

"Checks will not go out"

## County at standstill over check signatures

Floyd County Treasurer Glenna Orman told gathered members of the commissioners court on Monday that "The checks will not go out unless they have the signature of the county clerk, Margaret Collier, on them." The checks in question are those prepared and approved for the payment of the current monthly obligations of the county.

Orman met with the court during its April 9 regular session to inform them of this fact in light of the decision last month to replace the signature of the county clerk on county checks with the signature of the county judge. The checks also carry the signature of the treasurer.

Treasurer Orman told the group that "I am charged with seeing that the accounts are paid and the checks dispensed in proper manner." She added that she has consulted with several sources and been advised that "the law says that the county clerk must sign the checks." Orman is refusing to be a party to dispensing checks not signed by the county clerk. She also told the court that she had no objection to having the judge's signature on the checks in addition to her own and the clerk's.

Judge Bill Hardin said that no action could be taken at the session as there was no motion for action.

Mrs. Orman then said, "That's fine, but the checks will not go out."

Orman also requested parttime help in her office to enable the office to remain open while she attends required schools twice a year and to assist with end of month paperwork. No action was taken on the matter at this time.

### SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT LOSING TWO DEPUTIES

Sheriff Fred Cardinal came before the court to tell the commissioners that two deputies have submitted resignations during the past week. According to Cardinal, Raymond Hamilton and Ellis Butler have both announced their intention to sever their association with the department. Cardinal also stated, "I have lost one dispatcher and it looks like I'm going to lose another."

The departure of these employees will create a hardship on those remaining as the department attempts to continue to provide service to the county on a 24 hour basis. Hiring new personnel for the deputy positions will be difficult according to Cardinal. He must hire certified personnel and such people are difficult to find. People with the proper training will not work for salaries as low as those offered to deputies by the county.

Cardinal also requested that the court consider the purchase of a new patrol car for the department. He would like to see the 1982 model vehicle with more than 195,000 miles on it replaced.

Neither item was on the posted agenda and no action was taken at this time by the court.

### BIDS OPENED

Bids for the proposed purchase of two motor graders by the county were opened and considered at the session. Two firms bid on each machine.

Yellowhouse Equipment Company bid \$117,320 on a JD 770B-H grader.

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## Development committee formed to benefit county

A new organization, the Floyd County Community Development Committee, has been formed in Floyd County for the purpose of economic development and to enhance community involvement.

Organizers Mary True and Brent Crossland held the first meeting April 5, and were joined by Larry Ogden, Kathy Himes and Jon LaBaume. "We hope to get more people involved from both communities," said True. "We know we will be having more people join us because we have had a lot of people who are interested and want to help. We will also be calling more people to come to our next meeting."

According to True the purpose of this

committee is to work with organized groups, such as the Lockney and Floydada Chambers, to enhance community involvement and to work toward economic development in the whole county.

The committee is seeking to pull people from both towns to work together in an effort to benefit the county. "We are hoping to get everyone involved in building a County Wide Civic Center Coliseum," said True. "It would be a large facility that is multi-purpose and would benefit the whole county. We could use it for farmers market, auctions, stock shows, conventions, conferences, trade shows, and possibly have an

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### New principals appointed

## FISD board fills school vacancies

Meeting in regular session for April, the board of trustees of the Floydada Independent School District approved the appointment of two applicants to principal posts for the 1990-91 school year.

Ellen Enriquez was selected to replace C.E. Tyer who is retiring this year from the leadership of R.C. Andrews Elementary School. Larry Baer was approved for the position of principal at Floydada Junior High, filling the vacancy created when current principal Joe Christian was chosen to replace resigning Ronnie Wood at the high school helm.

The board also approved Deanna

Logan as girls head basketball coach next year.

### AUXILIARY SCHOOL PERSONNEL GIVEN RAISE

Janitors, bus and cafeteria personnel who are employed by FISD will be pleased to note the board's decision to approve a wage increase of 5% across the board for all auxiliary employees of the school. Total cost for the increase was placed at approximately \$15,000 by administrative assistant Jimmie Collins.

### OUTSTANDING STUDENTS PRESENTED CERTIFICATES

Twelve outstanding students were recognized this month by the board. Six were from Duncan Elementary, and two each from Andrews, Junior High and High School. Parents and teachers of the students were present for the occasion.

Honored from Duncan were Victoria Cummings (daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Cummings), Cody Stovall (son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Stovall), Hannah Morris (daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randall Morris), Dane Sanders (son of Mr.



I AM THE RESURRECTION--Nine year old Royanne Mercado and her eight year old brother, J.R., will be giving thanks on Easter as Christians around the world celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ and His promise of eternal life. Royanne and J.R. are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Ruell Mercado.

Staff Photo

## Sunrise Service at Teeter farm

The Ministerial Alliance of Floydada and Lockney are joining together for a special county-wide Easter Sunrise Service, April 15, at the Eddie Teeter farm, located south of Lockney.

The host organization is the First United Methodist Church of Lockney. Rev. Howell Farnsworth of Floydada's First Baptist Church will deliver the

Easter message.

Special music will be provided by groups from Floydada and Lockney.

The services will commence at 7:00 a.m. on Easter morning.

A directional map to the site of the event, along with more information, can be found in the ad on page 6 of The Lockney Beacon.

### Memorial fund established for Jack Stansell

A memorial fund has been established in memory of Jack D. Stansell.

A scholarship will be given to an outstanding senior student in athletics that will attend Texas Tech University.

Jack's love for Floydada sports and his devoted support for Texas Tech inspired friends to set up this scholarship in his name.

All donations should be sent to: The Jack Stansell Scholarship Fund, c/o First National Bank, P.O. Box 550, Floydada, Texas, 79235 or see any Bank Personnel.

## School board candidates profiled

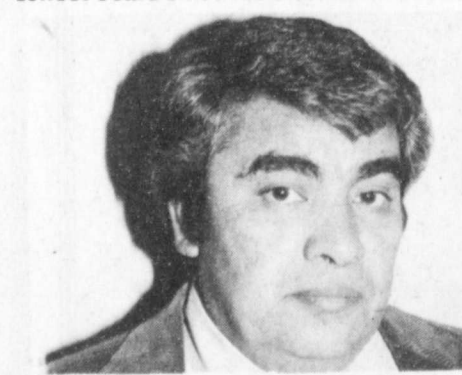


MICHAEL HINSLEY

Michael Hinsley is the incumbent in the FISD race for the at-large post on the May 5 ballot for the trustee election. He is unopposed in his bid for reelection.

Hinsley, a Floyd County farmer, graduated from Floydada High School and Texas Tech University. He and his wife Linda have three children. The eldest, Angie, is 19. Amy, a student at FHS, is 17 and Chad, 13, is a student at Junior High.

Hinsley is very active in the county 4-H program and the Livestock Show Association. He is also active in local school activities and attends the Methodist Church. He has served on the school board since his election in 1987.



ADOLFO GARCIA

Adolfo Garcia is the incumbent in the Precinct 3 race for the trustee seat on the FISD board. He has been a resident of Floydada for more than 25 years and serves on the board of directors of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce. He is the owner and operator of Garcia OK Tire, which he purchased two years ago. Prior to that, he worked for McCandless OK Tire for more than 20 years.

## Mattox carries Floyd County in primary runoff

Only thirteen percent of Floyd County registered voters turned out to vote in the April 10, runoff elections. Of the 5006 registered voters in the county, 640 voted in the democratic runoff and 54 voted in the Republican primary.

In the democratic runoff for governor, Jim Mattox received a total of 357 votes against Ann Richards, 287 votes.

Tom Bowden received a total of 397 votes to Nicki Van Hightower's 209 votes in the State Treasurer's race.

In the race for Supreme Court Justice, Place 2, Bob Gammage received the highest number of votes cast in the runoff. He received 491 votes to Ross Sear's 127.

In the race for Judge, Place 1, Court of Criminal Appeals, Frank Maloney received 311 votes to Morris Overstreet's 252.

In the Republican runoff election for Commissioner of the General Land Office, Wes Gilbreath received 36 votes to Grady Yarbrough's 12.

Forty-seven ballots were cast for Rick Perry in the runoff election for Commissioner of Agriculture. His opponent Richard McIver received 7 votes.

A break down of votes (including absentee) by precincts in the Second Democratic Primary is as follows:

S.W. Floydada: Mattox, 102; Richards, 101; Bowden, 127; Van Hightower, 70; Gammage, 149; Sears, 49; Maloney, 100; Overstreet, 84.

Allmon: Mattox, 7; Richards, 4; Bowden, 7; Van Hightower, 3; Gammage, 7; Sears, 3; Maloney, 2; Overstreet, 6.

Sandhill: Mattox, 13; Richards, 5; Bowden, 8; Van Hightower, 8; Gammage, 11; Sears, 5; Maloney, 6; Overstreet, 7.

street, 7.  
E. Lockney: Mattox, 15; Richards, 14; Bowden, 20; Van Hightower, 7; Gammage, 22; Sears, 7; Maloney, 16; Overstreet, 13.

Providence: Mattox, 6; Richards, 4; Bowden, 4; Van Hightower, 7; Gammage, 10; Sears, 1; Maloney, 7; Overstreet, 4.

Lone Star: Mattox, 6; Richards, 6; Bowden, 7; Van Hightower, 5; Gammage, 12; Sears, 2; Maloney, 5; Overstreet, 7.

South Plains: Mattox, 10; Richards, 15; Bowden, 19; Van Hightower, 5; Gammage, 26; Sears, 0; Maloney, 14; Overstreet, 7.

Cedar Hill: Mattox, 12; Richards, 1; Bowden, 13; Van Hightower, 2; Gammage, 15; Sears, 2; Maloney, 9; Overstreet, 6.

Baker: Mattox, 10; Richards, 10; Bowden, 16; Van Hightower, 6; Gammage, 19; Sears, 3; Maloney, 15; Overstreet, 7.

Harmony: Mattox, 7; Richards, 5; Bowden, 7; Van Hightower, 3; Gammage, 8; Sears, 3; Maloney, 4; Overstreet, 5.

Goodnight: Mattox, 9; Richards, 3; Bowden, 7; Van Hightower, 4; Gammage, 7; Sears, 3; Maloney, 5; Overstreet, 4.

W. Lockney: Mattox, 73; Richards, 43; Bowden, 81; Van Hightower, 34; Gammage, 91; Sears, 22; Maloney, 56; Overstreet, 49.

Dougherty: Mattox, 14; Richards, 11; Bowden, 16; Van Hightower, 7; Gammage, 16; Sears, 7; Maloney, 16; Overstreet, 7.

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real is employed as a teachers aide by FISD, and has been an employee of the district for 15 years.

Villarreal stated, "I believe our children are our best asset for the future. I know every child can learn if given that opportunity. I want to be an active part in our community's educational system. Education in my opinion, has been and always will be, of utmost importance. We can work together on the challenges that our children face today and those that await them in the future."

## Beards bloom for centennial

For the Floyd County men who have forgotten about the beard growing contest, now in progress, your time is running short.

Many men in the county already have a great start on their beards. The contest, reminiscent of the contest many years ago, will conclude the morning of May 26, at the pavilion.

The crowd gathered for the Old Settlers Reunion will witness the judging of many categories and styles of men's beards. Everyone with a beard can have a chance of winning in different categories, no matter how thick, long, or shaggy.

### Fire Poster Contest underway for kids

Fire poster contest sponsored by the Floydada Fire Department is now in progress. Any school, child kindergarten - seniors including special ed may enter. 1st - 2nd - 3rd place winners posters will be taken to district competition in Amarillo in May. Poster deadline is April 30th. Contact the principal of your school for rules. All posters must be turned in to your principal.

### Tornado sirens to be tested Friday

The City of Floydada will be testing the storm warning system sirens Friday, April 13, at 10:00 a.m., weather permitting.

### OTHER MATTERS

The board approved policies and procedures updates for the Caprock Special Education Cooperative as presented by director Les Ross. Also approved was possible participation of the district in a Texas project for smaller schools. More details on the project will be available at a later date. It is a community-school participation project according to super-

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## By The Way

By Alice Gilroy

I'm excited about a new organization that has recently been formed in Floyd County. Mary True and Brent Crossland, county extension agents, have organized the Floyd County Community Development Committee. If they get lots of help, the possibilities are great.

I believe if the two towns in this county will work together to bring industry or any other type of community development to the county, and not worry about where it is going to be built, then this county can't help but grow and prosper. This new organization has the potential for becoming a county-wide development organization, working with the development organizations already here, and attracting industries who like active and harmonious communities.

The first project for the organization, besides getting more people involved, will be a feasibility study of building a county wide civic center. Yes—small towns do have them. It is not an impossibility but it will take lots of money and lots of work. But if you don't start sometime, then it will never be a reality.

The uses for a civic center are limitless. Trade shows, seminars, stock shows and conventions would bring people from all over to our towns. They will leave impressed with the community.

Mary and Brent will need lots of help. Please call them and offer your suggestions and your talents.

I know there are a lot of men out there who got up this morning with their eyes half closed, who splashed water on the stubble on their face, began to shave while still dreaming, and with the razor halfway across their chin said, "RATS, I MEANT TO SAVE THAT FOR THE BEARD GROWING CONTEST!"

Well guys, you had better get busy pulling on your faces. Some men have already got a jump on you. Don't worry if you are one of those kind who only grows spots here and there, because there will be a category for everybody. Join in the fun at the contest finale on May 26 (Old Settlers Day).

Sorry ladies - there is no beard growing contest for us. Even if you can grow a beard they are still going to discriminate.

The Floydada Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a professional wrestling match on April 28. For all you people who like that sort of thing, you will enjoy. Tickets are on sale at The Hesperian, Script Printing and the Floydada Chamber of Commerce office.

For those of you who follow this stuff—Rapid Ricky Romero will be there!

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A woman recently told me a cute story about her little girl (whose name I will withhold, because she is now all grown up). She said that her and her little girl (who was about 4 years old) were walking through a cemetery (she couldn't remember why), and the sprinklers were spraying water across the landscape. "Mommy," said the daughter, "Why are they watering all those people?"

Don't let the joyous day of Easter come and go without going to a church service, a beautiful Sunrise Service if you can make it and regular church services for sure.

The ministerial alliances in Floydada and Lockney are joining together to bring you a very special joint Sunrise Service, Easter morning. From what I have heard about what is planned it will be a memorable service. There is special music coming from different churches in Floydada and Lockney.

The service will be held outdoors at the Eddie Teeter farm. Chairs for 200 people have been set up. Wouldn't it be great if they didn't have enough chairs? Why don't you bring a blanket and pray you will need it to sit on.

Directions to the Teeter farm can be found on page six in The Lockney Beacon.

I heard a thought the other day that I think I should pass on here at Easter time.

Most of you have heard the story of Jesus bringing his friend Lazarus back to life, after Lazarus had been dead and in the tomb for four days. Jesus told the men to roll the stone away from the tomb—stood outside—and shouted, "Lazarus, Come Forth!" Have you ever wondered why Jesus said Lazarus specifically?

Because, if he had just said, "Come Forth!", all the dead would have risen.

## Letter to The Editor

Dear Editor,  
I am writing with regard to Nathan Mulder's recent dismissal as Chief Probation Officer of the 110th Judicial District. There seem to be some irreconcilable irregularities in the facts surrounding this action.

For instance, the only statement that Judge Cave would make on the subject was that he had received pressure from the county judges to take this action. I took the time to call each of the four county judges in this district and they, to a man, denied any such pressure on their parts. In fact, one judge told me that the probation department had not, in his 12 years in office, run as efficiently as it had under Nathan's administration.

I also asked Judge Cave about rumors of a substantial salary increase for Nathan's replacement. Judge Cave told me that he had, in fact, increased Mr. Ball's salary "\$300-\$400 a month." I took the time to check the records in the District Clerk's office. I found that Judge Cave had, instead, increased Mr. Ball's salary from \$1500 per month to \$2900 per month. I also discovered that



LOUIS ANDERSON

## Floydada Police Report

On April 4, at 6:01 a.m., police received a domestic disturbance call to the 800 block of W. Jackson. Drew Lloyd, 35, of Floydada, was arrested and charged with assault. He paid a fine of \$127.50 and was released.

On April 6, at 11:54 p.m. police arrested Lauria Ann Garcia in the 500 block of W. Grover. She was charged with driving while her drivers license was suspended.

Daniel Diaz was arrested on April 7, and charged with driving while his drivers license was suspended. He was also charged with driving with no liability insurance and two outstanding DPS warrants.

On April 8 two criminal mischief calls were handled by police. In the 600 block of W. Ollie, the owners of a vehicle reported that a man had broken the windshield from the inside of the car, with his fist. The owners wanted the man to pay for the damages. The case is still being investigated.

In the 600 block of N. 12th police took a call of several windows being broken

out of a business sometime between April 7 and April 8.

On April 9, police received a report of a criminal trespass which occurred in the 600 block of N. 12th. Someone removed a window screen and raised the window on the east side of this business. The back door was also busted open. Inside the business were some broken items and some items were moved around. Nothing appeared to be taken at this time. The investigation is continuing.

Also on April 9, police investigated a theft at the business in the 400 block of S. 2nd. A woman paid for \$5.00 worth of gas and did not stop pumping the gas until she had over \$12.00 worth. The employee of the store got the license plate of the car, and police are investigating the incident.

On April 30, at 4:20 a.m., police received a report of an accident at the intersection of the 400 block of 12th Street and 700 Thornton Street.

A '68 Ford F-100 pickup was traveling north on N. 12th Street at a high rate of speed and began to slide sideways out of control. The vehicle struck a utility pole and broke it at ground level. The operator left the scene and failed to notify police. The investigation continues.

On March 31, at 2:10 a.m. in the 300 block of S. Wall, a Chevrolet pickup backed from an angle space on the east side of Wall Street and collided with a Dodge Custom 100 pickup which was parked in the center space facing N.W. There were no injuries.

