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BESSIE GLOVER

Glover celebrates 103 years

Bessie Glover was honored on her 103rd birthday at Floydada Rehab and Care Center, January

Bobby Gilliland, mayor of Floydada, presented Mrs. Glover with proclamations from President George Bush, Governor Rick Perry and Willard Scott.

Floydada until the age of 99 years old, when she fell and broke her hip. She is now confined to a wheelchair.

Bessie was born January 29, 1902 in Jones County, Texas. She was raised on a farm in Anson, and moved to Floyd County with her parents, John Abner Hatley and Nora Lee Gray Hatley, in

According to the Floyd County History Book, the

because there was more room to raise a large family.

Bessie had two brothers and

"We came to pull cotton and we lived in a tent," said Mrs. Glover. "It was supposed to be temporary, but we decided to stay. The land was sandy and Mrs. Glover lived at home in there were lots of grass burrs," said Mrs. Glover.

> Bessie married Jessie D. Glover on October 21, 1920. After they married they lived in the Baker Community until 124, when they moved to Mayview where their first child, Jesse Tresman was born in 1924. In 1929 they moved to Dougherty, a year after the school was built. While living there, a daughter, Bessie Juaneal, was born in 1929.

After three years the family

and lived there from 1932-1935 and then moved in 1936 to the

Campbell Community. For 10 years the Glover's farmed in the Campbell Community. They moved back to Dougherty Community in 1946 where Jessie continued to farm and Bessie babysat "nearly all the children in Dougherty".

In the County's history book, Jessie recalls an offer by Frank Dougherty.

Dougherty told Glover he would give him all the land he wanted if he would just farm with a tractor. The offer was turned down because Mr. Glover wasn't ready to start using power machines. He wanted to keep using

The Glovers were named Pioneer Couple at the 1986 Old Hatleys moved to Floyd County moved to Fairview Community Settler's Day Reunion in Floy-Beacon).

Mr. Glover died in 1991.

Joining Bessie at her birthday celebration were her son, Tresman Glover, of Madill, OK; a daughter, Juaneal Krambeck and husband, Phil, of Denison, TX; Granddaughters, Mrs. Wes Campbell, of Floydada, and Leah Lackey, of Coleman.

Also present were: a greatgrandson Wesley Campbell and wife, Tracy, of Floydada; greatgranddaughters, Donna Protsman, of Idalou, and Sonya Campbell, of Lubbock; greatgreat-grandchildren, Devin Penny, Virginia Protsman, and Kendra Protsman, all of Lubbock, and many friends and fam-

(Portions of this story taken from a January 24, 2002 story in the Floyd County Hesperian-

Law says slow down for emergency vehicles

As of September 2, 2003, Texas drivers were operating under a new law meant to protect emergency workers parked on the side of the road. Many drivers never knew the law was in affect and now Texas Highway Patrol Troopers will be concentrating on reminding drivers to pull over and slow down.

As of Monday, February 14, drivers pulled over by DPS troopers for traffic violations will receive a flyer that reminds them to slow down or move over for stopped emergency vehicles that have emergency lights activated.

This reminder packs an added punch because it's the law. Since the slow-down or move-over law took effect on Sept. 1, 2003, DPS has written 2,304 citations and 14,404 warnings to drivers who have violated the law. Although the law has been in affect since September, troopers continue to see drivers who do not slow down or move over for emergency vehicles with lights activated, including police, emergency medical service and fire

The slow down/move over law requires drivers nearing

stopped emergency vehicles with emergency lights activated to ei-

ther slow down or change lanes. Specifically, the law states a driver must either slow down 20 miles per hour below the speed limit or vacate the lane closest to the stopped emergency vehicle that has emergency lights activated if the road has multiple lanes traveling in the same direction. (If the speed limit is below 25 mph, the driver must slow down to 5 mph.) Drivers should only move over if they can safely and legally do so; otherwise, they should slow down.

"Our Highway Patrol troopers spend a large part of their time working on highways and roads with vehicles speeding past," said DPS Director Col. Thomas A. Davis Jr. "Just the slightest slip

of the wheel can endanger them. This law requires drivers to give them and other emergency vehicles the space they need to perform their duties safely."

A violation is punishable by a maximum fine of \$200. If the violation results in property damage, the maximum fine increases to By Darwin Robinson

The Floyd County Commissioners met Monday, February 14, and voted unanimously to wait until Friday, February 18, at 9:00 a.m. in special session, to approve a 60 day trial contract with the Hale County jail for the purpose of housing future Floyd County prisoners.

Floyd County Judge William D. Hardin told the commissioners, "We must have a legal contract from Hale County before we can begin transporting prisoners, even on a trial basis. We still are

under contract with the Spur facility and I have been assured they will take care of Floyd

Commissioner Craig Gilly stated, "Let's not abandon Spur." Commissioner Jon Jones agreed, "Spur will be there for us. Let's don't burn our bridges."

According to Commissioner Lennie Gilroy, Floyd County can leave their Spur prisoners at the Spur facility. Any newly arrested prisoners can be taken to Hale County on a trial basis. "Sheriff David Mull of Hale County told

me they have more than 50 beds empty in their recently reopened wing of their jail. They are actively trying to find someone to commit to using these beds. The 60 day trial proposal from Hale County will cost Floyd County \$38 per prisoner, the same as what we are now paying per prisoner at the Spur unit. Hale County's original price was \$42 per prisoner. Sheriff Mull has agreed to drop the price to \$38 a day to compete with Spur," said

Gilroy explained to the com-

missioners, "Our officers are having to wait a long time for Spur to come and pick up our prisoners. Spur only comes to Floydada once a day, whether it is for a court appearance, to the medical clinic, or to pick up a prisoner."

"I recommend we try Hale County and transport our prisoners to them. It is only 25 miles from Floydada, compared with 70 miles to Spur. I recommend we try Hale County on a trial basis. We could maybe even use

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FISD considers closing C

County discusses prisoner housing

By Darwin Robinson

The FISD Board met Tuesday, February 8, and heard a report by Superintendent Jerry Vaughn for the immediate need (1) to decide to close, or not to close, the Caprock Cooperative Learning Center (CCLC) by the end of this school year, and (2) the need to purchase two additional modular buildings.

Superintendent Vaughn told the board, "We need to decide what we are going to do with CCLC at our next scheduled board meeting on March 10th. Over the years, as budgets and funds became more limited, the other Districts (Plainview ISD,

Lorenzo ISD, Ralls ISD, Both are required by TEC and the Crosbyton ISD, Idalou ISD, Roosevelt ISD, Lockney ISD, Petersburg ISD) all have chosen to drop from CCLC. During the 2004-2005 school year, Floydada ISD and Ralls ISD are the only participating Districts. Ralls ISD will not be a part of the program

after this school year." "Therefore, with the CCLC fund balance depleted and FISD as the only remaining school, we must evaluate the CCLC program and decide which direction we need to travel. Certain programs offered at CCLC are mandatory and cannot go away, such as, D-AEP and the PAC center.

state for us to provide these services," stated Vaughn.

