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Exes honored at Homecoming gathering



HOMECOMING QUEEN MARISA BARRIENTOS

Approximately 750 people took the time to register for Floydada Homecoming 2000, Saturday, September 29th.

A spirited pep rally on Friday brought the exes together and set the tone for the many reunions enjoyed throughout the day on Friday and Saturday.

Marisa Barrientos, a junior at Floydada High School, was named the

Homecoming Queen Friday night. She is the daughter of Tomas and Lisa Barrientos, of Floydada.

Her court was shared by runners-up: Sophomore Kayla Stovall, 1st; Freshman Brenda Cuellar, 2nd; and Senior Amanda Barnett, 3rd.

Saturday's Homecoming business meeting recognized Oldest Class Members, Oldest Gentleman, Oldest Lady, and the ex-student who traveled

the farthest.

Delise McGuire, 100, of England, and Roma Wilkinson, 99, of Roanoke, Texas, both represented the Class of 1920. There were no other members from the Class of 1920, so McGuire and Wilkinson were named the Oldest Class Members.

McGuire was a few months older than Wilkinson and was also named the Oldest Woman in Attendance.

Will Martin, 92, of Floydada, was named the Oldest Man in Attendance.

Orhan Erisir traveled from Istanbul, Turkey and was honored with the title of the "ex-student who traveled the farthest".

New this year for the Reunion was the induction of four exes into the Whirlwind Hall of Fame.

According to Committee Treasurer Denise Holcombe the committee chose 20 outstanding students to send nominations for the Hall of Fame. The nominations were returned and the committee chose four from the group.

"We chose people who had had exceptional achievements while in high school, college, and after college," said Holcombe. "They must be out of school at least 10 years."

Inducted into the Hall of Fame were: Dr. Jack Henry, Class of 1955; General Robert Dempsey, Class of 1960; Bert Grimes, Class of 1953; and Dr. Andy Hale, Class of 1971.

Winning the raffle drawing for the computer was Edwina Hollums Emert. Winning the \$2,000 was Lee Wilkinson, of Monte Vista, Colorado.

The new officers for the 2004 were presented to the exes. They are: President Penny (McClintock) Golightly; V.P. Tonya (Ogden) Gooch; Corresponding Secretary Kelli (Lyons) Reddy; Recording Secretary Julie (Poage) Lackey; and Treasurer Kelly (Pitts) Williams.

Special recognition was also given to the Homecoming Officers that put together this year's reunion: President Mark McCormick; V.P. Sara (Williams) Hinsley; Corresponding Secretary Delinda (Jackson) Lucke; Recording Secretary Sherese (Cannon) Covington; and Treasurer Denise (Morren) Holcombe.



HOMECOMING 2000 WHIRLWIND HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES-The first four inductees into the new Homecoming Whirlwind Hall of Fame were presented awards Saturday, September 30, 2000. They are:

(l-r) Robert Stovall standing in for inductee Dr. Jack Henry - class of 1955; General Robert Dempsey - class of 1960; Bert Grimes - class of 1953; Dr. Andy Hale - class of 1971.

Culpepper & Merriweather Circus in Muncy on Friday

Thanks to the sponsorship of KFLP and Floyd County Friends, Culpepper and Merriweather Circus is coming to Floyd County on Friday, October 6th at the Floyd County Friends Unity Center. Showtimes will be at 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.

Featured in the past on National Geographic's Explorer TV series, Entertainment Tonight, the Los Angeles Times, the Chicago Tribune and Arizona Highways Magazine, this traditional one ring circus provides 1 1/2 hours of great family entertainment in each performance.

Elephants, clowns, aerialists, and all the magic of the circus are presented in the intimacy of a circus Big Top that is erected every morning the same way it has been done for over 200 years with elephant power. The pub-

lic is invited watch the tent raising at about 9:00 a.m. on Circus Morning and to stay for the free Endangered Species Show at 10:00 a.m. and learn about the animal performers in the circus.

Advance tickets for the circus performances are on sale at Floydada City Hall at 114 West Virginia, American State Bank of Floydada at 217 West California, Windmark Insurance in Lockney at 201 North Main, Main Street Pizza in Lockney at 220 South Main and Simple Simon's Pizza in Plainview at 2206 West 5th. Prices for advance tickets are \$5 for children 12 and younger, and \$7 for adults. On Circus Day tickets will be \$6 for children and \$8 for adults, so families can save money by buying their tickets in advance.

Punkin Day to feature musical talent in Pavilion entertainment

This year, the Floydada Chamber of Commerce has tried to bring the community something new in entertainment during Punkin Days festival.

At 9:00 a.m., the pavilion stage will be the site for the Junior Mr. and Ms. Punkin Days Pageant. The official sponsor for this event is Arwine's Floral and Gifts in Floydada.

This pageant will show off the talents and beauty of youth, ages 5-12. Entry forms may be picked up at Arwine's Floral and Gifts or the Floydada Chamber of Commerce office. Entry fee is \$5.00 and the deadline is Oct. 13th at noon.

At 10:00 a.m. the Women of Courage will present a concert on the pavilion stage. These ladies from the Mt. Zion Baptist Church will sing Southern Gospel Music. The official sponsor of this concert is Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

At 11:00 a.m., the Forte Choral and Jazz Ensemble from Lubbock Christian University will perform.

Dr. William D. Dean, DDS, is the official sponsor of this group. The ensemble and choral will perform a variety of musical selections from

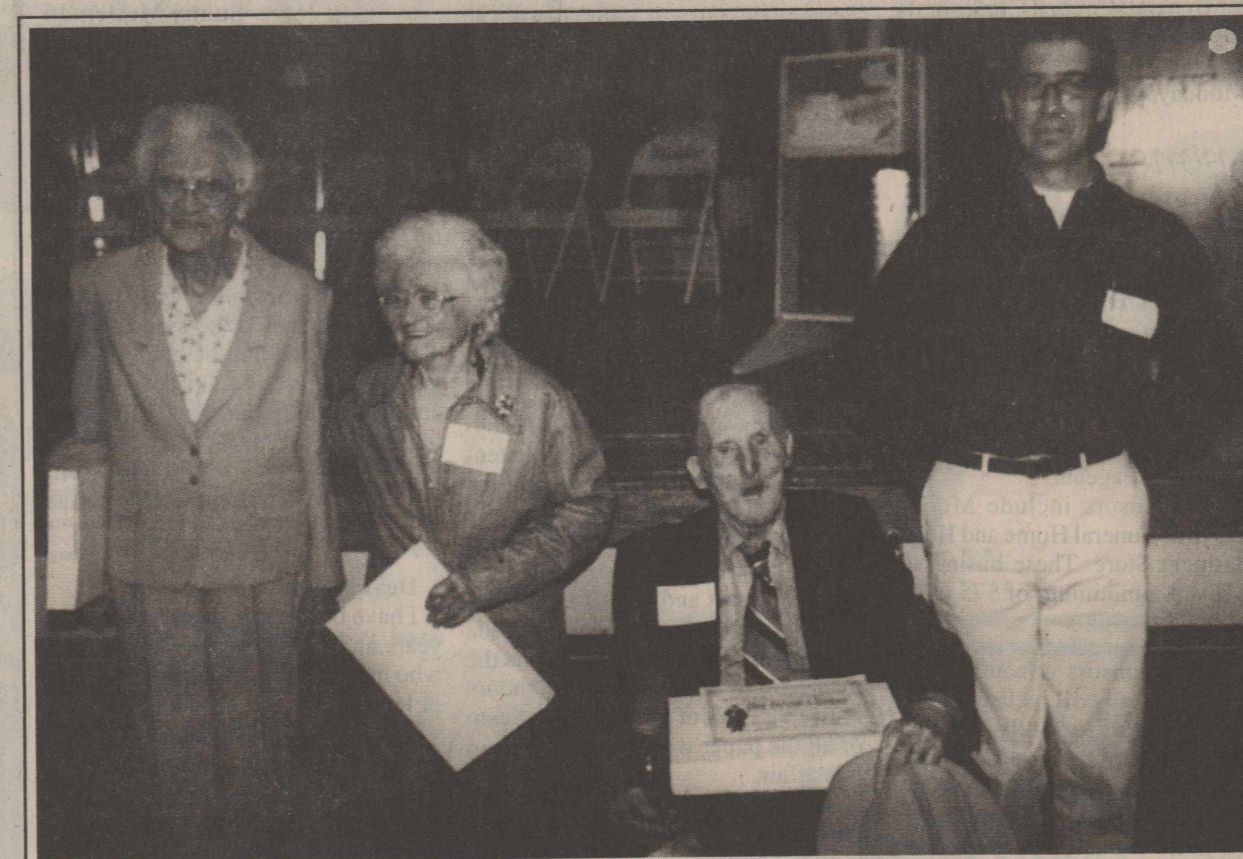
jazz, contemporary, gospel, show tunes, and classical musical styles. This group includes nearly 100 college students from Lubbock Christian University.

The Senior Ms. Punkin Days Pageant begins at 12:00 noon. This pageant will focus on the history of our area and the state. These ladies will be from the age of 60 years young and will demonstrate the beauty and grace of our heritage and senior citizens. Entry forms may be picked up at dg Designs or the Chamber of Commerce office. dg Designs and Floral and Gifts is the official sponsor for this pageant.

The Cactus kids will perform at 1:00 p.m. These kids will sing and dance with selections from nostalgic to patriotic and also rock and roll.

Brady Rasco will bring the pavilion some country fiddle playing at 2:00 p.m. Rasco has been featured with many of the local bands of the Texas Panhandle.

Pavilion entertainment will come to a close with Gospel Singing on the ground. Local artists, quartets and ministries who would like to have an opportunity to share their musical talents are invited.



EXES RECOGNIZED AT 2000 HOMECOMING-(l-r) Roma Wilkinson, 99, of Roanoke, Texas and Delise McGuire, 100, of England, both of the class of 1920, were the Oldest Class Members; McGuire was the Ol-

dest Lady in attendance; Will Martin (seated), 92, of Floydada, class of 1928, was the Oldest Gentleman; and Orhan Erisir, of Istanbul, Turkey, class of 1977, was recognized as the "ex-student travelling the farthest." Staff Photo

Thornberry and Clinesmith visit Floyd County

Candidates differ on issues

Congressman Mac Thornberry (R-Clarendon) and Curtis Clinesmith (D) of Denton, who is challenging Thornberry for the 13th Congressional District seat now held by Thornberry, were in Floyd County recently, meeting with local citizens and responded to questions posed by the Hesperian.

Thornberry's position on these issues were, for the most part, made clear to voters during the past legislative session in Congress. The questions were posed to Mr. Clinesmith some months ago, but he declined to answer at that time. The questions were asked again when he visited Floyd County. In order that our readers might have the benefit of side by side comparison, the questions were also asked of Thornberry. The questions, and the candidates, responses, follow.

Question: Mr. Thornberry voted to impeach President Clinton on three of four counts brought against him.

Would you have voted to impeach the President on one or all counts?

Thornberry: "Voting to impeach a President is one of the toughest votes any member of Congress can ever cast. Looking back, I would still vote the same way. As I stated the day before the vote was held, 'This President has violated the law; he has betrayed his oath and constitutional duty; he has undermined the legal system and the rule of law—all to promote his own selfish interests and desires, which he consistently puts ahead of the country's best interests.'"

Clinesmith: "I don't know. The Congressmen were privy to a lot more than what I'm privy to."

Question: Currently there is much controversy within the Congress over whether Attorney Janet Reno should appoint a special counsel to investigate the actions of Vice President Al Gore relative to the Buddhist fund raising affair. Do you believe a spe-

cial investigator should be appointed in this case?

Thornberry: "Yes, and so does the Director of the FBI and a number of officials in the Justice Department. It looks very much like the Attorney General is protecting the Vice President from the political consequences of his actions."

