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Tobacco settlement may bring money to county

could receive \$150,066 next year as its share of a \$300 million disbursement from the multibillion dollar state tobacco settlement that is designed to be directed toward health care for the indigent.

Texas House Speaker Fete Laney, D-Hale, announced Monday, July 20, that counties and hospitals within District 85 could receive millions of dollars from the proposed tobacco settlement reached over the weekend.

Legislative leaders have been working with counties and hospital districts for several months to find a fair and equitable way to distribute part of Texas' potential multibillion-dollar settlement to those entities. Under the agreement, the entity receiving the payment may be the county, hospital district and/or other political subdivision depending on which entity has the legal responsibility for providing indigent health care.

Hospital districts in Floyd County are responsible for indigent health care, rather than the county govern-

In Floydada, the Caprock Hospital District had a total of \$861.33 in indigent health care payments for a nine month period ending June 30, 1998. A claim for \$130.60 was also approved during the July CHD board meeting.

Lockney General Hospital District, which operates W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital has had indigent and

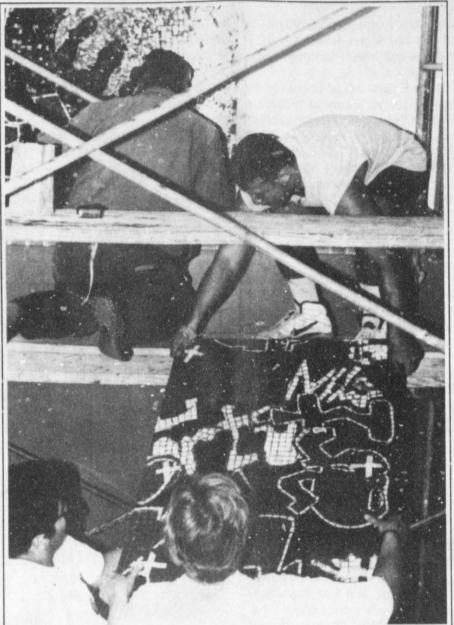
Floyd County Hospital Districts nearly \$50,000.00 for the budget year

W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital Administrator Sharon Hunt says she is still in the process of trying to find out when the settlement will be finalized and just what dollar figure the district will be receiving under the terms of the agreement.

In addition to the initial lump sum payment, a Permanent Trust Account will be established and funded over a four-year period in the amount of approximately \$1.8 billion said Laney. The income from this permanent fund will be distributed to the counties and hospital districts on a pro rata basis in proportion to their amount of unreimbursed health care expenditures for indigent health care.

"This trust account will provide a substantial, perpetual source of revenue to help offset the cost of providing health care. This approach to managing the funds will ensure that the payment we receive today will provide lasting benefits for future Texans," Speaker Laney said.

Legislative leaders met Saturday, July 18, with the counsel for the counties and hospital districts that intervened in the tobacco settlement and Judge Jim Meyers, a court appointed mediator. As a result of that meeting,



an agreement was reached. It includes INSTALLATION BEGINS ON MOSIACS-Joe Cavazos (top, 1) and T.J. the stipulation that the motion for Leal (top, r) install the mosiac artwork finished by Lisa Mosley's art classes sanctions against the governor and at Lockney High School. The panels fill the former windows in the landseveral legislators must be withdrawn ings of the stairways at the school Assisting with the installation were

Board discusses fate of CHD hospital building

FLOYDADA -- Caprock Hospital ported the group's efforts in the local the question of the ultimate fate of the hospital building during the July 21 regular meeting of the CHD board. She indicated that she has been questioned by many people concerning the building and the equipment remain-

"I get calls asking about purchasing specific items and I tell them to come to the board meetings and make their offer," said Payne. "We have sold some items on a piecemeal basis to various agencies and individuals. I feel that we need to make a public statement about the building and the equipment. We have been criticized for not taking proper bids and we need to see that anyone who is interested has an equal chance.

"I keep hearing that the building is for sale and that the equipment is for sale, but I can't remember that being decided in a board meeting," continued Payne. "As board members, we are stewards of the taxpayers money and property. If we are going to liquidate, we need to have a clear plan of action and we need to make our plans public."

The discussion was prompted by three offers to purchase a variety of old hospital equipment. Rural Nurse Resource, Inc. offered \$600.00 for a list of items they had been using while renting space in the hospital.

Leah Battey indicated that she sup

District Trustee Denice Payne raised area but said, "If we had a garage sale, we could get more for this stuff."

A motion was made to accept the bid from RNR, but it died for lack of a second. A second motion was made to table the bid and request an itemized bid for the items in question. The second motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Bids from Lockney General Hospital District and from Hi-Plains Hospital in Hale Center were also considered. The two hospital facilities had offered itemized bids for various equipment, with a couple of items appearing on both lists.

Kyle Smith made a motion to accept the bids from LGHD and Hi-Plains with the items on both lists going to the highest bidder. He also made looking into hiring an auctioneer to liquidate the CHD owned equipment in the hospital building a part of his motion.

The motion was seconded by Jeffery Johnson and Smith, Johnson and Payne voted in favor of the motion. Battey voted against the motion saying many pieces of equipment have already been sold to individual bidders and that she felt the district should demonstrate consistency in dealing with the sale of equipment.

Three taxing entity owned properties were discussed by the board. The first was a proposal to demolish a di-

Schaeffer receives Gold Award at national FHA leadership meeting

received a Gold medal in the STAR participants in the Ernest Morial Con-Events at the 1998 National Future Homemakers of America Leadership Meeting held recently in New Or-

leans, Louisiana. Schaeffer won the Gold medal in the Job Interview event. She used her family and consumer sciences related occupational skills to develop a portfolio, participate in an interview, and communicate a personal understanding of job requirements and the ability to perform them.

She was presented her Gold medal

vention Center. Schaeffer is a sophomore at Lockney High School and her parents are Milton and Vicky Schaeffer.

Attending with the students were Julie Ellison FHA Advisor, and Charlotte Schumacher.

The STAR (Students Taking Action with Recognition) Events program of FHA/HERO is based on the belief that all people are winners. Competition, evaluation and recognition stress cooperation as the basis of suc-

LOCKNEY-Melissa Schaeffer at the recognition session honoring all cess. Both youth and adults work together as managers of events and as evaluators of participants.

> Of nearly 5,000 meeting attendees, over 2,200 participated in this national level program in 11 categories: Applied Technology, Chapter Service Project, Chapter Showcase, Entrepreneurship, Focus on Children, Food Service, Illustrated Talk, Interpersonal Communication, Job Interview, Parliamentary Procedures, and Skills for Life. Members compete at local, district/region, and/or state levels to advance to the national level.



GOLD MEDAL WINNER--Melissa Schaeffer, of Events at the 1998 National FHA Leadership Meet-Lockney, recently received a Gold medal in the STAR ing. **Courtesy Photo**

Hutton to lead at Andrews Elementary

FLOYDADA--R.C. Andrews Elementary is already beginning to settle in with their new principal, David Hutton.

Hutton is already at work and he says he doesn't plan on having any bad days.

"I'm a very positive person," said Hutton. "The staff and the kids are hungry for enthusiasm and I know my enthusiasm will spread. It is going to be a winning team."

Hutton was born in Pampa, however because of his father's jobs as a preacher and coach, the family moved frequently.

"I graduated High School in Coahoma, near Big Spring," said

Hutton majored in English and Education at Abilene Christian, graduating in 1991.

He has also obtained his Masters in Education.

Hutton's first job after graduation was as a varsity coach in Kermit. He then moved to Clyde to coach track and teach English, and then on to Wil-Continued On Page 7



DAVID HUTTON

Emergency grazing of CRP permissible during drought

Many livestock producers in Floyd (NRCS). County are taking advantage of a USDA program that allows for emergency grazing of Conservation Reserve (CRP) lands during the 1998 drought. The program allows for CRP participants to graze their fields or lease them to a neighbor for a limited time period, provided they obtain a grazing plan from the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service grazed.

loss of available grazing as the dry spersed with larger acreage's grazed conditions continued during the range or pastureland. This arrangespring. The grazing period extends ment works well in counties where principal. throughout the summer and expires in most of the CRP units already have September. The cost to the producer fences and adequate water, so the exfor grazing the CRP land is 25 per- penses associated with grazing them cent of the annual rental payment are minimal. multiplied by the number of acres

CRP acreages in Floyd County gen-Approved counties experienced a erally consist of small fields inter-

> The USDA-NRCS is currently Continued On Page 9

Campbell is new principal at Duncan

FLOYDADA--New principal Bob Campbell will share the first day of school jitters with his Duncan Elementary students this year.

Campbell is replacing Rex Holcombe who has been hired as the Technology Director for FISD.

A native of Rascoe, Campbell graduated from Highland High School and went on to earn a B.S. Degree in Education at Howard Payne University in Brownwood.

In 1981 Campbell completed studies for his Masters in Education from Abilene Christian University.

His first education job was the position of Athletic Director/coach in Trent. He then worked for four years as the K-12 principal/administrator at Woodson.

"Woodson was just one school," said Campbell. "It is consolidated now and is no longer there."

After Woodson, Campbell moved to Ballinger and served as the K-5 principal for 3 years. He then moved to Rungee and worked for 3 years as the K-12 principal and then to Rising Star where he worked for 2 years as K-6

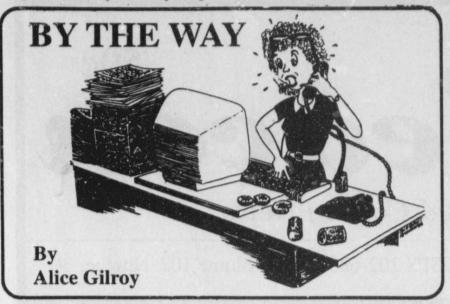
After Rising Star, Campbell worked for 2 years as the K-12 principal at Comstock and then on to Sabinal for one year as a Superintendent.

It was the Sabinal position that Continued On Page 7



BOB CAMPBELL

Cancellation Stamp Deadline Near Anyone interested in entering the Punkin Day Stamp Cancellation Contest must have entries in no later than 4:30 p.m., Friday, August 14 for judging. The contest is open to all ages. For more information contact Postmaster Kelly Bland in Floydada.



We've just returned from a wonderfully relaxing vacation to Maryland.

Other than being forced to hang around family that talk funny--they don't say "ya'll" and "fixin to", the trip was great. They also don't wear cowboy hats or Dallas Cowboy shirts!

Before we left I was telling my son that he would probably be miserable from the weather. I told him the humidity there would make him feel a whole lot hotter than it actually was.

He asked me, "What's humidity?" We laughed and told him we would point it out to him when we got there.

As it turned out the weather was great. The temperature stayed very comfortable and the humidity only seemed high on a couple of days.

Actually it only seemed high to me. I perspired until my glasses slid off my nose and my clothes stuck to every crevice in my body. I was very attractive looking.

We were standing out in front of the White House waiting for our tour and people were starting to notice the puddle I was leaving on the sidewalk.

My son--who had never experienced humidity before--said, "What's wrong with you Mom? Are you sick?

It's not hot!? So much for having him experience humidity.

He did get to experience the new subway system, D.C. monuments (the old and new), the Capital, the White House, traffic, Arlington Cemetery, traffic, the Changing of the Guard, traffic, China Town, traffic, Great Falls, the Chesapeake Bay Bridge, traffic, the Naval Academy in Annapolis, the harbor in Baltimore, traffic,

Planet Hollywood, Smithsonians, traffic, lots and lots of crabbing and crab feasts, and the most important-he caught a baseball at the Baltimore and Toronto game in Camden Yard.

I take that back--probably the best 10, 1998; time he had was getting to know Uncles he didn't remember.

Sometimes I don't think people fully appreciate the families they have living within shouting distance.

I have met people before who family. For those who complain- I'd 1998; trade places with you.

Children need to grow up around cousins, aunts and uncles, and grandparents.

My son is growing up without the benefit of running over to grandma's house for cookies, a quick hug, or a bandaid when Mom is not there. He doesn't have the cousins who are around all the time whether you want them there or not--but at least you can get a quick baseball or basketball team together.

Although there were several stories I wish our son hadn't heard, my husband and his brothers and cousins spent days laughing about all the scrapes and adventures they all got into together. Where one went--they all went. The cousins would fight among themselves but quickly come to each others defense against anyone from "outside the family" picking on any one of them. The security of family is a wonderful thing.

It was nice getting to know another part of the family-even if they do talk

July 16 Hale County Sheriff's of-

fice requested the Lockney Police

Department to attempt to locate

Shondai Baca, 27, of Lockney. She

was located and arrested on outstand-

ing forgery warrants and taken to the

July 18 police stopped a red

Chevrolet pickup on FM 378(N) for

a defective head light and failure to

dim bright lights. The driver of the

vehicle, Keevin Drew Gregg, 40, of

Lockney, was arrested for driving

while intoxicated and taken to the

July 18 police located Juan A.

Mariscal, 35, of Lockney after receiv-

ing information that he was wanted

by the municipal court. He was taken

Floyd County Jail.

Floyd County Jail.

Grand jury returns eighteen indictments

down 18 indictments against 17 indi- Intoxicated and 2 cases of Assault of viduals during grand jury proceedings a Public Servant which is a 3rd de-Tuesday, July 21.

Indicted were:

James Michael Burns, 28, of Lubbock, for the State Jail Felony of Criminal Mischief of a Value of \$1,500 or More, but Less Than \$20,000, which occurred on April 14,

Michigan, for the 2nd degree felony 1998: of Attempted Murder;

Abel Castellano, 20, of Floydada, for the 3rd degree felony of Failure to Register as a Sex Offender, which 1998: occurred on April 6, 1998;

Franciso Delgado, 42, of Floydada, for the 2nd degree felony of Aggravated Assault, which occurred on May

the 2nd degree felony of Indecency with a Child, a 2nd degree felony which occurred on January 11, 1998;

the State Jail Felony of Burglary of a lawful Possession of a Firearm by a thought they lived too close to their Building, which occurred on May 26, Felon, which occurred on May 13,

> Lorenzo Gonzales, 19, of Lockney, for the State Jail Felony for Forgery by Check, which occurred on May 18, and May 26, 1998;

> James Hernandez, 20, of Lockney, for the State Jail Felony of Burglary of a Building, which occurred on May

Jesus Johnston, 45, of Floydada, for

Waterline bursts leaving Lockney dry

LOCKNEY--A two inch hole in a 6 inch water line left the residents of Lockney without water, or with very little water pressure, on Sunday af-

Water Superintendent Dickie McCarty stated that a two inch hole was blown in a water main located at the corner of SW 4th and Willow

"Everyone in town was either without water or they had very little water pressure for about an hour while we uncovered and repaired the line," he stated. "We came back and repaired the street on Monday."