'Some things offered at CCLC, which are optional, are Credit Recovery, Drop Out Recovery and the Parenting Program." Vaughn said, "To continue

operating CCLC will cost FISD \$335.917 annually. Our current annual contribution to CCLC is \$102,350. We would have to increase that by another \$233,567

Vaughn added, "To move CCLC to the FHS campus, would require an additional portable or short-term housing. Available to

us are two modular buildings with 8 classrooms each in the Dallas area for \$269,077 each, as a one time cost, or there is a lease purchase available.'

The CCLC staff would be reduced from five teachers to three teachers to handle the D-AEP and PAC rotation and would save about \$60,000 yearly, according to Vaughn.

Other advantages of moving CCLC to the FHS campus would be to incorporate Credit Recovery and Dropout Recovery already taking place at FHS, making it much more cost effective, according to Vaughn.

The urgency of this issue was explained by Vaughn, "Due to our planning stages for the 2005-2006 school year, which is already going on, we need to know what we are going to do about CCLC as soon as possible."

Vaughn also pointed out the need for Science Lab upgrades and more classroom space needed at both FHS and FJHS.

In other matters, the board unanimously approved a \$16,336.81 bid, by Butch Fincher of Petersburg, to grade and gravel the bus parking space on the west side of the football field at FJHS.

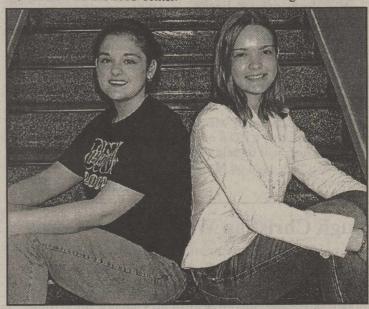
The board approved May 7, 2005 as FISD Trustee Election day.

FISD Business Manager Sharon Rainwater gave the board a Cash Flow Statement update and a Tax Statement. The Cash Flow update showed an Average Monthly Expense at \$580,000 and an Ending Cash Balance on January, 2005 at \$6,058,382.88.

The board recognized the Students, Educator and Support Staff of the Month. They were: Students of the Month: John David Duus, Gr.1, A.B. Duncan Elementary; Jesse Cervera, Gr. 4, R.C. Andrews Elementary; Joey Martinez, Gr. 7, FJHS; David Mancilla, Gr. 12, FHS; Educator of the Month, Dana Herrington, FHS; and Support Staff of the Month, Vikki Yeary, Federal Programs/Technology.



TEXAS CAPITOL SCHOOLHOUSE-Floydada Jr. High was one of 14 schools in the state to participate in the Texas Capitol Schoolhouse in Austin. The event took place in the Capitol Building in the Rotunda. Two teachers and four students were asked to share their new capabilities through the computer grant received last summer. This took place during legislation in order to give legislators a chance to witness some of the technology that is being used around the state, which in turn might help them make an informed decision about funding. The students did an excellent job sharing their skills and represented Floydada well. (L-R) Aimee Teeple, Melva Dorman, Blake Chavarria, Titus Miller, Olivia Segura, Jim Bob Hobbs, Evan Johnson, and Representative Pete Laney. **Courtesy Photo**



LOCKNEY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS (I to r) Alexis Hall and Erin Mangold each received a 1st division rating in UIL Voice Competition at Estacado High School in Lubbock Saturday, February 5. They both competed in the Solo and Ensemble category. Alexis performed "Vedrai Carino" from the Opera Don Giovani by Mozart. Erin performed the aria "Alma mia" by Handel. The girls will now compete at the State level.

Congressman Randy Neugebauer, will meet with constituents at the Community Room in Floydada's First National Bank, February 23, from 12:00 -1:00 p.m.

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,

It is understandable why an individual is opposed to the operation of a commercial dairy located 500 feet upwind of their home. It is interesting, however, to understand the facts about the dairy facility proposed near Lockney and how it could affect

The proposed facility would: (1.) be located 3 1/2 miles southwest of the city limits of Lockney, (2.) maintain 4,000 head in a confined animal feeding operation, (3.) employ less than 20 people, (4.) consume or contaminate more than 73 million gallons of water each year, and (5.) would accumulate and stockpile 11,388 tons of dry manure.

The TCEO (Texas Commission on Environmental Quality) has identified dairies of this type to be major sources of water and air pollution. The TCEQ considers commercial dairy operations to be capable of producing more odors and pollution than similar sized feed-yards. Studies have implicated airborne particulates and chemicals from concentrated animal feeding operations to be primary sources of health problems in citizens living downwind of such facilities

It is our opinion that this concentrated animal feeding operation will be a detriment to the community of Lockney. The pro-

posed facility would: (1.) be responsible for odors, dust, insects, and airborne chemicals blown directly to all portions of the city (2.) cause additional health problems for those with asthma, allergies, or other breathing disorders (especially the very young and the elderly) (3.) make Lockney undesirable for anyone considering moving here because of the odor and other problems (4.) replace responsible established citizens with minimum-wageearning dairy families that may require state financial support and put additional burdens on the school and hospital districts and (5.) monopolize or pollute what little ground water we have left.

If these issues are important to you, if you feel this proposed facility might cause a nuisance to your established way of life or enjoyment of your own property,

or if you simply have concerns re-

garding this proposed facility, write the TCEQ, voice your opinion, and request a public meeting be held to discuss your concerns. Letters must refer to General Per-Authorization No. TXG920014, must be received no later than February 25 and should be addressed to: Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas

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A view from

The Lamplighter

By: Ken Towery email: chowdipper@austin.rr.com

The inner circles of various Hutchison is now Senior Senator Texas Republican quarters have been abuzz for weeks concerning the possible battles between three Party heavyweights over the upcoming gubernatorial race. Indeed, for that matter, it is obvious that Democrats, as well, are interested. They too have a stake in what happens among Repub-

Uneasy, indeed, must rest the crown that now sits atop the head of Governor Rick Perry. The State Comptroller, Carol Keeton McClellon Rylander Strayhorn, (at last count) has made no secret that she wants Perry's job. Carol is no newcomer to politics. At one time she served as Austin's mayor as a Democrat, and, as Comptroller, has snipped at Perry since day one.

U.S. Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison yearned for the job even before she became a senator. That became apparent when she was State Treasurer, when a few of us were searching for a candidate to run against a sitting, appointed, U.S. Senator. (Indeed, her desire to move from the State Treasurer's job to the Governor's job was the principal reason Ronnie Earle, the Democratic District Attorney of Travis County, brought indictments against Hutchison, only to drop them when he had to produce).

