

Floydada has fun with "Trunk or Treat"



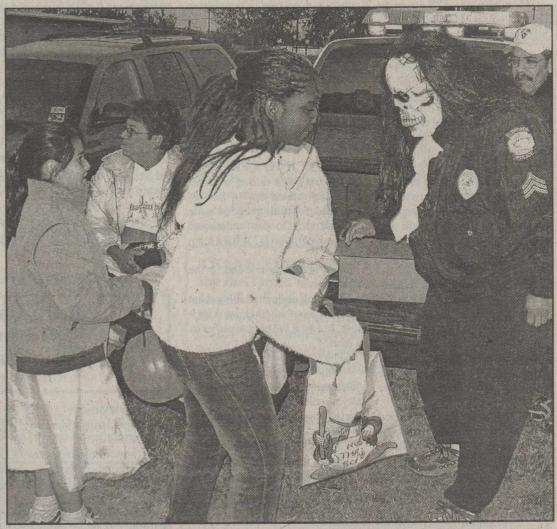
FLOYDADA LAW ENFORCEMENT DRESS UP FOR TRUNK OR TREATERS. Floydada Po-**Staff Photo** lice Chief Darrell Gooch(right)was a convincing Mr. Incredible.

Local elected offices will be the November ballot

Many of Floyd County's held by Kirk Wyrick. elected positions will be on the District Clerk, currently held Constable Ray Macha, of Pct. ballot November 2006.

by Barbara Edwards.

fill out her term in office. #2, will also have to run to fill



FLOYDADA POLICE SGT. REUBEN RAMON added to the festivities with his "scary" police **Staff Photo** uniform and his skeleton face.



Positions to be filled will be: Commissioner Pct. #2, currently held by Lennie Gilroy.

Commissioner Pct. #4, currently held by Jon Jones.

County Judge, currently held

by Bill Hardin.

County Clerk, currently held by Marilyn Holcomb.

County Treasurer, currently held by Elva Martinez.

J.P. Pct. #2 & #3, currently held by Michelle Araujo.

J.P. Pct. #1 & #4, currently

District Judge, currently held by Randy Hollums.

Tax Assessor Collector Penny Golightly will also have to run to fill her unexpired term. She had to vacate her current office when she announced her intention to seek the office of County Judge. She has since withdrawn consideration for that office, and was appointed by the Commissioners Court to fill the position until the election. She wishes to

out his unexpired term. He also had to resign his position to seek the office of Sheriff. After losing that election he was appointed to fill the Constable position until the next election.

None of the elected officials, except Golightly, have announced their intentions concerning the election.

The deadline to file for office is January 2.

Early Voting Nov. 4th. 169 Have

Citizens are neglecting cardboard recycling

By:

City Manager Gary Brown The City of Floydada recently sold 47 tons of recycled cardboard the citizens had brought to the cardboard recycling station at the old Coop Gin # 2. The City had baled the cardboard for ship-

This amount of recycling of cardboard saved approximately; 804 trees; 193,979 kwh of electricity; 331,184 gallons of water, 142 cubic yards of landfill space and 2,839 pounds of air pollution.

"We do not have enough citizens or businesses participating in this program" stated Julian Alaniz, solid waste supervisor for

The city has a trailer parked at the old gin and the citizens can put their cardboard in the trailer any time they want to. There are still some generators of large volumes of cardboard that need to participate in the program.

"Recycling does help," said Alaniz.

BEAUTIFUL AND SCARY WALKED THE TRUNK OR TREAT PATH TOGETHER during Floydada's alternative to Halloween's neighborhood Trick or Treat, Monday night.

Staff Photo



FLAG DONATION--Verna Lynn and L.B. Stewart donated a flag to 4-H'er Jordan Cornelius (right) to be flown at the Veteran's Memorial, beginning on Veteran's Day, November 11. The flag will be raised at the monument following a special Veteran's Day Assembly at 10:00 a.m. in the Whirlwind Gym. The ceremony is sponsored by the Floydada High School Student Council and the whole community is invited to attend. Immediately following the High School ceremony, at approximately 11:30 a.m., there will be a special wreath laying ceremony at the Veteran's Memorial. The wreath has been made by Rozanne Bishop's art class at Floydada High School. The wreath laying ceremony will be conducted by FJHS Student Council member Jordan Cornelius and the Floydada High school Student Council, FJHS Student Council, RCA GT Kids, Troop 357 Boy Scouts and 4-H'ers. The public is also encouraged to attend the wreath laying ceremony. The flags at the Veteran's Memorial are replaced every three months because of wear and tear from 24 hour use. Individuals wishing to donate a flag for replacement should contact Jordan or Julianne Cornelius in Floydada. The flags are returned to the previous donor **Staff Photo** when replaced.

the city.

A TERRIFYING HEAD WAS SERVED UP ON A **PLATTER** at Floydada's Trunk or Treat Monday night. **Staff Photo**

Already Voted

Ends Friday,

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My husband and I recently ate at Furr's Cafeteria. When I got to the cashier I was asked if we were Senior Citizens

I said, "No we're not there yet'

When we got to the table my husband noticed we had both been charged the Senior Citizen's rate.

I said, "I told her we weren't Senior Citizens"

My husband said, "I guess she figured you were so old and senile you didn't know any better!"

Here at the newspaper we are constantly approached with requests for "free advertising" for various events. Sometimes people get very pushy with what they think are the most important things to our community as a whole, when it really is just the most important thing to their organization at that point in time-and they expect this newspaper to get on the band wagon and promote their stuff every week for free. I get annoyed when they want to use us to ask you for money (especially those in Lubbock and elsewhere)--but some of our local organizations really do need your support!

We see national advertising constantly asking for your donations to the Red Cross and the Salvation Army, and the Cancer Society, etc.

I would just like to remind people that there are plenty of local organizations that could really use your money when you are looking for tax write-offs, or want to give for no particular reason

We have the Scouts, the Spirit of Sharing in Floydada, the Community Storehouse in Lockney, either Chamber of Commerces, the new Veteran's Memorial in Lockney that is trying to raise money for construction, the to your mother.

Youth Center in Lockney, the Floydada Police Department for the Youth Skating Park they are trying to get built, the Senior Citizens groups in each town, the Lions Clubs and the Rotary Clubs, and of course your home church

I know this is a short list, but they were the ones that came quickly to my mind. You know you're money is going to a good cause and no one is benefitting personally, from some kind of over inflated salary (if any at all), at any of your local organizations.

It's hard for us to remember them all and we sure don't publicize most of these every week because we don't have the roomso I hope this reminder helps you remember

COACH TO A PLAYER

At one point during a game, the coach called one of his 10year-old football players aside and asked, "Do you understand what cooperation is? What a team is?'

The little boy nodded in the affirmative.

"Do you understand that what matters is not whether we win or lose, but how we play together as a team?

The little boy nodded yes.

"So," the coach continued, "I'm sure you know, when a penalty is called you shouldn't argue, curse, attack the referee, or call him a *&\$%#.'

'Do you understand all that?" Again the little boy nodded

The coach continued, "And you understand that when I call you off the field so that another boy gets a chance to play, it's not good sportsmanship to call your coach "a dumb *&%," is it?" Again the little boy nodded.

"Good," said the coach. "Now go over there and explain all that

Beware of internet motorcycle shopping

By Penny Golightly

hicle and Registration Manager, an MCO just like the ones we Bobby Meeks has notified us that receive for new vehicles from our

been instructed by the state that The Regional TXDOT Ve- the ownership document must be

Football prayers By Greg Taylor

(Reprinted with permission from the Texas Spur) If you watch much football

you'll see a good variety of celebration and prayer. Harking back to my high school days, I understand both. I regret that much of today's celebration. seems a little "look at me" oriented, but, if I had scored more touchdowns maybe I would have been more inclined to appreciate efforts at drawing attention to one's self. It's the prayer, however that I can really identify with.

I hear folks, from time to time, doubting the sincerity of those praying, and the showy way some do it. I can see that, but I appreciate the athletes demonstrating that it's good to pray, and a man can be a Christian, and still be rough and tumble.

I don't know what other guys pray about on the football field. Like I mentioned earlier, I didn't spend much time in the end zone, unless some opposing ball carrier had dragged me in there, so my

prayers were usually geared more toward survival rather than celebration. Once, during a game, however, I prayed that God would strike me with lightning and put me out of my misery, right then and there.

I had just been beaten for a to pray that I wasn't dead, be-

Palo Duro Basin Oil and Gas Update Courtesy of Tom Musser

from the South line and 660 feet

ter #1

Floyd County: Apollo Energy Operating Company LP, W.D. Miller Lease Well #1 set 5 1/2 production casing to 9823 feet. Completion work is scheduled to begin next week on the Miller #1.

Floyd County: Grey Wolf Drilling Rig #861 moved onto the Apollo Energy Operating Company LP Ceretha Watson Lease Well #1 on Friday, October 28. The Watson #1 was spudded Monday, October 31. 13 3/8 inch surface casing was set to 450 feet.

Floyd County: Patterson UTI Drilling Rig #494 moved onto the BASA Resources, Inc. Foster Lease Well #1 on Friday, October 28. The Foster #1 was spudded Saturday, October 29. 13 3/8 inch surface casing was set to 702 feet. On Tuesday morning they were drilling at a depth of 2600 feet.

BULLFEATHERS

touchdown on a pass play - one that we had practiced against all week. My coach, Bullet McDonald, had even called a time-out just before the play to warn me that the other team was probably going to run that very pass play. For a reason I've yet to figure out, I let the receiver get behind me in the end zone and catch the pass.

On the way back to the sideline, I asked God to kill me. But, he didn't. To my surprise, neither did Bullet. Not that he didn't want to, that much was obvious.

During another game, I prayed that I hadn't been killed.

We were playing a team that had this big muscled-up Polish brute of a fullback nicknamed "Cement Head." He was having great success running off-tackle

to my side, and in spite of my best efforts, I couldn't get out of his way. Consequently, I spent much of the game mashed across the front of Cement Head's helmet like a bug splattered on a windshield. Each time we collided I would eventually tackle him, seven or eight yards downfield, but only because the clumsy oaf tripped over my corpse after hammering the cookies out of me.

It was the result of one of these collisions that caused me

from the East of Section 21,

Block 1, AB&M Survey, 6 miles

Northeast of Floydada. The

Redding #1 will be located 3

miles Southeast of the Miller #1

and 2 miles Southeast of the Fos-

Operating Company issued a

News Release on October 28,

stating the Kenneth Broseh Lease

Well #1 penetrated 600 feet of

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cause I could barely breathe, and I couldn't see. After what seemed an eternity, however, Bullet and one of the assistant coaches got my helmet twisted back around so that my facemask lined up, somewhat, with my face. Take it from me, it's hard to get much air when you're breathing out

your ear-hole. While my football prayers never came right out and asked God for my team to win and someone else to lose, I did drop some pretty good hints. I didn't

really figure He took sides in football, but I knew enough Nebraska fans and Notre Dame fans who seemed pretty sure, so I never completely disregarded the possibility.

