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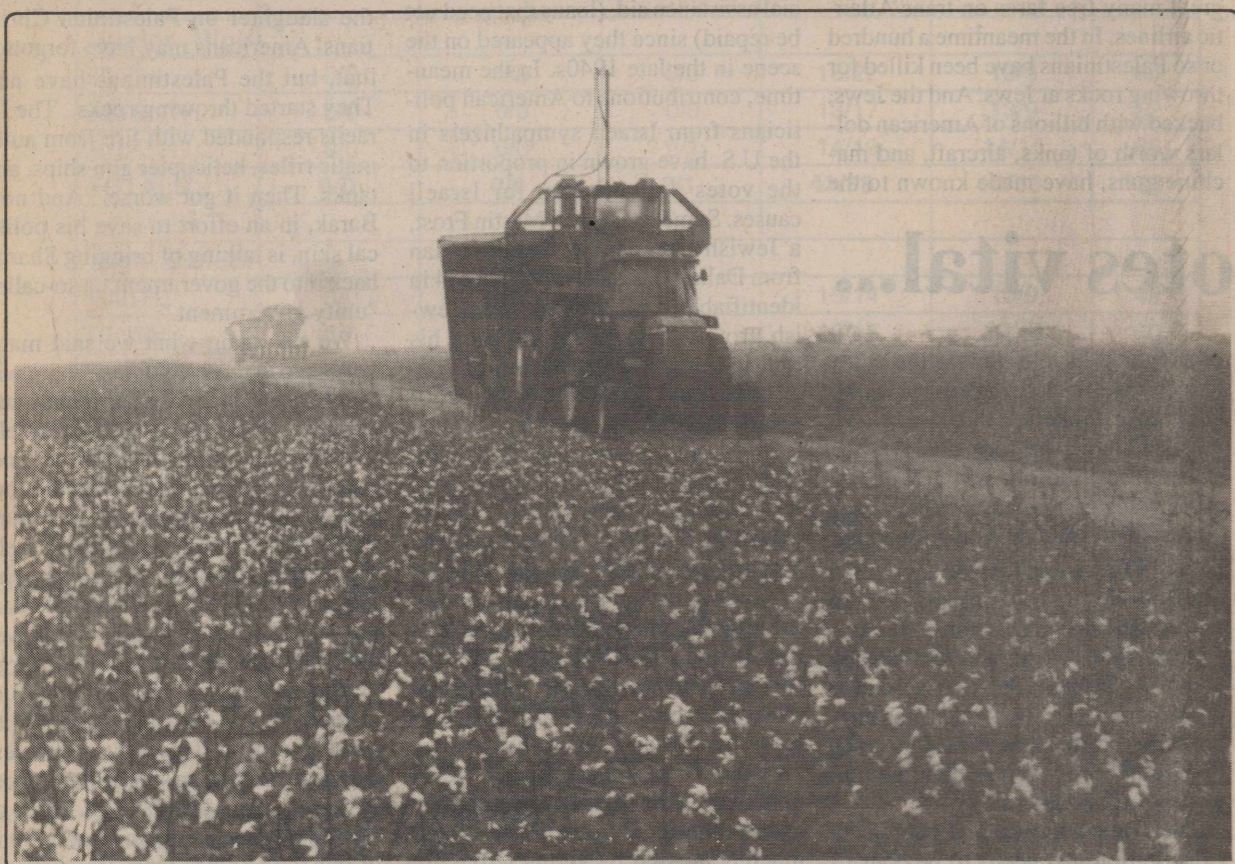
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RAINS BRING HARVEST TO HALT--Strippers stand idle in fields waiting for the rains to stop and the ground to dry up. Rains have now been added to the list of woes this years cotton crop has endured.

Fall rains add more misery to crop outlook

The outlook was already bleak for Floyd County cotton and the fall rains have done nothing to brighten producers outlook over their current crop.

A hail storm wiped out some crops southwest of Lockney last week, and rains over the past several days are adding to the misery.

Although farmers had been praying for rain earlier in the year, the rains never came. Drought, heat, and insects plagued the cotton and shortened the growing season.

According to FSA County Executive Director Trent Johnson there was 207,417 acres of cotton planted in Floyd County.

Of that acreage, 50,829 acres was dryland. "The drought caused the dryland to average about 100 pounds per acre," said Johnson. "Prior to the rain, the irrigated crop wasn't looking all that great either. The irrigated was averaging 450-480 pounds per acre. That is about 1/3 less than what a good

year crop will produce.

"Now the rain has come and the quality and color will go down again. The price is also horrible. We are in dire straits--especially if the rain keeps on."

Johnson said disaster legislation is on the way but it is not known when that legislation would be finalized.

Week-end rains continued through Tuesday and the forecast calls for more rain for the next several days.

AREA RAINFALL WEEKEND TOTALS

October 22-24

Lockney	.6"	McCoy Gin	.7"
Floydada	.8"	Muney Elev.	.5"
Floydada Airport	.75"	Barwise Elev.	.5"
Darty Gin	1.5"	Mt. Blanco Gin	.5"
Lone Star	.5"	South Plains	.25"
Cedar Hill	.6"	Totals as of Tuesday, Oct. 24th.	

Rain Is Still Falling

The fall rains, which are usually a blessing, came at a bad time when farmers were trying to strip their cotton early from the fields. Racing against time, Floyd County producers lost to weather and now sit and wait for dry conditions. Rainfall has not amounted to much--but it was enough to stop production and is also causing some varieties to "string out".

Floydada and Lockney plan safe Halloween activities

Youngsters in Floydada and Lockney are being encouraged to celebrate their Halloween tricks and treats this Saturday, October 28th, instead of Halloween's official date on Tuesday, October 31.

To keep the little ghosts and goblins safe, both towns have gone to great lengths to plan activities this Saturday.

FLOYDADA'S HALLOWEEN

In Floydada, the annual Trunk or Treating will return to the City Park across from Floydada High School.

Trick or treaters are encouraged to do their candy shopping on the walking path instead of in the neighborhoods. Candy will be handed out, from the back of trunks, by people approved by the Floydada Chamber of Commerce. The candy is also supplied by the Chamber of Commerce. If anyone wants to hand out candy they must contact the Chamber at 983-3434 by Friday. More help is still needed.

Floydada kicks off their Trunk or Treating at the Floydada High School

Auditorium with a costume contest at 6:00 p.m.

The Trunk or Treating begins at 7:00 p.m. Children no older than 6th grade are encouraged to participate in Trunk or Treat.

HAUNTED HOUSE

The Floydada Boy Scouts will add to the Halloween games with a Haunted House located at 401 E. Missouri.

This Haunting has turned into a favorite for the Scouts and the return victims who enjoy getting the "ever lovin' bejeevers" scare out of them.

Admission to the Haunted House is \$2.00 and will be open, Saturday October 28, from 7:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m., and on Tuesday, October 31, from 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. (or until the spooks quit).

LOCKNEY'S HALLOWEEN

Lockney youngsters are also being encouraged to Trick or Treat on Saturday night and the local PTO is making sure there are plenty of activities to keep them out of mischief.

The Elementary School will once

again be the setting for a Halloween Carnival.

The Carnival, which is designed for elementary age children, begins at 6:00 p.m. and ends at 9:00 p.m. For \$1.00 children will be given four tickets to play a variety of games.

The Junior Class will have a concession stand. Other homemade goodies will be on sale and the popular Cake Walk will also offer chances to win something for the sweet tooth.

Returning favorite games will be the jumping room, duck pond, fishing pond, football toss, basketball toss, hot wheel race, balloon darts, ring toss, and spook house.

New attractions will include a "tin can alley" which involves shooting tin cans with a laser gun, and a "shooting gallery".

"We will also have booth that offers a jackpot drawing for a lighted 'haunted house' from Schacht's Flowers," said PTO President Victory Stewart. "The money raised at this booth will go toward raising money for new playground equipment."



Time Changes This Weekend!

Don't Forget To Set Your Clocks
Back One Hour Saturday Night!

Fall Back

FISD enrollment numbers up

FLOYDADA--Floydada ISD enrollment figures, for 2000, show an increase of 16 students from last year. Total enrollment for FISD at the beginning of the year was 1115 students.

The largest increases can be seen on the Duncan and Junior High campuses.

Last year's enrollment at Duncan Elementary was 301 and it is now 313.

Andrews showed a drop of 11 students, with a total of 262, however the Junior High gained 18 students, and now stands at 256 students.

High School lost 12 students, and now has an enrollment of 265. However, the CCLC campus was up by 9 students to a total of 19.

The ethnic breakdown for the Duncan Campus is 74% Hispanic;

22% Anglo; and 4% Black.

R.C. Andrews ethnic breakdown is: 64% Hispanic; 32% Anglo; 4% Black.

Floydada Junior High's ethnic breakdown is 73% Hispanic; 23% Anglo; and 4% Black.

The ethnic breakdown at Floydada High School is: 54% Hispanic; 40% Anglo; and 6% Black.

See charts on page 3.

LISD's enrollment down

Lockney School District's enrollment figures are down by 25 students from last year. Enrollment, at the beginning of the year stood at 724.

Only Lockney Junior High School showed an increase in students from the previous year. Last year enrollment at LJHS was 166 and this year it opened with a registration of 180.

High School had a decrease of 33 students to an enrollment of 211 students.

Lockney Elementary lost 9 students to a total of 330 at the beginning of the year.

The ethnic breakdown for Lockney Elementary is: 65% Hispanic; 33%

Anglo; and 4% Black.

The Junior High ethnic breakdown is: 55% Hispanic; 43% Anglo; and 2% Black.

In High School the ethnic breakdown is: 53% Hispanic; 45% Anglo; and 1% Black.

See charts on page 3.

Electoral votes vital factor in deciding presidency

By Ken Towery

The current campaign for the Presidency appears to be going down to the wire, with the final vote very much in doubt. In any scenario like this, our citizens have a right to be somewhat apprehensive, no matter which side they happen to be on.

That apprehension is caused by the fact that one does not have to get the most popular votes. He (or she) must receive only the most electoral votes. It's all spelled out in the Constitution, a Constitution that was written before the age of computers and airplanes, before a time when getting a quick answer was less important than getting it right.

Actually we don't vote for the men (or women) on the ballot, as far as the President and Vice President is concerned. We vote to choose "electors" who will gather in a little noticed place on a little noticed date in their own state, validate the votes cast for the various candidates in their state and transmit that vote to the President of the United States Senate, which shall, also on a given date and in the presence of the House of Representatives,

validate those votes and declare the winner. Until then, it isn't official.

At this point a small problem may, but probably won't, arise. The electors, whose number is decided by adding the number of Senators (two) to the number of House members each state is entitled to, (Texas has a total of 32 electoral votes) are not bound by law to vote for the candidate who received the most votes in their state. It is assumed that they are morally bound and will cast their ballot in accordance with the vote of the people of their state, but there is no legal punishment, that we know of, for those who choose to go their own way.

If, for some reason, no candidate for President ends up with a majority of votes among the electors, the decision on who will be the next President goes to the House of Representatives, where each state has only one vote, regardless of the makeup of that state's Congressional delegation. The House would choose from the three top vote getters. Thus, it would be conceivable, for instance, for Texas to vote overwhelmingly for George W. Bush for

President and yet have its vote in the House of Representatives (should the issue get that far) cast for Al Gore, since there are more Democrats than Republicans in the Texas Congressional delegation. By the same token California, the nation's most populous state, could vote narrowly for Gore and see all the state's 54 electors pledged to Gore. Or, it could vote narrowly for Bush and see Bush obtain all the state's electoral votes, unless, again, the matter ended up in the House of Representatives where the delegations, majority would probably cast its one vote for Gore.

All this was spelled out in great detail by Article Two, Section One of the Constitution of these United States of America. Normally, the Constitution speaks in broad terms, setting forth principles the Founding Fathers hoped, and expected, would be followed by future generations. But in dealing with how those future generations were to arrive at the Presidency, they were quite specific. So much so, in fact, that subsequent generations

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PUMPKIN PARADISE--This house at 424 W. California, in Floydada, always greets October visitors with happy faced pumpkins. Trick or treaters are encouraged to celebrate Halloween in Floydada and Lockney this Saturday.

Staff Photo

Ten year old girl injured in accident

A 10 year old girl was injured when she was struck by a car after she exited her Plainview school bus.

According to DPS reports the youngster was crossing a service road in front of her home in Aiken, when a man disregarded the flashing school lights and went around the bus, striking

the little girl with the right side mirror.

An ambulance was called and the girl was transported to W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital where she was treated and released.

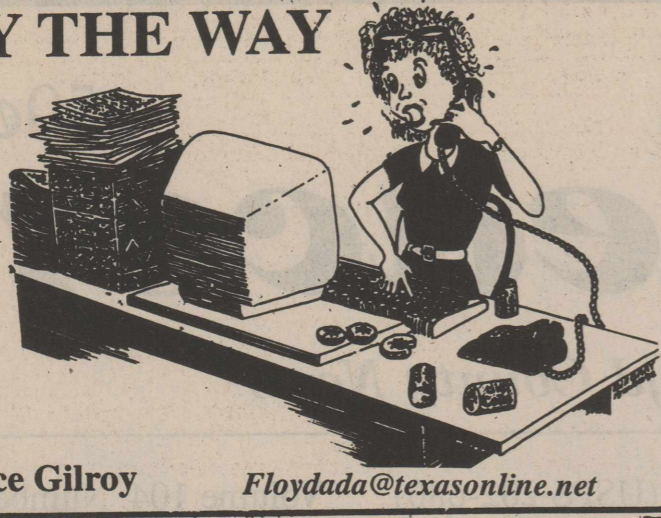
The accident happened Friday, October 20, at approximately 5:15 p.m.

on Hwy. 70 on the north service road in Aiken.

A Mercury Cougar, driven by Alberto Longoria, 24, of Plainview, was cited for passing a school bus while discharging and for driving with a suspended license.

Early Voting Now In Progress Oct. 23-Nov. 3

BY THE WAY



By Alice Gilroy

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For some reason I feel compelled to pass on this column I found in Jimmye Taylor's "Just Ramblin'" column in her *Paducah Post* newspaper. Jimmye cut it out of the *Wishek ND Star*. It was written by publisher Tony Bender.

I thought about not printing it because I didn't want it to be perceived as mean spirited. Actually I laughed all the way through it—but I wasn't sure someone who is not in the newspaper business would appreciate the comments.

Things are going pretty smooth for me (knock on wood). I haven't had someone chewing on me in quite awhile. I don't think it's because I'm doing everything right—I just think some people gave up.

Here are Bender's thoughts. I would imagine he echoes the frustrations of all newspaper people.

"She was enraged."
"Seems the newspaper had published only one photo of the recent band concert. And the week before we had published only one photo of the German supper..."

"The point was, there was entirely too much nonsense in the newspaper and not enough pictures."

"Nonsense like public notices...and she guessed some people were just too busy for democracy."

"And yet we are the most democratic business in town. What other business publishes the complaints from dissatisfied customers?"

"Positive criticisms from the community can help sometimes, and when they are delivered in a reasoned manner, we listen."

"There are criticisms that, judging from their accusatory tone, must assume we're lazy, incompetent, malicious, stupid, dishonest, or a combination of them all."

"Why didn't you just run one more page?" she asked.

"Because every page has two sides, I explained. You can't just go ONE more page. And we run in multiples of four. The cost of each page at our small newspaper averages

nearly \$160 in manpower, printing postage and overhead. So for each page, we have to have \$160 in income to just break even.

