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## **Clinic** to open soon in Floydada

#### **By Chris Blackburn** The Hesperian-Beacon

West Texas Family Medicine of Plainview is on schedule to open in early November in the Cogdell Clinic building in Floydada.

The clinic is the third one in the area with others located in Abernathy and the main clinic in Plainview.

The group says a strong medical presence in Floydada is important.

"Our group is committed to helping Floydada stay a viable community by providing medical services that allows them to have business opportunities that are going to look at what medical services are available in Floydada," said Dr. Mark Mc-Clanahan at an earlier planning session.



Chris Blackburn/Hesperian-Beacon file photo

Billions of dollars has been spent in Texas on power infrastructure including several hundred million in Floyd County. Transmission towers and lines have been placed throughout the South Plains and Panhandle to help move electricity generated by wind farms to metropolitan areas.



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## **Floyd County benefits** greatly as \$7 billion CREZ project nears finish

**By Jim Malewitz Texas Tribune** and **Chris Blackburn** The Hesperian-Beacon

With little fanfare, Texas is just weeks away from wrapping up a nearly \$7 billion effort to add vast amounts of wind power to its energy grid.

elsewhere — particularly those that stretch across state lines — have been slowed by a patchwork of sometimes conflicting federal and state regulations. Texas has avoided the biggest bureaucratic messes because most of its power lines stay within state borders. And the presence of one grid operator --- the Electric Reliability Council of Texas - in most of the state further simplifies the process.

## Upcoming

Events are listed free of charge for nonprofit civic organizations, schools and community events. Please submit listings at least two weeks ahead of the date. Listings will run through the date of the event. Emailed submissions are preferred to fchb.editor@yahoo.com.

#### **VETERAN'S HONOR WALL**

The Floydada Post Office is honoring our veterans. Please bring a 3x5 or 5x7 picture to the post office to be placed on the Honor Wall. Photos will be on display through November. Photos will be returned. See article in this week's Hesperian-Beacon for more information.

#### EARLY VOTING

Early voting for the Nov. 5 Constitutional Amendments and the City of Floydada bond election began Monday, October 21 and will continue til Friday, November 1. Please exercise your right to VOTE! For more information you can contact the Floyd County Clerk's office at 806-983-4923.

#### CALLING ALL VETERANS

The Floydada High School Student council will be holding its annual Veterans Day tribute on November 11, 2013. The student council would like to honor all veterans and those who are currently serving. They need the names and addresses of all veterans and active servicemen and women. If you know of anyone who deserves this special honor, please contact student council advisor, Rosemary Finley, at 983-3498 or via e-mail at rfinley@floydadaisd.esc17.net before November 1, 2013.

#### FIRST UNITED METHODIST

The First United Methodist Church of Floydada will honor the veterans as well as current members of the military on Veterans Sunday, November 10, 2013, at the 9:30 a.m. worship service. The community is invited to attend the patriotic worship service.

#### LOVE FUND

A LOVE FUND has been established for UG druc JanAn Chandler Diver. Anyone wishing to donate may do so at the First National Bank in Floydada, PO Box 550, Floydada, TX. 79235. Please mark your donation ng for JanAn Chandler Diver Love Fund.

## Cargill Announces Impending Closure of Lockney Feedlot

#### **By Charles Keaton** The Hesperian-Beacon

Persistent drought conditions and reduced cattle numbers have forced Cargill, Inc. to announce the closing of the Lockney cattle feed yard sometime next summer.

Michael Martin, director of communications for Cargill, said, "It's a decision that we hated to make. We just couldn't justify keeping it open. We cannot control the weather that has created the drought conditions."

This is the second Cargill owned property to close this year. In January, the company shut down the Plainview processing plant. The Lockney feed yard was one of the primary providers to the Plainview plant but in the past few months have been shipping the cattle to the Friona processing plant.

See CARGILL, Page 10



Cargill, Inc. announced the closing of the Lockney cattle feed yard. The feed yard employs 45 people and can feed up to 120,000 cattle a year. With the closing of the Plainview processing plant and the dwindling cattle herds, Cargill felt it necessary to close the Lockney feed yard.

By the end of December, developers expect to flip the switch on the final electrical transmission projects built under the state's Competitive Renewable Energy Zone, or CREZ, initiative — the years-long effort to connect windy, largely secluded West Texas to growing cities that demand more power.

Floyd County continues to benefit from the buildup with hundreds of millions of dollars in power lines and wind farms slated to come online in the coming months.

"The completion of the CREZ transmission line project represents the single largest economic potential Floyd County has ever seen," said Justin Jaworski, Executive Director, Floydada Economic Development Corporation. "We are eagerly anticipating the development of five wind energy projects ranging from \$100 million to \$500 million in value.'

State-wide, once finished, the build-out will stretch nearly 3,600 miles and will be able to send 18,500 megawatts of wind power across the state. That's about 50 percent more capacity than is currently installed in Texas — the country's leader in wind energy production — and more than three times as much as any other state.

"It's a major milestone," said Terry Hadley, a spokesman for the Public Utility Commission. He added that regulators will be on the lookout for any needed tweaks. Those changes could include adding equipment to decrease the energy lost over the longest-stretching lines.

Regulators and wind power advocates say the build-out, approved by the PUC in 2008, has spurred huge investments in wind energy by assuring developers markets for the energy their turbines churn out.

Texas isn't the only state looking to add more transmission for wind power, but other projects don't match CREZ's scope. Projects

That's not to say planning for CREZ was a breeze. The routes, some of which proved controversial, were slowly mapped out in the PUC's hearing room. Landowners in the Hill Country were among those who tried to prevent the lines from crossing their property. They succeeded in stopping one line and part of another after grid officials found it possible to upgrade existing infrastructure but serve the same purpose more cheaply.

The new transmission projects don't run cheap. Texans will eventually shell out \$6.8 billion to finance the entire build-out, according to a project update released this week by the PUC. Electric ratepayers will bear the burden, but few have yet seen their bills creep up. The commission has approved CREZ fees from just three transmission service companies, with other filings winding through the system.

The new fees, Hadley said, will likely add several dollars to a residential customer's monthly bill.

The projects' estimated price tag has changed little over the past two years, but it is far higher than the \$4.93 billion projection made in 2008. Inflation drove some of that increase, while the projects' changing shape was a bigger factor. In calculating the original estimate, researchers assumed the power lines would follow the most direct routes. As the process played out, however, regulators minimized intrusion by redrawing the routes to follow fences or roads. Those decisions added more than 600 miles of power lines that weren't originally planned.

Jeff Clark, executive director of the Austinbased Wind Coalition, sees the big spend as well worth it. Texas' wind portfolio is still growing, he points out, and the costs of wholesale wind energy is falling as technology improves and grid operators find more ways to integrate wind with natural gas. See **CREZ**, Page 10

#### **ELKS NATIONAL HOOP** SHOOT FREE-THROW CONTEST

The Elks National Hoop Shoot Free-Throw Contest will be held at the Coronado Junior High School in Plainview (2501 Joliet) on Saturday, Nov. 9th. Start time is 9 a.m. The contest is free. Contest is hosted by the 1175 Plainview Elks Lodge. Learn more at www.elks. org/hoopshoot.com or contact Amos Rodriguez at 806-774-1183 - Mon. - Fri-8a.m. - 4p.m.

#### **BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC**

Calvert Home Health holds their blood pressure clinic on every first and third Thursday of each month between 9 - 11 a.m. at the Community Room of the First National Bank of Floydada.

### Corrections

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**Ruby Bunch** Ruby Bunch, age 84,

Deaths

of Floydada passed away, Wednesday, October 16, 2013.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, October 20, 2013 at the Trinity Assembly of God Church in Floydada.

Arrangements were under the care of Moore-Rose Funeral Home of Floydada.

Ruby was born on July 8, 1929 to L.C. Ferguson and Edith Abney in Abernathy. Ruby was a devoted wife, mother and Nanie. She always took time to play, whether it was house with the girls or get a ball game going with all the kids. She had excellent work habits that she installed into her kids at a young age in the cotton patches. Ruby was a great Christian woman who

### **Clara Mae Jetton**

Clara Mae Jetton, age 96, went to be with the Lord on October 13, 2013, after a short illness.

Graveside services were held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, October 16, 2013 at the Floydada Cemetery. Pastor Tim Franks officiated.

Arrangements were under the care of Moore-Rose Funeral Home in Floydada.

Clara Mae was born August 21, 1917 in Crafton, Texas and moved to the Floydada area as a child. She married Milton Jetton in Floydada on June 20, 1940. Her daughter, Nancy, was born April 5, 1947. Clara Mae moved to San Antonio, Texas in 1977. She was a long time member of the Floydada First Baptist Church where she was a Sunday School teacher and worked for several years during the 1950s at King's Variety Store.



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**RUBY BUNCH** 

lived her faith every day, and enjoyed her church.

Ruby is preceded in death by the love of her life and her true soul mate, Bunchie, her parents, two brothers, Buck and Ralph, one sister, Florine, and two grandchildren, Kelvin and Torie.

She is survived by her children, Alice Gegen-



#### **CLARA MAE JETTON**

Clara Mae's life spanned 96 years. She was born during World War I, grew up in the Roaring Twenties, was married during World War II, and saw the introduction of the television, the computer, and the space age.

Her greatest accomplishments were the births of her daughter, grandchildren, heimer of Floydada, Vivian and husband, Richard Williamson of Houston, Jo and husband, Richard Elliott of Floydada, Joyce Bailey of Odessa, Willis Bunch, Jr. and wife, Kristi of Floydada, Terry Bunch and wife, Judy of Floydada, George Bunch and wife, Genieve of Sharp, Texas, and Retha and husband, Bruce Layman of Midland; 21 grandchildren; 35 great-grandchildren; great-great-grandchildren, one brother, Charlie Ferguson of Floydada; one sister, Louise Summers of Plain-

nephews. Actually Ruby is survived and loved by "Bunchies and Bunchies".

view and lots of nieces and

Online condolences may be made at www.moorerose.com.

great-grandchildren and and she loved them dearly. We love you Granny and will miss you greatly. In the sweet by and by we will meet on that beautiful shore.

She is survived by her daughter, Nancy Thompson and husband, David; granddaughters, Tara Thompson and Kathy Hubenak and husband, Darren; grandson, Mark Thompson; and three great-granddaughters, Hailey, Taylor, and Katelyn Hubenak. She was looking forward to the birth of a great-grandson in January. She was preceded in death by her husband, Milton Jetton; parents, Walter and Ruby Craft; brother, Jack Craft; sisters, Nita Lou Adams and Bonnie Spann, and grandson-inlaw, James McCue.