Once, when Hutchison was Treasurer, I took her to the Headliners Club in Austin to discuss what some of us hoped would be , the solution to our (and the state's) problem. She appeared not at all interested in the Senate seat, but was mightily interested in running against Ann Richards, then the sitting Governor. Clearly, she had a deep and abiding longing for the Governor's chair. She kept insisting that Republicans needed a woman to run against a woman (Richards), and that she was the only logical choice for that effort. Then, unfortunately from her standpoint, a guy named Bush decided he wanted to be Governor, or who at least acquiesced to the pleas of those who had the wherewithal. Kay took the route of least resistance, and became a junior senator. The Senate being what it is,

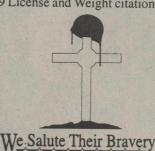
> Courtroom Activities

In District Court, February 10, John Henry Mendez, 27, of Floydada, pled guilty to Burglary of a Habitation which occurred on June 5, 2004. He was sentenced to 5 years in TDC, and a \$1,000

In County Court, February 11, 2005, Tauren McDonald, 24, pled guilty to Inhaling Paint. He was sentenced to 60 days in jail, a \$500 fine and court costs.

Justin Jermaine Robinson, pled guilty to Possession of Marijuana and was sentenced to 60 days in jail, a \$600 fine and court

In J.P. Court, Pct. #2 & #3, there were 57 citations: 24 DPS citations, 4 County Citations, and 29 License and Weight citations.



County discusses jails **Continued From Page 1**

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them as our dispatchers," continused by PAC. ued Gilroy.

Gilroy concluded, "I have talked this over with Lockney Police Chief Jerry Edwards and he is excited about the prospect of using Hale County. He and his officers will just transport those

arrested to the Hale County jail." In a related matter, the commissioners voted unanimously to purchase a used vehicle for the purpose of transporting prisoners back and forth to their court appearances at the court house.

Following more discussion, a motion to buy the Sheriff's department a "program" vehicle was approved by the court. Commissioner Jones told the court, "I believe we need to furnish the Sheriff's department with the proper equipment to do their

One of the Sheriff's other two vehicles is having an engine re-*placed this week, according to Judge Hardin.

The court accepted unanimously a donation of 9 City lots from John Woelfel, Lots 13

through 21, in Block 51, Town of Floydada, Floyd County, to be

The commissioners appointed 7 Floyd County citizens to The Floyd County Historical Commission for a two year term. Those appointed were: Nancy Marble, Chair; Members: Joyce Williams, June Sherman, J.D. Copeland, Olive Hinton, Carolyn Hardy and Connie Bertrand.

\$40,000 was transferred by the court from the Road and Bridge Fund to be divided into the four precincts work funds at \$10,000 each.

An Official bond was approved by the commissioners for Carol Leann Duus, who is working in the Justice of the Peace's office and the District Clerk's

Floyd County Treasurer Elva Martinez presented the January, 2005 Financial Report to the commissioners. The report showed a Beginning Balance of \$784,551.41, with Receipts of \$382,515.08. Transfers In and Out were \$354,780.84, with Dispersed at \$233,790.73, leaving an Ending Balance of \$933,275.76.

Election Date Set CHD Three board members up for election

The Caprock Hospital District Board met Tuesday, February 15, and approved May 7, 2005 as CHD Board General Election date. The CHD Board Election has contracted with the FISD Board to use their facilities, Early Election Clerks and Judges.

Board incumbent members up for reelection this May 7th are: Tom Farris, At Large, Denice Payne, At Large, and Kyle Smith, At Large.

A Floydada EMS update was given to the board showing 60 runs during the month of January, according to Board Member Tom Farris.

In a related matter and on the agenda, EMS compensation for vacation coverage, was tabled because, "We were not ready to discuss this matter at this time," said Farris.

\$27.28 of Indigent Health Care claims were paid by the board this month. "This is probably an all time low (amount) for us," said Farris.

The board approved both the financial reports for the CHD and the Floydada EMS.

Due to the upcoming March Spring Break, the CHD's next board meeting will be held one week later than usual on March 22nd at 7:00 a.m.

A Gift of Hope through Christian Women's Job Corps

It can happen to anyone at any time. Overnight, a woman's life can change and it can be overwhelming - job loss, spousal loss, addictions, disability, or illness. For others, it's not a change but a way of life that's been handed down from previous generation. Once a woman's life appears hopeless, escape can prove difficult - but not impossible. She needs encouragement, nurture, and support. She needs to become self-sufficient to provide for herself and her children. Most importantly she needs to experience God's love, forgiveness, and grace. Christian Women's Job Corps exists to minister to all women in need with a hand up, not a handout. This is done by providing a vast array of life skills and job skills training, Bible study, and a Christian woman to be her mentor. (taken from the Texas CWJB brochure)

If you want to help bring hope to the lives of women and their families, plan to be a part of the community organizational meeting Sunday, February 20, 2005, at 2:00 p.m. at the Lighthouse Electric Community Room. A video of the Christian Woman's Job Corps program will be shown. This organizational meeting is open to everyone - men and women of all ages and faith. If you cannot attend and are interested, please contact: Bettye Baker, Rachael Castillo, Ouita Powell, Brenda Parker, Jana Muniz, Connie Johnson, or Dora Ross.

from Texas and a member of several committees that are very important to this state. But she still wants to be Governor of Texas. The paycheck as Governor is smaller, but the spotlight is bigger. (A fact that is very important to most politicians.) Whatever, she says she will probably make

cording to published reports. Money shouldn't be a problem for any of them. Perry claims nearly \$8 million, Hutchison nearly \$7 million, while Strayhorn had a paltry \$5.7 million, and counting. Any Democrat who enters the race is bound to be well funded by millions of fellow Democrats nation-wide who simply want to defeat anyone who calls himself (or herself) a Texas Republican.

a decision by midsummer, ac-

Still, it should be remembered that last time around, the Democrats put forward one Tony Sanchez, the multi-millionaire from South Texas who spent many millions of his own money on the race (estimates vary...some say \$30 million, some say \$60 million overall), only to be wiped out by Perry. So, while money is important, it's not everything. It should be remembered also that Perry beat the well-funded Jim Hightower hands down when he ran against Hightower, then the incumbent Democratic Agriculture Commissioner, many years ago. Hightower forgot that he shouldn't use the agricultural post, which is essentially administrative, to spout left-wing politics. It didn't sit well with most farmers. And almost no ranchers.

We will make no predictions on the various possibilities at this time, but we would caution any potential gubernatorial candidates to weigh the probabilities very carefully. A great many rank and file Texans, now securely ensconced in the Republican Party, take a dim view of the time-honored Democratic practice often used by former State Senator Jimmy Phillips's which

is essentially to gain notoriety by constantly attacking any potential opponent who might raise his (or her) head.