Clinesmith: "The problem is campaign finance reform. Mac was one of 39 members who voted against the Bill 527 that would have required disclosure. It is not right. Elections shouldn't be determined by who has what. Mac hasn't voted for any kind of finance reform."

Question: Do you support current efforts aimed at changing current law relative to campaign finances, i.e., the so-called McCain-Feingold bill—or would you support efforts to include labor unions in any campaign fund raising reforms that might be enacted

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Bikers part of Punkin Days

Motorcyclists will return to Floydada, Oct. 14th, to participate in their own unique motorcycle games (with a pumpkin twist), to play the original pumpkin games, to shop at the arts and crafts booths, and to enjoy the large variety of food choices on the courthouse lawn.

Motorcycle riders will begin their day with a registration for a "Bead Run" at 8:30 a.m. Registration is on the courthouse square in downtown Floydada. The last "bead run" bike must be out at 10:00 a.m. and back in by 1:00 p.m.

The entry fee is \$5.00 per string and you can take home 50% of the pot if you have the high score.

Other motorcycle games begin at 2:00 p.m. in downtown Floydada.

For those not on a motorcycle you can either watch the skills of these riders or participate in the familiar pumpkin games around the square.

Seed spitting begins at 1:00 p.m., followed by pumpkin drawing, pumpkin toss, pumpkin rolling race, wheelbarrow race, pumpkin pie relay and cow patty bingo. The games are spaced throughout the day and end at approximately 4:30 p.m. A street dance kicks off at 9:00 a.m.

Punkin Day street dance features One-Man Band

Mike Porter, of Matador, and his one man band will delight folks at this year's Punkin Day festival. He will perform his exciting mix of recorded and live music during the street dance in front of Hale's Department Store from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., Oct. 14th.

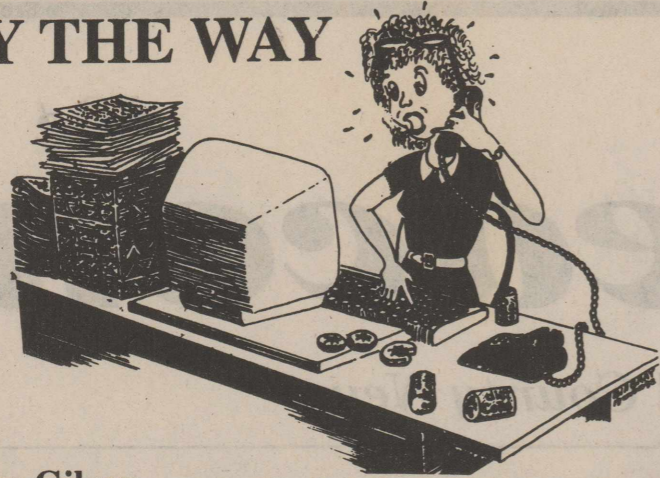
Mike is a well sought after musician. He combines the mystery of computer sounds, recorded music and live music and singing to entertain and provide dancing pleasure for all ages.

Porter will begin performing at 9 p.m. and go until 1 a.m. He plays all styles of music from contemporary to rock, adult contemporary to Bob Will style of country swing to progressive country. He caters his music styles to the needs of his audience.

Pumpkin Decorating Contest

All businesses wishing to enter the decorating contest for Punkin Days needs to call the Chamber of Commerce office by Wednesday, Oct. 11. Businesses will be judged on Thursday, Oct. 12th, at 10:00 a.m. Only businesses that notify the chamber will be judged.

BY THE WAY



By
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Through of series of mishaps and miscommunications we do not have biographies on the Homecoming Hall of Fame recipients. We will hopefully do a follow-up story next week with information provided by the recipients.

I'm sorry I'm not one of those creative columnists that can come up with something unique each week. Shoot-I wish I could come up with a unique column once a month--or once every six months!

Anyway, why should I use my brain when somebody else is using theirs and I can just copy it off the internet.

The funny I received was supposed to be a true story--but I don't know if it is. Even if it isn't true, it was a good joke.

"President Clinton received a report that there were over 100,000 cattle guards in Colorado on government lands. Because Colorado ranchers protested his proposed changes in grazing policies, he ordered Secretary of Interior Bruce Babbitt to fire half of the guards immediately.

"Before Babbitt could respond--and, presumably, straighten him out, Colorado Congresswoman Schroeder intervened with a request that before any were fired they be given six months of re-training."

(Your tax dollars at work.)

Another e-mail concerned Moses taking care of the folks he led around in the desert for 40 years.

This e-mail compared Moses feeding 2-3 million people with an Army Quartermaster General planning the logistics of taking care of an army that size.

Supposedly a Quartermaster came up with some statistics. Again--I don't know if this is true, but it did make you think about the awesome power of God who took care of those people without the Army's help.

According to this e-mail a Quartermaster estimated that Moses would have to have 1500 tons of food each day.

To bring that food to the people would take two freight trains--each a mile long.

If they were to cook the food it would take 4000 tons of wood requiring a few more freight trains, each a mile long--each day.

Supposedly it would take 11,000,000 gallons of water each day.

How about crossing the Red Sea? The Quartermaster supposedly estimated if the people crossed in a narrow path, double file, the line would be 800 miles long and require 35 days and nights to get through. So to get over in one night the people would have to cross in a space 3 miles wide and walk 500 abreast.

Camping out would require a campground 2/3 the size of the state of Rhode Island, or a total of 750 square miles long.

Boy--it puts the complaining Moses had to put up with in a whole new light!

Trunk or Treaters need candy

The Floydada Chamber of Commerce is in need for candy or donations to continue the annual Trunk or Treating at Halloween.

"We are in need of help," said Chamber Manager Angie Lipham. "The Trunk or Treating was a service to the community that began several years ago, with the idea that residents would donate the money they would normally spend on candy, or donate the candy itself.

"The chamber would then sponsor

an organized trunk or treating night at the city park. It helped keep the volume of traffic out of the neighborhoods and is safer for the children."

The event is brought about solely with contributions and can only continue if donations continue.

Candy donations can be dropped off at Lowe's Pay-N-Save, Duckwalls, Dollar General, Cogdell Clinic, or the Chamber of Commerce office.

Drop boxes will be available starting Monday, Oct. 2.

Chamber looking for sponsors to help defray costs of pavilion entertainment

The Floydada Chamber of Commerce is seeking the help of local businesses in sponsoring this year's Punkin Days.

This year the Chamber has planned many new attractions under the pavilion and sponsors are needed to assist with the expenses of the added talent and shows.

The Chamber is hoping to meet those expenses through Platinum, Gold, or Silver sponsors.

Platinum sponsors have donated to the Floydada Chamber of Commerce a minimum of \$250. These businesses will have a giant 4-foot by 8 foot sign on the stage. Those businesses as of this time include: Floydada Ford/Mercury, Cogdell Clinic, American State Bank, and First National Bank.

Gold sponsors who have given a minimum of \$125 to sponsor one hour of entertainment will receive a 4 foot by 4 foot sign. These include Dr. Wil-

liam Dean, DDS; dg Designs and Arwine's Floral and Gift Shop.

dg Designs is sponsoring the Junior Mr. and Miss Punkin Days Pageant. Arwine's Floral and Gifts is sponsoring the noontime Senior Ms. Punkin' Days Pageant.

Silver sponsors include Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home and Hale's Department Store. These businesses have given a minimum of \$75 to the event.

General sponsors donate a minimum of \$25 and will be listed at the Pavilion stage. Currently the Panhandle Plains Production Credit Association is the only general sponsor for Punkin Days.

For more information on helping the chamber sponsor Punkin Day, call Angie Lipham at the Floydada Chamber of Commerce, or Mark Jones at Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

TexasInaBox Contest will give away prizes totaling \$450

A local contest to promote TexasInaBox will give away prizes totaling \$450. The contest is intended for Floyd County residents - although anyone may enter.

Prize total includes a \$250 cash prize; a pair of boots donated by Hale's Department Store; a TexasInaBox.Com polo shirt donated by Kaleidoscope, the official apparel maker of TexasInaBox.com; a haircut at Vicki's Kustom Kuts, and a 1 year subscription to the Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon.

Entering the contest is done by addressing a postcard to a family member, or friend, living outside of Texas and including a brief handwritten note. The postcards will be available at the following businesses in Lockney and Floydada: TexasInaBox.Com headquarters, 124 West California, Floydada; Hale's Department Store, 112 East California, Floydada; Kaleidoscope, 110 South Main, Lockney; The Lockney or Floydada Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon office; Vicki's

Kustom Kuts, 129 West California, Floydada; Script Printing 108 South Main, Floydada; KFLP, 201 West California, Floydada.

The front of the postcard has the TexasInaBox.Com logo, along with the message "Hungry for Texas?" Contestants are asked to address the cards by hand, write a brief message to the recipient, and leave the completed cards at one of the entry locations. Contestants must fill out their name, address and phone number on the tear off portion of the card. They may fill out as many cards as they choose, as long as the addresses are different and each recipient lives outside of Texas.

TexasInaBox.Com will pick up the cards from the contest locations, tear off the entrant's information placing it in a drawing hopper, and mail the cards at its expense.

The contest will run for approximately 4 weeks. A drawing will be held at the end of the contest to determine the winner.

A view from



The Lamplighter

By Ken Towery
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Elsewhere in today's Hesperian our readers may find responses by Congressman Mac Thornberry, of Clarendon and the 13th Congressional District, and Mr. Curtis Clinesmith, a personal injury lawyer of Denton, also in 13th Congressional District and the current Democratic candidate seeking Mr. Thornberry's seat, to certain questions posed by the Hesperian.

Concerning the article, and the two candidates, position as expressed in the article, a few observations of our own.

The questions were originally submitted to Mr. Clinesmith many weeks ago. The questions concerned positions on issues in Congress, positions on which Mr. Thornberry had already made his views known to the voters of this District, either by voting in the House of Representatives or by public comments that had been reported in these pages. Mr. Clinesmith did not

respond to the questions. His office notified us he would do so in a matter of days, but the answers were not forthcoming. Recently, on his second trip to Floyd County in his capacity as a candidate, the questions were asked him again. They were also submitted to Mr. Thornberry, whose answers were forthcoming immediately.

Our readers will note that even after having the questions for many weeks, and after having more than ample time to shape his answers, Mr. Clinesmith was evasive in his answers. He still does not know, he says, how he would have voted on the impeachment issue. On the one hand, by saying that those in Congress were privy to more information on the subject than he, he seems to imply that he has no quarrel with Thornberry's vote to impeach. That means, to any fair minded person, that he would have voted to impeach, had he been there and had the information Mr.

Thornberry had. But he will not say that. Perhaps he will not say that because if he did so a great many well-heeled potential contributors, especially his fellow trial lawyers, would be upset. So we are left to speculate, or guess, how strongly he feels.

Mr. Clinton's perjury, or how strongly he feels about "party discipline."

Our readers may also note that the one issue on which Mr. Clinesmith has unequivocal views is the issue of "tort

reform." He's against it. Many states, including Texas, have initiated tort reform in the face of vehement opposition by trial lawyers (such as Mr. Clinesmith), but Mr. Clinton has prevented that action on the federal level. Bills changing the federal tort system have been passed with bi-partisan support in both the House of Representatives and the Senate on the matter, but by not enough margins to overcome Clinton's veto.

That situation led to the Hesperian's question on the matter. Future Congresses will have to deal with the subject. Trial lawyers have poured millions of dollars into Democratic coffers, especially during the rein of Clinton-Gore. That effort continues, as does the flow of money. The current administration has done everything it can to prevent changes in the status quo, and Mr. Clinesmith, in his response to the Hesperian, makes plain he would be part of any effort to prevent change at the federal level.

