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OUTSTANDING FLOYDADA CITIZENS--Local citizens honored at the annual Floydada Chamber of Commerce Banquet, Thursday, January 14, were: (L-R) Extra Mile Award Dora Ross, Citizen of the Year and Volunteer of the Year Amy Hollums, Volunteer of the Year Rachael Castillo, and Employer of the Year Jimmie Collins.

Staff Photo

Warren chosen to fill Robertson's unexpired term

FISD looks at moving 3rd and 6th grade to different campuses

FISD Board Members appointed Jill Warren to fill the unexpired term of Pct. 5 Trustee Jack Robertson during the regular monthly board meeting Tuesday night.

Also considered for appointment were: Jon Jones, Rex Harrison, Bart Greer, and Greg Bishop.

In making the motion to nominate Warren, Board Member Dr. Bill Dean said, "Since Jill ran against Jack in the last election I move we appoint her."

Trustee Amado Morales seconded the motion, and Board Member Mitch Probasco joined in the vote.

Voting against were Trustees Charlene Brown and Steve Lloyd.

Most of the discussion during the meeting centered on possible changes in the FISD campus, by moving the 3rd grade from Duncan Elementary to R.C. Andrews and then moving the 6th grade class to the Junior High School. The changes--if implemented--would be in place for the 1999-2000 year.

Each campus principal was on hand to report on the reactions from teachers on their campuses and to voice any concerns or support for the idea.

All principals were in general agreement that the change would be good for the district as a whole--but might cause some distress among some teachers.

"I have had good support from my sixth grade teachers," said R.C. Andrews Principal David Hutton. "The concerns they have are usually in areas that could be handled as the proposal is worked out." For instance teachers that have been in their classroom for many years worry about uprooting their rooms and wondering what kind of supplies and equipment will be available to them.

All the principals were in agreement that the children would adjust much faster than the adults.

Junior High Principal Monty Hysinger told the board he felt it would help his campus situation to have more children. "We only have 140 in our school and we have room for more. It would alleviate overcrowding at Duncan and it would be better for our TAAS averaging. I would also hit the jackpot on the 6th grade staff."

Duncan Elementary Principal Bob Campbell was in favor of the proposal and said he would be able to move the Early Childhood and Pre K classes out of the portable buildings and back into school.

Campbell said one of the main concerns of the teachers was addressing the area of keeping the 3rd grade students in a departmentalized structure (changing teachers for different sub-

jects), or being self-contained (keeping the same teacher for all classes--as they do now).

Superintendent Jimmie Collins told the board and principals that the proposal was not "set in stone." "Even if we tried it next year," said Collins, "if it didn't work we could go back the way we were."

Hysinger urged the board to consider quickly and decide by the February board meeting. "We would have a lot of rearranging to do and we would want to start planning now."

The board took no action at this time and will be seeking more input from parents and teachers.

(Next week's paper will feature an interview with all principals and a more in-depth story on the issue.)

After an executive meeting to discuss the Superintendent's contract the board reconvened and unanimously approved extending Collins contract to a 3 year contract and giving him an increase of 5% in his salary--or \$3,397.50.

Principal Hutton presented the Teacher of the Month--Coach Robin Nixon to the board. She was praised by Hutton as a hard worker and someone he could depend on to handle any task.

The board voted 4-1 to appoint Trustee Bill Dean as the Board Vice President. Steve Lloyd made the motion which was seconded by Charlene Brown. Probasco also voted for the motion. Morales voted against.

The trustees approved the resignation of Andrews Elementary School Nurse Elida Garza. She is resigning to take a position at the Nursing Home.

Janice Young was hired as her replacement.

Dick Van Hoose gave the tax report. He said the current tax roll was 1,832,869.55 and that \$1,317,152.06 had been collected. Van Hoose said the collection percentage was down slightly from last year.

The board reviewed bids on Property and General Liability Insurance. To insure 22 million dollars worth of property the TASB proposed, \$19,434; Clar Schacht (through Scottsdale Insurance) bid \$40,745.00; and Goen and Goen Insurance (through National American Insurance) bid \$15,204.00.

The board unanimously approved the bid of Goen and Goen Insurance.

The trustees also agreed to approve the auditing firm of Robison, Johnston & Patton as the FISD auditors for the 1999-2000 school year.

All board members except for Trustee Billy Joe Villarreal were present for the meeting.

1999 Floydada City Elections

1999 Positions on Ballot

- 1-Mayor At Large
- 1-Councilmember District 2
- 1-Councilmember District 3

Feb. 15:

First Day for Candidate to file for place on ballot.

March 17:

Last day for Candidate to file for place on the ballot (by 5:00 p.m.)

April 14-April 27:

Early Voting in Person at City Hall

(7 a.m. - 6 p.m. Mon.-Fri.)

May 1:

Election Day at Massie Activity Center

(7 a.m. - 7 p.m.)

Library receives grant from SWB

A Southwestern Bell grant of \$2,940 has recently been given to the Friends of the Floyd County Library.

Mrs. Irasema Velasquez, regional manager of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Lubbock, presented the Library with the grant money.

The money will be used to purchase a printer and software programs for the IMPACT Literacy Council Work, sponsored by the Friends of the Floyd County Library.

According to Velasquez, "The grants are intended to enhance the rural economic development of the entire State of Texas."

IMPACT, under the leadership of Mrs. Rachael Castillo, has developed a reading program and is developing a computer program to enhance the skills of the residents of Floyd County.

The IMPACT Council is cooperating with the Texas Works Program through the Department of Human Services.

This assistance is designed with the hope that residents will have the opportunity to gain skills that enable them to become independent of welfare programs.

Hollums, Ross, Castillo & Collins get awards

Chamber honors citizens

By Darwin Robinson

The 1999 Floydada Chamber of Commerce Banquet was held last Thursday night at the Massie Activity Center with Miss Texas, Tatum Hubbard, speaking and singing to the local crowd.

Four awards were presented to deserving citizens. The Citizen of the Year Award went to Amy Hollums, while The Extra Mile Award was presented to Dora Ross. The Volunteer Award was given to both Amy Hollums and Rachael Castillo.

The Employer of the Year was awarded to FISD Superintendent Jimmie Collins.

Following a good meal of barbecue catered by Neilson's Restaurant, the presentation of awards began with Master of Ceremonies Wayne Parkman introducing Dr. Charles Craig.

Dr. Craig presented the Citizen of the Year Award to Amy Margie Kirk Hollums.

"She is a graduate of Floydada High School, of the University of Texas (B.A. degree) and of the West Texas State University (Masters degree)," said Dr. Craig.

"She is a licensed psychologist with a specialty in school counselling. She has taught in private and public schools for 53 years. She still substitutes today," Dr. Craig added.

Hollums is an active church worker in the First United Methodist of

Floydada and a long time member of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Dr. Craig said, "She is one of the organizers of the Floyd County Library and is presently the Chairman of the Library Board."

Hollums helped form the organization, "Friends of the Library," in the 1970's and is still on the board. She has worked many hours in obtaining a new building for the library, including many trips obtaining grants.

Hollums has helped establish a literacy program here in the Floydada Elementary Schools with local volunteers. She also teaches adults with a computer lab at her home.

Hollums is a member of the Retired Teachers Association and a volunteer of the Spirit of Sharing here in Floydada.

Dr. Craig continued, "She is a mentor for the Texas Working Program which stresses work as the number one option for successful women."

"Amy has been successful at living and she has helped to make our living a success."

Accepting the award, Hollums said, "As I have grown older, I have found that love replaces the paddle very nicely. I haven't had to use the paddle in years, but I see a few of you that I used it on."

Bruce Ballou presented The Extra Mile Award to Dora Ross for her work obtaining grants for a number of projects throughout the city and

county. As a 1987 graduate of Texas Tech majoring in Education, Ballou noted, "She was 'going the extra mile' even in her High School and college years."

A letter read from Nick Long stated, "Dora has done a tremendous job of putting our story on paper with information that would satisfy the different organizations" in obtaining grants.

She is responsible through her writing for six grants totaling \$140,000.00 to the Floyd County Friends and their project of the future Unity Center arena.

"I thank you and I have been very humbled by this award," said Ross. "It would not have been possible without the help of about 28 other people. Any way that I can make my community better in whatever it is, then I would like to help," Ross said.

City Manager Gary Brown proceeded to introduce the two recipients of the Volunteer of the Year Award.

"A volunteer is one who gives of their own free will," Brown said, "and the two we are honoring tonight have certainly done this."

"Each of the two give, not because they have to, but because they want to."

"Amy Hollums' desire to see individuals have the opportunity to learn, to better themselves and to succeed is genuine and real. The giving of her talents and abilities is an excellent

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Brown descendants to be recognized at TDA's Family Land Heritage Ceremony

Mrs. Geraldine Callaway, and Mrs. Nancy Alice Bishop, of Floydada, and Mrs. Florene Teal, of Lubbock, will be honored by the Texas Department of Agriculture this week.

The sisters are descendants of Henry Washington Brown and co-owners of 213 acres of Floyd County farm land that has been in the family for over 100 years.

Agriculture Commissioner Susan Combs will recognize 102 farm and ranch honorees at the Texas Department of Agriculture's annual Family Land Heritage ceremony Friday, Jan. 22. The ceremony will begin at 2 p.m. in the Lyndon Baines Johnson Auditorium on the University of Texas campus in Austin.

The Family Land Heritage Program honors families whose farms or ranches have been in continuous operation for 100 years or more. The Jan. 22 ceremony marks the 24th year for the program with more than 3,300 farms and ranches throughout Texas already receiving the designation.

The family farm is located 2 miles west of Cedar Hill on FM 97, and is currently enrolled in the Conservation Reserve Program.

In 1897 Henry Washington Brown moved to Floyd County from Wise County.

He acquired the land in 1898, and then passed it down to his son Thomas Sydney (Syd) Brown in 1917.

Syd then passed the farm to his daughters, Florene Teal, Geraldine Callaway, and Nancy Alice Bishop, in 1982.

According to the *History of Floyd County Memories Book*, published by the Floyd County Historical Museum, Syd Brown wrote, "My parents moved to Floyd County in three covered wagons with their family, stock and household effects. They bought the old family home of George Klutz in the Cedar Hill Community and moved right in and lived in this same house the remainder of their lives...."

"We established our first small home near my mother and father. Our four children were born there...."

"We farmed with horses and mules and with limited machinery. We had wagons, buggies and saddles. Everyone in the family worked hard... We grew our food, slaughtered and cured our meats, had plenty of milk, cream, and butter and fowls to eat. We had fruit trees and gardens. Food was 'put up' for winter, canning, drying and preserving. One had to buy flour, sugar and coffee and that was about all we needed to buy."

"Everyone had a good water system and water pumped by the strong faith-

ful Texas windmills--so one could water a small family garden even in dry years...."

"Help when sick, came from the neighbors. Neighbors swapped out on windmill repairs, meat killing time, harvesting and mothers cared for their family in sickness just as their mothers had taught them--so grandmothers always had a special 'medical knowledge'."

"Today we have irrigation wells and giant obedient machines to do the farm work. Much more leisure time. Are we as happy?..."

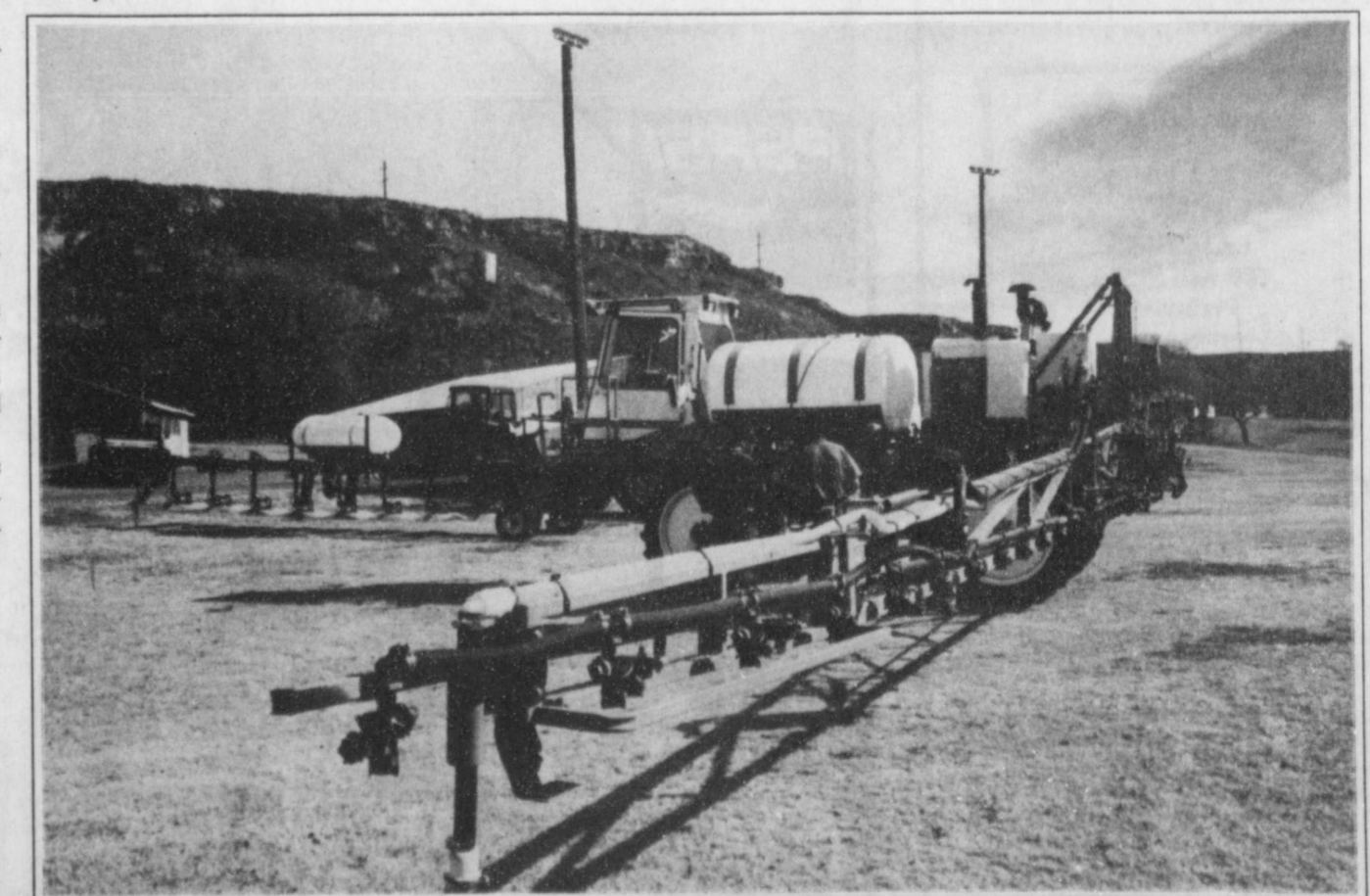
During the Jan. 22 ceremony, farms and ranches in 68 counties will receive Family Land Heritage certificates.

Cast members of the Fort Griffin Fandangle, a historic musical production from Albany, Texas will perform at the honors ceremony. Commissioner Combs will also speak at the event.

"Today's success in Texas agriculture is the result of years of dedication by the hard-working families recognized by the Family Land Heritage Program," Combs said.

Mason County and Reagan County have the most honorees this year with seven qualified applicants each.

The Ingram Ranch, founded in 1838 in Bastrop County, is the oldest property being recognized this year.



CAPROCK COTTON CONFERENCE--Producers from all over the South Plains gathered for the annual Cotton Conference held at the Plains Baptist Assembly in Blanco Canyon, Tuesday, January 19th. Agri-

culture booths are on display at the conference, as well as numerous types of irrigation and farming equipment. CEU points are also earned at the lectures held during the conference.

Staff Photo

BY THE WAY



By Alice Gilroy

Some Christians get a little carried away with their worship. Sometimes the law has to get called in.

I heard a story yesterday about a South Plains preacher (I'll call him John) who was returning from a "Cowboy Church" in Amarillo last week.

He had a car load of enthusiastic men who were all "pumped up" from the church service.

The guys were singing and "praising" and having a wonderful time. "John" was joining in the festivities, until he noticed the red lights of the Highway Patrol in his rear view mirror.

"John" pulls over, and rolls down his window.

The trooper walks up to the win-

dow and asked "John" if there was a reason he was weaving in the road.

"John" laughs and says, "We were singing and praising and I guess I wasn't paying attention."

The trooper was not swayed. He probably thought the driver looked "high as a kite" anyway.

"Could you step out of the car, please," the trooper asked politely.

"John" did as he was told and then followed all the instructions of a Field Sobriety Test. He touched his nose and walked the straight line, etc.

After the trooper determined that John was indeed sober and truthful, he released him back to his car with a warning.

He said, "Be careful, and hold your praise down to one lane."

Lockney Police Report

January 3, Lockney Police responded to a domestic assault call in the 700 block of N. Main just after 2 a.m. A 15 year old Lockney youth was detained for Family Violence Assault, and taken to the Parent Adolescent Center in Floydada.

Also on the 3rd, police responded to a domestic assault call in the 500 block of E. Locust just after 1 p.m. Rudolfo Pedroza, 18, of Lockney, was arrested for Family Violence Assault.

January 5, police received a report of a Burglary of a Habitation in the 400 block of E. Shurbert. Clothing was taken during the burglary. The investigation continues.

January 9, police were called to a minor accident in the 500 block of S. Main and the 100 block of Willow Street. No citations were issued and no injuries were reported.

January 11, police received a report of a youth who was truant from school. The 13 year old youth was detained for being a runaway. While the police were visiting with the youth, it was determined that she was also involved, along with another 16 year old youth, in a Criminal Trespass offense. Both of the juveniles were detained for Criminal Trespass.

January 12, police took another report of two runaways from a residence in the 200 block of W. Willow. Both juveniles were located, returned home, and referred to the Juvenile Probation Office.

January 14, police were summoned to a minor accident, involving two 15 year old drivers, in the 100 block of Main Street and Locust. No citations were issued and a minor injury was noted on one of the drivers.

Laney reelected as Speaker

Representative James E. "Pete" Laney, D-Hale Center, was unanimously reelected as Speaker of the Texas House of Representatives by the members of the House on Tuesday, January 12.

Speaker Laney, 55, has served as Speaker of the House since 1993. He represents Texas House District 85, which includes Bailey, Briscoe, Castro, Cochran, Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Hale, Lamb, Motley, Parmer and Swisher counties.

