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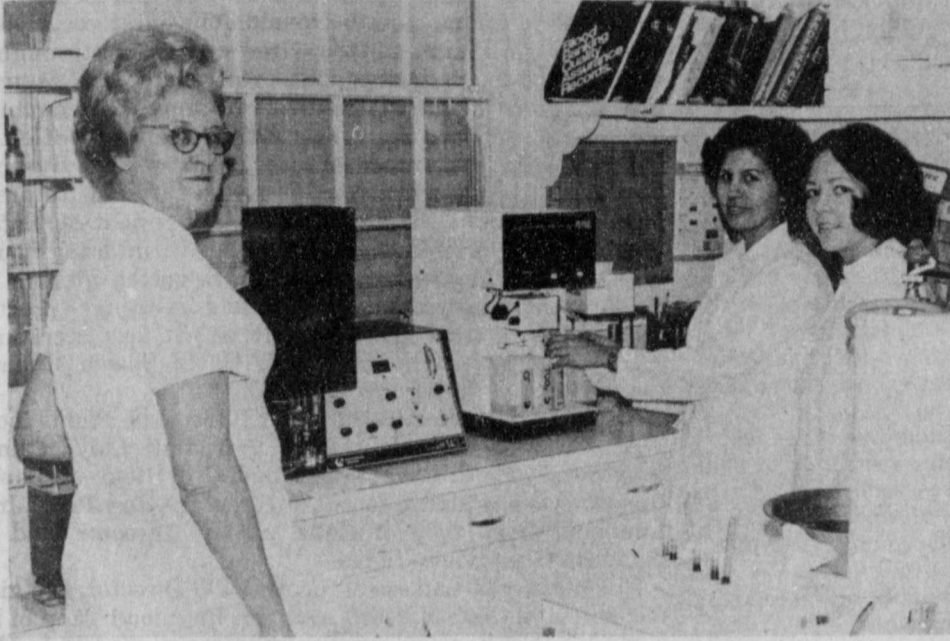
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LOCKNEY HOSPITAL TECHNICIANS operate new laboratory equipment. Left to right: Edith Dillard, lab and x-ray department head; Estefana Gatica and Josephina Hernandez, lab and x-ray technicians. (Staff Photo)

Hospital Equipment Donations Near \$3,000

Donations to Lockney General Hospital's new lab equipment fund totalled \$2,728.84 Friday, according to hospital administrator Gayle Fortenberry. Total cost of the two new pieces of

equipment—a flame photometer and a chloride and TC02 analyzer—is \$9,025.00, so the hospital still needs \$6,296.16 to finish paying for the machines.

The machines have been delivered to the hospital and are already in use. The

Maid Of Cotton, Outstanding Farmers To Be Honored At Ag Information Day

Every Floyd county farmer is not only invited, but urged to attend the annual Ag Information Day Thursday in the Lighthouse Electric Community room in Floydada.

The program begins at 9:30 and continues through 4 p.m.

Highlights of the day include the presentation of Miss Allison Mynatt, the 1977 Maid of Cotton at noon time and the announcement of Floyd county's outstanding producers of corn, grain sorghum and soybeans.

A Texas style lunch of chili and beans will be served to everyone by several Ag businesses.

Miss Mynatt is a sophomore law enforcement major at Wayland College

and is a lovely many talented person representing the cotton industry of the South Plains.

PROGRAM

9:30-9:45 a.m. -Welcome -Craig Edwards, Chairman Floyd County Program Building Committee

9:50-10:30 a.m. -New Cotton Varieties & Cotton adaptations -James Supak, Area Agronomist-cotton, TAEX, Lubbock, Texas

10:35-11:15 a.m. -Comparison of Crops Economically (grain sorghum, corn, cotton) - Marvin Sartin, Area Economist -management TAES, Lubbock, Texas

11:20-12:00 a.m. - Marketing Strategy -Marvin Sartin, Area Economist-management, TAES, Lubbock, Texas

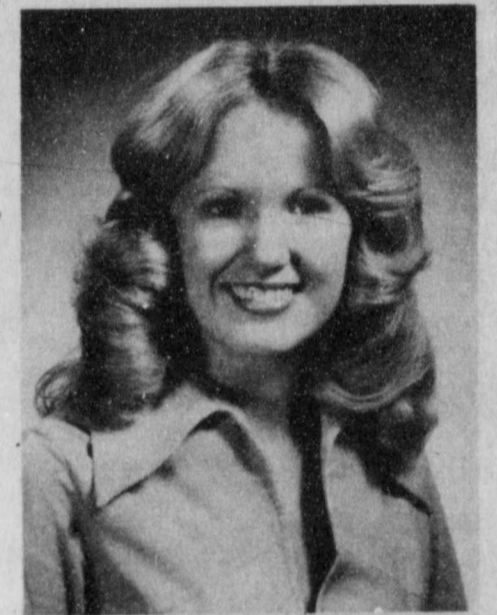
12:00-1:00 p.m. -Lunch Break, Program by South Plains Maid of Cotton

1:00-1:40 p.m. - Economic Outlook of Major Crops, Charles Baker, General Marketing Specialist from Texas A & M.

1:45-2:25 p.m. -Irrigation Efficiency & Sprinkler Systems -Leon New, Area Agricultural Engineer - Irrigation, TAES, Lubbock, Texas.

2:30-3:10 p.m. -Pest Management Practices-application on farm, William P. Morrison, Area Entomologist, TAES, Lubbock, Texas.

3:15-4:00 p.m. -Well Design & Efficiency -Bill Lyle, Experiment Station, Halfway, Texas.



ALLISON MYNATT
South Plains Maid of Cotton

Allison Mynatt is a 19-year-old sophomore law enforcement major, attending Wayland Baptist College in Plainview, Texas. She maintains a 3.4 grade point average and plans to attend law school following her graduation.

Allison, a cheerleader at Wayland Baptist, is athletically minded. She enjoys ballet as a means of relaxation and to stay in condition. She has blonde hair, green eyes and stands 5 feet 9 inches tall. Allison is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mynatt of Albuquerque, New Mexico.

As the South Plains Maid of Cotton, Miss Mynatt has had the opportunity to meet and better understand the American cotton industry. She is very much aware of the importance of cotton and is dedicated to its promotion.

Allison will represent the South Plains of Texas in the National Maid of Cotton selection in Memphis on December 27-30. Please give Allison Mynatt your support as our next National Maid of Cotton.

LIONS' PANCAKE SUPPER FEBRUARY 8...

...more details later.

Administrator Talks About Lockney General Hospital

(The following is the text of the program given by Lockney General Hospital Administrator Gayle Fortenberry at Lockney Lions Club Thursday. It contains interesting information about the local hospital and its operation.)

I am here on behalf of the Lockney General Hospital and its Board of Directors to let you know about your hospital and mine.

Lockney General Hospital has 50 employees on the payroll at the present time. Seven of the employees reside in Floydada, and three in Plainview. The other 40 are home town folks. We are a clinic and a 20 bed hospital, since the completion of the ward into two semi-private rooms, last January. In this hospital and clinic, we have six departments. They are the Administrative, Nursing, Central Supply, Lab and X-Ray, Dietary and Housekeeping and Maintenance.

Dr. C. T. Ashworth, from Austin, is our Laboratory Consultant, who visits once a month. Dr. W. L. Reed, from Plainview, reads our x-rays and is our Radiologist Consultant. His visits are once a week. Dr. Robert Mitchell, from Plainview, reads our EKG's. Mozelle Burgess, from Brownwood, is our Dietary Consultant and visits monthly. Mildred Montgomery, from St. Mary's in Lubbock, is our Medical Records Consultant and visits every three months. Fred Byrd is our pharmacy.

Dr. Ashworth, Dr. Reed, Dr. Mitchell and Dr. Jordan, from Floydada, serve on our Utilization Review Committee.

Once a month we have Executive, Department Head and Department meetings. Quarterly we have Infection Control, Pharmacy and Therapeutics and Insurance Control Committee Meetings. We have Medicare Surveys, Life Safety Code, Licensing and Insurance Inspections.

We have a sprinkler and fire alarm system. We are now in the process of getting plans approved through the licensing division for an automatic dry chemical extinguisher over the kitchen stove. These are Medicare require-

ments and have caused many hours and much expense. These requirements are for the patients and the employee safety and for the hospitals protection.

Your tax dollars, for the hospitals past physical year, from 10-1-75 to 9-30-76, went toward a \$305,000.00 payroll, utilities, food, medical supplies, medications, x-rays, and laboratory expenses. Our total expenses were \$498,000.00, and we finished the physical year with a gross margin of \$13,650. Our gross margin for the end of October, before we began receiving tax money was only \$1,763.00.

We had a payroll increase beginning January 1, because of the minimum wage increase. We have rebuilt our autoclave at a cost of \$5,000.00 and purchased a \$6,200 incinerator that meets Medicare and Air Pollution requirements.

We now have our new lab equipment at a cost of \$9,000. One of these instruments is a Flame Photometer and the other a Chloride Meter. They test a person's potassium, sodium, carbohydrates and chloride. We were previously sending this blood work to Plainview at a cost of \$36.00. We are charging \$25.00. We have a fund set up at the bank for donations toward this equipment. Today, this fund totals \$2,600.

September 1, we increased our room rates \$5.00 a bed. December 1, we had to increase our surgery and delivery rooms because of the increase in supplies and medications and payroll. This caused our OB deposits to jump from \$400.00 to \$550.00. Our rates do seem high, but they are much lower than the surrounding towns.

Small hospitals are having trouble surviving because of Medicare requirements, government regulations and expenses. I have already gone into some of the Medicare requirements and expenses.

first payment was made last week.

Local individuals and organizations, including Brotherhood CB Club, Lockney Hobby Club, and Lockney Satellite Club, have donated to the fund.

The Government has set up a program entitled South Plains Health Systems, Incorporated. There are 204 of these systems in the United States. Each has been allotted \$175,000.00 a year to operate. The system in our area has been allotted \$145,000.00 because we are a smaller one. We have 15 counties represented in our system.

These funds go for 7 paid employees. The others serving in these systems are only reimbursed for their travel expenses.

