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SCENES OF CHRISTMAS--Workers from the Chamber of Commerce, Floyd County, City of Lockney, FFA, and Lighthouse Electric were busy this week putting up Christmas decorations in downtown Lockney. The city is getting ready for their annual Holiday Affair, Dec. 7th. Staff Photo

Lockney to vote on tax

1/2 sales tax would be used for economic development

After a presentation by the Lockney Chamber and Economic Development Committee, on Friday, Nov. 17th, the Lockney City Council unanimously voted to bring a 1/2 cent sales tax to a vote for Lockney citizens. The vote for approval or rejection will be held in the May municipal elections.

The sales tax, if approved, could only be used for economic development. The tax is collected on taxable sales by merchants, remitted to the Comptroller's office, rebated back to the cities, and then transferred to the development corporations formed to administer city economic development programs.

The development corporation is appointed by the City Council. Seven members are appointed to a 2 year

term. If the sales tax is approved and before spending any sales tax revenue, the development corporation must present any ideas for use of the tax to citizens in a public hearing.

A 1/2 cent sales tax on the purchase of \$100 in taxable goods amounts to 50 cents.

Not all goods are sales taxable. Necessities such as food, medications, cars, and house payments are not taxed.

If, for example, you spend \$200 on a bill of groceries at the supermarket it is estimated that only 20 percent of that purchase will be on taxable items, hence, the economic development tax on that bill of groceries will amount to 20 cents.

Cities may use money raised by this sales tax for a wide variety of projects including land, buildings, equipment, facilities, and improvements related to projects, such as:

Athletic facilities, entertainment facilities, public park purposes; Stores, restaurants, transportation facilities; street, water, and sewer facilities;

Affordable housing, public safety facilities, demolition of existing structures; any other project that the board determines will contribute to the promotion or development of new or expanded business enterprise.

If citizens are not pleased with the sales tax the same process used to call for an election can be used to rescind the economic development tax.

Lockney plans Holiday Affair

Lockney's Holiday Affair will be held this year on Thursday, Dec. 7th, from 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Santa Claus will also be in attendance and will hear petitions from youngsters from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. at Lockney's City Bank.

Holiday Affair has become a tradition in Lockney and is more than just checking out the bargains of downtown businesses. Shoppers also enjoy the fellowship of the huge downtown Christmas party as they stroll the streets visiting with friends and neighbors.

The Chamber of Commerce will draw for a winner in their raffle for a television, during the Holiday Affair.

More information on the festivities will be available next week.

Kids Korner looking for more vendors for "Fair"

The Kids Korner Learning Center will sponsor the first annual Holiday Fair 2000, Saturday, Dec. 9th, at Della Plains School, from 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. A variety of booths will be set up in the gymnasium for holiday shopping.

The money raised from booth rental and raffle tickets will be used as a fund raiser for the Floyd County Day Care.

Everyone renting a booth will be asked to donate an item to Kids Korner. Raffle tickets will then be sold to award these items throughout the day at the Fair.

Santa Claus will also be available at the Holiday Fair for picture opportunities from 10 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Already reserving booth space are: Arwine Florist, Southwest Candles, Dende William's jewelry, Mary Kay cosmetics, Discovery Toys, embroidery, personalized books, Home & Garden, and Creative Memories.

Items have also been donated by Texas In a Box, Sues, Duke's Dodads, and Heart's Desire.

Anyone wishing to set up a booth should call Jennifer Jackson, at 983-2910. Booth rental is \$10.00.

We will be closed Thursday and Friday to celebrate Thanksgiving with family

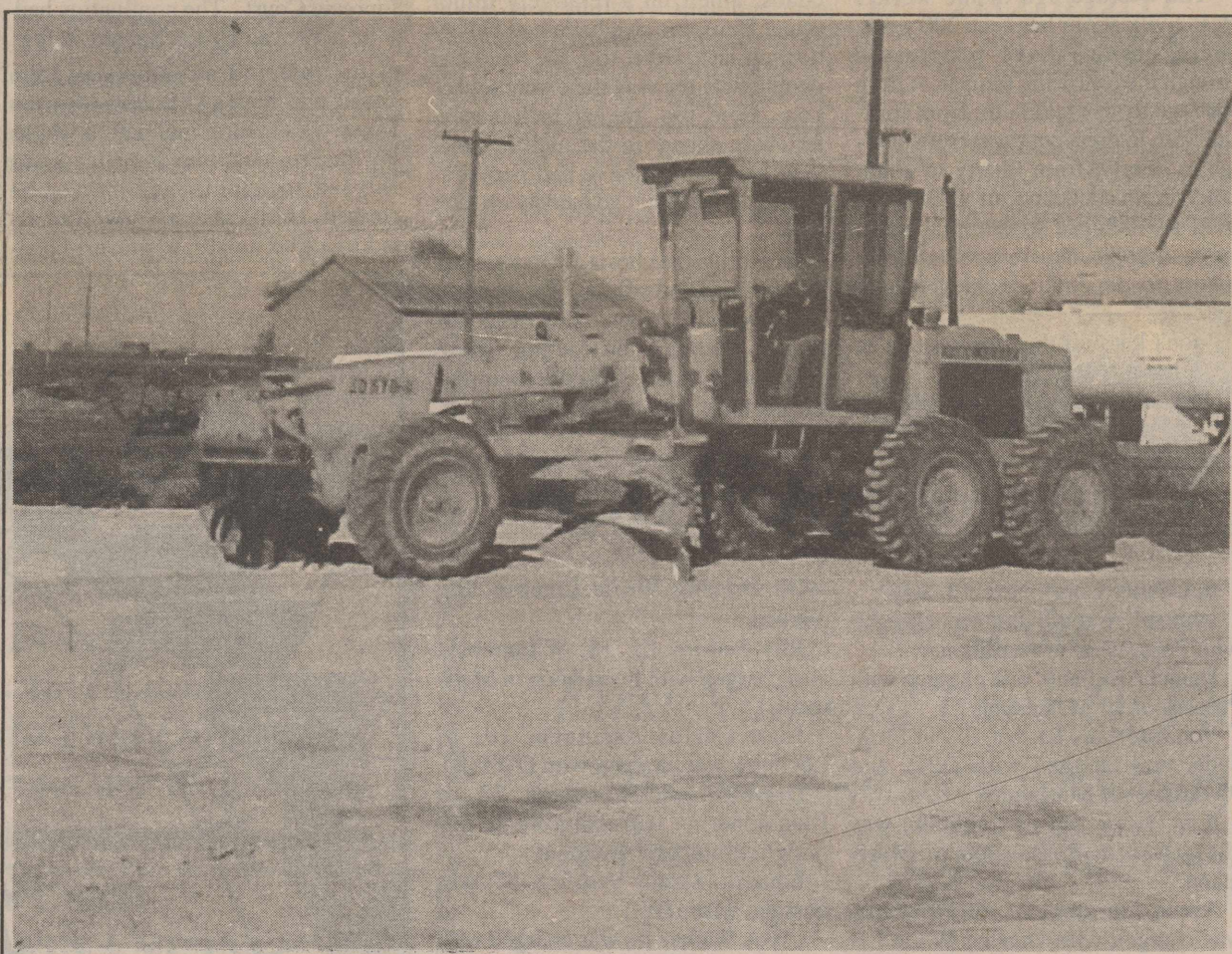
Admission to Health Fair is one can of food or one toy

W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital annual "Holiday Health Fair" will be held on Saturday, December 2nd from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. in the Lockney Elementary Cafeteria. Your admission to the Health Fair will be a donation of a canned good or a new

toy to be donated to the Salvation Army Christmas Cheer Program.

The donation of a toy will enable you to sign up for a door prize of a micro scooter or a \$50.00 savings bond. The scooter is being donated by

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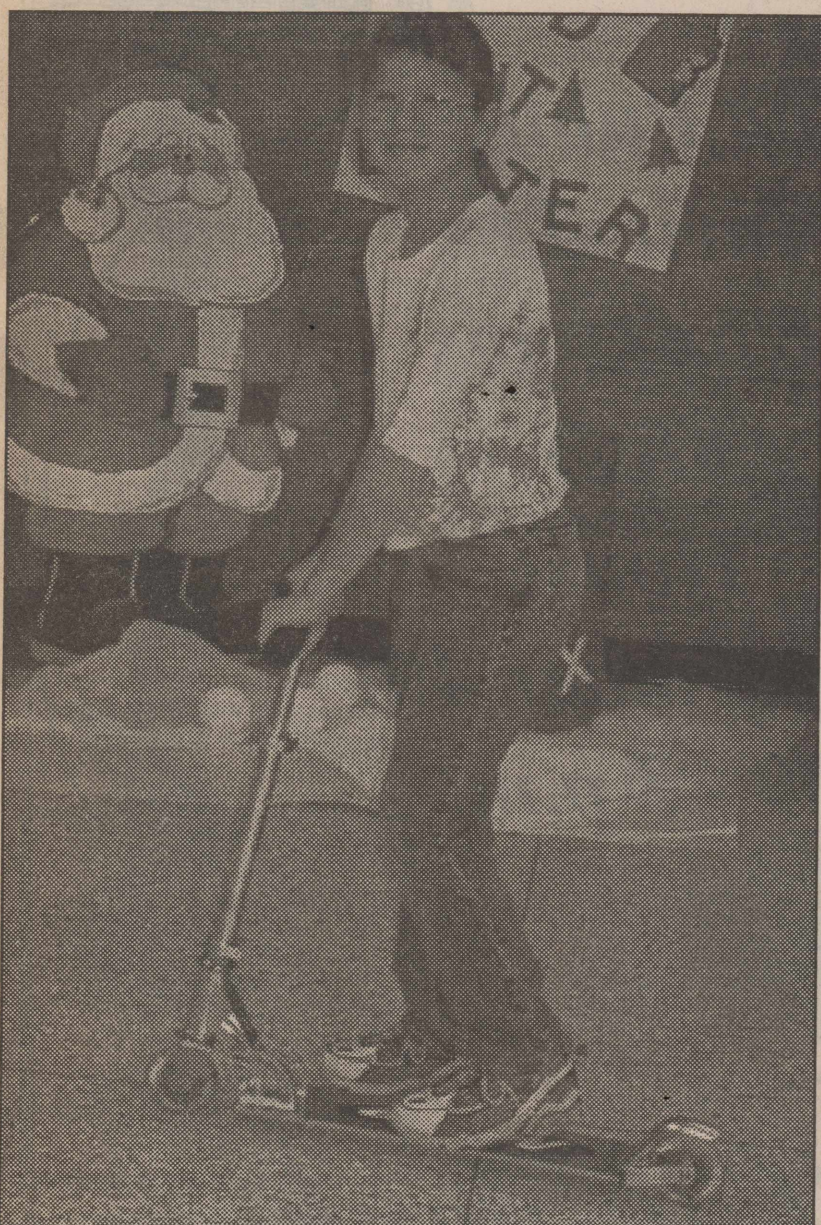
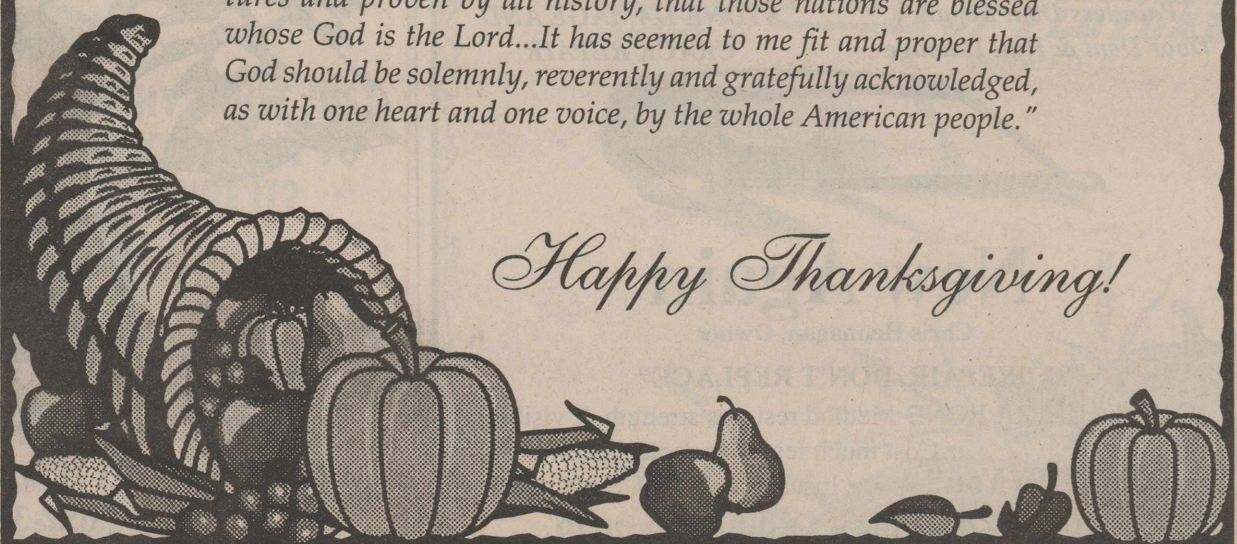
GROUND BREAKING--Ground was broken Thursday, Nov. 16, on the PAC's new vocational building, located across from the PAC building, next to City Auto. The building will house an area which will be used to teach auto mechanic skills. Courtesy Photo

On Oct. 3, 1863, President Abraham Lincoln issued a formal proclamation, passed by an Act of Congress, initiating the first annual National Day of Thanksgiving:

"No human counsel hath devised, nor hath any mortal hand worked out these great things. They are the gracious gifts of the most high God, who, while dealing with us in anger for our sins, hath nevertheless remembered mercy...

I do, therefore, invite my fellow citizens in every part of the United States, and those who are sojourning in foreign lands, to set apart and observe the last Thursday of November next as a day of Thanksgiving and Praise to our beneficent Father who dwelleth in the heavens.. (it is) announced in the Holy Scriptures and proven by all history, that those nations are blessed whose God is the Lord...It has seemed to me fit and proper that God should be solemnly, reverently and gratefully acknowledged, as with one heart and one voice, by the whole American people."

Happy Thanksgiving!



SCOOTER GIVEAWAY--This micro scooter, being tested by Segayle Foster, will be given away, courtesy of doctors at W.J. Mangold Hospital, at the Mangold Memorial Health Fair Dec. 2nd. Anyone who brings a toy to the elementary school between now and Dec. 2, or who brings a toy to the health fair, can register to win this scooter, or a \$50.00 savings bond which has been donated by City Bank. The scooter and money will be given away at the end of the health fair. Staff Photo

Readers win holiday gobblers from businesses

Twenty-four readers of the Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon won Thanksgiving turkeys on Friday, courtesy of area businesses.

Winners and the sponsoring businesses were:

Babes Steak Barn, Leroy Burns; Caprock Motor Parts & Hardware, Louis Pyle; City Auto, Paul Moore; Cornelius Conoco, Beverly Williams; Darty Gin, Brenda Atteberry; Davis Lumber, Roland Watson;

Duckwall's, Flora McNeill; City Bank Lockney, Geneva Barclay; 1st National Bank of Floydada, Martha Williams; Laurie's Custom Framing & Hall Photographic, Merle Mooney;

Floydada Coop Gins, Juan Vargas; Floydada office of the Hesperian-Beacon, Frank Cole; Lockney office of the Hesperian-Beacon, Weldon Graves; Stapp Body Shop, Alicia Luna; Kirk and Sons, Shonda Guthrie; Lockney Insurance, Lois Albert; Lowe's Pay-N-Save in Floydada, Charles Alldredge;

Lowe's Pay-N-Save in Lockney, Elton Wylie; Nielson's Restaurant, Sheryl Back; Oden Chevrolet, Monroe Schultz; Payne Family Pharmacy, Guy Ginn; Pizza Gold, Gordan Hambricht; Producer's Co-op Elevator, Judy Griggs; and City Bank in Floydada, Diane Hill.

