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PROCK HOSPITAL AUXILIARY donated eight wall mounted blood cuffs for the private rooms. Pictured are [I-r] Joe Rice, Caprock Hospital

tor and hospital auxiliary President Edna Beth Tye; Emma Lou Treasurer [front]; Ethel Carmack, Vice President; Jo Bryant, Secretary



NNUAL CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING ceremony at the courthouse square sday was highlighted by a visit from a familiar friend from the north.

Mackensie contracts approved

City Council raises water rates

Contracts to the Mackenzie Municipal Water Authority project were awarded October 24, 1982 (See the related story in the Nov. 4 issue). The estimated total cost of this project for each city to be financed by revenue bonds) has been updated. The cost will be shared by Tulia, Silverton, Floydada and Lockney.

Estimates for annual purchase of water from the project are (in thousands of gallons):

Tulia 375,950, an average of 1.03 thousand gallons per day and 42.83 percent of the total.

Silverton: 73,000, an average of .2 thousand gallons per day and 8.32 percent of the total.

Floydada: 281,050, an average of .77 thousand gallons per day and 32.01 percent of the total.

Lockney 147,825 an average of .405

thousand gallons per day and 16.84 percent of the total.

Total estimated water purchase for all four cities is 877,825M gallons with a daily average of 2.405 thousand gallons

The estimated total cost (to be financed by revenue bonds) for the transmission system for each city is: Tulia - \$3,120,000; Silverton \$730,000; Floydada - \$3,087,500; and Lockney \$1,662,500.

Total transmission system cost for the four cities is \$8,600,000 and the total cost for water supply for the four cities is \$3,405,000 bringing the total cost of the project to \$12,500,000.

In order to compensate for the added expense of the operating cost of the project, water rates in the cities were raised. The old and new rates are (all rates are for a 3/4 inch residential

Tulia: Old rates were \$4 for the first 3,000 gallons, up to 15,000 gallons 60 cents per thousand gallons and over 18,000 gallons, 70 cents per thousand gallons. New rates (already in effect) are \$6 for the first 3,000 gallons, up to 15,000 gallons 90 cents per gallon and over 18,000 gallons \$1 per thousand

Lockney: Old rates were \$5 for the first 3,000 gallons and 75 cents per thousand gallons after that. New rates are \$6 for the first 3,000 gallons and \$1 per thousand gallons over that.

Floydada: Old rates were \$7 for the first 2,000 gallons and \$1 per thousand gallons over that. New rates are \$12 for the first 2,000 gallons and \$1.50 per thousand gallons over that.

Silverton: Present rates are \$8 for the first 3,000 gallons and 80 cents per

thousand gallons over that. The new rates were not available, but were expected to be less than originally calculated.

Comparison of water rates in other area cities

Crosbyton: \$7 for the first 3,000 gallons and \$1 per thousand gallons up to 30,000 gallons after that is \$1.25 per thousand gallons.

Matador: \$11.50 for the first 2.000 gallons, the next 2,000 gallons 60 cents per thousand gallons and the next 5,000 gallons. 55 cents per thousand gallons.

Plainview: \$7 for the first 3,000 gallons and 55 cents per thousand gallons over that.

Lubbock: \$5.20 for the first 1.000 gallons, up to 50,000 gallons \$1.08 per thousand gallons, up to 250,000 gallons 92 cents per thousand gallons, over that is 87 cents per thousand gallons.



A SIGNIFICANT STEP in becoming a Girl Scout is the candle lighting ceremony for the Brownie troop. The ceremony, which signifies all of the parts of the Brownie law, took place Saturday evening.

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HARRISON receives the checks totaling \$100 from the sponsors of the The. Shown are Gary Brown, president of the Lion's Club; Tracy Harrison, Council President; Jerry Cannon, president of the Rotary Club, and Ted President of the American Heart Association.

udent Council ins \$100

oydada High School Student won a \$100 prize for getting the number of people to give blood riday's blood drive.

as the most successful blood last 20 years." Gary Brown. president, said. A total of 38 led to give blood. 34 were Although the 34 pints were an improvement over the drives, it was short of the 60 Brown said.

The blood drive and the \$100 prize were provided by the Floydada Chapter of the American Heart Association, Floydada Lion's Club and the Floydada Rotary Club. These organizations would like to thank those who participated and gave blood.

For those who would like to give blood and missed the opportunity the blood bank will return in the near

thool Board Agenda

Regular Board Meeting y, December 9, 1982, 7 P.M.

approval of Board minutes eport from Bruce Kenner nanager report

New business Accept resignations Employ personnel Committee reports Superintendent report Evaluation of superintendent

Open House scheduled

The First National Bank, Floydada, has announced plans for its sixth annual Christmas open house.

In a continuing effort to express appreciation to the people of Floydada and the surrounding area, the First National Bank will host a "Season's Greeting" open house in the community room during regular banking hours on Friday, December 17.

The employees bake and provide a variety of goodies to be served in the beautifully decorated community room.

Customers and friends are cordially invited by the officers, directors, and employees of the First National to attend and enjoy this annual event from 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. on Friday. December 17.

Hunt breakfast

The 2nd Annual Hunt Breakfast will be served by Il Penseroso Jr. Study Club on Saturday, December 11th from 5:30 to 8:00 a.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church in Providence. The meal will cost \$3.75 per person and will consist of homemade biscuits, gravy, bacon, sausage, eggs and juice or coffee.

In conjunction with the breakfast, a

raffle will be held for a down coat from Raglands Western Wear. Tickets are on sale now for \$1.00 and can be purchased from any Il Penseroso member or at the door the day of the breakfast. You need not be present to win.

All proceeds from the breakfast and raffle will go towards the purchase of needed hospital equipment at Lockney General Hospital.

Floydada Band annual **Christmas Concert Sunday**

The Floydada Band Department, in conjunction with the Floydada Band Boosters, will be presenting it's annual Christmas (ncert and Dinner Sunday. The dinner will be from 11:30-1:30 p.m. in the high school cafeteria, and the concert will follow at 2 p.m. in the

The 6th Grade Band, Junior High Band, High School Stage Band, and High School Concert Band will perform various types and styles of music. There is no admission charge for the concert

and everyone is encouraged to attend. The dinner menu is Bar-B-Que chicken, pinto beans, cornbread, potato salad, peach cobbler, and tea or coffee. Prices are \$3 for adults, \$1.50 for children school age through 12, and \$1 for children under school age. Proceeds from the dinner will help finance the many activities of the Band Boosters. including the spring trip to Arizona, the band banquet, and summer band camp scholarships.

This Week

Memories

If anyone has any Christmas memories, poems or stories they would like to share with our readers, they need to be in the Hesperian office by December 17 for the Christmas issue.

Singles

Lockney and Floydada Singles Club will have a joint meeting at 6:30 p.m. Saturday. December 11. at Lighthouse Electric. A meal will be furnished by the Singles Club. Everyone is asked to bring a \$3.00 gift. Hostesses will be Marie Nigh. Nita Holland, Georgia Finley and Edith Marrs.

Boys Ranch

A new suit or clothing package for every boy at Cal Farley's Boys Ranch is the goal this year. With the cooperation of Amarillo merchants a contribution of \$45 will make it possible for new suits to be purchased for the older boys and clothing packages for the younger.

Donations to the Boys Ranch Christmas Suit Fund may be mailed to the Boys Ranch office, P.O. Box 1890, Amarillo, Texas 79174.



Neighborhood Watch

Contributions are being accepted by the Floydada Chamber of Commerce for the purchase of materials that will be used in the Neighborhood Watch Program.

Brunch

17 days

til' Christmas

The American Cancer Society will be having a Christmas Brunch Saturday December 11 at the home of Mrs. Cleo Whittle, four miles south of Floydada on Ralls Highway. It will be a come and go type brunch from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. There will be door prizes and entertainment. Tickets are \$5 with all proceeds going to the American Cancer Society.



1-800-252 -8477

Fan letter Hey Mean Green Fans!

The Winds and Whirlettes will be traveling to their first tournament of the season this week. Come on over to Lorenzo Thursday morning to support our Mean Green teams. Game times for Friday and Saturday will be determined by the outcome of the previous games.

On Tuesday, December 14, we are out of town again to take on the Ralls Rabbits. Show your true spirit and pride by cheering both teams on to a VICTORY!!

Go Winds & Whirlettes. Varsity Cheerleaders

Crime Stoppers is working! Texans have been using their telephones to effectively curb crime in our State, with big dividends. The calls received by the state and local Crime Stoppers programs have resulted in the confiscation of over \$25 million dollars in narcotics and stolen property, as well as numerous arrests and indictments.

The Governor's Crime Stoppers Advisory Council, along with the local Crime Stoppers programs, are working hard to ensure that this war on crime continues. Governor Ciements and the Texas Legislature stand behind the efforts of these programs to keep criminals in the hotseat in our state.

The fight against crime in Texas is continuous and your concern. As citizens of Texas

you have proven there is a need for Crime Stoppers, but we need your help and support to keep it an on-going

If you have information on any organized criminal activity, please call the toll-free hotline at 1-800-252-TIPS at anytime, day or night. Cash rewards are available for information leading to the arrest and felony indictment of criminals in Texas. Citizens do not have to give their names, just their information, and they will be given a unique code number for identification purposes.

Texas Legislators and our Governor want these people behind bars, but they cannot do it alone. Support your state and local Crime Stoppers. Call today and help rid our state of criminal activity.

Courthouse News

Wayne N. Tipton, et ux. to W.&O. Butane, Inc., a corporation, S. 1/2 of Lot 5, all Lot 6, Blk. 127, Floydada.

Donald L. Cranford, et ux. to John R. Dunlap, et ux, W. 40 ft. of Lot 4, & E. 40 ft. of Lot 5, Blk. 9, Western Addn. Annex, Floydada

Edward Jarrett to Lowell Jarrett, et al, 100 acres out of S.E. 1/4 of Sec. 31, Blk. D-1.

Patsy Mott, et vir, to Foy Peacock, et ux, Lots 4, 5, & 6, Blk. 3, Muncy Addn., Lockney

Lillian L. Smith, Executrix, et al, to Josephine Bursiago, Lots 1-9, 12-20, Blk. 2, Morris Subdivision, Floydada

Ruby O. Brannon, et al. Trustees, to Don Shurbet, et ux, 3 acres out of NW part of S. 1/2, Sur. 29, Blk. 1

J.B. Howard, to Harley F. Howard, part of A.B. Bell survey.

Dale G. Widener, et ux, to Ernest Dale Widener, parcel of 5.79 acres out of NE part of R.M. Emerson, survey 7,

Minnie Faye Easter, Executrix, to

Keith E. Thomas, et ux, 24.40 acre tract out of E. part of Sur. 16, Blk. G. E.H. Boedeker, to E.W. Boedeker,

north 2,474 ft. of W 1/2 of Sur. 86, Blk.

Floydada

Raymond Martin, et ux, to Robert Lee Smith, et al, N. 60' of Lots 11, 12, 13, Blk. 24, original Lockney.

Dewayne Sexton, et ux, to Robert D. Purser, et ux, S. 40 ft. of Lot 4, all Lot 5, Blk. 2, McKoy Place Addn., Lockney. Harold Vernon Brown to Quanah Cotton Oil, Lot 12, Blk. 39, original

James Stanley Howell, to Verne E. Taylor Jr., N. 30' of Lot 8, S. 45' of Lot 9, Blk. 1, Vineyard Addn., Lockney.