Those who serve in these systems are Providers and Consumers. The hospitals are the providers and you are the consumer. 51% of them must be consumers. All ethnic and minority groups should be represented.

South Plains Health Systems, Inc. is functioning as a conditional designated Health System Agency under Public Law 93-641, the National Health Planning and Resources Development Act of 1974. This system is a law and was set up to provide adequate health care for every city in the United States.

The way they go about adequate Health Care for us may not be what we like nor what we need. Would you like for them to tell us we can only use so many beds in our hospital to serve so many of the population in our county? Would you like for Lubbock to include us in their hospital district and we pay taxes to them? These things could happen. If you have been reading the paper about Lubbock Hospital District's dilemma, you know this is knocking at our doors. If we should have any future plans for improvements or building projects, we will have to go through this system before it is approved by Austin. Whatever this system decides, Austin will likely go along with.

Statistics prove this area has the highest infant mortality rate. They will be seeking to improve this. This is good, but they must be steered in the right way.

Lockney and Lockney General Hospital must be represented at these meetings. We must let them know we want to keep our health facilities. Let's look awake and be awake to what is possible in the future for us. Let's don't sit back and let someone else take care of us, because they won't. The ones that are most represented and their voices heard will get the attention and action. This is our opportunity to speak up and let them know what we want and need in adequate health care.

I do have much to learn about this, but John Peck, our school superintendent, is a coordinator and a volunteer member of this area's system and is serving on the board. I suggest you have him on your program sometime soon, for he is well informed and very

interested in what happens to us. It is important to have men like John to serve on a committee like this one and to attend the meetings regularly.

There was a meeting last Thursday night at Lighthouse Electric for Floyd County. There was a good crowd represented. This system is here and as I said, it is a law, we can not ignore it.

All this about Lockney General Hospital and I have not mentioned our one physician. Have you ever stopped to think how one man can cause enough work for 50 employees? Did you know that when a patient comes in to see Dr. Mangold, he will have the services from each department that I have previously mentioned. He will be registered at the reception desk and then attended by Dr. Mangold and his office nurses. If he is then admitted, he will go through the admitting office, then be attended by three shifts of nurses on duty, around the clock. He will receive his medical supplies from Central Supply, his meals from the Dietary department, and his room will be cleaned and maintained by the housekeeping and maintenance department. He will have x-rays and lab work, his EKG will be read by Dr. Mitchell, his x-rays read by Dr. Reed. His charges will go through the book-keeping department, his chart through Medical Records and his insurance through the insurance clerk.

Have you not only realized how much work he causes, but how much he actually does. He is on call 24 hours a day, seven days a week. He sees patients in the clinic, does surgery, delivers babies, sets fractured bones and applies casts, sutures wounds and treats patients in the hospital. These responsibilities are carried on into the night while you and I are asleep. Could we possibly do without him?

We, the citizens of Lockney and surrounding communities and Dr. Mangold, desperately need another physician. We are searching and hopefully we will secure one that will want to come to Lockney. We must have adequate equipment and facilities to encourage a physician to want to practice here. Another physician will not only help serve our community better, but will mean more income for the hospital.

I am well aware that each one of you are taxpayers and have contributed much toward the hospital. I want you to know that the Board of Directors and I will do our very best to run Lockney General Hospital the most economical way that we can. We will do our best to spend your tax money wisely. We want to put your tax money to work for you by serving your health needs here in Lockney.

Lockney General Hospital is very grateful to you, the taxpayers, for without you, we just wouldn't be. Fifty employees would have to look else-

where for work. Without the hospital the population would drop and the businesses would suffer greatly. This town would suffer. The people left would suffer for lack of immediate care if the necessity arose, and it will for some of us.

You, the taxpayers, came to our rescue and made it possible three years ago, when we became a district hospital, to continue to serve Lockney's citizens and surrounding towns.

You, the Lions, have been very generous to us in the past, when we needed assistance in order to purchase the heart monitor. This piece of equipment is now being used on each patient in surgery, in addition to the heart patients. So, you see, we do appreciate you.

We are a very special business here in Lockney, and the employees have a very special job, for the care of human lives is involved. These human lives come to us with fever, pain, broken bones and lacerations, babies to be delivered, and old age to be treated. Dr. Mangold's, Lockney General Hospital's and the employees concern is for their comfort and helping restore them back to their much wanted health. We want to be able to send them home content that they have been able to recover in the pleasant surroundings of Lockney General Hospital with the aid of properly trained employees and proper equipment.

Will you give us your support, not only with your tax dollars and donations, but trust and confidence in our ability to serve you and your families health problems. We need your support to help keep Lockney General Hospital an active medical facility. We are your servants and we need you. I know you need us.

If you have any questions about how your tax dollars are being spent, come by to see us. We will be glad to talk to you and show you around the hospital.

BEACON LIGHTS

by Jim Huggins

THE AG INFORMATION DAY PROGRAM is really going to be worth attending Thursday. Not only will the lovely Maid of Cotton be there, but the outstanding grain sorghum, corn, and soybean farmers will be honored.

The Lockney and Floydada Chamber of Commerces will be sponsoring this part of the noon program...and there's a free chili luncheon.

You all come!

AND HERE'S ANOTHER important reminder for you people interested in the county stock show...work day to get the barns cleaned up and repaired is February 2. Mark this on your calendar...it'll prob'ly be too wet to plow (that's wishful thinking) so you participate in the work day.

Lockney, Floydada Sales Tax

Comptroller Bob Bullock Friday mailed city sales tax rebate checks totaling \$3.2 million to 620 Texas cities and towns, and reminded quarterly sales tax filers of the Jan. 31 deadline for their returns.

The January checks raise to \$152.8 million the total in rebates received by the cities for the current fiscal year, compared to \$115.3 million for the same five-month period a year ago. This is a 32.5 percent increase.

(The state fiscal year runs from Sept. 1 through Aug. 31.)

The rebate checks, which are mailed monthly to the cities, are for the one cent city sales tax collected within their boundaries.

"State and city sales tax collections were up more than 16 percent for fiscal

1976 and the indications are now that the increase will go even higher this year," Bullock said.

"It's always a good sign for the economy when the people have and spend more money."

Bullock also reminded those businesses which collect less than \$750 a month in sales taxes file their sales tax returns and collections on a quarterly basis rather than a monthly basis.

Bullock said that anyone having any problems with preparing those returns should contact the nearest Comptroller's field office or call his toll-free Tax Information number, 1-800-252-5555, for assistance.

Lockney received \$1,685.12, Floydada \$3,064.80, Tulia \$7,188.51, Dimmitt \$14,681.12, Crosbyton \$1,164.75.



PREPARING FOR MARCH...Lockney B&PW Club members (left to right) Beth Reagan, Edith Cooper and Violet Cooper make ready for the Mothers March Against Birth Defects scheduled Monday in Lockney. The local Business and Professional Women's Club sponsors the Mothers March each year. (Staff Photo)

Farm-facts

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TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
John C. White, Commissioner

14 To 14 Worse Than A Tie... Slight Improvement... Off A Little Bit.

Most of the time when you see a 14 to 14 figure, it comes to a tie. But for Texas vegetable producers last year, it was a loss.

The state's fresh market vegetable acres were up 14 per cent from 1975. But the value during 1976 was down 14 per cent compared to the previous year.

Texas ranks third in the nation in fresh market vegetable acres, and last year the value amounted to \$166,000,000. The state is first in harvested acres in carrots, onions, and spinach; it ranks second in acreage in cabbages, cantaloupes, watermelons, and honeydew melons.

A SLIGHT IMPROVEMENT is noted in the parity ratio for December compared to November, 1976. That month showed the lowest parity ratio in 43 years. Parity for December was 68; in November, it was 66. A year ago, it was a fairly healthy 74.

Average prices for livestock during December showed an increase of three per cent, and that was the first month to record an increase since April. Nonetheless, prices for all classes of livestock continue well below the parity ratio.

Crop prices also showed an increase of three per cent. Cotton showed a slight decline from a month ago, however.

Texas' average wheat price showed a slight increase at \$2.40 per bushel for December compared to \$2.38 in November. A year ago, wheat was almost a dollar a bushel higher on the average across the state.

Grain sorghum averaged \$3.50 per hundredweight; this is up 19 cents from a month ago, but is almost 50 cents under a year ago.

Cotton averaged 64.6 cents per pound; it was 66.5 cents per pound a month ago. A year ago, cotton was averaging only 43 cents per pound.

In livestock quotations, beef cattle averaged \$30.30 per hundredweight, up 80 cents from a month ago. Calves averaged \$30.40 compared to \$29.40 a month ago. Parity for calves is \$67.50.

Egg prices now equal parity, averaging 78.8 cents per dozen. Mohair is also above parity, as are oats.

THE AVERAGE SIZE FARM in Texas, according to the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, is now 700 acres.

The preliminary estimate of farms and ranches in the state for 1977 is 2,020,000. This is a decline of one per cent or 3,000 acres below the 1976 level.

Total land in farms and ranches, at 141,400,000 acres, is down 400,000 from last year.

Nationwide, there are an estimated 2,780,000 farms. This is one per cent below 1976.

In Texas, the number of farms and ranches has shown a decline following a brief stable period.

Cloud-Seeding Opponents To Sue Over Hearing

[From Canyon News]

Citizens for Natural Weather, a six-county group headed by Randall County's Nolan Henson, will seek injunctive relief if the Texas Water Development Board insists on holding a hearing on two weather modification permits next month.

And that's no idle threat, Henson told The News last week.

"We've talked to our lawyers and they're working on it," Henson said. "We're going to take them to court this time."

Henson and his 1000-member organization, which opposes the issuance of state permits to several firms engaged in cloud-seeding activities on the South Plains; and over Randall County, had been told before Christmas that the water development board would hold no hearings on permit requests from two South Plains firms until after the current state legislative session.

A copy of a letter sent Henson by water board officials was also sent The News and it confirmed that no action would be taken by the board until after legislators had a chance to modify current law on permit issuance.

Henson said a bill had been introduced allowing the issuance of permits for weather modification activities, but only if residents in counties over which the cloud-seeding will be conducted, agree at the polls.

It's a measure Henson and the association support.

