

Whirlwinds Win, Whirlettes Lose At Idalou

Floydada Whirlwinds defeated the Whirlettes 13-12 in games played at Idalou.

Whirlwinds win put them in a 2-0 district play. The loss put Whirlettes in a 2-2 for the first time.

Coach Sally Miller praised the defensive play of Nancy Anderson, Christi Stringer, Nanette Burk, Brenda Fulton and Beth Stovall.

The Floydada Whirlwind basketball team opened the season with a 48-44 win over the Abernathy Antelopes before a full gymnasium of fans Friday night.

Coach Rollie Rinker really sweat the first three quarters as the Whirlwinds were behind five points at halftime and six points going into the last quarter.

Elton Ratliff was high pointer with 17 and Donzell Minner made ten points. Coach Rinker praised Steve Moore for outstanding play in the second half as he managed some steals and played good defense.

"I thought it was one of Minner's better games as he settled down and played good basketball," the coach added.

TICKETS FOR THE AMARILLO GAME

The Whirlwinds will be playing Dimmitt in the Amarillo Civic Center at 5:15 Saturday afternoon in a game before WTSU plays Bradley. Tickets will be scarce, so if you want a ticket better call 806-656-3436 now and make your reservations.

Floyd County Hesperian

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Three Whirlwinds On All State AA Team



Gary Nixon

Donzell Minner

Kelvin Ratliff

Only state champion LaGrange and quarterfinalist Cameron had more first team all state AA picks than the Whirlwinds of Floydada. Second in state Childress did get a player on the elite team. Childress had four players on the second team.

Senior running back Kelvin Ratliff, guard Gary Nixon and fleet-footed wide receiver Donzell Minner were named to the first team squad from Floydada. The team is selected by the Texas Sports Writers Association.

Donzell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Minner. Gary the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Nixon, and Kelvin the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Ratliff.

Whirlwind football coach L. G. Wilson said he was very pleased with the honors his players had received in being selected on the state's first team.

Minner, 6-0, 170, was a constant pass-catching threat. He hauled in 32 passes for 602 yards or nearly 19 yards per snare. He had 10 touchdowns.

And it was because of dedicated linemen like Nixon (6-0, 195) that Ratliff was able to ravage opponents. Ratliff used 4.6 speed in the 40-yard dash to peel off 1,639 yards in 190 carries for an 8.6 yards per carry average. He scored 16 touchdowns for the Whirlwinds.

Floydada posted a 6-4-1 record to top District 4 AA. It fell to Olton, 22-14, in bi-district play when Kelvin was injured after the first quarter of play.

Cotton Prices \$5.00 to \$7.50 Higher

Grover prices were \$5.00 to \$7.50 per bale higher during the week ending January 16, according to Paul R. Dickson in charge of the Lubbock Cotton Classing Office. Farmers sold mixed new crop lots of mostly grades 32, 42 and 33; staples 29 through 31, mikes 3.3 through 4.9 for 49.00 to 50.50 cents per pound. Mixed lots of mostly grades 42, 52, 33 and 43; staples 28 through 31, mikes 2.9 and lower brought 41.55 to 42.50 cents.

The USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service reported trading was active and growers offered new crop cotton in moderate volume, Dickson said.

Demand was good. Prices paid growers for cottonseed ranged from 80.100 dollars per ton, mostly 80.90 dollars.

Manager Of Mize

TV Resigns; Store

Still Open

Vic Tunnell has resigned as manager of Mize TV in Floydada due to health reasons, according to an announcement by Wilbur Mize.

The Floydada store is still open for business from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 8 a.m. until all bus freight is out on Saturday, Mize said.

Mize added: "We at Mize Pharmacy and TV in Lockney will continue to operate the Floydada store for bus customers and will continue TV service from the Lockney store until a new manager is hired, which will be as soon as possible."

"We will still sell new RCA TV's at the lowest possible prices. Your continued patronage is needed and will be appreciated."

Mize emphasized that Mize TV is in Floydada to stay.



IT WAS A VICTORIOUS NIGHT for Floydada roundballers Friday night as both the Whirlwinds and Whirlettes beat Abernathy here. In top photo Debby Johnson shoots a couple. In lower photo Elton Ratliff shoots. Rick Carthel on left. (Staff Photo)

Floyd County Loses Money When

Auto Purchased In Other County

When a resident of Floyd County buys a car, pickup, or truck in another county, Floyd County loses money on the deal.

If the auto costs around \$6,000, Floyd County would lose \$23.00 to \$25.00 on state tax and registration fees.

In this edition of this newspaper Floyd County's four auto dealerships are sponsoring a page advertisement outlining the advantages of trading for a new car, pickup or truck in Floyd County.

They emphasize that there is a payroll of over \$400,000, with around 45 persons employed in the dealerships, and the dealers appreciate the

"Boss Of The Year"

To Be Named At

Chamber Banquet

A "Boss of the Year" will be named at the annual Floydada Chamber of Commerce Monday night, February 16th in Duncan Elementary Cafeteria, Dortha Westbrook of the Floydada Nursing Home was last year's boss of the year. This will be the second year for the event which is sponsored by the Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce.

Anyone wishing to nominate their boss for the title should write in 50 to 100 words why he or she should be named outstanding boss. Address your nominations to "Boss of the Year," Box 291, Floydada.

Entry deadline is February 5th.



Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Leibfried will pay a \$25.00 reward for the return of this little Pekingese dog. She is blonde in color and answers to the name of Honey. She has lived with the Leibfrieds since 1961 and is a dear member of the family. Due to her advanced age, she is suffering from arthritis and blind in her right eye. Her teeth are bad and she must eat only soft foods and needs a lot of drinking water. She was last seen last week near the east city limits of Floydada by Mrs. Ned Bradley, who stopped and gave her food and water. Mrs. Bradley did not know at that time whose dog it was. You may call 983-2378 if you know the whereabouts of Honey.

The Weather

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31	16

None for week
None for month
None for year

Caprock Chat

By Wendell Tooley

THE ROMAN CALLED Builders say that her new calendar they might be in error...there are five Sundays in February!

Some there are for sure five is February, which could only happen in a Leap Year. This can only happen every four years, anyone know for sure?

EVERY MAN needs a wife. Some go wrong that can't be blamed on government.

GOOD EXAMPLE of how the Office Department wastes money. Source continues to go in the red. Building of nice new post offices in small communities. A good idea is the costs of building new post offices and Dougherty here in Floyd County.

Communities could very easily be served by mail carrier routes out of Lockney.

Post Office Department is required this mistake (too many now they are talking of them).

CONGRATULATIONS TO the all state band selection, which Kelvin Ratliff, Donzell Minner and Gary Nixon who were named to the state's sportswriters. FHS likes these help put Floydada in a manner we like very much.

DOUBT ABOUT IT...this wheat needs some moisture. I look back at a record and January is not being a good moisture month. Last year there were only four years in 1925 that we didn't get a little moisture or rainfall, some last year.

Best January moisture was back 1949 when 2.65 was recorded. Only have a good wheat record in 1949 that year was only 1.2 over 16 inches.

Get into the new year with a good sub-soil moisture. I heard the North Plains is very dry and they are losing their wheat.

MR. Tooley - Some time ago in the paper you wanted to know about Judge W. T. Montgomery, the first Mayor of Floydada. I know him when I was 11 or 12 years old. He boarded at the Hotel about where old state hotel and I visited the Draves home. I'm sure he is buried in Floydada and was the first mayor of Floydada and my father W. L. Boerner was the second mayor serving from 1920 to 1924. This will help you as I lived in Floyd County 70 years before moving to this home in Amarillo, Texas 79105.



First Mayor of Floydada was Judge W. T. Montgomery, now deceased. The judge was one of the founders of the pioneer city, and drug the chain when Floydada was first laid out.



STATE BAND MEMBER...Tim Dyess, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Dyess is possibly the first FHS band student to make the state team in over ten years. Tim has been a band student since sixth grade and plays the French horn. In December he made regional at Lubbock, then area try-outs in Lubbock last week, coming out second of 16 contestants. The competition includes all schools in the state regardless of size. Tim will have another tryout in San Antonio February 11 to determine his chair in the state band and if he will be in the symphonic or concert band. He has been in the all region band three years. (Staff Photo)

Denton Again

"Manager Of Year"