CORRECTION

The Hesperian-Beacon reported in the July 16 issue that Rural Nurse Resource had moved into the old Bishop Ramsey Pharmacy Building. This was incorrect. RNR has moved into the old Park Florist building a block behind the old pharmacy. We apologize for the error.

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LOCKNEY-The police departidentified and the information was turned over to the county attorney's office for possible prosecution.

Lockney Police Report

ment received a report July 7 from L.I.S.D. officials that a window at the elementary school was broken out during the night.

July 8th police stopped a vehicle for speeding on U.S. 70 near the Lockney Meat Company. The driver, Nancy Morales, 19, of Plainview, was arrested and taken to the Floyd County Jail. A warrant charging her with burglary of a habitation had been issued by authorities in Hale County.

July 11 police observed a vehicle traveling west on U.S. 70 failing to drive in a single lane. The vehicle was stopped and the driver, Victor Briones, 48, of Floydada, was arrested for DWI.

July 12 a resident in the 700 block of W. Bryant reported to police that sometime in the last two weeks his storage building had been entered and numerous items removed.

July 14 police were summoned to the 100 block of N.E. 6th Street. A front plate glass window in the residence had been broken. A suspect was to the Floyd County Jail. **FLOYDADA EMS**

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Floyd County Grand Jurors handed a 3rd degree felony of Driving While 1998 gree felony. The offenses occurred April 11, 1998;

Philip Michael Laws, II, 18, of Irving, for the State Jail Felony of Unauthorized Use of a Motor Vehicle, which occurred on April 16, 1998; Adam Leal, 17, of Lockney, for the

State Jail Felony of Burglary of a. David Cabrerra, 20, of Saginaw, Building, which occurred on May 26, Johnny Lopez, 18, of Lockney, for

the State Jail Felony, of Burglary of a Building, which occurred on May 26, Eric O'Brien, 17, of Copperas Cove,

for the State Jail Felony of Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle, which occurred on June 13, 1998; Michael Palacios, 18, of Floydada,

Brian Emert, 34, of Floydada, for for the 2nd degree felony of Burglary of a Habitation which occurred on May 1, 1998;

Lee Anthony Ramon, 27, of Ama-Michael Gross, 17, of Lockney, for rillo, for the 3rd degree felony of Un-

for the State Jail Felony of Forgery/a Check, which occurred on April 13

and April 15, 1998; and Martha Torrez, 33, of Lockney, for the State Jail Felony of Forgery/a Check, which occurred on March 3,

A State Jail Felony carries a pen-Juan Jose Sanchez, 36, of Lockney, alty of up to 2 years in prison and up to a \$10,000 fine.

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Commissioners discuss annual budget for '98-99

By Juanita Stepp

convened at 8:00 a.m. on Monday, the written requests. July 20th to hold a budget work session and discuss the 1998 tax rate.

Bill Hardin, no increase in the tax rate is anticipated. Hardin also indicated that the four commissioners, RayNell Bearden, Lennie Gilroy, George Taylor, and Jon Jones, were adamant about holding the line where the proposed budget is concerned.

"There are few increases in the budget we are proposing for the 1998-99 fiscal year," said Hardin. "We did not include any salary or pay raises for ber of an estimated \$285,163.52. anyone, elected or otherwise. Some areas were calculated at less than was spent in 1997 and less than the estimated expenditures for this year," he tion; \$120,300.00 for nondepartmenadded.

Floyd County Commissioners re- requests, while others only submitted

Estimated revenues in the proposed budget were placed at \$1,142,496.34 According to Floyd County Judge from all sources. A carryover of \$349,781.56 is estimated at this time for the current budget year ending September 30, 1998. This would give the county \$1,492,277.91 in estimated available funds for the next budget

Proposed expenses for the 1998-99 budget year are estimated at \$1,207,114.39. This would leave the county with a carryover next Septem-

Expenses estimated for various areas of county operation are placed at: \$212,706.16 for general administratal expenses; \$194,223.82 for judicial Some of the elected officials met and legal expenses; \$79,278.26 for

with the court to present their budget financial administration; \$64,307.17 for public facilities; \$369,701.75 for public safety-Sheriff; \$52,194.24 for conservation; and \$114,402.99 for all other expenses.

The budget proposed for the Road and Bridge fund is placed at \$548,575.05 with each of the four precincts to have \$120,000.00 for annual operations and \$6,500.00 for all other expenses paid from that fund.

The Floyd County Library is estimated to have income of \$47,896.89 in carryover and new money. Estimated expenses for the library are placed at \$43,534.98 for the proposed budget year.

At the conclusion of the meeting no major changes to the proposed budget had been suggested. The budget will be approved in August. Setting an official tax rate for the 1998 taxing year will also be addressed in August.



RAY LEE DONATES TO FLOYD COUNTY FRIENDS--Ray Lee Equipment, owned by Ray Lee, Mark Lee and Aaron Lee , repledged another \$5,000 to the Floyd County Friends Unity Center. This donation will go toward meeting the \$100,000 Challenge Grant

from the Mayer Foundation. Ray Lee Equipment has previously donated \$5,000 to the project for a total of \$10,000. Shown here are: (L-R) Ray Lee, Mike Mathis (of Floyd County Friends), Aaron Lee and Mark Lee. Courtesy Photo

Ascencio is new deputy

Raul Ascencio Jr., is the newest member of the Floyd County Sheriff's Department team.

Beginning work July 1, Ascencio will be responsible for policing Floyd County. A Lockney resident, Ascencio's main patrol focus will be in and around the Lockney area.

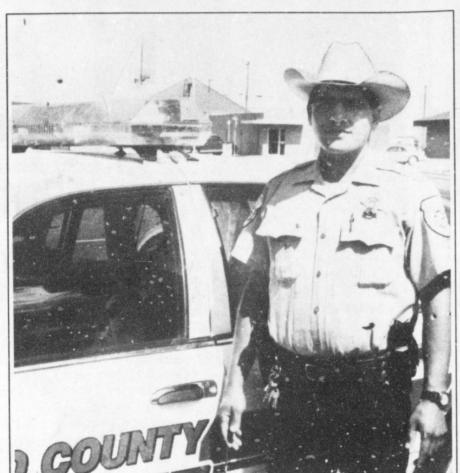
Born and raised in Lockney, Ascencio attended High School in Floydada. He studied law enforcement for two semesters at South Plains College before attending the Lubbock County Sheriff's Office Academy.

He graduated from the academy in September 1996 and then worked four years for the Hale County Sheriff's Office as a jailer and reserve deputy.

He has been married to his wife Dianah for seven years. She works for American Home Patient in Plainview. The couple has two daughters: Sa-

Deputy Ascencio is the son of Raul and Maria Ascencio, of South Plains.

rah, 5, and Elizabeth, 3.



DEPUTY RAUL ASCENCIO JR.

Punkin **Stamp Contest** deadline is near

FLOYDADA -- Floydada Postmaster Kelly Bland would like to remind anyone interested in entering the Punkin Day Cancellation Stamp contest of the deadline. Entries must be turned in at the Floydada Post Office no later than 4:30 p.m. Friday, August 14 in order to qualify for the contest

Entries must show the event followed by Station, the city, state, Zip Code, month, day and year in a space four (4) inches wide and two (2) inches tall. Sketches should be relatively simple and free of clutter. Entries should reflect what Punkin Days are about.



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LISD discusses budget at July session LOCKNEY--The Lockney Inde- will begin August 5th," he stated. service center and all board members

pendent School District Board of Di- "David Fairchild will be our defensive" are required to attend update sessions rectors met Tuesday, July 14 and dis- coordinator; Chad Terry will coach of sufficient length to familiarize them cussed the budget for the 1998-99 7th grade football, Todd Hallmark, 8th with major changes in the school code school year. They also hired personnel, approved resignations and heard a report on the fieldhouse.

Board members received an overview of the 1998-99 budget from Superintendent Raymond Lusk. Proposals on the tax rate were discussed.

"Anything under \$1.17 will not bring us the maximum in Tier II money from the state," Lusk told the board. "The tax rate set for '98-99 will determine the maximum Tier II money received from the state for the 1999-2000 and 2000-2001 school

He continued, "The \$1.1635 tax rate set in 1996-97 determined the Tier II yield from the state for the 1997-98 and 1998-99 school years.

"We have been able to keep the taxes the same for the last three years, stated Trustee Dan Smith. "This will be a hard year to raise taxes and I would like to not if we can hold it where it is."

All board members agreed they would like to stay at the current rate. The tax rate will be set at the August meeting.

Teachers approved for hiring were Carol Ladd, junior high science; David Fairchild, baseball coach; Rhonda Lyles, transfer from elementary school to junior high reading.

A resignation was accepted from Angie Edwards. She had been hired in June to teach junior high science. Her husband accepted a job with the Ellis County Extension Office and they will be moving.

A report was heard from Athletic Director Kurt Ashmore. He stated, "The mats are down in the weight room at the field house. This is a good building and will be well used. As soon as we get everything in place it will be opened for use."

"Athletic physicals for the 7th through 12th grade boyswill be done July 30th at 5:00 p.m. and two-a-days

grade; and David Sutterfield, JV. Lusk told the board members the dates and arrangements for the school board training and TASB Convention to be held in Houston the last of August. New board members are required to attend a three hour orientation session at the regional education

and other relevant legal developments related to schools.

During regular business before the board the minutes of the June meeting were read and approved. The current bills were reviewed and approved for payment and the financial statement was reviewed.



Melida DeLeon, 4th grade, and FNB IN LOCKNEY DONATES TO FIRE DEPARTMENT-Phillip Glasson (r), Vice President of the First National Bank in Lockney, presents Aaron Wilson (I), Fire Chief for the Lockney Volunteer Fire Department, with a donation from the bank. The money will go into the fire department's general fund to be used for needed equipment. Staff Photo

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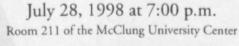
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Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus	(
Common stock	200
Surplus	500
Undivided profits and capital reserves	9,59
Net unrealized holding gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities	17
Total equity capital	10,46
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Bertrand and Rodgers united in double-ring ceremony

Misty LaShay Bertrand and Stephen Brannon Rodgers were united in marriage during a double ring ceremony at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, July 18, 1998 at the First United Methodist Church in Floydada. The ceremony was performed by Pat Ginn, uncle of the groom.

The bride is the daughter of Randy and Connie Bertrand of Floydada. Grandparents are Flois Reed of Panhandle, and William and Faye Bertrand of Floydada. The groom is the son of Steve and Jancy Rodgers of Petersburg. Grandparents of the groom are Sydney and Oneta Rodgers of Plainview and Guy and Margaret Ginn of Floydada.

Serving as ushers were Will Warren, Tory Bryant, and Doug Porter, all of Lubbock. While guests and families were being seated, selections were played by Penny Giesecke and Penny Ogden on the piano and organ respectively. During the ceremony, Larry Martin sang "I Cross My Heart" and Dendy Williams sang "This is the Day.'

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father, and given in marriage by her parents. The bride's grandmother Bertrand upheld a family tradition by purchasing an elegant candlelight gown for the bride. The off the shoulder neckline was accented with demi capped sleeves. The bodice was adorned with Alencon lace embellished with pearls and sequins. The silk chiffon over satin skirt floated gracefully to the floor into a full cathedral length train. A veil of tulle cascaded from a crown of satin roses and pearls.

She carried a bouquet of a dozen white roses accented with stephano-

"Something old and borrowed" was a six pence which was given to the bride's mother for her wedding by the groom's mother, as they were friends in high school. The veil was her



MRS. STEPHEN BRANNON RODGERS (nee Misty LaShay Bertrand)

"something blue."

Serving as matrons of honor were Landi Roark of San Angelo, friend of the bride, and Angie Long of Dandridge, Tennessee, sister of the bride. The bridesmaids were Lezlie Warren, Shelly Bertrand, and Kelly

"something new," and her garter was Wells, all of Lubbock. They all wore midnight blue full length A-line Crepe dresses with an open back accented with crosses satin straps. They carried multi-colored bouquets.

> The broom wore a black tuxedo with a white tie and vest. Serving as best man was Kirk mates of the bride.

Rodgers, of Lubbock, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Brian long of Dandridge, Tennessee, Bryan Stephens and Joe Adams both of Lubbock, and Josh Rodgers of Amarillo. The groomsmen wore black tuxedos with black vests and ties.

The ceremony was held in front of the stained glass window which held greenery and candles. Banners were has on each side of the window, one of which was made by the bride's mother and paternal grandmother. Three large floral bouquets and votive candelabras were arranged on and around the altar.

The wedding reception was held in the Fellowship Hall in the church, The bride's table held a three tiered cake featuring pearls and multi-colored cut flowers. The center piece of the table was a double heart shaped ice sculpture which contained multi-colored flowers. Attendants of the bride's table were Aimee Teeple, Lacy Golightly, and Heather Golden. The grooms table featured a red velvet cake with chocolate covered strawberries. A center piece of multi-colored flowers were arranged in a clear vase and held in place by lemons and limes.

As the couple left the church, guests threw birdseed and released white helium filled balloons.

After a trip to Jamaica, the couple will reside in Crosbyton where the groom is employed by Crosbyton ISD.

rehearsal dinner at the Methodist Church hosted by the groom's family. Showers were held in the homes of Linda Hinsley in Floydada, and LaFonda Stephens of Petersburg. Other showers included a Christmas shower, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Roark, a lingerie shower given by friends of the bride, a pounding by the family of the groom in the home of Tom and Amy DeLavan, and home decorative items were given by class-

MR. AND MRS. THOMAS WARREN

Warren's to celebrate room is employed by Crosbyton ISD. Pre-nuptial courtesies included a golden anniversary

Thomas and Marie Warren of Floydada will be celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday, July 26, 1998 in the First Baptist Church Wall Street Parlor from 2:30 to 4:00 p.m. Hosts will be their children and grandchildren. They are the parents of Elaine and Paul Stout and Ed and Dana Warren of Levelland and Joyce Owens, Don and Hope Warren of Floydada. They have 13 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

Thomas and the former Ila Marie Battey were married July 29, 1948 in Floydada First Baptist Church.

Your presence is a treasured gift. No other is requested.