Trial lawyers make a bundle of money off civil suits, and they see any change as a threat to their economic well-being. A little old lady goes into McDonalds and buys a cup of coffee. She comes out, puts the coffee between her legs and drives off. The coffee spills on her legs. She finds a trial lawyer and sues McDonalds. A sympathetic jury (McDonalds is a big outfit, and they can afford it) gives her over \$4 million, of which her lawyers get one-third. A higher court trims the award, but she still collects a bundle, as do her lawyers. All because she didn't have enough sense to put the coffee somewhere besides between her legs while driving. That's what makes a trial lawyer's day, and natu-

rally they don't want to make the task of collecting any harder. It's a matter of bread and butter for the trial lawyers, but it makes the cost of production higher, and the cost of that product higher to everyone else. That higher cost, of course, is of no concern to the trial lawyers. They've got their money.

Another issue to which we would call attention is the response of both candidates to the question concerning the Department of Energy. Anyone concerned with the security of this nation, national interests will recognize the importance of this particular issue. Recent news stories have highlighted the laxness of security at our national laboratories. Mr. Thornberry has tried to do something to protect our national security by sponsoring, and passing, legislation that would create an independent operation within the Department of Energy to concentrate on security at our national laboratories. Mr. Clinesmith would have none of this. His evasive response is to criticize Mr. Thornberry for not being on the Agricultural Committee, as if that fact prevented Thornberry from being concerned with agricultural matters. Thornberry, it should be noted, grew up on a ranch near Clarendon, and we assume matters of agriculture are second nature to him. Just as we suspect Mr. Clinesmith is concerned about the fate of trial lawyers, we suspect Mr. Thornberry is concerned with the fate of what we might call the "agricultural sector." At least one would expect that, since it is his past and some day may be his future.

At any rate, we commend to our readers the article in today's Hesperian, outlining the views of the candidates on the questions asked.

And we take this opportunity to thank our Editor and Publisher for taking the time and trouble, and expense, in bringing this to the attention of our readers. Quite frankly, we don't know how she finds the time to worry with it. What with gathering the news on football games, reunions, births, deaths, band practice and a myriad of other things making up community life in Floyd County, it is quite a service to our readers.

Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor

Thank you for putting the Floydada Homecoming Schedule on-line. It was very helpful. Our FHS Class of 1966 had 13 of our original 77 graduates attending Homecoming 2000. Three of our classmates are now deceased. We have just created a web site to allow our class to communicate in the future. We would appreciate you printing that site address in hopes of getting the word out to those who were not able to attend from our class.

www.fhs66.homestead.com

Homecoming 2000 was my first opportunity to see and enjoy the new Floyd County Friends Unity Center. It is great! What a wonderful building. Congratulations to all those who worked so hard to make it a reality...and thanks for making it a part of Homecoming 2000. (We have used our class website as a means of publicizing your paper being on-line, which I hope is OK.

Thanks again,
Spike & Camilla Nash
Wideman

Dear Editor:

On behalf of the Floydada High Ex's I would like to express our gratitude and appreciation to the many people who organized and executed the Floydada High School Reunion on September 29th and 30th. They did an excellent job and it was one of the most enjoyable times that a person could spend in his original home town and school. It was indeed something that all of us will remember.

Many of us left Floydada because of our choice of careers and of course many other reasons, but it is always outstanding to return to our home town and school. We are able to re-live some of our youth, see our many friends, meet new friends, and to have a great fellowship.

We owe a special thanks to the Floydada Independent School Superintendent, High School Principal, and the School Board for allowing us to use the nice facilities and making it possible for us to have a place where each class can meet and socialize.

We are very grateful to the Floydada High School Reunion Officers and the many people who spent many hours notifying each of us, and taking care of all the paper work, and organizing this affair.

I personally would like to Thank, Sam Hale for obtaining the Massie Center, Doyle Turner and his wife for making sure everything was in excellent shape for this homecoming, now I know there were may more people involved in all of this, but I do know these three people worked hard making sure everything was enjoyable for the rest of us.

Once again, thank so very much, we all appreciate what you do for us and I must admit I am already looking forward to the next one in four years.

Sincerely,
Ken (Pecos) Hart
Class of 1948

Courtroom Activities

In County Court, September 28:

Matt Gayle Howard pled guilty to a DWI charge from June 16, 2000. He was fined \$750 and court costs and sentenced to 6 months in jail which was probated for one year.

Brian Lee Webster, 49, of Floydada, pled guilty to a August 15, 2000 charge of DWI. He was fined \$600.00 and court costs and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for 2 years.

Rodolfo P. Camacho, 38, of Floydada, pled guilty to a August 15 charge

of DWI. He was fined \$600 plus court costs and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for 2 years.

Leonardo Rosa, 25, of Floydada, pled guilty to a August 15, 2000 charge of DWI. He was fined \$600 and court costs and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for 2 years.

Robert Cuba, 22, of Floydada, pled guilty to a August 15, 2000 charge of DWI. He was fined \$600 plus court costs and sentenced to 60 days in jail.

Dear Editor:

The City of Lockney employees read meters on the 14th or 15th of each month; depending on what day it falls on. They do not read on the weekend.

If any of our customers would like to know they may call City Hall and find out what day they read.

The customers are welcome to come along and make sure we read your meter. We will be glad to show you how to read it yourself if you are concerned that your meter is not being read.

Thank you,
Arcenio Martinez

Dear Editor:

I have been a girl scout leader for 2 years and I need to ask for someone who has an empty building to donate, or lend us, the girl scouts.

We have different projects and crafts that we make and have no place to leave them.

It is very difficult carrying our projects to the Elementary cafeteria every time we have to have a meeting.

Mr. Cotham has been very generous in lending us the cafeteria, but we really need a place of our own.

We would appreciate any suggestions or ideas from anyone; they can call me at 652-3820, and if I'm not available they may leave a message with my son.

You may also call Carol Huggins at 652-3115 or Vicki Schaeffer at 652-3795.

Sincerely yours,
Carmen Aianzi

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in this or future Congresses?

Thornberry: "I certainly support campaign finance reform and have voted to ban soft money, require half of a candidates contributions come from his or her home state, and for other reforms. I voted against the McCain-Feingold bill because it places restrictions on some groups but not others. Whatever law is passed has to be enforced, or it is meaningless."

Clinesmith: I would support the McCain-Feingold bill, subject to committee hearings. It would help even the playing field. I do want to do something about money corrupting politics.

"Corporations are spending 5 times more than labor unions. I would be in favor of labor unions being included if it was an equal playing field. If they are going to take away the power of the labor unions who are trying to help the working people, then take away the power of the corporations too."

Question: Mr. Thornberry has supported efforts to establish an independent agency within the Department of Energy with specific responsibility to protect this nation's nuclear secrets. The DOE was generally opposed to the creation of an independent agency that did not report directly to the Secretary of Energy on matters concerning security. Could you give your thoughts on this?

Thornberry: "If anyone needs to be reminded why it was important to reorganize the Department of Energy, they can look at recent headlines. It looks like the Administration was more concerned about political cover than with getting to the truth and protecting America's secrets. We still have a lot of problems, but the new law helps insulate the nuclear weapons complex from political pressures and focus on its primary mission."

Clinesmith: "We don't need any more bureaucracy. Mac always speaks against it but then tries to create more. He needs to be more concerned about farming. He has been up there for 6 years and hasn't gotten on the ag committee. He should be spending more time on ag issues. This is another example of him trying to line his own career, and it would increase the size of government."

Question: Gov. George Bush made "tort reform" one of the major efforts as Governor, and has indicated he will

follow that general line if elected President. What are your views on the subject. Specifically would you support legislation in this field.

Thornberry: "I support tort reform. We still have too many lawsuits, and much of the time the lawyers are the only ones to benefit from them. Governor Bush's tort reform in Texas is one of the major reasons that businesses are moving to Texas and creating jobs. But there is more that we can do at the federal level."

Clinesmith: "No. I would fight against tort reform with every bone in my body. I can go to sleep at night and know that I've represented family and children. Mac is a trial lawyer too, but he represents insurance companies and corporations. With tort reform he is saying juries should not be allowed to make decisions. I'll fight against it because it takes away people's right. I'll debate Mac on this anywhere--right here in Floyd County. He is wrong on this issue. He is using it for political gain."

Question: Both Democratic and Republican nominees have put forth plans to make certain changes relative to Social Security System. Could you give us your views on this subject? Would you support changes in the current system, and if so, what?

Thornberry: We should guarantee existing benefits for people receiving Social Security benefits now and in the next several years. But we can't escape the fact that by 2104 or so, Social Security will start to have trouble, and around 2034, there won't be enough money to pay the benefits people expect. We should give younger workers greater choice in how their Social Security payroll taxes are invested so they can have a greater return on their money."

Clinesmith: "The U.S. now has the largest budget surplus in history. We have the opportunity to solidify Social Security. I'm against privatization. I don't want to mess with Social Security. We need to solidify the program that has worked. Mac wants Social Security to go away--"to die on the vine". I don't want to do away with it like Mac."

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Corresponding Secretary; Julie (Poage) Lackey, Recording Secretary; Kelly (Pitts) Williams, Treasurer. Staff Photo



FASHION FOLLIES--Floyd County 4-H members modeled garments constructed and purchased at the 4-H Fashion Follies on September 23 at the South Plains Fair. (Front, L-R) Abigail Miller, Segayle Fos-

ter, Cheyann Powell, Emily Prayor, and Kaylie Nutt. (Back, l-r) Jesalyn Bradley, Senee Foster, Katie Kelley, Kayla Kelley, Kami Keaton, and Allison Griggs.

4-H'ers take part in District Fashion Show

By Melissa Long

Floyd County 4-H'ers fared well in the district 4-H Fashion Show competition held Saturday, September 23 in the College of Human Sciences on the Texas Tech University Campus. The Fashion Show is the achievement event for the 4-H Clothing and Textiles project held each year during the summer. Floyd County contestants and their placings included: Abigail Miller, Jr I Buying Dressy - participation; Emily Prayor, Jr. I Construction Casual 3rd; Cheyann Powell, Jr. I Construction Dressy - 15'; Segayle Foster, Jr. I Construction Specialty - 1st; Jesalyn Bradley, Jr II Construction Casual - participation; Kayla Kelley, Jr II Construction Dressy - 15' and Kami Keaton, Jr II Construction Specialty - 2nd.

All contestants, in addition to the Fashion Follies participants modeled that afternoon at the South Plains Fair. Fashion Follies participants included Senee Foster, Allison Griggs and Kaylie Nutt. Katie Kelley was selected to serve as one of the four narrators for the District wide event. Floyd County was well represented by each one of these 4-H'ers.

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Harmony resident celebrates 90th birthday



LUCILLE MILLER

By Maye Williams

Lucille Miller of the Harmony Community, Floyd County was honored Tuesday, September 19, 2000 at noon, with a luncheon, at the Cattle Baron Restaurant in Lubbock.

The celebration was hosted by a sister-in-law and her husband, Bob and Billie McCormick of Snyder. The group of relatives and close friends were seated at one table, along with the honoree and host couple.

The beautiful decorated birthday cake and numerous gifts, were displayed on a smaller table.

Guests enjoyed a meal of their choosing and the group then sang Happy Birthday and the cake was served to each one attending. Numerous pictures of family members and groups were taken and one with Lucille, another sister-in-law and three ladies who have all been close friends for almost 80 years and remain so today.

Gulia Snodgrass (Lucille's father) came to Floydada as a young lad, with his father and mother, Carrick and

both enjoyed traveling and were members of Camper Clubs.

Everett plowed his last row on this earth in 1984 and since that time Lucille has continued to live in her home. Although limited in some of her activities now, she still stays interested and busy with many projects and hobbies.

She has finished and at present is making a quilt and many pillows out of mens ties. Some of these are entered in the South Plains Fair this year in Lubbock.

