

Public hearing set to discuss FM 689 construction

An open house and public hearing are scheduled next week in Floydada to discuss the proposed construction of a farm-to-market road, FM 689.

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) and Floyd County will hold both events on Tuesday, June 10, in the courtroom at the Floyd County Courthouse. The open house is at 6 p.m. followed by the public hearing at 7 p.m.

Discussion will focus on the location of the new road which would run east/west from SH 207 north of Floydada to FM 1065 south of Quitaque. TxDOT and Floyd County representatives will be available to answer questions concerning the project.

Anyone with special communication or accommodation needs should contact Mike Craig, TxDOT Plainview area engineer, at (806)293-5484, at least two days prior to the meeting.

Verbal and written comments may be presented at the open house, public hearing, or submitted within 10 days -- by Friday June 20-- after the **Continued On Page 2**

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BEEN THERE-DONE THAT--All parents who have lived through T-Ball can relate to this photo of 5- year old Morgan Stepp at his recent T-Ball game. Bored with the baseball activities and oblivious to the runner flying past him, Morgan enjoys digging a hole in

the turf. The Floydada and Lockney Little League fields have been a bee-hive of activity this summer with exciting (and not-so-exicting) Little League games.

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Staff Photo

New doctor on staff at hospital



WHITE

Mangold Memorial Hospital.

LOCKNEY--Dr. Shavne White nor in Chemistry, at Texas Tech Uniduties have officially started at W.J. versity. He graduated Cum Laude in May 1990.

This week White will join the three White entered Texas Tech's School doctors: Dr. Gary Mangold, Dr. Kevin of Medicine in August 1990 and Stennett and Dr. Kevin Stewart, al- graduated with a medical degree in

He is a member of the Committee on Computerization of Family Practice and while in medical school he was a member of Pediatrics, Family Practice, Surgery and Radiology Clubs.

Outstanding Student of Family Prac-

He is married to Dana Marie White

and they are expecting their first child

in July. She is also employed at the

FLOYDADA -- The annual Floy-

At press time 15 sale locations were

already planned. Maps of the garage

hospital as a physical therapist.

He is currently a member of the

Digs continue at Coronado campsite

Archeologists arrived in Floydada left," said Gagne. on Old Settler's Day, May 24, to begin another week of digs at the now famous Coronado excavation site in Floyd County's Blanco Canyon.

Dr. Donald Blakeslee, of Wichita State University, was accompanied by Frank Gagne (crew chief and site coordinator) and approximately 20 students and volunteers.

"We found more 16th century metal artifacts -- primarily nails," said Gagne.

"We also found a piece of hand wrought metal which may have come from a mule pack or a saddle set-up." The major discovery for the team

was a two "post molds". "We found an area where a post or structure had been staked in the dirt," said Gagne. "We will now set out to determine if it was a simple lean-to, or a more sophisticated structure such as a corral. We also found some metal slag (melted metal) at the site. It could have been some type of horse operation. We will work on figuring all that out in future trips.

According to Gagne it could easily take five years to excavate the Coronado site thoroughly. we completed all those pits before we in the area.

"The real work comes when we get back to the University. We play in the field and then work in the lab.

"There is so much to do at the Blanco dig that it is almost overwhelming--but it is very exciting."

The archeologist were treated to home-cooked meals every evening from museum volunteers and other citizens in the community.

"We had help from many people," said Museum Director Nancy Marble. "The city cooked chicken one night, and the Finley's treated the archeologists to dinner and then a tour of their wildflower garden and homemade ice-cream.

"We also had meals from Kenneth and Juanita Broseh, the Q.D. Williams family and Netti Ruth Whittle and Wanda Turner."

The archeologists plan to return over Labor Day.

The digs in Blanco Canyon are of what is believed to be the site of a major campground of Spanish Explorer Franciso V. de Coronado during his 1541 expedition.

Archeologists have been coming to the site since September 1995 when the findings of artifacts by local citi-"We had six-2 meter pits open and zens convinced them to take a look

Temporary Justice of the Peace appointed

White is currently seeing patients

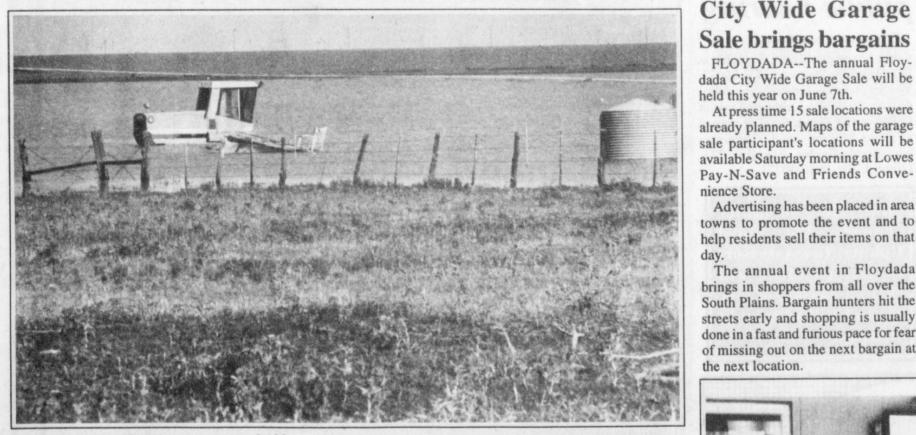
Lockney. Dr. White completed his Family Center in Lubbock. Practice residency at Texas Tech Health Sciences Center in Lubbock. He also did his internship at the Texas Tech health Sciences Department from July 1994-June 1995.

Born in Lubbock, November 15, 1967, White graduated from Shallowater High School in 1986. He majored in Zoology, with a mi- Pre-medical Honor Society.

ready on staff at Mangold Memorial. May of 1994. While attending college he worked on a daily basis at Cogdell Clinic in as a Veterinary assistant, bookkeeper and janitor with the Animal Medical

> As a Tech student he was named Outstanding Senior in Biology, Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities and also named to the Dean's Honor Roll.

He was a member of the Freshman Honor Society and a member from 1987-1990 of the Alpha Epsilon Delta



FULL PLAYAS -- This old tractor was parked in a very dry playa behind Paymaster, NW of Aiken, until recent rains filled the lake. The Floyd County Sheriff's office recorded 6.38" of rain in Floydada in the month of May. Robert Webb, of Lockney, has kept a rainfall

record and said the average yearly rain for the Lockney area is 21.34" a year. Lockney has already received 21.1" this year. Rains have been scattered in the county with some areas getting more than others. **Staff Photo**

Sarah Martin elected Chairman of South Plains District Martin continues 4-H tradition



SARAH MARTIN

By Melissa Long, CEA-FCS gard for green...let alone want much District 2 4-H Council. green in her wardrobe.

There is one Lockney 4-H'er though that has wanted to add a green blazer to her wardrobe and has worked hard to get one for the past seven years.

The privilege of wearing a green blazer at a 4-H function means you have earned the right to be a member of the State 4-H Council, having won a district election either as president or first vice president of the district 4-H Council and that is exactly what Sarah Martin of Lockney has done.

Sarah, a seven year 4-H'er accumu-You might not think that someone lated the majority vote and was from Lockney would have much re- elected Chairman of the South Plains

> May 3rd, is the first time that a Floyd County youth has held this position, since 1983 when Earl Broseh, of Lockney, held that same position.

> Candidates from 20 counties apply and give speeches prior to the council elections. Serving as the District Chairman enables Sarah to run for a state council office this August along with representatives from each of the eleven other districts across the state.

Sarah is continuing a 4-H tradition

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following professional societies: LOCKNEY--Due to the illness of American Academy of Family Phy-J.P. Dottie Stansell, County Judge Bill sicians, Texas Academy of Family Hardin, on June ?, appointed Carolyn Physicians, American Medical Asso-Jackson of Lockney, to temporarily ciation and Texas Medical Associafill the position of Justice of the Peace for Precincts 2 and 3. White has also been named as an

Judge Hardin has the responsibility to appoint a J.P. if the duties cannot be carried out by the elected official. The law stipulates that the position must be filled with a qualified person with at least 4 1/2 years experience as a J.P. If no one can be found that meets that criteria, the county judge can then appoint a qualified voter to fill the position temporarily.

The only qualified person in the precinct, C.L. Mooney, declined the position and Hardin then appointed Jackson.

Jackson is a qualified voter and has training as a legal secretary.

sale participant's locations will be As a temporary J.P., Jackson will available Saturday morning at Lowes have all the rights and privileges af-Pay-N-Save and Friends Conveforded a duly elected Justice of the Peace.

Advertising has been placed in area towns to promote the event and to help residents sell their items on that day.

The annual event in Floydada brings in shoppers from all over the South Plains. Bargain hunters hit the streets early and shopping is usually done in a fast and furious pace for fear of missing out on the next bargain at the next location.

celebration in Quitaque will be this Saturday, June 7th.

A variety of activities are scheduled beginning with a Lion's Club pancake breakfast at sunrise.

Later in the day there will be a pa-

She will be responsible for handling cases concerning traffic violations, hot checks, small claims, Class C misdemeanors, citations by the game warden, weights and measurement officers, inquests, and evictions, etc.

Jackson moved to Lockney from Moore County and attended Lockney High school. She received her G.E.D. from Clarendon College and graduated from Lippert's Business College in Plainview with a degree as a legal secretary.

She worked for Floydada attorney Ben Ayres for 12 years as a legal secretary, kept farming and ranching books for her late husband, Floyd Jackson, and is a volunteer at the Floyd County Historical Museum.

Jackson said the office will not be open for at least one more week in order for her to get organized.

She has two sons Rusty and Aaron Wilson, both of Lockney.

Quitague to celebrate Trails Day

The annual National Trails Day rade, barbecue luncheon, hot air balloon rides, chili cook-off, old time ranch fiddling music, washer pitching contests and motorized tours

along the Trailway. Participants can win money in the **Continued On Page 3**



TRUSTEES HELP PAC--Thanks to the work of Trustees from the J.B. Wheeler Unit in Plainview, the old Davis & Sons Builders Mart was converted into a

brand new Parent Adolescent Center. Correctional Officer Mr. Bass, (left) was in charge of the crew who worked at the center for approx. 6 weeks.



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The rain has been a wonderful blessing but I know there are plenty of people who wish it would just stop for a little while.

It is too bad we can't pick and choose the acres we want it to rain on garden. at the specific time we want it to rain there.

If any of us were in charge we would be sure and look out for our little garden or section of land. If our stuff was growing well we probably wouldn't have time to worry if the fellow a few miles away either needed the rain or didn't.

If I could pick and choose I would have a nice little diagram drawn up.

I'd tell God I wanted it to rain on my garden just a little bit every other day--so I wouldn't have to worry about dragging out the hose and fighting the mosquitoes.