Probate

Sudie Lee Thomas, will & appl. to probate, 11-16-82 Leonard King, will & appl. to

probate, 11-22-82 **Marriage Licenses**

Juan Manuel Escamilla, Ofilia Perez Arellano

Pheasant season begins, December 11

The 1982 pheasant season will kick off Saturday morning, December 11.

Once again, the season will be two weeks in duration, spanning three weekends. Final day of the season will be Sunday, December 26.

The bag limit will remain the same as in years past: two cocks per day and four in possession. Only the cock pheasants are legal game.

A good hunting season is anticipated. Jack Patterson, spokesman for the pheasant season, said he had seen a good number of pheasants in the Rhea community. Reports from other parts of the area have also been encouraging.

A large influx of hunters is expected for the opening weekend.

Texas followed the lead of its neighboring state, New Mexico, with the passage of House Bill 1421, which authorized the formation of Operation Game Thief. Concerned citizens may call a 24-hour toll-free number, 1-800-792-GAME, to report flagrant violations of Texas' wildlife and fish laws.

Since implementing its game thief program in 1976, New Mexico has collected over \$79,000 in fines and paid almost \$40,000 in rewards.

Trespassing laws have been stiffened with HB 717 upping criminal trespassing from a Class C to a Class B misdemeanor. In addition, if the offendder carries a deadly weapon, he can be charged with a Class A misdemeanor.

Notice has to be present before a person can commit criminal trespassing. Notice is given in three ways: (1) Oral or written communication by owner of property; (2) Presence of fencing to exclude intruders or contain livestock. or (3) Sign posted on property indicating

> A brand for the future 105 S. Wall Tommy Ogden mgr. 983-2480

Under the Texas penal code, a Class C misdemeanor carries a maximum \$200 fine. However, trespassers convicted under the new law, under a Class B misdemeanor, will face a possible \$1,000 fine and/or 180 days in jail.

If the offender carries a deadly weapon, and most hunters do, the Class A misdemeanor can cost up to \$2,000 in fines and up to a year in jail.

No public funds will be used in the Operation Game Thief program. More than \$20,000 in donations from individuals and organizations have been received to get the program started.

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Perspectives

It seems that this past week there was much about alcohol in the various publications and shows that I see. Of course, some area towns were having liquor option elections and that tends to produce quite a bit of press.

One item I saw was a cartoon. A wife is looking at her bedraggled, unshaven, slovenly appearing husband, and she comments: "How come the people in beer commercials never look like the people who drink beer?" A letter to the editor in a religious publication called for a ban on beer commercials, because the writer knew a band of alcoholics who drank beer exclusively and yet were not the witty, urbane folks who had discovered what weekends were for.

On the network news was a story on the resurgence of drinking among college students and how one University thought they were helping out by running a bar for the students. They figured it was better for the student to get drunk on campus because they could then walk home instead of driving.

One of the arguments advanced by the proponent of package liquor sales in Kress was that the town was dying economically and that the revenues generated by liquor sales would be the salvation of the poor town.

People have marshalled their arguments for and against liquor for years. The Bible, they stoutly declared, is not against drinking, it is against drunkenness. The opponents just as vehemently proclaimed that Jesus turned the water into grape juice, and that the body was the Temple of the Holy Spirit not spirits.

days is an attempt to get away from throwing Bible verses at one another and developing a broader perspective on the issue. There is for example the matter of the image that liquor manufacturers are trying to thrust upon us. Their ads say nothing of the broken lives caused by their product, instead implying that alcohol is some kind of necessity to the real enjoyment of life not much different from the picture given us by soft drink manufacturers.

It doesn't take a genius to figure out that their message is untrue, but by the sheer repetition of the message, many people have actually bought the image

The other problem is an old question of economics. Proponents have always cited creation of new jobs, increased business revenues and tax receipts. Yet the real cost has yet to be computed.

What about the number of alcohol related accidents, auto and otherwise? What about the costs incurred in medical care, not just from alcohol's effect on the individual's body, but the damage inflicted upon others acting under the influence. And what about the costs of divorces which come through conflicts over drinking.

It is time we try to stop fooling ourselves about the impact of alcohol on our lives. Sure people can be responsible in alcohol use, but the majority of alcohol users are not responsible. It is time we admitted that fact and quit supporting an industry which is ultimately destructive.

CRIME CALL

Anyone having information regarding these crimes is urged to call Crime Call at 983-5200 in Floydada. In Lockney the number to call is 652-2416. Or, informants may call the Texas Crime Busters toll free number: 1-800-252-8477. Informants may remain anonymous, but if they are willing to testify in the trial of the case additional rewards will be paid for this testimony.

Crime Call is supported entirely by private donations. Tax deductible contributions may be mailed to Crime Call of Floyd County Inc., 122 E. California, Floydada, Texas 79235.

Citizens are also advised Crime Call offers rewards for information received on ill unsolved felony crimes occuring in Floyd County.

Mackenzie Water Project holds ceremony

A short groundbreaking ceremony will be held on the south side of Lake Mackenzie Tuesday afternoon December 14, 1982 at 2:30 p.m. The Board of Directors for the Water Authority cordially invites the public to attend. The building contractors for the treatment plant and transmission facilities will attend the ceremonies and the State and District offices for the Farmers Home Administration and the Texas Department of Water Resources will also have representives present.

The Water Authority will secure a \$12,005,000.00 loan from the two above mentioned organizations for the construction of the project. From this amount \$3,405,000.00 will be used to

build the water supply (treatment plant) facilities and will be paid for by tax money from General Obligation Bonds. The \$8,600,000. will come from Revenue Bonds and will be used to construct the transmission facilities.

There will be a pre-construction meeting in Floydada, prior to the ground-breaking ceremony, on Tuesday morning December 14th. At this meeting the Board of Directors from the Mackenzie Water Authority and Engineers from Freese and Nichols will meet with all contractors who will do the construction for the water project. Plans and specifications will be reviewed with the contractors at this time.

north Texas taxpayers. Over 2,600 taxpayers in the northernmost 143 counties have not received their 1982 refund checks, which average \$461. The smallest refund is \$1, while the largest is over \$96 thousand. The most common reason for the failure of refund check and taxpayer to meet up is that the taxpayer has moved and not left a forwarding address. Others have changed their marital

status and their names and failed to

notify the Postal Service and the IRS.

Still others are the victims of illegible address entries on the Form 1040. When a check is returned to the IRS as undeliverable, the IRS follows up by mailing a notice to the address of record. If this fails, extensive efforts are made at the district level to locate the taxpayer's correct address.

If your name appears on the following list, please write or call the IRS. Write: Internal Revenue Service, 1100 Commerce Street, Mail Code 151-A. Dallas, Texas 75242, or call 742-2440 in Dallas, 335-1370 in Fort Worth, or 1-800-492. 4830 elsewhere in Texas.

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E LOCAL

Stolen tractor recovered in Okla,

A tractor stolen from Don Rainer, on November 14 has been recovered. One man has been arrested.

Larry K. Lee was arrested in connection with the theft. According to the Floydada County Sheriff's office the theft occured November 14, the tractor

turned up in Idabell, Otto November 15 and the arrest on November 17. Lee is to \$50,000 bond. Extradition p the process of being sened Lee is not from the Flori



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Southwestern Public Service Compa conserves fresh water by using reclaim water. We buy sewage effluent liqui sewage) from the cities of Amarillo and la bock, chemically treat the effluent, then it it as cooling water for our power plants. partial exchange for this effluent, SPS at sells fresh water to the cities. Work together, SPS and the cities of Amarillo and Lubbock are made

ing a difference in the availability and quality of one disarea's most precious resources-water.

J. R. Chafin, plant clerk, Jones Station, Lubb

Christmas trees can be a fire hazard if not cared for properly. Before setting up your tree, help "fireproof" it by cutting across the base diagonally. This will allow the tree to absorb more water and keep it from drying out too rapidly. When decorating your tree, check all tree lights for loose sockets of frayed wiring before placing them on the tree. And never use any lights that do not display the writers' Laboratory seal. Caring for your Christmas treep ly can prevent a holiday tragedy.

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Christmas

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Saturday, 58 band students from

Floydada High School will travel to

Lubbock to Participate in the Christmas for the Kids Concert sponsored by

KAMC-TV. The 1,000 area band stu-

dents involved will rehearse from 12

noon until 5 p.m. at that time the students will have a supper and party

At 7 p.m., these 1,000 bandsmen and

their directors will be presented in

concert. The concert will be held at the

Lubbock Civic Center and everyone is

invited. Tickets are \$2.50 for adults and

The Floydada Lions Club is helping to

project of KAMC-TV to raise money for

Christmas gifts for needy children.

Recipients include Buckners Baptist

Childrens Home, Girl's Town U.S.A.,

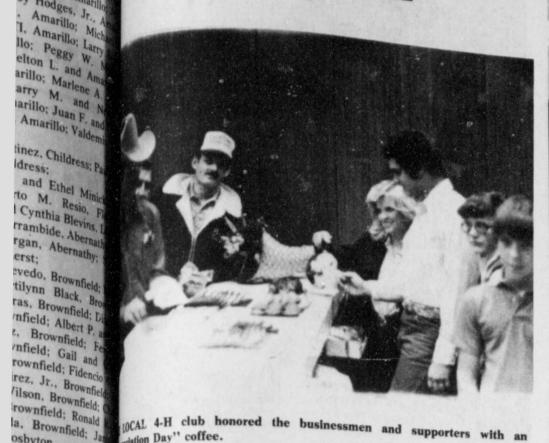
Texas Boy's Ranch, Childrens Home of

Lubbock, and foster children from a 22

sell tickets, which may be purchased locally at First National Bank, Script Printing, and the Hesperian. Tickets

will also be available at the door. Christmas for the Kids is an annual

Hers honor business en and women Patsy J., Decd., e Palmer, Amarillo ey Hodges, Jr.,



10CAL 4-H club honored the businessmen and supporters with an eciation Day" coffee.

wdada 4-H Club recently held riation Day" to pay tribute to val businesses and individuals nort the 4-H program.

ret National Bank generously. the use of their coffee room to te day-long affair where local served over 75 businessmen nen, and other 4-H supporters and all kinds of goodies baked by

ions Club

nests

Club guests this week are Weeks and Mysti Younger. is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Younger. She has been high cheerleader for four years. She to been active in basketball and

r three years. won district in track all three and went on to state in her nore year. She was a class officer hman and junior years. She was rack Relay Queen and FFA

ell was a captain of the football is year. He received player of k in the Amarillo, Plainview,

bock newspapers. so received the player of the m Coca-Cola. He received ict safety, kicker, and second ng back and punter this year.



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THE FLOYDADA BAND practices to join the Christmas for the Kids Concert Saturday at 7 p.m.



TWO local clowns helped our place with their Grand Opening last Friday.

About half the meadowlark's

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man, and the other half,

weed seed.



letters to the editor ...

to the editor section of Tuesday's edition of the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal. It was brought to our attention in order to praise the service one may expect to find locally.

Betty Edwards, one of the four Organizational Leaders for the Floydada

4-H Club, commented "We felt that it

was time that 4-H did something for the

people who support our program rather

than the other way around. This is our

way of showing how much we appreci-

It was also commented that 4-H plans

to make the Appreciation Day an annual

affair. Now that's an appetizing

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ate their support of 4-H youth."