But, apparently it's also a measure which has drawn strong opposition in Austin.

At least that's the way Henson sees it.

He charged last week that even House Speaker Bill Clayton of Spring Lake is opposing the legislative proposal and is behind a move to force the water development board to hold the early hearings.

"They're worried and they want to push them (the hearings)," Henson said. "The water board must hold hearings on the permit opposition, but then is free to make a decision on granting the permit requests of Atmospherics, Inc., and Plains Weather Improvement Association, Inc., of Hale and Lamb counties.

The two firms have asked for four-year permits to conduct cloud-seeding operations from airplanes over the South Plains and extending into Randall County to suppress hail activity.

Henson and his organization contend that in their efforts to suppress hail, the firms have also stopped rainfall in the area.

Twice before, Henson and individual groups of farmers have gone to Austin to fight the issuance of more temporary permits for the activities. They have been unsuccessful

on every occasion. Last fall the farmers came together under the one umbrella organization and have vowed to fight the weather modification proponents.

A legislative effort in the 1975 Texas session boomeranged on the opponents when they proposed a similar plebiscite on weather modification. Legislators, instead of buying the farmers' approach, turned the law around and allowed for even longer permit periods.

Henson said Clayton has proposed the legislation this year allow for votes by precincts in each county on the issue of whether cloud-seeding should be conducted.

And that proposal, says Henson, would be impossible to work with since a precinct is far smaller than a county.

Even as Henson's group prepares for court battle over the issue, they are also garnering support for their efforts.

The agriculture committee of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce last week approved a resolution opposing weather modification activities.

Randall County commissioners and commissioners in other areas have also passed similar resolutions.

Area farmers who are fighting continued cloud-seeding activities in the South Plains and Randall County have begun a fund-raising drive to help finance their efforts.

Nolan Henson of Randall County, chairman of Citizens for Natural Weather, a 1000-member group, said it'll take at least \$20,000 to fight weather modification proponents in the Texas courts.

And that's the goal of the organization for their current campaign.

"We'd like for farmers to contribute 10 cents an acre," Henson said.

He said any funding not used by the organization will be refunded to donors on a percentage basis.

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Although an increased number of lenders had more customers than they could serve during the past six months, more than a fifth of the responding lenders indicated they were actively seeking new farm and ranch loans. However, Hayenga notes that loanable funds may be tighter during the first half of 1977 because loan-deposit ratios increased above "normal" at 37 per cent of the banks while decreasing at only 15 per cent.

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Decisions that will have a telling effect on the future of cotton will be made in Orlando, Florida, during the final days of January and the first day of February.

January 31 and February 1 are the dates of the National Cotton Council Annual Convention in Orlando, but committee meetings will begin on January 28. Top items on which NCC actions are expected include cotton legislative policy, strategy for combating onerous regulations on cotton dust proposed by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration, a USDA proposal which would change the makeup of the Cotton Board, and a plan designed by the NCC Executive Committee to reduce the wide fluctuations in cotton prices.

"The Texas High Plains will be well represented in all these deliberations," notes Donald Johnson, Executive Vice President of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., "through our delegates to the Council from the various industry segments, Council board members, members of important committees and others from the area who will attend the convention."

Johnson is a member of the Industrywide Bysynosis Committee which will lay plans for the attempt to prevent final adoption of OSHA's proposed cotton dust regulations. According to Johnson these regulations would bring financial disaster to a high percentage of U.S. cotton ginners, particularly those in areas where stripper harvesting is practiced.

Speaking to the convention will be the new Secretary of Agriculture Robert Bergland and David Bowen, Chairman of the House Cotton Subcommittee.

Producer delegates to the Council from the Plains include W.B. Criswell of Idalou, PCG President; Lloyd Cline of Lamesa, PCG Vice President; and Bill Reid of Lamesa. Respective alternates to these three are Joe Pate, Jr., of Lubbock, Gary Ivey of Ralls, a PCG Director, and J.G. Dobbs of Grandview, Texas.

Bill Weaver of Lamesa, a former PCG Director, is a ginner delegate and Council board member. Raymond Tapp of Lubbock is a merchant delegate to the Council, and W.L. Goble of Levelland is a cottonseed crusher delegate.

Representing cooperative interests on the Plains will be delegate and board member Dan Davis of Lubbock and delegates Wayne Martin and Rex McKinney, both of Lubbock. Cooperative alternates are Carey D. Gooch of Shallowater, Joe Rankin of Ralls, and R.D. McCallister of Slaton. Also, Ed Breihan of Lubbock is Vice President of the NCC Board.

"There will be a number of others from the Plains attending the convention in various capacities," Johnson said, "and we can be assured that the interests of the High Plains cotton industry will be given due consideration."

Wheat Acreage Reduction Due to Sluggish Markets

AUSTIN--After experiencing slow markets and lowered prices in 1976, wheat farmers in Texas have planted five per cent fewer acres for the 1977 harvest, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White has reported.

Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service estimates that 6,150,000 acres have been seeded for the winter crop. Based on December 1 conditions, statewide production is expected to total 98,400,000 bushels, down from the 102,400,000 bushels of 1976.

Reductions in acreage are virtually statewide with some 50 per cent reductions reported in both South Texas and the Coastal Bend. One exception is the Edwards Plateau where 10,000 more acres have been seeded than last year.

Nationally, winter wheat seeding has also decreased by three per cent from a year ago. Total U.S. production is being forecast at 1,328 million bushels, eight per cent below the 1976 crop.

Historic Data Printed

AUSTIN--A picture of the growth and development of the crops industry in Texas is presented in the recently issued publication, Texas Historic Crops Statistics 1866-1975, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White has announced.

"The publication provides data back to the earliest year for which estimates were made, with many statistics going back more than 100 years for a multitude of Texas crops," White explained. The free publication is available by writing to the Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847 Austin, Texas 78711.

Ag Credit Tightening In Texas

COLLEGE STATION--Although agricultural credit conditions are still generally good in Texas, things are tightening up a bit, according to a recent survey of bankers and other lenders.

The survey, conducted by Dr. Wayne Hayenga, economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, showed that during the past six months, more potential farm loan customers could not be served, loan repayments were lower, and more collateral was being required.

More than half of the 149 agricultural lenders who responded to the survey indicated that they had larger outstanding agricultural

loans than a year ago, and 26 per cent indicated serving more farmers and ranchers while 10 per cent noted serving fewer customers. Demand was up for operating loans, machinery loans and crop storage loans, but down for feeder cattle loans.

As far as interest rates were concerned, a two-tenths to three-tenths per cent drop was noted in feeder cattle loans, real estate loans and operating loans during the past six months. Feeder cattle loans averaged 8.74 per cent, real

estate loans, 8.20; and operating loans, 8.64.

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Hayenga points out that the survey also indicated that lenders are taking a harder look at loan applications. They noted that 66 per cent of their borrowers furnished past profit and loss

statements and 64 per cent provided a projected cash flow statement or operating budget, both up from 50 per cent a year ago. "This means that farmers and ranchers had better get their loan documentation paperwork in order," emphasizes the economist.

Hayenga also notes that the survey showed farmers and ranchers using borrowed funds for just over half of their operating expenses and for 62 per cent of their capital investments. Off-farm income was used for 10 per cent of both operating expenses and capital investments.

Although an increased number of lenders had more customers than they could serve during the past six months, more than a fifth of the responding lenders indicated they were actively seeking new farm and ranch loans. However, Hayenga notes that loanable funds may be tighter during the first half of 1977 because loan-deposit ratios increased above "normal" at 37 per cent of the banks while decreasing at only 15 per cent.

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- 1-Side Winder 4-row rotary tiller
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- 1-I.H.C. 4 sec. 3-point flex rotary hoe
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Dimmitt man loses \$2800 to phony 'bank official'

A retired Dimmitt man was apparently swindled out of \$2,800 Friday between 2 and 2:30 p.m. by a man posing as a bank officer.

"A MAN called me on the phone, saying he was a bank officer," the victim said. "He told me that they suspected some of the tellers might be taking money for their own use and they wanted to trap them." According to the victim, the swindler—who identified himself on the phone as one of the bank's executives—also told him that the bank's computers were on the blink, and that the bank examiners were not supposed to be there for several days.

"He said he needed to know how much I had in my bank account in order to check the computer," the victim said. "When he wanted to know if I could withdraw my money to try to help trap the dishonest tellers when they would try to cover up any deficiencies."

"THE SWINDLER then told me to go to the bank, withdraw my money and bring it to the parking lot in front of Gibson's Discount Center, where he would be met by another representative of the bank, who would return his money to the bank."

The victim said he withdrew \$2,800 in \$100 bills at the drive-up window, then drove to Gibson's parking lot, where a man approached him from the direction of the bank.

"He flashed some kind of credential at me, then asked for the money," the victim recounted. "I asked for a receipt, so he wrote one, then I watched him walk back into the bank by the east door on the south side."

"THE 'BANK representative' told the Dimmitt man to wait half an hour before contacting the bank. After failing to reach the real bank officer by phone, the victim went to the bank in person to ask the officer how things turned out.

The surprised bank officer said he had no knowledge of any such "trap" and that the bank computers were working just fine. He and the victim immediately advised the sheriff's department of what had happened.

The victim described the man he met in the parking lot as a white male, 40 to 50 years old, around six feet tall and weighing about 165 pounds, with greyish dark hair combed back on the sides. He was wearing a blue tweed hat with a narrow brim, and a light-colored overcoat or trench coat. He was slow walking and spoke in a slow soft manner. The signature on the "receipt" was illegible.

BY THE victim's description, the bank officer realized he had seen the suspect in the bank earlier. He had only glanced at him, his attention drawn by the fact that the man's overcoat was buttoned all the way up.

An employee of Gibson's also recalled seeing a man fitting the description in the store that day.

County Attorney Robert Buntyn urges anyone who may have received a similar call, or who knows or may have seen anything concerning this case, or may have seen a man answering the description of the suspect or resembling the composite drawings, to contact him or the sheriff's office.

A SPOKESMAN for the bank said, "We're very sorry that such a thing happened, but there's nothing we can do

about it. We caution people to call Robert or Bob McLean and check out any persons representing themselves as bank officials.