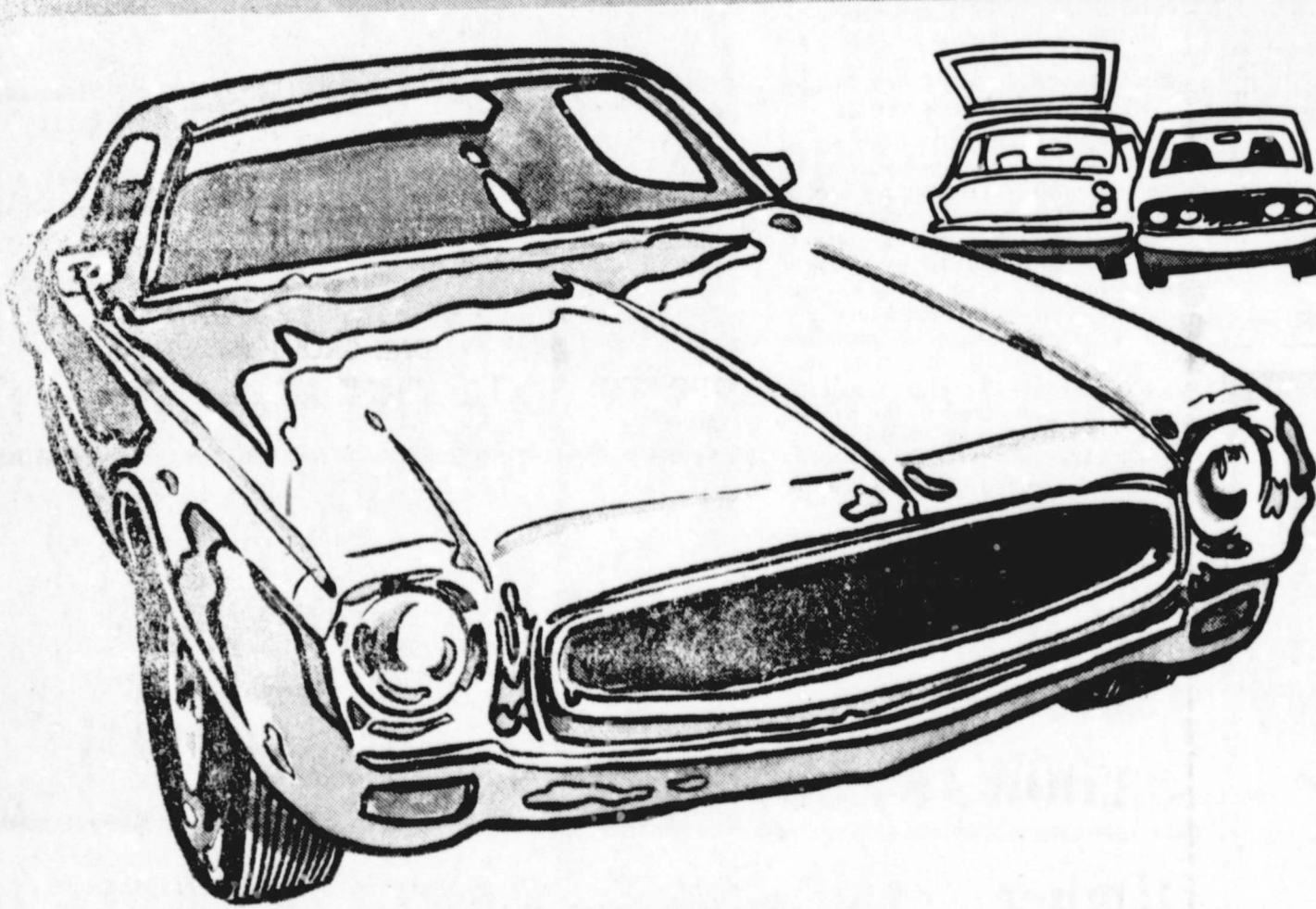
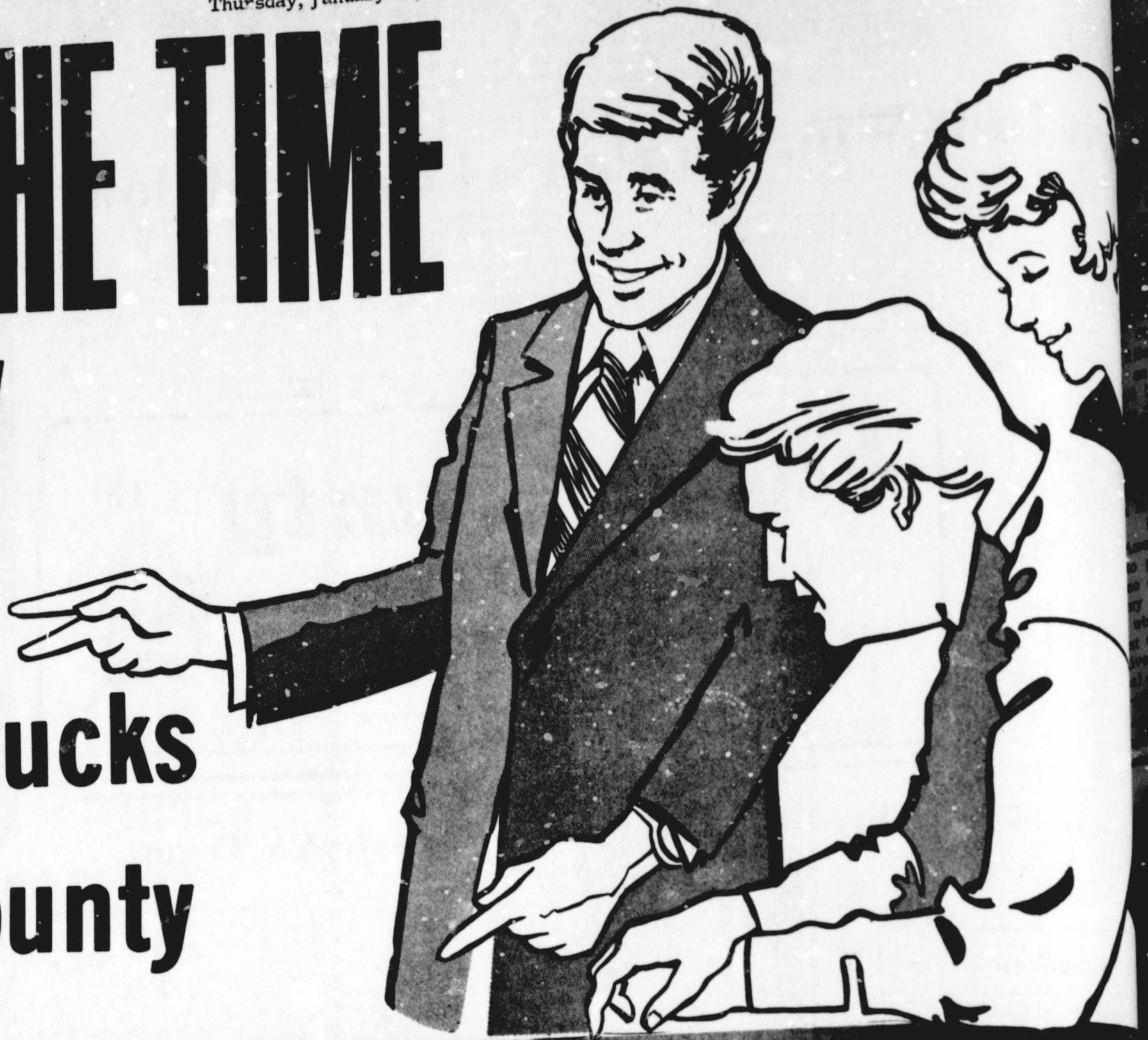
For the third consecutive year, Clarence Floyd, Floydada manager for Southwestern Public Service Company, has received the "Manager of the Year" Award for outstanding sales performance. Denton competed with eleven other SPS managers in towns similar in size to Floydada.

Cliff Milnar, SPS marketing vice president, presented the award, Wednesday, at a division sales meeting at the Hilton Inn in Lubbock. The honor was accompanied by a gift certificate.

Floydada earned three first place positions, made quota, or better, in eleven of fourteen areas of sales competition, and earned more judging points than any of the other eleven competing towns to bring the award to Denton.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY

Cars and Trucks in Floyd County



DID YOU KNOW...

- 1 DID YOU KNOW...the value of your trade-in is at a 15-year high?
- 2 DID YOU KNOW...the 1976 models average up to 35% better gas mileage than older models?
- 3 DID YOU KNOW... maintenance costs are lower on 1976 models because of solid state ignition, engine improvements, and sealed bearings?
- 4 DID YOU KNOW... the 1976's are better values? Most are equipped with steel belted radial tires guaranteed for 40,000 miles of trouble free driving.
- 5 DID YOU KNOW... your local new car dealers have the best selection of 1976 models, styles and options to choose from right now on their showroom floors?

- 6 DID YOU KNOW...the 1976's have cleaner more efficient engines with exhaust cleaning by the new catalytic converter?

REMEMBER...

THAT YOUR CAR OR PICKUP PURCHASED IN FLOYD COUNTY ADDS TAX MONEY TO THE COUNTY TO BE USED FOR A BETTER WAY OF LIFE IN FLOYD COUNTY.

THAT FLOYD COUNTY NEW CAR DEALERS ARE READY TO MAKE SOME OF THE MOST ATTRACTIVE OFFERS ON 1976 MODELS THAT YOU HAVE EVER SEEN IN YEARS.

COME BY AND LET US SHOW YOU WHAT WE MEAN

ODEN CHEVROLET-OLDS.

221 S. MAIN 983-3787 FLOYDADA
"140 YEARS IN FLOYDADA"

CITY AUTO INC.

201 E. MO. 983-3767 FLOYDADA

NEW CAR INDUSTRY IS BIG BUSINESS IN FLOYD COUNTY

When you buy your new car or pickup in Floyd county you help maintain a payroll of approximately \$400,000 at four auto dealerships. There are about 45 men and women employed at four dealerships who make their homes in Floyd county. Not only do the owners of the dealerships, but the employees appreciate when you trade in Floyd county.

REED FORD & MERCURY

RALLS HIGHWAY 983-3761 FLOYDADA

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AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY
M. D. Anderson Hospital
and Tumor Institute

smoke cigarettes when they tell their patients to quit. Don't they believe what they say?"

ANSWERline: Since the Surgeon General's report on "Smoking and Health" in 1964, 100,000 physicians have "quit" and there is evidence that each year there are fewer and fewer physicians among the smokers' ranks. One study showed that while 24 percent of some 3,390 New York State M.D.'s smoked in 1968, the percentage dropped to 15 percent of the physicians questioned about their smoking habits in 1972. In general American physicians have been setting a fine example for quitters.

A reader sends in a challenge: "Can you tell me about any real progress in treating any form of cancer in the last 10 years?"

ANSWERline: One out-

standing example of a change from outlook hopeless to outlook good comes in the recent history of treating Hodgkin's disease. Thanks to better diagnostic techniques and the use of combination treatments (radiation plus drugs), few patients developing this cancer of the lymph system are beyond potential cure. Without a doubt this represents a milestone in the fight against cancer.

A senior citizen explains: "I'm well aware that too much sun isn't good, especially for the older generation. But, I wonder if there is any safe time to sit in the sun?"

ANSWERline: In general, if you stay out of the sun from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. you will avoid some two-thirds of the sun's harmful rays. Naturally, you shouldn't overdo sunbathing at any hour. Overexposure to sun is a major cause of skin cancer and the elderly are at particular risk.

Question: "Is there ever a time when a woman is safe from breast cancer?"

ANSWERline: Unfortu-

nately, breast cancer risk follows women through life. That is why it is important to practice monthly breast self-examination and consult a physician about detection tests because breast cancer is most curable when detected early and treated promptly. Check with your local American Cancer Society Unit for more information.