Editor, Avalanche-Journal:

I am a student at Texas Tech University. Something happened recently that caused me to realize there is a lot to be learned out of the

classroom as well as inside. My small TV set went out. I was referred to a local television service by another company here because it does not service the brand set I have. I took the set in and told them to call me

The following appeared in the letters before they did any repair work since I couldn't afford a big bill. Three days later. I received a call saying it would cost around \$100 to fix my set. I said "I can't afford that kind of cost. I'll have to do something else. I'll be by to pick it

> I went to get the set. They presented me with a bill for \$20 "appraisal charge". I was very upset.

My home is Floydada. Since I was going to Floydada the next few days, I took the set there for an estimate. The set went in to a repair shop in Floydada one morning. That same night the repair person called my home and said the set was ready. The cost, including repair and appraisal, was \$15.

Rusty Cagle, 3807 39th St.

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and comments by its readers. Letters should be sent to: The Floyd County Hesperian, 111 E. Missouri, Floydada, Texas 79235; or they may be brought in to the Hesperian office before 3 p.m. Tuesday before the publication date



county area. Floyd County, of course, is From The **Editor's Desk**

BY WES BROWN

I have a couple of points for you to consider the next time you are musing over a cup of coffee or pondering the status of the world.

First, the point was brought to my attention that the Floydada schools ask for and receive support from the community. Why does the community not receive support from the schools?

The circumstances that prompted this question was the last blood drive. Only one student and three school personnel contributed to the cause.

Second, on a national level, federal tax withholding on pension payments will start January 1 and withholding on all interest and dividend payments will start July 1 unless bank stockholders and patrons can persuade Congress to repeal tax withholding.

In a letter to member bankers, William H. Kennedy, Jr. said that the withholding law was passed last summer as part of a package. "It is not only wrong, but it is entirely unworkable in the form in which Congress prescribed it. Repealing it is an urgent matter," he said.

"It is clear that to win a repeal of a tax law which already is on the books will require mobilization of our stockholders and-most important-our customers

Kennedy stressed the need for the bank customer to be aware what this law would mean to them personally and "...we must mobilize them to set up a clamor If you have anything to say about this tax law, you may contact your congressman

below. As Kennedy said, "We cannot afford to waste a single day." Rep. Jack Hightower, 13th District, Room 2348 Rayburn Building, Washington,

Rep. Kent Hance, 19th District, Room 1039 Longworth Building, Washington D.C. 20515.

Sen. Lloyd M. Bentsen. Room 240 Russell Building. Washington D.C. 20510. Sen. John Tower, Room 142 Russell Building, Washington D.C. 20510.

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MR. & MRS. CHESTER E. JOHNSON

Former Lockney couple to be hosted on 50th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Chester E. Johnson of 3003 S. Jackson in Amarillo will celebrate their 50th anniversary with a reception to be held in their honor on December 18 in the Federated Women's Club. The event is being hosted by their children and grandchildren.

Johnson married the former Thelma Osborne on December 24, 1932, in the home of her parents at Abilene, Texas.

The couple previously resided in Hart, Amherst, and Lockney. They have lived in Amarillo for 12 years.

Johnson is a retired teacher, having taught math in the Lockney schools two great grandchildren.

from 1955 to 1958. He is a member of Retired Teachers of Texas.

Mrs. Johnson, a housewife, belongs to Interests Unlimited. The couple are members of the Trinity Baptist Church.

They have six children: James Johnson, Oklahoma City; Malcolm L. Johnson, Arvada, Colorado; Rev. Truman Johnson, Sudan; Mrs. Charles R. Willis, Seminole; Mrs. Wayne Watkins. Ft. Worth: and Mrs. Clint B. Honnol. Amarillo.

They also have 16 grandehildren and

Hope Hartsell feted with gift coffee Nov. 27th

A gift coffee honoring Hope Hartsell, bride elect of Don Warren, was held in the home of Mrs. Wayne Russell. November 27. Guests called between 10:00 and 11:00 in the morning.

In the receiving line with Mrs. Russell and Hope were her mother. Mrs. Fern Hartsell and Don's mother. Mrs. Thomas Warren.

Guests were registered in the bride's book by Terri Lloyd. The service table was decorated with a beige linen and lace trimmed cloth. The centerpiece for the table was a woven basket of mums in fall colors. Serving coffee and almond tea from silver service and crystal appointments were Debbie Martinez and Brenda Hicks. Various breads. sausage rings and nuts were also

The hostess gift was Faberware cookware and a food processor. Other bride's gifts were displayed in the

Hostesses along with Mrs. Russell were Mrs. Valarie Green, Buddy Hatley, Louis Lloyd, Melvin Lloyd, Don Daniel, Bill Hendrix, Don Hardy, Joe Jones, Tony Jones, Bob Owens, Tom Pearson, Wilson Bond, Greg Bond, Don Shurbet, J.K. West, J.R. Noland, Neil Langley, Harold Reese, W.F. Daniel, Jr., Gordon Hambright, Leon Ferguson. Bill Womack, David Campbell and Miss

Hope Hartsell honored with luncheon

Hope Hartsell, bride-elect of Don Warren, was honored with a luncheon Saturday December 4 at the Olde White House. Members of the Bridal party. mothers of the bride and groom and friends enjoyed the event. Special bridal cakes were served to the bridesmaids. Terri Lloyd found the lucky penny in her cake to indicate that she would be the

Guests included the bride, Fern Hartsell, Marie Warren, Joyce Owens, Terri Lloyd, Holly Hendrix and hostesses Barbara Harley, Valerie Green and



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Clements, Hickerson will pledge vows February 4th

Mr. and Mrs. Bill C. Clements, of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hickerson, Floydada, wish to announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their children, Terri Renee Clements and Leslie Blake Hickerson. The couple plan to be wed on February 4. 1983 at the First Baptist Church in

The bride-elect is a graduate of

Amarillo College, where she was on the Dean's List, and received an Assoc. of Science in Dental Hygiene. She is presently a Dental Hygienist for Charles C. Craig DDS.

The prospective groom attended Texas Tech University where he studied Agriculture Engineering. He now farms

First Baptist Church Ladies observe Week of Prayer for foreign missions

Bangkak: An urban arena, a book about Southern Baptist Mission activity in the city of Thailand was taught by Miss Anne Swepston on Tuesday. November 23, at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist

Preceding the study a salad supper was served. The serving tables and decorations were beautifully decorated. carrying out the Thanksgiving theme.

The mission study is sponsored by the Women's Missionary Union, and precedes the week of prayer for Foreign

Mrs. David Seay, W.M.U. Director, presented Miss Swepston with a love gift of appreciation from the W.M.U.

The Baptist Women I began the week of prayer for Foreign Mission at 6 p.m. on November 28, with Mrs. David Seay presiding. Prayer was voiced by Nell Avery. Mrs. Jerry Livingston introduced the subject for the week, which was "Look at the

Talks were given by several young women telling of the missionary work in Eastern Europe, East Malaysia, and West Africa. A beautiful display of posters and maps of the foreign people and places, showing of the Baptist ministry, were made by Mmes. Allen Benson and Anthony Latta.

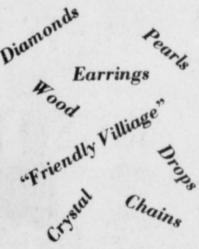
The meeting closed with Mrs. Latta calling the names of the missionaries. who had birthdays on that day and a special prayer was offered in their

The November 29 program was presented by the Baptist young people. The subject was "Human Need" "Look at the Fields." Melva Seay presided over the meeting in the absence of the president Regi Gross.



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Evelyn Latta led the group in special prayer time.

November 30, the Baptist women met in the chapel for a study of Foreign Missions. Mrs. Floyd Bradley, president of Baptist Women II, made the introductory remarks. Mrs. Willie Bunch announced the subject, "The Mandate-Every age the Same."

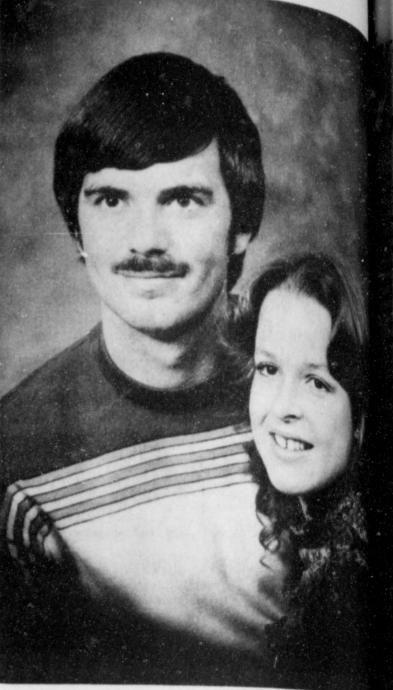
Others participating in the program were Mmes. Earl Crawford. Floyd Bradley, Floyd Lawson. Others giving inspirational talks on the subject. "To Preach. To Teach To Heal", were Mmes. W.O. Newberry, chairman of mission support; Allen Benson and Maye Garrett. They told of the missionary work in Spain. Venezuela and in the Phillippines. Mrs. J.R. Turner closed the program with the subject, "Pray Ye The Lord of Harvest.'

Subject for the December 1 meeting was "New Endeavors - In Our Day." The business women had charge, with Mrs. Mary Corley presiding. Mrs. Nettie Adams voiced the opening prayer for missionaries having birthdays on

Others on the program told of new endeavors in Gambia, new endeavors in Turks and Caicos Islands.

One of the highlights of Foreign Missions week of prayer was, on Wednesday night, a church wide banquet was held during the prayer meeting hour. Mrs. Mary Witt. a missionary from Recife Brazil. was the

FOR HER –



LESLIE BLAKE HICKERSON, TERRI RENEE CLEMENTS

Floyd Data

John and Geneva Cockrell of Floydada attended memorial services for their son-in-law, Doyle Payne, in Austin on the 30th of November. Other relatives attending were Kenneth Cockrell of Irving and Glea Adams of Hondo. Geneva spent the two previous weeks with their daughter, Janice and children. Rachel and Matthew. During this time Geneva had her left arm in a cast as the result of a fall on November 6. Janice and children plan to spend Christmas holidays in Floydada.

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Teresa was elected to the Council by the Office Education Association Club. She was elected president, and served as president as well as State Reporter of the OEA Club last year. She has been a dorm representative of Gillespie Hall for the last two years and has recently been appointed as the Student Assistant Coordinator of the 1983 Miss Caprock

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Fuller of Floydada.

idal shower honors Bowley turday, December 4th

was honored with a bridal the home of Mrs. Johnnie hirday, December 4.

guests were the hostess s, the honoree Mrs. David Mrs. Doyle Jackson, mother of ee, and Mrs. J.W. Bowley, the groom. The honoree wore silk corsage of rose and

lackson, sister of the bride, the guests. Special guests Oran Hatley, grandmother of and Mrs. Leo Cannon of

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bride and groom on a mirrow reflector surrounded with silk flowers of the brides chosen colors.

Refreshments of hot apple cider, fruit breads and sausage balls were served from copper and crystal appointments by Mrs. Carol Reece.

The hostess gift was a selection of serving pieces of her China.

