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Open House kicks off Pioneer Reunion

The Museum's Open House in Floydada on Friday will kick off the weekend's Old Settler's Reunion.

The Open House will begin at 1:00 p.m. and will feature refreshments and Frank Potts presenting his computer scanned historic photos from the Museum's collection.

Saturday's highlights will include awards to "Old Settler's" and special entertainment by The Otwell Twins.

Roger and David Otwell are known for their part on the Lawrence Welk Show. Born in Tulia, they joined the Lawrence Welk Show in 1977, teaming with the Aldridge Sisters.

David now lives in Amarillo and Roger lives in Canyon. They still perform together in concerts, churches and for Lawrence Welk show wraparounds on public television.

At 10:15 a.m. the Pioneer Reunion committee will present their awards to some Floydada residents who have been named the Pioneer Woman and Couple, and to a Lockney man for the Pioneer Man of the Year award. The oldest man and woman present and the person traveling the farthest will also be recognized.

The awards ceremony will be held under the pavilion on the

courthouse square.

"Old Settlers" (those who have lived in Floyd County for 50 or more years) can register for their free lunch in the north end of the Ag Building from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon on Old Settlers Day.

Danny's Fins and Hens will cater the meal. Tickets for "young settlers" are \$5.00.

A complete schedule of the day's events can be found on page 2, courtesy of First National Bank in Floydada.

Registration for the Wildflower Show will be held from 9:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m., at the Floyd County Museum. There will be 7 divisions for the show: miniature container, unusual container, antique container, men's division, youth division, miscellaneous division, and table center piece division. Awards for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place, and a Sweepstakes Award will be given.

Entertainment will be provided during the lunch break, by: Hannah Smith, Caitlann Wylie, Evan Johnson, J.C. Simpson, and Madolyn McCormick.

Special attractions throughout the day will include the arts and crafts show on the courthouse

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MODERN DAY TRAFFIC LIGHT BEING INSTALLED--Workers have been busy digging on all four corners at Hwy 70 and Missouri Street, installing new wiring for a new traffic light at the intersection. The modern light will have video cameras on the light for vehicle detection. "This is not a camera for catching people running red lights," said Ricky Lawrence, the Traffic Systems Supervisor with TxDOT. "The camera is used to keep traffic moving. If there are no cars on Missouri Street then the light will stay green for the traffic on Hwy. 70. If someone drives up to the intersection from Missouri Street the camera will detect the vehicle and give it a green light--and stop the traffic on Hwy. 70. The new light is being installed because parts can no longer be found to repair the old traffic light. The new light will cost approximately \$90,000 and is paid for by TxDOT.



AREA SHARES RESOURCES IN LOCKNEY WASTEWATER PROJECT-- In December of 2003 Lockney received notice that they had received a STEP grant to build a new wastewater plant, including a 300 foot by 600 foot Wastewater pond. The grant was in the form of 60% 40% with the city required to put up 40%, \$165,000, of the funds or in-kind labor. The 60%, \$278,368, will be in form of the grant money for a total project cost of \$443,368. As of this time volunteers have logged \$70,000 worth of time and equipment to the project. Here less than one year later the major portion of the project is nearly completed. Mayor Roger Stapp praised volunteers for their combined effort in the construction of the Wastewater Plant. "We could not have come this far on this project without the help of our volunteers. It takes this kind of combined effort for small communities to be able to stay in compliance with some of these governmental regulations." Pictured are volunteers from Caprock Feed Yard and Floyd County. Not pictured are city employees and Ricky Hrbacek and a crew from his farm operation. Also donated were meals for workers donated by Main Street Pizza, Clar Schacht and Linda Edwards.

Hooten Wins School Board Position

There was a high turnout Saturday in the Lockney ISD race for Trustee at Large.

Incumbent Trustee Mike Mathis was defeated in the race by Lonny Hooten.

Mathis garnered 77 votes and Hooten had 126 votes.

City project 95% complete

By Judy Macha

"The new water treatment lagoon south of Lockney is now 95% complete," announced Mayor Stapp at the Lockney City Council meeting 5-13-04. "We only have the pipeline to install now."

"The Council and I want to thank all the volunteers who worked so hard to complete this project, with their time, labor, equipment, etc., and to thank all those who provided food and drinks to the workers," said the Mayor. That list would include: Melvin Johnson, Aurelio

Jimenez, Jimmy Kemp, Aaron Wilson, Andy Stapp, Dickie Lambert, W.O. Clarke, Bill McCarter, David Sutterfield, Rick Hrbacek, Jorge Villarreal, Dickie McCarty, Casey Lambert, Dub Hallmark, Randall Stapp, Rodger Stapp, Michael DeLeon, Mrs. Jerry Edwards (Linda), Ron Hall and the City of Lockney.

Ron Hall brought up the fact the Lockney Community Center is now available to rent. The following prices apply: \$10.00 per hour for 3 to 4 hours; \$100.00 per day, (24 hours); \$100.00 for a dance, plus the cost of providing

A Municipal Maintenance Agreement with Texas Dept. of Transportation was unanimously passed on a motion by Junior Brotherton and a second by Dee Copeland. The State requires this before doing maintenance on Farm to Market roads that enter city limits.

Junior Brotherton made the motion and Ginger Mathis seconded approving Jimmy Kemp as the replacement for Aaron Wilson, who resigned, from the M.M.W.A. Board of Directors.

Bobby Hall of the Lockney

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LHS honors top grads

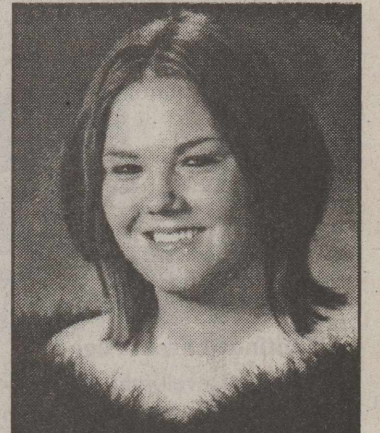


HANNAH ROCKWELL VALEDICTORIAN

Two young ladies at Lockney High School have earned the top scholastic honors.

Hannah Rockwell's grade point average of 94.9 earned her the top title of Valedictorian and Salutatorian went to Amanda (Mandy) Hancock with a 93.6 GPA.

Hannah is the daughter of Susan and Joe McCallister, of Lockney, and Richard and Melody



AMANDA HANCOCK SALUTATORIAN

Rockwell, of Plainview.

She has served as the president of the student council, a member and Social Director of the National Honor Society, and was 4th chair at All Region Band.

Hannah has also served as class Vice President and was on the speech team for 4 years. She is a Hospice Hands volunteer and very active in the Oneighty Youth

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Dunlap and Warren get top honors at FHS



MELISSA DUNLAP VALEDICTORIAN

Melissa Dunlap and Becky Warren have been named the top scholars at Floydada High School.

Melissa Dunlap, 18, the daughter of John and Judy Dunlap, earned the Valedictorian honors with a 3.88 GPA.

Becky Warren, 17, was named Salutatorian with a 3.76 GPA. She is the daughter of Don and Hope Warren.



BECKY WARREN SALUTATORIAN

Melissa has served on the Yearbook Staff for 2 years and was a student council representative for four years. She played Varsity Tennis for four years and placed 1st in Varsity Tennis-Doubles.

Melissa also served as Class Secretary, Class Reporter, and Class Vice President.

Melissa was also co-president

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Matsler remembers "Old Settlers"

Leonard Matsler, 90, the original owner of Leonards Cafe in Floydada, is looking forward to talking over old times with friends during Saturday's Old Settler's celebration.

Matsler is still in possession of a October 13, 1938 news article from Plainview's "Community Weekly" newspaper commenting on the October 1887 arrival of his grandparents to the South Plains.

The article states, "It was 51 years ago last Friday, October 8, when the Matsler family turned their cattle loose a few miles west of Plainview, on Running Water Draw, after having driven them from San Saba County. Bob Matsler, one of the oldest children, was eleven when the family moved here in 1887.

"They camped for a time on what was known since as the Campbell section, about two miles west of Plainview. Later they acquired land south and west of town."

