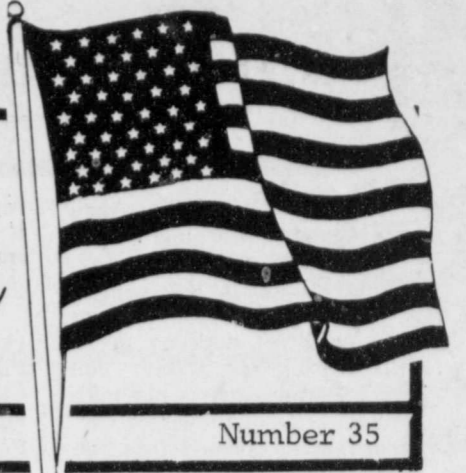


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Cancer Second Largest Floyd Killer

Residents of Floyd County are protected or under-protected by the Food and Drug Administration's actions it has placed on the sale of various products that are suspected to become unreasonable, the evidence at hand? The move to ban saccharin is a matter to the fore. It is a controversy. The FDA was forced to take the sweetener was the cancer in rats. Residents, who have been for years, because of the sugar, are affected by it.

Coming just prior to the month, draws attention in Floyd County to the cancer in the country. The figures show, cancer is the second biggest killer, with heart disease in third place.

Annual reports issued by the Public Health Service

show that it has been responsible for an average of 14 deaths per year in the area. This is exclusive of deaths of non-residents locally.

Of this number, 4 were attributed to lung cancer and one to breast cancer. Related to the local population, the overall cancer mortality averaged 127 per 100,000 people in the three-year period.

Elsewhere in the United States the rate was 170 per 100,000. It was 143 in the State of Texas.

Definite progress has been made in recent years in the prevention and control of several kinds of cancer, according to the American Cancer Society.

Improved means of diagnosis, through a new type of X-ray machine that can take sharp pictures of soft tissues, reveal abnormalities at an early stage. Other instruments, using sound waves, have also been highly effective.

Little gain has been made, however, toward controlling lung cancer. It is now the leading killer among men and is on the rise among women.



FLOYD FARMERS were busy planting grain sorghum, corn, and some cotton this week. Here Harold Norrell, farmer four miles south of Floydada checks grain sorghum in planter boxes. (Staff Photo)

Menard Field Outstanding Senior Citizen

The Senior Citizens of Floyd County have nominated Floydada's Menard Field as their representative to the area "citizen's contest" in Mackenzie Park May 11. Eighty years young, Menard has accomplished many goals in his personal life, while working for his community. He owned an oil agency in South Plains for 21 years, he farmed until 1957, then entered the building contractor business.

He has built motels in Floydada, Haskell, Comanche, Coleman, Crosbyton and finished another at Colorado Springs, Colorado. Through the years he has built several new homes.

CIVIC WORKER

Besides serving on all sorts of juries, including 27 days in Federal court in Lubbock, he has found time to serve on the hospital board, and when a manager couldn't be found, managed the old Peoples Hospital some 26 months without pay until the new hospital could open.

Back in '52-'53 he was one of the leaders in ridding Floydada of rats, when there was fear of a bubonic plague...as many as 100 huge rats were killed daily...

Through the years he has been faithful to his church...a Deacon 15 years, and an Elder ten years at City Park Church of Christ in Floydada.

...and there was time for his favorite sport of fishing. Today Menard claims he has retired from fishing...sold his boat and equipment...claims he isn't spry enough to get the boat in and out of the water any more.

Kid Rodeo Set June 11

This year's Little Rustlers Rodeo has been scheduled at 7 p.m. Saturday, June 11 at the Floyd County Rodeo Arena in Lockney.

First-place trophies will be awarded in all events in each age group. Second- and third-place winners will receive ribbons. Belt buckles will be given to the all-around cowboy and cowgirl in paid events, and also in the five-to-eight-year-old division.

Events scheduled this year include Shtland bareback riding, barrel race, steer riding, goat tying, pole bending, boot race, calf scramble, sack race, greased pig, ribbon race and stickhorse race.

QUEEN CONTEST

There will be a queen contest for girls age 12 and under. Queen contestants should register at Boot Hill Western Store in Lockney by May 6. The contestant who sells the most tickets to the rodeo will be the queen.

PLAY DAYS

The first of several planned monthly, summer "play days" for boys and girls

age 10 to 18 will be May 29 from 2 to 5 p.m. at the rodeo arena in Lockney. Winners will receive ribbons in events such as pole bending, barrel race, goat tying, keyhole race and scoop race. There will be no entry fee for the first play day May 29. If enough interest is shown, they'll be continued throughout the summer.

For more information on the play days, call 652-2607 or (after 5 p.m.) 652-3509.

Walls Hospital Board President

At a breakfast meeting Thursday morning, the Caprock Hospital Board elected auto dealer Doyle Walls president. Aldine Williams vice-president and Sammy Hale secretary-treasurer.

New Board member William Bertrand was officially installed on the board and the board opened bids on a new station wagon to replace the old 1967 model.

Four station wagons were bid and the low bid was by Oden Chevrolet for \$4,880.61.

The wagon is used at the hospital to haul supplies, run errands and a stand by emergency vehicle.

The next board meeting will be the 26th of May.

Kindergarten Pre-Registration

There will be a pre-registration held in the A. B. Duncan Elementary School Cafeteria the afternoon of Tuesday, May 3, 1977, beginning at 1:30 p.m.

Parents of Migrant Children who will be four years old by September the first but not yet five are urged to register their children at this time.

Parents of children who will be five years old by September the first but not yet six are urged to register their children at this time for kindergarten.

Parents of children who will be six years old by September the first and are not in Kindergarten now are urged to register their children at this time for the first grade.

Parents are urged to bring their child's birth certificate and immunization record, signed by your doctor.

Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated by your school officials.

B. L. Copeland
Principal



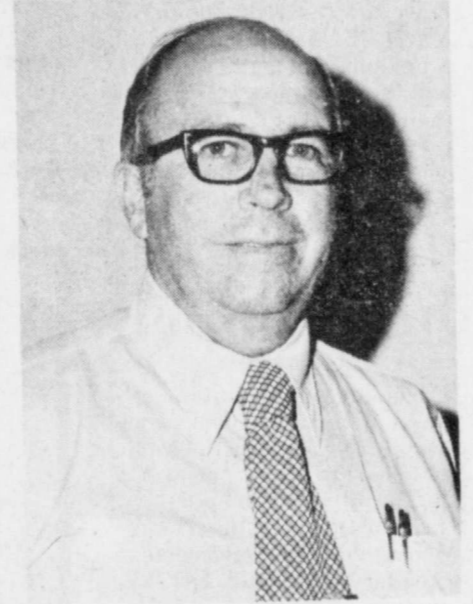
MENARD FIELD

FINE ARTS EXHIBIT AT FIRST NATIONAL BANK SUNDAY 2 TO 4 P. M.

BULLETIN

FHS netters Alonzo Gonzalez, Keith Tooley, Zane Jones and Morris Keele lost in regional play at Lubbock Friday. An Ozona player took Alonzo out of the running. Colorado City's number one player took out Keith Tooley 6-4, 7-5 and Colorado City's number one doubles team defeated Zane and Morris 6-1, 6-1.

Alonzo won his first match against Olney in split sets.



DOYLE WALLS

COMMISSIONER'S COURT GUEST

Extension Service Reviews Work

By Wendell Tooley

The County Extension Service and the Floyd County Family Living committee invited the commissioners court to dinner Thursday in the extension office meeting room and gave a two hour summary of the year's activities via slides and committee reports.

The dinner was delicious...casserole, green salad, hot homemade rolls and chocolate pie cut in squares like cake with some whipped cream in between (wonder what you call a dessert like that).

After the meal, county extension agents Doyle Warren, Sharon Hillis and Mike Brown showed slides and reviewed the year's big events on the agriculture and 4-H front in the county.

Then Craig Edwards, chairman of the county program building committee introduced Delmas McCormick who reported on soybeans progress and David Battey Jr. on grain sorghum.