This state has changed a lot, politically, with passage of time. Just about any statewide Democratic politician really targeted by Republicans is eventually doomed to defeat. That does not include, obviously, those Democratic office holders deemed irrelevant to the overall political process, (like former Speaker of the House Pete Laney, who was, and is, ignored) nor does it include those nominal Democratic officeholders who vote, most of the time, as Republicans. It does include people like Martin Frost in Dallas, who always insisted on being at least one of the Democratic front men when any partisan issue came up. He's gone now. And it includes people like former Rep. Charlie Stenholm. of Stanford, who voted with the Republicans when it was in his

best interests to do so, but insisted on representing the Democratic Party otherwise. He's gone now,

And, it includes people like Lloyd Doggett of Austin, who was handed a District that is heavily Hispanic, much to his unofficial liking, but a District that will eventually be represented by a Hispanic. Doggett, and Strayhorn may.

for the moment, is very quiet, which is one of the reasons he was given a new District that is heavily Hispanic. He won the last time, simply, in our view, because of name recognition. In the future it may be different. He may well be up against a Hispanic who more closely identifies, racially, with the people of that particular (and basically South Texas) District. If so, it will only be fitting and proper, for Doggett has long used the race card to further his political interests. It would be interesting to see him hoist on his own petard. Such an event would delight untold, and usually unhappy, subscribers of the Austin American-Statesman, part of the Atlanta-based media conglomerate, the Cox Corporation, That newspaper has long championed both the interests of Hispanic citizens on the one hand, and the fortunes of Lloyd Doggett on the other. Ultimately, they may have to make a choice. That would be a hoot, not unlike the mental maneuvering that must have gone on in the A-S editorial office when they endorsed George Bush for President, after ridiculing him for four

At any rate, we have some interesting politics ahead, despite the fact that George can't run again. Perry can, and Hutchison,

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Total equity capital

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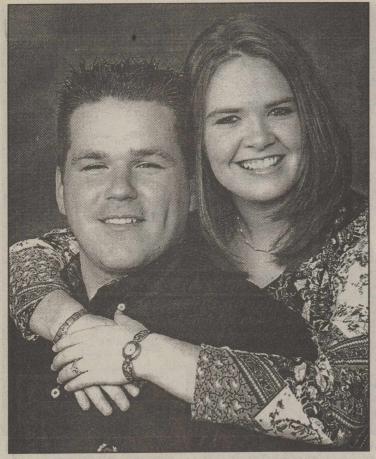
ASSEIS	Dollar Amounts in Thousands
Cash & balances due: Noninterest-bearing balances	3,431
Cash & balances due: Interest-bearing balances	
Securities: Held-to-Maturity securities	
Securities: Available-for-sale securities	35.958
	35,556
Federal funds sold	8,200
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	
Loans and leases held for sale	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	
Less: allowance for loan and lease losses	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income and allowance	
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Trading assets	
Premises and fixed assets	814
Other real estate owned	4
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries	0
Customers' liability on acceptances outstanding	0
Intangible assets: Goodwill	0
Intangible assets: Other intangible assets	0
Other assets	1,171
Total assets	70.109
Total assets	79,108
LIABILITIES	Dollar Amounts in Thousands
Deposits: In domestic offices	
Deposits: In domestic offices, noninterest-bearing	12,717
Deposits: In domestic offices, interest-bearing	55,687
Federal funds purchased	0
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	0
Trading liabilities	0
Other borrowed money	
Bank's liability on acceptances	0
Subordinated notes and debentures	0

Total liabilities	68,558
EQUITY CAPITAL	Dollar Amounts in Thousands
Perpetual preferred stock	0
Common Stock	200
Surplus	500
Retained earnings	9,969
Accumulated other comprehensive income	-119
Other equity capital components	





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TODD JORDAN AND TASHA POWELL

Powell and Jordan

Dale and D'Lee Powell of Lockney are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Tasha Ann Powell to Todd Lee Jordan, son of Randy and Mickey Jordan of Lubbock.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Lockney High School and Oceans. She is self-employed as a massage therapist at the Wellness Place in

The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Shallowater High School and Texas Tech University. He is employed at Lubbock Truck

The couple will be married in April in Lubbock.

I would like to thank everyone for the prayers, calls, visits, food, cards and anything that I may have forgot-

It was so nice of you to do this to help us during my surgery and recovery.

I am doing great, just need a little more time to fully recover.

> Thanks again, Doris and Leslie Nixon



FAITH NICOLE REYES-GOURDON, 5 MONTHS, daughter of April Gourdon, of Floydada. Grandparents are: Johnny and Penny Gourdon of Floydada. Great-grandmother is Lizzie Johnson, of Louisiana.



KELSEA CROW, daughter of Lacy and Toby Crow, of Canyon. Grandparents are Dayne and Penny Golightly, of Floydada, and Lanny and Belinda Crow, of Friona. JUSTIN GOLIGHTLY, son of Rance and Kami Golightly, of Lubbock. Grandparents are: Dayne and Penny Golightly, of Floydada, and Jessie and Dionesa Flores, of Lubbock. ALAINA GOLIGHTLY, daughter of Rance and Kami Golightly, of Lubbock. Grandparents are: Dayne and Penny Golightly, of Floydada, and Jessie and Dionesa Flores, of Lubbock.



Bridal Selections:

Amber Nixon & Justin Graves

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Bridal Selections

Brenna Dawdy & Jeff Dressen



1101 South Ralls Highway Floydada, TX. 983-3000

Lockney Senior Citizens News

By Vera Jo Bybee

Our Bible study just keeps getting better and better. We The leader is Kyle Brock. He is Carthel such a good leader. Maybe because he is a good preacher too. It is a great feeling to always look forward to the next meeting.

Geneva and Sol Barclay announce the birth of a new great great-granddaughter, Tylee Barclay of Matador. Tylee's parents are Ty and Britney Barclay of Matador. Grandparents are and great grandparents are Bill and Erma Washington all of

Our prayers are with Eleanor Schacht who is seriously ill in the Lubbock Hospital at the time of this writing.(Monday night)

I want to take this opportunity to thank all of you so much for remembering the Center with your memorials honoring you friends and loved ones. I got behind over Christmas and January about listing them. Thanks again for they are certainly appreciated.

EULA BRAMLET: Rusty and Jody Baccus, Larry and Sunny Hammit, Paul and DeLinda Glasson, Ham Gammage, Margie Turner, Gladys Bobbitt, Edith Cooper, Joe and Dean Givens, Wanda and Lynn Ray Smith, Tommy and Freda Davis, Claude and Wilma Walter Reves, Claude and Wilma

and Rehab.

Brown, and Francis Foster.

LEONARD GRIFFITH; Sunny and Larry Hammit, Rusty meet in groups and it seems the and Jody Baccus, W.L.Thomas, group I am in is just the right size. and W. L. and Clementine

> OVELLAH COOPER: Walter Reves, Gladys Bobbitt, Edith Cooper, Embre and Lou Ann Douglas, Bobby and Ann McCormick, Claude and Wilma Brown, Paul and DeLinda Glasson, Sunny and Larry Hammit, W. L. Thomas, Barton

VERA COX: Bobby and Ann Jerry Don and Sandra Barclay McCormick, Nelda and James

> R.W. AND CORNELIA JOHNSON; W. L. and Clementine Carthel.

> CLIFF HARDY: Bobby and Ann McCormick, Sunny and Larry Hammit, Rusty and Jody Baccus.