I'd also tell God how and where I wanted the flowers and vegetables to grow. Of course there could only be weeds in the alley or on the other side of my fence (in the other guy's yard). The weeds would have to quit growing when they reached my grass.

By The Way--speaking of grass and picking and choosing.

My husband and I are working very hard to have some kind of yard. Because of the remodeling on our house,

and the construction that has gone on around it, we have very large areas of dirt and no grass.

Since I had such a large area of clean dirt I decided to plant a small

I hoed and hoed and planted tomatoes, okra and squash.

Two days later the hail came and killed the squash. No matter--I hate squash.

Anyway--I really babied my gar-

den. I put a little bitty metal fence around it in the hopes of keeping out children and dogs.

I only mention the fence because it was also supposed to serve as my guideline for where God was not supposed to let weeds or grass grow.

I want you to picture a small garden surrounded by a large area of dirt. Now the wonderful rains came.

Do you know where the grass is growing?

The large area of dirt is still barren.

The garden is completely overrun by grass. Good healthy grass.

The grass has grown up to the little tiny fence line and has stopped. It won't grow outside the boundary of my garden. I wish I was in charge.

A view from The Lamplighter

By Ken Towery

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The Texas Legislature went to the well on tax reform and brought back an empty bucket. The tax bill is dead. It is probably just as well.

What started out as a less than perfect proposal by the governor got even less perfect as it went along. By the time each house of the Legislature worked its will, the two branches could only agree to disagree. The whole thing was shelved. We hope this is not the end of it.

Faithful readers of this column will recall that it ended just about the way we predicted. When the governor created his "commission" to hold hearings across the state, he took the income tax off the table. It was not even one of the things they heard testimony on. And when the Legislature crafted its proposal, or proposals, that matter was not even considered.

Without the prospect of a state income tax as a possible alternative. (and a sword of Damocles) hanging over their heads, it became much easier to simply retain the status quo.

We are not great fans of the income tax. But it seems to us that any comprehensive look at the jerry-built tax structure of Texas ought to at least look at the tax to see how it would compare with what we have now. What the argument finally came down to was simply to rearrange the chairs on the Titanic. It became a battle to see which business interests were going to take up the slack for the proposed break for residential home owners. At that point every major business interest had its own rooster in the cockpit.

One can hardly blame them for looking after their own interests. That is one of the engines or representative government. But a quick look at one whose ox might have been gored might shed some light on the outcome.

Little businesses such as ours here at the Hesperian-Beacon pay, among other taxes, a thing called the "franchise tax." It is, when reduced to its simplest terms, nothing but a state income tax on businesses. We have paid it for years, mostly without too much complaining. The Austin American-Statesman, on the other hand, pays no franchise tax. Sometime in the past they formed them-

Just to satisfy our own curiosity, we how the current tax structure works. ran a check on two recent editions of It is unfair, in our opinion. And while the paper, one on a weekday, the other all tax structures will result in some on a Sunday. The paper's revenue for unfairness, it strikes us that the curany given Sunday is in excess of one rent system can be improved, and million dollars. There are 52 Sundays should be improved, even if we have each year. Weekday revenue, on a to go to a state income tax to get the daily basis, was about half that of job done. Indeed, those small business Sunday. That, as our readers might in Texas that, for one reason or ansurmise, is a good bit more revenue other, have organized themselves as than here at the Hesperian-Beacon. a corporation, are already paying a We pay a franchise tax for the state income tax.

"privilege" of doing business in We have always opposed the idea Texas.

tin operation. Their profit goes to Why? We'll try to explain. Georgia. Ours, if and when we make it, stays here.

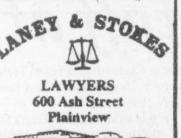
left-wing bias, always championing sary for a civilized society to hang the cause of bigger government, more together. Certain services are necesexpensive government. They are all sary and desirable, among these the for liberalism; they just want some- defense and safety of that society. So one else to pay for it).

The price for running a regular ad in the Austin Sunday edition is about \$80 for a one inch, one column ad. That runs to over \$8,000 for a single full page ad. It is not uncommon for businesses to run several full page ads in a single edition of the paper.

(Apple computers recently ran six full pages in a single edition. They do that, not because they like the paper's editorial stance, but because print advertising pays off. The advertiser is interested in getting his message to as many potential customers as possible, hence, he is interested in the "reach" of the paper. All other things being equal, the more the circulation, the better.)

To repeat: The Austin American-Statesman, with a home base in Atlanta, Georgia, takes in more revenue on a given Sunday than we do in many years. They pay no franchise tax to the state as a privilege for doing business in Texas, but we do.

That is just one small example of



of a state income tax, but we are com-The Georgia based Cox chain pays ing to the point where, for circuitous no franchise tax, at least on their Aus- reasons, it is beginning to make sense.

Government is concerned, at bottom, with two basic acts. Taxing and (The Austin paper has a consistent spending. Certain spending is neceswe have the armed forces and the police. Beyond that we have many services, some of which are desirable, but not actually necessary. Nevertheless, they all cost money, and that money must be gotten only from people who work and produce in what is called "the private sector." Certain government spending can sometimes "prime the pump", but in the long haul it is only people working and producing in the private sector who produce the taxes necessary to fund government spending, whether for national defense against foreign foes, defense against domestic criminals, or whatever social spending the society desires or will tolerate.

The recent session of the Legislature proved again that "big" people. or big interests, have a lot more influence over Legislation than "little" people. When big interests stand together, even if they are standing for individual interests, not much will get done in the Texas Legislature, or any other representative body, for that matter. Those interests, like the rich and powerful American-Statesman, are not much concerned about the level of government spending, as long as someone else is paying the bill. Indeed, quite often they are on the side of increased spending, since it indicates their own dedication to "the public interest."

By Ken Towery

But what would happen if the state got its tax money from the salary of people who run the universities or chair the university departments? Or the salary of people who run the vast array of state agencies, schools, or courts? Or the salary of out-of-state corporation executives who run some of the state's biggest businesses? Or the salary of highly-paid lobbyists for various interests before the legislature?

In that circumstance, we imagine there would be a lot less pressure for constantly increased government spending. Those who must influence the legislature would know that they would pay their share of any increased spending.

Somehow, some day, our political leaders will have to do more than confront the issue. They will have to solve it. This time, they at least made a stab at it. Perhaps next time they'll put all the cards on the table.



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To the Editor,

Lets discuss some things about cloud seeding that have recently been said in The Herald and The Cross Section (publication of the High Plains Underground Water Conserva-

parent that a huge majority of residents of the area opposed cloud seed-

Letter To The Editor

These cloud seeding people put their intent announcement in the Lub-

After three elections it was very ap-

NUMBER OF C tion District No. 1).

In the water district's March meetings to inform the public about precipitation enhancement and to hear public comment, Water District Manager Wayne Wyatt reported that 96 percent of the attendance at those meetings indicated support for his cloud seeding program.

I attended the Plainview meeting with about 13 other people that included Mr. Wyatt and his crew of several people. Myself and two other people were very much opposed to cloud seeding.

I believe there were about twenty people at the Littlefield meeting, again counting Mr. Wyatt, Mr. Bomar and their folks. I do not know the number of approvals or objections.

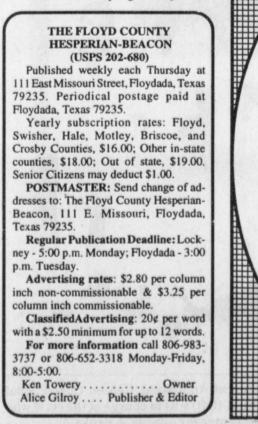
At the Hereford meeting, I believe there was one person other than the Wyatt-Bomar people. This one person opposed cloud seeding.

If these meetings were typical of the attendance, how many live bodies do you think 96 percent represents as approving cloud seeding?

I challenge your readers to insist that Mr. Wyatt tell us exactly the number of people at these meetings and exactly how many supported cloud seeding.

Citizens for natural weather has about 150 signatures or individuals statements from the Plainview area opposing cloud seeding. I believe if everyone in the water district who opposes cloud seeding would respond we could count many more votes to leave the clouds alone.

These weather modification promoters are using the same tactics they used years ago when citizens for natural weather were trying to stop them.



bock and Amarillo papers. Most Plainview and surrounding town missed reading it. We filed a protest and they said we were one day too late

We have other objections but they say our objections are not legitimate. Briscoe County (downwind of the project) has tremendous opposition. Cloud seeders say these folks are not qualified to oppose. They say the program will not cost anything as the water district is going to pay for the cloud seeding this year. Where did the water district get their money--almost a half million dollars? Who pays next year? Do you need more than one guess?

According to a report in the Herald, I believe they are saying our water district taxes can be increased without a vote by district citizens.

I agree that a timely rain is very valuable. But when a cloud is seeded to induce rain in one area, what effect does that have downwind?

I am about as downwind of this cloud seeding experiment as I can get. Until you have more knowledge and expertise, just leave the clouds alone.

A person told me cloud seeding is successful in Israel. Fine, go to Israel and seed all you want.

> Sincerely, Wayne Bramlet Lockney, Texas

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Occupational Therapy

selves into a "partnership." In order to avoid that tax. How they did it is beyond me, since the newspaper is only a small part of the giant Cox media conglomerate, a corporation with headquarters in Atlanta, Georgia. They have a number of papers in Texas, along with other media interests.

FM 689 to be discussed at public hearing

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public hearing to Mike Craig, P.E., at P.O. Box 148, Plainview, Tx. 79072. Written comments may also be delivered to TxDOT's Lubbock District Office at 135 Slaton Road or mailed to Davis Melton, TxDOT environmental coordinator, P.O. Box 771, Lubbock, Tx. 79408-0771.

Due to computer changes, The Floyd **County Tax Assessor-Collector's office will** close the morning of June 11, and will re-open at 1:00 p.m.

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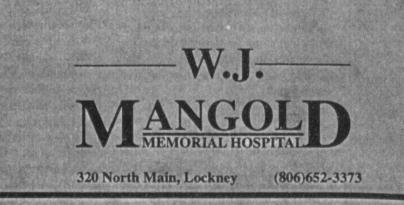
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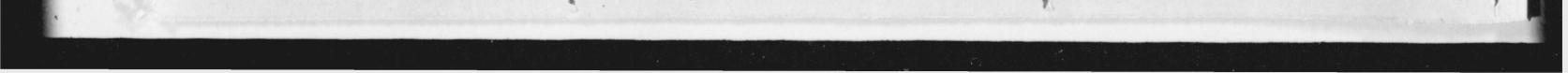
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DeLeon makes dreams come true

By Alice Gilroy

LOCKNEY--Forty-six year old local high school graduates a thing or two. She believes dreams really do come true--but only after a lot of hard work.

After six years of balancing a job, housework, family, and school, Meli graduated this Spring from Wayland Baptist University with a BS degree in Occupational Education.