Council and firemen discuss issue of funds

Concerns over the legal issues on the question of "who is responsible for the money in the volunteer fire department's" account has led to confusion and misunderstandings in recent weeks between Lockney's City Council and the Volunteer Fire Department.

To clear the air, a special City Council meeting was held, Tuesday night, Nov. 15, at the Lockney Community Center. The meeting was well attended by council, firemen, and interested citizens.

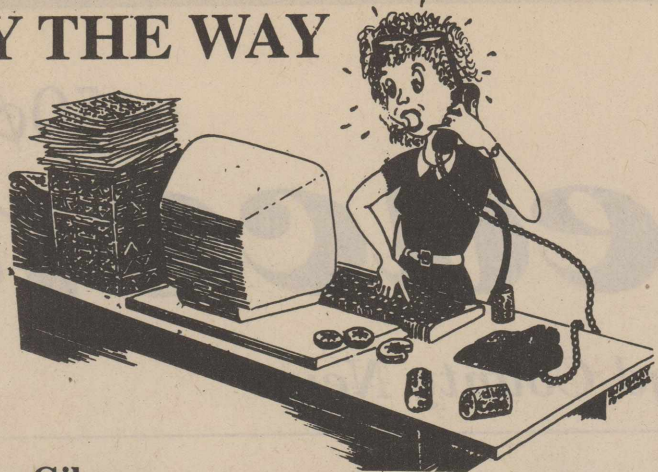
Lockney Mayor, Gary Marr, opened the meeting with a brief statement and then turned the floor over to anyone wishing to comment.

Marr explained that misunderstandings seemed to have started at a council meeting where the purchase of new equipment for the fire department was discussed.

Because of the need for updated equipment the fire department had purchased \$20,000 worth of new equipment and presented the bill to the city council. The fire department then withdrew their request for the city to

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BY THE WAY



By
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Bits and pieces from the news that you won't hear on CNN.

Last week, WorldNetDaily reported that many overseas military personnel were complaining that although they had voted well within the legal limit, their ballots sat in mail bags aboard ship for days.

Two newspaper (who have endorsed Gore), the Washington Post, and The New York Times, have said it is wrong to dismiss the overseas ballots so quickly when the standards keep getting looser for hand counting ballots in the three heavily controlled Democratic counties.

And just in case it's not decided in the courts, Gore's camp is covering all bases quickly.

Electoral College electors in at least two states have indicated that they have been pressured to change their votes to Al Gore.

The Rocky Mountain News reported that one Colorado elector, Mary Hergert, claims she was contacted by someone named Ed from ABC news who asked her if she would ever consider voting for Gore. She told the newspaper she found the questions to be more veiled intimidation than journalistic inquiry.

The caller told her, "it was unconstitutional for her to be bound by state law to follow Colorado voters' preference for Bush."

A second elector in Colorado confirmed he had also been contacted by ABC news.

ABC doesn't deny it, but they say they were doing research on the electoral college for a story.

In South Carolina, electors say they are being contacted and pressured to change their votes.

I know this is all very distressing. I won't even watch the news because I get so angry.

During this time of the year we are supposed to be giving thanks for the wonderful blessings that have been bestowed on us--especially the country we live in.

It is sad to see where we've come to and I wonder what our founding fathers would think about what is going

on. What would the pilgrims who fled religious persecution think.

I know one thing they would do for sure. They would pray. They would pray constantly for guidance for their leaders, and wisdom for those choosing their leaders.

I don't know who our next president will be and I don't know what the courts are going to do--but I do know one thing for sure--God is in control. He is still on the throne. Someday we will understand.

Continue to be grateful for your country.

One of my dad's favorite quotes was from Edmund Burke (I think).

My dad would say it to me all the time--"The only way evil will triumph is for good men to do nothing."

I thought about that quote when I got this e-mail.

"Over 200 years ago, Professor Alexander Tyler, a Scottish historian, who in 1787 wrote about the fall of the Athenian Republic over 2,000 years earlier, said...

"A democracy cannot exist as a permanent form of government. It can only exist until the voters discover they can vote themselves money from the public treasury. From that moment on, the majority always votes for the candidates promising the most money from the public treasury, with the result that a democracy always collapses over loose fiscal policy followed by a dictatorship.

"The average age of the world's great civilizations has been 200 years. These nations have progressed through the following sequence: from bondage to spiritual faith; from spiritual faith to great courage; from courage to liberty; from liberty to abundance; from abundance to selfishness; from selfishness to complacency; from complacency to apathy; from apathy to dependance and back to bondage."

I don't know if that was written in 1787, but it is still true.

Do you wonder what stage we are at?

A view from

The Lamplighter

By Ken Towery
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Our wandering President, William Jefferson Clinton, has finally made it to Hanoi.

In what he described as a "moving experience", Mr. Clinton was greeted in Hanoi by Communist officials bearing roses. It was the very least they could do.

That was a considerable change from the way other Americans were greeted in Vietnam while Clinton, while a student at Oxford, was organizing and leading pro-Hanoi demonstrations in London.

This time he managed to take his wife and daughter along for the sights. That wouldn't have been possible had he gone there when so many other Americans were heading that way. About the only similarity to his fellow Americans, earlier visit to Vietnam, was the fact that both were made at taxpayer expense. And all of Mr. Clinton's party made it back home, which was considerably different from the fate of earlier Americans visiting Vietnam.

Meanwhile, our nation waits to see who is going to replace Clinton as our next President. While the lawyers argue, the counters count. A decision that was supposed to be rendered on the 7th day of November is still in limbo. As we write this, the Florida Supreme Court is hearing arguments about how, or whether, votes should continue to be counted long after state law says the votes are supposed to be officially certified.

As far as this humble layman is concerned, questions from the bench on the Florida Supreme Court seemed to point toward the Court looking for a way out of the quagmire created when they decided to enter the case in the first place. The people of Florida have now been embarrassed before the nation by politicians and courts of their own state.

Still, those of us who live in Texas can't be too hard on the people who live in Florida. We, too, have contributed to political lore, and political chaos, albeit on a relatively minor scale. Here, too, we have had ballots turn up late. Here, too, we have had people vote the way they were told to vote. Here, too, we had ballots mysteriously appear in the nick of time. And here too we have had perpetrators of voting fraud go merrily on their way.

In Florida the ghosts of George Parr have joined the ghosts of Chicago's very own Bill Daley to ride the countryside, properly instructing those folks who think a ballot counted means there first must be a vote cast.

In Texas, people with a memory stretching back to the time Lyndon Johnson was a candidate for the U.S. Senate, running against former Governor Coke Stevenson, will recognize the scenario. The vote is (was) very close. It appeared the Governor would win. Then it appeared the Governor had won.

But wait. Suddenly, Texans discovered that a voting precinct (precinct 13) down in Jim Wells County had not yet reported. The ballots were "missing", much like the missing e-mail messages that contained information about Clinton-Gore campaign activity, or the missing Rose law firm billing records that suddenly appeared in Hillary Clinton's White House study.

At the appropriate time the returns from Box 13 turned up, along with enough votes to put Lyndon over the top and make him the Democratic nominee, and in effect the new Senator from Texas. The fact that over 200 of those late voters who chose Lyndon (according to the tally George Parr's minion's turned in) just happened to line up in alphabetical order, all signing their names in the same green ink and in the same handwriting....well, that was just a coincidence.

Then the legal maneuvering began. Supporters of Governor Stevenson took their case to court. A State District judge looked at the evidence and ordered a full inquiry. Lyndon secured the services of Washington Jewish lawyer named Abe Fortas, who went quickly to a member of the U.S. Supreme Court named Hugo Black, who issued a quash order for a period of time that made it imperative for a candidate to be certified. Lyndon had enough support at that level (the Texas State Democratic Executive Committee) to gain certification. So the stolen votes in Jim Wells County propelled Lyndon on to the U.S. Senate, and eventually the Presidency.

From there the sailing was smooth, and when he got to be President, LBJ nominated that same Abe Fortas to the Supreme Court. The nomination had to be approved by the Senate. A few of us objected strenuously. John Tower was then a U.S. Senator from Texas. His natural inclination was to say the President (any President) was entitled to appoint whomever he pleased as his cabinet, or his Ambassadors, or his judges, whatever. I hap-

pened to be the Senator's Administrative Assistant at that time and I took the position that a Senator, under the Constitution, had a Constitutional obligation to say yes or no depending on his own lights, regardless of what a President wished. And I thought we ought to say "no" to Abe Fortas being a member of the Supreme Court of the United States. He had been part and parcel, as far as I was concerned, to subverting the American political process. Others on our staff said otherwise, but our own arguments prevailed, so the Senator opposed Fortas for the Court, which, to my mind, was one of his shining moments in the Senate.

Now we go forward to the present. The Constitution says there shall be a vote to determine who is to be President for the ensuing four years. The Constitution sets forth the dates this will be accomplished. The Constitution sets forth the procedure under which this will be accomplished. The Constitution sets forth the manner under which the electors will certify the votes from the various states, how those votes will be reported to the Congress of the United States and what will happen if various scenarios evolve. In the final analysis, if all else fails, the House of Representatives, with each state having one vote, will determine who should be President.

However, between the cup and the lip, there can be many slips. Now there are arguments in Palm Beach County in Florida that may well determine who sits as President of these United States for the next four years. The arguments range from the posi-

tion of hanging "chad" on ballots, to whether or not ballots from American military servicemen posted around the world ought to be counted. Mr. Gore's operatives have taken the position the service personnel ballots should be thrown out if the ballot has no postmark. (As if the serviceman had any control over whether his ballot had a U.S. postmark or not). While Mr. Gore's legal beagles have taken an exceedingly hard line on absentee ballots from U.S. Military men and women, they have raised no such concerns about the validity of some 3,500 absentee ballots sent in by Floridians living, or residing, in Israel.

As this is being written, more than two weeks after election day, we still don't know who will be declared the final winner. Were it not so serious, the situation in Palm Beach County would be comical. We have the situation where grown voters claim "confusion" over punch card ballots that even third graders have no problem with. We have thousands of ballots thrown out because simple-minded voters couldn't follow simple directions.

Long suffering readers of this column may recall we have certain pet peeves on which we comment from time to time. One of those is sanctity of the ballot. Rich people may be able to help influence elections by contributing money. Poor people can only do it with their vote. And when we get to the point where even that vote can be ignored, or canceled, or manipulated in such a way that it becomes meaningless, what do we have left?

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Corrections

It may have been hard to find the Lockney City Council story last week. It was placed under the Lockney Police Report headline.

We just wanted to make sure everyone read it.

In the body of the story we wrote that J.P. Michelle Araujo "asked the council to consider paying jurors for any future city trials. She told the council that some people, who had been ticketed, were requesting jury trials."

We have been told that Araujo did not ask the council to "consider" paying jurors. She informed the council that it was their responsibility to pay for jurors if someone did request a jury trial in a municipal matter. The city does not have an option in this matter.

The cost for setting a jury trial and paying jurors could run from \$3.00 to \$10.00 a day.

The council agreed the city needs to be prepared for these expenses and will make the necessary amendments to the budget.

Another correction: In an advertisement last week for the fire department smoking turkeys we put the wrong phone number for the fire department. If you want to have your turkey smoked call 983-2834. The number we had printed went to Joe Jones. He doesn't want to smoke your turkey.

Floyd County Gospel Jamboree

Will be held Jan. 6th at the Unity Center in Muncy.

Anyone wishing to participate should call: Ed Marks at 652-3157 or

Randy Miller at 983-3767 or 293-2494

Courtroom Activities

In County Court, Nov. 13, 2000: Ishmael Arebalo Jr., was charged with Possession of Marijuana;

Daniel Arrellano, was charged with Possession of Marijuana;

Vonzette Luis Brown, 33, of Floydada, was charged with DWI, and Possession of Marijuana;

Ray Garza, 56, of Lubbock, was charged with Possession of Marijuana;

Aaron Johnston, 21, of Floydada, was charged with Driving While License Suspended;

Matthew Zane McCarty, 18, of Hale County, was charged with DWI (A).

Nicole Rochelle McDonald was charged with Driving While License Suspended.

Jean Goundie Patrick, was charged

with Driving While License Suspended;

Roy Perkins III, 18, of Lubbock, was charged with Possession of Marijuana;

Juan Carlos Sarinana, 19, of Lockney, was charged with DWI (B).

Darrell Leon Thompson, 22, of Delgondrina, was charged with carrying a Prohibited Weapon;

Eduardo Santos Vasquez, 57, was charged with DWI;

Clyde Walker Jr., was charged with DWI-2nd, and DWLS.

There was no disposition on these cases.

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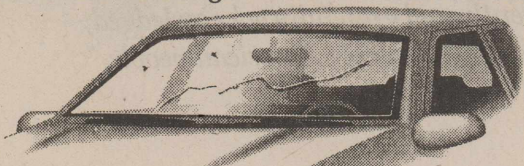


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Member F.D.I.C.

Council and firemen discuss funds

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pay for the equipment after deciding the equipment should be paid for out of the funds the fire department had raised over the years for new equipment.

The Fire Department currently has approximately \$70,000 in the bank, most of it in CDs. The money has been raised through payments from taxing entities for the fighting of fires and through fund raising efforts by the fire department for equipment.

According to Marr, in the process of discussing this matter, Councilman Bill Anderson asked of the council, "What is our legal responsibility, if any, for this money?"

"The question was asked with good intention, with no thought of obtaining use of that money for the city," said Marr.

This question led some in the fire department to believe the City of Lockney was trying to "control" their

funds, or "questioned their integrity".

"We did not nor did we ever want that money," said Marr. "Bill was appointed to check with our attorney, Paul Lyle." According to Marr, after it was determined that feelings had been hurt over the issue the council decided they wanted to drop the issue. They were then advised by Lyle that since the city now knew how much money was in the account, the city was now liable.

At the meeting the council was in agreement with Marr that the funds raised by the fire department should stay with the fire department and be used exclusively by the fire department. By the end of the meeting the question was not who should have control of the money, but how the account could legally be set up where there was never any question over who was liable for the money.

Several people spoke and gave support and praise to the work of the fire

department. All council members agreed there was never any question of "integrity" among volunteers in the fire department.

"We trust these guys with hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of equipment," said Councilman Rodger Stapp. "I know we can trust them with the funds."

"The issue is not one of right or wrong," said Attorney Lyle. "If the city owns the money it has the obligation to have it invested in city protected assets. The law requires that. The council members are responsible to see that is done in case of an audit. If the fire department owns the money the city has no interest in it. You have to go back and see where the money came from and what entity it was given to."

Fire Chief Aaron Wilson assured the council that check stub records would be able to trace the money back to donors, and or tax money paid for services. Lyle felt comfortable that

records such as those would be very helpful in determining ownership of the funds.

"If there was an audit and ownership was questioned it could wind up in court," said Lyle. "Then a lawyer would end up taking about \$15,000 off the top. You don't want that. I would suggest the fire department and city council representatives, an attorney, and the city's auditor meet together and talk it through. A resolution by the city could settle it once and for all."

"Or," said Lyle, "the city could put the money into a city fund with a resolution that the money would be sacred and not used for anything except the fire department."

The meeting adjourned with an agreement from the fire department and city to have representatives meet together and make sure the funds are legally safe from any use other than for fire department needs.