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### Joe D. Montgomery

Longtime Anchorage sions as a B-17 pilot with resident, Joe D. Montgomery, 95, died in his World War II, he owned sleep on October 5, 2013. the Chrysler Auto Agen-A Memorial Service was cy for three years before held on Saturday, October returning to the School 26th at 2 p.m. at the First District where he worked Bowl and the Depresschool reunions with "the kids" from the 50s. Mr. Montgomery was born in Floydada, Texas on January 28, 1918. After graduating from Colorado State University in 1941 he traveled to San Francisco and finally north to Alaska on a steamship. He was happy to take a job loading freight and was delighted to learn that the pay was \$1.35 an hour.

After reaching Anchorage he answered a newspaper ad for a teaching job. With winter soon to follow, he looked for room and board and found it Erickson's boarding house where he met his future wife, Ebba.

Then Pearl Harbor changed everything. He enlisted and was selected for flight training, which resulted in flying 35 mis-

## Weekly Gin Update

#### **By Rebecca Rivers** rgotti@fox34.com

Harvest has finally begun on the cotton crop across the South Plains. Gins are now open for receiving, and to help keep you updated on the local crop, we are visiting a different local gin each week. Philip Manske at Pleasant Hill CO-OP Gin said that although there won't be any dry land cotton headed to gin this year, the irrigated crop they have received thus far is looking exceptional. "So far we've ginned about 1,000 bales of cotton. Grades coming back have been from about .52 cents to .57 cents. Yields have been good, irrigated cotton is very good this year, there's not going to be any dry land cotton," Manske said. "If you take the area from Owens up to Pleasant Hill to McCoy to Floydada, it's probably some of the best cotton on the South Plains. We'll be ginning maybe through mid January. We've gotten a real late start. We're probably at least three weeks behind, so we're looking to at least mid January if I was guessing.' As cotton harvest progresses across West Texas, Ag Day Lubbock hopes everyone will keep safety in mind both stripping in the field and at the gin. And please remember to slow down when you're driving out there behind equipment and module trucks. Happy Harvest!

the 8th Air Force. After

United Methodist Church. for 32 years as teacher, He survived the Dust counselor, principal, and was Superintendent of sion, dug sweet potatoes Schools for 7 years. He and peanuts, worked in retired in 1977 and was the cotton and hay fields, elected to the Alaska milked cows, rode horses, House of Representatives had daily chores on the and served from 1980 to old farm, played college 1984. He was a memfootball, piloted a B-17, ber of the State Board baked cinnamon rolls, of Education, the Alaska made spiced crab apples, Parole Board, Beverage and loved attending high Control Board, Pioneers of Alaska, CARTA and other civic organizations. Joe was preceded in death by his wife of 68 years, Ebba Montgomery. He is survived by daughters, Julie and Marilyn Jo; grandchildren, many nieces, nephews, and dear friends. He was a loving husband, father, grandfather, and uncle. The support and friendship of caregivers and friends was appreciated and meant so much to Joe. Words can't begin to describe how much he will be missed. Arrangements were with Janssen's Evergreen Mefor \$60 a month at Mrs. morial Chapel. To sign the guestbook please

> visit www.janssenfuneralhomes.com. Gov. Sean Parnell issued an order for Alaska state flags to be lowered in honor of former state Rep. Joe Montgomery.

### **Robert Lee Holland**

69, passed away Sunday, Oc- from 1962 until 1965. He attober 13, 2013 in Stephenville, tended Texas Tech University Texas. He was born November where he received his Bachelor 12, 1943 in Sherman, Texas to of Administration Degree in Robert Lee and Juanita Powell Holland. Two older sisters, as an accountant in several large Nancy and Patsy welcomed him companies until his retirement. home in Whitesboro, Texas.

Lockney, Teas in 1951, Robert attended the Lockney Schools, graduating in 1962. Robert was a talented basketball player and was known as the playmaker of his team.

He attended North Texas

### THANK YOU

Punkin' Days held on Saturday, October 12 was a huge success. The Floydada Chamber would like to give a big "THANK YOU" to all the "Punkin' Day 2013" sponsors. Without you we could not have made this possible.

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Robert, Lee Holland, age State University in Denton Business in 1967. He worked

He married Mary Millner After the family moved to in 1966. They were the parents of two children, Lee and Rene. The family moved to Stephenville, Texas in 2001.

After Mary's death in 2008, Robert designed and built his dream house in Morgan Mill where he became a member of the Morgan Mill United Methodist Church.

His church family and many Stephenville area friends brought much joy into his life. His determination and love of life sustained him from the

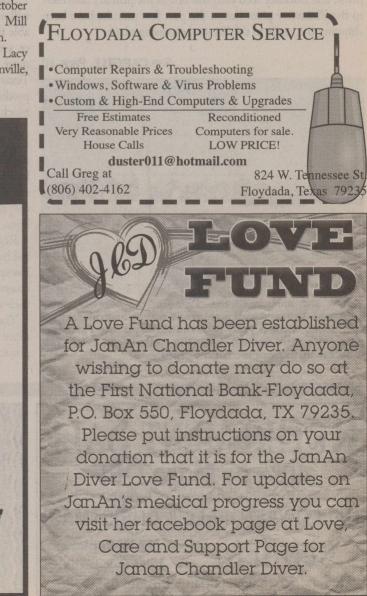
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time cancer was diagnosed in 2007 until his passing. A special friend, Barbara McBee will be remembered for her companionship and compassion.

Survivors include a son, Lee Holland and wife, Jeannie of Vero Beach, Florida; a daughter, Renee and husband, Glenn Ainslie of Fort Worth, Texas; two sisters, Nancy and husband, Don Marble of South Plains, Texas and Patsy and husband, Ed Musser of Canyon, Texas; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

A Memorial Service was held at 10 a.m. Friday, October 18, 2013 at the Morgan Mill United Methodist Church.

Arrangements were by Lacy Funeral Home, Stephenville, Texas.





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## **Business of the Month**



The Floydada Chamber has selected Floydada Co-Op Gin as "October Business of the Month. Pictured are (left to right) Francisco Rocha Jr., Joey Enriquez, Buddy Hendricks, Stacy Nutt, Arleen Nixon, Sandra Rodriguez, Aaron Hendricks, and Roger Hernandez.

## **Home Country**

#### **By Slim Randles**

it.

In our part of the country, fall means deer hunting. Many of us will dress up like a pile of leaves, go out into very cold weather, and sit still until we freeze to death.

Why? Because we want to have some venison this winter for the family. We'll figure out how much the venison costs us ... but only at gunpoint. Because this is not the most fiscally sane thing we do each year. Sanity would send us to buy some really tender beef to eat. Where's the glory in that? No, there are still a lot of us who would rather go out and find the meat and bring it home. And we spend a lot of money each year, and read lots of books and magazines, and talk endlessly about techniques. It doesn't appear to be a rational way to live, but when you apply science, history, anthropology and Darwinian theory, it still doesn't make any sense, but at least now you

the subject came up the other day at the morning meeting of the world dilemma think tank (held daily at the Mule Barn truck stop since the Hoover administration) Doc said there was actually a very clear scientific reason for it.

"In cave days," he said, "only the best hunters lived to sire children. The others ate weeds and died a sorry death. So we come from a solid line of successful hunters. We've been running around clubbing things to death for about two million years that we know of, and we only started agriculture about 12,000 years ago. So if you divide this and carry the one ... well, another way to look at it is ... if man emerged from the trees a year ago, he was nothing but a hunter until 18 hours ago."

"Makes sense," said Dud, "think I'll buy some of that Autumn Fandango camo this year."

When's the last time you heard a sound more educated talking about watch tick? Time for a free hearing test? Call BELTONE at 1-866-Doc's awfully good at that. When 867-8700.

## \*FLOYDADA Trick or Treat\*

House to house trick or treating will be held On

Halloween night October 31. Please remember a light off means don't stop, and all Ghosts, Goblins and Trick or Treaters should be home by 9pm.

Have a safe and Happy Halloween!

#### LOCKNEY SCHOOL MENU October 28 – November 1

#### Monday

Breakfast- Sausage kolache, oven roasted potatoes, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety Lunch-Beef & bean burrito, broccoli bites, garden salad, orange smiles, milk variety

Tuesday

Breakfast- Cheddar omelette wrap, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety Lunch- 2 Crispy tacos, garden salad, charro beans, cinnamon applesauce, milk variety Wednesday

Breakfast- Breakfast pizza, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety Lunch-Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, carrot coins, strawberries & bananas, hot roll,

milk variety

Thursday

Breakfast- Waffles with sausage, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety Lunch-Spaghetti w/meat sauce, garden salad, savory green beans, sliced peaches, breadsticks, milk variety

Friday

Breakfast- Cinnamon roll, bacon, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety Lunch-Hot dog, sweet potato tots, cucumber dippers, fresh fruit, milk variety

#### **FLOYDADA SCHOOL MENU** October 28 – November 1

#### Monday

Breakfast- Sausage kolache, oven roasted potatoes, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety Lunch- Toasted ham and cheese sandwich, broccoli bites, garden salad, orange smiles,

#### milk variety Tuesday

Breakfast- Cheddar omelette wrap, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety Lunch-Crispy tacos, Spanish rice, garden salad, charro beans, cinnamon applesauce, milk

#### variety

Wednesday

Breakfast- Breakfast pizza, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety Lunch-Chicken nuggets, whipped potatoes, carrot coins, strawberries & bananas, hot roll, milk variety

#### Thursday

Breakfast- Waffles with sausage, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety Lunch-Spaghetti w/meat sauce, garden salad, savory green beans, sliced peaches,

#### breadsticks, milk variety Friday

Breakfast- Cinnamon roll, bacon, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety

Lunch-Turkey & cheese wrap, sweet potato tots, cucumber dippers, fresh fruit, milk variety



## SOCIETY

## **Museum Archives** The Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon: Thursday, June 17,1993

#### Entertainment in the Early Days

#### **By Will Martin**

Residents were involved in various activities for entertainment in the early days.

One thing that took place was the croquet court down near the city water tower. Older men that didn't have anything to do spent many happy hours playing croquet.

Many men of all ages would find an empty building and then spent all day playing dominoes. You would be surprised at how some people could sit at one place so long.

In cool days when the wind was from the north, men and boys would lean up against the south side of the bank and shoot the bull. Some evil minded people would accuse them of thinking evil thoughts about the women. I never had nay thoughts like that when I saw the men leaning against the side of the bank. You could see a pretty good crowd of people on Saturday, which was called butter and egg day. They came in mostly from the rural school houses to sell eggs, cream, etc., to buy groceries and other things. Many people would stay late to go to the picture show.

I felt sorry for the storekeepers and their help for having to stay so late on Saturday night. People would sometimes buy their groceries late in the afternoon and not pick them up until late at night after the show was over. The movies were pretty long and had a pretty long comedy at the last. If there were enough people who came in late the theater would run the show over for the late comers.

The name of the first theater was Olympic, located just about where the bank's drive in window is today or maybe a little to the north.

In about 1917 or through 1929 we had three theaters. My understanding was that Jack Deakins bought the Olympic and changed the name to Ritz. Then the Palace was built. Then the building that later became Arwine Drug had been bought by Jack and his partner who leased the building and converted it to a picture show called the Royal.

