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High winds flatten area crops



COTTON CROP DESTROYED--This picture of a destroyed cotton field, north of Sandhill, is indicative of crops all over Floyd County. Wind and rain blew into Floyd County, June 4, with speeds over 100 m.p.h. in some areas. Staff Photo



TREE UPROOTED--High winds uprooted trees across the County last Wednesday night. This tree at the home of Patsy Ford, in the 500 Block of S.W. 4th in Lockney, was one of many that were lost.

High winds, fierce rains, and hail blew into Floyd County the night of June 4 and destroyed the vast majority of young cotton plants in the county. Corn was also flattened in the fields. The rains have continued and water is still standing in fields.

A spokeswoman at Barwise Gin reported 7,000 acres lost to hail and wind. "We had the same thing happen last year on the exact same date."

Barwise Gin has recorded 5 inches of rain in the past week to 10 days.

Randy Pernell, at Darty Gin, up to 6 inches were recorded, but "south of Darty the rain gauges spilled over."

Scott Gin, south of Floydada, also reported losses of cotton fields south of the Gin--and up to 9 inches of rain.

A report from South Plains was the same. Cold weather, hard wind, and wet fields have hurt the cotton.

Carolyn Green at the FSA office said, "We won't know the full extent of the damage until July. I've heard the southeast corner of Floyd County was O.K."

James Hale, in the Harmony Community, southwest of Floydada, also reported that his crops had survived.

The Lone Star Community, north of Lockney, appears to have received the most rain--up

to 10 1/2 inches.

Floydada and Lockney have both received approximately 5 inches.

High winds brought the most havoc across the flat plains. The Floydada Airport clocked winds at 67 mph, June 4.

Lambert's Spraying Service, approximately 1 mile east of Lockney, clocked winds at 80 mph. Winds were clocked in the Sterley Community, 6 miles north of Lockney, at 111 mph. Don Sutterfield, 1/2 mile southeast of Lockney reported winds at 86 mph.

Lighthouse Electric linemen have been out every night since the rains began.

"We lost over 100 distribution poles," said Larry Ogden, of Lighthouse Electric.

"Our biggest problem was 3 miles south of Floydada. We lost transmission poles that feed 4 substations--Starkey, Floydada, Dougherty, and Wake.

"A few people were without power for 24 hours, but most people had their power restored quickly."

According to Ogden the winds blew down 11 transmission poles.

"There is one downed transmission pole out in the middle of what is now a lake. We haven't gotten it up yet, but we have rerouted the power."

"Tremendous Tuesdays" return to Floydada

Kid's Korner brings back Science Spectrum

The Kids' Korner Learning Center will be bringing back the highly successful "Tremendous Tuesdays" programs this summer.

In its 4th year, "Tremendous Tuesdays" is a joint effort between the Science Spectrum crew and Kid's Korner Learning Center.

Beginning Tuesday, June 17th, at 1:00 p.m., kids will participate in a hands on teaching

experience about the Rain Forest. Live Rain Forest animals will be part of the Science Spectrum's presentation.

The next Tuesday, June 24, at 1:00 p.m., kids will be treated to a program on "Volcanoes".

Tuesday, July 8th, at 1:00 p.m., will be an exciting program on "Weather".

Tuesday, July 15, kids will journey to the world of Dino- Continued On Page 5

First TAKS tests bring new challenges to local students

Floydada TAKS test results show Floydada ISD below the state average in all but three tests.

Eighty-nine percent of the 4th graders in Floydada passed the writing test compared to the State average of 86%.

5th grade Science students did well on the TAKS tests, with 83% passing, compared to 74% Statewide.

Sixty-nine percent of Floydada juniors passed the Math test compared to the State average of 68%.

Eighty-eight percent of FISD 7th grade readers passed the reading tests. This is the same percentage as the state results.

FISD Superintendent Jerry Vaughn said, "We stayed about the same this year on our TAKS tests compared to last year."

"However, the TAKS tests standard is being raised this coming year, along with the test difficulty.

"For example, an 89 on Math this year will be a 75 next year, if we do not improve.

"We (FISD) must improve

each year in order to stay up with the raised TAKS standards."

The TAKS test was administered for the first time in March.

Current high school sophomores are the first class that must pass all parts of the TAKS test by their senior year to graduate. They can keep taking it until they pass.

Third graders must pass the reading exam before they can move on to the next grade.

A 3rd grader who fails the TAKS reading exam three times must remain in that grade unless a committee made up of the child's parents, teacher and a school administrator agrees to promote the child.

Within the next five years, fifth and eighth graders must pass reading and math sections before moving to the next grade. High school juniors must take and pass an exit-level exam.

Public school students in grades 3-11 are required to take the test every year. TAKS mea-

sures reading in grades 3-9; writing in grades 4 and 7; English and language arts in grades 10 and 11; math in grades 3-11; science in grades 5, 10, and 11; and social studies in grades 8, 10, and 11.

FISD TAKS Results

Third Grade: Reading, 88% passed compared to state average of 89%; Math, 75% passed compared to 90% state average.

Fourth Grade: Reading, 65% passed compared to 86% statewide; Math, 79% passed compared to 88% statewide; Writing, 89% passed compared to 86% statewide.

Fifth Grade: Reading, 61% compared to 80% statewide; Math, 72% compared to 86% statewide; Science, 83% compared to 74% statewide.

Sixth Grade: Reading, 82% compared to 86% statewide; Math, 69% compared to 79% statewide.

Seventh Grade: Reading, 88% compared to 88% statewide; Math, 60% compared to 73% statewide; Writing, 82% com-

pared to 85% statewide.

Eighth Grade: Reading, 81% compared to 88% statewide; Math, 59% compared to 72% statewide; Social Studies, 86% compared to 93% statewide.

Ninth Grade: Reading, 77%

compared to 82% statewide; Math, 61% compared to 63% statewide.

Tenth Grade: Reading, 71% compared to 72% statewide; Math, 53% compared to 71% statewide; Social Studies, 80%

compared to 86% statewide; Science, 55% compared to 69% statewide.

Eleventh Grade: English/Language Arts 67% compared to 69% statewide; Math, 69% compared to 68% statewide.

How did you fare? Answers to the TAKS

The questions below, which were published in the *Hesperian-Beacon* last week, are excerpts from the Texas Assessment of Knowledge and Skills test. The correct answers

are designated with a star. The questions were taken directly from the eighth grade mathematics test and the eleventh grade science test. The tests and answers were released last week

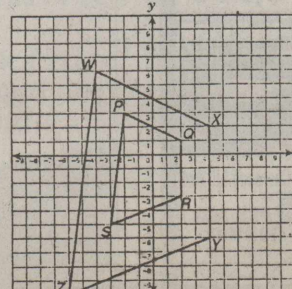
by the Texas Education Agency. The released tests and accompanying answer keys can be found on the Internet at the Agency's website: <http://www.tea.state.tx.us>

- 22 A spinner and a fair number cube are used in a game. The spinner has an equal chance of landing on 1 of 4 colors: red, purple, blue, or green. The faces of the cube are labeled 1 through 6. What is the probability of a player spinning the color red and then rolling a 5 or 6?

F $\frac{3}{10}$ G $\frac{1}{8}$ H $\frac{1}{12}$ J $\frac{1}{24}$

- 31 Quadrilateral PQRS was dilated to form quadrilateral WXYZ. Which number best represents the scale factor used to change quadrilateral PQRS into quadrilateral WXYZ?

A $\frac{1}{4}$
B $\frac{1}{2}$
★ C 2
D 4



- 3 Which of the following groups contains members with similar chemical reactivity?
- A Li, Be, C
★ B Be, Mg, Sr
C Sc, Y, Zr
D C, N, O

- 24 If the template of a strand of DNA is $5' \text{AGATGCATC} 3'$, the complementary strand will be --
- ★ F $3' \text{TCTACGTAG} 5'$
G $5' \text{CTACGTAGA} 3'$
H $3' \text{AGATGCATC} 5'$
J $5' \text{AGACGTCTA} 3'$

- 26 If a cat has 38 chromosomes in each of its body cells, how many chromosomes will be in each daughter cell after mitosis?
- F 11
G 19
★ H 38
J 76

Superintendent dispels rumors about health department closure of Duncan

By Darwin Robinson
FISD Superintendent Jerry Vaughn said recent rumors about the closures of A.B. Duncan Elementary and R.C. Andrews Elementary due to health and sanitation concerns are not true.