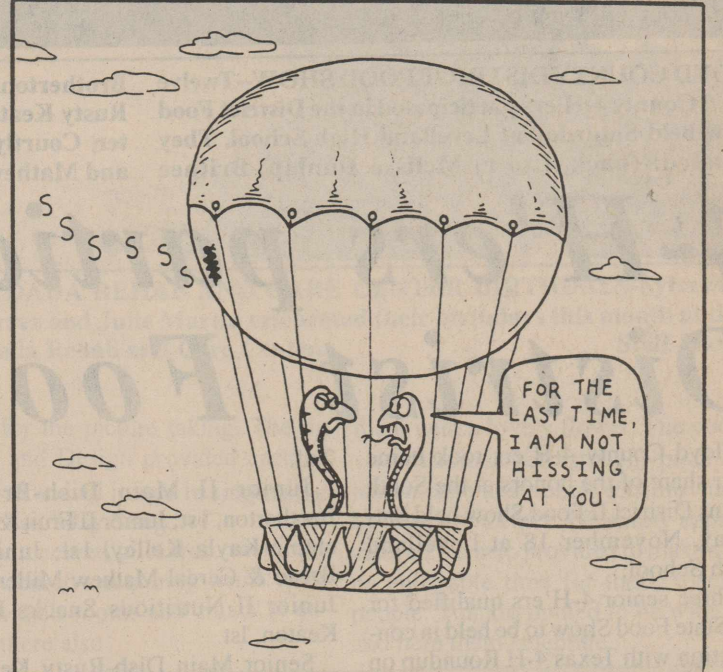
This newspaper is currently selling Christmas greetings for the Christmas edition.

If you would like your family or business to have a greeting in the paper, please call this office at 983-3737.



Aminals

By David Sung



Hospital finalizes plans for Health Fair

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the doctors at W.J. Mangold Hospital, and the savings bond is a donation from City Bank.

Other door prizes will be provided by Clark Pharmacy, Davis Lumber, Lee's Video, Kaleidoscope, Heart's Desire, Consumers Fuel, Lowe's Pay-N-Save, J&K Insurance, and Schacht Flowers Jewelry & Gifts.

Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center will be at the Fair to do mammography. If you would like to

make an appointment for a mammogram, you may do so by calling 1-800-377-4673. United Blood Institute will be holding a blood drive and there will also be bone marrow testing at this year's fair. There will be over 30

booths providing glaucoma checks, cholesterol screens, blood sugar and blood pressure checks, body fat evaluations and posture evaluations. Flu shots, pneumonia shots and immunizations will be available for a nominal fee.

There will also be representatives for optometry, home health, Hospice, medical equipment, PTO, Catholic Family Services, hearing aids, Health and Rehab, WIC, poison control, Rural Nurse Resource, YMCA, and Aero Care.

Again this year at the Health Fair will be "Project KidCare" a children's identification project that provides a picture and current information about your child in a handy vinyl pocket. This is part of a national effort to pro-

vide parents with personal safety id's of their children in the event of an emergency. KidCare is being offered as a free public service to families in the area. If your child attended last year, bring your packet to be updated. If you didn't attend last year, a new packet will be issued.

"Holiday Health Fair" will also have children's activities booths available. Local and area merchants will provide door prizes, and a healthy lunch will be available.

How to avoid being a cramming victim

If you've ever found charges on your phone bill for services you didn't order or for services you never received, you may be the victim of "cramming." Cramming is the addition of charges to your bill for unauthorized services.

Sometimes these charges go unnoticed because customers don't read their phone bills closely. And sometimes the charge is paid simply because customers don't understand what the charges are for and are fearful their credit rating will suffer or their phone will be disconnected if they do not pay.

Telephone customers in Texas have protections against cramming thanks to Public Utility Commission (PUC) rules. The rules specify that before a charge for any product or service can be added to your phone bill, the service provider must inform you about the product and its associated charges, obtain your consent for the charges and provide a toll-free line for customers to call for information.

If you find any unfamiliar charges on your bill or charges for a service you did not order, you do not have to pay those charges.

Your local service cannot be disconnected for non-payment of disputed charges. You must, however, pay the rest of your bill.

To correct this problem contact your

Light the Cross Memorials

Donations to the Light the Cross Fund have been made in memory of: Roger Blair by Donna Harmon and Brenda Walker; Frank Breed by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Snell; J.N. Richardson by Thomas and Marie Warren.

Donations to the Light The Cross Fund may be made at the American State Bank to the Ministerial Alliance Fund.

The fund will pay the ongoing expense involved with maintenance and monthly bills. Please give names on memorials and honorees and cards will be sent.

local phone company and tell them you are disputing the unauthorized charges. Contact the company billing you for the unauthorized charges and tell them you did not order the services and will not pay for them. Tell them to remove the charges from your bill and not to bill you in the future for those charges.

If the charges are listed under the name of a company acting as a billing agent, be sure to contact the company making the charges and not just the billing agent. The billing agent may not be able to remove the charges.

PUC rules require companies to refund or credit customers who have paid unauthorized charges. A customer must consent to charges for ser-

vices either in writing or verbally to an independent third party, not the company selling the services. The cramming company must keep records of disputed charges for at least two years, including the customer's telephone number, the date the customer requested removal of the unauthorized charges, the date the charges were removed and the date of refund or credit to the customer.

Texas telephone customers should receive a cramming bill of rights from their phone providers either by mail or in phone directories.

If you think you have been crammed, file a complaint with the PUC. Companies that violate the PUC's cramming rules may be penal-

ized up to \$5,000 per day per violation.

For more information about cramming, or if you have other questions relating to your telephone or electric service, call the PUC toll free at 1-888-PUC-TIPS (1-888-782-8477). You may also write the PUC Office of Customer Protection at P.O. Box 13326, Austin, Texas 78711-3266, email at customer@puc.state.tx.us or visit online at www.puc.state.tx.us.

John Redding will be honored with a retirement reception on Wednesday December 29th from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Floydada Post Office. Friends and patrons are welcome

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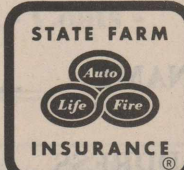
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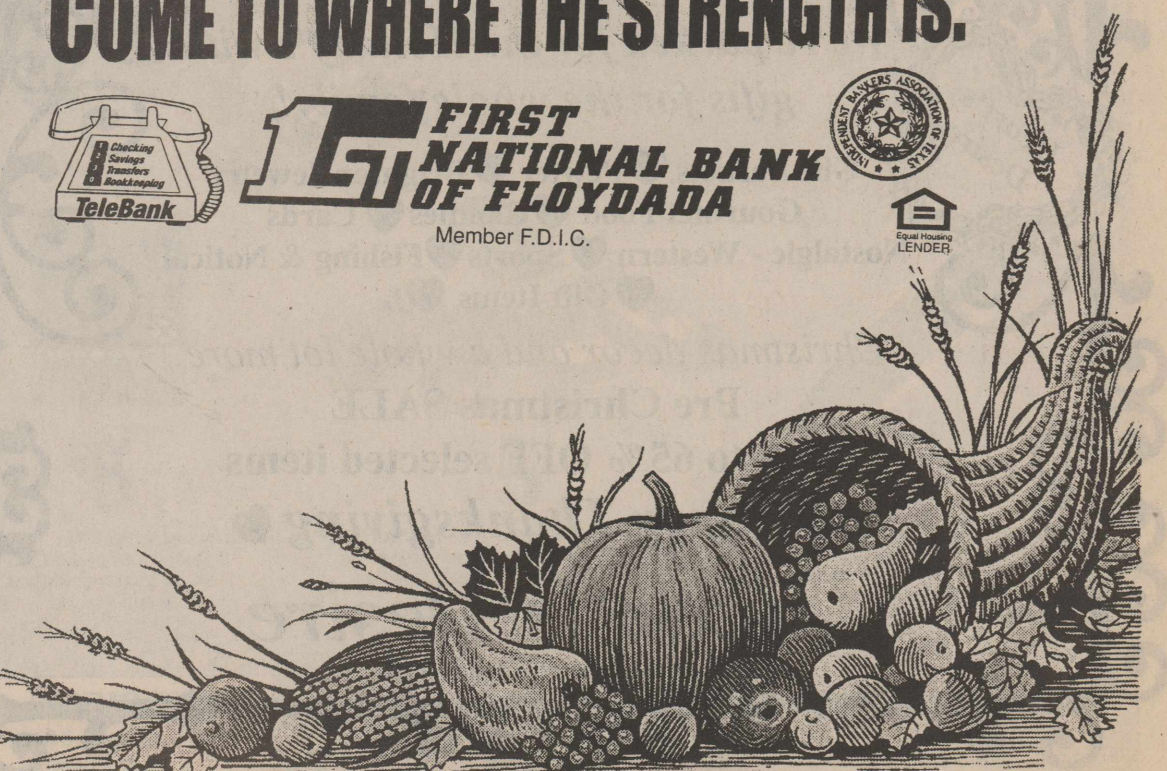
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FLOYD COUNTY DISTRICT FOOD SHOW-- Twelve Floyd County 4-H'ers participated in the District Food Show held Saturday at Levelland High School. They included: (back, l to r) Melissa Dunlap, Britnee

Brotherton, Kami Keaton, Molly Long, Laura Miller, Rusty Keaton; (front, l to r) Kayla Kelley, Senee' Foster, Courtlyn Long, Daryn McCarter, Kyler Ellison, and Mathew Miller.

4-H'ers participate in District Food Show

Floyd County 4-H'ers took home their share of the honors at the South Plains District II Food Show held Saturday, November 18 at Levelland High School.

Three senior 4-H'ers qualified for the State Food Show to be held in conjunction with Texas 4-H Roundup on the Texas A&M Campus June 11-15 and will compete for \$1,000 scholarships.

These 4-H'ers all placed first in their respective age divisions and categories which qualified them for the district event.

4-H'ers entered included: Junior I Main Dish-Kyler Ellison, 1st; Junior I Fruit & Vegetable-Senee' Foster, participation; Junior I Bread & Cereal-Courtlyn Long, participation; Junior I Nutritious Snacks, Daryn McCarter,

2nd.

Junior II Main Dish-Britnee Brotherton, 1st; Junior II Fruit & Vegetable-Kayla Kelley, 1st; Junior II Bread & Cereal-Mathew Miller, 1st; Junior II Nutritious Snacks-Kami Keaton, 1st.

Senior Main Dish-Rusty Keaton, 1st; Senior Fruit & Vegetable-Melissa Dunlap, 2nd; Senior Bread & Cereal-Molly Long, 1st; Senior Nutritious Snacks-Laura Miller, 1st.

4-H'ers also participated in a district wide community service project of donating canned goods to the Hockley County Food Box.

4-H'ers also exhibiting displays at the District Food Show included: Melissa Dunlap, Laura Miller, Mathew Miller, Molly Long and Rusty and Kami Keaton.

The District Food Show is the Achievement event of the 4-H Food & Nutrition Project. Food & Nutrition projects include food preparation, tours and project activities. The food show consists of food preparation and display along with an interview over nutrition information.

Extension programs serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, disability or national origin. The Texas A&M University System, U. S. Department of Agriculture and the County Commissioners Courts of Texas Cooperating. We will seek to accommodate all persons with disabilities for all meetings. We request that you contact the Floyd County Extension Office as soon as possible to advise us of any auxiliary and/or services needed.

Floydada Senior Citizen News

By Margarette Word

The center is open Monday through Friday. If you plan on eating lunch, please call the center at 983-2032 by 10:00 a.m.

Charles Holland of Ft. Worth, son of T.L. and Dorothy Holland, was here to attend Grace Grundy's funeral and also to visit his parents. A few days later another son David Holland Western Colorado came to visit and spent several days with his parents.

Several days ago I received a very nice letter and donation from Bill and Jodi Brown - The following is part of the letter.

"Jodi and I would like to make a donation in memory of all the veterans who gave the supreme sacrifice and their families. Especially in memory of Nancy and Cornelius Alexander who were double gold star parents and gave two of their sons, Malvin and Oliver in World War II. Also in honor of their third son Leonard, who was grievously wounded and awarded the Purple Heart Medal. The three sons were in the South Pacific fighting for the liberty and rights we all enjoy today.

Leonard lives in the Lakeview Community."

Our sympathy to the family of Claude Weathersbee.

Our sympathy to the family of Helen Maurine Ferguson Gregg.

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

In memory of **Grace Grundy**: Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Matsler, Lois Jones, Mr. and Mrs. E.S. Murray, Francis Gunter, Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Welch, Elizabeth Armstrong, Buddy and Barbara Hatley, Virginia Carver, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Smitherman, Martha Farris, Hollis and Jo Payne, Grace Jarrett, Nedra Pruett, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gallaway, Gene Lawson, Ruth Hammonds.

In memory of **Glena Miller**: Elizabeth Armstrong.

In memory of **J.N. Richardson**: Virginia Carver.

In memory of **Frank Breed**: Gene Lawson.

In memory of **Claude Weathersbee**: Gene Lawson, Margarette Word, Fay and Ruby Gooch, Ruth Hammonds.

In memory of **Nancy and Cornelius Alexander, Malvin Alexander, Oliver Alexander and in honor of Leonard Alexander**: Bill and Jodi Brown.

Thought For the Week

If you can't feed a hundred people, then feed just one.

Mother Teresa

MENU

November 27-December 1

Monday-Stuffed Baked Potato, BBQ Beef, broccoli and cheese, pears, hot roll, peanut butter cookies.

Tuesday-Baked Ham and Pine-apple, rice, Chinese or mixed vegetable, wheat roll, gingerbread.

Wednesday-Salisbury steak, green peas, cauliflower, biscuit or cornbread, peach pie or cobbler.

Thursday-Hamburger on a Bun/Roll, lettuce, tomato, onion, hash browns or tots, three bean salad, pineapple gelatin, mayo, mustard, ketchup.

Friday-Chili Con Carne, onions, peppers, carrot raisen salad, cornbread, banana lime gelatin.

Lockney Senior Citizen News

By Gene Newton

Another week, and we need to be thankful for the sun today, for our farmers need it.

The center will be closed the 23 & 24 to celebrate Thanksgiving.

The Wampler will be at the center November 30th from 10:00 a.m. till noon to service your hearing aids and test your hearing.

The passing of Arvie's sister, Clara McClure in Tahlequah, Oklahoma, Thursday 16th was attended by Arvie and Gene Newton.

Thanks to Gladys Bobbitt for doing the books while I was away.

We have quilt tickets to sell. The quilt will be given away November 30th at the Pot Luck Supper.

Bring a dish and join us!

MENU

November 27 - December 1
Monday-Chicken Casserole, vegetables, salad, dessert.

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

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

Thursday-Meat Loaf, vegetables, salad, dessert.

Friday-Chicken Enchiladas, vegetables, salad, dessert.

Happy Thanksgiving

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1934 Study Club

By Margarette Word

The 1934 Study Club met Tuesday November 14th in the home of Diana Glover with Margarette Word as co-hostess.

President Wanda Turner called the meeting to order. She asked Recording Secretary, Marie Warren, to call the roll with members answering "Something I'm Thankful For." Mrs. Warren also read the minutes of our last meeting and they were approved as read.

During the business meeting Betty Threadgill's name was presented to the club by Margarette Word to become a new member. Members voted unanimously for her to join us.

Exchange of Christmas gifts were

discussed. We voted to each bring \$5.00 and we will donate the money to "Relay For Life" which will take place in June 2001.

Diana Glover introduced Amy Hollums our guest speaker for the evening.

Ms. Hollum's gave us information about our new library which she had a big part in getting the County Library moved from the Court House to the new location across the street east of the Court House. It took people and lots of money from donations and grants to see this dream come true. It is a very beautiful building and one we all should use often and be very proud of. Ms. Hollums also talked about new programs to start such as

computer training, English as a second language, citizenship classes, and several other programs to be developed in the future. It was a very informative program. Questions and answers followed the program.

Refreshments were served to the following guest and members: Betsy Dempsey, Effie Foster, Diana Glover, Emagene Haenisch, Nell McClung, Flora McNeill, Frieda Simpson, Wanda Turner, Marie Warren, Ila White, Margarette Word, and our guest Amy Hollums.

Our next meeting will be our Christmas party, December 12th in the home of Flora McNeill with Nell McClung as co-hostess. Frieda Simpson will bring our program.