"If such a situation as described by the swindler ever did arise, we would not handle it in such a way at all," the spokesman added.

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HAVE YOU SEEN THIS MAN? These composite drawings were made by Linda Maxwell of the News staff from the description by the victim and other witnesses of a swindle involving \$2,800. Those who saw the suspect say the profile [right] bears the closest resemblance to him. If you have seen this man, contact the county attorney or sheriff's office.



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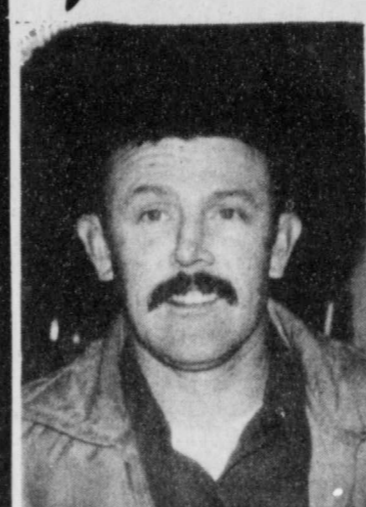
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BANKERS TO DISCUSS CORRESPONDENT BANKING Discussion relating to correspondent banking will be one of the highlights of the 25th Texas Farm and Ranch Credit School for commercial Bankers at Texas A&M University, Feb. 7-9, says an economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Along with discussions on cooperation between banks in servicing agricultural customers, the school will also feature discussions on alternatives for financing farm and ranch operations, loan documentation for various agricultural loans, and the outlook for various agricultural commodities.



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Lions Ladies Day Program Sunday, January 23rd

Society



NORA FLORES, ARCENIO MARTINEZ, JR.

Nora Flores, Arcenio Martinez To Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Humberto Flores of Lockney announce the engagement of their daughter Nora to Arcenio Martinez, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Arcenio Martinez, Sr., also of Lockney.

The couple plan to be married February 5 in the home of the bride's parents.



Miss Flores, a graduate of Lockney High School, is employed by Lockney Cooperatives. Martinez will graduate from Lockney High in May.

Mary Martha SS Class Has Social

The Mary Martha Sunday School Class had its social Wednesday in the home of Agness Frizzell. Ora Brown brought the devotional, on Proverbs 31:31.

Those present were Ora Brown, Jessie Tye, Bernice Reynolds, Ruth Mitchell, Cornelia Johnson, Carrie Apple and the hostess Agness Frizzell.

Refreshments were served during a break period, and then the final portion of the afternoon program, a Micro-Wave demonstration, will be presented

Whether it be tips on hair care, trends in make-up or the latest in fashions, you'll find it all at the Ladies Day program Sunday, January 23rd, when wives of the Floydada Lions Club gather at the Massie Activity Center in conjunction with the District 212 Lions Mid-Winter Conference.

The program for the women will open at 9 a.m. with Virginia Taylor of Lockney presenting beauty tips in make-up. Hair care will be presented by Kaye Powell of the Colonial Beauty Salon in Floydada.

Baptist Women Meet In Aaron Carthel Home

Women of the First Baptist Church met Wednesday morning in the Aaron Carthel home for Bible study.

After a brief business session, Mrs. Glenn White and Mrs. W. H. Bunch presented a Bible program from the Book of Mark.

Mrs. T. L. Holland read the birthday prayer calendar for Baptist missionaries around the world, and also voiced closing prayer.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Orval Newberry, W. H. Bunch, C. M. Meredith, Ann Thompson, Glenn White, T. L. Holland, Floyd Lawson, Robert Garrett and Dorothy Davis.

Next meeting will be February 16 in the home of Mrs. C. M. Meredith.

The yo-yo comes from a Filipino jungle fighting weapon. The word means come-come!

"Old foxes want no tutors," Thomas Fuller

Alpha Mu Delta Chapter Plans Anniversary Fete

The Alpha Mu Delta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will observe their anniversary Tuesday, January 25th.

The chapter is planning a salad supper for the event, which was discussed at their past meeting held January 18th in the home of Barbara Koch in Crosbyton.

Becky Pingleton, president, was in charge of the meeting and led the opening ritual. Teresa Whittle read the minutes and Kaye Powell gave the financial status.

Standing committee reports were given by Ilene Kendrick, Kaye Powell, and Lynn Daniel.

The chapter will be serving lunch at the Daniel farm sale, January 27. Members will take turns serving to the group. The menu was voted upon and sandwiches, chili, pie, doughnuts, cake, cold drinks, tea, and coffee were decided upon.

Members voted to take the chairmanship for the Cystic Fibrosis Bkatron this spring. It will be discussed in more detail after the information from the main office is received.

Members decided to send \$10 to the Wade Barrow Fund, state project.

The meeting was adjourned and members repeated the Closing Ritual.

Members present were Becky Pingleton, Barbara Koch, Teresa Whittle, Kaye Powell, Debbie Bertrand, Judy Cornelius, Lynn Daniel, Donna Henderson, Ilene Kendrick, Vicki Latta, Jo Ann Patterson, and Vicki Thrasher.

wives will attend church services of their choice, then at 12:15 will assemble for lunch at Duncan Elementary School. Entertainment at the luncheon will be by the Floydada High School Lab Band. Keynote speaker for the noon luncheon will be Ed Grandstaff, candidate for the third vice-president of Lions International.

After lunch the women will re-assemble at the MAC for their afternoon program around 1:30. Mrs. Becky Culp, clothing specialist, will present "Looking Ahead To Spring '77". Her program will be on spring fashions, fabric and accessory trends. Fashions will be furnished by Hales and Hagoods Department Stores.

Refreshments will be served during a break period, and then the final portion of the afternoon program, a Micro-Wave demonstration, will be presented

by Kathy Burk, home economist with Lighthouse Electric.

Register Tuesday For Sewing Lessons

If you are interested in learning for the basic sewing techniques free of charge, don't forget to register for the free lessons Tuesday, January 25th in the home-making department at Floydada High School. Patterns and materials will also be discussed at this time.

The high school home-making department is offering the free beginners class in sewing to all adults.

Classes will probably be held each Tuesday and Thursday from 3 until 5 p.m. through February 17th.

Jan Hopper And David Campbell Married

Mr. and Mrs. David Campbell are at home at 1222 Ash Street in Graham, Texas following their January 2nd wedding. The bride is the former Jan Hopper of Lubbock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hopper of the Sandhill Community. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Campbell of Graham, former Floydada residents.

Both the bride and groom are graduates of Floydada High School. Mrs. Campbell was employed by the American State Bank in Lubbock prior to her wedding. Her husband is employed by GMI in Graham.

The couple repeated double ring vows at 2 p.m. in the home of the groom's parents. Rev. Jackson of Graham performed the ceremony before the immediate family.

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gauze fabric white floor length gown, fashioned with long full sleeves, square

neckline and an empire waistline. The gown was accented with blue embroidery, and blue was carried out again in the blue and white carnation bridal bouquet. The bride wore a pearl necklace belonging to her attendant's grandmother for something old and borrowed. She also wore the traditional blue wedding garter.

Miss Billie Sue Christian of Lubbock attended the bride as maid of honor. She wore a formal gown of princess style light blue knit fashioned with a V neckline and long sleeves, accented with a blue and white carnation corsage.

Johnny Campbell of Graham attended his brother as best man.

After the wedding a reception was held in the Campbell home. Melody Powell of Floydada served punch and cake from a table laid with a white cloth centered with a candle and floral arrangement in white and blue.

Annual Annual Girl Scout Cookie Sales Start January 28th

Girl Scouts from eighteen area counties, affiliated with the Caprock Girl Scout Council, will have their annual cookie sale starting at 4 p.m. Friday, January 28, according to Mrs. Buster Owens, president of Caprock Council.

Around five thousand in all, Owens said, will be wearing their uniforms or pins and selling the cookies at \$1.25 per package. Five flavors of cookies will be sold: Lemon Creme, Chocolate and Vanilla Creme, Scot-Tea, Mint, Savannah, and a new cheese "Cheddar-ette" cracker.

Owens said the sale will be ending February 13, and profits will be used to support troop activities and council program activities including maintenance and improvement of Camp Rio Blanco, a year round camp site east of Crosbyton. Gifts such as poster, patches, T-shirts, and camp scholarships will be given to each Girl Scout who sells specified number of cookies.

Members of the cookie sales committee include: Mrs. Billy Fisher, Mrs. Billy

Hall, Mrs. R. P. McElroy, Lubbock; and Mrs. George Poulson, Lorenzo.

Counties included in the sale are: Farmer, Castro, Swisher, Briscoe, Bailey, Lamb, Hale, Floyd, Motley, Cochran, Hockley, Lubbock, Crosby, Dickens, Yoakum, Terry, Lynn, and Garza.

Marilyn Smith On Texas Tech President's List

Marilyn Smith, a May, 1975 graduate of Lockney High School, has made the President's List with a perfect grade point of 4.0 during the summer and fall semesters at Texas Tech. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Smith has been classified as a sophomore student for the beginning of the spring semester. She plays alto saxophone in the Texas Tech marching band and the stage band, although her major is piano.



Mrs. Frances Childs

Mrs. Childs Honored on 85th Birthday

Family members honored Mrs. Frances Childs on her 85th birthday in her Floydada home Thursday. A son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Childs of Farwell were here for the dinner and birthday cake. Joining them were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Allen, Mike and Norman of

Floydada, and a daughter of Mrs. Childs', Mrs. Ocie Morrison, who makes her home with her mother.

The former Frances Richardson was born in Mason County on January 20, 1892 and has lived in Floyd County since 1932.

Shower Given Miss Henderson

A shower Saturday, January 15 in the home of Mrs. T. Owen Thornton honored Ginger Henderson, bride-elect of Mike Mathis. The couple plan a February 12 wedding.

Guests were registered by Karen Mathis (sister of the groom-to-be) and Robin Smith.

Special guests were Miss Henderson, her mother Mrs. Deanie Henderson, the prospective groom's mother Mrs. Warren Mathis, and grandmothers Mrs. Earl Kellison and Mrs. Hershel Carthel. They wore corsages of candlelight spider mums tied with cranberry ribbon.