There was "a substantial num-

ber of cases" of shigellosis at A.B. Duncan Elementary the last week or two of this school year "including students and teachers that were involved," according to Superintendent Vaughn.

Vaughn said, "It (shigellosis) is common in schools and once

you get it running it is tough. We did contact the Health Department to get guidance on what we needed to do to try to shut it down.

"Some of it was being transmitted outside of the school. So Continued On Page 2



HARD WINDS blew this 4 X 6 pole through the roof of Naomi Johnston, on Apogee Street in Lockney, the night of June 4. Because the direction of the winds were from the north and the pole was driven into the south side of the roof some believe a tornado may have been responsible for the damage. Other poles were spread like matchsticks in the front yard and the roof of the building that was attached to these poles was found across the street.

No truth to rumor of Duncan closing

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the school was not the only place it was being transmitted. But the school is the area of heavy concentration of kids at one time," said Vaughn.

According to a story in the May 22 issue of the Hesperian-Beacon, The Texas Department

of Health (TDH) reported there had been 560 cases of shigellosis, as of that date, in 11 counties in West Texas.

TDH reported that Shigellosis is a diarrheal illness. "The number one way to prevent the spread of shigellosis is thorough hand washing after a visit to the rest room and before preparing or serving food or drinks and after changing a diaper," said TDH Director Thomas Betz, M.D.

Superintendent Vaughn continued, "We have not had a visit from the Texas Department of Health concerning shigellosis at

Duncan Elementary to my knowledge."

About the rumor of Andrews Elementary basement being flooded with sewer water, Vaughn said, "The sewer leak at Andrews Elementary has been worked on."

"R.C. Andrews Elementary is a 1926 model and the Junior High is a 1921 model," said Vaughn. There will be a special board meeting Tuesday, June 17, 7:00 P.M. "to see what the feasibility are" concerning renovations or remodeling at Andrews Elementary.

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Courtroom Activities

In County Court, June 3, 2003, Julio Cesar Ramirez, 32, of Lockney, pled guilty to Assault/Domestic Violence and was fined \$300 and court costs and sentenced to 6 months in jail which was probated for one year.

June 4, 2003, Daniel Arellano, 22, of Floydada, pled guilty to DWI. He was fined \$600 and court costs and sentenced to 90 days in jail. His driver's license was suspended for 90 days.

Also on June 4, Matiriano Luna Perez Jr., pled guilty to DWI-2nd. He was fined \$750 and court costs. He was sentenced to 9 months in jail which was probated for 2 years and his driver's license was suspended for 180 days.

June 5, 2003, George Gene Hernandez pled guilty to a January 13, 2003 DWI. He was fined \$600 and court costs and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for 2 years.

Tax Suits were filed in J.P. Court, June 3, 2003 against:

Adolpho Alaniz, of Lockney; Nancy Alaniz, of Floydada;

George Garcia, of Floydada; Juan and Emilia Gonzalez DBA Rosa's Drive Inn, of Floydada; Martin A. Gonzalez, of Floydada; Sara Luebano, of Lockney; Oscar Martinez Jr., & Yvonne, of Lockney; Joe Ortiz, of Floydada; Joe Perales Sr., of Lockney; Alexandria Raissez, of Lockney; Anselmo Ramirez, of Floydada; Carlos Rendon, of Lockney; Steven Rodgers, of Floydada; Laurie Rodriguez, of Lockney; David and Mary Rosales, of Floydada; Chris Sanchez, of Floydada; Rosalio Sanchez, of

Floydada; Jody and Sondra Scott, of Floydada; Henry Segovia Ind. dba A&R Tire Service, of Lockney; Delia Sierra, of Lockney; Ryon L. Smith, of Lockney; Delia and Martin Suarez, of Floydada; Joe Suarez, of Floydada; Martin Suarez Jr., of Floydada; Gregg B. Taylor, of Lockney; Danny Tinney, of Floydada; Pete Vallejo III, of Floydada; G.A. VanHoose, of Floydada; Teresa Vasquez, of

Lockney; Ismael and Ophelia Vega, of Floydada; Pedro and

Teresa Villareal; Charles Sr. and Connie Wall, of Floydada; David Bruce and Susan Williams, of Lockney; Orlon Wilson dba Wilson Aerial Spraying, of Lockney; Don Wittler, of Floydada.

Tax suits were filed in District Court against:
Mrs. Woodrow Hill, of Floydada; Richard C. and Patti Lowrance, of Floydada; Jose Sanchez Medrano, of Floydada;

Martin Meza, of Floydada; Ubaldo and Ninfa Ochoa, of Lockney; Jose and Selma Ortiz, of Floydada; Isidro and Susie Sanchez and Elvira Rodriguez, of Floydada; Samuel Jr. and Jennifer Segura, of Floydada; Nora Solarzano, of Lockney; Hazel White, of Floydada; Ernie and Cindy Widener, of Lockney; Richard Wiley, of Lockney; and Hector Zavala, of Floydada.

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Odom and Casados exchange wedding vows

Nicole Maureen Odom and Christopher Levi Casados were united in marriage May 17, 2003. The ceremony was at 5:00 p.m. at First Baptist Church, Floydada. Les Reed of Amarillo officiated at the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of John and Robbie Odom of Floydada, and granddaughter of Lila Guinn of Camp Springs and Elizabeth McCloskey of Snyder. The groom is the son of Lisa Haven of Amarillo, and Ed Casados of Duncan, Oklahoma. He is the grandson of Ernie and Betty Casados of Dumas and Dave and Sandra Honea of Plano.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a strapless dress of ivory satin with a chapel train. It was accented with a band of ecru satin on the bodice and

bottom of the dress. She wore a waist-length two-tier veil edged with satin made by her mother. Nicole wore pearls borrowed from her maternal grandmother, Lila Guinn and a diamond ring from her paternal grandmother,

Elizabeth McCloskey. Nicole's dress was new and she wore a blue garter. She also had pennies dated in their birth years provided by her uncle, Dan Bavousett. Her

bouquet of white roses was created for her by friend of the family, Kris Ross of Sherman.

Attendants were Amanda Barnett of Amarillo, maid of honor, Cindy DuBois of Floydada, and Elizabeth Simmons of Clarendon. The groom's attendants were Ed Casados, best man, Austin Boyd of Dumas, and Jeremy Maxfield of Amarillo.

The flower girl was Trinity Casados of Dumas, niece of the groom. Ushers were Patrick Odom of Canyon, Brian Odom of Floydada and Corey Hurt of Lubbock.

Dotson played "Trumpet Voluntary" as the recessional. Registering guests was Emily Bavousett, cousin of the bride.

Serving at the bride's table were Tricia Quisenberry and

Becky Warren. Crystal Casados, sister of the groom, served at the groom's table. The house party was Carla Bavousett, aunt of the bride, Fran Burrus and Emily Bavousett, cousins of the bride and Se Daniels. The groom's father hosted a rehearsal supper catered by El Rancho on Friday night May 16.

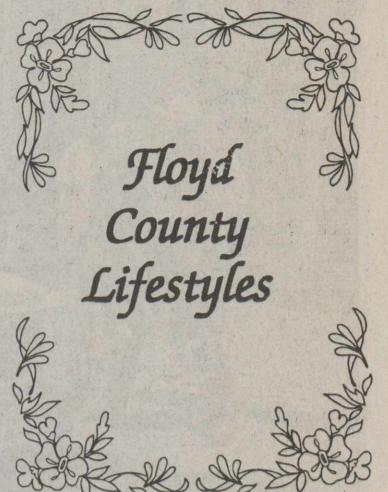
The church pews were decorated with tulle and organly bows with a Calla lilly. The stage was decorated with four pillars, twined with ivy and draped with connecting tulle to the unity candle pillar. Musical selections and accompaniments were provided by Gayla Griffin. Sheldon Sue sang "Sunrise, Sunset" and "The Lord's Prayer". Nelson

The bride is a 2001 graduate of Floydada High School and has attended Hardin-Simmons University and West Texas A&M University.

The groom graduated from Canyon Randall High School in 2000 and is employed by Maacco Body and Auto Shop in Amarillo. The couple will reside in Amarillo.