EDDIE AND AMELIA FORTENBERRY; S. C. and Lou Burleson, and W. L. Thomas.

HENRY FORD: Embre and Lou Ann Douglas, Walter Reves, Claude and Wilma Brown, Paul and DeLinda Glasson, Almeda Phillips, Jody and Rusty Baccus, W.L. and Clementine Carthel, James and Nelda Morris, Sunny and Larry Hammit, R.L. and Bettye Knox, Donnie and Vera Jo Bybee, W. L. Thomas, and Bobby and Ann McCormick

MARGARET COLLIER:

Our beloved wife, mother, grandmother, great-

grandmother and sister, LaVerne McCarty, has been

called to her heavenly home. The family would like

to thank everyone for their prayers, visits and concerns while she was residing in the Lubbock Health

Most of all thank you for the prayers and acts of

kindness during this time of our loss. All the food,

cards, flowers and donations to the Lockney Senior Citizens, Floyd County Unity Center and the Pat

The families of LaVerne McCarty Truett McCarty, Carol Cook, Richard McCarty, Pat Mull, Scott McCarty, Curtis Poteet,

Lou Reta Ellis, Vera Dean Powell,

Barbara Gibson

GREGORY RAISSEZ 6-23-52 - 2-16-04

It was a year ago that you were here with us. But it only seems like yesterday. We're still missing you and

You will always be in our hearts forever. But knowing you are in a better place is our greatest comfort.

> Your Wife and Children & Grandchildren

Bridal Selections For:

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Menu for Feb 21-25

Monday: Turkey and Dressing Tuesday: Chicken Fried Steak Wednesday: Spaghetti and Garlic Bread

Thursday: Baked Chicken Friday: Soft Taco

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Floydada Senior Citizens News

By Margarette Word

The Center is open Monday through Friday. If you are 60 years or older come and join us. Lunch starts at 11:30 a.m. Come and eat a hot meal and visit your

Our sympathy to the family of Thomas Warren.

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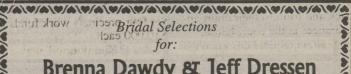
Menu

February 21-February 25 Monday-Chicken fried steak, white gravy, peas and carrots, corn, wheat roll, pineapple Tuesday-Brisket, augratin potatoes, fired okra or squash, pickles, wheat roll, apricot cobbler Wednesday-Chicken or turkey, cornbread dressing, cranberry sauce, green beans, tossed salad/ 1000 Island, hot roll, apple cob-

Thursday-Sloppy Joe on bun, picante sauce, pinto beans, tortilla chips, apricots

Friday-Spaghetti, baby limas, Harvard beets, tossed salad/ Ranch, hot roll, pumpkin bars or crunch

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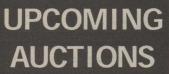
Little Dribbler Tryouts

Lockney girls Little Dribbler Tryouts will be held Sunday, February 20th

3rd & 4th grade girls must be at the Lockney High School Gym at 2:00 pm;

5th & 6th graders - 3:00 pm.

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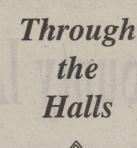
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Military News

Westbrook completes basic training

Navy Seaman Recruit Chas A. Westbrook, a 2002 graduate of Lockney High School, Lockney, Texas, recently completed U.S. Navy basic training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Ill

During the eight-week program, Westbrook completed a variety of training which included classroom study and practical instruction on naval customs, first aid, firefighting, water safety and survival, and shipboard and aircraft safety. An emphasis was also placed on physical fitness.

The capstone event of boot camp is "Battle Stations". This exercise gives recruits the skills and confidence they need to succeed in the fleet. "Battle Stations" is designed to galvanize the basic warrior attributes of sacrifice, dedication, teamwork and endurance in each recruit through the practical application of basic Navy skills and the core values of Honor, Courage and Commitment. Its distinctly "Navy" flavor was designed to take into account what it means to be a Sailor.

Westbrook is a 2002 graduate of Lockney High School.

Chili dog supper given in appreciation of help

The Community Store and Salvation Army in Lockney gave a Chili dog Supper Monday February 7 for the Lockney Boy Scouts and their leaders in appreciation for all their help with the

"They worked so hard, even in bad weather, to help make our food drive a success," said Alicia Luna.

Luna added, "I would also like to thank Teresa Gonzales and Joyce Lopez for helping serve the chili dogs Monday."

February 21-February 25 Monday

Breakfast-Waffles or cereal,

toast, juice, milk Lunch-Chili dog or burrito, corn, carrots, pineapple, milk

Tuesday Breakfast-Sausage biscuit or cereal, toast, juice, milk

Lunch-Nacho grande or PBJ sandwich, tossed salad, green beans, peaches, cornbread, milk

Wednesday Breakfast-Donut or cereal, toast, juice, milk

Lunch-Cheese pizza or ham and cheese, baby carrots, tossed salad, pears, milk

Thursday Breakfast-Pancakes or cereal,

toast, juice, milk Lunch-Fish sticks or grilled cheese, pinto beans, squash casserole, applesauce, hush puppies,

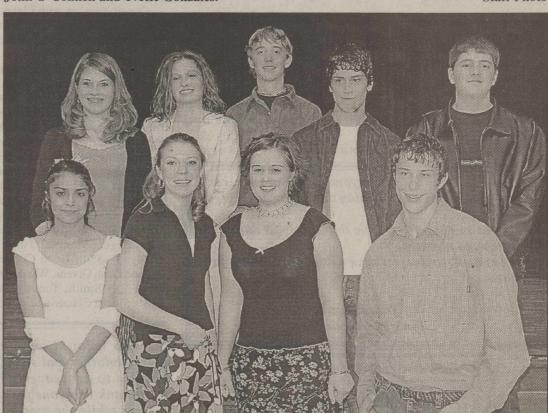
Friday

Breakfast-Cinnamon roll or ce-

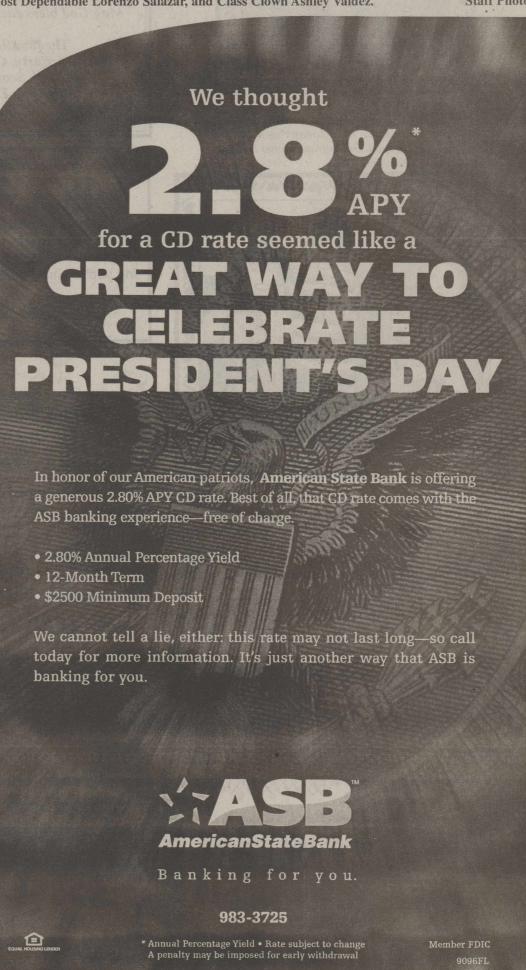
real, toast, juice, milk Lunch-Hamburger or corndog, baked fries, lettuce and tomato, peaches, milk