Assisting in displaying gifts were Mrs. Ricky Kellison, Mrs. L. B. Brandes and Mrs. Joe Taylor.

Refreshments—coffee, spiced tea, coconut pom poms, mints and nuts—were served by D'Lyn Mathis (sister of the groom), Kayla

Gaskins, Cynthia Bybee and Rita Kay Smith.

The serving table was covered with a white imported linen and lace tablecloth. The centerpiece was an antique silver epergne holding cranberry stock and baby's breath bouquets. Dishes were antique cranberry color, and appointments were silver.

Hostesses were Mmes. M. W. Hartman, Barry Barker, Bill Sherman, Gale McPherson, Jim Bob Martin, Joe Cunyus, Joe Taylor, Reed Lawson, Albert Scheele, L. B. Brandes, Donnie Bybee, Art Barker, Jr., Kenneth Holt, Paul Hrbacek, Max Smith, Raymond Lusk, G. B. Johnston, Owen Thornton, Pete Mosley, Frank Duckworth, C. L. King, Jack Frizzell, Byron Brock and Mrs. Durward Jack. Their gift to the honoree was a queen-size bedspread.

Hello World

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Griffith of Lockney are parents of a son, Casey Edward, born Wednesday, January 19 in Central Plains General Hospital, Plainview. The baby weighed five pounds, one-half ounce. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gar-

lon Crosby of Hart and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Griffith of Lockney. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McAllister of Logan, New Mexico and Mrs. Ruby Crosby of Olton. A great-great-grandmother, Mrs. Pearl McAllister, lives at Olton.

FLOYD DATA

Dr. and Mrs. Floyd Bradley, Rev. and Mrs. Jimmy McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kendricks and Rev. Dan Gonzales returned home Wednesday from Fort Worth where they attended the State Evangelistic Conference.

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BRIDGE TOURNAMENT WINNERS...Ann Bean and Dot Word of Floydada won high-score honors (and these hand-made afghans) in the Lockney Firemen's Auxiliary Bridge Tournament Wednesday.

Bridge Tournament Winners Announced

Winners of the high bridge score in the Lockney Firemen's Auxiliary bridge tournament Wednesday were Dot Word and Ann

Bean of Floydada. Other bridge winners were Tommie Perry and Mary Ruth Fewell of Lockney.

Winners in the drawing

for door prizes were Donna Gloyna of Petersburg; Zelma Lee Mayfield, Marsha Brunson, Pat Edwards, Lois King, Fannie Francis, Hiroka Howell, Ealine Minnich, Maxine Peters and Gail Wyatt of Plainview; Vera Jo Bybee, Claudia Belt, Clara Beedy, Retha Wofford, Wilma Brown and Kathrine Rucker of Lockney.

Day Care Center Officers Elected

At the regular monthly meeting of the Floydada Day Care Center board last week Wendell Tooley was re-elected President, Sam Baker vice president, Mildred Wylie secretary and Fara Burk treasurer.

Betty Fuller was again employed as director of the center and given a salary increase in appreciation of her dedication and work for the center since 1969.

The board meets every second Tuesday afternoon of the month at 4 p.m. in the center board room.

Students On WT President's List

WTSU -14.2 percent of West Texas State University's 6,557 students were named to honor rolls for the fall semester.

202 students were named to the President's List, who have a semester grade point average of 3.85 or higher for a completed semester load of 12 semester hours.

738 students were named to the Dean's List, who have a semester grade point average of 3.25 or higher for a completed semester load of 12 hours.

Listed on the Dean's Honor Roll from Floydada are Danny Bradford, a plant science major; Mrs. Letha Bradford, a major in business education; Jay Jones, an animal science major; David Marrielle, a plant science major; and Jack Norman, an accounting major.

Listed on the President's List are Van Miller, an agriculture major and Karen Willis, a recreation major.



TACKY PARTY HELD BY FLOYDADA SENIOR CITIZENS...and the winners are: Charlie Spence and Mary Wilson. Second best were Mr. and Mrs. Menard Field.

Lockney Hospital Report

January 13 - 20

Rebecca Truitt, Lockney, adm. 1-3, dis. 1-18.

Jack Shipp, Lockney, adm. 1-3, continues care.

Hillburn Casey, Lockney, adm. 1-5, continues care.

Jewell Miller, Lockney, adm. 1-10, dis. 1-18

G. H. Phenis, Lockney, adm. 1-11, continues care.

Pauline Hill, Lockney, adm. 1-11, dis. 1-14

Francis Galvan, Plainview, ad. 1-12, Baby boy Leon, born 1-12, dis. 1-14.

Connie Gonzales, Plainview, adm. 1-12, Mary Ann born 1-12, dis. 1-14.

Charles Payne, Silverton, adm. 1-12, continues care.

Edwarda Silva, Turkey, adm. 1-14-Baby boy Edwardo, born 1-14, dis. 1-16.

Mary Ann Gonzales, Lockney, adm. 1-15, Baby boy Steven, born 1-15, dis. 1-17.

Letha May Shores, Lockney, adm. 1-14, dis. 1-15.

R. C. Wilson, Lockney, adm. 1-16, continues care.

R. L. O. Riddell, Silverton, adm. 1-17, continues care.

Stephanie Thomas, Floydada, adm. 1-17, continues care.

Juvenicia Blanco, Lockney, adm. 1-18, continues care.

Josie L. Williams, Floydada, adm. 1-18, continues care.

G. B. Johnston, Lockney, admitted 1-19, continues care.

Rosa Martinez, Plainview, adm. 1-19, continues care.

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OBITUARIES

I.L. Chandler

Services for Irvin Logan Chandler, 69, were held in Post Friday. He was the father of Charles Chandler of Floydada. Mr. Chandler was found dead in his home about 7 o'clock Wednesday evening. A justice of the peace ruled death by natural causes.

A native of Earth County, Mr. Chandler had been a resident of Garza County since 1923. He and Louzell Shepherd were married in Post on December 11, 1926. He was a past member of the Masonic Lodge in Post and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Charles of Floydada; a daughter, Tommie Woods of Post; two brothers, Clarence "Red" Chandler of Post and Eldon Chandler of Midland; a sister, Mrs. Oleta Young of Midland; six grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

H. Mayfield

Horace Mayfield, 55 year old resident of Oklahoma City, and nephew of Gordon Mayfield of Floydada, died Friday morning of a malignancy in a hospital in Oklahoma City. Funeral rites will be held Monday at 2 p.m. in South Lindsey Baptist Church in Oklahoma City. Capital Hill's Funeral Home will be in charge of arrangements.

Mayfield and his wife, the former Doris Senn, operated the McCoy Grocery Store in Floyd County for several

years. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mayfield of Crosbyton and New Home, and was also preceded in death by a son, David.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Charles of Oklahoma and two sisters, Mrs. Clyde (Syble) Crosby of McAadoo and Mrs. Leon (Tressie) McPherson of Idalou; and his stepmother, Mrs. Howard Mayfield of New Home.

Claude Hinton

Claude Hinton, 77, brother of Troy Hinton of Floydada, died Wednesday in McLean. Services for the retired building contractor were held Friday in the Methodist Church in McLean.

Mr. Hinton was a native of Erath County and moved to McLean in 1917. He and Cumie Cates were married in 1920.

Survivors include a daughter; two brothers, W. L. of McLean and Troy of Floydada; a sister, Mrs. Taylor Turnbow of Shamrock; three grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Louis Richards

Louis A. Richards, 81, who died Tuesday in Groom, was the father of Mrs. Maxine Widener of Lockney. Services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday in the First Baptist Church at Memphis. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery by Spicer Funeral Home.

Mr. Richards was born in Hayes County and moved to Hall County in 1920. He farmed in the Harrell Chap-

pel community until he retired in 1972, when he moved to Memphis.

He was a deacon in the First Baptist Church and a member of the Masonic Lodge and the Khiva Shrine Temple in Amarillo.

Also surviving are his wife, the former Rushia Petree; two sons, two other daughters, two brothers, two sisters, 12 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Morris E. Shipp

Services for Morris E. Shipp 68, have been scheduled at 10 a.m. Saturday, January 22, in the First Baptist Church in Lockney, with the Rev. Hugh Daniel, pastor of Lockney First United Methodist Church, officiating, assisted by the Rev. John Jenkins, First Baptist pastor.

Mr. Shipp died Thursday in Lockney General Hospital. He was born January 29, 1908 in Quinn County, Mississippi. He and his wife, the former Dorothy Proffitt, were married November 1, 1935 in Monroe, Louisiana. They moved to Floyd County in January, 1952.

Mr. Shipp had retired in 1973. He was a carpenter and painter, and assisted in the Lockney Variety Store. He was a member of the VFW, a veteran of World War II, and a Mason, and a member of the Methodist Church.