We could argue all day

whether or not God involves himself in football, and probably never change His mind about it. Likewise, we could argue whether or not athletes on television who make praying so obvious are sincere. I'll admit, I prefer the praying over the too-common look-at-me strut.

Maybe this praying is another act to get more attention, but maybe not.

Maybe these players who pray after scoring touchdowns actually are giving thanks for being blessed with athletic ability, and maybe their demonstration is intended to give the credit to God. Or maybe they are just very grateful to have made it to the end zone without being splattered on the helmet of some bone-crusher named Cement Head.

Activities

Courtroom

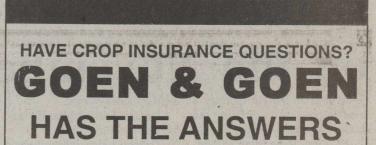
In District Court, November

dada, pled guilty to an April 28, 2005 charge of Burglary of a Habitation. His probation was revoked and he was sentenced to 5 years in the Institutional Division of TDCJ, payment of \$1,000 fine, restitution, court costs and attorney's fees.

In County Court:

Floydada, pled guilty to a Sep. 29, 2005 charge of Assault. He was sentenced to 60 days in jail

Salvador Cavazos, pled guilty to a July 11, 2005 charge of Theft



1,2005:

David Sanchez, 23, of Floy-

Yrael Morales, 39, of Floydada, pled guilty to an April 14, 2005 charge of Evading Arrest with a Vehicle. He was sentenced to 18 months in the State Jail Facility, payment of \$1,000 fine, court costs, and attorneys fees.

October 26, 2005:

Ismael Arevalo Jr., 22, of plus court costs.

costs Orlando Lira, 26, of Floydada, pled guilty to DWI-2nd. He was

by Check equal to or more than

\$20 and less than \$500. He was

sentenced to 30 days in jail, res-

Phillip Christian, 20, of

Crosbyton pled guilty to 3 counts

of Theft by Check Equal to or

More than \$20 and Less Than

\$500. In all cases he was sen-

tenced to 180 days in jail and

charged restitution and court

titution, and court costs.

fined \$750 and sentenced to 6 days in jail plus court costs. Kevin Ortiz, 18, of Floydada,

pled guilty to Driving While License Suspended. He was fined \$100, 25 days in jail plus court costs

Ortiz also pled guilty to Assault and was fined \$300 and placed on a Deferred Adjudication for a period of 2 years plus court costs.

people are purchasing motorcycles/mopeds/scooters on the internet due to higher fuel prices. In most cases, these vehicles are manufactured in either Mexico or China.

Customers are not receiving AAMVA approved manufacturer certificates (MCO). We have franchised dealers. The vehicles must meet US DOT and EPA standards. Please be aware of this when purchasing a vehicle over the internet.

Our regional manager has told us that he is working with five different customers and it appears they will not be able to register and title them in Texas.

Floyd County: Bass Petroleum, Inc. received a drilling permit on October 31, 2005 for the Redding Lease Well #1. This well will be located 1980 feet

Motley County: Cause #2349; Shockey Enterprises, Inc. vs Vintage Petroleum, Inc. and et al had a Hearing on Monday afternoon in Motley County District Court. Vintage Petroleum, Inc.'s request for dismissal of cause #2349 was denied by Judge Jack Young.

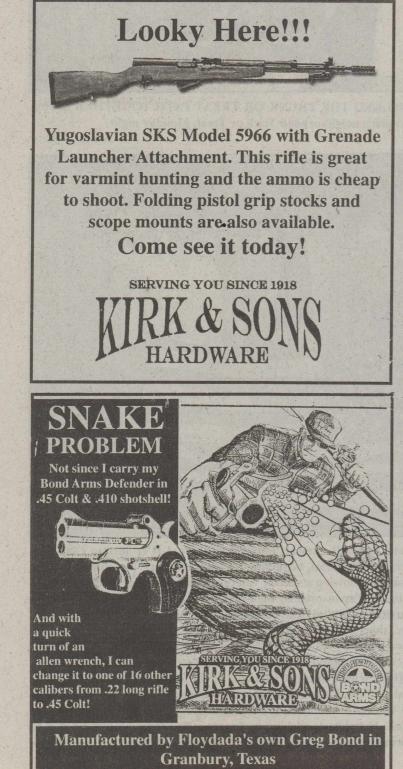
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EVERYONE ENJOYED TRUNK-OR-TREAT IN FLOYDADA

Early Voting Ends Friday, November 4 If You Don't Early Vote Then Remember to Vote November 8

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By Pricilla Minter

The Buffalo Grass Chapter of the NSDAR met on Tuesday, October 25, 2005 at 6:30 p.m. at the Floyd County Historical Museum in Floydada with 9 members and 2 guests present.

The meeting was opened in ritualistic form with Regent, Margaret Berry presiding. The President General's Message was read by Susan Dunavant. The National Defense Report was given by Sherry Colston. She talked about the closing of "Walter Reed Hospital". It is on the U.S. Department of Defense Base Closure List. The Constitutional Sidelight was also given by Sherry Colston. The Indian Highlight was given by Debby McCarty. The topic was "The Plains Indians"

June Sherman gave the program on "Conservation of Wedding Dresses". She read an article that was written in 1906 and titled, "The Bride Wore Whiteor Did She"? The article spanned many generations describing the various types and colors of wed-

ding dresses and other appropriate attire. The last part of the program was a show and tell. Two members of our chapter, Debby McCarty and Susan Dunavant brought their beautiful white traditional wedding gowns for viewing along with a photograph. Several other members and the two guests brought photos of their wedding dresses and wedding pictures. The wedding photos spanned over 150 years in time. Thanks to everyone who helped make this program a very memorable one.

Daughters of the American Revolution

Minutes of the last meeting were read by Pricilla Minter and approved by the members. Susan Dunavant gave the Treasurer's Report.

Under New Business: Margaret Berry discussed the "Good Citizens" project. This is an annual event that is sponsored through the NSDAR and the local chapters. There are 4 area high schools that are involved in the project for the 2005-2006 school year. Counselors nominate a student to write an essay with a particular title on historical conservation. All essays will be judged by our local chapter and the winning essay will be sent to the State Chairman for judging. The state winners will be sent in to the National Chairman for judging and to determine the overall winning essay. We thank all the students for their participation and to wish them the best of luck with their essays.

The members thanked the hostess, Margaret Berry for bringing the delicious food and beverages.

Members present were: Margaret Berry, June Sherman, Nancy Marble, Carolyn Cunningham, Grace Ashley, Susan Dunavant, Sherry Colston, Debby McCarty and Pricilla Minter and two guests; Elizabeth C. Carthel and Flora McNeil.

Next meeting will be Saturday, November 19. The members and their guests will travel to Lubbock to tour the Silent Wings Museum. The meeting topic will be a combination of Commerative/History. The group will meet for lunch after the tour. All members are invited to come join the tour of the World War II Gliders.

FUMC to hold Annual Harvest Festival

By Martha Farris

The annual Harvest Festival and Bazaar, an occasion which always promises a variety of activity and excitement, sponsored by Floydada's First United Methodist Church, will be held on Saturday, November 12, from 9:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. "In addition to the traditional offerings, we are adding things that will make the event more enjoyable," said Doris McLain, co-chair of the bazaar. Nikki Oakes is her

partner.

On the Saturday of the Festival, Sunday School rooms will be transformed into the Country Store filled with delicious baked goods, candies, crafts and household items. The Silent Auction room, always a "drawing card," will feature collector's treasures, holiday decorations, appliances and toys.

Visitors will be pleased by the newly renovated library with a variety of books to be checked out; and, the beautiful quilt will be drawn for at 1:00 p.m. following Thanksgiving dinner.

Tickets for the quilt and the bountiful dinner are available now from church members, at the church office, and may be purchased at the door. The dinner will be served from 11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. Take out meals are available by calling the church at 983-3706. Tickets for the meal are \$7.00 for adults and \$4.00 for children 12 and under. Quilt tickets are \$5.00.

There will be a live auction this year at 12:30 p.m. Auction items will include a beautiful painting by Jill Warren. Also added to the Bazaar this year is valet parking available at the west church door for those who may need it.

"Mark your calendar for November 12th," said Doris and Nikki. "This event is something you don't want to miss!" THANK YOU to Mary Ann Reyes for coordinating the Trunk R Treat event and to all who volunteered to help. Thank you Floydada residents for the monetary contributions and the candy donations. This is one more example of Floydada working together for the good of the community. The event was very well attended, the children had a good time and were safe.

Floydada Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture

I urge everyone who can vote to get out and vote "Yes" for the amendment to the Texas Constitution that prohibits homosexual marriage of a man to a man or a woman to a woman. Homosexuality is a sin that needs to be repented of. The Bible says, "Or do you not know that the unrightecus shall not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived; neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor effeminate, nor homosexuals, nor thieves, nor the covetous, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor swindlers, shall inherit the kingdom of God." (1 Corinthians 6:9-10 NASB).

The Bible says, "Righteousness exalts a nation but sin is a disgrace to any people" (Proverbs 14:34). The cities of Sodom and Gomorrah lost their existence because of the grossest of immorality ultimately manifesting itself in homosexuality. The United States is running the risk of losing our existence as a nation because of 30 to 40 years of gross immorality which is now manifesting itself in increased homosexuality and its promotion and its approval. It is bad enough for men to be immoral with women and women with men. It is worse still for men and women to miss the point of their God-given sexuality, which simple personal observations should teach us (Romans 1:24-27). Two bolts together cannot accomplish their intended purpose. Two nuts together cannot accomplish their intended purpose. A bolt and a nut together can accomplish what they were designed for. The conclusions for which our sexual organs are designed ought to be that simple.

The Bible teaches that God brings rulers and nations to power and brings them to their knees when they get so evil He cannot stand them any more. Scriptures that teach that are Proverbs 14:34; Daniel 2:37; Daniel 4:24-25; Romans 13:1; and Deuteronomy 9:5. We are in danger of being brought down because of our toleration of gross immorality and lack of integrity.



GETTING READY FOR THE ANNUAL HARVEST FESTIVAL AND BAZAAR at Floydada's First United Methodist Church, November 12. Everyone is excited-especially the boys and girls about the activities and bountiful turkey dinner. The festival is from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The good news to homosexuals is that there is repentance, forgiveness and a new life in Jesus Christ the Son of God. I would be eager to visit with you about that if you will contact me. (Please see 1 Corinthians 6:ll.)