JUNIOR CLASS WINNERS AT THE MR. AND MISS LHS EVENT WERE: (back, 1-r) Most Dependable JW McPherson, Most Athletic Dahlen McCarter, Most Studious Trevor Morris, and Class Favorite Landon Cotham; (front, 1-r) Most Courteous Tana Smith, Most Athletic Emily Mercado, Class Favorite Tori Terrell, Most Athletic Amber Dorman, and Most Dependable and Most Studious Bekah Thornton. Not pictured are: Most Courteous Kory Smith, Class Clown John O'Connell and Yvette Gonzales. **Staff Photo**



FRESHMAN CLASS WINNERS AT THE MR. AND MISS LHS EVENT WERE: (back, l-r) Most Athletic Leah Ford, Class Favorite Senee Foster, Most Studious Zach Montandon, Class Clown Garrison Marrical, and Most Dependable Tanner Morris. (Front, 1-r) Most Dependable Desiree Deleon, Most Courteous Trasa Poindexter, Most Studious Ashley McCullough, Most Athletic Alston Becker. Not pictured are: Most Courteous and Class Favorite Dimitri Cortez, Most Dependable Lorenzo Salazar, and Class Clown Ashley Valdez. **Staff Photo**



Floydada Boys 8th & 7th Grade **Basketball Report**

FJHS 8th - 50 DIMMITT - 25

The FJHS 8th grade boys basketball team hosted Dimmitt on February 7, 2005 and got a huge win by a score of 50-25.

Titus Miller scored in double digits and led the scoring with 19

Aarrhon Floes also scored in double digits with 16 points.

Tyler Derryberry added 5 points to the scoreboard.

Isom Bolton ended the game with 4 points.

Keegan Williams added 3 points to the victory.

Chad Davis scored 2 points and Colton Covington rounded out the scoring with 1 point.

FJHS (B team) - 43 DIMMITT - 21

The FJHS 8th and 7th grade boys B team hosted Dimmitt and outscored them 43-21.

Scoring results are as follows: Wade Hill - 9 points; Joe Suarez - 8 points; Randy Lerma - 8 points; Juan Carlos Ascencio - 6 points; Sanchez - 4 points; James Espinoza - 4 points; Louis Lerma - 7 points; John Robledo

Ramos - 2 points; Miles Marble - 6 points; Juan Carlos Ascencio - 2 points.

FJHS 7th - 39 DIMMITT - 26

The FJHS 7th grade boys basketball team played host to Dimmitt on February 7, 2005 and got a huge victory by a score of 39-26.

Leading the scoring was Fred Williams with 19 points.

Scoring 6 points was

Florencio Cuba. Damion Pleasant ended the

night with 4 points. Jordan Cornelius added 4

points to the scoreboard. Teddy Summers ended the

game with 4 points. Robert Casillas added 2 points to the scoreboard.

FJHS (B Team) - 26 TULIA - 24

The FJHS 7th and 8th grade B teams played Tulia B team on January 31, 2005 and won by a score of 26-24.

Scoring results are as follows: Joe Suarez - 9 points; Randy

- 2 points; Lois Ramos - 2 points.

FJHS 8th - 19 TULIA - 39

The FJHS 8th grade boys traveled to Tulia on January 31, 2005 and came up short by a score of

Scoring in double digits was Aarrhon Flores with 12 points. Isom Bolton added 4 points to the scoreboard.

Christopher Carrasco added 2

Rounding out the scoring was Chad Davis with 1 point.

FJHS 7th - 45 TULIA - 31

27 points.

The FJHS 7th grade boys traveled to Tulia on January 31, 2005 and won by a score of 45-31. J. Segura led the scoring with

Jordan Cornelius added 8 points to the scoreboard.

Trey Casillas scored 7 points. Teddy Summers ended the night with 2 points.

Rounding out the scoring was Florencio Cuba with 1 point.



FISD STUDENTS, EDUCATOR AND SUPPORT STAFF OF THE MONTH-Those shown are: (Ir) Educator of Month, Dana Herrington; Students of Month, Jesse Cervera, Gr.4, R.C. Andrews Elementary; John David Duus, Gr. 1, A.B. Duncan Elementary; and David Mancilla, Gr. 12, FHS. (not pictured, Joey Martinez, Gr.7, FJHS and Support Staff Vikki Yeary)

Through Halls

against Tulia was a 37-25 loss.

This weeks I point loss, right at

The FJHS 8th girls basketball

Scoring results are as follows:

Carrol Chavez - 5 points; An-

gela Wiley - 4 points; Blanca

Garza - 3 points; Crystal Alvarez

- 2 points; Tamara Pleasant - 2

Ashley Aleman - 2 points.

team traveled to Dimmitt and

came up short by a score of 35-

FJHS 8th - 22

DIMMITT - 35

FLOYDADA 8TH GRADE GIRLS BASKETBALL REPORT

come.

FJHS 8th - 19 FRIONA - 24

The FJHS 8th grade girls trav- the end, shows how much more eled to Friona and came up short competive these girls have beby a score of 19-24.

Scoring results are as follows: Blanca Garza - 8 points; Carrol Chavez - 5 points; Crystal Alvarez - 2 points; Elda Lopez - 2 points; Angela Wylie - 2

Coach Williams comments: 22 While we were working for the win, I still view this game as a success. Our final score the first time was 9-34. This game ended at 19-24, a huge improvement. I am very proud of these girls and how hard they have worked to

F.JHS 8th (B team) - 7 FRIONA (B team) - 2

The FJHS 8th grade girls B Team won by a score of 7-2. Tamara Pleasant scored 7 points to led the scoring.

FJHS 8th - 21

Tulia - 22 The FJHS 8th grade girls basketball team hosted Tulia lost by just 1 point at the final buzzer.

Scoring results are as follows: Angela Wiley - 8 points; Crystal Alvarez - 5 points; Ashley Aleman - 4 points; Carrol Chavez - 2 points; Nikki Lavy - 2 points. **Coach Williams comments:**

We are still working towards putting a win on the scoreboard but these ladies are winners in my eyes because of their improvement. Our previous final score

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FLOYDADA 7TH GRADE GIRLS BASKETBALL REPORT

By Coach Fox FJHS 7th - 34 **DIMMITT-15**

The FJHS 7th grade girls ended the season well! We received third place in District

Scoring results are as follows: Crystal Yannis - 14 points; Megan Aleman - 6 points; McKenzie Schwartner - 4 points; Tara Hughes - 4 points.