Hostesses for the occasion were: Mrs. Johnnie Cates, Mrs. Carol Reece, Janet Milam, Mrs. Mac Smitherman, Mrs. Wayne Russell, Mrs. Bill Gray, Mrs. Bill Feuerbacher, Mrs. Ernestine Gilly, Mrs. Mack Fowler, Mrs. Lloyd Allen, Mrs. Scott Faulkenberry, Nell Swinson, Mrs. Thomas Fawver, Mrs. Don Bean. Mrs. Gordon Hambright, Mrs. Randy



Lockneyites attend Merrell, Cooper wedding in Quitaque

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor of Tulia, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Marr. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cooper, Mike and Rise Ford, and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Marr, Coby and Bradi, all of Lockney were guests at the marriage ceremony of Cheryl Ann Merrell and Cliff Cooper.

Miss Merrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Merrell of Quitaque. became the bride of Cooper, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Cooper of Slide. The double-ring evening ceremony was performed at The First Baptist Church in Quitaque by Mike Grebenik, pastor.

The couple will be at home at Afton

where the groom is pastor of the Afton Baptist Church after a trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico.

Happy 30th Birthday

sauce muffins. The table was covered n mented Saturday afternoon at a layette a cloth of pale blue print edged with a shower held in the Providence commuruffle of dark blue. It was shirred at the nity home of Mrs. Mike Mathis. Special guests were the prospective grandmothers, Mrs. Max Smith and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner. The honoree and special guests wore corsages of baby articles tied with pastel ribbons

Stoerner layette shower held

at Providence Saturday

basket lined in blue and yellow filled with baby bath items. Boedeker of Plainview, Jim Bob Martin, Mrs. Dan Smith served refreshments Gary Mangold, Ronnie Aston, Lynn Ray of hot punch, coffee, sausage balls, Smith, Dart Carthel, Keith Jackson, fried pies, cinnamon twists and apple-Garry Burson and Bernie Ford.

corners with dark blue ribbon ties. Pewter candlesticks with blue candles and rings accentuated one end of the table. Appointments were of crystal and The gift from the hostesses was a baby's car seat. Sharing hostess duties were Mmes. Mathis, Smith, Gary Lynn

Lockney lady enjoys guests

Mary Ellen McCracken, a resident of Lockney Care Center, has had lots of excitement recently.

and eyelet. The registration table held a

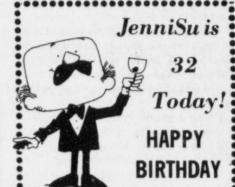
On Sunday, November 21, the Leon McCrackens of Silverton and the E.D. Richmonds of Turkey provided cake and hot chocolate for all the residents of the home in commemoration of Mrs. Mc-Cracken's seventieth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie McCracken and

son of Amarillo joined them. Mrs. Frank (Laura Polk) Cline of Denver, Colorado, great granddaughter of Mrs. McCracken, visited with her last week while she was in the area visiting for the first time in nine years.

She and her grandmother, Mrs. Leon

McCracken, coupled their visit to Lockney with a visit to the Caprock Canyon State Park.



Lockney Care Center Capers

BY VICKIE HUTTON hristmas Spirit has come to the Care Center. Our home has corated so our sincere thanks

goes to a special group of young people. High School and their teacher Cindy

the homemaking students of Lockney Ford. These young people are very

29 Study Club hosted in eredith's home December 2nd

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in the home of Mrs. C.M. with the president, Mrs. Q.D.

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and Mrs. J.T. Perry had their

Christmas get together on

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group, led by Mrs. W.B. Parrack A beautiful Christmas story, "One of the Least Ones" was presented by Anne

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Mrs. Leo (Louvenia) Brown of Lubbock.

Wilson (Jocko) Perry of Amarillo, John

and Chris Perry of Petersburg, Jerry

and Tommy Jo Perry, Tana and Kim,

Mac and Charlene Smitherman, Wen-

dell and Pat Graham and Lisa, Eugene

and Jan Watts, Scottie Kim and Elizabeth and the hosts, J.W. and Betty

Gifts to buy-

Gilbreath, all of Floydada.

special to us and we will always have a warm place in our hearts for them.

We have added a new face to our Activity Department: Faye Self from Silverton, Mrs. Self helped out while I was out of town and while our Administrator, Laverne Christian, is on vacation. We welcome her and have enjoyed having her smiling face with us.

Tuesday Laverne Christian and myself were able to share our special people with the members of the Turkey Senior Citizens when we were invited to give the program. We thank them for

Hallie Roberts was able to return open arms. She was truly missed. Ethel Carrol is in Lockney General Hospital and Myrtle Burke is in Nichols Hospital in Plainview. We hope they are well enough to return home soon

From all reports Santa Claus will be visiting us Tuesday, December 21st, at 6:30 p.m. You'll never find a better bunch of people anywhere. Until next time; enjoy

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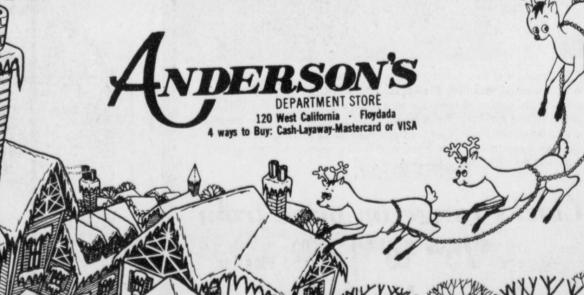
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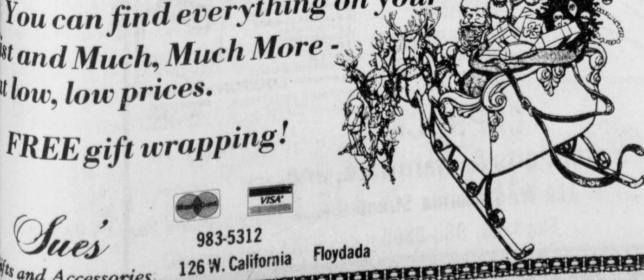
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Cold weather is not your hair's only enemy this winter

"It won't be the cold weather that damages your hair the most this winter," according to a leading skin care authority. "It will be the drop in the relative humidity that causes the real damage to your hair.'

Dr. Myra O. Barker, vice president of research and development for MaryKay Cosmetics, Inc. says, "It's so important, to condition your hair and restore it to its maximum possible good condition before the relative humidity begins to drop this winter.

"When the relative humidity begins to drop, damaged hair can't maintain its moisture balance. It begins to get very brittle and will start to dry out, split and break," she says.

Most people have already damaged their hair this past summer which has left it virtually defenseless against the winter. Damage from chlorine, salt water and especially the sun has tended to damage the protective outer layer of the hair shaft and dried out the hair.

Hair has an ideal moisture balance that needs to be preserved in order for the hair to be elastic and smooth. When this balance is lost, the hair gets into

"You need to think of your hair as if it was a \$100 silk blouse. You wouldn't throw a silk blouse into the washing machine with your jeans and socks. You'd treat it very carefully." says Dr. Barker.

Hair is primarily composed of keratin, a highly complex protein substance. The only living part of each hair shaft is the root which is under the scalp. The hair we see is actually old cells that have been pushed out from the scalp as new cells have been formed in the root.

Hair grows an average of half an inch per month making it one of the body's fastest growing organs or tissues.

"There are several things you need to do right now to prepare for winter. First, go to a hairdresser and have the ends cut blunt, removing as much of the split ends as possible." Dr. Barker suggests.

Start using an intense conditioner once a week and, when smoothness returns to your hair, taper off to a couple of times a month during the winter. A conditioner smooths down the outer layer of the hair shaft, which resembles the scales of a fish. "This makes your hair shinier because it's the reflection of light off the cuticle scales that determines how shiny your hair is," she says.

A conditioner also seals moisture in the inner layer, the cortex, by making the cuticle scales lie down, which makes your hair less susceptible to damage through combing and blow-drying. Mechanical and thermal damage actually

breaks off the cuticle scales leaving the protein fibers of the cortex exposed and causing them to unravel and break.

Once you have restored your hair to its best condition, there are several ways to protect it from damage during the cold months ahead. Wearing a scarf or hat on your head when outdoors is one way to protect your hair. This keeps your body's warmth and moisture close to your hair.

"Cold, dry weather tends to dry out your hair quickly just as it dries out your skin and it can make your hair very. very brittle." she says. "Covering your hair does not give complete protection. but at least you're keeping your body's warmth and moisture close to your hair to a certain extent.'

Switching from a shampoo for oily hair to a gentler shampoo for normal or dry hair in the winter and using an intense conditioner twice a month will also help keep your hair in its best possible condition.

'If you wear your hair down the middle of your back as many young women do," Dr. Barker adds, "the ends of your hair are 3 or 4 years old. If you wash your hair 3, 4 or 7 times a week, as many young women do, you have done a tremendous amount of mechanical damage to those four-yearold ends from just washing it alone. "So be gentle with your hair and keep that silk blouse in mind," she says.

"Laugh Lines"

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Today's Lifestyles By Marilyn Tate

FIREPLACE CLEANING AND CARE Cleaning a fireplace tends to be a

"dirty" job, but it is not difficult. Proper cleaning and care can put your fireplace in good condition for months of wintertime enjoyment

A fireplace that is used only occasionally will probably not need cleaning for year. But if you use it frequently and burn resinous woods--such as pine. spruce, or fir--a flammable creosote deposit may form on the inside of the chimney, making annual cleaning a

Cleaning Chimney Interior

Check your unit with a flashlight to determine the condition of the chimney walls. If they appear "furry" and flake off when brushed, they should be cleaned before the fireplace is used.

If you do the job yourself, be sure to cover the hearth with plastic to protect the house from soot. It is also a good idea to place a plastic dropcloth inside the fireplace, and to fasten another piece to the opening by using duct or masking tape.

Cleaning equipment can be simple and inexpensive. For a single story house, lower a long-handled broom from the roof to dislodge the sticky deposit. If the house is more than one story, use a cylinder of chicken wire, or fill a burlap bag with rock and straw and raise the device dislodge accumulations 115

the chimney, Cleaning Fireplace Face

Overloading your a black, sooty stain face. For brick, stone

products, there are remove stains. 1. For ordinary stains:

1/2 cup vinegar or acetic 1/8 cup detergent 1 gallon water 2. For tougher stains:

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Apply either solution bristly scrub brush. Rine clear water, dry complete apply a clear masonry seal penetration of stains.

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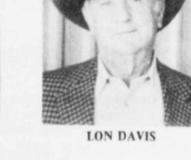
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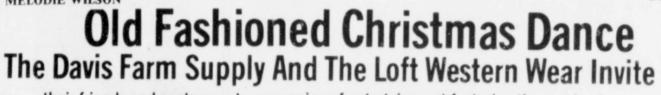










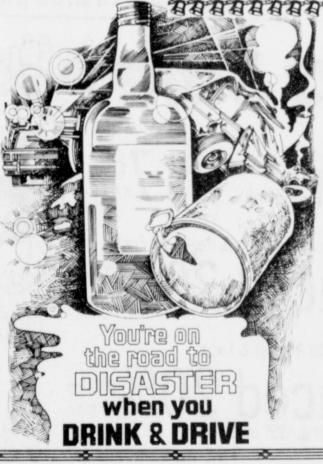


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sic Evangelist presents concert

and the community. There is no elist from Fort Worth, will admission charge and there will be no free concert of Christmas and offering received," said Dr. Bradley. cat First Baptist Church on All expenses for the concert are being December 15, at 7 p.m. taken care of by a group of laymen who sponsor John McKay in his music nearing will be the group & Cole" which includes Jay

McKay, and Bill and Laurie

s group relates to people of

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revious occasions as a music

McKay has a deep love for this

said Dr. Floyd C. Bradley,

He has offered to give this

a Christmas gift to the church

during revival crusades.

cluding young people.