Things were booming on the tail end of the roaring 1920s. But in 1929 the First State Bank went under about the time the stock market fell. That was the start of the Great Depression.

Everything just wound down slowly in about two years. Fanners lost their homes and merchants had to lay off hands.

But we that stayed made the best of things. We hoed in summer and pulled cotton in the fall, then worked two or three weeks in summer in wheat harvest.

We that were on the broke side hunted for work most of the time. Papa's little 80 acre farm, along with dry weather and low prices, made our living pretty lean, but with me working on the side, we made it after not having to go on welfare. You have heard that the windmill saved lots of people from almost starving. Our windmill sure did furnish water to raise those good old green beans, peas and carrots. I must try to forget those depression days and bad sandstorm days. After 60 or more years. I haven't been able to forget them so far.

It wasn't all doom and gloom for us young people. We might have to bum a ride with someone that was lucky enough to own an old car that a bunch of us would go to a neighbor's house and play games and turn into a ring play or square dance. Baseball was a great game for people of nearly all ages. Sandhill was the best team in this part of the county. Some of the best players were Arthur Womack, Edd and Leonard Holmes. There were more but those three were the ones I knew well. Leonard was known as Lefty. He later went to Amarillo and played professional baseball.

Some people may not believe this but

I think we had much colder winters from about 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919 up through the 1920s of these some were colder than others. I remember in about 1919 after about three weeks of near zero weather the lakes were not pumped dry for irrigation, but were pretty full of water. Of course in three weeks of zero weather at night they would freeze about a foot deep of solid ice.

On the days that were not too cold, I would walk to school and back along beside Massie lake that was frozen over. Look out on the lake and there would be maybe two Model T Ford cars with kids in them yelling and screaming. The drivers would go around in circles and throw on the brakes and let the car slide till it almost turned over. I thing Kenneth Henry and Bill Daily were the main drivers.

Not only did people ride in cars in cold weather but often tied a homemade sled behind a car and four or five would get on the sled and have a high heel time. Another sport was a jackrabbit drive. A bunch of men and boys would take their hound dogs, some had 22 guns and all would scatter out across the country and scare up the rabbits.

I think it was at the sheriffs office where they could get 5 cents for each pair of rabbit ears. I could think up more but I will close.

## **Floydada Senior Citizens News**

#### **By Margarette Word**

Special to the Hesperian-Beacon

On Wednesday of last week the S.O.S. ladies were changing the clothing from summer to winter clothing. You do know they are on the south side of where the Center is located, so at noon they took a break and came down the hall and ate lunch with us. I think we had 12 ladies that ate with us.

If I remember correctly we had 47 people eating at the Center that Wednesday. It sounded so good. Everyone was visiting and enjoying their lunch. We wish we had that many of people eating with us every day at noon. We enjoyed having so many.

I know we have many senior adults who need to come and enjoy a couple of hours with us. It gets me out of the house and

Ronald and Alyne Evans, Betty Baker In memory of Henry Hinton - John and Lee Moss, Kenneth Robertson, Rue Cole, Holly Wakefield, Haney Robertson, Heath Robertson, Jessie and Donna Pernell

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In memory of Tommy Assiter - John and Judy Dunlap

In memory of Robert Lee Holland -Janet Sue Milam

In memory of R. L. Giesecke - Jessie and Donna Pernell, Roger and Dianne Emert, Betty Baker

In memory of Dr Jack Jordan - Jessie and Donna Pernell

#### LOCKNEY SENIOR CITIZEN MENU **October 28 – November 1**

Monday – Beans and cornbread Tuesday - Frito pie Wednesday – Chicken fried steak Thursday - Chicken & dumplings Friday – Pork chops

### **First United Methodist Church to host** patriotic worship service, Nov. 10

**By Ann Carr** 

Special to Hesperian-Beacon

The First United Methodist Church of Floydada will honor the veterans as well as current members of the military on Veterans Sunday, November 10, 2013, at the 9:30 a.m. worship service.

It will begin with the of the Army, Navy, Marine presentation of the American flag and the Christian flag posted by members of Boy Scout troop 357, followed by the pledges to both flags. The service will include patriotic hymns, which will include the Armed Forces Medley, honoring the veterans

Corps, and the Air force. A patriotic reading featuring facts concerning the Medal of Honor will be read, followed by sermon delivered by Les Hall,

visiting with friends. I don't like to cook any more for myself. I really enjoy getting out.

Gary Brown, Serapio Ovalle, and J.R. Ovalle are working at the new doctors clinic and are eating with us each day. There may be others that are working there but I do not know their names.

Thank you for remembering the Center when you need to make a donation or a memorial donation. Our mailing address is P.O. Box 573, Floydada, TX. 79235. If you do not want your name in the Hesperian newspaper when you make a donation or a memorial donation, please let me know and I will not put it in there. Some people prefer not having their name in the paper for some reason.

In memory of Opal Kratzer – Delmas and Pauline McCormick, Gary and Emma Pate, John and Lee Moss, Martha Lotspeich, John and Judy Dunlap, Jane Pruitt, Kirk and Beverly Brock, Mitzi and Dan Nixon, Jessie and Donna Pernell, Roger and Dianne Emert, Billie Jordan,

In memory of Gene Smith - Betty Baker

In memory of Jean McClintock - Betty Baker, Mary Jane McClintock

Don and Carolyn Hardy made a nice donation to the Center.

#### MENU Sept.28 - Nov. 1

Monday - BBQ chicken filet, baked potato w/sour cream, whole wheat roll, margarine, mixed vegetables, mandarin oranges, low-fat milk

Tuesday - Beef taco bake, Spanish rice, cauliflower, tossed salad w/dressing, country apple crisp, low-fat milk

Wednesday - Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, country gravy, stewed okra, seasoned corn, pumpkin square, lowfat milk

Thursday - Glazed meatloaf, red bliss potatoes, breadstick, mixed vegetables, country apple crisp, low-fat milk Friday – not available

the minister of the church.

The community is invited to attend the patriotic worship service.

## **Womack Reunion held** in Lockney, Sept. 21

#### **By Joyce Womack Mason**

Descendants of Arthur and Ida Belle Womack met on September 21, 2013 at the Lockney Senior Citizens Building for a reunion. Mr Womack resided in Floyd County from 1909 until his death in 1981, and Mrs Womack resided in Floyd County from 1915 until her death in 1980

The day was spent visiting, and celebrating Arthur Womack Jr's 90th birthday. Two hours or so was spent reminiscing about life growing up on the farm in the Sand Hill community. Some of the grandchildren and great grandchildren of Arthur and Ida Belle, told about their memories of spending time at the farm, and getting to know each other there. Three of their children J. W. Womack and his wife, Helen, Ralph Womack and the family treasure, Elouise Womack have all passed from this life. Elouise was an invalid for her entire life, but her loving spirit was encouragement to everyone who knew her.

Those present were Arthur and Jimmie Womack of Niantic Connecticut, and their son, Lane and wife, Kathy Womack of Los Alamos, NM.

Bill and Margie Womack of Floydada, TX.-

Joyce Womack Mason of Lockney, TX. Her children: Leah Ann Neal and Bruce Sopas of Lewisville, TX, J.D. Cotham and wife Cinda of El Paso, TX.. Lisa Keenan, and grandchildren, Preslee and Boston McClure, and their cousin, Sophie, all of Lubbock, TX. and Phil Cotham

and wife Cindy of Lockney, TX.

Shirley Womack Teague and husband, Roy of Hurst, TX.; son, Drew Teague of Hurst, TX,, daughter, Jennifer Teague of Burleson, TX., daughter, Sherry Teague Fincher, husband, Marty Fincher of San Antonio TX., and their daughter, Ashley Ebrom, and her son, Daniel of Boerne, TX.

Jack Womack of Salida, Colorado

Jim Womack, wife, Virginia and Sparky of Tehachapi, CA.

LaJuana Womack Harmon and husband, Frank, son, Tim Harmon, of Lubbock, son, Scott Harmon and wife, Susan, son, Keenan and daughter, Kara of Plainview, TX., Missy Harmon Jackson and husband, Lane, sons, London and Taytor and daughter, Lacie of Ropesville, TX.

Elfa Womack Turner of Lubbock, daughter Jeania Grimsley and her husband, Bobby Grimsley of Abernathy, TX.

Children of the late J.W. and Helen Womack, present were Deona Womack Carmack and husband, Stan Carmack of Dallas, Charles Womack and wife, Paula of Dallas, and Steve Womack of Houston.

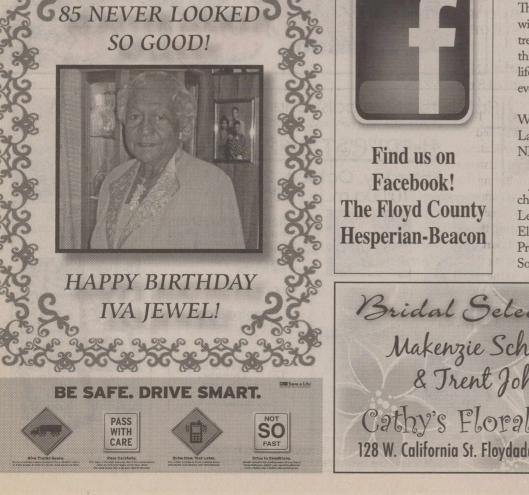
Daughter of the late Ralph Womack, and the late Jo Womack Spinks and Bob Spinks, Donna Freestone and husband, Ronnie Freestone of Dallas.

Cousin of the family, Sharon Clower, and cousin, Peggy Rowell and husband, W. D. of Silverton, TX.

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## FLOYDADA SCHOOL

## **Plains Fair and State Fair of Texas**

#### **By Sonya Glass**

Special for Hesperian-Beacon

Alex and Ryder Glass represented Floyd County 4-H by showing their heifers in the Dairy Cattle show in Lubbock on the 23rd of September and in Dallas on the 12th and 13th of October.

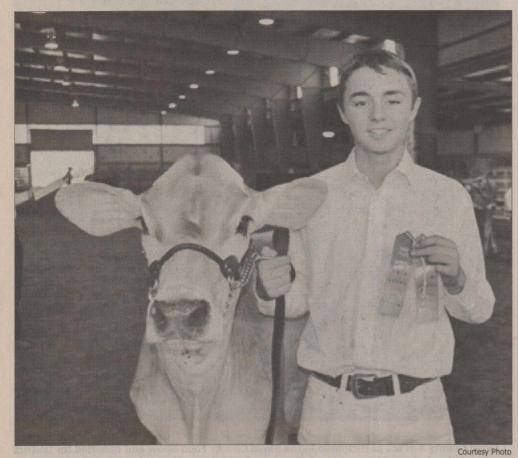
Both of the boys did well in Lubbock with Alex receiving two first place ribbons and runner up Junior Brown Swiss Heifer. Ryder received three first place ribbons, three second place ribbons, and Reserve Champion Brown Swiss Heifer.