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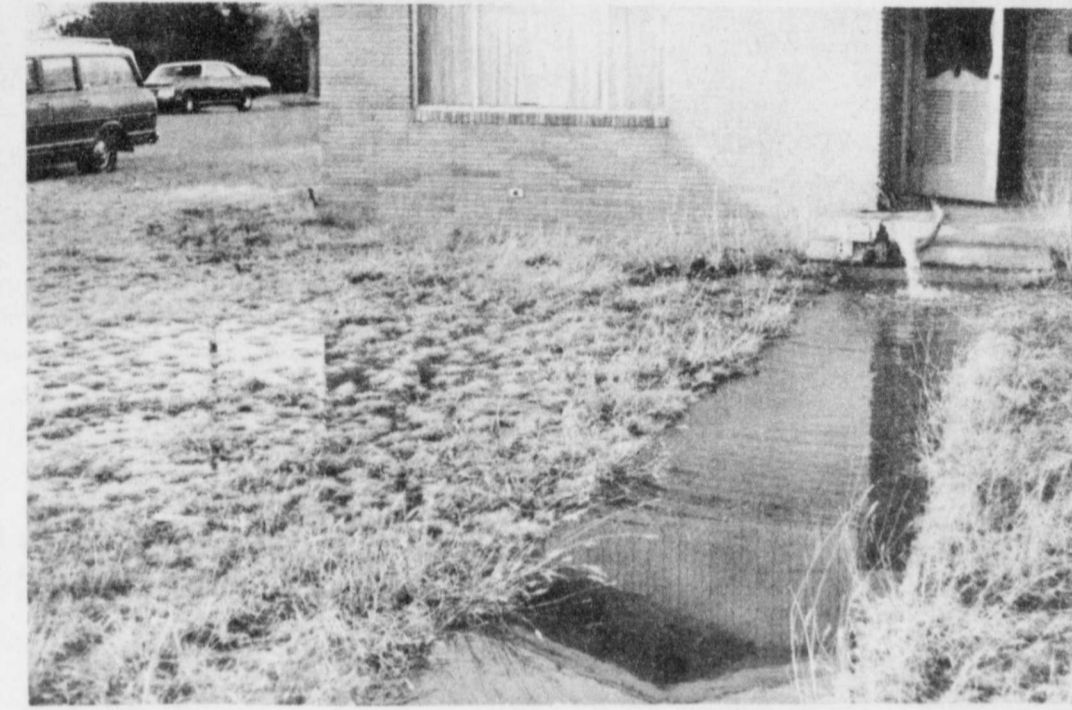
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Farabee And Cates Receive Assignments

State Senator Ray Farabee joined other Senators and Representatives in Austin this past week as work began in the 65th Session of the Texas Legislature. First week activities included assignment of legislators' committee posts and the Governor's State of the State address.

Senator Farabee's committee appointments included his reappointment to all the all-important Senate Finance Committee. Farabee expressed his pleasure at that assignment saying that "membership on the Finance Committee affords me the opportunity to take an active role in seeing that we keep a lid on state spending."

Farabee was also pleased that he was reappointed to the Natural Resources and Jurisprudence Committees. Farabee noted that the Natural Resources committee would monitor legislation dealing with agriculture and energy, both of which are vital to the economy of the 30th Senatorial District. Farabee is also a member of the Natural Resources Subcommittee on Energy. "This appointment," Farabee stated, "will provide us in North and West Texas with a real voice in the shaping of policies which affect the vast energy resources in our area."

Committee assignments and committee organization

were a big part of the activity of the first week but the initial days of the 65th Session were also highlighted by the Governor's message to a joint session of the House and Senate. Senator Farabee applauded the Governor's proposals dealing with the reduction of violent and organized crime. Also to Farabee's liking was the Governor's promise to avoid any new taxes.

The Senator said he was particularly pleased with the attention the Governor gave to the medical malpractice problem. Farabee said that the malpractice insurance problem is one which affects every citizen and he indicated that the dilemma par-

ticularly affects areas of West Texas where the shortage of health care providers is critical. Senator Farabee has already introduced comprehensive legislation dealing with the malpractice issue.

Farabee acknowledged his support for many other issues touched on in the speech including the Governor's commitment to vocational education and maintenance of Texas' highway system.

PHIL CATES
AUSTIN - Rep. Phil Cates of Shamrock has been named to the House Appropriations Committee by Speaker Bill Clayton. Cates, who is in his fourth

term, was on Human Resources and Agriculture and Livestock committees last session. Members on Appropriations serve on no other committee.

He is one of 21 members on the Appropriations Committee who will consider all bills and resolutions appropriating money from the State Treasury. It is considered the most powerful committee in the House.

Clayton said Cates' tenure in the Legislature made him a good choice for the committee. "I know that he can be of great service to the committee and the people of Texas."

What One Person Can Do

JOHN LINDSAY, ASSOCIATED PRESS PHOTOGRAPHER.

In 1937 floods washed over huge portions of the United States. By February, the Ohio and Mississippi had swept away whole towns. Millions were fleeing, homeless from Arkansas bayous, Ohio lowlands and even Pennsylvania's Monongahela-flooded hills. People of ten states fought to reinforce the sagging levees of the White, the Ouschita and the Missouri rivers.

John Lindsay, an Associated Press photographer, went to Memphis, Tennes-

see, to cover the flood crisis as 50,000 refugees streamed into the imperiled city. Its levees were dangerously strained, as the Mississippi was expected to crest at 53 feet - 7 1/2 feet above its record level.

Mr. Lindsay heard rumors of a prison chain gang working on a nearby levee. Chain gang? Few Americans in 1937 were aware that chain gangs existed. Few photographers had ever been allowed near them. Thinking "maybe pictures will do some good," the newsman dragged his equipment through soggy woods and across washed out roads. He found the gang and asked the guard if he might take pictures. The guard agreed and though Mr. Lindsay was appalled at the sight of the

irons and chains, he held his tongue and took picture after picture.

The photographs appeared February 2, 1937, in the nation's papers. For most readers it was the first sight of chained men. Only days later, he read in the paper: "Chairman E. W. Hale of the Shelby County Commission has recommended commutation of sentences for the 500 black prisoners who worked on the levee."

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PLUS DEPOSIT

Texas Could Lose Representation On Cotton Board

Under a recent U. S. Department of Agriculture proposal Texas would lose two of its five members on the Cotton Board while other states would retain current membership.

Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. has filed objections to the USDA plan and has submitted an alternative proposal which PCG officials say will give Texas and other major cotton producing states more equitable representation.

The Cotton Board, made up of cotton producers appointed by the Secretary of Agriculture from nominations made by each state's certified cotton interest or-

ganizations, approves budgets and is otherwise responsible for the financial affairs of Cotton Incorporated (CI). CI carries out approved cotton research and market development activities financed by producer contributions on each year's production.

Currently there are 20 Cotton Board members. Each of the 14 cotton producing states is entitled to one Board member plus an additional member for each million or major fraction of a million bales of production above one million, on average, for the years 1961-65. This has given Texas five members, California and

Mississippi two members each and each of 11 other states one member.

The new proposal calls for using the same formula but would figure average production on the most recent five years instead of on the 1961-65 period. Average U. S. production for the first five years of the 1960's was over 14.9 million bales. For 1971-75 the average came to about 11.4 million.

Texas production averaged about 30 percent of the national total in the earlier period and about 29 percent in the latter.

"These figures do not justify cutting Texas repre-

sentation on the Board from the current five of 20, or 25 percent of the Board, to three of 18, which is less than 17 percent," points out PCG executive officer Donald Johnson.

PCG isn't objecting to using the most recent five years of production in determining Board membership. But PCG proposes that each state have one Board member plus an additional member for each one-half million or major part of one-half million bales of production above an initial 500,000.

This would increase the size of the Cotton Board from 20 to 26 members. Texas, with 1971-75 average produc-

tion of 3.3 million bales, would have six members. California, averaging 1.8 million, would have four. Mississippi's 1.6 million average would entitle it to three members. Arkansas, with just over a million bale average, would have two, and other states would continue to have one member each.

The Cotton Research and Promotion Act does not set a limit on the size of the Cotton Board. It says each producing state shall have at least one member and that "to the extent practicable" each

state shall have representation on the Board in propor-

tion to its relative production.

PCG contends that the USDA proposal "moves away from rather than toward" compliance with the law.

The PCG plan has been approved by all other cotton producer organizations in Texas and has the support of several other states, Johnson says, but USDA's reaction is not yet known.

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the plant loses its color, reduce watering and store it in a cool place. Cut the stems back about mid-April, repot the plant, water it thoroughly, and place it in a sunny window. As new growth begins, fertilize the plant every two weeks. When danger of frost is past, move the plant outdoors and pinch back new shoots as they develop. Move the plant

back indoors before frost in the fall and put it in a sunny location.

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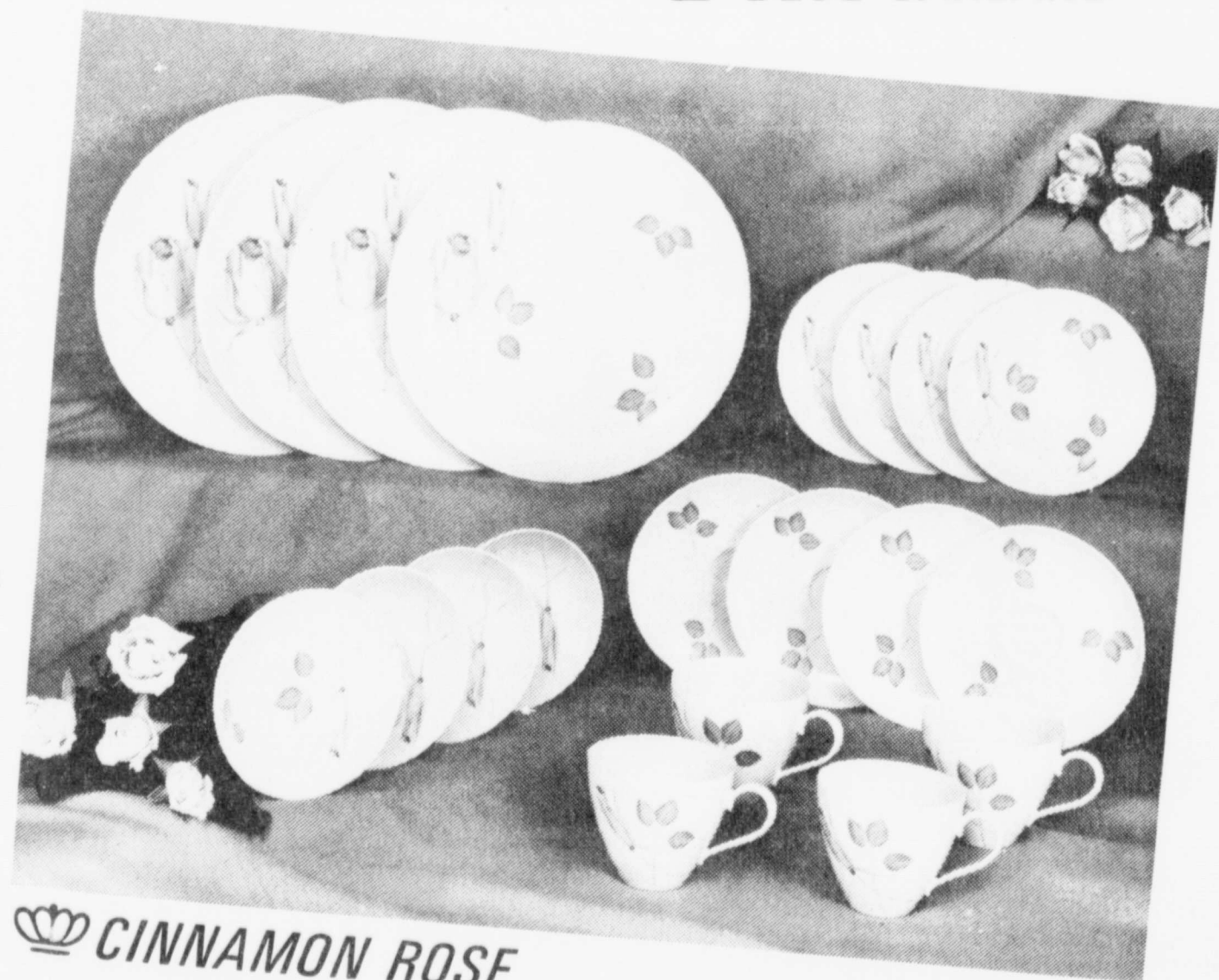
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EIGHTH GRADE LADY HORNS...Left to right, front row: Irene Mariscal, Donna Dudley, Darlene Prater, Debra Webb. Middle row: manager Jill Whitfill, Tammie Hayes, Julie Frizzell, Bonita McDonald, Rosalind Hill, Sharon Spencer, manager Cindy Adams. Back row: Julie Ferguson, Tonya Nance, Roxanne Ford, Rebecca Evans, Sheris Clark, Penny Sterling. (Staff Photo)