Have a Safe and Happy Easter

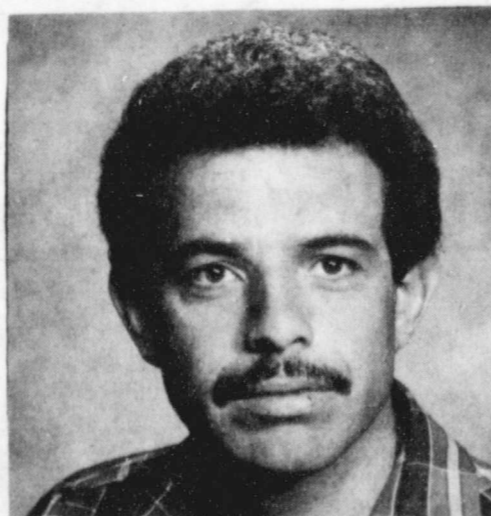
this wage increase was in excess of \$8500 per year more than Nathan's salary after 3 years in the position.

Another curious fact is that Mr. Ball, who is from Judge Cave's home county, had been a full-time probation officer for less than 3 months when he received this promotion. Judge Cave told me that Mr. Ball was the only man qualified for the position explicitly state that in order to qualify for consideration as a chief probation officer, a candidate should have 5 years experience as a probation officer. The other officer in the department has 6 years experience, but he was evidently not even considered.

These facts may well be only circumstantial and coincidental. But the inconsistencies between Judge Cave's own statements and the facts certainly raise grave doubts. Now that Judge Cave is considering a write-in campaign in the general election, the voters need to be apprised of these facts so that they can cast informed ballots.

Tom Fisher  
South Plains

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## Anderson assumes position of manager at Producer's Fuel Dept.

Bob Vickers, Producers Cooperative Elevators general manager, has announced the hiring of Louis Anderson as the manager of the fuel department of Producers Co-op Elevator in Floydada.

Louis Anderson and his wife, Fern, both Floydada natives, moved back to Floydada last weekend after living in Lamesa the past 3-1/2 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson were born and raised in Floydada. For 21 years, Ander-

son worked at Beall's Department Store in Floydada. For nine years after that he owned and operated Anderson's Department Store, also located in Floydada.

After closing Anderson's Department Store, Anderson and Fern moved to Lamesa, where he managed Baldwin's Department Store for 3-1/2 years.

The Andersons have four children, who were also raised in Floydada. Mike works with the highway department in Floydada; Steve is an employee of Lighthouse Electric; Nancy Kirk lives

in Levelland and daughter, Lisa Anderson lives in Lamesa.

The Andersons plan on moving back into their home at 820 W. Jackson and will be joining the First Baptist Church.

"We will try to upgrade the services at the station and try to be of help and benefit to all our customers," said Anderson.

"We look forward to everyone's future patronage and appreciate their business in the past. I hope our friends and customers will come by and renew acquaintances."

## Special Holy Week services set

The First Christian Church and the First United Methodist Church are jointly planning and sharing in two Holy Week services.

The First United Methodist Church will host a Maundy Thursday Communion Service Thursday, April 12, at 7:00 p.m. This is a service of prayer, scripture readings, communion and special music presented by the Methodist choir. Bill Wright, pastor, First United Methodist Church, and Dale Harter, pastor, First Christian Church, will lead in the communion service.

The First Christian Church will host the Good Friday service, April 13th, at 7:00 p.m. in the church sanctuary. Lay readers will read scripture passages from the Old Testament, the Epistles and the Gospels. Kathleen Stripling, Fort Worth, will sing the solo, "O Love Devine, What Hast Thou Done?" Words

by Charles Wesley, music by Isaac B. Woodbury. A flute solo will be played by Melissa Long as a musical meditation following the draping of the cross with black cloth. Tammy Farris and Chris Wilson will drape the cross with black cloth. Dale Harter, host pastor, will bring the Good Friday meditation.

The sanctuary of First Christian Church will be open during the lunch hour Friday, for private prayer and meditation.

Easter Sunday will begin at 7:00 a.m.

with a sunrise service in the sanctuary. This will be a service of hymns, prayers, scripture, special music and meditation. Special music will be brought by Jane McCulley and Gayla Griffin, playing a four-hand piano or duet. The pastor will ring the devotions entitled, "They Remembered His Words," from Luke 24:8.

Following the early worship service in the sanctuary all will go to the fellowship hall for an Easter continental breakfast.

The Sunday School will meet at its regular time of 9:45 a.m.

The 11:00 a.m. Easter worship will feature Kathleen Stripling of Fort Worth in a solo and a duet by Mrs. Stripling and her son, Ted, singing "Prayer of the Norwegian Child" by Richard Kountz. The pastor will bring the message, "He Is Risen!". The scripture lesson is from Matthew 28:1-10.

A baptismal service is being planned Easter Sunday morning.

Mary Harter is church organist and will be playing for all services.

Martha Farris is worship chairperson and is in charge of all worship arrangements.

Pauline Pierce is fellowship chairperson and is in charge of all meal and fellowship arrangements.

The public is invited to attend Holy Week services at First Christian Church and First United Methodist Church.

You are cordially invited to the 47th

## ANNUAL MEETING

Producer's Cooperative Elevator & Fuel

Floydada & Dougherty

Tuesday, April 17  
Dinner . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Massie Activity Center

- \* Elect Two Directors
- \* Dividend Checks
- \* Door Prizes



All members and families are urged to attend

# City calls for public hearing

A short, routine agenda faced the Floydada City Council during their regular April session on Tuesday. The council set a public hearing for Monday, April 16, at 6:30 p.m. The hearing will be the first of two concerning a Texas Capitol Fund grant being applied for by local resident Mike Hadderton. The date and time were set on a motion by councilman Amado Morales, seconded by councilman Frank Breed. The public is invited and urged to attend the hearing at City Hall which will explain the grant program.

John Ballou, a Lockney teacher, was awarded the bid for operating the Floydada City Swimming Pool this summer. Ballou was the only applicant following the advertising for an operator.

Bids were opened for the purchase of a new digger truck for the electric department. The council voted to table the matter until April 16. The bids will be compared and a recommendation made on an informed basis at that time.

A motion by Breed, seconded by councilman Wayne Tipton, was passed by the council approving the management agreement with Gary Traylor & Associates concerning the recently approved water system improvement

grant. The firm will be responsible for handling all the pertinent paperwork on the project.

Trash collection service was extended to Toby Williams and Larry Guthrie, who both reside in areas outside the city limits. The city will provide service at the standard rate for out of town customers, but collection will be delayed in times of bad weather and road conditions.

Purchase of a tornado warning siren was ratified. The purchase totaled \$3700. Making the motion was councilman Leroy Burns who included the purchase of a second siren in the motion. Second was provided by councilman Ruben Barrientoz and the vote was unanimously in favor.

Burns suggested that in addition to the first siren now being installed in 10th and Lee Street area, the city should also install one in the general vicinity of the nursing home and hospital. Burns stated that the prevailing winds from the southwest most often negate the siren in that area and that one needs to be placed closer to the medical facilities.

City manager Gary Brown provided an update on the landfill situation. He indicated that efforts were underway to comply with state monitoring require-

ments in an attempt to secure the expansion permit. Brown also said that the city may have to transport trash to the Lockney landfill if the expansion permit is delayed past the next few months.

Brown told the council that he will request extended hours of operation for the landfill due to daylight savings time. Proposed hours of operation would be from 8:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday and from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. on Saturday. The facility currently closes at 5 p.m. on weekdays and 3 p.m. on Saturday. Permission for expanded hours must be secured from the Texas Department of Health.

Paving work in the city should begin within the week according to Brown. City employees are working on the drainage problem on Wall Street and work is progressing on getting the ball parks and city parks in shape for warm weather usage.

Brown informed the council that due to an article in the April issue of Progressive Farmer Magazine, the fire department had several inquiries concerning attending the annual fire school held here in Floydada. Inquiries came from as far away as Nebraska, Arkansas and Alabama according to Brown.

Attending the evening meeting were Mayor Pro Tem Wayne Russell, councilmen Frank Breed, Amado Morales, Leroy Burns, Wayne Tipton and Ruben Barrientoz, Gary Brown, Jimmie Lou Stewart, Randy Hollums, Sharon Quisenberry, Make and Martha Hadderton, Roxene Brown, representatives of the bidding firms and the Hesperian reporter.

## County papers are recognized

The Floyd County Hesperian and The Lockney Beacon were once again recipients of Honorable Mention and an award at the 1990 Panhandle Press Association Better Newspaper Contest and Convention, held April 6 and 7, in Amarillo.

In Division I Advertising Initiative, The Hesperian won second place. Comments from the judges included, "overall clean in-house ads, good use of logos and clip art."

The Hesperian received an Honorable Mention in the Use of Photography. The judge commented, "Too many line 'em up and shoot 'em photos, but quantity is theme. The newspaper did a good job breaking up gray with photos, and came close to placing 3rd."

Honorable Mention was also received by The Hesperian in the category of Feature Stories. The feature story on the new canine patrol officer rated a special comment from the judges.

"A new policeman's style and topic merited an honorable mention," said the judge. "The story was interesting and the page layout created an appealing look to the reader."

The Lockney Beacon also received an honorable mention in Front Page Layout - Division I.

Newspapers all over the Panhandle area participate in the Panhandle Press Association Better Newspaper Contest every year.

Judging of the newspapers this year was by the Gulf Coast Press Association.



**TREES FOR THE FUTURE**—Floyd County 4-H'ers and Extension Homemakers are planting trees for the future. Here (l-r) Tara McCandless, Neisha Simpson, Resa Mercado, Meredith Schacht, Dana McCandless, and Michael

Mercado are selecting trees at Simpson's Trees that can be planted. They plan to plant trees for the future on April 19 to get ready for Arbor Day on April 27.

--Staff photo

## 4-H Clubs participate in Plant A Tree Campaign in observance of Arbor Day

By Jennifer Jackson  
(Editor's Note: The following story was written by Texas Tech journalism student, Jennifer Jackson, provided to this newspaper by Tech's school of Mass Communications through a grant from the Reader's Digest Foundation.)

Plant something for the future, plant a tree!

Arbor Day is April 27th, everyone should take part and plant a tree.

The Floydada and Lockney 4-H clubs and extension homemakers are participating in the Plant a Tree Campaign as their part in Arbor Day. They plan to plant trees on April 19th, in Floydada and Lockney parks and if they have extra trees, at some of the schools.

Trees are an important part of our eco-system, they improve the quality of the air we breathe, they lower energy costs by providing shade and wind blocks, they enhance the beauty of our environment and provide psychological rewards.

"The greenhouse effect is a big issue in an agriculture community such as Floydada, we should all be concerned," said Ms. Mary True, Floyd County, Home Economics Extension Agent.

"Our goal is to let people know that anyone can plant a tree, it's really very

easy," said True.

"It is important for people to plant trees in this area, because they do not grow naturally," said True.

Trees are available in Floyd county through Simpson's Tree Place and government organizations, like the Soil Conservation Service, who have a limited number of windbreak trees available.

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service provides these tips for planting trees:

- \* Plant the tree at the same depth it was in the nursery.

- \* If you plant in a poorly drained area, make a small mound in which to plant the tree.

- \* Be sure to make the hole large enough for the tree.

- \* If the tree is container grown, remove the container.

- \* For balled and burlapped trees, cut and loosen as much as possible after placing the tree in the hole.

- \* Generally, refill the hole with the same soil as removed.

- \* Make a watering well around the tree to retain water the first and second year, particularly in a sandy or loamy soil.

- \* Trees taller than four feet may need to be staked. Use rubber hose to protect

the tree from the staking wire.

- \* Water the tree immediately after planting and as needed during the first two growing seasons. A thorough soaking is better than light, frequent waterings.

- \* Do not fertilize the first year. Please plant a tree for the future beauty of Floyd County.

## Countries to celebrate Earth Day April 22

By Emily Johnston

The United States of America along with other countries around the world will celebrate Earth Day on April 22, 1990. This international event was first celebrated in 1970 to stress the need to protect the earth's fragile resources.

Conservation practices, such as recycling cans, paper and bottles need to be expanded.

To celebrate Earth Day, the members of the Floyd County Historical Commission want to encourage every family to plant a tree, and join in the fight against air pollution.

## This Weeks

### WRESTLING MATCH

Tickets for the professional wrestling match, sponsored by Floydada Chamber of Commerce, and promoted by Rapid Ricky Romero, are now on sale. Tickets can be purchased at The Hesperian, Script Printing and the Chamber office. Adult tickets are \$7.00 and children under 12 are \$3.00.

### BRIDGE TOURNAMENT

The L.O.A. Study Club in Silvertown, is having a Spring bridge tournament on April 30, at the school cafeteria at 5:00 p.m. Tickets are \$10.00 each. There will be 20 door prizes given and 2 nice high prizes. If you don't have a partner one will be furnished. Call Marsha Brunson for reservations at 823-2463.

### LIVESTOCK SHOW MEETING

A meeting of the Floyd County Livestock Show Association will be held tonight, Thursday, April 12, at 7:00 p.m. at Lighthouse Electric. Business will be to elect board of directors for 1990 and to elect officers. The 1991 stock show is also on the agenda.

### GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

Maundy Thursday Holy Communion and a Tenebrae Service will be celebrated at 7:00 tonight at the United Methodist Church. The Good Friday Service will be held at 7:00 p.m. Friday at the First Christian Church. These worship services are a joint effort by both congregations and the community is invited to participate with them.

### CORRECTION

Floydada City Council candidate Ricky Vasquez was incorrectly identified as a city resident since 1979. He has in fact been a resident of Floydada since 1969. The Hesperian regrets any inconvenience the error may have caused.

### CANDIDATE FORUM

AVANCE/ADVANCE will host a candidate forum for city council, school board and hospital board candidates. The forum will be April 20, at Duncan Elementary. Details of the time and format will be in next weeks paper.

### DEMOCRATIC PARTY

The Floyd County Democratic Party will meet Tuesday, April 17, at 7:00 p.m. in the courtyard of the Aldine Williams home at 116 W. California, Floydada.

### 8TH GRADE PARENTS

A meeting for 8th grade parents will be Thursday, April 12, at 8:00 p.m. in the community room of the First National Bank in Floydada. The 8th grade graduation dance will be planned.

### WOMEN'S CHAMBER

The Women's Chamber will meet Tuesday, April 17, at 5:00 p.m. at the Chamber office. All members are welcome.

### WEATHER

Courtesy of Energas		
DATE	HIGH	LOW
April 4	83	50
April 5	77	50
April 6	53	34
April 7	64	38
April 8	70	48
April 9	83	57
April 10	64	43

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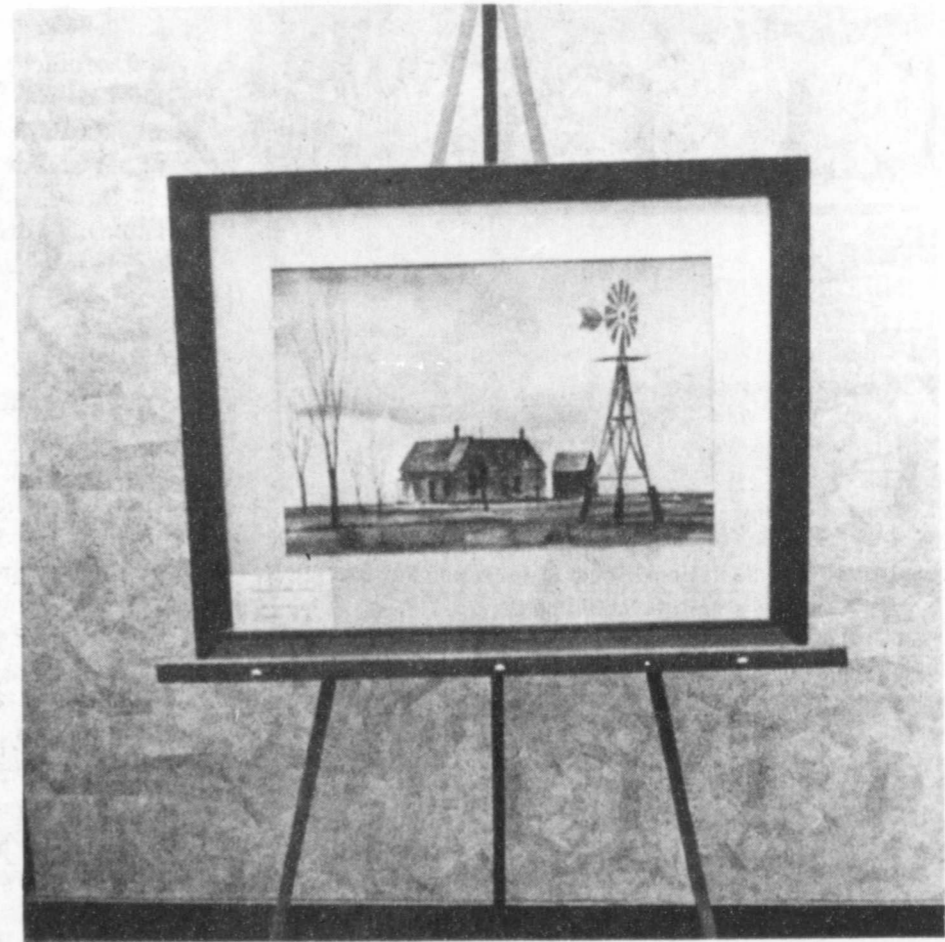
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Carl Lemons' News and Views from Cedar Hill

WEATHER AND FRUIT

Last weeks lowest temperature, as recorded here at the Listening Post was 34 DF, from a reading on Friday morning, March 30. Unless we get still another freeze this year's last "killer temperature", 28 degrees on Monday, March 26. This compares to 1989's last freeze, the same temperature of 28 degrees, which came on Wednesday, March 22, when Spring was only two days old.

This week it rained on several different days with the largest amount falling Friday, March 30. Across the community the total amounts have varied from 1.35 inches north of Cedar down to 65 hundredths 1/2 mile to the east.