FJHS 7th (B Team) - 32 DIMMITT - 11

The FJHS B team did great this year as well.

Scoring results - Kenya Pesina - 12 points.

I am proud of both teams and I look forward to seeing them get better and better.

IDALOU TOURNAMENT

The FJHS 7th grade girls basketball team played in the Idalou Tourney on January 6 & 8. We placed 2nd overall in the tournament. The girls did great. I am so proud of their efforts.

Game 1 Floydada 45 - New Deal - 22 Game 2 -

Floydada 36 - Idalou 30 Game 3 -

We played Olton on January 10, 2005 and it was a great game.

Floydada 27 - Tahoka 46 **FLOYDADA VS OLTON**

We lead all four quarters and never let up.

> Final Score -Floydada 32 - Olton 23

FLOYDADA VS LOCKNEY

We played Lockney on January 17, 2005. The girls fought hard during the second half of this game and were out in front at one point, but could not come away with the win.

Final Score: Floydada 28 - Lockney 33

FLOYDADA VS FRIONA The girls really played hard and consistant during this game

and just didn't end up with the Megan Aleman - 11 points McKenzie Schwartner - 6

Final Score -

Floydada 29 - Friona 34

FLOYDADA VS TULIA

The FJHS girls played Tulia on January 31, 2005. They struggled during the 1st and 3rd quarters, but made a great come back in the fourth quarter. I am really proud of their efforts.

Megan Aleman - 8 points Crystal Yannis - 7 points McKenzie Schwartner - 6

Final Score -Floydada 28 - Tulia 33

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Tuesday Breakfast - Sausage in a biscuit or cereal and Graham crackers, juice, milk

Lunch - Taco salad/meat and

cheese with lettuce and tomatoes, pinto beans, Jello, milk Wednesday Breakfast - Pancakes, syrup or

cereal, Graham crackers, juice, Lunch - Chicken fried steak, quick baked potatoes, green

beans, hot roll, pudding, milk Thursday Breakfast - Oatmeal and cinnamon toast or cereal, Graham crackers, juice, milk

Lunch - Corn dogs, fries, carrots, cookie, milk Friday Breakfast - Breakfast burrito or

cereal, Graham crackers, juice, points; Ariel Peralez - 2 points; Lunch - Hamburger, chips, Jennifer Rainwater - 2 points;

salad, cobbler, fruit, milk

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FSA COMMITTEE--Andrea Ford (center) was recently sworn in as a new member of the Floyd County Farm Service Agency County Committee. Lyle Miller (left) is Vice Chairperson, and Adrain Helms (right) is Chairperson. Andrea will serve a 3 year term for the Lockney area, **Staff Photo** LAA-1 County Committeeperson.

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Strong export sales of U.S. cotton sparked buying at the New York Board of Trade that led cotton futures to settle higher on

USDA reported net export sales of U.S.A. cotton reached a marketing year high for a second consecutive week. Sales of 417,200 bales in the week ended December 3 were 12 percent more than the previous week and 39 percent better than the fourweek average. Major buyers were China, with purchases of 159,000 bales, followed by Turkey and Pakistan with acquisitions of 69,300 and 47,000 bales, respectively. Sales of 17,300 bales for delivery in 2005-06 were mainly for Mexico.

"We enjoyed a season's record of export sales, and yet prices still traded higher," said one analyst. "That's a very rare achievement for this market."

Export shipments 243,300 bales were two percent less than the previous week and four percent less than the four-week average. Primary destinations were Turkey, Mexico and Thailand.

'Export sales were strong this week, and the active trade buy-

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season, bringing them up to a months." shade over 300,000 bales for the for the season-to-date," he added.

In spot cotton news, Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas producers sold 51,297 bales online in the week ended February 10 compared to the previous week when 22,673 bales were traded. Prices received by producers selling their cotton online ranged from 33.70 to 35.03 cents per pound versus the previous week's range of 32.31 to 34.62 cents per pound.

In other news, the market was bouyed by USDA's monthly cotton supply/demand report released on February 9. The department cut its estimate of world ending stocks to 46.74 million bales from 47.12 million last month, raised its estimate of U.S. cotton exports to 13.0 million, and boosted estimated imports by China, the world's top cotton consumer, to 9.0 million bales versus 8.75 million projected in

"The report was friendly," said

ing suggests that export sales are one analyst. "The figures were continuing at a strong pace," said encouraging, especially after a a cotton market observer. "It was string of bearish USDA producalso China's biggest bite for the tion reports over the past few

The figures were in line with two-week period and 1.3 million market expectations, but some in the industry considered it to be a significant report.

> "USDA's report was significant in that it produced the first projected reduction in world ending stocks since its July report," an analyst noted. "It kept two other streaks alive, increasing both world production and mill use as it has since the beginning of the reports for this season," he

An analyst also said USDA has a record of continuing to cut the American cotton carryover following the February supply/ demand figure. "Only twice in the last 10 years, in 1999 and 2001, did ending stocks grow from this time forward," the analyst noted. "The most prominent change was only four years ago when ending stocks increased by 1.5 million as both U.S. exports and consumption collapsed in the second half of the season."

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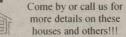
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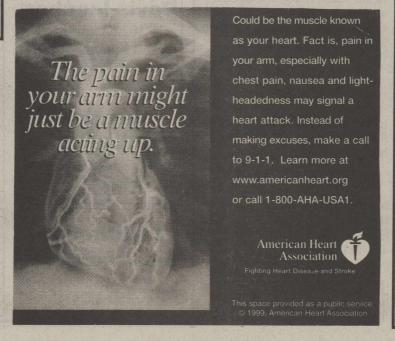
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First National Bank Certificate of Deposits \$266,000.00.

WITNESS OUR HANDS, officially, this 14th day of February, 2005.

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IRENO BAEZA

Funeral mass for Ireno Baeza, 66, of Silverton was celebrated Tuesday, February 6, 2005 at Our Lady of Laredo Catholic Church. Father Hector Madrigal officiated. Burial was in Silverton Cemetery by Myers Chancellar Funeral Home.

Mr. Baeza was a Catholic and a member of Sagrado Corazon and Curcillista.

Mr. Baeza died February 3, 2005 in Amarillo.

He is survived by his wife Ana Baeza of the home; three sons, Carlos O. Baeza and wife Melisa of Floydada, Joseph Baeza and Carlos Anthony Baeza of Silverton; two daughters, Lorena Baeza-Martinez and husband Gerardo of Arlington and Anita Baeza-Morales and husband Jorge of Whitesboro; two brothers, Pablo Baeza of Pecos and Teodoro Baeza of Amarillo; four sisters, Maria Louisa Baeza of Burlington, Colorado, Maria J. Payden of Pecos, Agustina Paz of Meoqui, Chihuahua, Mexico and Manuela Rodriguez of Elida, New Mexico; eight grandchildren and numerous neices and nephews.