Two young ladies, Jerri Ann McCormick and Kim Carthel gave their demonstration of the "bla bedroom" and showed how fabrics could enhance the appearance of the windows and walls.

County 4-H leaders, Jerry Williams and Kenneth Broseh, told the group of the many achievements of the county's 4-Hers and also expressed their personal enjoyment in working with the youth of the county. Williams said there were 359 youth in the program and Broseh said there were 146 leaders.

Others making reports included Kay Williams, Juanita Broseh, Helen Dunlap, Betty Edwards, Vel Simpson, Helen Huffman, Laura Rowan, Ruth Scott.

Craig also introduced Gene Ehler, head of Community Resource Development.

Mrs. Hillis introduced Catharine Crawford, district extension agent from Lubbock, who made a few complimentary remarks about the Floyd County extension program.

Commissioners attending included Grigsby Milton, Jack Lackey and Aaron Carthel. Judge J. K. Holmes expressed the praise of the commissioners court for the good work of the extension office and the many Floyd County people who work in the program.

Mrs. Hillis also expressed appreciation to secretary Barbara Bullock, Floyd newsmen James Huggins and Wendell Tooley.



JERRI ANN MCCORMICK AND KIM CARTHEL demonstrate "bla bedroom" skit they will use in district 4-H competition Saturday at Thursday Commissioner's luncheon. At right is Catharine Crawford, district extension agent from Lubbock. (Staff Photo)

Caprock Chat

By Wendell Tooley

own Aldine Williams. It was further reported by one of my alert reporters that she also hugged and kissed Aldine!

I UNDERSTAND Producers Cooperative suffered another breakin Sunday night and some 31 cans of Treflan stolen. It seems that the thieves who continually steal from Producers are not church going people...all their burglaries happen on Sunday night.

H. M. BAGGARLY over at the Tulia Herald published this interesting tidbit the other day:

SOME MEDDLESOME MATTIE has come up with a suggestion as to how to get into the Coronary Club. Here's the recipe:

1. Your job comes first, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.
2. Go to the office evenings, week-ends and on holidays.
3. On the few evenings you don't go to the office, bring your work home, so you can review all the troubles, problems and the worries of the day.
4. Never say "no" to any request.
5. Accept all invitations to banquets, meetings and committees.
6. Never eat a restful, relaxing meal-always talk business.
7. Remember that fishing, hunting, golfing and all other outdoor sports are a waste of time and money.
8. Never take a vacation.
9. Never delegate any responsibility.
10. If your work involves your traveling, work hard all day and drive all night to keep your appointment early the next morning.

OF THE most unfair thing a farmer is having market place and say, "give me?"

type business sets its must get to make a pickup, a tractor, a specific price, and the privilege to shop pay a set price by the

band, the farmer is at market and must sell the going price.

of grain and cotton in the many newspapers the area as they report deposits as of March 31.

up north of us are for no gain because scarce with low corn prices. Down here country, we too, didn't grain money, but the good we kept us in business.

banks were up two or dollars. This all came to this week's headline in newspaper, "Deposits Million"...that's cotton

THERE IS SOME- about a bald head- most women. Who do you Wynette selected from Wednesday night in the museum to help her down the none other than our

FROM CALIFORNIA TO CHICAGO...Steve Albers of New York came through Floydada Thursday on his way. He started his April 4 trip at Pasadena, California, has 150 miles, and accepted a ride for 290 miles. Steve is being the country...a nice vacation, at very little cost. He to be home by the middle of June...will ride by auto from New York. Steve is riding a ten speed bike, sleeps under hasn't needed his tent yet.

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South Plains News

By Mrs. Murray Julian

SOUTH PLAINS: April 27-Monday morning it was 42 degrees, and Wednesday, today, it was 50 degrees, so the days are getting warmer, with 80 degrees for a high promised today. The soil temperature is not high enough to plant cotton, according to farmers, but the days have been beautiful.

South Plains Baptist Church is in revival this week, with services going through May 1. Evangelist is Rev. H. S. Calahan, Jr. from La Porte, Texas and leading the singing is Rev. Hollis Payne from Floydada. Each and everyone is welcome at every meeting, including the noon service, with lunch served to all afterwards. Night services are at 7:30 p.m. for choir practice, and preaching at 8 p.m.

Mrs. Tillman Powell (Doris) entered St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock, Monday, April 18th, and underwent major surgery Tuesday, April 19. Rev. Fred Blake was with Tillman Powell during the surgery, and other neighbors have visited with her during this past week, including the Murry Julians, and relatives and other neighbors from here. We hope she can come home very soon.

Birthdays for the coming month of May include Tracey Lee Johnson, May 9; Barbara Edwards, May 12; Zacha Gregory, May 17; Fred Blake, May 28; Frank McClure, May 27; Brittany Gregory, May 29; Letha Mulder, May 29; and Tommy Seaff, May 29. Anniversaries are Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure on May 22; and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Seaff on May 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton Jr. flew to Duncan, Oklahoma Sunday to see their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Chappell. All attended the Immanuel Baptist Church for morning services, April 24th. They were home in time for the evening church services at South Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nichols attended the wedding of Miss Tena Jones and Richard Wooten, held at 3 p.m. Saturday afternoon, April 23 at the First United Methodist Church in Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Powell from Anna arrived here Monday to take his mother, Mrs. Ethel Powell back to her home in Van Alstyne after she had visited here the past week in the home of another son, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Powell and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Early Pritchett left last Thursday for Dallas on a business trip and spent the week end visiting with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Pritchett, Mr. and Mrs. Price Pritchett and his sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Reid. They were home by Sunday evening in time for evening church services.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hons of Seymour visited over the weekend with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Massey of Lone Star. They attended Sunday morning revival services here at the South Plains Baptist Church with the Massey's.

Here this week at the revival services with their husband and father, Rev. Hollis Payne, are his wife, Jo and his daughter Tammy and son, Joey. They have been here during all the

night services, and have been in many of the homes of the community for the supper hour.

Just a few of the many people who have helped fill the South Plains Baptist Church for the revival services are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Casey, Mr. and Mrs. Zach Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Dub Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. Elster McLeod, and several others from Lockney, Mrs. Flossie Beedy and Mrs. Arthur Brown from Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jarrett, Mrs. Smith, Wiley Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smitherman, among many coming from Floydada, and some of those from Silverton were Mrs. Mary John Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Lanham, and Mrs. R. C. Guest.

We extend congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pyle of Floydada on the arrival of a baby girl, on April 26, Tuesday, at Plainview. The baby has been named Amber Renee, and she has a brother 2½ years old. Congratulations to the grandparents here Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Cummings.

Mrs. Gertrude Smitherman of Floydada spent Tuesday night and Wednesday here with Mrs. L. T. Wood, and attended Tuesday night and Wednesday noon services with Mrs. Wood at the South Plains Baptist Revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nichols were supper guests with 12 people Sunday night in Lockney at the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Johns Cox, with the occasion a visit from Bill Cox, 85, of McGregor, and with E. C. Cox, 93, who is in the Lockney convalescent home.

The Nichols received a telephone call from Moyock, North Carolina Monday night from their granddaughter and family, the David Allens, who reported it was raining there. David is in the Navy and stationed at Moyock.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Parks left in their trailer home Saturday before last for Port Aransas, where they fished and had a good rest and time. They arrived back home this Wednesday.

Russell Thornton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Thornton, who recently graduated from Abilene Christian University has been accepted into the Texas Tech School of Law, and will be going there in the future.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Powell of our vicinity on the birth of a new granddaughter, named Teresa Faye, who was born on April 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. George Ray Powell in Houston. They baby only weighed 5 pounds, and we hope she and the mother are doing well.

Those who entertained the preachers and singers, Rev. and Mrs. Fred Blake and Atha, Rev. and Mrs. H. S. Calahan, Jr. and their daughter, Mrs. Tom Brewer and Chad of Houston, and Rev. and Mrs. Hollis Payne and Tammy and Joey were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Upton, who had them for dinner and supper on the first day, Sunday, Monday they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Cummings, Tuesday they were all guests at the home of Mr.