"In like a lamb, out like a lion!" is a saying the old timer's made use of in their efforts to forecast the weather. If that saying holds true in 1990 we had better look for turbulent weather when this April comes to a close. Certainly Sunday, April 1, was really a lamb.

An examination of peach and apricot blossoms was made on Tuesday following Monday's hard freeze and they were good, sound blossoms capable of producing fruit for this year, at least those blossoms passed the honey bee test. The bees classed the new pollen "table grade" and industriously rushed bee-basket after bee-basket of it to their home pantries and stored it as food for their burgeoning young.

Don't worry about that lost crop of early stone fruit blossoms, nature produced it for no reason other than to provide our summer pollinators with a early supply of food so they could get their work force's numbers increased and off to a running start; be ready for the summer's big pollination job.

Nature will mark up 1990 as a howling success! From the very beginning of time Nature mandated that the species need to produce seed for future generations, along with mankind's desires for fruit, be treated like overgrown kids, be forced to sit at the second table, enjoy the leftovers or go hungry, after the bees,

not the birds, have had the first servings. It's a bitter pill to swallow, but in this situation, nature does not consider us to be number one; she thinks the pollinators are more important, she provides them with a crop that has never, never been known to fail; by contrast mankind has fruit some years, some years he don't.

If you must worry, do it about what the low temperature the next cold snap will bring! Barring another killing freeze next week's N&V should be reporting tiny fruits large enough to be pushing their dried blossoms aside. To gripe is human, but the fact is, nature is still on track, and, what has happened is normal, more or less.

CROP COMMENTS

WHEAT is in many stages at Cedar Hill. Late wheat seeded for grazing only, is still flat but spreading rapidly. Much of the earlier wheat has three discernable joints and is rapidly springing upward with the ranker patches half knee high.

Grower's attitudes are undergoing a slow change; a turning to the positive, like "if this crop continues to look better and better, we might even break even." Now that is a pretty positive attitude, the way wheat farming has been lately! At any rate some additional money is being pumped into the crop; the sound of spray planes can be heard almost everyday. An occasional earthbound farmer will take his life in his hands and apply the deadly insecticides with his own ground rig. These boys are a rare breed, but, if he lives, and happens to own his own combine too, he stands a pretty good chance to get to share his profits with Uncle Sam come tax time in '91.

There are quite a few little weeds among the wheat but rapid expansion of the wheat plants both below and above the surface will limit weed growth. So the farmer, the one who does his own application, and who is extremely dollar conscious, is applying insecticide only and that against green bugs and Russian aphids.

COTTON ground is getting that all-important "bed" preparation. Cotton ground at Cedar will certainly not be getting a pre-watering from lakes this year unless the celestial water wagon starts rolling pretty soon.

CORN planting is under way on the plains. It sounds like Illinois or Ohio, but a farmer up Plainview way was seen tapping ice covered planter box lids open around March 26, and pouring seed in his boxes.

Onion are already out in home gardens, roasting ear patches have been planted, and, believe it or not, but a number of egg plant seeds have been planted. Onion setting began on a Jay Lackey plot 1.3 miles north of Cedar on Friday, March 23, but it was so late in the day that many workers went home instead of moving to this field. Temperature that night dropped to near 20 DF, however a few hardy souls showed up to set onions the following morning. To their disappointment the sunshine and warmth they hoped for never came and they were forced to leave. Tuesday, April 2, eleven days later, crews returned to finish setting Jay's onions.

CATTLE AND HAY

Hay wagons are rolling less and less at Cedar, mainly because there is less and less hay to haul. More and more blades of tender new grasses are being bitten off as cattle crop the dry native grasses. Definitely supplemental feeding is still needed, especially by the mother cows. As a result cake is still being spread near the taller native grasses while a few bales of hay are held in reserve to cover that "once ever 50 years spring storm" that has wiped out cattlemen in the past.

THE LEANING CEDARS

In case you missed the March 5 issue of the Hesperian you may not know that Floyd County lost a mighty fine man with the passing of Jack Stansell on the morning of April 2. He and Emogene resided at Cedar Hill for years until failing health and expanding business interests dictated that they build a new home in Floydada, and move to town.

While Jack swelled among us he was noted for his cooperativeness and his willingness to carry more than his share of public responsibility. Perhaps rural Floyd County would be both numerically and financially stronger if more of our elderly had stepped aside as Jack did, and allowed younger and more eager hands to assume the rural responsibilities.

April 9: A Monday, check on Ex-Cedar Hillians, still on the sick list finds, as follows: J.B. Whitehead, some improved, as been able to answer, "Yes, I know where I am," still hospitalized and fed through a tube; Goldie Brown Cyfert is still in Methodist Hospital and receiving therapy, shows steady improvement; Cecil Wayne VanHooso, whose bones are now knitting satisfactorily, is well past the need for the sedation that brought on his last fiasco, expects another six week stay in the hospital; Edna Easley Love, still nearly 100% paralyzed, in a Bridgeport, Texas, rest-home; Evelyn Fortenberry Winn continues to gain mobility in her home, now able to turn on a light switch with her weakest arm, but her blood count is still dangerously low.

THE THRIVING CEDARS

You are urged to join the membership of the Cedar Hill Assembly of God Church for Easter Morning services on April 15. Church members have made many phone calls and written many invitations to former members and old time residents of the community in their efforts to make this a truly memorable occasion.

Following Sunday school and the preaching hour there will be a period of fellowship. Durrell Fortenberry promises to exercise his considerable talent as a master of outdoor cookery to make sure there will be an abundance of food. If you should come and offer to share a pie or a cake you might happen to have in your car, it certainly will not be refused. An Easter egg hunt is planned for the small fry somewhere between the service's alpha and omega.

March 30: Don't be confused by the Lockney Care Center's article of March 22 welcoming Rosa Lackey as a new resident. It was never intended that she be there for an extended period. Rosa's son, Greer, after being with his mother for approximately two years, had to go back to Hurst to tend to some business that would wait no longer. He finished his metro-plex chore in a few days time and came back to Floydada in late March. Rosa then returned to her Floydada home this Friday.

April 4: Mary Dorris of Clovis, N.M. and Kate Bradley of Deaf Smith County, Texas, who were Cedar Hill residents back in the 1920s and who are daughters of Jack and Robbie Fortenberry, visited some of the community's

land marks of yesteryear on Wednesday of last week. A smattering of hail and a light rain shower prevented their visiting the old picnic site at the railroad tunnels where the school kids used to run off to every April Fool's day. Their aunt and cousin Peat Kelly and Norma Welch served as their resident guides. They stayed overnight with Norma and returned to their homes Thursday.

April 6: Junior Taylor and Martha were the only ones from Cedar Hill to join the thousands who attended the Texas Cotton Ginners and Producers Convention in Lubbock last Friday.

April 6: Kim and Kelly Mixon of Arlington, Texas, came Friday night for a weekend visit with her parents, Lindsey and Billie Ruth Lackey. The closing of Bell Helicopter in Amarillo caused Kelly and Kim to sell their home and move to Wichita, Kansas. When the Cessna airplane works shut down in Wichita they moved to Arlington, Texas, where he worked for LTV. With the demise of LTV, Kelly became a freelance engineer for a time. Now Kelly, with his masters degree, still lives at Arlington, and is firmly ensconced on the payroll at General Dynamics. Kim is currently maneuvering for admission to a school for super-technicians in the use of ultra-sound as a medical treatment.

Linda and Donnie Turner of Flomot also visited her parents, Lindsey and Billie Ruth, Sunday.

FROM THE POST YARD

"There is no God! God is dead! Prove to me there is God!" These are some favorite statements, and challenges of the agnostic. If the agnostic is going to be fair and logical when he ways there is no God then he must also take the position to reverse the guns and get off some shots of his own, like "Prove to me there is no Satan!"

Suddenly your Christian has been handed an endless supply of ammunition. Mr. Agnos, when knocked down, will stagger back to his feet and keep shouting "coincidence" until his is literally buried in cannon balls.

Here is a fair sample of some "coincidences." Cedar Hill coincidences that is, which might help you decide if there really is a Devil. Let us say a man had a flat tire. So what's new? Everybody has flat tires! This man was a preacher. OK, coincidence. The preacher had his flat tire on Sunday! Coincidence! He was going home from church. Coincidence again!

That was the warm-up, there is more! The preacher's name was Jude Stuckland, and he and Marie start back to church later that evening to conduct the evening service. One half mile past Cedar a front tire blows out, the car goes out of control, and swaps ends several times.

Shaken and bruised, Jude and Marie, telephoned the congregation at church that they couldn't be there to preach, they must have church without a preacher. Two flats on Sunday at different times both by the same preacher on church business! You call that a coincidence? There was rejoicing in headquarters that night!

Less than a mile from the site of Jude and Marie's blow out, that same Sunday afternoon, and virtually at the same hour, Pastor and Mrs. Willis Dewey detected a strange odor in their parsonage home. It quickly became stronger, the unmistakable odor of skunk. Within minutes the Deweys had abandoned their home; walked out of their house and into the pulpit! Now one church's pulpit was empty while another's pulpit was filled by a "stinkin" preacher. All coincidences, eh? Oh there was glee in headquarters that night!

Church members with guns waited until the wee hours of the morning for Mr. Skunk to emerge, finally plugged all openings beneath the house thinking to return after daylight. The offender, when located, was dead; had been dead for weeks, but had been well preserved by the winter cold. Why did carcass decay wait until just that precise moment before preaching time that evening to rupture and spray forth it's malodorous scent.

The Deweys spent two nights with Edna Gilley, then Pastor Dewey decided he would like to visit his mother-in-law in Pampa. After five days of fumigation, incense burning, and chemical counter-spraying by the church members, the Deweys are back and life goes on.

Careful, Mr. Agnostic, incidents pointing in that direction are without number, you might be tempted to admit "There is a Devil!" If you ever do that, you're sunk!

A mind is a terrible thing to waste! The awareness of an educational defi-

ciency weights like a terrible burden upon some individuals. That thought was brought home to me one muggy morning last week when the DuBois "rainy-day mud-wagon" came chugging past the Listening Post heading to rendezvous with the family's "up-town" vehicle waiting at the Cedar Hill Elevator. Two hundred yards behind the mud-wagon came running the tiredest looking dog with the longest tongue, and the shortest tail of any critter you ever saw. He was probably of some color, but that particular morning his

color was all mud. After 3.5 miles of running through puddles trying to keep up with that mud-wagon how else could he have looked?

If our American kids would exhibit 1/10th of the struggleability of that poor worn out, bobtailed dog in his efforts to string along with the DuBois kids and get an education that would end all talk about the scholastic superiority of the Japanese kids and the German kids.

THERE IS MAJESTY IN SIMPLICITY

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VOTERS OF PRECINCT 3 FLOYDADA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT  
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 \*Served as a board member of the Regional South Plains Health Provider for four years.  
 \*Served as an assistant scoutmaster, a cubmaster and a scoutmaster. I was involved in scouting for more than 15 years.  
 \*Served as a board member of the Neighborhood Improvement Committee for the City of Floydada from 1980 until 1983.  
 \*Served as secretary for a 2-year term on the St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Parish Board and was Parish Board President for two 2-year terms.  
 \*Served 3 years on the Advisory Committee of the General Mechanical Repair Vocational Education Class of Al Galloway for grades 7-12 of the Floydada Schools.  
 \*Served as a committee member for Adult Education.  
 \*Served on the FISD Task Force Committee.  
 \*Served on the Discipline Management Plan.  
 \*Served on the Floydada Senior Citizens Board.  
 \*Am currently a member of the Board of Directors of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce.  
 \*Served as a School Board Trustee since my election in 1987. I have also completed more than 40 hours of school board training in that three years.  
 My wife Irma and I are the parents of 4 children: Irma, Adolfo Jr., Ray and Roy. My two older children are FHS graduates and the younger two are seniors this year.  
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## Senior Citizens News

By Thelma Jones

Remember the regular monthly covered dish luncheon Saturday, April 14, at 10:30. So come and join us for fellowship, lunch and visiting.

Mrs. Shirley Kirkland entertained her mother, Mrs. Johnnie Terrell Sunday on her 81st birthday. Guests were her sister, Liman Reasoner of Otoka, Oklahoma; another sister from Custer, Oklahoma, and son Harold Mallow and family from Amarillo and several others. Everyone enjoyed it a lot.

Mrs. Gwen Cogdell returned home Sunday from a visit with her aunt in Tucson, Arizona.

Miss Joyce Holmes, Amarillo, and Mrs. Virginia Cowart, Marshall, visited Mrs. Marie Tardy and Lanell Monday afternoon. Also, Carl Tardy of Roaring Springs visited them Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Son Jackson, Mrs. Alma Smith, Mrs. Crawford and Judy Beedy attended the golden anniversary in Tahoka Sunday afternoon for Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Edwards, former residents of the McCoy Community.

Sympathy to Oleta Wilson and Francis Stanforth on the loss of Corrie Fields, wife of Menard Fields, a few weeks; also to the family of Annie Turner. She was the mother of Nolan Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Freeman spent the weekend in Lubbock with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Armstrong.

See all of you at the covered dish luncheon Saturday at 10:30. We also still have tickets for sale for the quilt to be given away on Old Settlers Day.

### Senior Citizens Menu

April 16-20

Monday: Chicken fried steak, cream gravy, mashed potatoes with milk, stewed tomatoes, whole wheat roll, margarine or butter, plum cobbler, milk, beverage choice

Tuesday: Beef stew, creamy cole slaw, baking powder biscuit, honey, margarine or butter, spice cake with vanilla icing, milk, beverage choice

Wednesday: Chicken or turkey tamales, whole kernal corn, peas, garlic bread, pears, milk, beverage choice

Thursday: Baked fish, boiled potato with parsley, orange glazed carrots, hush puppies or cornbread, chocolate pudding, milk, beverage choice

Friday: Lasagne with ground beef, green beans, creamy cole slaw, Italian bread, margarine or butter, peanut butter cookies, milk, beverage choice

### Becker gives nutrition program for Alpha Sigma Upsilon club

By Sara Coursey

Alpha Sigma Upsilon met April 3, at Tonya's. Hope called the meeting to order with members standing for opening rituals. Kathy Becker gave our program on nutrition and its importance. We sampled some different kinds of drink supplements. Thanks Kathy, we enjoyed your presentation.

The chapter wants to congratulate Ellen Enriquez for being chosen as the new principal at Andrews Ward. We're very proud and excited for her. She was sent yellow roses from the club, we received a thank you note for them. Jodie gave the treasurers report.

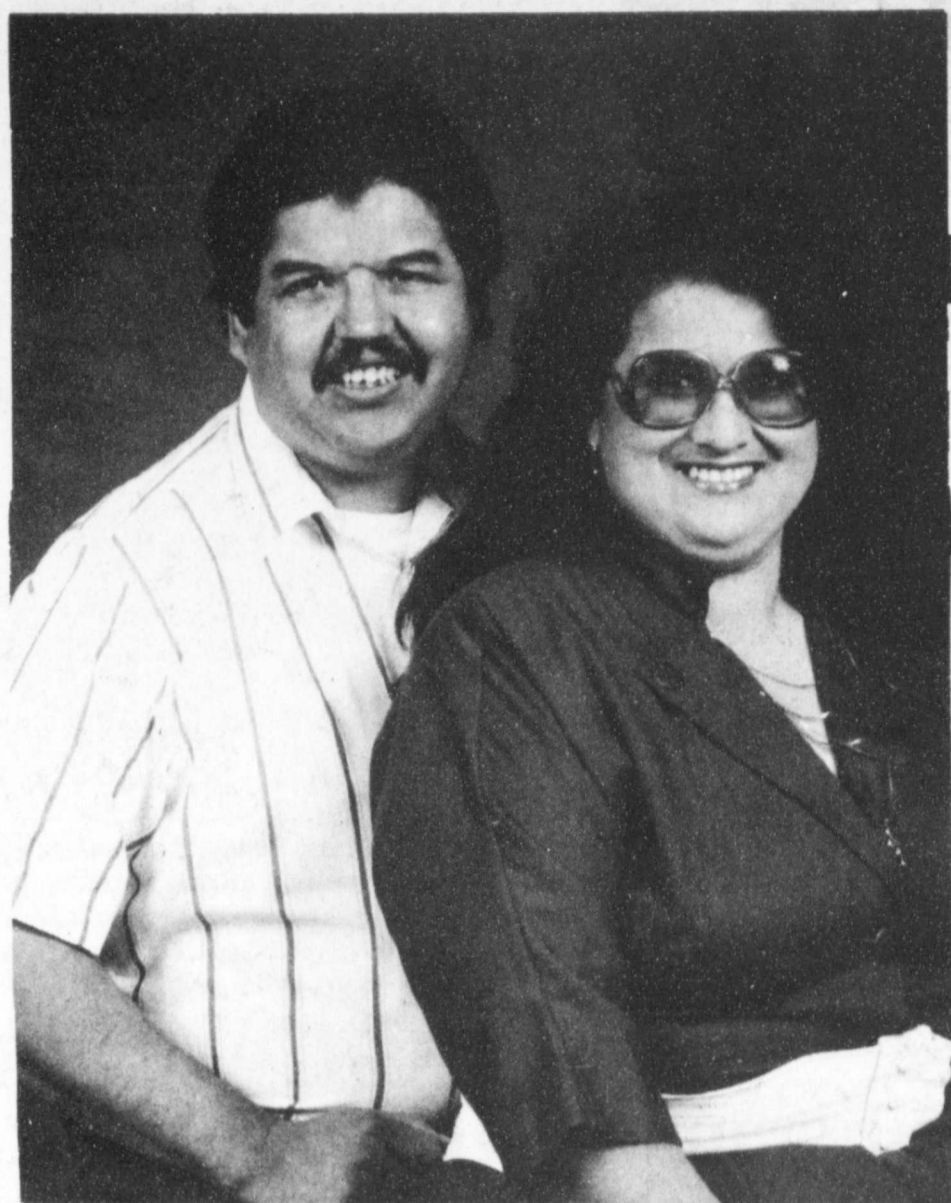
The monthly donation was made to the Nursing Home. Chapter dues were collected.