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LITTLE LONGHORNS NAMED-- Named as Little Longhorns at Lockney Elementary for the week of November 27- December 1 are; (back row, l to r) Ashley McCulloch, Jordan Sherman, Desiree DeLeon, Brit-tany Mathis, Maria Sanchez; (middle row, l to r) Jessie

Peralez, Steven Hern, Malory Johnson, Lexi Terrell, Matthew Rendon; (front row l to r) Barcos Bernal, Jose Guerrero, Mackenzie Kemp, Tylee Williams, Clay Bigham, Samantha Medlin, Kami Hunt.

Staff Photo

Students write acrostics

The students in Margaret Jones' 6th grade Language and Writing classes at Floydada Jr. High, composed the following Thanksgiving acrostics expressing their thoughts about this very special time of year.

Thanksgiving thoughts were written by classes as a collaborative effort. They wish you a Blessed Holiday!

Students' names accompany their writings.

Thanksgiving Pleasure

Thankful for the God above,
Happy that the whole families there.
Asking God for His love,
Nothing's better than the care we share.
Keeping every loved one in our hearts,
Sharing all that is far and near.
Glad that we are not far apart,
In God's heart, we are always dear.
Visiting family from West to East,
Inside our homes, thanks is a treasure.
Nothings better than a Thanksgiving feast;

Giving thanks! What a pleasure!!
Written by: Kayla Kelley, Michael Ortega, Juliann Rannels, Kristy Hopper, Morgan Marble, Raymond Gutierrez, Amanda Garibay, Ray Everett, Helen Gutierrez, Cam Battey, Randy Webb, Timothy Vargas, Britnee Brotherton, Matthew Barrientos, J.J. Alaniz, Magan Flores.

Thanksgiving Time

Thankful always in rain or shine,
Hear the church bells always chime.
After the feast, laughter fills the air
Never hear a cry or tear.
Kindness always makes us cheer!
Share, care, with the ones we love,
Giving Thanks for the Lord above.
I'll never see a frown, but a smile from ear-to-ear!
Visiting friends and family far and near,
Inviting relatives that are oh, so dear.
Never, ever, say good-bye to the joy.
Good times, for every Girl and Boy!
Written by: Jasmine Ferrer, Justin Chavarria, Abran Enrriquez, Savannah Garza, Michael Rodriguez, Michelle Yannis, Julia Gonzales, Robert Luna, Joann Gonzales, Ricky Suarez, Eric Rainwater, Stephanie Carrasco, Buck Foster, Luis Juarez, Hope Ruiz, Kimberly Luna, Sandra Rendon, Douglas Williams, Nicholas Espinosa.

Thanks

Thanksgiving is a time of celebration,
Having a special holiday for our nation.
Always giving "Thanks" in all we do,
No holiday like this for me and you.
Kicking our "Thanks" up to the Lord,
Still hoping He will accept, in accord.
Giving and sharing "Thanks," seems so right.
Inviting relatives to share the night.
Visualizing the "Thanks" we would like to give.
In our hearts, God will always live!
Never ending "Thanks" will always be here.
Going and coming happiness, so dear!

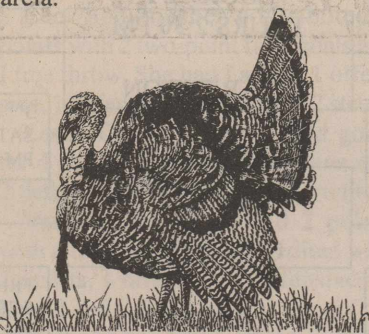
Written by: JoAnn Caballero, Tate Jones, Lolly Garza, Isabel Rijas, Shannon Bolton, Kaylynn Wickware.

Laura Deleon, Josh Price, Eddie Lopez, Kelsey Ross, Tomas Hernandez, Michael White, Carrie Gomez, Paul Marmolejo, Erika Davila.

Thanksgiving Day

Thanksgiving is a joyous time of year
Having fun with people far and near.
All this time I've been waiting,
Now we need some Celebrating!
Kindness is good, people are caring,
See the children sharing and sharing.
Giving our hearts, showing our love,
It wraps around us like a warm glove.
Visions of feasts...My, oh, my!!
Indefinite pleasures of turkey and pie.
Now it's time to enjoy
Thanksgiving,
Granting our thanks for the gift of living.

Written By: Katie Beth Crossland, Pedro Aguilar, Mikey Arevello, Taylor Beedy, Melissa DeLa Cerda, Gabino Ramos, Stephanie Ramirez, Ricardo Castillo, Dante Paz, Claudette Garcia.



Thanksgiving, Love and Grace

Thanksgiving is a joyful holiday,
Happiness comes in every way.
Asking God to help us pray,
Kneeling down to say a grace,
Smiles are always on every face.
Giving love in every unique way,
Igniting a family for the day.
Visiting and sharing on this Thanksgiving season,
Inviting everyone for a special reason.
Grateful for family; one to each other!

Written by: Arthur Castillo, Nicole Aleman, Adriana Delafuente, Tell Fuller, Gerardo Mata, Veronica Tamayo, Kimberly Garza, Amber Hill, Chelsea Rando, Steven Gutierrez, Mary Ann, Justin Vargas, Marlen Carmona, Tana Lloyd.

Thanksgiving Prayer

Thank you Jesus, for this day,
He'll be in our soul anyway.
Annual rejoicing every year.
Never failing to share blessings here
Kind, not hateful time of year,
Sharing our food with loved ones near.
Giving our blessing everywhere,
It is a day we give thanks for life,
Very lively and very bright.
It only comes once a year.
Now go share the Thanksgiving gift
Gives our heart and soul a lift.
Written by: Kallie Ferguson, Bradon Rainwater, Gracie Torres, Rena Garza, Taylor Hilburn, Alma Hernandez, Kayla Luna, Joe Manuel DeLa Fuente, Anthony Hernandez, Ryan Moner.

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Rest Home celebrates Birthday's

By Lorilla Bradley

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And through the many years shes lived
She has seen and learned a "plenty"!

We honor Mr. Gutierrez
For all his many years.
May every one from this day on
Be filled with joy and cheers!

To cheer these special people
Let's do the Birthday Song.
So join us in the singing
And come out good and strong.



FLOYDADA REHAB AND CARE CENTER BIRTHDAYS--Sylvester Guterrez and Julie Martin celebrated their birthdays this month at the Floydada Rehab and Care Center.

Staff Photo

Thursday, November 16th was birthday time at the Rehab and Care Center with the party being hosted by members of the City Park Church of Christ.

The honorees were seated in the lobby and the Hesperian photographer

came for the picture taking. The dg Floral and Design provided each of was read and all joined in singing the Happy Birthday Song.

They received gifts from members of the church containing items to be used in their rooms and 'treats' to enjoyed there also.

A delicious refreshment plate of lemon cake and punch was provided by the Care Center. We surely appreciate all the help provided to make this an enjoyable time for these special people. You are invited to be with us and help them celebrate.

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Whirlwinds play exciting game against state-ranked Farwell

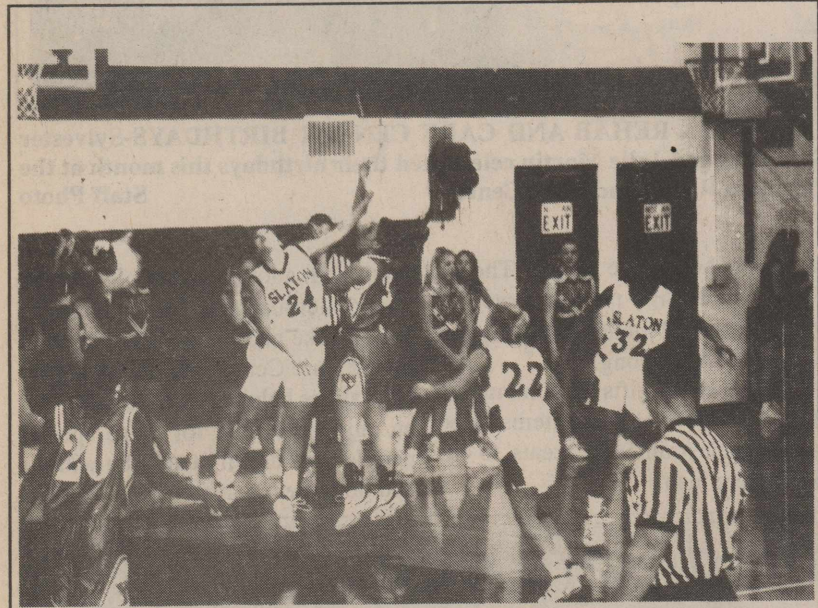
By Coach Stovall
FLOYDADA 67
FARWELL 69
 FLOYDADA--The Whirlwinds traveled to Farwell on November 17 to take on the Steers in a very exciting game that came down to the buzzer.
 We played great both offensively and defensively. We just let one get away. Farwell is a very good team - they are ranked 11th in Class 1A. It was very encouraging to have a chance to beat them on their home court.
 We got in foul trouble early and that hurt us. The 'Winds forced 25 turn-

overs but the Steers made 28 free throws. Every Whirlwind contributed to this game.
 The 'Winds had two players that had a double-double for the night. Scoring 16 points for the game was Amado Morales. He had 10 rebounds, 6 assists and 2 steals. Jermaine Wickware added 12 points to the scoreboard along with 14 rebounds and 4 steals.
 Scoring in double digits for the night was Brady Rainwater with 10 points along with 9 rebounds and 3 steals.
 Bryce Bowley also sank 10 points for the game. He added 4 rebounds and 1 assist.

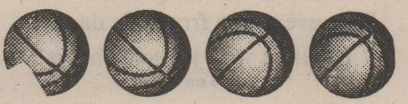
Scott Nixon contributed to the game with 6 points and 2 steals.
 Edward Porter sank 6 points along with 6 rebounds, 1 assist and 2 steals.
 Dustin Covington also added 6 points to the scoreboard and had 2 rebounds and 1 steal.
 Tyler Helms rounded out the scoring with 1 point along with 1 rebound, 6 assists and 3 steals.
 Also contributing to this exciting game was T.J. Fuller with 3 rebounds.
 Season record: 0-2

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Floydada	17	23	16	11
Farwell	20	14	17	18



UP AND OVER-Lady Winds Abby Sanders goes up and over a Slaton Lady Tiger to score 2 points. Jessica Castaneda blocks out other Lady Tigers. Floydada came up short with a 55-31 score. (see related story)
 Photo by Rhonda Stovall



Lady 'Winds lose opener to Slaton Lady Tigers

FLOYDADA 31
SLATON 55
 FLOYDADA--The Lady 'Winds Basketball Team traveled to Slaton on November 14 to take on the Lady Tigers in their season opener.
 Two Lady 'Winds scored in double digits for the game. Abby Sanders scored 11 points with 2 field goals and 7 free throws. She also had 1 offensive rebound, 4 defensive rebounds and 1 assist.
 Also scoring 11 points was Tamara Black. She had 5 field goals and 1 free throw along with 5 offensive rebounds, 2 defensive rebounds and 1 steal.
 Erin Ralston added 6 points to the scoreboard. She hit 2 field goals and

2 free throws. She had 1 offensive rebound and 1 assist.
 Trisha Coursey made 1 free throw and had 1 assist.
 Mandy Holbert sank 1 free throw and had 2 defensive rebounds.
 Tara Williams also made 1 free throw along with 1 offensive rebound, 2 defensive rebounds and 5 steals.
 Ragan Beedy made 2 assists and 1 defensive rebound.
 Jessica Castaneda had 2 assists, 1 defensive rebound and 3 steals.
 Jenna Payne contributed with 1 defensive rebound.

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Floydada	3	7	10	11
Slaton	14	13	15	13

Lady 'Winds win big over Springlake-Earth

FLOYDADA 52
SPRINGLAKE EARTH 44
 FLOYDADA--The Lady 'Winds traveled to Springlake Earth on November 17 and came away with their first win of the season.
 The Lady 'Winds came out scoring early in the game and never let up. They also played good defense as they caused 27 turnovers.
 Leading the scoring for the Lady 'Winds and scoring in double digits was Tamara Black. She had 13 points with 5 field goals and 3 free throws. She also added 2 offensive rebounds, 3 defensive rebounds and 1 blocked shot.
 Also having a good game and scoring in double digits was Jessica Castaneda with 12 points. She sank 1 field goal and 10 free throws. She had 5 assists, 2 offensive rebounds, 1 defensive rebound, and 2 steals.
 Erin Ralston also scored in double digits with 12 points. She hit 4 field goals and 4 free throws. She made 2

assists and 4 defensive rebounds.
 Tara Williams was close behind in scoring with 9 points. She sank 3 field goals and 3 free throws. She had 1 assist, 2 defensive rebounds and 4 steals.
 Ragan Beedy contributed to the game with 4 points. She hit 1 three-pointer and 1 free throw. She added 3 assists, 3 defensive rebounds and 2 steals for the game.
 Rounding out the scoring for the game was Abby Sanders with 2 points. She sank 1 field goal. She added 2 assists, 1 defensive rebound and 1 steal.
 Also contributing to the game was Trisha Coursey with 1 assist, 1 defensive rebound and 1 steal.
 Jenna Payne also had 2 defensive rebounds and 1 blocked shot.
 Season record: 1-1

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Floydada	15	13	12	12
Springlake-Earth	11	10	8	15



GOING FOR TWO-Whirlwind Brady Rainwater shoots for 2 points, while Amado Morales and Edward Porter look on in their game against Slaton. Floydada fell 50-34 on the scoreboard. Photo by Rhonda Stovall

Whirlwinds lose season opener to Slaton Tigers

FLOYDADA 34
SLATON 50
 The Floydada Whirlwind Basketball Team opened their season on November 14 with a match against the Slaton Tigers.
 The Whirlwinds struggled offensively in their first outing of the season but played very good defensively. They caused several Slaton turnovers and the Winds out-rebounded the Tigers.
 Jermaine Wickware and Amado Morales both led the way for the Whirlwinds with 10 points each.
 Wickware also led the team with 9 rebounds and he had 1 steal. Morales contributed with 2 rebounds, 2 assists and 4 steals.
 Edward Porter sank 8 points in the game with 7 rebounds, 1 assist and 4 steals.

Tyler Helms contributed 2 points with 6 rebounds, 3 assists and 3 steals.
 Brady Rainwater also added 2 points to the scoreboard along with 8 rebounds and 4 steals.
 Rounding out the scoring was Bryce Bowley with 2 points. He also had 2 rebounds.
 Also contributing defensively was Dustin Covington with 6 rebounds.
 T.J. Fuller had 3 rebounds and Scott Nixon ended the night with 1 steal.
 Coach Stovall added, "We played with some great effort but we need to improve alot on offensive. I thought we played very aggressively on defense as we caused Slaton to have 27 turnovers and we out-rebounded Slaton 43-27."

