employees, and our customers can begin realizing the cost savings and other benefits of the merger."

Public Service Co. of Colorado is a Denver-based electric and natural-gas utility that serves an area with a population of approximately 3 million people throughout Colorado and Cheyenne, Wyo. On Feb. 24, the company announced that it and American Electric Power (NYSE: AEP) have jointly agreed with the Board of Directors of Yorkshire Electricity Group plc in the United Kingdom to make cash tender offer for Yorkshire Electricity.

Southwestern Public Service Company provides electric service to a population of about one million people in a 52,000-square-mile area covering eastern and southeastern New Mexico, the South Plains and Panhandle of Texas, the Oklahoma Panhandle and southwestern Kansas. Corporate headquarters is in Amarillo, Texas.

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The Cat Who Tailed a Thief by Lillian Jackson Braun
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Small Town Girl by LaVyrle Spencer
Vendetta by Jackie Collins

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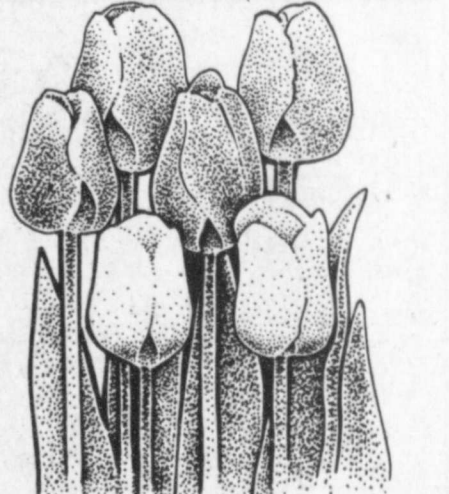
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A special thank you to the staff and nurses at Floydada Nursing Home.

Thank you to the people of the EMS for helping during this time.

Our appreciation goes out to Moore-Rose-White Funeral home for their thoughtfulness and helpfulness during our family time of mourning.

The Family of Opal Guffee
3-20p

We would like to say a sincere "thank you" to all our friends for the words of consolation for the loss of our beloved husband, father, and grandfather. We appreciate the lovely flowers and the beautiful food. May the Lord bless each of you in our prayers.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Lockney General Hospital District will hold elections for two places on the board of directors on May 3, 1997 from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. at the Lockney High School in Lockney, Texas petitions for candidates to be placed on the ballot are available at the administrator's office, 320 North Main in Lockney, Texas and are due back by April 8, 1997.

NOTICIA DE PUBLICO

Lockney General Hospital District tendra elecciones para dos lugares en la mesa de directores el dia 3 de Mayo, 1997 de las 7:00 de la mañana asta las 7:00 de la noche en la escuela secundaria en Lockney Tejas. Peticiones para candidatos que estaran puestos en la boleta estaran obtenible en la oficina de el administrador, 320 North Main en Lockney, Tejas deben de estar regresadas para el dia 8 de Abril, 1997.

3-20c

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Caprock Shared Services Arrangement, formerly Caprock Education Cooperative, intends to destroy records of students who received special education services prior to 1990. These records include only those located in the Caprock Shared Services Arrangement office at 622 S. Tree, Floydada, Texas. Records herein described include students receiving special education services in the following school districts: Floydada, Lockney, Jayton, and Petersburg. It will not be necessary for parties who have made prior contact regarding these records to resubmit their request. Legal parent/guardian or adult students with disabilities may request copies of these records by contacting the Caprock Shared Services Arrangement office at 622 S. Tree, Floydada, Texas 79235, phone number (806)985-5382, by April 18, 1997.

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GARAGE SALES

Floydada
GARAGE SALE--911 South Main Street. Friday, March 21, from 8:00-5:30 p.m. & Saturday morning, 8:00-1:00. Many items.

3-20p

GARAGE SALE--Stove, refrigerator, furniture, and misc. Mini storage on S. Wall.

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MOVING SALE--March 21 & 22 at 8:00 a.m. 807 W. California.

3-20p

GARAGE SALE--Saturday, March 22. 908 W. Georgia, 10-?