I urge all voters to vote "Yes" to Proposition 2, which is a vote in favor of traditional marriage. Paid advertisement Sincerely, Francis Montandon, IV, Lockney, Texas

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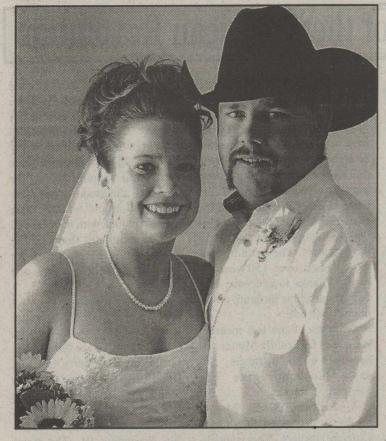
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On Sat., November 12th. Take Out Orders, please call before 10:00 a.m. Tickets will be sold at the door. Page 4-The Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon-Thursday, November 3, 2005



MR. AND MRS. TALON CRUSE

DuBois and Cruse wed

Christie DuBois and Talon DuBois of Jewett. Cruse were united in Holy Matrimony, Saturday October 8, 2005. The groom's brother, Brand Cruse, officiated the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Craig and Gail DuBois of Floydada. She is the granddaughter of Curtis and the late Catherine Poteet of Floydada and Bill and Wanda DuBois and Wanda

The groom is the son of Donnie and Judy Cruse of Flomot. He is the grandson of Mary Pitts of Lovington, New Mexico and Tommie Jo Cruse of Flomot and the great grandson of

Dona Browning of Rising Star. The attendants were friends of the couple, Amber Womack Robbins of Tulia and Skeeter Smith of Floydada.



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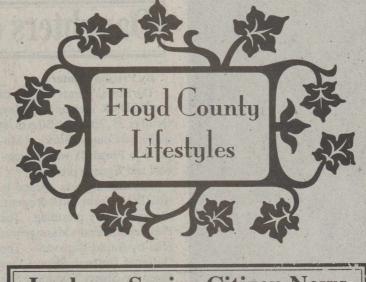
Big brothers Tyler and Landon Kidd are proud to announce the arrival of their new baby sister, Brailey Gail Kidd.

She was born 9:37 a.m. Thursday, October 27, 2005 at Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock. She weighed 8 pounds long Parents are Phillip and Lana Kidd of Lockney.

5 ounces and was 21 1/2 inches

Linda Kidd of Lockney and Nell Henley of Lubbock.

Great-grandfather is Clyde Baxter of Lockney.



Lockney Senior Citizen News

By Vera Jo Bybee

Well I did it. My new knee is now a week old. You have quite a bit of pain with this surgery and the follow up therapy. So much in fact that the doctor gives you pain medicine. I haven't taken any pain medicine in a long time so every time I took a pain pill I was so nauseous that I threw up all week. It has been bad but yesterday we changed the pain rx so now I feel some better. Maybe when I write the article next week I will be almost well.

The Lockney graduating classes of 1935 and 1936 met recently at the Cotton Patch Restaurant in Plainview for their 69th and 70th reunion.

Those present from the class of 1935 were Leighton Maggard, Delbur Rose, Thelma Williams, and Ruby Harris Wofford all of Plainview. Vada Shaddix Morrison of Clarendon, Oleta Thornton Smith of Dumas, Meda Ruth Thomas Watts, of Floydada, and Almeda Workman Phillips, of Lockney.

Those present from the class of 1936 were Hall Nall and Anna Dell Wharton Quebe, from Plainview, Catherine Davis Smith of Hale Center and Walter Reves, of Lockney.

Two cousins visited me today. They were Callie Holmes Jackson of Columbus, North Carolina, and Linda Roberson of Floydada. They had been to Lockney's cemetery and ate at the Grandparents are Roy and Senior Citizens. Then went shopping at Heart's Desire.

Callie told me all about the get together that family and friends had for her her at the Massie Center Saturday Oct 28th. Over 45 attended to make the day a great one

Callie and I are the same age.

born in Nov, 1930. She married Troy Jackson and moved to North Carolina. Troy passed away July 31 this year. After seeing pictures of Callie's home and the country around which she lives I can see why she won't move back to Texas. It is so beautiful there. Also all of her five children and their families live there.

Callie will go to Amarillo to visit her sister Johnnie tomorrow and fly home from there. We are all looking forward to Callie's next visit to Texas.

Charlotte Brock, secretary to the Lockney High School Principle, received a call from a George Baca of Amarillo. George and a friend Jim Rainey find things with their geiger counters. They told Charlotte they had found a 1983 Lockney class ring with the initials RDH and the name Robin in it.

Charlotte contacted Robin Delise Hardy Daniels' grandmother Edith Cooper. Edith called Robin out in Arkansas and ask if she had lost her ring? She said Yes when she was a student at West Texas College in Canyon 1984. Now Robin will have her ring back after all these years.

Last week when I was in the hospital a dear friend of mine passed away.

Arvie Lloyd Newton died Thursday Oct 27. His services were held Saturday Oct 9. at the First Baptist Church. He is buried in the Lockney Cemetery. Arvie will surely be missed by all.

Menu for Nov 7-11 Monday: Chicken Strips Tuesday: Salmon Pattie Wed: Chicken Fried Steak Thursday: Meat Loaf Friday:Pork Chops

Money can buy a fine dog, but only kindness can make him wag



FLOYDADA REHAB BIRTHDAYS-(I-r) Amalia Ortiz and Larry Murrell both had birthdays this month at the Floydada Rehab & Care Center. (see related story) **Staff Photo**

Floydada Rehab and Care Center Birthday Party

Bailey family holds Reunion

By Joyce Williams

Octoberfest celebration was reflected in the refreshments served at the Floydada Rehab and Care Center Birthday Party Thursday, October 20 at 3:30

German chocolate cake and fruit punch was served to honorees, Amalia Ortez, whose birthday was the 24th, and new resident Larry Murrell on October 3. Mrs. Amanda Hinsley pre-

sented birthday gifts from City Park Church of Christ. The Center was beautifully decorated with pumpkins and fall foliage. Cathy's Florist presented a corsage and boutonniere to the honorees. A group picture was taken by the Hesperian-Beacon photographer.

Visitors are invited to attend the next party on the third Thursday of each month at 3:30 p.m.

The grandchildren of William Maston (Bill) Bailey and Viola Crawford Bailey held their fifth reunion at Lubbock, Texas October 8, 2005.

The Bailey's were married September 2, 1906 in Lamar County, Texas. Their three children William -Maston, Jr. (Willie), Mary Addie Bailey Cheshir and Gussie Lucille Bailey Pierce, are deceased.

The Bailey/Crawford cousins enjoyed viewing family photos and genealogy on the Bailey/ Crawford family. Photos of the newest granddaughter of Leo and Wanda Wallace, Cleo Maeve Wallace born January 21, 2005 was shown and photos of the first great-grandchild of Freda and Bobby Cooper's great-grandson, Kade Ian Poke, born September 21, 2005.

Games were played and lots of family stories exchanged. Gospel music wa sung by cousins as Wynnell Jones accompanied them on her Key Board.

Those attending the reunion were: Wynnell and Keith Jones of Deerfield, Kansas; Shirley and Pat Albers of Deerfield, Kansas; Richard and Veleta Bailey of Copperas Cove; Freda and Bobby Cooper of San Angelo; Wanda and Leo Wallace of Plainview; LaVern Cox of Lubbock; Steve Cox of Lubbock great-grandson of the Bailey's; and Laddie and Toy Pierce of Cut and Shoot, Texas.





She was born in Oct. and I was his tail

Floydada Senior ens ews 2

By Margarette Word

Friday, November 11, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. the Center will have a nurse at the Center to give you a flu shot. The Genter is located at 301 East Georgia. Please bring your Medicare Card. If you are not on Medicare, there will be a charge.

Friday, November 4, 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Saturday, November 5, 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. a Safety Driving Course will be taught by AARP representatives. The course is two days and the cost is \$10.00 per person. We need at least 15 people to attend or they will not come to teach

the course. Please call the Center 983-2032 for reservations. It does help to lower your insurance premium over a 3 year period. We have 9 people already signed

Jo Payne's first cousin, Juanita Beckett of Covington, Tennessee ate lunch at the Center on October 25. Jo and Juanita had attended a family wedding in Dallas and Juanita came home to spend a few days with Jo.

Sunday evening, October 30, Ila White was given a surprise 90th birthday party in the home of Donnell and Wilma Gowens. Everyone who attended brought

a covered dish and we had lots of good food to eat. Friends attending were Marie Warren, Frieda Simpson, Bill and Ardis Daniel, Bob and Charlene Alldredge, Joe and Jean Appling, Harold and Laurita Bertrand, J.R. and Wanda Turner, Roy and Neva Baxter, Margarette Word and hosts, Donnell and Wilma Gowen.

Our sympathy to the family of Ruthie Warren.

Thought for the week - Tact is the ability to make a point without making an enemy.

Menu

November 7 - November 11 Monday-Chicken fried steak, baked potato, green beans, white "

gravy, wheat roll, apricots Tuesday-Pork chop, augratin potatoes, carrots and zucchini, wheat roll, white cake, fruit cocktail

Wednesday-Meat balls with sauce, broccoli, wheat roll, strawberry or peach shortcake

Thursday-Roast turkey, gravy, cornbread dressing, green beans, wheat roll, grapefruit or orange sections, pumpkin pie or crunch Friday-Chicken pot pie, tossed salad/Ranch, cornbread or roll, purple plums, cookies

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By Carolyn Hardy

Visitors to the Floyd County Historical Museum within the last two weeks have been from the countries of England and Saudi Arabia, the states of Oregon, Illinois, Georgia, New Mexico and North Carolina. Out of county visitors from Texas were from Magnolia, Silverton, El Paso, Lubbock, Hale Center, Rocksdale and Matador.

The children of John and Eula Hampton Holmes had a reunion in Floydada, Saturday, October 29. Their daughter, Callie Holmes Jackson, visited the Museum last Friday with her cousin Linda Crader. Glen Cannon, a grandson, and his wife Linda, from Magnolia, Texas, near Houston, also came in Fri-.

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day. John Holmes and Eula Hampton were married 02 June 1927 in Floyd County. They raised their family, Alma Lou, Johnnie, Callie, Son and Betty, in the Irick community Southwest of Lockney.

Bill and Mary Louise McCarter brought Dewanda Bennett Blenden's scrapbooks to the Museum last week. Dewanda was a devoted historian for Lockney and surrounding communi-

ties. She loved her classmates who attended school with her at Lockney and tied to keep in touch with all of them. The scrapbooks are on the shelves for those who want to look at them.

Thomas Musser is keeping the maps updated showing the location of drilling rigs, permits issued and present producing wells. These are available for purchase at the Museum. Thomas also provides the Museum with the latest news from the different companies involved in the

exploration of oil and gas in the Palo Duro Basin. Lookups in the Mary Lou Bollman History and Genealogy

Center were for the family names of Farris, Rogers, Fitzgerald, Continued on p. 7





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Tulia defeats Floydada to earn postgame berth

By Bill Gray

Floydada's fading hopes for a playoff spot in 2005 were put to rest on the first play from scrimmage at Tulia's Younger Field last Friday night. It could be said that it was a "frightful" night, with the Halloween goblins coming early for the Whirlwinds in the form of a swarm of Tulia Hornets. The Whirlwinds had aspirations of turning around their disappointing season with at least a 9-point win over Tulia, which would have given them an opportunity for the playoffs. However, the determined Hornets were too much as they captured their second postseason appearance in as many years with the 32-7 victory over the injuryplagued Whirlwinds.