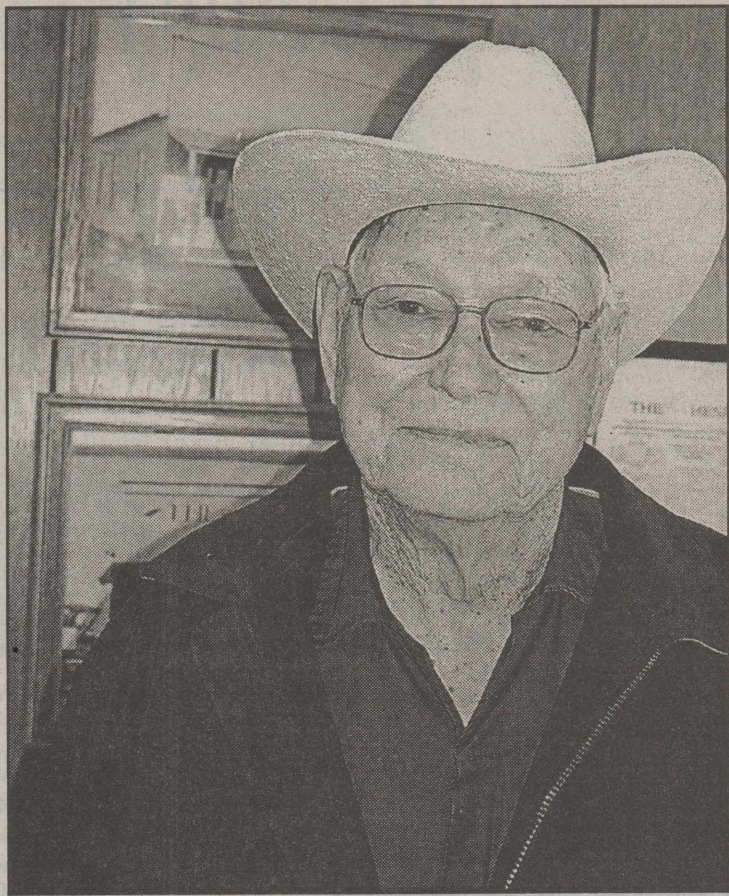
According to the Floydada grandson, Leonard, his grandparents had approximately 900 head in that herd of cattle.

"They were on their way to New Mexico and got snowed in at Running Water Draw. They decided to stay until Spring and then ended up staying.

Matsler enjoyed pointing out a few fun facts in the same Plainview Community newspaper. "Look here--it says you could get paid 35¢ to pick 100 pounds of cotton, and cattle were selling for 4¢ a pound.

"My dad bought a section of land in Hale County for \$600 in 1898," said Matsler.

One of seven kids, Leonard



LEONARD MATSLER

and a sister in Amarillo are the only siblings still alive.

A 1933 graduate of Plainview High School, he married Lahoma in 1938.

"I worked at Quick Lunch in Plainview for 5 years and I drove a Coca-Cola truck for a year before I decided to open a restaurant in Floydada," said Matsler. "We moved here in 1941 and opened the restaurant at a location west of Paynes Pharmacy."

After 19 years the restaurant was moved to its present location, 321 S. 2nd.

"I sold the restaurant to my

son, Gary, in 1977, but for about 20 years I continued to go down and help at breakfast. I also kept busy taking care of cattle."

Leonard's wife, Lahoma, worked for 25 years as the school secretary.

Matsler also served as mayor for two terms in the 60's and was a city councilman for 20 years. He was also a volunteer fireman for 20 years.

When asked if it was all that hard work that has made him such a young 90 years, Matsler responds, "I stayed healthy because I ate at Leonards."



APART RAFFLE--Lockney AP Art students, (l-r) Lance Terrell, Britta McDonald, and Annie Reecer are shown with items that will be included in a raffle to help fund the AP class trip to New York City in June for the National Scholastic Art Awards & Exhibit. The students will be set up the pavilion at the Old Settler's Reunion on Saturday selling tickets for the raffle. Tickets are \$5 for a chance to win either a fused glass mirror by Annie Reecer, a Glass & Oryx Horn sculpture by Britta McDonald, or a Mosaic Glass Window by Lisa Mosley. Another raffle will be held for a variety of mosaic frames created by Hannah Rockwell and Addie Foster. Tickets for this raffle will be \$2.00. Courtesy Photo

Chamber holding membership drive

By Abel Luna

The Lockney Area Chamber of Commerce is asking for support once again in its 2004 membership drive.

With past donations, we have been able to serve the community in many ways, such as sponsoring the following: Annual Chamber Banquet, Holiday Affair, Old Fashioned Saturday, advertising on radio and through the website (www.lockneychamber.com), maintaining Christmas decorations, providing donations to the local stock show and 4-H rabbit show.

The Chamber also provides Chamber Bucks as prizes throughout the year. Please re-member, as a business, that these Chamber Bucks can only be spent at businesses that are a member of the Chamber.

The Chamber is dedicated to maintaining and growing the

businesses in the Lockney area.

Individual memberships are \$10.00; Family memberships are \$20.00; and Business memberships are \$30.00.

Please make checks payable to Lockney Area Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 477, Lockney, Texas 79241.

CHD swears in new board member

By Darwin Robinson

The Caprock Hospital District Board met Tuesday, May 18, and two board members were sworn into office by Floyd County Judge William D. Hardin. They were Rex Lawson and J. Royce Bradshaw. Bradshaw ran uncontested for the seat of resigning Jeff Johnson.

The board reelected Rex Lawson as President of the board, Kyle Smith as Vice-President and Tom Farris as Secretary.

The board approved the payment of indigent health claims amounting of \$220.15.

A Financial Budget Update from October, 2003 through April, 2004 was presented to the board by Board President Lawson. Lawson told the board, "We are pretty well on track with our budget. It balances out and our EMS budget is in pretty good shape." Taxes collected showed \$166,549.53, which is 98 percent of taxes budgeted and projected. \$13,064.47 Indigent Health Care expenses has been paid by CHD with \$35,000 budgeted for this fiscal year. Cash On Hand as of May 12, 2004 showed \$157,840.84, with Projected Cash On Hand ending this fiscal year on September 30, 2004 to be at \$60,369.84.

Floydada EMS Director Paul Moore gave a report to the board.

Moore said, "It has been slow this month. We have only had around 15 to 18 runs so far this month.

Normally we average around 60 to 70 runs per month. It may be because we have been trying to educate the public that we should not be called just to check their

temperature or blood pressure."

PNS representative Paul Acreman gave the board a financial report on the Cogdell Clinic.

"The clinic is in fine financial shape. It showed a profit of \$11,000, which is \$15,000 over this time last year.

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DO YOU REALLY WANT A CONCENTRATED ANIMAL FEEDING OPERATION JUST 3.5 MILES WEST-SOUTHWEST OF LOCKNEY?

AN APPLICATION HAS BEEN MADE TO THE TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY (TCEQ) TO OPERATE A 4000-HEAD DAIRY LOCATED 3 1/2 MILES WEST-SOUTHWEST FROM THE CITY LIMITS OF LOCKNEY, TEXAS.

PREVAILING WINDS WILL CARRY DUST PARTICLES, FLIES, MOSQUITOS, AND ODORS INTO TOWN.

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POLLUTANTS LEGALLY DISCHARGED BY THIS FACILITY DURING CHRONIC OR CATASTROPHIC RAINFALL WILL BE DIRECTED INTO RUNNING WATER DRAW, TRAVEL THROUGH THE FLOYDADA COUNTRY CLUB, AND EVENTUALLY END UP IN WHITE RIVER LAKE.

Hydrogen sulfide, a gas toxic to humans, is emitted from CAFO (concentrated animal feeding operation) lagoons. In one study it was found in the air, at unsafe levels, almost 5 miles from the source. Source: Gregory C. Pratt, Ph.D., "Dispersion Modeling Analysis of Air Emissions from Feedlots in Nine Townships in West-Central Minnesota," Air Quality Division, Minnesota Pollution Control Agency, St. Paul Minnesota (May 26, 1998).

Applying animal manure to the ground near wells doubles the likelihood that nitrate levels in the well will be unhealthy. Source: A Survey of the Quality of Water Drawn from Domestic Wells in Nine Midwest States, National Center for Environmental Health (September, 1998)

Waste lagoons on factory farms emit toxic chemicals into the air which can cause many health problems in humans. Source: Steve Wing and Susanne Wolf, "Intensive Livestock Operations, Health, and Quality of Life Among Eastern North Carolina Residents," Environmental Health Perspectives, Vol. 108, No. 3 (March 2000), p. 233

Contamination from manure on large dairy farms is believed to have contaminated the drinking water in Milwaukee, making 400,000 people sick. Source: David Letson and Noel Gollehon, "Confined Animal Production and the Manure Problem," Choices (Third Quarter 1996), p.18.

IF YOU AGREE THAT LOCKNEY AND FLOYD COUNTY DO NOT NEED THESE PROBLEMS, VOICE YOUR OPINION IN WRITING AND URGE THE TCEQ TO REJECT THIS APPLICATION.