Meli's life has always been busy and her plans always centered around her family. It took a tragedy to change* her direction and make her re-think her future.

Born in Lubbock, Meli was raised as a migrant. The oldest of 12 children, she traveled with her family all over the U.S. "We would come to Texas for the cotton harvest. My father was a ginner for Sterley Gin and Lone Star Gin. We started coming to Lockney in 1956 and I would attend school here.

In 1966, at the age of 16, Meli married her husband Manuel and settled down in Lockney. Two sons, David and Michael, kept her busy at home while Manuel worked as a painter.

Meli started working at Lockney Elementary School as a teacher's aide in 1979. In 1988 a little girl, Marilyn was born.

"Marilyn was born with muscular dystrophy," said Meli. "The doctors gave her only one year to live. She lived for two years and died on Nov. 4, 1990."

After Marilyn was born Meli resigned her position at Lockney Elementary in order to stay at home with her daughter.

The death brought so much grief that the DeLeon's marriage suffered. "We didn't know how to handle it," said Meli. Marilyn died in November and we separated in December." With her children on their own Meli

moved to Plainview and rented a house. "I started thinking about what Melida (Meli) DeLeon can tell the I was going to do. I was sure I was going to have to support myself and I didn't want to have to depend on my children to take care of me. You don't know what the future holds and I didn't know who would be around if I needed them. I loved the children and working at the school so I decided to get the education that would en-

able me to go into the teaching field." In the Spring of 1991, at the age of 40, Meli entered Wayland Baptist University. "I wasn't the oldest one there," said Meli. "There was a 56 year old grandmother who graduated with my class. I felt very young."

In 1992, Meli and Manuel reunited and Meli moved back to Lockney. Because of the painful memories, the DeLeons sold their home and bought a new house. Meli went back to work at the elementary school in 1992 and continued with her college classes. "Going to college was hard because

I am very family oriented," said Meli. "But my kids grew up with us telling them never to quit. It was hard to live up to my own expectations. There were many times I wanted to say --'Forget it! I don't need this!"

Meli says her husband was supportive--especially during the last year. 'There were lots of times this past year I just wanted to give up but Manuel wouldn't let me. He kept saying--'You've come to far to quit now!" Because Meli already has 15 years of experience in the education field she will not have to student teach, but she will have to work in an internship program. Because of her specialization in kindergarten, early childhood and pre-kindergarten, Meli dreams of teaching in kindergarten. "I love the little children. They have no prejudices. They only want to love you. They are very open little people and I'm very affectionate."

Courtroom Activities

A May 8, 1997 charge of Marijuana

May 29, Aric Hendricks pled guilty

to a January 27, 1997 speeding ap-

Possession under 2 oz. charge against



MELIDA DELEON By Wilson Photography

Meli says she hopes her determination and graduation might serve as an inspiration to others struggling with college.

"It makes me feel good to have kids come up to me to express their happiness over my graduation. My proudest moment was after the graduation ceremony. Everyone was gathered around me to congratulate me and I looked out over the crowd and saw my husband at the very back standing away from everyone else. He saw me looking at him and he gave me a great big wave and a big smile. It was such a good feeling to have everyone there.

"God has really blessed me. He took a lot away when he took Marilyn--but then he gave a lot in return. I thank God for the determination he gave me.

"I want them to know it wasn't easy and they are also going to face trials. More than anything I want to emphasize to kids that dreams really do come true." And they must--Meli's life is proof.

Business Of The Week

LOCKNEY-Poole's Automotive and Paint Service, located at 208 West Locust in Lockney specializes in automotive repair, motor rebuilding, painting and car restoration as well as irrigation well motors, air conditioning and refrigeration, tire alignment and balancing.

The shop is operated by Doyle Poole Jr. and his sons Brandon and Anthony.

Poole's Automotive was opened in 1956 by Doyle Poole and was located behind Cooper Conoco on South Main.

They were a dealership for International pickups and light trucks from 1960-1973 as well as automotive repair. In 1958 they built their current building on Locust and moved.

Poole related that when they had the International dealership they traveled to Springfield, Ohio on several occasions to bring back pickups and trucks. On one of these trips they were treated to the Indianapolis 500 race on Memorial Day by the International Company.

In the early 60's they sold the City of Lockney two International Fire Trucks, one of which still sees service in an emergency.

When International closed their



(L-R) ANTHONY, BRANDON and DOYLE POOLE JR.

pickup and light truck lines the Poole's moved totally into the repair business.

They have attended schools to stay up to date with the latest changes in the automotive business.

The Poole's have recently installed an in-house paint mixing system and can mix any original colors from the 50's through the 90's. Metallics can also be added to the colors for a different look. When lights hits their El Camino show vehicle, the color changes from navy blue to purple, with metallic highlights.

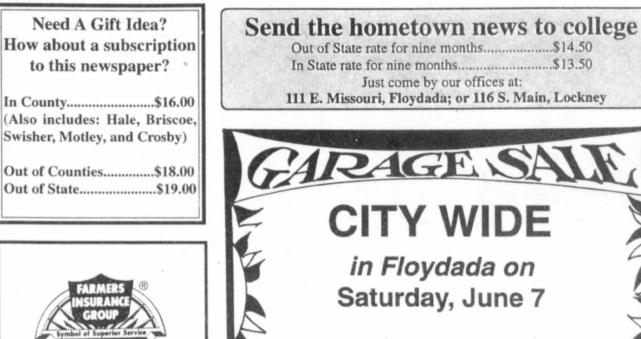
When Brandon and Anthony came third place with their '55 Chevy.

into the business they were interested in restoring antique and classic cars and are building their business through car shows and word of mouth.

All of the work from the motor to the painting is done in-house and nothing is sent out.

They have entered their cars and pickups in several car shows and have won several trophies.

At the Roadrunners Meals On Wheels Cars Show held in Plainview in May they won a first place with their '68 El Camino and a



May 29, Benjamin Garcia pled peal. He was fined \$68.00 plus court guilty to a May 2, 1997 speeding appeal. He was fined \$40.00 and court costs

sault charge against Robert Alex

charge against Jason Cole Davis, 19,

Boatright was dismissed.

of Lubbock, was dismissed.

May 29, the March 10, 1997 As- years.

May 29, a May 29, 1997 DWI Darlene Hale was dismissed.

May 29, Jose Garcia Jr., pled guilty to a November 18, 1996 charge of Criminal Trespass. He was fined \$250.00 and sentenced to 30 days in jail which was probated for six months. He was also ordered to pay court costs.

May 29, Ruby Darlene Hale, 38, of Lockney, pled guilty to a May 8, 1997 DWI charge. She was fined \$600.00 plus court costs and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for 2

National Trails Day held in Quitaque

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famous and unusual guinea drops from airplanes and a grand prix motorcycle race will also be featured.

Fine art and sculpture exhibits will be displayed in the First National Bank lobby

A number of well-known artists and sculptors will present their work.

Kenneth Wyatt of Tulia will exhibit some of his works. Among some of the celebrities that own his paintings are President Reagan and Queen Elizabeth of Great Britain.

Jill Warren of Floydada, whose works are currently exhibited at the Country Framer in Lubbock and at the Midland Gallery, will also be featured.

Jack Hill, who did the sculpture of the white buffalo and the bust of Quanah Parker at West Texas A&M University, will be present.

Other artists who will exhibit works on June 7th include:

Dr. Ray Freeman of Hale Center and Ruth Barnett of Hale Center.

Ruth has taught basic art classes since the summer of 1953 and specializes in landscapes, children and beautiful scenery.

Don Turner of Turkey. Don specializes in handmade siver spurs and jewelry, and also does painting and sculpting.

Laura Eudy Fields of Claude. Laura was raised in Turkey and specializes in oil.

Other artists include Candace Burnside Keller, of Plainview, and Donnie Hickmott, Martha Arnett and Ann Couch from Amarillo.

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costs May 29, Damian Luna, 22, of Lockney, pled guilty to the April 4,

1997 DWI charge. Luna was fined \$600.0 and court costs, and sentenced to 2 years in jail which was probated to 180 days. May 29, Prisciella Peralez, of Floy-

dada, pled guilty to a January 9, 1997 charge of Possession of Marijuana. She was fined \$250.00 and sentenced to 30 days in jail which was probated for 6 months. She was also ordered to pay court costs.

May 29, Jeremiah Rodriguez pled guilty to an April 18, 1997 charge of "Duty On Striking Unattended Vehicle" (hit & run). He was fined

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to pay court costs.

May 29, Andrew Villarreal pled guilty to a May 29, 1997 charge of Possession of Marijuana. He was fined \$250.00 and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for 2 years.

May 29, Michael Rodriguez, pled

guilty to a Feb. 6, 1997 DWI charge.

He was fined \$600.00 and sentenced

to 30 days in jail. He was also ordered

May 29, Larry Wayne Vasquez pled guilty to a May 15, 1997 charge of Harassment. He was fined \$250.00 and sentenced to 30 days in jail which was probated to 6 months.

May 30, in County Court, Julian Hernandez and Arturo Martinez Jr., were charged with Assault. There was no disposition on these cases.

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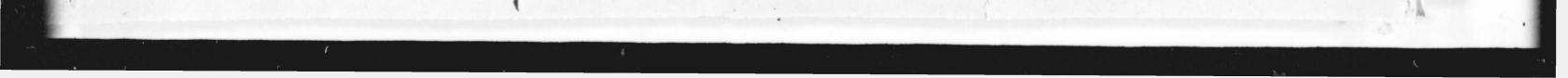
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Page 4 - The Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon - Thursday, June 5, 1997 Brown and Hurst united in marriage

Miss Roxene Larece Brown, of

Parents of the bride are Gary and

Charlene Brown, of Floydada. Par-

Groom, and Ismanell Gray, of

bride wore a white street-length dress.

The bride used the time-old custom

of something new, something old. The

new was the dress and earrings given

The "old" was her paternal

grandmother's wedding ring set.

Something blue was a garter made for

her by Atha Sue, of Floydada. Some-

thing borrowed was a white handker-

chief from her maternal grandmother

that once belonged to the bride's

great-grandmother. Roxene carried a

bouquet of gardenias, larkspur, En-

Maid of honor was Rhealene

Brown, of Canadian, sister of the

bride. She wore a hunter green skirt,

denim shirt, and a mauve and denim

vest. The bridesmaid was Morgan

Hurst, of Wellington, daughter of the

groom. She wore a denim skort.

hunter green shirt and a denim vest.

Both attendants carried a bouquet of

mauve roses with baby's breath and

glish ivy and baby's breath.