Tulia joins Lockney and Friona in the Class 2A state playoffs. A Lockney victory over Friona tomorrow night at Mitchell-Zimmerman Field, coupled with a Tulia win at Olton, will throw the district race into a tri-championship among the playoff teams. A Cheiftain victory at Lockney will give Friona an outright district title. Tulia will be the Division I (big school) representative in the playoffs.

Following a 22-yard return of the opening kickoff by Tulia's Kamron Lingor, Kevin Burrow handoff faked a to Lingor and raced 63 yards up the middle for a touchdown -barely 23 seconds into the game. The senior quarterback had a big night, rushing 15 times for 143 yards and a couple of scores and passing for 101 yards and two touchdowns. After an exchange of punts, the Hornets again struck from long range. On second down from the Floydada 45yard line, Burrow make the same fake to Lingor and ran the distance for his second score of the opening quarter.

The Whirlwinds' only score came three minutes into the second quarter on an 11-yard toss from Payte Beedy to Jacob Reddy. Brandon Rainwater connected on his only extra-point attempt of the game. The Whirlwind defense gave up its third rushing touchdown of the first half when Lingor capped an 11play, 63-yard drive with a 20yard scamper in the final three minutes of the second period.

Floydada managed to shut down the Hornet running game in the second half, but Burrow found success with his arm. He connected on a third-quarter, 19yard touchdown aerial to Tim Tolentino. Tulia opened the final period with Tolentino's interception of a Payte Beedy pass. On the next play, Burrow put the game out of reach with a 45yard scoring bomb to Chris Hopper. The Whirlwinds kept the Hornet ground game under control during the second half, and Jacob Reddy's booming punts were a big factor in the battle for field position. Reddy's 64-yarder, late in the fourth periodl was his longest punt of the year. He punted five times in the game for an average of almost 48 yards-

per-attempt. Floydada will host Dimmitt tomorrow night in the season finale. The Bobcats are winless in district action and have won only once overall. The Whirlwinds have suffered a number of injuries this year, with several key players having to miss action the past couple of weeks. Lance Terrell's hand injury ended his season early and Jason Nutt may still be out of the lineup this week. Blake Greer may be able to return to action, and Taylor Beedy is still a "day-to-day" question mark as to his being able to play. Tomorrow is also "Senior Night," a very special night of recognition for those who have meant so much to this program most for as long as six years.

Individual Statistics:

Rushing - Jacob Reddy 15-47, Aarhon Flores 8-26, Payte Beedy 15-25, Paul Marmolejo 6-

Passing - Payte Beedy 6-12-1, 74 yds., 1 TD.

Receiving - Jacob Reddy 3-39, 1 TD, Aarhon Flores 1-14, Titus Miller 1-11, Dustin Ochoa 1 - 10

Leading Tacklers - Jacob Reddy 8, 2 assists; Tate Jones 7, 2 assists; Rudy Luna 5, 1 assist.

Floydada Team Stats Tulia 6-of-13 3rd Down Conv. 2-of-11 4th Down Conv. 2-of-2 0-of-1 1st Downs 12 12 44-118 Rushes-Yds 31-240 Passing Yds 101 Total Yds 341 192 Comp-Att-Inc 6-10-0 6-12-1 5-47.8 Punts-Average 4-38.5 Penalties-Yds 4-35 8-64

3-1

70

Remember to vote

Tuesday

November 8

Floydada School Menu

juice, milk

fruit, milk

Lunch-Chicken nuggets,

mashed potatoes with gravy,

green beans, hot roll, Jello with

Thursday

Breakfast-Oatmeal and cinna-

mon toast or cereal and graham

Lunch-Spaghetti with meat

sauce, tossed salad, corn, garlic

Friday

Breakfast-Breakfast burrito or

bread, frozen fruit bar, milk

crackers, juice, milk

29:19



FLOYDADA WHIRLWINDS 2005 VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM- (front row, l-r) Asst. Coaches Daniel Johnston and Zach Logan, Robert Foster, Chris Briones, Dustin Ochoa, Aarrhon Flores, Rudy Luna, Lance Terrell, Raymond Gutierrez, Seth Cypert, Paul Marmolejo, Chris Hayter, Lionel Garza, Abran Enriquez, Asst. Coaches Coby Emery and Blake Hurst; (back row, I-r) Asst. Coaches Desmond Ayala and Chris Brattain, Titus Miller, Blake Greer, Ruben Ortiz, Tyler Chesshir, T.J. Collins, Payte Beedy, Eric Rainwater, Jacob Reddy, Clay Ware, Brandon Rainwater, Jason Nutt, Tate Jones, Taylor Beedy, Head Coach Lee Hurt, Asst. Coach Freddie Tobias. Photo by Cory Sinklier Photography

Vasquez, Cannon & Tye win football contest

Winners in our weekly football contest were Lucio Vasquez, Sheree Cannon and Beth Tye.

All three winners missed 6 games this week. The first tiebreaker game between Floydada and Tulia was used to determine first place. Tulia won that game with a final total score of 39.

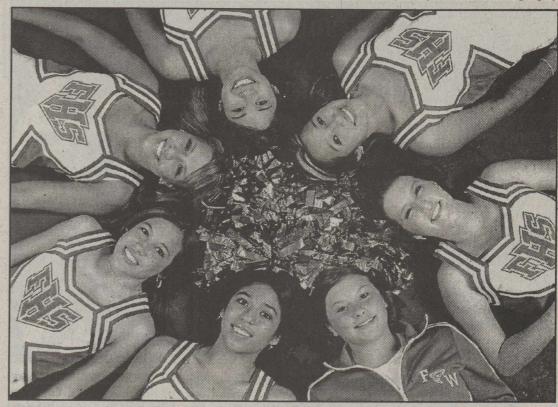
Lucio Vasquez, of Floydada chose Tulia to win by a total score of 48 (9 points off) and he will be receiving the first place check of \$25 for the second week in a row

Sheree Cannon and Beth Tye, both of Floydada, chose Floydada to win over Tulia. So the second tie-breaker game between Lockney and Dimmitt was used. Lockney won that game with a final total score of 42.

Cannon chose Lockney to win by a total score of 50 (8 points off) while Tye also chose Lockney to win with a total score of 30 (12 points off). Cannon will receive the second place check of \$15 and Tye will receive the third place check of \$10.

the entries that missed 7 games. They were: Jane Pruitt, Franklin Harris, Glenn Bailey and Max Yeary, all of Floydada, Paul Koen of Amarillo and Keith Marricle, of Muncy. We had 48 entries this week

Keep up the good work! Be



FLOYDADA WHIRLWINDS 2005 VARSITY CHEERLEADERS- (top, 1-r) Brittnee Brotherton, Kim Garza, Mary Medrano (bottom, I-r) Head Cheerleader, Jesalyn Bradley, Tania Pesina, Mascot Krystan Muse, Stacy Griggs. Photo by Cory Sinklier Photography

WHIRLWIND BOOSTER CLUB

The Whirlwind Booster Club will hold their regular business meeting on November 7th at 7:00 Honorable Mention goes to p.m. at the fieldhouse. The game film will be viewed immediately following the meeting.

All parents and Whirlwind fans are encouraged to attend.

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The Hornets took a 19-7 lead into the locker room at the intermission.

November 7 - November 11

Monday

Breakfast-Cheese pizza or ce-

real and graham crackers, juice,

Lunch-Submarine sandwich,

sliced turkey and cheese, pickle

Tuesday

Breakfast-Sausage/biscuit or

cereal and graham crackers,

Lunch-Nachos with meat, pinto

beans, lettuce and tomatoes, as-

spears, salad, fruit, milk

milk

juice, milk

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sure and mark all the winners in each game and please put your address at the bottom of the entry form.

will be having a Fajita Supper on Sunday, November 6th from 12:00 Noon to 2:00 p.m. at the

Massie Activity Center.

Duncan Elementary Book Fair Oct. 31 - Nov. 4 **Room #107** (Mon. - Thurs.) 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. (Fri.) - 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Floydada Band Boosters Fajita Lunch Sunday, Nov. 6th 12:00 - 2:00 p.m. **Massie Activity Center** \$6.00 Plate 2 Beef Fajita Tacos Rice, Beans, Salad Drink & Dessert

cereal and graham crackers, sorted fruit, milk juice, milk Wednesday Lunch-BBQ on a bun, French Breakfast-Pancakes with syrup fries, pickle spears, brownie, or cereal and graham crackers, milk Ranhandle-F Federal LAND BANK Association

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District Cross Country Champions 3 years in a row

By Coach Prather

The Whirlwind boys cross country team competed in the District Meet held at the Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock on October 25, 2005. The varsity team brought home the district trophy as they captured first place.

GOOD JOB! The boys ran well at the District Meet in Lubbock! I can't say enough about their dedication and their hard work. I am very proud of the way they ran.

For Tony, Chris and Nick, it was the third time they have been a part of a District Championship Team. It will be four years in a row that Tony and Chris have competed at the Regional Cross Country Meet. Congratulations

to them!

We not look forward to the Regional Meet on November 5th in Lubbock. The girls will run at 1:00 p.m. and the boys at 1:30 p.m.

District varsity track results are as follows:

Tony Perez - 1st place - 18:05; Nick Espinoza - 2nd place -18:29; Chris Reyes - 3rd place -18:32; Raymond Everett - 4th place - 18:35; Ruben Ortiz - 10th place - 19:23; Abel Cortinas -17th place - 20:18; Robert Beuning - 24th place - 20:57.

District junior varsity track results are as follows:

Gabriel Mendoza - 1st place -20:29; Mauro Ortiz - 2nd place -21:13.



FLOYDADA BOYS VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONS AT DISTRICT-(back row, l-r) Abel Cortinas, Robert Beuning, Raymond Everett, Ruben Ortiz, Justin Duran, Nick Espinosa, James Espinosa; (front row, l-r) Mauro Ortiz (JV), Chris Reyes, Coach Prather, Tony Perez, Gabriel Mendoza (JV). The team will run at the Regional Meet at Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock Saturday, November 5, at 1:30 p.m. **Photo Courtesy of Whirlwind Booster Club**



FLOYDADA GIRLS VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY PLACE 3RD AT DISTRICT-(back row, I-r) Keyla Pesina (JV), Jackie Gutierrez (JV), Jennifer Leatherman, Jackee Wickware, Coach Watson; (second row, I-r) Crystal Alvarez, Marlene Carmona, Morgan Norrell, Blanca Garza; (front) LaToya Glenn. The team will run at the Regional Meet at Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock, Saturday, November 5, at 1:00 p.m. **Photo Courtesy of Whirlwind Booster Club**

Floydada Varsity Girls Cross Country Team captures Third Place at District Meet in Lubbock last Saturday

By Coach Angie Watson The Floydada High School girls cross country team competed in the District Meet held at Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock on October 25, 2005.