McKay, a native of Turkey, has sung to thousands of people in crusades across the United States and through nationally syndicated television programs. Other than George Beverly Shea of the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association. McKay has ministered to more people, face to face, than any singer in the history of Gospel music. He has recorded more than 15 albums and his music is heard in homes and on radio

stations around the world. His phenominally popular hit "God's Way" is a stirring variation of the secular hit, "My Way", and each time he performs it on television, he receives hundreds of requests for the lyrics.

Certain of his call into a singing ministry at the age of 15, McKay gave up what appeared to be a certain successful career as a professional football player, as well as a career singing opera. While still a student at North Texas State University, he won a place with the St. Louis Municipal Opera Company, and later refused a full scholarship to the Julliard School of Music in New York in order to pursue his singing ministry.



McKay on Wednesday, December 15, at 7 p.m. The public is

Selecting a Christmas tree

Benny Butler

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& COLE", a gospel music quartet from Fort Worth,

in concert at First Baptist Church with John

container daily to replace that taken up by the tree. A five or six foot tree may use as much as several pints of water a day. The low humidity found in most neated homes increases the difficulty of keeping the foliage fresh. It's preferable to use a tree stand that allows the base of the tree to remain in water or wet sand when brought into the home.

Locate the tree so that it is not in the air stream of heating vents or near other sources of heat such as a stove. radiator, fireplace or television set. Replenish the water in the tree stand

frequently. Always check the condition of electrical cords and lights before placing them on the tree. Christmas trees are extremely combustible and a fire. Never leave the lights turned on when leaving the house or when retiring. Make this a safe and merry

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Caring for quilts

With fall at hand and winter on the way, quilts and comforters will be in the limelight as they are taken from storage and put to use.

"Before using a quilt, check its condition, fiber content and age. An heirloom quilt, for example, should not be used on the bed where people will sit or pull on it," explains Dr. Peggy S. Owens, housing and home furnishing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M Univer-

Start with the least complicated and damaging method when cleaning quilts, Owens advises. Airing will remove any musty smell acquired during storage. To remove dust or surface soil, vacuum with an upholstery tool. Cover the quilt with fiberglass screening-but don't vacuum directly on the quilt.

Stain removal is unwise on older quilts because it weakens the fibers. Dry cleaning solvents remove oily stains but are usually too harsh for older quilting fabrics, the specialist warns. "Wet cleaning must be done careful-

ly. Do not machine-wash or dry or line

hang a quilt. Soak in a bathtub using a very dilute detergent solution. Rinse several times to remove detergent. Then support the weight of the wet quilt to prevent strain on fabric and stitches. Dry on a bed sheet outside," Owens

Repair any damaged areas to prevent

further deterioration. Store quilts flat or rolled. To protect from dust and light, use a dust cover of well-washed cotton muslin, percale or new tissue paper. Do not store quilts in plastic, cardboard boxes and unsealed wooden boxes, such as cedar chests.

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FLOYD DATA Juanita Teaff has had her sister-inlaws, Grace Williams of Lubbock and Pauline Thornton of Tulia, visiting her this week. They all visited Johns and Vera Cox and Mel and Marjorie Holcomb near Lockney Monday night.

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Students are selected for recognition by their deans or on their school's Dean's List. The 77,000 students included in the current edition are from 2,000 colleges and universities nationwide and represent one half of one percent of the more than 8,000,000 college students in the country.

Local students selected include: Floydada: Shawnda K. Heflin, Texas Tech University, James A. Jones, Texas Tech University, William F. Moore, West Texas State University, Karen A. Turner. Texas Tech University, Kelly S. Turner, Texas Tech University.

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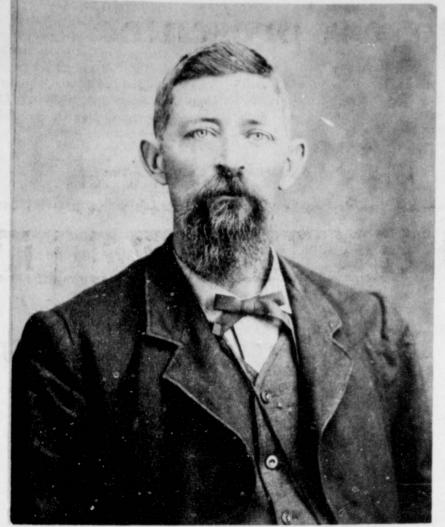
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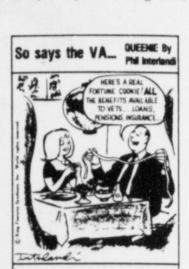
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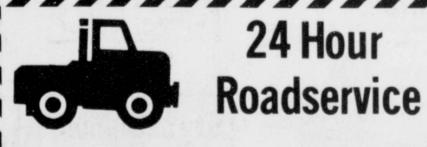
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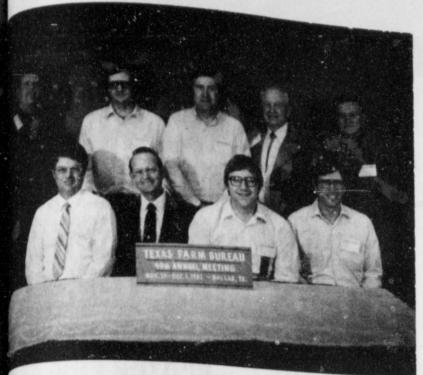


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arm Bureau eceives award

County Farm Bureau was ated by all nine of its eligible atives at the 49th annual m Bureau convention which 28-Dec. 1 in Dallas.

the convention, Floyd County ted an award for the highest 11 membership gain for the year. The Floyd County bureau 89 member families bringing al to 905 member families.

ing the convention from Floyd were: Mr. and Mrs. D.K. Mr. and Mrs. Rick Mosley, Mrs. L.B. Brandes, Mr. and Jarren Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mr. and Mrs. Larry Schnieder. Scheele, and Paul Schacht.

es directing the state's largest anization were adopted by in 1,400 delegates from 216 farm bureaus during this meetmmendations on national poliere also approved.

policies will advance to the ran Farm Bureau Federation meeting to be Jan. 9-13 in resources, taxes and labor.

A business session covered the final two days of the meeting. New directors and a president were elected during this business session. President for 1983 is S.M. True of Plainview. True was elected by a 609-549 vote, replacing incumbent president Carol G. Chaloup-

Wayne Cranfill of Hooks was elected vice president and George White was elected secretary treasurer.

Neal Burnett, a farmer from Plainview, was elected to the state board of directors representing District II.

Speakers featured at the convention included Dean Kleckner of Osage. president of the Iowa Farm Bureau Federation; Carrol Chaloupka of Dalhart, 1982 TFB president; Warren Newberry of Waco, TFB executive director and Wayne Cranfill of Hooks, TFB Secretary-Treasurer.

County leaders also attended several special conferences during the convention. Conference topics included livestock transportation, field crops, natural

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The conference will commence with registration of attendees at 1:00 p.m., December 14th and will conclude at approximately 12:30 p.m., December 15th. Conference sessions will include workshops on soybean export promotion, soybean research, food and politics and responsibilities of a soybean farmer leader. Dr. Wolf of DuPont will speak via videotape on agricultural leadership. Lodging and conference meals are

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Key to economic recovery presented

Export financing is the key to short-term economic recovery in agriculture, the president of the Texas Farm Bureau told delegates to the TFB's 49th annual meeting in Dallas Monday.

Carrol Chaloupka, wheat, feed grain and livestock producer from Dalhart, said four things are necessary in the long run for agriculture and the nation as a whole to overcome the current recession. These were:

(1) Farmers must cut production in line with demand.

(2) Agriculture must find a way to increase farm exports.

(3) The nation must complete the economic recovery program begun two

(4) These things must be solved in a way that will "strengthen and maintain our political and economic system."

The TFB farm leader said the most important action that must be taken is to increase exports of grain, cotton and

He said grain exports could be increased from the current 5 billion bushels to 6 billion bushels a year by developing a credit program that would make short-term credit available to countries who need our products and can pay for them eventually, but who at present have neither the money nor

"This could be accomplished through a U.S. government guarantee of principal and interest for loans from commercial sources to finance food imports." he said. "It is not necessary that government provide the money. The loans would be supplied by commercial banks with the government guaranteeing the loans.

He said the blended-credit program recently announced by the administration obviously had this in mind.

However, he said, the announced program would not be large enough to do the job that is needed. To increase grain exports by a billion bushels would COCCERCATE CONTRACTOR CONTRACTOR

take credit guarantees of from \$3 to \$4 billion, he explained.

Chaloupka said the government program not only needs more funding, but should be expanded to include additional crops. Commodities now under discussion include corn, wheat, soymeal, vegetable oils, tallow, cotton, eggs, poultry and lumber, he said.

"Why not include pork, high-quality beef and variety meats?" he asked.

The TFB leader said exporters have learned that selling meat abroad is not easy. While all farm products are affected by unfair trade barriers, meat is confronted by additional problems of health and sanitary regulations, he explained.

On an optimistic note, he said that export of pork has greater potential than expected.

He said high-level government negotiations are needed to open markets. "The Japanese consumer should be as free to choose the kind of meat he wants as the American consumer is in

his choice of a car." he said. Chaloupka said that the combination

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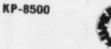
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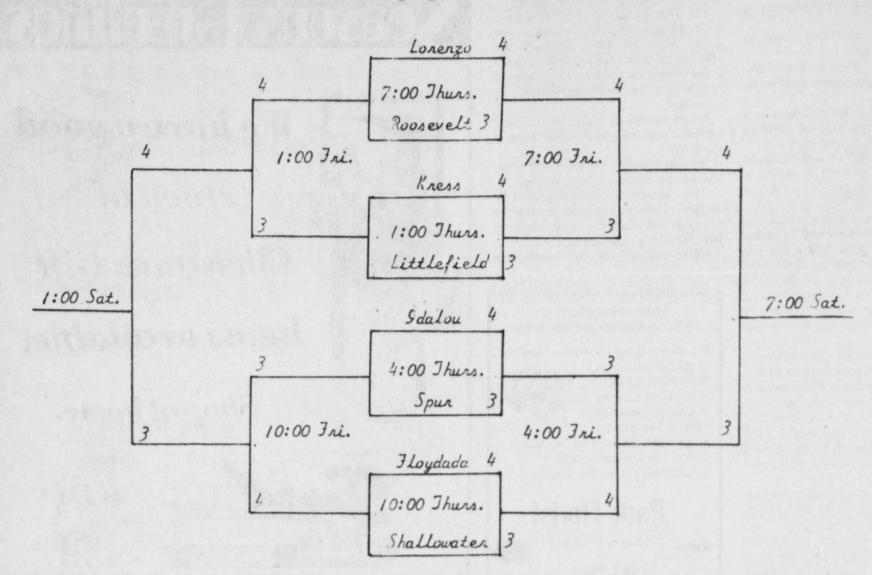
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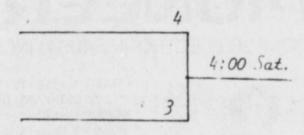
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Dec. 9, 10, & 11

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SEVERAL YOUNG gymnasts display their skills for their parents at a Monday night program.