SEEING IS BELIEVING—Bill Haehnel, science demonstrator for Southwestern Bell, trains 20-ounce TV camera developed by Bell Telephone Laboratories on a member of his audience, whose image appears live on TV screen. Haehnel uses TV and other devices to demonstrate how phones for today and the future are developed by the Bell System.

Rotary Club Sees Amazing Telephone Progress

A pocket-size TV camera and a melon-size eyeball are among many gadgets that were used in Floydada Wednesday to show how the telephone of the future will function.

"Naturally, such props have little to do with phone service," says Bill Haehnel of Southwestern Bell, who addressed the Rotary Club at noon at the Massie Activity Center.

"But by using such devices and others like the laser, hairthin light fibers and a variety of present-day phones, new insight can be shed on the fantastic world of telecommunications," he said.

The science demonstrator used the eyeball to show the principle of receiving light rays, while the tiny TV camera shows how Bell Telephone Laboratories' scientists have been able to miniaturize equipment.

Haehnel travels Texas with Southwestern Bell's

science show, titled, "When the Light's Fantastic, Seeing Is Believing."

Haehnel said the object of the new show is to demonstrate various applications of light waves as a means of transmitting voice and printed data.

"The lasers and fibers are a part of a lightwave communications experiment now in progress at Bell Laboratories and Western Electric in Atlanta, Ga.," he said. Haehnel explained Bell Labs is the research and development arm of the Bell System, while Western Electric is the manufacture and supply unit.

"Lightwave communications have the potential for sending large quantities of information," Haehnel said. "Hundreds of telephone calls, TV programs and computer data messages can be transmitted this way at low cost."

Haehnel recently visited Bell Laboratories in New Jersey and said everything

SOCIAL SECURITY NEWS

Mark Cude
Social Security
Representative

Q. When I reach 62 I'm retired, but now after two years of retirement I would like to return to work. How would my earnings affect my social security check?

A. Beginning with January 1977 social security beneficiaries can earn up to \$3000 and collect all of their social security checks. If you earn over \$3000, one dollar is withheld for every two dollars earned over \$3000.

However, no matter how much your earnings may be for the year, you can be eligible for your social security benefits for any month in which you do not earn more than \$50 in wages, and you do not perform substantial services in self-employment.



Steve Herber

A light year is not a measurement of time but of distance. It is the distance a ray of light would travel in one year, about six trillion miles!

Steve Herber Young Men Of

Steve Herber, Floyd County assistant extension agent, who was selected for inclusion in the 1977 edition of "Outstanding Young Men of America."

The "Outstanding Young Men of America" program is co-sponsored by the United States Jaycees and numerous other leading men's service organizations throughout the nation. Herber, along with approximately 11,000 fellow outstanding Young Men of America, was featured in this year's annual awards publication. In making the announcement, the board of directors stated: "In every community there are young men working diligently to make their cities, as well as their country, live. These men, having distinguished themselves



"MISS PHOTOGENIC" ...Laura Bloys, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Bloys of Lubbock (formerly of the Sandhill community), won the title of "Miss Photogenic" in the Little Miss Lubbock contest April 9. Laura and her sister Kathy were two of 55 young ladies competing in three age groups for the title. Laura and Kathy are the granddaughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bloys of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Weathers of Lockney.

The Arctic tern flies about 11,000 miles migrating from the Arctic Circle to Antarctica twice a year, making it the bird with the longest migratory flight.

Nutt And Willis New Members

Noxious Weed Board

Final returns from the ballots mailed in for the Board of Directors for the Floyd County Noxious Weed Control District gave the positions to Edwin Nutt and Kenneth Willis. Edwin Nutt replaces Craig Edwards in Precinct #1, and Willis replaces Howard Gene Bishop in Precinct #4. Kenneth

Wofford was re-elected as District-At-Large.

Holdover directors are John T. (Buster) Terrell, Precinct #2 and E. P. Pritchett, Precinct #3. The moisture we had, which we were glad to have has put the District behind on their spray program this year. In March the District had a

news article urging all landowners planning to have fence row treated to do so by March 15. Since bindweed is a noxious weed the District will have to devote all of their time on the treating of them, but will work fence row applications in as soon as possible.

DPS Recruiting Troopers

The Texas Department of Public Safety is now recruiting young men and women for the position of uniformed troopers. These persons who qualify in the age bracket from 20 through 35 years of age, who are of good moral character, excellent physical condition and now have 60 hours of college credit will be placed in the next trooper class June 7, 1977.

The Department of Public Safety is actively seeking applicants from minority groups to fill positions during the next recruit school.

Excellent opportunities exist for females, Blacks and Mexican-American applicants.

The recruit school is held in Austin at the Homer Garrison Law Enforcement Academy and will last 4½ months. The training is designed to equip cadets to handle any of the various situations they may encounter as a state trooper for the Texas Department of Public Safety. The starting salary for the recruit while in training will be \$820.00 a month.

After graduation as a commissioned law enforcement officer, the monthly salary increases to \$936.00 and at the end of six months, the salary increases to \$1,000.00. State troopers receive additional longevity pay for each year of service. Other benefits include uniforms, vehicles, weapons and ammunition furnished by the State of Texas. Life insurance and hospitalization are paid for the employee and dependent coverage is available at reasonable rates. Paid vacations, holidays and sick leave are provided to all state employees.

Duty assignments will be made to Highway Patrol, License & Weight Service, Motor Vehicle Inspection Service or Drivers License Service upon graduation from recruit school. Experienced uniformed troopers may apply for appointment positions in Narcotics, Intelligence and Texas Ranger services when openings occur.

Contact your nearest uniformed trooper or Department of Public Safety office for job applications to begin a new and exciting career in law enforcement. Join the winning team as a Department of Public Safety Trooper June 7, 1977.

VA News

A change in GI Bill payment procedures, effective June 1, 1977, will bring checks at the end of the month rather than at the beginning to 1.5 million veterans, dependents and service members enrolled in Veterans Administration education programs. These and other changes are explained in a "stuffer" to be sent with April and May checks, Jack Coker, Waco Regional Director, said today.

Another June 1 change, brought about by law, modifies an arrangement which in the past automatically gave trainees a two-month money advance at the start of school.

Ending of the prepayment system will have the most noticeable effect on veteran students continuously enrolled this summer. They will receive their last VA check under the prepayment system on May 1, covering enrollment for May.

The next check, covering June enrollment, will be issued July 1. Subsequent VA checks will follow each

additional month of enrollment. A student whose enrollment ends in June will receive the payment for June on July 1.

Students under the GI Bill or the dependents educational assistance program who wish an advance payment should contact their school, because the student's written request for advance payment must be included on the school enrollment certification submitted to VA.

Eligible veteran students requesting advance payment for the fall school session should be aware that no additional check will be forthcoming from the VA for approximately three months, Coker said.

For example, a veteran receiving an advance payment check in September, covering September and October, would not receive an education payment for November until December 1, because of the elimination of the pre-payment provision, Coker explained.

Students with questions concerning VA educational checks are urged to contact the veterans representative on campus or their local VA Regional Office.

Gospel Meeting
The Primitive Baptist Church Invites You To Hear Elder-Sonny Pyles
May 1-Thru-5th
At 7:30 p.m. Each Evening Come & Hear The Soretinity Of God Taught Each Night.

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Capital Report
 admitted 4-15, continues care.
 William Perkins, Silverton, admitted 4-18, dismissed 4-22.
 Watha Peters, Plainview

admitted 4-20, Baby girl Melissa born 4-21, dismissed 4-25.
 Angelita Huerts, Dougherty, admitted 4-20, Baby Huerts born 4-20, dismissed 4-23.
 C. H. Schacht, Lockney, admitted 4-20, continues care.
 Martina Gonzales, Plainview, admitted 4-20, continues care.
 Stelle Escobar, Plainview, admitted 4-21. Baby boy

Chris born 4-21, dismissed 4-23.
 Dock J. Jones, Floydada, admitted 4-21, continues care.
 Rosa Olivarez, Plainview, admitted 4-20, dismissed 4-23.
 Olive Myers, Lockney, admitted 4-20, dismissed 4-27.
 Maria Lucio, Plainview, admitted 4-21. Baby girl Regina born 4-21, dismissed 4-23.