The Founder's Day dinner will be April 28, at the 50 Yard Line in Lubbock at 7:00 p.m. Everyone plan to attend.

The next meeting will be hosted by Ellen at the Lighthouse. There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Tonya served a meal of spaghetti, salad, rolls, tea, lemon pie, strawberry cake and apple pie. It was delicious.

The raffle for tonight was a ceramic Easter bunny, brought by Hope, Sara won it.



**COUPLE ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT**—Fabian and Angelita Torrez of Floydada wish to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Ofilia to Tomas M. Salazar, son of Eusebio and Josefina M. Salazar of Plainview. Miss Torrez attended Floydada High School and graduated from Robstown High School in 1976. She is currently a teacher trainee at the Texas Migrant Council in Floydada and also is employed part-time at Our Place. Salazar is a 1974 graduate of Plainview High School. He attended South Plains College in Levelland, where he was awarded an associate degree in child development. He also earned a B.A. from the College of Santa Fe. He is center director for the Texas Migrant Council in Hereford. The couple plan to be married on June 9 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Plainview. An invitation only, dance will follow the reception at the National Guard in Plainview from 8:00 p.m. to 12 midnight, with music by Los Imposables of Dimmitt.

### McAdoo to celebrate homecoming

The twelfth biennial Homecoming for McAdoo School will be held Saturday, April 28, 1990, (one day) at the school. Ex-students, ex-teachers and ex-members of the community are invited to attend.

Saturday lunch will be catered by the McAdoo Volunteer Fire Department. There will be a program and business meeting Saturday afternoon. All classes will be recognized, but honor classes for this Homecoming are the classes of 1924, 1934, 1944, 1954, 1964, 1974, and 1984. If you attended school with any of these classes, whether a graduate or not, you are included. The class of 1940 will be celebrating their 50th anniversary.

There is a basketball game and/or shooting contest tentively set for Saturday afternoon, after the business meeting. Robby Harris is in charge. Anyone is welcome to participate. There are numerous other activities planned. Hopefully, something for everyone to enjoy!

The Homecoming Dance for exes and their families will be held on Saturday night in the gym. There will be an admission charge for dancers 12 years of age and over and for non-dancers. We request that dancers not wear boots in

### Miss Palo Duro Scholarship pageant to be held in August

The Spearman Chamber of Commerce is proud to announce the inception of the Miss Palo Duro Area Scholarship Pageant. The Miss Palo Duro Area pageant is a preliminary to the Miss Texas Scholarship Pageant as well as the Miss America Pageant.

The Miss Palo Duro Area pageant will be held on Saturday, August 4, 1990, at the Spearman High School Auditorium. The winner will advance to the Miss Texas Scholarship Pageant in Fort Worth in July, 1991.

Contestants are to be a bone fide resident or a bona fide employee of the State of Texas six months prior to the local pageant. She shall be 17 years of age by September 1, 1990 and shall not be more than 26 years of age by that same date.

The contestant must be a high school

**Attend the Easter Sunrise Service, Sunday at 7:00 a.m.**

## Combined Holy Week services set

The Rev. Dale Harter and the Rev. Bill Wright will jointly preside at tonight's Maundy Thursday service of Holy Communion in the sanctuary of the United Methodist Church at 7:00 p.m.

Following the brief celebration will be a very special Tenebrae Service. This service of "shadows" is held in the dark with only seven candles for illumination. As each scripture is read and music sung, the candles are one-by-one extin-

guished; until the sanctuary is devoid of light, symbolic of a world without Christ.

Community participants who have enjoyed the candlelight services of past years are especially invited to worship with these two congregations as they remember the passion, suffering, and death of Christ, in preparation for the glorious celebrations of Easter Sunday.

Both pastors, as well as laymen from both churches, will also participate in the Good Friday observance tomorrow evening at 7:00 in the First Christian Church sanctuary. With prayers, hymns, and scriptures, the worshippers will retrace that awful Friday when the darkness that enveloped the earth led to the eternal light of Easter morn.

First Christian Church will once again hold a Sunrise Easter Service in their sanctuary at 7:00 a.m., followed by a continental breakfast.

The public is welcome at each of these special worship opportunities, as well as the regular Sunday worship services of both the United Methodist and the First Christian Churches.

## Floydada Nursing Home Happenings

By Jo Bryant

Greetings from the Floydada Nursing Home residents and staff once again. Must say a lot is going on around here. We are still in the process of remodeling, and getting ready for the Easter party and the Easter Rabbit.

Monday, Bro. Bill Wright came and shared the word with us. Irene Wexler played the piano. At 2 p.m. the residents worked on their Easter decorations once again.

Tuesday, Bro. Richardson came and brought some bananas, for the residents. He gave the Dev. too, and we sang some songs. At 2 p.m. the ladies from the Companion & Caring met at 2 p.m. for their monthly meeting. We discussed plans for the Easter party. Our party will be at 2:30 p.m. The residents will have a egg hunt, refreshments, and a Easter parade of hats.

Wednesday, Bro. Sammy Rodriguez came and gave the Dev. we sang songs. They played bingo, Knox Jameson had the first bingo again. Mary Alice Davis helped the residents play.

Thursday, the residents had their monthly Residents Council meeting. They also enjoyed some popcorn.

Friday, Evelyn Latta and Letha Mulder came and shared with us. Letha read a Psalm. Jo Bryant shared the word taken from Matt. gospel on Palm Sunday. The residents were given a Palm branch to wave and sing Hosanna to the King. In the evening the residents played dominoes.

Our love and sympathy go out to the family of Mrs. Annie Turner, and Mrs. Ada Colson. Eternal rest and peace be with them.

We want to welcome a new resident, Mr. Sam Fowler.



### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Thursday, April 12: Lori Flores, Brad Emert

Saturday, April 14: Melvin Smith, Aaron Graham, Jay Dee McGaugh

Sunday, April 15: Jennifer Harbin, Ronnie Benjamin

Monday, April 16: Katie Beth Crossland

Tuesday, April 17: C.E. Leatherman, Weldon Emert, Felipa S. Garza

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### Companions 'n' Caring name new 1990 officers

Companions 'n' Caring, volunteer organization of Floydada Nursing Home, began their ninth year of operation with a business meeting April 3 at the home. Newly-elected officers are: president, Ruth McIntosh; vice-president and telephone chairman, Sue Hoogstra; secretary-treasurer, Leona Neff, and scrapbook chairman, Dorothy Neff.

All officers were present plus immediate past-president Shirley Varner and Jo Bryant, activities director for the home. The group made plans for the Easter party which will be April 12 at 2:30. They also went over the list of residents, finding out from Jo those who are in particular need of help as in writing letters, being read to, or just plain visiting.

"There are countless opportunities to help these people who have given so much of themselves through the years, and Companions are always looking for new members. The group meets the first Tuesday of each month at 2:00, so feel free to come any time; or call one of the officers and she can give you details on the organizations. It is a wonderful avenue of service and Floydada's centennial year should be a particularly meaningful time to join," says Ruth McIntosh, president.



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## 'Winds earn second at Friona

By Bill Gray

The Whirlwind boys were paced by Adam Cates' first places in shot put (45'1") and discus (135'8"). Victor Chavarria tossed the discus 124'0" to finish third. Ryan Burns' high jump mark of 6'0" earned him the right to Regionals. Michael Henderson also received a ticket to Odessa with a second-place triple jump of 40'9".

The top two finishers in each event qualified for the Region 1-3A meet to be held at Odessa's Ratliff Stadium on April 27-28. Winners and runners-up at Odessa will advance to the State meet in May.

Freshman Tian Younger was the only Lady 'Wind to qualify for the regional meet. Younger placed second in both the 100 hurdles and the 300 hurdles, with respective times of 16.52 and 46.80.

The Tulia Hornets won nine events, while amassing 204 points, to win the team championship at the District 2-3A track meet at Friona on April 6-7. Tulia also placed second in three events. The Floydada Whirlwinds won three events and had two second-place finishes to garner runners-up in the team scoring with 122 points.

## 7th grade girls relay team earn first at Friona

Seventh grade girls track team, competing in the Friona Jr. High Relays Saturday, March 31, placed fifth with 75 total points. Accumulating the most points, overall, was Tulia with 172 points, followed by Bovina, 101; Dimmitt, 96; Muleshoe, 84; Floydada; and Friona, 30.

The 800 meter relay team of Kayla Turner, Kelly Bailey, Pepper Hinkle and Shayla Turner garnered first place with a time of 2:02.3.

Earning a second place with a time of 56.32 was the 400 meter relay team of Jennifer Harbin, Pepper Hinkle, Kayla Turner and Shayla Turner.

Leslie Warren brought home a third place in the 800 meter run with a time of 3:00.85.

Danika Dudley won third in the 400 meter dash with her time of 1:14.5. Also in the 400 meter dash was Jennifer Harbin, who placed sixth, with 1:23.7.

The 1600 meter relay team of Kayla Turner, Pepper Hinkle, Danika Dudley and Shayla Turner came in third with a total time of 4:56.76.

In the 2400 meter run, Tamie Coanougher placed fifth with a time of 11.35.

Competing in field events was sixth place winner Jennifer Harbin, 12'6-1/2" in the long jump.

In the triple jump was Kelly Bailey, 3rd, 26', and Kayla Turner, 4th, 25'1".

## Sanders brings home two firsts

Floydada's eighth grade girls track team participated in the Friona Jr. High Relays on Saturday, March 31. The team totaled up 91 points to earn them a fourth place standing. Other team results were 1st Muleshoe, 140-1/2 points; 2nd Friona, 136-1/2; 3rd Tulia, 101; Floydada; 5th Marshall, 48; and 6th Dimmitt, 39.

Crystal Sanders was the recipient of Floydada's two first place ribbons. She won in the long jump with her leap of 14'10" and in the triple jump, 28'9".

Other competitors and their placings were:

The 'Winds' 400-relay team of Victor Chavarria, Michael Henderson, Freddie Portee, and Jesse Suarez had misfortune in the final exchange in the event and missed advancing to Region by .27 of a second. Freddie Portee was third in the 100 meters, missing a Regional trip by a quarter of a second.

Freshman Michael Henderson edged Huey of Littlefield and led the Green and White to victory in the 200 meters. Teammate Jesse Suarez ran third in the 200 with a time of 23.53.



**TAKING A FALL** -- Tian Younger, running on the right moved to a second place finish in the 300 meter hurdle event at the district track meet as the leader, Wendy Ethredge of Dimmitt goes down after striking the final hurdle in the race. She recovered to finish fourth with Mindy Milner of Friona in first, Younger second and Tulia's Nikki Altman came in third.

Photo by Jim Reynolds

## Two girls' relay teams win first at Lubbock Cooper

The 8th grade girls 800 meter relay team of Linda Dagley, Kathy Luna, LuAnn Martinez and Robin Brown came home with a first place ribbon from the Lubbock Cooper track meet last Friday, April 6. Their total time was 2:04:42. The field events relay team also placed first with a time of 1:02. Team members are Pat Juarez, Janyce Fowler, Stacey Meyers and Carrie Emert.

Overall the girls team added up 135 points for a third place standing. Other teams competing were 1st Muleshoe, 149 points; 2nd Cooper, 146; 3rd Floydada; 4th Post, 96; and 5th Lubbock Christian, 21.

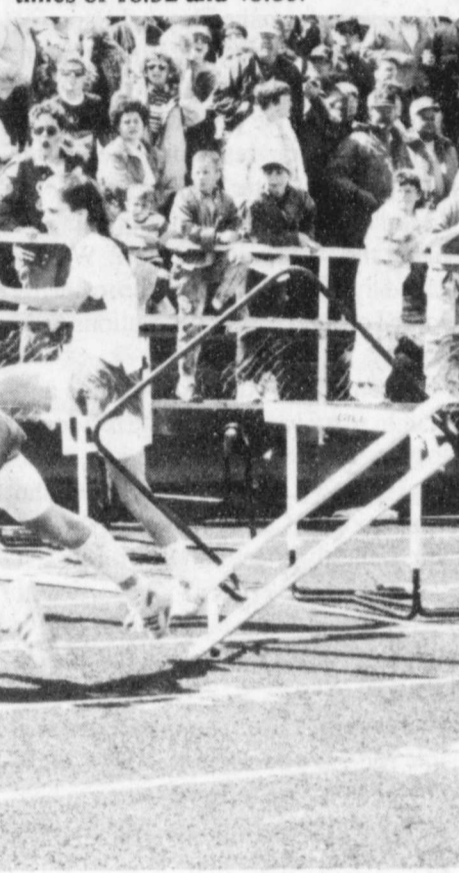
Results of local competitors in the meet were:

**400 meter relay:** 2nd (Linda Dagley, Angie Maldonado, Kristy Hinsley, Crystal Sanders), 57:21

**800 meter run:** 3rd Jessica Garcia, 2:56; 4th Robin Brown, 3:01; 6th Jennifer Givens, 3:09

In the girls' division, the Lady 'Winds placed fifth with 63 points. The Tulia girls were tops with 200 points, followed by Dimmitt's 124 points.

Zora Woody had a 78'2-1/2" effort in the discus for third place, and Floydada captured third in the 400 relay. Elisa Suarez placed third in the 400 meters with a time of 62.61. Freshman Tian Younger was the only Lady 'Wind to qualify for the Region meet. Younger placed second in both the 100 hurdles and the 300 hurdles, with respective times of 16.52 and 46.80.



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**400 meter dash:** 2nd Kristy Hinsley, 1:08:03

**800 meter relay:** 1st (Linda Dagley, Kathy Luna, LuAnn Martinez, Robin Brown), 2:04:42

**200 meter dash:** 3rd Angie Maldonado, 29:43; 4th Kathy Luna, 30.24

**1600 meter run:** 3rd Jennifer Givens, 6:34

**1600 meter relay:** 2nd (Linda Dagley, Kristy Hinsley, Angie Maldonado, Crystal Sanders), 4:48:82

**Field events relay:** 1st (Pat Juarez, Janyce Fowler, Stacey Meyers, Carrie Emert), 1:02

**Long jump:** 2nd Crystal Sanders, 13'8"; 5th Angie Maldonado, 12'11"

**High jump:** 2nd Linda Dagley, 4'6"

**Triple jump:** 2nd Angie Maldonado, 29'3-3/4"; 4th Crystal Sanders, 28'3"

**400 meter relay:** 3rd (Brandy Lackey, Angie Maldonado, Kristy Hinsley, Crystal Sanders), 56:32

**800 meter run:** 3rd Jennifer Givens, 2:59; 5th Jessica Garcia, 3:00

**100 meter low hurdles:** 3rd Brandy Lackey, :18.02

**400 meter dash:** 2nd Kristy Hinsley, 1:10

**200 meter dash:** 5th Angie Maldonado, 29.93; 6th Kathy Luna, 30.05

**1600 meter run:** 3rd Jennifer Givens, 7:04.15; 6th Jessica Garcia, 7:16

**1600 meter relay:** 2nd (Brandy Lackey, Kristy Hinsley, Angie Maldonado, Crystal Sanders), 4:46.8

**2400 meter run:** 5th Jennifer Givens, 11:02

**Long jump:** 1st Crystal Sanders, 14'10"; 6th Angie Maldonado, 13'

**Triple jump:** 1st Crystal Sanders, 28'9"; 2nd Angie Maldonado, 28'

**400 meter relay:** 2nd (Israel Medrano, Tony Hernandez, Jessie Gourdon, Jesus DeHoyos), 50.04

**800 meter run:** 1st Jessie Gourdon, 2:25; 6th Robert Eckert, 2:38; Rod Vela, 2:45.42

**110 meter high hurdles:** Tate Glasscock, 20.44; Gabriel DeLaFuente, 20.56; Joey Enriquez, 23.49

**100 meters dash:** Joey Enriquez, 13.57; Eddie Rodriguez, 13.52; Aaron Noland, 14.2

**400 meters dash:** 1st Jesus DeHoyos, 57.2; 2nd Brandon Daniels, 59.95; Nathan Carr, 71.1

**200 meter int. hurdles:** 1st Tony Hernandez, 29.4; 5th Joey Enriquez, 30.47; Tate Glasscock, 48.0

**200 meter dash:** 1st Israel Medrano, 26.0; Brandon Daniels, 26.6; Randy Gregg, 29.9

**1600 meter run:** 2nd Pete Vallejo, 5:39; 6th Rod Vela, 5:48; Gabriel DeLaFuente, 6:12

**1600 meter relay:** 1st Tony Hernandez (58.64), Israel Medrano (60.28), Brandon Daniels (60.74), Jesus DeHoyos (58.5), 3:57.97

**Shot put:** 1st Adam Gonzales, 48'9-1/2"; Rafael DeOchoa, 35'; Brandon Gilliland, 33'

**Discus:** 1st Adam Gonzales, 128'; 2nd Brandon Gilliland, 121'; Rafael DeOchoa, 108'

**Long jump:** 3rd Jesus DeHoyos; 4th (tie) Israel Medrano, Jessie Gourdon, 16'1"

**High jump:** 2nd Joey Enriquez, 5'4"; Eddie Rodriguez, 5'2"; Jessie



**WINNING EFFORT** -- Whirlwind Adam Cates' toss of 45'1" in the shot put was tops at the District 2-3A track meet in Friona on April 6-7. Cates also captured first place in discus (135'8") and will advance to Region in both events. Other regional qualifiers from Floydada were Michael Henderson (200 meters and triple jump), Ryan Burns (high jump), and Freddie Portee (100 meters). Freshman Tian Younger is the only Lady 'Wind to advance to regionals (100 and 300 hurdles).

Staff Photo

## Six earn blue ribbons at Lubbock Cooper Relays

Floydada Junior High's eighth grade track team brought home a second place win from the Lubbock Cooper track meet Friday, April 6.