Floydada Senior Citizens News

By Margarette Word

The center is open Monday through Friday. If you plan on eating lunch please call 983-2032 by 10 a.m. If you

Wednesday morning, July 15th the W.M.U. of the Calvary Baptist Church met in Evelyn Queen's home. They also celebrated the recent birthdays of Edna Patton and Margaret Daniel. Others attending the meeting were Mildred Parnell, Ethel Carmack, June Van Cleve, Ivola Walker, Irene Wexler, Deeota Odam, and the hostess Evelyn Queen.

Leon and Bill Ferguson spent last week in Spearman sitting with their grandchildren while their daughter-inlaw attended Music Week at Glorieta, New Mexico. Their son Tony was home in the evening so they had a good time visiting with him too.

Bill Ferguson's nephew, Edward Beck received a kidney transplant last week. He lives at Claude and is getting better each day.

Betsy Dempsey had knee surgery on Monday July 20th. Her children Jim and Gail Dempsey and their three daughters, Bob Dempsey of Chicago and Patty Baker of Las Vegas, Nevada were here for her surgery. Patty will be staying a week to help her mother while she recovers from the surgery. Our sympathy to Jackie and coleslaw, rice pudding

Howard Gregory on the loss of a cousin Clarence Gregory and his son Loyd Gregory.

Our sympathy to Nancy Bishop and are 60 years old or older this center is Geraldine Callaway on the loss of a

Our sympathies to Harold Reese on the loss of an uncle, Howard Reese. Wilma Payne is home from the hos-

Joe Rainer had a liver transplant several days ago and from the reports I get he is getting stronger each day.

Thought for the Week

If wrinkles must be written upon our brows, let them not be written upon the heart. The spirit must not grow old. James Garfield

MENU

JULY 27 - JULY 31 Monday: Chicken pot pie, tossed salad, ranch dressing, wheat rolls, plums, oatmeal cookies

Tuesday: Mexian Menu 5, chicken zucchini, beans, green salad, corn tortilla, fruit salad

Wednesday: BBQ beef, baked potato, broccoli w/cheese, hot roll, pears,

Thursday: Ham w/pineapple, rice, Chinese vegetables, wheat roll, gingerbread w/topping

Friday: BBQ chicken, butter beans,

Care Center residents celebrate July birthdays

By Lorilla Bradley

Summertime is really here...Just check the July weather.... But hot or cold we celebrate And have some fun together!

Mr. Odell Kerr we honor At this his special time.... He is a happy person Always good and kind!

We greet our Mrs. Vandiver With all her many years.... Her life has been quite happy So, on with love and CHEERS!

Another one we honor Is Mr. Arvin West The many years he's counting Makes him feel so blest.

Lets serenade these people

With the same old birthday song To help their celebrating And cheer them on and on!

FLOYDADA -- Thursday, July 16 was party time at the Care Center with members of the City Park Church of Christ hosting. Each honoree wore a fresh corsage compliments of Williams Florist and Card Shop.

A delicious refreshment plate of chocolate or angel food cake along with a tasty fruit punch was served to the honorees, home residents employees and guests. Visiting with Mr. West was his sister Leona Neff and Mrs. Kerr sat with her husband Odell.

The next party will be Thursday, August 20, at 3:00 p.m. You are invited to be with your friends and loved ones at that time. We are always happy to have visitors.

Lockney Health and Rehab News

By Rebecca Rodriguez, A.D.

Hello to everyone once again from all the residents and staff of Lockney Health and Rehab Center. We hope you and your family are having a nice trip went. and cool summer.

Our local F.H.A. group from ceived a beautiful crystal bowl and a Lockney High School received the standing ovation. The girls also had Extendicare Facilities "VOLUN- time to do some sighT-seeing, which TEER OF THE YEAR AWARD." Two representatives, Kenzie Stapp

Recipe of the Week

Swiss Steak Submitted by Estelle Carthel

2 pounds round or tenderized steak 1 Tbsp. oil Brown time: 5-10 minutes

1 large onion thinly sliced 1 Tbsp. sugar 1/2 tsp. dry mustard

1/4 tsp. chili powder 1/4 c. vinegar 1 c. tomato juice

1 c. tomato sauce Cut steak into six pieces. Roll in flour. Heat the oil, add meat to hot oil and brown quickly on both sides. Add the sliced onions. Combine ingredients and mix well. Then pour over

for about 2 hours or until tender.

steak and onions. Cover and simmer

Well we guess this is all for now,

and Tessa Stapp and their sponsor

Julie Ellison came back from Milwau-

kee, Wisconsin. Julie Ellison came by

the facility to tell everyone how the

included buying cheese heads. Thank

you F.H.A. for sharing time with the

Kenzie Stapp and Tessa Stapp re-

Turns '30' this week !!

Floydada Rehab and Care Center

By Patricia Hill, A.D.

Things here are going just fine. need a little more stuff, dolls, purses, Laurie Vangraefschepe, LVN. etc. Thanks again.

month are, Myrtle Vandiver, Odell Beulah Baker and Thelma Crawford. Kerr, and Arvin West; employee celebrating her birthday is, Beverly Wil-

In County (Yearly).

Other Counties.. Out of State.

Resident birthday party was held How about the rain? It did cool Thursday. Cake and punch were things off a little. We missed you last served, and we sang "Happy Birth-

Resident of the month is Terry Thanks for all the donations, but we Watson. Employee of the month is

FRCC would like to welcome our Residents celebrating birthdays this new residents, Ashel McDaniel,

Thought: To go nowhere, follow the

the second of th

HAPPY BIRTHDAY -- (I to r) Myrtle Vandiver, Odel Kerr and Arvin West celebrate their birthdays in July.

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Meloy and Stovall united in marriage

Dalawna Meloy and Grant Stovall were united in marriage during a double ring ceremony at 3:00 p.m., Saturday, May 23, 1998, in Lubbock, at Trinity Church, with Tom Stirling officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Don and Sherry Meloy of Friendship and the groom is the son of Robert and Darlean Stovall of Floydada.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a candlelight full length gown, accented with a sweetheart neckline and long sleeves trimmed in beadwork in a shell design. The train was trimmed in the same beadwork and lace.

The brides attendants wore navy, full length, fitted gowns with low cut backs accented with a bow. Maid of honor was Autumn Ward of Amarillo. Bridesmaids were Rebecca Carlisle of Seminole, Cindy Hill of Lubbock, Tiffany Carothers of Lefores, and Jamie Vaughn of Spring.

Daniell Foreman, of Lefores, was flower girl and Ryan Jarboe, cousin of the groom was ring bearer. Kylie Ward and Jeanna Duck registered

The groom wore a black double breasted tuxedo and black cumberbund. Groomsmen and ushers each wore black single breasted tuxedos with burgundy cumberbunds. Serving as best man was Ty Stovall, brother of the groom, of Floydada. Groomsmen were Mark Thompson and Mark Standlee of Floydada, Steve Ward of Levelland, and Mark Chisum of Lubbock.

· Ushers were Skyler Meloy and Cayton Meloy, brothers of the bride, of Friendship, Chad Quisenberry of The bride's table featured a three tiered

Natalie Martinez, student of the late with a double T on top. bride, of Lubbock, sang "I Will be A rehearsal dinner was hosted by Here" and "Till the End of Time." the groom's parents at the Fifty Yard Miss Martinez was accompanied by Line in Lubbock.



Phillip Hagar.

Jay Jarboe, cousin of the groom, of Lubbock, said a special wedding prayer for the bride and groom.

The wedding reception was held in the reception hall of Trinity Church. Devine, and Bruce White of cake, a gift of family friend Shiela Wright. The groom's cake was choco-

Pre-nuptial courtesies were given for the couple on April 25, in the home of Mrs. Jakey Younger in Floydada, and on April 26, at the Christian Life Church in Lubbock.

Lubbock, where the bride will be at- pearl covered headband. tending Texas Tech University and coaching at Trinity Christian School, Sports Medicine Manager of Sports Care of Methodist Hospital, a service of Covenant Health System.



MRS. GRANT STOVALL (nee Dalawna Meloy)

Martin and Schlueter recite vows in candlelight ceremony

Cynthia Kay Martin and Shad Lee Schlueter recited their wedding vows at 6:00 p.m. July 18, 1998 in a candlelight ceremony at the First Baptist Church in Lockney.

The bride is the daughter of Jim and Kay Martin of Lockney. Her grandparents are G.B. and Naomi Johnston of Lockney and Jim and Jo Anne McGiboney of Flower Mound.

The groom is the son of Dwayne and Sue Schlueter of Trent. His grandparents are Vernon and Jhynelle Brumfield of Roby and Estelline Schlueter of Sweetwater.

Miss Martin was escorted down the aisle and given in marriage by her father. The Reverend David Fletcher, pastor of the First Baptist Church of

Jayton, officiated the ceremony. The maid of honor was Sarah Martin, sister of the bride. Serving as bridesmaids were Leigha Wood of College Station, Randi Jo Henderson of Lubbock, and Kelli Renfrow of College Station, all friends of the bride.

Tandi Mitchell, cousin of the bride, from Lubbock served as flower girl. Kyler Bean, cousin of the bride, from Lubbock, served as ring bearer.

The best man was Shannon Schlueter, brother of the groom from College Station. Groomsmen were Arturo Romanillos, friend of the groom, from College Station and Allen Martin, brother of the bride, from College Station.

Brooke Perryman, cousin of the bride and Faith Smallridge, cousin of the groom lit the candles.

Chad Harmon, friend of the bride, from Floydada and Sean Willingham, friend of the groom, from Lubbock seated the guests.

The bride's gown was made of white satin with a cathedral length train. The sleeveless fitted bodice fell to a V in the front and back. A diamond shaped medallion of lace and pearls accented the front and back of the dress. The long flowing skirt and train were accented by clusters of lace and pearls. The same beadwork accented the hem of the gown. The fin-After a honeymoon trip to Jamaica, gertip length veil was accented with the couple has made their home in ribbon edging and was attached to a

She carried a cascade of white roses, gardenias, burgundy mini-carnations, and the groom will be employed as dendrobium orchids and English ivy.

Following tradition, something old was her great-grandmothers golden nugget; something new was her wedding gown; something borrowed was her grandmothers pearl bracelet; and something blue was her garter. She also carried a lucky sixpence in her

The maid of honor and bridesmaids wore floor length princess style dresses of burgundy satin. They were sleeveless with a low back accented with rosettes. Each carried bouquets of long stem white roses, burgundy



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MRS. SHAD LEE SCHLUETER (nee Cynthia Kay Martin)

and white mini-carnations, accented with greenery, and tied with white rib-

The groomsmen were attired in black Wranglers with a traditional western tuxedo jacket by Wrangler They wore burgundy vests and bowties. The boutonnieres were white

Bethany Jones, cousin of the bride presided at the registry. Nicole Johnston, cousin of the bride and Brooke Perryman distributed burgundy roses filled with bird seed during the reception.

The front of the church was decorated with two fan candelabras and two spiral candelabras which were attached forming a large heart. The large heart was flanked on both sides by smaller heart shaped candelabras and seven tiered candle holders. Two large baskets of white roses, gardenias, bur- 20th. gundy and pink mini-carnations, dendrobium orchids and English ivy were placed on each side of the candelabras completing the decorations at the front of the church.

and mini-carnations centered with white tapers in hurricane lamps.

The reception, hosted by the bride's parents Jim and Kay Martin, was held

in the Garden Room of the church. Friends of the bride, Tamarah Burson of Lubbock; Tikka Smith of Texas A&M and is employed by Lone Lubbock, and Lacey Aston of Star Gas. Lockney, presided at the brides table. The brides table held the wedding Bryan.

cake and punch. Table decorations included the bride's bouquet and gold appointments. A table covered with a green cloth held a watermelon sculpture and fruits.

Presiding at the grooms table were Brandy Schlueter of Roscoe, sister-inlaw of the groom; Jessica Tomsic of College Station and Allison Timmons of San Antonio, both friends of the bride and groom.

The grooms table was decorated with a western theme and silver appointments. It was covered with a burgundy cloth.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by Dwayne and Sue Schlueter, parents of the groom. It was held at the Plainview Country Club the night before the

A miscellaneous shower was held in the home of Reeda Cay Smith on June

Susan Patridge hosted a Tupperware party on June 27th and a lingerie shower was hosted by Randi Jo Henderson.

Following the wedding the couple In each window of the church there traveled to San Antonio. The bride were arrangements of roses, gardenias wore an apple green pant suit with black accessories and the groom wore jeans and a Polo shirt.

The bride is a graduate of Lockney High School and attends Texas A&M University. The groom is a graduate of Sweetwater High School, attends

The couple will make their home in



PHILLIPS RECOGNIZED AT DISTRICT 4-H across the 20 county area of the South Plains District MEETING--Marcia Phillips (c), 4-H Leader from Lockney, was recognized at the South Plains District II Leaders Association meeting held in conjunction with District 4-H Roundup in Levelland. Leaders from

were honored. Phillip's nomination came from the Floyd County Parent Leader Association. Shown with Mrs. Phillips are past president, Karen Quebe (1) and District Council Officer, Kay Martin (r). Staff Photo



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FISD hires new principal

FLOYDADA -- Bob Campbell gained the approval of the Floydada Independent School District Board of Trustees and will be the principal at A. B. Duncan Elementary School for the 1998-99 school year. His employment was ratified by the board at the July meeting on Thursday, July 16.

His wife, Jeanette, will be employed by the district as well. She will teach speech and theater arts at taxing entities involved have ap-Floydada High School.

Motion to approve the hiring of the pair was made by Jack Robertson and seconded by Bill Dean. All board members voted in favor of the motion.

Jimmy Crader was hired to be in charge of bus maintenance. Motion was made by Dean and seconded by Robertson. Voting in favor were Dean, Robertson, Charlene Brown, Steve Lloyd, Mitch Probasco, and Billy Joe Villarreal. Voting against was Amado Morales. Morales indicated that he felt enough in the position.

Kathy Holster will be transferring from Andrews Elementary School to Floydada Junior High when school begins this year. She will be teaching Math.

Other employees hired by the district include: Diane Gleghorn as an aide at Duncan Elementary, Doug Buckhorn for English at CCLC, Debra Fitzgerald as assistant girl's coach and to teach history at FHS, William Holt as speech therapist for the district, Mary Rose for home economics at CCLC, and Sherese Covington for 4th grade at R. C. Andrews.

Resignations were submitted by Lori Hoerman (Title I for 4th grade). Linda Reagan (computer literacy at Junior High), Dina Cowart (3rd grade), Aimee Maddux (coach and home economics at FHS), and Lanell Evans (business at CCLC). Motion to accept the resignations was made by Dean with a second by Brown and a unanimous vote followed.

Board member Morales asked Superintendent Jimmie Collins if all teachers in the system were certified now. Collins replied that all teachers were either certified or has an agreement with the state. He said no teacher was without credentialing.