Do you have further questions? Call your local unit of the American Cancer Society or write: Cancer Information Service, The University of Texas, M.D. Anderson Hospital & Tumor Institute, Texas Medical Center, Houston, 77025.

ENERGY TALKS

Q. How much more would it cost me to heat my home if the government adopted the proposal of Congressmen who say we should decontrol natural gas?

A. A lot less, the experts say, than most people would imagine. The price of natural gas at the point of production, known as the wellhead, makes up only about 20 percent of the cost of gas to residential users.

The Federal Energy Administration estimates that the average homeowner's gas bill, which is about \$180 a year, would increase by only \$10.21 in 1976, \$13.30 in 1977, and \$19.15 in 1978, if new gas were decontrolled.

The increase in price would also serve as an incentive to producers to look for more natural gas supplies, thus easing our present shortage.



PRODUCERS COOPERATIVE ELEVATOR



ERNEST BORGNI
shields Hollis McLaren in this tense moment from SUNDAY IN THE COUNTRY, a quiet title for an explosive movie. From Cinema Releasing. Starts Friday at the Scala.

RED WING SHOES

A RUGGED BOOT FOR RUGGED COUNTRY

Red Wing Cures 5 o'clock Feet

RED WING

Hale's Department Store

RCA SPECIALS OF THE WEEK



MODEL FU505 THE COSMOS

XL-100 All Solid-State 21" diagonal picture, Handsome, clean-lined contemporary model portable.

List Price \$589.95
Mize Price, this week only . . .

\$499⁹⁵



MODEL GU795 THE PRINCETON

XL-100 Color Console 25" diagonal picture Colonial cabinet design in Candle-Glow Pine finish Digital Channel indicator

List Price \$849.95
Mize Price, this week only . . .

\$692⁰⁰

THESE SPECIAL PRICES GOOD THIS WEEK ONLY, JANUARY 22-28, AT BOTH STORES

NOTICE: Mize TV in Floydada will have a new manager/service man at the earliest possible date. Meanwhile, we will continue repair service to the Floydada area through our Lockney store. Our Floydada store will remain open, and we will continue to sell RCA TV's in Floydada at the lowest possible prices. We are in Floydada to stay.

MIZE PHARMACY & TV

102 S. MAIN 652-2435

MIZE TV

215 S. MAIN 983-3481

Bealls pre-inventory CLEARANCE SALE

READY-TO-WEAR

SPECIAL ON LADIES PANT SUITS

REG. \$20.00 and \$24.00 values

now only \$14⁸⁸

SPECIAL ON NEW SPRING LADIES PULL ON CAPRIS

VALUES TO \$9.00

only \$4⁸⁸

THIS WEEK ONLY

SPECIAL ON

LADIES-JUNIOR TOPS

ASST. STYLES

REG \$9.00 - \$10.00 & \$11.00 values

now only \$6⁸⁸

REG \$6.00 and \$7.00 values

only \$4⁸⁸ ea.

SPECIAL ON

LADIES-JUNIOR JEANS

SIZES 5 thru 13

COMPARE AT \$20.00 a pr.

NOW ONLY \$7⁸⁸

THIS WEEK ONLY

CLEARANCE ON LADIES SWEATERS LADIES COATS

Reduced 1/3 OFF REG. PRICE

SPECIAL ON

TWO COUNTERS OF DACRON KNIT

REG \$1.99 value

now only \$1³⁹

SPECIAL ON

TWO COUNTERS OF

DACRON KNIT

REG. \$2.88 to \$3.99 a yd.

now only \$2²⁹

a yd.

BARGAIN TABLE

BOYS SHORTIE PAJAMAS LADIES SCUFFS

MENS KHAKI PANTS AND OTHER ITEMS

ITEMS ON THIS TABLE

ONLY . . \$1⁰⁰

BARGAIN TABLE IN

OUR SHOE DEPT.

ONE TABLE OF ODDS AND INS SHOES HOUSEHOS

THIS GROUP

ONLY . . \$1⁰⁰ APR.

CLEARANCE ON

LADIES FALL

HAND BAGS

REG \$7.00 values

now \$2⁹⁹

REG. \$9.00 values

now \$3⁹⁹

CLEARANCE ON

LADIES FALL SHOES

REDUCED AS MUCH AS

1/2 price

Society



Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Graves

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Graves Honored On 25th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Graves were honored on their 25th Wedding Anniversary Sunday, January 18. The hostess for the occasion was Keith and Kathy Burley of Lubbock, Frankie, Glen, Bobbye and Sherry Graves, and a niece, Debra Ferguson of Lockney. The couple was presented a picture of their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Graves were married January 21, 1951 in Lovington, New Mexico. Weldon is owner and operator of Graves Welding Shop north of Lockney. Frances has worked as aide for nearly two years at Lockney General Hospital. The couple has lived in Floyd County most of their married life.

Kathy Burley and Sherry Graves presented their parents with corsages of white daisies trimmed with silver twines.

The registering table was covered with a blue tablecloth with anniversary book, white bouquet in vase set by their wedding picture taken 25 years ago. Registering the guests were Bobbye and Sherry Graves.

The refreshment table was laid with a green cloth covered with white lace. The center of the table was set with a three-tiered wedding cake, covered with green flowers and wedding bells on

each layer. At the bottom of the cake stood bride and groom facing stairs climbing to top with a 25 silver piece setting at top. Silver candle holders with white candles stood at each side of cake. Fruit punch was set on one side of the table with silver service for coffee at another end. Serving the honorees and guests were Kathy Burley and Debra Ferguson.

Registering and sending gifts were Rev. and Mrs. John Jenkins, Carl Howard, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Frizzell, Mr. and Mrs. Verne Taylor and children, Mrs. I. O. Graves, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Muney, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Owens and Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Don Vernon and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Duvall and Teresa, Mr. and Mrs. Kelton Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. James Wigginton, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cooper, Mrs. Don Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cooper and children, Mrs. Jewel Rexrode, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rexrode, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Willis all of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burley and family of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Willis and girls of Lubbock, Mrs. Beal Ferguson and Sandra of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Pratt of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pratt and boys of Floydada, and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lindsey of Silvertown.

Club Meets In Reeves Home

The first meeting of the new year for the Hook and Needle Club was held in the Harry Reeves home January 13th. New officers were elected at this time.

Serving the club as president will be Mrs. Glenn White; vice president, Mrs. Clyde Alexander; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. David Lewis; scrapbook chairman, Mrs. Sam Baker; sunshine chairman, Mrs. Willie Bunch; and reporter, Mrs. Clarence Denton.

One new member, Mrs. Johnny Bill Sue, was voted into the club.

Mrs. Reeves served refreshments to those previously mentioned and also to Mrs. Earl Crawford and Mrs. Johnny Cates.

County HD Council Meets

Floyd County Home Demonstration Council met January 16 in the council room with Mrs. W. W. Trapp, council chairman, in charge.

Mrs. O. G. Mayfield, program chairman, urged all club members to have their program suggestions in to her by February 20th for the new Yearbooks.

Sharon Hillis, extension agent, told of the up coming county-wide extension programs which include the Fashion Review on Feb. 6th at Massie Activity Center.

There will be a District 2 Training meeting in Lubbock at Municipal Garden and Arts Center February 2. Mrs. J. P. Taylor, Mrs. W. H. (Bill) Smith, and Sharon Hillis will represent Floyd County at the meeting.

Each club is to elect two nominees to council for the District meeting which is to be held in Littlefield in April.

Present at the meeting were Meses. Trapp, W. A. Stewart, Zant Scott, Herman Huffman, O. G. Mayfield, Sharon Hillis and Ernie Widener.

Worn plastic tablecloths can be cut down to make ironing board dust covers

FLOYDADA Rest Home Birthday Party

When January comes around...

And northwind "breezes" blow... Our birthday parties warm it up... No matter, sleet or snow!

Paul Luttrell always wears a smile...

Though often things seem rough... He knows the way to "whip" each day By acting "nice" and "tough."

Mrs. Bessie Palmer Keeps happy day by day...

And if there's "42" at hand...

She's always there to play!

Mrs. Dora Lankford Is ever quiet and sweet...

And to have a birthday party Just makes her day complete!

Our Mrs. Bessie Pierce Is turning "88"...

And as the years go...



FLOYDADA NURSING HOME BIRTHDAY HONOREES

January included Mrs. Viola Weems, Mrs. Bessie Palmer, Mrs. Agnes Langford, Mrs. Dora Lankford, Mrs. Bessie Pierce, and Paul Luttrell, not to mention...

Church of Christ monthly residents of home Thursday as a big crowd the dining room festivities.

The "honorees" with a whole centered with cake was served and each one for each birthday honoree were marked birthday honorees were attend, except Pictures were Hesperian the poem was joined in the birthday song cake, compliments tangy fruit served to the other residents guests and...

The next Thursday, Feb. 26, p.m. You are share this special these lovely people

planning a Bridge Tournament Luncheon on February 3rd at Lighthouse Electric. Tickets to the tournament and spaghetti meal with all the trimmings may be purchased at First National Bank or Floydada Real Estate. Tickets are \$3 each. Those planning to attend from out of town may secure tickets by writing Frank Barrow at the bank. The event is scheduled from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m., and prizes will be awarded.

field trip. We took Della Finley by to stay with her sister-in-law, Ella Finley, for awhile. Ella has been ill for a long time and Della has been very anxious to see her. Both enjoyed the visit. We hope Ella will soon be well enough to come visit Della at the home.

Then we went for ice cream and on to Lockney. Mr. Freeman took us on a nice tour of Lockney's residential district. They have some beautiful homes.

Thursday the ladies from the City Park Church of Christ gave the birthday party of the month for our residents. We had six with birthdays in January: Dora Langford, Agnes Anderson, Bessie Palmer, Bessie Pierce, Paul Luttrell and Viola Weems. We appreciate these church women so much. May God bless each one of them richly.

We will be gone for the next two weeks as my husband and daughter (Dorothy Westbrook) and myself are taking a trip to California. We hope everyone will stay well while we are gone.

We are very thankful for all our visitors this week which included: Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Grubbs, Thelma Jones, Mrs. Clarence Ash, Mrs. Fred Battey, Frances Lynch, May Dell Purnell, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert E. Davis.