Letters MUST refer to TPDES Registration No. WQ0004693000 and MUST be received no later than May 29. Letters should be addressed to the following :

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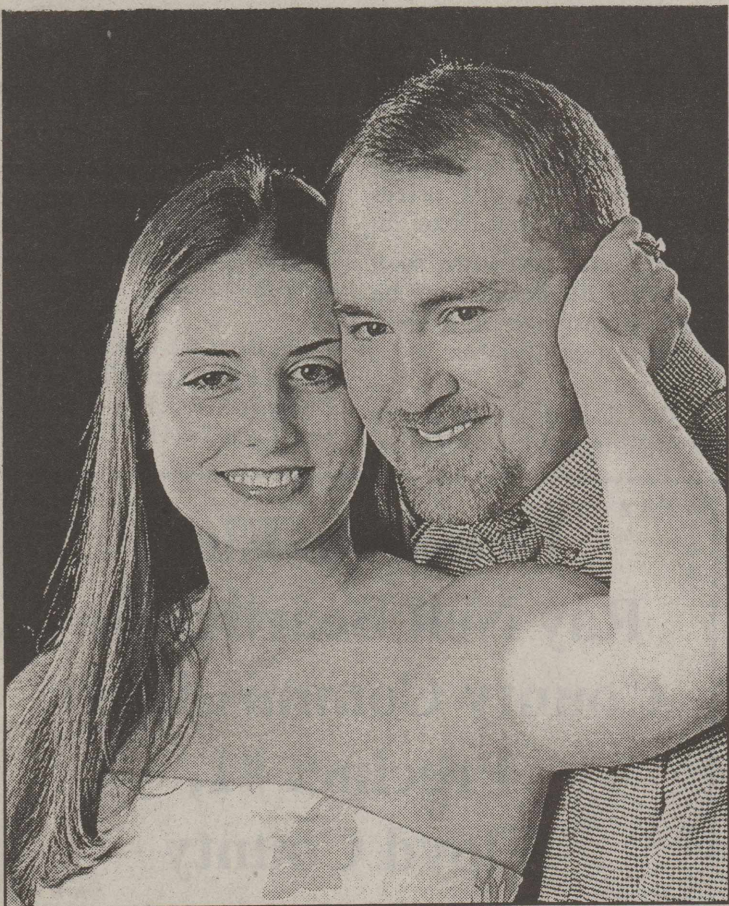
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THESE THREE RAZZLE DAZZLE RED HAT SOCIETY LADIES---(l to r) Mary Carter, Ethylene Garnett and Linda Edwards were caught red handed setting out their properly attired pink flamingos in Lockney resident Dub Hallmark's yard last Thursday as part of their fund raiser for the American Cancer Society.



KYLAN SANDERS AND MATTHEW FRANCIS

Sanders and Francis

Mark and Dee Sanders of Floydada and Danny and Donna Francis of Silverton proudly announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their children, Kylan Anne Sanders and Matthew Bonner Francis.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Hansel and Connie Sanders of South Plains and Sterling and Gleynn Cummings also of South Plains. She is a graduate of Floydada High School and is currently working on a dual degree in Architecture and Civil Engineering at Texas Tech University.

The future bridegroom is the grandson of the late Irvin and Peggy Francis of Silverton and Denny and Johnnie Mac Quisenberry of Lockney. He is the great-grandson of Ursel and the late Garnie Taylor of South Plains. He is a graduate of Silverton High School and West Texas A&M. He is employed with Delta and Pine Land in Aiken.

The couple plan a family wedding on August 9, 2004 in Galveston.

Lockney Senior Citizen News

By Vera Jo Bybee

You know 2003 was not a very good year for husband Donnie. Thank goodness he was strong when he had the heart surgery and car accident and is now all well and working everyday. Another reason why he got well was because one of his very best friends forever is Pat Frizzell and Pat has promised Donnie that when he is in a casket he is going to really whip up on him. When Donnie had his long beard I also promised him that if something happened to him before I died, I was going to shave that beard off and bury him clean faced. So-o-o, Donnie got all well - thank goodness!

Talking about Pat. I want to thank him for finding this picture of one of the Lone Star Baseball Teams. See if you know any of the guys before you read their names.

Saturday afternoon Donnie and I received a phone call for Harold and Marie Brock from Kerrville. It was so good to hear from them and catch up on them and their family. They called in regard to the Lone Star Baseball team in the 50's and 60's. They gave me names of players for a whole other team. Some of the players I had already listed who crossed over and played on several teams. The names they gave me were: Bob Tiner, David Williams, Bill Hall, Bill Evans, Byron Brock, Duane Griffith, Mike Nance, David Frizzell,

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Floyd County Lifestyles

New Arrivals

GUERRA
Veronica C. Guerra of Plainview would like to announce the birth of her daughter Kaitlynn Mari Guerra. She was born 8:54 a.m. at Covenant Hospital in Plainview. She weighed 8 pounds 8 ounces and was 19 inches long.

The grandparents are Veronica Guerra of Plainview and Eliseo Guerra, Jr. of Crosbyton. The great-grandparents are Vivian Carrillo and the late Juan Carrillo, Sr. of Plainview and Fliseo Guerra, Sr. and Seferina Guerra of Floydada.

Lockney Firemen present CPR Class

The Lockney Volunteer Fire Department will present a Health Provider CPR Class, Monday, May 24th, and Thursday, May 27th, at the Lockney Fire Department.

The classes are certified by the American Heart Association. Cost for the training is, \$10 for

recertification and \$30 for new students.

Contact Preston Belt, 292-9820 (mobile), 652-3326 (office); or Rodney Hunt, 652-2148 (home), or 292-5401 (mobile) to sign up for the classes.

"We need to know by noon, Monday 24th, in order to order materials," said Belt.

Dear friends,

Thank you for all your prayers, flowers, cards, food, visits and phone calls during my bout with pneumonia.

A special thanks to Dr. Moore, Dr. Stewart, Brit Sipe, Dimple Adams and the nursing staff at Mangold Memorial; to Irene, Katrina and Cindy of Floydada EMS for their care in transferring me to Lubbock.

My thanks and appreciation to Sandra Moody, Barbara Cawley, Judy Schacht, Judy Macha, Joyce Marks and Gayle Jackson; to Anne Messer for the brownies she baked for them, and those who came by just to offer them an encouraging word during this busiest week of the year for a florist. Great job girls.

I promise not to take Mother's Day week off next year! Thank you and may God bless each of you.
Margaret Schacht

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See you at Old Settlers



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Jennifer Spinello & Kip Holt

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ICE CREAM CRANK-OFF CONTEST at OLD SETTLERS



Saturday, May 22
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Register by 11:15 a.m. at the Floydada Chamber Booth. Judging Begins at 11:30 a.m.

Sponsored by the Floydada Chamber of Commerce. All proceeds go towards funds for Christmas banners. Contributions may also be made at First National Bank

Bridal selections:

Jennifer Spinello & Kip Holt

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Jolee Fletcher & Aaron Dietrich

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UPCOMING AUCTION CALENDAR



May 22 1:00 PM
Pioneers Association Old Settler's Reunion
Donations Accepted
Courthouse Square, Floydada, Texas

May 22 7:00 PM
National Rifle Association
Civic Center, Lubbock, Texas

May 27
Real Estate Auction
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Amarillo, Texas

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I've worked tirelessly to make sure that our veterans receive all of the benefits they've been promised. I successfully fought to restore funding for the veterans health care system and to keep VA health care facilities open, including the Big Spring VA Hospital.

As your Congressman I'll continue to fight for our men and women in uniform and for the veterans benefits they so richly deserve.

May God bless our men and women serving the cause of freedom in Iraq and Afghanistan.

Charlie

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Paid for by the Stenholm for Congress Committee.