SCORES BY QUARTERS

Floydada	3	8	11	12
Slaton	11	19	13	7

FLOYDADA GIRLS BASKETBALL REPORT

LADY WINDS JV 44
SLATON JV 45
 The Floydada Lady Winds JV Basketball Team traveled to Slaton on November 14 and played a good game against the Lady Tigers JV team.
 Leading the scoring for the Lady Winds was Heather Ware with 22 points with 10 field goals and 2 free throws.
 Brooke Hayes was close behind with 8 points. She hit 3 field goals and 2 free throws.
 Laura Reddy sank 2 field goals and 1 free throw for 5 points.
 Scoring 4 points was Ashley Hale. She sank 2 field goals.
 Yolanda Bursleson hit one field goal and 1 free throw for a total of 3 points.
 Rounding out the scoring was Kimber Bennett with 2 points. She made 1 field goal.
 Season Record: 0-1

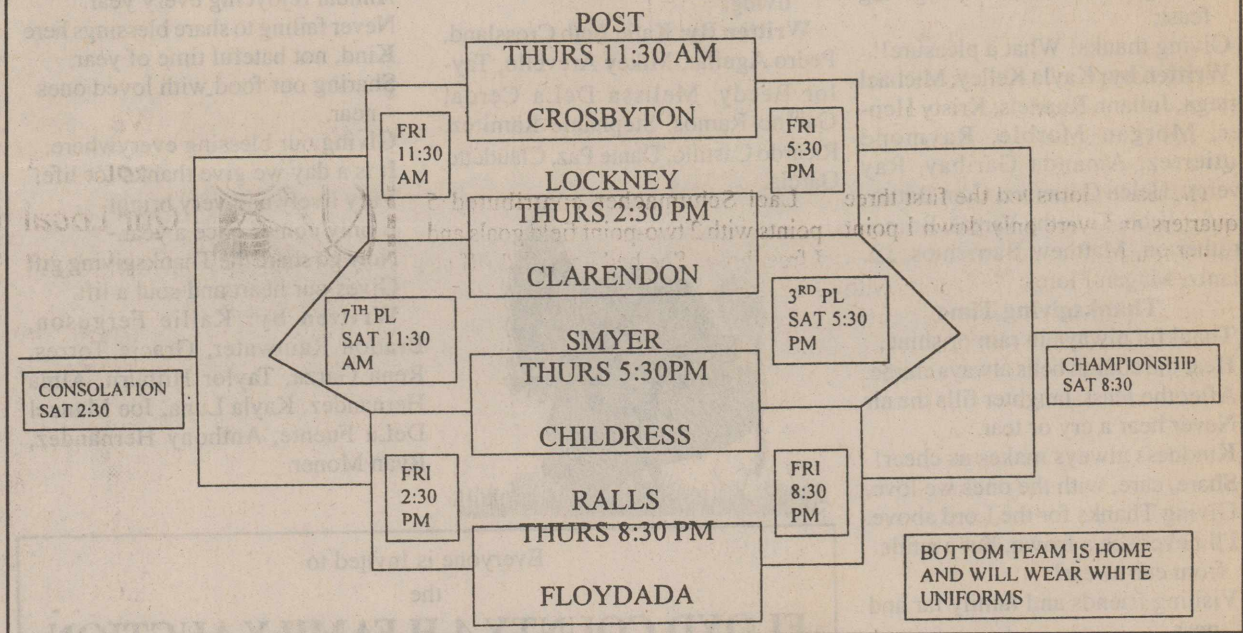
SCORES BY QUARTERS

Floydada	12	9	11	12
Slaton	10	11	7	17

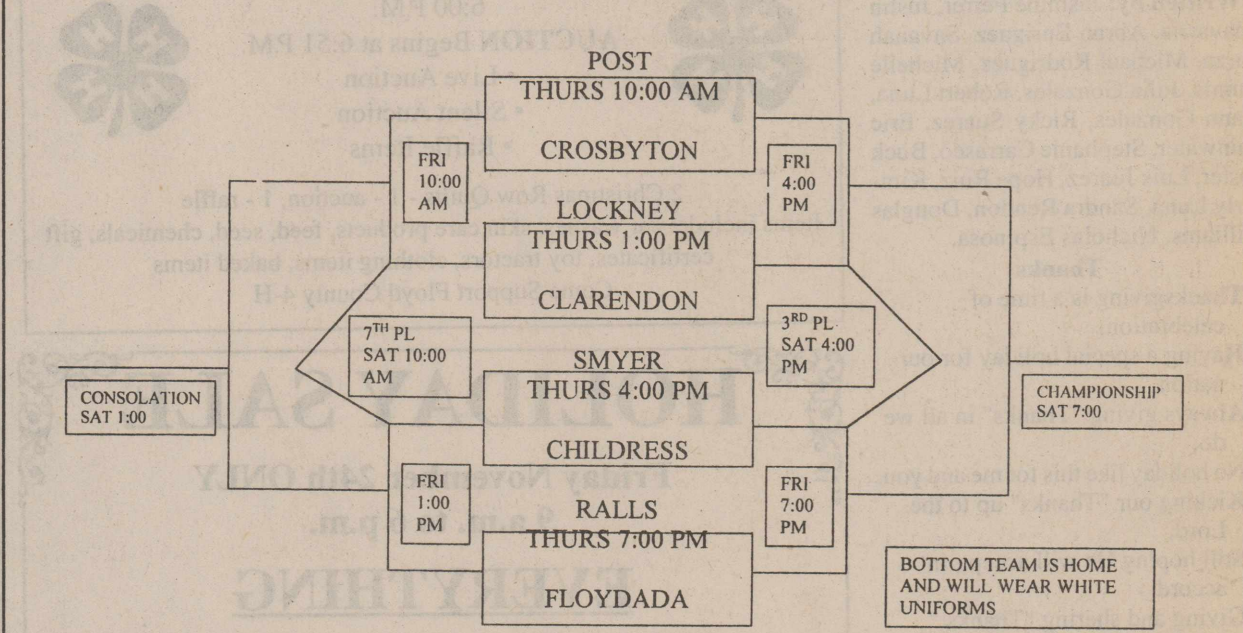
LADY WINDS FRESHMAN 44
OLTON FRESHMAN 28
 The Lady 'Winds Freshman Basketball Team hosted Olton on November 13 and came away with a huge victory by a score of 44-28.
 Coach Debra Stovall comments, "We played hard for our first game. Now we know what we need to work on for the next game."
 Leading the scoring for the Lady 'Winds was Antwonette Agy with 15 points. She sank 7 field goals and 1 free throw.
 Also scoring in double digits with 13 points was Alyssa Bennett. She hit 4 field goals and 5 free throws.
 Rounding out the scoring with 10 big points was Amanda DeChant. She made 5 field goals.
SCORES BY QUARTERS

Floydada	11	8	10	15
Olton	2	9	9	8

FLOYDADA CLASSIC V NOVEMBER 30 - DECEMBER 2 VARSITY BOYS BRACKET



FLOYDADA CLASSIC V NOVEMBER 30 - DECEMBER 2 VARSITY GIRLS BRACKET



FLOYDADA WHIRLWIND BASKETBALL FRESHMAN SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Nov. 17	Farwell JV	There	6:00
Nov. 20	Hale Center	There	7:00
Nov. 27	Hale Center	Here	7:00
Dec. 4	Crosbyton	There	7:00
Dec. 7, 8, 9	All Saints Tourn.	There	TBA
Dec. 11	Abernathy	Here	7:00
Jan. 4	Friona	Here	7:00
Jan. 6	Idalou Tourn.	There	TBA
Jan. 8	Trinity Christian	There	6:00
Jan. 15	Hale Center	There	7:00
Jan. 22	Crosbyton	Here	7:00
Jan. 29	Abernathy	There	7:00
Feb. 3	Motley Co. JV Tournament	There	TBA

The 9th grade game will start after the 8th grade game. The times are approximate.

The date of the All-Saints Tournament may change.

FLOYDADA HIGH SCHOOL 9th LADY WINDS BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Nov. 16	Olton	There	7:00
Nov. 20	Trinity Christian	Here	7:00
Nov. 27	Lockney	There	7:00
Dec. 4	Olton	Here	7:00
Dec. 7, 9	All Saints	There	TBA
Dec. 11	Episcopal Tourn		
Dec. 11	Abernathy	There	7:00
Jan. 4	Friona	There	7:00
Jan. 8	Trinity Christian	There	7:00
Jan. 15	Lockney	Here	7:00
Jan. 22	Olton	There	7:00
Jan. 29	Abernathy	Here	7:00
Feb. 3	Motley County Tournament	There	TBA

FLOYDADA JUNIOR HIGH LADY BREEZERS 2000-2001 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	7th	8th
Nov. 16	Olton	There	5:00	6:00
Nov. 20	Hale Center	Here	5:00	6:00
Nov. 27	Lockney	There	5:00	6:00
Dec. 4	Crosbyton	Here	5:00	6:00
Dec. 11	Abernathy	There	5:00	6:00
Jan. 4	Friona	There	5:00	6:00
Jan. 8	Morton	Here	5:00	6:00
Jan. 13	Idalou Tourn.	There	TBA	TBA
Jan. 15	Lockney	Here	5:00	6:00
Jan. 22	Crosbyton	There	5:00	6:00
Jan. 29	Abernathy	Here	5:00	6:00
Feb. 1, 3	District Tourn (Lockney)	There	TBA	TBA

FLOYDADA WHIRLWIND BASKETBALL JUNIOR HIGH SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Nov. 20	Hale Center	There	5:00
Nov. 27	Lockney	Here	5:00
Dec. 4	Crosbyton	There	5:00
Dec. 11	Abernathy	Here	5:00
Dec. 14, 16	Idalou Jr. High Tournament	There	TBA
Jan. 4	Friona	Here	5:00
Jan. 8	Morton	There	5:00
Jan. 15	Lockney	There	5:00
Jan. 22	Crosbyton	Here	5:00
Jan. 29	Abernathy	There	5:00
Feb. 1, 3	Dist. 5-2A Tourn.	Here	TBA

The 8th grade game will follow the 7th grade game and will start at approximately 6:00.

Revised 9-19-00

Lady Horns basketball teams ready for season

LOCKNEY—Members of the Lockney High School and Junior High girls basketball teams are off and running as the 2000-2001 season begins. Coaches for the girls teams are Joe Don Elam, head coach; and Lisa Schumacher.

Members of the Lady Horns team are: Elizabeth Torrez, Sr.; Jenna Ford, Jr.; Brandy Collins, Sr.; Vanessa Walker, Jr.; Leslie Cuellar, Soph.; Laci Schumacher, Soph.; Janee Hrbacek, Soph.; Holly Arjona, Sr.; and Alana Gallaway, Jr.

The Junior Varsity roster includes: Jet Gilly, Jr.; Ashley Cuellar, Soph.; April Dorman, Soph.; Margaret Blanco, Jr.; Tasha Powell, Soph.; LaShay Pritchard, Jr.; Vanessa Luebano, Soph.; Kayla Graves, Soph.; Jalee Dietrich, Soph.; Lacy Austin,

Soph.; Melinda Luna, Jr.

Freshman team members include: Cammy Lass, MariCruz Ramirez, Roseanne Castillo, Tiffany Taylor, Mandy Hancock, Lacey Durham and Roxy Moreno.

Members of the eighth grade squad are: Sasha Wood, Sarah Martinez, Aracely Luna, Emily Mercado, Ashley Brock, Heather Hennagan, Amanda Garza, Shelley Pachiano, Addie Foster, Isabell Torrez, Jana Miller, Teresa Day, Meagan Stapp, Karah Hrbacek.

Seventh grade players include: Avery Aston, Amber Dorman, Tori Terrell, Trinity Ford, Kami Keaton, Emily Mercado, Tana Smith, Rebekah Thornton, Alex Hall, Malerie Luebano, Cassandra Carrillo, April Lopez.

Lady Horns defeat Petersburg in opener

The Lockney Lady Horns defeated the Petersburg Lady Buffs 57-49 in the season opener, November 14. The game was played on the Buff's home court. The Lady Horns led three of the quarters and were only down by two points in the third quarter.

Leading scorer for the Lady Horns was Elizabeth Torrez. She added 16 points to the scoreboard with 5 two-point and 2 three-point field goals. She contributed 1 offensive rebound, 1 defensive rebound, 1 steal and 1 assist.

Jenna Ford and Brandy Collins both turned in 13 points. Ford scored 6 two-point field goals and 1 free throw. She had 4 assists, 4 offensive rebounds and 3 defensive rebounds, 3 steals and 1 blocked shot. Collins sank 4 two-point field goals and 5 free throws. She had

2 assists, 2 offensive rebounds, 2 defensive rebounds, 4 steals and 3 blocked shots.

Vanessa Walker connected for 8 points with 4 field goals. She had 1 assist, 1 offensive rebound, 2 defensive rebounds, and 5 steals.

Scoring for two points each with field goals were Leslie Cuellar, Laci Schumacher and Janee Hrbacek. Cuellar had 2 offensive and 2 defensive rebounds. Schumacher had 2 assists, 3 offensive rebounds, 3 defensive rebounds and 1 steal to her credit. Hrbacek connected for 1 assist and 1 steal. Holly Arjona added 1 point with a free throw and had 2 defensive rebounds to her credit.

SCORES BY QUARTERS:
Lockney - 16 14 11 16 - 57
Petersburg - 14 10 13 12 - 49
SEASON RECORD 1-0

Lockney girls beat Sundown in 2nd game

Lockney's Lady Horns defeated the ladies from Sundown 57-34 in a game played November 18 on the Lady Horns home court.

The Lady Horns led the first three quarters and were only down 1 point in the fourth.

Brandy Collins led the scoring with 16 points. She sank 6 two-point field goals and 4 free throws. Collins had 1 assist, 1 offensive and 2 defensive rebounds and was responsible for 5 steals.

Jane Hrbacek connected for 12 points with 3 two-point and 2 three-point field goals. She is credited with 1 assist, 2 offensive and 2 defensive rebounds and 1 steal.

Jenna Ford added 10 points to the scoreboard with 3 two-point and 1 three-point field goals and 1 free throw. She had 1 assist, 1 offensive rebound, 2 defensive rebounds and 2 steals.

Elizabeth Torrez scored 8 points

with 3 two-pointers and 2 free throws. She made 3 assists, 2 offensive rebounds, 2 defensive rebounds, and 4 steals.

Laci Schumacher contributed 5 points with 2 two-point field goals and 1 free throw. She had 1 assist, 1 offensive, 1 defensive rebound and 2 steals.

Leslie Cuellar made 2 field goals for 4 points. She had 2 offensive and 2 defensive rebounds to her credit.

Vanessa Walker scored 2 points with a field goal. She is credited with 2 assists, 1 offensive, 1 defensive rebound and 8 steals.

Holly Arjona had 1 offensive and 2 defensive rebounds. Lorena Bernal is credited with 1 assist, and 1 steal. Alana Gallaway made 1 assist, 1 offensive rebound, 1 defensive rebound and 1 steal.

SCORES BY QUARTERS:
Lockney - 17 12 18 10
Sundown - 6 9 11 11
SEASON RECORD: 2-0

Lockney Girls JV Basketball Report

LOCKNEY-19 PETERSBURG-45

The Lockney girls junior varsity team played their first game of the year at Petersburg, November 14. The JV Lady Horns lost out in a rough game played on Petersburg's home court.

Jet Gilly, Ashley Cuellar, April Dorman and Jalee Dietrich each scored four points with 2 field goals. Melinda Luna scored 3 points with 1 field goal and 1 free throw.

SCORES BY QUARTERS
Lockney - 8 14 16 19
Petersburg - 18 30 40 45

HALE CENTER TOURNAMENT

The Lockney Junior Varsity girls placed third in the Hale Center Tournament played November 16, 17, 18.

They defeated Hart in the first game 39-17, were defeated by Tahoka 56-43 in the second game, and defeated Floydada 50-32.

LOCKNEY-39 HART-17

Leading the scoring in the game with Hart was Jalee Dietrich with 15 points. She made 5 held goals and 5 free throws.

Jet Gilly and Amanda Hancock scored 5 points each. Gilly had 2 field goals and 1 free throw. Hancock had 1 field goal and 3 free throws.

Scoring 4 points each were April Dorman and Katy Austin. Dornan made 1 field goal and 2 free throws. Austin made 2 field goals.

Three points each were added by Ashley Cuellar and Vanessa Luebano. Each made 1 field goal and 1 free throw.

SCORES BY QUARTERS
Lockney-4 19 34 39
Hart- 4 12 15 17

LOCKNEY-43 TAHOKA-56

The Lockney girls were defeated by a tough squad from Tahoka in their second game of the tourney.

Ashley Cuellar led the scoring with 17 points. She made 8 field goals and 1 free throw.

Jalee Dietrich added 13 points to the scoreboard with 5 field goals and 3 free throws.

Jet Gilly scored 7 points with 2 two-point and 1 three-point field goal. Katy Austin scored 3 points with a field goal and free throw.