Current tax collections now total \$1,755,656.07 according to Administrative Assistant Dick Van Hoose.

Floydada High School

Wednesday, August 5th

1:00-2:00: Sophomores

2:00-3:00: Freshmen

Tuesday, August 4th

1:00-2:00: Seniors

2:00-3:00: Juniors

Van Hoose also presented two bids concerning taxing entity owned property for board approval. Gloria Cavazos offered \$600.00 for two lots at 216 W. Virginia and George Romero offered \$200.00 for a lot in the 600 block of East California. Both were unanimously accepted on a motion by Morales with a second by Lloyd. Sales will not be final until all proved the bids.

Board members approved participation in a Region XVI technology network for planning, acquiring, and training related to video and teleconferencing equipment. The district will contribute \$2,500.00 in matching funds for the technological assistance. Motion for this was made by Brown and seconded by Dean. All voted in

The board will change the regular meeting night to the second Tuesday Crader might not be aggressive of each month beginning with the August session. Meetings will be held at this time until after football season is over. Voting in favor of the motion made by Morales and seconded by Villarreal were Morales, Villarreal, Probasco, Lloyd, Brown, and Dean. Robertson voted against the motion.

Van Hoose told board members that copies of the proposed budget will be passed out prior to the August session so budget discussions can be held at the regular meeting. Further discussions may necessitate a special called meeting if board members so desire according to Van Hoose.

Board members approved payment of monthly bills during the session. They also approved the minutes from the June 11 meeting with changes.

Collins reported to the board on the week long seminar all administrators attended in July. He said everyone learned a lot and brought back some great ideas and strategies for the coming year. He also said the Texas Education Agency (TEA) has rated all of the Floydada schools as acceptable and that a good year is planned for the entire district.

Attending the session were Collins, Van Hoose, Probasco, Lloyd, Robertson, Morales, Brown, Villarreal, Joe Christian, Rex Holcombe, David Hutton, Bob Campbell, Joe Stepp and the Hesperian-Beacon reporter.

Andrews Elementary

Monday, August 10th

Tuesday, August 4th

9:30-12:00: Pre-K

A.B. Duncan Elementary

2:00-4:00 p.m.



Military News



AIRMAN CHARLES J. CARR

Air Force Airman Charles J. Carr has graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio. During the six weeks of training, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization, and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an

associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Carr is the son of Charles M. and Ann W. Carr of Floydada. The airman is a 1996 graduate of Petersburg High

VEAL JOINS U.S. ARMY

Bradley J. Veal has joined the United States Army under the Delayed Entry Program at the U.S. Army Recruiting Station, Lubbock.

The program gives young men and women the opportunity to delay entering active duty for up to one year.

The enlistment gives the new soldier the option to learn a new skill, travel and become eligible to receive as much as \$40,000 toward a college education. After completion of basic training, soldiers receive advanced individual training in their career spe-

Veal, a 1998 graduate of Lockney High School, will report to Fort Knox, Radcliff, Kentucky, for basic training on August 6, 1998.

He is the son of Gary G. and Lavetta K. Veal of Lockney.

Lockney FHA delegates attend national leadership meeting

LOCKNEY-Melissa Schaeffer, Kenzie Stapp, and Leah Schumacher, students at Lockney High School, were among 300 Texas delegates attending the 1998 Future Homemakers of America National Leadership Meeting July 4-9 in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Also attending were FHA Advisors Julie Ellison and Charlotte

The delegates represented more than 27,000 members of the Texas Association. They were among 5,100 delegates from throughout the nation attending the four day conference.

The youth developed theme, "Unmask Your Potential." The theme was carried out as the members were encouraged to unmask the talents which

Ice cream social set for all Lockney bands and parents

All Lockney band students and parents are invited to an ice cream social Band Hall.

career options, addressing their communities needs, and focusing on family relations.

During general sessions, youth sessions, and group events, members were given the opportunity to learn how to unmask the potential within them- at the extension office. The meeting selves through active involvement in FHA/HERO programs, especially the new national program, Career Connec-

Activities included STAR Events, competitive events, motivational speakers, updates on national programs, election of the 1998-99 national officers, officer training and a themed celebration at the conclusion of the

a vocational student organization for home economics education students in junior and senior high schools. This the date set for all Longhorn athletes youth centered organization is the only to receive their physicals. vocational organization that has the family as its central focus and is an 12th grades and plans on participatat 7:00 p.m. Thursday July 30 at the integral part of the home economics ing in any athletic sport during the

LHS art classes exhibit at FNB of Floydada

The First National Bank of Floydada is proud to present art works from students at Lockney High School as the art exhibition for the month of July.

Art works on display include drawings, clay sculptures, fabric dying and batik along with paintings. Students with their work on display are Daniel Banda, Courtney Cummings, Adam Cummings, Jef-

Adam Balderas, Josh Quebe, Anthony Poole, Jeremy Stapp, Nicole Mosley, Eloisa Soliz, Callie Wilson, Katie Westfall, Noelia Balderas. Pedro Solorzano, Erin Schaeffer. Bobbie Mann, Andy Castro, and Jordan Lambert.

Lisa Mosley is the art teacher at Lockney High School.

Everyone is invited to come by and view the works on display until Friday, July 30.

frey Hunter, Wesley Hunter, Winds to begin practice in pursuit of victory

FLOYDADA -- Head Coach Tim Daughtrey has announced the practice schedule for Whirlwind football players as they begin the 1998 season. According to Daughtrey, the 'Winds have been picked by Dave Campbell's Texas Football to be the district winners so he is anticipating a winning season for the team.

Practices will begin August 5 at 7:00 a.m. Equipment will be issued at that time and practice will begin as soon as possible. The first four practices will be in shorts and helmets and two-a-days will be back to back.

The daily schedule for August 6th, 7th, 8th, 10th, 11th, and 12th will begin with a one hour and 45 minute practice session starting at 8:00 a.m.

second session will begin at 10:00 a.m. and last until 11:30. A weight lifting session will be next and will last about 45 minutes. Practice should be over by 1:00 each day.

Monday, August 10, the team will practice in full pads. Since this is the first work day for teachers, the schedule from the 10th thru the 12th is subject to change if conflicts arise.

The first day of school for students will be Thursday, August 13. Friday, August 14, will be the date of the annual Meet The Whirlwinds event. It is set for 6:30 p.m. An Intra-squad Scrimmage will follow.

Saturday, August 15, has been set aside as picture day. Individual and team photos will be made at the Football Stadium.

followed by a 30 minute break. The Floyd County 4-H council meets

By Lindsey Mathis

The meeting of the Floyd County 4-H Council was held July 17 at 10:30 was called to order by president Tyler

Several members gave reports over some of the summer activities including the library programs, camps, and many others. Then in new business we talked about things we are going to do during National 4-H Week which

The members of council will be saying public service announcements on the air. There will also be a coloring contest for the younger kids. The color pages will be judged and ribbons will be given.

The Floyd County 4-H Achievement Banquet will be held on Sunday, August 30 at the Lockney Cafeteria. This is the 90th Anniversary for Texas 4-H, so there will be a big celebra-

Then, several adult leaders helped with officer training.

Texas members developed a plan of action for the state and will implement Physicals set Come and Meet when returning to school in the fall. Future Homemakers of America is for Longhorns

LOCKNEY--Thursday, July 30 is

Any male who will be in the 7th -1998-99 school year needs to report to the football fieldhouse at 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 30th. Please come dressed in shorts and a t-shirt.

If you have any questions please contact Coach Kurt Ashmore at 652-

Lady Longhorns physicals will be set at a later date.

the Lockney **Coaching Staff**

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Friday, July 24 at 7:30 p.m. at the Fieldhouse

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1998 Lockney Longhorn **Football Schedule**

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REGISTRATION FOR FISD SCHOOLS

DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME
September 4	Friona	Here	7:30
September 11	Slaton	There	7:30
September 18	Tulia	There	7:30
September 25	Post	Here	7:30
October 2	Petersburg	Here	7:30
October 9	Abernathy	There	7:30
October 16	New Deal	Here	7:30
October 23	Ralls	There	7:30
October 30	Idalou	Here	7:30
November 6	Floydada	There	7:30

1998 Longhorn JV **Football Schedule**

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DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME
September 3	Friona	There	6:00
September 10	Slaton	Here	7:15
September 17	Tulia	Here	6:00
September 24	Post	There	6:00
October 1	Petersburg	There	7:30
October 8	Abernathy	Here	7:30
October 15	New Deal	There	7:30
October 22	Ralls	Here	7:30
October 29	Idalou	There	7:30
November 5	Floydada	Here	7:30

1998 Shorthorn Junior High **Football Schedule**

D. LIND	ODDONENT	LOCATION	TIME
DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	-
September 10	Slaton	Here	5:00/6:15
September 17	Tulia	There	5:00/6:15
September 24	Post	Here	5:00/6:15
October 1	Petersburg	There	5:00/6:15
October 8	Abernathy	Here	5:00/6:15
October 15	New Deal	There	5:00/6:15
October 22	Ralls	Here	5:00/6:15
October 29	Idalou	There	5:00/6:15
November 5	Flovdada	Here	5:00/6:15

VARSITY OPPONENT

DATE	OPPONENT	SHE	THVIE
Aug. 20	Petersburg-scrimmage	Here	7:30
Aug 27	Tahoka-scrimmage	Here	7:30
Sept. 4	Post	Here	7:30
Sept. 11	Cooper	There	7:30
Sept. 18	Shallowater	There	7:30
Sept. 25	Slaton	Here	7:30
Oct. 2	Roosevelt	There	7:30
Oct. 9	Ralls*	Here	7:30
Oct. 16	Abernathy*	There	7:30
Oct. 23	Idalou*	Here	7:30
Oct. 30	New Deal*	There	7:30
Nov. 6	Lockney*	Here	7:30
	* District G	ames	

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J. V. FUUI	DALL	
OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
Petersburg-scrimmage	Here	6:00
Tahoka-scrimmage	Here	6:00
Post	There	6:00
Cooper	Here	5:30/7:00
Shallowater	Here	6:00
Slaton	There	5:30/7:00
Roosevelt	Here	5:30/7:00
Ralls	There	7:30
Abernathy	Here	7:30
Idalou	There	7:30
New Deal	Here	7:30
Lockney *5:30 times will be 9th	There grade if pos	7:30 ssible
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7th & 8th GRADE BREEZERS

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	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
	Sept. 10	Cooper-scrimmage	There	5:30/7:00
	Sept. 17	Shallowater	There	5:00/6:15
	Sept. 24	Slaton	Here	5:00/6:15
	Oct.1	Roosevelt	There	5:30/7:00
	Oct. 8	Ralls	There	5:00/6:15
	Oct. 15	Abernathy	Here	5:00/6:15
	Oct. 22	Idalou	There	5:00/6:15
	Oct. 29	New Deal	Here	5:00/6:15
	Nov. 5	Lockney	There	5:00/6:15

It's Time for the Annual Little Cheerleading Clinic

WHEN: Monday, July 27 - Friday, July 31 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon WHERE: 3loydada High School AGES: 4 year olds to 6th graders COST: \$25.00 per person For more information please contact:

Tasha Rochelle at 983-3752 or Royanne Mercado at 983-2334 after 6:00 p.m.

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TDCJ gives \$13 million to local drug programs

Justice has approved more than \$13.5 million in grants to local probation ley. departments covering 109 counties, including many of the state's largest population centers, with substance abuse treatment programs as an alternative to sending nonviolent lawbreakers to prison.

The grants, administered by TDCJ's Community Justice Assistance Division, will be used by local community supervision and corrections departments to identify and assess substance-abusing offenders who would be better served by treatment than by incarceration in jail or prison. The programs target offenders who cannot afford private treatment and for whom no other programs are available; last year, 27,000 were treated, 86 percent of whom earned less than \$20,000 a year.

Floyd County will be one of 19 counties in the Scurry Program which will divide up \$292,710. Because some CSCD's manage more than one county the money is divided within the district they serve.

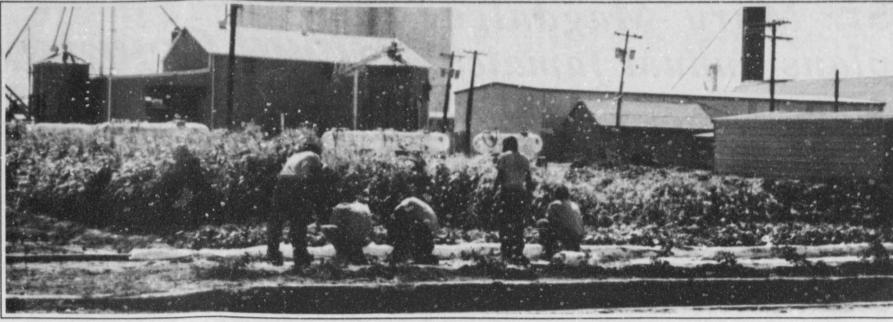
For instance, Floyd County's share courts.

The Texas Department of Criminal of the \$292,710 will then be divided up among Briscoe, Dickens and Mot-

> Also sharing in the Scurry Program award will be Scurry County, which includes Borden; Dawson County, including Gaines, Garza and Lynn; Haskell County, including Kent, Stonewall and Throckmorton; Jones County, including Shackelford; and Nolan County, including Fisher and

> Nearly 93 percent of the funds pay to screen, assess and treat offenders," said Allan B. Polunsky, chairman of the Texas Board of Criminal Justice. "These programs save lives, reduce drug-and alcohol-related crime and save prison beds for violent felons."

> TDCJ's Community Justice Assistance Division gives more than \$208 million annually to the state's 122 probation offices, known as community supervision and corrections departments, which serve the state's 254 counties. Some 400,000 offenders, both misdemeanor and felony lawbreakers, are currently on community supervision, placed there by the



HOW DOES YOUR GARDEN GROW -- Although the Parent Adolescent Center on South Wall Street in Floydada lost its roof to a storm two weeks ago, the garden across the street is looking pretty good. It is hoped Bruce Ballou, director of the center.

that daily work on the garden plot will yield a bumper crop of vegetables for the table at the PAC with a little left over to sell to the public says



BIG WINNER -- Kendall Cross, manager of Lowe's Pay-n-Save in Hart (left) and Roger Lowe Sr. of Lowe's Pay-n-Save corporate offices (right) present Esmeralda Martinez of Hart with a check for \$12,500.00 as first prize winner in the Kraft Customer Appreciation Sweepstakes.