They continued their success in Dal-

las. Alex received first place in the Pan Am open show and second in the Junior show while Ryder received three second The Hesperian-Beacon place ribbons in the Pan Am open show and three second place ribbons in the Junior show.

While at the State Fair the boy's competed in the Dairy Judging contest. They both represented Floyd County well with Ryder placing 8th and Alex placing 17th out of 79 entries.

Congratulations on a job well done!!



Alex Glass competed in the South Plains Fair as well as the State Fair of Texas representing Floyd County 4-H well.

## Floyd County 4-H'ers compete at South Abernathy outscores Whirlwinds in district game, 30-0

#### **By Charles Keaton**

Chilly north winds and a red-hot Abernathy Antelopes team, kept the Floydada Whirlwinds winless in District 2-2A-Div2 with a 30-0 defeat.

Both teams found it tough to deal with the north winds that were gusting to over 25 mph during the first half. Abernathy finally broke the scoreless tie with a 26-yard field goal by Zach Tovar with 4:48 left in the first half.

In the third quarter, the Antelopes found the end zone three times. With 8:52 left in the quarter, Baylor Smith ran it in from 23 yards out to increase the lead to 10-0. N. K. Clarkson crossed the goal line from five yards out with 5:24 left in the quarter to move the score to 17-0. Finally, Sawyer Knight rushed in from 11 yards out to make the score 24-0 with 1:05 left in the third quarter.

Abernathy tallied the final score of the night with 6:51 left in the game when Knight found the end zone on a 22-yard run to give the Antelopes a 30-0 lead.

Knight finished the night with 74 yards

rushing and two touchdowns as the Antelopes accumulated 271 total yards, 191 on the ground and 80 in the air.

The Whirlwinds could not get anything going offensively all night. The finished with only 165 total yards, 66 on the ground and 99 in the air. Tucker Lowrance completed just three of nine passes for 99 yards. Matthew McGowen caught two of the passes for 86 yards including a 64-yarder that the Winds could not capitalize on. Corey Mathis rushed the ball 18 times for 33 yards to lead the Winds.

The Winds are now 0-2 in district and 1-6 overall. They host Post Oct. 25, travel to Tulia on Nov. 1 and close out the season hosting Lubbock Roosevelt. The Winds still have a chance to make the playoffs since four teams from each district advance after the University Interscholastic League added the additional playoff team this past summer.

The Antelopes are now 2-0 in district and 6-1 overall. They travel to Olton on Oct. 25, then travel to Lubbock Roosevelt, Nov. 1 and close out the regular season by hosting Post on Nov. 8.



Darolyn Snell for the He

On Saturday, October 19th, the Eagles, Floydada's Tiger League 5th and 6th grade team, improved their record to 6-0 after defeating the Tulia Gators team by a score of 32-0.

## **GOWINDS!**

I've built a rewarding career and worked with a lot of great people along the way. - Tom, Safety Technician





Courtesy Photo

Ryder Glass competed in the South Plains Fair as well as the State Fair of Texas representing Floyd County 4-H well.

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TO THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AND ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE of VIOLA GERTRUDE SMITH, Deceased, No. 5842, County Court sitting in Matters Probate, Floyd County, Texas: On October 15, 2013, CARL JOE BONTKE filed in the County Court of Floyd County, Texas, an application to determine heirship. All persons interested in said Estate are cited to appear by filing a written answer contesting the petition should they desire to do so. If you or you attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next following the expiration often (10) days after publication, the Court will proceed without your response. The officer executing this citation will promptly serve the same according to the requirements and the mandates hereof and make the return as the law directs.

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LOCKNEY SCHOOL

## **Longhorn Varsity Football Lockney Loses District Opener to Hale Center 54-12**

#### **By Charles Keaton** Hesperian-Beacon

Hale Center used a dominating defense to hand the Lockney Longhorns a 54-12 defeat in the opening game of district play on Oct. 11.

The Longhorns were held to 180 total yards while the Owls managed 455 yards of total offense.

The Owls began the scoring with 4:46 left in the first quarter when Castillo scored from 27 yards out.

In the second quarter, the Owls found the end zone again with a nine yard pass from Rossi to Garcia with 10:43 left in the half.

Following a two-point conversion, the Owls were leading 14-0. Ky Teeter found Tevin Phillips open for a 14 yard scoring pass with 9:21 left in the half. The extra point attempt failed and the Horns trailed 14-6. With 30 seconds left in the half, the Owls scored again on an eight yard Rossi to Cannon pass. The Owls took a 22-6 lead into the half time.

The Owls' Castillo began the second half scoring by returning the kickoff 78 yards with 11:43 left in the third quarter to stretch the lead to 29-6. With 2:15 left in the third, Teeter scored from two yards out. After the missed extra point, the Horns trailed 29-12. With no time left in the third quarter, Rossi ran it in for the Owls from 28 yards out to give Hale Center a 37-12 lead heading into the final quarter.

With 9:58 left in the game, Rossi connected with Castillo on a 56 yard touchdown pass to

stretch their lead to 44-12. With 7:29 left in the game, the Owls kicked a 28-yard field goal as the lead moved to 47-12. The Owls final score came with 1:30 left in the game as they completed a 15-yard touchdown pass to take a 54-12 lead.

Jay Ragland, Lockney head coach said, "Giving up a touchdown right before half and then allowing the kickoff to be returned for a TD to start the second half put us in a hole that we could not dig out of."

Individually, Teeter was 9-35 passing for 97 yards, one touchdown and one interception. Mauricio Davila had three receptions for 25 yards; Phillips had two receptions for 24 yards and a touchdown. Teeter carried the ball 27 times for 57 yards and a touchdown; Daylen Gatica and Darin DeLeon both had three carries for 16 yards each.

For Hale Center, Rossi was 15-38 passing for 269 yards and three touchdowns. Cannon had six receptions for 84 yards and one touchdown; Garcia had three receptions for 80 yards and one touchdown and Castillo had three receptions for 76 yards and a touchdown.

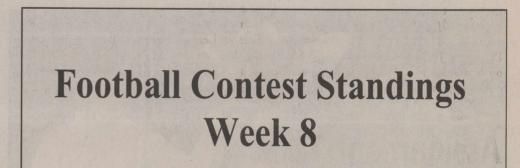
Following an open date on Oct. 18, the Horns will travel to New Deal Oct. 25, will host Sundown on Nov. 1 and travel to Tahoka Nov. 8 to close out the football season.

Hale Center lost to New Deal Oct. 18, 60-14. They travel to Sundown Oct. 25 and host Tahoka Nov. 1 to close out their regular season. They will have an open date Nov. 8.

## **Floyd County 4-H News**



Floyd County 4-H'ers participated in the Floyd County Food Show and qualified for District competition to be held in Levelland, Texas on October 26. Pictured are (left to right) Abby Delozier - 1st Place Intermediate Protein; Lindee Miller - 1st Place Junior Grains and Tyann Phillips - 1st Place Junior Dairy.



### **Lockney School Board Approves Request from Longhorn Wind Project**

rating.

#### **By Charles Keaton** Hesperian-Beacon

Lockney School Board of Trustees meeting in regular session on Oct. 14 approved an Agreement for an Appraised Value Limitation on Qualified Property by Longhorn Wind Project, to address issues of students LLC.

In other action, the Board of one student with severe approved the 2011-2012 peanut allergies, requested restarting the Family, Career Financial Integrity Rating help with dealing with the and Community Leaders System of Texas (FIRST) issue of peanuts in the school. of rating report of a superior The 504 committee is used to organization.

The Board also approved calling for bids for copy machines for the district and amending the budget to allow for a Rural Schools grant.

Following much discussion, the Board approved the formation of a 504 committee with food allergies. Parents

deal with students that have mental or physical limitations which include learning, behavior or health related conditions that can limit a child's ability to receive an appropriate education.

High school Family and Consumer Science teacher Cindy Belt, introduced herself to the Board and discussed her return to Lockney including

America (FCCLA)

### **BID NOTICE**

Lockney Independent School District, Lockney, Texas, is accepting bids for the lease and maintenance of 5 copy machines. The bid must include monthly volume bands, overage prices, lease term, maintenance proposal, and supply proposal. Four of the 5 machines must be networked.

Bids must be received by Tuesday, November 12, 2013, at 4:00 PM. Bids should be sent to the Office of the Superintendent, Lockney ISD, P.O. Box 428, Lockney, Texas 79241. Bids received after the deadline will not be considered.

Lockney ISD reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids, and to waive formalities. Specifications are available at the above address or by contacting Phil Cotham at 806-652-2104.

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#### **NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Larnce A. McCain, Deceased, were issued on October 17, 2013, in Cause No. 5957, pending in the County Court of Floyd County, Texas, to: Larnce McCain.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

c/o: Kelly K. Dunbar Attorney at Law P.O. Box 1144 Lockney, Texas 79241

DATED the 17<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2013.

Kelly K. Dunbar Attorney for Larnce McCain State Bar No.: 11508980 P.O. Box 1144 Lockney, Texas 79241 Telephone: (806) 847-7083 Facsimile: (806) 652-2945

	THIS WEEK	OVERALL
Coy LaBaume	24/30	171/227
Dale Miner	23/30	170/227
Sammy Bradley	22/30	166/227
Johnny Dorman	23/30	166/227
Stanley Collier	23/30	166/227
Brent Sanders	21/30	165/227
Franklin Harris	23/30	165/227
Max Yeary	23/30	164/227
Lanny Barnett	23/30	162/227
Boyd Lee	22/30	158/227
Paul Lopez	22/30	156/227
Ricky Ascencio	24/30	156/227
Diane Ramon	19/30	153/227
Pam Fulton	21/30	153/227
Martin Ramirez	v 21/30	149/227
Steve Stringer	18/30	137/227
Jace Klein		109/197

Just 3 more games. Who's going to be in the top 3???? It's anybody's game right now!

#### **NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF JEFFIE CARLENE JOHNSON**

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of JEFFIE CARLENE JOHNSON, Deceased, were issued on October 15, 2013, in Cause No. 5958 pending in the County Court of Floyd County, Texas, to:

#### L.N. JOHNSON

The address of such person is:

#### 1890 FM 689 Lockney, Texas 79241

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> Law Offices of BAKER, BROWN & THOMPSON A Professional Corporation By Norton Baker State Bar No. 01602000 Attorneys for the Estate

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## AGRICULTURE

## Commissioners Approve New Deputy, Tax Abatement for Cedar Cap Wind

#### **By Charles Keaton**

Meeting in regular session, the Floyd County Commissioners approved the appointment of Alex Gutierrez as deputy sheriff replacing long-time law enforcement officer Jerry Edwards.

In other action, the Commissioners approved tax abatements for Cedar Cap Wind, LLC. Construction should start by the end of 2013 with completion in early 2015. Once online, the project a vital statistics conference in Austin.

will produce up to 150 megawatts, with 96 megawatts in Floyd County and 56 megawatts in Motley County.