Floydada Senior Citizens News



ANDERSON RETIRING--A retirement party was held for Louis Anderson, of Floydada, at Producers Co-op, Friday, May 14. Anderson has worked at Producers for 14 years. When he first started at Producers he ran the fuel store for 3 1/2 years and then managed the farm store. Anderson worked at Beall's Department Store in Floydada for 21 years. He resigned and opened his own store in 1977 called Anderson's Department Store. Anderson's was open for 9 1/2 years in the 100 block of W. California. After Anderson closed his store he moved to Lamesa to run Baldwin's Department Store. After 3 1/2 years he returned to Floydada in 1990. He has been married to his wife, Fern (left), for 54 years. *Staff Photo*



1950'S LOCKNEY SUMMER SOFTBALL LEAGUE-This team won 1st Place in the tournament. (back row, l-r) Tom Nance, Les Carlton, Harold Duvall, Bill Sherman, Pat Frizzell, Jim Nance, Donald Farish, Don Bartram; (front row, l-r) Hubert Frizzell, Mgr., G.B. Johnson, Tommy Strange, Tony Frizzell, David Frizzell, Joe Nance, Hoyt Hodges, Mgr. *Courtesy Photo*

We wish to take this opportunity to thank the people of Floydada for welcoming our family into the community. This month marks a year in Floydada for us. We have had an amazing year full of memorable experiences. Since the day we were unloading our moving trucks, neighbors welcomed us. Moving to a small town, meeting new people, and making new friends can seem a little scary. Our neighbors made us feel right at home bringing us delicious desserts. We have made wonderful friends that have helped us adjust. The Lucke and Chavarria families are just a couple of those friends. We especially want to mention our family at City Park Church of Christ. God has blessed us by placing us in a family oriented community that has received us all with open arms. We are excited to call Floydada our home. Once again thanks to everyone.

Thank you,
Michael, Estella, Destiny and Jacob Thomas

By Margarette Word

This past week my sister Lizzie Mae Reynolds fell and ended up in the hospital in Amarillo. I spent three days and two nights in the hospital with her. While I was in the cafeteria at the hospital a young lady stopped at my table and asked me about who I was. I told her and found out she was Kellie McDowell Potter who use to live in Floydada with her mother and dad, Charles and Ina McDowell and brothers Kerry and Ricky.

It was so good to talk with her. Kellie has two grown daughters and two step sons. They live in Amarillo. They were at the hospital because a granddaughter gave birth to a baby. There are nine grandchildren now. Charles and Ina and a son, Kerry live at Lake Kemp. Ricky lives at Miami, Texas. Kellie said her mother and dad subscribe to the Floydada Hesperian-Beacon newspaper, so I want to say "Hi" to them. I worked as secretary at Duncan Elementary for 26 years and the McDowell's would know me as Margarette Bond.

Our sympathy to the family of Betty Boren.

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

In memory of **Ann Helms** - Dallas and Gale Ramsey, Dale

and Carolyn Smith.

In memory of **Jimmie Jo West** - Dub and Mary Ferguson. In memory of **Wayne Collins** Adrain Helms family.

Thought for the week - Opportunity may knock once, but temptation bangs on your front door forever.

MENU

May 24 - May 28

Monday - Chicken patty on bun, macaroni and cheese, broccoli, cornbread, plum cobbler

Tuesday - Pork roast, lima beans, harvard beets, sliced tomatoes, hot roll, pumpkin crunch

Wednesday - Chicken w/mushroom sauce, blackeye peas, green beans, grapefruit sections, wheat rolls, snickerdoodle bars

Thursday - Hamburger steak, brown gravy, baked potato, okra, apricots, cornbread, oatmeal cookie

Friday - Turkey and dressing, green beans, tossed salad/1000 Island, hot roll, cranberry sauce, apple cobbler.

Bridal Selections For:

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Kylan Sanders & Matthew Francis

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Kylan Sanders & Matthew Francis

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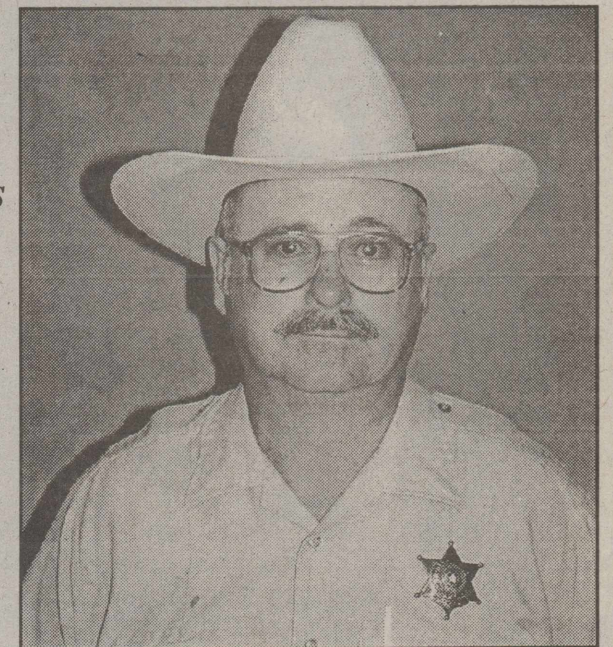
Kimberly Green & George Perez
Robin Kirk & Dane Sanders
Heather Henderson & Ronnie Ingram

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I have years of experience in Law Enforcement.

I have a stack of continuing education certificates from Law Enforcement Schools I have completed, at my own expense. However these don't mean anything without stability, integrity, wisdom, sense of duty and plain old common sense.

I know I have what it takes to make you a good sheriff. I would appreciate your vote in November.

Ray Macha

Political ad paid for by candidate

ESTATE AUCTION

Saturday, May 22 10:00 a.m.

1114 Kokomo - Plainview, TX Mr. Klyce R. Ooley - Owner

View: Friday, May 21 - 1 to 6 p.m.

VEHICLES

- 1 - 1986 Nuwa Hitchhiker R.V. 30'
- 1 - 1991 Ford 3/4 Ton Pickup 460 Engine
- 1 - Suzuki 125cc 4-wheeler
- 1 - Freedom 2 Go Scooter

HOUSEHOLD

- 1 - Whitmore Kimball Piano
- 2 - Drexel China Cabinets
- 1 - Spanish Style Dining Table w/6 High-Back Ladder-Back Chairs
- 1 - Maple Bedroom Suite W/ Dresser, Mirror, End Table
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- 1 - Thomasville Bedroom Suite W/ Dresser, Mirror, 2 End Tables, King Size
- 1 - Oak Marble Top Hall Tree
- 2 - Hardrock Maple Chester Drawers
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- 1 - Maple Curio Cabinet
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- 1 - Round Wood Table
- 1 - Cedar Chest
- 1 - Hall Telephone cabinet
- 3 - Trunks
- 1 - Wood Marble Top Planters Table
- 1 - Wood & Brass Table W/ 4 Chairs
- 2 - Couches & 1 Loveseat
- 4 - Recliners & 2 Straight Backs
- 2 - Cain Back chairs

- 1 - Telephone Cabinet
- 2 - Filing Cabinets
- 1 - Wood Shoe Rack
- 1 - Small Entertainment Center
- 1 - Lot of End Tables
- 1 - Yard Bench & School Desk
- 1 - Card Table & Chairs
- 1 - Lot Lamps & Hanging Lamps
- 1 - RCA TV
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SANDRA SANCHEZ

Sandra is the daughter of Maria Sanchez and Gilbert Ortiz. Her favorites are: food, mom's enchiladas; TV show, "South Park". Her greatest accomplishment is graduating from high school. She is involved in Spanish Club and is treasurer for FCCLA. She plans to go to SPC and major in Cosmetology.



D.J. SUMMERS

D.J. is the son of Johnny and Gerry Summers. His favorites are: TV show, "Fear Factor"; movie, "Bad Boys II"; color, blue; food, tacos; school athletics; musical group, Rap. He plans to attend college after he graduates from FHS.



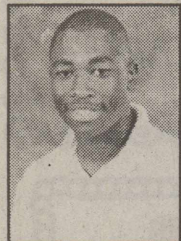
BECKY WARREN

Becky is the daughter of Don and Hope Warren. Her favorites are: TV show, "Joan of Arcadia"; movie, "Pirates of the Caribbean"; color, green; school subject, Psychology; food, chicken strips; musical group, The Benjamin Gate; song, "God of Wonders". Her greatest accomplishment is being inducted into NHS and being elected co-president of NHS. She enjoys playing drums in the Whirlwind band and varsity golf. She plans to attend WTAMU.



LUIS VALENZUELA

Luis is the son of Oralia and David Martinez. His favorites are: TV show, "100 Mexicanos"; movie, Men of Honor; color, purple, subject, Math; food, Mexican. His greatest accomplishment has been learning English. Luis plans to return to Mexico after graduation.



ANGELO WILLIAMS

Angelo is the son of Norah and Beverly Williams. His favorites are: TV show, "106 and Park"; movie, Men of Honor; color, blue; food, hamburgers; song, "Perfect". He plans to enlist in the US Army and go to college.



CHRIS WICKWARE

Chris is the son of Jack and Dorothy Wickware.

FHS holds departmental awards assembly

The Floydada High School departmental awards assembly was held Wednesday, May 12, 2004. Teachers gave out awards and certificates to outstanding academic achievers.