-- Courtesy Photo

Hesperian name stems from Greek Mythology

Editors Note: Janice Lloyd impressed by the star Hesperus, the brought us an article which is a par- evening star in the west. tial reprint of the February 1958 issue of Texas Co-op Power magazine. Portions of the article are reprinted below.

Most Newspapers are rather prosaically named something like "News" or "Gazette" or "Herald."

But not the Newspaper in Floydada, it is named "The Floyd County Hesperian."

How did it come by such a name? The founder, Claude V. Hall, had been an only child and, having no playmates, had read much. He had been especially interested in the adventures of Ulysses, who in his wanderings was he first established it back in 1896.

Actually Hesperus is the planet now known as Venus, which moves in an orbit between that of Mercury and the earth. At its brightest Venus is far more brilliant than any fixed star.

The ancients of the time of Ulysses thought of it as two stars - Lucifer, the morning star, and Hesperus, the evening star.

Thus Hesperus, the evening star, was thought of as the beacon of the west, or the guiding light of the west. And that was the way that Claude Hall thought of his newspaper - as the guiding light of the west. So he named it The Floyd County Hesperian when

Shopper wins big money

Esmeralda Martinez was the top win-incentive for shopping our stores." ner in the Kraft Customer Appreciation Sweepstakes. As the winner, what she'll do with her winnings. For Martinez receives \$12,500.00 in prize now, she's put her money in the bank.

in Lackney), New Mexico, Colorado, Kansas and Oklahoma. Martinez registered in her hometown Lowe's/Pay-

The drawing was held at the Affiliated Foods corporate headquarters in Amarillo. Out of the thousands of people who entered, Martinez was one of just three lucky shoppers to take home a prize. The second-prize winner (\$5,000) is S.M. Galindo of Sheffield. Third prize (\$2,500) goes to Sharon McEwen of Eads, Colorado.

Lowe's Pay-n-Save owner, Roger Lowe, presented Martinez with her check. He says he's glad to be able to Shana for 4 years. They have two sons, age 2 years and 4 months. His give his customers one more reason to shop at Lowe's.

"There's nothing better than being vendors who stand behind their prod-

For one Hart resident, trips to uct, and it's nice when a big company Lowe's Pay-n-Save really paid off. like that gives our customers a unique

As for Martinez, she's not quite sure

Shoppers registered in any of 260 vately-held company which operates ing, and Leadership for Success. The stores in West Texas (including 45 grocery stores across West Texas Four Commitments are identified as Lowe's Pay-n-Save in Floydada and and New Mexico. The company is Connecting, Gambare (a Japanese

Floydada ISD administrators attend TTU summer seminar

Administrators from Floydada In- sist, to never give up until the job is 40 hour training session on the Junction Campus of Texas Tech University during the week of July 5-10. Accompanying Superintendent Jimmie Collins and Administrative Assistant Dick Van Hoose were Principals Joe Christian, Monty Hysinger, David Hutton, Bob Campbell, and T.W. Gaussoin as well as Technology Director Rex Holcombe.

The purpose of the week-long training session was to learn about the Four Cornerstones of Successful Schools and the Four Bedrock Commitments. These factors of successful schools were identified during a year-long field study by Dr. Charles Reavis, professor of Educational Leadership at Texas Tech University.

Six doctoral students from Texas Tech also attended the sessions at Junction and will be conducting follow-up studies during the 1998-99 school year. Information they gain will be conveyed back to principals to enhance implementation of the Four

Cornerstones and Four Commitments. The Four Cornerstones are identified as Capacity Building, Culture Lowe's Pay-n-Save, Inc. is a pri- Building for Success, Systems Thinkvord meaning to try your best, to per- the Floydada schools."

dependent School District attended a done and done well), Truth-Telling, and No Fault/No Blame.

During the coming year, those attending the summer seminar will be attending monthly luncheon-seminars to assist in implementing the programs. In addition to monthly sessions, the principals will participate in a 2x4 visitation program. Principals in pairs will alternate visiting and being visited two times every four weeks as the hosting principal engages in implementation of one of the Four Cornerstones.

Tapes will be made of these sessions and mailed to the doctoral students who will analyze the tapes and provide suggestions for improvement. The program is designed to aide in implementation of the Four Corner-

At the closing session, Dr. Reavis commended Superintendent Jimmie Collins on his strong commitment to the development of leadership in the Floydada principals. "I know of no program that comes anywhere close to providing the depth of training with implementation follow-up that this program provides," said Reavis. "The Floydada children will reap untold benefits as the principals become increasingly effective in activating the potential in each teacher and child in

Campbell is Duncan principal

Continued From Page 1 Campbell left to take on the job as

Duncan Elementary Principal. "Our main focus here at Duncan will be reading," said Campbell. "When a student leaves the 3rd grade here their readingwill be on or above grade level. I want to make every student successful."

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son as the 7-12th grade principal.

He has been married to his wife

Campbell believes elementary school is the cornerstone to the child's educational years. "We are the foundation for kids education," said Campbell. "If we don't turn them on they'll be lost in the future.

"I want our children to have favorable memories of their elementary school years."

Local auctioneer Tim Assiter vies for international championship title

nalist among 106 competitors from the field was weeded down and final- Assiter said "I am real proud of junction with NAA's National Con- bid-calling and interview scores. at the convention, held July 14-18 in State Champion Auctioneer. Oklahoma City.

tense. Entrants first participated in a in Waco, June 19, 1998. That contest champion. The bid-calling was carried preliminary round of bid-calling in was decided by 2 points for the top live over the Internet and sound bites front of their peers and the media. At three winners. All three State Winners will soon be available

Tim Assiter of Floydada, was a fi- the conclusion of the preliminaries, competed in Oklahoma City.

across the United States and Canada ists were selected based upon their Mike Jones. This is his 5th competiat the 1998 International Auctioneer scores. Finalists were interviewed by tion at NAA. This is my first National Championship contest in Oklahoma the seven contest judges before par- or International Contest and I felt very City, Oklahoma. Sponsored by the ticipating in a final round of bid-call- lucky to be a finalist. I heard some of National Auctioneers Association ing on the evening of July 15. The the best automobile, livestock, to-(NAA), the contest was held in con- winner was determined by combining bacco, and public auctioneers, from around the country."

vention. More than 1,200 auctioneers Overall winner of the contest was The contest is held to spotlight the and their families were in attendance Mike Jones of Dallas, a former Texas advantages of the Auction Method of Marketing. The winner acts as a good-Assiter was 2nd Runner up in the will ambassador for the auction pro-The contest was lengthy and in- Texas State Auctioneers Contest held fession during his or her tenure as

Hutton was at Wilson for three years "Everyone should expect this to be before being hired as the new R.C. the best year they have ever had," said able to give back to our community," Andrews principal. Hutton. "We are all anxious to get Lowe said. "Kraft is just one of many busy and we are shooting for success."

wife's job is at home.

David Hutton is R.C.A. principal

USDA grant for disabled announced July 7 to help the hundreds of Texas to be productive and independent." farmers and ranchers who are disabled nation's most hazardous industry -agriculture. The Warm Springs Rehabilitation Foundation and the Texas of the Texas A&M University System, have received a USDA grant to bring the National AgrAbility Project to Texas for the first time, to assist people with disabilities employed in agricul-

"Farming and ranching are among the nation's most hazardous occupations," said Bill Winscott, Director of the Warm Springs Resource Center. "Nationally, about 120,000 agricultural employees are disabled as the result of work injuries. We are excited about being part of bringing this program to Texas."

When the thousands of farmers and ranchers disabled by other non-work related injuries, health conditions and aging are added to the agricultural injuries, a total of about 500,000 farmers and ranchers nationally have physical disabilities that interfere with their work. Yet, because of rural isolation, a tradition of self-reliance and gaps in rural service delivery systems, farmers and ranchers often cannot take advantage of modified farming operations, adapted equipment and assistive technology to continue to earn their livelihoods in agriculture and participate fully in rural community life.

"Warm Springs will provide the nonprofit disability service organization component of the project in Texas," said Bryan Shaw, project director for Texas A&M University.

cal education and assistance to help tional Easter Seal Society, the program

A new program was announced Texas farmers and ranchers continue has more than 50 disability resources,

each year as a result of working in the be the initial focus of the project in and ranchers with disabilities. Texas, but it will be expanded to all 12 TAEX regions.

"Texas has more farms and ranches Agricultural Extension Service, part than any other state," said Rick Perry, 3,000 farmers, ranchers and agricul-Texas Commissioner of Agriculture. tural workers with disabilities; "The AgrAbility Project can make a real difference in the productivity and tural, rehabilitation, and health profesquality of life for Texans and for our state's overall economic health."

There are currently 23 states with USDA funded AgrAbility projects including Texas which is one of the four states added to the program this year. The Warm Springs Resource Center, providing expertise in disability issues, will work with Texas A&M University, County Extension Agents, rural professionals and volunteers to identify and refer farmers and ranchtechnical assistance on adapting and using farm equipment and tools and on modifying operations and build-

The Resource Center will also help disseminate educational information to prevent injuries and disabilities and assist with nationally-coordinated training, technical assistance and in- San Antonio, as well as via formation dissemination to support various program activities.

Recruitment and training for the AgrAbility Project in South Texas is scheduled to begin in August.

While it will be new to Texas, the AgrAbility National Training Program was established in 1991 and provides nationally-coordinated training. technical assistance and information exchange. Carried out cooperatively "Linking with our extension ser-vice, they will help us provide practi-Ground Resource Center and the Naby Purdue University's Breaking New

manuals and publications available to The 25 counties of South Texas will promote independence for farmers

> On a national level, AgrAbility Project achievements to date include: *Direct on-site assistance to nearly

> *Training nearly 41,000 agriculsionals on safely accommodating dis-

> ability in agriculture; *Recruiting and training more than 800 volunteers to assist agricultural producers with disabilities and their

> *Outreach to nearly 2.8 million people through exhibits and demonstrations to increase awareness of resources available to people with disabilities working in agriculture.

The Warm Springs Resource Ceners with disabilities, provide on-site ter for People with Disabilities is a program of the Warm Springs Rehabilitation Foundation, a 501(c)(3) health care provider. The Warm Springs Resource Center provides assistance to people with disabilities, offering assistive variety of service agencies. Access is provided through personal consultation at the center in telephone, teleconferencing and comprehensive website www.warmsprings.org/WSRC/ AgrAbility/index.html.

For more information on the AgrAbility Project, contact Bill Winscott, Warm Springs Resource Center Director, at 210/616-0526.

Have a Great Week!

CHILD AND ADULT CARE FOOD PROGRAM

Floyd County Day Care today announced its policy for free and reduced-priced meals served under the Child and Adult Care Food Program. Floyd County Day Care has a copy of the policy, which anyone may review. The following household size and income criteria will be used to

INCOME STANDARDS FOR DETERMINING CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY

FAMILY SIZE	HOUSEHOLD INCOMES/INGRESOS DE LA CASA			
PERSONAS EN	ANNUAL INCOME INGRESOS ANUALES	MONTHLY INCOME INGRESOS MENSUALES	WEEKLY INCOME INGRESOS SEMANALES	
1	\$14,893	\$1,242	\$287	
,	20,073	1,673	387	
3	25,253	2,105	486	
4	30,433	2,537	586	
5	35,613	2,968	685	
6	40,793	3,400	785	
7	45,973	3,832	885	
8	51,153	4,263	984	
FOR EACH ADDITIONAL FAMILY MEMBER ADD: PARA CADA PERSONA	\$5,180	\$432	\$100	

'Children from households whose income is at or below the levels shown are eligible for free or reduced price meals.

'Application forms and a letter to parents or guardians are being sent to all homes. To apply for free or reduced price meals, households should fill out the application and return it to the contractor. Additional copies are available at the contractor's office. The information provided on the application will be used to determine eligibility; it may be verified any time during the contract year by the contractor

Households must provide the following information on the application: all household members names; the Social Security number of the head of the household (or other responsible adult); and all household members' income by source; OR the household's food stamp or AFDC case number, if appropriate; and the signature of an adult household member certifying that the information is correct. 'Application may be submitted any time of the year.

"According to the free and reduced-price policy, Carrie Davis will review applications and determine eligibility. Parents or guardians dissatisfied with the ruling of the official may discuss the decision with Ms. Davis. Parents may request a formal appeal either orally or in writing by contacting: Carrie Davis, 901 West Crockett, Floydada, Texas 79235, Phone 806-983-3565.

"Households must report increases over \$50.00 per month or \$600.00 per year in household income and decreases in household size. I a household member becomes unemployed or if the household size increases, the household should contact the contractor. These change may qualify children for reduced price meals or for free meals if the household's income falls to or below the levels shown above. AFDC/Food Stamp households must report termination of benefits. "Some foster children are also eligible for free or reduced price meals. A household with foster children should contact the contractor

"The information that households provide is confidential and will be used only to determine eligibility and verifying data.

"In the child nutrition programs administered by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, no child will be discriminated against because of race, color, sex, national origin, age, religion, political belief, or disability. If you believe you have been discriminated against, write mmediately to: The Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. 20250."

St. Mary Magdalen plans annual Jamaica

By Jennifer Ann Hernandez

FLOYDADA -- St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church will be holding their annual Jamaica Sunday, July 26, at the Courthouse Square. The festivities get underway about 9:00 in the morning All proceeds will be donated to the parish for to help meet expenses.

The goal of this year's Jamaica is to promote fellowship between friends and family in Floydada and the surrounding communities.

Authentic Mexican food will be the highlight of the day. Booths will be selling fajitas, tacos, tripas, chalupas, and burritos, along with all the trimmings. Hamburgers will also be available. There will be cotton candy andsnow cones to keep you cool. The Coca Cola trailer will also be available to quench everyone's thirst.

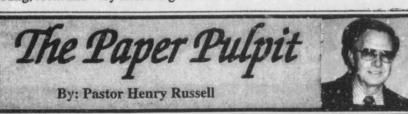
The Spanish Mariache Dancers will be performing. The group is made up of young, local and very talented girls

trained in both the traditional and modern dances. An Elvis impersonator, a Selena impersonator and a DJ will also be providing entertainment.

Other activities include a miniature golf game, a dunking booth, cake walk, garage sale, Lotteria, face painting, a clown, water ballons and a fishing booth with prizes for each cast. Donations are currently being sought for the Lotteria and for the garage sale. Call Ellen Enriquez at 983-6553 or 983-6310 if you wish to make a do-

A silent auction is also planned with one of the featured items being an exquisite chalk drawing donated by Father John Olig. The drawing features the Virgin Mary and Baby Jesus and is extraordinary in detail and work-

Cargill has donated the use of tents to provide some relief from the sun or protect from the weather.