"Run four more pages at a cost of \$640; do that every week and it's nearly \$8,000 a year. If we can figure out how to sell 11,000 more copies on the newsstand each year, we can pull it off."

"We're far from perfect. But we're better than no newspaper. Just like every other small town business, we're out there every week scraping for survival."

"Go one more page? Sure. And when I go to the meat counter, I'll say, 'Toss on another pound for the same price.'"

"At the gas station, they won't have any problem giving me those four more gallons free."

"...Criticism based on understanding is a wonderful way to improve things. Criticism ignorant of the facts is merely destructive."

"I will hold no grudges. In fact, I'm sending her a gift. They are my shoes. She is welcome to walk a few miles in them. Like me, they are imperfect."

"The toes are scuffed from the times I tripped up and forgot an ad or missed an important story."

"The laces are tied in double knots to brace me for those inevitable confrontations that follow when I make mistakes. The soles are thin. They walk to many meetings every week."

"I'm there covering our government, taking part in the democracy that can be such a bother."

"The shoes have many eye holes, but still I remain hopelessly myopic."

"The tongue is well chewed from the times I have bitten it. The leather is damp from the occasions I have slipped and put my foot in my mouth, and the heels are worn from all the times I have been dragged away from my family to cover the multitude of events in this community. While you play, I'm at work..."

"Perspective. I hope the shoes fit. Don't worry about the smell."



A view from

The Lamplighter

By Ken Towery
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The Jews and the Muslims are at it again in Palestine. And the forgotten Palestine Christians, are, as usual, getting trampled in the process.

Since no one seems to care about the latter, we'll ignore them too, for the moment, and unburden ourselves, once again, about the situation in what many call "The Holy Land."

For the umpteenth time (is anyone counting?) the two principal antagonists (sort of) called for a (sort of) stand down in hostilities. No sooner had that been done than they went back to their accustomed ways. At last count the death toll stood at more than 125, mostly Palestinians. Mr. Barak, leader of the Jews, announced he is taking negotiations off the table, for the present. Mr. Arafat, leader of the Palestine Muslims, said Mr. Barak can

go to you know where.

Here at the Hesperian we have not commented a great deal about all the latest "peace negotiations" over Palestine, simply because we did not think it would amount to much in the long run. We think we were right. About the only concrete accomplishments that have come out of Mr. Clinton's efforts regarding the fighting between the two sides is that everybody involved has managed to get on American television many times, and both sides have accumulated a great many free fares on trans Atlantic airlines. In the meantime a hundred or so Palestinians have been killed for throwing rocks at Jews. And the Jews, backed with billions of American dollars worth of tanks, aircraft, and machine guns, have made known to the

world that nothing will change until the Palestinians come to them on bended knee and ask "what can we do to please you?"

Not only that, both Presidential candidates for the Democrat and Republican parties in this country have announced to the world that whatever the Israeli's want is what the Israeli's get, as far as the American taxpayer is concerned. The last time we checked, Israel had received more than \$130 Billion (US) in American foreign aid, and military aid, and special assistance aid, (loans that need not be repaid) since they appeared on the scene in the late 1940s. In the meantime, contributions to American politicians from Israeli sympathizers in the U.S. have grown in proportion to the votes delivered up for Israeli causes. Some examples: Martin Frost, a Jewish Democratic Congressman from Dallas, has received \$126,364 in identifiable contributions from Jewish groups or individuals during his time in Congress, David Obey of Wisconsin has received \$147,000; Claiborne Pell of the tiny state of Rhode Island, has received \$180,950; (the other Democratic Senator from Rhode Island, Richard Lieht, has received \$245,605); Charles Robb, the Virginia Democratic Senator and son-in-law to former President Lyndon Johnson, has received \$222,823. (His Republican Senatorial opponent, former Virginia Governor George Allen) has been given \$1,900. And Henry Bonilla, a Republican Congressman from San Antonio, managed to take in \$500. (They were probably trying to impress upon him just how much he missed by voting wrong on issues important to Israel.)

So it goes and the list goes on, for any number of Democratic and Republican Senators and Congressmen. Is it any wonder that the Israelis, can do whatever they wish in terms of Middle East affairs and still count on the American Congress, and the American Administration, to back them up?

The current flap started when Ariel Sharon, an out-of-office politician in Israel marched into one of the Muslim holy sites in Jerusalem, trailed by a bevy of television cameras and hundreds of "security" police, to symbolically assert Jewish jurisdiction over a site the Muslims had administered

since the 7th century. Sharon, in case you have forgotten, was the guy in charge when the Israelis invaded Lebanon many years ago. After promising America they were only going to advance 25 miles, the Israelis went all the way to Beirut, laid waste to the city, invaded a Palestinian refugee camp (made up of people who had been driven from their homes in Palestine when the state of Israel was "created" following World War II) slaughtered hundreds of helpless women and children, and then blamed the slaughter on Palestinian Christians. Americans may have forgotten that, but the Palestinians have not. They started throwing rocks. The Israelis responded with fire from automatic rifles, helicopter gun ships, and tanks. Then it got worse. And now Barak, in an effort to save his political skin, is talking of bringing Sharon back into the government...a so-called "unity government."

We say again what we said many years ago in these columns. There will be no peace in the Middle East until America stops under writing Israel's war making capacity, and that will not happen until American politicians begin looking after America's true interests in the region, rather than Israel's interests. Israel's interests and America's interests in the Middle East are not always identical, and never have been. More than half the energy that heats American homes, that fuel the tractors that harvest our crops, that fill the tanks of our automobiles, comes from foreign sources, and most of that from the Middle East. None of that energy comes from Israel. None of our food comes from Israel. Practically none of the things we need and use in our daily life comes from Israel. Personally, I can see nothing that is important to our national well-being that comes to us by way of Israel. Yet the Israelis have a grip upon our foreign policy in the Middle East that amounts to nothing short of veto power. Americans have become so intimidated by the views of Hollywood and corporate media (both of which maintain a decidedly liberal, pro-Israeli bias) that they dare not speak up in their own self interest. And so many of our politicians have become so corrupted by pro-Israeli money that they too will not speak, or vote, in America's interests.

Electoral votes vital...

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found it necessary, or at least advisable, to amend that section of Article Two with the 12th Amendment in the early 1800's.

That's the way it works in all states except Nebraska and Maine. Those two states award their electors on the basis of the vote in each Congressional District, with the winner in each district taking the elector from that District. The two votes normally associated with the Senate are then awarded on the basis of the statewide vote. If Gore wins statewide, he gets those two votes. If Bush wins statewide, he gets those two votes. So Bush and Gore could well split the state's electoral vote in those two states. If the vote for Bush were greater in Congressional District One in Nebraska, or Maine, than the votes for Gore, then Bush would take that particular elector. So it goes in those two states.

So what does all this mean? It means that it is possible, though not probable, that a candidate can win the popular vote nationwide and still end up losing the final vote for the Presidency. The vote would have to be exceedingly close nationwide, the vote in the Electoral College would have to be tied, the election would have to be decided in the House of Representatives, and the various House delega-

tions would have to ignore the votes of their own states. That's all possible, but highly unlikely.

Mr. Clinton, the former Governor of Arkansas, did not win a majority of all votes cast when he ran against George Bush. But he won more votes than did Bush, and he won more than did Ross Perot. So Clinton ended up with the most electoral votes. Regardless, he received more votes than any other single individual, so he ended up with more electoral votes than anyone else. He became President even though he received less than the majority of all votes cast.

There is one more small item in the Constitution that needs to be considered. It is generally assumed that the Presidential and Vice Presidential candidates cannot be from the same state. We do not see that in the Constitution. Rather, we see that the electors from one state cannot vote for both the President and Vice President of the state they happen to be citizens of. Accordingly, the electors of Texas could not vote for both Bush and Cheney if they were citizens of the same state. That probably explains why Dick Cheney moved his voting residence from Texas back to Wyoming, where he lived for many years and from where he was elected to the Congress before moving to Dallas.

Floydada Council getting help from DPS on city warrants

By Darwin Robinson

The Floydada City Council met Tuesday, October 17, and set the length of the terms for the directors of the Floydada Economic Development Board.

Upon the recommendation of Mayor Bobby Gilliland, Council Member Eric Cornelius made the motion to set the officers' terms at two years each, and set the other directors' terms at one year each. The motion was seconded by Council Member Clar Schacht and it was unanimously approved.

In other business, the council approved Ordinance No. 834, a resolution creating a Municipal Court Technology Fund, to be funded by a \$4 fee from each citation processed through the court.

In a related matter, Schacht made the motion to enter into a contract with the Department of Public Safety for statewide notification on warrants of Failure to Appear (FTA) in the Floydada City court. The motion was seconded by Council Member Sheldon Sue and unanimously passed. Floydada City Alternate Judge Tali

Green told the council, "With this contract, when someone is pulled over anywhere in the state, their name will show up on the computer and we will be notified."

"It will affect that person when they go to renew their drivers license. They will not be able to renew because of the (FTA) warrant on their record."

"We have about 200 to 300 FTA warrants in our files right now. Some of them have time limits on them, but we can go back starting with January, 1999."

"When we arrest them, we will charge them a \$30 fee, plus the amount of their citation," Green concluded.

Concerning an Energas update, City Manager Gary Brown reported to the council, "The information from Austin is that Energas cannot get their raise at this time. All the 59 or so cities that signed the agreement with them did not get dismissed from the lawsuit. So we are now all in the same boat. The Railroad Commission has retained all the settlement rights to the cases, but they haven't settled anything."

Caprock Hospital Board reports clinic in good shape

By Darwin Robinson

The Caprock Hospital District Board of Directors met Tuesday, October 17. The board approved \$3,257.66 in Indigent Health Care claims.

Rowdy Derryberry made a presentation to the board seeking matching funds for paramedic training. The board tabled any action on the matter waiting for more information on the subject.

Board President Tom Farris said,

"EMS is running smoothly and their runs are ahead of those this time last year."

"The PNS Cogdell Clinic has shown a profit again this third quarter. This makes three quarters in a row that the clinic has shown a profit," Farris concluded.

Those present for the meeting were: Board President Tom Farris; Board Members, Kyle Smith, Jeffrey Johnson, and Denice Payne; Maybelle Monreal of the Cogdell Clinic; Connie Smith and Cindy Bertrand of EMS; Paul Acreman of PNS; Sheryl Back, and Rowdy Derryberry.

Courtroom Activities

In County Court, October 19, Jose Cuba, was charged with Theft. There was no disposition on this case.

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LISD Ethnic Breakdown

CAMPUS	AM. INDIAN	ASIAN-OTHER	BLACK	HISPANIC	WHITE	TOTAL
Elementary	MALE/FEM	MALE/FEM	MALE/FEM	MALE/FEM	MALE/FEM	
Early Child	0/0	0/0	0/0	6/1	1/0	8
PRE-K	0/0	0/0	0/2	5/17	4/5	33
KINDER	0/0	0/0	0/0	13/15	6/7	41
FIRST	0/0	0/0	3/2	15/18	4/6	43
SECOND	0/0	0/0	3/1	18/15	9/8	54
THIRD	0/0	0/0	0/0	11/12	8/12	43
FOURTH	0/0	0/0	0/1	16/17	7/4	45
FIFTH	0/0	0/0	0/2	22/12	16/11	63
TOTALS	0/0	0/0	6/8	106/107	55/53	330
Junior High						
SIXTH	0/0	0/0	0/0	16/22	19/9	66
SEVENTH	0/0	0/0	0/0	13/17	13/9	52
EIGHTH	0/0	0/0	2/1	14/19	14/15	65
TOTALS	0/0	0/0	2/1	43/58	46/33	183
High School						
NINTH	0/0	0/0	0/0	15/14	10/9	48
TENTH	0/0	1/0	0/0	18/17	10/14	60
ELEVENTH	0/0	0/0	1/1	10/10	9/14	45
TWELVTH	0/0	0/0	0/1	14/13	16/14	58
Totals	0/0	1/0	1/2	57/54	45/51	211
GRAND TOTALS	0/0	1/0	9/11	206/219	146/137	724

LISD looks at new redistricting requirements

Lockney School Board trustees met Oct. 17th for a regular meeting and approved a resolution provided for a 15% penalty to defray costs of collecting delinquent property tax.

Trustees were also presented with papers to review on legal requirements for redistricting single member districts after the 2000 census. No action was taken in the area, but Superintendent Raymond Lusk asked the board to review the requirements.

The requirements were being submitted to the more than 150 school districts that elect board members by single member districts.

"Because this is such an involved process," said Lusk, "it is best if we get started laying out the groundwork early."

The federal census tracks population shifts as well as population growth and triggers congressional and legislative redistricting. State law requires that school district redraw single member districts if the federal census indicates population changes within the school district that result in the most populated single member district exceeding the least populated one by more than ten percent.

The timeline for the federal census calls for the release of data, in March 2001, that the school districts will need for redistricting.

The timing of the release of data does not allow the school boards, who have elections in May, to redistrict and obtain Justice Department approval.

For school districts with a "5/2" configuration (five single-member districts and two at-large trustees), such as Lockney, the law permits a phase-in whereby board members continue in office until the completion of their terms, at which time positions are filled by election using the redrawn single member districts.

"5/2" configurations may also choose to elect all trustees at one time.

Trustees also approved a report on the Reading Proficiency Test in English.

The RPTE is a test designed to measure the ability of limited English proficient students as they learn to read and understand English.

This year the test was used only to develop a baseline and three students were tested.

Two students, who were recent immigrants, answered 25/56 questions. One student answered 49 out of 56.

This last students also passed the TAAS reading test and has been exited from ESL.

The Board also reviewed LISD's tax collection report and bank statements.

The percentage of taxes collected for LISD for the current year is 97.66%.

The bank balance as of 10/16/00 for LISD is \$878,210.85. With a total of \$2,627,025.75 in CD's, the current balance for LISD is \$3,505,235. The prior balance in 1999 was \$3,278,967.

Enrollment statistics were presented to the board by each principal--see separate story.

Light The Cross Donation

In memory of John Cammack: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Duff and Family.

In memory of Ina Lewis: Thelma Parr.

In memory of Nealey Richardson: Adrain and Ann Helms.

LISD Enrollment Comparison By Years

SCHOOL	2000	1999
ELEMENTARY		
Early-Ed.	8	6
Pre-Kindergarten	33	21
Kindergarten	41	41
First	43	54
Second	54	46
Third	43	52
Fourth	45	61
Fifth	63	58
TOTALS	330	339
JUNIOR HIGH		
Sixth	66	52
Seventh	51	69
Eighth	63	45
TOTALS	180	166
HIGH SCHOOL		
Ninth	48	73
Tenth	60	62
Eleventh	45	63
Twelfth	58	46
TOTALS	211	244
GRAND TOTAL	724	749

FISD Enrollment Comparison By Years

SCHOOL	2000	1999
DUNCAN		
Early Childhood	2	2
Pre-Kindergarten	39	39
Kindergarten	93	86
First	92	96
Second	87	78
TOTAL	313	301
ANDREWS		
Third	84	87
Fourth	82	94
Fifth	96	92
TOTAL	262	273
JUNIOR HIGH		
Sixth	91	81
Seventh	81	87
Eighth	84	70
TOTAL	256	238
HIGH SCHOOL		
Ninth	75	81
Tenth	82	79
Eleventh	65	56
Twelfth	43	61
TOTALS	265	277
Grand Total	1115	1099

Money waiting for some Floyd County people

Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander's annual Unclaimed Property List has been released and includes names from Floydada and Lockney. "This year's Unclaimed Property List contains a record 130,163 new names of unclaimed property owners who have more than \$68 million coming to them," Comptroller Rylander said. "Everyone whose name appears on the list has at least \$100 coming to them, or maybe some stock or the contents of a forgotten safe deposit box."