The Commissioners approved a crossing permit for Longhorn Wind Project to cross numerous county roads during the construction of their wind farm. Also, a memo of understanding with Central Plains Center of Plainview was approved and travel expenses for the Ginger Morgan, County Clerk, to attend

## **Powering Up**



## **Veterans Appreciation Banquet to be held Nov. 11**

November 11 is the day and surrounding communieach year that this nation ties are being asked to come sets aside to honor all veterans. It is thanks to the veterans of our wonderful country that we enjoy the freedom we have in the United States of America.

This year there will be a Veterans Appreciation Banquet. This banquet is hosted by The Plainview Elks Lodge and Plainview High School Student Council. Assisting with the banquet are Hale County 4-H, students of Dr. Rick Shaw at Wayland and the Plainview High School Naval Jr ROTC. American Legion Posts and VFW Posts in Plainview, Tulia, Lockney and Floydada have also been of a great assistance in putting this special banquet together. It will be held at the Plainview High School Cafeteria at 1501 Quincy Street, Plainview, Texas at 6:00 p.m. on November 11, 2013.

Veterans from Plainview

together so that they may be honored in a way they deserve. To be able to do this, we need help of the veterans themselves. We are asking that any and all veterans that would like to be included in this special event contact one of people listed below to give them your name and address so that an invitation to this event can be sent to you. We are doing this by invitation so that a spot may be reserved for you and to be able to have a number in which to prepare food for. The appropriate dress for this banquet is a nice casual or what you would wear to church.

There are 3,482 veterans in Swisher, Hale and Floyd Counties. Only a small portion of the veterans are members in the American Legion or VFW posts. We would like to honor all veterans, whether they are young, old or in-between. Please give us a call with your name and mailing information.

John Reeves of Smokin' X will be preparing brisket and beans. Smokin' X is a competitive BBQ team and has won numerous cook-offs. The meat comes from Raider Red meats. There will also be potato salad and coleslaw prepared by Elks Restaurant as well as dessert.

A program is planned that will touch the heart of everyone in attendance.

Please get in touch with one of the following people to get your name on the invitation list. You may text or call. These contact people may be at work or in a meeting so PLEASE leave a message and they will get back with you.

Contact info: Libby Delgado - 806-774-3610; Jana Cannon - 806-729-5300; or Jan Ragland - 806-252-3894.

Transmission line construction crews prepare to string the power lines over U. S. Highway 70 just east of the Floyd County Friends Unity Center. Traffic was slowed or stopped as the crews worked to place the heavy cables from tower to tower across the highway.

## Floyd County 4-H "Top Shot" competition held

#### **By Patty Davenport**

4-H Shooting Sports coaches held a "Top Shot" competition on Sunday, September 29. This was a great, fun and safe way to introduce youth to the different disciplines offered in the shooting sports program.

The competition was stiff and the scores were close. The senior and intermediate age group winners were extremely close with the shotgun scores determining the "top Shot" in each group. We had nine senior age youth that participated with Jake Bramlet edging out his competition. Arnie Martinez came out on top in the intermediate group. Archery determined

the day that connected with the target.

Coaches are meeting soon to set What a blast! The Floyd County up practice schedules. If you are interested in any of the shooting sports disciplines offered; archery, rifle, pistol, shotgun or hunting and wildlife, contact the County Extension Office at 983-4912 for information.

Extension programs serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, disability or national origin. The Texas A&M University System, U.S. Department of Agriculture and the County Commissioners Courts of Texas Cooperating. We will seek to accommodate all persons with disabilities for all meetings. We request that you contact the Floyd County Texas AgriLife Extension Ser-

## **Assignment: Texas**

## The Marfa Lights

Marfa is a desoseat of Marfa.

Marfa proper is an interesting place. After clearing the mountains that flank the Chianti Mountains, an researcher claims that while Alpine, I am soon on a gi- orb appears about one de- many of the lights have a ant desert grassland and gree above the horizon. At plausible explanation, the can see the lights of Marfa first it's white and pulsates origin of a percentage of



RUSSELL from funky GRAVES

I see pieces

art houses.

look, to me, like a cross distance. between western practicalhotel served as the headquarters for the film Giant and provided hospitality for Richard Burton, Elizabeth Taylor, and James Dean.

The town is fun and eclectic and adding to it's oddity is a viewing platform ten miles east of the town. While I reflect on what Marfa proper offers, I am drawn to stop at the dimly lit platform. I was at this spot about thirty years ago and again about ten years ago but this time I get to share the phenomenon

ighway 67 east of with my wife and kids. On the platform, there's in the making. late piece of high- an electric energy in the air. way - especially at night. Throngs of visitors have counts of the lights were in After a dinner at the Reata stopped and like us, peer 1957 and anecdotally claim Restaurant in Alpine, I across the desert waiting to that reports of the lights head west out of town to- see small orbs of light ap- date back to the 1800's. wards the Presidio County pear in the distance. In less Research suggests that the than five minutes, the des- lights are mirage-like apert doesn't disappoint.

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Everyone on the platity and Victorian opulence. form sees the lights and are In the courthouse's shadow amazed by them but no one lies the fabled Paisano Ho- here can explain why they tel. Back in the 1950's the occur. It seems that that's a



conundrum that fifty years

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The lights rose to pub-Thirty years after I first saw them, they are again rising Soon the single light to my collective conscious.

The mystery lights just

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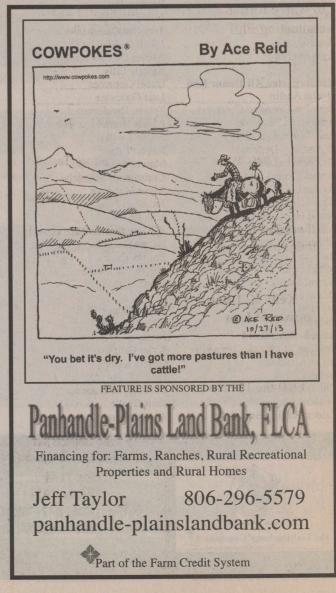
## Lubbock Team Earns Top **Customer Service Honor**

LUBBOCK, Texas (Oct. Floydada, Plainview, Post, zona and California. Shallowater and Wolfforth.

Chief Operating Officer Tom McMillin and West Region Senior Vice President of Operations Dave Gilles surprised the local team with the announcement at a gathering here today. Lubbock system Director of Operations Brian Borthwick accepted a trophy from McMillin on behalf of the 140-member system team.

Suddenlink's West Region 14, 2013) - Suddenlink's team also was named most-Lubbock system team has improved region in customer won an award for the highest satisfaction after placing five of customer satisfaction scores its systems in the company's top of any Suddenlink cable six. The West Region, headed system, based on company by Gilles and based in Lubsurveys conducted the past bock, serves more than 330,000 year. The Lubbock system customers in communities in also includes teams serving West Texas, New Mexico, Ari-

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# **Whirlwind News**

## **FHS Honor Roll**

**By Bethany Morales** Staff Writer

**9th A Honor Roll** Macee Brotherton Brayden Campbell Brooke Galvan Delylah Henrey Alfonzo Mendoza Kaylee Morren **Grant Potts** 

9th AB Honor Roll Casey Cage Marcos Cervera Aylin Chavana Taylor Chavarria Kennedy Coon Albert Dehoyos Selena Espinoza Valerie Espinoza Kailee Jackson Joe Johnston Giovvana Martinez Mark McGowen Roberto Mora David Moreno Karina Ortega **Rosary Perez** James Ponce Justin Rodriguez **Chassidy Sanchez Brooklyn Smith Bryce** Thomas Alyssa Vega Karley Weems

**10th A Honor Roll Destiny Cabello** Roxann Chavarria Kirby Nixon

#### **10th AB Honor Roll**

Audreanna Almaguer Coronado Christian Chavarria **Allison Cisneros** Shiann De Los Santos Logan Everett J Guzman **Rachel Hernandez** Reagan Hughes Angela Longoria Angel Lorenzo **Delaney** Lucke **Rita Martinez** Jordon Moore Alyson Perez Makenzie Ramos Alvessa Reyna Michael Riojas Thalia Villa Dakota Whalen

11th A Honor Roll Desiree Guerra Rebekah Hall David Henry McKenna Johnson **Bethany Morales Kimberly Pacheco** 

#### 11th AB Honor Roll

Chelsea Byrd Aaron Chavarria Aimee Chavarria Joshua Chavarria Lindsey Deleon Kimberly Delgado Esmeralda Garza Yareli Martinez Sadie Mathis **Elizabeth Morales** Karla Moreno Corbin Nutt Marcos Olvera Annette Pena Valerie Reves Erika Sanchez

12th A Honor Roll Casandra Delgado **Emily Prisk** Patricia Riojas

12th AB Honor Roll Samantha Caballero Alora Ferrara Pedro Guerrero Cristal Irlas Stephanie Lerma Maria Lira John Mendez Michael Moreno Kyarah Pesina Cristo Rosa Braxton Turner Albert Vasquez

## **FJHS Honor Roll**

**By Bethany Morales** Staff Writer

**7th AB Honor Roll Caitlin Bishop** Angel Cervera Gabriel Delafuente Drake Emery Hannah Morales **Allison Muniz** Allison Orr **Kylie Ricketts Cutter Smith** 

Monty Stambaugh Jonah Trevino

#### 8th A Honor Roll **Donald Gibbens** Alex Glass Lauren Hall **Dusty Prisk Remington Ricketts**

8th AB Honor Roll Kortney Campbell **Daniel** Cervera

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A Change in Tempo for FHS Band

#### **By Hunter Schwertner** Assistant Editor

For the past two weeks, the Floydada High School Band has been working diligently to improve the quality of their performances, especially with fall band contest approaching.

The band staff has been preparing daily to better its performances as well as to create a better work ethic.

"We have spent a fair amount of time working fundamentals," said band director, Hailey Kelley. "One of our main focuses is to make sure that the students can play their music individually."

After a difficult start to the season, even the band members are hoping to have a more positive outcome for the weeks to come.