Honor List at Texas Tech for the fall semester. Foster, a freshman sociology major, received a grade average of 3.13.

He is a member of the Texas Tech Marching Band. Good judgment is the passport to good driving.

Wednesday we went on a Ray Foster On Dean's Honor List Ray D. Foster, son of Mrs. Garland Foster of Floydada, was named to the Dean's

There is a National Bicentennial Doodling Contest going on, and if you are interested in entering you have until March 10, 1976 to get your entry in. Entry blanks are available at the Hesperian. There is no age limit. You are asked to complete any one of the four pictures in the Bicentennial Travel Pack or the Bicentennial Super Deluxe poster. An entrant may enter his or her own picture depicting the Bicentennial. There will be one winner selected from each store carrying Doodle Arts. The winner will receive a free Doodle Marker 40 pen set and a Super Deluxe kit of his or her choice.

Each store winner will also have their winning poster or Travel Pack entered in the Regional Doodling Contest. Prize for Regional winner is a tape cassette recorder/player. The poster of the Regional winner will be taken to the National Doodle Art convention and entered into the Grand Prize contest. The

Grand winner will receive a portable black and white television and an Odyssey Game, the new video-electronic game.

Come to the Hesperian and get your entry blanks.

Stork news

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mensch of Lubbock announce the adoption of a son who was born January 12 weighing 5 lbs., 15 ozs. He arrived at the Mensch home January 15 and has been named David Owen. The mother is the former Sue Thomas of Floydada. Mensch is employed by Travelers Insurance.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hal Thomas of Floydada, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Mensch of Petersburg. Great grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Grubbs of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Mensch of Draw, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Whitfill of Silvertown are parents of a baby girl Cynthia Mechelle, born Sunday, January 18 at Plainview hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ben Whitfill of Silvertown. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edd Whitfill and Mrs. R. E. Patterson of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Fitzgerald of Plainview are parents of a boy, born Friday January 16, weighing 7 lbs 10 1/2 ozs. at Methodist

Hospital, Lubbock. His name is James K. Fitzgerald III. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitfill of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Jim K. Fitzgerald of Plainview. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edd Whitfill of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Blenden of Johnstown, Pennsylvania are parents of a baby daughter, Courtney Ann, who weighed seven lbs., nine and a half ozs. at birth. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Popp of Johnstown and Mr. and Mrs. Easton Blenden of Lockney. Mrs. H. E. Blenden of Watonga, Oklahoma is the baby's great grandmother.

Leigh Evans Gets Honorable Mention Abilene-Leigh Weathersbee Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Weathersbee of Route 2, Floydada, was named Honorable Mention for outstanding academic work at Hardin-Simmons University during the fall semester.

To qualify for Honorable Mention a student must take six to eleven hours with at least a 3.7 grade point average on all courses.

It was once supposed that pigeons always sat on two eggs which produced a male and a female, and that these twin birds would live together in love the rest of their lives.

1 WONDER...where the 1928 Pep Squad in Floydada got their name of Green Peppers? If figures are correct our Junior High School building, which used to be high school, has been standing since 1924. Andrews Elementary School was erected in 1927.

WELL...now let me get this straight. Linda Rucker Woodall's basketball team in Ramstein, Germany, came in second in that tournament, losing by only three points. I knew there was a three somewhere. Linda's team of girls are youngsters of the airbase personnel where Linda's husband is stationed.

Also stationed in Germany is another Floydada serviceman, David Cogdell. David called his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cogdell, on Christmas and informed them he was still a Lieutenant, but not a second anymore. He made 1st Lt. around Christmas. David is stationed at Camp King and resides in Frankfurt, Germany.

DID...you get a mood ring for Christmas? Better enjoy it as it will probably lose all of its "impulses" by next Christmas. The most expensive "mood rings" selling in the \$45 range are quartz crystal mounted in silver or vermeil and the less expensive, glass or acrylic stones are substituted. Consumer researchers say the stone's ability to change

FINAL MARKDOWN!

MOST FALL & WINTER MERCHANDISE

1/2 PRICE

MEN'S & LADIES' SHOES
LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR
MEN'S SHIRTS

SELECTED GROUPS OF
MEN'S SUITS & SPORT COATS ... 1/2 PRICE

Brown's
DEPARTMENT STORE
104-06 North Main
Lockney, Texas

Hale's Dept. Store

1/2 PRICE SALE!

ON ALL FALL & WINTER READY-TO-WEAR FOR GIRLS JUNIORS, MISSES & HALF-SIZES

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Collections For Display Needed At County Historical Museum

Floyd County Historical Museum would like to hear from anyone interested in loaning their collections for display at the Museum during the year 1976.

The collections will be exhibited for a one or two month period and will be returned to the owner at the end of that time. All items will be displayed in a glass enclosed area, and Museum personnel will arrange the collection displays unless

the owner wishes to do so. Collections of special interest would include glass items, paper, items, tools, toys, handwork, clothing, metal items, photos and any other early day articles.

To schedule an exhibit you may call Nancy Marble at 983-2937.

when fully loaded.

Many sources of power are being developed, such as solar, nuclear, hydro, coal and untapped gas fields but it will be years to come before many of these will be available at full capacity, Miss Burk said. She impressed members with the thought that it is up to us, the people, as to how we enjoy our future, energy wise, by the way we use our natural resources today.

Mrs. Hale served a delicious refreshment plate of sandwiches, cake and coffee to Miss Burk and Mmes. Porter, Blum, Walker, Hawk, J. A. Arwine and Ned Bradley.

Mrs. Hale Hostess For LCC Associates

Floydada chapter of the Lubbock Christian College Associates met in the Walton Hale home Monday evening, January 19, with the president, Mrs. Louis Blum calling the meeting to order. Opening prayer was led by Mrs. Maud Hawk and minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Grady Walker. A short business meeting was conducted after which Mrs. Tom Porter introduced the guest speaker, Miss Kathy Burk, Home Economist for Lighthouse Electric Co-operative. She gave a very interesting and informative program on energy conservation. She stressed that we will have to be very careful in the use of our natural resources for years to come if we are to have enough energy to supply our needs and industrial growth. Miss Burk stressed the idea that we, as women in the home, can do a great deal in this direction by using washers, dryers, dishwashers, irons, televisions, radios and all other appliances ONLY as needed and then use washers, and such, ONLY

tea, cookies and cake were served. A gift of a money tree was presented to the honorees.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fewell spent the past weekend in Brownfield, Texas, visiting their daughter, Mrs. Harold Snell, her husband and children.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Abbott recently visited their son, Stanley and his wife in Gloria, N.M.

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TEMPERATURES AT FLOYDADA For the Month of Dec. 20, 1975 to Jan. 19, 1976

Day of Month	Max.	Min.	Jan. 10	64	32
Dec. 20	54	28	Jan. 11	52	23
Dec. 21	42	26	Jan. 12	69	28
Dec. 22	52	32	Jan. 13	52	33
Dec. 23	34	30	Jan. 14	44	20
Dec. 24	33	28	Jan. 15	66	30
Dec. 25	44	24	Jan. 16	58	32
Dec. 26	54	30	Jan. 17	68	33
Dec. 27	56	32	Jan. 18	68	53
Dec. 28	40	35	Jan. 19	52	30
Dec. 29	35	26	Total	1557	818
Dec. 30	54	24	Avg temp 50° 26°		
Dec. 31	62	28	Avg temp for Month 38°F.		
Jan. 1	48	28			
Jan. 2	38	20			
Jan. 3	34	15			
Jan. 4	36	17			
Jan. 5	58	22			
Jan. 6	64	20			
Jan. 7	22	9			
Jan. 8	42	8			
Jan. 9	58	22			

For company, wipe your telephones with cologne-daubed cotton. The alcohol in it is an antiseptic, and the perfume adds a fancy touch.

The Floyd Philosopher Comes Up With A Wild Scheme To Put A Stop To All These Crises

Editor's note: The Floyd Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm seems to be back in standard form, his letter this week indicates.

Dear Editor:

As some of you may know, I was suddenly carted off to the hospital a few weeks ago, but I can now report that I'm back in fairly good working order.

Thought I'd tell you about a dream I had. I dreamed that for some strange reason the three TV and radio network editors and the leading newspaper and wire service editors all gathered at my grass farm out here one day. There was Walter Cronkite, John Chancellor, David Brinkley, James Reston, and too many others to mention. "Look," the president of CBS said. "We're getting tired of having to chase all over the world with our cameras and reporters every time a world crisis breaks out in some country we never heard of before."

"That's right," John Chancellor chimed in. "I've been in the news business all my life and it was only a month ago I heard of Angola. Took two secretaries half the morning to find it on the map."

"Yeah," Walter Cronkite put it. "Beirut, Zaire, Zanzibar, Belfast—every one of them has been in a world crisis at one time or another. Everybody gets excited, world leaders confer and wring their hands, we report it all, then the crisis fades away and we get set for another one. It's getting monotonous. There ought to be some way to stop it."

This dream is pretty wild because at that point I spoke up. "I've got an idea," I said. "Let's teach the world a little lesson. Let's make up a mythical country, manufacture a crisis there, put it on TV and radio and in the newspapers, and then sit back and see how the world leaders perform."

"Great idea," David Brinkley said. "What are we going to call this country?" "I've got the perfect name," I said. "Let's call it Hypodermia."

"Great," James Reston of the New York Times said. They all agreed and that evening the news was filled with the new world crisis developing in far-off Hypodermia. "Internal strife is boiling over in the towns and throughout the countryside," the reports went. "Two Soviet ships loaded with supplies have been sighted off the east coast of Hypodermia."

Lights burned late at the U.S. State Department that night and by next morning Washington was seething with excitement. "Where is Hypodermia?" one State Department expert asked. "What difference does that make?" another put in. "Let's get our aid on the way and we'll find out later where it is."

"Should we tell Congress about this?" another asks. "No," another answers. "You tell Congress and it won't be 24 hours before the whole country knows."

Unfortunately, a nurse came by to give me a pill before I finished this dream, but you've got to admit it has some side-splitting possibilities, especially when you think of all those cargo planes loaded with U.S. aid circling the globe trying to locate Hypodermia so they can land and protect our interests.