Barbara Perkins, Plainview, admitted 4-21, Baby W. A. Perkins Jr. born 4-21, dismissed 4-23.
 Lewis P. Harston, Lockney, admitted 4-23, dismissed 4-27.
 Eunice Woody, Floydada, admitted 4-24, dismissed 4-26.
 Plainie Whitehead, Silverton, admitted 4-24, continues care.
 Mary Jackson, Floydada, admitted 4-23, dismissed

4-24.
 William L. Rice, Floydada, admitted 4-25, continues care.
 Joe S. Trevino, Kress, admitted 4-26, continues care.
 Margaret Conger, Floydada, admitted 4-26, continues care.
 Bonnie Bennett, Lockney, admitted 4-27, continues care.
 Claude Keeter, Lockney,

admitted 4-26, continues care.
 Jess Brunson, Quitaque, admitted 4-27, continues care.
 Karla Schneider, Floydada, admitted 4-28, continues care.

to let the flavors blend.
 Even sandwiches can be exciting, if you butter them with flavor. For cold roast beef or turkey sandwiches mix soft butter or margarine, chili sauce or catsup, and oregano leaves, and spread that on the bread.
TELLING A BUSINESS it should not profit is much like telling a family it should not save.

BUDDY'S FOOD

Buddy Widener, Owner-Forrest Shannon Mgr.
 in Floydada, 220 South Second

NEW STORE HOURS
 SUNDAY-9 A.M. --7 P.M.

MONDAY SATURDAY 8 A.M. --8 P.M.
 SPECIALS GOOD SUNDAY 5-1-77 THROUGH WEDNESDAY, 5-4-77
 We Reserve The Right To Limit Quantities

32 OZ. 6 BOTTLE CARTON
COKE OR 7-UP
 \$1.39 PLUS DEPOSIT \$1.95 VALUE

16 OZ. WHITE SWAN
PEACH HALVES 49¢ VALUE **2/77¢**

15 1/4 OZ. WHITE SWAN
PINEAPPLE 50¢ VALUE **2/79¢**

18 COUNT 16 OZ.
DIXIE CUPS 79¢ VALUE **2/\$1.19**

30 OZ. WHITE SWAN
INSTANT TEA \$1.19 \$1.49 VALUE

18 OZ. WHITE SWAN
PEANUT BUTTER 95¢ VALUE **73¢**

16 OZ. KEEBLER TOWN HOUSE
CRACKERS 99¢ VALUE **69¢**

1/2 GAL. DELUX
ICE CREAM \$1.17 \$1.55 VALUE

11 1/4 OZ. FUN SIZE \$100,000
CANDY BARS 99¢ \$1.49 VALUE

JEROME B. RICE FLOWER VEGETABLE
SEEDS 35¢ VALUE **8/\$1.00**

FLAV-R-ADE
DRINK MIX **12/69¢**

3 OZ. SWIFTS POTTED MEAT
POTTED MEAT 25¢ VALUE **6/\$1.00**

FAMILY PAK **PORK CHOPS** **99¢** LB.

FAMILY PAK **GROUND BEEF** **59¢** LB.

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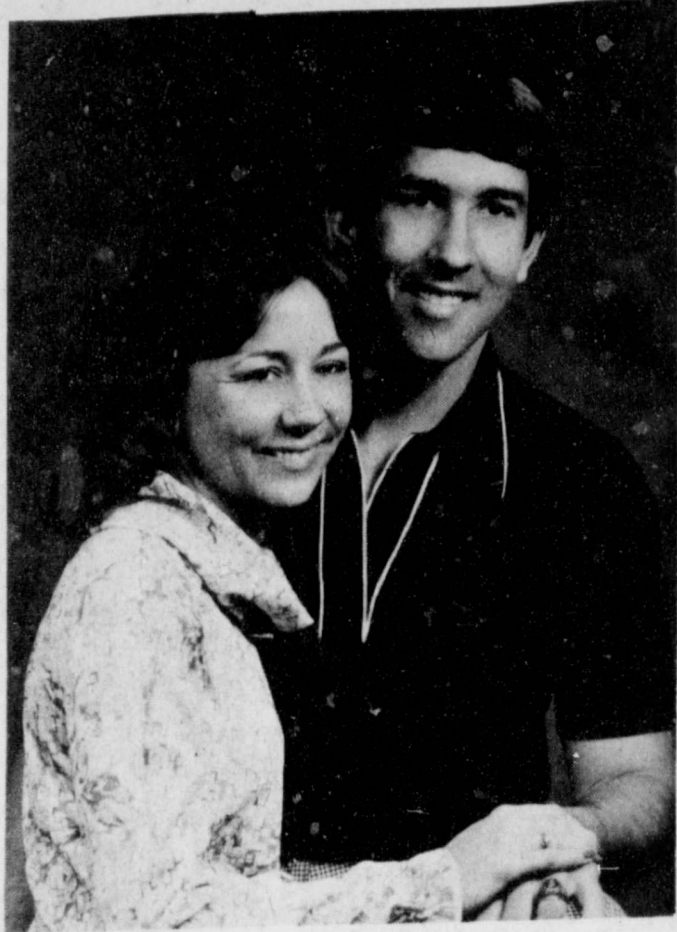
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Mrs. Whittle And New Son Honored

A coffee honoring Mrs. Mark Whittle and new son, Matthew Jeremy, was held Saturday morning, April 16, in the home of Mrs. Bryon Kendrick in the Lakeview Community.

Assisting Mrs. Kendrick with hostess duties were Mrs. Tom Powell, Mrs. Ron Pingleton, and Mrs. Dean Watson.

Special guests were Mrs. Jake Colston and Mrs. Cleo Whittle, grandmothers of Matthew.

Caprock Hospital
Auxiliary Meets
Monday Morning

Caprock Hospital Auxiliary will meet Monday morning at 9:30 in the hospital dining room.

All members are urged to be present to make plans for their Old Settlers booth.

PLAN AUGUST WEDDING..Mr. and Mrs. Lewis T. Kauffman of San Antonio announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Cynthia Gale, to Bill Mack Norman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Weims L. Norman of Dougherty. The wedding has been set for the evening of August 6 in the Sunset Ridge Church of Christ in San Antonio.

Miss Kauffman is a graduate of John Marshall High School in San Antonio. Her fiance is a graduate of Floydada High School. Both will graduate from Texas A&M next month.

FLOYD DATA
Mrs. Ralph Lemons returned last week by plane from Oakland, California, where she spent some two weeks visiting her sisters, Grace Schell and Pauline Kemp and a brother, J. B. Pharr and their families.

NEWS 'N' NOTES (by Sharon Hillis)

Importance Of Dietary Fiber

Eating high-fiber foods may help prevent various digestive disturbances.

In parts of the world where diets high in fiber-containing foods are prevalent, people suffer from fewer incidences of constipation and diverticulosis (out-pouches in the colon).

Dietary fiber is that part of whole grains, vegetables, fruits, and nuts that resists digestion in the gastrointestinal tract. Fiber consists of the carbohydrates cellulose, polysaccharides, hemicellulose and pectines and the noncarbohydrate lignin.

Dietary fiber adds bulk and decreases the time for food to be moved through the intestinal tract-reducing constipation.

However, food processing removes most of the fiber

from grains by milling and from vegetables by peeling.

Cheapest source of supplementary crude fiber is raw milled bran or bran containing breakfast cereals readily available on the market. An average one ounce serving of 100 per cent bran contains about two grams of crude fiber.

Most persons can satisfy their need for fiber by eating four or more servings of the fruit-vegetable and bread-cereal food groups each day.

FLOYD DATA

Bill Rice is said to be about the same in Lockney General Hospital where he was taken Monday morning after suffering an apparent stroke during the night Sunday. Rice was found by Ed Hammonds and his wife Monday morning in his room at Hammonds' business where he lives.