She is still much interested in life and people, and has a wonderful sense of human. She has always been very family oriented and maintains close relationships with an only niece, on her side of the family Elayne Reid and her husband Charlie, and their two children and family.

Her only brothers, W.C. Snodgrass is deceased but his wife Doris lives a few miles away. Many nephews, nieces, cousins, and relations of her husband are still close as well as the step brother Lawrence Stone and his wife Eleanor of Lubbock, as well as the sister Billie McCormick and husband Bob and their families.

Those attending the luncheon were: Ray and Tommie Snodgrass of Texico, New Mexico; Ervin and Eva Graham, Judy Strickland, David (Buddy) and Jane Graham of Plainview; Herman and Bonnie Graham of Floydada; Helen Hinkel of Lubbock; Ruth Scott, Imelda Ramsey, Maye Williams of Floydada; Sherry Dietrich of Lubbock; Sharan Bussey, Jovita Monte and Isabelle Adam of Petersburg; Doris Snodgrass, Elayne Reid of Floydada; Lawrence and Eleanor Stone of Lubbock; Janie McCormick, the host and hostess, Bob, Billie McCormick of Snyder and the honoree, Lucille Miller.

Everett was on many cooperative boards and held various offices in these as well as church and community activities. He was a member of the Petersburg Riding Club, Odd Fellows Lodge, an avid sportsman, hunted and fished in many places.

Lucille has been active in Church as pianist, song leader, W.S.C.S., and other offices, Extension Club work, Floyd County Choral Club, Study Club, Hobby Clubs, and the couple

Sterley Community holds first reunion

They came from near and far for the first ever Sterley Reunion held Saturday September 23, 2000 in conjunction with the Lockney Homecoming. The community of Sterley was founded in 1928 with the coming of the Ft. Worth and Denver railroad. During early years the community had numerous homes, churches, businesses and a four teacher school. However, later years brought on by the depression little remains of what once was a thriving little railroad town.

After many months of planning and hard work the reunion was a great success. Those who attended enjoyed reminiscing and refreshments with old friends and classmates, at the friendship hall of West College & 3rd Street Church of Christ in Lockney. The sharing of old photographs and train memorabilia including a train quilt belonging to Kenneth Claborn. The afternoon was followed by a dinner at Babe's Steakhouse in Floydada.

The organizers of the event were Boyce and Inez Mosley, Jack Albright, Marie Robbs Cline, and Juanita Tinsley Broseh. Darlene Broseh presented gifts to the following: Kenneth Claborn for traveling the farthest, Aaron Carthel the oldest person in attendance, Billy Bybee for the most children, Loy Davis for the most grandchildren, and to Boyce Mosley for living in the community the longest. John and Maybell Francis of

Silverton furnished the entertainment for the evening with old songs.

Those attending from Lockney were: Boyce & Inez Mosley, Hansel & Connie (Reves) Sanders, Hortence (Byars) Phillips, Darlene & Juanita (Tinsley) Broseh, Duard & Mary Reves, Delton & Clydell Jack, Jontha Lee (Casey) Mercer, Carolyn (Jones) Jackson, Otera Scheele, Leonard & Julie Griffith, Wynona (McCleod) Quebe, Naomi (Huckabee) Johnson, Kathleen Thornton, Jerry Davis, Randy & Nancy Henderson, Barbara (Mullins) Cunyus, Don Henderson, Donnie & Vera Jo Bybee, Dan & Rita Kay Smith, John Schacht Floydada attendees were: Kendall & Dorothy Cummings, Dorothy (Byars) Carthel, Aaron & Estell (Byars) Carthel, Richard Sanders, Wanda (Huckabee) Williams, Don & Nancy Marble. Those from Amarillo were: Mr. & Mrs. Gene Barksdale, Billy Ford, Hurschel & Wanda Harston, Tony Arturbum, & Edward Bryant. Lubbock attendees were Howard & Ruth Smith, Wanda (Rhine) Bearden, Bobby & Surina Griffith, & Lois (Huckabee) Karr. Attending from Plainview was: Preston & Sylvia (Albright) Steen, Austin & Tracy Beedy, Lois (Clinton) Duncan, Mr. & Mrs. Hubert Griffith, Ernie & Yvonne Kahn.

Other in attendance were: Jack Albright Atchison, KS, Barbara

(Hanks) Ellison Seymour, Lavern (Rhine) Donnell, Abilene, James & Audrine (Rhine) Robinson,

Lake Kiowa, Wanda (Jacks) House, Tulia, John G. Smith, Marie (Robbs) Cline, Littlefield, Paul Hays, Kress, Wyatt & Dianne (Mooney) Phillips, Childress, Bobby Williams, Bill Duane Williams Dumas, Kathryn (Davis) Smith, Hale Center, Billy Griffith, Olton, Buddy Brown, Silverton, Cleta (Griffith) Dillard, Dumas, Loy Davis, Clarendon, Thurman & Lynna Davis, Del Rio, Verna (Clinton) Clemons, New Braunfels, Darrel Stovall, Lake Tahoe, CA., Leora (TOOTS) (Robbs) Spurlock, Temple, OK., Clyde & Margaret (Claborn) Shearer, DeQuency, LA. Viola (Robbs) Naves, Walsh, CO. Dennis Ford, Austin, Morris & Dorothy (Ford) Cline, Richardson, Kenneth Claborn, Perryville, MD. Doug Claborn, Glen Rock, PA, John Woods, Billings MT, Sara Francis (Buth) & husband Stern, Johnnye (Buth) Bridges, Temple, Nell (Huckabee) Eubanks, Dallas, Betty Lou Bybee, Clifton, Billy Bybee, Houston, Buster & Juanita Jones, Portales, NM, Allie Jo (Ford) Evans, Ft. Worth, & Loree (Bybee) Hammit, Plano.

As a result of this reunion a book is being published of Sterley stories. Anyone interested in a copy should contact Boyce Mosley at 652-2686 or Juanita Broseh at 652-3723.

Floyd County Lifestyles



HOME COMING COURT--Those named to the Floydada Homecoming Court at the Floydada-Friona football game were: (l-r) Senior Amanda Barnett, 3rd; Freshman Brenda Cuellar, 2nd; Sophomore Kayla Stovall, 1st; and Junior Marisa Barrientos, Queen. Photo by Rhonda Stovall

Floydada Health and Rehab News

By Jane Martinez

Hello, to all of our friends and neighbors. I know that it has been awhile since we have had an article in the paper. Their have been some changes in our home.

We have a new administrator she is Sandra Seago. She has been with us since August. You can come by and visit with her Monday thru Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. She will be glad to visit with you.

We also have Thelma Garcia that has taken the position of Dietary manager, that Dorothy Kerr held for many years. Rena Liatano LVN is our manager for our special unit.

Everyone is welcomed to come and visit with our new staff members.

Everyone is welcomed to come and visit with our residents. They enjoy everyone that come out to visit. They feel that they have not been forgotten when visitors come out.

We plan daily activities on a monthly bases. We also plan special events with families.

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On Monday the 9th of October we will be having a Mexican dinner for our special unit residents and their families. On Saturday the 14th we will be having a booth at Punkin Day. We will be selling baked goods. On Monday the 16th we will be holding another Mexican dinner for our other residents and their families. Thursday the 19th we will have our residents birthday party and on Tuesday the 31st we will be having a Halloween party. If you need any information on our special events call 983-3704.

We also want to let the public know that residents at the home will be giving treats on the night of trunk or treat night until 8:30 p.m.

Well this is all I have for you at this time.

Until next time; Ya'll take care!

Look Who's New!



RAY

Jacob, 8, and Meghan, 5, Ray of Panhandle would like to introduce the newest member of their family. Luke Davis was born Wednesday, September 13, 2000, in St. Anthony's Baptist Hospital in Amarillo.

He weighed 8 pounds 11 1/2 ounces and was 20 inches.

His parents, Chris and Joey Ray are also pretty proud of their newest achievement!

Luke's maternal grandparents are Mac and Jan Willson, great-grandmother Betsy Dempsey, and Fred Thayer, all of Floydada. His paternal grandparents are Sharon Ray of Claude and the late Jake Ray.

LOCKNEY SENIOR CITIZEN NEWS

By Gene Newton

The school reunions are over and back to the basic.

The weather is beautiful but as always we need rain.

Well our faithful Gladys Ragle is moving to Lubbock. We wish her luck. She was surprised with a Love Fund from friends and Senior Citizens Friday at the center.

So if you have any new you would like in the paper call 652-2506 and I will try my best to get it in.

We are selling chances on a Queen Size Quilt at the center. Six tickets for \$5 or \$1 for one.

Our "Pot Luck" supper Thursday nights are still a good thing to attend and enjoy each other. Games are enjoyed after supper, so come and join us.

SEPTEMBER MEMORIALS

Elsa Cooper's mother: Mary Ruth Fewell and Mr. and Mrs. Robert McDonald

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October 9-13

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Tuesday-Ham, vegetables, salad, dessert.

Wednesday-Hamburger steak, vegetables, salad, dessert.

Thursday-Beef Tips and Rice, vegetables, salad, dessert.

Friday-Chicken Fried Steak, vegetables, salad, dessert.

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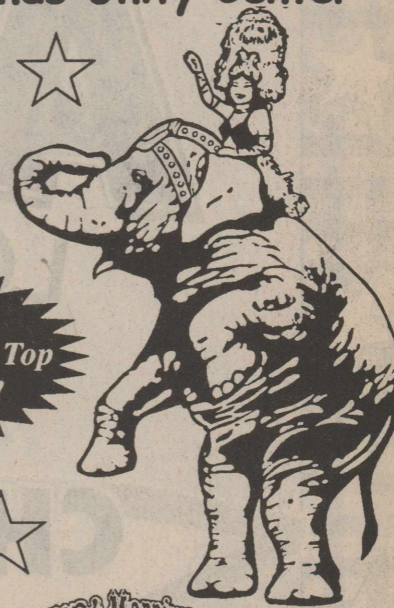
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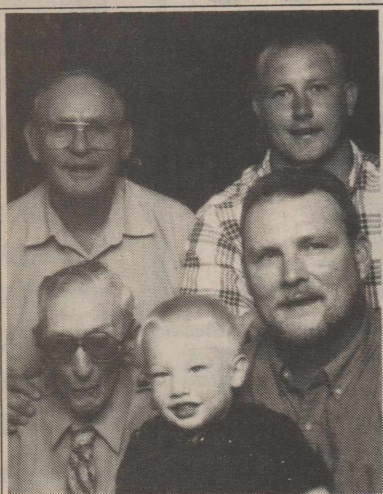
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The LifeSkills class of FHS competed in Special Olympics

The LifeSkills Class of Floydada High School competed in the Area Olympics Texas Winter Games at Lubbock, Texas September 28, 2000.

Students competing from Lockney were: Coty Garza, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Garza; Alfredo (Bubba) Martinez III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfredo Martinez II; and Crissy Jimenez, granddaughter of Angie Vargas.

From Floydada were: Robert Dunlap, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap; Frankie Ibarra, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ibarra; Kami Holbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rick Holbert; and Tabitha Ruiz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alejandro Ruiz.

From Petersburg were: Manuel Morales, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Morales; and Krystal Garza, daughter of Mary Lou Garza of Petersburg.