In his address to the House, Speaker Laney said the Legislature should continue the kind of responsible budget management that has produced a record budget surplus for the state government. "There is no question that our remarkable economic growth in recent years has increased state revenues. But that does not tell the entire story of our state's progress from budget shortfalls to budget surplus," Laney said. "We have managed wisely. Above all, we have exercised fiscal restraint."

Speaker Laney noted that the budget

surplus should be used to set the course for a secure and prosperous future by investing in public education. "We must invest in education in ways that will help develop the tremendous potential of every child in Texas," he said.

Speaker Laney said his other priorities for the session include making further progress on health care for children, addressing the dramatic increase in child abuse in Texas, assisting the economically depressed agriculture and oil production industries, and reforming campaign finance laws.

Courtroom Activities

In County Court January 7, 1999, Kelli Gunter, 39, of Floydada, Texas was charged with Possession of Alcohol With Intent to Sell. She pled guilty and was fined \$1,000 plus court costs.

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The legislature will now come to order...

By State Senator Tom Haywood, District 30

With January comes the 76th Legislature and the inaugurations of numerous state officials. It's a great time to be a Texan, as my friend Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander says. And as your State Senator, I say it's a great time to represent the people of North Texas as our legislative session begins.

In the past few weeks, our new state-wide officials have taken their oaths of office and on Thursday, Gov. Bush and Lt. Gov. -elect Perry will be inaugurated. I am anxious to begin work with the entire slate of state leadership.

George W. Bush is a true leader. He will work with the Senate to achieve his goals for Texas. Governor Bush and I have worked closely in previous sessions, and I know that his dedication and commitment to Texas make him the right man for his job. Similarly, Lt. Governor-elect Rick Perry is no stranger to Texas Government. After serving in the Texas House of Representatives and as Commissioner of Agriculture, Rick has earned the respect of his colleagues both in Austin and across the state.

Carole Keeton Rylander is one of the

most dynamic women in Texas politics today. She is more than one tough grandma; she is one tough lady and will be a great State Comptroller for the State of Texas. Many say she is my counterpart in public speaking. While I am known as the slow talking politician, she can speak up to 365 words a minute!

David Dewhurst, our newly elected General Land Commissioner is a statesman of first-rate caliber. He brings a lifetime of experience to his position. I feel certain he will run the Land Office with accuracy and efficiency. He has already proven this with his staff cuts at that office.

Railroad Commissioner Tony Garza is an experienced leader who knows how to dig in and learn whatever it takes to serve the oil and gas industries. I applaud him for his efforts and successes in the State of Texas. As the Governor's first appointee, Tony has been a sterling example of a statesman as the Governor's first Secretary of State.

There is much work to be done. My staff and I are now preparing my legislative package. I came to Austin four years ago with a promise to represent North Texas and to work toward common sense solutions to our state's problems. I have

worked to accomplish those goals and have succeeded in creating jobs and bringing grants and capital into the district.

During these next four years, I hope to create more new jobs, reduce the size of government, work for quality education for our children and return some of the budget surplus to the people in the form of tax relief.

In my past sessions in the Legislature I have seen debate over and bills filed regarding property tax, education, juvenile justice reform, lawsuit abuse and the lottery. In the coming session, I foresee similar topics of concern. But the real question is what to do with the \$6.3 billion budget surplus.

My suggestion is to return part of the money to the people of Texas. If we have this much money left over, then it is apparent that the state took too much money from the taxpayers. Rather than implementing more government programs and mandating more costly regulations and laws, I think we should save those funds by returning them to the people. I have traveled the 36 counties of my district and presented this idea to my constituents and they agree.

My legislative package also includes

my Community Enrichment Act which would retain 5 percent of all lottery proceeds sold within a jurisdiction for the use of that community for road improvements, water, economic development, etc. And I plan to reintroduce my Day Care Tax Incentive. This program would provide a tax break to businesses willing to create and maintain day care for the children of its employees. These are just a couple of points in my overall legislative agenda.

In these days building up to the start of the 76th Legislative Session, I am anxious to begin working. I am excited to join my colleagues, both old and new, in the House and Senate, for another historic year in Texas Government. With the coming of the close of a century, there are many changes about to be made. Some have already begun. I look forward to working with the new slate of statewide officers, especially Lt. Gov.-elect Rick Perry. He will be an effective leader in the Senate. We have a bright future on our horizon as a state and I am proud to be at the forefront of leadership in 1999. Four years ago I promised to go to work for the people of Senate District 30 finding common sense solutions to our state's problems. Today I pledge to do the same for the next four years.

WTMPA to hold ground breaking ceremony for natural gas generator

By Derrell Oliver

West Texas Municipal Power Agency will have their ground breaking ceremony for a new generator at LP&L's J. Robert Massengale Generating Station, 2:00 p.m., Thursday, January 21st, located at 600 Municipal Drive Rear, just North of Municipal Hill. The new generator will ensure the WTMPA cities a more reliable and economical delivery of electric power well into the next century.

The West Texas Municipal Power Agency was created to jointly plan reliable electric service for its member cities in the West Texas area. WTMPA is the umbrella organization for member cities, Brownfield, Floydada, Lubbock and Tulia.

"Last year's heat wave proved West Texas needs additional generating re-

sources," said Ty Cooke, President of WTMPA. "The new unit will provide a large portion of those resources at one of the lowest costs in the nation. WTMPA will keep costs low while ensuring a reliable power source to improve our quality of life and attract new businesses to Lubbock, Brownfield, Tulia and Floydada," said Cooke.

Each of WTMPA's generating plants use Texas produced natural gas as their primary fuel. Natural gas is an environmentally acceptable source of power that helps to keep Lubbock's air healthy and clean.

The new generator at LP&L's Massengale plant will produce enough electricity for 15,000 homes, while reducing emissions of Nitrogen Oxides twenty times.

Thanks for reading The Hesperian-Beacon!

Brag Page Deadline

The Valentine issue with the popular Brag Pages will be published Feb. 11.

Anyone wishing to put a photo of their child, grandchild, or any other loved one, should have the pictures to the Hesperian-Beacon offices in Floydada or Lockney, by February 4th, at 5:00 p.m.

The cost for 1-3 children in a heart frame is \$10.00. If there are four or more people in the picture the cost will be \$15.00 per frame.

Each photo will be placed in a heart-shaped frame and will appear with the person's name, age, parents names, and grandparents names.

There is no age limit for persons in the photograph. Photos may be color or black and white. Photos of any size will be accepted. This office can either enlarge or reduce the photos.

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example to be followed." "The second recipient, Rachael Castillo," Brown added, "also has a desire for people to be able to better themselves and to help people accomplish this."

"She gives and gives, asking only that people try. Those who know and work with Rachael truly know a great volunteer."

In accepting the award, Hollums praised Castillo in her work with helping others to read and speak English in Floyd County.

"We have approximately 2,000 people in Floyd County who cannot read nor write English. Some of those are mothers of young children. We need a place to teach those mothers while the children are at school. And that is the reason for having a new library," Hollums concluded.

In Castillo's thanks for her award, she said, "It has always been my desire to help those citizens in Floydada and Floyd County to become better and more productive, therefore help our community."

"I am very humbled and I cannot imagine being honored for doing something I enjoy doing."

Wayne Parkman read a letter of recommendation for the Employer of the Year written by R.C. Andrews Elementary School Principal, David Hutton.

"Jimmie Collins is finishing up two decades serving the community of Floydada in the school system. I can say that as an employee under the direct supervision of Mr. Collins, I have not worked for an employer where I feel treated more fairly or with more respect."

"Mr. Collins is in each of the schools on a regular basis. This is unheard of for a school system the size of Floydada. This close interaction provides for his intense monitoring of the schools."

"Most of all, I do appreciate the fact that he is looking to the future in preparation of our students in Floydada. He is not interested in a generally good education. He wants and demands the best. He shoots to exceed Texas' state standards."

"This provides a vision and leadership that is easy to follow. Mr. Collins is providing the direction and impetus to motivate this district of students and personnel toward excellence."

In accepting the honor, Collins praised the Floydada Independent School District, including the children, administrative staff, the classroom teachers, the support staff, and the Board of Education.

"Our motto for Floydada I.S.D. is 'Dedicated to education and committed to excellence,'" said Collins. "Our mission statement hangs in every

classroom and states that we will insure that all students will become productive lifelong learners. We believe that and we are going to stick to it."

Following the awards presentation, this past year's president, Wayne Parkman introduced this year's new president, Jon Jones.

Jones then presented Parkman with a plaque and thanked him for a job well done.

Jones proceeded to introduce the names of the new board members for this year. They are: Tom Jordan, David Hutton, Maydelle Monreal, Dana Crossland and Sarah Kalina.

Southwestern Bell Representative Irasema Velasquez expressed her appreciation of behalf of her company for the people of Floyd County and the opportunity to serve Floydada.

Miss Texas, Tatum Hubbard, entertained the crowd with her story of her winning Miss Texas and with her singing. She also honored Amy Hollums by allowing her to wear her crown throughout the program.

Miss Hubbard insisted on help with her song by Mayor Hulen Carthel and businessmen Nick Long and Clar Schacht.

To the audiences' delight, there was not too much dancing or singing required by 'the helpers'.

On a more serious note, Miss Texas shared her desire to instill in students across the state "that most things in our lives don't come easily. Learning to be a good reader, a great football player or whatever it is, throughout our whole lives we have to be settled with working hard to make that happen."

President Jones presented Miss Texas with a Harley-Davidson T-shirt since riding is her hobby. He then thanked the decoration committee and the audience for their attendance.

Caprock Hospital Board listens to PAC lease/purchase proposal

By Darwin Robinson

The Caprock Hospital District board of directors met Tuesday morning and approved payment of \$5,725.43 for Indigent Health Care claims.

The directors also heard an update by Pam Meador of PAC concerning the purchase/lease/use of the Hospital Building.

The report did not give any new details from the report PAC Director Bruce Ballou had previously given to the Floyd County Commissioners last week.

Ballou had previously stated that he thought PAC could create some 25 to 30 new jobs and generate close to \$1 1/2 million dollars through outside



65 YEARS OF SCOUTING HONORED- Jimmy Willson, Jr. (center) of Floydada received his 65 Year Veteran's Card from the Boy Scouts of America last week. Presenting the card to Willson were Bob Gilliland (left), local Scout Master and District Chairman, along with Tim Bullock (right) of Lubbock, Scout Executive of the South Plains Council.

Staff Photo

Sales tax rebates in Floyd County cities are down

Newly elected State Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander today delivered her first sales tax rebates for November, 1998. This kicked off 1999 with a total of \$163.8 million in monthly sales tax payments to 1,096 Texas cities and 118 counties.

This is 5.1 percent increase over \$155.7 million allocated to cities and counties in January 1998.

January's payments include local sales taxes collected by monthly filers in November, at the start of the traditional holiday shopping season, and reported to the Comptroller in December.

Rylander delivered monthly sales tax rebates totaling \$150.5 million to Texas cities, 5.6 percent higher than last January's payments of \$142.4 million. Rebates of \$13.3 million to Texas counties were virtually unchanged from those paid in January 1998. Another 4.8 million went to 37 special purpose districts around the state.

January sales tax rebates to selected Texas cities were:

Floydada: \$7,536.91 compared to \$8,361.63 in January 1998, a decrease of 9.86%.

Lockney: \$3,519.49 compared to \$3,722.44 in 1998, a decrease of 5.45%.

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Sarah is a graduate of the University of Texas at Austin and attends Baylor University School of Law. C.W. is a graduate of the United States Military Academy at West Point and is an assistant golf professional at Rigewood Country Club in Waco. A May wedding is planned in Austin.

Harmony Club holds first meeting of year

By Maye Williams

The first meeting of the Harmony F.C.E. Club was held January 11th at the club room and called order by the president, Karen Miller.

Roll call was answered by "Name a project you plan to do this year." Karen was hostess and for the opening exercise. She gave several facts about the month of January which was named for the Greek Goddess, Janus. The flower for January is the Snow drop which often blooms in the snow, or the carnation. The Garnet is the gem of the month. January 20th is the Inauguration of the President every four years.

Secretary, Vivian Curtis read the minutes of the last meeting and gave the financial report. Several announcements were made and a "Thank You" note was read from our agent. One of the announcements was that

the District Meeting will be March 25th, at Levelland. Also the 4-H leadership camp at Brownwood was attended by six 4-H'ers from Floyd County.

In the order of new business, the president stated the vice president, Binnie Dutton had resigned due to conflicting dates. Maye Williams was elected Vice President to fill her unexpired term, and Vivian Curtis was elected as reporter to take Maye's place. These two were also elected as nominees for delegate and alternate to the District meeting.

Year books were then filled out for hostess and some of the programs.

The hostess served delicious refreshments to, Arvie Schulz, Vivian Curtis, Juanita Pool, Ruth Scott, Maye Williams and Imelda Ramsey.

Arvie Schulz directed recreation.

Lockney Health and Rehab News

By Rebecca Rodriguez, A.D.

Hello to everyone from Lockney Health and Rehabilitation Center.

January hasn't been too cold. We wonder if we are going to have winter and when.

We want to thank Joe and Mary. They are from Plainview. They came to sing songs for our residents on Tuesday January 12th. The residents loved their music.

We would also like to thank the millennium singers from Plainview for

coming out to sing for us last week on Thursday January 14th. Our residents really enjoy everyone who can come out and spend some time with them.

We have lost a beloved friend, Gloria Garcia, and we would like everyone to keep her family in their prayers. She was not a resident at the time of her death, but she will always be remembered. We would also like to keep in our prayers a friend to everyone, Patrick Monroe. We will miss him. This is all for now...until later...

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Each photo will be placed in a heart-shaped frame and will appear with the person's name, age, parents names, and grandparents names. There is no age limit for persons in the photograph. Photos may be color or black and white. Photos of any size will be accepted. This office can either enlarge or reduce the photos.

Floyd County Lifestyles

Floydada Senior Citizen News

By Margarette Word

The center is open Monday through Friday. If you are 60 years or older this center is for you and we need you. The more we have eating lunch daily the more our center can serve this community. If you plan on eating lunch, please call the center at 983-2032 by 10:00 a.m. We do not want to run short of food. Its a wonderful place to visit with your friends and be served a very good hot meal. We have groups that play "42" and bridge too. If you are interested call the center.

Congratulations to Son Jackson. His name was drawn for the month of January to have his car washed and cleaned inside. Thanks to Eric Cornelius of Cornelius Conoco Service Station for providing our members this opportunity.

I want to remind everyone that January is the month we would appreciate your donation of \$10.00 in dues to the center.

To the ladies who donated yarn for me to crochet toboggans for needy people, I just want you to know that since I started this project a little over a year ago that 424 adults and children heads have been a little warmer. I have placed the following tract to each toboggan ... "What Money Can Buy"....Money will buy: A bed BUT NOT sleep. Books BUT NOT brains.

Food BUT NOT appetite. Finery BUT NOT beauty. A house BUT NOT a home. Medicine BUT NOT health. Luxuries BUT NOT culture. Amusement BUT NOT happiness. A crucifix BUT NOT Saviour. A church pew BUT NOT heaven. What money can't buy, Jesus Christ can give freely without charge. Is He your Lord and Saviour? If not, you can get a new lease on life right now. Confess to God that you have sinned and that you want to turn from your sins to receive Jesus as Lord of your life. Through that step of believing faith you can start life afresh with your sins forgiven and a new life in Christ.

The places I've sent the toboggans to are: Beautiful Feet Ministries in Ft. Worth; Salvation Army in Plainview and Lubbock; Interfaith Hospitality, Network, Inc. in Lubbock; Concho Resource Center-Lubbock; Angel Tree at Christmas time-Floydada; University Baptist Mission Center-Lubbock; Thanks to each of you for making this possible. Yes, I'm still crocheting toboggans.

Our sympathy to Fern Anderson on the loss of her brother-in-law Dr. J.W. Kinard.

Our sympathy to Janie Rando on the recent loss of her mother and a sister.

Our sympathy to the family of Travis Lightfoot. He was our handi

man at the center. If anything needed to be repaired he was always willing to repair it. He will be missed.

Ruth Gilliland is in rehab.

Ann Smith is in rehab.

Carmel Eastham had knee surgery. Blanche Williams has moved to Floydada Nursing Home.

Jean Jones has been in the hospital but is at home now.

Thought For The Week-

Be careful for nothing; but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God.

Philippians 4:6

MENU

January 25-29

Monday-Ham salad sandwich, tater tots, broccoli and cheese, lettuce and tomato, carrot cake.

Tuesday-Lasagne, hominy, brussel sprouts, carrot sticks, cornbread, peach cobbler.

Wednesday-Burritos verdes, lime rice, south Texas squash casserole, lettuce and tomato salad, chilean salad dressing, empanadas de calabaza.

Thursday-Tuna noodle casserole, carrots, pickle, pineapple gelatin, gingerbread.

Friday-Cube steak with gravy, butter beans, mixed vegetables, tossed salad/Italian, wheat roll, pineapple cake.

Lockney Senior Citizen News

By Gladys Ragle

Have you ever seen such spring like weather in January? I wonder what the weather will be like when spring really comes.

I would like to give you a run down of what the Lockney Senior Center accomplished through the meal service they provide.

In 1998-8,593 meals were served. Out of that total 1,035 meals were delivered to disabled and shut in people who are not able to cook for themselves. These meals were delivered by volunteers of the Lockney Senior Citizens. Anyone can be a volunteer to do this even though you are not a member of the Center. If you have some time come down and help out. We hope we have been worthy of

the support given to us and hope your support will continue so that if at any time you need our services we will still be here.

A former Lockney resident, Fred Mizied died at Crane and was brought back for burial in Lockney cemetery. Our sympathy goes to his family.

Also, another former resident of this area, Alice Smith passed away and was brought from Amarillo for burial. She was the daughter of the late Charlie Smith, a Church of Christ minister who helped establish the Lockney Christian College of many years ago.

We were informed that Willis Reynolds remains in serious condition in Covenant Methodist hospital in Lubbock.

"Weekly Words of Wisdom"

Nothing is quite so annoying as to have someone go right on talking when you are interrupting. No one is too big to be courteous, but some are too small.

MENU

January 25-29

Monday-Chicken casserole, vegetable, salad, dessert.

Tuesday-Beef enchiladas, vegetable, salad, dessert.

Wednesday-Chicken fried steak, vegetable, salad, dessert.

Thursday-Turkey and dressing, vegetable, salad, dessert.