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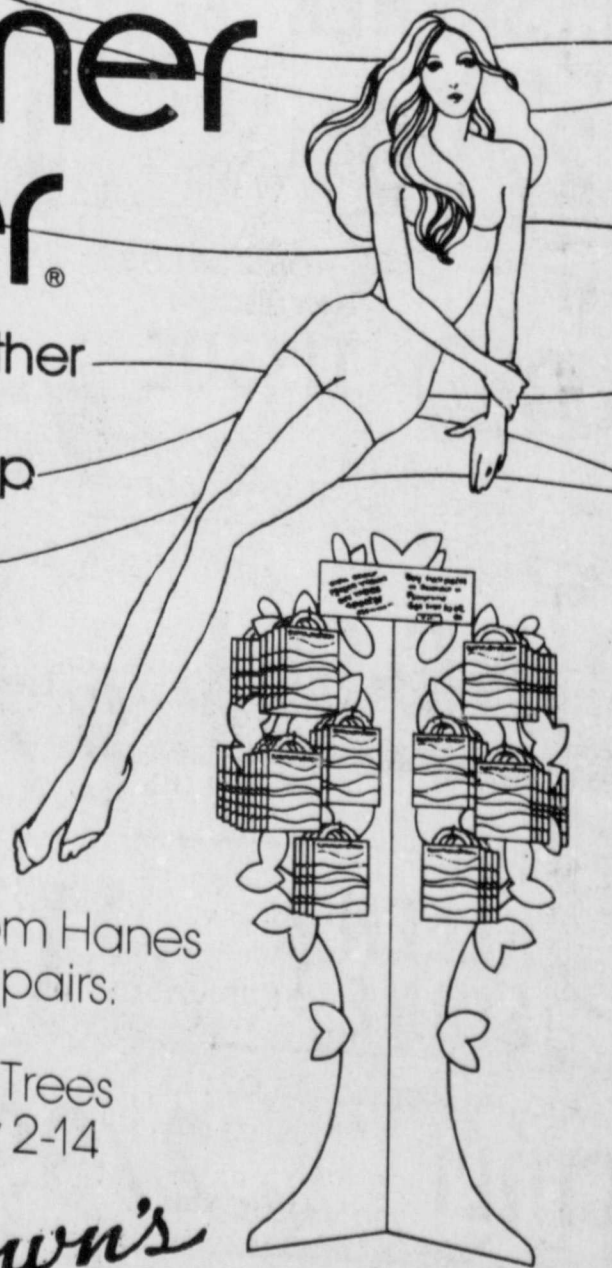
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Tea Honors Michele Jackson

A tea honoring Michele Rai Jackson was given April 16 in the home of Mrs. Mike Marble. Michele is the newborn baby of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jackson of South Plains.

Refreshments of iced tea, coffee and brownies were

served by Mrs. Marble.

Special guests were Michele's grandmother, Mrs. Bob Buchanan; her great-grandmother, Mrs. Jack Seay; and her great-great-grandmother, Mrs. Josie White, all of Tulia.

Luncheon Honors Miss Tillman

Mrs. W. H. Simpson Jr., and daughter, Cindy honored Miss Anne Tillman with a patio luncheon Saturday in the Simpson home. Miss Tillman is the bride-elect of Joe Jones of Floydada. A special guest was Mrs.

Travis Jones, mother of the prospective bridegroom.

Places were laid for 15 guests at individual tables decorated in apricot and white colors.

Each one attending brought their favorite recipe and an ingredient.

What One Person Can Do

What do you do when your busy life is suddenly shattered by a paralyzing stroke? Dorothy Gatta merely readjusted her schedule to include one more kind of service to others.

Mrs. Gatta is a dietician in Oceanside, New York. She was school lunch director at the Carle Place Public School, spending weekends at Mercy Hospital as relief dietician. She was also taking school courses four nights a week when a cardiovascular attack completely paralyzed her left side.

It was 52 days before she regained her speech, a little more than two months before she was home. Three months of recuperation followed, but by the next school term, she was back at work with an ankle-to-hip leg brace and quad cane.

Six years after her stroke, Dorothy Gatta still has not recovered the use of her left arm, but she has found a way to put even this to good use for others.

As vice chairperson of the Stoke Council of the Nassau Heart Association, she gives demonstrations of the kind of cooking that can be done with one arm. At a meeting recently, fifty stoke "veterans" learned to fry bacon, scramble eggs, section grapefruit, core apples and make beef stew. They also absorbed some of her "get-up-and-go" philosophy. She assured them that she would help them get started.

God gives each of us different difficulties to overcome, but we can all be sure of one thing: a determination to use whatever hap-



Mrs. Alvin Dale Stofel

El Progreso

Holds Auction

El Progreso Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Buck Kellison Wednesday, April 27, at 3:30. Each guest was served cake and coffee as she arrived. The annual auction sale was held. Each member brought something she had made and auctioned it off. Various items included home made breads,

pens in our lives for the benefit of others is a sure way to happiness.

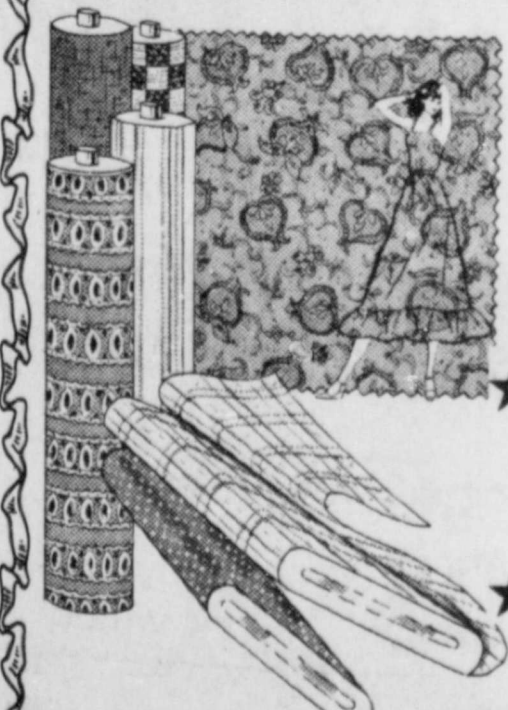
pies, place mats, hot pads, aprons, macrame plant hangers, neck scarves, hand painted cosmetic jars, lunch cloths, casserole carriers. Members present were Ethel Mitchell, Pauline Sams, Arla Copeland, Fay Ferguson, Fay Holmes, Alice Mitchell, Katherine Rucker, Dimon Schacht, Dorothy Smith, Hazel Johnson and hostess Bobbie Kellison.

The next meeting will be May 21 in Anna Dell Quebe's home in Providence Community.



WIDOW PEARSON (Judy Bean) is being shown how to shoot by neighboring rancher Sam Smalley (Kelly Marble) while Mrs. Hadley (Kelly Lyons) the housekeeper, looks on. These Floydada High School students are the cast in a western comedy "Crosspatch" scheduled for one afternoon performance. Friday April 29, 2:00 p.m. Floydada High School. The public is invited.

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Alpha Mu Delta Meets In Powell Home Floydada Chapter Observes Anniversary

The Alpha Mu Delta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met April 27 at the home of Kay Powell.

President Becky Pingleton presided over the regular business meeting. Area and State Conventions will be held in Pampa and Waco.

Plans for Founders Day were discussed. A covered dish supper will be held April 29 at 7:30 at the First Christian Church. Pledge ritual and installation of new officers will be held at this time.

Boxes of candy were presented by members by Judy Cornelius and Ilene Kendricks.

The do's and don'ts of the

scholarships fund were discussed along with the Cystic Fibrosis Fund drive.

Members voted on Girl of the Year, Pledge of the Year and Program of the Year. Results will be announced at the Founders' Day Supper.

Becky Pingleton read the Heritage Heart Beat. Brenda Watson gave an informative program on "Poison." Listing several kinds of poison, she stressed the importance of use, care and storage of each, stating children were the most victims.

Refreshments were served by Brenda Watson and Kay Powell to Becky Pingleton, Ilene Kendricks, Vicki Thrasher, Donna Hen-

gleton was toastmistress. Beta Sigma Phi is the largest women's sorority in the world and celebration took place in the 25 countries in which the organization's 250,000 members in over 12,000 chapters exist. The organization is non-academic, non-political and non-sectarian. The keynote to Beta Sigma Phi is friendship.