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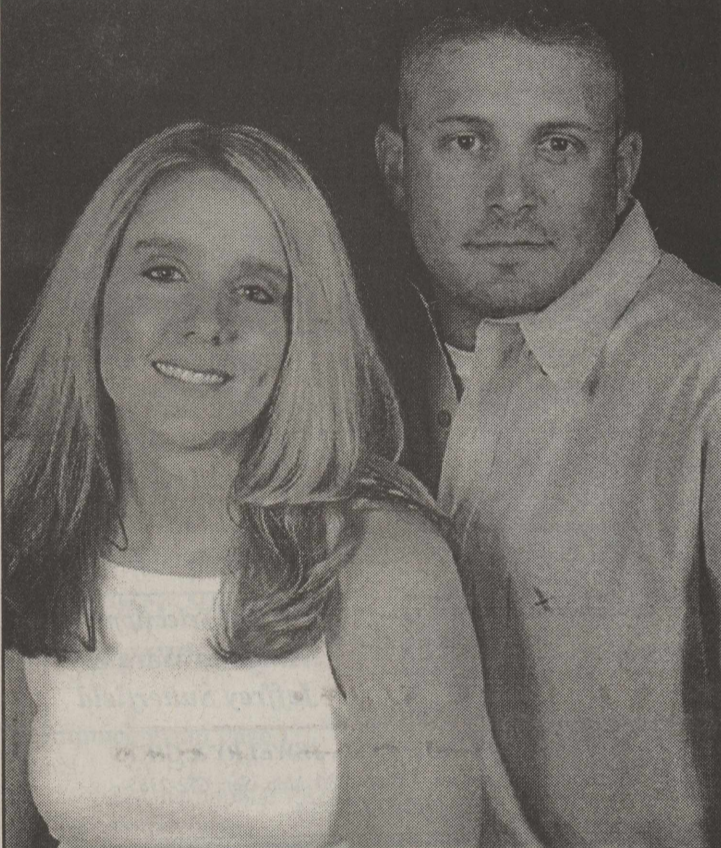
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Axe and Archer

Wilmer and Debbie Archer, of Lockney are proud to announce the engagement of their son, Jeff to Niki Axe, daughter of Edwin and Pat Axe of Lake Tanglewood.

Jeff is a graduate of Lockney High School, and is presently employed by Cantwell Irrigation in Plainview. He is the grandson of Bill and Laverne Thompson, and Red and Alane Archer, both of Lockney.

Niki is a graduate of Randall High School, and is currently a student at West Texas University, Amarillo, studying meteorology. She is presently employed by Dyers Barbeque.

The couple plan a July 5, 2003 wedding at Tanglewood Baptist Church.

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Lockney Senior Citizens News

By Vera Jo Bybee

I'm sorry about not being able to write any news this week but things at my house aren't very good. Saturday afternoon Donnie Bybee, my one and only husband or #1 husband or whatever you want to call him, had a heart attack.

We went to Lockney's emergency room and Dr. Kevin Stennett was on call and he and his nurses started working with Donnie immediately and got him stabilized and out of pain in a short time. They of course ran a lot of test and at that time Dr. Stennett told us that he was going to keep Donnie overnight and would be taking more test during the night and he would be able to tell us more in the morning.

Morning finally came, Dr Stennett came in and told Donnie that he had had a heart attack and he was sending him right then to Lubbock to see a cardiologist. He had to go in the Floydada ambulance. When we got there

we met his doctor, Dr. Soliz.

Dr. Soliz set Donnie up for an angiogram for 7:00 Monday morning. It was noon time before they came for him. Dr. Soliz came out after the procedure and told us that he had some good news and some bad news for us. We were expecting for him to come out and tell us that while he was doing the angiogram he inserted a balloon and a stint and he could go home Tuesday morning.

He said the good news is that the Lockney doctor and staff saved Donnie from having any heart damage from the heart attack. The bad news was Donnie has too much calcified blockage to put in a balloon and he would have to have open heart bypass surgery Tuesday morning by a Dr. Fowler.

Dr Fowler said we were looking at 3 or more by passes. He didn't know at this time.

Monday night Donnie made me come home to take care of the love of his life, his dog Susie. He

says she is not a dog. He called me Monday night and told me the surgery had been changed from 10:00 to 8:00.

I did not recognize his voice. I said, "who is this?" He said, "This is Donnie Bybee who else is having surgery?" I couldn't keep from laughing. I thought it was a nurse or someone. He didn't sound like himself.

Then he wanted me to put him on the speaker phone and let him talk to Susie. I told him "no she misses you too much as it is." So by the time you read this we will have the surgery all over with and he will be on the road to recovery. Thank you for all you thoughts and prayers.

Meat Menu for 16-20
Monday: Chicken Strips
Tuesday: Hamburger Steak
Wed: Chicken Fried Steal
Thursday: Pork Chop
Friday: Roast Beef

Floydada Senior Citizens News & Menu

By Margarette Word

Betsy Dempsey attended her granddaughter Sarah Diane Dempsey's graduation from Keller High School recently. Jan and Mac Willson also attended the graduation and also visited Josh and Shelby Thayer at Arlington. Frieda Simpson went with them and stopped at Weatherford to stay with her daughter Susan and Larry Davis.

They all came home on Monday. Mamie Bunch recently spent a week in Mangold Hospital in Lockney.

Congratulations to Louis and Janice Lloyd upon celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary last Saturday at the First United Methodist Church. Lots of friends and relatives attended.

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Liz -We congratulate you and appreciate your hard work and dedication!

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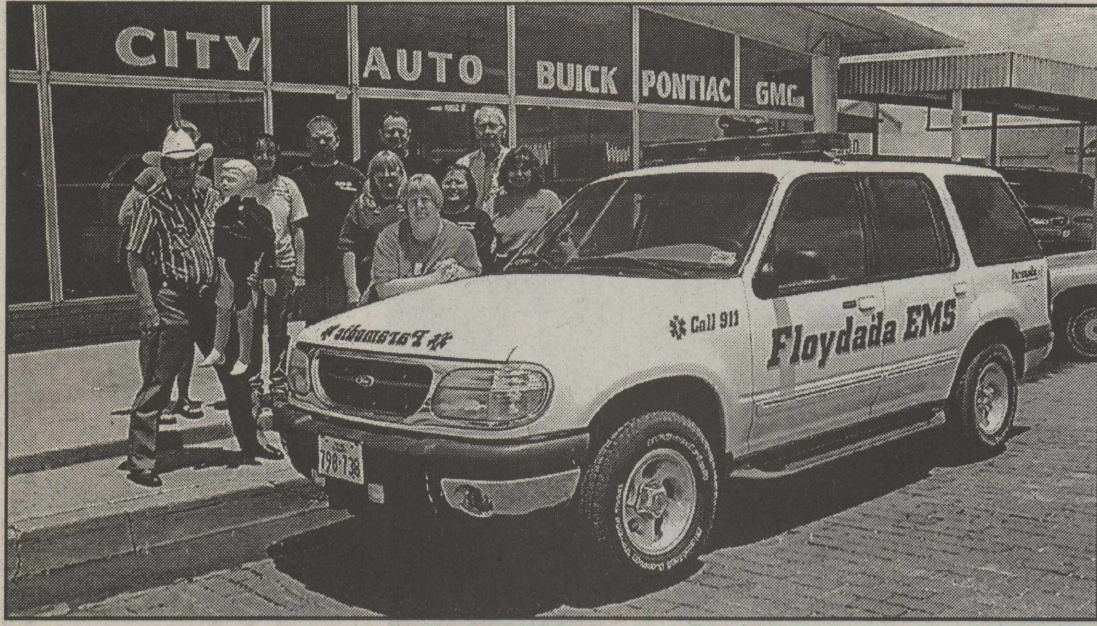
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Floydada EMS crew poses with new Resusci Anne.

Floydada EMS receives gift of Resusci Anne from City Auto

Floydada EMS hopes to train at least 100 citizens of Floydada on what to do when a person has a heart attack. The training program was greatly enhanced when the National Automobile Dealers Charitable Foundation and City Auto, Inc. presented a Resusci Anne training unit to the organization in formal ceremonies.

In presenting the CPR unit, which is essential for cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) training, Paul Moore, Director EMTP said, "If the right kind of treatment can be given a heart attack victim within seconds after he or she is stricken, the chances are good that the life can

be saved. CPR training teaches a person how to keep the heart beating while professional help is coming.

Paul Moore said that since the massive involvement of Americans training in CPR, there has been an increase in long-term survivors from ventricular fibrillation. There are many cases where the training is given to citizens showing that many heart attack victims who otherwise die have been saved and returned to normal activities. The training takes from three to five hours of intensive practice and lectures.