"These are names of only the unclaimed property owners who have been reported to the state within the last years," Comptroller Rylander said. "Altogether, the state is holding more than \$786 million that rightfully belongs to Texas families and business owners, and I want to give it back."

Comptroller Rylander urged all Texans to also look for their names on the more extensive unclaimed property data base on her Web site at www.window.state.tx.us/up/, to see whether the state is holding any unclaimed property for them.

Unclaimed property can be anything from an uncollected paycheck, to a forgotten utility deposit or a log dormant bank account. The law requires businesses and financial institutions to turn unclaimed assets over to the state after three to five years, if the owners cannot be found.

The following names from Floydada are on the list: Ruth Allen, Connie Bramlett, Gerardo J. Cervantes, Dana Scott Chatman, Joseph Collins, Thelma J Crawford, DL Industries Inc., Garnet Goen, Ralph Lemons, David A. Loke, Angela Maldonado, Lula Sanders, Loyd Edmond Vick.

The following names from Lockney are on the list: Charles D. Dorrity, Tommy Morris, Julian Roach, Jerry Ulmer, Darren E. Wesley, R.C. Williams, Tye Williams, M. Withey, Wofford Pipeline and Supply.

FISD Ethnic Breakdown

CAMPUS	AMER. INDIAN	ASIAN	BLACK	HISPANIC	ANGLO	TOTAL
	Male/Female	Male/Female	Male/Female	Male/Female	Male/Fem.	
Duncan						
EARLY CHLD.	0/0	0/0	1/0	0/1	0/0	2
PRE KINDER	0/0	0/0	1/1	22/12	2/1	39
KINDER	0/0	0/0	2/2	36/30	13/10	93
FIRST	0/0	0/0	1/1	39/32	7/12	92
SECOND	0/0	0/0	3/1	27/32	10/14	87
TOTALS	0/0	0/0	8/5	124/107	32/37	313
Andrews						
THIRD	0/0	0/0	3/1	26/25	11/18	84
FOURTH	0/0	0/0	3/2	27/31	10/9	82
FIFTH	0/0	0/0	0/1	32/26	19/18	96
TOTALS	0/0	0/0	6/4	85/82	40/45	262
Jr. High						
SIXTH	0/0	0/0	2/1	32/34	13/9	91
SEVENTH	0/0	0/0	1/2	35/26	9/8	81
EIGHTH	0/0	0/0	3/2	33/27	11/8	84
TOTALS	0/0	0/0	6/5	100/87	33/25	256
High School						
NINTH	0/0	0/0	4/2	27/19	12/11	75
TENTH	0/0	0/0	2/1	20/28	16/15	82
ELEVENTH	0/0	0/0	1/2	14/16	16/16	65
TWELVTH	0/0	0/0	1/2	13/6	11/10	43
Totals	0/0	0/0	8/7	74/69	55/52	265
Alternative Floyddada						
School	Enroll	Only				
NINTH	0/0	0/0	0/0	1/0	0/0	1
TENTH	0/0	0/0	0/0	2/0	0/0	2
ELEVENTH	0/0	0/0	0/1	2/3	0/0	6
TWELVTH	0/0	0/0	0/1	7/2	0/0	10
Totals	0/0	0/0	0/2	12/5	0/0	19
GRAND TOTAL	0/0	0/1	28/23	360/358	179/152	1115

1934 Study Club News

By Margaret Word
The 1934 Study Club met Tuesday, October 17th in Ila Whites home with Wilma Gowens as co-hostess.

The meeting was called to order by president Wanda Turner. She called upon our Recording Secretary Marie Warren to call the roll with members answering with "candidates we like". Club collect was led by Nell McClung.

Very little business took place because we had a guest speaker Judge Bill Hardin who was introduced by program chairman Emagene Haenisch. Judge Hardin gave us a program on "County Officials." He gave us an example ballot for the upcoming general election. He gave us information on how to become a qualified voter, the primaries and about the precincts. He also talked about voting a straight Democratic and straight Republican ticket, about voting a split ticket. He encouraged us all to get out and vote. Questions and answers followed and many questions were asked and he gave us answers. He showed

us a couple of books that contained answers and laws to all voting questions.

Delicious refreshments were served to our guest Judge Bill Hardin and the following members: Betsy Dempsey, Effie Foster, Wilma Gowens,

Emagene Haenisch, Nell McClung, Frieda Simpson, Wanda Turner, Marie Warren, Ila White and Margaret Word.

Our next meeting will be November 14th in the home of Diana Glover with Margaret Word as cohostess.

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HUMAN SERVICES HOST MEETING-Representatives from community assistance programs in Floydada, and the surrounding counties, met recently to network and discuss methods to improve services. Approximately thirty people attended the meeting hosted by Texas Department of Human Services. Attendees plan to continue the networking process. (see related story) Staff Photo

Department of Human Services meets to discuss rising utility costs

On Wednesday, October 11, 2000 Texas Department of Human Services hosted a meeting to discuss the impact of rising utility costs on low income individuals. Representatives attending the meeting included those from the City of Floydada, the City of Lockney, "Spirit of Sharing," Caprock Community Action, Energas, Managed Care Center, South Plains Association of Governments, Floydada Housing Authority, Floyd County, the Church of Christ, Salvation Army, Hospice, First United Methodist Church, First Baptist Church, and MET. The group met to discuss solutions and gather local resource information. Each representative presented a summary of services

provided by their organization. Following the presentations, attendees began to focus on key issues. Primary concern among attendees included the need for public assistance recipients to receive information and training on energy conservation and budgeting. Debbie Cosgrove, Volunteer Coordinator for Texas Department of Human Services spoke briefly about Family Pathfinders, a program designed to offer life skills training and mentoring to families on public assistance. "Our goal is to help educate families in order to reduce the chance of public assistance continuing from generation to generation. Education is certainly the key that unlocks the door to financial independence," stated

Mrs. Cosgrove. A second priority arose from the discussion regarding the need to coordinate assistance being provided in the community. "Depletion of our limited resources is definitely a possibility unless we begin to coordinate who is providing what to whom," stated Tammy Flores with the Managed Care Center. A proposal was made and accepted to develop a committee of representatives to evaluate education needs and monitor public assistance requests. The next committee meeting is scheduled for November 16, 2000, 10:00 a.m., in the Boardroom of the Floyd County Memorial Library.

Lockney Senior Citizens

By Gene Newton
We are starting a new week, with rain.

I was told Monday that Carmon Dodson has returned home, she has been ill. We pray for her speedy recovery.

Also Mrs. McAda was recovering in the Nursing Home, but has returned home. We pray for her and all who needs prayer for recovery.

Their was only 30 at "Pot Luck" Thursday night.

W.L. Carthel and wife was back with us Thursday night. He has had a little correction to an artery.

Thanks to Joe Givens for delivering to our shut ins.

Anyone able to deliver lunches would be appreciated.

We have good meals and a good cook.

MENU

October 30-November 3

Monday-Beef Enchiladas, vegetables, salad, dessert.

Tuesday-Salmon Patties, vegetables, salad, dessert.

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

Thursday-Ham, vegetables, salad, dessert.

Friday-Spoon Chicken and Dressing, vegetables, salad, dessert.



Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert L. Fawver

Fawver's celebrate 68th wedding anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert L. Fawver celebrated their 68th wedding anniversary Friday October 20, 2000 at a supper given by their daughter and son-in-law, Edwin and Doris Wilcox.

Mr. Fawver will also celebrate his 87th birthday at the same time. Fawver and the former Thelma Colston married October 19, 1932 in Floydada.

Floyd Data

Deeota Odam returned home Wednesday, October 11th after spending several days in Hale Center with her daughter, Virginia Waits'. Elaine Sievert and Heather of San Angelo were there Saturday and Sunday. Saturday, Debra Rushing, Angie, Elizabeth and Travis of Plainview visited.

Floydada Senior Citizen News

By Margaret Word

The center is open daily. Lunch starts at 11:30 a.m. Come and join us. You will get a very good hot meal and get to visit friends.

Flora McNeill has recently been on two trips. One was on the Columbia Queen that cruised down the Columbia River. The tour group toured Portland Oregon, Washington, Idaho. They took a jet boat trip down the Snake River. She was gone about 10 days. After being home for a week she took off with a tour group that went to Branson, Missouri. She was gone about 8 days on that trip.

The center had "Game Night" last Saturday evening October 21st at the center. Games of "Bridge," "42," and "Skip Bo" were enjoyed with 20 people taking part. This is going to be

a monthly thing. The 3rd Saturday evening at 6:00 p.m. each month. So plan on attending. The next game night will be the 18th of November. Plan to join us, no food just games.

Our sympathy to the family of J.N. Richardson. Dub Ferguson had triple bypass heart surgery recently. He is at home and doing real well.

Thank you for remembering the center when you need to make a memorial donation.

In memory of **Hubert Gunter**: James and Sue Lovell, Son Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. John Cockrell, Bob and Evelene Goodnight.

In memory of **Ina Lewis**: Dr. Keith and June Patzer.

Thought For The Week:
I'm continuing the "My Mother Taught Me" sayings
My mother taught me HYOCRISY - "If I've told you once, I've told you a million times - Don't Exaggerate!!!"

MENU

October 30-November 3

Monday-Roast Beef, brown gravy, potatoes, tossed salad, French dressing, frosted white cake.

Tuesday-BBQ Chicken, Taco

salad, baby limas, coleslaw, wheat roll, lemon pudding, Halloween cookie.

Wednesday-Tuna and Pasta Casserole, black eyed peas, brussel sprouts, cornbread, apple cobbler.

Thursday-Roast, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, tossed salad, 1000 Island dressing, coleslaw, biscuit, brownie.

Friday-Vegetable Beef Stew, pea salad, cornbread, peach cobbler.

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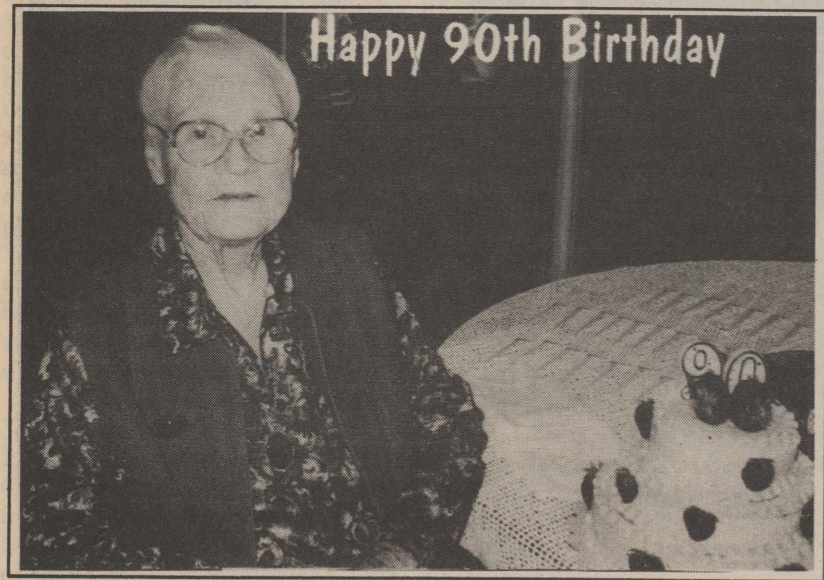
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9-6:00 p.m.
Mon.-Sat.
1-6:00 p.m.
Sunday

Thompson of Singing Women of West Texas to sing at Calvary Baptist

Andrea Thompson of Lubbock will be singing in concert at the Calvary Baptist Church this Sunday, October 29th, at 6:00 p.m. Thompson is a member of the Singing Women of West Texas. Everyone is invited to attend and enjoy this special singing concert.



Hattie Bennett

Bennett celebrates 90th birthday

Hattie Bennett celebrated her 90th Birthday with family members and friends at a party in her home hosted by her son and daughter-in-law, Harold Wayne and Geneva Bennett of Floydada and her daughter and son-in-law, Rotha and Luis Moore of Dumas.

Guests were served strawberries, cake and punch. Those attending were: Misti Moore and Ashleigh, Cory and Kristi Peel, all of Amarill, Wayland and Debbie and Jeremy Richardson, Holly and Hannah; Justin, Heather, Shea and Morgan Unwin all of Plainview, Dan and Allene Milam, Jesse and Leta Casbeer all of Lubbock; Larry, Rhonda, Cody, and Kayla Stovall, Ricky, Jill, Brooke, Kimberly, and Alyssa Bennett, Grant, Shannon, Trey and Casey Cage, Roger, Tiffany, Tera and Reagan Hughes, Gary, Pam and Ross Bennett, and Nell McClung all of Floydada.



BIRTHDAY TIME AT FLOYDADA REHAB-Ruth Trapp is pictured celebrating her birthday this month at the Floydada Rehab and Care Center. Glen Cooper had a birthday, but not pictured. Staff Photo

Rest Home celebrates birthdays

By Lorilla Bradley
October is a lovely month... No other can compare. Fully dressed in leaves of gold And "autumn" in the air!

Mrs. Trapp we honor. She counts from 1910. She is still a lovely lady Just as shes always been!

We honor Mr. Cooper. His years are 81... He knows so much history... The good, the bad, the fun!

To cheer these lovely people Lets do the Birthday Song... So get your "vocals" ready And sing out good and strong!

Center with members of the City Park Church of Christ hosting. The honoree was in the lobby and wore a lovely corsage given by dg Floral and Design. We are sorry Mr. Cooper was unable to attend. We hope he will be feeling much better soon. The Hesperian photographer came for the picture taking followed by the reading of the poem. All joined in singing the Happy Birthday Song. Each honoree received a special gift of items to be used in the room along with "snacks" to be enjoyed there also. A delicious refreshment plate of lemon cake, or pie, was served by the Care Center along with fruit punch. We surely appreciate every one who has a part in making this a special day for these lovely people. We invite you to be with your friends and loved ones at this time.

Thursday, October 19th was birthday party time at the Rehab and Care

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 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

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

CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST
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
Philip 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
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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
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Longhorns run over Owls 33-20

By Russell Harris

The Lockney Longhorns were picked to beat the Hale Center Owls by fourteen points.

Most preseason polls had Lockney and Hale Center picked to finish #3 and #4 respectively. Hale Center has one of the better passing attacks in the district. However, the Owls lost their starting quarterback, Randall West, during a practice during last week's practice. He was reported to have a separated shoulder. So, it wasn't clear going into the game whether it would be close or not.

Lockney won the opening coin toss and elected to kick. The Owls took up shop on their twenty-four-yard line. They got a pick up of five yards on first down from their wingback Joe Solis. Then, they stalled. The longhorns started on their eighteen-yard-line. They weren't able to get anything going either.

The Owls improved their field position by seventeen yards on the exchange of punts. On first down, from their own forty-six-yard line, they scored on one play, a fifty-four-yard scamper by Willie Joe Johnson. The point after attempt failed, making the score Hale Center 6, Lockney 0.

On Lockney's next possession they found themselves in a third down and thirteen situation. Mo Collins ran to the right side of the line but could only make eight of the needed yards. The Longhorn punted once again.