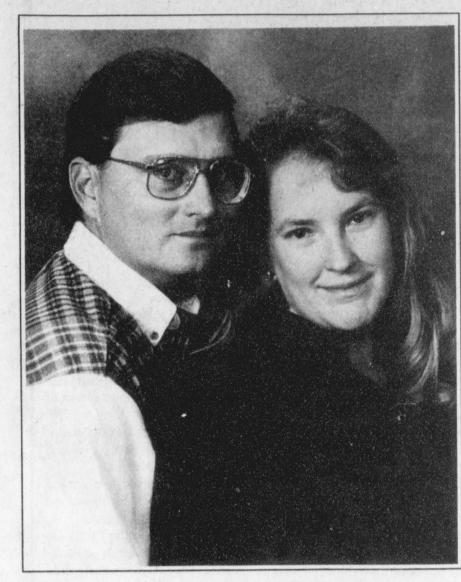
Canyon, and Lyn Hurst, of Amarillo,

were united in marriage at The Wedding Chapel in Amarillo. Rick Mathis,

of Amarillo, officiated.

Clarendon.

to her by the groom.



MR. and MRS. LYN HURST (nee Roxene Brown)

JEAN DAVENPORT



English ivy.

By Margarette Word

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Faye and William Bertrand spent last week driving through the country seeing beautiful wildflowers. They also went to Possum Kingdom Lake to fish.

birthday party given by her family last Church Parlor. A host of friends and relatives dropped by. Since school is out for the summer

The groom and his attendants were dressed in western shirts, jeans and boots. The best man was Tony Hurst of Amarillo, brother of the groom. Groomsman was Ronnie Hurst, of Pampa, brother of the groom.

A party for Roxene on March 26 ents of the groom are Calvin and Lyna was given by fellow employees of the Hurst, of Wellington. Grandmothers Student Tutoring Service of West of the bride are Sybil Brown, of Texas A&M University. Hosting the event were Sandra Branch, Michelle Botsonis, Casey Stephens, Jennifer Given in marriage by her father, the Huckabee and Arturo Aguilar.

Bridal courtesies included a bridal luncheon the day of the wedding at The Back Porch in Amarillo given by her aunt, Gloria Gray of Canyon and her grandmothers. A party on Friday, March 28, was held for the couple hosted by the groom's family.

A miscellaneous bridal shower honoring Roxene was given April 19 in the home of Mrs. Scott Simpson. Hostesses were: Kay Tinney, Trena Simpson, Atha Sue, Darleen Stovall, Sandra Schwertner, Dora Ross, Vickie Norrell, Laveta Morren, Melissa Long, Loretta Leatherman, Donna Henderson, Elaine Galloway, Edris Edwards, Mary Alice Davis, Sue Crow, Linda Crader, Deedie Covington and Ann Carthel.

The couple will reside in the Amarillo area. The bride is employed by Amarillo Independent School District as a math teacher at Tascosa High School. The groom is employed by Tascosa Country Club as the assistant superintendent.

Floydada Senior Citizens

to view Zion and Bryce Canyons and

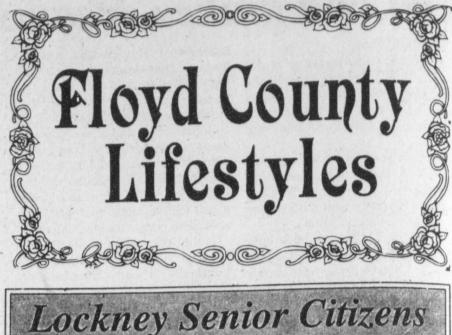
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O'Brien, broccoli, tortilla or bread, and peaches

Wednesday: Chicken fried steak,



By Gladys Ragle

There was a nice crowd at the seniors meeting on Thursday night, May 29th. All seemed to have a good time

The Millenium Singers from the Plainview Senior Citizens came and entertained. They gave a good musical program. We thank them for entertaining us and hope they will come back soon.

Also thanks to the hostesses for the month of May. They did a good job

each Thursday night. June is membership dues month. If you know someone who is eligible to be a member, and is not, please encourage them to come and pay their dues and get involved with us. Any dues paid late will be due again in June 1998.

We need more people to get involved in working for, and with, the organization. There are several ways to get involved other than just comthan idle hands." MENU Monday, June 9 - Hamburger steak. vegetables, salad, dessert

ing on Thursday nights.

Mediterrean Star pattern.

Also the quilt is finished and tick-

ets are being sold. They are \$5.00

each and are available from members.

or at the Center. The quilt is a cream

on cream Heirloon quilt in the

Weekly Words of Wisdom

"Beware of the man who knows the

answer before he understands the

question. There are more idle brains

Tuesday, June 10 - Enchiladas, vegetables, salad, dessert

Wedesday, June 11 - Chicken fried steak, vegetables, salad, dessert

Thursday, June 12 - Meat loaf, vegetables, salad, dessert

Friday, June 13 - Turkey and dressing, vegetables, salad, dessert Meals are served with coffee, tea and bread.

Remember the city-wide garage sale!



Aimee Fondy & Brian Teeple Salina Shorter & Chad Elliott **Christy DuBois & Nathan Whittle Bryant Higginbotham & Tammy Rainwater**

LINDA PUCKETT Bank artists featured

FLOYDADA -- Linda Puckett and volved in the Garza County Histori-

Letha Mulder celebrated her 80th Sunday, June 1st, at the First Baptist

other canyons in that area. Our sympathy to Dolores Cannon on the loss of a sister. Remember to pray for one another.

Mina Jean Davenport have been selected as the First National Bank of Floydada artists for the month of June. The two Post, Texas artists will be exhibiting their works throughout the month during regular banking hours.

Mina Jean Davenport was born and reared in Turkey, Texas and lived all over the nation before returning to Texas. She and her husband enjoy horseshoe pitching and he has always been very supportive of her.

She likes to do detailed oil paintings and pastel portraits of children. Most of her work is on commissioned paintings. Many of her paintings hang in private collections.

"People have always fascinated me and I like to have people in action, with or without animals," says Davenport.

Her dedication to her craft is evident in her work and in her involvement in Kids 'n Art, a children's art awareness project in Post and Tahoka.

Linda Puckett, the second featured artist, is the creator and director of the Kids 'n Art program. She is also incal Museum, the Women's Division of the Post Chamber of Commerce, and participates in the annual Tabu'ne Yua'ne. She and her husband Tommy share six children and ten grandchildren.

"All of my life I have been in tune with something that drives me to take by taking a trip to Las Vegas, Nevada a given situation and improve it to the best it can be within the boundries allowed. Some call that art, but I call it my Indian heritage, which led me to art," says Puckett. She also brings Irish, German, and French heritages to her ancestry and to her art.

"I am rich in heritage and reflect that in my children's book, Of Two Worlds which won third place in the Texas Alliance for Education and the Arts 1996 Sheila Y. Fox Publication Design Award," said Puckett. The native Texan's concern for children has

resulted in efforts to teach art to 60 children in Post and Tahoka in addition to her work as an artist. Everyone is invited to stop by dur-

ing the month and see the works of these two area artists.

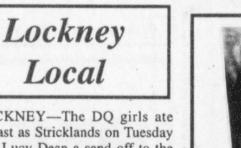
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and Vacation Bible Schools are tak-Thursday: Ham salad sandwich, ing place, please drive carefully. tater tots or fries, broccoli and cheese, lettuce and tomato, and carrot cake Dr. Keith and June Patzer recently

Friday: BBQ chicken, corn, green celebrated an early 50th anniversary beans, cabbage salad, biscuits, and and joining a bus tour group to Utah mincemeat or raisin pie



LOCKNEY-The DQ girls ate breakfast as Stricklands on Tuesday giving Lucy Dean a send off to the mountains.

Those present were June McDonald, Florine Ratliff, Bertha Rolling, Maudie Lawson, Flora Lee Jack, Edith Cooper, Lucy Dean, Margie Cypert, Elza Cooper, Wilma Brown, Mary Ruth Fewell, Jeneva Barclay, Almeda Phillips, Eddie Douglas and Maxine Hill.

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W. J. Mangold Memorial Hospital is pleased to announce their new arrivals!

Shiana Kay, daughter of Kristal Wilson of Floydada, was born May 13, 1997 at 5:14 a.m. She weighed 5 lbs. and 12 ozs. Grandparents are Phillip and Kay Wilson of Floydada. Great-grandparents are Bessie Wilson and Agnes Baker of Floydada.

Tiffany Sheree, daughter of Robin and Lori Satterwhite of Lockney, was born May 13, 1997 at 8:14 a.m. She weighed 7 lbs and 11 ozs. Grandparents are Fred and Mary Satterwhite of Andrews and Gene and Lavonne Meacham of Hale Center.

Kirsten Marie, daughter of John and Sharlane White of Silverton, was born May 17, 1997 at 3:55 p.m. She weighed 7 lbs, and 12 1/2 ozs. Grandparents are Ken and Mary Ellen White of Lubbock and Ruby Fesenbeck of Seattle Washington.

Yuleida Aileen, daughter of Arnaldo and Juana Serrato of Lockney, was born May 18, 1997 at 12:57 a.m. She weighed 6 lbs and 10 ozs. Her grandparents are Ramiro Serrato, Maria Ellena Lazcano, Leandro and Domitila Pesina, all of Mexico.



Harmony Club News **By Karen Miller**

The regular meeting of the Harmony Family and Community Education Club was held Monday, May 26th, at 2:00 p.m. in the home of Doris Elaine Reid, daughter of club member Doris Snodgrass. Mrs. Reid gave our program. She showed us many new products that she has used when she makes crafts, and also many beautiful crafts that she has made using these products. She ended the program by showing us all how to make a birdhouse out of styrofoam and twisted paper, using a piece of corrugated light bulb box for the roof. These turned out to be very cute. Thank you, Doris Elaine, for giving us such a nice program.

Our hostess, Lucille Miller, served us a delicious layered sandwich with petit fours, candy, and punch. Each plate was decorated with a rabbit made out of a napkin. Refreshments were served to Doris Elaine Reid, club members Vivian Curtis, Anna Maude Hopper, Karen Miller, Lucille Miller, Imelda Ramsey, Juanita Pool, Ruth Scott, Arvie Schulz, Doris Snodgrass, Maye Williams, and guest Lupe Pence.

Please note that our combined meeting with Homebuilders FCE club will be June 24th, at 2:00 p.m. in the extension office council room, instead of June 10th as previously announced. The next regular Harmony FCE meeting will be June 9th, at 2:00 p.m. at the Harmony Community Center.