"HELP!"

What kind of a world would this be, if we obeyed just a little bit of the command of Jesus when He said, "Love thy neighbor as thyself?"

There was a fire in a big city, and the firemen flung their ladders together, and went in brave fashion to rescue the people in peril. One after another was rescued by the brave firemen. All had been rescued it seemed. No! Yonder is a face in that upper window. They wrapped something about one of the firemen, and facing the fierce flames he went to that window, put a robe around the little woman and started down.

Just then they saw him tremble as the fire raged around him, and it seemed that he would fall with this precious burden. But the Fire Chief cried, ""CHEER HIM BOYS! CHEER HIM BOYS!" And as they cheered him...cheer after cheer...the heart came back, he came down, and with the precious life saved!

We are to give our lives cheering a needy world. How much better even the athlete can do as his fiends cheer. How much easier for the sick one to survive when someone cheers them. Time and again, Jesus said, "Be of good cheer..!" How much easier for one that is going through a struggle in life, if just someone will cheer them on!

Ponder these words from the Bible: "They helped everyone his neighbor; and everyone said to his brother, be of good courage." (Isaiah 41:6)



HOW TO KEEP FROM TICKING PEOPLE OFF By Ron Trusler

some people just do not know how to get along with others. Regardless of their efforts they offend someone. Not everyone is going to like you. There will be some who do not think the sun rose and set on you. However, there are general things you can do that will along with most people.

*Focus your attention on them, their interests. Ask genuine questions about them. Be real. Don't demand to be the center of attention.

*Learn to really listen. Others can tell if you are not listening. There are few good listeners. Most are anxious to talk about themselves.

press people. A person who wants to let others know how important they are (at least in their own mind) tend to mention important people they've talked to or know (this is called name

It doesn't take long to realize that dropping). Also, they are anxious to let others know what titles they have. This does not help when trying to get others to like you.

*Let others have their way. Don't always push your ideas or opinions. No one likes a know-it-all or a bully.

*Learn to brag to others. Be genugive you a better chance of getting ine and don't over-do-it. If you do you'll be thought of as a "suck-up" or "brown-noser."

*Mind your manners. Be courteous. Be polite. Be thoughtful and considerate of others. That will get you a lot

You can be good at your job and do OK. However, if you can add the ability to get along with others, you will *Be careful of your attempts to im- come closer to keeping your job longer. Besides, it will be a more pleasant place to work.

(Ron Trusler is Executive Director of Central Plains MHMR and Substance Abuse Center. He may be reached at 806-293-2636.)



Alzheimers Support Group

July 23 at 6:00 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Floydada Dr. David Freed will be group leader Sponsored by Floydada Rehab & Care Center

LOCKNEY YOUTH MEETING

July 31-August 2, 1998



Friday, July 31 5:00 p.m. Registration 6:00 p.m. Evening Meal 7:00 p.m. Service: Freddie Saturday, August 1 Freddie Anderson

11:45 a.m. Lunch p.m. Bowling 5:30 p.m. Evening Meal 7:30 p.m. Outside Service (Ronnie Aston's)

Sunday, August 2 10:30 a.m. Service: Freddie 12:00 p.m. Pot Luck Meal 2:00 p.m. Service: Freddie

(God's will no matter what the cost!)

Speakers & Leaders

Freddie Anderson -- Clay Johnson -- Jared Mosley

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Ladies Bible Class..... 9:30 a.m.

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G.A.'s 7:30 p.m.

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Fellowship Luncheon -

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sion Friends, Team Kid, Bible Drill, Youth Choir, Senior Adult Choir, Deacon & Wives Leadership Study, John Williams, Pastor and Adult Bible Study ... 4:45 p.m. Sunday School 10:06 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Monday Worship 11:00 a.m. Celestial Ringers 7:00 p.m. Evening Service 7:30 p.m. Wednesday: Tuesday: Children's Choir 4:00 p.m. Prayer Service 8:00 p.m. Study Hall 5:15 p.m. Wednesday Service.... 7:30 p.m. Evening Meal 5:45 p.m. Prayer Time (All Ages) . . . 6:30 p.m. **IGLESIA DEL REY JESUS** Nursery, Preschool Choir, RA's, 404 E. 6th St., Lockney

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Study, Adult Bible Study. . 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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Michael Holster

Music/Adm./Sr. Adults

Les Reed, Interim Youth Dir.

Instrumental Ensemble . . 8:30 a.m.

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m

Discipleship Training, Nursery, Mis-

Sunday:

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. Pre-School Choir 7:00 p.m. Adult Choir 8:00 p.m. 3rd Saturdays: Men's Breakfast 7:00 a.m.

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FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Lockney

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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

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Washington and 1st St. 652-2181 Lockney Gabriel W. Ortiz, Pastor Olga L. Martinez, Youth Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship. 5:00 p.m.

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TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA Rev. Herman Martinez 308 W. Tennessee, Floydada Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Prayer Service 2:00 p.m. Evening Worship. 5:00 p.m.

Evening Service 7:30 p.m. Thursday Service 7:30 p.m. **TEMPLO PODER DE LA ALABANZA**

PENTECOSTES Rev. Manuel Rendon, Pastor 704 N. Main, Lockney 652-3704 Sunday Services 10:00 a.m.

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Thornberry and Combest introduce drought legislation Plan would make over \$5 billion September - as part of the Agriculture Farm Financial Relief Act is sup-

available to farmers on October 1st of this year

On July 17, U.S. Rep. Mac Thornberry (TX-13) joined Congressman Larry Combest and House Agriculture Committee Chairman Bob Smith (OR-2) in introducing legislation that will provide farmers with some relief from the drought by making \$5.5 billion dollars available to them on October 1, 1998.

"I think we're finally getting through in convincing people how serious the situation is," Thornberry stated. "Unfortunately, some in Washington have tried to play political games with this crisis. That is wrong. Both Congress and the Administration need to work together to do what's right. Hopefully, this plan will be the first step in doing that."

The bill is called The Emergency Farm Financial Relief Act. According to Thornberry, the plan would make \$5.5 billion dollars available to farmers as much as one year early to help them cope with the cash shortage they are now experiencing due to the drought. Farmers currently receive contract payments twice a year -- in December or January and again in

Market Transition Act (AMTA). The ported by the other members of Con-Emergency Farm Financial Relief Act gress whose states have been hard hit would change that by letting farmers by the drought. The plan is also supcollect their 1999 payment in one ported by the Speaker of the House, lump sum as early as this October 1, who has already indicated he will hold which is also the beginning of the next a vote on the bill next week in the fiscal year. For example, a 1,000-acre House of Representatives. wheat farm with a 30 bushel AMTA The bill was announced at a news payment yield would have the option conference in the U.S. Capitol. In adof getting the entire \$19,000 payment dition to announcing the legislation, in October 1998, rather than waiting the lawmakers also called upon the three months to get half of the AMTA Clinton Administration to fully utilize payment (in this case, \$9,500), and a the Export Enhancement Administrafull 12 months to get the remaining tion (EEP), a program designed to

"In effect," Thornberry said, "what this plan will do is provide farmers noted that the 1996 Farm Bill prowith an interest-free cash loan of up vided over \$1.5 billion for the EEP to a year. Clearly, it's not everything program, but that the Administration we need. But it is a good start, and has thus far used virtually none of something that gets money in farm- these funds. ers' pockets sooner than other proposals being discussed."

Thornberry noted that the advance payment is not mandatory, and that farmers would have the option of deciding based on their own personal circumstances whether they wanted to receive it or not. In addition to Thornberry, Combest and House Agriculture Chairman Smith, The Emergency

help open up foreign markets for U.S. agricultural products. Thornberry

Last month, Thornberry introduced a resolution calling on the Agriculture Secretary to provide "timely assistance" to farmers and ranchers in Texas and other drought-stricken states. He added that he is also working with lawmakers from other agricultural districts around the country on additional drought relief measures that will be announced soon.

Floyd County Farm News

Victory declared for producers

livestock producers, the National Farmers Union recently hailed Senate passage on Wednesday of Legislation that will require price reporting in the livestock industry. The legislation was adopted as an amendment to the fiscal year 1999 agriculture ap-

propriations bill. NFU has long called for mandatory price reporting on all livestock sales. Just last month, NFU President Leland Swenson testified before the Senate Agriculture, Nutrition and forestry Committee on concentration in the livestock industry. The farm leader recommended that Congress enact legislation to require price reporting.

This is a real victory for livestock producers," Texas Farmers Union President Wes Sims said, stating that "For too long, producers have been at the mercy of packers who called low prices an inevitable outcome of the

Emergency

working with people to assist with

stocking rate recommendations, graz-

grazing management. Most of the

people who take advantage of this pro-

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time to recover their vigor and develop

seed is critical for future productiv-

ity. Controlled grazing is also benefi-

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the buyer rules and the seller gets a low price. That is by no means a fair, free or competitive market."

"This legislation will help ensure sellers get the information they need to make a sound market decision and a fair price," Sims said.

a pilot basis. Provides the U.S. Department of Agriculture authority to design and administer a three year pilot testing program to test the impact of mandatory reporting of live cattle and boxed beef on the public market

*Prohibition of non-competitive practices. Requires the secretary of agriculture, after consultation with affected parties, to define and prohibit noncompetitive practices.

*Protection of livestock producers against retaliation by buyers. of live animals.

Declaring victory for the nation's market. Without price transparency, Establishes civil penalties for packers or buyers who retaliate against producers for public comments regarding industry practices.

> *Review of federal agricultural credit policies. Requires the president to study federal lending practices to determine: 1) if the practices have *Mandatory market reporting on contributed or are contributing to packer concentration: and 2) if the practices are adequate to address the cyclical nature of modern livestock production.

In the current industry structure, more than 80 percent of red meat processing nationwide is controlled by just four multinational firms. Less than two decades ago, the same three corporations handles only 40 percent of all U.S. beef processing. Also, consumer prices have remained constant despite precipitous drops in the prices

Governor requests drought declaration

ing the federal government to grant disaster status to an additional 176 counties, including Floyd and surrounding counties, stricken by drought. If the U.S. Department of statewide. "I'm asking the federal gov-Agriculture grants the Governor's re- ernment to expedite the declaration for quest, all 254 Texas counties will be all Texas counties because Texas

In a letter to U.S. Secretary of Ag- nor Bush said. riculture Dan Glickman, Governor tions. If the request is granted, Texas six counties are pending.

Governor George W. Bush is ask-farmers and ranchers will be eligible for emergency loans to cover losses suffered under the drought. The Texas Agriculture Extension Service estimates total losses will be \$1.5 billion under a drought disaster declaration. needs immediate assistance," Gover-

As of today, two Texas counties, Bush describes the economic emer- Terrell and Glassock, have been desgency caused by above normal tem- ignated disaster areas by the federal peratures and severe drought condi- government. Requests from seventy-

The Governor is also concerned about the risk of fire and the ability of volunteer firefighters to do their jobs. He has written to the heads of each state agency, urging them to grant paid leave to volunteer firefighters who respond to rural emergencies. "I encourage all agencies to support their personnel who take on this vital community service role," Bush said. to protect the lives and property of all Texans." Approximately 40,000 volunteers serve as the primary fire fight-

their own livestock. However, some of the participants are leasing acreage to other producers. The nature of the leases vary. Some are leasing to their neighbors at cost and others are charging for the grazing on a per-head per-month ba-"Their response to ongoing fires helps sis This has been a good program all the way around for livestock producers. In addition to providing low-cost ing force for rural Texas. emergency forage, grazing the CRP is giving ranchers an opportunity to rest their rangeland pastures. Allow-

additional seedling development over the long-term. The fact is, grazing ing schedules, and other aspects of older crop field will increase plant vigor and rejuvenate the established stand that may be a little decadent gram are owner/operators who are utiform lack of grazing, burning, etc. USDA-NRCS employees have been kept busy this year helping producers realize the benefits of CRP grazing and how to avoid the pitfalls

of overgrazing. These grazing plans may include a recommended number of livestock to graze in a given field over a prescribed period. The rain that has been received has resulted in good growth in many fields. USDA-NRCS is now focusing on assisting producers to maintain adequate grazing heights on their important forage grasses. The amount of forage available has been increased by pulling livestock for a time and allowing CRP fields to recover before another graz-

Grazing plans are being written to cial for the CRP fields. Most of the address the Emergency Grazing Prograsses established under CRP are visions. At least 25 percent of the grass well adapted to grazing. A grazing in a CRP field must be maintained for cycle or two will remove thatch, in- wildlife cover. The recommended pro-

CRP grazing allowed crease tillering, and even allow for cedure is to fence off 25 percent of the field which will remain ungrazed. As an alternative, the entire field may be grazed if the stocking rate is reduced by 25 percent and/or the minimum stubble height is increased proportionately to leave the required cover.

> For more information on USDA programs that allow emergency haying or grazing of CRP lands, please contact your local USDA-NRCS office, or call the USDA-NRCS Texas State Office in Temple at 254-742-9800.



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FLOYD COUNTY PEST REPORT

By Ron Graves **Extension Agent-IPM** Crosby/Floyd Counties

CURRENT SITUATION Scattered showers continued last Wednesday through Friday. Several small areas received some much needed rainfall, but good general rains will be needed to finish this year's crop. The good news is that the heat continues to aid in insect pest population control.

Cotton bollworm egg lays remain highly variable with numbers ranging from less than 1,000 to just over 20,000 per acre in program fields. The highest infestation detected this week was just under 8,000 small larvae per acre. At this time few fields have been treated, but nickel and dime infestafield continues to receive low to moderate numbers, then base treatment on square and boll damage. I would not let combined damage over time exceed 20%. One good note concerning worms is that our tobacco budworm moth traps have captured very few budworms in the past 2 weeks. If you recall, budworms are resistant to pyrethroids.

Boll weevil trap captures have steadily declined over the past 3 weeks which is normal for this time of year. Weevils are more attracted to their natural food (cotton) and are less inclined to feed upon plastic.

At this time feeding activity in most fields remains light. Keep in mind that if you use a pyrethroid to treat bollworm infestations, you will also re-

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Please continue to inspect at least 100 festations of fall armyworms in some 1/3-grown squares (small bolls in corn fields. older cotton) per field each week. Beet Armyworms (BAW) continue

to cause problems in several fields. Sub-economic levels have persisted since early June but have remained in check due to beneficials, heat, and small plant size. These sub-economic levels do cause concern when making decisions to treat for bollworm and/or boll weevil. Most pesticides do not control BAW and removing beneficials increases the chance of BAW larvae survival. During the past 2 weeks several fields have reached economic levels and were treated. Thus far in program fields treated for BAW and based on conversation with growers and consultants, each field tion are beginning to add up. If your treated had one thing in common, skippy plant stands. For some reason this pest thrives on poor stands and drought conditions.