The family suggests memorials to Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center.

MARGARET BRACKEN

Funeral services for Margarete Lucy Coley Wallace Bracken, 89, of Daingerfield were held Tuesday, February 15 at Reeder-Davis Chapel in Hughes Springs. Norman Miller officiated. Interment was at Johnson Memorial Cemetery in

Mrs. Bracken died Saturday, February 12 in a Linden Hospital. She was born December 14, 1915 in Munday. She was a housewife.

Mrs. Bracken is survived by her son and daughter-in-law, Leo and Wanda Wallace of Plainview; one daughter and sonin-law Barbara and Glen Gibson of Daingerfield; two stepsons and a stepdaughter-in-law, Steve Bracken of Seagoville and Wayne and Nina Bracken of Wolfforth; one brother and sister-in-law, J.N. and Louise Coley of Longview; two sisters and a brother-in-law, Bobbie Kegley of Munday and Doris and M.L. Wood of Lone Star; four grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and three great-greatgrandchildren.



POLLY CARDINAL

Funeral services for Polly Cardinal, 87, of Lubbock were held Tuesday, February 15, 2005 at 10:00 a.m. at First United Methodist Church in Floydada. Rev. Wendell Horn officiated. Interment followed at Floyd County Memorial Park in Floydada. Arrangements were under the personal care of Moore-Rose-White of Floydada.

Mrs. Cardinal died Saturday,

February 12, 2005. She was born July 27, 1917 in Floydada to John W. and Stella Edwards Smith. When she was seventeen months old, her father died and her mother remarried G.R. May. Polly graduated from Floydada High School in 1935. She attended Texas Tech University her freshman year of college and then transferred to Texas Women's University in Denton where she graduated in 1939. She

began her teaching career after graduation and was employed for over 30 years at Floydada High School. The first year she taught she sponsored a girl's social club, and when Future Teachers of America was organized she sponsored that. She was a cheerleading sponsor for numerous years and the first junior varsity cheerleader squad was organized during that time. She was also a senior class sponsor.

She met Fred A. Cardinal one summer while he worked for her mother on the family farm. They dated six months and married on October 12, 1941 in Floydada. Mr. Cardinal entered the Marine Corps the next September and Polly lived in San Diego, California and worked in an office at Consolidated which built B-24's while he was in the service. After he got out of the service, they came back to Floydada and in 1947 they moved to Dougherty and started farming. The Cardinals were blessed with their only child, a son, Louis Reid, on November 4, 1951. Like most farmers wives, Polly hauled wheat and maize to the elevators, cotton to the gin, and plowed a few days, but didn't have to do too much of that. Mr. Cardinal became sheriff in November 1976 and they moved back to Floydada in 1978. Jep, an ASF student from South East Asia lived with them in 1975-76. In 2001, the Cardinals moved from Floydada to Lub-

Mrs. Cardinal was one student who took "be true to your school" to heart. Her biggest hobby was supporting the Whirlwinds and a couple of her favorite colors were green and white. She was a member of the Eastern Star, DAR and the First United Methodist Church in Floydada.

She was preceded in death by three brothers, John Edwards Smith, W.V. May and George Reid May, II.

She is survived by her husband, Fred A. Cardinal of Lubbock; one son, Louis Cardinal and wife, Susan, of Lubbock; two grandchildren, Dusten Cardinal of Ft. Worth and Katie Glover, and husband, Judd, of Randolph AFB, Texas.

The family suggests memorials to: Hospice of Lubbock, 1102 Slide Rd. Ste. 3, Lubbock, Texas 79416 or First United Methodist Church, 203 W. Kentucky St., Floydada, Texas 79235.



LLOYD P. MCCRAY

Funeral services for Lloyd Pinkston McCray, 91, formerly of Floydada were held Wednesday, February 16, 2005 at West Funeral Home Chapel of Carlsbad, New Mexico. Reverend John Hinze of Hillcrest Baptist Church officiated. The second service will be held at 3:00 p.m. Thursday, February 17, 2005 at City Park Church of Christ in Floydada. Interment will follow in Floydada Cemetery under the direction of West Funeral Home.

Mr. McCray died Sunday February 13, 2005.

He was born October 19, 1913 in Marlowe, Oklahoma to Knox and Susan "Daisy" McCall McCray. His family moved to Idalou when he was a very young boy. He married Lillian Graves on December 15, 1937 in Floydada. She preceded him in death on November 10, 1970. He married Thelma Leona Odon in 1971 and she preceded him in death in 1999. He then married Roberta Bailey on March 23, 2000 in Floydada. He was a cotton farmer in Floydada. He loved to play the fiddle and mandolin, square dance and listen to the Gaithers on Saturday nights. He was also preceded in death by one son, Joel Bryan McCray in 1966, one brother and two sisters.

Mr. McCray is survived by his wife, Roberta McCray of Carlsbad; sons, Larry McCray of Conroe and Steven McCray of

Lubbock; daughter Brenda Henderson of Nelson, Missouri; two beloved nieces, Janelle Isom and Bobbie Dixson both of Lubbock; two stepdaughters, Janell White and Mary Ann Bannister, both of Carlsbad, New Mexico; seven grandchildren; nine greatgrandchildren; seven step grandchildren; twenty-six step greatgrandchildren; and one step great-great-grandchild.



THOMAS E. WARREN

Funeral services for Thomas E. Warren, 80, of Floydada were held Monday February 14, 2005 at the First Baptist Church in Floydada. Reverend Gene Hawkins officiated and Reverend Anthony D. Sisemore assisted. Burial was in Floyd County Memorial Park under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada.

Mr. Warren died February 11, 2005 at Covenant Hospital in Plainview.

He was born November 5, 1924 in Floydada to Jess Erwin Warren and Ola Huckabee Warren. He graduated from Floydada High School in 1942 and was a veteran of the United States Army having served during World War II. He married Ila Marie Battey on July 29, 1948 in Floydada. He was a County Commissioner from 1982 to 1990 and had been on Floydada EMS and the Floydada School Board. He was a farmer, a lifelong resident of Floydada and a member of the First Baptist Church of Floydada. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Elaine Stout, on March 1, 2001 and a grandson, Bryan Thomas

Stout in 1973. Survivors include his wife. Ila Marie Warren of Floydada; two sons, Ed Warren of Levelland and Don Warren of Floydada; one daughter, Joyce Owens of Floydada; 12 grandchildren; and 5 great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to First Baptist Church, P.O. Box 610, Floydada, Texas

THIS WEEK'S

FATA MEETING

The Floydada Area Tennis Association will meet Monday, February 21, 2005 at 5:30 p.m. at Triple-T Restaurant.

FBC ADULT 3 LADIES SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS Adult 3 Ladies Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church invites ladies of the community to join them on Sunday, February 27 from 9:30 a.m. - 10:15 am. in

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> FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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