The Longhorn defense stiffened and forced the Owls to punt, going three and out. They began their next offensive series on their own nineteen-yard-line. Collins carried the ball one-yard. Then, the horns had two incomplete passes. They were forced to punt from deep in their own end of the field. An illegal procedure penalty made it a little deeper. Mo Collins got set near the goal line. Before he could get the kick downfield, Jacob Reiff got through the offensive line. He blocked the punt and recovered the ball in the endzone. The Owls completed a pass from Jacob Reiff to Joe Solis for a two-point conversion. Hale Center led fourteen points to nil with 2:39 left in the first quarter.

Lockney got great field position on their next possession by way of a 65-yard kickoff return by Mo Collins. The Longhorns had a great opportunity with first and ten from the Owl's twenty-three-yard line. On third down and two, Chase Graves threw the ball fourteen-yards to fullback Julian Guerrero for the score. Kelsey Hooten's extra point was good. Lockney trailed fourteen to seven with 1:30 left in the first.

The next scoring drive began at the 10:46 mark of the second quarter fol-

lowing a failed fourth down play by the Owls. The Longhorns started on their twenty-nine-yard line. They ran eleven plays and covered seventy-one-yards. Ullis Martinez had a seven-yard gain and a first down. Chad Johnson had a reception good for eight-yards. Mo Collins had runs of, 9, 12, 8, and 12-yards before eventually scoring on a two-yard run. With 5:07 left in the first half, Lockney tied the score fourteen all.

It appeared that the Longhorns had forced the Owls to punt. On fourth down and five, punter/running back Willie Joe Johnson tucked the ball from his punter's position and picked up eleven yards. Two plays later, Jacob Reiff hooked up with Jamall Clark on a 44-yard touchdown pass. The Owls failed to convert. Hale Center led the Longhorns 20-14 at the end of the first half.

The Longhorns trailed the entire first half. For most of that half, they seemed flat. The second half proved to be a different story.

Having won the toss and deferring to the second half, Lockney received the kickoff. Lockney's offensive machine hit on all cylinders. They moved the chains six times on ten plays. Mo Collins made his second touchdown of the evening on a three-yard run. The extra point kick was blocked. Lockney tied the game at twenty with 7:04 left in the third quarter.

On Hale Center's next possession, the wheels came off. Starting on their 40-yard line, the Owls ended up with fourth and twenty-five from their own twenty-five-yard line. Willie Joe Johnson fakes the punt and throws the ball incomplete.

Lockney had some trickery up their sleeves. Ben Sherman came into the huddle as a receiver. Sherman came around on a reverse. After taking the toss, he connected with Chas Westbrook on a twenty-five yard pass play. Westbrook caught the ball around the three-yard line and bulled his way into the endzone. The extra point was good. Lockney led 27-20 with 4:26 left in the third quarter.

The Longhorns final scoring drive started on their 44-yard line. Two good runs by Chase Graves gave the Horns first and ten at the Hale Center 35-yard line. Then, on fourth down and three-yards to go, Mo Collins ran 28 yards for the touchdown. Lockney's two-point pass attempt fell incomplete. The Horns led by thirteen with 6:06 left in the game, 33-20.

Lockney sealed the victory with a great defensive stand. The Owls started their drive with good field position on their 45-yard line. Hale Cen-

ter had the ball third and twenty at the Lockney thirty-yard line. Quarterback Jacob Reiff got loose for a seventeen-yard pickup. That made it fourth and three with just over two minutes left in the game. On fourth down, at the Longhorn thirteen, the Longhorn line-backer crew met Joe Solis in the hole. He made no gain. The Longhorns took over on downs with 1:54 left in the game.

The Longhorns scored 19 unanswered points in the second half giving them the 33-20 win over Hale Center. Next, the Longhorns gear up to travel to Olton. The Longhorns can guarantee themselves a spot in the playoffs with a win.

LOCKNEY	7	7	13	6	33
HALE CENTER	14	6	0	0	20

GAME STATISTICS		Lockney	Hale Center
2of10	3rd Down Conversions	1of10	2of5
19	First Downs	8	5
5-9-1	Comp-Att-Int	5-10-0	6-13-1
67	Yards Passing	63	306
306	Total yards	208	4-28.5
4-28.5	Punts-Avg.	3-37.3	2-0
2-0	Fumbles-Lost	4-2	8-70
8-70	Penalties-Yards	4-35	27:48
27:48	Possession Time	20:12	

SCORING SUMMARY

- HCHS- Willie Joe Johnson 55 run (Kick failed)
- HCHS- Jacob Reiff recovered blocked punt in end zone (Joe Soliz from Reiff)
- LHS- Mo Collins 1 run (Kelsey Hooten kick)
- LHS- Collins 2 run (Hooten kick)
- HCHS- Jamall Clark 44 pass from Reiff (run failed)
- LHS- Collins 3 run (kick failed)
- LHS- Chas Westbrook 25 pass form Ben Sherman (Hooten kick)
- LHS- Collins 28 run (pass failed)

INDIVIDUAL RUSHING

- HCHS: Johnson 12-98, Soliz 9-23, Reiff 10-19, Joseph Bernal 1-5;
- LHS: Collins 29-156, Chase Graves 14-62, Ullis Martinez 4-21

PASSING

- HCHS: Reiff 5-8-0 63, Johnson 0-2-0;
- LHS: Graves 4-8-1 42, Sherman 1-1-0 25

RECEIVING

- HCHS: Clark 3-51, Bernal 2-12;
- LHS: Westbrook 1-25, Chad Johnson 2-17, Julian Guerrero 1-14, Tyler Bybee 1-11

FUMBLE RECOVERIES

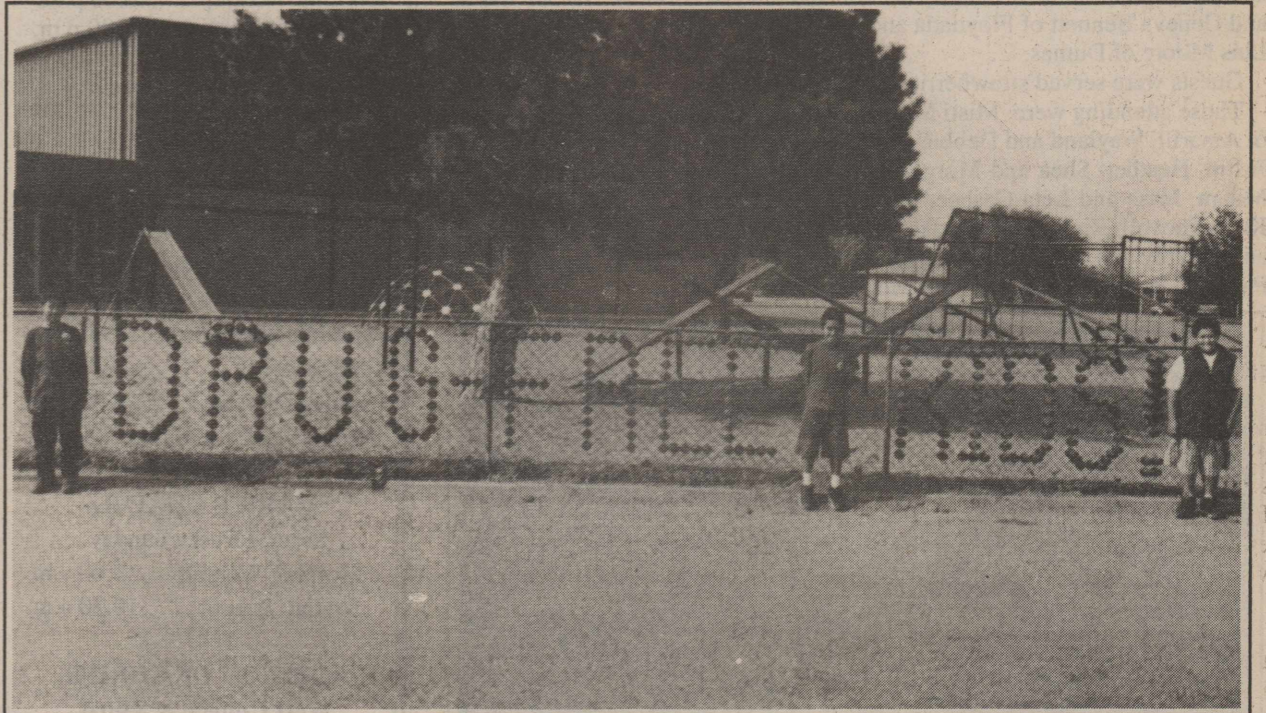
- LHS- Brad Durham 2

INTERCEPTIONS

- HCHS: Bernal



COMING UP FIELD-Longhorn Mo Collins is shown coming up field following a host of blockers. Collins gained 156 yards last Friday night against the Hale Center Owl in their win 33-22. The Longhorns go to Olton this Friday, 7:30 p.m., to lock up a playoff berth with a win. Photo by Jack Covington



RED RIBBON WEEK AT LOCKNEY ELEMENTARY-Dimitri Cortez, Martin Mendoza, and Miguel Duron are shown by their "Drug Free Kids" sign. October 22-27 is Lockney Elementary week. Staff Photo

Lockney JV blanks Hale Center Owls 26-0

The Lockney J.V. ran their district record to 2-0-1 with a 26-0 victory over the Hale Center Owls.

The defense played outstanding while recording their second shut out of the season. The Longhorn defense held the Owls to 3 first downs, recovered a fumble, and had 1 interception. The entire defensive unit played great. Will O'Connell, Daniel Luna, Jordan Martinez, Jesus Rios, Cody Bayley, Michael Rodriguez and Eric Reyes really stood out.

The Longhorns opened their scor-

ing on a 53 yard run by Jesus Rios. Cody Lass completed a pass to Michael Rodriguez for the two point conversion.

Cody Lass scored from 5 yards out to make the score 14-0.

On the last play before halftime Cody Lass hooked up with Cody Bayley on a 10 yard touchdown pass to bring the halftime score to 20-0.

Michael Rodriguez added another touchdown on a tough 32 yard run to bring the final score to 26-0.

8th Grade Shorthorns stomp Hale Center 44-16

The Shorthorns (6-1, 2-1) made short work of the Hale Center Owls last Thursday by defeating them 44-16. "I was extremely proud of the kids. I thought they played their best game of the year," coach Emery said after the game.

Mark Ford scored 4 offensive touchdowns and returned the kickoff after Hale Centers first score to bring his total to five for the night. Victor Martinez caught a 20 yard Cagan

Cummings pass as Ford, Cummings, Trey Graves, and Brandon McDonald all added successful conversions to complete the scoring.

Defensively Marcos Ascencio, Brandon McDonald and Hagen Johnson all played well. Levi Brown and Danny Cervantez led the offensive line with outstanding blocking.

The Shorthorns will travel to Olton today (Thursday) to try to increase their win streak to 3.

Hey Longhorn Fans,
The 'Horns are on a a roll;
they are undefeated in district play. Lets go out Friday night and keep them fired up as they travel to Olton to take on the Mustangs.

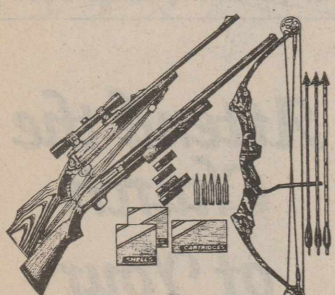


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Morton rallies to defeat Whirlwinds

By Bill Gray
Floydada's Brandon Marler tossed a halfback pass to Edward Porter for a 40-yard touchdown on the Whirlwinds' first offensive series only to see the Morton Indians come from behind to hand the 'Winds their fourth district defeat last week at Morton. Following Floydada's quick opening score, the 11-point underdog Indians roared back with 23 unanswered points to take a 23-6 lead at halftime. The Whirlwinds will try to regroup this week as they take advantage of a bye week before closing out the home schedule against the Hale Center Owls on November 3.

Morton evens its season record to 3-3 while gaining its initial District 5-2A victory and will travel to Hale Center this week. The Owls are coming off a disappointing 33-20 loss to Lockney last Friday. Abernathy travels to Friona tomorrow night in a game involving two of the three district leaders. Lockney hopes to keep pace with the winner of that outing as the Longhorns travel to Olton.

The Whirlwinds seemed to have everything under control following their early score, but the Indians responded immediately. Quarterback Dustin Silhan danced by several would-be tacklers on second down from his own 20-yard line, broke a couple of tackles in the secondary and glided 80 yards for the Indians' first touchdown. Rocky Orosco (who would score 23 points in the game) added the conversion kick and the Indians were on their way to an unexpected victory.

Floydada coach Lee Hurt commented, "Their quarterback kind of set the mood for them with his 80-yard score. We virtually had him trapped for a sack and he escaped from several tacklers...it really hurt us in a big way." Moments later, Orosco slipped by Floydada defenders to block a Tyler Helms punt. Fielding the ball in the air, Orosco ran the final 20 yards into the end zone for the Indians' second score. The Indians capitalized on a Floydada turnover late in the opening period, with Mark Guillen carrying the final 14 yards into the Whirlwind end zone. Orosco added a 24 yard field goal as the Indians went into the locker room with a comfortable

23-6 lead at intermission. Disaster struck the Whirlwinds as they attempted to mount a comeback following the second-half kickoff. A nifty 53-yard touchdown by Jermaine Wickware was nullified by a holding penalty. Although the play was called back, it did seem to ignite the Whirlwinds as they managed to hold Morton scoreless throughout the third period while registering a safety against the Indians when a snap for a punt attempt sailed out of the end zone.

Another Floydada turnover late in the third quarter led to Morton's 60-yard drive for another score early in the final period. Orosco rambled from 9 yards out and added the point to increase the Indian lead to 30-8 with about nine minutes remaining in the contest. At this point, Brandon Marler was inserted at quarterback for the Whirlwinds.

The diminutive junior completed back-to-back passes of 31 and 5 yards, respectively, to Brady Rainwater and hit wide-out Tyler Helms with a 14 yarder on 4th down to set up Edward Porter's 9-yard TD romp to close the gap to 30-14. Morton's ensuing series featured a 35-yard touchdown by Rocky Orosco which virtually sealed the victory for the Indians. The Whirlwinds mounted an 8-play, 75-yard drive in the waning moments.

Following Morton's last kickoff, Marler scrambled 25 yards on first down to start the 'Winds on their final scoring drive. Marler tossed a 10-yard scoring strike to Rainwater and Porter ran in the two pointer in the final minute of play to make the outcome more respectable on the scoreboard. The Whirlwinds will now take a week off before resuming action against Hale Center, and will close out the 2000 grid campaign at Olton on November 10.

FLOYDADA	6	0	2	14	-	22
MORTON	20	3	0	14	-	37

SCORING SUMMARY

1st Quarter
FHS - Edward Porter 40 pass from Brandon Marler (kick failed), 10:56. MHS - Dustin Silhan 80 run (Rocky Orosco kick), 6:38. MHS - Orosco 20 blocked punt return (Orosco kick), 4:21. MHS - Mark Guillen 14 run

(kick failed), 2:07.
2nd Quarter
MHS - Orosco 24 FG, 5:38. FHS - Safety, 5:35.
3rd Quarter
FHS Safety, 5:35
4th Quarter
MHS - Orosco 9 run (Orosco kick),

8:48. FHS - Porter 9 run (run failed), 5:32. MHS - Orosco 35 run (Robert Enriquez kick), 3:45. FHS - Brady Rainwater 10 pass from Marler (Porter run), :46.