Chapters of five different degrees meet the growing needs of various age groups. Members are active in small chapter groups. Each chapter adapts the plans for socials, civic, and service and cultural activities to fit the interests of its members.

When Beta Sigma Phi events or civic endeavors are larger than one chapter can plan along, all chapters in a city or area may combine their strength. There are state conventions

each year which any member may attend. Internationally, the chapters have created several special funds: The International Loan Fund, through which members help one another; The International Endowment Fund, which has donated over one million dollars to cancer research, Cystic fibrosis, home for under-privileged children, and many other causes; The Exemplar Fund, which helps to support Literacy Village in India; and a college scholarship fund for members or their sons or daughters.

The Lone Star Home Demonstration Club (due to inclement weather April 19 the meeting was cancelled)

District Rebekah Officer Visits

District Deputy President, Mae Reggle of Plainview Rebekah Lodge #309, made her official visit to the Lockney Rebekah Lodge Tuesday, April 26th. A salad supper was served in honor of Mrs. Reggle before the meeting began.

Versie Perry, Noble Grand, presided over the meeting. Mrs. Reggle presented the program of the

new State President, Peggy McLean of Houston. The program theme for this year will carry out 'working on the J. & P. railroad for Rebekahs and Oddfellows of Texas'. There were eight members present, and three guests from Plainview.

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URGE LETTER TO WATER BOARD MEMBERS

Cloud Seeding Opponents Continue Fight

C. J. Vars will lead a Tulsa delegation of Citizens for Natural Weather to Houston May 6 for a hearing before the Water Development Board.

Area opponents of weather modification will deliver the second of a one-two punch combination as they carry their fight to Austin this week.

The first punch came last week when attorneys for Citizens for Natural Weather filed an exception to the Texas Water Development Board that two weather modification firms be granted four-year permits in the South Plains area.

The second punch is expected this week when local protestors travel to Austin to fight for passage by the

Senate Natural Resources Committee of a bill designed to assure that persons in areas over which weather modification is to be practiced will have a chance to vote on the granting of permits.

The May 6 punch is when the TWDB meets to consider the recommendations for four-year permits for Atmospherics, Inc., and Plains Weather Improvement Association. The current bout is the result of recommendations revealed last week by the hearing officer who conducted a public forum on weather modification permits for the two organizations in February in Lubbock.

Nolen Henson of Canyon said he doesn't know how effective the group can be in persuading the Senate and House to speed up action on

the bill now pending in both houses concerning weather modification, and persuading the TWDB not to follow the hearing officer's recommendation.

Senator Max Sherman confirmed that the bill will probably not affect any permits issued prior to its passage, and thus if permits are issued on May 6 by the TWDB, they would probably be fully effective without a vote for the four years of the permits.

Sherman said the bill now pending before the Senate committee is still the original bill he and Sen. Kent Hance sponsored as the session opened.

He said an effort to bring the opponents and proponents together to hammer out a negotiated bill failed

recently. Sherman expressed optimism that the bill will pass the natural resources committee.

He said he has also joined opponents in urging that the TWDB issue only one-year permits to the two weather modification firms, particularly since it is possible the new law will be passed.

In a related development, Senators Hance, Farabee and Sherman have worked within the Senate Finance Committee to add \$282,000 to the Senate appropriations bill for the next biennium in order to obtain reliable data regarding weather modification and to monitor the process.

The Natural Resources Committee was to meet

Wednesday, April 27, at the Capitol.

Vars urges all persons opposing weather modification to make known their views to members of the Texas Water Development Board immediately.

They are A. A. Black, chairman, Box 386, Friona, Texas 79035; Robert B. Gilmore, 400 One Energy Square, Dallas, Texas 75206; Milton T. Potts, Box 1121, Livingston, Texas 77351; Glenn E. Roney, McAllen, Texas 78501; John Garrett, 2727 Kirby Drive, Suite 315 Houston, Texas 77006; and George W. McCleskey, Box 6170, Lubbock, Texas 79413. Local representative and senator also should be contacts, Max Sherman and Pete Laney.



Loan programs administered by the Small Business Administration and the Farmers Home Administration help to meet a critical need in High Plains agriculture — but there is room for improvement.

This is what Lloyd Cline of Lamesa, recently elected President of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock, told the House Committee on Small Business April 22 in Dallas. The committee, at the request of Texas Congressmen and Senators, held the hearing to receive comment on the adequacy of FmHA drought assistance and the implementation of a law passed in mid-1976 requiring that SBA for the first time make its loans available to agricultural enterprises.

"Farm loans from the SBA and FmHA have been helpful in getting some of our famers and their communities through very difficult times," the PCG official stated. "But like all things human there are some things that can be changed and we think should be changed to make SBA and FmHA programs operate more smoothly and do an even better job of providing assistance where needed."

Cline, a Dawson County cotton farmer and also President of the First National Bank of Lamesa, roundly criticized the SBA "size standard" that denies loan eligibility to farmers with gross sales of \$275,000 in a year. He pointed out that 1,000 bales of cotton at 60 cents a pound, "which is about the price required for profitable cotton production in today's world," would gross \$300,000 and make the farmer ineligible for an SBA loan even though the cotton may have been produced on a 4,000 acre farm at a cost of \$400,000 or \$500,000.

Also, the PCG official noted, the smallest size standard for any non-agricultural business is \$2 million, "and it doesn't seem equitable that a farmer grossing \$275,000 is considered a large business while a manufacturer or someone in a service industry grossing \$2 million is considered a small business."

Cline also stressed the need for correcting the difficulty of arranging an SBA loan for farmers who have a carryover bank debt at the end of a crop year.

On federal drought assistance under FmHA programs, Cline asked for streamlining of the procedures now necessary to get a county declared a disaster or emergency area and therefore eligible for emergency loans.

Producers, understandably, often wait until January or February before applying for production loans, he said. "If at that time they find financing is not available from the bank or Production Credit Association, and if they are turned down for a loan because of a natural disaster suffered the previous year, there is then very little and sometimes not enough time to complete the proceedings necessary to secure an emergency FmHA loan."

The PCG President was invited to testify at the hearing along with officials of other High Plains commodity organizations and several area bankers experienced in agricultural financing.

May 1 Marks Reopening Of Family Land Heritage

AUSTIN—May 1 marks the resumption of the Texas Family Land Heritage Program and Floyd County farms and ranches now have the opportunity to join the 1,100 properties which have already been registered statewide, Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown

has announced. All of the honorees who have qualified since the Program was instituted in 1973 can trace continuous production on their historic lands back 100 years or more to family members. "Since taking over my new responsibilities as the

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For example, a recent article in WOMEN'S WEAR DAILY said the top polyester-fiber producers are "pounding on the promotional dollars in amounts the industry has rarely seen."



"We can't match the synthetic fiber giant's dollar-to-dollar by any means. But I think the 1976 consumption figures are clear proof that you can overcome a disadvantage in dollars and manpower if you have a superior fiber—a natural fiber—and a dedicated effort by a relatively small group of researchers and marketing professionals. "Cotton is on the offensive now; it has the momentum," said Troxler. "Keeping this momentum going is not going to be easy, but I am confident we can do it."

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Littlefield Mill Loan Received

LITTLEFIELD (Special) — Self-help rural development is achieving major success here under the Rural Development Act of 1972 in a unique farmer-cooperative venture involving textile manufacturing.

The project, started in 1975, reached another milestone last week when the Farmers Home Administration of the

U.S. Department of Agriculture formalized its loan guarantee for \$30,150,000 to American Cotton Growers covering 90 per cent of the cooperative's construction loan from the Houston Bank for Cooperatives.

The FmHA made a conditional commitment to ACG in 1975 for construction of an integrated spinning-weaving-finish-

ing textile mill for heavyweight denim. Its formal commitment could not be finalized until the plant was completed and approved after inspection.

The mill, about 40 miles northwest of Lubbock, uses the open-end spinning method, which is suited for the type of cotton produced on the High and Rolling Plains. It has the capacity to produce more than 20 million yards of 14 1/2-ounce "dingo-dyed, finished denim annually. "This is one of the most stable projects we have ever supported," Lynn Futch, state FmHA director at Temple, said in the document-signing ceremony.