U.S. Government/Economics - Hayley Pierce and Valentina Reyes

World History - Estrella Foster, Mary Medrano and Trey Helms

Spanish I - Raymond Everett, Julianne Runnels and Britnee Brotherton

Spanish II - Lindsey Leatherman

U. S. History - B. J. Chappell and Hayley Pierce

English III - David Mancilla, Whitney Williams and Stephanie Flores

Yearbook - J. R. Rodriguez

A.P. English III - April Arevalo

TAKS - Casey Navarro and Justin Duran

Art I - Gerardo Mata

Art II - Kristan Lackey

Art III - Rachel Griffin

Theatre I - Tony Perez

Theatre II - Katy Gooch

Theatre III - Denise Rainwater

Reading - Amanda Garibay

AP English IV - Melissa Dunlap and Becky Warren

English IV - Sylvia Mancilla and Antowonnette Acy

Special Topics in Social Studies - Dulce Foster

Biology - Britnee Brotherton and Mickel Arevalo

Integrated Physics and Chemistry - Abran Enriquez, Ruben Ortiz and Daniel Garcia

Anatomy - Suelem Saldana

Health - Reagan Heflin

Physical Education - Kami Holbert

Geometry - Keyla Pesina

Advanced Geometry - Jarrett Kirk, Ruben Ortiz and Tate Jones

World Geography - Gabino Ramos, Kalli Ferguson and Douglas Williams

Advanced World Geography - Tate Jones

Life Skills - Paul Lopez

Personal Family Development - Marlen Carmona

Food Technology - Luis Lopez

Independent Study - Apparel - Ana Dela Cerda

Textiles and Apparel - Kim Van Cleve

Food Technology - Mercedes Garcia

Personal and Family Development - Julia Gonzales

Video Technology - Skyler Cornelius

Business Imaging Management & Multimedia - Brenda Cuellar

Keyboarding - Kalli Ferguson and Stephanie Carrasco

Resource Math - Shannon Bolton

Vocational Adjustment Class - Casey Navarro

Agricultural Business - Lindsey Nutt

Entrepreneurship - Chance Crossland

Horticulture - Meghan Graham

Landscaping - April Arevalo and Katy Gooch

Agricultural Metal Fabrication - Armando Chavarria, Justin Fipps and Jacob Reddy

Agricultural Mechanics - Clay Ware and Faustino Chairez

Agricultural 101/102 - Britnee Brotherton, Kayla Kelley and Tate Jones

Office Assistant - D. J. Summers and Tate Jones

Keyboarding - Taylor Hilburn

Teen Leadership - Stephanie Flores

Changing Lives - Gracie Torres and Michelle Yannis

Career Studies - Lindsey Nutt

Keyboarding/Changing Lives - Tate Jones

English as a Second Language - Luis Valenzuela

Resource English I - Shannon Bolton

Speech Communications - Reagan Heflin and Ruben Ortiz

U. S. History - Cody Ware and Greg Vasquez

Integrated Physics and Chemistry - Hector Martinez, Oscar Garza and Tyler Chesshir

Physics - Ty Heflin

Geology - Hayley Pierce

English II - Hector Martinez

Pre AP English II - Jeffri Vaughn and Marla Reeves

English I - Mickel Arevalo

Pre AP English I - Tate Jones

Building Trades II - D. J. Summers

Building Trades I - Hector Martinez

Structures - Pablo Salinas

Introduction to Construction Technology - Stephen Bueno

Spanish II - Ruben Ortiz

Spanish III - Suelem Saldana, Jay McGaugh and Jeffri Vaughn

Accounting I - Molly Long

Business Computer Information Systems - Luke Miller and Gerald Henderson

Pre-Calculus - Melissa Dunlap

Calculus - Josh Bradley

Algebra II - Megan Moralez

Advanced Algebra II - Luke Miller

Advanced Algebra I - Robert Foster and Kelsey Ross

Math Models - Hayley Pierce

Algebra I - Raymond Everett, Gerardo Mata and Rena Garza

TAKS - David Mancilla

Chemistry I - Reagan Heflin, Jarrett Kirk and Jeffri Vaughn

Advanced Chemistry - Davis Vasquez

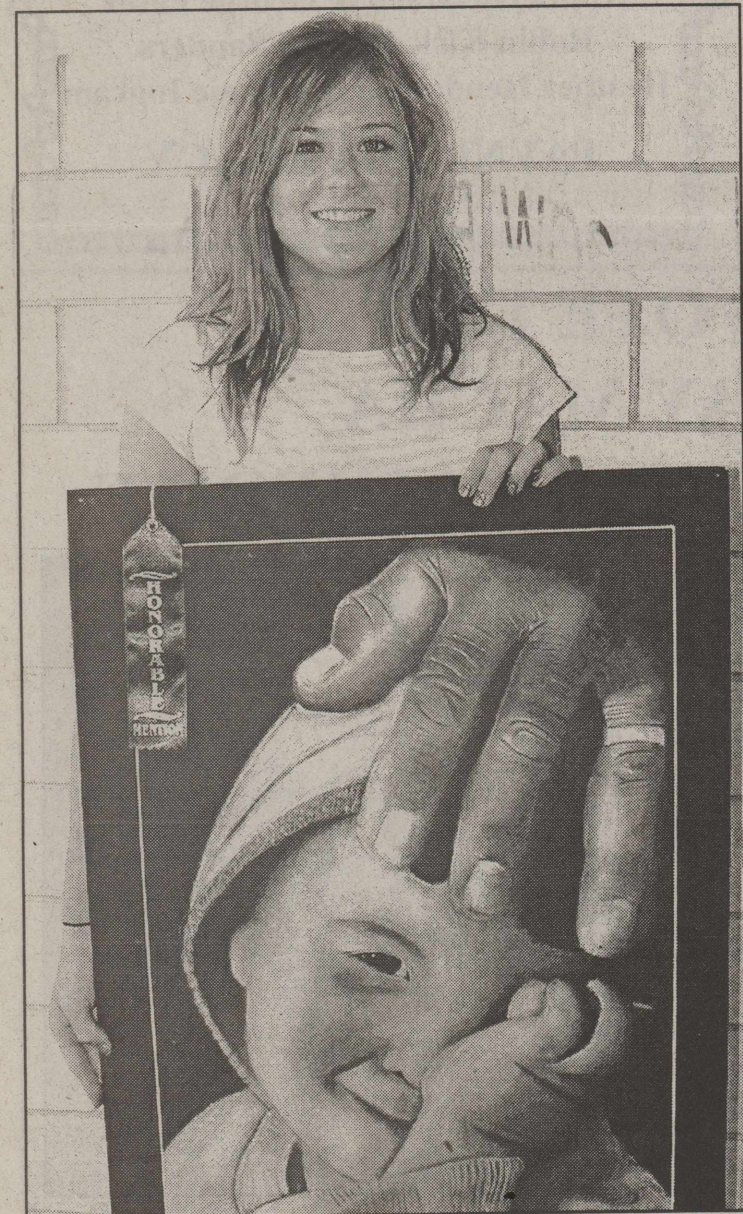
AP Chemistry - Brian Odum

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HONORABLE MENTION-FHS art student Kristan Lackey brought home honorable mention from Mac Thornberry's Congressional Art Competition in Wichita Falls. Staff Photo