Standings for competing teams were: 1st Muleshoe, 173 points; 2nd Floydada, 159; 3rd Cooper, 76; 4th Slaton, 70; 5th Roosevelt, 21, and 6th Post, 11.

Earning blue ribbons in track events were Jessie Gourdon in the 800 meter run with a time of 2:25; Jesus DeHoyos in the 400 meters dash with a time of 57.2; Tony Hernandez, 200 meter int. hurdles, 29.4; and Israel Medrano, 200 meters dash, 26.0.

The 1600 meter relay team, consisting of Tony Hernandez (58.64), Israel Medrano (60.28), Brandon Daniels (60.74), and Jesus DeHoyos (58.5), also garnered a first place ribbon with their time of 3:57.97.

Competing in field events was Adam Gonzales, who won a first place in shot put with a distance of 48'9-1/2", and a first in discus with a distance of 128'.

Complete results of the meet were as follows:

**400 meter relay:** 2nd (Israel Medrano, Tony Hernandez, Jessie Gourdon, Jesus DeHoyos), 50.04

**800 meter run:** 1st Jessie Gourdon, 2:25; 6th Robert Eckert, 2:38; Rod Vela, 2:45.42

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## Seventh grade Breezers vie in Pirate Relays

Floydada Junior High boys competed in the Pirate Relays at Lubbock Cooper on Friday, April 6. Floydada placed second in the overall standings.

Team totals were as follows: 1. Slaton, 122; 2. Floydada, 94; 3. Lubbock Roosevelt, 90.5; 4. Post, 77; 5. Muleshoe, 73.5; 6. Lubbock Cooper, 44; and 7. Lubbock Christian, 22.

In the field events, J.R. Quilantan was first in the long jump with a leap of 17'1-1/2". Michael Gourdon placed third in the high jump with a jump of 4'10".

In running events, the 400 meter relay team of J.R. Quilantan, Ian McIntosh, Michael Gourdon, and D.G. Hollums placed 5th.

Michael Gourdon won the 800 meters in 2:25.07 with Corey Johnston second in 2:37.2.

In the 100 meters, J.R. Quilantan won the event in 12.46 and then came back to win the 200 in 26.23.

Ian McIntosh took home top honors in the 400 meters in 63.00, while Jimmy Taylor finished 4th in 67.34.

The 1600 meter run was won by Corey Johnston in 5:53.2.

The 1600 meter relay team of Michael Gourdon, Joel Himes, Bruno Mendez and Ian McIntosh rounded out the scoring by placing 3rd in 4:19.65.

**HAVE A NICE DAY!**

## 7th grade girls earn second in Lubbock Cooper meet

Floydada's seventh grade girls earned a second place at the Lubbock Cooper track meet Friday, April 6. Post amassed the most points, 234, for the first place position. Floydada followed with 103; Cooper, 93; Muleshoe, 63; and Lubbock Christian, 31.

Bringing home a first place ribbon was Danika Dudley, with a time of 1:11.10 in the 400 meter dash.

The 1600 relay team also garnered a 1st place ribbon with their time of 5:08.

Team members are Jennifer Harbin, Pepper Hinkle, Danika Dudley and Shayla Turner.

Shayla Turner.

Other competitors and their place in the meet were:

**400 meter relay:** 2nd (Jennifer Harbin, Pepper Hinkle, Kayla Turner, Shayla Turner), 58:23

**800 meter run:** 2nd Tamie Coanougher, 3:01.93; 6th Leslie Warren, 3:07

**100 meter dash:** 4th Misti Bertrand, 15.24

**400 meter dash:** 1st Danika Dudley, 1:11.10

**800 meter relay:** 2nd (Kayla Turner, Kelly Bailey, Pepper Hinkle, Shayla Turner), 2:08:08

**1600 meter run:** 2nd Tamie Coanougher, 6:38

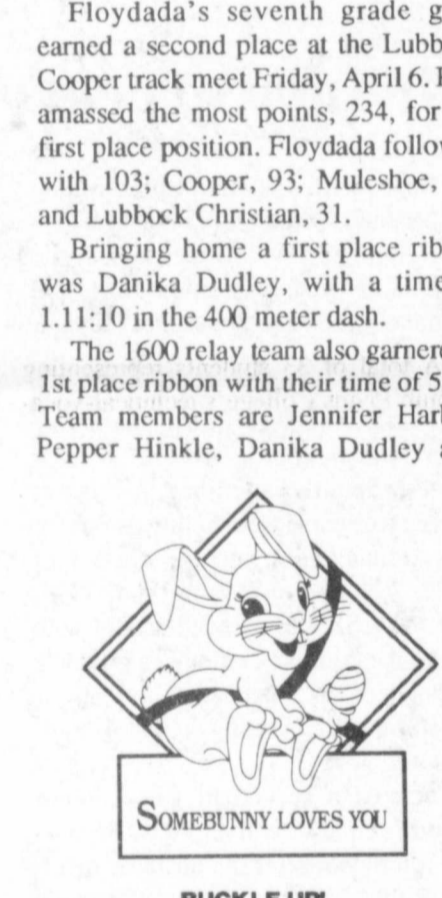
**1600 meter relay:** 1st (Jennifer Harbin, Pepper Hinkle, Danika Dudley, Shayla Turner), 5:08

**Field event relay:** 2nd (Yeary, Cage, Ware, Harris), 1:08

**Discus:** 6th Smith, 52'1"

**Long jump:** 6th Jennifer Harbin, 12'

**Triple jump:** 2nd Kayla Turner, 26'7"; 4th Shayla Turner 26'3-1/4"; 6th Kelly Bailey, 24'



## Office of the SECRETARY OF STATE

George S. Bayoud, Jr.  
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April 4, 1990

The Honorable Ben Ayres  
Floyd Democratic County Chairman  
P. O. Box 87  
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Dear Ben:

This office has completed the review of all of the reports that were submitted by the election inspectors that were deployed across the state on March 13, 1990, election day. The report on your county indicated that the election was conducted in accordance with the Texas Election Code. You are to be commended on the professionalism and expertise shown by all of the election personnel in your county.

Thank you and congratulations again on the superb conduct of the primary election in your county.

If I can ever be of service, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Yours truly,  
  
George S. Bayoud, Jr.  
Secretary of State  
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cc: Honorable Margaret Collier  
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The above letter is being published to erase the stigma of dishonesty placed on our party by the people who signed and filed the petition with the Secretary of State requesting election inspectors to be stationed at each of our voting precincts in the First Primary Election. We hope this will eliminate any doubts or suspicions that might have been implanted in the minds of our citizens.  
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**FIRST OF A TRIPLE** -- Michael Henderson, Floydada triple jump competitor, comes down on the first of three leaps at district track meet held in Friona last Saturday. Henderson earned a second place finish in the event to garner a trip to regional competition in Odessa.

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Garcia, Andi Probasco, Laura Mendez, Amanda Barnett, Nicole Butler; (front row, l-r) Patrick Hernandez, Juan Garcia, Kayla Tierce, Mandy Breed, Lupe Delgado, Chris Hartline, Lindsey Whitten and Manuel DeLaFuente.

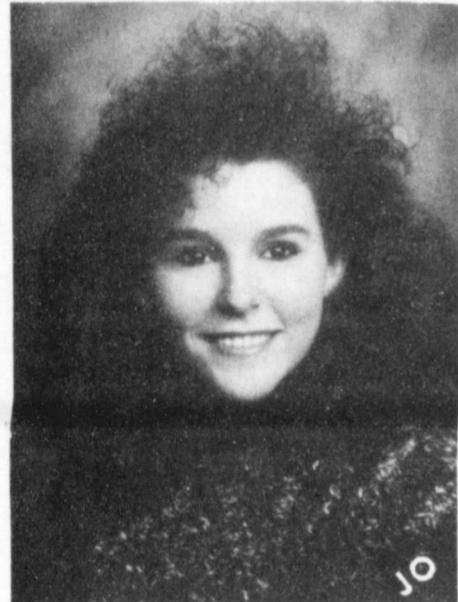
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## The Mighty '90

By Libby Anderson

The first senior featured in this week's spotlight is Jo Lee Ellis. She is the daughter of Dana and Otis Ellis.

Jo Lee has devoted much of her time to F.H.S. Activities. She has been head of the varsity cheerleading squad and has lead them through a great year. She is also currently editor of the annual staff. In her previous years through high school she was vice president of FHA her sophomore year, varsity cheerleader, co-editor of the annual staff and received class recognition all in her junior year.



JO LEE ELLIS

Her favorite movie is Die Hard; TV show, Cheers; and food, seafood.

Jo Lee's future plans include attending North Texas State University and marriage.

The second senior featured is Leslie Enriquez. She is the daughter of Roberta and Juan Enriquez. She has attended school in Floydada for 12 years. She was a student council representative her freshman year and poster chairman her freshman, sophomore and senior years. She is also currently employed at The Sweet Shop.

In her leisure time, she enjoys watching the Arsenio Hall Show or reading her favorite comic strip, The Looney Tunes. If she could travel to any place in the world she would visit France, with her husband.

Leslie's future plans include attending West Texas State University and becoming an architect.



**FOURTH GRADE WINNERS** -- Fourth graders from R.C. Andrews who placed in the regional science fair included (left to right) Jacob Thrasher, Warren Bishop, Shannon Ware, Valerie Taylor and Amanda Fawver.

Staff Photo

## Area students honored at SPC

A total of 33 students representing South Plains College's technical-vocational-occupational division have been named outstanding students in their respective programs for the months of March and April.

"We wanted to recognize outstanding students in the technical-vocational division for their achievements in the classroom and for their contributions to South Plains College as a whole," said Frank Hunt, dean of the TVO division. "We began the initial recognition series

last year and plan to continue again this year," he said.

Pam Woody, of Floydada, was named an outstanding TVO student in the field

of law enforcement.

Sundai Workman, of Lockney, was named an outstanding TVO student in the area of cosmetology.



**FEATURE TEACHER** -- Julie Lackey was selected as the featured teacher at A. B. Duncan Elementary this week. She has taught in Floydada for 10 years after graduating from FHS and attending Angelo State University, South Plains College and Texas Tech University. She is married to local farmer Jay Lackey and has a 2 1/2 year old, Kristan, and a baby due this month. Her hobbies include reading, cross-stitch and sewing. She feels that school should be a place where children are helped to feel good about themselves. "We want them to be self-assured and feel positive about their future," said Lackey.

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### Floydada School Menu

April 16-20

**Monday:**  
No School.

**Tuesday:**

Breakfast — Pineapple juice, cinnamon toast, milk

Lunch — Chicken fried steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, sugar cookie, hot rolls, milk

**Wednesday:**

Breakfast — Grape juice, hot oatmeal cereal, toast, milk

Lunch — Macaroni w/meat sauce, fried okra, corn, peaches, hot roll, milk

**Thursday:**

Breakfast — Orange juice, pancakes, syrup, milk

Lunch — Beef and bean burrito, Spanish rice, tossed salad, fruit cup, milk

**Friday:**

Breakfast — Apple juice, dry cereal, toast, milk

Lunch — Hamburger w/mustard, French fries w/catsup, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, peach cobbler, milk

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## Students participate in science fair

Andrews Elementary students participated last weekend in a regional science fair in Lubbock and ten students came home winners.

The regional science fair was at Texas Tech University, April 6 and 7.

The following sixth graders received 2nd place ribbons: Jodie Villarreal, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Villarreal, with her project titled, "Crystal Growth";

Zack Abshier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Adams, with his "Electric Mo-

tor" project;

Anthony Emert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Emert, and his project "Does Water Exert Pressure?";

Dolores DeLaFuente, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jose DeLaFuente, with her project "What's In a Fingerprint?";

Lyndi Probasco, daughter of Mitch Probasco, with her project "Do You Think Better Sitting or Standing?";

Fourth graders also participated in the science fair. Placing first in Physical Science were Warren Bishop and

Amanda Fawver. Bishop is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bishop. Fawver is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Fawver.

Third place awards in Biological Science went to fourth graders: Valerie Taylor, Jacob Thrasher and Shannon Ware.

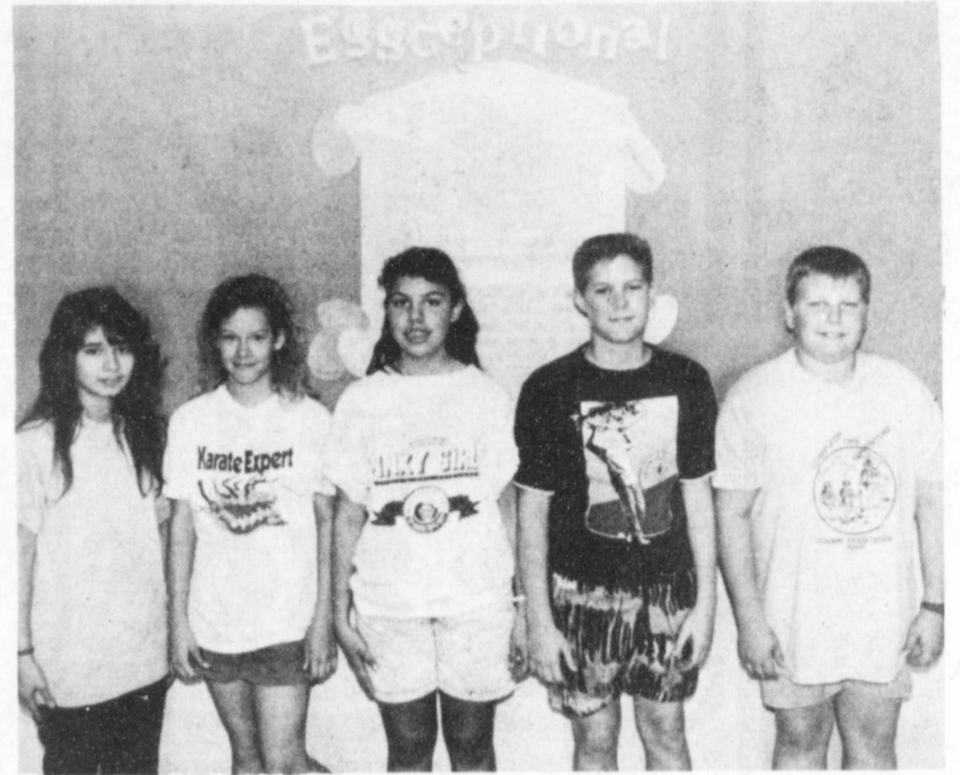
Valerie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gourdon;

Jacob is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A.T. Thrasher.

Shannon Ware is the daughter of Vicki Derryberry.

### DON'T FORGET!

Don't forget to sign up for arts and crafts and food booths for this year's Old Settlers Reunion and 100th birthday celebration. Deadline to sign up is May 1.



**SCIENCE FAIR WINNERS** -- R. C. Andrews sixth graders who placed at the recent regional Science Fair included: (left to right) Dolores DeLaFuente, Lyndi Probasco, Jodie Villarreal, Zack Abshier and Anthony Emert.

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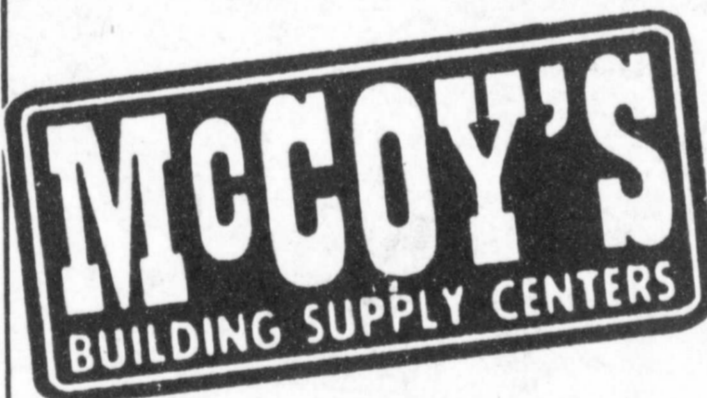
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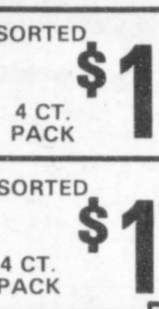




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 <p>CHINET 16 OZ. BOWL 15 CT. PKG. <b>\$1.19</b></p>	 <p>CHINET 6 1/2 INCH DESSERT PLATES 20 CT. PKG. <b>\$1.19</b></p>	 <p>GLAD-LOCK QUART STORAGE BAG 20 CT. BOX <b>\$1.39</b></p>	 <p>ACRYLIC FLOOR FINISH FUTURE 27 OZ. BTL. <b>\$3.19</b></p>
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## Leftover nutrients stored in soil

Lack of adequate rainfall for the past two years, coupled with lower than normal yields for last year's cotton crop, may mean South Plains cotton farmers already have enough of some nutrients stored in their soil for this year's crop, says a soil chemist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Considering the drought we have experienced over the last two years, particularly last year, with the reduced yields that we had over the entire area, residual soil nutrients must be considered," Dr. Michael Hickey, head of the Extension Service Soil Testing Laboratory here, cautioned cotton farmers.

"The low-yielding cotton we grew last year was unable to utilize the fertilizer materials that were applied," Hickey said. "And from harvest until the present, we haven't had moisture that would leach any appreciable nutrients,

in particular nitrogen, deep into the (soil) profile."

Much of the fertilizer applied last year will still be in the soil and can be used by this year's crop, which is yet to be planted, the soil chemist explained.

"If we don't consider those materials, the possibility exists for the over-application of fertilizer," which could have harmful effects, Hickey said.

Especially late in the growing season, high soil nitrogen levels coupled with excessive rainfall could cause regrowth problems, with the plant devoting energy to producing new foliage instead of maturing existing bolls.

Hickey recommended that farmers collect soil samples which are representative of their field and have them analyzed by the Extension Service Soil Testing Laboratory at Lubbock or some other laboratory of their choice.

He said local county extension agents have instructions on how to properly collect samples and could suggest laboratories. In addition to the sample, the farmer should enclose a realistic yield expectation for the crop he plans to grow in the field, Hickey said.