Yours faithfully,
J.A.

VETERAN'S NEWS

The Veterans Administration today pointed to a good reason Veterans should check with the agency before traveling or establishing residence abroad.

Under the law, Jack Coker, Regional Director, explained, VA cannot provide certain benefits in foreign countries. Thus, a Veteran who knows what benefits are available is better equipped to plan wisely, Coker noted.

For example, before traveling outside the United States, a Veteran should obtain a statement of his service-connected disabilities from the VA office which maintains his medical records.

In an emergency, an eligible Veteran is entitled to VA-paid hospitalization for service-connected conditions. The Veteran or a representative must present the VA statement along with an application for medical benefits to the Embassy or Consular office in the foreign country within 72 hours of hospitalization. Notification of outpatient treatment must be made within 15 days.

Education benefits are available overseas to eligible Veterans, wives, widows, and children pursuing degrees in VA-approved foreign schools.

Whenever possible, Veterans traveling in foreign countries should maintain stateside mailing addresses

Jarboe Elected To Underground Water Board

The unofficial results of the 1976 election of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1, held January 17, have been announced by the District's Lubbock office.

Malvin A. Jarboe of Floydada has been elected to succeed Chester Mitchell of Lockney as representative of District Director's Precinct 5 (Floyd and Hale Counties).

Mitchell, a District Director and officer of the Board for the past 12 years, longer than any other person, did not seek re-election. Jarboe, unopposed on the ballot, will serve a

two-year term.

Also elected to the five-man board were James P. Mitchell of Lubbock and Selmer Schoenrock of Levelland. They join Billy Wayne Sisson, Hereford, and Webb Gohar, Farwell, on the Board of Directors.

Residents of Floyd County winning an unofficial four-year term on the County Committee were C. O. Lyles (at-large), Connie Bearden (Commissioner's Precinct 1) and M. M. Smithman (Commissioner's Precinct 3), all of Floydada.

The Board of Directors will meet on January 23 to canvass the votes and officially declare the winners.

Remove carpet grease spots caused by holiday traffic by pouring a generous amount of baking soda or corn meal on the spot. Work it into the pile with your fingers. Leave it overnight and vacuum off the next day, suggests Lynn Bourland, family resource management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.



In the sixteenth century, Queen Catherine de Medici decreed that the standard waist measurement for ladies of the French court was 13 inches!

Mrs. Barbara Cunyus is home after surgery and recuperating nicely.

HEADS UP!



March of Dimes

POLITICAL CALENDER

Subject to the May Democratic Primary in Floyd County.

U. S. Congress
OMAR BURLESON
Sheriff

C. L. McKAY
Sheriff
BUD RAINY
Sheriff

FRED CARDINAL
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Commissioner
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1/2 PRICE

MENS SPORT COATS
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LADIES COATS
GIRLS COATS
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Fairview News

By Mrs. Clyde Bagwell

OBITUARY

Dow Colson

Services for Willie Dow Colson, 90, of Lockney were conducted Tuesday in the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Hugh Daniel, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Lockney Cemetery under the direction of Carter Funeral Home.

Colson died at 2:15 a.m. Monday in Lockney General Hospital.

A retired farmer, Colson had lived in the Lockney area since 1921. He married Grace Sutton on Dec. 25, 1928, in Floydada. A native of Mountain Home, Ark., Colson was a member of the Odd Fellows Lodge here and the VFW. He was a veteran of World War I.

Survivors include his wife; and two sisters, Mrs. Essie Yarbrough of Plainview and Mrs. Edna Talley of Marlow, Oklahoma.

Mrs. George Burgett's mother, Mrs. Ruby Carmack, underwent gall bladder surgery Friday in an Amarillo hospital. She is getting along real well, Mrs. Burgett reports.

Rev. Hollis Payne visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ruy Irwin Saturday.

Mrs. Gracie Riggles visited Mrs. Pernie Ray Sunday and had lunch with her. Last Monday Mrs. Kate Crabtree visited at Caprock Hospital with Mrs. W. C. Cates.

Kay Crabtree and Anissa visited Saturday morning with his mother, Mrs. Kate Crabtree.

J. B. Burgett of Chandler, Arizona, called his mother, Mrs. Ruy Irwin Saturday.

Mrs. C. H. Wise visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Elmer Warren and later she visited Mrs. J. M. Pierce.

Mrs. C. W. Payne started back to work at Lockney General Hospital the first of January where she is an L.V.N.

Farmers Losing

Control Ag Policy

College Station - Farmers are finding it increasingly difficult to be heard in Washington.

"Producers interests in agricultural policy are taking a secondary position to interests of foreign policy, consumerism and labor," Secretary Butz is no longer calling the shots on farm policy. Unless farmers are able to take charge, farm programs may actually be a noose around the producer's neck.

That's the contention of Dr. Ronald Knutson, economist in marketing and policy for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, who spoke at an Extension Service Press Day banquet at Texas A&M University yesterday evening (Jan. 13).

"Producers must consolidate if they are to regain a position of control over agricultural policy," emphasized the Texas A&M University System economist.

Knutson listed two critical policy questions on which producers must evaluate their position: (1) In whose interest is agricultural policy going to be made? (2) How much government involvement should there be?

The economist noted that the overriding concern of producers is the question of the conditions under which they will have access to international markets.

"Food has become an integral part of the policy of détente. As such, it may be used either as a carrot or a stick in diplomacy. The carrot policy involves freely exporting to make foreign governments more dependent on the United States as a source of supply. The theory behind this is that a foreign power will not bite the hand that feeds it."

"On the other hand, the stick policy makes access to U.S. grain dependent on support of U.S. policy by the recipient government. If food is used as a stick, the producer is in danger of being denied free market access from time to time."

While food diplomacy receives a lot of attention, organized labor and consumerism stand as even greater threats to producer access to foreign markets, argued Knutson. In both 1973 and 1975 the impact of exports on domestic food prices was the primary reason for export controls. This reflects the fact that President Ford listened to George Meany more than to producers or Secretary Butz.

"Target prices, food reserves and the future of commodity programs stand as the major domestic farm policy issues," noted Knutson. "Farmers feel that in return for full production there must be reasonable assurance that prices will not fall below production costs. They are opposed to reserves because they lower prices. Commodity programs such as those on rice and peanuts appear to be on the way out."

"For agricultural producers to get a fair shake in future farm policies, they must make their voices heard-as one strong body

rather than as individual commodity groups. Farmers need a strong right hand in Washington or else they will have to continue catering to the whims of those who desire to use agriculture as a pawn," emphasized the economist.

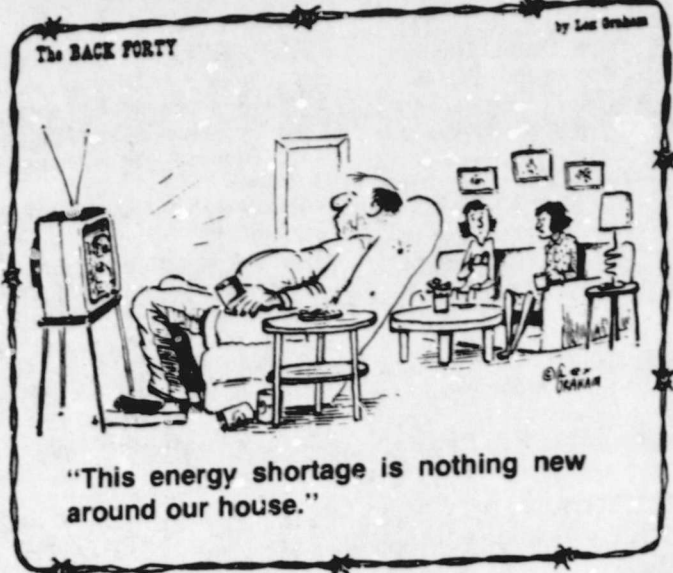
"OUTLOOK" DISCUSSIONS AT SCHOOL--A special session to provide "outlook" information on livestock, cotton, grain and the money market will be one of the highlights of the 24th Texas Farm and Ranch Credit School for Commercial Bankers, February 9-11.

at Texas A&M University. Other discussions will deal with the changing political, market and financial environments. Special sessions are also planned on agricultural loans and for bank directors. An in-depth Agricultural Credit Analysis Workshop will be held February 11-13, according to an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Due to increased availability of suitable fabrics, patterns, notions and pre-packaged kits, more people will be sewing skiwear and outer sportswear during

1976. By making their own outdoorwear, homeowners save money, challenge themselves with a new experience and create custom and unique looks, Mrs. Becky

Culp, area clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, points out.



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The Lockney Beacon



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COUNTY JUDGES, COMMISSIONERS TO PARLEY--The 18th annual conference of the County Judges and Commissioners of Texas will deal with issues that are today's problems, such as Ambulance service, solid waste disposal and law enforcement. The conference which

will be held at the Texas A&M University campus, also features national and state judges, agricultural and policy, comptroller's and announces a program special Texas Agricultural Service.

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LAKEVIEW

By Mrs. Clyde B.

1976 Mrs. Fey Smith of spent Monday in the Lockney area. Mrs. R. Sunday afternoon and Mrs. Travis of Plainview visiting their grandmother, Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Debbie and Tracy visited Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C.

Mr. S. M. Okla. here Saturday with relatives.

Mr. B. C. Sunday night with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Thrie where they belated Christmas to illness in the

Mr. Lee Cardinal business trip to Thursday.

Mr. Q. D. went to Hamlin Sunday and Sunday parents, Mr. and Mrs. Williams at the

Mr. Henry were among those the 71st wedding for Mr. and Bishop at the Activity Center

Mr. Millard visited with Mr. and Mrs. Brewer Wednesday again on Friday.

Mr. Brown during her a severe cold with Mrs. Choise and Mrs. Vernon

Mr. Bob Ham family visited night with his Mr. and Mrs. W. M.

Mr. Dale Bullock guest of Mr. Choise Smith.