Friday-Hamburger steak, vegetable, salad, dessert.

All meals are served with coffee, tea and bread.

Recipe of the Week

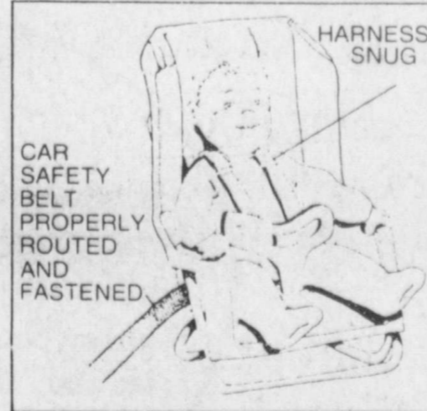
Pumpkin Cheesecake

3 (8-ounce) packages cream cheese
1 1/2 cups sugar
1 cup brown sugar
1/4 cup flour
1 teaspoon cinnamon

1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
1/2 teaspoon ginger
3 eggs
1 (16-ounce) can pumpkin
Graham cracker crumbs

Blend cheese, both sugars, flour, cinnamon, nutmeg, and ginger. Add eggs and beat until fluffy. Mix in

pumpkin. Butter a springform pan, lightly coat the bottom of pan with graham cracker crumbs. Pour in batter. Bake for 1 1/2 hours in 350 oven.



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The Country Preacher

By Pastor Darwin Robinson

A STINK IN THE CHURCH - I was pastoring a small country church in the early 60's during my Bible College days in Eastern Tennessee near Chattanooga.

We had a small church bus for carrying families back and forth to the services. It seated 24, but we would pack in about 45 people from the foothills of the Appalachian Mountains.

This one particular Sunday afternoon, I was driving the bus and coming around a curve hurrying to get to the evening services with my load of eager worshippers.

To my surprise, I saw in the middle of the little mountain road a skunk looking straight at me. He was in no hurry to move out of our way, and I certainly could not stop in time.

So we introduced ourselves to one another as I passed overhead doing about 45 mph. I was so happy that I did not run over him with my tires.

However, we soon learned, or should I say "smelled", that he left his mark on us by spraying the undercarriage of the bus.

Women, children and grown men began to lower the windows and hang

their heads outside. Many began to get sick as the smell seemed to intensify.

We arrived at the church within about 20 minutes, but it was too late to keep from getting saturated, clothes and all, by the seemingly eternal smell of our black and white acquaintance.

As soon as we walked into the church, we were greeted by "oohhs and aahhs" from those waiting on our arrival to start services.

Those who did not ride the bus, moved to one side of the little auditorium, but they could not escape us. We were there and making our presence known.

I tried my best to preach that night without any distractions, but it was impossible. *We had a stink in the church!*

I closed out early that night and took those stinking people back home. My only Sunday suit was ruined by the smell of that furry friend we met that Sunday.

MORAL OF THE STORY - "Every-one you meet in life, you will leave a lasting impression, be it good or bad. Make sure it is good."

The Paper Pulpit

By: Pastor Henry Russell



"A PRAYER FOR RATTLESNAKES"

Once there was a family of wayward church members, who once had been active, but had lost interest, and had fallen away. There was the father and three sons, Jim, John and Sam. The preacher had visited them, and tried to get them back in church, but this had not seemed to do any good.

One day when the boys were out in the pasture, a large rattlesnake bit John, and he became very ill. The doctor was called and pronounced John very ill.

He said, "All you can do now is pray," and went his way. The father called the preacher to come quickly and pray for John's recovery. This was the preacher's prayer:

"O wise and righteous Father, we thank Thee, for Thou hast sent this rattlesnake to bite John, in order to bring him to his senses. He has not been inside the church house for years. Now we trust this will bring his repentance."

"And now, O Father, will Thou send another one to bite Sam. And another one to bite the old man. We have been doing everything we know to restore them, but to no avail."

"It seems all our efforts could not do what this one rattlesnake has done. We thus conclude that the only thing that will do this family any good is more rattlesnakes. So Lord, send us bigger and better rattlesnakes. In Jesus Name we Pray."

"Amen."



"What Turns a Woman Off"

By Ron Trusler

Part 1 of 4

By Ron Trusler

This could be titled "For Men Only." However, if any man or woman chooses to read this series of articles, and would like to give some comment, I will welcome it. My e-mail address and phone number are at the bottom of the column. Your comments might be a valuable resource for other readers, if you like.

I read of a group of women being asked to list the top 15 traits they considered a turn off and a turn on. Keep in mind that I do not claim to be an expert in this area. This information has to do with a compilation of information from various sources--experience and written material.

The women listed the following 15 traits that turned them off. Some of these seem to overlap with each other. Also, these are not listed in order of rank. (1) Lack of self-esteem (2) Laziness (3) Lack of humor (4) Lack of confidence (5) Lack of goals (6) Lack of understanding (7) Lack of tenderness (8) Negativity (9) self-centeredness (10) Extreme jealousy (11) Insecurity (12) Smothering dependence (13) Self-pity (14) Lack of trust (15) No ambition.

Generally speaking, it seems that women are turned off by:

1. INDECISIVENESS

No woman likes a wishy-washy man. Women generally do not like a man who constantly asks questions. A woman will usually think that if a man has to ask, instead of expressing his desire, he really does not want to do it. He is just trying to be nice. You may be trying to please your mate but if the decisions are always up to her, it will add up to too much responsibility for her and she will lose respect for you.

2. CONTROL

This is opposite of the first one. Some men feel they should make all the decisions. They are like the tyrant,

the chief, or the dictator. A man may try to become the father that his spouse never had. That may be welcomed for a while but she will begin to resent the dictatorship and will want a partnership, where her feelings, ideas and opinions count.

Gentlemen, if this is a trait you have, you would be better off to ask her opinion and SERIOUSLY considers it and to change your decision if necessary.

3. SABOTAGE

Some men are threatened by their wife wanting to experience personal growth. This may be an education, new skills, new friends or involvement with a group or a project. They may fear they will lose them and try to sabotage their efforts by not encouraging them. They may make statements that are put down.

If a woman receives support and encouragement, to realize personal fulfillment, she may have a deeper, more passionate love for the man who helped her make it possible.

4. JEALOUSY

Jealousy is not proof of your love. It is really proof of your insecurity and that is unattractive to a woman. Some jealousy is normal and healthy. We all want daily reminders that our mate will not leave, outgrow us and still loves us. However, extreme jealousy will eventually ruin a good relationship.

Your partner may begin to think that if you are so unsure of her feelings for you, maybe you are the one she needs to worry about. Extreme jealousy can be an indication of "reaction formation." This is where real feelings are covered up by an over-reaction to something that reminds you of what you are trying hard to keep under control.

(Ron Trusler is Chief Executive Officer of Central Plains Center. His phone number is 806-293-2636. His e-mail address is ront@texasonline.net)

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

BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH
607 W. Lee St., Floydada
J.D. Young, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
810 S. 3rd, Floydada
Darwin Robinson, Pastor
Sunday:
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday:
Evening Services 7:30 p.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Floydada
Glenn Truett, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
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Bible Study 6:00 p.m.
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Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

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Evening Worship 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday Service 8:00 p.m.

CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST
Floydada
Sunday:
Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

EVANS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. G.A. Blocker
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Afternoon Worship 2:00 p.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
701 W. Missouri, Floydada
Vance Mitchell, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
Sunday Evening
Evangelistic 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Night Service 7:00 p.m.

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Michael Holster
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Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Celestial Ringers 4:45 p.m.
Discipleship Training, Nursery, Mission Friends, Team Kid, Bible Drill, Youth Drama and Adult Bible Study 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Children's Choir 4:00 p.m.
Evening Meal 6:00 p.m.
Prayer Time (All Ages) 6:30 p.m.
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Sanctuary Choir 7:00 p.m.

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Lockney
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Youth 7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
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Adult Choir 8:00 p.m.

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Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Floydada
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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Youth Fellowship 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

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Monday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday:
Prayer Service 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST
Lockney
Russell Harris, Minister
Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m.
Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

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Floydada
Rev. Ralph Jackson
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
BTU 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Mid-Week Prayer 7:00 p.m.
Thursday:
Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

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Sunday Evening 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
Friday - Youth Service 7:00 p.m.

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 5:00 p.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.
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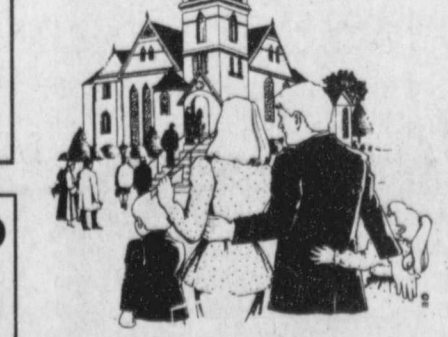
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JUMPING FOR A REBOUND-Justin McGuire #41 goes up for a rebound against the New Deal Lions. Helping to block out the Lions is Cody Stovall #32. The Winds lost by a score of 64 - 56. Photo by Rhonda Stovall

Winds open district with game against New Deal

By Coach Stovall
The Whirlwinds hosted the New Deal Lions on January 8 in their district opener. The Winds fell to the Lions by a score of 64-56.
Darryl Henderson let the scoring drive for the Winds with 15 points. He hit 7 field goals, 1 of 4 free throws and had 8 rebounds, 2 assists and 4 steals.
Close behind was Ticen Harper with 12 points. He hit 5 field goals and 2 of 4 free throws. He had 7 rebounds and 1 steal.
Chad Turner sank 9 points in the game. He had 3 three-pointers, 2 rebounds, 4 assists and 2 steals.
Adding 6 points each was Cody

Stovall and Justin McGuire. Stovall hit 3 field goals and had 4 rebounds, 2 assists and 2 steals. McGuire contributed 3 field goals and 2 rebounds.
Dusty Anderson sank 1 field goal and 2 of 2 free throws for a total of 4 points. He also had 3 rebounds, 3 assists and 2 steals.
Also contributing 4 points in the game was Jeff Lyles. He hit 2 field goals and had 4 rebounds, 3 assists and 3 steals.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Floydada	10	18	19	9
New Deal	22	24	11	7
Season Record:	8-9			
District Record:	0-1			

Whirlwinds rolls over the Ralls Jackrabbits 84-33

By Coach Stovall
The Whirlwinds traveled to Ralls on January 12 and came out with a huge win by a score of 84-33.
The Winds came out in the first quarter and scored a whopping 32 points. They had 5 players that scored in double digits.
Leading scorer for the Winds was Dusty Anderson with 18 points. He sank 6 field goals and 2 three-pointers. He was credited with 3 rebounds, 5 assists and 4 steals.
Close behind in scoring was Jeff Lyles and Darryl Henderson with 16 points each. Lyles hit 4 field goals, 2 three-pointers and 2 of 2 free throws. He also had 8 rebounds and 4 assists. Henderson contributed 6 field goals and 2 of 4 free throws. He had 9 rebounds, 5 assists and 2 steals.
Ticen Harper had a double-double for the night with 10 points and 10

rebounds. He hit 2 field goals and made 6 of 8 free throws. He had 1 assist and 4 steals.
Justin McGuire contributed 7 points to the scoreboard. He made 3 field goals and hit 1 of 2 free throws. He also was credited with 6 rebounds, 1 assist and 2 steals.
Cody Stovall also had 7 points. He hit 4 field goals and made 1 of 2 free throws. He also had 7 rebounds.
Rounding out the scoring for the Winds was Chad Turner with 6 points and J.J. Morales with 4 points. Turner made 1 field goal, 1 three-pointer and 1 of 2 free throws. Morales hit 2 field goals and had 3 rebounds.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Floydada	32	12	20	20
Ralls	10	13	4	6
Season Record:	9-9			
District Record:	1-1			

Whirlwind lifters place third at the Abernathy Meet

By Coach Kennedy
The Floydada Whirlwind Powerlifting Team finished third at the Abernathy Powerlifting Meet on January 16. The Whirlwind team totaled 31 points in the meet, just 1 point behind second place Muleshoe and 3 points behind meet winner Abernathy. Powerlifting coach David Kennedy stated, "We were very pleased with the effort of our lifters and we know that we will win some meets later in the season."

The Whirlwinds won three different weight classes and had several placings in other classes. Erick Arellano placed first in the 123 pound class with a total of 720 pounds. Lonny Nelson took top honors in the 132 pound class with a total of 870 pounds. Super Heavyweight lifter Patrick Odum was first with a total of 1245 pounds. Paul Vallejo amassed 1090 pounds to take fifth in the 114 pound class totaling 585 pounds. Corey Clemens totaled 920 pounds to take fourth in the 198 pound class. An 1110 pound total placed Brandon Wickware fourth in the 275 pound class. Marcos Riojas placed fourth in the Super Heavyweight class with a 1020 pound total.

According to Coach Kennedy, "This meet gave us a good idea of where we are and where we need to go. Every athlete that went to the meet came away knowing that he could lift more."
The Whirlwinds travel to Shallowater on January 30 for their next meet, then to Petersburg on February 13 before finishing at home on February 27.

- MEET RESULTS:**
Team Standings:
1. Abernathy - 34 points
2. Muleshoe - 32 points
3. Floydada - 31 points
4. Childress - 28 points
5. Shallowater - 27 points
6. Cooper - 24 points
7. Dimmitt - 12 points
8. Morton - 4 points
9. Petersburg - 3 points
10. Farewell - 1 point
- Floydada Individual Totals:**
(Squat+Bench+Deadlift=Total)
114's - 5th - Rudy Adam Arellano 190-130-265=585
123's - 1st - Erick Arellano - 240-150-330=720
132's - 1st - Lonny Nelson - 320-200-350=870
148's - Ty Hendrix - 270-185-320=775, Brady Yeary - 225-125-260=640, Sam Holmes - 190-130-275=595, Tye Wood - 175-130-230-535
165's - Tyrel Fuller - 300-230-400=930, Artemio Diaz - 310-195-350=855, John Dunavant - 250-215-350=815, David Rainwater - 265-165-330=760, Raphael Steiner - 200-150-310=660
181's - Jermaine Wickware - 275-175-350=800, Trey Holmes - 225-160-360=745, T.J. Fuller - 225-175-225=625
198's - 4th - Corey Clemens - 320-200-400=920, Shane Lloyd - 310-200-365=875, Freddy Garcia - 225-175-225=625
220's - 3rd - Paul Vallejo - 380-280-430=1090, Scot Holster - 280-180-385=845
275's - 4th - Brandon Wickware - 375-250-485=1100
S.H.W. - 1st - Patrick Odom - 485-280-500=1245, 4th - Marcos Riojas - 400-215-405=1020

Whirlwinds end regular season with win over Petersburg Buffs

By Coach Stovall
The FHS Whirlwinds played host to the Petersburg Buffaloes on January 5 and came out with a win by a score of 63-59.
The Winds had 3 players that scored in double digits. Jeff Lyles and Chad Turner both led the scoring drive for the Winds with 15 points each. Lyles hit 4 field goals, 2 three-pointers and 1 of 3 free throws. He also had 5 rebounds. Turner made 5 field goals, 1 three-pointer and 2 of 7 free throws. He had 5 rebounds, 4 assists and 2 steals.
Justin McGuire also scored in double digits with 12 points. He hit 6 field goals and 2 of 4 free throws. McGuire had 5 rebounds and 2 steals. Dusty Anderson sank 9 points for

the Winds. He sank 1 three-pointer and 6 of 6 free throws. He had 7 rebounds, 4 assists and 3 steals. Darryl Henderson made 6 points. He hit 3 field goals and had 8 rebounds, 3 assists and 3 steals.
Rounding out the scoring for the Winds was Ticen Harper and J.J. Morales with 3 points each. Harper hit 1 field goal and 1 of 2 free throws. He also had 2 rebounds, 1 assist, and 1 steal. Morales made 1 three-pointer and had 1 rebound and 1 assist.
Helping the Winds in rebounding was Cody Stovall with 3 rebounds and 1 assist.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Floydada	18	18	12	15
Petersburg	9	19	17	14
SEASON RECORD:	8-8			

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Floydada Girls Basketball Report

By Coach Fitzgerald
FLOYDADA 30
IDALOU 16
The Floydada's 9th grade girls basketball team continues their winning by a score of 30-16 over Idalou. They traveled to Idalou on December 14 and came out a big winner.
Leading the scoring was Tara Williams with 10 points. She sank 3 field goals and 4 free throws. Scoring 6 points each was Brenna Dawdy and Trisha Coursey. Dawdy hit 2 field goals and 2 free throws. Coursey hit 3 field goals.
Making 2 points each were Heather Ware, Samantha Ibarra, Aggabail Horn and Jenna Payne. They each made 1 field goal.
Their season record now stands at 5-1 and their district record is 4-0.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

FLOYDADA	6	6	4	14
IDALOU	6	4	3	3

FLOYDADA 31
ABERNATHY 22
The FHS 9th grade girls team played Abernathy on January 4, 1999 and came out winners by a score of 31-22.

This was a very physical and defensive game. We kept Abernathy scoreless in the 3rd quarter.
Scoring in double digits was Trisha Coursey with 15 points. She sank 4 field goals and 7 free throws.
Contributing 4 points each were Heather Ware and Jenna Payne. They both hit 2 field goals. Scoring 3 points was Robin Kirk. She made a three-pointer.
Rounding out the scoring with 2 points each were Ashley Hale and Jurabee Jones. They each hit 1 field goal. Making 1 point was Brenna Dawdy by hitting 1 free throw.
Their season record now stands at

8-1 and district record is a perfect 5-0.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

FLOYDADA	2	4	14	1
ABERNATHY	3	10	0	9

By Coach Ware
FJHS 19
TULIA 30
The 8th grade girls basketball team played Tulia on January 7 and came out on the short end by a score of 30-19.

Leading the scoring for the Breezers was Marisela Perez with 3 field goals for a total of 6 points. Scoring 4 points each was Rose Anne Soliz and Maggie Vick. Soliz hit 1 field goal and 2 free throws and Vick hit 2 field goals.
Rounding out the scoring with 2 points each was Adrianna Gonzales and LaRue Gilliland. Gonzales hit 1 field goal and Gilliland made 2 free throws.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Floydada	4	5	5	4
Tulia	14	2	10	4

FJHS 16
ABERNATHY 27
The FJHS 8th grade girls basketball team played Abernathy on January 4. Abernathy came out a winner by a score of 27-16.