It looks like we have another week to enjoy cross country! I am very proud of these girls. Marlen Carmona and Morgan Norrell ran their best times of the season and Jackee Wickware had one of the best and most exciting finishes I have ever seen.

Despite one of our top runners suffering a severely sprained ankle, Blanca Garza, the girls stepped up as a team and finished in the top three. This competition was extremely close. Friona came in 1st place with 53 points and Olton finished 2nd with 65 points. We tied with Tulia, both



our 6th runner, Blanca Garza, broke the tie for 3rd place.

I am very proud of the JV girls for their strong finish. Everyone on the bus came home with a medal.

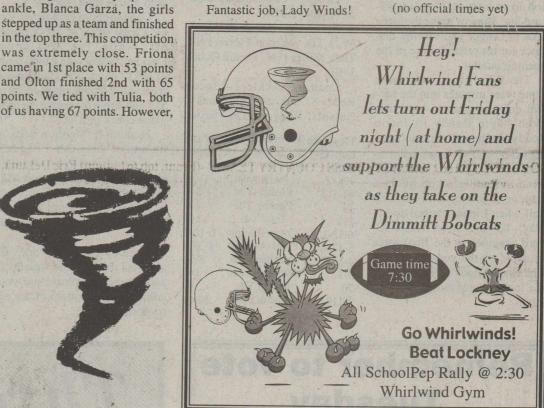
We will be competing at the Regional Meet held at the Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock on Saturday, November 5th at 1:00 p.m. Our goal for the regional meet is to make a strong appearance with the best runners in the state, so we will continue to work hard in practice and get our best times of the season.

Varsity:

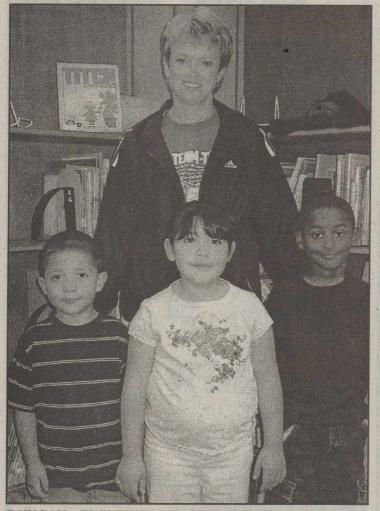
Marlen Carmona, 4th place, 13:32 (medal); Morgan Norrell, 5th place, 13:33 (medal); Jackee Wickware, 15th place, 15:03; Jennifer Leatherman, 20th place, 15:17; Crystal Alvarez, 26th place, 16:02; Blanca Garza, 27th place, 16:46; LaToya Glenn, 28th place, 17:50;

Overall 3rd place Team (advancing to regional meet) JV:

Jackie Gutierrez, 1st place (medal); Keyla Pesina, 2nd place (medal);



FHS TONY PEREZ WON 1ST PLACE AT DISTRICT **CROSS COUNTRY MEET**



DUNCAN ELEMENTARY STUDENT/EDUCATOR OF WEEK-(front, I-r) Kevin Salazar (EE), Chassidy Sanchez (1st Grade), Dorian Anderson (kindergarten), and Valarie Perez (not pictured, 2nd grade); (back row, I-r) Regenia Smith (PE teacher). **Courtesy Photo**

BOARD RESOLUTION

Resolution of the Board of Directors Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc Floydada, Texas

> September 22, 2005 October 27, 2005

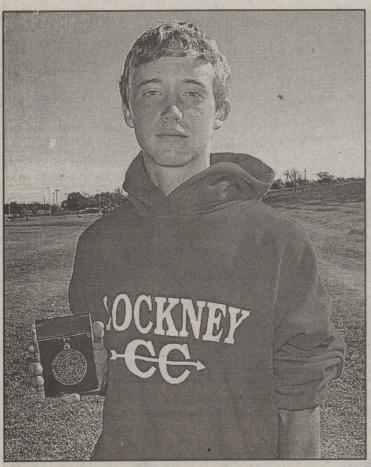
Unanimously Resolved, That the Board of Directors of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc. Expresses Its Deep Appreciation to the Employees of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc., for Their Tireless Efforts in Helping Restore Power for Our Neighbors The Electric Cooperatives of Louisiana and East Texas Following the Devastation Caused by Hurricanes Katrina and Rita, and

The Board of Directors of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc., Recognizes the Extraordinary Service of Those Employees Who Volunteered to Travel to Louisiana, and East Texas, Endure Hardships and Work Under Primitive Conditions, to Help People in Need, and,

The Board of Directors of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc., also Recognizes and Expresses Their Appreciation to Those Employees Who Voluntarily Stepped Up to Not Only Perform Their Own Jobs, but Also Cover for Those Employees Who Were In Louisiana or in East Texas at the Time, in Order to Carry On the Local Work of the Cooperative, and

Furthermore, the Board of Directors of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc. also Recognizes That While Hurricanes Katrina and Rita Brought Catastrophic Disaster to the People of Southern Louisiana and East Texas, It Also Brought Out the Best in Those Who Answered the Call for Help. Their Care and Compassion for Their Fellow Americans, And their Contributions Above and Beyond the Call to Duty, Whether in Louisiana, East Texas or at Home, Will Long Be Remembered and Appreciated by this Board and the Grateful People of Louisiana and East Texas.

Louis Lloyd, President



ZACH MONTANDON, a sophomore at Lockney High School, competed in the Cross Country District Meet, October 25, in Lubbock at Mae Simmons Park, and placed 9th with a time of 19:16.00, which qualified him to advance to Regional competition. Zach is the son of Francis and Debbie Montandon.

Photo by Yadira Guerrero of the LHS Yearbook Staff.

Montandon going to regional

The Lockney High School varsity boys and girls cross country competed in the District meet held in Lubbock at Mae Simmons Park on October 25, 2005. The length for the girl's course was 2 miles. The boy's course was 3 miles.

These athletes did a super job.11th place (girls) Paula Alvarez 14:46.00;

9th place (boys) Zach Montandon 19:16.00 (Advanced to Regionals); 11th place (boys) Jonathan Suarez 19:32.00;

15th place (boys) Timothy Padilla 20:14.00; 27th place (boys) James Mercado 21:12.00.

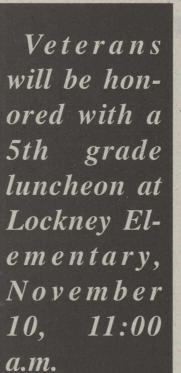
We are so proud of each athlete in Junior High and High School for a dedicated attitude to give it their best and represent Lockney so well.

Paula Alvarez is the daughter of Rita Naranjo. Zach Montandon is the son of Francis & Debbie Montandon. Jonathan Suarez is the son of Manuel Suarez and Mary Suarez. Timothy Padilla is the son of Melissa Castro. James Mercado is the son of Hector and Marta Mercado



LOCKNEY JVAND VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY TEAMS--(Front, top to bottom) Eric DeLuna, Timothy Padilla, Kimberly Jimenez, Margarita Valles, Paula Alvarado, Devin Caballero, Mercedes Aday; (back, top to bottom) Jonathan Suarez, Zachary Montandon, and James Mercado. Photo by Hall Photography

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Reyna completes basic training

Marine Corps Reserve Pvt. Edward G. Reyna, son of Maggie and Gilbert Reyna of Lockney, Texas, recently completed 12 weeks of basic training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, Calif. designed to challenge new Marine recruits both physically and mentally.

Reyna and fellow recruits began their training at 5 a. m., by running three miles and performing calisthenics. In addition to the physical conditioning program, Reyna spent numerous hours in classroom and field assignments which included learning first aid, uniform regulations, combat water survival, marksmanship, hand-to-hand combat and assorted weapons training. They performed close order drill and operated as a small infantry unit during field training. Reyna and other recruits also

Reyna and other recruits also received instruction on the Marine Corps' core values--honor, courage and commitment, and what the core values mean in guiding personal and professional conduct.

Reyna and fellow recruits ended the training phase with The Crucible, a 54-hour, team evolution culminating in an emotional ceremony in which recruits are presented the Marine Corps Emblem, and addressed as "Marines" for the first time in their careers.

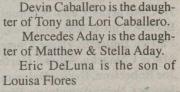


DEVIN CABALLERO, of Lockney's JV Cross Country Team placed 1st at the District Meet, in Friona, October 18, with a time of 14:48.96.

Photo by Hall Photography

Caballero placed 1st

The Lockney Junior High boys and girls cross country athletes competed in the District Meet held in Friona on October 18, 2005. The length of the course was 2 miles + 100 yards. The results were 1st Place(girls) Devin Caballero with a time of 14:48.96 (Medal); 28th (girls) Mercedes Aday with a time of 18:00.31; 5th Place (boys) Eric DeLuna with a time of 14:43.15 (Medal).





The Lockney Youth Activity Center is in need of Garage Sale items for a future fund-raising effort. If you have items you would be willing to donate please contact the Youth Center at 652-2550

To keep up with what is going on at the Lockney Youth Center you can now log on to our website at:



ST JUDE'S BIKE-A-THON--On Saturday, October 15th a St. Jude's bike-a-thon was held in Lockney to raise money for St. Jude's Research Hospital in Memphis, Tennessee. Those that participated in the bike-a-thon were Noah Ramos, Karmichael Ramos, Jonathan Sustaita, Quinn Jackson, Ricky Segovia, Amber Segovia, JW Jackson, and SyAnn Foster. Quinn Jackson raised a total of \$133.01 and rode 15 miles. There were a total of 63 miles ridden by all the participants and \$202.01 raised for St. Jude's. Senee', Segayle and SyAnn Foster were the coordinators of the event, and they would like to thank all of the participants for their hard work. Courtesy Photo



LOCKNEY'S LITTLE LONGHORNS for the week of October 31, 2005---(back, l to r) Christian Basaga, Tyler Crutchfield, Collin Fulton, Bobby Nunez, Victoria Hernandez, Joel Dolloff, Jake Bramlet, (middle, l to r) Susie Salas, Dixie Williams, Brandon Crutchfield, Brittany Jimenez, Stetson Lane, Mark Salas, (front, l to r) Avery Poole, Jasmine Pena, Pricilla Casarez, Mena Filomen and Nathaniel Castillo. Staff Photo



DISTRICT TRACK MEET at Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock, October 25.