## Chemical costs and food safety make nozzle tip selection crucial

Because of today's chemical costs and the concern over food safety and environmental quality, proper and accurate chemical application is a must.

Nozzle tips are the most important part of a spray rig in regard to proper, even distribution of chemicals. Yet, nozzle tips are undoubtedly the most mis-used, abused, and neglected part of the sprayer. Nozzle tips should be carefully selected so that the nozzle type and size properly matches the intended spray operation.

Tips are made from such materials as aluminum, brass, stainless steel, nylon, hardened steel, and tungsten carbide. The rate of nozzle wear depends on: the make of the nozzle, spray pressure, and the properties of the chemical being applied. Nozzle tips should be replaced after a 10 percent variation in flow begins to occur. Hardened stainless steel tips are the most resistant to wear, followed by nylon. These more wear-resistant tips should be used when spraying wettable powder formulations. Nozzle tips can wear out faster than most people realize. At higher pressures, aluminum or brass tips can be worn out in less than 10 hours of operation, depending on the chemical being applied.

The most commonly used nozzle types include: flat spray (tapered edges), flat spray (even edges), flood type, hollow cone, solid cone, and solid stream.

Flat spray or fan nozzles with tapered edges produce narrow, elliptical spray patterns. These are general purpose nozzles, and are most often used for broadcast the risk of pesticide exposure. Never blow through a nozzle tip to unclog it.

Remember... nozzle tips don't last forever. Worn nozzle tips should be discarded and replaced. Nozzle tip replacement is pretty economical when one realizes that a 10 percent over-application of chemical on a twice-sprayed 1000 acre farm could represent a loss of \$2,000, based on a chemical investment of \$10 per acre. This does not take into account potential crop damage.

For more information, contact your local county extension office.

## Research farm located at Lamesa

A full-scale research farm, which will give agricultural scientists a chance to test new technology under conditions in which farmers grow their crops in the South Plains, is being established here in a cooperative effort by the Lamesa Cotton Growers, the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Called the Agricultural Complex for Advanced Research and Extension Systems (AG-CARES), it is believed to be the only such full-scale farm in the country for validation and incorporation of crop research and extension programs, said Dr. Bob Robinson, district Extension director at Lubbock.

The 160-acre farm is on U.S. Highway 87 two miles north of town. It will include both dryland and irrigated crops, said Dr. John R. Abernathy, resident director of research for the Experiment Station at Lubbock.

The support of the Lamesa Cotton Growers, in providing the land and to her facilities, makes it possible to carry out research that cannot be adequately evaluated in small plot areas, said Kent Nix, president of the growers' association.

Research at the farm will include conservation tillage, effects of wind on cotton, environmentally sound management practices, sustainable agriculture, use and management of plant residue cover, precise water and fertilizer application, optimal varietal response, insect interaction within farming systems, weed management, computer and economic modeling, and alternate crops.

Initial plantings at the farm will include cotton, wheat, grain sorghum and other crops, such as sesame.

In addition to the site, the producers also are providing a low-energy precision application (LEPA), center-pivot sprinkler system; farm equipment, utilities, seed, fertilizer and chemicals; and financial support for a technician to be located in Lamesa.

The Experiment Station and Extension Service will provide a research plan, technical expertise of research scientists and extension specialists and specialized equipment for special studies; will plan, conduct and evaluate the research, conduct tours and demonstrations, and disseminate results of the work. All income derived from the operation of the farm will return to Lamesa Cotton Growers.

Operation of the farm for the next five years will be guided by a steering committee composed of Dr. William Lyle, professor of irrigation engineering, and Dr. Wayne Keeling, assistant professor of systems agronomy, with the Experiment Station; Donald Vogler, producer, Lamesa Cotton Growers; Dawson County Extension Agent John Farris and Dr. James R. Supak, Extension cotton specialist.

Experiment Station scientists at Lubbock initiated farming systems research in 1985 in an effort to increase farm profitability, reduce wind and water erosion and maintain agricultural sustainability.

Since then, components of farming systems tests at Wellman, Lubbock and Halfway have increased cotton profitability by 20 to 40 percent, Abernathy said. The AG-CARES farm will allow movement of this technology to a "real

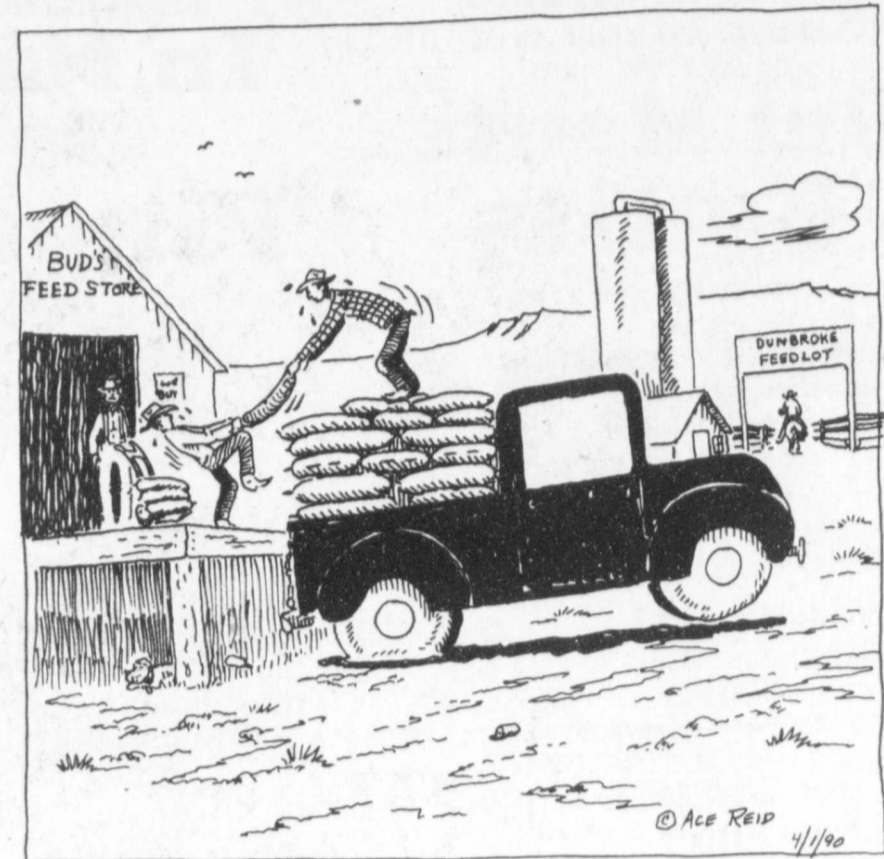
world" situation, he said.

"There are many components of our farming systems research, such as effects of wind, that we can't adequately evaluate in small plot tests," Abernathy

said. "At the same time, agricultural technology has become so complex that individual farmers have neither the time nor finances to justify extensive farm experimentation

## COWPOKES

By Ace Reid



"Yeah, we jist got over one drought, now we're gittin' ready fer another one."

## Cotton Board members named

Secretary of Agriculture Clayton Yeutter has appointed eight members and nine alternates to the Cotton Board, which administers the Cotton Research and Promotion Program.

Through voluntary assessments, U.S. Upland cotton producers fund the Cotton Research and Promotion program which is carried out by Cotton Incorporated under contract with the Cotton Board.

Twenty producer-members and their alternates, plus one public member who serves without an alternate, comprise the Cotton Board. The board members and alternates serve staggered three-year terms, representing each cotton-producing state with membership proportional to production.

By state, the appointments are:

**Alabama** - member, Hugh H. Summerville, Jr., Aliceville; alternate, W. Homer Tate, Meridianville (reappointed);

**California** - member, Glen R. Stevens, Fresno (reappointed); alternate, William H. Crivelli, Dos Palos (reappointed);

**Missouri** - member, John D. Hux, Jr., Sikeston (reappointed); alternate, Otto Bean, Jr., Holcomb (reappointed);

**New Mexico** - member, D. Devaun Richins, Animas (reappointed); alternate, William E. Bonham, Roswell (reappointed);

**Oklahoma** - member, David S. Stratton, Clinton (reappointed); alternate, Doyle R. Loftiss, Dill City (reappointed);

**South Carolina** - member, Billy H. McCoy, Jr., Oswego (reappointed); alternate, C. Blain Player, Bishopville (reappointed);

**Tennessee** - member, Robert W.

Griggs, Humbolt; alternate, James C. Bond, Denmark;

**Texas** - member, Keith A. Streeby, Levelland; alternate, Wayne C. Huffaker, Tahoka; alternate, Roy D. McCallister, Slaton.

The appointees will serve for terms ending December 31, 1992, except for Texas alternate Roy D. McCallister, appointed to complete the unexpired term of Keith A. Streeby, who has been appointed a Texas member. McCallister will serve until December 31, 1990.



**4-M BROTHERS RECOGNIZED**—4-M Brothers, Floydada, area dealer for the New Northrup King, was recently recognized for outstanding 1989 sales achievement at award ceremonies held February 24, at the Inn of the Mountain Gods in Mescalero, NM. The New Northrup King recognizes dealers at three levels for both sales volume increases and net sales increases. Award winners receive personalized plaques with gold, silver or bronze medallions. Lyle and LaTriesha Miller, representing 4-M Brothers, were presented with the Most Valuable Player (MVP) Silver Sales Award for net sales increases. According to District Sales Manager Floyd Boone, "4-M Brothers earned their award by selling more than seed. They gave customers a high level of personal service, including agronomic assistance." 4-M Brothers was among 36 area dealers presented with awards from The New Northrup King.

## Nelson elected president

Swisher and Hale County cotton producer and ginner Larry Nelson, April 5, was elected president of Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., succeeding Steve Verett of Ralls.

The election of officers was held by the organization's Board of Directors after PCG's 33rd annual meeting in Lubbock Memorial Civic Center. Other officers elected were Wayne Huffaker of Tahoka, vice president, and Frank B. Jones, Jr. of Lamesa, secretary-treasurer. The Board is made up of two members elected from each of PCG's 25 counties. Thirty-five of the fifty members were present for the election.

Nelson has been a Swisher County director since 1980 and an officer since 1986. He served two years each as secretary-treasurer and vice president, and in 1987 was chairman of the Finance Committee. A well-known leader in the industry, he is a member of the Cotton Incorporated Board of Directors, current president of the Texas Cotton Ginners Association and a past president of the Texas Independent Ginners Association. Nelson holds an agricultural engineering degree from Texas Tech University. He and his wife, Rena, have two children, Kevin and Judy.

Verett, a PCG director since 1985, had served the maximum two one-year terms as president. Under PCG by-laws he automatically becomes Chairman of the Board, replacing Myrl D. Mitchell of Lenorah. Mitchell continues as a Martin County director.

PCG's new vice president, Huffaker, has been a Lynn County director since 1982. He served as secretary-treasurer in 1988 and 1989, is a member of the organization's Boll Weevil Steering Committee and a member and past chairman of the Plains Cotton Improvement Committee. He was chairman of the PCG Finance Committee in 1988 and 1989. Huffaker and his wife, Rachel, have two children, Wayne Jr. "Cal", and Ralph.

Secretary-treasurer Jones became a PCG officer for the first time after 15 years as a director. The longtime Dawson County producer, ginner and cattleman is a 1960 graduate of the University of Texas and was graduated from Harvard Business School in 1968. A past chairman of PCG's Boll Weevil Steering Committee, Jones is also past president of the Cotton Foundation, a producer delegate to the National Cotton Council, chairman of the NCC Producer Task Force on Environmental Issues, and a past chairman of the NCC Producer Steering Committee.

Over 250 cotton producers, ginners, and other cotton-related businessmen and women attended the PCG membership meeting. Guest speakers were Lester J. Smith, Vice President and Director of Purchasing of Cone Mills, Greensboro, N.C., and Phillip C. Burnett, Executive Vice President of the National Cotton Council.

Reports were heard at the meeting from retiring President Verett, Executive Vice President Donald Johnson, Plains Cotton Improvement Committee Chairman Mitchell, and Boll Weevil Steering Committee Chairman Jarrell Edwards of O'Donnell. Edwards concluded his report by presenting a Distinguished Service Award to Roy Moritz of Lubbock who retired in 1989 as manager of PCG's Boll Weevil Control Program.



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# Absentee voting starts next week in city elections

Absentee voting for city school and hospital spring elections gets underway early next week. Local voters may cast their ballots during regular office hours each weekday from then until May 1.

## CITY COUNCIL

City Hall is the designated polling place for city council election voters from April 16 to May 1. All registered voters residing within the Floydada City Limits may cast their vote to select two at-large councilmen. Incumbent Wayne Russell is being challenged by Ricky Vasquez and Eric Cornelius as the trio pursue the two council posts.

Only voters residing in Districts 1 and 4 may vote for the representative in

those districts. Wayne Tipton, the incumbent, is unchallenged as he seeks election to the District 4 council seat.

Amado Morales, the incumbent in District 1, has two opponents in his bid for reelection. Challenging are Don Green and Jack Ochoa.

## HOSPITAL BOARD

Two members of the Caprock Hospital District are up for reelection this spring. Fred Thayer and Melba Vickers are each seeking a return trip to the board of directors for the hospital. No opponents filed for the positions.

Voters living within the hospital district may cast ballots at the county clerk's office in the Floyd County

Courthouse in Floydada from April 16 to May 1.

## SCHOOL BOARD

Absentee ballots may be cast at the administrative offices of FISD beginning April 17 and ending May 1. All registered voters living within Floydada Independent School District may vote for an at-large trustee. Michael Hinsley is running unopposed for reelection to the post.

Incumbent Adolfo Garcia has one opponent in his bid for reelection to the trustee seat in Precinct 3 of the school district. Only voters who reside in that area will vote for this trustee post.



CRUSADERS PREPARE--Workers for the upcoming cancer crusade have been busy stuffing packets for the block captains. The crusade will last from April 22-May 4. Staff Photo

# County Commissioners Court...

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The bid offered a trade-in allowance of \$83,820 plus a guaranteed maintenance cost of \$3500 for 5 years or 5000 hours, making a net cost to the county of \$37,000. Attached to the bid was a statement asserting that total cost bids involving guaranteed buy back figures are not legal means of bidding in the state of Texas and that their bid should not be rejected because it does not contain a buy back figure.

The second bidder was West Texas Equipment Company which submitted a bid of \$115,452 on a Caterpillar 140GBHP. The bid offered a trade-in allowance of \$84,000 and guaranteed maintenance costs of \$3500 for 5 years or 5000 hours. This places the cost of the machine at \$34,952. The bid also offered a guaranteed buy back anytime within 5 years or 5000 hours of \$81,000.

Commissioner Floyd Jackson made a motion to award the bid to West Texas Equipment Company. The motion was seconded by commissioner Connie Bearden and unanimously approved by the court.

The two bids submitted by the same firms for a grader in Precinct 3 were opened and read. The bids offered the same sale prices, but carried three trade-in options based on three machines to be considered for trade-ins. Commissioner George Taylor moved that a decision be delayed until the next regular session of the court so that the court could consider all the options for trade-ins offered. This was seconded by Bearden and approved by unanimous vote.

## INSURANCE BID CONSIDERED

Jim Bob Martin of J & K Insurance in Lockney met with the court to present a bid for health insurance coverage for county employees. The plan he offered is under the auspices of the Texas Panhandle Medical Group operating through the Commonwealth Insurance Company of Indiana.

Martin displayed a plan which would apparently provide better coverage and benefits for the employees for a premium approximately the same as the current Blue Cross/Blue Shield premium.

The court opted to further consider the plan and check out the two insurance companies involved.

## OTHER MATTERS

The Extension Service asked permission to hire a temporary replacement for secretary Phyllis Harris who is leaving the department. Extension agent Mary True felt that a temporary would allow the department to take applications and hire a permanent replacement in a few weeks. The request was approved.

The Lockney branch of the Floyd County Library is moving north of the current location to the vacant shop next door. This move will give them more room. The court approved the move which will not cost the county anything. The rent is the same and any costs incurred from the move will be paid out of library funds.

The financial report for the month of March and the first quarter of 1990 was presented by treasurer Glenna Orman. Orman stated that the county began the month of March with fund balances of \$283,995.44 and took in receipts of \$353,611.71. Disbursements totaled \$258,723.58, leaving fund balance of \$378,883.57. The county has \$180,000 of these funds in certificates of deposit which have earned \$18,378.49 in interest to augment future county operating funds. Orman also reported that 94.07% of the current tax role has been collected as of April 9.

Judge Hardin announced the approval of grievance committee appointments. Mark Sherman, Charles Carr and Nora Collins have agreed to serve on the county committee.

Farm work contracts were approved

for two people, Angel Araujo and Keith Thomas. Contract #818, previously approved for Gerald Ford, was voided at the request of commissioner Jackson.

Attending the session were Judge Bill Hardin, commissioners Connie Bearden, Floyd Jackson, George Taylor and Kay Crabtree. Also present were Glenna Orman, Janie McAnally, Lowell Bilbrey, Fred Cardinal, Howard Bishop, representatives from bidders and the Hesperian reporter.

# Turnout low in primary runoff

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McCoy: Mattox, 1; Richards, 2; Bowden, 2; Van Hightower, 0; Gammage, 3; Sears, 0; Maloney, 2; Overstreet, 1.

S.E. Floydada: Mattox, 62; Richards, 50; Bowden, 53; Van Hightower, 42; Gammage, 79; Sears, 17; Maloney, 43; Overstreet, 42.

N.E. Floydada: Mattox, 10; Richards, 9; Bowden, 10; Van Hightower, 6; Gammage, 16; Sears, 3; Maloney, 11; Overstreet, 3.

A breakdown of votes (including absentee) in the Republican primary runoff is as follows:

East Lockney, Providence, Lone Star, W. Lockney: Yarbrough, 4; Wes Gilbreath, 14; Perry, 19; McIver, 1.

S.W. Floydada, Allmon, Sandhill, Harmony, McCoy, S.E. Floydada, N.E. Floydada: Yarbrough, 8; Gilbreath, 19; Perry, 25; McIver, 6.