GAME STATISTICS

Floydada	2of12	3rd Down Conversions	2of9
	2of5	4th Down Conversions	2of2
41-144	Rushes - yards	38-290	
120	Passing Yards	19	
264	Total Yards	309	
7-16-1	Comp-Att-Int	1-7-2	
4-30	Penalties - Yards	9-65	
1-42.0	Punts - Average	3-24.5	
101	Return yards	40	
22:19	Time of Possession	25:41	

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING - FHS: Edward Porter 21-84, 1 TD; Jermaine Wickware 6-25; Brandon Marler 3-24; Dustin Covington 8-6; Tyrel Fuller 3-5. MHS: Dustin Silhan 7-86, 1 TD; Rocky Orosco 3-57, 2 TDs; Augie Sabala 8-55; Robert Enriquez 16-50; Mark Guillen 4-42, 1 TD.

PASSING - FHS: Brandon Marler 5-9-0, 100yds., 2 TDs; Dustin Covington 2-7-1, 20yds. MHS: Dustin Silhan 1-7-2, 19yds.

RECEIVING - FHS: Brady Rainwater 3-46, 1 TD; Edward Porter 2-41, 1 TD; Jermaine Wickware 1-19; Tyler Helms 1-14 MHS: Robert Enriquez 1-19.

PASS INTERCEPTIONS - FHS: Brady Rainwater 2. MHS: Dustin Silhan.

FUMBLE RECOVERIES - MHS: Aaron McClellan, Rito Morales, Augie Sabala.

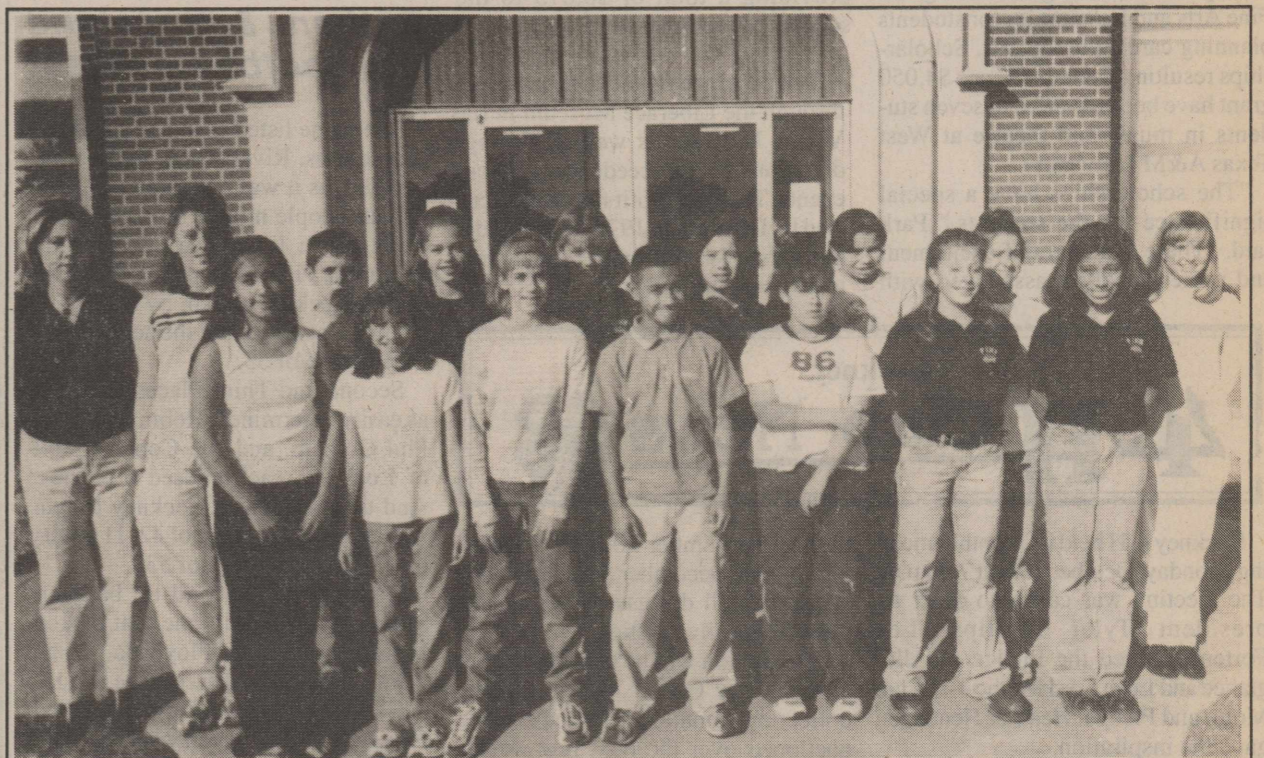
QUARTERBACKSACKS-MHS: Vince Griffith, Harvey Herrera, Joel Martinez.

BLOCKED PUNTS - MHS: Rocky Orosco.

LEADING TACKLERS- FHS: Dustin Covington 9, Jermaine Wickware 7, Chris Wiley 5, Bryce Bowley 5. MHS: Rito Morales 8, Mark Guillen 7, Joel Martinez 6.



A WHIRLWIND ON THE LOOSE-Floydada's Edward Porter is shown on the loose picking up some of his 84 yards last Friday night against Morton. The Whirlwinds fell short 37-22 in the final score. Floydada has a bye this week. Their next game is here against Hale Center, November 3, 7:30 p.m. Photo by R.Stovall



FHS CROSS COUNTRY RUNNERS-(back row,l-r) Mrs. Williams, Lindsey Leatherman, Trey Helms, Marla Reeves, Kendra Covington, Jessica Garza, Christina Cervantes, Kasey Rainbolt, Katy Gooch; (front row,l-r) Maryann Yannis, Jesslyn Bradley, Whitney Williams, Chris Reyes, Crystal Cavazos, Reagan Heflin, Cynthia Martinez. Staff Photo

Floydada JV defeats Morton

By Bill Gray
Floydada's Junior Varsity Whirlwinds won their second game of the season last week with a 20-12 victory over Morton at Wester Field. According to the coaches, "The JV 'Winds played their best game of the year on both sides of the ball...our offense was unstoppable while putting up 20 points in the first half"

Justin Fipps scored on a 2-yard run to open Floydada's scoring Chris Wickware added a 5-yard touchdown run and a two-point conversion in the second period to extend the lead to 14-0. The visitors drove the length of the field to score and cut the Floydada lead to 14-6.

7th Grade Breezers tie Morton 8th Grade Breezers fall to Morton

By Bill Gray
The 7th Grade Breezers made the long trip to Morton last week and gained a 6-all tie with the Morton 7th Graders. During the second quarter and with a 3rd-down-and-long situation, Dustin Ochoa connected with Chris Briones for a 65-yard, pass-and-run touchdown. Floydada held the 6-0 lead until the final 1:40 of the fourth quarter when Morton was able to score on a 35-yard touchdown pass. According to coach Blake Eddleman, "I am really proud of the team's efforts considering all of the adversities this year." Named as offensive players of the game by the coaches were Chris Briones, Dustin Ochoa and Jarrett Kirk. Outstanding defenders were Brock Smith, Rudy Esquivel and Justin Duran. The 8th Grade Breezers lost to a very talented 8th Grade Morton squad by the score of 28-0. Offensively the Breezers played well, but didn't take advantage of their opportunities. They

Following the ensuing kickoff Floydada marched down the field. Daniel Garcia capped the drive with a 10-yard touchdown pass to Gerald Henderson. Morton crossed the double stripe just before halftime to end all the scoring as both defenses took control after intermission.

Offensively, Daniel Garcia, Ross Bennett, Chris Wickware and Gerald Henderson played well behind the blocking of the offensive line. Defensively, Ross Bennett, DJ Summers, Justin Fipps, Dustin Griggs, Derrick Griggs and Martin Meza had outstanding efforts. The win improves the JV 'Winds to 2-6 for the season, and they travel next to Hale Center on November 2.

were inside the 20-yard line four times, but were unable to score. Coach Brandon Gilliland commented, "We've just got to take advantage of situations like that. Defensively the group played extremely hard and shut down Morton's offense most of the time."

Coach Gilliland added, "The team is still progressing and we hope to take advantage of the week off for some of the guys to heal up and to work on fundamentals." "Each of Morton's touchdowns came on big plays...they had four huge plays that hurt us," said the coach. Named as offensive players of the game were Lionel Williams, Faustino Chairez, Greg Vasquez and Ty Heflin. Outstanding defensive players were Cody Ware, Spencer Schacht, Andrew Weeks and Pablo Ramirez. Both Breezer squads return to action when they host Hale Center's junior high teams at Wester Field on November 9.

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"White River Run" Cross County Race held at Floydada Country Club

The Floydada Country Club was the site of the cross country "White River Run" on Saturday, October 14th. The course for the varsity boys race is three miles and the course for the varsity girls is 2 miles. The course for the junior high teams, both boys and girls, was 2 miles.

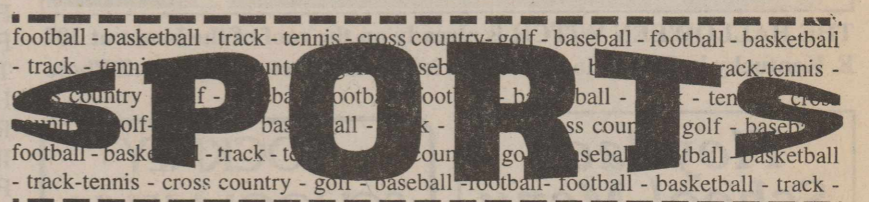
The Whirlwind Varsity Cross Country team placed 5th overall with 107 points. Running for the Whirlwinds and placing 5th was Jeremiah La Fuente with a time of 15:42.00. Placing 9th was Rocky Reyes with a time of 16:17.00. Also running for the Whirlwinds was Anthony Suarez (25th place), Joel Hernandez (49th place) and Miguel Sanchez (51st place).

The Lady Winds Varsity Cross Country team placed 3rd overall with 61 points. Running for the Lady Winds and placing 1st was Jenna Payne with a time of 12:04.00. Placing 10th was Tara Williams with a time of 12:57.00. Edna Olivares placed 26th with a time of 13:41.49 and Jessica Castaneda placed 38th with a time of 14:14.00. Suelem

Saldana placed 44th with a time of 14:37.00 along with Veronica Garcia placing 55th and Ragan Beedy placing 58th.

The Floydada Junior High Girls team placed 4th overall with 86 points. Katy Gooch placed 6th with a time of 13:59.00. Reagan Heflin placed 13th with a time of 14:23.00 with Whitney Williams placing 22nd with a time of 14:57.94. Also placing 25th was Cynthia Martinez with a time of 15:05.00. Jesalyn Bradley placed 28th with a time of 15:17.00; Jessica Garza placed 37th with a time of 15:41.14; Marla Reeves placed 45th with a time of 15:49.00 and Maryann Yannis placed 46th with a time of 15:57.00. Also running for the junior high team was Kendra Covington (52nd place); Lindsey Leatherman (68th place); Christina Cervantes (70th place); Kasey Rainbolt (73rd place); and Crystal Cavazos (79th place).

The Floydada Junior High Boys team was represented by Chris Reyes placing 1st with a time of 12:25.00 and Trey Helms placing 6th with a time of 13:34.00.



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Floydada High School "seiko" students chosen for 1st six weeks

Floydada High School has selected the "SEIKO" students for the first six weeks of the 2000-2001 school year.

For the second straight year Floydada High School has set the criteria for selection to this group. The student must be successful in class and have given excellent effort and passed the six weeks. The student must also exhibit the characteristics of a good citizen and be involved in school activities. The student's absences and tardies are also checked closely.

The "SEIKO" students are: Amanda Barnett, Austin Campbell, Jessica Castaneda, Evie Cervera, Brenna Dawdy, Amanda DeChant, Bonnie Dunlap, Freddy Garcia, Valorie Hartline, Chad Hinkle, Abbie Horn, Jurahee Jones, Victor Lopez, Sandra Magana, Sylvia Mancilla, Jay McLaugh, Amanda McHam, Ashley Norrell, Chance Powell, Tricia Quisenberry, Laura Rivera, Marcos Valadez.

Galloway of Lockney receives scholarship at WTA&M

Mandy Galloway, of Lockney has received the Liberace Foundation Scholarship. Mandy is a senior at West Texas A&M University majoring in theatre. She is the daughter of Dale and Debbie Galloway of Lockney.

For the 15th year, the Liberace Foundation for the Performing and Creative Arts has awarded a grant to the Sybil B. Harrington College of Fine Arts and Humanities for students planning careers in the arts. Scholarships resulting from this year's \$4,050 grant have been awarded to seven students in music and theatre at West Texas A&M University.

"The scholarships have a special significance for the students," Park said. "There is an aura of excitement and professionalism associated with

Liberace and the Liberace Foundation."

WTAMU is one of two schools in Texas to receive funds from the Liberace Foundation this year, according to Park.

WTAMU's Friends of Fine Arts contributed matching funds of 50 cents for each dollar of the grant, thus providing a total of \$6,075 to the scholarship recipients.

The Liberace Foundation is funded through the Liberace Museum in Las Vegas, Nevada, as well as through donations and proceeds from special events. The non-profit foundation created by Liberace in 1976, has provided more than \$4 million in scholarships to 101 institutions.

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Lowrance, Sherman, Cotham & Copeland win football contest

The game listed in the 23-24 space (Lamesa vs. River Road) will not be counted, as it was our error.

Four people missed six games this week. Gene Lowrance of Floydada claims the First Place prize of \$25. He picked Lockney to win by a score of 47, just 6 points under the actual combined score of 53.

Second and Third Places were not as easily determined. Robin Sherman, Phil Cotham, and Joe Copeland, all of Lockney, each missed 6 entries. And they all picked Lockney to win with a combined score of 42, 11 points over the actual score of 53.

Going to the second tie breaker, Sherman is the only one that picked Morton to win over Floydada, so she claims the Second Place prize of \$15.

Cotham and Copeland both picked Floydada to win, which was incorrect, they both will be splitting the Third Place prize of \$10. A check for \$5 each will be mailed to these entries.

Receiving Honorable Mention this week are the entries missing seven and eight games. Missing 7 games were: Clay Simpson, and Franklin Harris, of Floydada; Pam Fulton, and Alvin Hayes, of Lockney; and Roy Saucedo of Plainview.

Missing 8 games were: Beth Tye, John Hernandez, Enrique Medrano, Roel Cisneros, Sheree Cannon, and Sammy Bradley, all of Floydada; Eric Morales of Dougherty; and Garrison Marriele, and Keith Marriele, both of Muncy.

5 entries missed 9 games. 7 missed 10 games. 5 missed 11 games. 5 missed 12. 2 missed 13. 1 missed 14 games and 1 missed 15 games.

We had 1 entry that missed 7 games, but failed to complete the form with name and address. Be sure the entry form is COMPLETELY filled out!

Floydada Junior High A-B Honor Roll

Grade 6-8

April Arevalo, Tabitha Barrientos, Cam Battey, Stephen Bueno, Dylan Campbell, Julie Castillo, B.J. Chappell, Tyler Chesshir, Ana Delacera, Justin Duran, Abran Enriquez, Kalli Ferguson, Jasmine Ferrer, Magan Flores, Dulce Foster, Estrella Foster, Roberto Foster, Tell Fuller, Kimberly Garza, Katy Gooch, Tate Greer, Alma Hernandez, Taylor Hilburn, Amber Hill, Kami Holbert, Rusty Hopper, Jessie Horn, Frankie Ibarra, Diamond Leal, Tana Lloyd, Felisha Luna, Kayla Luna, David Mancilla, Gerardo Mata, Ryan Monreal, Melissa Morales, Brian Odom, Daniel Ortega, Ruben Ortiz, Brandon Rainwater, Taryn Rainwater, Miguel Rangel, Chris Reyes, Valerie Riojas, Hope Ruiz, Tabitha Ruiz, Juliann Runnels, Andrew Sanchez, Kendal Smart, Taylor Sue, Tim Vargas, David Vasquez, Cody Ware, Maryann Yannis.