Winds sweep four games

All four of the Floydada High School basketball teams swept past the Tulia teams in Tuesday night's game.

The Varisty boys had no trouble breezing past the Tulia varisty. Their final score was 82-57. Leading scorers for the Winds were Donnell Weeks and James King with 18 points.

The Varsity girls squeeked past the Tulia varsity girls with a final score of 52-50. Rhonda Ratliff set a new single game scoring record with 29 points. The old record was set by Eqita Davis in the 1980-81 season.

Scoring for the Whirlettes were Patsy Williams - 8 points, Cheryl Goen - 6 points, Sherese Cannon - 6 points, Rene Ledbetter - 2 points. Rhonda also had 16 rebounds.

The Whirlettes led 11-6 at the end of the first quarter, but Tulia ended up ahead 29-25 at the half. Tulia's lead

increased to 49-43 and the Whirlettes came back with nine unanswered points.

Tonight the Whirlettes open the Lorenzo tournament against Shallowater at 10 a.m. The tournament continues Friday and Saturday. Next Tuesday the Whirlettes play Ralls there.

The Junior varsity Boys edged past the Tulia JV boys with a final score of 49-47. Leading scorers for the JV were John Foley and Joey Kemp. Leading rebounders for the JV were Foley and Larry Smith.

The JV kept the lead at the end of all of the quarters. The first quarter score was 10-2, second quarter was 21-10 and the third quarter was 27-23.

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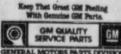
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Breakfast - Sausage, toast, milk, salad, milk

fruit cocktail

Lunch - Ham, fruit in glaze, blackeye peas, spinach, cornbread, milk

Thursday: Breakfast - Danish, apples, milk Lunch - Vienna sausage, veg. beans, kraut, cornbread, milk, peaches

in gelatin Friday: Breakfast - Hash brown potatoes. toast, milk

> Lunch - Chili dog, peanut butter cookies, French fried potatoes, lettuce

Floydada School Menu

December 13-17

Monday: Breakfast - Pineapple juice, dry cereal, milk

Lunch - Chicken fried steak with gravy, whipped potatoes, English peas, apricot half, hot roll, milk Tuesday:

Breakfast - Pineapple juice, cinnamon toast, rice, butter, milk Lunch - Lasagna casserole, corn.

tossed salad, chocolate pudding with wafers, hot roll, milk Wednesday:

Breakfast - Pineapple juice, toast.

butter, jelly, milk

Lunch - Hot cheese pepperrone sandwich. French fries, pickle spear, sliced peaches, milk

Thursday: Breakfast — Pineapple juice, toast, bacon, milk

Lunch — Turkey and dressing, gravy, green beans, cranberry sauce, fruit cup, hot roll, milk Friday:

Breakfast - Pineapple juice, toast, jelly, sausage, milk

Lunch - Chili dogs, French fries. tossed salad, peach cobbler, milk

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Registration is planned for 6:30 p.m. January 11 in the Crosbyton school administration building.

Classes begin January 19 with final examinations planned the week of May

Tentative offerings include: Biology 248 (Human Physiology and

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Wednesday: Sausage, mashed potatoes, cornbread/butter, banana pudding, milk

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Who's Who, published by Educational Communications, Inc., Lake Forest, Illinois, is the largest high school recognition publication in the country. Students are selected by high school principals and guidance counselors, national youth groups, churches or by

the publishing company based upon students' performance in scholarship award contests or extracurricular activi-

Final selection is determined on the basis of criteria which include high achievement in academics and leadership in school activities, athletics or community service. Traditionally, 99% of Who's Who students have a grade point average of "B" or better and 97%

The 16th edition of Who's Who, published in nine regional volumes, features 363,000 students, or 5% of the nation's 6,500,000 high school juniors and seniors. They represent 20,000 of the 22,000 public, private and parochial

Who's Who students also compete for over \$50,000 in scholarship awards and participate in the publication's annual opinion poll of teen attitudes. The book

high schools in the country.

is distributed on a complimentary basis to over 15,000 high schools, colleges, universities, and public libraries throughout the country.

Local students selected for this year's

volumes are: Floydada - Chris Fulton, Treva Hambright, Sammy Rodriguez, Mysti Younger, Stacy Graham, Penny Kirtley, Susan Turner, Deon Zumwalt. Lockney - Elma Molina, Kay Reay.

Bats migrating through Texas en route to winter nesting sites may prove a threat to humans and animals if the bats have rabies and fall to the ground.

Recently, two rabid bats were found at a school in Leander, in Williamson County. Luckily, no children were bitten or scratched.

Although the possibility of getting rabies from bats is remote, some simple precautions should be taken, says Dr. Keith A. Clark, veterinarian with the Texas Department of Health's (TDH) **Bureau of Veterinary Public** Health.

"Children need to be taught not to touch any animal that is acting strangely, and this includes bats," said Dr. Clark. 'Sometimes children will find a bat on the ground. They need to know that if they can touch a bat, or any wild animal, it is probably sick and should be left alone." He said pets also should be kept away from

Dr. Clark said 57 rabid bats were identified by TDH laboratories through August of this year. For the same period last year, 48 rabid

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rabies. Dr. Clark reminded M owners of the state law is quiring that dogs and catsh vaccinated against rabies "Most people realize the need to vaccinate their dogs," he said. "But unfor tunately, they don't think about vaccinating their cals against rabies. It's equals important that the cate be protected."

For more information con tact Keith Clark, DVM Zoonosis Control Division Texas Department Health, 1100 West 49h Street, Austin, Texas 787%

Former Lockney resident dies

(Editor's Note: Mrs. Olga M. Oswalt was a former Lockney resident. Her obituary as well as her daughter's was sent to us by Clifton Oliver former Beacon editor, of Amarillo.

MRS. OLGA OSWALT

Mrs. Olga M. (Thomas) Oswalt, 88, of 747 Cherry Ave., Flagstaff, Az., died Wednesday, July 7, 1982 at a Flagstaff hospital.

Mrs. Oswalt was born Aug. 11, 1893 in Floyd County, Tex., the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. D.J. Thomas. She and her husband John Lloyd (Dick) Oswalt. made their lifetime home in Gravette. She was a member of the United Methodist church and the Order of Eastern Star.

After the death of her husband in 1969, she moved to Flagstaff. She was preceded in death also by her only son, John Lloyd Oswalt Jr., of Springhill, La.

Survivors include two daughters. Mrs. C.D. Covey of Forth Walton Beach, Fla., and Dr. Helen A. Oswalt of Flagstaff; two sisters, Zelma Moore of Tulsa, and Carma Thomas of Flagstaff; nine grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

By Terry J. Clements

Are you a teacher not covered under

Funeral services were held Saturday at 2:30 p.m. at the United Methodist church with Rev. Paul Dubar officiating. Burial was at Hillcrest cemetery under the direction of Callison-McKinney.

HELEN A. OSWALT Helen A. Oswalt, 56, died Friday, July 30, 1982 in Flagstaff Hospital after a brief illness.

Dr. Oswalt was chairperson of the department of health, physical education and recreation in the College of Education of Northern Arizona Univer-

Funeral services were celebrated at 2 p.m. Monday at the United Methodist Church of Gravette, Arkansas.

Dr. Oswalt was born in Gravette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lloyd "Dick" Oswalt Sr. She was preceded in death by both her parents and her only brother, John Lloyd Oswalt Jr.

She earned undergraduate, graduate and doctoral degrees at the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville. Since 1954, she had been a faculty member of Northern Arizona University.

She was a member of Federated Community Church of Flagstaff. Survivors include her sister, Mrs

Social Security News

C.D. Covey Jr., Fort Walton Beach, Florida; two aunts, Zelma T. Moore,

Tulsa, Oklahoma, and Carma Thomas, Flagstaff; and nine nieces and nephews.

CAPROCK HOSPITAL NEWS

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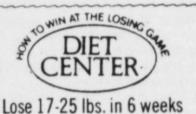
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ment pension offset. In 1977, Social Security law was changed to establish the government pension offset. Basically, the law provides that a social security benefit to a spouse or surviving spouse be reduced dollar for dollar by the amount of their government pension.

Are there any exceptions to the rule? Yes, Congress did provide for a "grace period". The offset does not apply if two requirements are met. The first requirement is that at the time of filing for the spouse or surviving spouse's benefit, the individual would meet the eligibility requirements as they were in effect in January, 1977. A person filed for the pension before December.

applying for a wife's benefit or widow's. mother's or father's benefit will meet this requirement because there have

those paid to a surviving spouse of a wage earner with children in his or her care. Examples of benefits that have changed, either because of a Congressional Act or court decision, are husband's benefits, widower's, divorced wife's and divorced husband's

The second requirement is that the claimant be entitled or eligible for their government pension before December 1982. It is not necessary that a person file for the social security benefit before December, 1982. It is also not necessary for the person to actually retire to meet this requirement as long as a benefit would be payable if the individual were not employed and if an application was

In summary, the government pension offset may affect your benefit as a spouse if you work under a Federal. State or local government not covered under Social Security. This offset reduces your benefit dollar for dollar by the government pension. There is an exception to the law. It is not necessary to file the social security application or retire from the government job to meet this

Let me make one final point. Your Medicare coverage is not affected by this law. The offset reduces the amount of benefit received. Since the individual is still technically entitled to Social Security, this right to Medicare protection is preserved.

You can receive free information or assistance with Social Security matters by calling 293-4371 or visiting the office at 1401-B West 5th Street in Plainview.

*30 million mowing bill trimmed

Texas highway roadsides may not be trimmed as closely next year but a new system should trim a \$30 million annual mowing bill.

The vegetation management system.

being studied by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation (DHT), will still provide for motorists' safety, protect the road surface - and save money. "The department spent \$30 million last year in mowing costs." DHT chief

"but we still got some irate calls when we let our rights of way get a little shaggy.' He added that savings from that \$30 million will go to safeguard the state's multibillion investment in its highways.

Steffens said the goal of the vegeta-

landscape architect Craig Steffens said.

tion management system is to develop the most cost effective, practical methods and concepts for managing roadside vegetation. "The discontinuance of mowing isn't our objective." he said. "However, the idea that a properly maintained highway needs to be mowed from right-of-way line to right-of-way line isn't necessarily correct."

The new system, to be initially instituted in one maintenance section in each of DHT's districts, will be studied through 1983 for a comparison of costs and labor, Steffens said.

With over a million acres of right of way along the state's 72,000 miles of highways. DHT has a lot of neighbors and most of them like to see the roadsides as well kept as their property. Steffens said, "We do plan to

continue mowing to the right-of-way line adjacent to cultivated, developed and urban areas. But along rangeland and untended property, we don't intend to mow except along the shoulder. "We hope Texas will understand that

we are trying to save their tax dollars by establishing less costly priorities in our mowing operations." Steffens said, "We simply can't continue mowing from right-of-way line to right-of-way line on every highway." He said preliminary studies indicate

the vegetation management system will show an excellent savings and yet benefit desirable native plant life such as wild flowers. But, Steffens cautioned. DHT is not making any great promises of savings until the results of next year's study are in.

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DR. WILLIAM DOYLE PAYNE

Memorial services for Dr. William Doyle Payne, 35, of 921 Rocky Springs Rd., Austin; were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday November 30 in the Colonial Chapel of the Cook-Walden Funeral Home in Austin. He died Saturday November 27 after a seven month illness.