Ragan Beedy had a good game by scoring 10 points. She hit 1 three-pointer, 3 two-pointers and 1 free throw. Yoland Burleson scored 4 points with 1 two-pointer and 2 free throws.
Scoring 2 points was Ashley Norrell. She made 1 field goal.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Floydada	0	4	10	2
Abernathy	7	1	8	11

FJHS 18
NEW DEAL 33
The 8th grade girls basketball team played New Deal on January 11.

This was a very physical game and we had two starters that were injured during the game. They were Ragan Beedy and Brooke Hayes.
Maggie Hilburn led the scoring with 7 points. She had 3 field goals and 1 free throw. Ragan Beedy made 3 field goals for a total of 6 points.
Scoring 3 points was Brooke Hayes. She hit 3 free throws. Laura Reedy also hit 2 free throws for a total of 2 points.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Floydada	3	2	0	13
New Deal	7	13	13	0

By Coach Ware
FJHS 38
ABERNATHY 5
The Floydada Junior High 7th grade girls played Abernathy on January 4 and held them to three scoreless quarters and 5 total points.

Scoring for the Breezers were Kim Bennett with 8 points. Contributing 6 points each were Erika Williams and Nikita Ledbetter.

Randilyn Jump and Becky Warren each hit 4 points. Scoring 3 points each were Courtney Campbell and Amanda DeChant. Hitting 2 points each was Alyssa Bennett and Veronica Garcia.

The girls season records now stands at 4-4.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Floydada	3	14	7	14
Abernathy	0	0	0	5

FJHS 32
TULIA 19
The 7th grade girl Breezers played Tulia on January 7 and came out with a big win.

Having a good game was Sandra Sanchez with 17 points. She hit 8 field goals and 1 free throw. Also scoring was Brittany Jones with 6 points. She made 3 field goals. Rounding out the scoring for the Breezers was Antoinette Acy hitting 2 field goals for a total score of 4 points and Tammy Lopez contributing 3 points from 1 field goal and 1 free throw.
All 7th grade green and white teams played together.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Floydada	16	10	6	0
Tulia	10	4	0	5

FJHS - 11
NEW DEAL 18
The FJHS 7th grade girls basketball team played New Deal on January 11 in a very physical game. The Breezers came up short by a score of 18-11.

Missing several free throws probably cost us the game. Scoring for the Breezers were Nikita Ledbetter with 1 field goal and 1 free throw for a total of 3 points.

Scoring 2 points each was Kember Bennett with 1 field goal, Alyssa Bennett with 1 field goal, Veronica Garcia with 1 field goal and Erika Williams with 2 free throws.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Floydada	3	4	3	1
New Deal	0	13	5	0



FLOYDADA JUNIOR HIGH GIRLS WIN MOTLEY CO. TOURNAMENT-FJHS-25, Motley Co.-22. (back row, l-r) Alyssa Bennett, Maggie Hilburn, Laura Reddy, Ashley Norrell, Brooke Hayes, Courtney Campbell, Veronica Garcia, Amanda Dechant, Erika Williams, (front row, l-r) Dora Ware, Ragan Beedy, Kimberly Bennett, Nikita Ledbetter and Kayla Stovall. Photo by Rhonda Stovall

FJHS girls win 1st at Motley Co.

By Coach Ware
FJHS 25
MOTLEY COUNTY 22
The FJHS 7th and 8th grade girls combined teams to play in the Motley County Jr. High Tournament and came out with a first place trophy after going into overtime. They played Motley County for first place on January 16.
Leading the scoring for the Breezers was Ragan Beedy with 7 points. She had 1 three-pointer, 1 field goal and 2 free throws. Laura Reddy had 6

points. She hit 2 field goals and 2 free throws.
Also contributing to the score was Kim Bennett. She sank 1 three-pointer and 1 field goal. Maggie Hilburn scored 4 points. She made 2 field goals.
Rounding out the scoring was Ashley Norrell with 2 points and Erika Williams with 1 point. Norrell hit 1 field goal with Williams hitting 1 free throw.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Floydada	2	3	6	8
Motley County	5	4	6	3

Lady Winds win first game of Littlefield tournament

By Coach Gleghorn
FHS LADY WINDS 41
CHILDRESS 29
The Lady Winds played Childress in their first game of the Littlefield Tournament on December 28.

We played well and came out on top by a score of 41-29.
Lana McCandless sank 6 field goals and 3 of 4 free throws for a total of 15 points. Kylan Sanders hit 1 field goal and 6 of 6 free throws for a total of 8 points.
Hitting 7 points was Gracie DeLeFente with 3 field goals and 1 of 2 free throws. Scoring 5 points was Amanda Williams with 1 field goal and 3 of 4 free throws. Jessica Castaneda made 4 points with 1 field goal and 1 free throw.
Scoring 2 points was Erin Ralston with 1 field goal.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

FLOYDADA	11	5	11	14
CHILDRESS	4	8	8	9

FHS LADY WINDS 50
LITTLEFIELD 52
The Lady Winds played Littlefield in their second game of the Littlefield tournament on December 29.

We had already beaten the Lady Cats earlier in the season but came out on the short end in overtime in this very physical game by a score of 50-52.
We had two girls score in double digits. They were Lana McCandless with 11 points. She hit 4 field goals and 3 of 4 free throws. Amanda Green also scored 10 points. She made 3 field goals and 4 of 6 free throws.
Jessica Castaneda scored 2 field goals and 4 of 7 free throws for a total of 8 points. Scoring 6 points was Amanda Williams by sinking 2 field

goals and 2 of 2 free throws.
Rounding out the scoring was Kylan Sanders with 4 points. She made 1 field goal and 2 of 2 free throws. Maria Rangel scored 3 points. She hit 3 of 5 free throws. And scoring 2 points each were Gracie DeLeFente and Mandy Emert. They both hit 1 field goal.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

FLOYDADA	6	19	4	8
LITTLEFIELD	7	7	10	14

FHS LADY WINDS 34
TULIA 39
The Lady Winds played Tulia on December 30 in their third game of the Littlefield Tournament.

Floydada played a very close game but came away with a loss by a score of 39-34.
Leading the scoring for the Lady Winds and getting a double-double was Lana McCandless. She made 11 points with 3 field goals and 5 of 12 free throws. She also turned in 13 rebounds of which 12 were defensive and 1 offensive.
Amanda Williams had a good game and turned in 9 points. She hit 9 of 10 free throws. She also had 2 defensive and 2 offensive rebounds.
Kylan Sanders hit 3 field goals and 1 of 4 free throws for a total of 7 points. Sanders also turned in 8 rebounds of which 6 were defensive and 2 offensive.

Turning in 3 points was Jessica Castaneda. She hit 1 three-pointer.
Rounding out the scoring for the Lady Winds with 2 points each were Maria Rangel and Amanda Green.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

FLOYDADA	12	11	5	3
TULIA	10	5	9	7

FJHS Boys Basketball Report

By Coach Evans
FJHS 38
NEW DEAL 24
The 7th grade Breezers continue to win. They hosted New Deal on January 11 and came out a winner in a very physical game.

Chris Wickware led the scoring with 6 field goals for a total of 12 points. Close behind in scoring was Daniel Garcia with 4 field goals for a total of 8 points.

Also contributing to the score was Gerald Henderson with 6 points. Henderson hit 3 field goals. Ross Bennett also made 5 points. He sank 2 field goals and 1 free throw.

Angelo Williams hit 2 field goals for a total of 4 points. Rounding out the scoring with 2 points each was Morgan Tijerina, Blake Pope and Joel Hernandez. They each made 1 field goal.

Season record now stands at 9-0 and district record is 6-0.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Floydada	12	10	13	3
New Deal	9	4	6	5

By Coach Evans
FJHS 50
NEW DEAL 33
The 8th grade Breezers came out winners in a physical game on January 11 when they played host to New Deal.

Brady Rainwater led the scoring for the Breezers with 9 points. He hit 1 field goal, 2 three-pointers and 1 free throw. Close behind in scoring with 8 points each was Trey Helms, Dustin Covington and Larry McNew. Helms made 3 field goals and 2 free throws. McNew hit 3 field goals and 2 free throws and Covington hit 4 field goals.

Scoring 4 points each was Andrew Arvizu, Bryce Bowley and Dustin Griggs. Arvizu hit 1 field goal and 2 free throws. Bowley and Griggs hit 2 field goals each.

Rounding out the scoring with 2 points each was David Rodriguez, Jacob Morales and Ruddy Castaneda scored 1 point. Rodriguez and Morales each hit 1 field goal and Castaneda hit 1 free throw.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Floydada	12	16	10	12
New Deal	7	6	5	15

Lady Horns place 2nd in Longhorn Classic

LOCKNEY--The Lockney Lady Horns placed second in their annual Longhorn Shootout. They defeated Motley County 80-40; Post 56-45; and Feil to Hart by one point, 49-50 in overtime.

LOCKNEY 80 MOTLEY COUNTY 40

Brandy Collins led the scoring for the Lady Horns with 21 points. She sank 7 field goals and 7 free throws. She is credited with 4 offensive rebounds, 3 defensive rebounds, 7 deflections, 1 steal and 2 assists.

Dana Martinez and Jenna Ford each added 14 points to the scoreboard. Ford made 7 field goals. She had 8 offensive rebounds and 2 defensive rebounds, 5 deflections, 3 steals and 2 assists. Martinez sank 6 field goals and 2 free throws. She had 1 offensive and 3 defensive rebounds, 9 steals, and 6 assists.

Nicole Mosley turned in 9 points with 4 field goals and 1 free throw. She had 7 deflections, 4 steals and 1 assist.

Adding 5 points each were Courtney Cummings, Tessa Davis, and Brooke Hooten. Cummings hit 5 free throws, 1 defensive rebound, 1 deflection, 2 steals and 2 assists; Davis made 1 field goal and 3 free throws, 1 offensive and 1 defensive rebound, and 2 deflections; Hooten hit 1 three-point and 1 two-point field goals, 2 deflections and 1 steal.

Meradith Burson contributed connected with 3 free throws. She had 2 offensive and 2 defensive rebounds, 4 steals and 3 assists.

Ally Clark and Michelle Smith made 1 free throw for two points each. Clark had 1 defensive rebound and 3 deflections. Smith had 3 defensive rebounds, 2 deflections and 1 assist.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney	16	22	14	18	80
Motley County	6	13	10	11	40

LOCKNEY 56 POST 45

Brandy Collins led the scoring in the second game of the tourney with 22 points. She made 10 field goals and 2 free throws. She made 9 offensive,

6 defensive rebounds, 5 deflections, and 1 steal.

Meradith Burson made 5 field goals and 2 free throws for 12 points. She had 2 offensive and 1 defensive rebound to her credit.

Dana Martinez sank 5 field goals for 10 points. She has 2 offensive and 2 defensive rebounds, 5 deflections and 1 steal.

Nicole Mosley made 2 field goals and 3 free throws for 7 points. She made 2 offensive and 1 defensive rebounds, 2 deflections and 2 steals.

Jenna Ford turned in 2 field goals for 4 points. She had 2 offensive and 2 defensive rebounds, 2 deflections and 1 steal.

Courtney Cummings hit 1 free throw for 1 point.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney	11	12	11	22	56
Post	7	13	8	17	45

LOCKNEY 49 HART 50

Brandy Collins led the scoring for the third time in the tournament. She racked up 15 points with 7 field goals and 1 free throw. She had 8 offensive and 7 defensive rebounds, 7 deflections, and 2 steals.

Nicole Mosley connected for 11 points. She made 4 field goals and 3 free throws. She made 3 offensive and 4 defensive rebounds, 2 deflections and 2 assists.

Jenna Ford added 8 points to the scoreboard with 2 field goals and 4 free throws. She made 5 offensive and 5 defensive rebounds, had 4 deflections, 3 steals and 1 assist.

Dana Martinez made 3 field goals for 6 points. She made 2 defensive rebounds, had 1 deflection, 1 steal and 5 assists.

Courtney Cummings sank 1 three-pointer and 1 two-pointer for 5 points. She had 3 defensive rebounds and 1 assist.

Tessa Davis added 4 points to the board with 2 field goals. She had 1 defensive rebound, 5 deflections and 1 steal.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney	7	15	8	15	49
Hart	14	3	10	18	50

Lady Horns win two and lose one in the Littlefield tournament

LOCKNEY--The Lockney Lady Horns traveled to Littlefield December 28, 29, 29 and 30th to participate in the Littlefield Tournament. They played Denver City, Olton and Tahoka and placed first in the consolation bracket.

LOCKNEY 34 DENVER CITY 49

The Lady Horns were on and off in their game with Denver City. They were down 15-4 in the first quarter, came back 14-5 in the second quarter, fell off again in the third 5-14 and were slightly down in the fourth 11-15.

Brandy Collins was the leading scorer for the Lady Horns. She made 12 points with 4 field goals and 4 free throws. She had 2 offensive and 8 defensive rebounds, 3 deflections and 5 steals to her credit.

Nicole Mosley hit 2 field goals and 5 free throws for 9 points. She had 2 offensive and 5 defensive rebounds, 6 deflections, and 1 steal. Jenna Ford contributed 6 points with 2 field goals and 2 free throws. She made 1 defensive rebound, and 1 assist.

Courtney Cummings was credited with 5 points. She had 2 field goals and 1 free throw, 1 offensive and 1 defensive rebounds, and 2 deflections. Dana Martinez made 1 field goal for 2 points. She contributed 2 defensive rebounds, 3 deflections, 5 steals, and 5 assists.

Meradith Burson was credited with 1 deflection, and 2 steals. Ally Clark had 1 deflection. Tessa Davis contributed 2 rebounds. Brooke Hooten added 1 assist and Michelle Smith was credited with 1 deflection.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney	4	14	5	11	34
Denver City	15	5	14	15	49

LOCKNEY 62 OLTON 53

The Lady Horns played a steady game against Olton and came out the winners in the first game of the consolation bracket.

Nicole Mosley led the scoring for the Lady Horns with 23 points. She made 8 field goals and 7 free throws. She had 2 defensive rebounds, 3 deflections, 1 steal, and 3 assists.

Brandy Collins added 14 points to the scoreboard with 7 field goals. She had 4 offensive and 6 defensive rebounds, 1 deflection, 2 steals and 1 assist. Jenna Ford sank 4 field goals and 2 free throws for 10 points. She had 1 offensive rebound, 4 deflec-

tions, 2 steals, and 1 assist.

Seven points were credited to Meradith Burson. She had 1 three-point and 2 two-point field goals, 1 defensive rebound and 2 assists. Six points were added by Dana Martinez. She contributed 1 field goal and 4 free throws. She had 2 offensive and 1 defensive rebound, 2 deflections, 1 steal and 8 assists.

Tessa Davis made a field goal for 2 points. She had 1 offensive and 1 defensive rebound as well as 1 deflection. Courtney Cummings was credited with 2 assists. Brooke Hooten added 1 assist to her tally sheet.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney	12	12	15	23	62
Olton	9	13	14	17	53

LOCKNEY 63 TAHOKA 41

The Lockney Lady Horns led in each of the four quarters as they defeated Tahoka in the final game of the Littlefield Tournament.

Brandy Collins led the scoring for the Lady Horns. She made 16 points with 6 field goals and 4 free throws. To her credit were 2 offensive and 8 defensive rebounds, 2 deflections, 1 steal and 1 assist.

Dana Martinez added 13 points to the board with 1 three-point, 1 two-point field goals and 8 free throws. She had 1 offensive and 2 defensive rebounds, 3 deflections, 5 steals, and 5 assists.

Nicole Mosley connected with 6 field goals for 12 points. She had 1 offensive and 4 defensive rebounds and 4 deflections.

Five points each were added by Meradith Burson and Tessa Davis. Burson made 1 three-point and 1 two-point field goals. She had 2 offensive rebounds, 3 deflections, 2 steals and 3 assists. Davis made 1 field goal and 3 free throws. She had 2 defensive rebounds and 1 assist.

Courtney Cummings and Jenna Ford each made 4 points with 2 field goals. Cummings added 1 offensive rebound to her tally sheet. Ford had 2 offensive and 2 defensive rebounds, and 2 deflections to her credit.

Brooke Hooten connected with 2 free throws and had 1 offensive rebound. Ally Clark had 2 defensive rebounds and Michelle Smith added 1 steal.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney	14	14	16	19	63
Tahoka	11	6	15	9	41

SPORTS

Lockney Lady Horns defeat Floydada Lady Winds 51-39

LADY HORNS DEFEAT LADY WINDS 51-39

LOCKNEY--The Lockney Lady Horns defeated the Lady Winds 51-39 in a district game played January 15 in Whirlwind Gym.

Nicole Mosley led the scoring for the Lady Horns with 17 points. She put 1 three-point and 5 two-point field goals on the board and 4 free throws. She had 1 offensive and 4 defensive rebounds, 1 deflection, and 1 steal.

Courtney Cummings made 2 field goals and 5 free throws for 9 points. She had 1 offensive rebound and 1 steal.

Tessa Davis scored 8 points with 3 field goals and 2 free throws. She had 1 offensive and 1 defensive rebound,

and 1 deflection.

Brandy Collins made 2 field goals and 2 free throws for 6 points. She had 2 offensive and 6 defensive rebounds, 2 deflections, 2 steals and 2 assists.

Jenna Ford made 2 field goals for 4 points. She had 3 offensive and 6 defensive rebounds, 3 deflections, 2 steals and 3 assists. Dana Martinez made 1 field goal and 1 free throw for 3 points. She had 1 offensive and 2 defensive rebounds, 7 deflections, 4 steals and 2 assists.

Two points each were added by Meradith Burson and Brooke Hooten. Burson had 1 field goal 1 offensive and 3 defensive rebounds, 1 deflection, 3 steals and 1 assist. Hooten made 2 free throws. She had 1 defensive rebound.

Lady Horns downed by Idalou

LOCKNEY--The Lockney Lady Horns were downed by Idalou 40-31 in a district game played January 12 in the Longhorn Gym.

Jenna Ford put 8 points on the scoreboard to lead the Lady Horns in their effort. She made 1 three-point, 1 two-point field goals and 3 field goals. She had 5 defensive rebounds and 2 steals.

Nicole Mosley added 7 points to the score board with 1 three-point and 1 two-point field goals and 2 free throws. She had 1 offensive and 3

defensive rebounds and 3 steals.

Brandy Collins made 3 field goals for 6 points. She had 2 offensive and 5 defensive rebounds and 1 steal.