Vanessa Luebano made a field goal for 2 points and Amanda Hancock hit a free throw for 1 point.

SCORES BY QUARTERS
Lockney-8 20 32 43
Tahoka - 16 30 43 56

LOCKNEY-50 FLOYDADA-38

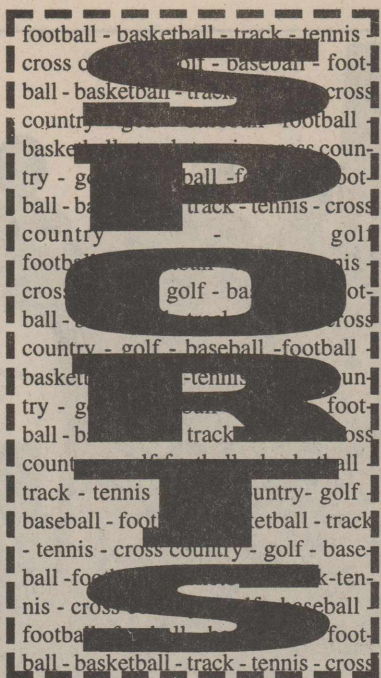
The JV Lady Horns defeated the Floydada JV Lady Winds in the last game of the tourney and took home the third place trophy.

Ashley Cuellar and Jalee Dietrich led the scoring with 15 points each. Both girls sank 7 field goals and 1 free throw.

Scoring 6 points each with field goals were April Dorman and Vanessa Luebano.

Jet Gilly made 8 points with 2 two-point, 1 three-point field goals and 1 free throw.

SCORES BY QUARTERS
Lockney- 15 28 38 50
Floydada- 12 20 27 38



Lockney School Menu

November 27-30

Monday

Breakfast-Breakfast Pizza/Cereal, graham cracker, juice, milk.

Lunch-Spaghetti with Meat Sauce/Pork Patty, tossed salad, green beans, mixed fruit, Italian bread, milk.

Tuesday

Breakfast-Biscuit and gravy/Cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Lunch-Chicken Fried Steak/Corn dogs, mashed potatoes, broccoli, peach halves, milk, hot rolls.

Wednesday

Breakfast-Scrambled Eggs/Cereal, toast, juicemilk.

Lunch-Pig-in-a-Blanket/Grilled Cheese, pinto beans, corn, orange half, milk.

Thursday

Breakfast-Sausage Biscuit/Cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Lunch-Beef Stew/PBJ Sandwich, tossed salad, applesauce, cornbread, milk.

Friday

Breakfast-Cinnamon Roll/Cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Lunch-Hamburger/Burrito, French fries, lettuce, tomatoes, apple cobbler, milk.



The Paper Pulpit

By: Pastor Henry Russell



"DIVIDING THE PECANS"

By Pastor Henry Russell

On the outskirts of a small town, there was a big, old pecan tree just inside the cemetery fence. One day, two boys filled up a basket of nuts and set down by the tree, out of sight, and began dividing the nuts.

"One for you, one for me. One for you, one for me," said one boy. Several dropped and rolled down toward the fence. Another boy came riding along the road and thought he heard voices from inside the cemetery. He slowed down to investigate. Sure enough, he heard, "One for you and one for me. One for you and one for me. He just knew what it was.

"Oh my", he shuddered, it's Satan and the Lord dividing up the souls at the cemetery. He jumped back on his bike and road off. Just around the bend he met an old man with a cane, hobbling along.

"Come here quick", said the boy.

Lockney Longhorns ends great season in Amarillo Friday night

A great season for the Lockney Longhorns came to a crushing halt Friday night, at Dick Bivins field in Amarillo, against the Canadian Wildcats.

Injuries proved to be the enemy that this year's Longhorn team couldn't defeat. By the end of Friday's game, Lockney was without its two leading rushers. Mo Collins could only watch with a broken hip as his teammates struggled to move the ball. Chase Graves was moved from quarterback to tailback during last week's game against Abernathy, but he sprang an ankle. On Lockney's first offensive series against Canadian, it became obvious that he would not be able to go. Jeremy Butler, Kelsey Hooten and Jared Lambert took turns as tailbacks. Before the end of their battle against the Wildcats, Jeremy Butler and Chad Johnson (fullback) would leave the game with fractured ankles.

Mo Collins finished the season with 1,601 net yards rushing. Chase Graves had 614 net yards rushing on the year and 397 yards in the air.

The Longhorn defense looked good most of the evening. They never allowed the Wildcats to really establish any kind of rhythm. On Canadian's first possession they started on Lockney's 43-yard line. They moved as far as the Lockney 25-yard line where they turned the ball over on downs.

Lockney's first possession wasn't what they had hoped. Ben Sherman

was sacked for a one-yard loss on first down and then the penalty bug bit. Lockney faced second down and sixteen-yards to go. Two pass attempts failed. The punt attempt was fumbled and Canadian had the ball first and ten on the Lockney fifteen-yard line.

The Lockney defense held, forcing the Wildcats to attempt a field goal. With 6:37 left in the first quarter, Canadian led 3-0.

An intercepted pass on Lockney's next possession gave the Wildcats excellent field position again. They began this drive on the Lockney twenty-six-yard line. The Longhorn defense forced the 'Cats into a third and four situation. Capp Culver ran into his quarterback during the exchange but somehow found a lane and scored on a twenty-yard romp to extend the Wildcat lead. The extra point was good. Canadian had a 10-0 advantage with 4:19 left in the first quarter.

Canadian went on to score seven more points in the first quarter. They scored fourteen more in the second quarter. They led the Longhorns by a score of 31-0 at halftime.

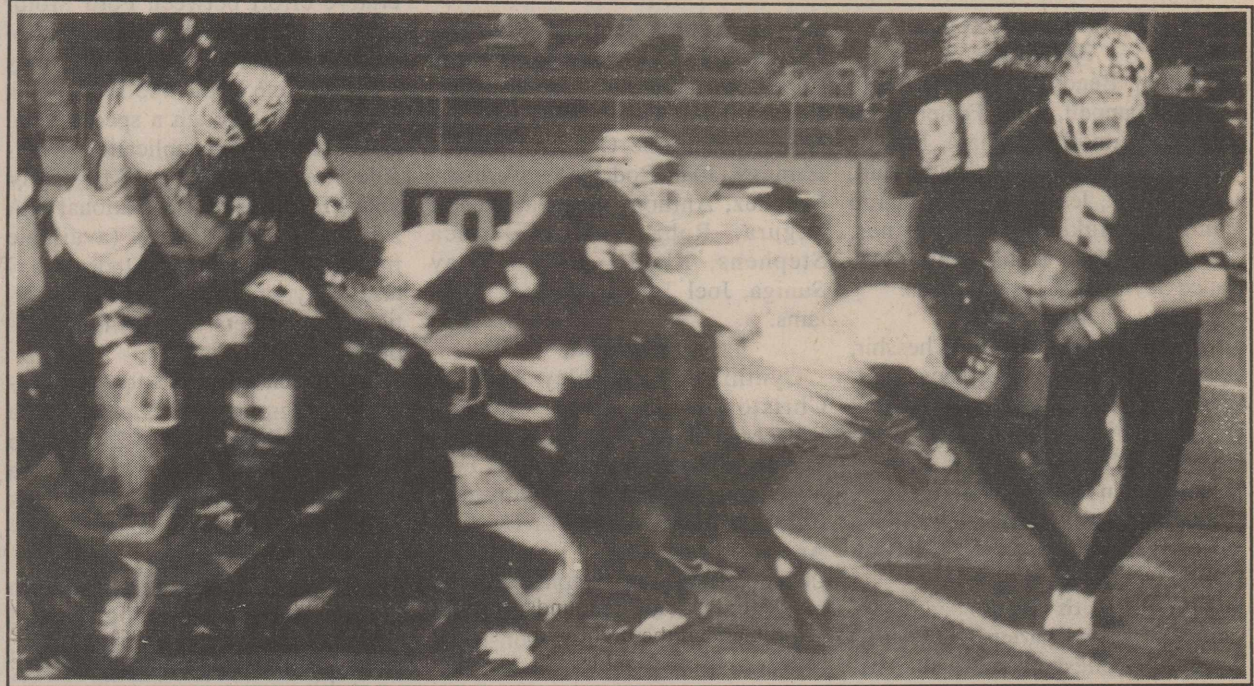
Before the night was over, Canadian put up an additional thirteen points. Their point total for the night was 44. The Lockney defensive unit played pretty well as a whole. They gave up a number of big plays. However they were on the field most of the first half.

The injury riddled offense struggled against the Canadian defense. They did, however, score twice in the sec-

ond half. The first score came late in the third quarter. They started the drive on their 32-yard line. Jarred Lambert carried the ball for three yards on first down. However, it was called back on a holding penalty. The second down and twenty play was good for a two-yard completion from Ben Sherman to Chad Johnson. A roughing the passer call against the Wildcats gave Lockney a first down.

Sherman completed a five-yard pass to Chad Johnson and then a 30-yard pass to Tyler Bybee. After being sacked on first down, Sherman threw the ball complete to Jarred Lambert for nine yards. That left the Longhorns with third down and thirteen yards to go. Ben Sherman found Tyler Bybee again, this time for a twenty-six yard completion to the three-yard line. Jarred Lambert finished the drive with a run up the left side for the touchdown. Kelsey Hooten was good on the extra point kick.

Lockney's final scoring drive was highlighted by a nineteen-yard run by Ullis Martinez and a twenty-one-yard catch by Chas Westbrook. Ben Sherman had a run for nine yards before finding Chas Westbrook on two more completions. The first was good for thirteen yards. The second was good for three yards and six points, with thirteen seconds left in the game. Kelsey Hooten was again good on the extra point kick.



LONGHORN COMING UP FIELD-Longhorn Jared Lambert is shown coming up field last Friday night behind some good blocks in their playoff game against Canadian. Lockney fell to Canadian 44-14.

Photo by Jack Covington

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2nd SIX WEEKS "FACULTY LIST" (Grades 90-100)

12th Grade
Rudy Adam Arellano, Amanda Barnett, J.D. Chaparro, Bonnie Dunlap, Tyrel Fuller, Clinton Fyffe

11th Grade
Abbigail Horn, Robin Kirk, Rebecca Warren

10th Grade
Bryce Bowley, Chelsea Kirk, Laura Reddy

9th Grade
Courtney Campbell, Amanda DeChant, Melissa Dunlap, Karla

Renee Hill, Molly Long, Cheryl Lynn Reed

"HONOR ROLL" (Grades 85-100)

12th Grade
Charla Davis

11th Grade
Brenna Dawdy, T.J. Fuller, Christopher Ray Herrera, Corey Hurt, Jurahee Jones, Sandra Magana, Jenna Payne, Mindy Smart, Brad Yearly

10th Grade
Ragan Beedy, Dustin Covington

9th Grade
Sylvia Mancilla, Denise Rainwater

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THROUGH THE HALLS



FJHS "A" HONOR ROLL (2nd 6 weeks)-(back row, l-r) Mickel Arevalo, Taylor Beedy, Jesalyn Bradley, Britnee Brotherton, Kendra Covington, Meghan Graham, Rachel Griffin, Ty Heflin, Daniel Houchin, Tate Jones, Jarrett Kirk; (front row, l-r) Kristan Lackey, Lindsey Leatherman, Cynthia Martinez, Luke Miller, Kasey Rainbolt, Brandon Rainwater, Taryn Rainwater, Jacob Reddy, Marla Reeves, Sandra Rendon. Staff Photo

Floydada Junior High School Honor Roll

"AB" Honor Roll

Lidia Arellano, April Arevalo, Tabitha Barrientos, Cam Battey, Joann Caballero, Marlen Carmona, Crystal Carrasco, Stephanie Carrasco, Julie Castillo, Tyler Chesshir, Katie Beth Crossland, Justin Duran, Abran Enriquez, Kalli Ferguson, Jasmine Ferrer, Jesse Finley, Magan Flores, Dulce Foster, Star Foster, Robert Foster, Tell Fuller, Tate Greer, Reagan Heflin, Trey Helms, Alma Hernandez, Taylor Hillburn, Jessie Horn, Frank

Ibarra, Kayla Kelley, Diamond Leal, Tana Lloyd, Kayla Luna, David Mancilla, Morgan Marble, Esther Martinez, Ryan Monreal, Melissa Morales, Jason Nutt, Dustin Ochoa, Brian Odom, Daniel Ortega, Vecente Ortega, Ruben Ortiz, Mikey Rangel, Chris Reyes, Kelsey Ross, Tabitha Ruiz, Juliann Runnels, Spencer Schacht, Kendal Smart, Brock Smith, Taylor Sue, Tim Vargas, David Vasquez, Greg Vasquez, Mary Ann Yannis, Michelle Yannis.

R.C. Andrews Elementary School Honor Roll

"A" HONOR ROLL 3rd Grade

Lindsey Beedy, Hallie Bertrand, Joshua Chappell, Rossia Foster, Evan Johnson, Timothy Lipham, Maisey Martinez, Abigail Miller, Kaylie Nutt, Jessica Prisk, Jessica Prisk, Eduardo Ramirez, Makenzie Schwertner, Olivia Segura, Teddy Summers, Rance Seymour, Crystal Yannis.

Ibarra, Randy Kennedy, Hilaria Lerma, Daniel Longoria, Claudia Lopez, Miles Marble, Joey Martinez, Cesar Mata, Teresa Navas, Laci Nixon, Jasmine Orozco, Jennica Ramirez, Juan Rodriguez, Geoffrey Sanchez, Anthony Segura, Joseph Segura, Reba Sparks, Jessica Stephens, Blanca Suarez, Clay Suniga, Joel Torres, Kortney Williams.

4th Grade
Crystal Alvarez, Dillon Chesshir, Colton Covington, Bailey Davenport, Chad Davis, Johanna Dawdy, Sarah Dues, Dusty Hicks, Katie Hinton, Geraldo Mercado, Titus Miller, Leanne Owen-Tijerina, Valerie Perez, Jennifer Rainwater, Elizabeth Sansom, Amber Sisemore, Lindsey Wells.

4th Grade
Cynthia Alba, Ashley Aleman, Christopher Carrasco, Adriana Delacera, Tyler Derryberry, James Espinoza, Aarrhon Flores, Luis Foster, Oralia Garcia, Richard Gonzalez, Maricela Guerra, Marissa Herrera, Andrea Lerma, Randy Lerma, Elda Lopez, Isaac Luera, Stephanie Luna, Nikki Nino, Ashley Ovalle, Ariel Peralez, Yared Pinon, Aaron Pitts, Everardo Rodriguez, Joe Suarez, Justin White, Keegan Williams, Ashley Zuniga.

5th Grade
Will Appling, Charles Beedy, William Beedy, Elizabeth Bertrand, Abel Cortinas, Blake Greer, Emily Griffin, Shaina Hart, Landon Lackey, Jennifer Leatherman, Cade Miller, Kristyn Muse, Morgan Norrell, Melinda Ramos, Lindsay Reed, Tucker Ross, Eladio Saldana, Amber Smith, Kevin Smith, Kody Smith, Tanner Sue, Mary Warren.

5th Grade
Carolina Arizpe, Robert Beuning, Kimberly Bueno, Eric Creek, Adriana Diaz, Michael Flores, Samantha Flores, Ryan Hayter, Audrie Hernandez, Anthony Herrera, Brandon Monreal, Nicholas Moore, Dalila Olivares, Adam Rainwater, Martika Rando, Steven Rodriguez, Jenaro Segura, Randa Shurbet, Jimmy Simpson, Abby Suniga, Cynthia Torres, Stephen Turner, Brianna Weeks, Kelsey.