Mr. Smith of Lubbock Tuesday and Thursday with his son and Mrs. Choise body, Hunter and

Mr. Joe Dunn Sunday afternoon guest, Mr. Harmon

Mr. Watson, Mrs. Deanna and went to Lubbock and visited in the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson and girls the basketball see her brother, bore, play.

After church, Mrs. Watson and Deanna Mrs. Tom Moore, of Mrs. Watson, are suffering from as well as being with a broken leg.

Friday Mrs. Delmas and girls, Amy and Mrs. Artie went to Lubbock and Mrs. Don Probaseo.

Sunday night, Delmas and sons, Dor Mark attended the square dance at the MAC.

Mr. Fred Lloyd in Lubbock last night visiting Mr. Greg Williams and

Mr. Bob Teal of and Mr. Syd Brown visited in the of Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Saturday

and Mrs. Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wednesday night.

Mr. G. W. Smith Mr. and Mrs. Fred

Mr. and Mrs. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Bradford, Mr. Otis Anderson and Mrs. Herman went to Plainview and the Bells square dance.

Jackie Hayes Ward of Lubbock guests in the of Mr. and Mrs. McCormick.

Friday night Mr. and Mrs. Bradford visited Mrs. Delmas

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. went to Cooper to girls basketball

played between Cooper Roosevelt schools, granddaughter, Kay played on the team. Amy Har-

me home with her parents and stayed Sunday when her sister and a friend came for

Friday night Mr. and Mrs. Couch of Ralls and Mrs. Donal Parker children of Crosbyton

LAKEVIEW

By Mrs. Clyde Bagwell

19, 1976

Mrs. Foy Smith of Lubbock spent Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. R. C. Smith and Mrs. Travis Smith of Plainview visiting their grandmother, Mrs. C. Smith.

Mrs. Max and Mrs. Debbie and Tracy visited Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. D. C. Cordell, Oklahoma.

Mrs. S. M. Cordell, Oklahoma, was here Saturday afternoon with relatives. Mrs. B. C. Cordell and Mrs. Sunday with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Laurie where they are visiting in the home of Mrs. D. C. Cordell.

Mrs. Lee Cardinal and Mrs. Q. D. D. went to Hamlin church Sunday and program specialist, Mr. and Mrs. Williams at the church.

Mrs. Henry and Mrs. Millard were among those who attended the 71st wedding anniversary for Mr. and Mrs. Bishop at the Activity Center Saturday afternoon.

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hew are moving to Lakeview Community and will live on the farm of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dunavant. They are building a house near her folks, but at the present time they are living in the house with her parents until their home is finished. The children have enrolled at Duncan Elementary School and Mrs. Redding began work January 15 in the office of George Miller in Floydada. Johnny will continue his work as carpet layer over this territory. For a number of years the Reddings have lived at Idaho.

Civil Service

Jobs Open

The U. S. Civil Service Commission announced today that from January 19 through February 2, 1976,

applications will be accepted for a limited number of Mid-Level Administrative Career positions. According to Vere B. Robinson, Area Manager of the Dallas Area Office, announcement containing instructions on how to apply is now available at Federal Job Information Centers in Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana and New Mexico. Also available is a bulletin which lists the kinds of jobs and duty locations for which applications are needed. Additional information can be obtained by contacting the nearest Federal Job Information Center.

You may call or write to the address as listed below: DALLAS, TEXAS, Federal Job Information Center, local tel: (214) 749-2156. U.S. CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, 1100 Commerce, RM. 1C42, Dallas, Texas 75202 [toll-free (800) 492-4400]

Denton Reports On Bond Sales

Sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds amounting to \$2,734 in Floyd County were reported today by County Bond Chairman Clarence Denton. Sales for the eleven-month period totaled

\$110,830 for 62% of the 1975 sales goal of \$180,000. Sales in Texas during the month amounted to \$18,748, 41%, while year-to-date sales totaled \$220,550,666 for 94% of the yearly sales goal of \$234.3 million.

FLOYD DATA Billy Zane Colston, 13 month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Colston, is a patient in the Children's Medical Center in Dallas, where he is undergoing a series of medical tests. Zane

and his parents flew to Dallas Monday. The baby is in room 307D.

Most people cope with life. Coping is like a "C" on an

exam-you squeak by, you don't cop out, you don't fail, but you don't excel, Dorothy Taylor, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, says.

Buddy's Food

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ASSORTED TONY'S
CHEESE-\$1.09

CORN 3/89¢
DEL MONTE 303 CAN CREAM OR WHOLE KERNEL

FIRE PLACE LOGS 89¢
DURA FLAME \$1.29 VALUE

CRACKERS 2/99¢
DEL MONTE 303 CAN 37¢ VALUE

COOKIES 2/\$1.79
20 OZ. KEEBLER 100'S \$1.19 VALUE

CARROTS 2/29¢
CALIF POUND BAGS YOUNG AND TENDER

GRAPEFRUIT 2/25¢
SUNKIST NAVEL CALIFORNIA

ORANGES 5 LBS \$1.00
WASH RED DELICIOUS APPLES 5 LBS \$1.00

SUGAR 49¢
IMPERIAL PURE CAN 5 LB BAG

SAUSAGE \$2.69
OWENS Country Style Sausage 2 LB OWENS

SIRLOIN STEAK \$1.09
USDA 12 OZ. WILSONS

T-BONE STEAK \$1.39
USDA 12 OZ. WILSONS

FRANKS 69¢
12 OZ. WILSONS

TUNA 59¢
HUNTS 300 CAN 49¢ VALUE

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GRADE 'A' LARGE DOZ.

EGG BEATERS 89¢
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100% PURE 20 OZ. 9 COUNT WILSONS

GROUND BEEF 79¢
20 OZ. 9 COUNT WILSONS

HAM PATTIES \$2.29
MRS. BAIRDS STRAWBERRY FRUIT ROLLS 69¢ VALUE

ICE CREAM \$1.09
CLOVERLAKE 1/2 GALLON

PIE SHELLS 2/99¢
2 PAK 79¢ VALUE

TOMATOES 5/\$1.00
43¢ VALUE

LISTERINE \$1.09
14 OZ. \$1.45 VALUE

CUT GREEN BEANS 4/\$1.00
DEL MONTE 303 CAN 39¢ VALUE

MARGARINE 3/\$1.00
32 OZ.-6 PAK \$1.99 VALUE

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Carnation

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PALMOLIVE 99¢
LIQUID 48 OZ. BOTTLE

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GIANT 40 OZ. SUPER SUDS

Lower Cancer Rate In Floyd

New York, Jan. 10 - Because of a sudden upsurge in cancer deaths in most parts of the country during the past year, reported by the National Center for Health Statistics, the situation in Floyd County bears examination.

What has been the mortality rate locally in recent years? Has it been higher or lower than elsewhere?

The report shows that there has been a startling and unexplained increase in cancer deaths in the United States in 1975.

For decades, it is pointed out, there had been a gradual rise of one percent or so annually in the mortality rate. Unexpectedly, however, the rate zoomed by five times that much in the past year, according to provisional figures.

What caused it? The experts are baffled. They have some theories but no immediate answers. On the one hand they know that considerable progress has been made in the treatment and cure of certain types of cancer. On the other hand, they find that the overall mortality rate has gone up. A detailed study has been launched to determine the cause of the rise.

The extent of the cancer problem in Floyd County is indicated in the annual reports of the U. S. Public Health Service.

According to its last three annual reports, the number of local deaths attributed to cancer has averaged 12 per year, 4 of them due to lung cancer. Not included in the count are non-residents who died in the area.

Related to the local population, this amounted to a cancer mortality of 113 per 100,000 people.

The general average, throughout the United States as a whole, was 153 per 100,000. It was 145 in the State of

Texas

The recent surge in the rate has sparked several analyses of the statistics to determine responsibility for the increase. A prime suspect is lung cancer. This form of malignancy has been zooming, especially among women, as more of them have been taking up smoking.

Other areas of investigation include the various chemicals to which man is exposed in his food, the environment in which he works and lives and the possible failure of the body's natural immunity system.



Some people believe that if you decide to go fishing and meet a pig on the way, you will not catch any fish!



When driving in a fog, turn on your wipers. Much of the "fog" is a fine accumulation of mist on your windshield.



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The Speaker Reports

by Bill Clayton

AUSTIN—The Legislature needs firsthand information when it starts assessing needed action. For that reason it is necessary for our legislative leaders to see situations as they actually exist.

It is commendable that these men and women take time from busy schedules to find out for themselves exactly what the picture is in a given situation.

On Jan. 1, Rep. Joe Hanna of Breckenridge, chairman of the House Energy Resources Committee and Sen. Max Sherman of Amarillo, chairman of the Senate Natural Resources Committee, went to Alaska for a six-day fact-finding tour of the big oil pipeline.

The information they received while viewing the operations in 20 below zero weather, will be invaluable as they continue to work the state's energy puzzle.

We must have this information and the only sure good idea of what we in Texas way to know it is accurate is to need to do and what we are view it and talk to the going to have to live with in engineers, geologists and companies who are preparing to bring the oil to us.

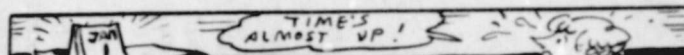
Hanna and Sherman reported they found some erroneous information was finding its way back to us. They saw for themselves a reported 600,000 gallon oil spill, but it was in fact only 6,500 gallons that had been spilled and had been cleaned so it was hardly noticeable.

Useful information they brought back and will include in reports to their committees is that Alaskan oilmen are enthused at the prospect new formations tested show there is more oil still undiscovered than all previously discovered.

They also report a natural gas cache in Alaska Alaska for a six-day fact-finding tour of the big oil pipeline.

Finally, they say, look for the first North Slope oil in the second quarter of 1977.

Information of this nature will be beneficial in working with the problem and give us a good idea of what we in Texas way to know it is accurate is to need to do and what we are view it and talk to the going to have to live with in engineers, geologists and companies who are preparing to bring the oil to us.



Some people believe that if no one kisses you on New Year's Day, you will have to wait for a whole year to be kissed again!



An Australian athlete Tom Morris, once skipped his way from Melbourne to Sydney, Australia, a distance of 590 miles—a total of 472,000 skips!