In accepting the CPR training unit, Paul Moore said the orga-

nization had set a goal to train at least 100 persons in the next year.

The CPR unit gives signals telling when the trainee is applying the right pressure in the right spot or breathing correctly into the victim's mouth. With the training, the students learn the "feel" of giving quick, lifesaving emergency treatment.

The National Automobile Dealers Charitable Foundation is part of the National Automobile Dealers Association with headquarters in McLean, Virginia. Its membership includes over 19,000 franchised new car and truck dealers in the U.S.

Floydada Senior Citizens News

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Lovene and Edell Moore have just returned from going to Savannah, Georgia for a grandson's graduation from college. Scott Sutton, son of Charlotte and David Sutton graduated from Savannah School of Arts and Design.

Our sympathy to Irene King on the loss of her sister-in-law, Myra Spears.

Our sympathy to the family of Lucille Daniels.

Our sympathy to the family of Leona Mayo.

Our sympathy to the family of Inez Roe.

In memory of **Inez Roe** - John and Geneva Cockrell, Kyle and Diana Glover, and Deeota Odam.

In memory of **Beth Faulkenberry** - Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bloys and Deeota Odam.

In memory of **Leona Mayo** - Deeota Odam and Margarette Word.

In memory of **Lucille Daniels** - Margarette Word.

Menu

June 16 - June 20
Monday - Fish nuggets/tarter sauce, baked beans, okra, coleslaw, cornbread, fruit salad
Tuesday - Ham and beans, spinach, biscuit, banana pudding
Wednesday - Lasagne, Italian vegetables, cucumber and onion salad, garlic bread, pear or apple crisp
Thursday - Chicken strips, new potatoes in sauce, broccoli, pickles, hot roll, brownies
Friday - Pepper steak, noodles, peas and carrots, wheat roll, oranges and bananas



CHAMBER BUSINESS OF MONTH-Quality Body Shop, 121 E. Missouri, in Floydada was selected by the Floydada Chamber of Commerce as "Business of the Month." For all your vehicle body shop needs, call them at 983-5032. Employees pictured: (l-r) Pete Vellejo; Sheldon Sue, Owner/Manager; Tanner Sue; Johnny Bill Sue; and Joe Guerrero. Staff Photo

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Look who's new!

WEBB
 Michael, Chelsea and Korleigh Webb of Lockney, are proud to announce the arrival of their newest bundle of joy, Kaimee Lynn.

She was born May 28, 2003 at Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock. She weighed 7 pounds 6 ounces, and was 20 1/2 inches long.

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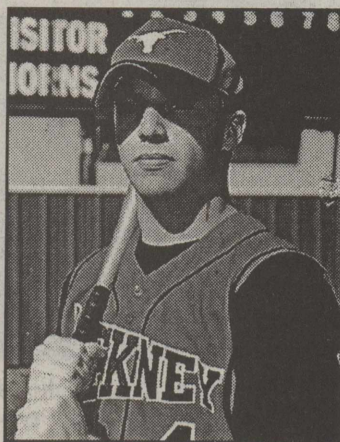
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**Kid's Korner brings
Science Spectrum
programs again**

Continued From Page 1

July 22, the popular "Rockets" program returns.

"All these programs are new except for 'Rockets,'" said Kids Korner Board Member Laura Farris.

"Rockets was so popular in year's past that we had to bring it back. The kids get to shoot off the rockets they make and they really enjoy that."

Kid's Korner is located in the former First Christian Church on the corner of Missouri and 4th Street. The former sanctuary has been converted into a room with a 10 x 10 foot screen and large speakers for an "Omnimax type experience".

After each program the Science Spectrum crew will show a DVD pertaining to the topic of the day on the large screen.

The programs are free and are geared to kids in kindergarten through 5th grade, however everyone is welcome to come watch the program.

For \$15.00, mom's can drop their kids off at the Learning Center in the morning and pick them up at the close of the work day. The cost of the day care includes breakfast, lunch, and a snack.

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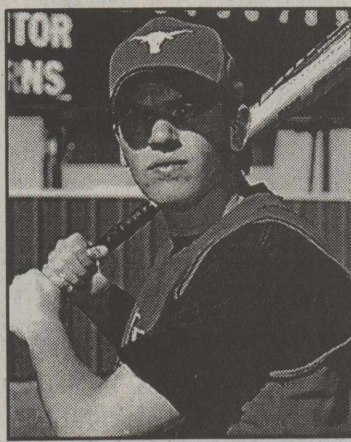
Kids Korner and the Science Spectrum will also join together for a summer "Space Camp", June 30, July 1 & 2 (Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday).

Kids in grades K-2 will meet between the hours of 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon.

Grades 3-6 will meet from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The cost of the Space Camp is \$25.00.

"This is the same camp they have in Lubbock," said Farris. "The only difference is the cost in Lubbock is \$70 and here it is \$25.00."



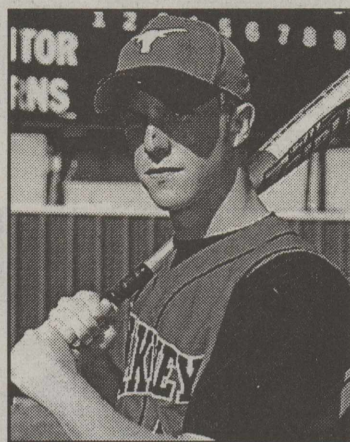
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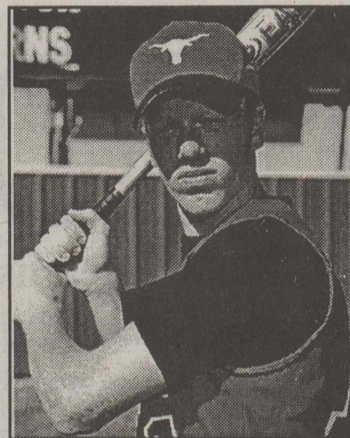
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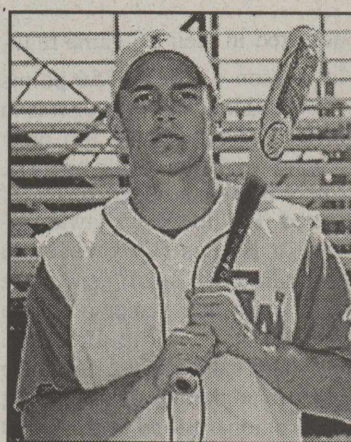
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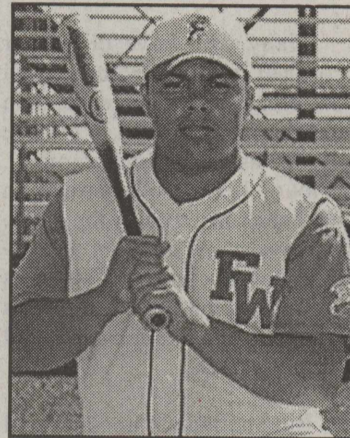
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Outfielder



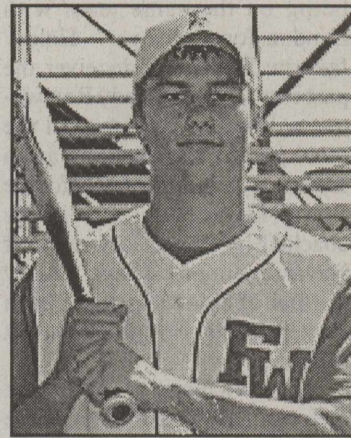
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Pitcher/Utility



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Wayland releases President's and Dean's Lists

Students from Floyd County were included on honors lists for the spring semester at Wayland Baptist University in Plainview.

Salina Elliott of Floydada, Sandee Hancock of Lockney and Shanna Jackson of Lockney were included in the President's List, posting a perfect grade point average of 4.0 for the spring.

Noelia Balderas, daughter of Antonio and Juanita Balderas of Lockney, and Valentina Salazar, daughter of Armando and Carmen Banda of Lockney, were included in the Dean's List, posting a grade point average between 3.5 and 3.99 for the term.

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Helms, Schumacher and Rainwater to play in bowl

By Bill Gray

The Greenbelt Bowl Football Classic, scheduled to be played this Saturday at Fair Park Stadium in Childress, is an annual all-star game featuring area graduating seniors from the upper Texas Panhandle and South Plains. It is an additional showcase for the area's talent - especially those who have not committed to play football at the next level. This year's game, the 54th annual edition, will have special significance for the Helms family of Floydada.