"AB" HONOR ROLL 3rd Grade

Megan Aleman, Joe Avila, Zachary Baldwin, Jacque Barrientos, Robert Casillas, Trey Casillas, Jordan Cornelius, Laura Cruz, Florencio Cuba, David Diaz, Clinton Hatcher, Dale Howard, Elizabeth Ibarra, Jesse

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The scholarship program is a cooperative effort between Ford Motor Company Fund and participating local Ford dealers. FFA members may apply for one of the 405 Ford Truck scholarships through a special Ford Truck scholarship application (available from Floydada Ford-Mercury or your FFA advisor), the National FFA scholarship application (available from your FFA advisor). Students may also apply on line or see a list of participating dealers at www.ffa.org/activities/scholarships.org.

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Floydada 4-H Club News

By Rachel Miller

The Floydada 4-H Club met Thursday, November 16th, at 7:00 p.m. at the Massie Activity Center. President Laura Miller called the meeting to order.

Kelsey Williams led the American Pledge, and Allison Griggs led the 4-H motto and pledge. J.C. Chappell gave the inspiration, and Katie Beth Crossland gave a mini demonstration on how to make flower pens.

Project reports were given on the Food Show and the upcoming 4-H auction. Derrick Griggs was in charge of the program, who was Sherry Colston, who told us all about the Coronado dig.

Community Service was \$1.00 for the museum. Announcements were made by Laura Miller about the 4-H auction, the gold Star banquet, district Food Show, and pig validation.

The parents in charge were Sammy and Sandra Bradley, Todd and Carrie Williams, and Don and Hope Warren. Refreshments were provide by Josh and Jesalyn Bradley, Whitney and Kelsey Williams, and Mary Warren. Jesalyn Bradley had recreation, and the meeting was adjourned.

Our next meeting will be December 14th at 8:00 p.m. See you there!



FIREWORKS, FIRE ANTS, AND FIRE PANTS-The first time I entered Los Chorros, Chiapas in southern Mexico. I preached that night in an open air service to about 70 Tzotzil Indians. I was the first missionary in this village of over 800 thatched roofed huts and I was uneasy and scared.

As I closed my message and began giving an invitation, I almost had a heart attack. Someone down the ridge began shooting large, and loud, sky rockets over our heads. The explosions were deafening.

I asked the interpreter if we should continue and he indicated we should. 23 adults and 5 young boys came forward in the midst of the storm of explosions. I later found out these Indians were accustomed to sky rockets in their village and therefore they did not panic like me.

Now about the *fire ants. Mexico and the southern USA are being taken over by these biting, stinging, and pesky critters. One day I was standing and talking to some believers in Veracruz, Mexico. I casually kicked at a pile of red sand near my feet. Within seconds my foot was covered by 1,000 (at least) of these mean, lean, attacking machines.

I recovered from the whelps, swelling, and bites after a couple of days. Since then I have learned not to be so ready to kick at everything (or at anyone) that tries to get near me.

*"Fire pants" should have gotten your attention. At ten years old, my cousins and I were popping firecrackers during a reunion at my aunt's home near Abernathy.

I filled one of my tight-fitting front pant's pockets with firecrackers and the other one with wooden kitchen matches. Both were packed tight. I could hardly walk. I would run away when I lit a firecracker.

You're ahead of me! On one of my fast escapes, my pocket, with the easy-striking matches in it, caught fire. I began screaming for help. My aunt Roberta from Lubbock just happened to be on the front porch. She ran to my rescue and ripped off my britches in the front yard with everyone watching.

Only my pride was damaged and I was the laughing stock of all my cousins looking at me standing and crying in the front yard without my pants.

MORAL OF THE STORY: "You need to get fired up for the Lord, but keep your pants on!"

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Breakfast-Cereal, graham crackers, cheese toast, milk, juice.

Lunch-Grilled Cheese Sandwich, vegetable, beef soup, fresh broccoli, ranch dressing, crackers, fruit cup, milk.

Tuesday
Breakfast-Cereal, graham crackers, oatmeal, sausage, milk, juice.

Lunch-Tacos, grated cheese, spanish rice, pinto beans, lettuce, tomatoes, pears, milk.

Wednesday
Breakfast-Cereal, graham crackers, cherry or blueberry muffins, yogurt, milk, juice.

Lunch-Country Fried Steak, scalloped potatoes, carrot sticks, roll, jello with whipped topping, milk.

Thursday
Breakfast-Cereal, graham crackers, pancakes, syrup, milk, juice.

Lunch-Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, garlic bread, corn, tossed salad, fruit cobbler, milk.

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Breakfast-Cereal, late risers, milk, juice.

Lunch-Pork Rib Sandwich, ranch style beans, French fries, apple, milk.

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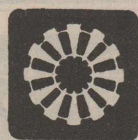
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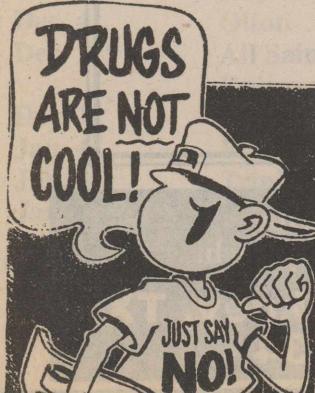
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2000 disaster program still in air

By Shawn Wade
 Details of the 2000 Disaster Assistance Package are still being developed by the United States Department of Agriculture, although little new information has been received over the last week to ten days.

USDA is developing the rules and regulations that will govern the assistance program authorized as part of the FY2001 Agriculture Appropriations Bill.

Here is a run-down of what we know at this time.

The 2000 Disaster Assistance Program was approved with three separate components: Quantity, Quality and "Severe Economic Loss".

Of these components only two, quantity and quality, were evaluated by the Congressional Budget Office and assigned an estimated cost. The third component had no explicit directions provided by Congress and did not receive a CBO "score". No CBO score could make it somewhat more difficult to provide grower benefits through this proposed third component.

One really good bit of news for growers is that the law also says any benefits provided through the program shall not be pro-rated. Congress did not assign a set amount of money to fund the program and authorized the expenditure of whatever funds are necessary to implement the program. This should mean producers will be able to immediately receive their benefits.

One caveat is that it is still unclear whether or not a payment limitation of \$80,000 per entity will be imposed as a part of the program. Such payment limitations have been included in past disaster programs.

Here is what we expect from the

program at this time with a few examples to illustrate how benefits would be calculated under each phase.

Part One - Quantity Eligibility Threshold: 65 Percent

Explanation: Producers will be eligible to receive benefits under the quantity component if their actual 2000 crop yield per acre tallies less than 65 percent of the higher of their current crop insurance Actual Production History (APH) yield or the County average yield as calculated using National Agricultural Statistics Service figures by production practice. Producers are expected to be able to qualify on a unit by unit basis.

Payment Rate: 65 percent of crop insurance price

Explanation: For cotton, the 2000 Disaster Program payment rate for cotton will be approximately 38 cents per pound, which is 65 percent of the current crop insurance price of 59 cents per pound.

How To Calculate:

Maximum Disaster Level (pounds) = # of Acres X APH Yield or County Average X .65 Eligible Disaster Level (pounds) = Max. Disaster Level - Actual Production Calculated Payment (\$'s) = Eligible Disaster Level (pounds) X .59 X .65

Assumptions: At this time it is assumed that previous years rules regarding Zero production will be in place. This would mean that producers who had NO production in 2000 would calculate their disaster benefits and then reduce them by a factor of 18 percent.

Part Two - Quality Two Alternatives Possible for Cotton Quality:

Option One: Language in the authorizing legislation says producers whose average quality on a farm is 20

percent below the assigned average quality for their county would be eligible for a quality adjustment regardless of yield.

If the 20 percent quality loss trigger is surpassed, the payment rate would be the difference between the actual quality and the county average quality multiplied by 65 percent. That amount would be paid on the actual production from 65 percent of the harvested acres.

The cotton industry is also working to allow quality assistance under this scenario to be calculated at the unit level.

Option Two: Quality assistance would be offered as in the 1999 Disaster Program as a component of yield and would supplement quantity disaster benefits.

PCG and the National Cotton Council are encouraging USDA to allow cotton producers the option to choose either option one or option two.

Part Three - "Severe Economic Loss"

Eligibility Threshold: It is currently assumed that only growers who harvested a crop in 2000 will be eligible for assistance under this component.

Explanation: There are several ideas being considered for delivery of additional assistance under this section. There is, unfortunately, no clear message from USDA indicating if a program will eventually be offered, or at what level it would be available.

Considerable effort is being focused on this area as it is likely to be the best way to target benefits to "notch" growers who will not qualify for help from other sections of the assistance program despite suffering significant economic losses in 2000.

Floyd County Farm News

Irrigation technology workshop planned

Practical irrigation management and technology innovation will top the agenda here at a one-day irrigation workshop on Nov. 27 at the Ambassador Hotel (3100 1-40 West).

Experts will provide the latest research information and technology updates to participating agricultural producers, irrigation and industry professionals, and crop advisors. Organizers for the event are the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District, and Texas Agricultural Irrigation Association.

Early registration is recommended. The cost for attending is \$25, if received before November 17. On-site registration costs \$35. The registration fee covers breaks, lunch, and a complimentary one-year membership in Texas Agricultural Irrigation Association.

The event begins with registration and poster displays at 8 a.m., followed by the opening session at 8:30 a.m. Topics include agronomic aspects of irrigation management and schedul-

ing, pumping costs, systems maintenance, management and troubleshooting issues, chemigation, water quality protection, an irrigation research update, and current water issues of interest.

The program is pre-approved for seven Continuing Education Units (CEUs) applicable to irrigation association certifications. Certified crop advisers can earn seven and one-quarter CEUs. Texas Department of Agriculture licensed pesticide applicators can earn three general CEUs, and New Mexico Department of Agriculture li-

censed pesticide applicators can earn two general CEUs.

For more information on the workshop topics, contact Dana Porter, (806) 746-4022, e-mail: dporter@tamu.edu, or visit the Texas Agricultural Research and Extension Center Lubbock website (<http://lubbock.tamu.edu>) for a detailed agenda.

To register for the workshop, telephone Kimberly Lutrick, TARA executive assistant, at (806) 298-2920; fax (806) 298-2873; or e-mail sklutrick@door.net.

Soil moisture survey underway

By Carmon McCain
 Personnel from the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No.1 and the United States Department of Agriculture-Natural Resources Conservation Service (USDA-NRCS) are now collecting data for the 2001 pre-plant soil moisture survey.

members are Terry Bridges, Gerald Crenwelge, Dewayne Hovey, Arnold Husky, LaTisha Keller, and Scott Orr.

Data collection begins in November each year to avoid as much inclement weather as possible. Also, this allows the pre-plant soil moisture survey to be completed before producers begin irrigating winter crops.

"Recent rains and snow have made it impossible for producers to enter their fields and continue crop harvest," said USDA-NRCS Soil Scientist Gerald Crenwelge. "We plan to start our data collection at soil moisture monitoring sites that can be easily reached. Later, the area should dry out enough to allow access to the remaining sites."

The pre-plant soil moisture survey should be completed in early January 2001.

Water District and USDA-NRCS personnel use Troxler neutron moisture meters to gather data at 323 permanently-installed soil moisture

monitoring sites within the Water District. Readings are taken at six-inch intervals throughout the five-foot root zone soil profile by lowering the neutron probe into a previously-installed aluminum access tube.

Soil moisture monitoring sites are selected according to soil type, local crops grown, and the saturated thickness of the Ogallala Aquifer, which suggests potential water well yields. Each site represents typical dryland or irrigated farming practices in the area where the site is selected.

Data are used to construct maps illustrating the amount of soil moisture available for plant use within the five-foot root zone soil profile and the amount of water needed from irrigation and/or precipitation to bring the soil profile to field capacity.

These maps will be distributed to area news media and published in the High Plains Water District's monthly newsletter, *The Cross Section*, before producers start making pre-plant irrigation decisions.

The two agencies conduct the joint annual survey to determine general pre-plant soil moisture availability and deficit trends within the 15-county High Plains Water District service area. Information gathered during the survey enables producers to conserve ground water resources by applying only the amount of water needed to bring the five-foot root zone soil profile to field capacity during pre-plant irrigation. Using this information, producers are less likely to over-irrigate their fields prior to planting.

Three teams began collecting pre-plant soil moisture data within the Water District on November 13. Team

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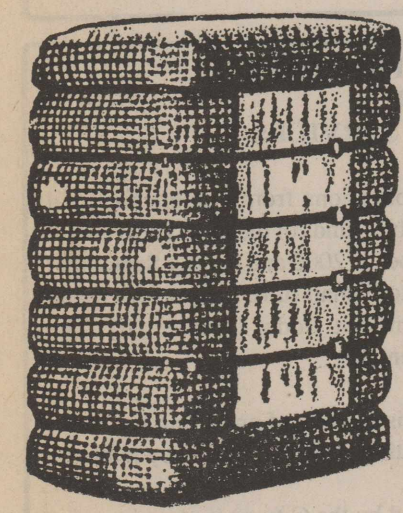
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Obituaries

BERNIECE BARRETT

Services for Berniece Crabtree Barrett, 85, of Austin were held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, November 19, 2000, at Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home Chapel in Floydada with the Rev. Doug Boynton officiating and Lee Boynton assisting.

Burial was in Floydada Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada. She died Wednesday, November 15, 2000, Austin.

She was born November 14, 1915, in Floyd County. She graduated from Floydada High School and attended Wayland Baptist University. She moved to Fairview community from Floyd County in 1935 and later moved to Lubbock, where she lived from 1953 to 1969. She moved to Austin from Abilene in 1972. She married George Ovie Allen in 1935. She later married Alan Barrett in 1944.

She was a hostess at the Plainsman Hotel in Lubbock and later worked in the women's ready-to-wear department for J.C. Penney's, Joskes, and Bealls before retiring. She was a member of Riverbend Church in Austin.

Survivors include a son, Lane Allen of Austin; a daughter, Nancy Boynton of Fort Worth; a sister, Jean Lenti of Lubbock; two grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to a favorite charity.

Laporte Funeral Chapel of Salinas was in charge of arrangements.

The family suggests that any memorial contributions be sent to the American Cancer Society, Suite 22,220 Country Club Gate, Pacific Grove 93950; or to the donor's favorite charity.



HELEN MAURINE GREGG

Services for Helen Maurine Gregg, 91, of Floydada, were at 2 p.m., Tuesday, Nov. 21, 2000 at Trinity Church in Floydada with the Rev. Henry Russell officiating and the Rev. Charlie Stice assisting.

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

She died on Sunday, Nov. 19, 2000, in Floydada.

She was born on Jan. 27, 1909 in Iowa Park. She attended Mineral Wells schools. She moved to Floydada from Petersburg in 1938. She married Hassie Emmett Ferguson on Nov. 25, 1923. He died on June 30, 1955. She then married Earl Bartlett Gregg in 1964. He preceded her in death. She was employed by Ferguson's Laundry in the 1940's and 1950's and later became a homemaker. She was a member of Grassland Nazarene Church.

A son, Herbut Paul Ferguson, died on July 5, 1931.

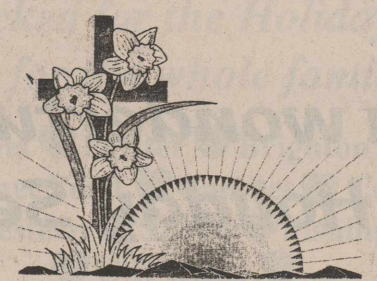
Survivors include three sons, Dub Ferguson of Floydada, Billy Joe Ferguson of Cisco; two daughter, Dorothy Helen Waggoner of Levelland and Joyce Adell Taylor of Wilson; 22 grandchildren; 48 great-grandchildren; and 27 great-great-grandchildren.

Services for Claude A. Weathersbee, 77, of Floydada were held at 2:00 p.m., Monday, November 20, 2000 at First United Methodist Church in Floydada with Rev. Anthony Sisemore, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating and Jimmy McGuire, chaplain at Covenant, assisting. Burial was in Floydada County Memorial Park in Floydada under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada.

Mr. Weathersbee passed away Friday, November 17, 2000.