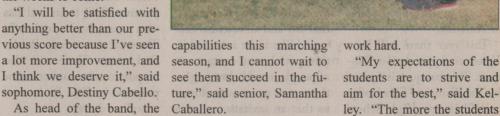
"I will be satisfied with anything better than our previous score because I've seen capabilities this marching a lot more improvement, and

As head of the band, the Caballero. drum major's primary con-

## **Calling All Veterans**

#### **By Tucker Lowrance** Staff Writer

FHS Student council will be holding its annual Veterans Day tribute on November 11, 2013. The student council would like to honor all veterans and those who are currently serving. In preparing for another successful



It is important that the students remember to enjoy

celebration, STUCO is in need the names and addresses of all veterans and active servicemen and women. If you know of anyone who deserves this special honor, please contact student council advisor, Rose- this great nation.

mary Finley, at 983-3498 or via e-mail at rfinley@floydadaisd. esc17.net before November 1, 2013. Help the students of FHS honor all those who have served or are currently serving

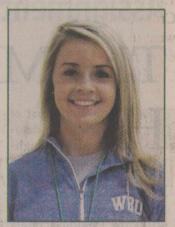
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the more they enjoy perform-

## Welcome to FISD Meet Ms. Maxwell

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**By Mattie Sanders** Staff Writer



**By Bethany Morales** 

Averli Segura

#### Aiden Trevino

**Duncan Honor Roll** 

#### Christian Mendez

#### cerns are to be successful. "The band has shown great band even when they have to

Staff Writer

**Kindergarten A Honor Roll** Jessica Alaniz Cayden Arvizu **Tavianne Bullock** Maria Castillo Miranda Cuba Anai De La Fuente Jakob Deochoa Madilyne Garcia Andreya Garza Aidyn Gonzalez Ivana Gonzalez **Trevor Green Enrique** Hartline Jaime Hernandez **Brody Hughes Isabel Johnston** Jordan Jones **Roy Jones** Katie Landin Hazel Lloyd Hiram Lopez Ricardo Loustaunau Gonzalez Brittney Machado Alejandra Martinez Adelle Ramos Marty Riojas Josue Rosa Ana Saldana Kyra Segura

**Kindergarten AB Honor Roll Daelin** Austin Brandon Carmona-Contreras Armando Chavarria Juan Delafuente D'Anthony Delarosa Dominic Delarosa **Ismael Flores** Avrian Garza Azael Gomez Jerald Henderson Alli Hernandez Ellianna Jimenez **Braylen Landeros** John Lopez Naomi Lopez Devin Luna

Myra Maldonado **Grayson Marks** Adrielle Martinez Dahlenn Mendoza Jaylin Mendoza Isaiah Ortega **Christopher Perez** Michael Ramos Zaiden Ratliff- Branch **Payten Shuping** Justin Torres Makinley Whittle Samantha Ybarra

**1st A Honor Roll** Kimara Baker **Braeson Ballesteros Preslie Brooks** La'Rissa Castillo Luna Castillo Sydni Chesshir Lilliahna Duran Aiden Enriquez Draven Garcia Angel Garza Hailee Garza Ava Gonzales **Tillie Grouse** Josemaria Lara Makeniee Lemons Kirsten Pyle Katelynn Ramirez Miranda Reyes Caleb Speed

#### **1st AB Honor Roll**

**Bradley Bullock** Jessie Castillo Treyvian Coleman Jakob Cuellar Abram De La Fuente Amaris Ellis Isabel Gonzalez Luis Gonzalez Tyrean Henderson Alexis Hernandez Karlie Jones Robert Luna Marcus Maldonado Christopher Mendez Alyse Mendoza Jonathan Pena Jane Perales Allyson Romero Logan Smith **Emilio Tenorio** Soriah Wickware Dustin Zavala

#### 2nd A Honor Roll

Edgar Cervera Janiesis Garza Kyler Gillespie Cristin Kemp Emma Lafuente Christopher Louallen Juan Ovalle Analise Perez

2nd AB Honor Roll Salvador Flores Mariah Garcia Dalles Hernandez Hagen Hinsley **Reese Hinsley** Aaliyah Harmolejo Ryan Perez Marcus Roberts Brenton Shepler Jaxson Smith Derrik Suarez Leighton Teeple Nicholas Vasquez

**3rd A Honor Roll** Lailah Burks Elektra Monroe Saul Reyes

**3rd AB Honor Roll** Izaih Alvarado Diana Carmona- Contreras Alexandra De Los Santos Anthony Garcia Jonathon Garza Kaley Garza Tatum Glasscock Kaiden Hooser Alianna Juarez Hannah Lafuente Faith Lopez Luis Martinez **Rodrigo Martinez Brock Powell** Manuel Ramos Vicente Ramos-Saldivar **Devin Reyes** Hannah Roberts Johnny Rodriguez Camila Trevino Noah Vega Lydia Zavala

4th A Honor Roll Caitlyn Campbell Trace Glasscock Camden Johnston Holley Monroe

#### 4th AB Honor Roll

Jack Brooks Clarissa Delafuente **Oscar** Flores Ashlyn Green Charles Gwinn Bryan Henry Madison Martinez-Garcia Lindee Miller Madison Ortiz **Davian Ramos** Jadyn Ruiz Kailee Sanchez Andrew Suarez Erin Trevino Kaitlynn Vega **Evanee Wickware** 

5th A Honor Roll Jody Briones **Benjamin Glass** Samuel Holcombe Kendal Hughes Emily Lopez Elyanna Medellin **Rolando Ortiz** Lexie Ramos Maria Sanchez Audire Strange **Rickily Terry** 

**5th AB Honor Roll** Alexyz Alvarado Kaylea Britt Kaylea Bruns Cole Emery Joseph Gonzalez Laci Gourdon Carson Miller **Breck** Thomas

**6th AB Honor Roll** Alfredo Aleman **Emily Cisneros** Patricio Delafuente Jarren Garcia Myra Garcia Azalea Garza Analysa Gonzalez Eric Johnston Savannah Luna **Izel Martinez Pacheco** Kassandra Mendez Amber Morales **Xochie Padilla** Devan Perez Marcus Perez **Ruth Ramirez** Jobe Rodriguez **Robert Rodriguez** Yelena Serrato Miguel Suarez **Payton Teeple** Angela Vega

A little boy takes his place and cries out "color upset!" The crowd of elementary students goes wild with excitement as they sprint to the other side of the little gym. For many children, the chance to get to stretch their legs and blow off some of the contained energy they've been holding down is their favorite part of a school day. Whether the students realize it or not, their fun and games wouldn't be possible without the help of a brand new face.

"I hope they leave each day saying they have learned something new and that they had fun doing it overall," said Physical Education (PE) teacher, Brittany Maxwell.

Ms. Maxwell is the new PE teacher for the elementary and high school campuses. She received her bachelor's degree in Health and Physical Education at the University of Virginia's

College at Wise. Later, she also obtained her master's degree in Coaching and Athletic Administration at Concordia University in Irvine.

While she was attending grad school, Maxwell met her fiancé, Garett. Garett is a wrestling coach at Wayland University. Her family resides in Virginia where she was raised. She had never been to Texas before she moved here in August. Brittany enjoys watching and playing sports, baking, and photography when she is not in the gym with her students.

### Whirlwind Word Search

A Hint of Fall By Kimberly Pacheco NGPVOV ACORN HARVEST JOTRDPOP WINDKCR APPLE YELLOW JEVUNEL PPANI CORN ORANGE RED SNHEYMSTS EVRAHO HOODIES QR GJP F NRO JEANS TREE CAT SEPTEMBER UF EEYKREB OT C OXS LEAVES BJISKC PUMPKIN OCTOBER S YAH SSL RAKING NOVEMBER D V QSOSW YOFUL SCARECROW AUTUMN F VF SW TQO A GNA R 0 H MVE SQUASH SQUIRREL SCARECROWVBA FIL SWEATER KAFREBMEVONTPRE PYQEREBMETPESR WIND **YLHOODIESRPRBEP** HAYSTACKS NMUTUAJHGHJKKLB NUT













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**Longhorn News** 

Seniors Head to TTU Bridges, second grade



#### **By Heather Fierros**

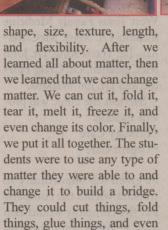
Recently, Texas Tech University hosted their Red and Black Weekend for all high school seniors. Attending from LHS were Heather Fierros, Tanae Ramos, Alyssa Cruz, Ashly Alvarado, Janette Ybarra and Nathan Caballero. On Saturday, Tech let the students tailgate outside of Gates Hall where Fuddruckers catered and served hamburgers and potato chips. Some of the high school students were also able to take a tour of the campus. On Sunday the

students participated in a "college fair" where representatives from each college of study handed out information about their programs and also allowed the high school students to speak to some Tech students in that field of study. During the day on Sunday, several LHS students were able to meet Texas Tech's president and were able to speak with him about the university. "He explained to us how important it is to major in something that we can enjoy every single day of our lives and he hoped to see us on Tech's campus

next year," explained Ashly Alvarado. On Monday, Tech had a pep rally for the students and taught them some of the chants and cheers. Afterwards there were many meetings you could attend such as the Hospitality session, financial aid session, and the Greek life session. After lunch the students were allowed to view the resident's hall for the upcoming freshman. "It was a great experience that helped me view all the different things I can major in and also helped me consider Tech," stated Heather Fierros.



Second grade Science learned about matter earlier in the year. We learned that scientists came up with the idea that everything is made of matter. If it takes up space, then it is made of matter. The way to tell one piece of matter apart from another is by their physical properties. Physical properties are words we use to describe objects. Some physical properties are color,



break things in order to build a bridge. I send this home as a project every year. My hopes are that an adult spends some time with these children and enjoy the process. There are no intentions of placing any stress on the children or parents/guardians. It's a fun piece of Science I like to send home so that everyone gets a chance to see what we are learning here at school.



The Lockney 4th and 5th graders had the privilege to participate in a Playa Festival Thursday, October 10th. Dr. Andrew Krasner and his students from Wayland presented playa insects and Darryl Birkenfield presented playa characteristics. The students

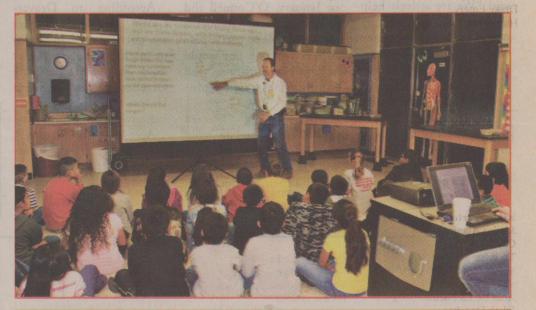
then took a mini field trip to a playa lake north of town so that they could make connections with the presentations in the real world. The afternoon session was presented by Adeline Fox of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District.

She spoke about the importance of conserving water to protect the Ogallala Aquifer. The day was a huge success! Mrs. Pate and the Lockney 4th and 5th grade would like to thank our special guests for such an exciting day of science!



On Tuesday, October 15, 2013, the LHS **Cross Country teams** went to Plainview for their district Cross Country meet. The high school boys placed 4th as a team and high school girls placed 6th Isabella Rodri-

10th out of the top ten sending them to regionals on Saturday October 26, 2013 at Mae Simmons in Lubbock.



guez placed 7th and Samantha Salas placed





1st Annual Lockney Chamber of Commerce Trunk or Treat! Saturday October 26th 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

Meet: along sidewalk on the Lockney Library side

Where: Chamber members will escort trick or treaters to South Main Street

Needed: Lots of Volunteers (and candy)!