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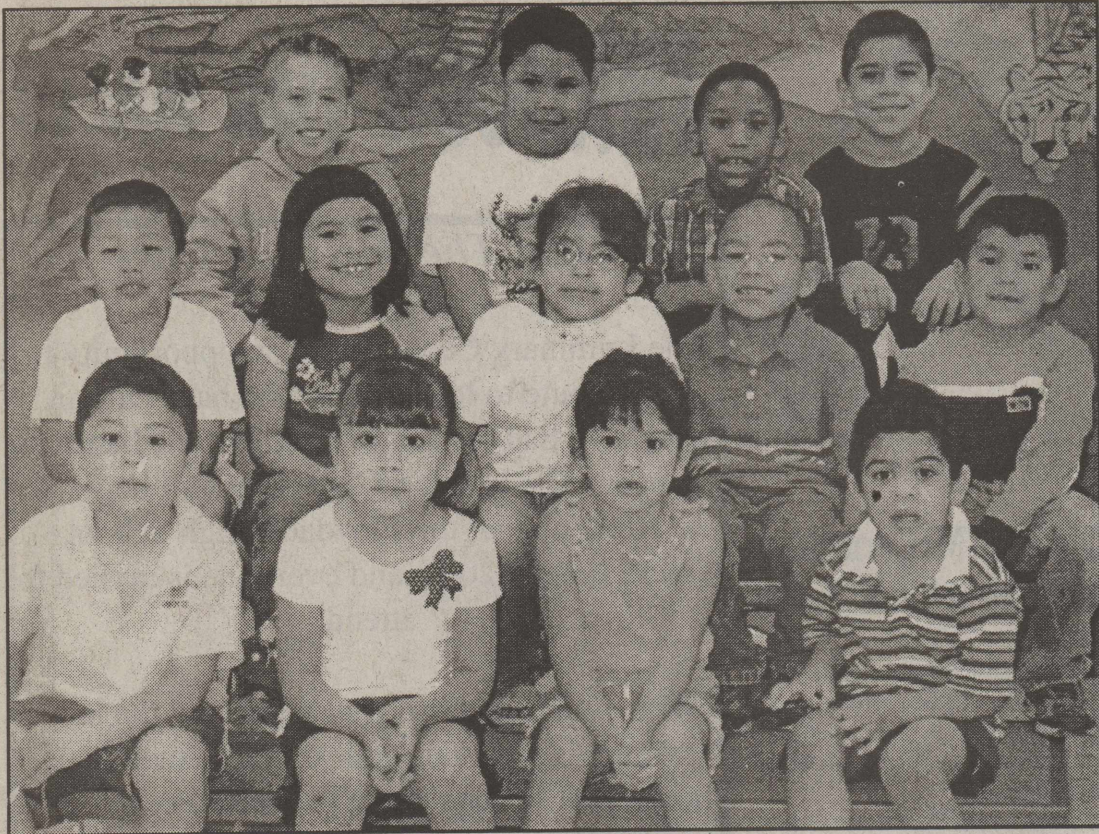
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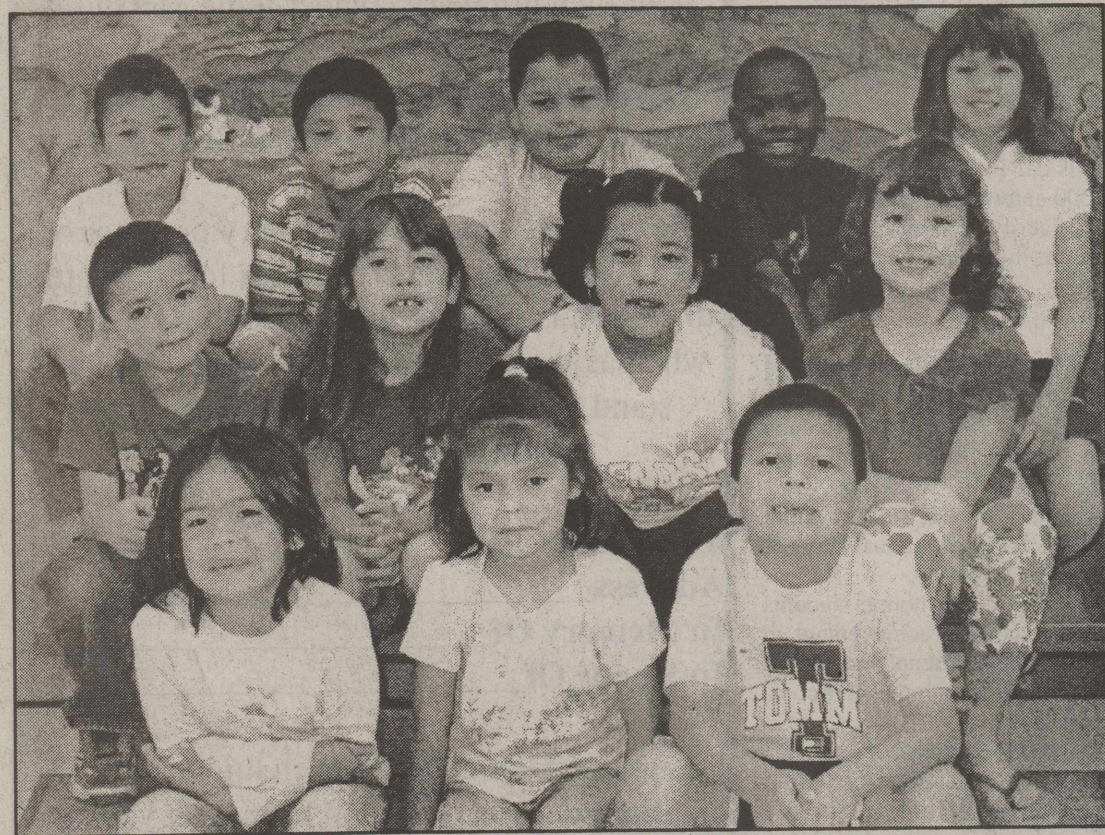
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DUNCAN VOYAGER TEAM LEADERS-(back row, l-r) Monique Hanson, Robert Anthony Garcia, Jose Segura, Jr., DeAndre McCann, Braxton Turner; (middle row, l-r) Irrac Herrera, Elizabeth Morales, Sarah Cabrera, McKenna Johnson; (front row, l-r) Danielle Maldonado, Audreanna Almaguer, Michael Meza. (not pictured, Micaela-Jon Lujan, George Hall) Courtesy Photo

COLLEGE NEWS

Williams named award winner

The United State Achievement Academy announced today that Tara Williams, daughter of Monte and Kellie Williams of Floydada, has been named a United States National Collegiate Award winner in Architecture. Tara is the granddaughter of Q.D. and Joyce Williams and Geraldine Callaway, all of Floydada, and Kay Brian of Wolfforth.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes fewer than 10% of all American college students.

Tara, who attends Texas Tech University, was nominated for this national award by David Driskill, an Assistant Dean at the University. Tara will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Collegiate Yearbook, which is published nationally.

The criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability, and recommendation from a professor or college official.

Hinsley honored at awards banquet

Amanda Williams Hinsley was recently honored at the West Texas A&M T. Boone Pickens College of Business and Alpha Kappa Psi Scholarships and Awards Banquet. Alpha Kappa Psi is a professional fraternity of business majors.

Dr. Barry Duman, Department Head of Management, presented Amanda with the Outstanding Management Graduate award. Recipients are chosen by members of the faculty and administration.

Amanda is the wife of Todd Hinsley, daughter of Monte and Kellie Williams, and granddaughter of Joyce and Q.D. Williams of Floydada and Kay Brian of Wolfforth. She is the great-granddaughter of Geraldine Callaway of Floydada.

Collins graduates from Texas Tech

John Steele Collins, son of Mike and LuAnn Collins of Lubbock, graduated with high honors from Texas Tech University on Saturday afternoon, May 15, 2004.

Collins is the grandson of James and Sue Lovell, and the late Johnny and Marjorie Collins, long time Floydada residents. He is the great-grandson of Eugene and Mary Collins and great-great grandson of the first John Steele and Mary Collins, original settlers of Floydada.

Preceding the graduation, on Friday, the family attended a reception for Outstanding Graduates in Biology and that night a banquet for the graduates of the Honors College.

Through the Halls

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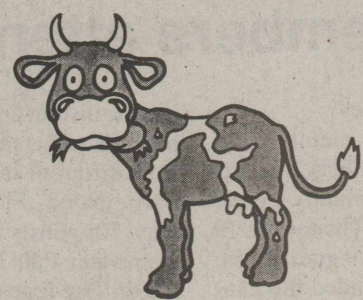
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The Old Settler's Reunion is Saturday, May 22

Floydada School Menu

May 24 - May 26

Monday:

Breakfast - Graham crackers, cereal, fruit, milk

Lunch - Chili dog, fries, salad, cookie, fruit, milk

Tuesday:

Breakfast - Sausage, toast/jelly, cereal, juice, milk

Lunch - Burrito, lettuce & tomatoes, rice, cake, milk

Wednesday:

Breakfast - Pancakes, syrup, Cereal, juice, milk

Lunch - Pizza, tossed salad, corn, jello, milk

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Age 5 - 14

May 22, 2004 at Old Settlers

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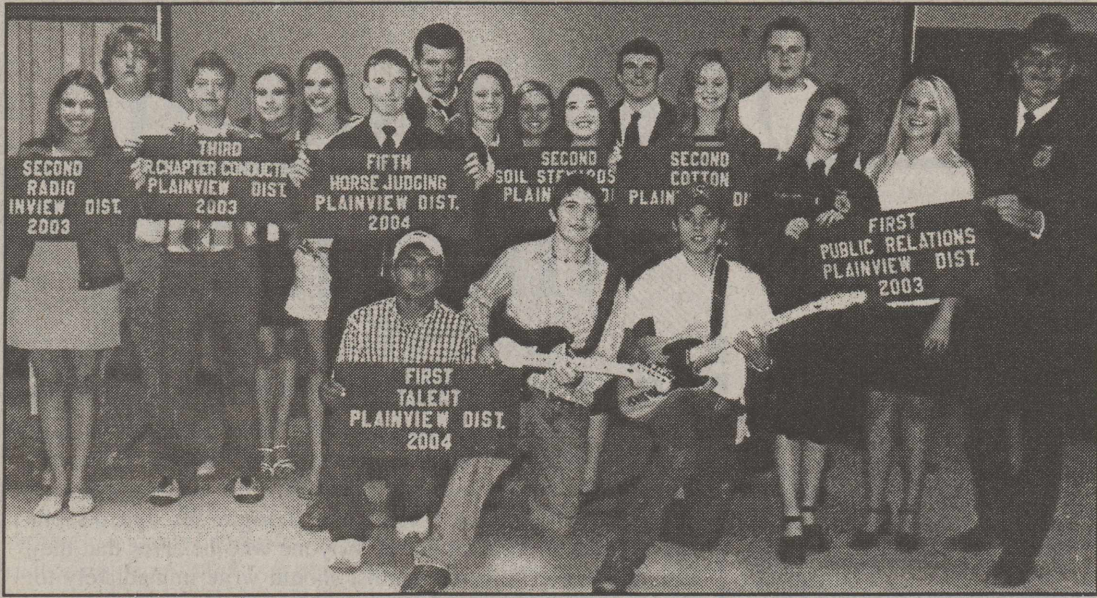
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FLOYDADA SCOUTS CROSSOVER CEREMONY-The Floydada Boy Scouts Webelos Crossover Ceremony was held April 24, 2004. (l-r) B.J. Chappell, Jay McGaugh, Jerry Chappell, Curtis Emert and Bobby Gilliland. (see related story) Courtesy Photo

Scout Crossover Ceremony held

By Curtis Emert
On Saturday April 24, 2004, the Floydada Boy Scouts Order of the Arrow members put on their third annual Webelos Crossover Ceremony. O.A. members have worked the last couple of years building up their costumes and the equipment to put on a great ceremony.

We have put together shirts, a feather headdress, a buffalo headdress, a coyote headdress and we have built a drum and stand. The boys crossing over are led to five torches one at a time. Each torch signifies a point in their trail through Cub Scouts into Webelos and to eventually crossover into Boy Scouts. Our hope is that this ceremony will be something that the boys will carry with them

through life. The Order of the Arrow members of Troop 357 of Floydada are Jay McGaugh, B.J. Chappell, Jerry Chappell, Bobby Gilliland and Curtis Emert. We had boys from Ralls, Crosbyton, and Lubbock crossover. We had two boys from Floydada, Jay Potts and Tyson Turner.

FFA members attend District Banquet

By Kayla Kelley
Floydada FFA members attended the District FFA Banquet at Nazareth's Community Center on Friday, May 7. There were 19 FFA members and 9 guests from Floydada that attended the banquet. At the banquet, FFA banners were presented to the teams who competed in leadership and judging contests throughout the year. Floydada received a total of 12 banners.

The district talent competition took place that night. There were four different talent teams that participated. Floydada's Highway 70, consisting of Brandon Rainwater, Paul Marmolejo, Tate Greer, Tate Jones, and Jason Nutt walked away with the first place banner and will represent the Plainview District at the Area Convention. It will be held at Tascosa High School in Amarillo on May 14 and 15. Also advancing to the area

contest are Meghan Graham in Extemporaneous Public Speaking, Britnee Brotherton in the Soil Stewardship Speaking Contest, and Kayla Kelley in the Jr. Prepared Public Speaking Contest. The retirement and the installation of the District FFA officers occurred at the conclusion of the banquet. Meghan Graham retired as District Sentinel and Tate Jones will serve as the District Treasurer for 2004-2005.

COLLEGE NEWS

Area students graduate from SPC

Plainview area students were among a record 539 students participating in South Plains College's 46th commencement exercises Friday (May 14) in Texan Dome. A record 901 students applied for graduation. Floydada recipients of the Associate of Arts Degree are Dorcas Baker, Maria Rangel and Lindsey Whitten. Floydada recipients of the Associate of Applied Science Degree are Maria Chavez, Associate Degree Nursing; and Andrew Outlaw, Computer Aided Drafting and Design. Floydada recipients of the Certificate of Proficiency are Veronica Hartline and Leslie Perez, Vocational Nursing. Lockney recipient of the Associate of Applied Science Degree is Daniel Banda, Design Communications Art Specialization. Lockney recipients of the Certificate of Proficiency are Ashleigh Jones, Office Technology, and Veronica Thomas, Vocational Nursing.

Burns addresses TRTA meeting

By Joyce Williams
Mrs. Glenna Burns, of Lubbock, Dist. 17 Texas Retired teachers Association president addressed a large gathering of retired teachers and school employees Tuesday morning, May 11. The meeting room of the Floyd County Museum in Floydada was filled to capacity with school retirees registering from Olton, Plainview, Hart, Roaring Springs, McAdoo, Crosbyton, Matorador and Floydada.

The speaker reported on the recent state TRTA convention in Corpus Christi; on the Texas legislature's benefits for retired school personnel, and the U.S. Congress' bringing the Government Pension Offset (Social Security) to committee. At the present time Texas retired school employees can not collect on Social Security benefits they or their spouses have paid for. A show of hands revealed about one third of the audience were members of TRTA. Non-members were urged to form a local or join the Lubbock or Plainview locals to support representation in Austin. Coffee and refreshments were provided by the Plainview local. Visitors toured the Museum after the meeting.

ANNUAL MEETING THE LOCKNEY CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

Will hold its Annual Meeting on Memorial Day, Monday May 31st at 10:30 a.m. At the Lockney Senior Citizens Building. We will have a Memorial Service, present Financial Report and hold Election of Directors. The public is invited.



MADOLYN MCCORMICK

Madolyn McCormick to perform at Music Revue

Madolyn McCormick (8-years-old) will be performing at the Johnnie High Country Musical Revue this Friday night in Arlington. Madolyn will perform Saturday at Old Settlers sometime around noon, and then Saturday night at the Cactus Theater in Lubbock at 8:00 p.m. Madolyn is a vocal student of Macy Hill and performs with the Cactus Kiddos in Lubbock a venue of Don Caldwell productions. The Johnnie High Country Musical Revue auditions over 1000 entertainers each year. Madolyn's proud family includes her parents Mark and Kelly McCormick and her brother McCrae.

Holbert receives award

Mandy Holbert of Floydada was named Outstanding Female Instrumentalist Rock/Jazz/R&B Thursday, May 6, 2004 at South Plains College's annual Student Awards Assembly. The assembly honors students for outstanding achievement in college departments and for involvement in campus and community life. Holbert, graduate of Floydada High, is the daughter of Phillip and Stephanie Holbert. She is a member of Thursday Nite Live, monthly televised musical variety show at SPC, and the college's touring ensemble.

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THROUGH THE HALLS

Light The Way To A Cure

The Luminary Ceremony is an opportunity to pay tribute to loved ones who have cancer, who have had cancer, or have lost the battle to cancer. The lighting Ceremony will begin at 10:00 p.m. at the Floydada High School Track, June 4, 2004, and everyone is invited to attend.

With your donation, your name and the individual/individuals you wish to remember/honor will be labeled on the luminary to be lit and placed around the inside of the track on Friday night at 10 at the Floydada High School Track. If you would like to decorate your own luminary contact Jodie McGuire.

Luminaria Order Form - Relay For Life June 4, 2004 - Floydada High School Track

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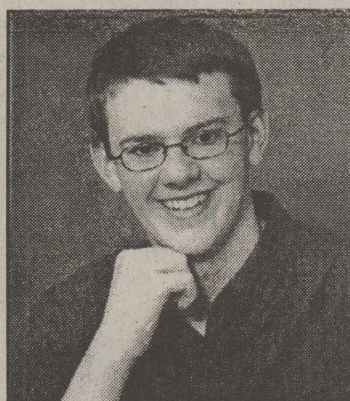
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COLLEGE NEWS



CALEB JAY MCLEAN

McLean honored with graduation reception

A graduation reception and diploma presentation were held May 11, 2004 at the West College and Third Church of Christ to honor Caleb Jay McLean, who received his high school diploma, graduating from home school.