Photo by Yadira Guerrero LHS Yearbook Staff

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Heavenly Father,

Teach us, good Lord, to serve You as You deserve; To give and not to count the cost, To fight and not to heed the wounds, To toil and not to seek for rest, To labor and not to ask for any reward Save that of knowing that we do Your will. AMEN

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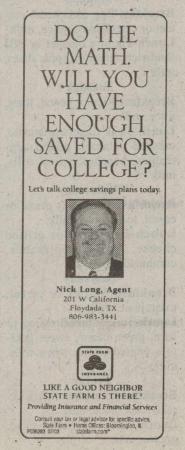
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Baxter and Brotherton. Anyone with Floyd County Connections is encouraged to share information about their families. The "Family Files" continue to grow daily as new information is added. You don't know who might be in the Museum next week or next year searching for information on your family.

Recent memorials to the Museum were given in memory of: Charles E. "Chuck" Holmes and Kathryn Barton King.



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Lockney rolls over Dimmitt 42-0

By: Brannon Rodgers

The Lockney Longhorns improved to 5 - 4 overall and 3 - 1in District play with a 42 - 0 and efficiently put the game out thumping of the Dimmitt Bob- of reach with 21 first quarter cats. The Longhorns clinched a points. Dimmitt received the 37 yard run up the middle with playoff spot with the victory.

Tulia, Lockney, and Friona will be the District 6-2A representatives in the State Playoffs. Tulia is the large school representative with the largest enrollment. Lockney and Friona will battle for small school seeding on the field tomorrow night at Mitchell - Zimmerman Stadium.

looking to complete the sweep for a District Championship with \cdot the score to 14-0. Vasquez took a win over Lockney. If Lockney and Tulia win, there will be a three-way tie for the District Lockney's next possession as Championship with all three teams at 4 - 1.

The Longhorns traveled to

Dimmitt this past week in order thing going on offense. They finto take care of business against the Bobcats. The Horns quickly opening kickoff. Rion Aufill forced a fumble that was recovered by Jason Mondragon on the third play from scrimmage. Lockney's Wes Davis quickly scored after only three snaps to give the Horns a 7-0 advantage.

Dimmitt's next play was another fumble that was recovered by Dahlen McCarter. John Friona is 4 – 0 in District and Vasquez hit paydirt with a 25 yard touchdown run increasing advantage of his limited time with a 53 yard touchdown run on well. The Horns were up 21 - 0at the end of the first quarter.

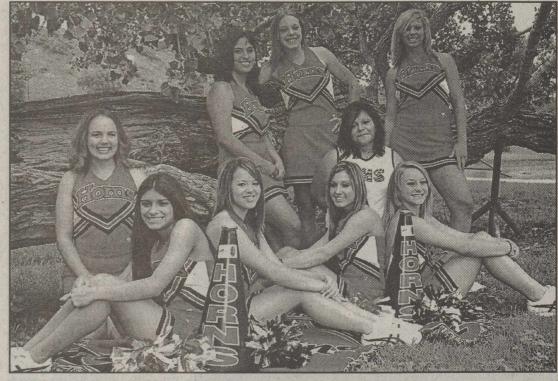
Dimmitt never really got any-

ished the night with only 108 rushing yards and 21 passing yards.

Dahlen McCarter scored on a 8:17 remaining before half pushing the score to 28 - 0. Dimmitt and Lockney traded punts on their next two possessions.

To open the second half, Vasquez reeled off two more twenty yard runs. He finished the night with 160 yards on 13 carries. A 19 yard run by Brandon Hall capped the drive. Lockney was up 35 - 0 with 7:27 to go in the third quarter. A Dimmitt punt set up another Lockney possession. This time Brandon Hall ran for 79 yards to reach the endzone. Lockney led 42 - 0 to end the third quarter.

The fourth quarter came and went with the blink of an eye.



LOCKNEY HIGH SCHOOL CHEERLEADERS--(back, standing, l-r) Amanda Vasquez, Jamie Butler, Jordan Sherman; (kneeling, l-r) Tanya Saul, Janie Martinez; (front row, l-r) Desiree DeLeon, Kayla Thomas, Heather Brock, and Caitlann Wiley. **Photo by Hall Photography**



LOCKNEY JV--(Back row, I-r) Coach Rodgers, Esteban Guerra, D.J. Hernandez, Ruben Pesina, Jr. Contraeras, Caleb Schumacher, Brett Johnson, Tanner Morris, Christopher Castorena, Alston Becker, Tim House, and Coach Young; (middle row, I-r) Anthony Nunez, Karmichael Ramos, Patrick Doucette, Oscar Flores, Andrew Bernal, Zach Gonzalez, Will Foster, Jonathan Coleman, Marie Camacho, Adrian Cortez, Kyler Ellison, Asa Cole, Coach Schumacher; (front, l-r) Coach Joe Robertson, Derick DeLeon, Augustin Ascencio, Travis Wilburn, Lucas Hall, J.P. Hrbacek, Juan Jiminez, Nolan Armstrong, Dimitri Cortez, Martin Melendrez, Daryn McCarter, and Coach Heard.

Photo by Hall Photography

score 24-0.

Go Longhorns

8th Grade Shorthorn Football

The Shorthorns stampeded into Dimmitt and corralled the Bobcats 40-0.

The Horns fumbled on their first position, but the defense got ision. The Horn defense stiffened the ball back a few plays later. On the next position the Horns marched down the field behind Walker Kemp and Dillion English. Jacob Luna plunged into The Horns moved into scoring end zone from 10 yards out. Brent Zambrano followed with 2 pts. Making the score 8-0.

fumble on the kickoff. Three version was good making the

plays later Angel Cortez hooked up with Ellison on a 30 yard touchdown pass. Luna made the scored 16-0 with the 2pt. converwith great effort from Hugo Martinez, Steven Gonzales, and Billy Lee, who helped cause a fumble that Kemp recovered. position with runs from Louie Peralez and Matthew Dunagan. Later Cortez scored from a great block by Josh Silva, Cody Patton, Konner Ellison recovered a and Sid Prather. The 2pt. con-

The first half ended with the score 32-0. Both teams held each other scoreless in the 3rd quarter with a stingy effort from Oscar Gonzales and the rest of the Shorthorn defense. Dimmitt wanted to go to the air, but Joe Perez and Matthew Rendon broke up several pass plays.

Ellison opened up the 4th quarter with a 40 yard touchdown run which left the score 40-0. The Shorthorns will wrap up district next Thursday at home versus Friona at 6:30.



LOCKNEY JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS -- (I-r) Malory Johnson, Devin Caballero, Kami Photo by Hall Photography Hunt, Catey Davis, Bethany Wilson, and Tessa Saul.





The Halls



November 7 - November 11 Monday Breakfast-Egg and cheese omelet or cereal, toast, juice, milk Lunch-Pig in a blanket or PBJ sandwich, tater tots, apple slices, milk

Tuesday

Breakfast-Rice or cereal, toast, juice, milk

Lunch-Steak fingers or burrito, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, peaches, wheat rolls, milk

Wednesday Breakfast-Breakfast pizza or cereal, toast, juice, milk Lunch-Beef stew or grilled cheese, rosie applesauce, cornbread, milk

Thursday Breakfast-Waffles or cereal, toast, juice, milk Lunch-Turkey and dressing or ham, green beans, sweet potatoes, fruited gelatin, wheat rolls, milk

Friday Breakfast-Cinnamon roll or cereal, toast, juice, milk Lunch-Pizza or corndog, salad, grapes, milk

Longhorn Fans Let's turn out at home Friday night to watch the Longhoms scalp the Friona Chieftans



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LOCKNEY ATHLETIC **BOOSTER CLUB** The Lockney Athletic Booster Club will meet on Monday, November 7th at 7:00 p.m. There will be a supper at 6:30.



LOCKNEY BAND BOOSTERS The Lockney Band Boosters will be meeting on Tuesday, November 8th at 6:15 p.m., in the Band Hall.

Congratulations **Zach Montandon**



Regional Qualifier

Lockney Athletic Booster Club

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CHEYANN POWELL brought home two Best of Show awards from the 2005 South Plains Fair in Lubbock along with several other ribbons for her entries. Purple Rosettes and blue ribbons were awarded for her wind suit and canned peaches. She received 1st place ribbons for her T-shirt, pot holders, and canned jalapeno peppers. A second place ribbon was received for her brownies. Third place ribbons were presented for her canned tomatoes, and German chocolate cake. Honorable mention ribbons were garnered by her hot sauce, green beans, and black eyed peas. Cheyann is the daughter of Dale and D'Lee Powell of Lockney. She is a member of the Lockney 4-H club and attends school at Plainview Christian Academy.

Photo by D'Lee Powell

Emergency Farm Loan applications being accepted

Applications for emergency farm loans for losses caused by excessive rain, flash flooding, hail, high winds, lightning, tornadoes that occurred on May 12, 2005 and May 13, 2005; for excessive rain, flooding, hail, high winds, lightning and tornadoes that occurred on June 9, 2005; excessive rain, flash flooding, flooding, hail, high winds, lightning and tornadoes that occurred on June 9, 2005 through June 10, 2005 are being accepted at the Farm Service Agency (FSA) in Floydada.

Floyd and/or Crosby Counties has been named as primary and/ or contiguous counties recently named by Secretary of Agriculture Ann Veneman eligible for

"As a general rule, a farmer must have suffered at least a 30 percent loss of production to be eligible for an FSA emergency loan," Rainer said. Farmers participating in the Federal Crop Insurance program will have to figure in proceeds from those programs in determining their

"Applications for loans under this emergency designation will be accepted until March 27, 2006, but farmers should apply as soon as possible. Delays in applying could create backlogs in processing and possibly over into the new farming season," Rainer said.

FSA is a credit agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Hunter Education Course offered in Lockney

By Jerry Edwards Chief of Police, Lockney

The Lockney Police Department will be sponsoring a Hunter Education Class at the Lockney Youth Activity Center, to get those who have not taken the course certified prior to the opening of Pheasant Season.

This course is mandatory for anyone born on or after September 1, 1971. In order to legally hunt in the State of Texas anyone born in that time frame must have in their possession (along with a Texas hunting License) a certificate of completion of a Hunter Education Course. Failure to present both of these documents when checked by a game warden can result in a citation being issued for non compliance of under 12 will have to retake the starting day of the class. Do not the law.

The cost of the course is \$10.00 which is the state mandated minimum. The course will be taught in a

two day time frame. The classes will start on Saturday, November 19, and end Sunday, November 20. Starting time on Saturday will be 8:00 a.m. sharp and go through to 5:00 p.m., with an hour lunch break (on your own). Sunday, November 20, the class will start at 1:00 p.m. and go until approximately 5:30 p.m. Both days are required in order to certify

Anyone may take the course. However, no one under the age of 12 (on the starting day of the course) can be certified. Those

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Unfortunately for growers

Cotton For

course after reaching the age of 12 to certify

This course also meets the requirements of other states that have Hunter Education laws. There are several states that require you to have taken a course no matter what your age before you can hunt in that state.