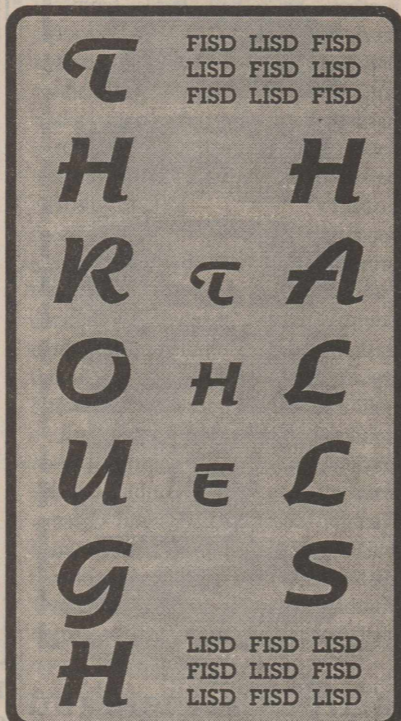
Coty won 3 Silver Medals, Bench

Press 185 lbs., Dead Lift 195 lbs., and a Combined Lift score of 380 lbs. Bubba won a Gold Medal in the Bench Press with 215 lbs., and Dead Lift with 245 lbs., and a Silver Medal in the Combine Lift with 460 lbs.

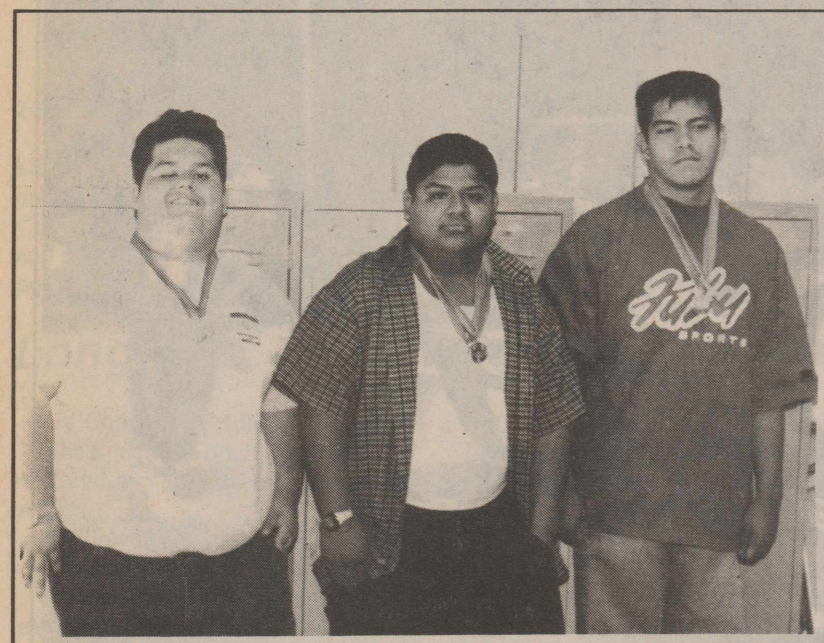
Crissy won a Gold Medal with 42 Sit-ups. Robert was presented a Bronze Medal for the Bench Press of 75 lbs. and a Gold Medal for 35 Sit-Ups.

Frankie was presented the Gold Medal for his 24 Push-ups. Kami received a Silver Medal for her 23 Sit-ups. Tabitha won a Silver Medal for 13 Sit-ups. Manuel received 3 Gold Medals for Bench Press of 225 lbs., Dead Lift of 300 lbs, and Combine Lift of 525 lbs. Krystal was presented the Bronze Medal for her 21 Sit-ups.

Coaches that made the trip were: Jim Hambright, Head Coach, and Doris Wilcox.



SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR KIDS-Third Graders at R.C. Andrews Elementary are excitedly looking forward to the Scholastic Book Fair to be held on October 9-12 during school hours. A special Family Time will be Monday, October 9th from 4 to 6 p.m. Everyone is invited. Staff Photo



COTY GARZA, MANUEL MORALES, ALFREDO MARTINEZ



(back row, l-r) ROBERT DUNLAP, TABITHA RUIZ, CRISSY JIMENEZ, KAMI HOLBERT
(front row, l-r) KRISTAL GARZA, FRANKIE IBARRA



KRISTEN CUMMINGS, 10, recently wrote a poem that was published in "O, Georgia Too". She is the daughter of John and Tammy Cummings, of Cumming, Georgia, and the granddaughter of Sterling and Glen Earle Cummings, of South Plains. The book recognizes outstanding literary work of young Georgians. A reception will be held in the young authors honor on Oct. 15, at Humpus Bumpus Books, in Cumming, Georgia.

Summers graduated from TSTC of Waco

Edgar Summers of Floydada is a Summer quarter graduate of Texas State Technical College in Waco.

Summers is a graduate of the Biomedical Equipment Technology program. Summers graduated from Hobbs High School in 94 and is the son of Connie Summers of Hobbs.

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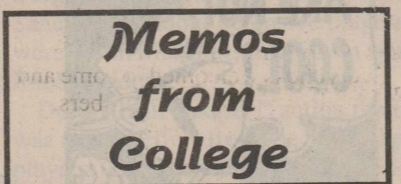


ZACH CUMMINGS

Cummings receives awards and scholarships at Granbury High School

Zach Cummings, class of 2000, son of Kim and Monica Cummings of Granbury was recognized recently with awards and scholarships during ceremonies at Granbury High School.

Cummings received: President's Outstanding Academic Achievement Award; Who's Who in Chemistry and Debate; UIL Scholar; National Merit Commended Scholar; College Board Advanced Placement Scholar; Optimist Young Texan; Texas Tech University Presidential Scholarship; and TEA Educational Excellence Award. Courtesy Photo



Dunavant of Floydada graduated at WTA&M

Lee Ann Dunavant of Floydada was among 251 West Texas A&M University graduates at the August 17th commencement ceremonies. Lee Ann received a BA in History. She is the daughter of Phil and Susan Dunavant of Floydada.

The University awarded master's degrees to 103 graduates and bachelor's degrees to 148 graduates.

Graduates with an overall grade point average of 3.50 or higher were recognized as honor graduates and were eligible to wear gold honor cords. The three levels of recognition are Cum Laude (3.50-3.74), Magna Cum Laude (3.75-3.89) and Summa Cum Laude (3.90-4.00).

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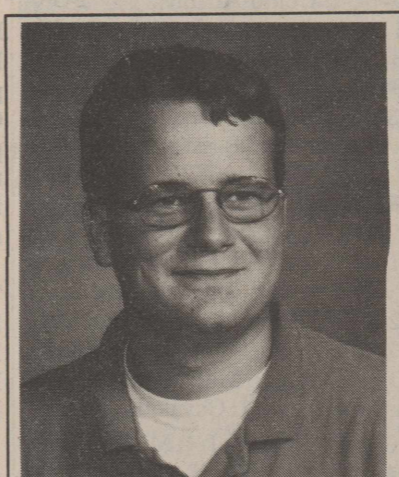
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DANIEL DOTSON

Dotson and Arellano named as AP Scholars

Two students at Floydada High School have been named AP Scholars by the college Board in recognition of their exceptional achievement on the college-level AP Examinations. Only about 13 percent of the more than 700,000 students who took AP Examinations in May 2000 performed at a sufficiently high level to merit such recognition.

Students take AP Examinations in May after completing challenging college-level courses at their high school. The College Board recognizes several levels of achievement based on the number of year-long courses and exams (or their equivalent semester-long courses and exams).

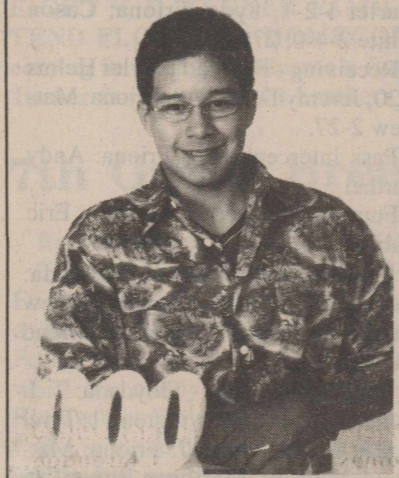
At Floydada High School one student qualified for the AP Scholar with Honor Award by earning an average grade of at least 3.25 on all AP Exams taken, and grades of 3 or higher on four or more of these exams. This student is Daniel Dotson.

One student qualified for the AP Scholar Award by completing three or more AP Examinations, with grades of 3 or higher. The AP Scholar is Erick Arellano.

Most of the nation's colleges and universities award credit, advanced placement, or bother based on suc-

cessful performance on the AP Exams. More than 1,400 institutions award a year of credit (sophomore standing) to students presenting a sufficient number of qualifying grades. There are 33 AP Examinations offered in 19 subject areas, each consisting of multiple-choice and free-response (essay or problem-solving) questions.

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ERICK ARELLANO

Lockney School Menu

- Monday**
Breakfast-Waffle Strip with syrup, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch-Turkey/PBJ Sandwich, tossed salad, green beans, sliced peaches, crackers, milk.
- Tuesday**
Breakfast-Oatmeal/Cereal, cinnamon toast, juice, milk.
Lunch-Frito Pie/Chicken Patty on Bun, tossed salad, corn, pineapple with gelatin, milk, brownie.
- Wednesday**
Breakfast-Cheese Toast/Cereal, graham cracker, juice, milk.
Lunch-Fish Sticks/Grilled Cheese, pinto beans, squash casserole, applesauce, cornbread, milk.
- Thursday**
Breakfast-Breakfast Burrito/Cereal, toast, juice, milk, jelly.
Lunch-Steak Fingers/Tuna Sandwich, mashed potatoes, green peas, sliced pears, hot rolls, milk.
- Friday**
Breakfast-Cinnamon/Cereal, toast, juice, milk, jelly.
Lunch-Hamburger/Corndog, French fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, apple half, milk.

Floydada School Menu

- Monday**
Breakfast-Cereal, graham crackers, late risers, fresh fruit, milk.
Lunch-Fish Strips, tartar sauce, macaroni and cheese, baked beans, Texas toast, peaches, milk.
- Tuesday**
Breakfast-Cereal, graham crackers, pancake, sausage on a stick, milk, juice.
Lunch-Nacho Grande, lettuce, tomatoes, picante sauce, apple, milk.
- Wednesday**
Breakfast-Cereal, graham crackers, banana bread, milk, juice.
Lunch-Fried Chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, Texas toast, fruit with marshmallows, milk.
- Thursday**
Breakfast-Cereal, graham crackers, waffles, syrup, milk, juice.
Lunch-Lasagna, garlic bread, tossed salad, corn, fruit cocktail, milk.
- Friday**
Breakfast-Cereal, graham crackers, cinnamon and sugar toast, scrambled eggs, milk, juice.
Lunch-Hamburger, lettuce, tomatoes, pickle, French fries, carrot sticks, frozen yogurt, milk.



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"PLAZA SUITE" CAST MEMBERS REHEARSE--Neil Simon's comedy, "Plaza Suite" is coming to the Unity Center through the Plainview Civic Theatre. The dinner theatre will be Oct. 14th, 7:30 p.m. Shown here are cast members: (l-r) Kelly Springer, of Plainview, playing Sam Nash; (back) Tisa Whitfill, of Plainview, playing Karen Nash; and Denise Doucette, of Muncy, playing Jean McCormick. Courtesy Photo

New Unity Center to host Dinner Theatre

The Unity Center, in Muncy, will be the host of its first dinner theatre, October 14th. Neil Simon's comedy, "Plaza Suite", will be brought to the Unity Center by the Plainview Civic Theatre. Tickets can be purchased at FNB Floydada, FNB Lockney, Nick Long Insurance, and Jim Doucette's office in Lockney. For more information call 983-3944, or 296-7013.