Caleb is the 17 year old son of Steve and Darla McLean of Lockney. Caleb also received special presentations from the church and from the Lockney Branch Library. He has volunteered several hundred hours at both the church library and the Lockney Library over the past 2 1/2 years.

He plans to travel to Uganda this fall to establish a library for the Messiah Theological Institute. Ultimately he hopes to get his Masters Degree in Library Science.

Bramlet takes top honors

By Melissa Long

Jill Bramlet 12 year old 4-H'er from Lockney excelled in every division she entered in the District II 4-H Photography contest. Judging took place and entries were on display at the Formby Room of the Southwest Collections Library until May 1, 2004. Jill's entries and placings included Color Animal Life, Color Career - 1st place, Color Nature/Landscape/Scenic, Color Plants/Floral - 2nd place, Black & White Career - 1st place and Best of Show and Black & White People - 1st place and Best of Show.

Jill is an accomplished photographer and has been published in the Lubbock Avalanche Journal and Texas Farm Bureau's Texas Agriculture magazine among others. Her last year's photography competition entry is on display at the Texas A&M University Agricultural and Extension Center in Lubbock. Jill is the daughter of Larry and Beth Bramlet.

Floyd County 4-H Cookbooks for sale by County 4-H Council Over 150 recipes \$5 Each
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Lockney School Menu

May 24 - May 27 Monday

Breakfast - Donut or cereal, toast, juice, milk
Lunch - Chili dog or ham and cheese, potato rounds, baby carrots, apple, milk

Tuesday

Breakfast - Sausage biscuit or cereal, toast, juice, milk
Lunch - Chicken fried steak or PBJ sandwich, mashed potatoes, green beans, peaches, hot rolls, milk

Wednesday

Breakfast - Cheese toast or cereal, toast, juice, milk
Lunch - Spaghetti or grilled cheese, tossed salad, pineapple, Italian bread, milk

Thursday

Breakfast - Cinnamon roll or cereal, toast, juice, milk
Lunch - Sack lunch

Sports

Through the Halls

Record to present students in recital

Mrs. Lucy Dean Record will present her piano and guitar students in a musical recital, 2:00 p.m. May 23, 2004, at the First United Methodist Church in Lockney. Awards will be presented and the public is invited.

Appearing on the program will be: Jake Moore, Brogan Teague, Caitlyn Cunyus, Haley Dunbar, Drew Johnson, Brooke Teague, Stevie Karlin, Calloway Cunyus, Ian Dunbar (guitar), Kelby Bice, McKenzie Kemp, Victoria Hernandez, Lauren Johnson,

Katalina Araujo, Ashley Teague, Christopher Rodriguez, Kami Hunt, Joshua Silva, Katie Bice, Desiree DeLeon, Bryan Cooper, Greg Gonzales, Joanie Reecer, Dana Teague, and Dr. Sharie Moore, all from Lockney.

From Floydada: Jianna Davenport, Kortney Williams, Jennifer Rainwater, Johanna Dawdy, Bailey Davenport, Taryn Rainwater, Dusty Hicks (guitar), award only, Eric Stringer; and from Silverton, Braden Estes (guitar).



FIRST PLACE WINNERS-Lockney 5th & 6th Grade All-Star Little Dribblers won 1st Place in the Tri-County All Star Tournament held in Lockney April 22-24. (back row, l-r) Mallory Johnson, Bethany Wilson, Danielle Morales, Lexi Terrell, Tessa Saul, Coach Aaron Wilson; (front row, l-r) Lezlie Jackson, Devin Caballero, Mercedes Aday. Courtesy Photo

South Plains College holds summer registration

Registration for South Plains College's first summer term is May 26-27.

Sign-up for SPC Levelland campus classes will be 1-5 p.m. May 26 at SPC Levelland's Ad-

ministration Building.

Lubbock class enrollment will be 1-6 p.m. May 27 at the SPC Reese Center campus, Building 1, Administrative Offices. Classes are offered at the SPC Reese Center campus and Byron Marjin Advanced Technology Center in Lubbock.

Registration permits are required.

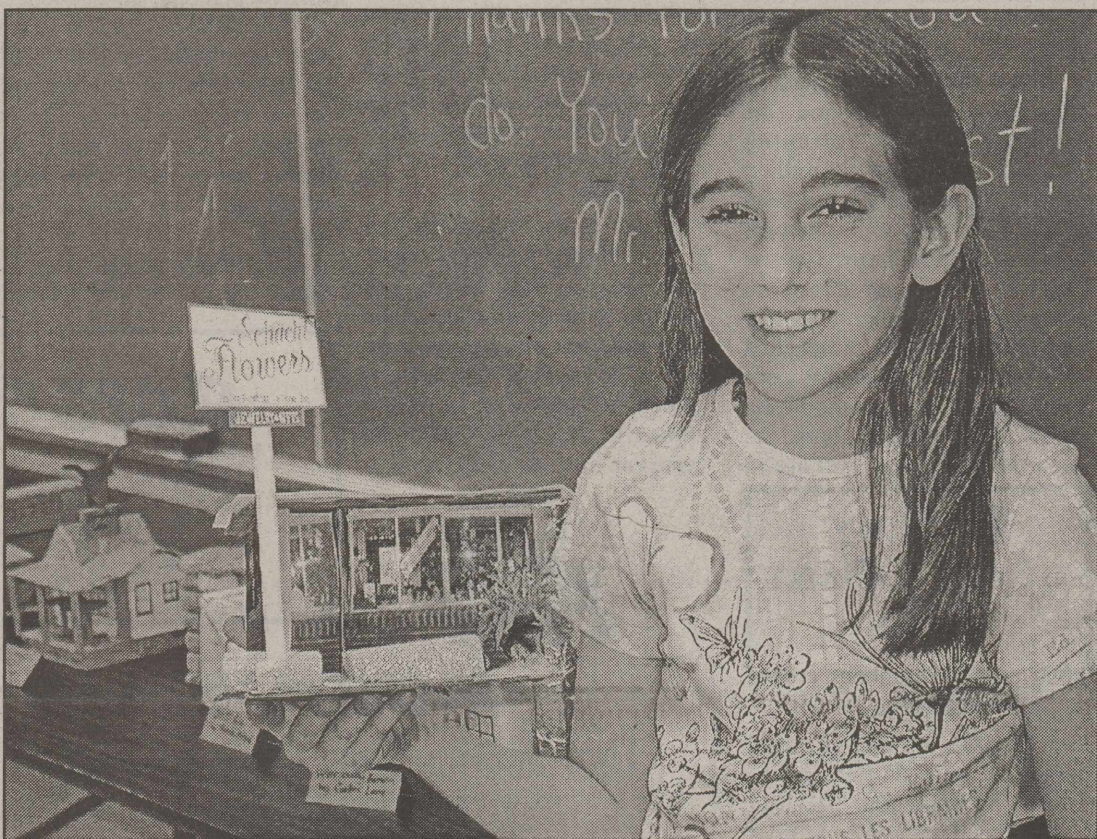
Classes begin June 1, and late registration is June 1-2. A late

fee of \$15 and an add/drop fee of \$5 will be charged.

Additional information can be found on SPC's website at www.southplainscollege.edu.

Registration for SPC's second summer term is July 5-6. Classes begin July 6.

To obtain a registration permit, contact SPC Levelland at 894-9611, ext. 2578 or 2572 or the SPC Reese Center at 885-3048, ext. 2902 or 4660.



LOCKNEY THIRD GRADE CLASS studied about communities in their social studies. Their teacher, Tracy Long, had the students make free style replicas of the different businesses and landmarks in Lockney. Shown is Lindsay Stewart with her project, which she did on Schacht Flowers, Jewelry and Gifts. According to Mrs. Long, the plan is to deliver the replicas to the different businesses for display. Staff Photo

LISD joins Summer Food Service Program

The Lockney Independent School District is participating in the Summer Food Service Program. Meals will be provided to all children without charge. Acceptance and participation requirements for the program and all activities are the same for all regardless of race, color, national origin, gender, age or disability, and there will be no discrimination in the course of the meal service.

Meals will be provided at the sites and times as follows:

Lockney Elementary School Cafeteria, 310 SW 8th Street, Lockney, Texas
June 1, 2004 through July 2, 2004; Monday - Friday: 11:00 a.m. -- 12:30 p.m.

Any person who believes he or she has been discriminated against in any USDA related activity should write or call immediately to:

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The Old Settler's Reunion is this Saturday

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Retirement Reception Will be held for James Poole
on Thursday, May 27th beginning at 7:00 p.m at the Elementary Cafeteria

With a short musical performance by Rhythm High Harmony

All former faculty members and students along with the public are invited to attend