Cotton aphids have been present at sub-economic levels all season but have yet to cause much concern. We generally see problems begin around the first of August and continue until early September. Keep aphids in mind if you choose to treat sub-economic worm or weevil populations.

CORN Banks grass mites can be found in most fields. Fields which have missed recent heavy rainfall may continue to see an increase in population.

Southwestern corn borer (SWCB) traps are beginning to capture increasing numbers of adult moths. Traps between Aiken and Providence captured from 631 to 978 moths per trap over the past 7 days. Infestations detected at this time have been less than 8% of the plants. The treatment threshold is when 20 to 25% of the plants are infested with eggs or small larvae. We generally see a peak in 2nd generation SWCB around the first week in August.

Fall Armyworm: I have received

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move adult boll weevils from the field. some reports of moderate to high in-

PEANUTS

Peanuts are slowly progressing in the absence of adequate moisture. Those that received good rainfall from our widely scattered showers are progressing quite well. As a whole the fields I have inspected in Crosby and Floyd counties are 10-14 days behind on pod development. This may affect yields and quality if we have cool weather this fall. At this time I have detected no disease problems of great concern.

SCOUT SAFETY

Please contact me or the scouts if you have recently sprayed an insecticide in a program field.



A Glance At The **MARKETS**

Closing Commodity Prices:
COTTON Dec 72.61
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Peanuts Heavy insect problems continue to swarm many peanut growers this season. Insect damage signifi-

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particularly in plants that were stressed by the cold, wet spring. The most damaging pests include Southern corn rootworm,

yield potential,

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corn earworm, tobacco budworm and cutworm. Scout fields regularly to determine pest problems. If populations reach more than six to eight worms per row foot, significant economic loss occurs.

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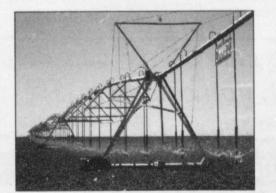
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Obituaries

FRANCES E. CANTRELL

Services for Frances E. Cantrell, 88, of Georgetown were held at 2:00 p.m. 96, of Plainview were held at 10:00 Sunday, July 19, 1998, at the Gabriels a.m. Wednesday, July 22, 1998 in the Funeral Chapel, with Dr. David D. Wood-Dunning Colonial Chapel. 1998. Edwards officiating. Graveside ser- Reverend David C. Muellar, interim vices were at 11:00 a.m. Monday, July minister at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 20, at Prairie View Cemetery in officiated. Aransas Pass with Reverend James Thompson, officiating.

Arrangements were by the Gabriels Funeral Chapel in Georgetown.

Georgetown.

Cantrell was born August 9, 1909 in Floydada, to John and Hattie tember 28, 1901 in Burlington, in (Allmon) Cash. She married Edward Milam County. She moved to Briscoe Joseph Cantrell on January 7, 1925 in County in 1929 and farmed. She Floydada. Cantrell and her husband resided in Floydada for 62 years in 1933 and then to Plainview in 1979. where they owned and operated a Georgetown in 1978.

She was preceded in death by her ceding her in death were two sons; Billy Joe and Floyd Keith Cantrell.

She is survived by two daughters; Dorothy June Chambers and her husband Floyd of Georgetown, Carol Harrison and her husband Wendell of Portland. Two sons; Jack Cantrell and his wife Dene of Colleyville, and Quinlan. A sister; Audra Covington of Mooney of Big Lake, Warren Heith Springfield, Missouri. Eleven grandchildren, twenty-one great-grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Honorary pallbearers were Eddie, Mark, Mike, Phillip, Dusty, Stevie Cantrell, Randy Harrison and Tom Reynolds.

The family suggests contributions to the Main Street Baptist Church Georgetown, Tx. 78626.

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and water levels in rivers, lakes, ponds

and streams go down, the potential for

"You can look at the problems as-

sociated with swimming in fresh wa-

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Texas Department of Health (TDH).

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During drought and high tempera-

American Cancer Society -

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is caused by a common microorgan- cilities.

face water and all types of soil. It is to avoid infection:

meningoencephalitis.'

health problems grows.

BERTHA KELM

Funeral services for Bertha Kelm,

Burial was in the Plainview Memorial Park under the direction of Wood-Dunning Funeral Home.

Mrs. Kelm died Monday, July 20, She died Thursday, July 16th in 1998 in Integrated Health Services

> Heritage Home. She was born Bertha Algner on Sepmoved to the Providence Community

She was a member of the Trinity mom and pop grocery store retiring Lutheran Church in Providence and in 1969. In 1971 they moved to later a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Aransas Pass. Cantrell moved to Church in Plainview. She was a mem-

ber of the Ladies Aid in Providence. On October 23, 1923, she married husband of 51 years in 1976, also pre- Albert Theodore Kelm in Burlington. He died on July 7, 1986.

Survivors include two sons and daughter-in-laws, Melvin and Wanda Kelm and Donald and Loretta Kelm, all of Plainview; a sister, Eleanora Schuetze of Temple; six grandchildren, Ricky, James and Jerry Kelm, Walter Cantrell and his wife Sandy of Sr., all of Plainview, LaDonna Kelm of Albuquerque and Julie Lenart of San Angelo; and seven great-grand-

The family suggests memorials be made to Meals on Wheels.

JAMES V. MARTIN

Funeral services for James Vester "Jim" Martin, 70, were held on Thursday, July 16, 1998 at 10:00 a.m. in the Sixth Avenue Church of Christ in Can-Building Fund, 1001 S. Main St., yon with Howard Morris and Randy Morris officiating.

Texas Department of Health urges swimmers

to be cautious in rivers, lakes, stagnant water

signs of rain drops coming, more and bacteria in the warm water. The or- pools when possible.

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miology and Surveillance Division at is rare, affecting only about one per-

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or underwater swimming -- and in-

fects the brain. Although the infection

son per year, for those infected death

toms of the infection include severe

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TDH offers these recommendations

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jumping into water.

maintained and treated with chlorine

temperatures below 40 degrees F.

Burial was in the Dreamland Cemetery with military honors. Arrangements were by Holley Funeral Home. Mr. Martin died Tuesday, July 14.

He was born in Turkey where he attended school. He graduated from Lockney High School in 1946 and worked for Phillips Petroleum Co.

During the Korean War he served with a Marine rifle squad as leader and was awarded the Purple Heart.

He moved to Canyon in 1962 and was an advertising salesman for The Canyon News. In 1970, he began operating service stations and operated Jim's Gulf Stations for several years at two different locations.

On June 11, 1952, he married Carla Daricek in Maple.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Tammy Jane Wilson of Amarillo, Marla Kay Barclay of Tulia and Cristie Moorehouse of Hereford; a brother, Troy Martin of Canyon; and eight grandchildren.

CURTIS ROBINSON

Services for Curtis Robinson, 38, of Lubbock will be at 11:00 a.m., Thursday, July 23, 1998 at 20th Birch Church of Christ with Rev. Dennis Bell officiating.

Burial will be in Peaceful Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Ossie Curry Funeral Home.

Robinson died July 20, 1998 at University Medical Center in Lub-

He was born August 3, 1959 in Floydada. He married Pamela Patton on July 10, 1990 in Lubbock.

Survivors include his wife, and two children: Crystal Robinson and Angela Patton; his parents, C.L. and Iretha Robinson of Floydada; three sisters: Nancy, Doris, and Sandra Robinson all of Floydada; one brother: Clint Robinson of Odessa; and one nephew: Justin Robinson.

*Keep wading pools clean and

*Wash open skin cuts and scrapes

*Avoid swallowing water when

*Use ear plugs, swim goggles or

To help keep potential sources of

*Take young children to the

*Children who are not toilet trained

should wear a swimsuit or rubber

pants over diapers designed to prevent

Perdue said that even more com-

mon dangers associated with lakes and

rivers include injuries from diving into

waters that hide rocks and debris or

alcohol or drugs and leaving children

From Baylor College of Medicine

Children are more at risk of being

exposed to high levels of ground-level

ozone during the summer than adults.

good, one bad. Ground-level ozone,

or bad ozone, is an oxidant formed by

either exhaust from petrochemical

plants or automobiles and can dam-

age body tissue. Stratospheric ozone,

or good ozone, is 10 to 15 miles away

from the earth's surface and prevents

ultraviolet light from penetrating

"Children have a growing respira-

tory tract, and breathe in more air per

pound of body weight than adults, so

we tend to see a drop in lung function

in children," said Dr. Nick Hanania,

There are two types of ozone, one

leaks. Check diapers frequently.

infection out of recreational water:

*Shower before swimming.

restroom frequently.

masks if you tend to get ear or eye

change the water daily.

swimming.

water. Take "No Swimming" signs into waters that are to shallow, using

unattended.

with clean water and soap.

2:00 - 3:00 Freshmen

register on Thursday, August 6th at 1:00 p.m.

ANDREWS ELEMENTARY

R.C. Andrews Elementary registration will be held Monday, August 10th from 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. School packets will be given to each student at that time.

PRE-REGISTRATION

Pre-registration for students for 1998-99 school year will be Tuesday, August 4, 1998 at A.B. Duncan from 9:30 to 12:00. This is for Pre-K. Must be 4 on or before September I, 1998. Please bring birth certificate, immunization record and social security card. There will be a immunization clinic here at this time. \$8.00 per shot. All students enrolling into pre-kindergarten for the 98-99 school year are required to have the Hepatetis B scries before entering into school. For more information please call 983-

If you are new or have not registered at Duncan, you can register anytime starting August 5, 1998. Office will be open each day 8:00 a.m. -12:00 Noon and 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

BLOOD PRESSURE AND GLUCOSE TESTING

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

Children are at high risk of exposure to levels of ozone

We would like to express our thanks to everyone for your calls, visits, memorials, flowers and prayers during the loss of our Mom and Grandmother, Ruby Holcomb. We are so grateful to Dr. Ahmad and the staff and volun-

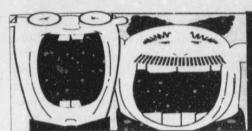
teers at the Floydada Rehab and Care Center for your continued care and affection for Mom for so many years.

To our Hospice friends, we extend our deepest gratitude for the love and care that made her last weeks easier. A special thanks to our friends who attended the service at Roaring Springs.

> God Bless, The Family of Ruby Holcomb

To all my friends in Floydada and other towns a special thanks for all the cards, calls, visits and food brought to me. Thanks especially for the prayers. I'm home and getting around pretty good. It is really nice to live in a town like Floydada.

> Thanks again, Wilma Payne



FLOYDADA HIGH SCHOOL REGISTRATION

Floydada High School registration will be August 4th and August 5th. Students should pickup their class schedules according to the schedule

> Tuesday, August 4th 1:00 - 2:00 Seniors 2:00 - 3:00 Juniors

Wednesday, August 5th 1:00 - 2:00 Sophomores

All students new to FISD should

REGISTRATION DATES

A.B. DUNCAN ELEMENTARY

Announcements **ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT**

GROUP

This

Week's

An Alzheimer's Support Group will be meeting at the First United Methodist Church in Floydada on July 23rd at 6:00 p.m. Group leader will be Dr. David Freed, PhD and the meeting is sponsored by Floydada Rehab and Care Center.

FLOYDADA COMMODITY DISTRIBUTION

Commodity distribution will be held Tuesday, July 28, 1998 at 210 E. California from 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Bring social security card, picture I.D. and proof of residence to pick up these commodities. In case of cancellation due to bad weather, please call our office at 744-4416.

EMANUELSSON RECEPTION A reception in honor of Sverker (Sam) Emanuelsson has been scheduled for Sunday, July 26, from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the lobby of the Whirlhim at this time.

FLOYD COUNTY FAIR

DATES SET September 10th, 11th, 12th & 13th are the dates of the 1998 Floyd County Fair. The annual event will be held at the fairgrounds east of Lockney. For more information call Shanna Jackson at 296-2713 or Melissa Bigham at 652-3683.

> WHIRLWIND BOOSTER **CLUB MEETING**

It's time to make plans for the exciting 1998-1999 athletic season. Everyone is encouraged to attend and bring your ideas and support.

The next meeting will be held Monday, August 24th at 7:00 p.m. in the High School cafeteria.

All Whirlwind fans and parents of any Floydada athlete are invited to attend. Come on out and help support our kids.

MEET THE WHIRLWINDS Friday, August 14th the 'Winds will scrimmage at 6:30 p.m. followed by

a Watermelon Feast.

Come on out and show our team that we're behind them!

LIFE'S CHAIN

By Edward G. Marks

We are bound to each other, like links in a chain.

When linked together, we can bear a great strain.

I am but one link, insignificant it seems.

But, linked with others can accomplish great things

When forged with others,

I can hold a mighty ship, against a raging sea.

that are just like me.

I can move great objects and steady a load.

And I become useful as I travel life's road.

We are forged together, like links in a chain.

Through adversity and trials, our friendship remains.

We shape our lives by the company we keep.

Struggles will forge

our friendship deep.

Each link connects two, as it goes down the line.

The chain becomes stronger, through the portals of time.

We are forever bound by loyalty and love.

These become stronger when forged from above.

Direct deposit is right for you

By Mary Shanes Social Security Manager, Plainview, Tx

You may have heard that starting January 2, 1999, most federal paywind Gym. Emanuelsson was a for- ments including your Social Security eign exchange student from Sweden or Supplemental Security Income during the '67-'68 school year. The (SSI) benefit will be directly depos-FHS classes of '68, '69, '70, & '71 are ited to your bank or other financial ininvited, along with all any other in- stitution. If you're already receiving terested parties, to come and visit with your benefit by check, you'll still be able to do so. But you should know that direct deposit offers many advantages, such as:

1. You eliminate the risk of lost or

stolen checks. 2. You get your benefit quickly and on time, even if you are out of town, sick or unable to get to your bank, credit union or savings and loan.

3. Both you and your money are safe.

If you think direct deposit is right for you and you have a checking or savings account, contact your bank, credit union or savings and loan and sign up for direct deposit.

If you don't have a checking or savings account, consider opening one and signing up for direct deposit. There are a variety of accounts available, some with little or no fees. Look for one that meets your needs.

If you've decided to wait a little longer, later this year, the Treasury Department will have more information about a new low-cost account that may be right for you.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Floydada Independent School District is now accepting bids for the purchase of one 15-passenger school bus.