Fill your trunk with eandy and please enter on Main Street by Allsups between 4:30-5:15 Month Cars allowed after 5:15min If you have any questions, contact: Beau Hart (806) 368-1120









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#### CREZ From Page 1

Across the state, grid operators are reviewing some 21,000 megawatts worth of new wind projects. Typically, about 20 percent of proposals

#### CLINIC From Page 1

Work to the building has been ongoing with the facility offering more services to local patients including x-ray capability and lab services.

The clinic is scheduled to open with five employees.

The new electronic medical system can be shared real time with the Plainview clinic. Regardless if patients are in Floydada or Plainview, patient information will be available instantly.

"One of the things we want people to know is that it will be a Monday through Friday clinic but if they find need on Saturday or Sunday and they come to Plainview, due to our EMR (electronic medical re-

#### CARGILL From Page 1

"No additional Cargill beef facility closures are planned," Martin said.

The feed yard employs 45 people and can house approximately 62,000 cattle at any one time. Located north of Lockney, the feedlot was built in 1969 and purchased by Cargill in 1986.

Martin said that Cargill will utilize feed yards closer to its processing facilities in Friona and Dalhart.

Pat O'Connell, general manager of the feed yard, said, "We are actively helping our employees with opportunities of employment within Cargill but we still have enough silage to feed cattle until sometime in late summer, near the end of August. We don't have an exact date of the closure

end up being built, said Robbie Searcy, a spokeswoman for ERCOT. New projects in the Panhandle - including a planned 1,100-megawatt wind farm near Lubbock that promises to be the country's largest — are expected to exceed the capacity of the

cords) connection, we'll have access to their records," said McClanahan.

One of the largest conveniences provided by the clinic includes obstetrics. Pregnant patents can go through their checkup routine locally.

"If pregnant patients choose us as their OB provider in Floydada, our plan is to deliver in Plainview," said Dr. John McClanahan. "Our connection is with Plainview's hospital."

Physicians affiliated with West Texas Family Medicine include: Dr. Mark McClanahan, Dr. Travis King, Dr. John McClanahan, Dr. Craig Horton and Dr. Jon Watkins.

Services the clinic will provide include:

- Primary Care
- Urgent Care

be given the opportunity to transfer within the company but the company would also look at other opportunities within the area to assist the employees impacted by the decision.

Recently, South Plains College announced that they had received a \$475,000 grant from the U.S. Economic Development Administration to support the construction of a technology center at the Plainview campus. The facility will allow SPC to provide training opportunities for workers displaced by the closing of Cargill Meat Solutions in January. O'Connell did not know if his employees would be able to participate in this program but would be checking into it as well as other job training programs.

Martin said, "Recent rains have helped to build as of yet." the harvest and hopefully, it O'Connell said that all will entice cattle producers current employees would to build their livestock.

region's new transmission, meaning regulators may need to add even more lines in the future.

"When we look back on the investment in CREZ," Clark said, "it will be one of the most visionary investments the state has ever made."

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The drought has caused a large loss in the amount of grain available to feed cattle as well as drying up water holes in open range land and burning up the pastures, according to Mar-

"We've seen a gradual rise in the cost of feed," Martin said. "The cost of feeding beef cattle for a day has risen from \$2 a day to \$8 a day because of the drought."

With overhead cost continuing to rise, cattle producers have elect to thin out their herds to levels not seen since 1952, Martin said.

According to Drovers Cattle Network, supplies are not expected to return to normal levels until at least 2016 and the early October blizzard in South Dakota will also impact the nationwide cattle supply.

According to O'Connell, there are no offers to purchase the facility at this time.

Floydada Post Office request photos for "Honor Wall"

#### **By Altie Nelson**

Special to the Hesperian-Beacon

During the month of November, the Floydada Post Office would like to honor our veterans.

We would like for you to bring a 3x5 or a 5x7 photo of your veteran, past or current, to be placed on our "Honor Wall" for all to see and honor.

Photos will be accepted any time now and will be displayed through the month of November.

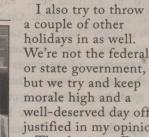
Please put your name and address on the back if you want your photos returned to you. Also please include the branch of service.

## The Paperboy A friendly holiday boycott

m I the only one that is irritated by stores opening on Thanksgiving Day? In our quest for the mighty dollar, millions of people around the

country are going to have to work on Thanksgiving. I think that's wrong.

In my business, which is deadline driven, I offer four paid holidays a year: News Year's Day, Independence Day, Thanksgiving and Christmas. We'll do whatever we can to avoid work on those days.



well-deserved day off is justified in my opinion. Thanksgiving Day

was once a holiday for nearly everyone. Gradually, Black Friday sales pushed their

start times up. Now, with major retailers

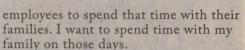
on board, more and more of them are opening on Thanksgiving.

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It's bad enough that people get into fights and act like complete morons at these sales, but to do it on a day that we are supposed to give thanks for our many blessings is ridiculous.

I think it's wrong to ask employees to work on Thanksgiving and the holidays I mentioned above. I just do. I want my



Here's what I plan on doing as a statement for those having to work on Thanksgiving, I'm going to shop at the stores which will remain closed on Thanksgiving. Hopefully, in our small towns, that will still mean most of the stores will be available to me.

And here's my plan for Thanksgiving: • Wake up early and get the turkey on.

• Go back to sleep unless a child keeps me awake.

Wake up and drink some coffee.

• Watch the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade with my children. (Macy's employees probably can't watch the parade as they'll have to work.)

· Start cooking some of our other turkey day staples.

• Watch some football.

Eat with family and friends while thanking God for the ways he's blessed me

- Watch some football.
- Eat with family and friends.
- · Pass out.

Now that sounds like a holiday. One without shouting and anger. A relaxing day full of love.

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JOINT NOTICE OF SALE

#### THE STATE OF TEXAS

#### **COUNTY OF FLOYD**

BY VIRTUE OF ORDERS OF SALE DATED the 3rd day of October, 2013, and issued pursuant to judgment decrees of the District Court of Floyd County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in the hereinafter numbered and styled causes, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on the 3rd day of October, 2013, seized, levied upon, and will on the 5th day of November, 2013, at the Floyd County Courthouse, 100 S. Main, Floydada, Texas, at 10:00 a.m. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, as provided for by the TEXAS PROPERTY TAX CODE.

All of the following properties being located in Floyd County, Texas and each property being more particularly described on an instrument recorded in the Volume and Page reference (V\_/P\_) or document number of the Deed Records, Floyd County, Texas. The approximate property addresses reflected herein are the addresses on the tax records and may or may not be completely accurate.

PROP# CAUSE #		STYLE	PROP DESCRIPTION, ADDRESS, ACCT #		
1.	5502TS	Floydada Independent School District v Grace Collazo	Lot 4, Block D, Andrews Addition, City of Floydada, Floyd County, Texas (Volume 266, Page 306 of the Deed Records, Floyd County, Texas), Account #R000001578		
2.	5782TS	Floyd County Appraisal District v Webster Service & Supply, Inc.	Lots 1 thru 4, Block 35, Original Townsite of the Town of Lockney, Floyd County, Texas (Vol. 211, Page 16), Account #R000002850		
3.	5783TS	Floyd County Appraisal District v Randy Lerma et al	Lots 4 and 5, Block 125, Original Townsite of the Town of Floydada, Floyd County, Texas (Vol. 32, Page 383), Account #R000001383		
4.	5783TS	Floyd County Appraisal District v Randy Lerma et al	Lot 3, Block 125, Original Townsite of the Town of Floydada, Floyd County, Texas (Vol. 32, Page 383), Account #R000001382		
5.	5788TS	Floyd County Appraisal District v Bobby Pinner et al	Lot 10, Block 1, Sims Addition, City of Lockney, Floyd County, Texas (Vol. 254, Page 581), Account #R000003331		
6.	5791TS	Floyd County Appraisal District v Melvin Webster et al	Lot 5, Block 35, Original Townsite of the Town of Lockney, Floyd County, Texas (Vol. 237, Page 569), Account #R000002851		
7.	5791TS	Floyd County Appraisal District v Melvin Webster et al	Lots 1 and 2, Block G, N.B. Davis Survey, located in the City of Lockney, Floyd County, Texas (Vol. 112, Page 226), Account #R000005736		
8.	5792TS	Floyd County Appraisal District v Craig Johnston	the North 80' of Lot 1, Block 48, Original Townsite of the Town of Floydada, Floyd County, Texas (Vol. 34, Page 428 of the Official Public Records), Account #R000000566		
9.	5793TS	Floyd County Appraisal District v Eduardo Garza et al	Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, Block 2, Brewster Addition #3, City of Lockney, Floyd County, Texas (Vol. 252, Page 781, Official Public Records), Account #R000002903		
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This sale will be conducted to satisfy the judgment(s) for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interests due on the properties described herein, and for all costs of court and sale.

I do hereby verify that true and correct copies of the foregoing Joint Notice of Sale have been delivered by United States Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested, and by regular mail, to each of the Defendants named in each of the numbered and styled causes.