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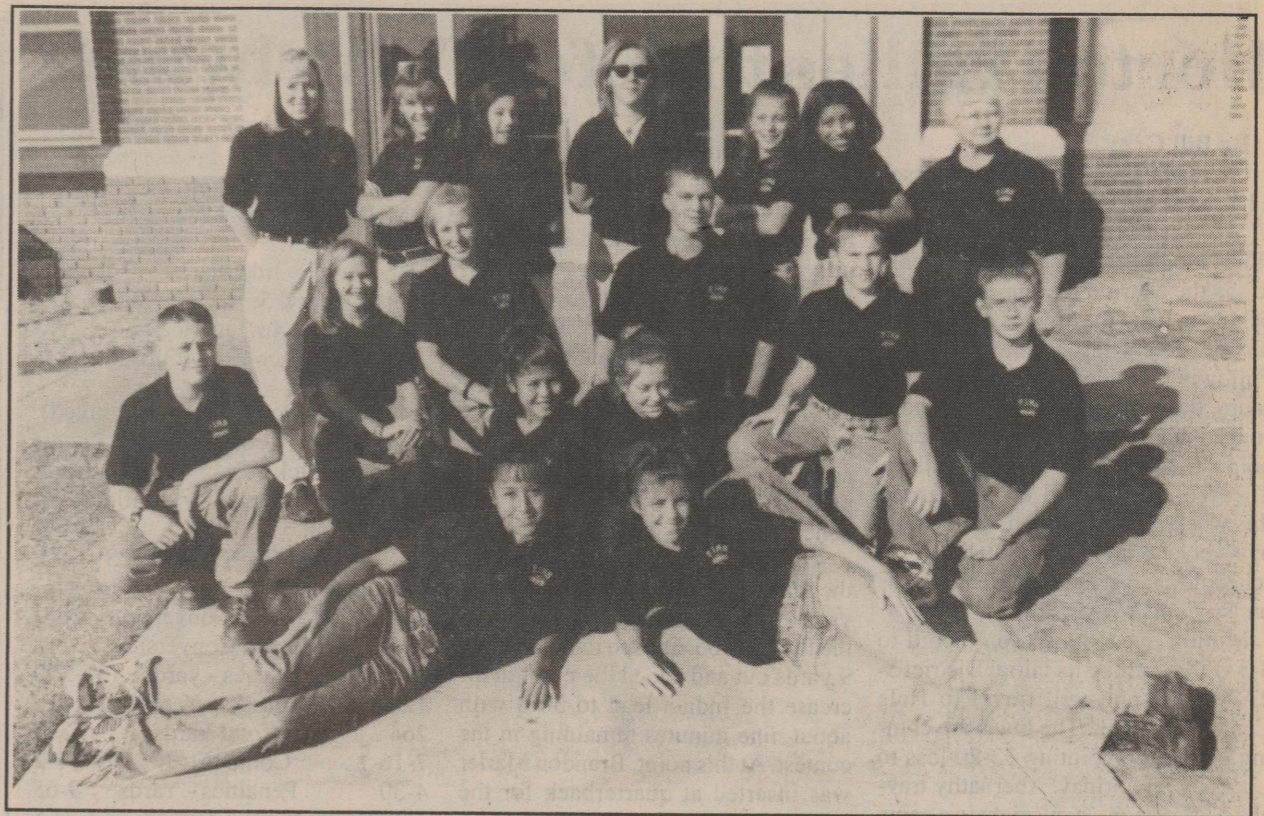
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EJHS STUDENT COUNCIL 2000-2001-(back row,l-r) Teacher Aimee Teeple, Kendra Covington, Jessica Garza, Teacher Janna Williams, Reagan Heflin, Cynthia Martinez, Teacher Sherry Colston; (middle row,l-r) Jacob Reddy, Rachel Griffin, Meghan Graham, Ty Heflin, Taylor Beedy, Taylor Sue; (2nd row,l-r) Megan Flores, Kristan Lackey; (front row,l-r) Sandra Rendon, Britnee Brotherton. Staff Photo



GYMNASTIC WINNERS-(back row,l-r) Janson Graham, 1st Pl., Level 1-B, Jake Graham, 1st Pl., Level 1-B, Tyanne Battey, 1st Pl., Level 1-AA, Elizabeth Bertrand, 2nd Pl., Level 3-A, Missy Ruddell, 1st Pl., Level 1-B, Sarah Duus, 1st Pl., Level 1-B; (front row,l-r) T.K. Farris, 1st Pl., Level 1, Timothy Duus, 1st Pl., Level 1-B, Kaden Lackey, 1st Pl., Level 1-AA, Hannah Griffin, 1st Pl., Level 3-A, Jacob Graham, 1st Pl., Level 1-AA, Valorie Ruddell, 1st Pl., Level 1, Kelsey Nutt, 1st Pl., Level 1-AA. (not pictured, Brittnee Smith, 1st Pl., Level 1-AA) Staff Photo



DUNCAN ELEMENTARY SPACE STATION WINNERS-(back row,l-r) Johnathan Dean, 1st Pl., 2nd Grade, Neil Barrera, 1st Pl., Pre-K, Merritt Johnson, 2nd Pl., Kindergarten, Hannah Griffin, 3rd Pl., 1st Grade, Haley Boyd, 1st Pl., 1st Grade; (front row, l-r) Malorie Naniz, 3rd Pl., Kindergarten, Robert Webb, 2nd Pl., 2nd Grade, Chelsea Garza, 1st Pl., Kindergarten, Ashley Sisemore, 2nd Pl., 1st Grade, Brittany Garza, Hon. Mention, 1st Grade, Alexis Holbert, Hon. Mention, 1st Grade. Staff Photo

Lockney 4-H Club News

Lockney 4-H held its monthly meeting Monday, October 16th at 7:30 p.m. The meeting was called to order by president Tyler Phillips. Lee Fortenberry led the Pledge of Allegiance and Leah Ford led the 4-H Club Motto and Pledge. Heather Hennagan gave the inspiration.

The Do's and Don'ts of Trick or Treating was the subject of Tasha Powell's mini-demonstration. Kami Keaton and Melissa Long gave project reports. Ryker and Cancy Cabler asked for donation to their community service project. The project consists of gathering trial or travel size shampoo, conditioner, soap, toothpaste and other toiletries. The travel size toiletries will be donated to the Veterans' Hospital. Rusty and Kami Keaton also discussed their community service project, which is collection frozen turkeys for the less fortunate. The turkeys will be collected

through November 20th for Thanksgiving and December for Christmas. D'Lee Powell discussed the upcoming 4-H Family Auction.

The auction will be held December at the Unity Center 4-Hers will be collecting donations of items to be auctioned over the next few weeks. Anyone wishing to contribute may contact any 4-H member or the County Extension Office.

Katie Kelley won the door prize, which was donated by Addie Foster. The meeting was adjourned and auctioneer Sam Fortenberry conducted the club's annual food auction. The auction raised \$472; which will be donated toward the purchase of an ice machine for the Unity Center.

The Chris Hennagans and the Craig Ellisons were parents in charge of the meeting and the refreshments. The next club meeting is scheduled for November 20th at the Unity Center.



THE HALLOWEEN WITCH is already on the roof of the house at 307 E. Kentucky in Floydada Halloween is Tuesday, October 31. Staff Photo

Floydada School Menu

Monday
Breakfast-Cereal, graham crackers, late risers, fresh fruit, milk.
Lunch-Hot Dog with Chili, cheese, carrot, celery sticks, sliced peacher, cookie, milk.
Tuesday
Breakfast-Cereal, graham crackers, pancake and sausage on a stick, milk, juice.
Lunch-Mexican Dinner, pinto beans, tossed salad, corn bread, orange quarters, milk.
Wednesday
Breakfast-Cereal, graham crackers, banana bread, milk, juice.
Lunch-Steak Fingers, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, roll, fresh fruit salad, milk.
Thursday
Breakfast-Cereal, graham crackers, waffles, syrup, milk, juice.
Lunch-Chicken Spaghetti, corn, tossed salad, bread sticks, milk.
Friday
Breakfast-Cereal, graham crackers, cinnamon and sugar toast, scrambled eggs, milk, juice.
Lunch-Hamburger, lettuce, tomatoes, pickle, potato wedges, jello with topping, milk.

LOCKNEY SCHOOL MENU

Monday
Breakfast-Buleberry Muffins/Cereal, toast, juice, milk, jelly.
Lunch-BBQ on Bun/ Grilled cheese, pinto beans, salad, mixed fruit, milk.
Tuesday
Breakfast-French Toast/Cereal, Toast, juice, milk, jelly.
Lunch-Nacho Grande/ Ham and Cheese on Bun, refried beans, lettuce and tomato salad, pears, milk.
Wednesday
Breakfast-Cereal/Banana Bread, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch-Chili Dog/PBJ Sandwich, tater tots, spinach, applesauce, milk.
Thursday
Breakfast-Mini Corndog/Cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch-Chicken Noodle Soup/ Corndog, tossed salad, green beans, sliced peaches, milk.
Friday
Breakfast-Cinnamon Roll/Cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch-Cheeseburger/Burrito, French fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, apple half, milk.

Thanks for Reading the Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon

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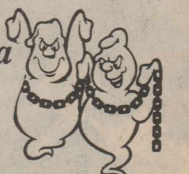
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Floyd County Farm News

Senate approves Ag appropriations

By Shawn Wade
With passage of the FY2001 Agriculture Appropriations Bill by an overwhelming margin in the Senate, the road toward delivery of several important programs to a struggling ag sector is getting closer.

The Senate voted 86-8 to approve the spending measure on October 18. The Bill includes funding for several key programs important to cotton in Texas. Unfortunately, Texas split Senate votes on the Bill with Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison supporting the final measure and Sen. Phil Gramm voting against the package.

Of prime importance to a struggling Texas ag sector was the measure's inclusion of a Disaster Assistance Package aimed at offsetting the disastrous effects of drought and significant increases in energy and crop related expenses during the year.

The Texas agricultural sector is reeling from estimated losses nearing \$1 Billion. While the nationwide Disaster Assistance Program will not offset all of those losses it is expected to help significantly.

Other important funding items included an unprecedented increase in Federal support for cotton boll weevil eradication programs. Total spending approved, and added to future budget baselines, is \$79 million for boll weevil programs in FY2001.

This is good news for growers across the State, but is especially welcome to active and soon to be active eradication zones on the Texas High Plains. Now these zones have the opportunity to offset costs and reduce the overall producer costs to eliminate the boll weevil.

Right now, however, the primary interest among producers are the parameters under which the Disaster Assistance Program will operate. The good news is that authority is given to the Secretary of Agriculture to expend whatever funds needed to carry out scored provisions for Quantity and Quality losses. That means no waiting for determination of a national factor after all applications are received and immediate processing of claims once sign-up begins.

Cotton industry officials at Plains Cotton Growers, the National Cotton Council and others are working feverishly to determine what will and will not be included when the final program is implemented.

A certain level of comfort is allowed by the fact that the Quantity loss provisions should be carried out basically as they have been in past disaster programs.

Quality losses are still somewhat up in the air as the provisions were not written with enough specificity to fully account for the differences between cotton quality losses and quality losses incurred by other commodities.

It is felt that acceptable implementation strategies will be developed for cotton, making relief from quality losses an area that ultimately provides beneficial assistance to growers with the problem.

The third, and still unknown, factor in the proposed disaster assistance package is the development of rules governing delivery of assistance to growers through proposed severe economic loss assistance package.

Unfortunately, the road to making economic assistance a reality is may also be the one that leads to the middle of nowhere.

Frustration is the best description of initial efforts to answer the call for ideas on how to provide assistance to growers who primarily suffered economic loss through higher production costs per unit of yield produced.

Throughout the process PCG's ultimate goal has been to find a way to target some level of assistance to growers that have significant economic losses but fail to qualify for through other areas of the disaster program.

So called "notch" producers, who typically had the misfortune of producing just enough yield to exempt them from quantity and quality triggers, are among the hardest hit because they are also the hardest to get assistance too.

Further complicating, and according to some decreasing, the chances of bringing such assistance about is a lack of information. The fact is no one knows what type of program will be the most palatable or how much money would be available to fund the effort.

Without these key pieces of the puzzle the chances of hitting a ghost of a target with a meaningful program are significantly decreased.

No one at PCG, the NCC or staff within the House Agriculture Committee is willing to give up hope that a suitable program can be established. Unfortunately, the path to get there is sure to be filled with a plentiful number of false hopes, blind corners and obstacles.

NGSP predicts bright future for Sorghum

Officials with the National Grain Sorghum Producers (NGSP) see a bright future ahead for sorghum, based on the potential for new markets resulting from increased interest in sorghum's unique marketable characteristics such as its official non-genetically modified organism (non-GMO) status, nutritional characteristics and gluten-free properties.

Sorghum is a versatile grain that can be used in the cereal, snack food, baking and brewing industries, says Tim Snyder, NGSP marketing director. Additionally, sorghum's unique characteristics make mycotoxins such as aflatoxin a virtually nonexistent problem in sorghum.

The U.S. Federal Grain Inspection Service (FGIS) will provide upon request to U.S. sorghum customers official statements indicating that there is no genetically modified, or

transgenic, sorghum in U.S. trade channels.

According to NGSP, this official non-GMO certification should reassure concerned customers of U.S. grain that U.S. sorghum is free of transgenic enhancements or manipulation. Sorghum's non-GMO status should also reassure grain buyers and food processors that may be hesitant to purchase U.S. grain based on similar concerns.

"U.S. sorghum is a comparable substitute for other carbohydrate sources," said Snyder, noting that the sorghum starch matrix is similar to that of corn.

Nutritionally, sorghum is a gluten-free grain comprised of 11.3 percent protein and 3.3 percent fat. Antioxidant rich sorghum varieties offer high levels of phenols and tannins, which are two compounds the American Heart Association has linked to cancer prevention and improved cardiovascular health, says Snyder.

Sorghum is available as a meal and flour, while the whole or decorticated kernels can be extruded, steam-flaked, popped, puffed or micronized. Ingredient benefits include light color, bland taste, and flavor absorption in addition to its non-GMO status. Extruded sorghum flour puffs exhibit size and texture characteristics similar to that of commercial brands, says Snyder.

Additionally, breads produced with sorghum bran can provide approximately five NGSP represents U.S. sorghum producers nationwide. Headquartered in the heart of the U.S. sorghum belt at Lubbock, Texas, the organization works to increase the profitability of sorghum production through market development, research, education, and legislative representation.

Hunter education class offered in Lockney

The Lockney Police Department will again be sponsoring a Hunter Education class.

This course is mandatory for anyone born on or after September 1, 1971. In order to legally hunt in the state of Texas anyone born in that time frame must have in their possession besides their license a certificate of certification showing proof of their completing this course.