He was born May 18, 1923 in Altus, Oklahoma to the late Ennis Weathersbee and Eunice McFarland. He graduated from Snyder High School. He was a veteran of the Army Signal Corp and served in WWII. He moved to Floydada from Hereford in 1949. He married Frances Terry on September 12, 1945 in Post. She died December 4, 1976. He married Frances Harrell on December 11, 1977 in Floydada. He was an assistant manager for Lighthouse Electric for 35 years before retiring in 1986. He was past President of the Lions Club in Floydada. He organized the Whirlwinds Sams Chapter of the Good Sams Club and served 2 times as president. He was Deacon and member of First Baptist Church in Floydada.

Survivors include; his wife, Frances Weathersbee of Floydada; 3 sons, Tommy Weathersbee of Richardson, Gil Harrell Jacksonville, Florida, Charles Harrell of Grapevine; 2 daughters Leigh Evans of Tyler, and Lee Finely of Perryton and Mary Belle True of Andrew, 10 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren



The Floydada Alzheimer's Support Group will not meet this month due to the Thanksgiving Holidays. We wish you and your family a Happy Holiday
For Information about Alzheimer's and/or dementia related disorders please call Paul Walker at the Floydada Rehabilitation and Care Center at 806-983-3704

REMEMBER

In a letter to Thomas Jefferson, John Adams wrote: *Have you ever found in history, one single example of a Nation thoroughly corrupted that was afterwards restored to virtue?...And without virtue, there can be no political liberty...Will you tell me how to prevent riches from becoming the effects of temperance and industry?*

"Will you tell me how to prevent luxury from producing effeminacy, intoxication, extravagance, vice and folly?...I believe no effort in favour of virtue is lost..."

Samuel Adams stated:

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James Madison wrote:

We have staked the whole future of American civilization, not on the power of government, far from it. We have staked the future of all of our political institutions upon the capacity of mankind for self government, upon the capacity of each and all of us to government ourselves, to control ourselves, to sustain ourselves according to the Ten Commandments of God."

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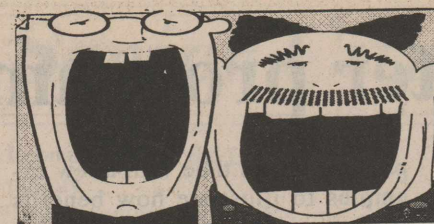
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This Week's Announcements

LOCKNEY BAND CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The Lockney Bands Annual Christmas Concert will be on Sunday, December 3, 2000 in the Longhorn Gym. Everyone is invited.

LOCKNEY BAND BOOSTERS

The Lockney Band Boosters will be having a covered dish luncheon on Sunday, December 3 in the Elementary Cafeteria from 11:30 - 1:00. Cost is \$5.00 per person. All proceeds go toward the Liberty Bowl Trip.

LOCKNEY SALVATION ARMY

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

AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION CPR CLASSES

The American Heart Association will be holding CPR Classes for Initial or Recertification on December 11, 2000. The classes will be held at the Floydada EMS Station at 109 N. Main. Classes will be held from 6:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Contact Paul Moore at 983-5667 for more information and registration.

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.

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.

2000 TEXAS STATE CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT

The 2000 Texas State Christmas Ornaments have been received at the Floyd County Museum. Past years ornaments will also be on sale.

MARK YOU CALENDARS!

The Floyd County Unit of the American Cancer Society will sponsor the annual CHRISTMAS BRUNCH on Saturday, December 9 in the home of Eric, Julianne, Skylar and Jordan Cornelius - 906 W. Houston Street, Floydada.

LOCKNEY HOMECOMING MEETING

The LHS Homecoming 2000 is over, but the committee would like to meet again to make note of the good and bad that happened. Anyone interested is invited to be there to help make 2004 Homecoming even better. Lockney High School Library, November 29th at 5:30 p.m.

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.

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Cause No. 5224-TS -- CITY OF FLOYDADA VS BRIONES SILVESTER & DIANA

All of Lot Eleven (11), in Block Fifty-seven (57), in the Town of Floydada, in Floyd County, Texas

Cause No. 5254-TS -- MACKENZIE MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY-FLOYDADA VS DELAFUENTE JUAN A

Lot Two (2), Block Sixty-four (64), of the Original Town of Floydada (Floyd City), situated within the corporate limits of the City of Floydada, Floyd County, Texas

Cause No. 5206-TS -- FLOYD COUNTY VS ENRIQUEZ MANUEL

All of Lot Four (4) in Block 92, in the Original Town of Floydada, (Floyd City) in Floyd County, Texas

Cause No. 5236-TS --CITY OF FLOYDADA VS JONES CORINE

The North One Hundred Twenty Five Feet (N.125 Ft.) of Lot Number Five (5) and all of Lot Number Six (6), both in Block Number Thirty-one (31), in the Town of Floydada (Floyd City), in Floyd County, Texas

Cause No. 5242-TS --CITY OF FLOYDADA VS RATLIFF GEORGE ESTATE & LINDA RATLIFF

Lots Number Fifteen (15) and Sixteen (16), all in Block Number Forty-two (42), in the Original Town of Floydada (Floyd City), in Floyd County, Texas

Cause No. 5263-TS-- MACKENZIE MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY-FLOYDADA VS RIOJAS MARCOS

TRACT 1: All of Lot Sixteen (16), in Block Fifty-four (54), in the Original Town of Floydada, Floyd County, Texas

TRACT 2: All of Lot Numbers Twelve (12), Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14) and Fifteen (15), in Block Fifty-four (54), of the Original Town of Floydada, in Floyd County, Texas

Cause No. 5248-TS-- LOCKNEY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS VASQUEZ ARMANDO JR & DIANE

All of Lots Seventeen (17) and Eighteen (18), in Block Four (4) of the Walling Addition to the City of Lockney, in Floyd County, Texas

Cause No. 5249-TS-- LOCKNEY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS WEBSTER RITA DBA WEBSTER SERVICE & SUPPLY

TRACT 1: All of Lot Number Five (5), in Block Number Thirty-five (35), in the Town of Lockney, in Floyd County, Texas

TRACT 2: All of Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, Block No. 35, Town of Lockney, Floyd County, Texas

TRACT 3: Lots 1 and 2, Block G, of the N.B. Davis Survey of the City of Lockney, Floyd County, Texas

Levied on the 1st day of November, 2000 as the property of said Defendants to satisfy the judgments rendered in the above styled and numbered causes, plus all taxes, penalties, interest and attorney fees accrued to the date of sale and all costs recoverable by law in favor of FLOYD COUNTY, CITY OF FLOYDADA, MACKENZIE MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY-FLOYDADA, FLOYDDA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, HIGH PLAINS WATER DISTRICT, LOCKNEY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, CITY OF LOCKNEY, LOCKNEY HOSPITAL, MACKENZIE MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY-LOCKNEY AND CAPROCK HOSPITAL.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 1st DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2000.

Billy R. Gilmore
Sheriff
FLOYD County, Texas

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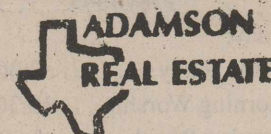
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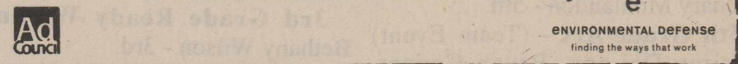
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by Ron Trusler

I am thankful for:
 *The teenager who is not doing dishes but is watching T.V., because that means he is at home and not on the streets.
 *The taxes that I pay, because it means I am employed.
 *The mess to clean after a party, because it means that I have been surrounded by friends.
 *The clothes that fit a little too snug, because it means I have enough to eat.
 *My shadow that watches me work, because it means I am out in the sunshine.
 *A lawn that needs mowing, windows that need cleaning and gutters that need fixing, because it means I have a home.
 *All the complaining I hear about the government, because it means that we have freedom of speech.

*The parking spot I find at the far end of the parking lot, because it means I am capable of walking and that I have been blessed with transportation.
 *My huge heating bill, because it means I am warm.
 *The lady behind me in church that sings off key, because it means that I can hear.
 *The pile of laundry and ironing, because it means I have clothes to wear.
 *Weariness and aching muscles at the end of the day, because it means I have been capable of working hard.
 *The alarm that goes off in the early morning hours, because it means that I am alive.
 *For lots of email, because it means I have family and friends who are thinking of me.

LOCKNEY HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

"A" Honor Roll
 12th Grade
 Karlon Hooten, Jeffrey Hunter, Lexi Jones, Traci McQuhae, Melissa Schaeffer, Kelsey Schumacher.
 11th Grade
 Jenna Ford, Alana Gallaway, Melanie Huggins, Linsi Jones, Lindsay Mayo, Wade Miller, Elizabeth O'Connell.
 10th Grade
 Garrett Mathis, Will O'Connell, Ben Sherman.
 9th Grade
 Amanda Hancock, Joe Luna.
"B" HONOR ROLL
 12th Grade
 Brittany Aston, Tyler Bybee, Hollie Carthel, Samantha Duncan, Jolee Fletcher, Chase Graves, Brandon Hennagan, Lindsey Mathis, Valentina Salzar, Desha Smith, Heath Stoerner, Chastity Westbrook.
 11th Grade
 Margarita Blanco, Lisa Garcia, Randall Rowell, Amber Wood, Kacie Young, Maria Zavala.
 10th Grade
 Lorraine Amaya, Cody Bayley, Rodolfo Blanco, Romar Blanco, Nathan Burson, Julian Chavira, Todd Cotham, Sergio Cruz, Leslie Cuellar, Jalec Dietrich, Jana Edwards, Coby Garza, Kayla Graves, Jance Hrbacek, Cody Lass, John Lopez, Matt McPherson, Leticia Morales, Brady Rasco, Julia Robles.
 9th Grade
 Paul Amador, Tabatha Clark, Laci Durham, Cody Gardner, Kimberly Gatlin, Sabrina Gross, Cammy Lass, Britta McDonald, Valerie Molina, Michael O'Connell, Jessica Ochoa, James Orr, Hannah Rockwell, Justin Stoerner, Rachel Vaga, Kirk Wilson, Justin Wright.

Lockney Junior High Honor Roll

"A" HONOR ROLL
 6th Grade
 Rion Aufill, Wes Davis, Jordan Elam, Erin Mangold, Keyla Pesina, Matthew Prather, Krista Rasco, Ky Reagan, Joanie Reece, Kayla Thomas.
 7th Grade
 Landon Cotham, Amber Dorman, Trinity Ford, Kami Keaton, Emily Mercado, Trevor Morris, Tana Saul, Lance Terrell, Tori Terrell, Rebekah Thornton, Brance Wilson, Ty Young.
 8th Grade
 Jamie Austin, Lindsay Collins, Cagan Cummings, Mark Ford, Addie Foster, Jarrit Johnson, Megan Johnson, Zane Montandon, Shelly Pachiano, Annie Reece, Rance Schumacher.
"B" HONOR ROLL
 6th Grade
 Berry Annunziato, Audrie Arjona, Madelena Balderas, Ryker Cabler, Tyson Carthel, Bethany Dietrich, Manuel Fierros, Brittan Golden, Shanda Gomez, Andrea Guerrero, Yadira Guerrero, Kendra Hooten, Tyler Kidd, Edrie Marricic, Emma Morales, Amos Poole, Jon Sherman, Coby Tannahill, Gregorio Zavala.
 7th Grade
 Avery Aston, Cassandra Carrillo, Natalie Castro, Alexis Hall, Nathan Hancock, Karen Hernandez, April Lopez, Malarie Luebano, Phillip Luna, Adam Martinez, Dahlen McCarter, J.W. McPherson, Andrew Molina, Linda Naranjo, Tania Pensina, Kory Smith, Brady Tannahill.
 8th Grade
 Ashley Brock, Teresa Day, Lee Fortenberry, Brandon Gilroy, Trey Graves, Heather Hennagan, Karah Hrbacek, Monte Lass, Jaime Ledesma, Sarah Martinez, Cullen McQuhae, Jana Miller, Martina Nolan, Jeremy Pyle, Meagan Stapp, Isabel Torrez, Crystal Vasquez.

LOCKNEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

2nd Grade
 Shialo Huerta, Samantha Medlin, Renee Cruz, Kami Hunt, Toni Morales, Aaron Rendon, Alece Annunziato, Hailey Dickerson, Bridgit O'Connell.
 3rd Grade
 Jake Davis, Malory Johnson, Tessa Saul, Anna Sherman, Courtney Golden, Bethany Wilson, Katie Bice, Dora Bueno, Konner Ellison, Lezlie Jackson, Lexie Terrell.
 4th Grade
 Raul Cruz, Tyler Ellison, Caitlan Wiley, Heather Brock, Jonathan Coleman, Daryn McCarter, James Mercado, Ysenia Molina, Brett Johnson, Brendi Moralez, Caleb Schumacher.
 5th Grade
 Dru Carthel, Audrey Collins, Desiree DeLeon, Zachary Montandon, Bryan Cooper, Senee Foster, Ashley McCulloch, Lauren Stewart.

Lockney Elementary UIL results

Team Results - 5th Place Individual Results
 5th Grade Listening - Tanner Morris - 2nd, Martin Melendrez - tied for 3rd, Jacob Martin - 5th.
 5th Grade Ready Writing - Lauren Stewart - 5th.
 5th Grade Maps, Graphs & Charts - Lauren Stewart - 4th, Zachary Montandon - 5th.
 5th Grade Art - (Team Event) Desiree DeLeon, Bryan Cooper, Cancy Cabler, Stephana Villareal - 5th.
 5th Grade Music Memory - (Team Event) Audrey Collins, Ashley McCulloch, Lorenzo Salazar, Courtlyn Long, Senee Foster, Mario Camacho - 2nd.
 4th Grade Art - (Team Event) Cynthia Zavala, Saray Flores, Adrian Cortez, Jonathan Coleman, Timothy Padilla - 5th.
 3rd Grade Storytelling - Tessa Saul - 4th.
 3rd Grade Ready Writing - Bethany Wilson - 3rd.
 2nd Grade Storytelling - Hailey Dickerson - 6th.

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AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH Henry Martin, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday: Bible Study 7:30 p.m. *****	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. *****	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. *****	SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH Ernest Stewart, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.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. *****	FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Lockney Phillip Golden - Pastor Phillip Oswald, Director of Music Rodney Hunt, Youth Minister Sunday: Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Youth 7:00 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m. Youth Bible Study 7:00 p.m. Adult Choir 8:00 p.m. *****	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. *****	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. *****
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 Service.....6:00 p.m. Wednesday Service.....7:30 p.m. *****	FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Lockney Phillip Golden - Pastor Phillip Oswald, Director of Music Rodney Hunt, Youth Minister Sunday: Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Youth 7:00 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m. Youth Bible Study 7:00 p.m. Adult Choir 8:00 p.m. *****	MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH Floydada Rev. Ralph Jackson Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. BTU 6:30 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday: Mid-Week Prayer 7:00 p.m. Thursday: Bible Study 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 *****
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. *****	FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Reverend Ione Sedinger Pastor Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m. Monday Bible Study ... 9:30 a.m. *****	NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH Floydada Sunday: Congregational Singing 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Pastor Elder Ronnie Hedges Telephone (806) 585-6342 *****	TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM Lockney Pedro Reyes, Interim Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.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. *****
CARR'S CHAPEL Service Every Sunday: Morning Worship ... 9:00 a.m. Sunday School ... 10:30 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. *****	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. *****	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. *****
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. *****	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. *****	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 *****	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. *****
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.) *****	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. *****	SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH Lockney Jim McCartney, Pastor Wednesday: Communion Service ... 8:00 p.m. Sunday Mass 11:30 a.m. *****	TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA Rev. Herman Martinez 308 W. Tennessee, Floydada Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Prayer Service 2:00 p.m. Evening Worship 5:00 p.m. Tuesday: Evening Service 7:30 p.m. Thursday Service 7:30 p.m. *****

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