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Mothers March

The Mothers' March Against Birth Defects will take place in Lockney Monday, January 24 to benefit March Of Dimes programs of research, medical services, and professional and public health education. All are directed at overcoming the nation's most severe child health problem.

Lockney Business and Professional Women sponsor the drive annually.

Physical and mental birth defects strike more than 200,000 infants every year. Low birth weight, strongly associated with increased risk of brain damage and death, affects another 200,000 babies. Our infant death rate is higher than that of seven other countries.

Only through more research into the causes of high-risk pregnancies and improved perinatal care of mothers and infants can these figures come down. With Lockney's help, the March of Dimes can make progress in this area.

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January 24-28

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ORANGE CAKE

THURSDAY

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Milk

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Mexi Corn

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Milk

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MONDAY

Meat loaf w/tomato gravy

Asparagus

Buttered potatoes in white sauce

Hot Rolls

Milk

Fruit Temptation

TUESDAY

Ham

Mexi Corn

Fried Okra

Milk

Hot Rolls

Gingerbread

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Ronee Thornton Wins Award At QHAWT Convention

Mrs. Bess Fish of Houston, a nationally-known quarter horse enthusiast, announced at the Quarter Horse Association of West Texas annual convention and awards banquet, held January 3 in Odessa, that she is donating to Lockney's Ronee Thornton's mare a free breeding to any one of her top four studs. Value of the free breeding was placed at \$1,000. Ronee was named the QHAWT All Around High Point Youth for 1976. She tabulated a total of 540

QHAWT points during the year with her outstanding mare, Bix Parol, placing first in showmanship, first in horsemanship, first in English hunt seat, first in western pleasure, second in reining, fifth in trail, and fifth in western riding in QHAWT-approved quarter horse shows in 1976.

Ronee's brother Ritchie placed third in halter mares and sixth in showmanship with Ruby's Brandy in 1976 QHAWT shows.



AT QHAWT CONVENTION...Charlie Mitchell, 1976 QHAWT president; Mrs. Bess Fish; Ronee Thornton.

Lees Attend White's Show

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lee, Sr., owners of the White's Auto Store in Lockney, attended the semi-annual company merchandise show held at the Dallas Hilton, Dallas, Texas January 16-18. Highlighting the show was the introduction of the new lawn and garden lines, and the new brand name program featuring major

appliances. White's dealers will now be able to offer Kelvinator, Speed Queen, and B. F. Goodrich to their customers. Company officials predict this program, aided by one of the most complete lines of lawn and garden and seasonal items anywhere will prove to be one of the most successful ever launched by the chain.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee also viewed the new items in the well rounded blend of housewares, automotive, sporting goods, toys, hardware, tires, giftware, and electronics offered by White's.

During the show, the Lees were invited to attend clinics on Kelvinator, Speed Queen, B. F. Goodrich, C. B. radios, and White tires. Top salespeople from the companies presented material on the selling advantages of their products during these informative clinics. Counseling sessions on advertising, credit and the new M.S.I. ordering system were also available.

White's is a chain of more than 650 retail and franchise outlets spanning the southern seaboard from Arizona to Florida and ranging up-

Stennett Makes

Dean's List

Doug Stennett, a North West Texas School of nursing student, posted a 4.0 point average making the Dean's List of Students in Biological Arts and Science. Stennett also teaches a biology course at Amarillo College. He will graduate with his Degree in Registered Nursing and later plans to receive his Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist (C.R.N.A.) Doug is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stennett of Lockney.

Lockney Locals

Kathi McCarter, daughter of the Bill McCarters, moved to Levelland last week, where she enrolled in South Plains Junior College as a first semester Freshman. Sheree Oglesby of Tahoka, a former Lockney resident, spent the past weekend in the Bill McCarter home.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Schacht of Bryan, Texas are the parents of a son, Byron Fritz Nelson, born Friday, January 14th. He weighed 8 lbs., 7 ozs. The maternal grandmother, Mrs. Durward Jack, is in Bryan with the Schacht family.

The Red Archers had as guests in their home Saturday night his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Pat Archer, Chris and Polly from Amarillo. They also visited in Mr. Archer's sister's home while here, the Hurl McCoys.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Allison had as dinner guests in their home on Sunday, their daughters, Mrs. Ronnie (Diana) Dye of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Marion Cross and children, Ricky, Kelli, Curtis and Pat of Plainview.

Donette Marble and a girl friend, both students at South Plains Junior College, Levelland, spent several days last week staying in the home of Donette's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Holland.

Mr. Holland's nephew, Bill Holland of Lubbock, spent Friday of last week visiting in their home.

Mrs. Fritz Schacht, Margaret and Clar spent Friday in Canyon visiting the David Camerons.

Mrs. Red Archer, Janie and Cathy, were accompanied by Mrs. Archer's mother Mrs. Virgil Adams of Plainview, to Lubbock on Saturday where they visited with another daughter of Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Ruby Cavitt.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wigington had as guests this past weekend, their daughter and her husband, Joyce and Ron Carrell from Borger, Texas.

Mrs. Dorothy Merrell's guests Saturday evening in her home were Mmes. Lillian Marble, Edna Gilly and Edith Myers, all of Floydada. Mrs. Carrie Apple visited with her on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hill spent the weekend in Amarillo visiting with Clyde's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barnett. They also visited with friends, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Davis. On Monday, the Clyde Hills had lunch with and visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Busby of Lubbock.

The James Wigington's daughter and her husband, Nancy and David Cave whose home is at Ackerly, Texas, left Dec. 29th for Guadalajara, Mexico, to study the language of Mexico in a university there. They were in Mexico City last year in school.

Visiting in the C. H. Rose home on Monday were their granddaughter, Mrs. Jerry (Karen) Rose of Lubbock, and Karen's mother, Mrs. June Classen of Fairview, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Woford went to Dallas this past weekend to get her mother, Mrs. J. L. Miller of Marion, Louisiana, who will spend several months in the Woford home. Mrs. Miller's son and his family of Marion, La. brought her as far as Dallas.

Mrs. Ruth Royal of Weatherford, Okla. is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bradley.

Carl D. Lee, Sr. is undergoing treatment in a Shreveport, Louisiana hospital for an indefinite period of time. Mr. and Mrs. Lee have been there with their daughter since the latter part of December. He is an inpatient at the present time, and cards may be sent to him at his daughter's address: Carl D. Lee, Sr., c/o Marianne Rivers, 9017 Avalon Drive, Shreveport, La. 71118.

Happy Anniversary

- January 24 - Mr. and Mrs. James Wigington
- January 25 - Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Vincent, Mr. and Mrs. Gail Wilson
- January 26 - Mr. and Mrs. Lon Colvin, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cawley, Mr. and Mrs. Tomas Ochoa
- January 27 - Mr. and Mrs. Herman Huffman
- January 28 - Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Andrews
- January 29 - Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kidd, Ann and Bill Race.

Happy Birthday

- January 23 - Shari Carthel, Mason Davis, Chris Cummings, Elfie Sherman
- January 24 - Helen Hodel, Monty Bybee, Pete Gonzales, Richard Castro
- January 25 - Julie Davis, Kip Holt, Ole Olson, Crissy Carthel, Kristie Ford, Darrell Edwards, A. B. Blount Jr.
- January 26 - Tonya Nance Lisa Scheele, Charla Carthel, Dorthy Christy, Roxanne Ford, Lavon Johnson
- January 27 - Joy Elam, Lawson Rowell, Annable Bramlet
- January 28 - Karen Ford, Mario Pedro Arellano, Betty Jo Evans, Minnie Cantu
- January 29 - Dovie Davis, Velma Gandy, Joyce Churchwell, Mrs. Willie Jones, Robert Box, Danny Cantu.

Iota Tau Chapter Meets

The Iota Tau Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma met Saturday, January 15, 7:30 p.m. at Slaughter Memorial Cafeteria, Plainview for a formal dinner honoring husbands and school administrators. Mrs. Emily Johnston presided and special music

was given by Mrs. Ruth Adams. A delightful talk and slide presentation on Paths of Our American Heritage was given by Dr. Gwin Morris of Wayland College. The following members from Lockney attended: Mary Dege and Merle Mooney.