Dana Martinez score 5 points with 2 field goals and 1 free throw. She had 2 offensive and 1 defensive rebounds, 1 deflection and 1 assist.

Brooke Hooten hit 2 free throws. Tessa Davis added 1 free throw and she had 1 steal.

Meradith Burson had 1 defensive rebound. Courtney Cummings had 2 offensive rebounds, and 1 deflection.

Lockney Boys Basketball Report

LOCKNEY JV BOYS

LOCKNEY 35 FLOYDADA 31

The Lockney boys junior varsity team barely defeated Floydada on January 15 in Whirlwind Gym.

Jessie Ledesma led the scoring with 11 points. He made 3 field goals and hit 5 free throws.

Jeremy Butler added 8 points to the scoreboard with 3 field goals and 2 free throws. Aaron Dietrich made 7 points with 3 field goals and 1 free throw.

Chase Graves added 5 points with 1 three-point and 1 two-point field goal. Kelsey Schumacher had 1 three-point field goal for 3 points.

Anthony Garza added a free throw to the tally.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney	5	20	26	35
Floydada	8	16	22	31

LOCKNEY 49 RALLS 20

The Lockney boys Jv team rolled over the Ralls Jackrabbits 49-20 in their January 8 game.

Jessie Ledesma score in double digits to lead the scoring for the Horns. He made 5 field goals and 2 free throws for 12 points.

Also scoring in double digits with 10 points was Kris Jones. He made 4 field goals and 2 free throws. Kelsey Schumacher scored 2 field goals and 5 free throws for 9 points.

Aaron Dietrich hit 3 field goals and 1 free throw for 7 points. Anthony Garza contributed 2 field goals for 4 points. Marcus Fierros sank 1 three point field goal for 3 points. Adding 2 points each were Chase Graves and Jeremy Butler. Both made a field goal.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney	18	20	35	49
Ralls	15	15	17	20

LOCKNEY 47 ROOSEVELT 43

The Lockney JV team squeaked by the guys from Roosevelt on January 5, 47-43.

Leading the scoring for the Horns was Kris Jones with 12 points. He made 5 field goals and 2 free throws.

Aaron Dietrich added 10 points to the scoreboard with 5 field goals. Nine points were contributed by Jessie Ledesma. He made 4 field goals and 1 free throw.

Kelsey Schumacher hit 2 field goals and 1 free throw for 5 points. Martinez scored 4 points with 2 field goals. Chase Graves sank 1 field goal and 1 free throw for 3 points.

Two points each were added by Anthony Garza and Jeremy Butler. Each had a field goal.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney	9	23	35	47
Roosevelt	11	19	26	43

LOCKNEY 8TH GRADE BOYS

LOCKNEY 16 RALLS 46

The Lockney boys 8th grade basketball team were felled by the boys from Ralls on January 11.

Todd Cotham led the scoring with 2 field goals and 1 free throw for 5 points.

Cody Lass scored 4 points with 1 field goal and 2 free throws.

Garrett Mathis added 1 field goal to the score and adding 1 point each with free throws were Ben Sherman and Cody Bayley.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney	3	6	8	16
Ralls	8	21	34	46

LOCKNEY 20 NEW DEAL 35

The Lockney 8th Grade Shorthorns slipped to New Deal in their January 4th game.

Ben Sherman scored in double digits to lead the scoring with 12 points. He made 4 field goals and 4 free throws.

Four points each were scored by Matt McPherson and Todd Cotham. Each hit 2 field goals.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney	4	12	16	20
New Deal	12	16	22	35

LOCKNEY 7TH GRADE BOYS

LOCKNEY 31 RALLS 28

The 7th grade Shorthorns were leading the scoring when the final buzzer sounded. They defeated Ralls on January 11, 31-28.

Kirk Wilson added 19 points to the scoreboard to lead the scoring for the 7th grade Shorthorns. He made 9 field goals and 1 free throw.

Jeran Butler added 5 points with 2 field goals and 1 free throw. Ty Arjona added three points. He made 1 field goal and 1 free throw.

Paul Amador and Sergio Solis each made 1 field goal for 2 points.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney	10	17	28	31
Ralls	6	11	14	28

LOCKNEY 39 NEW DEAL 11

The 7th Grade Lockney Shorthorns came home from New Deal January 4 with a substantial win under their belt. They defeated the Lions 39-11.

Jeran Butler was the leading scorer for the Shorthorns. He made 5 field goals and 2 free throws for 12 points.

Also scoring in double digits was Kirk Wilson with 10 points. He made 4 field goals and 2 free throws. Michael Martinez scored 5 points with 2 field goals and a free throw. Two points were scored by Ty Arjona.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney	9	17	21	39
New Deal	8	9	11	11

Longhorns take district win over Whirlwinds

LONGHORNS DEFEAT WHIRLWINDS 72-64

LOCKNEY--The Lockney Longhorns defeated the Floydada Whirlwinds in district play on January 15 in Whirlwind Gym.

Thad Lusk led the scoring for the Horns with 20 points. He made 9 field goals and 2 free throws. He had 7 defensive rebounds 2 blocked shots, 1 steal and 2 assists.

Calvin Collins followed closely with 19 points. He sank 4 field goals and had 11 free throws. He had 7 defensive rebounds, and 4 steals.

Ryan Graves made 4 three-point and 1 two-point field goals and 1 free throw for a total of 15 points. He had 4 defensive rebounds and 2 blocked shots.

Josh Quebe made 8 points with 3 field goals and 2 free throws. He had 1 defensive rebound, 1 blocked shot, 2 steals and 1 assist.

Daniel Banda contributed 7 points to the scoreboard with 1 three-point field goal and 4 free throws. He made 4 defensive rebounds and 2 steals.

Three points were racked up by Mo Collins with 1 field goal and 1 free throw. He had 1 defensive rebound, 3 steals and 1 assist.

Idalou rolls over Lockney

IDALOU COMES ON STRONG TO WIN 82-70

LOCKNEY--Idalou struck it hot and the Longhorns couldn't quite catch up. The game was played January 12 in Longhorn Gym.

Calvin Collins put 26 points on the board to lead the lead the scoring for the Horns. He made 2 three-point, 7 two-point field goals and 6 free throws.

Thad Lusk followed with 23 points.

He made 1 three-point, 7 two-point field goals and 6 free throws.

Mo Collins tipped the scale with 9 points. He had 3 field goals and 3 free throws.

Adding 5 points to the board was Daniel Banda. He made 1 field goal and 3 free throws.

Ryan Graves contributed 4 points with 1 three-point field goal and 1 free throw.

Josh Quebe made 1 field goal and 1 free throw for 3 points.

Lady Horns slide past Lorenzo

LOCKNEY--The Lockney Lady Horns slid by Lorenzo in the December 18 game played in the Longhorn Gym. Lorenzo led the first two quarters and Lockney the last two quarters.

Brandy Collins led the scoring for the Lady Horns with 14 points. She sank 7 field goals and was credited with 4 offensive and 8 defensive rebounds, 1 deflection, 3 steals and 1 assist.

Jenna Ford made 5 field goals and 1 free throw for 11 points. She had 4 offensive and 3 defensive rebounds, 2 deflections, 2 steals and 2 assists.

Nicole Mosley hit 4 field goals and 2 free throws for 10 points. She had 1

offensive rebound, 6 defensive rebounds, 2 deflections, and 3 steals.

Dana Martinez added a field goal and a free throw to the scoreboard for 3 points. She had 2 offensive and 2 defensive rebounds, 3 deflections, 2 steals and 5 assists.

Two points each were added by Meradith Burson and Courtney Cummings. Each made a field goal. Burson had 1 offensive and 1 defensive rebounds, 2 steals and 1 assist. Cummings had 1 deflection and 1 assist.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney	9	10	11	12	42
Lorenzo	14	12	3	9	38

JHS Senior '99 Spotlight

Meredith Schacht is the daughter of Judy and Clar Schacht. Her most significant accomplishment is being in National Honor Society and the Area I First Vice President.

Her favorite color is navy. She likes making scrapbooks and being with friends. What she remembers most... the Ag. trips, contests and conventions. After graduation Meredith plans to attend Texas Tech and major in Ag. communications.

Poster contest open to elementary and junior high students

State Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander is inviting Texas elementary and middle/junior high school students to participate in the third annual Texas Tomorrow fund Poster Contest by sending a drawing of their dream career.

The contest is open to all Texas students enrolled in elementary and middle/junior high schools. One grand prize winner from the elementary school and one from the middle/junior high school category will be chosen and each will receive a four-year Texas Tomorrow Fund scholarship, covering the student's tuition and required fees at any public senior university in Texas.

"Previous contests have drawn thousands of entries-proving that children are never too young to dream about their careers or going to college," Comptroller Rylander said.

The deadline for poster entries is Tuesday, January 26, 1999. The winners will be announced on Thursday, February 11.

The Texas Tomorrow Fund, the state's innovative prepaid tuition plan, can help parents, grandparents and others plan now for future college costs. The current enrollment period for the program runs through February 18, 1999. The program allows families to lock in the costs of their children's future college tuition and required fees for about what they would pay today.

For more information about the Texas Tomorrow Fund or the poster contest call toll-free 1-800-445-GRAD (4723).

Cody Stovall, is the son of Rhonda and Larry Stovall. His most significant accomplishment is "helping lead the 1998 Whirlwinds to the playoffs in football or being on the mile relay teams at regionals." Cody's favorite movie is "Top Gun." After graduation he plans to attend Angelo State in San Angelo to get the basics and then to transfer to Texas Tech and major in business marketing. Cody hopes to pursue a career in sports marketing.

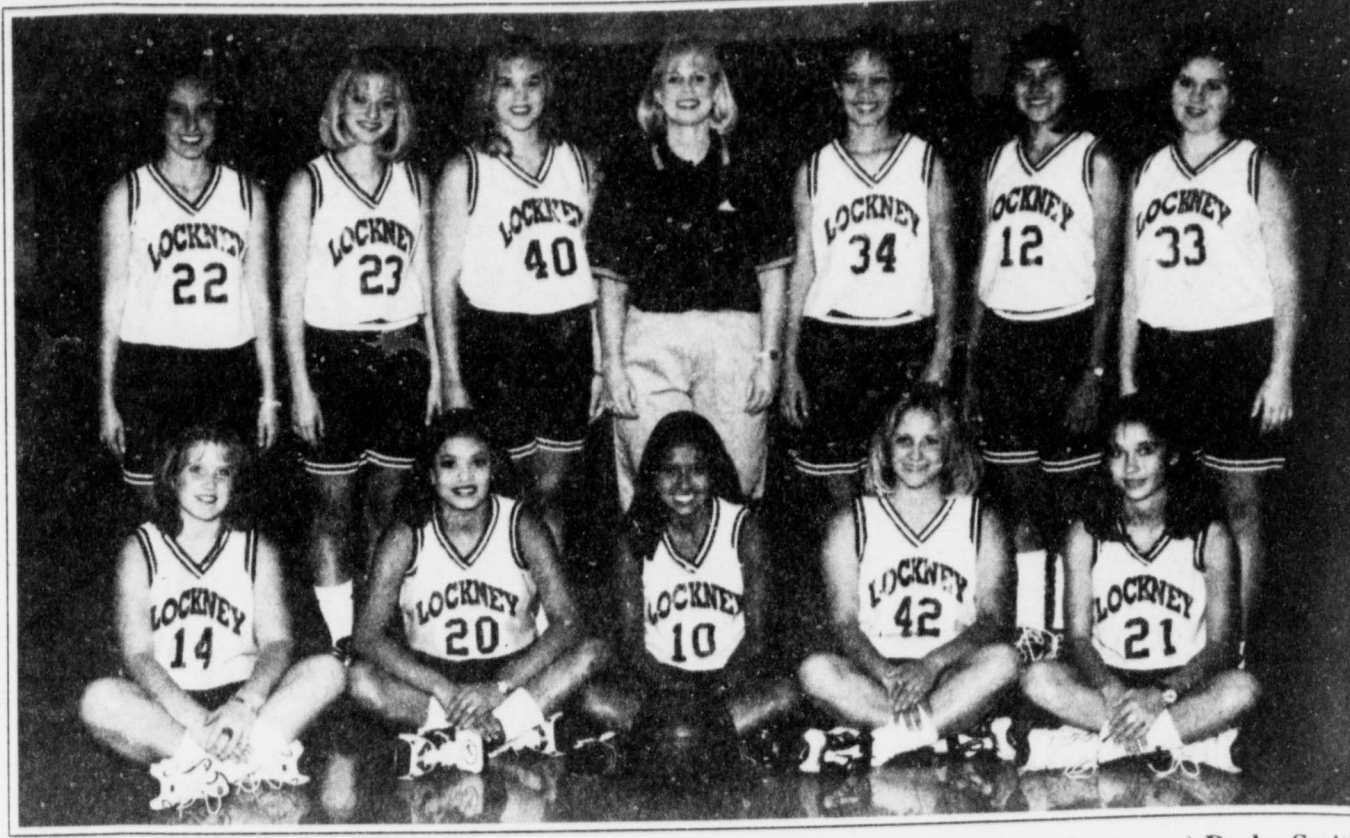
Oscar Sanchez, Jr., is the son of Dalia and Oscar Sanchez. His most significant accomplishment is "not dropping out of high school" and getting his diploma. Oscar's favorite food is pizza



1998-99 L.JHS 8TH GRADE LADY SHORTHORNS--Members of the 8th grade basketball team are (l-r, back row) Katie Kelley, manager; Sabrina Gross, Jatie Dietrich, Ashlie Cuellar, Leslie Cuellar, Cameron Kemp, Laci Schumacher, Tasha Powell, Coach Lisa

Schumacher, (l-r, middle row) April Dorman, Jane Hrbacek, Kayla Graves, Nicole Thomas, Amanda Huddleston;; (l-r, front) Vanessa Luebano and Katie Austin.

Photo by Bobby Hall



1998-99 LOCKNEY JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM--Members of the JV Lady Horns are (l-r, back row) Karlon Hooten, Shayla Brewer, Traci McQuhae, Coach Schumacher, Holly Arjona, Susie

Tambunga, Lexi Jones; (l-r, front row) Desha Smith, Elizabeth Torrez, Lorena Bernal, Isabel Villarreal, and Christina Amador.

Photo by Bobby Hall

Lockney Girls Basketball Report

LOCKNEY JV GIRLS LOCKNEY 43 ROOSEVELT 49

The Lockney JV girls were down six points at the final buzzer in their January 5 game against Roosevelt.

Karlton Hooten led the scoring for the Lady Horns. She tallied 12 points with 5 field goals and 2 free throws.

Six points each were garnered by Lexi Jones and Shayla Brewer. Brewer made 6 free throws and Jones 2 field goals and 2 free throws.

Elizabeth Torres and Traci McQuhae added five points each. Both had 2 field goals and 1 free throw.

Isabel Villarreal made 1 field goal and 2 free throws for 4 points. Three points were added by Holly Arjona with a field goal and a free throw. Chris Amador contributed 2 points with a field goal.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney 8 17 30 43

Roosevelt 11 26 36 49

LOCKNEY 48 RALLS 10

The Lady Horns JV team steamrolled Ralls in their January 8th game in the Longhorn Gym.

Elizabeth Torres made 10 points to lead the scoring for the girls. She had 5 field goals.

Karlton Hooten racked up 9 points with 1 three-point, 2 two-point field goals and 2 free throws.

Lexi Jones hit 3 field goals for 6 points. Adding 5 to the scoreboard was Cris Amador and Traci McQuhae. Amador made 1 three-point and 1 two-point. McQuhae sank 2 field goals and 1 free throw.

Holly Arjona made 2 field goals for 4 points. Lorena Bernal made 1 field goal and 1 free throw for three.

Susie Tambunga, Desha Smith, and Isabel Villarreal each contributed 2 points. Tambunga and Villarreal each made a field goal and Smith made 2 free throws.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney 15 25 36 48

Ralls 2 4 8 10

NINTH GRADE LADY SHORTHORNS LOCKNEY 48 KRESS 22

The ninth grade girls basketball team walked on Kress on the Lady Roos home court. Scoring in double digits were Vanessa Walker and Alana Gallaway.

Walker scored 18 points with 8 field goals and 2 free throws to lead the scoring for the girls.

Gallaway made 10 points with 5 field goals.

Scoring 4 points each with field goals were Jet Gilly, Velvet Johnson, Amber Wood, Linsi Jones and Sara Davis.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney 8 26 36 48

Kress 4 6 14 22

LOCKNEY 42 RALLS 33

The score on the board at the end of the 9th grade girls basketball game against Ralls showed 42-33.

Vanessa Walker led the scoring again with double digits. She made 6 field goals and 2 free throws for 14 points.

Alana Gallaway scored 9 points with 1 three-point and 3 two-point field goals. Linsi Jones hit 1 three-point and 2 two-point field goal for 7 points.

Six points was contributed by Velvet Johnson with 2 field goals and 2 free throws. Sara Davis added three points with a field goal and a free throw. Amber Wood sank a field goal for 2.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney 9 20 32 42

Ralls 4 17 25 33

LOCKNEY 28 IDALOU 38

A chilly second and fourth quarter kept the 9th grade Lady Shorthorns out of the winning circle. The final score showed the Idalou girls ahead 38-32.

Vanessa Walker came home with 12 points to her credit. She made 5 field goals and 2 free throws.

Alana Gallaway added 7 points with 3 field goals and 1 free throw.

Contributing 3 points each were Jet Gilly and Sara Davis. Both had a field goal and a free throw.

Margaret Blanco made a field goal for 2 points and Linsi Jones sank a free throw for 1 point.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney 8 14 24 28

Idalou 6 18 31 38

LOCKNEY 21 FLOYDADA 35

Floydada came on strong on their home court and the 9th grade girls fell 21-35.

Vanessa Walker scored 7 points with 3 field goals and a free throw. Alana Gallaway scored 3 field goals for 6 points.

Velvet Johnson hit 2 field goals for 4 points. Linsi Jones and Sara Davis added 2 points each with field goals.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney 8 10 14 21

Floydada 9 19 28 35

LOCKNEY 36 ABERNATHY 40

Two points in each of the last two quarters cost Lockney their game against the 9th grade girls from Abernathy.

Vanessa Walker scored 14 points with 7 field goals. Sara Davis added 8 points with 4 field goals.

Scoring 4 points each were Jet Gilly with a field goal and 2 free throws and Amber Wood with 2 field goals.