Dr. Payne was a resident of Austin since 1957. He received his Ph.D. from the University of Texas in 1977. He was Director of the D&E Unit of the State Commission for the blind until March of 1981. At the time of his death, he was employed by Austin Community College. He spent four years in the Air Force and during this time he met Janice Cockrell, daughter of John and Geneva Cockrell, while they were in Denver, Colorado. They were married September 30, 1967 in Floydada and Janice joined him in Japan where he was stationed.

Surivors include his wife Janice and two children, Rachel age 5 and Matthew age 3, of Austin; his mother, Nadea Gizelbach, of Austin; his father, William A. Payne, of Middle Island, New York; sister, Sherry Payne, and a brother, Terry Gizelbach, both of Austin; maternal grandmother, Helen Doyle of Tuscon, Arizona.

SUSIE RIGGS

Services for Susie Cumi Riggs, 85, of Plainview were at 2 p.m. Monday, December 6, at Lemons Chapel with Dean Brookshire officiating.

Burial was in Plainview Cemetery under the direction of Lemons Funeral

She died at 1:55 a.m. Saturday, December 4, at the Central Plains Regional Hospital after an illness.

She was born Susie Cumi Fullingim on August 18, 1897, in Floyd County. She grew up in Plainview and attended Plainview schools. She graduated at West Texas State University and then from nursing school at Plainview Hospital in 1919. She became superintendent of nurses in 1925.

She married Rex Riggs in 1923; he was killed in an automobile accident in

Survivors include three brothers, E.C. Fullingim of Stanley, Wayland of Albuquerque and Tom of Tucumcari, New Mexico.

ARTIE M. ROLAND

Services for Artie Mae Roland, 75, of Amarillo, were at 1 p.m. Thursday. December 2, in Blackburn-Shaw Memo-

rial Chapel with Glen Walton, of North Amarillo Church of Christ, officiating. Graveside services were at 4 p.m. in the Hart Cemetery in Hart.

Mrs. Roland died Monday, November

Mrs. Roland was born in Heber Springs, Arkansas. She had lived in Amarillo for three years. She was a housewife. She was a longtime resident of Hart.

Survivors include three sons, Charles Roland of Arkansas, and Clifford Roland and Rod Roland, both of Amarillo; four daughters, Betty Funderburk of Amarillo, Louise Lockeby of Clarendon, Christine Davis of Fort Worth and Helen White of Arkansas; three sisters. Mimi Francis of California, Berthall Dean of Arkansas and Judy Sechrist of Stephenville; two brothers, J.D. Adcock of Floydada and Clifford Adcock of Stratford: 28 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren.

SHANNA K. SCARTH

Services for Shanna Kay Scarth, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Scarth, of Amarillo were at 2 p.m. Wednesday, December 1, in South Georgia Baptist Church with the Rev. Jess Little of First Baptist Church in Texline and the Rev. Robert Field. pastor, officiating. Burial was in Llano Cemetery by N.S. Griggs & Sons Funeral Directors.

The child was killed Monday evening, November 29, when she fell out of the family car and was run over.

She was born in Dalhart. The family moved from Texline to Amarillo in March. She was a member of South Georgia Baptist Church.

Survivors in addition to her parents include a brother, Justin Scarth of the home; a sister, Shelly Scarth of the home;; her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Parker of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scarth of Stratford; and her great-grandparents, Lois Parker of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Willard R. Scarth of Amarillo

IRETA SHELLY

Services for Mrs. Ireta Shelly, 58, of Amarillo, were at 10 a.m. Saturday. December 4, in Schooler-Gordon Colonial Chapel with Dr. Charles Jones, pastor of Second Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery. Mrs. Shelly died Wednesday, December 1.

Mrs. Shelly was born in Whitewright. She had lived in Amarillo 30 years. She was a member of Second Baptist. She was a retired bookkeeper of Wesco Welding Equipment Co.

She had been a Floydada resident from 1934-1942 and then again in the early 1950's.

Survivors include two sons, Robert Chambless of Plainwell, Michigan and Gary Chambless, El Paso; three daughters, Linda Tunks, Dallas, Betty Goen and Ireta Marie Angley, both of Amarillo; two sisters, Georgia Finley of Floydada and Billie Long of Amarillo; three brothers, Noel and Harold Jones of Amarillo and Floyd Jones of Houston; and 14 grandchildren.

Nephews serving as pallbearers were Ray Gene Ferguson, George Finley, Wayne Poteet, Billy Hinkle, all of Floydada, Chuck Oliver of Amarillo, and David Shelton of Guyman, Okla-

Floydada and Lockney residents attending the funeral were Georgia Finley, George Finley, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gene Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Poteet. and Mr. and Mrs. H.C. McElyea.

CLIFTON D. SULLIVAN

Prayer services for Clifton Dale Sullivan, 27, of Amarillo, were at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, December 1, in Schooler-Gordon Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Michael Pintacura, of St. Anthony's Hospital, officiating. Funeral services were Thursday, December 2, at 10 a.m. at Quail Baptist Church in Quail. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery in Wellington with Guy Owens Funeral Home of Wellington in charge of

arrangements. Mr. Sullivan died Monday.

He was born in Wellington. He was a graduate of Quail High School. He lived in Amarillo for five years and worked at Beebe Lumber Co. He was a member of Quail Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Danette, of the U.S. Navy in San Diego. California; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sullivan of Quail; two brothers, Rodney Hill of Floydada and Lynn Hill of Grand Island, Nebraska; four sisters, Jackie Maxwell and Sandra Motsenbocker, both of Wellington, Pam Sullivan of Amarillo and Betty Chandler of Vernon; and his grandmother, Mrs. Edna Sullivan of Wellington.

LONNIE THOMPSON

Services for Leonard L. "Lonnie" Thompson, 65, of Tulia were at 3 p.m. Wednesday in the Central Church of Christ with Harold Kennamer, minister, officiating.

Masonic graveside services were held in Rose Hill Cemetery by the Tulia Chapter of the Masonic Lodge. Burial was under direction of Wallace Funeral

He died at 12:16 p.m. Monday, December 6, at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after a brief illness.

He was born July 7, 1917, in

Floydada. He married Ozeal Daniel in July 1935. She died in January 1972. He married Odeal Ellison on July 20, 1972, in Lockney. He came to Tulia in 1974 from Lockney and was employed at Joe Bob's Supermarket as a butcher. He was a member of the Central Church of Christ and a past Master of the Masonic Lodge 867 at Lockney.

Survivors include his wife; two stepdaughters, Lawanda Shobe of Arlington and Eloise Terrell of Houston; three sons, Bennie of Tulia, and Ike and Leonard, both of Levelland; a stepson, Harrel Terrell of Plano; his mother, Mary Belle Tuggle of Cleburne; two sisters, Veta Tinnin of Flagstaff, Arizona and Geneiva Harris of Cleburne: four brothers, Henry of Cottonwood, Arizona, O.E. of Longview, Jack of Lawton, Oklahoma, and Coyet Tuggle of Morgan; 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

TONY LYNN WILLIAMS

A 20-year-old Levelland man died Monday as a result of injuries he received in a two truck accident in Ropesville Friday, December 3.

Tony Lynn Williams was southbound on U.S. 62-82 when the 1979 one ton flatbed truck he was driving collided with a 1981 Furr's Freightliner driven by Charles Gary Moore of Idalou.

According to police in Ropesville, Moore lost control of the northbound vehicle which skidded onto the median and jackknifed into the southbound

Williams' truck, owned by Levelland Delinting Co., hit the center section of the 18-wheeler head-on. Williams was taken to Methodist Hospital, where he died at 7:30 a.m. Monday. Moore was not injured.

The Lubbock native moved to Plainview in 1963 from Petersburg. He then moved to Shamrock in 1967 and to Levelland in 1973, where he graduated from Levelland High School in 1980. While in high school, he was active in football and baseball, was president of his sophomore and junior classes and was active in the Boy Scouts.

He attended Texas Tech University where he studied petroleum engineering and planned to enter the Department of Public Safety Academy in March 1983. He was a Baptist and an employee of Levelland Delinting Co.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams of Levelland; two brothers, Tim of Lubbock and Micky of Levelland: a sister Misti of Levelland; his grandmother, Mrs. Arla Williams of Floydada: and great-grandmother, Mrs. O.L. Bearden of Floy-

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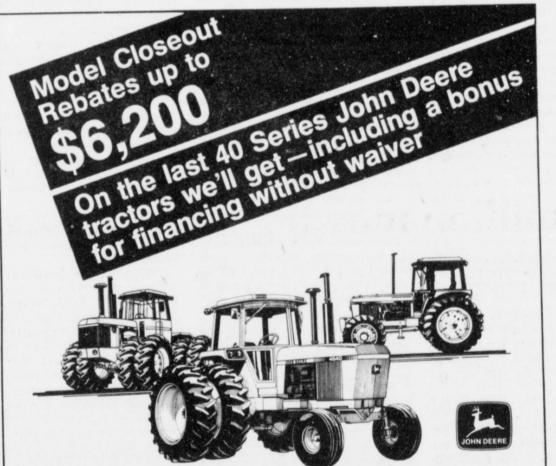
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Cotton Ginning Time in Floydada in 1905 EDITORS NOTE: The following is a

nostalgic look at early life in Floyd County. It is from a long-time subscriber [62 years] of the Floyd County Hesperian. We enjoyed it and hope our readers will enjoy it also.

> Mrs. W. Boone Hall [nee Ruth Brown] Plainview, Texas

My parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Brown and family moved to Floydada in 1905-but had lived in Floyd County prior to that.

My father bought a building from a Mr. Ranft and with a light hard ware store on the first floor and living quarters above, right on town square and situated about where Hale's store is

As I recently drove in the country and saw the field of cotton, such sweet memories flooded my soul. In 1905 there was a wooden gin located where Oden's Chevrolet Co. is today in Floydada. In the fall the small wooden gin would fire up ready for the farmers to bring their cotton to gin in their rattling rumbling squeeking wagons.

Side boards had been added to wagon beds-cotton piled high. Often the entire family bedded down in warm cotton and came to town to spend the day and shop - a glorious occasion!

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offered in this bedazzling OUSE FOR S 5J.B. Avenu wooden gin in Floydada in 1884 car garage. up with marriage proposals! Oh, life was sweet and good in those far away childhood.

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MARK SUMMERS

Summer co-captain of Jayhawks

Mark Summers, former Dimmitt High School basketball standout and relative of several Lockney people, is co-captain this season for the University

of Kansas Jayhawks.

He is the son of Bill Summers of Dimmitt and the late Marthella Cunyus Summers. He is the grandson of Mrs. Betha Cunyus of Lockney, and the nephew of Joe Cunyus of Lockney and Nell Cunyus Kelley of Dimmitt.

Summers is a senior at KU. His coach. Ted Owens, says, "Mark is a very hard worker who can play both the center and forward positions."

all-state honors while playing basketball for Dimmitt High School, where he was graduated in 1978. He attended Amarillo College and played basketball there for one year before transferring to the University of Kansas. At KU he is majoring in physical education



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Conservative religion rewards small town

Editor's Note:

This article appearing in the Lubbock Avalanche Journal Saturday morning edition, November 20, 1982. It is being reproduced by request.