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By Mrs. Murra

1976 cloudy skies and a chance of rain. Bo... from here to Pampa and to Amarillo. Many have the stalks so that if it rains, it will catch the moisture. Mrs. Frank Saturday for a few days. Mrs. J. E. and with her and Mrs. A. C.

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South Plains News

By Mrs. Murray Julian

January 19, 1976
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Oklahoma, and she
at the South
Baptist Church Sun-
day.

Ralph Reasor of
College in Plain-
view at morning
at the South Plains
Church while Dr.
ward was absent
weekend, preach

ing the book of Hosea at
Panhandle Rev. Reasor was
a former College Heights
pastor and is now on the
Board of Development at
Wayland College. Mrs. Reasor
and Mrs. Fred Howard
accompanied Rev. Reasor
here from Plainview. Dr.
Fred Howard will begin the
study of Hosea next Sunday
night, January 25, at the
South Plains Baptist Church.
Everyone will want to
come and be here for the
beginning of this study.

There will be a Workers
Conference at the Cone
Baptist Church Tuesday,
January 20, beginning at
five-thirty p.m. Mrs. Mary
Gonzales will have the
Language Mission Study.

It was good to have a good
number present at the South
Plains Baptist Church Sun-
day morning, and visitors
included Mrs. Ira Hender-
son, her mother and
children, Mrs. David Pipes
from Maryland, Zach Cum-
mings from WT at Canyon,
home for the weekend, and
Mr. and Mrs. Nathan
Johnson were greeted into
tellowship at the preaching
services, as they joined the
church.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendis
Julian and children have
Clay Julian from Perryton
here with them this week, as
Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Julian
were in the Northwest
Texas Hospital from Friday
to Sunday with their little
son, Wade. They plan to
take Clay home later this
week.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray
Julian spent last week in
Perryton with their young-
est son, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce
Julian and sons. The
Younger Julians were in the
process of moving to their
new home. They came home
Friday night.

Hobby Club members of
South Plains and their
guests met at the home of
Mrs. Grigsby Milton Jr. on
Wednesday, January 14, for
their first meeting of the
year, and plans were drawn
up for the coming year, and
the year books for the club
will be made up by the
executive committee before
the next meeting, if possible.

New officers for the coming
year of 1976-77 were elected,
and president is Mrs. E. J.
Kinslow; vice-president is
Mrs. Kendall Cummings,
and secretary-treasurer is
Mrs. Harold Hamm. Mrs.
Mildred Wells and Mrs.
Arby Mulder will be the
telephone calling committee.
Refreshments were served

to Mmes. Mildred Wells, J.
P. Taylor, Arby Mulder,
Kendall Cummings, Harold
Hamm, Fred Fortenberry,
Mamie Wood, Tillman Pow-
ell, Leighton Teeple, E. J.
Kinslow, Frank McClure,
Jack Smitherman, Alvin
Nichols, Grigsby Milton Jr.
and guests Mrs. David Pipes
of Maryland, Mrs. Buck
Ford of Lockney, Mrs. Lois
Lyons, and Mrs. Eugene
Edwards. The next club
meeting will be in Lockney
at the home of Mrs. Fred
Fortenberry on February 11
at 2 p.m.

GROWING POINSETTIAS
If you received a poinsettia
plant for Christmas, try to
bring the plant into flower
for Christmas 1976. Al-
though the plant will lack a
little of the quality of the
original poinsettia, it can be
a rewarding experience to
grow your own poinsettia,
contents a landscape horti-
culturist for the Texas
Agricultural Extension Ser-
vice. Once the plant loses its
color, store it in a cool
location until about mid-
April. Then cut the stems
back to six inches above the
ground, repot the plant,
keep it in a sunny location,
and water and fertilize it
until new growth occurs.
Pinch back new shoots until
mid-August, leaving three
or four leaves on each shoot.
Keep the plant in complete
darkness from 5 p.m. to 8
a.m. starting the first week
in October and continuing
until Thanksgiving.

Dempsey home Sunday
night, caused a vacant house
and some of his pasture to
burn. The Floydada Volun-
teer Fire Department and
many of the area neighbors
helped put the fire out. This
occurred about 9:30 Sunday
night. An electrical wire
reportedly caused the ex-
plosion.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry
Lackey and Mr. and Mrs.
Royce Bethel and Shelly

went to Quitaque Sunday
night for supper.

Over the weekend, Mrs.
Tom Fortenberry went to
Lubbock where the picked
up her daughter, Mrs. Patsy
Boone, and her granddaughter,
Danita Boone. From
there they went on to
Odessa to visit Mrs.
Fortenberry's other grand-
daughter and her husband,
Mr. and Mrs. Ron Dick.
Mrs. May Taylor was

visited Wednesday after-
noon by Mrs. Albert Mize.
Mr. and Mrs. Boone Hall
of Plainview visited with
Mrs. Taylor Thursday morn-
ing, Thursday night Junior
and Martha Taylor and Mr.
and Mrs. Guss Wesley, who
live in Plainview, visited
with Mrs. Taylor.
Rev. Jackie Thompson,
who has been attending a
prayer and Bible Conference
in Albuquerque, New Mex-
ico for the past week,

returned home Wednesday
night. He reported a very
good conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald
Lackey were visited Satur-
day night by Mr. and Mrs.
Sid McFall and Beth.

Mr. and Mrs. George
Taylor of Lockney and Mrs.
Jimmy Wesley and children,
Tracy, Todd and Terri of
Canyon, visited Mr. and
Mrs. M. H. Taylor Saturday
afternoon.

Cedar Hill News

By Mrs. Jerry Lackey

January 19, 1976

Well, we finished out a
beautiful week with cloudy,
cooler and a very windy
Monday.

Edna Gilly, Gladys For-
tenberry, Aslee Beauchamp,
and Glenda Thompson at-
tended a church revival in
Lorenzo Tuesday night.

The Sportsman Cafe in
Quitaque was the site for
Edna Gilly, Imogene and
Ruth Fortenberry's supper
Friday night. They ate fish.
Mrs. Edna Gilly attended
the Single Adults' party in
Floydada Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior
Taylor went to Plainview

Sunday night for supper.

Mrs. Craig DuBois depart-
ed Sunday to visit her
parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Poteet of Amistad, New
Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes
Campbell and family were
visited Sunday by Mrs.
Campbell's grandparents,
Mr. and Mrs. Jess Glover of
Dougherty and by her aunt,
Mrs. Robbie Hatley of the
Pleasant Hill Community.
Mrs. Campbell's sister and
brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs.
Jerry Lackey, came by
Sunday evening.

A butane tank, which
exploded near the Jack

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NOTICE:

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All State and County Taxes

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February 1, 1976

Penalty and Interest will be added after that date.

VOTING REQUIREMENTS

If you voted in a general or primary election during the
year of 1974, you are not required to register to be an
eligible voter.

However, if you have moved, or changed your address,
since registering, you must notify your County Tax Collector-
Assessor of your new address to qualify as a voter. It is the
voter's responsibility to furnish this information.

Jonelle Fawver

County Tax Assessor-Collector
Floyd County

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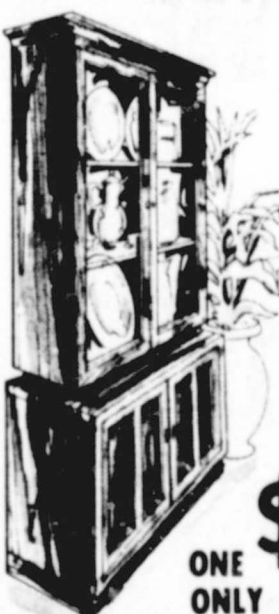
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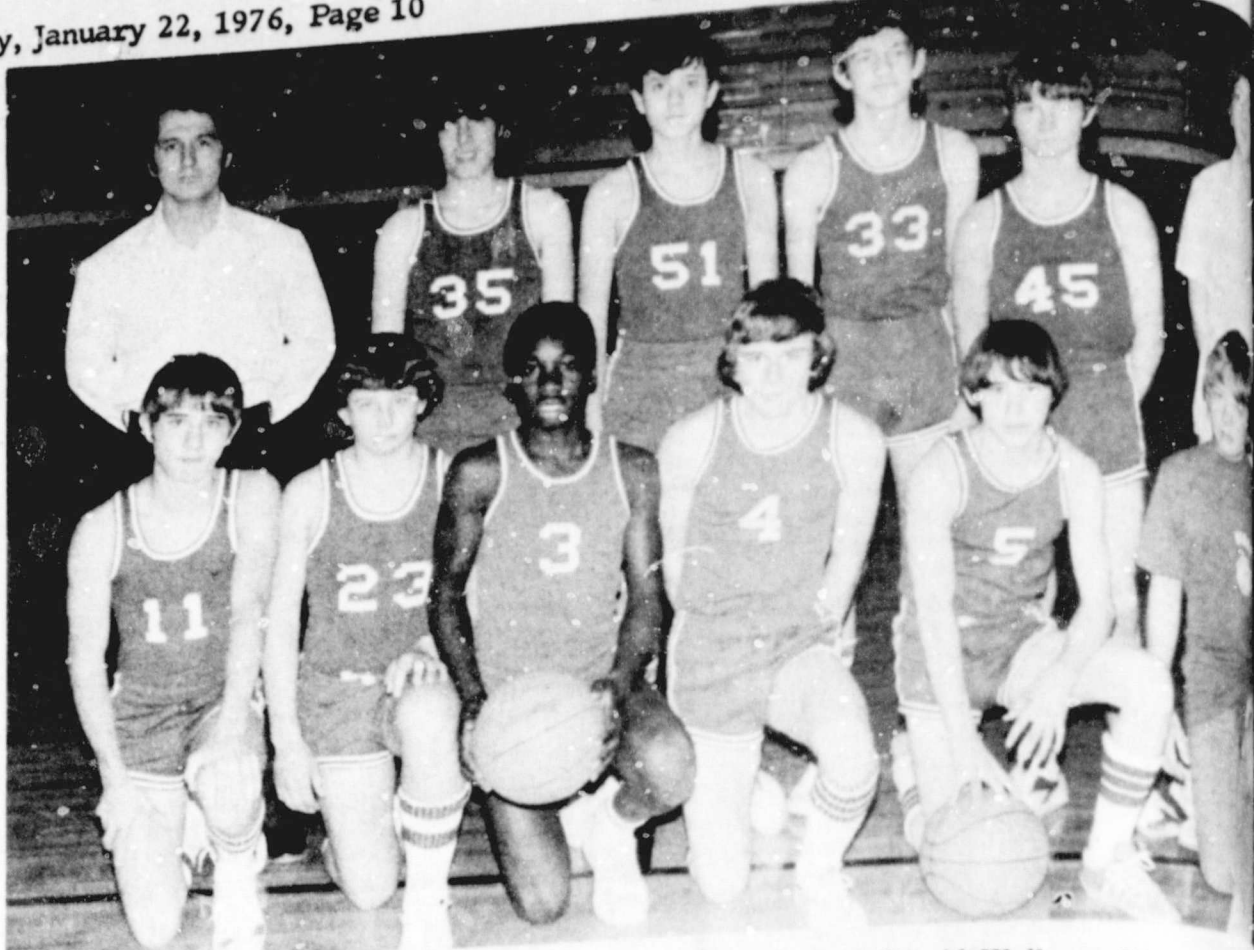
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SEVENTH BREEZERS: (1st row l to r) Keith Brawley, David Cochran, David Edwards, Jerry Battey, Tommy Myrick, Michael Self, Brent Bullock. (2nd row l to r) Coach Arlon Barnes, Andra Ledbetter, Joe Hinkle, Jeff Rainey, Moody Younger, Bart Patzer, John Fortenberry, James Strange.