Adrain Helms was named the Outstanding Offensive Back in the fourth game in the series in 1953. Fifty years later, Adrain's grandson, Tyler Helms, has been selected to play quarterback/kicker in the 2003 event.

The 1953 game was played the August following Adrain Helms' stellar senior season at Floydada High School.

Helms was joined by Whirlwind teammate Bert Grimes on the West squad. There were also several members of Lubbock High School's Westerners, off their 1952 Class 4A State Champs, in the lineup. The West team was coached by Sammy Baugh, the legendary Texas Christian University and Washington Redskins quarterback, who coached at Hardin Simmons during the 1950s. Jerry Tubbs, a future All-American lineman at Oklahoma, was also on the West roster.

Adrain Helms scored the West's only touchdown on a pass reception in a 7-6 loss to the East team, which was coached by Texas Christian's Abe Martin. The 1952 Whirlwinds, of which Helms and Grimes were members, was one of the all-time great Floydada teams. In Coach Preston Watson's first year as head coach, the "Winds were un-

defeated in their 10-game regular season - scoring 356 points while holding their opponents to only 7 (Post scored the only touchdown in the season opener). The Whirlwinds edged the undefeated Phillips Blackhawks 13-7 in a Bi-District thriller in Amarillo's "Ice Bowl" - one of the classic all-time games of Texas Schoolboy Football lore. Floydada's undefeated run in the playoffs ended the next week at the Regional round with a 32-0 loss to Childress (on the same turf where the Greenbelt Bowl is played).

Tyler Helms will be joined on this year's North squad by Lockney's massive lineman, Landon Schumacher. According to Tyler, "After playing against him these years, it will be great being on the same team with Landon for a change." Helms' favorite Whirlwind receiver the past two seasons, Brady Rainwater, will be participating in the bowl game - but this time as an adversary. Brady will play for the South squad, which will be coached by Chuck Lawrence of Navarro Junior College. Andy Carthel of Friona has also been invited to play in the Greenbelt Bowl.

The invitations to play in the Greenbelt Bowl are appropriate tributes to the four representatives of District 5-2A.

Each had outstanding senior seasons in several sports and all received All-District and other post-season honors in one or more sports. Helms was the District's Offensive Co-MVP in football as well as unanimous All-District selections in basketball and baseball. Tyler also won the pole vault event at the district track meet and went to the State Meet in Team Tennis. Whirlwind teammate Brady Rainwater capped a high school

career with All-District honors in football and basketball, and brought home a State Championship in the 800 meters from the State Track & Field Meet.

Landon Schumacher gained All-District and All-South Plains football mention and won top honors in Powerlifting.

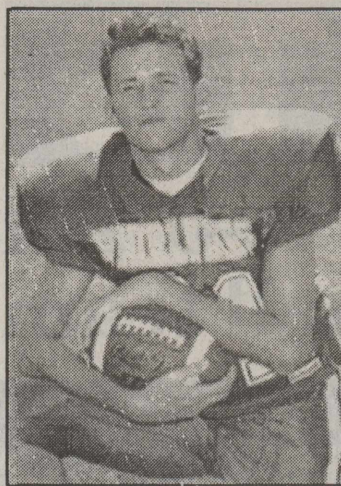
Carthel received All-District recognition in football and basketball.

The North squad in the Greenbelt Bowl will be coached by Dave Dallas of Kansas Wesleyan. The other quarterback on the North roster is Shallowater's Keil Kitchens. Helms remarked, "Keil and I played against each other in junior high, and I am looking forward to playing with him...he is very talented."

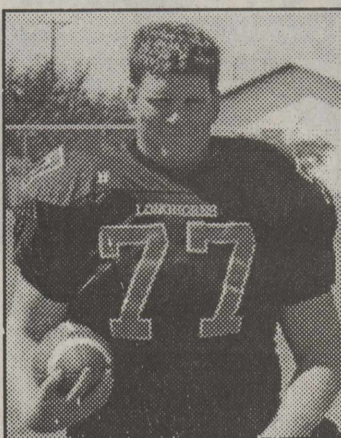
Many who have played or coached in the Greenbelt Bowl the past 54 years have gone on to become successful in college as well as professional football. A lot of Texas football tradition has been carried on by the game. The rivalry and tradition of Floydada and Lockney football was brought to the attention of this writer while researching material for this article.

Bill Sherman of Lockney and Adrain Helms of Floydada started playing football against each other in the 7th grade - 57 years ago. Their sons, Mark Sherman and Kary Helms, played against each other in the late 1970s.

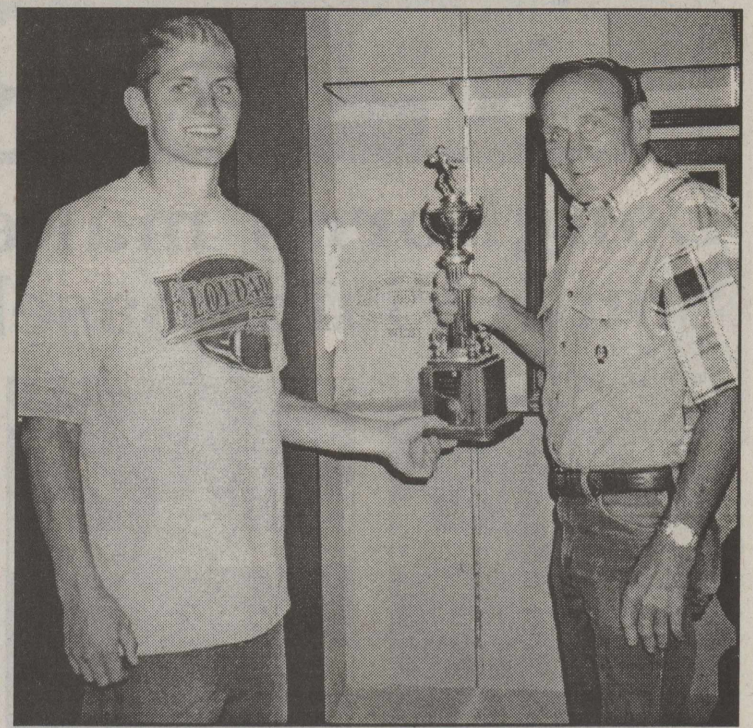
And their grandsons, Ben Sherman and Tyler Helms, quarterbacked the Longhorns and Whirlwinds, respectively, the past two years. Friendly rivals through the years...all part of the greatest sports legacy in the country: small town, West Texas football.



BRADY RAINWATER
Floydada Senior



LANDON SCHUMACHER
Lockney Senior



CARRYING ON TRADITION-Adrain Helms (right) shows grandson, Tyler Helms, the "Outstanding Offensive Back" trophy awarded to him at the Greenbelt Bowl in 1953. Fifty years later, Tyler will play for the North squad in this year's game. Kickoff for the 54th Annual All-Star Classic is slated at 7:00 P.M. on June 14 at Fair Park Stadium in Childress. Tyler's Whirlwind teammate, Brady Rainwater, has been selected to play for the South team. Lockney's Landon Schumacher will join Tyler on the North squad, which will be coached by Kansas Wesleyan's Dave Dallas. *Courtesy Photo*

COLLEGE NEWS

Galvan named to Presidents List

Monica Galvan of Floydada, has been named to the President's List at Lubbock Christian University for the spring semester of 2003.

In order to be considered a part of this list, a student must be taking a minimum of 12 semester hours and achieve a 4.0 grade point average or better for the entire semester.

The percentage of LCU students making the list has increased dramatically recent years due to a strong emphasis on academics. The administration has developed new programs over the last several years to help students in completing their academic responsibilities, including the Academic Support Center, which offers free student tutoring and University Studies, a program to help new students become successful, independent learners.

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Lunch for children ages 1-18 will be available at A.B. Duncan Elementary, 1011 S. 8th, Floydada.

COLLEGE NEWS

Hinsley receives degree from West Texas A&M University

Todd Hinsley, son of Kim and Sarah Hinsley of Floydada, graduated from West Texas A&M University Saturday, May 10, 2003. He received a Bachelor of Science, Agribusiness degree.

Todd is also the grandson of Wanda Williams and Wynell Hinsley, both of Floydada.

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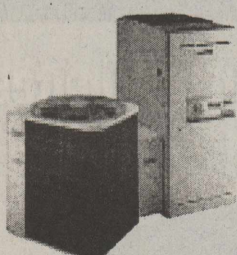
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Reagan York earns degree from LCU

Reagan Leigh York, daughter of Randy and Denise Pernel of Daugherty, was one of 267 graduates who participated in commencement exercises for Lubbock Christian University on May 10, 2003.