Alana Gallaway made 1 free throw and 1 field goal for 3 points. Velvet Johnson contributed a free throw for 1 point.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney 6 15 24 36

Abernathy 6 13 26 40

LOCKNEY 30 NEW DEAL 15

The Lockney 9th grade girls came back strong after the holidays. They trounced New Deal 30-15 on January 4.

Vanessa Walker led the scoring for the Lockney girls. She made 3 field goals and 2 free throws for 8 points.

Velvet Johnson made 3 field goals for 6 points. Alana Gallaway and Jet Gilly added 4 points each with 2 field goals.

Contributing 3 points each were Amber Wood and Sara Davis. They each made 1 field goal and 1 free throw. Linsi Jones sank 2 free throws for 2 points.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney 2 6 18 30

New Deal 2 3 8 15

LOCKNEY 20 RALLS 19

The Lockney 9th grade girls basketball team were one point ahead of the Ralls girls when the final buzzer sounded. The game was played January 11 in the Longhorn Gym.

Leading the scoring with 7 points each were Vanessa Walker and Amber Wood. Both girls had 3 field goals and 1 free throw.

Scoring two points each with field goals were Jet Gilly, Linsi Jones and Sara Davis.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney 4 8 10 20

Ralls 4 8 17 19

8TH GRADE LADY SHORTHORNS LOCKNEY 44 NEW DEAL 35

The Lockney 8th grade girls team won their first game after Christmas. The girls defeated New Deal by a score of 44-35. They played the game on their home court.

Jane Hrbacek led the scoring with 12 points. She made 2 field goals and sank 8 field goals.

Scoring 10 points each were Laci Schumacher and Leslie Cuellar. Schumacher hit 4 field goals and 2 free throws. Cuellar sank 5 field goals.

Sabrina Gross scored 8 points with 4 field goals. Ashley Cuellar added 4 points with 2 field goals.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney 7 22 36 44

New Deal 10 22 32 35

LOCKNEY 39 RALLS 28

The 8th Grade Lockney Lady Shorthorns defeated Ralls 39-28 in the Longhorn Gym on January 11.

Leslie Cuellar and Jane Hrbacek led the scoring with 8 points each. They both made 4 field goals.

Racking up 6 points each were Sabrina Gross and Vanessa Luebano. They each made 3 field goals.

Ashlie Cuellar made 5 points with 2 field goals and 1 free throw.

Scoring two points each were April Dorman, Jatie Dietrich and Laci Schumacher. Dorman and Dietrich made field goals and Schumacher free throws.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney 6 22 30 39

Ralls 4 8 20 28

7TH GRADE LADY SHORTHORNS LOCKNEY 6 NEW DEAL 34

The 7th grade girls from Lockney came up short on the scoreboard in their game with New Deal on January 4.

Mandy Hancock led the scoring with 3 points. She made 1 field goal and 1 free throw.

Melissa Hernandez hit 1 field goal for 2 points and Rose Anna Castillo sank a free throw for 1 point.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney 2 3 5 6

New Deal 18 24 30 34

LOCKNEY 5 RALLS 46

The Lockney 7th grade Lady Shorthorns were defeated by the girls from Ralls in Longhorn Gym on January 11.

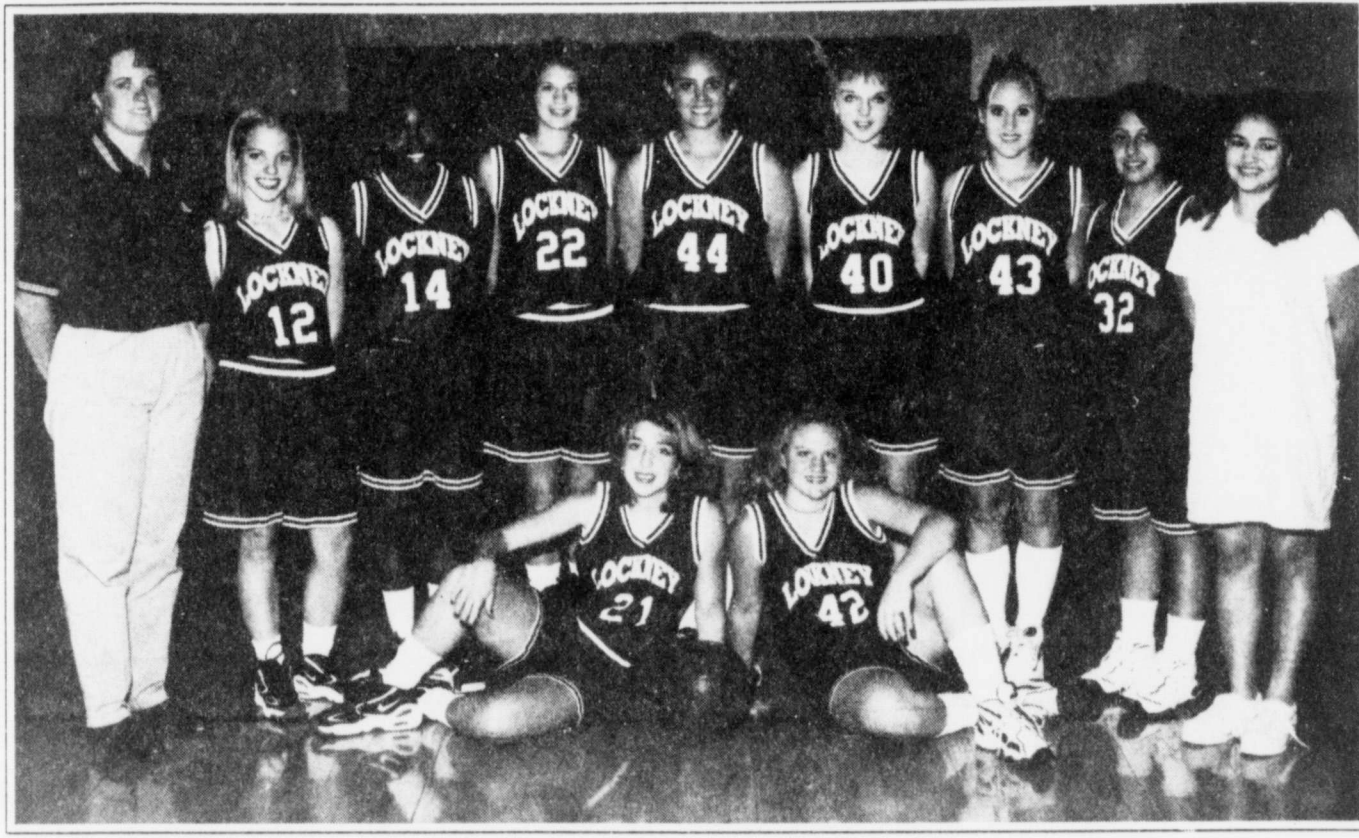
The Lockney girls scores were all free throws.

Britta McDonald hit two for 2 points, Maricruz Ramirez, Melissa Hernandez and Cheryl Reed each had 1 point.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney 1 3 3 5

Ralls 16 30 39 46



1998-99 NINTH GRADE LADY HORNS--Members of the 9th grade girls basketball team at Lockney High School are (l-r, back row) Alana Gallaway, Vanessa

Walker, Velvet Johnson, Trisha Day, Amber Wood, Sara Davis, Margaret Blanco, Mary Lou Zavala; (l-r, front row) Jet Gilly and Linsi Jones.

Photo by Bobby Hall

Shorthorns get three "2nd's" and one "3rd" in Lockney Tourney

LOCKNEY--The seventh and eighth grade basketball teams at Lockney Junior High held their annual tournament last weekend. Other teams entered in the tournament were Petersburg and Tulia. Results are as follows.

8TH GRADE BOYS LOCKNEY 34 PETERSBURG 25

The Lockney 8th grade Shorthorn team defeated Petersburg 34-25. Leading the scoring with 8 points each were Cody Lass and Todd Cotham. Lass sank 1 two-point and 1 three-point field goals and 3 free throws. Cotham sank 4 field goals.

Garrett Mathis and Ben Sherman each made 6 points. Mathis hit 3 field goals and Sherman 1 field goal and 4 free throws.

Matt McPherson hit 2 field goals for 4 points and Landon Schumacher made 1 field goal for 2 points.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney 9 18 25 34

Petersburg 6 16 21 25

LOCKNEY 26 TULIA 35

The Lockney 8th grade boys got behind in the second quarter and could not catch up. They fell to Tulia 35-26.

Ben Sherman led the scoring for the Shorthorns with 12 points. He made 5 field goals and 2 free throws.

Scoring 4 points each were Matt McPherson, Cody Lass, and Todd Cotham. McPherson and Lass each made 1 field goal and 2 free throws. Cotham hit 2 field goals.

Cody Bayley added 2 points with a field goal.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Lockney 8 16 20 26

Tulia 7 20 28 35

8TH GRADE GIRLS LOCKNEY 42 PETERSBURG 21

The 8th Grade Lady Shorthorns

defeated Petersburg 42-21. Leslie Cuellar hit 6 field goals for 12 points. She led the scoring for the Lady Shorthorns.

Jane Hrbacek scored 9 points with 4 field goals and 1 free throw. Sabrina Gross scored 8 points with 4 field goals.

Laci Schumacher hit 3 field goals and 1 free throw for 7 points. Jatie Dietrich sank 3 field goals for 6 points.

SCORES BY QUARTERS
Lockney 17 27 32 42
Petersburg 2 6 9 21

LOCKNEY 35 TULIA 40

The 8th grade Lady Shorthorn game against Tulia went into overtime and the Tulia girls pulled ahead to win 40-35.

Ashlie Cuellar led the scoring with 13 points. She made 6 field goals and 1 free throw.

Jane Hrbacek scored 9 points with 3 field goals and 3 free throws. Leslie Cuellar added 7 points to the board with 3 field goals and 1 free throw.

Sabrina Gross made 2 field goals for 4 points and Vanessa Luebano added 2 points with a field goal.

SCORES BY QUARTERS
Lockney 10 18 24 33 35
Tulia 6 12 21 33 40

7TH GRADE BOYS LOCKNEY 36 PETERSBURG 14

The 7th Grade Shorthorns rolled over Petersburg 36-14.

Kirk Wilson led the scoring with 20 points. He made 1 three-point and 7 two-point field goals and 3 free throws.

Paul Amador added 8 points with 3 field goals and 2 free throws. Justin Wright contributed 4 points with 1 field goal and 2 free throws.

Ty Arjona made 2 free throws for 2

points and 1 point each was added by Jeran Butler and Cody Gardner.

SCORES BY QUARTERS
Lockney 9 24 31 36
Petersburg 0 5 0 14

LOCKNEY 27 TULIA 35

Tulia defeated the 7th Grade Shorthorns 35-27.

Kirk Wilson led the scoring for the Shorthorns with 19 points. He made 8 field goals and 2 free throws.

Tye Arjona made 2 field goals and 2 free throws for 6 points and Jeran Butler added a field goal for 2.

SCORES BY QUARTERS
Lockney 3 14 19 27
Tulia 12 17 25 35

7TH GRADE GIRLS LOCKNEY 12 PETERSBURG 56

The 7th Grade Girls Lady Shorthorns fell to the Petersburg girls 12-56.

Melissa Hernandez led the scoring for the Lady Shorthorns with 8 points. She made 3 field goals and 2 free throws.

Adding 2 points each were Britta McDonald and Tiffany Taylor. Each had a field goal.

SCORES BY QUARTERS
Lockney 0 2 8 12
Petersburg 14 28 38 56

LOCKNEY 23 TULIA 19

The 7th Grade Lady Shorthorns won their game with Tulia 23-19.

Leading the scoring was Melissa Hernandez. She scored 16 points with 8 field goals and 1 free throw for 5 points and Britta McDonald contributed 2 points with a field goal.

SCORES BY QUARTERS
Lockney 6 13 23 23
Tulia 4 11 15 19

Submit photo along with child's name, age, parents, grandparents & publication fee to

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Thursday, February 4th

Brag Pages will be published Thursday, February 12th!

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Cost will be \$10.00 (small heart)

for 1-3 persons in photo

\$15.00 (large heart)

for 4 or more persons in one photo





LOCKNEY BOY SCOUT TROOP 259---(L to R) Wade Miller, Danny Huggins, Brandon Hennagan and Jeffrey Hunter.

Lockney Scouts go snow skiing

Lockney Boy Scout Troop 259 recently took a skiing weekend and went to Sipapu Ski Lodge in New Mexico. The lodge is located only a few miles from Tres Ritos and the South Plains Council Boy Scout summer camp, where the boys have spent the last several summers.

The group arrived at the lodge on Friday night in time to relax a little before going to bed. They were up bright and early on Saturday to be "the first ones on the ski lift." By the end of the day they were four very tired young men. Needless to say, the trip home the next day was a lot quieter than the trip to the lodge.

The four boys who made the trip were: Wade Miller, Danny Huggins, Brandon Hennagan and Jeffrey Hunter. They were accompanied by scout leaders Bill Hunter and Jim Huggins and their wives Kathy and Carol.



FLOYDADA JUNIOR HIGH "A" HONOR ROLL- Congratulation to those making the "A" Honor Roll this past six weeks. They are:(back row, l-r) Bryce Bowley, Courtney Campbell, Chance Crossland, Amanda Dechant, Melissa Dunlap, Chelsea Kirk, Molly Long, (front row, l-r) Lindsey Nutt, Sylvia Mancillo, Denise Rainwater, Jessica Rodriguez, Janna Szydoski and Becky Warren. Staff Photo

LOCKNEY HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

Third Six Weeks

"A"
Grade 12: Lacey Aston, Thad Lusk, Sarah Martin, Lindi Miller, Michelle Smith, Jeremy Stapp, Kenzie Stapp, Marc Wilson.
Grade 11: Meradith Burson, Courtney Cummings, Danny Huggins, Kristen Kellison, Lauren Mangold, David Martinez, Nicole Mosley.
Grade 10: Holli Carthel, Brandon Hennagan, Karon Hooten, Jeffrey Hunter, Lexi Jones, Valentina Salazar, Melissa Schaeffer.
Grade 9: Margarita Blanco, Alana Gallaway, Melanie Huggins.
"B"
Grade 12: Eddie Amaya, Daniel Banda, Amber Brown, Calvin Collins, Eliza Cuellar, Amy Davis, Ryan Graves, Cassidy Hill, Aracelia Martinez, Dana Martinez, Brett McQuhae, Tori Minick, Lilita Mondragon, April Ochoa, Priscilla Perales, Jolie Robnett, Rosario Rodriguez, Tessa Stapp, Miguel Vargas, Amber Waller, Ana Zavala.
Grade 11: Allyson Clark, Jennifer Graves, Yara Guerrero, Brooke Hooten, Adam Jones, Jessie Ledesma, Kaci McLain, Melissa Sisk, Anna Tambunga, Amanda Thompson, Isabell Villarreal.
Grade 10: Holly Arjona, Brittany Aston, Lacy Austin, Lucy Bernal, Justin Brown, Jeremy Butler, Tyler Bybee, Aaron Dietrich, Chase Graves, Lindsey Mathis, Traei McQuhae, Kelsey Schumacher, Desha Smith, Heath Stoerner, Jarrett Thornton.
Grade 9: Brandon Alvis, Mo Collins, Kelly Crawford, Trisha Day, Jenna Ford, Chad Johnson, Velvet Johnson, Linsi Jones, Esmerelda Luna, Lindsay Mayo, Wade Miller, Elizabeth O'Connell, Emmanuel Ramirez, Shane Rowell, Tyrell Stapp, Vanessa Walker, Amber Wood, Kacie Young.

Floydada School Menu

January 25-29

Monday
Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, milk, juice.
Lunch: Chicken patty, mashed potatoes, green beans, peaches, hot roll, milk.

Tuesday
Breakfast: Rice cereal, toast, milk, juice.
Lunch: Frito pie, pickle spears, corn, pears, cornbread, milk.

Wednesday
Breakfast: Scrambled eggs, toast, milk, juice.
Lunch: Chicken spaghetti, peas, carrots, chocolate pudding, hot roll, milk.

Thursday
Breakfast: Pancakes, syrup, milk.
Lunch: Taco salad, pinto beans, tossed salad, fruit cup, cornbread, milk.

Friday
Breakfast: Cereal, graham crackers, milk, juice.
Lunch: Chili dog, french fries, tossed salad, cobbler, milk.

Lockney School Menu

January 25-29

Monday
Breakfast: Sausage, cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch: Steak fingers/Corndog, mashed potatoes, gravy, broccoli, fruit, hot rolls, milk.

Tuesday
Breakfast: Scrambled eggs, cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch: Beef Taco/PBJ sandwich, salad, pinto beans, fruit, milk.

Wednesday
Breakfast: Donut, cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch: Pig-in-a blanket/Tuna Sandwich, corn, sweet potatoes, fruit, milk.

Thursday
Breakfast: Rice, cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch: Chicken Spaghetti/Ham & Cheese on bun, salad, green beans, fruit, milk, Italian bread.

Friday
Breakfast: Cinnamon rolls, cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch: Hamburger/PBJ Sandwich, french fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, fruit, milk.