Preregistration is required. You may preregister by calling the Lockney Police Department (806) 652-3548. Information needed at the time of the call will be: your full name, date of birth, social security number, mailing address, city, state and zip code. If you possess a drivers license or ID card this information is also required and a phone number. our best to start and finish as close The fees will be collected the to on time as possible.

send it in prior to the start of the class. All youth under the age of 17 must have a parent or guardian come with them the starting morning and sign a permission slip for you to take the course and allow you to handle firearms in the class. There is no exception to this rule. You can not handle firearms without the permission slip being signed, and this must be done on Saturday morning at the start of the class.

Please bring a pencil or ink pen to class with you both days. If more information is needed, contact Jerry Edwards at 806-652-3548. We will endeavor to do

By Shawn Wade

Concentrating on consistency, especially in the module construction phase of cotton harvest. operations, is turning out to be one of the key areas for growers and ginners to keep costs down in 2005.

To help spread the word and focus grower attention on the importance of constructing uniformly sized modules, Plains Cotton Growers staff has helped develop and distribute a poster about the importance of uniform module size and encourages growers to construct modules that contain at least 10-12 bales.

The poster was sent to cotton gins throughout the High Plains region. Any gin that has not received a copy of the poster or who would like to obtain additional copies should contact Plains Cotton Growers.

Anyone who would like to download and print their own copies can find the poster on the PCG website (www.plainscotton.org). Just click the link on PCG's Home Page to find both Tabloid (11x7) and Legal (8.5x14) size versions of the poster in Portable Document File (PDF) format. The PDF files can be downloaded and printed out in either color or grayscale.

Following the 2004 ginning season many High Plains ginners realized that while a majority of growers do construct 10-12 bale modules, some consistently produce modules that hold only 8-9

there's not much that can be done to reduce daily fuel consumption rates during harvesting operations. For ginners, the options aren't much better as their ability to achieve savings is also keyed on keeping vehicles and equipment moving as efficiently

as possible.

Constructing and hauling uniformly sized modules that average at least 10-12 bales per load can significantly cut the amount gins have to spend on module. hauling and will also prevent the need for having to charge extra to bring in undersized modules.

To illustrate just how much difference module size can make, an 80,000 bale gin whose customers averaged 11 bales per module would haul approximately 7,250 modules during the course of the ginning season.

If that average dropped to 9 bales per module the gin would increase the number of loads it must transfer by nearly 25 percent to just under 8,900.

It doesn't take a mathematician to see that any gin, regardless of size, whose customers take the time to construct uniform 10-12 bale modules can save a significant amount on their over-



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all ginning costs and that the benefit through a lower overall grower will ultimately see the cost of ginning in 2005. **Pivot Winterization**

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loans to cover part of actual production losses resulting from the above disasters.

Farm Loan Manager, Becky Rainer, said farmers may be eligible for loans of up to 100% of their actual losses or the operating loan needed to continue in the agricultural business, whichever is less. For farmers unable to obtain credit from private commercial lenders, the interest is 3.75 percent.

It is authorized to provide disaster emergency loans to recognized farmers who work at and rely on farming for a substantial part of their living. Eligibility is · extended to individual farmers who are U.S. citizens and to farming partnerships, corporations or cooperatives in which U.S. citizens hold a majority interest.

The FSA office in Floydada is open from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Growers that make undersized 8-9 bale modules require significantly more trips to the field to transport the same amount of cotton to the gin as a producer that averages 10-12 bales per load.

With diesel prices still hovering above \$3 per gallon, cotton producers and their ginners are scrambling to find every possible way to increase efficiency and save money during the 2005 harvest season.



The Lockney Police Department will be holding their annual Hunter Education Course on Saturday, Nov. 19th and Sunday, Nov. 20th. The course will be held at the Lockney Youth Activity Center. The course will be from 8 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. on Saturday and 1 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. on Sunday.

YOU MUST ATTEND BOTH DAYS TO **RECEIVE YOUR CERTIFICATION.** For more information or to pre-register please

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DARLA JEANETTE CROSS

Funeral services for Darla Jeanette Cross, 68, of Plainview were held Friday, September 30, 2005 at the Garland Street Church of Christ. Russell Harris, minister and J.W. Hamby, elder officiated. Burial was in Plainview Memorial Park by Wood-Dunning Funeral Home.

Mrs. Cross died at 11:24 a.m. Wednesday, September 28, 2005 in Covenant Hospital.

She was born Darla Jeanette Allison on August 22, 1937, in Lockney. She graduated from Lockney high School and attended Texas Tech. She moved to Plainview in 1971 and held a real estate license and worked for Sears until retiring in 1990. She then worked for Dr. Richard Morgan. She was an active member of Plainview Band Parents, serving as a past president and a member of Garland Street Church of Christ. On Dec. 10, 1955, she married Marion Cross in Lockney.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, her parents and a sister

Survivors include her husband; three sons, Dr. Ricky Cross and Curtis Cross, both of Plainview, and Patrick Cross of Palm Springs, California; a brother, Donald Allison of Carrollton; and four grandchildren

The family suggests memorials to the Multiple Sclerosis Society.

WILLIE DAVIS, JR.

Graveside services for Willie Davis, Jr., 72, of Matador were held Saturday, October 29, 2005 at the Forest Lawn Cemetery, Floydada under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home of Matador. Rev. Ralph E. Jackson officiated.

Mr. Davis died Tuesday, October 25, 2005 in Matador.

He was born January 27, 1933 to the late Willie Davis, Sr. and Dora Davis.

Mr. Davis is survived by his mother; one daughter, Dorothy Collins of Floydada; two grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; one brother, T.J. Davis of Fort Worth; two sisters, Vella Ware of Wichita Falls and Ella Davis of Fort Worth; a special friend, Net; plus a host of other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by

CRESTINA MENDOZA

Funeral services for Crestina Mendoza, 45, of Lockney were held Tuesday, November 1, 2005 at Templo Sinai in Plainview. Pastor Ignacio Soto officiated. Burial was at the Lockney Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Lockney.

She was born August 1, 1924

in Floydada to James and

Lindsey Banks Warren. She spent

most of her life in Floydada. She

loved children and served her

Lord in the newborn and

children's department of First

Baptist Church for many years.

death by four sisters, one brother,

Faye Copeland of Lubbock and

numerous dear nieces and neph-

ARVIE LLOYD NEWTON

Funeral services for Arvie

Lloyd Newton, 86, of Lockney

were held Saturday, October 29,

2005 at the First Baptist Church

in Lockney. Dr. Carl Moman of-

ficiated. Burial was in Lockney

Cemetery under the direction of

Moore-Rose-White Funeral

2005 at Lockney Health and Re-

J.E. and Dora Newton in Bridge-

port, Texas in Wise County. He

attended school in Consolidated

Eight in Oklahoma, Lehman,

Texas and Lockney. At the age of

21 he joined the army and served

in WWII, achieving the rank of

1st Lieutenant. He married Gene

He was preceded in death by

five brothers, Allen, Cecil,

Dalton, Dewey and Vern New-

ton; three sisters, Millie Singer,

Clara McClure and Agnes Fos-

Gene Newton of Lockney; two

sons, Lonell Hayes of New

Braunfels and Charlie Minick of

Lockney; a daughter, Myrna

George of New Braunfels; two

sisters, Lou Arnold of Richardson

and Irene Fox of Sulphur

Springs; five grandchildren; and

als be made to the Lockney Se-

nior Citizens, 118 W. College St.,

Lockney, Texas 79241 or Hos-

pice Hands of West Texas, 305

N. Main St., Lockney, Texas

The family suggests memori-

ten great-grandchildren.

Survivors include his wife,

Newton on July 3, 1962.

Mr. Newton died October 27,

He was born July 2, 1919 to

Home of Lockney.

her father, and her mother.

ews.

hab

ter.

Miss Warren was preceded in

She is survived by her sister,

Crestina Mendoza died October 28, 2005 at University Medical Center in Lubbock.

She was born January 2, 1960 in Lockney to Natividad and Juanita Luna. She was a lifelong resident of Lockney. She married Martin Mendoza April 22, 1984 at Lake McKenzie. She was a certified nurse's aide and worked in a nursing home. Crestina enjoyed watching Dallas Cowboys and Lockney Longhorn's football games.

She was preceded in death by two brothers, Estevan and Natividad Luna, Jr., and a sister, Dolores Ochoa.

Survivors include her husband, Martin Mendoza of Lockney; her parents; Natividad and Juanita Luna of Lockney; a son, Martin Mendoza, Jr. of Lockney; two daughters, Lydia Mendoza of Lockney and Juanita Medellia of Floydada; three brothers, Jose and Damian Luna of Lockney, Cornelio Luna of Caldwell, Idaho; five sisters, Jane Martinez of Lockney, Francis Soto of Plainview, Antonia Ibarra, Margarita Contreras, Diana Vallejo of Amarillo; four grandchildren; numerous nieces, neph-'ews and great-nephews and nieces.

JIMMIE RUTH WARREN

Celebration of Life services were held for Jimmie Ruth (Ruthie) Warren, 81, Tuesday, November 1, 2005 at First Baptist Church Chapel of Floydada. Dr. James Giles, Miss Warren's nephew, officiated. Interment followed in Lakeview Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada.

Miss Warren died Saturday, October 29, 2005 in the care of Heritage Oaks in Lubbock

In memory of my Mother, Benancia V. Martinez,

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I want to thank Hospice of West Texas, all the nurses, Dr. Stewart, all my friends and clergy during my time of grief. Thank you for all your kind words, food, flowers and prayers.

Floyd County Church Directory

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

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

Wednesday 7:30 p.m CALVARY'S CORNERSTONE FELLOWSHIP

Floydada Armando Morales, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m. Bible Study 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening7:00 p.m.

CARR'S CHAPEL Service Every Sunday: Morning Worship 9:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

***** CHURCH OF CHRIST

West College & Third, Lockney Steve McLean -Minister Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship 5:30 p.m. Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

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

CHURCH Anthony D. Sisemore, Pastor

Bill Swinney Minister of Ed./Music Eric Kaiser - Min. Students, Sunday School 9:15 a.m. Morning Worship ... 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study ... 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Lockney Carl Moman, Pastor Chad Cook, Youth Min. Phil Cotham, Music Min.. Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m Wednesday6:30 p.m. Wednesday (Youth)....7:15 pm

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Lockney Rev. Neely Landrum, Pastor

Sunday School 9:15 a.m. Worship Service ... 10:30 a.m. Evening Service 6.00 p.m. Praise/Worship 7:00 p.m.

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

MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST Lockney Jay Don Poindexter, Minister

Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m.

Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH Floydada

Rev. Ralph Jackson 401 N 12th St (983-5805) Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Study .. 7:00 p.m.

NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH Floydada Pastor Elder Ronnie Hedges (806) 637-0430 Sunday Singing 10:30 a.m.

Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.