York graduated with a Bachelor of Arts in Organizational Communication.

LCU is a liberal arts institution of higher learning dedicated to providing a quality education in a Christian environment. LCU was among only six Texas schools to be named in the John Templeton Foundation Honor Roll of Character Building Universities. LCU offers 37 bachelor's degree programs and six master's degrees with an enrollment of over 1860 students.

In recent years LCU has enjoyed national recognition. The sports program has produced twelve national team championships, more than a dozen individual champions, and over 300 All-American performances.

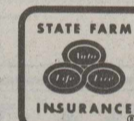
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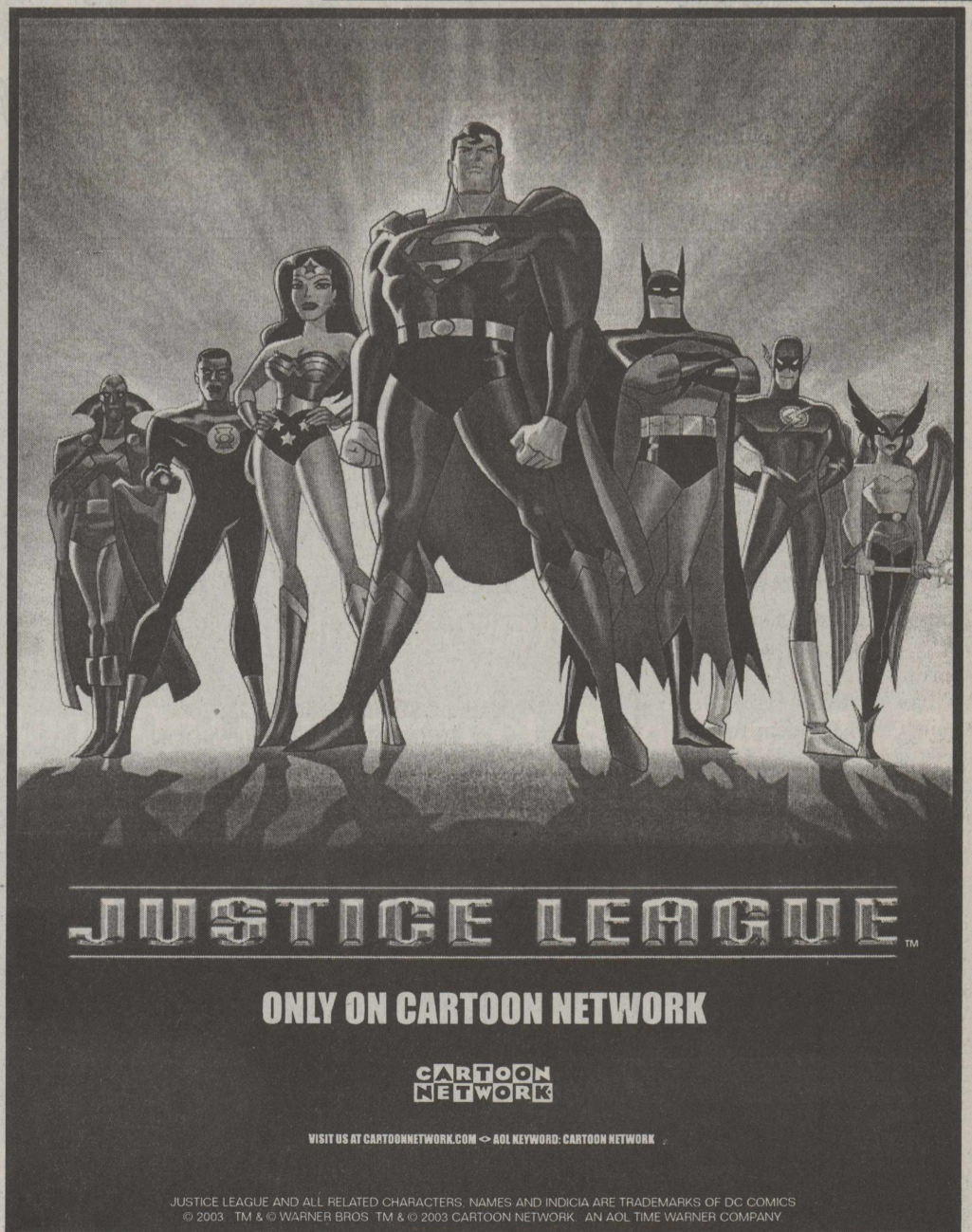


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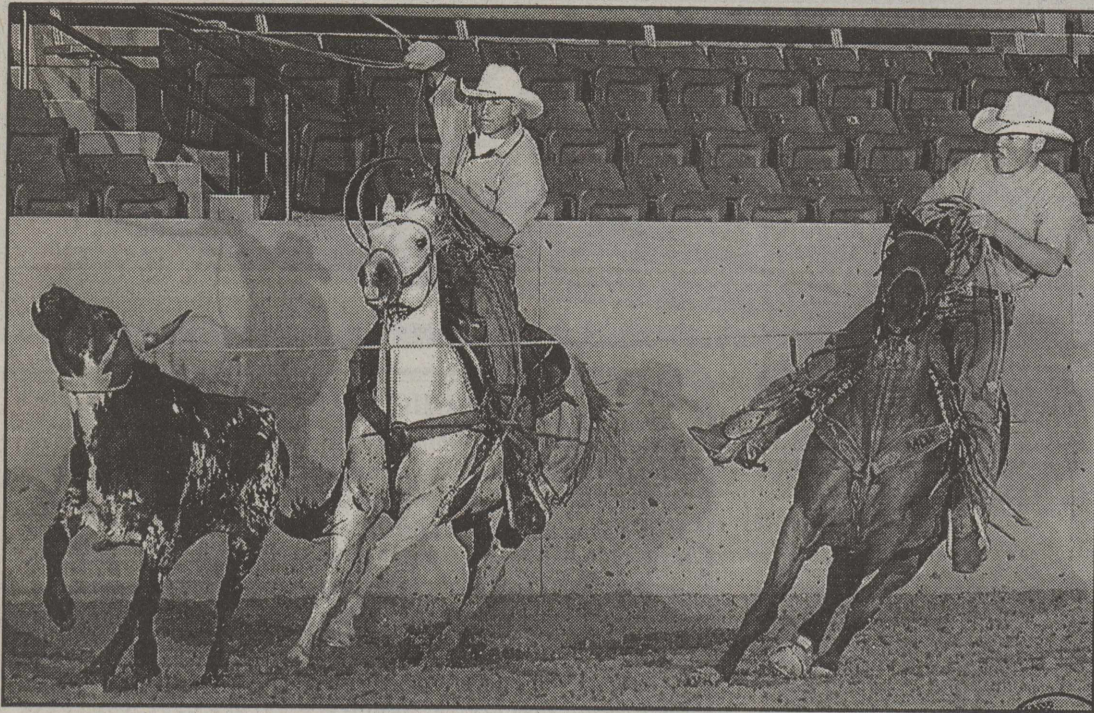


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ROPING WINNERS-Cody and Clay Ware recently represented Floyd County by roping in the Tri-State High School rodeo finals in Vernon, June 1-3, 2003. The top 15 in each event qualify for the finals. Cody and Clay both entered the finals in the number 7 position. They took 4th place in two performances and ended up 5th in average. They are members of the Amarillo High School Rodeo club. Thanks to all the businesses who bought ads from us to support our rodeo team.
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TCE offers Food Manager Certification training course

By Melissa Long
Statistics indicate that foodborne illness continues to be a health issue in the United States. Each year, 1 in 4 Americans will become sick, 1 in 1,000 will become hospitalized, and 5,000 will die due to a foodborne illness.

During the past legislative session, a statute was amended that allowed the Texas Department of Health (TDH) to require each food establishment to have one certified food manager.

Recently, the Texas Board of Health adopted rules to implement this statute. Many of you have already received a letter from the Texas Department of Health regarding this. Under these new rules, each food estab-

lishment permitted by the Texas Department of Health must have one certified food manager. New food manager certificates will be valid for 5 years.

Texas Cooperative Extension, is offering a food manager certification training. This program will be offered for \$79 on July 9 & 10, 2003 at the Ollie Linder Center in Plainview. Cost in-

cludes training, materials, and the State food manager certification examination.