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NOTICE OF ELECTION ORDER

BE IT ORDERED by the Board of Directors of LOCKNEY GENERAL HOSPITAL DISTRICT, of Floyd County, Texas, that a regular election of Directors of such District be held in such district on the first Saturday in May, 1997, being the third day of such month, at the Lockney High School, in the City of Lockney in the District, for the purpose of electing three directors of the district to succeed Terry Jones, Ronnie Hardin, and Jerry Johnson whose terms expire on such date; that Mr. J.D. Copeland be hereby appointed presiding judge of such election, and that the polls in such election shall be open at 7 a.m. and close at 7 p.m.; that notice of such election be given by publishing a true and correct copy of this Order, in a newspaper of general circulation in the area of this District, one time not less than 5 days prior to the date of such election.

This 20th Day of March, 1997.

/s/Claude Brown

President, Lockney General District

Jerry Johnson

ATTEST:

/s/ Jerry Johnson

Secretary,

Lockney General Hospital District

NOTICIA DE ELECTION ORDEN

Por Orden de la Mesa Directiva de Lockney General Hospital District, de Floyd county, Tejas, la eleccion regular de los Directores de dicho distrito se levantara a cabo en el primer Sabado de Mayo, 1997, el dia tres del mes, en la facultad de la ciudad, de la escuela segundria en Lockney, en el distrito, con el proposito de elejir tres directores de dicha Mesa Directiva para suceder Terry Jones, Ronnie Hardin, and Jerry Johnson de quien periodo expirar en esa fecha; El Senor J.D. Copeland a sido elegido para presidir dicha eleccion. El lugar de esta eleccion estara abierto a las 7 de la manana y cerrara a las 7 de la noche; este anuncio de esta eleccion esta dado en publicando una copia de verdad y corecta de esta Orden, en Ingles y tambien en Espanol, en el Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon, un periodico de circulation general en la area de este distrito, una vez no menos de 5 dias antes de la fecha de esta eleccion.

Este dia 20 de Marzo, 1997.

/s/Claude Brown

Presidente,

Lockney General Hospital District

Jerry Johnson

TESTIGO:

/s/ Jerry Johnson

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Lady Winds place 4th at meet

By Coach Martinez
The Lady Winds Track Team traveled to Shallowater to compete and scored 72 points to finish in fourth place overall in the meet.

The 400 meter relay consisting of sophomores Katie Sanders, Amanda Green and freshmen Maria Rangel and Amanda Williams placed second with a time of 55.97. Amanda Williams replaced Deniece Williams who missed the race due to a hip injury.

Tara McCannless picked up two silver medals in her running events. In the 1600, Tara ran a time of 6:11.60

and her first try at running the 800 meter run also got her a second place as she turned in a time of 2:39.17. Tara's previous 2 mile time would have given her the gold in that event, but she wanted to try the 800.

Katie Sanders placed second in the prelims but exploded out of the blocks in the finals and finished first with a time of 13.70 in the 100 meter dash.

The 800 Meter Relay Team, Katie, Maria and fellow freshmen Veronica Galvan and Lindsey Reddy, took the bronze medal finishing with a time of 2:01.

Tamisha Burks finished with a

bronze medal in the 1100 meter run with a time of 72.38. Also placing for the team: Amanda Williams 5th in the 100 meter hurdles; Lindsey 5th in the 300 meter hurdles; Amanda Green 5th in the 200 meter run; Maria Rangel placed 6th in the Triple Jump; the mile relay consisting of, Marybeth York, Amanda Green, Tara McCannless, and Tamisha Burks finished 5th.

"The girls are competing very well and they are improving every week. I think everyone from Floydada who watches the girls compete are very proud of their efforts."

Varsity boys Shallowater results

VARSITY BOYS
3200 meter: Randy York, 2nd, 11:49:00; Chad Benjamin, 3rd, 12:42:00.

400 meter relay: Kirk, Soto, Eguia, Palacios, 2nd, 47:25.

800 meter: Eguia, 1st, 2:11.00
110 High Hurdles: Mario Nunez, 1st, 15.77; Kyle Pierce, 4th, 17.49; Michael Palacios, 6th, 21.77.

400 meter: Michael Black, 1st, 55.08; Adam Soto, 6th, 57.00.

300 meter hurdles: Nunez, 2nd, 44.2; Palacios, 4th, 45.00; Pierce, 6th, 47.52.