Baker, Dougherty: Yarbrough, 0; Gilbreath, 2; Perry, 2; McIver, 0.

South Plains, Cedar Hill, Goodnight: Yarbrough, 1; Gilbreath, 0; Perry, 1; McIver, 0.

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# FISD Board of Trustees hires principals for 1990

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intendent Jerry Cannon.

Cannon also discussed some of the options being considered for school finance by the state legislature. The currently considered plans, if passed, should result in at least a \$300,000 increase in FISD funds from state sources according to Cannon.

Another subject raised by Cannon was the possibility of securing the release of the permanent school funds held under the custody of the county. The released \$150,000 plus held in trust for Floyd County schools would be divided on the basis of average daily attendance between Lockney and Floydada schools. The funds would have to be used for a "permanent" improvement to the schools.

Board members authorized Cannon to gather more information on the funds and securing the release of the money to the schools. The matter will be considered again after that information is

available. Cannon certified to board president Charlene Brown that all board members have met or exceeded the required school board training at this time. State law requires at least 6 hours per year of training for veteran board members and at least 20 hours per year for first time board members.

Jimmie Collins presented the tax report, showing collections of \$965,831.73. He stated that this is

94.04% of the total tax role collected at this time in 1990, as compared to 95.19% collected at this time in 1989.

Attending the session were superintendent Jerry Cannon, administrative assistant Jimmie Collins, board members Charlene Brown, Michael Hinsley, Cyndiann Williams, John Campbell, Adolfo Garcia and Andy Hale. Also present was Les Ross, John Doerschuk and the Hesperian reporter.

# Development committee formed for the county.....

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indoor arena. "We hope to also pull people from outside the county to use our convention center. Right now we are looking into the feasibility in areas such as: where it would be placed, who would be in charge, ways to raise money, drawing up plans for the building and getting grants," said True.

The committee is using the convention center in the towns of Dalhart, Olton, Littlefield, Muleshoe and Silverton as examples of small towns who have this type of civic center.

"We need to know if people are interested and are people willing to work toward these goals," said True.

The development committee also hopes to sponsor a series of Leadership Floyd County Seminars.

"These leadership seminars will be directed at getting people involved in their community, to learn about their

county and how they can become community leaders," said True.

"We would like businesses to sponsor employees to meet once a month and visit places such as commissioners court, city government, and school board. We want to work on motivation, and building confidence. Through education, individuals can understand their community and someday may run for position in local government or participate in community development."

True and Crossland are both county extension agents in Floyd County, anyone who would like to become part of this organization or has any ideas on helping the development of the county is asked to call True or Crossland at 983-2806.

The next meeting will be at lunch, April 17, in Lockney, at Stricklands Restaurant.

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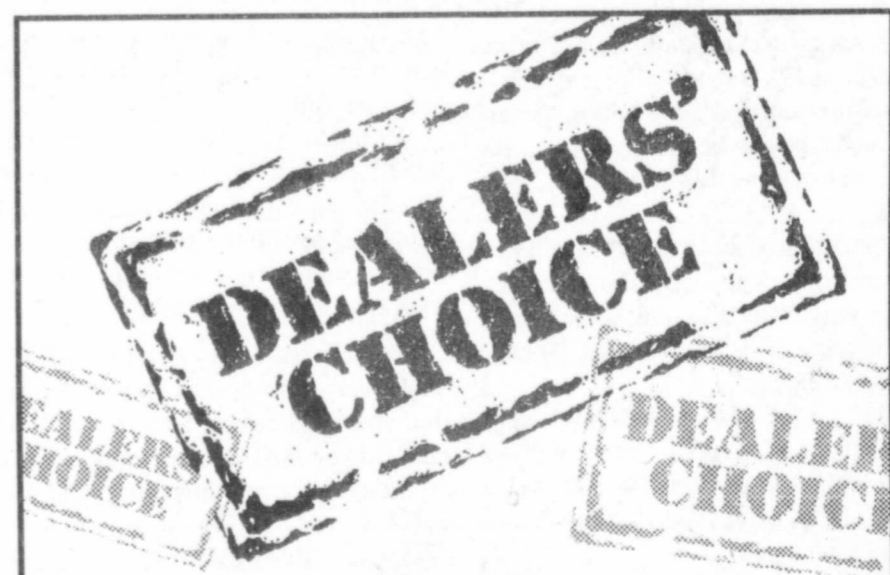
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**MUTUAL CONGRATULATIONS** were exchanged by Orange County resident Michael Matsler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Matsler of Floydada, and actress Jane Wyman at the recent annual meeting of the Arthritis Foundation/Southern California Chapter where both were honored. Wyman was presented the plaque of the Foundation's Discovery Alliance in recognition of her public announcement that she's remembered the Arthritis Foundation in her will. Matsler was presented the President's Award for three years as president of the Orange County Branch and also the Distinguished Service Award for his work as chairman of the Branch Operations Committee. Matsler, who resides in Seal Beach, is manager of First Interstate Bank in Cerritos.

## A Tribute To Jerry Lynn Pollan

By Laura Lambeth  
The Shorthorn

Jerry Pollan, 36, son of Edwin and Evelyn Pollan of Floydada, was buried Monday, April 2, 1990, at Moore Memorial Gardens in Arlington. Pollan had worked as a clinical instructor in medical surgical nursing since the fall of 1989. He previously taught here from 1983-1986.

Receiving his bachelor's in nursing from West Texas State University and a master's in nursing in 1982, Pollan supervised students in their clinical work at North Hills Medical Center.

Pollan was born in Floydada and graduated from Floydada High School.

He is survived by his wife, Marla, and a son Travis, 5. His wife said he strived to overcome the physical constraints of a congenital heart condition.

She added that her husband, who worked as an intensive care and cardiac nurse had a special understanding of the needs of cardiac patients. He had heart surgery at 17.

"It (the surgery) gave him a special understanding to be able to work with the families as well as the patients," she said.

In addition to medicine, Pollan like to act and sing. "He enjoyed music," his wife said. "He also did some opera workshops at TCJC (Tarrant County Junior College)."

She said Pollan's influence went beyond the classroom. "Jerry was an extremely strong Christian. He had a strong faith, and I think that showed in everything he did."

One student, Amy Nelson, echoed that sentiment.

"You forgot that he was your instructor because he was your friend," she said.

"He was full of love, and I think he lived that," she said, adding that Pollan was not afraid to discuss his faith. "We were more friends than student and professor. You lose all boundaries when

you pray with someone.

"It was a very short but enriching relationship. He had said, 'If you put God first, Amy, you will be an excellent nurse.'"

Pollan was a member of North Davis Church of Christ in Arlington since 1981, and of a singing group in the church, the Joyful Sound.

"We were in Bible study together," said Minister of Involvement Paul Phillips. "He was very quiet, very serving of other people, very sensitive to their needs."

"He loved music, and that's why he was a member of the Joyful Sound group."

Nursing associate professor Lorrie Hegstad said she knew Pollan as a graduate student and recently as a co-worker.

Hegstad said as a colleague Pollan was both reliable and hardworking. He also worked part-time as an intensive care nurse at various hospitals in the area, she said.

"He could always be counted on to be there," she said. "He was always there to give his input, to do his part. He was a delightful person to work with because he was extremely competent, and he took his job very seriously."

"He was just a very good friend. He was a very caring, neat sort of person that you liked having as a friend. You could have called him on the phone, and he would do everything he could for you."

Hegstad added that Pollan extended that friendliness to his students as well. She said when Pollan taught here previously, his students at the time presented him with a plaque.

"The students have always praised him for his patience with them," she said. "He was an extremely caring individual who worked very closely with his students. He was able to help them bring out the best in themselves."

## County, District Clerks take part in educational seminar

About 500 county and district clerks and their staff members took part in the 18th Annual County and District Clerks Seminar in College Station, March 19-21.

The seminar, "Back to the Basics," was designed to cover the major duties and responsibilities of both district and county clerks.

Barbara Edwards, District Clerk of Floyd County, said highlights of the seminar included discussions on Civil Procedures, Criminal Felony Procedures and Family Law Procedures.

Speakers from the areas of civil procedures, both criminal misdemeanor and criminal felony procedures, probate matters and family law procedures presented latest information as it relates to work of county and district clerks.

Clerks who attended all seminar sessions covering work responsibilities were awarded 11 hours toward the 20 hours of continuing education credit they are required to earn every two years. The educational credits were

managed by the Continuing Education Office of Texas A&M University.

The seminar was planned and conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service's V.G. Young Institute of County Government in cooperation with the County and District Clerks' Association of Texas.

John A. Gilmartin, Extension Service coordinator for the V.G. Institute, and Joe Rothe, Extension Service specialist, arranged separate training sessions for county and district clerk groups and also helped arrange combined general seminar sessions.

The two specialists indicated the 1990 Seminar provided latest cutting edge information for county and district officials.

"The training effort was practical and dealt with timely topics. It was one of the best conducted," said Gilmartin.

*Happy Easter!*

### HOYT CHAPPELL

Services for Hoyt Chappell, 66, of Crosbyton were at 2 p.m. Wednesday, April 4, in First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Johnnie Williams officiating.

Burial was in Crosbyton Cemetery under the direction of Adams Funeral Home.

He died at 12:20 p.m. Monday, April 2, 1990, in Levelland's Methodist Hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Fort Townsend, Okla., and moved to Crosby County in 1926. He married Lucyle Noble in 1945 in Cone. He was a farmer and served in the Army during World War II.

Survivors include his wife, two sons, Russ of Mansfield and Gene of Crosbyton; a daughter, Leonor Newman of Garden City, Kan.; two brothers, D. of Fort Worth and Ozell of Floydada; two sisters, Doris Cox and Joyce Hudgens, both of Lubbock; and six grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Leonard Parker, R.P. Kirkendall, Edward Coppage, Harold Allen, Wayne Allen and Doyle Parrish.

The family suggests memorials to the Alzheimers Foundation, 3241 - 94th Street, Lubbock 79432.

### ADA COLSON

Graveside services for Ada Colson, 69, of Floydada was at 4 p.m. Tuesday, April 10, 1990, in Lockney Cemetery with Frank Duckworth, minister of Third Street and College Avenue Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was under direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

She died at 6:30 a.m. Sunday in Floydada Nursing Home after an illness.

She was born in Caddo, Okla., and moved to Floyd County in 1953. She was a member of the Church of Christ. She married Cecil Colson on June 28, 1938, in Hollis, Okla. He died in 1987. A son, Jimmy, died in 1989.

Survivors include two daughters, Sharon Galloway of Floydada and Lu Allison of Lubbock; a sister, LaRuth Spears of Durant, Okla.; a brother, Dale Lewis of Las Vegas, Nev.; 12 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

### JERRY POLLAN

Services for Jerry Lynn Pollan, 36, of Arlington were at 2 p.m. Monday, April 2, 1990, in North Davis Church of Christ with Allen Tappe, minister, officiating.

Burial was in Arlington's Moore Memorial Park Cemetery under direction of Moore Funeral Home.

Pollan died Saturday morning, March 31, 1990, in South Arlington Medical Center after a brief illness.

He was born in Floydada and graduated from Floydada High School. He graduated from the School of Nursing at Texas Tech University and was an instructor at the School of Nursing at the

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# Obituaries

University of Texas at Arlington. He married Marla Deavers in 1979 in Lubbock.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Travis of Arlington; his parents, Edwin and Evelyn Pollan of Floydada; two sisters, Carolyn Wilson of Amarillo and Kay Queen of Moscow, Soviet Union; two brothers, Fred Allen of Houston and Mike of Marble Falls; and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Jim Owens of Floydada.

### HERSEL POWELL

Services for Hersel E. Powell, 76, of Lubbock will be at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, April 12, 1990, in Resthaven Funeral Home chapel with George Johnson, an elder with Primitive Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial will be in Crosbyton Cemetery under direction of Resthaven Funeral Home.

He died at 8:02 p.m. Monday in Methodist Hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Farmersville and in 1945 moved from Floyd County to the Lubbock area, where he farmed for several years. He served with the U.S. Army Air Corps in World War II. He married Laverne Burleson March 26, 1965, in Lovington, N.M. He was a Baptist and a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Tony of Lubbock; a stepson, Clint Whittle of Lubbock; two stepdaughters, Carol Whittle of Lubbock and Sandra Klovstad of Fort Worth; two sisters, Queen Annie Lawson of Floydada and Gladys Herman of Muleshoe; and four grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Dale Lawson, Donnie Powell, Melvin Powell, Dean Powell, Phil Laster and Michael Edwards.

### MAPLE RICE

Funeral services for Maple Rice, 77, of Plainview were at 10 a.m. Monday, April 2, in the First United Methodist Church Chapel with the Rev. Wesley Daniel, pastor, and the Rev. Steve Venable, associate pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Floyd Cemetery by Wood-Dunning Funeral Home.

Mrs. Rice died at 1:25 p.m. Friday, March 30, 1990, in the Heritage Home after an illness of several months.

The former Maple Gertrude Patton was born Aug. 17, 1912 in Kenard in Houston County. She moved to Floydada from Roaring Springs in 1942 and to Plainview in 1971. She was a member of First United Methodist Church. She was a member of Eastern Star. She was a nurse's aide at the Heritage Home for several years.

She married Harry Print Rice on Nov. 15, 1931 in Cottle County. He died Sept. 28, 1977 in Plainview.

Surviving are a son, Wayne of Plainview; five grandchildren, LaWana Salehi of Auburn, Wash., Pfc. David Rice of Fort Ord, Calif., Staci and Jason Rice of Plainview and Sherry Dial of Frankston; and two great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were nephews, Clinton Patton, Troy Patton, George Patton, Larry Patton, R.G. Lynch and Sammy Walker.

### GAYLE ROBERTSON

Funeral services for Gayle Robertson, 50, were at 2 p.m. Tuesday, April 10, 1990, in the Church of Christ with Ted Kingery, minister, officiating. Burial was in Silverton Cemetery by Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Robertson died at 8:27 p.m. Sunday, April 8, 1990, at her home after a brief illness.

She was born June 19, 1939, in Levelland. She graduated from Ralls High School and moved to Silverton 24 years ago.

She married Jack D. Robertson Sr. on Jan. 25, 1957 in Ralls. He died Dec. 17, 1984, in Silverton.

She was a member of the Church of Christ and worked as a sales clerk for Hutsell Jewelry.

Survivors include a daughter, Stacey Bain of Plainview; two sons, Jack Jr. of Floydada and Cory of Lubbock; her mother, Pauline Benefield of Silverton; and a sister, Linda Prince of Lubbock.

Pallbearers were Wayne Nance, Dana Martin, Van Breedlove, Lee Clay, Fred Strange, Russell Simpson and Joe Edwards.

The family suggests memorials to the Silverton Ambulance Association or the Silverton Cemetery Association.

### NATHAN SALAZAR

Services for Nathan Bradley Salazar, 3, of Plainview were at 2 p.m. Wednesday, April 4, in San Jose Catholic Church with Joe Garcia officiating.

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

He died Monday, April 2, 1990 at his residence in Plainview.

He was born in Lockney.

Survivors include his parents, Ricardo R. and Linda Salazar of Plainview; his paternal grandparents, Robert and Olga Salazar of Lockney; and his maternal grandparents, Eloisa Lopez and Lupe Coronado, both of Lockney.

### DON SHURBET

Services for Don Shurbet, 58, of Floydada were at 4 p.m. Wednesday, April 11, 1990, in First Baptist Church with the Revs. Howell Farnsworth, pastor, and Bill Wright, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating.

Burial was in Floyd County Memorial Park under direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

He died Tuesday morning in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Floyd County. He married Mary Young July 14, 1951, in South Plains. He was a farmer and a member of First Baptist Church. A daughter, Jana Jill Shurbet, died in 1970.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Angela Shurbet of Amarillo; a son, Shannon of Floydada; and a brother, Bill of Floydada.

### JACK D. STANSELL

Funeral services for Jack Dawson Stansell were at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 4, in First Baptist Church with Dr. Floyd Bradley officiating, assisted by Pastor Hal Farnsworth.

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

He died in Lubbock Methodist Hospital at 8:30 a.m. Monday, April 2, 1990.

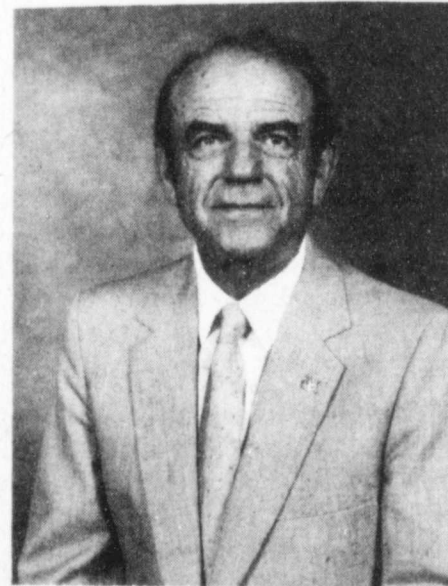
Jack Stansell was born in Hale County in 1918 and moved shortly to Floyd County. He graduated from Floydada High School in 1936 and Texas Tech University in 1940.

He married Emogene Lackey June 18, 1940.

He was a farmer, cattleman and John Deere Implement dealer before retiring in 1984.

He was an Army Airforce Veteran in World War II. He was a member of the First Baptist Church and former Sunday School teacher.

He was past president of the Floydada School Board, Kiwanis Club, Floydada County Club, Consumers Fuel Asso-



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ciation, Producers Coop Elevator, Floydada Coop Gins and Floydada Quarterback Club. Was chairman of Floyd County A.S.C.S. Committee, former board member of Floydada Chamber of Commerce, Floyd County Equalization Board and Floyd County Development Board. He served many years as Chairman of Precinct and Election Judge in Floyd County.

He was the Senior Living Past Master of Floydada Lodge No. 712 Ancient Free and Accepted Masons.