Floydada Senior Citizen News

By Margarette Word

This past week has been a very busy week. Many of us enjoyed the Olympics while others were working hard on homecoming activities for the weekend. Many of our people at the center had their children and grandchildren here visiting them. I noticed a lot of R.V.'s were parked at "Wayne Russell's R.V. Park." It's wonderful Floydada has such a nice park for visitors to park their rigs when visiting our town. Recently Marie Tardy and LaNell Tardy have had two groups of visitors. They were Larry and Todd Tardy from Arlington and the other visitors were friends Dr. Bill and Marcelle Wagner of Toledo, Texas. Marcelle use to live in the McCoy community. Glenna Orman recently went to Ft. Worth to attend a county treasurer convention and had a great time visiting with friends. Brenda Wilkinson of College Station and daughter of Mildred Parnell was here to visit her mother and also attend homecoming activities. They ate lunch at the center Wednesday, September 27th. Mozelle Mickey of Arkansas was at the center on Wednesday and also here for homecoming. Grace Jarrett was at the center a couple of days last week. Pauline Vasquez was with her. Grace has been unable to come to the center due to some illness so we were so happy she was able to be out and about. Last Sunday Lee Battey and daughter, Ann Hennaman had a dedication open house for a new business they are starting in Lubbock called "The Lubbock Institute of Therapeutic Massage." We wish them well. Congratulations to Wayne and

Roberta Russell on celebrating their 62nd wedding anniversary last Sunday, October 1st. Roberta told me she and Wayne were married by her father Rev Berry Watson, a Baptist minister at home in Roaring Springs October 1, 1938. Thank you for remembering the center when you need to make a memorial donation. In memory of R.H Dunlap: Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Cannon, Ruth Hammonds, Bill and Norma Feuerbacher, Judy Beedy. In memory of Neva Calahan: Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Cannon, Ruth Hammonds, Glenna Orman, Virginia Carver, Gene Lawson. In memory of Amanda Hart: Ruth Hammonds. In memory of Willie B. Eakin: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Montgomery. **Thought For The Week** 2nd in the series; "My Mother Taught Me" - My mother taught me Religion - "You better pray that will come out of the carpet." My mother taught logic - "Because I said so, that is why. **MENU** October 9-13 **Monday**-Beef Enchiladas, Spanish rice, tossed salad, ranch dressing, dry jello salad. **Tuesday**-Chicken Fried Steak, white gravy, baked potato, broccoli, wheat roll, oranges and bananas. **Wednesday**-Chicken and dumplings, green peas, cauliflower, cheese sauce, hot roll, pumpkin pie or bars. **Thursday**-Baked Ham, corn, tossed salad, ranch dressing, biscuit, peach cobbler. **Friday**-Pork Chop, au gratin potatoes, carrots and zucchini, wheat roll, white cake, fruit cocktail.

The Paper Pulpit

By: Pastor Henry Russell



"CHEER HIM, BOYS"

There was a fire in a big city, and the firemen flung their ladders together, and went up in their brave fashion to the very topmost story to rescue the people in peril. One after another was rescued by the brave firemen. All had been rescued it seemed. No! Yonder ia a person at that upper window. They wrapped something about one of the firemen. and, breasting the fierce flames, he went again to that window, and put a robe around the little woman and started down. Then they saw him tremble as the fire raged around him, and it seemed that he would fail with his precious burden. But the fire chief cried to his men: "Cheer hi ou boys! Cheer him on!" As they cheered him, cheer after cheer, and heart came back, and he came down, with the precious life saved! Oh, you and I are to give our lives cheering a needy world! This was God's idea! "They helped every one his neighbor; and everyone said to his brother, be of good cheer! (Isaiah 41:6)

May the Lord of peace himself give you his peace no matter what happens. The Lord be with you all. 2 Thessalonians 3:16

Floyd County Church Directory

- 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
983-5278
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

- CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**
Floydada
Glenn Truett, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Bible Study 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

- CARR'S CHAPEL**
Service Every Sunday:
Morning Worship 9:45 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

- CHURCH OF CHRIST**
West College & Third,
Lockney
Frank Duckworth, Evangelist
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday Service 8:00 p.m.

- CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST**
Doug Rainbolt - Minister
Floydada
Sunday:
Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
(Summer 8:00 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.

- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**
401 S. Main, Floydada
Temporarily Meeting at
Floydada High School
Offices located at 402 S. Wall
Anthony D. Sisemore, Pastor
Les Reed, Minister of Students
Sunday:
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Christian Growth, Youth Drama,
Faith Weavers, Mission Friends,
Nursery 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Children's Choir 4:00 p.m.
Nursery, Preschool Choir, RA's,
GA's, Youth Bible Study, Adult
Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
Adult Chori Practice 7:00 p.m.

- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**
Lockney
Phillip Golden - Pastor
Phillip Oswald, Director of
Music
Rodney Hunt, Youth Minister
Sunday:
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Youth 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
Youth Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
Adult Choir 8:00 p.m.

- FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**
Reverend Ione Sedinger
Pastor
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Monday Bible Study 9:30 a.m.

- FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**
Floydada
Wendell Horn, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Youth Fellowship 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

- FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**
Lockney
Russ Byard, Pastor
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
UMY 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
United Methodist Women,
Hill Circle, 3rd Tues. 9:30 a.m.
Ruth Wesley Circle:
2nd & 4th Mondays 10:30 a.m.

- FRIENDSHIP CHAPEL CME**
Floydada
Rev. James Jenkins
Sunday 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday:
Bible Study 8:00 p.m.

- GRACE FELLOWSHIP CHURCH**
211 N. Main, Lockney
Interdenominational Church
806-652-2332
Bible Study 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.

- GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST**
Joe Bennett, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Monday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday:
Prayer Service 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

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

- MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH**
Floydada
Rev. Ralph Jackson
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.

- NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**
Floydada
Sunday: Congregational
Singing 10:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Pastor Elder Ronnie Hedges
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- POWER OF PRAISE FULL GOSPEL CHURCH**
Rev. Manuel Rendon, Pastor
704 N. Main, Lockney
652-3704
Sunday Services 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
Friday - Youth Service 7:00 p.m.

- PRIMER IGLESIA BAUTISTA**
Lockney
Pedro Villareal, Pastor
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.
G.A.'s 7:30 p.m.
Ambassadors 7:30 p.m.
Fellowship Luncheon -
1st Sunday of Month;
Music Worship;
Last Sunday with evening service

- PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA**
Floydada
Rev. Lupe Rando
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

- SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH**
Lockney
Jim McCartney, Pastor
Wednesday:
Communion Service 8:00 p.m.
Sunday Mass 11:30 a.m.

- SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH**
Ernest Stewart, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

- SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD TEMPLO GETSEMANI**
308 Mississippi
Rev. Alejandro Ruiz Jr.
983-2864 or 983-5286
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Evangelistic
Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Family Night 7:00 p.m.

- ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC CHURCH**
Floydada
Father John Olig
Deacon Ricky Vasquez
Sunday Mass 11:30 a.m.
Tuesday Mass 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Mass 6:30 p.m.
Rosary recited 1/2 hour before each Mass
Phone: 983-5878

- TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM**
Lockney
Pedro Reyes, Interim Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 p.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Christian Training 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

- TEMPLO BETHEL SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD**
Washington and 1st St.
Lockney 652-1008
Pastor, Rev. Eliseo Ovalle
983-6202
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.

- TEMPLO EVANGELICO PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**
515 E. Missouri, Floydada
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.

- TEMPLO LIBERTAD**
203 SE 2nd, Lockney
652-2793
Pastor Juan A. Gutierrez
Wednesday Evening 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship 5:00 p.m.

- TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA**
Rev. Herman Martinez
308 W. Tennessee, Floydada
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Prayer Service 2:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Tuesday:
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Thursday Service 7:30 p.m.

- TRINITY CHURCH**
500 W. Houston Floydada
Interdenominational Church
Henry Russell, Pastor
983-5499
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:40 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.
4th Sunday Singing 6:00 p.m.

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Floyd County Extension News

By J.D. Ragland, Agent-Ag

Nine Floyd County 4-H members exhibited cattle and swine during the 101st annual West Texas Fair in Abilene. Starting off with the opening week of the fair, September 11 & 12, Open Heifer exhibitors competed. Senecé Foster exhibited the 3rd place in Other Breeds and Segayle Foster received 15' place honors. In the Open show Senecé received 5th place in her class of Chianina and Segayle won the Division Champ.

The following weekend, September 14-16 was the Junior Market Steer & Swine Shows. Steers results were: Tate Greer, 2nd place Lt. Wt. English Progress (Progress were those weigh-

ing over 1000 lbs); Colton Covington, 1st place Class II Exotic division. Prospects (Prospects were those weighing 1000 or less). Colton Covington, 1st Md. Wt. Hereford; Mason Lipham, 3rd Hvy Shorthorn; Tate Greer, 2nd Md. Wt. Gert; Scott Nixon, 1st Hvy Wt. Maine and Tye Wood, Breed Champion Simmental.

4-H swine exhibitor Brady Ragland received Reserve Breed Champion Hamp and exhibited two crosses. He also received 4th place Showmanship Honors.

This same weekend Jurahee Jones attended a steer show in McKenny where she received 3rd place with a

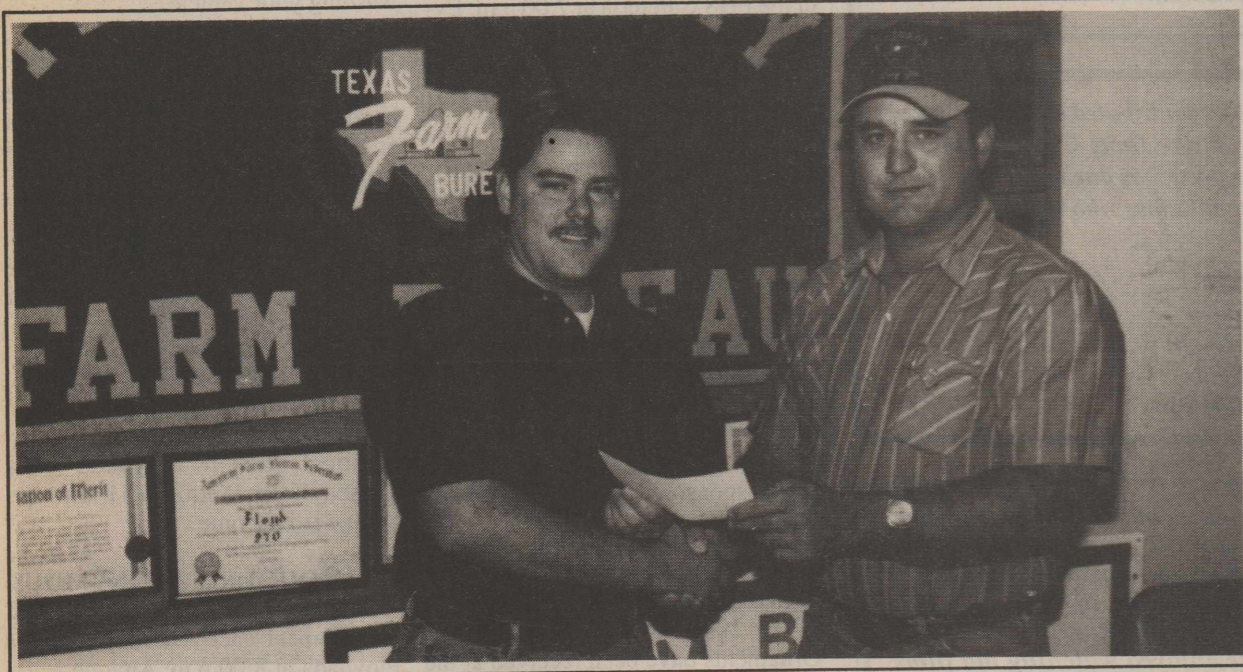
shorthorn and 5th in showmanship. Congratulations to all 4-H'ers on their hard work and representation of Floyd County 4-H.