FLOYDADA HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

3rd Six Weeks Faculty List (grades above 90)
Grade 12: John Dunavant, Royanne Mercado, Meredith Schacht, Raphael Steiner
Grade 11: Corey Clemens, Daniel Dotson, Miranda Emert, Cesar Garcia, Dustin Jones, Christine Pesina, Kylan Sanders
Grade 10: Clinton Fyffe
Grade 9: Brenna Dawdy, Sean Holster, Abigail Horn, Erin Houchin, Margaret Jurahee Jones, Robin Kirk, Jenna Payne, Mindy Smart, Heather Ware, Rebecca Warren, Tara Williams
Honor Roll (grades above 80)
Grade 12: Anna Campbell, Jordan Chaparro, Nikki Coronado, Zan Daniels, Dustin Duke, Jeremy Hernandez, Samantha McDade, Lance McHam, James Owens, Melanie Phillips, Anthony Powell, Maria Rea, Paul Ross, Dane Sanders, Chad Turner, Mandi Yeary
Grade 11: Dusty Anderson, Erick Arellano, Cynthia Chavez, Jessica Cisneros, Jessica Coronado, Artemio Diaz, Analisa Enriquez, Veronica Galvan, Lezleigh Heinrich, Tyran Hendrix, Scot Holster, Isabela Irlas, David Lightfoot, Shane Lloyd, Griselda Lopez, Jeffrey Lyles, Laci Martinez, Justin McGuire, David Rainwater, Lindsey Reddy, Candace Simpson, Ruth Vasquez, Amanda Williams, Margaret Wyrick.
Grade 10: Rudyadam Arellano, Ismael Arevalo, Cienna Carthel, John Chaparro, Charla Davis, Kayla Davis, Cindy Dubois, Bonnie Dunlap, Tyrel Fuller, Mandy Holbert, Christy Ortiz, Marcos Valadez
Grade 9: Marisa Barrientos, Jessica Castaneda, Sonia Delgado, Terrence Fuller, Rick Garcia, Valerie Garcia, Susan Hale, Corey Hurt, Brandon Marler, Ashley Martinez, Jonathan Martinez, Scott Nixon, Amanda Rendon, Rocky Reyes, Lindsey Whitten, Tye Wood
Honorable Mention (grades above 75)
Grade 12: Gabriel Cervera, Amanda Green, Dianna Romero, Joel Snell, Cody Stovall, Paul Vallejo, Dea Watson
Grade 11: Breanna Burge, Erin Dawdy, Adrian Hernandez, Nora Lira, Resa Mercado, Roel Mercado, Lonny Nelson, Maria Rangel, Brandon Wickware, Deniece Williams
Grade 10: Amanda Barnett, Joshua Caballero, Ruben Castillo, Ruby Cuba, Erika Delgado, Melinda Eubanks, Juan Gomez, Alicia Hinojosa, Zachry McNew, April Molinar, Sylvia Nunez, Cecilia Peralez, Robert Ray Perez, Matthew Rainwater, Erin Ralsion
Grade 9: Peter Arvisu, Joanna Johnston, Matthew Kirk, Kasee Knight, Martin Medellin, Allan Norgaard, Laura Rocha, Abby Sanders.



FLOYDADA JUNIOR HIGH "A-B" HONOR ROLL- Congratulation to those students making the "A-B" Honor Roll this past six weeks. They are:(back row, l-r) Andrew Arvizu, Tanner Battey, Tyler Battey, Ross Bennett, Gloria Chairez, Skyler Cornelius, Dustin Covington, Stephen Cuevas, LaRae Gilliland, Kimberly Green, (middle row, l-r) Tyler Helms, Brittany Jones, Randilyn Jump, Nakita Ledbetter, Jay McGaugh, Amanda McHam, Mari Mendoza, Chase Mitchell, Eric Morales, Jacob Morales, (front row, l-r) Ashley Norrell, Laura Reddy, Valentina Reyes, Roseanne Soliz and Kayla Stovall. Staff Photo

Lockney Elementary School Honor Roll

2nd Grade Johnson
 Daryn McCarter, Caleb Schumacher.
Jones
 B.J. Collins, Beth Daws, Ysenia Molina, Cynthia Zavala.
Mercer
 Heather Brock, Christopher Carrasco, Kyler Ellison, Lucas Hall, James Mercado, Emily Prayor, Estella Rodriguez.
Golden
 Kayla Ashmore, Caitlann Wiley.
3rd Grade Poole
 Sayla Barnes, Bryan Cooper, Rogers
 Audrey Collins, Courtlyn Long, Lauren Stewart.
Long
 Dru Carthel, Desiree Deleon, Leah Ford, Senee Foster, D.J. Hernandez, Zachary Montandon.
Cotham
 Tanner Morris, Lindsay Reed.
4th Grade Dorman
 Stephanie Carrasco, Ky Reagan, Jon Sherman.
Marr
 Rion Aufill, Emma Morales.
DeLeon
 Wes Davis, Tyson Carthel, Keyla Pesina.
Kidd
 Krista Rasco, Ryker Cabler, Kayla Thomas.
5th Grade Kellison
 Landon Cotham, Amber Dorman, Trinity Ford, Karen Hernandez, April Lopez, J.W. McPherson, Jason Mondragon.
Cummings
 Dahlen McCarter, Emily Mercado, Tori Terrell, Rebekah Thornton, Brance Wilson, Ty Young.
Rasco
 Avery Aston, Crystal Carrasco, Alex Hall, Nathan Hancock, Kami Keaton, Malaree Luebano, Adam Martinez, Trevor Morris, Linda Naranjo, Tana Saul, Lance Terrell.

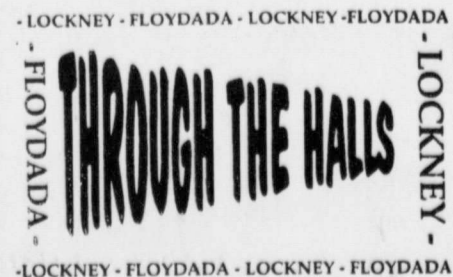
LOCKNEY JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

6th Grade "A"
 Jamie Austin, Mark Ford, Heather Hennagan, Megan Johnson, Shelly Pachiano, Jeremy Pyle, Annie Reece, Sandra Sanchez, Rance Schumacher, Barrett Sisk, Crystal Vasquez, Sydnee Williams.
"B"
 Reed Carthel, Daniel Cervantes, Lindsay Collins, Cagan Cummings, Teresa Day, Lee Fortenberry, Addie Foster, Brandon Gilroy, Eugene Gonzales, Trey Graves, Karah Hrbacek, Amber Hulcy, Hagan Johnson, Jaime Ledesma, Sarah Martinez, Jana Miller, Martina Noland, Cristina Pesina, Meagan Stapp.
7th Grade "A"
 James Orr, Cheryl Reed, Hannah Rockwell, Kirk Wilson.
"B"
 Cody Gardner, Amanda Hancock, Cammy Lass, Britta McDonald, Mike O'Connell, Jessica Ochoa, Jeran Butler, Paul Ferezal, Justin Stoerner.
8th Grade "A"
 Cody Bayley, Leslie Cuellar, Jana Edwards, Cody Lass, Garrett Mathis, Matt McPherson, Will O'Connell, Brady Rasco, Ben Sherman.
"B"
 Katy Austin, Rodolfo Blanco, Nathan Burson, Jessica Cervantes, Julian Chavira, Todd Cotham, Jalee Dietrich, April Dorman, Miguel Gonzalez, Ysenia Guerrero, Janee Hrbacek, Rusty Keaton, Katie Kelley, Cameron Kemp, Jonathan Lee, John Lopez, Vanessa Luebano, Amber Nuncio, Olga Perez, Tasha Powell, Laci Schumacher, Landon Schumacher, Nichole Thomas.

A.B. DUNCAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

3rd Six Weeks First Grade "A" Honor Roll
1A - Evan Johnson, Timothy Lipham, Kaylie Nutt
1B - Maisey Martinez, Olivia Segura
1C - Lindsey Beedy, Hallie Bertrand, Jordan Cornelius, Leslie Gonzales, John Johnson, Claudia Lopez
1D - Alyssa Arneel, Makenzie Schwertner
1E - Abigail Miller, Blanca Suarez
Second Grade "A" Honor Roll
2A - Tyler Derryberry, Richard Gonzalez, Maricela Guerra, Katie Hinton, Micah Thornton
2B - Crystal Alvarez, Dillon Chesshir, Robert Flint, Marissa Herrera, Titus Miller, Jennifer Rainwater, Sonya Salinas
2C - Dusty Hicks, Morgan Hysinger, Valerie Perez
2D - Chad Davis, Elda Lopez, Amber Sisemore, Adela Solis, Lindsey Wells
2E - Bailey Davenport, Johanna Dawdy, Isaac Luera, Geraldo Mercado, Nikki Nino, Leanne Owen, Aaron Pitts, Ryan Robertson
First Grade "A-B" Honor Roll
1A - Michael Graham, Daniel Longoria, Jessica Prisk
1B - Zachary Baldwin, Joseph Segura, Rance Seymour, Morgan Stepp, Andrea Torrez, Roy Zuniga
1C - Bryan Ascencio, Dale Howard, Kristen Marshall, Cesar Mata, Damian Pleasant, Leslye Vasquez, Kortney Williams
1D - Joshua Chappell, Clinton Hatcher, Jasmine Orozco, Clay Suniga
1E - Megan Aleman, Jacque Barrientos, Trey Casillas, Miles Marble, Laci Nixon, Anthony Segura
Second Grade "A-B" Honor Roll
2A - Ashley Aleman, Stephanie Mendoza, Justin White, Keegan Williams
2B - James Espinoza, Luis Foster, Brooke Sansom, Joe Suarez
2C - Colton Covington, Andrea DeLaCorda, Zachary Hatcher, Ariel Peralez, Everardo Rodriguez, Trevor Sharp
2D - Elizabeth Cheek, Aaron Flores, Randy Lerma, Isaac Mata, Ashley Zuniga
2E - Adriana DeLaCorda, Amber Ferrer, Jeffery Jordan, Matias Juarez, Yared Pignon

FLOYDADA 4-H CLUB will be meeting THURSDAY JAN. 28th 7 p.m. at the MASSIE ACTIVITYCENTER (old clothing for S.O.S.)



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Obituaries

KATYA BRYAN

Graveside services for Katya Bryan, infant daughter of Grady Glen Bryan and Elena N. Matzak Bryan, of Lockney will be held at 11:00 a.m. Thursday, January 21, 1999 at Wilmeth Cemetery in Runnels County with Max Pratt, minister of the Ninth Street Church of Christ in Ballinger, officiating.

Burial will be under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home in Lockney.

Katya died Tuesday, January 19, 1999 at Mangold Memorial Hospital in Lockney.

Survivors include her parents, Grady and Elena Bryan of Lockney; paternal grandparents, Sealy and Nancy Bryan of Winters; and maternal grandparents, Nickoli and Galina Matzak of Sumy, Ukraine.

WILMA LEE DEEN

Funeral services for Wilma Lee Deen, 89, of Amarillo were held at 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, January 19, 1999 at the N.S. Griggs and Son Pioneer Chapel. Reverend Dean Wynn, Chaplain of Craig Methodist Retirement Community, officiated.

Burial was held at 3:00 p.m. Tuesday, January 19, 1999 in the Floydada Cemetery under the direction of N.S. Griggs and Sons Funeral Directors of Amarillo.

She died January 8, 1999 in Amarillo.

She was born in Floydada and moved to Amarillo in 1985 from Albuquerque, New Mexico. Miss Dean taught English and typing in the Albuquerque, New Mexico schools from 1937-1971. She received her Masters in 1952. She was a member of Alpha Delta Kappa, an Honorary Teachers Sorority.

She was a painter as well as a poetry writer. In 1997, she won first place in the State of Texas for her poetry entry in "Art is Ageless" which was sponsored by the Texas Association of Homes and Services for the Aging, which is affiliated through the Texas Educational Institute on aging. She also served as the current coordinator of the Scribblers Writing Class at the J. Paul and Polly Craig Retirement Center. She was a Methodist.

Survivors include two cousins, Maxine Booth of Amarillo and Betty Janes Hubin of Hutchinson, Minnesota; one niece, Patricia Walton of Tres Ritas, New Mexico; one nephew, Deen Booth of Midland; one great niece and three great nephews.



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GLORIA GARCIA

Rosary services for Gloria Almandarez Garcia, 52, of Lockney were held at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, January 19, 1999 at the San Jose Catholic Church in Lockney. Funeral mass was celebrated at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, January 20, 1999 at the San Jose Catholic Church in Lockney with Reverend Jim McCartney, priest, celebrant.

Burial was in the Lockney Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home in Lockney.

She died Sunday, January 17, 1999 at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

She was born on December 23, 1946 in Seguin to Adelina DeLeon Almandarez and the late Agraciano Almandarez. She attended school in San Angelo. She married Braulio Garcia on November 25, 1972 in Lockney. She was a homemaker and a member of the San Jose Catholic Church in Lockney.

Survivors include her husband, Braulio Garcia of Lockney; her mother, Adelina Almandarez; one daughter, Elizabeth Garcia of Junction City, Kansas; four brothers, Joe DeLeon, Thomas DeLeon, Frank Lopez and Roy DeLeon, all of Seguin; seven sisters, Mary Hernandez, Rose Villa, Frances DeLeon, Janie Carrillo, Michaela Carrillo, Gracie Herrera and Yolanda Rodriguez, all of Seguin and one grandchild.

TRAVIS LIGHTFOOT

Funeral services for Travis Lightfoot, 86, of Floydada were held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, January 16, 1999 at New Salem Primitive Baptist Church. Elder Don Morton, of the Primitive Baptist Church in Perryton, officiated.

Burial was in the Floydada Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada.

He died Wednesday, January 13, 1999 at Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock.

Lightfoot was born on September 9, 1912 in Fluvanna to the late Elbert Ward Lightfoot and Lizzie Easterling Lightfoot. He moved to Floydada in 1917 from Scurry County. He attended Center Community School and Floydada High School where he graduated.

He married Letha Frances Lindley on November 8, 1936 in Haskett County. He was a parts manager for John Deere in Floydada for 25 years. After he retired he worked for Walter Davis in construction for 10 years. Lightfoot was a member of Floydada Senior Citizens where he served as a volunteer. He attended the Primitive Baptist Church in Floydada.

Survivors include his wife, Letha Lightfoot of Floydada; two sons and daughters-in-law, Kenneth Travis and Gail Lightfoot of Amarillo, and Michael Glenn and Bonnie Lightfoot of Grand Junction, Colorado; one daughter and son-in-law, Nita Jo and Bill Carmack of Corsicana; two sisters, Cecille Weathers of Canyon and Gertrude Hollums of Waco; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

The family request memorials be made to a favorite charity.

FRED LEE MIZE

Funeral services for Fred Lee Mize, 90, of Lockney were held at 2:00 p.m. Thursday, January 14, 1999 at First United Methodist Church in Lockney. Reverend Russell Byard, minister, officiated.

Burial was in the Lockney Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home in Lockney.

He died Tuesday, January 12, 1999 at Crane Care Center in Crane.

Mize was born on November 22, 1908 to the late David M. Mize and May Ora Stevens Mize. He attended schools in Sweetwater. He married Cleopatra Caldwell on April 10, 1941 in Kress. She preceded him in death on September 28, 1984.

He moved from Happy to Floydada County in 1942. He worked for Santa Fe Railroad where he retired after 40 years. He was a member of Lockney Senior Citizens and the First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include three brothers, A.J. Mize of Lubbock, Bobby J. Mize of Odessa and Pete Mize of Comanche; two sisters, Vera Ellison and Maggie Hilburn, both of Sweetwater.

Family suggest memorials be made to the Methodist Childrens Home of Waco, 1111 Herring Avenue, Waco, Texas 76708.

PATRICK DAWAINE MONROE

Funeral services for Lance Corporal Patrick Dawaine Monroe, 23, of Lockney were held at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, January 19, 1999 at the First Baptist Church in Lockney. Reverend Harold Abney, minister, officiated.

Burial was held in the Lockney Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home in Lockney.

Monroe was found dead Thursday, January 14, 1999 in St. Helena, South Carolina after an automobile accident.

He was born on April 21, 1975 to Floyd Richardson Monroe and Pauline Phillips Monroe. He graduated from Lockney High School in 1994 where he was an avid football, basketball, track and baseball player. He married DeKala VanZandt on April 11, 1996 in Lockney.

Monroe enlisted in the United States Marine Corps on January 16, 1996. He began his military career in California, then was stationed in Mississippi and transferred to South Carolina in August of 1996. He was a member of the Evans Chapel Baptist Church in Lockney.

Survivors include his wife, DeKala Monroe of Beaufort, South Carolina; his parents, Floyd and Pauline Monroe of Clovis, New Mexico; his maternal grandmother, Bertie Phillips of Lockney; a son, Tyree Dawaine Monroe of Beaufort, South Carolina; a brother, Michael Richardson of Temple; and a sister, LaKeisha Monroe of Clovis, New Mexico.

The family suggest memorials be made to the First Baptist Church at 401 S. Main Street, Lockney, Texas 79241.

BETTY JEAN FOSTER STEELMAN

Services for Betty Jean (B.J.) Foster Steelman, 59, of Las Cruces, New Mexico will be held at 10:00 a.m. Friday, January 22, 1999 at St. Paul's United Methodist Church with Dr. Larry Hall officiating. The Eastern Star Funeral Service will be given by members of Eastern Star from all over the state.

Burial will be in the Masonic Cemetery under the direction of Graham Mortuary of Las Cruces, New Mexico.

She passed away on Sunday, January 17, 1999 after a long battle with cancer.

She was born on March 17, 1939 in Roswell, New Mexico to the late Joe and Birda Foster. She lived in Artesia, New Mexico until 1948 when she moved to Texas. She graduated from Lockney High School where she played basketball and tennis. She attended Colorado Women's College and the University of Texas, where she studied art. She married James Elton Steelman on June 27, 1964.

Steelman moved to Las Cruces in 1968 where she was a homemaker. She was active in the NMSU Ladies and the Border golf groups. She served as President of the NMSU Ladies Golf Group. She was also a member of the Naggle Aggie Bowlers and Tuesday Bridge Club. She was active in Faculty Wives Club and published a yearbook for that group.

She began as a member of the Floydada Rainbow Assembly #235 where she served as Worthy Advisor and received the Grand Cross of Color. She joined Lockney Chapter #437 Order of the Eastern Star in 1957. In 1968 she became a member of the Las Cruces Chapter #20. She served as Worthy Matron in 1977-1978. She served the New Mexico Grand Chapter as Worthy Grand Matron in 1994-1995 for the "You are the Reason" year. She was a member of St. Paul's United Methodist Church, the "Here It Is" Sunday School Class and the Ruth Isaacs Circle.

Survivors include her husband, J. Eldon Steelman of Las Cruces; one son, James Steelman of the U.S. Navy; a brother and sister-in-law, Eddie Joe and Ann Foster; two nephews, David and wife, Dar Lee Foster, and Jody and wife, Shawnda, all of Lockney; 2 nieces, Melanie Foster of Lubbock and Karyn and husband, Roland Murray of San Antonio; her mother-in-law, Vera Neal of Las Cruces; sister-in-law, Kay and husband, Jerry Homes of Colorado Springs, Colorado; and several other nieces, nephews and cousins.

Memorial gifts may be made to the Eastern Star Benevolent Fund, P.O. Box 52, Hatch, New Mexico 87937 or to an innovative breast cancer research organization, Mammostat Research Institute, 5692 Plymouth Road, Ann Arbor, MI 48105.

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I appreciate all the prayers and friendship of everyone. I feel like I wouldn't be here if it hadn't been for your prayers and our Lord. I was in so much pain I had given up. I want to thank Boo Boo Lane for recognizing my voice when I was calling for help. She got help for me.