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GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED - Mr. and Mrs. Paul Teuton, of Lockney, recently celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary with a family dinner in Lubbock, hosted by their children and grandchildren. Teuton and the former Lorraine Pellegrin were married June 1, 1947 in Hauma, Louisiana. They are the parents of James and Paula Jane Teuton, of Borger; Pamela and Douglas Smith, of Lubbock; and Paula and Jerry Funnell, of Tyler. They have three grandsons, Jason, Joshua, and David. **Portrait by Wilson Photography**

Floydada Care Center News

By Jo Wilbanks

Hi! It's time once again to come

share what is happening around here. Do hope this finds you well and happy. We want to thank the Ladies from the Calvary Baptist Church for the bananas. Also thanks go to the Old Settlers Pioneer Association for the delicious bar-b-que plates given to the residents and staff. Also thanks for the people who gave donations to the Care Center in loving memory of

Clarence and Opal Guffee. Monday was Bro. Clark Williams last day to come share the devotion with us. He and his family will be

moving to Abilene. Wendell Horn, a pastor from Olton will take his place. We wish for Bro. Clark and family much happiness and we will surely miss them.

We have a new Director of Nurses. Her name is Rebecca Mae Wynne Orta. She lives in Idalou. She was born Feb. 5, 1952 in Lubbock to W. L. And Gwyna Wynne. She had three what's eating you. Vicki Baum.

brothers and two sisters. She attended Lubbock High, Lubbock Vocational School of Nursing, South Plains College, Lubbock Christian College and Methodist Hospital School of Nurs-

She is married and her hobbies are bowling and croquet. She is expecting her first grandchild in August. We are thankful for Rebecca and welcome her to our facility.

Friday we tried a new kind of bingo, it was called Resident's Rights Bingo, after we got started and learned how to play it, the residents thought that is was fun. Of course all were winners.

Mattie Wester is back with us. We welcome a new resident, Rubie Ratjen

June is the month for vacations. Vacation Bible School, brides, roses, Flag Day, and Father's Day. A great time to enjoy.

Thought: You don't get ulcers from what you eat, you get them from

Chapman featured in Amarillo Globe

Jerry Chapman, of Amarillo, was recently featured in the Good Neighbors feature of the Amarillo Globe newspaper.

Chapman is married to Janet Holmes Chapman, formerly of Floydada. He is the son of Margrette

Holmes, of Floydada. Chapman, 61, is a retired air traffic controller. He was spotlighted for his generosity and helpfulness toward neighbors.

Chapman is known throughout his neighborhood as a handyman and chauffeur for the elderly.

He has also been a substitute driver for Amarillo Meals on Wheels since 1977. He has served as a hunter education instructor for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Service for 23 years, and has a Texas Hunter Education 20-Year Volunteer Service Award hanging on his wall.

A woodworker by hobby, he also provides thousands of wood cutouts to the Jan Werner Adult Day Care Center.

"I do just about anything people want done," Chapman said. "That's just the way I was brought up... If you can't help a neighbor, you don't need to be in the neighborhood."

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50TH ANNIVERSARY TO BE CELEBRATED-Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Carthel of Lockney will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, June 8, with a reception from 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. in their home. The event will be hosted by their children Gayle and Everett McCullough of Lubbock, Glenda and Thurman May of Canyon, Ron and Charla Carthel of Lockney, Criss and Rhonda Carthel of Mexia and Guy and Alice Carthel of Lockney. They are also parents of the late Lee Carthel. Carthel, who farms north of Lockney, and the former JoAnn Canon were married June 8, 1947 in Lockney. They have sixteen grandchildren and





Center.

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LOCKNEY SENIORS FINISH QUILT—Members of Johnny Quisenberry, Annabelle Bramlet, Dorothy the Lockney Senior Citizens who have guilted this cream on cream heirloon quilt in the Mediterranean raiser for the group and tickets are available at the Star pattern are (l-r) Flora Lee Jack, Jody Baccus,

FCE News

By Melissa Long

The Floyd County Family and **Community Education Association** met in the home of Murl Mayfield on Thursday, May 22nd, beginning at 2:00 p.m.

Murl Mayfield led the recreation with the "Trouble With Triples."

Four delegates, one visitor, and agent Melissa Long answered roll call by Secretary/Treasurer Gladys Widener.

The minutes were approved as read. Club reports were given by presidents Vivian Curtis and Murl Mayfield. Karen Miller, FCE Association President, gave a report on the District 2AFCE meeting that she, Jonelle Fawver, and Lillian Smith attended in Colorado City.

It was announced that Homebuilders FCE club will host Harmony on June 24th in the Extension Office meeting room at 2:00 p.m., and that the State TAFCE meeting will take place September 9th in Witchita Falls.

Melissa Long gave the Agents' report, and the meeting was adjourned.

Thanks for reading the Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon 25th Anniversary **Celebration Sale**

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Longhorn Band members place at State

LOCKNEY-Five members of the Longhorn Band competed at the Longhorn Band, competed in the Texas State Solo and Ensemble Contest on May 26. The competition was held on the campus of Southwest Texas State University at San Marcos.

Pepper Billington, twirler for the clarinet, competed in the Solo con- Anderson. They received a Division twirling competition and received a Division I with her twirling Solo.

Two young ladies, Kaci Mathis, bass clarinet, and Allison Mangold,

test. They each received a Division II in the Ensemble Division. II

The Woodwind Ensemble was comprised of Kaci Mathis, Gloria Marcos by Band Directors, Jimmie Torrez, Allison Mangold, and Amy Exline and Brian Stewart.

Floydada ISD Migrant Education Program gears up for summer

Floydada ISD, through its Migrant until 12:30. Education Program, is offering a summer school program called Project SMART (Summer Migrants Access Resources through Technology). The program is open to children from prekindergarten through eighth grade who qualify as migrant students. Migrant Education recruiters will be making home visits during the remainder of this week to aid in signing up students for the program.

Project SMART will be conducted every Tuesday and Thursday beginning on June 10 and concluding on August 7. A bus will pick up students at the Labor Camp at 8:00 a.m. Classes begin at 8:30 a.m. and end at 11:30 a.m. Lunch will be provided during the month of June from 11:30

participating in activities that are designed to review and enhance their language, math and science skills. Preschool children through kindergarten will work on language development at A.B. Duncan Elementary School. First through fifth graders will be instructed in math, science,

and language activities at R.C. Andrews Elementary School. Sixth through eighth grades will participate in activities to enhance their science skills at Floydada Junior High School.

The girls were accompanied to San

If you have any questions regarding Project SMART, please contact any campus principal or the Federal Programs Office at 983-3323.

Floydada basketball camp held

by Coach Roy Martinez

The 1997 Lady Winds Hoops Camp was held during the week of May 27-31.

"The camp was designed to be fun as well as introduce the game to basketball to the young girls here in Floydada," said Coach Roy Martinez. "Floydada is a wonderful place to raise a family and hopefully we can produce a camp which will prove to be beneficial for our community. We had an excellent coaching staff and I felt that this camp was very successful for our first year. I would like to express my gratitude to the coaches of the camp, school administration, the parents, and most of all the young girls who participated in the camp. The future of Lady Winds basketball

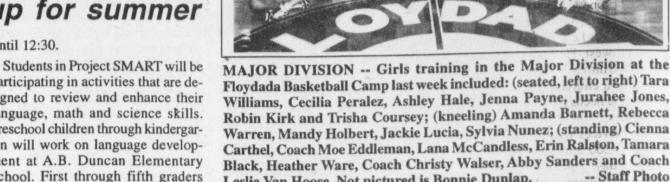
Award winners for the camp are MVP Lana McCandless. Major Division Awards include All-Star Abby Sanders; Most Improved Sylvia Nunez and Ashley Hale; Most Spirited Jenna Payne; Hot Shot Champion, Lana McCandless.

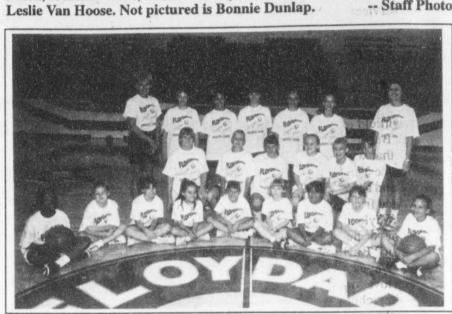
Minor Division Awards included All-Star Ragan Beedy; Most Improved, Lindsey Leatherman; Most Spirited, Alyssa Bennett; Hot Shot Champion, Ragan Beedy.

Camp Fighting Heart Award was Erin Ralston.

Have a safe

summar!





MINOR DIVISION -- Girls training in the Minor Division at the Floydada Basketball Camp last week included: (seated, left to right) Shawnda Davis, Kelsey Robertson, Kendra Covington, Nicole Benton, Reagan Heflin, Abi Williams, Chelsee Martinez, Lindsey Leatherman, Laci Haynie; (kneeling) Courtney Clemens, Tana Holmes, Mandi Wood, Regan Beedy, Melissa Dunlap, Alyssa Bennett; (standing) Coach Dara Ware, Laura Reddy, Brooke Hayes, Chelsea Haynie, Ashley Norrell, Kayla Stovall and Coach Christy Walser. Not pictured is Stacey Griggs. -- Staff Photo





LITTLE DRIBBLER ALL-STARS—Members of the Lockney 5th and 6th Grade Little Dribbler All-Stars who recently finished their season are (I-r, back row) Coach Lisa Schumacher, Sabrina Gross, Lacy Schumacher, Leslie Cuellar, Ashley Cuellar, Cameron Kemp, Jalie Dietrich, Coach Jeff Bayley; (I-r, front row) Julie Martinez, Tasha Powell, **Staff Photo** Janee Hrbacek, and April Dorman.



THIRD AND FOURTH GRADE ALL-STARS-Members of the Lockney 3rd and 4th Grade Little Dribble All-Star team are (l-r, back row) Coach Renee Hrbacek, Vilma Perales, Teresa Day, Jana Miller, Sasha Wood, Karah Hrbacek, and Coach Kay Brock; (I-r, front row) Isabel Torrez, Amber Dorman, Ashley Brock, Tori Terrell, and Trinity Ford. Staff Photo

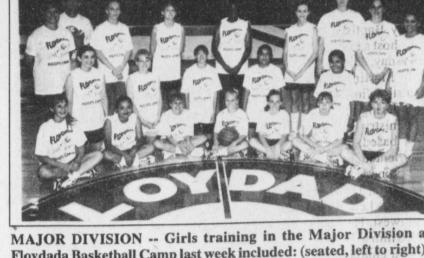
Scholarships awarded to regional high school seniors

is bright!"

The region 17 Education Service major in biology. They are Jennifer Lockney teacher, Heather Stowe, and basis of their research-based essays Center has announced the winners of Lynn from Lockney High School and Ms. Hash was sponsored by Ralls on "The Impact of Genetics on My two \$500 scholarships offered to high Cody Leigh-Ann Hash of Ralls High school seniors planning a college School. Ms. Lynn was sponsored by

teacher, Dale Matlock. The students were selected on the

Future." According to Dr. Lisa Leach, coordinator of curriculum and instruction at Region 17, "The scholarships were made available to students. who attended a Genetics Conference for Advanced High School Science Students held in Lubbock last February. Over 800 students from 17 school districts throughout the region attended this year's conference, hosted annually by the Education Service Center. The conference provides teachers and students up-to-date information in the rapidly changing field of genetics, including DNA fingerprinting, the Human Genome Project, and birth defects."