This program is designed to not only prepare foodservice managers to pass the certification examination; it will provide valuable education regarding the safe handling of food. Almost 50 cents of every dollar Americans spend

on food is spent on meals prepared away from home. Therefore, careful-attention to food safety will help keep customers safe and satisfied.

Foodborne illnesses are estimated to cost thousands of dollars in lost wages, insurance, and medical bills. With these statistics, knowledge of how to prevent foodborne illness is essential. The benefits of improved food safety include: increased customer satisfaction, improved relationships with health officials, prevention of bad publicity and law suits due to foodborne illness.

By attending the course, foodservice managers will learn: identifying potentially hazardous foods and common errors in food handling, preventing contamination and cross-contamination of food teaching and encouraging personal hygiene for employees, complying with government regulations, maintaining clean utensils, equipment and surroundings, and controlling pests.

Foodborne illnesses can be prevented by following simple food safety practices. For more information about the Food Protection Management training program contact Texas Cooperative Extension in Hale County at 291-5271 or Floyd County at 983-4912. Registration with money is due by Monday, June 16.

Disaster assistance figures announced

By Shawn Wade
Officials from the Texas Farm Service Agency have announced another piece of the Disaster Program puzzle with the release of 2001-2002 Disaster Assistance Program unharvested factors.

The announcement of a 12 percent unharvested factor for Upland cotton is good news for Texas producers who lost crops in either 2001 or 2002.

Our primary focus at Plains Cotton Growers in regard to the Disaster program's unharvested factors was to fight for the lowest factor possible in order to keep producers from taking additional, unwarranted reductions on disaster payments," explains PCG Executive Vice President Steve Verett.

Verett added that, "Since early May we have worked closely with the State FSA Committee in examining the requirements of the disaster program in regard to setting unharvested factors. PCG encouraged the State Committee to use the full discretion allowed by the Disaster Bill to set an unharvested factor for cotton that most accurately reflects the true harvest cost of the crop."

Verett points out that further justification for the single factor, as opposed to the multi-tiered unharvested factors used in 2000, is the new benefit cap provisions that will prevent any program participant from receiving more through insurance and disaster payments than they would have received without a crop loss.

Working closely with Texas FSA personnel, Texas Coopera-

tive Extension and growers, PCG helped develop realistic production budgets and provided that information to the Texas State FSA Committee for their use in developing the unharvested factors for Upland cotton.

Additional unharvested payment factors of interest to High Plains producers include: Corn, 14%; Grain Sorghum, 14%; Peanuts, 25%; and, Wheat, 14%.

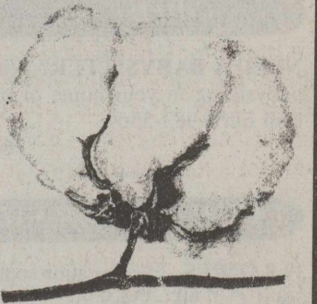
Even though the official start date for the 2001 - 2002 Disaster Assistance Program has finally arrived, producers probably shouldn't worry about getting to the FSA office in any big hurry.

There are a number of reasons why the Disaster sign-up process will probably not get to full speed until later this month.

The first is that recent rains will undoubtedly spur an increased need for crop certifications so that farms destroyed by recent hail storms can be released to insurance. Also, FSA staff are still working through the ongoing CRP sign-up and receiving training on the in's and out's of the completely new Crop Disaster Program for 2001 - 2002.

For producers the best advice is probably to hold of a little while before trying to set up a Disaster Program sign-up appointment. The extra time will provide both producers and FSA the breathing room they need to take care of the other's priority needs first and make sure the Disaster sign-up process proceeds at the smoothest possible pace.

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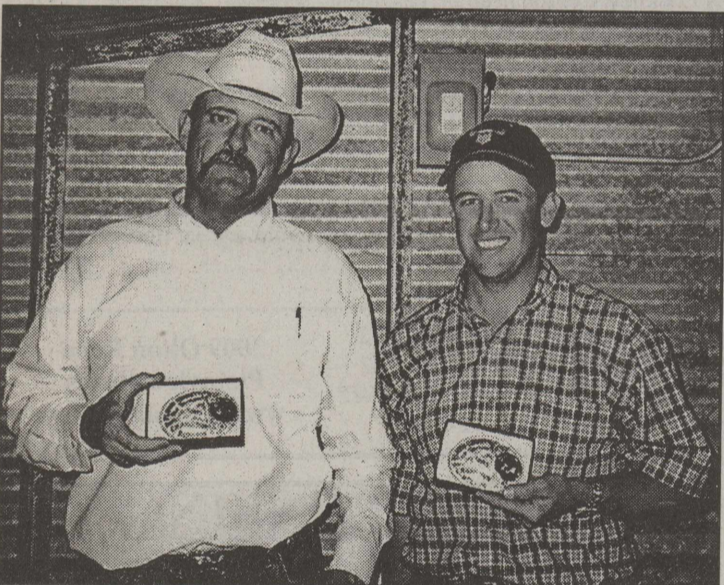


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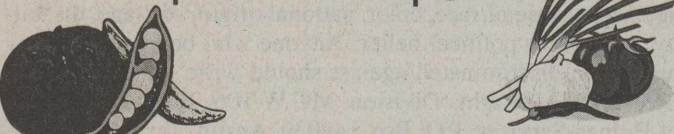
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GARAGE SALE--Saturday 14th from 9:00 - ?? NO EARLY BIRDS! Highway 70 - 4 miles north of Floydada CR 131. 6-12p

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PUBLIC NOTICE

TREASURERS' REPORT

We the undersigned County Judge and Commissioners in and for Floyd County, Texas hereby certified that this date made an examination of and compared the County Treasurer's monthly Report, filed with us on the 9th day of June, 2003 and that the total of funds held by the County Treasurer, as well as other assets in her hands in the sum of \$305,968.50.

First National Bank Certificate of Deposit: \$ 551,000.00.

Bill Hardin, County Judge
RayNell Bearden, Commissioner, Precinct #1
Leonard Gilroy, Commissioner, Precinct #2
Craig Gilly, Commissioner, Precinct #3
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6-12c

FISD SUMMER FOOD PROGRAM

Floydada Independent School District announces the sponsorship of the Summer Food Service Program. People who are eligible to participate in the program must not be discriminated against because of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, religion or political belief. Anyone who believes that they have been discriminated against should write immediately to: Director, Civil Rights Division, MC W-106, Texas Department of Human Services, P.O. Box 149030, Austin, Texas 78714.

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Texas Migrant Council, Inc., a non-profit organization with 30 years experience providing child care services to migrant families, has the following positions available at its Floydada Center in FLOYDADA, TEXAS.

TEACHER I (3 Positions)

GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES: Responsible for planning and implementing a child development program for a MHS classroom that conforms with developmentally appropriate practices and meets Head Start Performance Standards, along with other federal state and local requirements.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: High School Diploma or GED. Current Child Development Associate (CDA) credential. Associate Degree in a field related to Early Childhood Education preferred. Experience working with children in Head Start program or licensed childcare setting. Must have good PC skills and experience in word processing (Word/WordPerfect), spreadsheet (Excel/Lotus), database (Excess/Dbase) and PowerPoint experience (preferred). Bilingual in English and Spanish preferred. Good oral and written communication skills. Must be 18 years of age. Ability to communicate effectively with migrant families and all applicable constituencies.

Resume/Application must be received by Friday, June 13, 2003 by 5:00 p.m.

Submit RESUME/APPLICATION WITH COVER LETTER and current salary to:

Texas Migrant Council, Inc.
Attn: Regional Director
4630 50th Ste. 107
Lubbock, Texas 79414
Phone: 806-763-4187
Fax: 806-763-9136
gwen.love@mail.tmccentral.org

Obituaries

THOMAS CASEY

Funeral services for Thomas Forrest "Bud" Casey, age 75, of Seminole were held Friday, June 6, 2003 at the Community Chapel in Seminole. Rev. Bruce Cotton officiated. Funeral services were also held in Lockney at the First United Methodist Church that afternoon.

Graveside services followed in the Lockney Cemetery. Funeral services were under the direction of Boyer Funeral Home of Seminole.

Mr. Casey passed away Wednesday, June 4, 2003 at his residence in Seminole.

He was born February 20, 1928 in Floyd County. He had lived in Seminole for 22 years moving from Lockney. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Seminole. He was a farmer and rancher for many years and had worked for the last 22 years for Bonner-Hoffman Well Service as a truck driver. He was the oil support person of the year in Gaines County in 1996. Preceded in death by one sister, Ina Jo Holbrook in 2002.