The document for the agency's loan guarantee is contained in the business and industrial loan section of the Rural Development Act of 1972. The act provides for guarantee commitments for approved projects to stimulate jobs and economic enrichment opportunities in rural communities.

David Dabbs, associate vice president of the cooperative bank in Houston, presented to Futch the bank's check for \$301,500 to FmHA for the one per cent fee charged by FmHA for providing the loan guarantee.

The ACG has 3,000 members in 25 ginning associations in Texas who deliver all of their cotton to the association's pool for marketing and manufacturing. About one-fourth of the pool is dedicated annually to the textile mill and the balance is marketed as raw cotton to domestic and international points.

L.C. Unfred of New Home, president of the cooperative, said that of all the mil-

stones reached thus far by the association, formalization of the loan guarantee seems most important.

"It signifies that we have passed the tests put before us," he said, enumerating them as:

—Criteria laid down by government regulations and the legislative act.

—The selling of the expanded version of the association to more than 2,500 producers in addition to the membership of what is now known as the ACG-Crosbyton Division.

—Development of the necessary "seed" capital from regional cotton cooperatives and the pool ginning associations.

—Backing of the cooperative banking system.

—An investment on the part of the city of Littlefield.

—Managerial expertise developed by the association.

—The quality of product being manufactured.

—The first-rate market for the association's manufactured product.

The first yard of denim was turned out by the plant barely 10 months ago. Since that time the facility has manufactured several million yards of cloth and made nearly \$15 million in sales.

J.E. Chisholm, mayor of Littlefield, said the facility has turned the city into a vibrant, growing area. Building permits are up several times from the 1974 rate. 15 new businesses have located in the area. school and church enrollment are thriving and more than 600 new jobs are attributed to the facility.



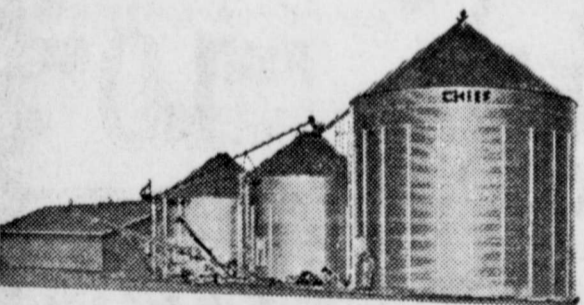
LOAN GUARANTEE FINALIZED — The Farmers Home Administration formally signed its loan guarantee covering 90 per cent of American Cotton Growers' loan from the Houston Bank for Cooperatives to build its textile mill in Littlefield. At ceremonies commemorating the commitment were, from left, L. C. Unfred of New Home, president of the ACG; Lynn Futch, state FmHA director of Temple; and David Dabbs, associate vice president of the cooperative bank.

Cotton Gains In Textile Market

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Citing statistics from the U.S. textile industry, economists at Cotton Incorporated report that cotton continued its strong resurgence with impressive new gains last year.

Cotton Incorporated is the fiber marketing and research company of the U.S. cotton producers.

M. Daniel Troxler, the company's associate director for demand economics, said figures on fiber consumption by U.S. mills in 1976 showed that consumption of cotton jumped by almost 13 per cent over the previous year's total.

This gain compared with an increase of 9 per cent in all fiber consumption and an 8 per cent in the use of synthetic fibers.

"In other words," said Troxler, "while the textile industry made a strong recovery last year, cotton's growth was even stronger."

Looking at it another way, Troxler pointed out that cotton accounted for about 40 per cent of the total increase in fiber consumption by the American textile industry last year.

"The most remarkable thing about this is that it occurred at a time when the average price received by cotton producers for their crops was increasing by almost 45 per cent," Troxler pointed out.

In 1975, he said, the average price received by the producers was 41.2 cents

a pound. In 1976, the average price rose to 59.7 cents, an increase of 18.5 cents a pound.

"This goes to prove that you can't believe the old saw that you have to have a cheap fiber to compete in the market," noted Troxler. "It's proof that the American consumer is demanding cotton, and it's a tribute to the foresight of the American cotton producers in forming a company of their own to carry on an aggressive research and marketing program to compete with the giant manufacturers of synthetic fibers."

Cotton Incorporated was formed in 1971 after U.S. cotton producers voted to pay a \$1-per-bale assessment each year to support the research-marketing program. After a 15-year decline in its share of the market, cotton has now experienced four straight years of market stability. Cotton's share of consumer textile products last year was about 30 per cent, the highest since 1972.

Last December, producers across the Cotton Belt voted to increase their financial support of Cotton Incorporated by adding an additional assessment of 4/10's of one per cent of the value of a bale of cotton, effective with the 1977 crop. Under federal legislation, a two-thirds vote was required for passage.

Troxler noted that cotton is enjoying high popularity today with the American consumer.

"Cotton is fashionable; it's moving well across the retail counters," he said. "But the kind of gains cotton realized

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Communities With Holdouts Of Participation

A second step to counter the objection would be to continue the practice of providing for bollworm counts in the fields along with weevil counts. During the fall, field scouts are customarily sent out to survey weevil infestations. This second measure includes survey of bollworm activity as well.

According to the statement, the steering committee aims to "make the best use of public and private funds which have been made available in good faith." The way to do this, the report concludes, is for treatment activities to be restricted to those areas in which there is "a reasonable chance that effectiveness can be maintained."

To accomplish this, the committee outlined in the statement the following procedures for dealing with the holdout problem:

—Contact will be made with present holdouts in efforts to persuade them to participate on a continuing basis. If this fails, an appropriate committee will consider and evaluate their cotton acreage and its location within the community. Should this acreage and location render impractical and ineffective the spraying of other cotton in that community, that community will be dropped from the program.

—If the community should be dropped, financial and agricultural leaders as well as news media in the area will be notified of this action.

—The community (a defined geographical area to be determined by the review committee) will be excluded for the remainder of the season or until such time that the appropriate committee may review a petition from the uncooperative growers requesting readmittance.

Provisions also were outlined in the statement for dealing with potential holdouts. When USDA and PCG personnel are notified by growers that they do not want their fields to be sprayed, efforts will be made to "persuade them to stay in the program. If this fails, the growers will be told that their request will be honored, but that their names cannot be held confidential when there are inquiries about holdouts."

USDA and PCG officials say the steering committee adopted the statement with no ill feelings or harassment intended, but simply to make the best use of tax money and private funds which have been made available to the Diapause Boll Weevil Control Program for its specific goals.

The recommendations of the statement take effect with the 1976 treatment program which already is being mapped out.

Officials said information about the statement can be obtained by calling or writing Plains Cotton Growers or USDA Plant Protection and Quarantine, in Lubbock.

WHERE IN THE WORLD?

TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE OF GEOGRAPHY AND CURRENT EVENTS

This city of famous firsts hosted the first Republican caucus which began Feb. 18, 1848, at Lafayette Hall.

The World Series game was played here in 1903 at the Polo Grounds.

The same team beat the Boston Red Sox to become the first champions.

C.G. Hussey built the first tinplate mill in this city and ironworker John D. White invented modern tinmaking in 1865 and the first Bessemer converter here in 1855.

In 1955, the city became the first to be lit by a single light bulb.

The city's first full-scale airport, dedicated to the late Senator Lyndon B. Johnson, is one of the nation's largest and busiest.

The city's first skyscraper, the 10-story Bank Building, was completed in 1888.

The city's first newspaper, the Daily News, was founded in 1848.

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Floydada Students Graduating From WTSU

WTSU—Approximately 1,000 West Texas State University students are scheduled to receive diplomas in spring graduation exercises May 14 at 4:30 p.m. in the Amarillo Civic Center Coliseum.

The ceremonies will honor the 747 May graduates and the 272 December 1976 graduates who have filed for diplomas and who have successfully completed all degree requirements.

Four students from Floydada will be participating in graduation ceremonies. Receiving Bachelor of Science degrees will be Jay Jones, Route 4, in animal

Ferguson To Receive Degree

Robert Ferguson of Floydada will be among 64 graduates receiving diplomas in graduation exercises at Clarendon College this spring.