200 meter: Black, 4th, 24.9; Kirk, 3rd, 24.6.

1600 meter: York, 4th, 5:16.95.

1600 meter relay: Kirk, Black, Benjamin, Eguia, 1st, 3:44.55.

Shot Put: Chairez, 5th, 40' 6 3/4"; Santos, 7th, 40' 3/4".

Triple Jump: Pierce, 4th, 38' 5 1/4"; Eguia, 5th, 38' 1"; Nunez, 6th, 38' 0".

Long Jump: Nunez, 4th, 17' 9 1/2".

Team Totals: Shallowater, 1st, 171 points; Floydada, 2nd, 126 points; New Deal, 3rd, 120 points; Abernathy, 4th, 80 points; Ralls, 5th, 45 points; Lubbock Trinity, 6th, 7 points; Lubbock Christian, 7th, 1 point.

JR. VARSITY BOYS

3200 meter: Snell, 2nd, 12:30.0

400 meter relay: Nelson, McGuire, Diaz, Stovall, 2nd, 48.47.

800 meter: Lucio, 3rd, 2:28.7; Suarez, 4th, 2:31.8

100 meter: Diaz, 2nd, 12.19.

400 meter: McGuire, 1st, 57.89;

Sanchez, 3rd, 60.20; Stovall, 4th, 61.73.

200 meter: Diaz, 2nd, 26.28; Nelson, 5th, 27.81.

1600 meter run: Lucio, 2nd, 5:51.78; Snell, 4th, 5:55.00.

Triple Jump: Justin McGuire, 1st, 38' 10", (new meet record).

High Jump: Justin McGuire, 1st, 6' 0", (new meet record); Tony Diaz, 5th, 5' 2".

Pole Vault: Cody Stovall, 1st, 10' 6", (new meet record); Lonny Nelson, 3rd, 9'.

Long Jump: Diaz, 1st, 17' 19".

Team Totals: Floydada, 1st, 132 points; Shallowater, 2nd, 118 points; Lubbock Trinity, 3rd, 104 points; Ralls, 4th, 86 points; Abernathy, 5th, 60 points; New Deal, 6th, 17 points.

Floydada School Menu

March 24-28

Monday:
Breakfast - Juice, toast, cereal, milk
Lunch - BBQ franks, baked beans, spinach, cookie, hot roll, milk

Tuesday:
Breakfast - Juice, cinnamon toast, milk
Lunch - Chicken strips, mashed potatoes, green beans, peaches, hot roll, milk

Wednesday:
Breakfast - Juice, sausage, toast, milk
Lunch - Baked chicken, broccoli, carrots, pears, hot roll, milk

Thursday:
Breakfast - Juice, pancakes, syrup, milk
Lunch - Beef tacos, pinto beans, tossed salad, cornbread, Jello with fruit, milk

Friday:
Breakfast - Juice, dry cereal, graham crackers, milk
Lunch - Hamburger, french fries, lettuce, tomato, pickles, brownie, milk

Monday:
Breakfast: French toast, cereal, graham cracker, juice and milk

Lunch: Chili dog or peanut butter and jelly sandwich, potato rounds, applesauce, milk, fritos and oatmeal cookie and milk

Tuesday:
Breakfast: Toast with jelly, cereal, graham cracker, juice and milk

Lunch: Chicken nuggets or sloppy joe, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, fruit cocktail with toppings, roll and milk

Wednesday:
Breakfast: Waffle, cereal, graham cracker, juice and milk

Lunch: Macaroni and cheese or corn dog, fried okra, green peas, fruit, hot rolls and milk

Thursday:
Breakfast: Cheese toast, cereal, graham cracker, juice and milk

Lunch: Fish sticks or ham, pinto beans, salad, fruit, cornbread, brownie and milk

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CORRECTION



FHS NEW NHS MEMBERS--The National Honor Society Chapter of Floydada High School inducted new members on March 7th. They included: (back row, left to right) Mario Nunez, Crystal Driver; Jamie McGuire, Tyson Whittle, Lisa Martinez, Katie Smith, Chad Hinkle. (Front, l-r) Leigh Dawdy, Jennifer Noland, Tara McCannless and Neisha Simpson.
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