Farm Bureau supports youth with scholarship money

The Texas Farm Bureau and county attended the TFB Citizenship Semi- youths. Farm Bureaus in Texas in 1996 contributed more than \$150,000 in scholarships and to local livestock shows and other youth activities.

The TFB presented \$39,700 in scholarships to state and district winners in the Talent Find, Miss Texas Farm Bureau, and Free Enterprise Speech competition.

The Talent Find and Miss TFB contests are open to youths of 16 to 19 years of age in Farm Bureau families. The speech competition, also for FB

nar, given the required number of speeches on the free enterprise system and are a junior or senior in high school.

Local county FB youth winners include: Meredith Schact and John Dunavant of Floydada, and Stacy Bigham and Michelle Smith of Lockney

Each year TFB presents a total of four \$4,000 scholarships to a member of the Future Homemakers of America, a member of the Texas FFA youths, is limited to those who have Association, and two 4-H Club

organizations within the College of

Agriculture at Texas A&M. He served

as secretary of the Southern Region

elected to her office, her mom, Kay,

was being voted in as an At Large

Delegate of the District Adult Lead-

ers Association . Kay has served as

Floyd County's Parent/Leader Asso-

on the Lockney school board on that

The Martins are a prime example

of how 4-H can benefit the entire fam-

ily. Involvement is the key. Congratu-

lations, Sarah. Wear that green blazer

with pride because of what it repre-

same day as well.

At the same time Sarah was being

for collegiate 4-H last year.

In 1996, county FBs donated a total of approximately \$40,000 to local youth activities, including livestock shows, and approximately \$30,000 in scholarships.

County students graduate from Wayland Baptist

Four students from Lockney and Floydada were May 17, 1997 graduates of Wayland Baptist University.

Eva Reyes Bernal of Lockney, graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Multidisciplinary Studies.

Janice Ragland Cabler of Lockney received a Bachelor of Science degree in History.

Melinda Alaniz DeLeon of Lockney received a Bachelor of Science in Occupational Education degree in Occupational Education.

Armando Rendon of Floydada, graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Occupational Education degree in Human Services.

Rodriguez reports for duty in Turkey

LOCKNEY-Air Force Senior Airman Christobal J. Rodriguez has arrived for duty at Incirlick Air Base, Adana, Turkey.

nician with the 39th Maintenance Squadron.

He is the son of Amelia F. and the late Toribio Rodriguez of Lockney. His wife, Virginia, is the daughter of Luke and Mary T. Rodriguez of Plainview.

The senior airman is a 1986 graduate of Lockney High School.



Best time to call 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.



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Martin family continues 4-H tradition of service and fun

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in her family. Her older sister, Cynthia, and her brother, Allen, are both winners of 4-H honors and scholarships; her mother and father, Kay and Jim Martin are both 4-H leaders.

Sarah has served her club in the offices of Vice President in charge of programs, Co. Council Delegate and this year will serve as her local club president. She served as the second vice president of the District Council last year.

Sarah has been active in a variety of projects, activities and camps such as county camp, district Leadership Camp, district Electric Camp, Interstate Exchange, projects such as sheep, swine, recreation, food and nutrition, consumer education, clothing, woodworking and many others. She was on a second place Share-The-Fun team at State 4-H Roundup last year and will be returning for her second year in Share-The-Fun this year as well as competing in the State Fashion Show.

This 4-H'er comes by this honor honestly. Her entire family was involved in elections the same week Sarah was. Sister Cynthia was a 9year member taking honors at the State Fashion Show, Share-The-Fun and receiving a \$4,000, 4-H Scholarship her senior year. As a student at Texas A&M, Cynthia recently received the Outstanding Freshman collegiate 4-H'er Award & Scholarship.

Sarah's brother Allen, also a 9-year 4-H'er was a state record book winner. State Share-The-Fun winner and \$10,000, 4-H scholarship recipient. Allen recently was elected President of Aggie council which represents all

ciation president, Lockney club manager and has been a leader for various projects throughout the years. Sarah's dad, Jim, has served as a 4-H leader as well as assisting with swine projects, sheep projects, county camp, various fund raisers, Floyd County Stock Show Board and much more. He was also vying for a place

Rodriguez is a transient alert tech-



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PRIMERA IGLESIA

BAUTISTA

Floydada

Rev. Lupe Rando

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.

Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

SAN JOSE

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Lockney

Msgr. Tim Schwertner, Pastor

Communion Service . . . 8:00 p.m.

Sunday Mass 11:30 a.m.

SOUTH PLAINS

BAPTIST CHURCH

Ernest Stewart, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m

SPANISH ASSEMBLY

OF GOD TEMPLO

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308 Mississippi

Rev. Thomas G. Lopez

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Service 6:00 p.m.

Family Night 7:30 p.m.

ST. MARY MAGDALEN

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Floydada

Father John Olig

Deacon Ricky Vasquez

Sunday Mass 11:30 a.m.

Tuesday Mass 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday Mass 6:30 p.m.

Rosary recited 1/2 hour before each Mass

Phone: 983-5878

TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM

Lockney

Pedro Reyes, Interim Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 p.m.

Evening Evangelistic

Wednesday:

Wednesday:

Mullins Family donates funds to continue WBU programs

Bethany Baptist Church in Floydada will host a revival, Sunday, June 8-Wednesday, June 11.

Monty Martin, of Monty Martin Evangelistic Ministries, will bring the message during the revival.

The ministry will bring a service of Bible based, fundamental, local church oriented, preaching and singing. Everyone is welcome.

Rev. Martin, a fundamental Baptist preacher, has held revivals all across the southwest. He believes that God has called him to be an evangelist. He has built a church from scratch and knows the needs and problems of the pastorate.

The services will be held on Sunday, at 11:00 a.m. and at 6:00 p.m. On Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, the services will begin at 7:30



Bethany Baptist Church to host revival in Floydada

1958-70.

Cunyus said.

from continuing.

Webster, both of Lockney.

A Brownfield family has provided Wayland Baptist University with \$240,000 that will be used for renovations to the Van Howeling Hall.

Wayne and Elva Mullins left a savings gathered from years of hard work to further Wayland's mission.

"They never had children of their own," said Barbara Cunyus of Lockney, Wayne's sister, "but they had a deep love for children...this was the way they chose to do what they could to help.'

Wayne and Elva Mullins, longtime Browfield residents, were members of Immanuel Baptist Church and actively involved with children's programs before their deaths.

"The Mullins family represents the type of frugal living, faithful family that settled West Texas," said Dr. David Smith, Wayland's vice president for institutional advancement.

"Wayland Baptist University is



Bethany Baptist is located at 601 W. Lee. A nursery will be provided.

REV. MONTY MARTIN

proud to accept their contribution and

add it to the long list of committed

Wayland supporters that make this

Mr. Mullins, who died in 1991, was

"He especially enjoyed driving the

Mrs. Mullins, who died in 1996,

She taught the 4-year olds Sunday

was a great helpmate for her

husband's farming duties, and was

School class at her church for many

years, until her health prevented her

Mr. Mullins is survived by two sis-

ters, Barbara Cunyus and Rita

especially talented at crocheting.

a farmer, a school bus driver, and a

Terry County commissioner from

school bus, because he loved children

and enjoyed being around them,"

place special," said Dr. Smith.

Floyd County ChurchDirectory

AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH Aubrey Chapman, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday: Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

**** **BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH** 607 W. Lee St., Floydada

J.D. Young, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m. *****

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH 810 S. 3rd, Floydada **Darwin Robinson**, Pastor

Sunday: Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship . . . 10:45 a.m. Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 6:30 p.m. Wednesday: Evening Services 8:00 p.m. **** CALVARY **BAPTIST CHURCH** Floydada **Claude Porter, Pastor** Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Bible Study 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening . . 7:00 p.m **** **CARR'S CHAPEL** Service Every Sunday: Morning Worship . . . 9:00 a.m. Sunday School . . . 10:30 a.m. **** **CHURCH OF CHRIST** West College & Third, Lockney Frank Duckworth, Evangelist Morning Worship . . . 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship . . . 5:30 p.m. Wednesday Service . . . 8:00 p.m. **** **CITY PARK**

CHURCH OF CHRIST Floydada

Gene McCarty, Minister Sunday: Bible Study 9:30 a.m.

Morning Worship . . . 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship . . . 6:00 p.m. Wednesday:

EVANS CHAPEL

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. G.A. Blocker

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship , 11:00 a.m.

Afternoon Worship 2:00 p.m.

Training Union 6:00 p.m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY

OF GOD CHURCH

701 W. Missouri, Floydada

Vance Mitchell, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.

Evangelistic 6:00 p.m.

Night Service. 7:00 p.m.

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Wednesday:

Sunday Evening

Wednesday:

Bible Study 7:30 p.m. (Summer 8:00 p.m.) FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 401 S. Main, Floydada **Michael Holster** Music/Adm./Sr. Adults

Sunday: Instrumental Ensemble . . 8:30 a.m. Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday: **Bible Study** Youth/Adults 7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir 7:45 p.m. ****

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Lockney

Harold Abney, Pastor Matt Chaffin, Music Minister **Debbie Wiley, Youth Minister** Sunday:

Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Discipleship Training ... 6:00 p.m. Kids of The King Children's Choir & Youth .5:30 p.m. Evening Worship 6:30 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m. Youth Activities 7:00 p.m. RA's and GA's 7:00 p.m.

Adult Choir 8:00 p.m. **3rd Saturdays:** Men's Breakfast 7:00 a.m. 1st Tuesday and 3rd Mondays:

Pre-School Choir 7:00 p.m.

Baptist Women 3:00 p.m. **** FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Reverend Ione Sedinger Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.

**** FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Floydada **Clark Williams**, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

METHODIST CHURCH

Lockney

Tommie Beck, Pastor

Sunday School 9:15 a.m.

Worship Service 10:30 a.m.

UMY 5:00 p.m.

Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Hill Circle, 3rd Tues. . . . 9:30 a.m.

2nd & 4th Mondays . . . 10:30 a.m.

FRIENDSHIP CHAPEL CME

Floydada

Rev. James Jenkins

Sunday 9:45 a.m.

Morning Service 11:00 a.m.

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Bible Study 8:00 p.m.

United Methodist Women,

Ruth Wesley Circle:

Wednesday:

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GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

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

Prayer Service 8:00 p.m. Wednesday Service. 7:30 p.m. ****

IGLESIA DEL REY JESUS 404 E. 6th St., Lockney

Lupe Banda, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Evening Service 6:00 p.m. Tuesday:

Youth Service 7:30 p.m. **** MAIN STREET

CHURCH OF CHRIST Lockney

Russell Harris, Minister Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.

Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday: Ladies Bible Class.....9:30 a.m.

Bible Study 7:30 p.m. *****

MT. ZION **BAPTIST CHURCH**

Floydada **Rev. Ralph Jackson**

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"FOCUS ON THE FAMILY" with Dr. James Dobson

OUESTION: I have a defiant 5year-old son, and I'm doing my best to cope with the assignment of shaping his will. Lately, I've had feelings of guilt and self-doubt over the constant tug-of-war I'm in. Do other parents of strong-willed children feel the same?

Dr. Dobson: Yes, many do. One of the problems is that parents have been told by the "experts" that managing children is duck soup for those who do it right. That leaves them with intense self-condemnation when things don't work that smoothly in their homes.

No one told them that parenthood would be this difficult, and they blame themselves for the tension that arises. They had planned to be such loving and effective parents, reading fairy tales to their pajama-clad angels by the fireplace. The difference between life as it is and life as it ought to be is a frightening bit of reality.

I'm glad you were able to verbalize your feelings of guilt and depression. That is important. In response, let me give you three assurances that will help you:

1. It isn't all your fault.

2. It won't always be so difficult.

3. You're probably doing a much better job than you think.

Hang in there. Your strong-willed child will someday be a stalwart, respectable, hard-working citizen whose only source of depression will emanate from conflict with his own strong-willed child.

OUESTION: The children in our neighborhood are bratty with one another and disrespectful with adults. This upsets me, but I don't know what to do about it. I don't feel I have a right to discipline the children of my neighbors. How can I deal with this?

Dr. Dobson: Parents in a neighbor-

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



DR. DOBSON

hood must learn to talk to each other about their kids, but that takes some doing! There is no quicker way to anger a mother than for another woman to criticize her precious club. It is a delicate subject, indeed. That's why the typical neighborhood is like yours, providing little "feedback" to parents in regard to the behavior of their children. The kids know there are no lines of communication between adults, and they take advantage of the barrier.

What each block needs is a mother who has the courage to say, "I want to be told what my child does when he is beyond his own yard. If he is a brat with other children, I would like to know it. If he is disrespectful with adults, please mention it to me. I will not consider it tattling, and I won't resent your coming to me. I hope I can share my insights regarding your children, too. None of our sons and daughters is perfect, and we'll know better how to teach them if we can talk openly to each other as adults." Parents who take this important

first step--and it won't be an easy subject to broach--improve the chances of raising well-behaved children.

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.

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A. LEON WILSON

Private graveside services for A. Leon Wilson, 77, of Modesto, Calif., were held on Friday, May 30, 1997. Mr. Wilson died Tuesday, May 27, 1997.

He was born in Humphreys, Okla,. and was a resident of Modesto for 15 years. He served in the Navy from 1942 to 1945 in the 73rd CB Batallion. He was a FHA housing inspector for 25 years.

He is survived by five children, James L. Wilson of Los Altos, Calif., Polly Campbell of Floydada; Cindy Regan, Maribeth Reece and Pam Gottula of Modesto, Calif., two brothers, Wayne Wilson of Altus, Okla., and Bill Wilson of Tulsa, Okla: a sister, Margie Harris of Fort Worth; 14 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.



PAC HOLDS OPEN HOUSE -- Vicki Wright (right), Executive Director of the Texas Juvenile Probation Commission spoke at the May 29th Open House at the new Parent Adolescent Center in Floydada. Chief Juvenile Probation Officer Bruce Ballou and his wife, Judy, are seen at the head table. Ballou hosted approx. 100 people to the afternoon lunch catered by Nielson's, to thank them for their support of the project. Wright praised those who have worked so hard on the project and promised future support from the Texas Juvenile Probation Commission. Staff Photo

Lockney Care Center contributes to Alzheimer's research funding

tion, Inc., a national not-for-profit charitable organization, announced today that it has approved a \$15,000 grant to The John Douglas French Alzheimer's Foundation. The grant will fund a joint Unicare/French Foundation fellowship awarded to Dora M. Kovacs, Ph.D. The Unicare Foundation has sponsored fellowship grants with the French Foundation for ten years, for a total in grant commitments of \$270,000.

Dr. Kovacs is part of a research team at Harvard Medical School, Massachusetts General Hospital, Genetics and Aging Unit, Department of Neurology. Her work involves biological investigation of two recently discovered genes responsible for the inherited, or familial, form of Alzheimer Disease. Her team is very close to discovering the mechanism which controls the new genes, that are believed to cause familial Alzheimer Disease.

The mission of The Unicare Foundation is to support research and service projects relative to Alzheimer Disease, and to support caregiver education, and quality of life programs within nursing and rehabilitation centers. The Unicare Foundation was established by Unicare Health Facilities, a national provider of health care services. Unicare Health Facilities operates 200 health care, assisted living, rehabilitation and retirement centers across the country. The Foundation's activities are supported wide. Lockney Care Center has contributed to this effort through various fund-raising activities in the Lockney community. We appreciate your support as we strive through education

Alzheimer's Disease.

The French Foundation for Alzheimer Research is a non-profit organization dedicated to finding the cause, cure and key to prevention of Alzheimer Disease. Its philosophy is to carry out the lifelong purpose of Dr. John Douglas French, in advancing research and healing of brain disease. Dr. French, who was co-founder of the UCLA Brain Research Institute, died January 24, 1989, after seven years as an Alzheimer victim.

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LOCKNEY-The Unicare Founda- and research to find a cure for The Foundation was established by his wife, the late Dorothy Kirsten French

> To date, the Unicare Foundation has contributed grants which total well over \$1,000,000. Alzheimer Associations across the country have benefited from over \$300,000 in local support grants and direct services to victims and their families. The Unicare Foundation also supports the creation of educational materials, and sponsors training programs for caregivers.



Lockney Police Report

On April 30, Lockney Police responded to a complaint from a 17 year old woman. She reported that she was threatened by a Lockney man with knife in the 500 block of E. Houston

The Floyd County Attorney's office subsequently issued a warrant for Rodney Lopez, 22, of Lockney. He was arrested and charged with Terroristic Threat.

May 1, Lockney police and Fire Units responded to a building fire in the 100 block of S.E. 1st Street shortly after 7:00 p.m. The fire was suspicious in nature and the investigation is continuing.

At about 9:30 p.m. police stopped a yellow Pontiac LeMans in the 100 block of N. Main for an equipment violation. The driver, Tracy L. Williams, 26, of Plainview was subsequently arrested for DWI.

May 5, a 14 year old Lockney youth was reported as a runaway. The youth was found in Plainview by the Plainview Police and returned to her parents. She was also referred to the juvenile probation department.

May 6, a 13 year old Lockney girl was also reported as a runaway. She was also found in Plainview by the Plainview Police and returned to her parents. She was also referred to the uvenile probation department.

Shortly after midnight, May 6, three Lockney youth's ages 16, 15, and 14 were found in violation of the juvenile curfew ordinance. The three were all issued warnings and released. They were also referred to the juvenile probation department.

May 7, police were summoned to the U.S. Post Office in reference to a burglary of the building behind the Post Office. The investigation contin-

May 11, at about 11:30 p.m. police responded to a motor vehicle accident in the 600 block of E. Locust. According to police reports, Brandon Clark Covington, 18, of Lockney, left the roadway and collided with a trailer house. He was arrested and charged with DWI.

Covington received minor injuries in the accident.

May 16, police were notified of a burglary of Rudy's Barber Shop in the 100 block of S. Main. According to police the suspects were identified and most of the property that was taken was recovered and returned.

Warrants were issued and police arrested Herman LeFuente, 21, of Lockney, and Steven Lee Alaniz, 20, of Lockney. Both were charged with Burglary of a Building. May 17, police arrested James Ascencio, 20, of Lockney, on an outstanding Hale County Probation Violation warrant.

someone had scratched her car while it was parked in the 700 block of S.W. 4th. Damage was estimated at \$1,500 to \$2,300.

May 23 police were notified that someone had damaged a holding pen at the city dog pound and removed an animal that had been placed in the pound as a stray. The damage amount is unknown.

Also on May 23rd, police arrested Anthony Wayne Emert, 26, of Lockney, on a warrant for revocation of probation.

May 24, at 2:25 a.m. police stopped a grey Chevrolet in the 200 block of S. Shubert after the officer observed the vehicle fail to drive in a single lane on U.S. 70.

The driver, Robert Trevino, 20, of Plainview, was arrested for DWI. The passenger, Yolanda Hernandez, 27, of Lockney, was arrested for public intoxication.

May 25 at 3:30 a.m. police stopped a pickup in the 300 block of S. Main for making an illegal turn.

The driver, Eric Luna, 19, of Floydada, was arrested for DWI. A passenger, Jose Manuel Lucio, 17, of Floydada, was arrested and charged with PI and Minor in Possession of Alcohol.

Another passenger, a 16 year old boy was detained for Public Intoxication and Minor In Possession. According to the police report the youth first gave police a fictitious name. He was also charged with Failure to Identify and Juvenile Curfew Violations and referred to the Juvenile Probation Department.

June 1, at about 12:40 a.m. police stopped a 1990 Ford for speeding on U.S. 70. The driver of the vehicle, George Rosa, 30, of Floydada was arrested for DWI. The passenger Luis Rosa, 26, of Floydada, was arrested for P.I.

Also on June 1, after 3:30 a.m. police stopped a brown G.M.C. for speeding on F.M. 378. The driver, Christopher Craig Sanders, 28, of Abernathy, was arrested for DWI.



LOCKNEY CARE **CENTER BAKE SALE**

The Family Council of the Lockney Care Center is sponsoring a bake sale at the Father's Day cook-out at Lockney Care Center on Saturday. June 14, at 9 a.m. Proceeds will go toward Christmas gifts for the residents. Your support will be appreciated. Hope to see you there.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY BRUNCH

Local board members of the American Cancer Society will host a backyard brunch on Saturday, June 21, from 9:30 - 11:00 a.m. at the home of Melvin and Janet Lloyd, 906 W. Houston. Mark your calendar and watch for more information.

SENIOR DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE

A defensive driving course will be held at the Senior Citizens building in Floydada. Classes will be Friday. June 20, from 1-5 p.m., and Sat. morning, June 21, 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Anyone 50 years or older is eligible. Call 983-2032 or come by the center to register.

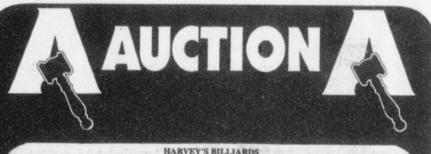
CLASS OF 1962

The Class of 1962 in Lockney will hold a reunion June 13 & 14 at the Villa Inn in Lubbock.