He was Past High Priest of Floydada Chapter #227 Royal Arch Masons, Thrice Illustrious Master of Floydada Council #163 Royal and Select Masters, Prelate of Crusader Conclave Red Cross of Constantine of Amarillo, 32nd Degree Scottish Rite Mason - Charter member of Lubbock Scottish Rite and member of 14th Degree Team.

He was member of Khiva Shrine of Amarillo and South Plains Shrine Club, Lubbock.

He was Homecoming President in 1984.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Joe (Jan) Hennig of Bedford, Texas, and Mrs. Fred (Jill) Seal of Dallas; four grandchildren, Melanie Shay and Brandon Joe Hennig, Jessica Jill and Zachary Jack Seal; one brother, John H. (Pat) Stansell of Lockney; and a stepister, Mrs. F.F. (Lorene) Calhoun of Plainview.

Pallbearers were nephews Tim Stansell, Scott Stansell, Keith Stansell, Barry Stansell, Rodney Rigby and Steve Stansell.

A memorial fund has been established in memory of Jack D. Stansell.

A scholarship will be given to an outstanding senior student in athletics that will attend Texas Tech University.

### ANNIE TURNER

Funeral services for Annie E. Turner, 92, were at 2 p.m. Tuesday, April 10, 1990, in New Salem Primitive Baptist Church with Jim Jackson, elder, and the Rev. Howell Farnsworth, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Floydada Cemetery by Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

Mrs. Turner died at 2:50 p.m. Sunday, April 8, 1990, in Caprock Hospital after a lengthy illness.

She was born Oct. 14, 1897, in Thackerville, Okla., and moved to Floyd County in 1948. She was a member of New Salem Primitive Baptist Church.

She married Clint A. Turner, April 26, 1919 in Krafton. He died in 1958.

Survivors include a daughter, Anita Powell of Deltona, Fla.; five sons, Nolan of Floydada, Bill of Amarillo, Durwood of Lawton Okla., Gilbert and Clint Jr., both of Bartlesville, Okla.; 19 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

A son, Bernell Turner, died in 1977.

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## Kimble given Michelson medal



**H. JEFF KIMBLE**

Jeff Kimble, son of Mrs. John Kimble of Floydada and 1967 Floydada graduate, is the 1990 recipient of the Albert A. Michelson medal.

Kimble is currently a professor of Physics at the California Institute of Technology. From 1988-89 Kimble also served on the Sid Richardson Regents Chair of Physics at the University of Texas in Austin and was also a professor of physics at that University.

He graduated in 1971, Summa Cum Laude, from Abilene Christian University, with a B.S. in physics. In 1973, he received an M.A. in physics from the University of Rochester. In 1978, he received a Ph.D. in physics from the University of Rochester.

Kimble received the Michelson Medal in a ceremony, May 1, at the Franklin Institute in Philadelphia.

The medal is given in honor of Albert Abraham Michelson, a distinguished physicist who won both the Franklin Institute Elliott Cresson Medal and a Nobel Prize, was born in Germany in 1852. He graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy and served there for five years as an instructor in physics and chemistry. He then engaged himself in graduate work in France and Germany and became a professor of physics, most notably at the University of Chicago, where he served as Head of the Physics Department for thirty-seven years.

Michelson is best remembered for his accurate determination of the speed of light, using the interferometer which he

designed and built. In other research, with E.W. Morley, he refuted the hypothesis of an all-embracing ether and contributed to the development of Einstein's theory of relativity.

The Michelson Medal of The Franklin Institute was proposed and funded by Dr. George S. Crampton who himself had a distinguished career in medicine and ophthalmology. Dr. Crampton graduated from the Medical School of the University of Pennsylvania in 1898. After studying abroad, he joined the staffs of the Pennsylvania and Wills Eye Hospitals.

During World War I, Major Crampton directed various army medical enterprises (hospitals, training of doctors, Sanitary Corps, etc.). He was mustered out as a Lt. Colonel in 1919. Returning to civilian life, Dr. Crampton joined the medical staff of the University of Pennsylvania as Professor of Ophthalmology and Physiological Optics. He developed the borescope, set up a company to manufacture it, and for it was awarded The Franklin Institute's Longstreth Medal.

Dr. Crampton was a member of The Franklin Institute and the Committee on Science and the Arts for at least forty-five years, and served a term as Chairman of the Committee. He died in 1962, bequeathing funds to the Institute to endow the Albert A. Michelson Medal to be awarded "in recognition of outstanding and preeminent achievement in the field of optics."

Prior to 1977, most of the Michelson medals recognized developments in electron microscopy, holography, and especially, instruments and processes for astronomical observations. Since then the awards have tended to cluster around lasers and new theoretical studies of the nature of light. Three Michelson awardees later received Nobel prizes in Physics.

Other awards Kimble has received include: co-recipient Einstein Prize for Laser Science, 1989; Presidential young Investigator Award, 1984-89; Honorary Professor, Institute of Opto-Electronic Research, Shanxi University, Taiyuan, China; Blumberg Research Fellow, University of Texas at Austin, 1985-87; Eastman Kodak Teaching Fellow, University of Rochester, 1975.

## Aging symptoms may mean drug abuse

Every year about a fourth of people over the age of 70 take a fall, and although falls in older adults can be attributed to illness or other physical impairments, substance abuse and alcoholism can sometimes be the catalyst.

The prevalence of alcoholism and substance abuse among older adults is an important concern because it's often a hidden problem, said Dr. Judith Warren, gerontologist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"It's difficult to detect elderly abusers because most of them live alone, so there's a lack of visibility," she said. "Also, alcohol problems in older persons are often misdiagnosed, because symptoms are seen as part of the natural aging process."

Warren said researchers are just beginning to discover the prevalence of substance abuse among the elderly. It is believed that men are four times more likely to have a drinking problem than women. Yet most prescription drug abuse is by women.

"Older adults comprise 11 percent of our population, but they account for 25 percent of the people on prescription drugs," Warren said. An elderly abuser may show signs and symptoms of recurring falls, dehydration, malnutrition, increased forgetfulness and neglect of physical appearance.

Warren said the development of an alcohol problem in later life can be triggered by significant life events, such as the loss of a job or the death of a spouse.

Three types of drinkers exist, she said. The chronic heavy drinker who starts drinking early in life; the reactive drinker who starts because of a major life change; and the intermittent drinker whose drinking is unpredictable.

Warren said most elderly people are ashamed to admit they have a drinking problem because alcoholism is considered a moral issue.

"In fact, alcoholism and substance

abuse is a progressive, treatable condition and not a sign of moral weakness or lack of will power," she said.

The C-A-G-E questionnaire is one method being used to detect an alcohol problem. The person is asked four questions:

- \* Has anyone ever told you to Cut down on your drinking?
- \* Has anyone ever Annoyed you by saying you drink too much?
- \* Have you ever felt Guilty because of your drinking?
- \* Have you ever needed a drink as an Eye opener or to get you going in the morning?

An answer of yes to any of these questions is reason to suspect an alcohol problem, Warren said.

One way to recognize those who need help may be to establish a Gatekeeper program in the community. "Gatekeeper" is the term now widely used in social services to describe nontraditional referral sources.

These sources include meter readers, bank personnel, apartment managers, fuel dealers and others who are in a position to identify isolated and high-risk elders in the community.

Few substance abuse treatment programs deal exclusively with older persons, Warren said. However, the Texas Department on Aging is coordinating one such effort and can be reached at 1-800-252-9240.

The best treatment programs for elderly abusers, she said, have:

- \* Staff aware and sensitive to special needs of the elderly;
- \* Elderly peer groups who rebuild social networks, self-esteem and deal with issues of loss, grief and aging; and
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Samuel Rodriguez, Pastor  
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Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

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211 N. Main, Lockney  
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Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.

### CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST

Floydada  
Randall Morris, Preacher  
Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.  
Spanish Assemble, Sunday 3:00 p.m.

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Lockney  
Perry Zumwalt, Minister  
Bible Study 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m.  
Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m.  
Sunday Evening Services 6:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening Services 7:30 p.m.

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Lockney  
Gary D. Higgs, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.  
R.A.'s 5:00 p.m.  
Church Training 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.  
Youth Bible Study 7:00 p.m.  
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Pre-school Choir & Mission Friends 7:00 p.m.  
Adult Choir 8:00 p.m.  
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Saturday: Men's Prayer Meeting 7:30 a.m.

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Bible Study 6:00 p.m.  
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Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

### SPANISH BAPTIST MISSION

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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Church Training 5:00 p.m.  
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Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

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Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Night Prayer 7:30 p.m.

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Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.  
Mid-Week Prayer Wednesday 7:00 p.m.  
Bible Study Thursday 7:00 p.m.

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Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH FLOYADA

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R.A.'s, G.A.'s, Mission Friends 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship Service 7:00 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY: Evening Meal 6:00 p.m.  
Acts 6:00 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.  
Youth Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

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Rev. Pedro Reyes  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Service 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

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**SEVERE WEATHER WARNINGS**—Safety guidelines have been established which could prevent loss of life and property when a tornado threatens your area. Warning systems and common sense can protect area residents from this natural disaster. Courtesy Photo

## Researchers issue severe weather tips

Researchers with the Texas Tech Institute for Disaster Research have studied natural disasters for the past 20 years. In their studies of the causes, effects and preventative of damage from tornadoes, hurricanes and low-level blasts, the investigators have established safety guidelines that could prevent loss of life when a tornado strikes.

—Even persons who have limited access to broadcast storm warnings should closely observe any rapidly changing weather conditions that could signal a tornado, such as a progression from intense hail to deafening quiet.

—When in homes, persons should seek shelter in a closet or room protected by as many interior walls as possible.

—Individuals should not waste time opening windows to counteract pres-

sure differentials.

A common misconception is that buildings will explode if windows are closed, according to Richard E. Peterson, director of the atmospheric science group at Texas Tech.

—Individuals should never remain in their cars or mobile homes. Often vehicles are picked up and smashed by tornadoes and high winds.

Most people who died in the April 1979 twister that struck Wichita Falls were killed while trying to escape the storm by driving in their automobiles, Peterson said.

—When outdoors, individuals should seek shelter in a depression or culvert to avoid flying debris, the cause of most damage and injuries. Persons should not take shelter in drainage

ditches.

—Individuals should be aware of tornado season in their region. Tornadoes are most likely to occur in April, May and June on the South Plains, with the most tornadoes developing in May. Late winter is the tornadic season in the Gulf region and southern-tier states. In late March and April, tornadoes tend to strike the lower Mississippi, Tennessee and Ohio River valleys.

Texas Tech researchers with the In-

stitute for Disaster Research are searching for ways to reduce weather-related destruction. The College of Engineering faculty members work in the fields of atmospheric sciences, wind engineering and glass testing to understand the damage caused by intense wind conditions.

Researchers from the institute have conducted field tests of natural disasters in the United States, Canada, Mexico and Australia.

## New laws reduce liability

Recent changes in Texas law have reduced liability for landowners who allow others on their property for recreational purposes.

Recreation includes activities such as hunting, fishing, swimming, boating, camping, picnicking, hiking, pleasure driving, nature study, water-skiing and other water sports.

The new law states that owners who give permission to a third party to enter the property for recreational purposes "do not assure the premises are safe for that purpose." Furthermore, the owner does not owe that person a greater de-

gree of care than is owed a trespasser.

"The owner does not assume responsibility or incur liability for any injury to an individual or property caused by the act of the person to whom permission is granted," said Judon Fambrough, attorney and senior lecturer with the Real Estate Center at Texas A&M University. "However, the new law does not limit liability of owners who are grossly negligent or who have acted with malicious intent or in bad faith."

The new law does not affect the doctrine of "attractive nuisance," except that the doctrine may not be used as the basis for a suit against an owner for injuries to a trespasser older than age 16.

Under a 1987 law, landowners did not owe a third party any greater degree of care than was owed a trespasser unless a charge for entry was made. The new law eliminates liability based on entry fees.

Additional information on the law and real estate is available in a new, free catalog from Department N-63, Real Estate Center, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas 77843-2115.



## Human infection can be minimized

Most dogs suffer from internal worms sometime in their lives. Humans can sometimes become infected with these canine worms, too.

"Human infection is not a major problem, but it becomes very important if it happens to you," says Dr. Peter Schantz, a veterinarian and epidemiologist with the Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta, Ga. "Fortunately, responsible pet ownership, proper hygiene and veterinary care can minimize human infections from dog worms."

The most common parasites in dogs are heartworms, hookworms, whipworms and roundworms. Humans are most at risk from roundworms and hookworms.

In the U.S., there are an estimated 10,000 human cases of roundworm infection per year. Of these, more than 700 result in vision impairment, according to Dr. Schantz.

Although numbers don't indicate the disease is epidemic, it is widespread. Each year since 1978 between 2,000 and 3,500 human blood samples from across the nation were sent to the Centers for Disease Control to confirm worm infection. One-quarter to one-third tested positive for roundworm antibodies. Many other cases are not reported.

### Roundworms and hookworms

Virtually all puppies are born with roundworms. These intestinal parasites cause a potbelly and recurrent diarrhea in the puppy. Puppies should be treated with medication to remove the worms, Dr. Schantz says. Dogs can become reinfected later, so they should be treated regularly to control the worms.

Hookworms cause bloody diarrhea in infected dogs. Veterinarians can prescribe medication that prevents both roundworm and hookworm infections.

Roundworms and hookworms deposit eggs in the dog's intestines, and these eggs are then passed in the dog's feces. Humans can contract roundworm infection by inadvertently touching their mouths with hands contaminated by eggs left in soil. Children who are inclined to eat dirt (a condition known as "pica") are at higher risk of infection. "Some studies show that up to one-third of soil samples from parks contain roundworm eggs," Dr. Schantz says.

Humans get hookworm infections from skin contact with larvae in sand or soil.

Humans infected with dog worms usually don't show symptoms, but in some cases, serious damage results. Roundworm eggs hatch in the small intestine and the larvae migrate throughout the body, sometimes damaging organs such as the lungs, brain and eyes. "They've been found in nearly every human tissue and organ system," Dr. Schantz says.

When roundworm larvae enter the organs, the disease is called visceral larva migrans (VLM). VLM syndrome is characterized by fever and elevated white blood cell counts. If lungs are infected, symptoms also include wheezing, coughing and congestion.

Ocular larva migrans (OLM) is the

most serious manifestation of the disease. OLM occurs when a larva penetrates the eye. In nearly all cases, OLM causes some degree of sight loss, sometimes even blindness.

Hookworm larvae migrate in the skin, causing painful skin eruptions. In massive infections, the larvae penetrate into deeper tissues, possibly including the eyes.

### Prevention

"We're not discouraging dog ownership. Dogs make wonderful companions with many social- and health-related benefits to humans," notes Dr. Schantz. "But we're encouraging responsible dog ownership because we can reduce this problem by doing so."

Steps to minimize human infection include:

\* Practice responsible dog ownership. Owners should not allow their pets to foul playgrounds, parks or public places where children play. And owners should always clean up after their dogs. The roundworm eggs in feces must incubate in the soil for several weeks before they

become infective. Removing feces can prevent incubation.

\* Practice proper hygiene. Hand-washing before eating can help prevent roundworm infections. And, Dr. Schantz says, children should not play around kennels or puppy litter areas.

\* Consult your veterinarian. Dr. Schantz stresses that owners should eliminate worms from their dogs by consulting a veterinarian for the appropriate treatment.

"An adult female roundworm can produce 200,000 eggs daily," notes Dr. Schantz. "Since worm burdens can range from one to several hundred, an infected dog can contaminate the environment with millions of eggs."

Attention should focus on the new litter, the nursing female and newly acquired weaned pups because they will almost always pass large numbers of roundworm eggs, Dr. Schantz says.

"Your veterinarian can prescribe treatments that prevent or remove and control worms in both puppies and adult dogs," he adds.

## Cotton gains market share

In 1989, cotton's share of the apparel and home fabrics market, excluding carpet, reached a 15-year high of 50.2 percent, outselling all other fibers combined. Notably, this gin in market share reflects a 16 percentage point increase from 1975 to 1989. Cotton earned 9 of those 16 percentage points since 1984.

J. Berry Worsham, director of fiber and economic analysis for Cotton Incorporated, says this 16-point gain since 1975 sharply contrasts cotton's situation in the 1960s and early 1970s. "From 1960 to 1975, cotton's share of all fiber declined 25 percentage points. The trend line from 1960 to the mid-1970s suggested that cotton's market share would drop below 25 percent by the end of the 1980s."

Instead, cotton gained market share, Worsham adds. "Cotton's dramatic recovery relates directly to increased consumer demand for cotton merchandise. Through Cotton Incorporated's research and promotion programs, consumer awareness of the Cotton Seal registered trademark has also increased

steadily since the Cotton Seal's introduction in 1973, from 18 percent to 73 percent. In 1989, Cotton Seal awareness rose from 78 to 82 percent among the targeted age group — men and women age 18-49. These are the prime prospects for cotton textile products in the United States.

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## LOST & FOUND

**FOUND NEAR R.C. ANDREWS** - Young Dachshund, has collar and tag, call Rhonda at 983-3767 to identify and claim. 4-12p

**LOST: RED LIMOUSIN BULL.** Branded horsetrack on left ribs and bar over e on right hip. If seen call Gordie Washington at 469-5381. 4-26p

## MOBILE HOMES

**HOUSE TRAILER FOR SALE:** 14x80.3 bedroom, 2 bath. Call 983-2018. t/c

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**PIANO FOR SALE:** Wanted responsible party to assume small monthly payments on piano. See locally, call credit manager at 1-800-233-8663. 4-12p

Have a good week!

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## PETS

**2 AKC female poodles,** apricot. Seven weeks old. 983-3889 after 5. 4-12p

## SERVICES

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STATE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS AND PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

### CONTRACTOR NOTICE

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Sealed bids for Replacement of Hydraulic Truck Hoists located in the following counties will be received, publicly opened and read at 3:00 p.m., on April 16, 1990, at the Lubbock District Office, 601 Slaton Road, Lubbock, Texas.

Lubbock County, Hale County and Floyd County

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