The cost of the course is \$10 and it will be held in two sessions over a weekend. The class will start at 8:00

a.m. Saturday October 28th and go through till about 5:00 p.m. Then it will finish up Sunday, October 29th, starting at 1:00 p.m. and going through about 6:00 p.m. If the weather permits this will include some shooting.

Anyone can take the course however in order to be certified you must be at least 12 years of age. Anyone under 12 must retake the course on or after they reach 12.

This course also meets all the requirements of other states where you may want to hunt.

The course will be held at the Lockney Fire Hall. Pre-registration is encouraged. To pre-register call Jerry Edwards at the Lockney Police Department, 652-3548. All fees must be paid Saturday at the start of the class.

Anyone under 17 years of age also must have at least one guardian come with them at the start of the class Saturday to sign a release so they can handle guns in class. There can be no exceptions to this. They do not have to stay once the release is signed but it must be signed on that day.

Disaster issue awaiting signature

At this time disaster issues are awaiting Presidential signature. A few sketchy items we are hearing, is the LDP limit will be raised from \$75,000 to \$150,000. It also appears there is \$450 million designated for Livestock Assistance Programs. There is another bundle of money that the Secretary will have discretion to spend in other disaster related areas, and at this time we are hearing that disaster loss funding is unlimited, in other words no factor on payments for qualifying losses of quantity. It appears it will still have a limit per individual or entity of \$80,000. There possibly could be three types of losses for disaster payment; quantity, quality, and economics. Economic could encompass the high cost of irrigation and excessive amounts of dollars spent on spraying insects. This portion could be a very complicated process. Again, none of this is completely known at this time. This is all subject to clarification, revision, and change. There are no targeted dates for sign up at this point in time. We will get further information out to you as soon as we can.

planted or shared in the production of soybeans, sesame, sunflower seed (oil & confectionery), crame, flaxseed, mustard seed, rape seed, or safflower seed.

Oilseeds Program applications shall be submitted to the county that controls a producer's payment limitation for the producer. Each producer will file only one CCC-780 in the producer's control county for all of the producer's farms. This will include all of the producer's eligible acreage of each oilseed, and the control county or national average yields or actual yields, as applicable. The producer will certify the data by signing CCC-780.

2000 Oilseed Program payments will be issued after the end of sign up. No advance payments will be issued.

All oilseeds producers will receive a postcard the week of October 16, 2000 to notify producers of possible eligibility, and provide the address and instructions of where to apply at your control County Office.

NONINSURED CROP ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (NAP)

If crops have insurance available, they are not NAP crops. NAP crops are ones that go unnoticed much of the time. Some of the NAP crops in Floyd County include but are not limited to, peanuts, oats, vegetables, cantaloupe, pecans, gourds, guar, millet, Indian corn, mixed forage, pumpkins, seed sunflowers, squash, sweet sorghum, sudex, watermelons, sweet corn, and wheat forage, hay crops and pastures.

Producers having crops that are not eligible for multi-peril crop insurance are reminded that notices of loss (FSA-576) must be filed within 15 days of the loss becoming apparent,

15 days after harvest, disaster occurrence or date damage to the specific crop is apparent to the producer. Please keep in mind that producers who have previously certified pastures where their cattle have grazed, have 15 days after the first freeze to file a CCC-576 in order to be eligible for a NAP payment. Reports of crop loss affects the county's eligibility for filing for a NAP area, therefore, if you have had a loss of production of crop, forage for hay or grazing or grass production, you need to file a report.

Producers should report the production of crops, hay crops and grazing production and have a Loss Adjuster visit the crop acreage prior to plowing or making other use of the acreage.

FAILED ACRES

Please remember to report your crop acreage prior to destruction or harvest. This applies to both program and non-program crops. This will help you in the event of any future disaster programs, price support benefits and non-insured assistance program (NAP)

WOOL AND MOHAIR MARKET LOSS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (WAMLAP)

The Agricultural Risk Protection Act of 2000 provides for a Wool and Mohair Market Loss Assistance Program to producers for the 1999 marketing year. This is available to producers who produced or sheared wool or mohair from January 1, 1999 through December 31, 1999.

Sign up is from October 10, 2000 through December 29, 2000. This is for program year 2000 only. Payment rates will be \$.20 per pound for shorn wool and \$0.40 per pound for shorn mohair. All payments are subject to assignment or setoff.

CRP EMERGENCY GRAZING EXTENDED

Floyd County has been authorized emergency grazing of CRP acreage through November 30, 2000 or until conditions improve that no longer warrant emergency grazing of CRP acreage.

Haying is not authorized for Floyd County.

2000 OILSEEDS PROGRAM

Funds have been made available for producers who planted an eligible oilseed in 2000. Sign up for the 2000 Oilseed Program is October 16, 2000 through January 12, 2001. Payments may be made to producers who

Thornberry endorsed by AGFUND

The Texas Farm Bureau Friends of Agriculture Fund (AGFUND) has endorsed the re-election of Congressman Mac Thornberry (R-Clarendon) in the District 13 Congressional race.

"As a member of the Resource Committee, Mac has been a staunch defender of private property rights, and is an original cosponsor of legislation that would reform the Endangered Species Act and restore some common sense to the law," said Donald Patman, president of AGFUND and Texas Farm Bureau.

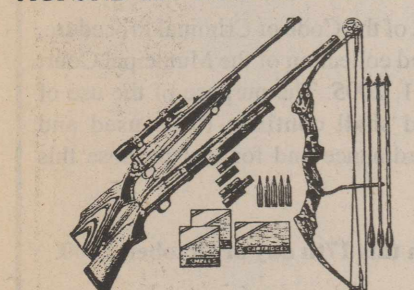
"From his seat on the Budget Committee, Rep. Thornberry had a hand in writing two U.S. budgets containing critical emergency funds for farmers and ranchers."

Thornberry has worked hard in Congress to make sure foreign markets remain open to U.S. products. He has also supported efforts in Congress to beat back over zealous regulations and cut through bureaucratic red tape in Washington.

Congressman Thornberry has been

named a "Friend of Agriculture" by the American Farm Bureau Federation three times, and one of only three Texas Congressmen to achieve a 100% voting record with Texas Farm Bureau.

AGFUND is Texas Farm Bureau's political action fund. It is a legal entity separate from the Texas Farm Bureau and may endorse and contribute financially to political candidates. AGFUND is funded by voluntary contributions from TFB members.



Hunter Education class offered in Lockney this Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 28 & 29. Call Jerry Edwards at 652-3548 for more information. Class starts at 8:00 a.m. Saturday at the Lockney Fire Hall. See related story in this Hesperian-Beacon.

We want to thank country western singer, Ray Price and his band, "The Cherokee Cowboys" for having lunch at Babe's Steak Barn Saturday. They were on their way to the celebration in Turkey, Texas. We appreciate their business and hope to see them again in the future.

We also want to thank the people that came and showed their support for him and his band.

Sincerely,
Babe Jones

Leslie Nixon recognized by SWCD

Leslie L. Nixon, Jr. was recognized for 20 years of service on the Floyd County Soil and Water Conservation District at the 60th Annual Meeting of Texas Soil and Water Conservation District held October 2-4, 2000 in Fort Worth.

The annual meeting of soil and water conservation districts (SWCDs) enables conservation district directors

to address issues affecting soil and water conservation programs and their potential impacts on Texas farmers, ranchers and timber producers. There are 216 SWCDs in Texas.

Les Nixon, who has served on the Floyd County SWCD has represented zone 3 of the district since 1980. The Floyd County SWCD was or-

ganized for the purpose of promoting sound soil and water conservation practices on agricultural lands within the district.

The five members serving on the Floyd County SWCD are responsible for the policies and procedures of carrying out its programs within the framework of the Texas soil and water conservation district law.

Jordan named Chairman of Beef Council

By Lisa Williams

Ken Jordan of San Saba, Texas, a commercial cattleman and cattle auction operator, has been named chairman of the Texas Beef Council (TBC) for fiscal year 2001 which began October 1. Jordan is an at-large member on TBC's board and represents the state's livestock auction market segment.

There are 45 state beef councils in the United States, all of which are funded solely by beef producers through the \$1 beef checkoff program. Texas generates the most checkoff revenue of any state at about \$12 million per year.

By law, 50 cents of each dollar must fund national and international programs of beef research, education and promotion. Of the remaining half dollar, TBC's board elects to invest about 26 cents in additional national programs.

With the remaining 24 cents, TBC's board oversees programs that help extend the national checkoff effort into Texas.

TBC's board consists of 18 beef producers appointed by the nine Texas organizations involved in cattle and beef production. The board also includes two at large directors who help assure representation of certain economic sectors or geographic regions.

The board meets quarterly to oversee the \$1 per head beef checkoff program.

Jordan, director of cattle auctions for Jordan Cattle Auction at San Saba, Mason and Brownwood, Texas, replaces Bill Tullos of San Angelo as chairman.

Jim Selman, a commercial cattle producer at Gonzales, Texas, was named vice chairman. Selman represents the Independent Cattleman's Association on TBC's board.

Jordan, Selman and Tullos also will serve on TBC's executive committee

with John Dudley of Comanche, representing Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, and Clay Birdwell of Canyon, representing Texas Cattle Feeders Association.

TBC's first board meeting for the 2001 fiscal year will be Nov. 15 at TBC offices in Austin.

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Obituaries

WILMA GENE EVANS

Funeral services for Wilma Gene Evans, 71, were held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday October 24, 2000, in Seth Ward Baptist Church with the Rev. Jim Ritter, minister, and Jack McClung, chaplain of Prairie House Living Center, officiating.

Burial was in Plainview Cemetery by Wood-Dunning Funeral Home.

Mrs. Evans died at 8:11 p.m. Friday, October 20, 2000, in the emergency room of Covenant Hospital.

She was born October 14, 1929, in Rising Star. She moved to Plainview in 1944 from Tell and had worked as a kitchen hostess at first Baptist Church until retiring in 1989. She was a member of Seth Ward Baptist Church.

On May 20, 1945 she married Lonnie Evans in Plainview.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Carmaleta Hooten of Plainview, a son, Arlen Evans of Plainview; one sister, Nina Sanders of Floydada; six grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Stanley Sanders, Shane Hooten, Lonnie Dale Evans, Kit Pinkerton, Bobby Craddock and Richard Adame.

The family suggests memorials to the American Cancer of the American Diabetes Association.

ELDER J.N. RICHARDSON

Services for Elder J.N. Richardson, 91, of Floydada were held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, October 21, 2000 at New Salem Primitive Baptist Church with Elder Ronnie Hedges officiating. Burial was in Floydada Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada.

He died Wednesday, October 18, 2000 at the Floydada Rehabilitation and Care Center.

He was born on March 6, 1909 in Lakeview to the late Steven Plummer Richardson and Amanda Louritta Holden Richardson. He attended Leatherwood School. He married Zelma Faye Rogers in 1929 in Clovis, New Mexico. She preceded him in death on January 23, 1990. He moved to Floyd County from Crosby County in 1938. He had been a farmer until 1956; he retired from bus driving in 1970 and he was a minister. He was also preceded in death by eight brothers, two sisters and a granddaughter.

He is survived by a son and daughter-in-law, Wayland and Debbie Richardson of Plainview; three daughter and son-in-laws, Geneva and Harold Bennett of Floydada, Gwen and Cline McDonald of Cross, South Carolina and Estelle and Dale Tanner of Lubbock; a sister, Rena Barris of Clovis, New Mexico; 15 grandchildren; 49 great-grandchildren and 10 great-great grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Floydada Cemetery Association P.O. Box 130, Floydada, 79235.

Dear Family & Friends,

During my stay in the hospital with a broken hip, I had a stroke which ruined my handwriting. As a means of thanking everyone, I am using the newspaper to thank everyone. I would never get that many individual "thank you's" written.

Please forgive me, but thank you for all of the gorgeous get well cards and personal notes written on them, your visits, the food brought to the hospital, the home in Lockney and here at our own home.

Also thank you for the gifts, the beautiful flowers, in every way you remembered my family and me.

A special thank you to the Class of 1941 for inviting me to your reunion and also for the beautiful gift presented to me.

It is wonderful to live in a place where people are so kind, generous and thoughtful and prayerful.

My family and I thank you in every way possible with deepest appreciation to all.

Love and God bless all.
Polly Cardinal

The Family of
J.N. Richardson sends our sincere appreciation for the cards, food, visits, and all the expressions of sympathy to all our friends and family. All the love and prayers are greatly appreciated.

Harold Wayne and Geneva Bennett
Wayland and Debbie Richardson
Cline and Gwen McDonald
Dale and Estelle Tanner
and all our families

Thanks for reading the Hesperian-Beacon

PUBLIC NOTICE

ORDINANCE NO. 834

An ordinance of the City of Floydada, Texas, establishing a Municipal Court Technology Fund; providing for the assessment and collection of a municipal court technology fee; providing for severability; providing for publication and effective date; providing for expiration date.

Whereas, Article 102.0172 of the Code of Criminal Procedure provides for the establishment of a Municipal Court Technology Fund.

Be if Ordained by the City Council of the City of Floydada, Texas:

Section 1: Establishment of the Municipal Court Technology Fund

A. There is hereby created and established a Municipal Court Technology Fund, here-in-now known as the Fund, pursuant to Article 102.0172 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

B. The Fund may be maintained in an interest bearing account and may be maintained in the general revenue account.

Section 2. Establishment of Amount of the fees and Assessment and Collection

A. The Fee shall be in the amount of four dollars (\$4.00).

B. The fee shall be assessed and collected from the defendant upon conviction for a misdemeanor offense in the Municipal Court as a cost of court. A defendant is considered convicted if:

- (1) a sentence is imposed on the person;
- (2) the person is placed on community supervision, including deferred adjudication community supervision; or
- (3) the court defers final disposition of the person's case.

C. The fee shall be collected on conviction for an offense committed on or after this Ordinance is adopted.

D. The clerk of the court shall collect the fee and pay the fee to the municipal treasurer of the City of Floydada, who shall deposit the fee into the Municipal Court Technology Fund Account in the General Ledger.

Section 3. Designated Use of the Fund and Administration

A. The Fund shall be used only to finance the purchase of technological enhancements for the Municipal Court of the City of Floydada, Texas, including:

- (1) computer systems;
- (2) computer networks;
- (3) computer hardware;
- (4) computer software;
- (5) imaging systems;
- (6) electronic kiosks;
- (7) electronic ticket writers; or
- (8) docket management systems

**Fee may only be assessed and collected on offenses occurring on or after September 1, 1999. The fee may not be assessed or collected retroactively if Fund is established at a later date than September 1, 1999.

B. The Fund shall be administered by or under the direction of the City Council of the City of Floydada;

Section 4. Severability

If any provision, section, subsection, sentence, clause of phrase of this ordinance, or the application of same to any person or set of circumstances for any reason is held to be unconstitutional, void or invalid or for any reason unenforceable, the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance or the application thereby shall remain in effect, it being the intent of the City Council of the City of Floydada, Texas in adopting this ordinance, that no portion thereof or provision contained herein shall become inoperative or fail by any reason of unconstitutionality or invalidity of any portion or provision.

Section 5. Repealing Conflict

All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of conflict with this ordinance.

Section 6. Publishing and Effective Dates

This ordinance shall be published in accordance with the requirement of publishing all ordinances and becomes effect in accordance with state law upon passage, but no earlier than September 1, 1999.