Survivors include one son, Ronald Casey of Lockney; one brother, Doyle Casey of Washburn; one sister, Jean Johnson of Dalores, Colorado.

TONY FELAN

Services for Tony Felan, 79, of Lockney were held Thursday, June 5, 2003 at the Bethel Assembly of God Church in Lockney. Pastors Eliseo Ovalle and Domingo Luna officiated.

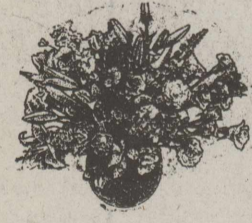
Burial was in the Lockney Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Lockney.

Mr. Felan died Tuesday, June 3, 2003 at his residence in Lockney.

He was born on May 10, 1924 in Roscoe to the late Abellino and Maria Salas Felan. He married Ester Cantu on September 30, 1944 in Marlin, and then moved to Lockney. He was a contractor until he retired in 1984 and was a member of the Bethel Assembly of God in Lockney.

He was preceded in death by two sons, Abellino and Robert Felan; three brothers, Santiago and Jose Felan, Jorge Salinas; one grandson, Oseas Torres, Jr.; two granddaughters, Peggy Luna and Bianca Felan.

Survivors include his wife, Ester Felan; five daughters, Sara Luna of Muleshoe, Estella Castro, Olivia Torres, Gloria Fieros and Antonia Felan, all of Lockney; one brother, Alfredo Salinas of Lometa; three sisters, Margarita Cruz of Lometa, Genoveva Paula of Ulysses, Kansas and Maria Salinas of Bryan; 39 grandchildren, 72 great-grandchildren and 2 great-great-grandchildren.



Light The Cross Donations

A donation to Light the Cross Fund has been made in memory of **Beth Faulkenberry**, by Randy and Julie Duke, Cecilia and Linda Jackson, and by Adrian and Ann Helms.

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

This Week's Announcements

LOCKNEY SALVATION ARMY

Clothes and shoes needed at the Lockney Salvation Army. All sizes needed. It has been a month since the Salvation Army has received any donations. Canned food also needed.

Even Small Ads get read.

EULA BARBEE HOFFMAN

Funeral services for Eula "Pat" Barbee Woods Hoffman, 81, of Fort Worth were held at 11:00 a.m. Monday, June 2, 2003 at the Shannon Rose Hill Funeral Chapel.

Burial was held in the Shannon Rose Hill Memorial Park.

Mrs. Hoffman died May 30, 2003 in Houston.

She was born on September 18, 1921 in Garden City to the late C.C. Barbee and Martha A. Cowart Barbee. She was raised in Floydada. Her parents were tenant farmers who passed away within a year of each other when she was 16 years old.

She married J.B. Woods in 1940 and had one son, Bobby L. Woods in 1943. Her husband was killed in 1946 and she moved to Fort Worth and worked for the telephone company.

In 1949, she met and married John N. Hoffman, Jr. He had one son, J. Wayne Hoffman (from a previous marriage) and in 1952 had their daughter, Anna Darlene Hoffman to complete their family. They retired in the late 1970s and came home to their Martel address for their retirement. They both were active members of the Meadowbrook Church of Christ and later at Bridgewood Church of Christ.

She was preceded in death by Wayne Hoffman in 1995, John Hoffman in 1997 and Darlene in February 2002.

INEZ ROE

Funeral services for Inez Roe, 84, of Floydada were held Saturday, June 7, 2003 at Moore-Rose-White Memorial Chapel in Floydada.

Mrs. Roe passed away Monday, June 2, 2003.

A resident of Floydada, she was born in Donie, July 7, 1918, and was married February 14, 1937 to S.D. "Pete" Roe.

Survivors are her husband, Pete Roe; one brother, Bill Pharis and wife, Jeanne Anne of Fort Worth; one son, Sam Roe of Amarillo; two daughters, Sandra Turner and husband, Elton of Flagstaff, Arizona and Linda Ramey of Houston; seven grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, William Henry "Bill" Pharis, Sr. and Ruby Plumlee Pharis; her daughter-in-law, Kay Roe; and an infant granddaughter.

Mrs. Roe was a member of the First Baptist Church.

To our dear friends -

Difficult days are made so much easier when God surrounds us with friends to sustain us in our sorrow. Our heartfelt thanks go out to you, whether you brought food, hugs or thought of us in your prayers! God bless you all.

The Family of Beth Faulkenberry

PUBLIC NOTICE

APPRAISAL REVIEW BOARD FOR THE FLOYD COUNTY, TEXAS APPRAISAL DISTRICT

Notice of Public Meeting of the Appraisal Review Board:

Notice is hereby given that a public meeting of the Appraisal Review Board of the Floyd County Appraisal District will convene at 8:00 a.m. on June 19, 2003, at the meeting room, located at 104 East California, and will continue in session at that time and place on June 19, 2003.

The board will examine and equalize the appraisal records of the chief appraiser, and will hear and determine taxpayer and taxing unit appeals on all matters permitted by TEX. PROPERTY TAX CODE CHAPTER 41.

The Appraisal Review Board will be in session until all tax appraisals have been equalized and approved and all timely filed appeals heard and resolved.

This notice is given pursuant to TEX. REV. CIV. STAT. ANN. ART. 6252-17.

John Paul Schacht
Chairman, Appraisal Review Board

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Administration of the estate of HARVEY THOMAS REYNOLDS, DECEASED, has been commenced by the issuance of letters testamentary to the undersigned on November 12, 2002, by the County Court of Floyd County, Texas, acting in Cause No. 5626, styled IN RE ESTATE OF HARVEY THOMAS REYNOLDS, DECEASED, in which court the matter is pending.

All creditors having claims against the estate are hereby notified to present them to the undersigned at the address shown below within the time prescribed by law.

Dated this 2nd day of June, 2003.

KENNETH REYNOLDS
INDEPENDENT EXECUTOR OF
THE ESTATE OF HARVEY THOMAS REYNOLDS
C/O KAREN HOCHIN
ATTORNEY FOR THE ESTATE
P.O. BOX 421, 106 E. CALIFORNIA
FLOYDADA, TEXAS 79235
PHONE (806) 983-5556, FAX (806) 983-3540

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Floyd County Church Directory

AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH
Randy Curtis, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
810 S. 3rd, Floydada
Darwin Robinson, Pastor
983-5278
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

CALVARY'S CORNERSTONE FELLOWSHIP
Floydada
Armando Morales, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.
Bible Study 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

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Lockney
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Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST
Ken Free- Minister
Floydada
Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
401 S. Main, Floydada
Anthony D. Sisemore,
Pastor
Duce Cooper,
Minister of Students
Bill Swinney,
Minister of Ed./Music
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study ... 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Lockney
Phillip Golden - Pastor
Chad Frizzell-Youth
Minister
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship .. 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Floydada
Dr. David Jones, Pastor
Rev. Ione Sedinger,
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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship .. 10:50 a.m.

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Lockney
Rev. Neely Landrum,
Pastor
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Worship Service ... 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Praise/Worship 7:00 p.m.

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

MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST
Lockney
Jay Don Poindexter,
Minister
Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
Floydada
Rev. Ralph Jackson
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.
Thursday 7:00 p.m.

NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
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Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.

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Sunday Services .. 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

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Worship Service ... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Service 7:30 p.m.

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Rev. Lupe Rando
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship .. 10:55 a.m.
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Evening 7:00 p.m.

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

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

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701 W. Missouri
Rev. Ray Gonzales
983-5286 (church)
983-3047 (parsonage)
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Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC CHURCH
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Pedro Reyes, Pastor
Sun. Prayer Service 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:45 p.m.
Worship Service ... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Meeting 7:00 p.m.

TEMPLO BETHEL SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD
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Rev. Eliseo Ovalle 983-6202
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship ... 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Service 7:00 p.m.

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Rev. Herman Martinez
308 W. Tennessee,
Floydada
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Tuesday 7:30 p.m.
Thursday Service ... 7:30 p.m.

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500 W. Houston
Floydada
Henry Russell, Co-Pastor
Vance Mitchell, Co-Pastor
983-5499
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship .. 10:40 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

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Providence Community
on FM 2301 293-3009
Melvin Loseke, Minister
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
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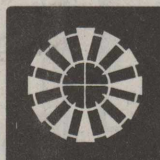
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