For more information and specifications, please contact Sheree Cannon, Caprock Shared Services Arrangement, 226 W. California, Floydada, Texas 79235, (806) 983-5382.

Bids must be received no later than 4:00 p.m., August 11, 1998. Bids will be reviewed and approved at the regular board meeting of the Floydada

Floydada ISD reserves the right to reject any or all bids and waive any formalities thereof.

7-23, 7-30c

TRANSPORTATION BID 1998 - 1999

Floydada Independent School District is now taking bids for the purchase of supplies necessary to operate the transportation vehicles. Bids will be opened August 10, 1998 at 4:00 p.m. at the central office. The Board will take action on the bids at the August 11, 1998 board meeting.

For information and bid instruction contact Dick Van Hoose at 226 West California Street, Floydada, Texas 79235, (806) 983-5167.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any formalities.

7-23, 7-30c

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a cough, and breathing problems. This is why it is important for everyone to take ozone watches and warnings se-Healthy individuals, especially

high risk of becoming ill from too

much exposure to ozone. Those af-

fected may suffer from chest tightness,

those who exercise or work outside on a daily basis, should not think they are immune to the effects of ozone

"Researchers do not yet know what effect levels of ground-level ozone will have on long-term health," said Hanania. "The best thing we can do right now is educate people on the health risks," said Hanania.

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assistant professor of medicine at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. "In addition, children are outside more than most adults during the summer and therefore are more susceptible to ground-level ozone exposure."

> all factors for high ground-level ozone levels, are highest during the midday period," said Hanania, a lung specialist in the emergency center at the Harris County Hospital District's Ben Taub General Hospital in Houston. "It is best to change playtime to either the early morning or late afternoon, and keep children in an air conditioned

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Floydada

YARD SALE--311 N. 12th - Saturday, 8:00 a.m. - ?. Clothes, purses, shoes, 2

GARAGE SALE--Friday - July 24th and Saturday, July 25th, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00

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GARAGE SALE -- Saturday 9:00 a.m. -4:00 p.m. Building next to City Auto. Motorcycle, bicycles, pickup tool box, VCR, television, furniture, weight machine, queen flotation bed, drapes, clothes, misc.

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CHD discusses budget

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lapidated structure on a lot owned by the taxing entities. This was approved on a motion by Payne with a second by Johnson.

An offer of \$200 from George Romero for Lot 6, Block 68, Original Town of Floydada was rejected on a motion by Battey with a second by Payne. The board felt the offer was too low compared to the cost of the paperwork involved and the appraised value of the lot.

Gloria Cavazos offered \$600.00 for Lot 12, Block 48, Original Town of Floydada. This offer was accepted unanimously by the board.

One claim for indigent health care was approved by the board. The claim was in the amount of \$130.60, bringing the total paid by CHD this fiscal year to \$991.93 at this time.

The decision to move the X-ray equipment from the hospital building to the clinic building was ratified by the board. Board members agreed to the relocation at a previous meeting, but did not vote on the project. Estimated cost of relocating the equipment was placed at about \$15,000.00 to prepare the room and move the equipment. All board members were unanimous in voting for the reloca-

Eric Givens presented the PNS update concerning clinic operations. He told board members that the clinic in Floydada had experienced the best month since becoming affiliated with Texas, Tech, UMC, and PNS.

Givens reported collections were up, expenses were down, and the result was a net loss of \$1,200.00 for the month. This makes CHD's share of the loss \$600.00 for the month. This brings the total CHD expenditures for clinic operation during the current fiscal year to a total of \$48,378.42.

Board members approved financial reports as presented and approved minutes from the previous meeting. Preliminary budget figures for the 1998-99 fiscal year were made available to the board with instructions to review the documents and have any changes, deletions, and/or additions ready for discussion in August.

Attending the early morning session were Tom Farris, Leah Battey, Jeffery Johnson, Kyle Smith, Denice Payne, Maybelle Monreal, Eric Givens, Joe Stepp, Morgan Stepp, and the Hesperian-Beacon reporter.

"Views From A Heartland Campus"



BY GEORGE ROCHE, PRESIDENT, HILLSDALE COLLEGE

Why Public Schools Will Continue to Fail

erhaps nothing better encapsulates the arrogance of some public school teachers han those who deliberately turn their classrooms into political propaganda centers. At the risk of continuing to turn out moral and academic illiterates, such teachers have apparently decided to advance and impose an agenda that, upon examination, simultaneously generates both revulsion and rage.

Freelance writer Brian Carnell's review of Western Michigan University English Professor Constance Weaver's Reading Process and Practice offers a perfect example of what happens when teachers emphasize personal politics over genuine learning: Children become pawns in a political morality play emphasizing the supposed evils of

For example, as Carnell points out, Weaver wastes no time in launching her "appeal for teachers to reject standards and traditional education settings in favor of transforming the classroom into a laboratory for promoting 'social justice." Conversely, anyone found defending fundamental educational ideas such as phonics simply cannot be tolerated by teachers who insist on using the failed whole-language

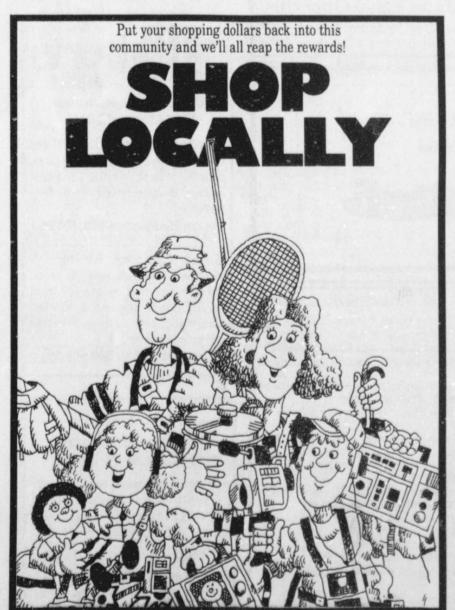
When Christian educator James Chapman claimed that traditional requirements like correct spelling, grammar and syntax suffered greatly in the whole-language approach, Weaver simply wrote him off as "typical of a 'far right' mentality that is behind phonics education." Weaver and her cohorts think that insisting on correct spelling and punctuation is some kind of deliberate plot to "make schools even more effective as a means of preserving social stratification." The real problem, you see, is that the phonics curriculum "is controlled by skills materiai," according to Weaver. What's wrong with that? Well, it seems that this "means it is not subject to teacher or student interest or whim but is readily monitored by parents." Get it? The parents are the problem here. Their involvement means that they may object if their children can't spell, can't punctuate and don't care.

But there's more. Haunted by her demons, Weaver wants teachers to turn their classrooms into centers of "political agitation to counteract the plans of the 'far right." Typically, she offers questions designed with foregone conclusions: "How are we destroying the natural environment? Why? Who [sic] does it benefit?"; "How are language and dialect differences used to help maintain power in a society? In general, how do dominant cultures maintain power, inducing others to perceive themselves as less worthy?"; and "In what way do schools serve as instruments to maintain the social status quo? How can we make schools more a gateway to opportunity than a gatekeeper?"

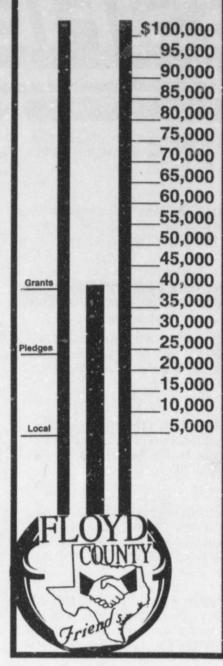
Did you lose sight of the fact that somebody's supposed to be teaching here? That's the idea, like it or not. Actual effective teaching has been lost in a fog of failed whole-language pedagogy and vindictive political rhetoric. Tragically, vulnerable young children are being deliberately indoctrinated with whole lies and half-truths.

If you're looking for reasons why public schools will continue to miseducate, you need look no farther than those classrooms led by teachers who see children as little more than pawns in their personal political experiments.

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tation has issued a request for applications to non-profit organizations Falls, John, Kim, Brady Kelsea and providing transportation services to Tres Weatherly of Amarillo, and Zula elderly and/or persons with disabilities. Applications are being requested for the Section 5310 Grant Program which provides eligible capital expenses to include the replacement of buses, vans, and other vehicles used to transport elderly and/or disabled

This program provides up to 80% of the cost of purchasing vehicles. The applicant provides the balance with local nonfederal matching funds. The funding is appropriated by the Federal Transit Administration. Applications may be picked up through Friday, August 21 at the Department of Transportation Lubbock District offices at 135 Slaton Highway. For more information call Anne Polk at 806-748-

Thornberry receives Jefferson award

U.S. Representative William M. "Mac" Thornberry (R-TX-13) was honored July 21 at a ceremony hosted by Food Distributors International, a trade group representing more than 260 companies. Representative Thornberry was presented with the food distribution industry's 1998 Thomas Jefferson Award, given to members of Congress who have voted consistently in support of sound fiscal policy, minimal government regulation, and other free-market principles crucial to the health of the food distribution industry and our nation's economy as a whole.

Of the several hundred votes cast during the 105th Congress in 1997-1998, Food Distributors International selected 9 votes that it considers critical to the interests of the food distrivoted favorably on at least 75 percent 1998 Thomas Jefferson Award. employees an exemption from the free enterprise. overtime requirements.

"The Thomas Jefferson Award is shown their support of business and have worked to create a government that allows our industry to prosper," CEO, Fleming Cos., and FDI chair-

bution industry and to the economic In addition to Representative well-being of the nation. Recipients Thornberry, 214 other members of the of the 1998 Thomas Jefferson Award House of Representatives received the of these votes. Among the key issues Also, John A. Boehner (R-OH) was were the balanced budget, the tax liminamed the recipient of the Thomas tation amendment to make it more Jefferson Award for Distinguished difficult for Congress to raise taxes, Service in recognition of his extraorand legislation to grant inside sales dinary support for the principles of

The award program was inspired by the philosophies and writings of Thoour opportunity to recognize these mas Jefferson, who in his first inau-Members of Congress who have gural address noted that "a wise and frugal government...which shall leave men otherwise free to regulate their own pursuits of industry and improvesaid Robert Stauth, chairman and ment, and shall not take from the mouth of labor the bread it has earned. This is the sum of good government."

Family Reunions

1998 CARLTON REUNION

By Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rexrode

The family of Aubrey and Elmina (Crow) Carlton, formally of Friona, held their thirteenth (13th) annual reunion July 4, 1998 in Joe and Margie (Carlton) Rexrode's home at Lockney.

Special guests included Tina Rexrode and Jim Pinner, both of Lockney, and Marneva Crocker of El Paso.

Family members present were Heath and Jeri Rexrode of Lockney, Jerry, Liz and Ricky Carlton, of Clovis, New Mexico, J.D., Berna, Chad and Brittny Carlton, of Clovis, New Mexico, Jerry, Lisa, Chelsea and Derek Nunez, of Clovis, New Mexico. Crystal and Amber Lott of North Richland Hills, Walter, Renda, Casey and Toni Carlton of El Paso, James and Marti Gresham of Stephenville, David, Patti and Jared Carlton of Plano, Debbie Carlton of Hart, Jim, The Texas Department of Transpor- Donette and William Weatherly of Spade, Robert Weatherly of Wichita Carlton of Plainview.

> **COLSTON REUNION** By Sherry Colston

The families of Benjamin Arthur 2 guests in attendance.

and Simon Ross Colston met for a reunion at the home of Mark and Teresa Whittle in Floydada on Saturday and Sunday July 11th and 12th. Saturday, the group enjoyed food, visiting, looking at family records, and playing games. Everyone participated in a Christmas in July game and received a gift in honor of Christmas. Hamburgers were prepared by Tyson and Matt Whittle and enjoyed by all.

Following a meal at Babe's Steak Barn on Sunday the group held the annual business meeting. The reunion next year will be held on the 17th and 18th of July in Roaring Springs.

Those who attended the reunion were as follows: Raymond and Vonceil Colston, G.L. and Thelma Fawver, J.B. (Jake) and Wilma Colston of Eden, Burnice Nance of Grapevine, Billy and Sherry Colston, Edwin and Doris Wilcox, Dee and Collin Webb of Grapevine, Mark and Teresa Whittle and son Tyson, Danny and Peggy Colston and daughter Tiffany of Tyler, Leslie Sinor and daughter Melissa of Bridgeport, Nathan and Christi Whittle, Matt Whittle, Ross Colston, Zane Colston, Terri Wilcox of Lubbock and friends Chad Hinsley and Kelli Bertrand.

There were 29 family members and

FORTENBERRY REUNION '98

By Carl Lemons

The 47th annual Fortenberry reunion will be held Friday and Saturday, July 31, August 1 at the MAC, 513 West Georgia, in Floydada. Entertainment programs for young, old, and in-betweens will be in place by 6:30 p.m. Friday. The activity will pause around 8:00 p.m. for hamburgers, cake, and homemade ice cream. You might bring a freezer of your favorite flavor. Come hungry and lonesome, leave muy satisfecho, nobody ever left hungry. We'll measure the kids, meet new in-laws, and mourn the

Hustle back around 7:30 Saturday morn and breakfast on bacon, eggs, gravy, and Eddie's belt-bustin' sourdough biscuits, or just enjoy coffee and Eddie's cinnamon rolls.

A memorial service/business meeting will be held at 10:30. Lunch will be at 12:00. The Reunion will furnish the hamburger, breakfast, and meat for the noon meal. Utensils, bread, and drinks will also be furnished. For the noon meal you might bring a covered dish of salad, vegetables, or dessert.

A frazzlin' few Fortenberry History Books, two hundred years, 800 pages will be for sale.

New weight training guidelines detailed

From Baylor College of Medicine

More isn't necessarily better when it comes to lifting weights.

Recently released guidelines from the American College of Sports Medicine (ACSM) outline new recommendations for the quantity and quality of exercise for development and maintenance of muscular fitness in healthy adults.

The recommendations state that for

many people, working a muscle group with one set of eight to 10 repetitions phasize that multiple-set workouts two to three times a week is benefi-

"It was previously thought that a weight-lifting regimen had to include at least three sessions a week to produce noticeable results," said Dr. Bill Kohl, director of research at the Baylor Sports Medicine Institute at Baylor College of Medicine in Hous-

Additional recommendations emmay result in greater muscle benefits.

"Strength training is an important part of an exercise program," said Kohl, a member of the ASCM's public information committee. "It targets muscle, something we begin to lose after age 25. By regularly lifting even light weights, the body retains more lean muscle mass, which can keep you fit as you age."

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