DONATIONS ACCEPTED FOR GARAGE SALE

Floyd County Friends of the Library are accepting donations for the upcoming garage sale (June 7). No clothing donations, please. Call Jerry Crawford at 983-3870 for pick-up, or drop-off instructions.

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FLOYD COUNTY FRIENDS DONATIONS -- 4-H Club members Melissa (left) and Bonnie Dunlap present Joyce Lipham, president of the Floyd County Friends of the Library, with a \$119 donation for the building fund for a new Floyd County Library. The money was raised by the 4-H Club in their latest monthly project, a bake sale directed by Bonnie Dunlap. Each month, as a means of contributing to the community and developing leadership potential, a member of the 4-H Club is selected to develop and direct a new monthly project. -- Staff Photo

Also on the 17th, a 17 year old man complained of an assault against him in the 300 block of S. Main. Arturo Martinez, Jr., 22, of Lockney, and Julian Hernandez, 18, of Lockney were charged with Assault.

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Notice of Public Meeting of the Appraisal Review Board

Notice is hereby given that a public meeting of the Appraisal Review Board of the Floyd County Appraisal District will convene at 8 a.m. on June 10, 1997, at the meeting room, located at 104 East California, and will continue in session at that time and place on June 10, 1997.

The board will examine and equalize the appraisal records of the chief ppraiser, and will hear and determine taxpayer and taxing unit appeals on all matters permitted by TEX. PROPERTY TAX CODE CHAPTER 41.

The Appraisal Review Board will be in session until all tax appraisals have been equalized and approved and all timely filed appeals heard and resolved.

This notice is given pursuant to TEX. REV. CIV. STAT. ANN. ART. 6252-

Eddie Smith Chairman, Appraisal Review Board 6-5c

LOCKNEY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

BID NOTICE

Lockney ISD is accepting bids for remodeling of two classrooms and other miscellaneous carpentry work. Specifications for this work may be obtained by contacting the Superintendent's office at the following address:

> Raymond Lusk, Superintendent Lockney ISD P.O. Box 428 Lockney, Texas 79241 Phone: (806) 652-2104

Bids will be due on or before Thursday, June 19, 1997 at 3:00 p.m.

Work must be completed no later than August 3, 1997.

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MAYBE WE'LL FINALLY GET FINISHED--Benito Alvarez of the South Plains community is planting his 40th cotton crop in the county. The rain this year has made planting a long term project. For many farmers it was either wait till it dried up or move to a **Staff Photo** drier location..

Cloud seeding in the southern High Plains to begin soon

By High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 Cloud seeding operations to increase rainfall within the 15-county High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 service area and a portion of eastern New Mexico will begin as soon as final equipment is installed at the Weather Modification Inc. operations center at the Littlefield, Texas airport.

"No aircraft will be launched for cloud seeding until the operations center is fully functional," said A. Wayne Wyatt, High Plains Water District manager. "The radar unit is up and running, but there are a few other pieces of equipment that need to be in place before regular flights begin. We expect Weather Modification Inc. personnel to complete this in the next few days."

On May 23, the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) approved a four-year permit to allow Weather Modification Inc. to conduct spring and summer precipitation enhancement programs

ment activities to include Roosevelt County, New Mexico. Two other New Mexico counties, Curry and southwestern Quay, indicated a serious intent to join the program; however, they did not have representation at the May 27 special board meeting. They will likely join the program within the next few weeks, according to Scotty Savage, a representative of the Llano Estacado Weather Modification Association, which includes all three New Mexico counties.

Participants will pay a pro-rata share of the fixed and reimbursable program costs, based upon total acreage. For example, the High Plains Water District will pay 81 percent of the program cost for its 6,869,910 acre service area, while Roosevelt County will pay 19 percent of the program cost for its 1,570,880 acre service area. These percentages will be adjusted accordingly if the other New Mexico counties join the program.

"Approval of this addendum has several advantages. The residents of Roosevelt County, New Mexico will

Water District staff are working to establish a home page on the Internet that will contain information about the precipitation enhancement program. "Once it is operational, persons accessing this web site will be able to view Doppler radar images of clouds which have been seeded and obtain updated information about the program," said Wyatt.

The precipitation enhancement program will operate from May to September 1997. The target area consists of all of Bailey, Cochran, Hale, Lubbock, Lynn, and Parmer Counties. It also includes parts of Armstrong, Castro, Crosby, Deaf Smith, Floyd, Hockley, Lamb, Potter, and Randall Counties in Texas and Roosevelt County in New Mexico.

Additional information about the 1997 precipitation enhancement program is available by contacting the High Plains Water District at 2930 Avenue O, Lubbock, Texas 79405-1499, or by calling (806) 762-0181.

Floyd County Farm News

Pest Management Report

by Ron Graves **Extension Agent** Floyd and Crosby Counties **Current Situation**

Cool, wet weather has dampened the spirits of cotton farmers, but most would agree it is a lot better than the drought faced last season. Cotton planting is running behind normal and its no time to cut corners. Managing for earliness will be the key to a good cotton crop this season. This can be achieved by avoiding thrips damage to seedling cotton, which under some conditions may reduce stands, stunt plants, and delay fruiting and matu-Thrips

Thrips are slender, straw colored insects about 1/15 inch long, with piercing sucking mouthparts. Adults are winged and capable of drifting long distances in the wind. Thrips attack leaves, leaf buds and very small squares and may cause silvering of the lower leaf surface. Thrips damage is most evident during cool, wet periods when small cotton is growing slowly. Thrips damage is further compounded by plant damage resulting from rain, wind, blowing sand, and diseases. Thrips can migrate in heavy numbers from adjacent weeds on crops, especially small grains, and cause significant damage within a few days prior to the appearance of true leaves. Significant damage rarely occurs after the 4-to-6 true leaf stage.

Although no research-based economic threshold has been established for this pest field observations have indicated that control may be justified when an average of one to five thrips per plant is found. The number of thrips per plant to use as a treatment guideline increases as plants add more leaves.

Boll Weevil

The Texas Agriculture Extension Service Boll Weevil Grid Traps were placed in Crosby and Floyd Counties on April 1. These traps have been

previous two years. Each trap is labeled with "TAEX" and a number for identification. Anyone may look at these traps, but please do not open them. The Agri-Partners Trapping Grid was established to provide seasonal data about the numbers and movements of cotton boll weevils.

Producers Boll-Weevil Traps This may be a year in which overwintered-boll-weevil control will really pay. Producers wanting to purchase traps to monitor the weevil situation and make management decision need to get their traps A.S.A.P. The best time to put traps out is just after a field is planted. You need two weeks of trapping data before matchheadsquares to generate reliable numbers. You will need four traps per 160 acres and enough pheromone and kill strips for eight weeks. The pheromone lasts two weeks and the kill strips lasts four weeks. Sources of traps and supplies are Hercon Environmental (717)764-1191, Iseline and Associates (602)897-2051 and Great Lakes IPM (517)268-5693.

Boll Weevil Life Cycle

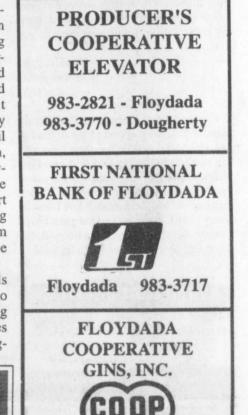
Emerging overwintered boll weevils usually move relatively short distances from hibernation sites and usually are confined to small areas in fields adjacent to good overwintering habitat. Overwintered weevil emergence begins during early spring and generally peaks during late May and early June. However, significant emergence can continue into early July in some years. The adult weevil is about 1/4 inch long, grayish brown, and has a prolonged snout with chewing mouthparts at its tip. The presence of two distinct spurs on the lower part of the first segment of the front leg will distinguish the boll weevil from other weevils with which it might be confused.

Recently emerged adult weevils feed on squares or bolls for four to eight days before mating and laying eggs. Adult weevils puncture squares placed in the same locations for the or bolls both for feeding and for egg-

laying. Egg-laying punctures can be distinguished from feeding punctures by the presence of a warlike plug which the female places over the site after she has deposited an egg in the cavity. The female deposits an average of 100 eggs during her life span of about 30 days.

Eggs hatch into larvae, or grubs. within three to five days under midsummer conditions. Grubs transform into pupae within a square or boll in approximately seven to eleven days. Adults emerge three to five days later. The time required for development from egg to adult under summer field conditions averages 17 days, with a complete generation occurring in 21 to 25 days.

Punctured squares flare open and usually fall to the ground within a week. Small bolls that are punctured may also fall to the ground, but larger bolls remain on the plant. When direct sunlight an hot, dry conditions cause fallen squares to dry out rapidly, large numbers of weevil larvae do not survive. Boll-weevil populations reach their highest level late in the growing season.



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on behalf of the Water District.

Precipitation enhancement, or cloud seeding, is an attempt to encourage clouds to generate more rainfall than they would otherwise by introducing seeding agents, such as silver iodide. The silver iodide provides additional condensation nuclei to allow more cloud moisture to be converted to large raindrops that can survive the fall through the dry subcloud layer and reach the ground as meaningful rainfall.

An addendum to the original contract with Weather Modification Inc. was approved by the Water District Board of Directors on May 27 to extend the 1997 precipitation enhance-

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benefit from any additional rainfall generated as a result of the precipitation enhancement program. The contractor's permit to seed clouds in New Mexico will benefit producers within the High Plains Water District whose farms are close to the Texas-New Mexico state line. Also, the addition of Roosevelt County will help reduce the per-acre cost to residents of our district," said Wyatt.

The Water District will pay for the program's first year with its operating reserves, but will likely increase taxes to fund the program in subsequent years. The District currently assesses a tax rate of .0084 cents per \$100 valuation.

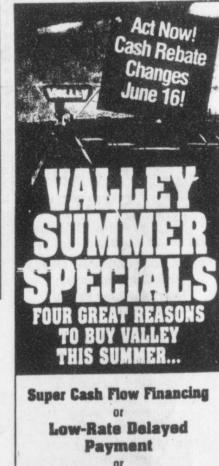
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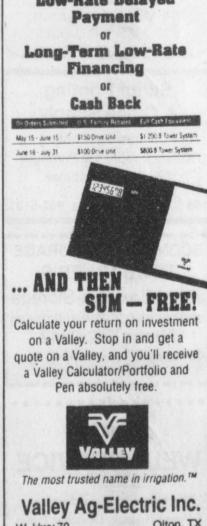
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DIRECTORS OF PRODUCERS COOPERATIVE ELEVATORS OF FLOYDADA ARE: (1 to r) Jim Covington; Kay Crabtree; Tom Pierce, Vice-President; Joe Jones, President; Greg Bishop, secretary; and the general manager Kendis Julian. Pierce and Bishop were recently elected to serve new terms at the 54th annual meeting of the members of the Coop-**Courtesy Photo** erative.







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