POWER OF PRAISE FULL GOSPEL CHURCH

Rev. Manuel Rendon, Pastor 704 N. Main, Lockney Sunday Services .. 10:00 a.m. Sunday Evening 5:00 p.m. Wednesday 7:30 p.m

PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA

Lockney Jesse Caballero, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship Service ... 11:00 a.m. .Evening Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Service 7:30 p.m.

***** PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA Floydada

Rev. Lupe Rando Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship . 10:55 a.m.

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

TEMPLO GETSEMANI ASSEMBLY OF GOD 701 W. Missouri Rev. Ray Gonzales 983-5286 (church) 983-3047 (parsonage) Sunday School 9: 45 a.m. Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m. EveningService 5:00 p.m. Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

ST. MARY MAGDALEN

CATHOLIC CHURCH Floydada Father Jose Relente Deacon Ricky Vasquez Phone: 983-5878

Sunday Mass 11:30 a.m. Mon.Wed. Mass 6:30 p.m. Confession Sat. 10:00-11:00 a.m. *****

TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM

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

***** TEMPLO BETHEL SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Washington and 1st St. Rev. Eliseo Ovalle 983-6202 Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship ... 5:00 p.m. Wed. Service 7:00 p.m. *****

TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA Rev. Herman Martinez 308 W. Tennessee,

Floydada Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Evening Worship 5:00 p.m. Tuesday 7:30 p.m. Thursday Service ... 7:30 p.m.

TRINITY ASSEMBLY 500 W. Houston Floydada Henry Russell, Co-Pastor Vance Mitchell, Co-Pastor 983-5499

Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship .. 10:40 a.m. Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m. Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH Providence Community on FM 2301 293-3009 Rev. Burnell Lund, Minister

his father; three brothers, Jamer, Richard and Joe Davis; and two sisters, Clare Harrington and Francies Collier.

THIS WEEK'S

FLOYDADA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The Floydada Chamber of Commerce will be having a "Christmas on the Square" meeting on Monday, November 7th at 5:30 p.m. in the Chamber Office. Please make plans to be at this meeting as decisions concerning this event will be made.

ST. MARY MAGDALEN **CHURCH**

St. Mary's Magdalen Church will be serving Thanksgiving Dinner on Friday, November 11th from 11:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Cost is \$5.00 a meal. Dinner will be held at the church.

ST MARY MAGDALEN **CHURCH** HAIR-A-THON

St. Mary Magdalen Church will be having a Hair-A-Thon on November 13, 2005 from 2:00 p.m. - ??. Men, women and children's haircuts will be \$7.00 each. Haircuts will be by Professional licensed hairdressers. Proceeds to benefit St. Mary Magdalen Church.

1956 STUDY CLUB TATER BAKE

The 1956 Study Club will sponsor the TATER BAKE before the Dimmitt ballgame on Friday, November 4th from 5-7 p.m. at the Floydada Junior High Cafeteria. Baked potatoes with all the trimmings plus salad, breadsticks and homemake pies. Adults \$6 - children under 12 -**\$4. SEPARATE TAKEOUT** LINE AVAILABLE. Proceeds to benefit Community projects and Senior Scholarships.

VETERANS HONORED

Veterans will be honored at the 5th grade luncheon at Lockney Elementary on November 10 at 11:00 a.m.

In Jesus Name, Virginia Valdez & Family

If you cam by and said hi or gave us a hug, sent food or card or said a prayer or whatever you did from your heart, Dorothy Collins and the Davis Family wants to thank you.

A special thanks go to my Aunt Carrie for giving us her home to eat at and thank you Reverend Jackson for your service. Seigler Funeral Home of Matador, Texas, thank you for taking care of my daddy.

Dorothy Collins and the Davis Family

THIS WEEK'S

LOOKING AHEAD The annual Harvest Festival

and Bazaar will be held Saturday, November 12th at Floydada's First United Methodist Church from 9:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. You can expect a variety of activity and excitement, plus a bountiful Turkey dinner served at

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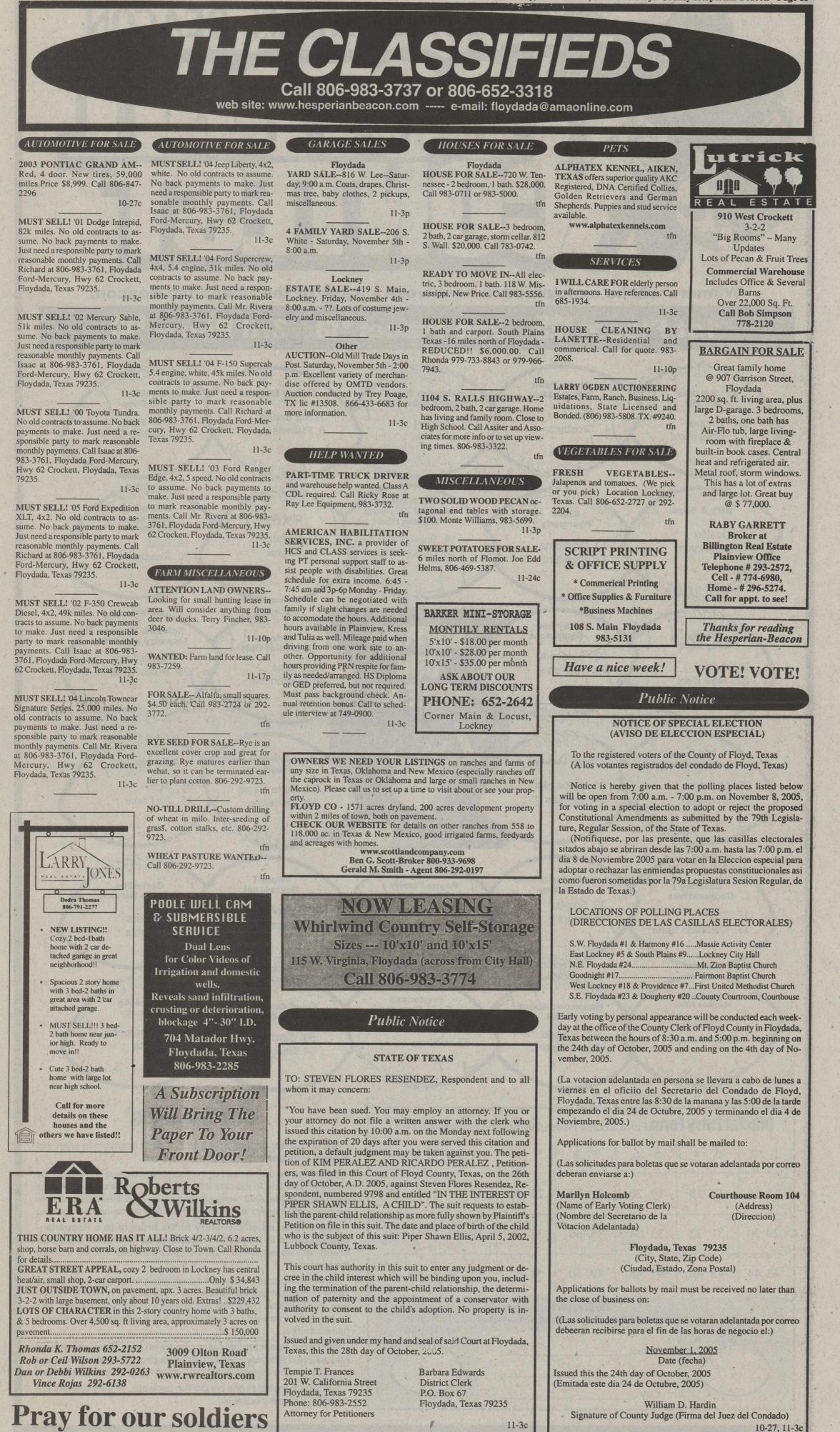
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CITY OF FLOYDADA INVITATION FOR BIDS MATERIALS ONLY

The City of Floydada is soliciting sealed bid proposals for materials only of approximately 6,500 LF of 8-inch C-900 PVC and miscellaneous appurtances. Bid opening will be at Floydada City Hall at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 15, 2005. Award of the bid will be that evening at the regularly scheduled city council meeting. Bid security in the amount of five percent o the bid submitted is required. Copies of the specifications and contract documents may be obtained from Parkhill, Smith and Cooper, Inc., 4222 85th Street, Lubbock, Texas 79423 upon refundable deposit of \$35 for each set of documents.

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wind Gym and the "Wreath Lay- ing Ceremony" will be held at 11:30 a.m. at the Floyd County Veteran's Memorial. BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC A free blood pressure clinic is	Clark Pharmacy 320 N. Main - Lockney 652-3353	Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home 329 W. Calif. Floydada 983-2525 402 S. Main Lockney 652-2211	following sponsors:
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FLOYDADA ON FOR BIDS ALS ONLY acting sealed bid proposals for 6,500 LF of 8-inch C-900 PVC Bid opening will be at Floydada lay, November 15, 2005. Award at the regularly scheduled city in the amount of five percent of Copies of the specifications and ained from Parkhill, Smith and Lubbock, Texas 79423 upon a ch set of documents. 10-27, 11-3c	Garcia's OK Tire Store 306 S. Main - Floydada - 983-3370 5i1 1st Olton, TX 2657796	Payne Family Pharmacy 200 S. Main, Floydada 983-5111	Schacht Flowers, Jewelry & Gifts 112 W. Poplar, Lockney 652-2385
	Lighthouse Electric Coop 102 E. California 983-3524	Pay-n-Save 210 N. Main Lockney 652-2293	Sunshine Pump Oliver Clark Box 266, Lockney 983-5087 - 774-4412 (Mobile)

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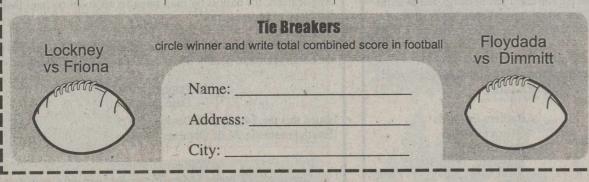


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Official Entry Form Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon Football Contest								
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Contest Rules

Any subscriber or purchaser age 7 or older is eligible to enter this contest. Only one entry per week per person.

To play, circle the number of the teams you believe will win on the ' official entry form. To indicate a tie, circle the numbers of both teams playing the game. Also, write a guess of the combined total points to be scored by the two teams listed in each of the tie-breaker games.

Only entries on official entry forms brought to a Hesperian-Beacon office in Floydada or Lockney no later than 5 p.m. on Friday will be accepted. *Photocopies and mail entries will not be accepted.*

Three cash prizes are awarded each week. In the event of ties (the same number of correct games and equal scores on the tie breakers), prizes will be combined and shared equally by those tied. The tie-breaker scores will be used only to break a tie on the number of games correct.

Print your name and address plainly on the official entry form and double check your choices before clipping out the entry form and depositing it at a Hesperian-Beacon office **before 5 p.m. on Friday**.

Entries are limited to one per person per week. Weekly winners are limited to one per household.