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FLOYD COUNTY JUDGE SIGNS PROCLAMATION--Floyd County Farm Bureau Board President Danny Nutt joins Floyd County Judge Bill Hardin as he signs a proclamation promoting October 8-14 as Fire

Prevention Week. This week commemorates the great Chicago fire of 1871, which killed more than 250 persons, left 100,000 homeless, and destroyed more than 17,400 buildings. Staff Photo



FARM BUREAU RECOGNIZES RODNEY HUNT--Floyd County Farm Bureau Board President Danny Nutt presented Rodney Hunt with a check and Cer-

tificate of Participation for attending a Firemen's Training School at Texas A&M University, July 23-28, 2000. Staff Photo

Floyd County Farm News

Environment Conference planned

Participants will explore and celebrate the intersection of faith, agricultural research and rural development at an October 8-9 "Caring for Creation" conference at Second Baptist Church of Lubbock.

"Celebrating the Stewards of the Land: Sustaining Creation in the New Millennium" is the theme of the conference, co-sponsored by Second Baptist Church and the Texas Baptist Church and the Texas Baptist Christian Life Commission. The commission is the moral concerns and public policy agency for the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

Keynote speakers are David Schmidly, president of Texas Tech University; state Sen. Robert Duncan, R-Lubbock; and state Rep. Warren Chisum, R-Pampa.

Others include Charles Johnson, pastor of Second Baptist Church in Lubbock; Phil Strickland and Terri Morgan from the Christian Life Com-

mission; and Rob Sellers, associate professor of theology and missions at Logsdon School of Theology of Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

Special interest sessions include topics such as: "The Emerging Crisis Around Water Resources and Conservation," "Agricultural Impact on Rural Development," "Hunger Relief in the New Millennium: and "Redeeming the Earth: A Global view."

As part of the two day conference, tours will be offered to the Sustainable Agriculture Research Station, the Plant Stress Lab at Texas Tech University and the Breedlove Dehydration Plant.

Cost for the conference is \$25, which includes a luncheon and an evening banquet.

To register, contact the Texas Baptist Christian Life Commission, 333 N. Washington, Dallas 75246-1798, or call (214) 828-5196.

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TFU request origin labeling

Wes Sims, president of the Texas Farmers Union and National Farmers Union (NFU) board member, today testified in support of legislation that would establish mandatory country of origin labeling for meat products sold in the U. S. before the Livestock and Horticulture Subcommittee of the House Agriculture Committee. Sims' testimony called for meaningful and accurate labeling legislation to be passed this year.

"As a cow/calf producer, I am proud to have products from my farm labeled as products of the United States," said Sims. "Labels are used on many other consumer items. At a time when producers are facing extremely low prices, disastrous weather conditions, and an industry beset with

high levels of concentration and integration, a label denoting country of origin can provide a valuable marketing tool and important consumer information. Labeling meat seems long overdue."

The legislation, H.R. 1144, sponsored by Reps. Helen Chenoweth-Hage, R-Idaho, and Earl Pomeroy, D.N.D., would require a label on beef, pork and lamb indicating the country of origin for imported meat, regardless of where it was produced. The bill would provide for a U.S. label on meat from animals born and raised in the U.S.

"The provisions of H.R. 1144 are good producer policy, good consumer policy and good trade policy," added Sims. "At a time when U.S. produc-

ers and processors are under rigorous production requirements and consumers are expressing an increased interest in the origin of their food, it is more important than ever that Congress adopt country of origin labeling. This legislation would provide a big boost to U. S. livestock producers."

Sims also told the subcommittee that Farmers Union is opposed to an industry-supported measure to allow a U.S. label for imported cattle. That proposal would allow operations to purchase foreign cattle 100 days prior to slaughter and still receive the "made in the USA" label. These operations are in direct competition with U.S. cow/calf producers. "This proposal would deceive consumers and harm U.S. producers by encouraging im-

Cabler wins at Tri State Fair Rabbit Show

By J.D. Ragland
Cancy Cabler showed at the Tri-State Fair Rabbit Show on September 16th. She showed in both the open and the youth departments. Her results were: Jersey Woolly: 1 Best of Breed; 2 First places.

Fur Class - 2 First places.
Mini Rex - 1 Best of Breed; 2 Best of Variety; 2 First places.

Fur Class - 2 First places.
Florida White - 1 Best of Show in 4 Class; 2nd in overall show; 3rd in overall show; 2 Best of Breeds; 2 Best of Variety 2-1st places.

Fur Class 1-2nd place; 1-5th place
Cancy was also selected as a Junior judge at the open show.

Pray For Rain

A Glance at the MARKETS
Closing Commodity Prices.

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Soybean Board seeks members

By Dawn Howe
Weldon Melton, Chairman of the Texas Soybean Board and a farmer from Plainview, announced today the date of their upcoming election for board members. The election will be held by mail on December 15, 2000. Four farmer directors will be elected ... two from Panhandle, one from the state at large, and one from the Gulf Coast. The positions on the board are all voluntary and must be held by producers. The Board meets three or four times a year at various locations in Texas. Travel, meals, and housing are provided at the meetings.

Anyone wishing to run for a position on the board should apply to TSB

by October 31 by calling 1-800-247-8691. A nomination form with 10 producer signatures is required.

The Texas Soybean Board is responsible for the allocation of the state portion of the National Soybean Checkoff in the best interest of state producers. Half of all checkoff funds collected remain in Texas and are used to fund research and promotion to the benefit of Texas soybean producers. The remainder of the funds are sent to the United Soybean Board and pooled with collections from across the country. These funds are used for nationally and internationally for promotion, research (new uses of soy-

beans and production), maintenance of global markets etc. The state is divided into four districts with board members being elected on a rotating basis every two years for terms of six years. Current officers are Weldon Melton, Plainview, Chairman; Richard Raun, El Campo, Vice-Chairman; and T.P. Rotello, Navasota, Secretary/Treasurer. Other Board Members are R. D. Burnside, III, Baytown; Worth Matteson, III, DeKalb; Louis Pyle, Floydada; W. B. Tilson, Plainview; Carl Weets, Cooper and one vacant at-large position.

Please contact the Texas Soybean Board at 800-247-8691 for more information.

PCG to relocate office

space and technology in order to allow PCG to keep improving its capabilities to the benefit of its producer membership.

"PCG's new office will enhance our ability to provide the best service to our membership in the most efficient, cost effective manner," notes PCG Executive Vice President Steve Verett. "The Board of Directors and the PCG Executive Committee worked hard to make the most cost effective choice for the location of PCG's headquarters."

Verett adds that by leasing PCG office space, the organization can take advantage of the new location's unique combination of price, design and accessibility while also retaining the utmost flexibility should a different opportunity present itself in the future.

PCG's contact information will not change as the organization will continue to have the same telephone, facsimile and internet addresses. Only the physical mailing address will change.

New mailing address and contact information: Plains Cotton Growers,

By Shawn Wade
With the end of the lease agreement on Plains Cotton Growers 4510 Englewood office location, a unique opportunity to retool and improve the facilities of the organization presented itself, right around the corner, literally.

That opportunity was the availability of a "build to suit" office location less than 200 feet away and the long-time relationship between PCG and the owners; of the building, Wilkerson Properties, Inc. of Lubbock.

PCG's new address will be 4517 West Loop 289 The new office is located in the Southwest Crossing office park just south of the intersection of the Brownfield Highway (Highway 62/82) and West Loop 289.

The new offices provide the organization with a top notch facility designed and equipped to meet the technological requirements of the present and to continue taking advantage of future technological advancements.

Key to the final decision on relocating the PCG office was finding a way to make the wisest use of both

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Obituaries

NATHAN BIERA

Services for Nathan Jay Biera, 5 month old infant son of Maria Antonia Castillo and Jonathan Edward Biera of Plainview, were held at 2:00 p.m., Thursday, September 26, 2000, at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church with the Rev. Gerard Kenney pastor of Our Lady of Guadalupe, officiating.

Rosary was at 7:00 p.m. September 27, 2000, at Wood-Dunning Funeral Home.

Burial was in Parklawn Memorial Gardens under the direction of Lemon Funeral Home.

He died on Monday, September 25, 2000 at University Medical Center in Lubbock.

He was born on April 11, 2000, in Lockney.

Survivors include his parents; grandparents, Dario and Crestino Castillo of Plainview and John Henry and Margaret Biera of Lubbock; and great-grandparents, Enrique and Josefina Biera of Slaton, Elena Castillo of Floydada, and Alfredo and Delores Ramos of Plainview.

Quitaque and graduated from high school in Plainview in 1955. She graduated from Lipperts Business School in Plainview in 1957. She married Jim Cumby on August 3, 1962, in Mesquite. She moved to Lockney from Dallas in August 1997.

She was a housewife and a book-keeper until she retired in 1969. She was a member of East Field Baptist Church in Mesquite.

Survivors include her husband; a son and daughter-in-law, Jimmy and Stephanie Cumby of Columbia, South Carolina; a daughter and son-in-law, Chad and Christy Frizzell of Lockney; two brothers, J.C. Purcell of Beaver, Oklahoma and Doyle Purcell of Borger; a sister Linda Martin of Kress; and three grandchildren, Weston Cumby, Kaden Cumby and Kylie Frizzell.

The family suggests memorials to the Pat Frizzell Memorial Scholarship Fund P.O. Box 707, Lockney 79241 or the Pat Frizzell Memorial Scholarship Fund c/o City Bank Lockney, 201 North Main, Lockney 79241.

INA MAE LEWIS

Services for Ina Mae Lewis, 85, of Floydada were held at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, October 4, 2000 at Moore-Rose-White Memorial Chapel with Dr. Glenn Burke of Lubbock officiating. Burial was in Floydada Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada.

She died Monday, October 2, 2000 at her residence in Floydada.

She was born on December 9, 1914 in Floyd County to the late Mr. Luther O. Cox and Mrs. Margaret J. Merrell Cox. She attended schools in the McCoy Community. She married Carl Lewis Cox in 1941 in Matador. He preceded her in death on March 1, 1992. She retired from the dry cleaning business in the late 1980's. She was a life long resident of Floyd County and a member of West Side Church of Christ in Floydada. She was preceded in death by two sisters and a brother.

She is survived by a son, Donnie Woolsey of Oklahoma; a brother, Merrell Cox of Lubbock; two grandchildren; four great-grandchildren and a niece, Fern Hartsell of Floydada.



PEGGY PEACOCK CUMBY

Peggy Peacock Cumby, 62, of Lockney were held at 4:00 p.m. Monday at First Baptist Church in Lockney with the Rev. Tre Cates of Boulder, Colorado officiating and the Rev. Phillip Golden assisting.

Burial was in Plainview Memorial Park under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Lockney.

She died on Friday, September 29, 2000 at her residence.

She was born on January 30, 1938, in Olney. She attended school in

Whirlwind Sams

By Darlynn Hambricht

Chapter meeting for Whirlwind Sams was called to order by Don Chesshir, president on Monday October 2, 2000 at Lighthouse Electric.

Invocation was led by Hollis Payne. Herb Wallace and Dianne Mayfield will celebrate their birthday this month.

Couples recognized for an October anniversary were Wayne and Roberta Russell, Louis and Virginia Pyle, Darrell and Nancy Mayo and Dr. Keith and June Patzer.

Audrey Temple led in singing "Happy Birthday and "Happy Anniversary."

A potluck meal was provided by the members assisted by Don and Sue

Hearing Tests set for Floydada

Senior Citizens Center
Thurs. Oct. 12th

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Chesshir and Herb and Esther Wallace in serving soft drinks.

Fall and Halloween decorations adorned the tables.

During the business meeting Sue Chesshir secretary read the September minutes. She also read a thank you note from J.W. and Betty Gilbreath expressing their appreciation for the gift and cake commemorating their 50th wedding anniversary.

Carol Reese, treasurer gave a financial report.

Boone Adams won the door prize dinner for two from El Chico Restaurant in Plainview.

Wayne Russell, September trail boss reported on the campout at Lubbock and the outstanding representation from our chapter.

October trail boss, George Miller discussed plans for the campout at Lake Texoma.