EIGHTH GRADE BREEZERS: (1st row l to r) Danny Nutt, David Welborn, Macolyn Calmarquis, Tracy Womack, Paul Brown (Mgr.). (2nd row l to r) Coach Mark Vinson, Mike Rodriguez, Todd Hambricht, John Reese, Jett Cheek. (Mgr.)

SPORTING EVENTS



Freshmen Whirlwinds Enter

MacAdoo Tournament

The Freshmen Whirlwinds will play Spur at 6 p.m. today in their first game of the MacAdoo basketball tournament. The team is still looking for its first win. They have lost some close ones.

Monday night they lost to Idalou here 40-29. Jimmy Covington was top scorer for

Floydada with nine points. Brad Feuerbacher and Todd Vickers made five each.

BREEZERS
The eighth Breezers beat Idalou here Monday night 46-21 and the seventh Breezers lost to Idalou 21-18. Details of the games were unavailable at press time.

Breezers Defeat Idalou

Coach Mark Vinson reported that his Eighth Grade Breezers breezed right on by Idalou here Monday night in a 44-17 basketball victory.

Coach Vinson said Henry Gonzales was top scorer with 20 points and Troy Marquis made eight. Henry really got hot in the third quarter making 14 of his 20 points.

The eighth graders are now 5-1 in district.

In the MacAdoo tournament Tuesday the Breezers beat Patton Springs in a close one, 35-28. Henry made 15 and Coach Vinson praised Tracy Womack who made 12 points and played his best game of the season.

Friday the Breezers play MacAdoo at 2:15 to advance in the tournament.

Junior Class

Selling

Gas Tickets

The Junior Class of Floydada High School are selling raffle tickets to help raise money for their Junior-Senior banquet. Winning ticket will receive 100 gallons of regular gasoline or equivalent from Nichol's Fina Station in Floydada.

Tickets are \$1 each and you do not have to be present to win. The gasoline will be given away during the Faculty-Seniors Basketball game on Thursday, February 19th.

If you have as yet not been approached by a junior student and would like to purchase a ticket, call 983-2276 or during the day call high school.

JV Whirlwinds

Lose At Slaton Tournament

The JV Whirlwinds didn't last long in the Slaton tournament last Thursday. They lost to Post 45-36 in the first game and to Abernathy 37-35 in the second game. Coach Mark Vinson said the Abernathy loss came in the last seconds of the game.

FARMERS LOSING CONTROL OF AG POLICY.
An economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service contends that producer interests in agricultural policy are taking a secondary position to interests of

and labor. Unless farmers are able to take charge, farm programs may actually be a noose around the producer's neck. Producers must con-

solidate if they are to regain a position of control over agricultural policy. Farmers must make their voices heard if they are to get a fair shake in future farm policies.



A FEW OF THE PLAYERS in the Floydada Domino Parlor. (Staff Photo).



WHIRLWIND JV TEAM: (1st row l to r) Guy Ledbetter, Quinn Coleman, Rick Covington, Jones, Calvin Reese. (2nd row l to r) Coach Mark Vinson, Larry Jones, Danny Emert, Morgan Bill Starkey, Andy Rainwater, Ricky Nichols.

Adjustments Being Made At Floydada Post Office

Postmaster Ed Wester announced that beginning Saturday, January 24, 1976, there will be an adjustment in reporting for duty and leaving times of 15 minutes on Rural and City Carriers. The change is being made to save on work hours in the

local office. He said, our First Class morning mail does not arrive until 7:40 a.m. due to speed limits and gas consumption savings enforced by the Postal Service. The second truck, with Parcel Post and some First Class, does not arrive

until 8:45 a.m. so this creates a rush to make all first class mail available for delivery where Rural Carriers could leave at 09:15 and City Carriers at 09:30. This extra fifteen minutes is needed to have more mail available to the carriers when he arrives at work. If this adjustment is not enough, there will be another in a few weeks, Wester said. It was not too long ago that Carriers did not leave until 10 a.m. "I hope we do not have to return to this time," Wester continued. Remember, your Carrier will be 15 minutes later beginning Saturday.

P. O. box mail will be posted by about 9:30 a.m. on most days, however, at the end and first of the month it may be 15 minutes later due to increased local volume. Sundays and holidays will remain the same, about 10:30 a.m.

Floydada Has Recreation For All Ages

Floydada has recreation for all ages...including the domino players. The official domino parlor is on the east side of the square next door to the Floydada Laundromat.

Of course there are several places to play dominoes in Floyd County...grain elevators and gins usually have domino tables for the enjoyment of their customers.

One of the members of the Floydada domino parlor writes these observations about the parlor:

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All Region Band Concert

Floydada Whirlwind Band members named to the All-Region Band recently will be in final concert at Monterey High School Saturday, January 31, at 6 o'clock p.m. The public is invited to attend.

Practice sessions by the band will be held January 29 through January 31.

The all regional band members and the number of

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The successful bidder must furnish performance and
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By Mrs. J.E. Green

January 19, 1976

We had clear and pretty weather all last week. Sunday was beautiful, but today is "cold dark and windy." Hope we can get some moisture — like our Christmas snow.

Not a lot of visiting since the New Year. Claudine and Joe Conway of Plainview visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Carpenter.

Barry Roteler and wife and baby of Oklahoma City visited over the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Carpenter. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd

Montgomery of Plainview visited briefly Saturday p.m. with Mrs. Frank Dunn.

Mrs. C. W. Denison was among visitors at the Caprock Hospital Sunday p.m.

Mrs. W. L. Hartline reached home Thursday after several days' visit with their son, Dub and family of Phoenix, Arizona.

Miss Vera Meredith's visitors last Monday p.m. were Mrs. Fred Battey, Mrs. Hal Thomas and Mrs. Helen Patterson. Friday Miss Meredith spent the day in Lockney with Bro. and Mrs. Clay Muncy.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. C. M. Meredith were Mrs. Maudell Meredith of Plainview, Bro. and Mrs. Clay Muncy, Lockney, and Miss Vera Meredith.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Huckabee of Dumas and Mrs. Sandra Leatherman and two small sons of Amarillo, visited with relatives in this area Sunday, among those being Mrs. Ola Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Huckabee, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Battey, the Thomas Warreus and the Lee Burtons at Fairview.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Owens and Jason spent the weekend in Amarillo visiting Jimmy's sister and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Warren and Mrs. Wise visited Mrs. Ethel Warren Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Huckabee and Mrs. Ola

Warren were in the Battey home Sunday evening after church where the Huckabees showed slides of their trip to the Holy Land.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Thomas were in Lubbock Friday to see their new grandson, adopted Thursday by their daughter and husband, Sue and Milton Mensch.

Bill Thomas of Lockney spent Sunday with the Hal Thomases.

Rev. Ulman Moss and wife, Ruth Jordan Moss, are to be in Calvary Baptist Church Sunday morning, January 25. Come and bring someone with you and hear about their missionary work in Mexico.

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Competition Proposed For First Class Mail

WASHINGTON

The President's Council on Wage and Price Stability has recommended that private companies be allowed to compete against the Postal Service in delivering first-class letters.

In a 66-page report issued Monday, the council said competition would "retard or reverse the upward rush of postal rates" and lead to more prompt and efficient mail delivery.

The Postal Service now has legal monopoly on delivering first-class mail, which accounts for 57.5 per cent of all mail. Private companies can compete in other areas and the United Parcel Service has passed the Postal Service in the parcel field.

Postal Service officials have said that competition for first-class mail would

result in higher, instead of lower, postal rates. They contend that private companies would deliver only in areas of high population density, where delivery costs are lowest. The Postal Service would then be left with the areas with the highest delivery costs and would have to charge a higher rate per letter, according to Postal Service officials.

The council said competition would moderate increases in the Postal Service's labor expenses, which account for 85 per cent of its costs.

"The presence of competitors serving what is now the Postal Service's monopoly markets might lead to future labor cost increases that are more closely related to increases in productivity," the council said.

"Particularly, the presence of competitors might cause the postal service to realize that the mutual interests would be the diversion of business from the postal service to other private companies (therefore postal rates)," it said.

Wages for postal employees rose by 60 per cent from 1970 to 1975, the council said. By contrast, civilian employees had wages averaging 38 per cent over the period, it said.

The council sent its report to the Postal Rate Commission, an agency that studies the postal monopoly.



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OF EAGLE SCOUTS at the Lions Club, Marty, Jerry Pa Number 357.

Marty

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A PREACHER who people in our community by how many Sunday. In Thursday asked the question, have five Sunday

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