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2 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION	\$	\$	during the period from July 1, 1976 thru December 31, 1976	
3 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION	\$	\$	ACCOUNT NO. 44 2 077 002	
4 HEALTH	\$	\$	LOCKNEY CITY	
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7 SOCIAL SERVICES FOR AGED OR POOR	\$	\$	LOCKNEY TEXAS	79241
8 FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION	\$	\$		
9 MULTIPURPOSE AND GENERAL GOVT.	\$	\$		
10 EDUCATION	\$	\$	(D) TRUST FUND REPORT (refer to instruction D)	
11 SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$	1. Balance as of June 30, 1976	0
12 HOUSING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$	2. Revenue Sharing Funds Received from July 1, 1976 thru December 31, 1976	10,497
13 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$	3. Interest Received or Credited (July 1, 1976 thru December 31, 1976)	37
14 OTHER (Specify)	\$	\$	4. Funds Released from Obligations (IF ANY)	
TOTAL	10,534	10,534	5. Sum of lines 1, 2, 3, 4	10,534
			6. Funds Returned to OHS (IF ANY)	
			7. Total Funds Available	10,534
			8. Total Amount Expended (Sum of line 15, column B and column C)	10,534
			9. Balance as of December 31, 1976	0

NONDISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS HAVE BEEN MET
(E) CERTIFICATION: I certify that I am the Chief Executive Officer and with respect to the entitlement funds reported herein, I certify that they have not been used in violation of either the priority and expenditure requirements (Section 103) of the matching funds provision (Section 104) of the Act.

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The soft contact lens wearers rate their comfort higher than girls using hard contacts.

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NEWS

The treatment of cancer with ascorbic acid (vitamin C) was discussed in a recent lecture at the University of Pennsylvania by Dr. Linus Pauling, winner of two Nobel Prizes. He talked about a study in which 100 patients with advanced cancer who received vitamin C were compared with 1,000 control patients who did not receive vitamin C. The average survival time of the patients treated with the vitamin was over four times that of the controls, and a fraction of these patients have had very long survival times, with no signs of malignant disease.

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Teen Trends

The Eyes Have It

More and more teens are making contact with contact lenses. Teenage girls with contact lenses are 50 percent more likely to wear them every day than girls who use only spectacles. Contact lens wearers use their lenses an average of 5.7 hours longer each day. These trends are revealed in a survey among 1,300 girls ranging from 13 to 19 years old. Among the girls who wear either soft or hard contact

lenses, 94 percent wear them daily. Of the girls with only glasses, 62.4 percent wear them every day. Exclusive eyeglass wearers average 8.6 hours of wear a day, while vision for the contact lens wearers is corrected an average of 14.3 hours a day. The respondents to the survey represent a balanced cross-section of girls from all parts of the country. The survey was funded by the SOFLENS Division of Bausch & Lomb, the company that first introduced soft contact lenses into the United States. Six out of ten of the girls surveyed wear some type of vision correction. Of those, nearly half (48.9 percent) wear contact lenses. When the new survey is compared

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Six out of ten of the girls surveyed wear some type of vision correction. Of those, nearly half (48.9 percent) wear contact lenses. When the new survey is compared

to a similar study conducted 15 months earlier, there is a 19.5 percent increase in all types of corrective wear.

Ninety-four percent of soft and hard contact lens wearers agree that these types of corrective lenses "are worth the extra time and trouble."

However, contact lenses do not mean the end of eyeglasses for these girls: 58 percent of the contact lens wearers also use glasses some of the time.

Girls with contact lenses say they are desirable for two reasons: to improve appearance (86.5 percent) and to get rid of the inconvenience or bother of wearing eyeglasses (79.1).

These trends are revealed in a survey among 1,300 girls ranging from 13 to 19 years old.

Among the girls who wear either soft or hard contact

lenses,

**BE A
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THRIFTWAY**

**EVERY DAY LOW PRICES
PLUS S & H GREEN STAMPS
EVERY DAY DOUBLE ON WEDNESDAY**



TAB 32 OZ. 6 BTL. CTN.
FREE GLASS WITH
EACH CARTON
\$1.39
PLUS DEPOSIT

WILSON'S SMOKED WHOLE
6-8 LB. AVG.-WATER ADDED

**PICNICS
69¢**

IN QUARTERS
MARGARINE
PARKAY
39¢
1 LB.
PKG.

SALAD
DRESSING
**MIRACLE
WHIP**
99¢
QUART
JAR

WILSON'S SLICED
WATER ADDED
HALF OR WHOLE
**SMOKED
PICNICS**
79¢
LB.

U.S.D.A. CHOICE BEEF BONELESS
CHUCK ROAST
\$1.09
LB.
SHURFRESH HICKORY SMOKED
SLICED BACON
\$1.19
1 LB.
PKG.

TOTAL GROCERY SAVERS

- FACIAL TISSUE
KLEENEX 2 200 CT. BOXES **99¢**
- KRAFT MACARONI AND CHEESE
DINNER 3 7 1/4 OZ. BOXES **\$1.00**
- 1000 ISLAND
KRAFT DRESSING 16 OZ. BTL. **89¢**
- GLADE SOLID
AIR FRESHENER 6 OZ. SIZE **48¢**
- GAINES
TOP CHOICE 36 OZ. PKG. **\$1.19**
- QUICK OR OLD FASHION
3 MINUTE OATS 18 OZ. BOX **49¢**
- FRUIT DRINKS
HI-C ORANGE 46 OZ. CAN **49¢**

SWIFT VIENNA
Sausage
\$1.00
5 OZ.
CANS

- EXTRA LEAN BONELESS
BEEF STEW CUBES LB. **\$1.19**
- U.S.D.A. CHOICE BEEF
BONELESS CHUCK STEAK LB. **\$1.19**
- EXTRA-GUARANTEED 81% LEAN
LEAN GROUND BEEF LB. **99¢**
- hamburger extra lean
PATTIES LB. **89¢**
- OSCAR MAYER
PICKLE & PIMENTO LOAF 8 OZ. PKG. **79¢**
- OSCAR MAYER
LUNCHEON LOAF 8 OZ. PKG. **79¢**
- OSCAR MAYER
COTTO SALAMI 8 OZ. PKG. **79¢**
- FROZEN
FRESH CATFISH LB. **\$1.19**

DOUBLE LUCK MIXED CUT
Green Beans
89¢
5 303
CANS

BETTY CROCKER LAYER ASSTD.
Cake Mixes
49¢
18 OZ.
BOX

WIN A HOUSEFUL
OF BEAUTIFUL
FURNITURE
in the
**pledge
Sweepstakes**
FURNITURE POLISH
PLEDGE 14 OZ. CAN **\$1.49**

GOLD MEDAL
KITCHEN TESTED
FLOUR
59¢
5 LB.
BAG

HI
DRI
**PAPER
TOWELS**
39¢
JUMBO
ROLL

SPECIAL SAVINGS
LIQUID-10¢ OFF LABEL
DYNAMO
32 OZ. BTL. **\$1.09**

LIQUID-10¢ OFF LABEL
PALMOLIVE
22 OZ. BTL. **69¢**

5¢ OFF LABEL
PALMOLIVE SOAP
2 BATH BARS **49¢**

FOOD WRAP STORAGE BAGS
BAGGIES
50 CT. BOX **89¢**

- NABISCO PREMIUM SALTINE
CRACKERS 16 OZ. BOX **59¢**
- BAMA STRAWBERRY
PRESERVES 18 OZ. JAR **89¢**
- BAMA SMOOTH
PEANUT BUTTER 18 OZ. JAR **89¢**
- KEEBLER 1 3/4 OZ. DELUXE GRAHAMS OR 1 1/4 OZ.
FUDGE STRIPES YOUR CHOICE **79¢**
- HOUSEHOLD
CLOROX BLEACH 1 GAL. JUG **79¢**
- FILTERS
MR. COFFEE 100 CT. BOX **79¢**

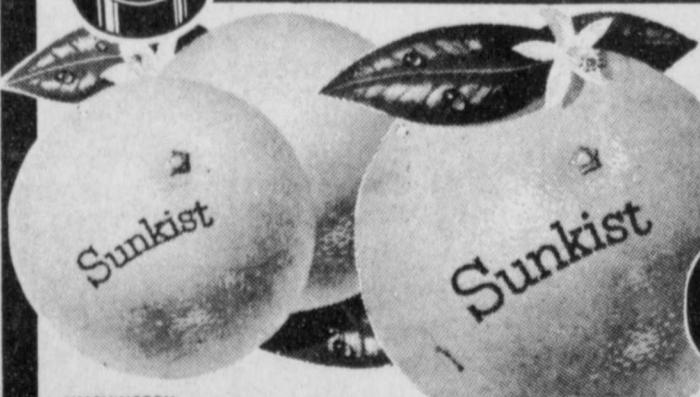
GLADIOLA
FLOUR
\$2.69
25
LB. BAG

HEALTH & BEAUTY AIDS
BAYER TABLETS 100 CT. BTL. **99¢**
ASPIRIN

THRIFTWAY DAIRY DELIGHTS
PILLSBURY BUTTERMILK OR COUNTRY STYLE
BISCUITS
8 OZ. CANS **\$1.00**

KRAFT
GRAPE JELLY
89¢
2 LB.
JAR

SWEET AND JUICY



**SUNKIST
ORANGES**
5 \$1
LBS.

BAYER CHILDREN
**COUGH
SYRUP** 2 OZ. BTL. **99¢**

BAYER CHILDREN
**COLD
TABLETS** 30 CT. BTL. **59¢**

SKIN CARE CREAM
ROSE MILK 8 OZ. JAR **\$1.29**
MOISTURE FACE CREAM
ROSE MILK 2 OZ. JAR **\$1.89**

FROZEN FOOD FAVORITES
11 OZ. CHICKEN CHOW MEIN OR 13 OZ. PEPPER ORIENTAL
CHUN KING DINNER **79¢**
CHEESE/HAMBURGER/SAUSAGE/PEPPERONI
JENO'S PIZZA LARGE CTN. **79¢**

- KRAFT DELUXE AMERICAN OR PIMENTO
SLICED CHEESE 12 OZ. PKG. **\$1.19**
- STACK PACK AMERICAN
KRAFT SINGLES 16 OZ. PKG. **\$1.49**
- KRAFT STICKS MILD OR MELLOW
CRACKER BARREL 10 OZ. PKG. **99¢**

25¢ VALUABLE COUPON NO. 92148 25¢
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HELPERS 2 BOXES **99¢**
WITH THIS COUPON
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