President elect, Henry Russell discussed the 2001 schedule for hostess duties.

A motion was made and seconded to discontinue the scrapbook project effective 2001. Unanimous vote in favor of motion.

Program chairman, Dr. Harold Temple introduced Gerald and Marilyn Thompson from Plainview. They presented a video presentation of their travel and experiences in Kenya.

Ladies coffee Thursday, October 12th at 9:30 a.m. at Pizza Gold.

21 rigs were represented and guests, Alan Livingston, Gerald and Marilyn Thompson.

Members attending: Boone and Ruth Adams; Don and Sue Chesshir; Bill and Norma Feuerbacher; J.W. and Betty Gilbreath; Gordon and Darlynn Hambricht; Jerry and Glenda Livingston; John and Christine Lyles; Jack and Dianne Mayfield; Mac and Marge McElyea;

George and Betty Miller; Harold and Charlene Nörrell; Dr. Keith and June Patzer; Hollis and Jo Payne; Louis and Virginia Pyle; Dr. Harold and Carol Reese; Henry and Dahlia Russell; Wayne and Roberta Russell; Dr. Harold and Audrey Temple; Fred and Yvonne Thaxton; Herb and Ester Wallace and Paul and Dartha Westbrook.

"Happy Trails" was sung and led by Audrey Temple to dismiss the chapter.

Lockney Homecoming has come and gone - we, the Homecoming Committee Officers, believe that it was a big success. We hope everyone enjoyed it as much as we did. We would like to say a BIG THANK YOU to all who helped with the activities. If you registered exes, helped with the after-game coffee, helped with activities on Saturday, or whatever you did - we thank you.

We want to especially thank those that served on the Homecoming Committee: Mary Louise McCarter, Joyce Wilson, Lavirn and Clementine Carthel, John and Karen Quebe, Majorie and Melvin Holcomb, Shawnda Foster, Julie James and Dewanda Blendon.

We also want to thank Arcenio Martinez for hanging the downtown banner, Lisa Mosley and her art students for painting downtown windows, Allen Martin for typing mailouts and especially Mr. Poole and the school staff for their invaluable help.

Once again to everyone who helped to make Homecoming 2000 a big success.

Gary & Linda Marr
Louie & Cynthia Bybee
Jim & Kay Martin

We would like to thank everyone who contributed and participated in the 1950-1960 After Game Party at the Unity Center in Muncy last Friday night. The success of the party was due to each one who pitched in and helped. Thank you to all those who helped clean up after the party.

Sincerely,
Gayle Waller
Teen Burleson
Dale Redd
Jaynette Harrison

To all the Floydada Exes and their spouses that patronized our place of business, Babe's Steak Barn and Private Club. We want to thank you and tell you that your business was greatly appreciated and we enjoyed visiting with all of you. And a special thank you to Bill Hale for hosting the "F Club" in our party room where everyone enjoyed watching old films of football games of the past.

If we can ever serve you again for any parties or any get-togethers, we will do our very best to serve and please you. When you visit in Floydada or just passing through town we would appreciate if you would stop by if only for a visit. Our doors will always be open to you along with a "Big Welcome". Again thanks so much.

Sincerely,
Babe Jones

A Letter To God

By: Edward G. Marks

Heavenly Father, I yield to you my broken heart.
Shattered dreams from a troubled life I impart.
I seem to have failed at living this life.
My world is filled with trouble and strife.

Dear child as I look at your troubled life,
I see all of your misery and strife.

You've lived for yourself and yourself alone;
That is where your life went wrong.

Because you did not look up and trust in me,
You became adrift upon life's stormy sea.

The shattered dreams that you hold so dear,
I had another calling, but you would not hear.

This broken heart that you gave to me,
It's not really broken that I can see.

I see love here that's never been used
While others needed it, you refused.

You must give love away if you want to be free;
It is a gift to all, through you, from me.

You are a vessel, by which I might do my good deeds.
The greatest gift is to fill someone's needs.

Your broken life and these shattered dreams
Are foundation stones for a better life, you see.

Look up to me and do not fear;
I have many gifts for you to hold dear.

Listen to my voice, and beckon my call
And on life's path you will not fall.

John 11:25-26

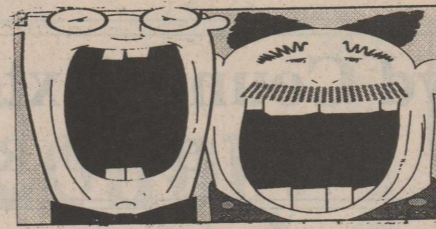
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This Week's Announcements

SUPER WHIRLWIND BOOSTER

Booster Club is encouraging all businesses to show their spirit for the Whirlwinds by decorating their businesses during district play. The business showing the most spirit each week will be awarded the "SUPER WHIRLWIND BOOSTER" flag to fly at their business for a week. Also the winner will be recognized each week in the Hesperian.

WHIRLWIND BOOSTER CLUB MEETING

There will be a Whirlwind Booster Club Meeting Monday, October 2nd in the FHS Cafeteria at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend. Remember to fly your green Whirlwind flag on game days to show your support.

LONGHORN BAND PAINTING CURBS

The Longhorn Band members will be painting curbs Saturday, October 7th. Call Donna Keeton at 652-2888 if you want your curb painted.

PUNKIN DAY BAKE SALE

A Bake Sale and Guess the Secret Ingredient Contest will be held Saturday, October 14th from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. at the Floyd County Library. This is sponsored by the Floydada 4-H Club.

2000 TEXAS STATE CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT

The 2000 Texas State Christmas Ornaments have been received at the Floyd County Museum. They will go on sale Friday, September 1st. Past years ornaments will also be on sale.

PUNKIN' DAYS BOOK SALE

You may drop off books to be used for the Punkin' Days Book Sale at 402 W. Missouri or call 983-3870.

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.

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INVITATION FOR BIDS

Sealed proposals addressed to the Mr. Tom Davey, Manager of the MacKenzie Municipal Water Authority will be received at the offices of the MacKenzie Municipal Water Authority until 8:00 p.m., 17th day, October, 2000 for the painting of the tank interior and exterior of the approximately 650,000 gallon ground storage tank entitled:

PAINTING OF TANK INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR COUNTY LINE GROUND STORAGE TANK

At this time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud. Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened.

Contract Documents, including Plans and Specifications are on file and may be examined without charge in the offices of the MacKenzie Municipal Water Authority, MacKenzie Reservoir, Route 1, Box 14, Silvertown, Texas 79257, telephone (806) 633-4326, and the offices of Brandt Engineers, Inc., Consulting Engineers, 4537 Canyon Drive, Amarillo, Texas 79110, telephone (806) 353-7233. Contract documents, including plans and specifications may be procured from Brandt Engineers, Inc. at the above address as follows:

Cost: \$60.00 per set, NONREFUNDABLE

A Cashier's Check, certified check or acceptable bidder's bond, payable to MacKenzie Municipal Water Authority in an amount not less than five (5%) percent of the bid submitted, must accompany each bid as a guarantee that, if awarded the contract, the Bidder will, within Fifteen (15) days after receipt of Notice of Award, enter into a contract and execute bonds on the forms provided in the Contract Documents.

Performance and Payment Bonds will be required.

In case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating proposal prices, the MacKenzie Water Authority reserves the right to adopt the most advantageous construction thereof, or to reject any or all bids, and waive formalities. No bid may be withdrawn within thirty (30) days after date on which bids are opened.

TOM DAVEY, MANAGER
MACKENZIE MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY

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HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT OR SALE--Houses, mobile homes or apartments. Call 983-5552.

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GARAGE SALES

Floydada
3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE--221 W. Kentucky. Saturday, 8:00 a.m. - ?? Love seat, console TV, mens and womens clothing, new lift chair, and lots more.

10-5p

GARAGE SALE--818 W. Mesquite - Friday - 8:00 a.m. - ?? Sony Game Station, electric stove, lots of goodies.

10-5p

Lockney
GARAGE SALE--508 S.W. 3rd Street. Friday and Saturday, 8:30 a.m. - ??

10-5p

HELP WANTED

PART-TIME COORDINATOR needed for a project of the Texas Integrated Funding Initiative serving Floyd and surrounding counties. Must have a Bachelor's Degree in Psychology, sociology or related field. May substitute degree with a high school diploma and at least four years relevant experience working with youth experiencing complex emotional, behavioral and mental problems. Family members of children with emotional/behavioral problems are encouraged to apply. Bilingual abilities preferred. Call for application at 983-4929 or pick up application at 111 North Wall, Floydada. Interviews begin on October 9.

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FULL TIME LVN needed for 11-7 shift. Full benefits and comparable salary. Contact Linda Dewbre at 806-675-2382. Crosbyton Hospital.

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HOUSES FOR SALE

Floydada
READY TO MOVE IN--114 J.B. Avenue. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, 2 living areas, central heat/air, large storage building. Come to OPEN HOUSE Sunday, October 8th, 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. or call Brenda 983-6456 or 983-2814.

10-5p

HOUSE FOR SALE--110 Mae Avenue. Call Amelia at 983-6501.

10-5p

HOUSE FOR SALE--\$23,000.00 - 2 bedroom, 1 bath, 702 S. Main. Call 983-3008 after 4:30.

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HOUSE FOR SALE--Brick house with 2 car garage attached. Need updating. Nice neighborhood. Call 806-792-7957.

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FOR SALE BY OWNER--3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick, 2 car garage, corner lot, near school, storage shed, fireplace, large beautiful trees, fenced backyard. 983-5052.

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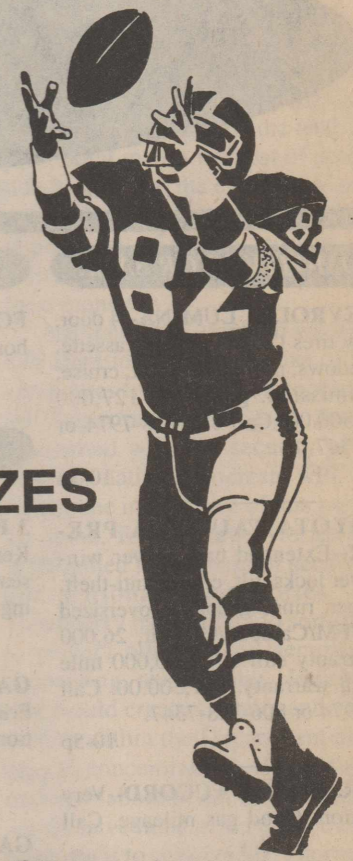
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Contest Rules

Any subscriber or purchaser age 7 or older is eligible to enter the this contest. Only one entry per week per person.

To play, circle on the official entry form, the numbers of the teams you believe will win this week's games. To indicate a tie, circle the numbers of both teams playing the game. Also write a guess of the combined total points to be scored by the two teams listed in each of the tie-breaker footballs. Circle the team you believe will win. Circle both teams if you think the game will end in a tie.

Only entries on official entry forms brought to a Hesperian-Beacon office in Floydada or Lockney no later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday will be accepted. No photocopies will be accepted and not mail entries will be considered.

Three cash prizes are awarded each week. In the event of ties (the same number of correct games equal scores on tie-breakers) prizes will be combined & shared by those tied. The tie-breaker scores will be used only to break a tie on the number of games correct.

Print your name and address plainly on the official entry form & double check your choices before clipping out the entry form & depositing it at a Hesperian-Beacon office before 5:00 p.m. on Friday.

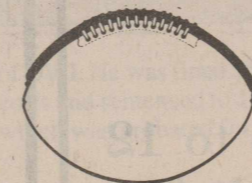
Entries limited to one per person per week. Weekly winners are limited to one household.

Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon Football Contest Official Entry Form

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Lockney vs. Morton



Tie Breakers

circle winner and write total combined score in football

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Floydada vs. Abernathy



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