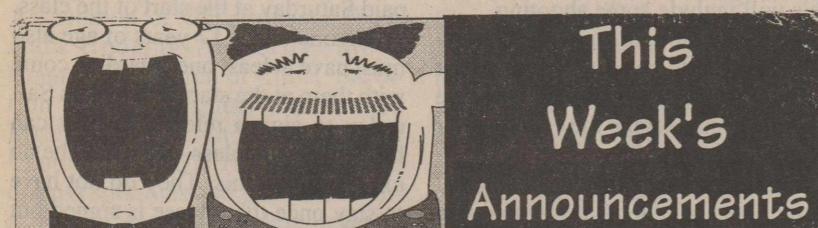
Section 7. Expiration and Administration of Fund

In accordance with Article 102.0172 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, this ordinance and the assessment and collection of the Municipal Court Technology fee expires September 1, 2005. The purpose of the use of any funds remaining in the Fund shall continue to be used and administered as required by this ordinance and for that purpose this ordinance remains in effect.

Passed, Approved and Adopted on this 17th day of October, 2000.

City of Floydada, Texas
Bobby Gilliland, Mayor

Attest:
Karen E. Lawson,
City Secretary



This Week's Announcements

MEET THE LADY WINDS

"Meet the Lady Winds" will be held Thursday, October 26 at 7:00 p.m. in the Whirlwind Gym. There will be a demonstration by the Varsity, JV and Freshman teams. Everyone is invited to attend.

WHIRLWIND BOOSTER CLUB MEETING

There will be no Whirlwind Booster Club meeting on Monday, October 30th. The Whirlwinds have an open date this Friday night, October 27th. The meeting will resume the following Monday night at the regular time.

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.

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC

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

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

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

BLOOD PRESSURE AND GLUCOSE TESTING

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

MEET THE LADY HORNS

On Tuesday, October 31, 2000 at 6:00 p.m. there will be a Meet the Lady Horns night. There will be a short demonstration by the coaches and the Freshman, JV and Varsity teams followed by a Stuffed Baked Potato supper in the foyer of the gym. The public is invited to attend.

LOCKNEY SALVATION ARMY

The Lockney Salvation Army is in need of winter coats - all sizes - mens, womens and children.

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.

LOCKNEY ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB

The Lockney Athletic Booster Club will meet on Monday, October 23rd at the Longhorn Gym foyer. Michael Deleon will have pizza for sale beginning at 6:30 and the meeting will begin at 7:00. All parents of varsity athletes are urged to attend. See you there!

VETERANS SERVICE OFFICER AVAILABLE

Veterans Service Officer Ralph Jackson is available on Wednesdays, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in Room 112 of the Floyd County Courthouse. Call 983-4933.

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.

Have a Good Week!

LETTING GO

There's a lonely feeling I'm feeling today,
As I watch my son go about his life.
It's a sadness I feel in a proud sort of way.
One of those feelings there's just no way to fight.

Three times I've gone through this phase.
As I've watched my kids about to leave the nest.
Each time my heart seems in a haze.
Each time my soul is stirred from a rest.

Jessica was the first to spread her wings.
As she circled the nest, to try freedom's flight.
She faced the world to capture her dreams.
Like an eagle, my spirit soared out of sight.

Robin was nest to tempt life's fate.
With shaky hand I gave her away.
With merry heart she opened life's gate.
My heart was saddened in a proud sort of way.

Now I've watched my son become a man.
Soon, he will leave my grasp.
He'll step out into the world to take a stand.
All that will be left is memories from the past.

I watch my kids go about their lives.
They're independent, proud, and strong.
Sadness and pride seem to swirl inside.
I know being a father was never wrong.

Life's seasons are changing now.
I reckon that's how it should be.
But I'll handle the change somehow.
Cause I'm no longer Daddy, I'm Poppy ya see.

Edward (Poppy) Marks
1995



Sing to the Lord, all the earth! Sing his glorius name! Tell the world how wonderful He is!

Psalms 66:1-2

Keep up on the news! Subscribe to the Hesperian-Beacon

The Floyd County Alzheimer's Support Group will be held Thursday September 26, 2000 at 6:00 p.m. Paul Walker, M.Ed. Director of Social Services at Floydada Rehabilitation and Care Center Will be the Speaker PLACE: First United Methodist Church 203 Kentucky Floydada, Texas 79235 For Information on Alzheimer's: Please call (806) 983-3704 THE PUBLIC IS INVITED

FREE HEARING TESTS

Being held at;

Where: Mangold Memorial Hospital - Lockney

When: Wednesday, November 1st

Time: 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.

Where: Cogdell Clinic - Floydada

When: Tuesday, November 7th

Time: 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.

Better Hearing Center in Plainview is announcing, Mike Johnson, a field hearing consultant will be here to service your present hearing aids, test your hearing, and furnish you with hearing aid batteries. We service all makes and models.

Better Hearing Center 3109 Olton Rd. Plainview 293-1158 Sheila Massie BC-HIS

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Call 806-983-3737 or 806-652-3318
web site: [http:// www.texasonline.net/floydco](http://www.texasonline.net/floydco)

AUTOMOTIVE FOR SALE

FOR SALE--3 pickups; '94 Chevrolet 4 WD; '93 Ford Ranger; '73 Chevrolet. Call 983-2040.

11-2p

HOUSES FOR SALE

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

11-9p

HOUSES FOR SALE

BRICK HOUSE FOR SALE--4/2, central heat/air. New roof, storage shed, carport, nice yard. Good neighborhood. 808 Cedar. Call 983-3245.

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MISCELLANEOUS

QUEEN SIZE SLEEPER SOFA, Zenith Console TV and beige recliner. Call 983-2186 after 5:30 p.m.

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HELP WANTED

LIGHTHOUSE ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. will accept applications for the position of Automotive Shop Maintenance Person for the headquarters facility in Floydada beginning Monday, October 30, 2000. For information on qualifications and application procedure, contact Lighthouse Electric Cooperative at 806-983-2814 or 1-800-657-7192. Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc., is an equal opportunity employer.

11-2c

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 RENT

FOR RENT--Spacious country home. 4 bedroom, 3 bath. Central heat/air. Corral for horses. \$500.00 monthly plus security deposit. Call 983-2021 after 5:30 p.m.

11-16p

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

12-28p

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CUTE AND CLEAN--3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, 2 Living Areas, Fireplace, Central H/AC, Storage house. 114 J.B. Avenue. \$45,500.00. Call 983-6456 or 983-2814 (Brenda).

11-2p

**NICE 2 BEDROOM, one bath home on 1 acre, just north of Floydada on highway.

** GOOD LOCATION. NICE 2 bedroom, 1 bath on Lee Street.

** FIVE NICE SIZE BEDROOMS, 3 baths, central heat and air on 18 acres of land. About 7 miles NE of Floydada.

** NICE 3 BEDROOM, 1 bath, single car garage on J.B. Avenue.

ALL SHOWN BY APPOINTMENT---Call Sam Hale Insurance and Real Estate - 806-983-3261.

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

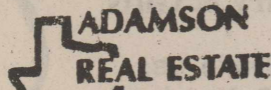
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FOR SALE--810 W. MESQUITE--3/3 brick home. Sprinkler system, basement, 2 car garage, fireplace. Call after 6:00 p.m. Call 983-3957.

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FOR SALE--34 ACRES AND HOUSE--3 bedrooms, 2 baths, double car garage. Excellent condition. 9 miles east of Lockney on Highway 97 or 10 miles north of Floydada on Highway 207. Call 806-983-3642 or 806-667-3305.

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319 S.W. 7TH -LOCKNEY-- Brick 3-2-2, central heat/air. Two lots - 2 living areas - Kitchen, diningroom area, large utility room. Landscaped. ---REDUCED --- \$ 86,000.00

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Lockney
NICE WOOD CONSTRUCTION, 3 bedroom house. Good condition, 1 bath, 1 car garage, carport, lots of storage, nice kitchen, nice utility room. Nice part of town. PRICE IS RIGHT. REASONABLE. Call 652-3395 or 652-3830.

10-19c

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND 2 WEEKS AGO male Husky Black and white dog. Immediate response needed. Call 652-2499.

10-26p

LOTS FOR SALE

LOT FOR SALE--REDUCED TO \$1,500.00--Apogee Street. Driveway and slab improvements. Call 652-2552 (after 6:00 p.m.), 983-3737 during day or 652-2332 and leave message.

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Deadline for all Advertising and News!
3 p.m. Tuesday in Floydada
5 p.m. Monday in Lockney

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF MEETING

The Floyd County Central Appraisal District will hold its regular Board of Directors meeting at 9:00 a.m. Thursday, November 2, 2000 at 104 E. California, Floydada.

10-26c

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF HARVEY WAYNE BRAMLET

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Harvey Wayne Bramlet, Deceased, were issued on October 17, 2000, in Cause No. 5530 pending in the County Court of Floyd County, Texas, to:

ANNABEL IRENE BRAMLET

The residence of such Executor is Floyd County, Texas. The post office address is:

Route 2, Box 121
Lockney, Texas 79241

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

DATED October 17, 2000.

BAKER, BROWN
THOMPSON & WAGNON
Attorneys for the Estate

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Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc. seeks five individuals to perform a multitude of varied tasks associated with general plant operations and field activities. These duties include but are not limited to conditioning, warehousing, and shipping. Ideal candidate will possess a high school diploma or equivalent. Previous seed production and knowledge of production agriculture preferred. Must be willing to work additional hours and weekends during peak periods and in a variety of conditions. Ability to lift up to 60 lbs. is required and must be capable of performing multiple tasks at one time. For consideration, submit resume or apply in person to Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc., RR3 Box 125, Plainview, TX. 79072

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ADORABLE 2 BEDROOM in Lockney on large corner lot with fence, new central H/AC, basement and much more.....

\$ 32,000.00

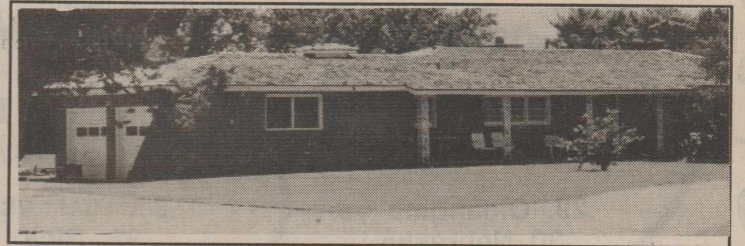
NEW LISTING--Spacious home on large corner lot features three bedrooms, 1 bath, double garage and basement. See to appreciate. ---

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LARGE VACANT lot in Lockney --- \$ 7,500.00
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NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)

To the registered voters of the County of Floyd, Texas:
(A los votantes registrados del condado de Floyd, Texas):

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on November 7, 2000, for voting in a general election to elect Presidential electors, Members of Congress, Members of the Legislature, and state, district, county and precinct officers, of the State of Texas.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el dia siete de noviembre 2000 para votar en la Eleccion General para elegir eletores de presidente, Miembros del congreso, Miembros de la legislatura, y oficiales del estado, distrito, condado y del precinto, de la Estado de Texas.

LOCATIONS OF POLLING PLACES (DIRECCIONES DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

- S.W. Floydada #1.....Massie Activity Center
- East Lockney #5.....City Hall
- Providence #7.....Lutheran Church
- South Plains #9.....Baptist Church
- Cedar Hill #11.....Producers Elevator Office
- Harmony #16.....Harmony Community Center
- Goodnight #17.....Fairmont Baptist Church
- West Lockney #18.....Lockney Methodist Church
- Dougherty #20.....Producers Farm Store
- S.E. Floydada #23.....County Courtroom, Courthouse
- N.E. Floydada #24.....Caprock Community Action Bldg.

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at the office of the County Clerk of Floyd County in Floydada, Texas between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on the 23rd day of October, 2000 and ending on the 3rd day of November, 2000.

(La votacion adelantada en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en el oficio del Secretario del Condado de Floyd, Floydada, Texas entre las 8:30 de la manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el dia 23 de octubre, 2000 y terminando el dia 3 de noviembre, 2000.

Issued this the 3rd day of October, 2000
(Emitada este dia tres de octubre, 2000.)

Signature of County Judge
(Firma del Juez del Condado)

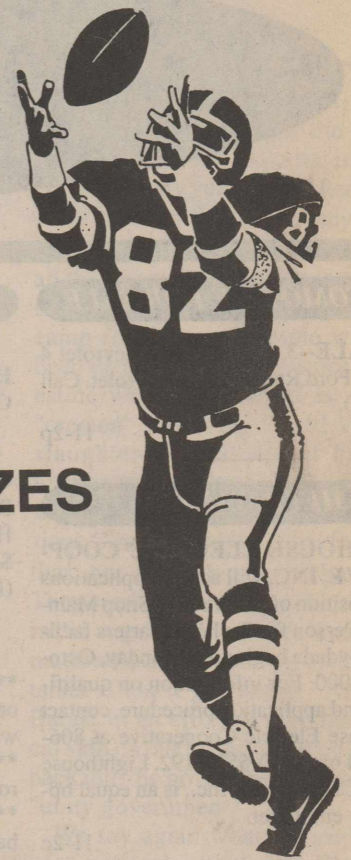
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FOOTBALL CONTEST



Weekly winners will be announced in the next week's issue of the Hesperian-Beacon & prize checks will be mailed to the address on their entry form.

WEEKLY PRIZES ARE:
 1st - \$25
 2nd - \$15
 3rd - \$10

American State Bank Member FDIC 1. Sweetwater vs. 2. Wylie	Providence Farm Supply & Grain 3. Littlefield vs. 4. Roosevelt	City Bank Lockney Member FDIC 5. Kress vs. 6. Nazareth	Lighthouse Electric 7. Plainview vs. 8. Andrews	First National Bank of Floydada Member FDIC 9. Abilene vs. 10. Midland Lee
Kirk & Sons/Duke's Dodads 11. Pampa vs. 12. Canyon	City Auto 13. Slaton vs. 14. Denver City	Clark Pharmacy 15. Spearman vs. 16. Wellington	Ray Lee Equipment 17. Tahoka vs. 18. Post	Floydada Power & Light 19. Estacado vs. 20. Big Spring
Floyd County Farm & Ranch Supply 21. Monterey vs. 22. Tascosa	Floydada Coop Gin 23. Muleshoe vs. 24. Shallowater	 Support Our Athletes!		Schacht Flowers, Jewelry & Gifts 25. Duke vs. 26. Maryland
Payne Family Pharmacy 29. Oklahoma vs. 30. Nebraska	Windmark Insurance (Clar Schacht) 31. TCU vs. 32. Rice	Muncy Elevator 33. UCLA vs. 34. Arizona	Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon 27. Air Force vs. 28. Notre Dame	Lowe's Pay-n-Save Floydada 35. Texas vs. 36. Baylor
City Bank Floydada Member FDIC 37. Texas A&M vs. 38. Kansas State	Lowe's Pay-n-Save Lockney 39. Cowboys vs. 40. Jaguars	Brown Implement 41. Giants vs. 42. Eagles	KFLP Radio 43. Packers vs. 44. Dolphins	Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co. 45. Falcons vs. 46. Panthers
D&J Gin 47. Rams vs. 48. 49ers	Lockney Cooperatives 49. Chiefs vs. 50. Seahawks	Producers Coop Elevator 51. Bengals vs. 52. Browns	Cornelius Conoco 53. Jets vs. 54. Bills	R Photography 55. Raiders vs. 56. Chargers

Contest Rules

Any subscriber or purchaser age 7 or older is eligible to enter 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 plying 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

Cut on the dotted line.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42
43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56

Lockney vs. Olton

circle winner and write total combined score in football

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____

Tie Breakers

Texas Tech vs. Kansas

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