I also want to thank Dr. Stennett, Dr. Gary, Dr. Stewart and the nurses. They were all so nice. I also want to thank Bro. Harold and everyone for the visits, cards, flowers and gifts.

Pray for me that I will gain my strength back. May God bless each one.

Johnnie Kellison



Angels

When God calls little children to dwell with him above,
We mortals sometimes question the wisdom of his love.
For no heartache compares with the death of one small child.

He does so much to make our world so wonderful and mild.
Perhaps God tires of calling the aged to his fold,
so he picks a rosebud before it can grow old.

God knows how much we need them,
so he takes but a few;
to make the land of Heaven so beautiful to view.
Believing this is difficult, still somehow we must try.
The saddest word mankind knows,
will always be good-bye.
So when a little child departs,
we who are left behind,
Must somehow realize God loves children.
Angels are hard to find.

Author unknown

Flush out water waste at home

As water quantity in Texas continues to be a concern, we're reminded that water conservation measures around our homes can make a big difference economically and environmentally.

A family of four uses about 700 gallons of water per week showering. By installing water conserving showerheads and faucet aerators, that same family can save 14,000 gallons of water a year.

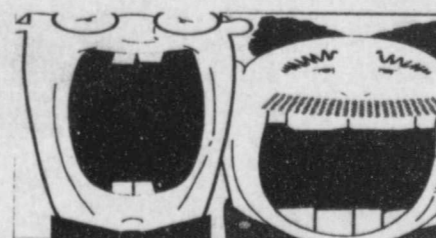
Low-flow showerheads deliver 2.5 gallons of water per minute or less saving as much as 75 gallons of water during a normal, ten minute shower. The standard showerhead in most homes delivers about 5 to 10 gallons per minute. If you're not sure about how much water your shower uses, take a bucket that holds about a gallon of water, turn on the shower to the regular pressure you use, check the second hand on your watch and fill the bucket. If it takes less than 20 seconds to fill, your flow rate is more than 2.5 gallons a minute.

Look for a quality water saving showerhead that delivers a good

stream for washing, but features a quick shut off button so that you can "navy shower"-a sailor's trick where you get wet, turn off the water, soap and scrub, then turn on the water to rinse. If you stay with your standard showerhead, check it for leaks. A faucet drip or leaky toilet can add 10 or more gallons of water a day to your water bill.

Some homeowners have had water and wastewater bills increase by more than \$100 a month from undetected toilet leaks. The most common leak, and often the hardest type of toilet leak to detect, is caused by a deteriorated or defective flush valve (flapper) ball at the bottom of the toilet tank. If the flapper does not seal properly, water will leak around it into the toilet bowl. To test for this type of leak, add a drop of food coloring or place a dye tablet in the toilet tank after it has stopped filling. Do not flush the toilet. Wait about ten minutes; if the coloring or dye appears in the toilet bowl, the flapper is leaking and needs to be replaced.

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This Week's Announcements

LOCKNEY ADULT CLASSES

Basic, GED and ESL adult classes are held at Lockney Jr. High from 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday evenings. Anyone 17 and older can begin any night.

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

Friends of the Library will hold a meeting on January 26th at 5:30 p.m. in the Community Room of the First National Bank of Floydada. Members and all other interested persons are invited to attend.

LOCKNEY SALVATION ARMY

The Salvation Army in Lockney is open and in need of blankets, winter clothing including coats and shoes.

LOCKNEY AA

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

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC

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

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

Alcoholics Anonymous and Al-Anons meet each Tuesday night in Floydada at 8:00 p.m. Anyone wanting the loving fellowship of men and women who can share their experience, strength and hope is welcome. Meetings are at 111 North Wall, a block north of the courthouse. Anyone interested can call 983-3635 or 652-3546.

BLOOD PRESSURE AND GLUCOSE TESTING

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

Have a Great Day!

Cleaning kitchen gadgets to prevent bacteria

Your can opener could become Grand Central Station for potentially dangerous bacteria traveling through your kitchen.

"Bacteria need a foothold to grow on," said Dr. Russell Broadus, a pathologist at Baylor College of Medicine and Ben Taub General Hospital in Houston. "The juices left on the blade after opening a can of fruit, cat food or other canned good provide fertile ground for bacteria to land on and grow."

If the can opener is not cleaned after each use, bacteria like staphylococcus and streptococcus can multiply on the blade and contaminate the next can that is opened. Staphylococcus can cause food poisoning, skin infections and pneumonia, while streptococcus often causes a sore throat or other upper respiratory infections.

"Healthy adults might be able to fend off these bacteria, but babies and older adults with chronic disease have a greater risk of becoming ill," Broadus said. People with suppressed immune systems are also

more likely to get sick if exposed to the bacteria. And at this time of year, the influenza virus can make people more vulnerable to bacterial pathogens because it lowers the body's resistance.

Broadus recommends detaching the electric can opener blade and scrubbing it with a cloth in hot water for at least two minutes. Manual can openers can be cleaned the same way.

Kitchen knives and cutting boards can also become havens for bacteria. Cutting raw chicken or beef and then using the same knife to cut vegetables without washing it first could spread salmonella or E. coli bacteria, both of which can cause severe gastrointestinal distress.

The knife and cutting board should be scrubbed under hot water for a couple of minutes, Broadus said. "Just rinsing the knife with cold water for a few seconds or wiping it off with a paper towel will not necessarily remove the bacteria. You need the combination of hot water, scrubbing action and time."

Countertops near the cutting board should be cleaned with soapy hot water in case juices from the raw meat drained off the board or splattered. Those juices need to be cleaned from refrigerator shelves as well.

"If you set meat out to thaw and then put it in the refrigerator, the juice from the meat package can drip onto the shelf," Broadus said. Although cold temperatures will retard the growth of bacteria, they can still multiply. Wiping the shelf with a rag soaked in hot water should get rid of any potentially harmful bacteria.

Tiny drops of food on countertops, tables, floors and doorknobs can become smorgasbords for bacteria also, so they need to be cleaned promptly. Be on the lookout for kids' "chocolate fingerprints" on countertops and for food residue on the keypad for microwave ovens, Broadus said.

Rags and sponges used to clean up food juices need to be rinsed out well with steaming hot water and soap for several minutes to ensure they don't become sources of cross contamination.

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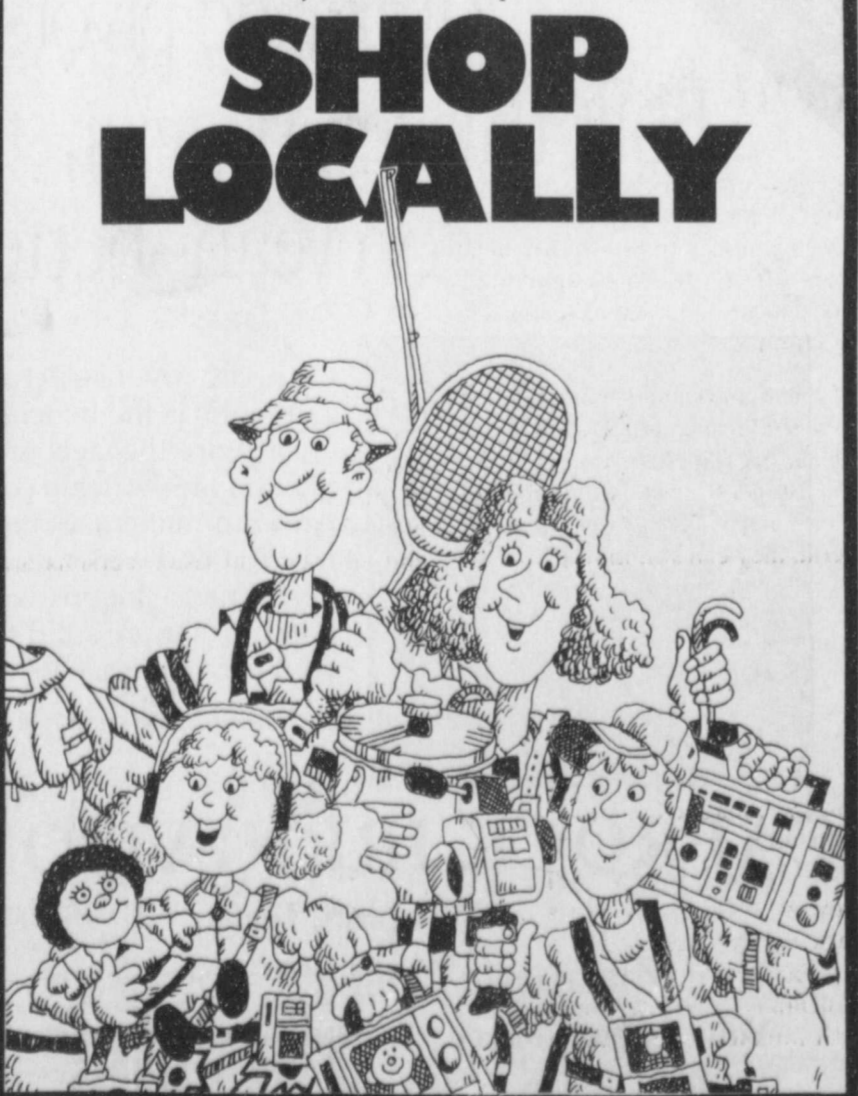
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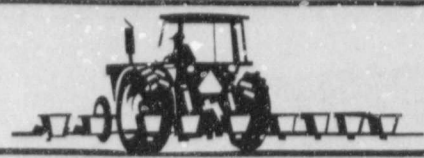
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FLOYD COUNTY NEWS

USDA lowers crop insurance premiums

From: FSA
Agriculture Secretary Dan Glickman today announced an estimated 30 percent premium reduction for farmers on their crop insurance policies. To ensure that all farmers have the opportunity to benefit from this one time premium reduction this year, crop insurance companies will accept insurance applications on crops having sales closing dates that have already passed.

For example, and insured winter wheat farmer in Texas having a sales closing date of September 30, 1998, for crop year 1999 coverage, now has until March 15, 1999, to evaluate the benefits of increased protection at a lower cost. Producers choosing not to insure last September will have the same opportunity to use the discount to obtain "buy up" protection. "Buy up" protection is an amount of coverage that is at least 50 percent of a farm's yield and 100 percent of an established market price.

"Given low crop prices, we want to

ensure that as many family farmers as possible take advantage this year of the opportunity to increase their crop insurance coverage or benefit from reduced cost," said Glickman. "The plans we announce today will help provide farmers greater security."

The funds for this onetime incentive are part of the \$2.375 billion that Congress appropriated to assist farmers suffering from crop and economic losses. This initiative is the first element of USDA's plan to strengthen the farm safety net.

The application period will provide eligible farmers time to take advantage of the discount by either applying for insurance or increasing their protection. The final percentage of premium discount will depend on how many farmers choose to insure or increase their protection and will be announced after sales have closed.

Due to the unique nature of citrus production, the premium discount will be applied to coverage on crop year 2000 production.

Farmers growing crops with sales closing dates between July 31, 1998, and February 15, 1999, are eligible to increase their protection or obtain crop insurance by the following dates:

The application deadline for Texas is March 15, 1999.

Farmers should contact a crop insurance agent to obtain more information and discuss their options. A listing of crop insurance agents is available at local Farm Service Agency offices.

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Actual Producer Cost	\$535 (\$2.68)	\$820 (\$4.10/acre)

In this example, the actual producer cost for 70% coverage (\$820) is only \$56 more than the expected producer cost of 65% coverage (\$764). This means that the producer can obtain a \$15.75 per acre increase in protection, for only \$0.28 more per acre.

NOTE: This example is for illustration only. Actual costs and protection will vary. See a crop insurance agent for information specific to your operation.

Hog producers in line for cash payments

By FSA

Agriculture Secretary Dan Glickman announced January 12th that the Department of Agriculture (USDA) will make approximately \$50 million in direct cash payments to small hog producers to help them weather the current economic crisis.

Who Is Eligible For Payments?

Producers qualify for the direct cash payments if they (1) marketed fewer than 1,000 hogs during the last six months of 1998, and (2) are still in operation.

Two restrictions apply:

First, producers are not eligible for payments on hogs marketed under fixed-price or cost-plus contracts. Second, any operation whose gross income for 1998 was greater than 2.5 million will not be eligible for payments, as is true for USDA's crop disaster assistance programs.

Eligibility is based on marketings during the last six months of 1998 to avoid distorting current marketings. The six month period also accommodates the marketing practices of small producers who may not market hogs every week or month, but who need help to weather the current economic

crises.

How Many Producers Are Eligible?

USDA estimates that 80-90 percent of producers, or nearly 100,000 nationwide, are eligible for these payments.

How Much Will Producers Be Paid?

Producers will be paid up to \$5 per slaughter weight hog (or the equivalent for feeder pigs and other swine) multiplied by the number of hogs marketed during the last six months of 1998.

The actual payment may be less than \$5, given the limited amount of funding available under law. Producers will only be paid on up to 500 market hogs (or an equivalent number of feeder pigs), so the maximum payment that will be paid to any operation is \$2,500.

What Must Producers Do To Sign-Up for Payment?

Payments will be made through USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) local offices. From February 1, 1999 to February 12, 1999, FSA will conduct a sign-up for the payment program. During this sign-up period, producers will be required to apply for

the program at their local FSA office.

What Records Will Producers Need To Apply?

Producers will be required to certify that they meet the eligibility requirements of the program. FSA will have an application form that producers will fill out when they sign up for the program.

It is expected that the form will require producers to include: (1) the name of the operation and a list of persons involved in it, (2) the number of finished and feeder pig marketings in the last 6 months of 1998, and (3) the buyers of the hogs and pigs.

The form is also expected to include: (1) a statement affirming that the producer is still in business, (2) a statement affirming that the producer did not market his or her hogs under fixed-price or cost-plus contracts, and (3) a statement affirming that the producer is aware that USDA will be conducting spot checks. For those producers selected for spot checks, additional information may be requested.

Any producer who receives a payment based on erroneous information will be required to repay USDA. And any producer who receives a payment based on a fraudulent application will

be required to repay USDA and may face criminal prosecution.

When Will Payments Be Made?

Payments will be made about two to three weeks after the end of the sign up period.

What Is the Legal Authority For These Payments?

The payments will be made under USDA's Section 32 program (Section 32 of the Act of August 24, 1935).

USDA typically uses Section 32 to purchase commodities that are in surplus for distribution through Federal food assistance programs. Section 32 also permits direct payments to farmers to reestablish their purchasing power.

This is the first time in 38 years that payments will be made directly to producers under the Section 32 program. The use of Section 32 funds for direct payments will not reduce the amount of assistance for our food and nutrition programs.

How Can I Get Further Information?

Local FSA offices are the best source for producers seeking additional information. Program details will also be published in the Federal Register in the near future.

PCG Board tackles tough farm issues

By Shawn Wade

Members of the Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. (PCG) Board of Directors met Wednesday, January 13th to discuss a number of pressing issues.

Among the topics discussed were crop insurance reform, cotton competitiveness (primarily concerning the need to revive the Step 2 program) and the implementation of the federal disaster assistance program.

Top priorities for the PCG Board in 1999 include working to encourage the investment of additional state and federal money into the Texas boll weevil eradication effort, improving the federal crop insurance program to better protect growers and gaining additional money to revitalize the Step 2 portion of cotton's competitiveness provisions.

Arguments that Step 2 did not re-

ally provide a direct benefit to producers were shattered following the depletion of Step 2 funds and the re-creation of the cotton market. PCG Board members agreed that in 1998 Step 2 easily meant an additional 6-7 cents per-pound was received by growers up until program funds were depleted in mid-December.

PCG officials are hopeful that officials are hopeful that all the organization's goals can be met given the high level of awareness that currently exists in Congress and the Texas legislature of problems plaguing agriculture.

Good evidence of this awareness is the recently passed federal disaster program and the reported plans of area lawmakers to seek boll weevil eradication funds during this session of the Texas Legislature.

Conference to address crop production issues

By Shawn Wade

Producers should mark their calendars now and plan to attend the 1999 Southwest Crops Production Conference and Expo on March 11 at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center.

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TFB reviews "Freedom to Farm Act"

By Gene Hall

Responding to dismal economic conditions in agriculture, delegates at the American Farm Bureau Federation convention here recognized the need to reexamine the three year old "Freedom to Farm Act" at the organization's 80th annual convention Wednesday afternoon.

Texas Farm Bureau delegates, led by TFB President Bob Stallman, supported the motion, which placed the nation's largest farm organization on record in favor of a second look at the FAIR Act, also known as "Freedom to Farm."

Stallman stepped forward during

the debate, praising certain aspects of the FAIR Act, while stressing the serious situation facing farm families. He helped forge a coalition of Southern and Midwest states to put Farm Bureau clout behind a reexamination of the current farm law. Stallman and other delegates recounted examples of a deepening farm crisis in the U.S.

The resolution said, in part, "AFBF will seek a complete reexamination of the Federal Agricultural Improvement and Reform Act of 1996 (FAIR Act), to assure that adequate economic and natural disaster assistance is available."

The AFBF delegates, including

those from Texas, rejected a return to the supply management programs of past farm bills.

"There is a lot we like about the FAIR Act," Stallman said. "The problem is that promises were made when we agreed to support it. We were promised expanded trade and an easing of the enormous regulatory burden on agriculture. Unfortunately, the opposite has happened." Stallman, a rice producer from Columbus, Texas, said the failure to carry out these promises has been partly to blame for severe economic problems in agriculture. He was careful to point out, however that certain aspects of the FAIR Act, like market flexibility, are very positive.

During the debate, Stallman said, "This is asking for no more than a re-examination of the FAIR Act. It says nothing about going back to the policies of the past. It says nothing about

backing up from the other elements that we desire in our farm policy. It merely says that we need to reexamine it in the context of current economic conditions."

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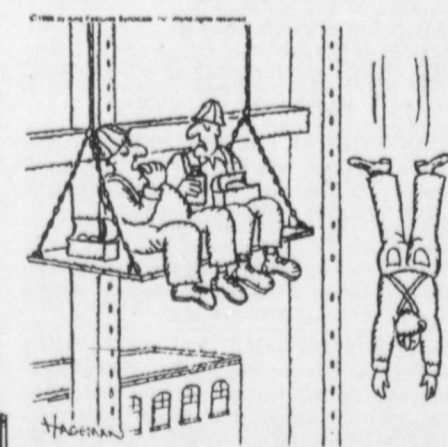
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