DATED the 3rd day of October, 2013, at Floydada, Texas

PAUL RAISSEZ Sheriff, Floyd County, Texas

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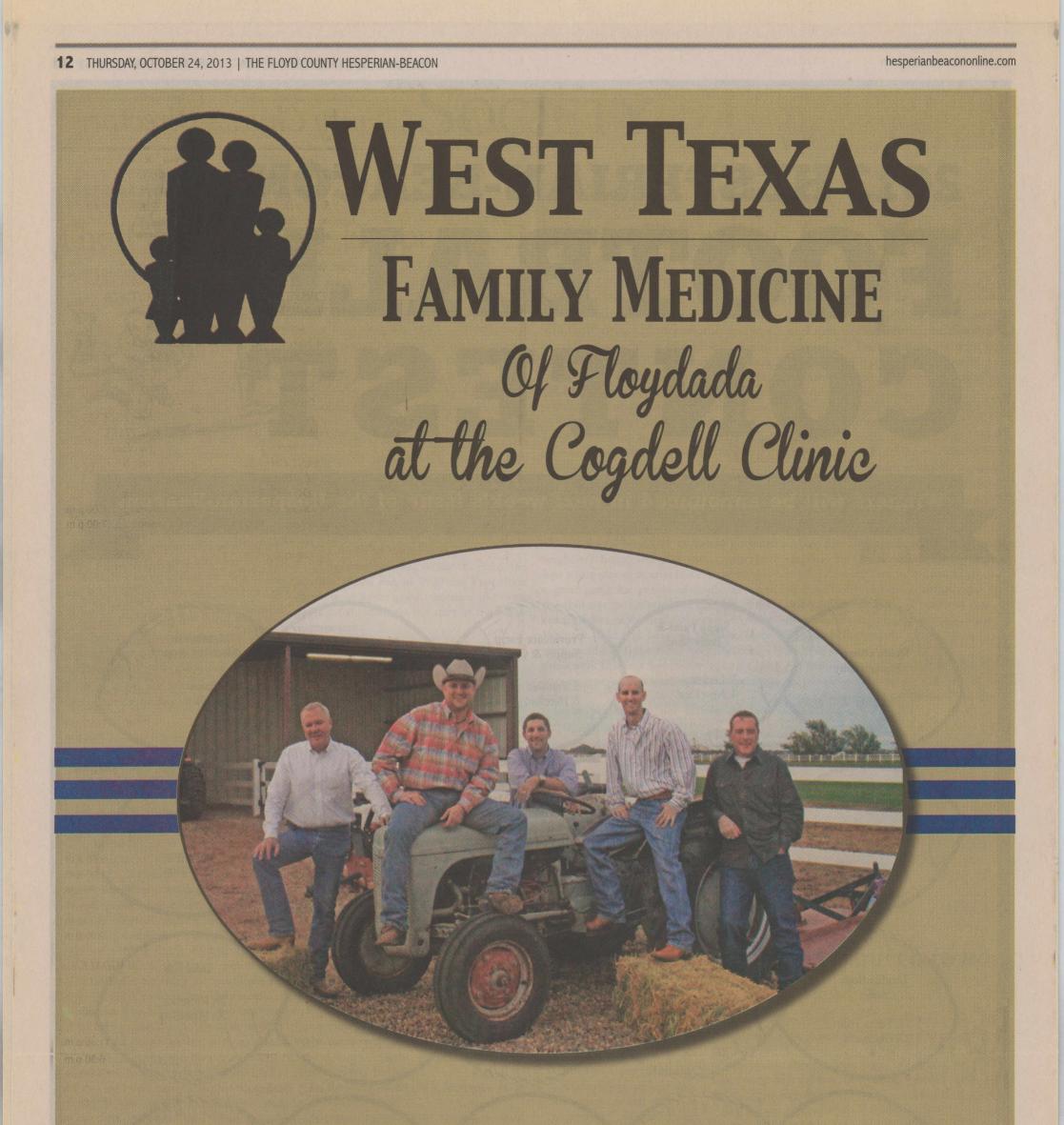
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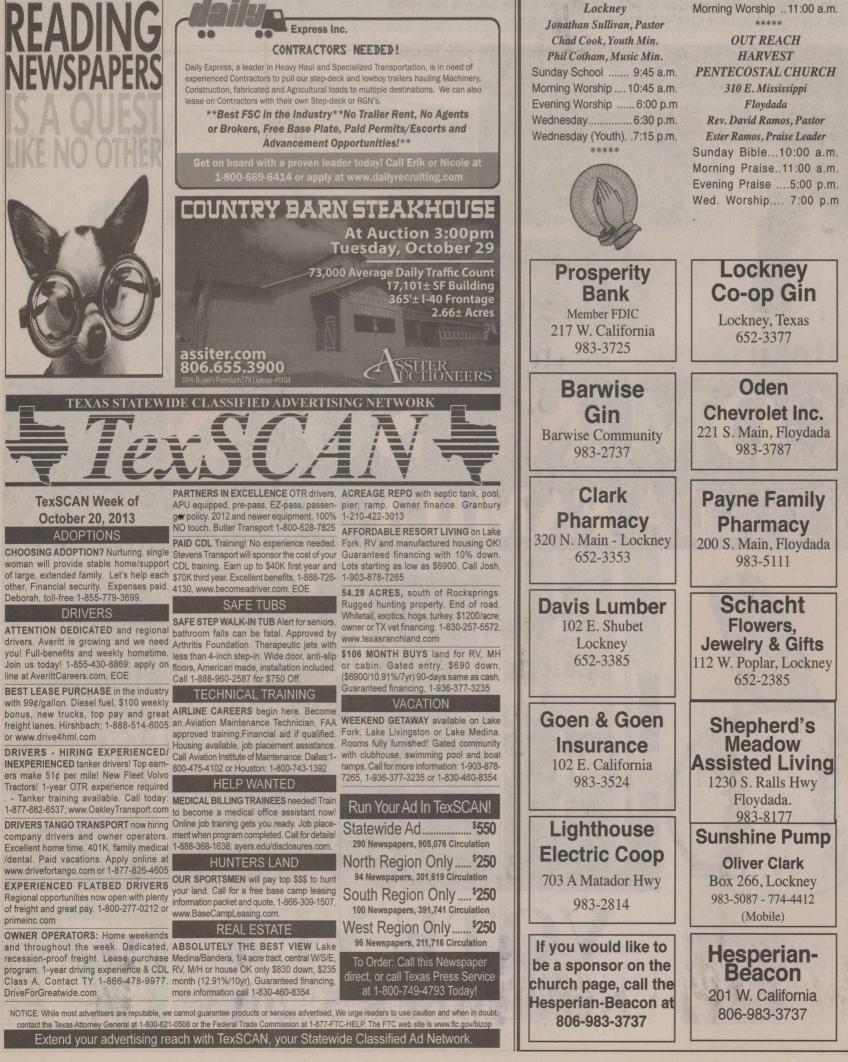
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AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH Dennis Butler, Pastor Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.. \*\*\*\*\*

**BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH** 810 S. 3rd, Floydada Darwin Robinson, Pastor 983-5278 Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship .. 10:50 a.m. Evening Worship .... 6:00 p.m Wednesday.....7:00 p.m \*\*\*\*\*

CALVARY'S **CORNERSTONE FELLOWSHIP** Floydada Armando Morales, Pastor Sunday School ......9:45 a.m. Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m. Bible Study .....6:00 p.m.

Wednesday Evening7:00 p.m. \*\*\*\* **CARR'S CHAPEL** Service Every Sunday: Morning Worship ....9:00 a.m. Sunday School .....10:30 a.m. \*\*\*\* **CHURCH OF CHRIST** West College & Third, Lockney Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m. Afternoon Worship ..1:30 p.m. Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m. \*\*\*\* **CITY PARK** 

**CHURCH OF CHRIST** Levi Sisemore, Minister Ivan Gomez, Minister Floydada Sunday Bible Study..9:30 a.m. Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship ....6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m. \*\*\*\*\*

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Tim Franks, Pastor Terry Simmons, Minister of Ed./Music Josh Burgett - Min. Students Sunday School .....9:15 a.m. Morning Worship ... 10:30 a.m Evening Worship .....6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study .... 6:30 p.m. \*\*\*\*\* FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH,

#### FIRST UNITED **METHODIST CHURCH** Floydada

Rev. Les Hall, Pastor Morning Worship .....9:30 a.m. Sunday School...... 10:50 a.m. Youth (Sunday)......5:00 p.m. Youth (Wednesday)..6:30 p.m \*\*\*\*\*

#### FIRST UNITED **METHODIST CHURCH** Lockney

Rev. Ricky Carstensen Pastor Sunday School ......9:30 a.m. Worship Service .... 10:30 a.m. Evening Service..... 6.00 p.m. Wed. Jr. High ......5:30 p.m. Wed. High School... 6:30 p.m. \*\*\*\*\*

**GRANT CHAPEL** CHURCH **OF GOD IN CHRIST** Joe Bennett, Pastor Sunday School .....10:00 a.m. Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m. Evening Service.....7:30 p.m. Tuesday......8:00 p.m. Wed. Service ......7:30 p.m. \*\*\*\* MAIN STREET **CHURCH OF CHRIST** Lockney Beau A. Hart, Minister Bible Study .....9:30 a.m. Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday.....7:00 p.m. \*\*\*\*

> MT. ZION **BAPTIST CHURCH** Floydada **Rev. Timothy Askew**

401 N 12th St (983-5805) Sunday School .....10:00 a.m. Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship .....6:00 p.m. Wednesday Study ...6:00 p.m. \*\*\*\*\*

NEW SALEM **PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH** Floydada Pastor Elder Ronnie Hedges (806) 637-0430 Sunday Singing .....10:30 a.m.

#### Rev. Manuel Rendon, Pastor 704 N. Main, Lockney Sunday Services....10:00 a.m. Sunday Evening ..... 5:00 p.m. Wednesday.....7:30 p.m \*\*\*\*\* PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA Lockney Jesus Caballero, Pastor Sunday School ......9:45 a.m. Worship Service .... 11:00 a.m. Discipleship ......5:00 p.m. Wed. Service ......7:00 p.m. \*\*\*\*\* **PRIMERA IGLESIA** BAUTISTA Floydada **Rev.** Toby Gonzales Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship .. 10:40 a.m. Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m. Wed. Evening ......7:00 p.m. \*\*\*\*

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#### SAN JOSE **CATHOLIC CHURCH** Lockney

Jim McCartney, Pastor Wed. Communion....8:00 p.m. Sunday Mass..... 11:30 a.m. \*\*\*\*\*

SOUTH PLAINS **BAPTIST CHURCH** Joe Weldon, Pastor Sunday School .....10:00 a.m. Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m Prayer Meeting...... 7:00 p.m \*\*\*\*\* **TEMPLO GETSEMANI** 

#### **ASSEMBLY OF GOD** 701 W. Missouri

Joe M.Hernandez 983-5286 (church) ..... Sunday School ..... English..... 9.45 a.m Spanish Worship .....9:30 a.m. English Worship ..... 11:00 a.m. EveningService......5:00 p.m. Wednesday.....7:00 p.m. \*\*\*\* ST. MARY MAGDALEN

**CATHOLIC CHURCH** Floydada Rev. Angelo Consemino Phone: 983-5878 Sunday Mass..... 11:30 a.m. Mon.Wed. Mass ......6:30 p.m. Confession Sat.....10-11 a.m. \*\*\*\*\*

**TEMPLO BAUTISTA** 

#### THE FLOYD COUNTY HESPERIAN-BEACON | THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2013 13

SALEM Lockney **Rev.** Joe Hernandez Sun. Prayer Service 9:30 a.m. Sunday School .....9:45 p.m. Worship Service .... 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m. Wed. Meeting ......7:00 p.m. \*\*\*\*\* **TEMPLO BETHEL** SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD Washington and 1st St. Sunday School ......9:45 a.m. Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship .... 5:00 p.m. Wed. Service ......7:00 p.m. \*\*\*\*\* **TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA** Rev. Herman Martinez 308 W. Tennessee, Floydada Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m. Evening Worship .....5:00 p.m. Tuesday.....7:30 p.m. Thursday Service.....7:30 p.m. \*\*\*\*\* **TRINITY ASSEMBLY** 500 W. Houston Henry Russell, Co-Pastor Vance Mitchell, Co-Pastor 983-5499 or 983-2887 Sunday School ......9:45 a.m. Morning Worship ... 10:40 a.m. Sunday Evening .....6:00 p.m. \*\*\*\* TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH **Providence** Community on FM 2301 293-3009 Rev. Peter W. Harrington Minister Sunday School ......9:45 a.m. Worship Service .... 11:00 a.m. \*\*\*\*\* **WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST** Floydada 983-2672 or 470-0950 Sunday Worship ...10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening .....2:00 p.m. Agriculture Precision Supply Pivots · Flowmeters · Equipment 806-319-9502

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