The graduation will be held at the Harned Sisters Fine Arts Auditorium of the college at 8:30 p.m., Friday, May 6 following a reception in the college cafeteria.

Mr. Ferguson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ferguson and will receive an Associate of Science degree.

science; David Marricle, 328 W. Ollie, in plant science; and Karen Willis, Rt. 4, in recreation.

Jack Norman, Star Rt., will graduate with a Bachelor of Business Administration in accounting.

News & Reviews

First Baptist Church Media Center

Do you have an intend-to-read list that you never quite get around to? Many times in our haste to make new books available for you the reader, we find a book circulating a year or more before we get a chance to read it. Sometimes it almost gets lost in the shuffle of new things coming in.

BLESS THIS HOUSE by Anita Bryant is one of those that we have just now read. Many young families would benefit from reading this book together just as it is written by Anita and her husband, Bob Green. They discuss their problems in discovering a meaningful pattern of living as a couple and a family. Applying Biblical principles to every area of their lives and the resulting blessing and personal growth of each family member has brought them a harmonious family life that they want to share with others.

Johanna Ruth Dobschiner is one of those Jewish youth that many brave Dutch citizens were willing to risk their lives to hide during the terrible days of World War II. In SELECTED TO LIVE, Johanna tells of her narrow escapes from the extermination efforts of the Nazi regime. For some time after all of her family had been taken, she worked as a nurse in a hospital. In 1943 she was contacted by a member of the Dutch underground to go into hiding. Just as Corrie Ten Boom tells in the HIDING PLACE about the many intrigues by Dutch Christians to save as many of the Jews as possible, so Johanna describes what it was like to live hidden away in attics, able to move about some during the night hours and always in the fear of discovery. The minister who spirited her away into hiding later paid with his life in a German prison for his activities in behalf of these people. During this time in hiding she began reading the New Testament and gradually realized that Jesus Christ was the long-awaited Messiah of her people.

Working this week in the Media Center were Foy Gooch, Thelma Crawford, Ouita Powell, JenniSu Smith and Beth Pratt.

IN LUBBOCK

Aggravated Robbery Suspects Charged

TWO MEN WERE in Lubbock County Jail under \$50,000 bonds Wednesday after being charged with robbing a man who has been missing for nearly five months and is presumed dead.

Charged with aggravated robbery were Victor Briones, 25, of Floydada and Felix Ybarra Jr., 22, of Bayard, Neb.

Authorities allege the two robbed Max Stone, a 42-year-old medical technologist, on Dec. 31, 1976. Stone reportedly has not been seen by friends or relatives since that date.

Parents Fear Son Dead

In an interview with The Avalanche-Journal last month, the missing man's mother, Mrs. H. L. Stone of Dallas, said she and her husband were certain their son is dead.

The parents said their son stayed in close touch with them before his disappearance, and noted he would not — in their opinion — have left Lubbock voluntarily without medication or other personal belongings.

Wednesday's charges cap a diligent investigation by local law enforcement officers, spearheaded in recent months by sheriff's deputy J. B. Douglas.

The investigation, launched by the Lubbock Police Department, began with the arrest of Briones for allegedly being drunk in a car — Max Stone's car, according to police, though they did not know the name then.

About 4 a.m. on Dec. 31, Police spotted

a car in the 300-block of E. 34th Street and arrested Briones. The car was impounded.

Billfold, Identification Found

That same day, a billfold and identification were found near the Tahoka Highway and were turned in to police.

On Jan. 5, property officer Doug Dertien wrote to Stone's parents, saying their son's property had been found.

Two days later, a missing person's report filed by Police. Det. Sgt. Charles Park said that on a hunch detectives checked local wrecker yards and discovered Stone's car had been impounded two weeks earlier.

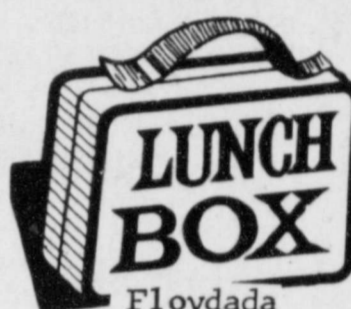
On Jan. 14, a felony theft warrant was issued for Briones. Police traveled to Quanah, near the Oklahoma border, to apprehend the suspect.

Later, Douglas and Texas Ranger B. J. Green traveled to a midwestern state to arrest Ybarra, also on a felony theft warrant.

Reportedly, one of the suspects has given a statement in connection with the case.

Since then, deputies had been working to try to prepare an aggravated robbery case. Reports indicate the pair is accused of stealing Stone's watch.

The watch in question was recovered by Douglas in Altus, Okla.



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TUESDAY

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Hot Rolls
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WEDNESDAY

Lasagna Casserole
Early June Peas
Tossed Vegetable Salad with Dressing
Chilled Peach Slices
Hot Rolls
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THURSDAY

Baked Ham
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Seasoned Green Beans
Celery Stuffed with Peanut Butter
Yellow Cake with Chocolate Icing
Hot Rolls
1/2 Pint Milk

FRIDAY

Charburger on Homemade Buns
Tomato, Lettuce, Dill Pickle
French Fries
Banana Pudding with Vanilla Wafer
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Understanding Yourself

Helpful Ideas From The International Lutheran Laymen's League

ACCEPT YOUR FAULTS

What is cynicism? It is more than doubt. It is downright disbelief that anyone could be honest or mean what he says. Cynicism spills out into almost every area of life. People distrust doctors, lawyers, church leaders, educators, politicians and just about any other group they think about. People distrust each other and they distrust themselves.



But there is a better way. It is the way of realism. You can't just close your eyes to the lack of integrity in the world. You can't just pretend that people are honest when they are not.

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For a free reprint of a Lutheran Hour sermon called "Beyond Cynicism," send your name and address to The International Lutheran Laymen's League, 2185 Hampton Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri 63139.

LESLIE SOTO, a 1976 graduate of Floydada High School, has won the shot put straight track meets for the past two years. Leslie also won the discus at the Chamber of Commerce May sweep of the weight events by winning the javelin. Leslie currently has the best among junior college athletes at 140'2". He is also listed 5th in the first meet of the season. Leslie ranks as the second best on the SPC team with 80 points.



HECE Student Of The Week

Glenda Thompson has been selected as HECE Student of the Week. Glenda is a junior at Floydada High School and is employed at Caprock Hospital. Her training sponsors are Troy Patton, Hospital Administrator and Nancy Nolan, Director of Nurses.

Glenda has just completed her Emergency Medical Technician training and will soon receive her certification from the State of Texas. She is enrolled in the Home Economics Cooperative Education Program and is Vice-President of the Hero Chapter. Some of her hobbies include cooking, sewing, and playing the piano.

Glenda plans to finish high school next year and then pursue her interests in Nursing.

Mr. David L. Kirk
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Dear Mr. Kirk:
Thank you for your letter, which I certainly respect what you have said. President's proposals dealing with the crisis. I am not at all sure that description, although I certainly do not. Frankly, I think a lot of the proposals and regulations which have been controls and regulations which have fuel industry in the last several years and gas. The President's proposal is more problems than solutions.
In my opinion, there is nothing presented, which would help the situation to reduce its dependence on imported oil. President has continually stated that progress has been made. I think what is proposed would hit those people the hardest.
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Take the path of least resistance and go around (rather than over) an obstacle if you can. Slow down before you reach an obstacle, either by braking or down-shifting.

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2. Seek professional help in determining the size of cooling equipment needed. Oversized units especially are to be avoided not only because they draw more energy than is necessary but also because they cannot dehumidify properly, which is detrimental to comfort.
3. Put the compressor units of central air conditioning and heat pump systems in an outside area that is shaded by the house or by plantings. Units should be kept clean and free of any plant overgrowth that would interfere with air circulation.
4. Direct sunlight falling on a window air conditioning unit increases its work load. When a choice is possible, locate such units on the north or shady side of the house.
5. Set the cooling thermostat as high as comfort will permit. The higher the setting, the more energy you save.
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