LAST FRIDAY the snowfall in Floydada was very pictures-

KEENE (UPI) - Police Chief Jack Pack is a Seventh Day Adventist, but has no religious qualms about wearing a gun because he believes the weapon is as much a part of his job as a scalpel is

"Adventists do not believe in weapons only when it is not part of your job, but in my case it is, like the scalpel is to a surgeon," Pack says. "Both can kill if used wrongly.

Pack says he has never had to use his weapon in this town about 20 miles south of Fort Worth.

That is because no major crime has occured in Keene for as long as Pack can remember.

The only major crime in the town in recent years that Ann Anderson can recall was a burglary at the LaLoma grocery store.

Mrs. Anderson ought to know. She is the dispatcher on the town's six-man police force.

Like Mrs. Anderson, all the officers on the force are Seventh Day Adventists.

So are members of the town's city council, school board and nearly 95 percent of the 3,013 population.

Keene does not have a saloon. Its schools do not teach the theory of evolution and its young girls are chaperoned when they go out on dates, all in keeping with the strict Adventist doctrine of morality and self-discipline. The citizens have few complaints.

They have no fear of walking on the streets at night. Most of them are on a first-name basis with each other and problems like drugs and teen-age sex are almost non-existent.

In 1981, there were only 78 offenses. None of them were major and most of

them committed by residents from nearby towns, Chief Pack says. A paradise city in Texas?

"Not really, but we like to think so," Pack says. "Much of it, I must say, is because we are a strict denominational city where we don't think of murders and other serious crimes.

The LaLoma burglary in which about \$7,000 was taken aroused the town. But those fears have been calmed because it is now believed those responsible were from nearby Alavardo, a town half the size of Keene with no Adventists and

twice the crime rate The Adventists, one of the fastest growing denominations in the United States, counts more than 500,000 as members in this country and 4 million

worldwide. Although the theology of the group. founded in the 19th century, is solidly evangelical, Adventists distinguish themselves from other conservative Protestants by their belief that the Biblical day of worship is Saturday, not

Sunday. Adventists reject secular education that teaches evolution. They only believe in the Biblical version of creation

which explains why no Adventist in Keene attends a public school. The city's only church is an Adventist church. Non-believers go to nearby

Burleson or Cleburne. Everything in Keene revolves around the Southwestern Adventist College founded in 1893 by a group of the faithful looking for a place to set up an institution in the Southwest to teach

children their faith. Keene was chosen because the land was hilly and nothing much grew on it.

As the college grew, so did the town. Southwestern is now a four-year degree college offering diplomas in computer science, pre-medicine, religion, business and liberal arts.

"Our students come here because they want to go to an Adventist college," says Berney Neufeld, Southwestern's vice president of develop-

"Once that decison is made, the student sticks with it. Many of our students go into the ministry or take up medicine. Very few go to industry because it is secular and it is almost impossible to move up if you are not willing to work on

ment and a professor of genetics.

photo by Rosemary Gonzales

que. The snowflakes at times were very large and beautiful.

Sabbath worship on Saturdays is a must among Adventists; hence the heavy emphasis on church attendance.

"I know of few Adventists who will watch the Super Bowl on Saturdays." Neufeld said. "Sabbath worship is extremely important. We expect all our faculty to be church members.'

Because of strict indoctrination and religious discipline that begin during childhood. Neufeld said an Adventist youth seldom faces the problems other vouths face.

He said his teen-age daughter does

not object to being chaperoned on dates

although she is free to reject that and other traditions. "The discipline committee in the college is concerned more about church

attendance by students than problems like drugs." Neufeld said. "You will seldom find a student

smoking on the campus. Healthy living always has been a tradition of the Adventists.' He said flesh eating has been found

to be unhealthy and that is why half the

Adventists in the United States have become vegetarians. "We moved here specifically for the education of our children in the Adventist faith," said Margie Wilkes, mother of three and the city's tax assessor. "I used to be a Baptist. I converted when I found out I was going to the church on

the wrong day (Sunday). We feel the

Adventist doctrine is the right doctrine

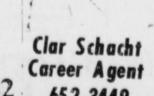
and we want our children to be thoroughly indoctrinated in that." Those interviewed admit they face public criticism that Adventists tend to isolate themselves from the remainder of the world and seek refuge in their pacifist doctrine.

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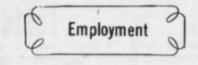
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BY GRACE LEMONS

ceived some rain with snow and the moisture helped. As it ome down it soaked in the

and Virginia Mitchell particiapiano recital at the Methodist in Floydada. Michelle Harris nated in the recital presented eacher Dell Gray. The Rev. Vance Mitchell and Imogene hus Fortenberry attended, also ary and Clara Mize.

and Virginia Mitchell will in Christmas for Kids at Saturday. This presentation on television Christmas eve on 28. This is a means to raise for the orphan children in the

Harrison came home with Lori Gilly from Lubbock and he week-end with her grand-Edna Gilly. Craig and Trudi Edna took her back to Lubbock dinner with Delise and Johnnie on and later attended an arts and how at the Civic Center.

av last week Donnie and Joan mand Joan's sister, Miss Doren-Holly, Colorado visited Edna they all had dinner with Mark

nnual Community Christmas

party will be Wednesday the 15th at the Assembly of God Fellowship Hall. The occasion will also be a farewell party for Robin and Ruth Fortenberry who have bought a home in Hereford and will be moving there soon. A token of love will be presented to them to buy a gift for their home. A Mexican supper will be served and you are cordially invited. Bring a covered dish and join the

Lafayette and Patsy Boone visited Tom and Gladys Fortenberry from Thursday until Saturday and Gladys Fortenberry returned home with Patsy and they did some Christmas shopping. Gladys returned home Monday.

Benny Golightly of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Lackey

Grace Lemons spent several days with her grandchildren in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lemons while Linda attended a tax school in Lubbock.

Donie Hanson and Geraldine Callaway visited the Albert Mizes Sunday. Gail DuBois and baby Cindy Renee will be honored at a gift coffee in the Fellowship Hall of the Assembly of God Church Monday morning at 10:00 o'clock. All ladies in the community are invited.

Win new friends and keep the old...the first are silver, but the latter By Joyce Williams

Rain and snow on Friday added another inch or more of moisture to what was received Thanksgiving week.

Mrs. Buell Neff returned home from a recent trip to stay with her granddaughter, Becky Smith, in Littlefield. Her daughter Mrs. Patricia Smith accompanied her other daughter, Cheryl, and the high school band to state competition at Austin. They also performed in front of the Governor's mansion for a concert of winning bands.

Mr. C.M. Norris of Carlsbad and Mr. and Mrs. John Largent of Midland were guests of the Bill Norris family during Thanksgiving week. They came to see their mother, Mrs. Nora Norris who was in Caprock Hospital. She has been dismissed and is back home now.

Mr. and Mrs. James Williams hosted a birthday dinner for Q.D. Williams Sunday evening. An array of Mexican food was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Verlon Wright had several of their children home for Thanksgiving. Some arrived Wednesday and stayed until Friday evening. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Mike Burk, Jennifer and Jessica of Lubbock; Joe Wright; Leon Wright and a guest, Brenda; and Mr. and Mrs. Randy Burk, all of Lubbock. Also Brent Duke of Floydada joined the group for dinner. Verlon and Choise Smith have been

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bedroom and bath to the Wright's house, getting ready for the Christmas crowd to come home to the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson spent the holiday with her parents, the Tom Moores. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Luis Moore and family of Dumas; Mike Moore of Plainview and guest, Pam Parrott of Littlefield: Cindy and Rick Fuller of Floydada; and Bill of West Texas University. Steve Moore called home from Kilgore.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thurston had as their holiday guests, their daughter, Johnnie and her husband, Jack Ward of Lubbock. The Wards spent Thursday night here and left Friday, afraid they would be snow bound or hindered by muddy roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mitchell and children, Laqueeta and Chipper of Crosbyton came Thursday for Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wright. Also Mr. and Mrs. Randell, were there. Sandy and Don Martin, Charles and Erick came Sun-

Mrs. Joe Thurston attended a layette shower in Lubbock Saturday, honoring her daughter, Mrs. Jack Ward. Hostesses were ladies of the South Plains Church of Christ of Lubbock.

Shannon Norris of Amarillo spent the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Norris.

Mrs. Q.D. Williams visited Mrs. Liz Rojas and new baby daughter, Jennifer Ruth in Lubbock Monday afternoon.

Miss Amanda Watson a other first and second grade Brownies numbering about one hundred went through the investiture ceremony Saturday evening at the Massie Activity Center. Leaders are Mrs. Carroll Sims and Mrs. Sandra Ferguson. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson attended.

Among piano students of Mrs. Dell Grey who were presented in recital

Sunday afternoon at the Methodist Church were Misses Diana and Amanda Watson. Mr. and Mrs. Millard Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson attended.

Among visitors to the Candlelight at the Museum at the Ranching Heritage Center in Lubbock were Mrs. Q.D. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jones, Mrs. Debbie Breed and Mr. and Mrs. Nile Bryant. Guests visited the Matador dugout, where a lone cowboy celebrated Christmas before the fireplace, his saddle hanging from the rafters so rats wouldn't eat the leather.

At the JY bunkhouse cowboys were inside for a change, as in reality cowboys slept outside in all kinds of weather and only kept their food inside, as the boss did not want the men to get used to soft living. Guests noted the warmth exuded in all buildings by the small pot bellied stoves. Hot coffee was served after touring the beautifully furnished Barton House.

BY MRS. MURRAY JULIAN

South Plains, Monday, December 6th: Sunday, December 5th, was a wonderful day at the South Plains Baptist Church with several visitors during the morning services, including Dr. and Mrs. Fred and Sarah Howard from Plainview. At noon, the Thanksgiving and Christmas Banquet was held at Fellowship Hall, with turkey, ahm and all the delicious trimmings brought from various homes over the vicinity. It was a happy time for giving thanks and

for celebrating. At 2:00 p.m. an Ordination of Deacons Service was held in the Baptist Church with Dr. Strauss Atkinson from Plainview, bringing the Charge to the church and the candidates, Carlton Johnson, Nathan Johnson and Sterling Cummings and the

Laying on of Hands, with the examination by Pastor Cecil Osborne and the Presbytery, including Dr. Strauss Atkinson, Dr. Fred Howard, Dr. Floyd Bradley, Rev. Hollis Shewmake, Grigsby Milton, Travis Jones, L.B. Monk,

and Kendis Julian. A reception honoring the new deacons Sterling Cummings, Carlton Johnson and Nathan Johnson was held in Fellowship Hall of

the church, after the church had welcomed them. Mrs. Trudie Atkinson. Mrs. Annabelle Shewmake and Mrs. Sarah Howard were present, and a host

of friends and relatives were also at the church for services and the banquet.

Snow mixed with rain fell here. Friday, December 3rd, and the rain melted away the snow which fell in such a beautiful manner for several hours. This was the second snowfall, as the evening before Thanksgiving we had a nice snow. The rural roads have been hard to navigate.

We are sorry to know about the passing of our old friend, Carl Plumlee, who died Wednesday night. November 24 in a Plainview Hospital. He was a kind, good neighbor, and we send our sympathy and condolences to Mrs. Plumlee and family

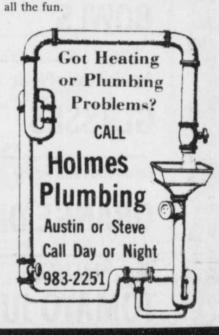
Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Powell who once lived here in South Plains Community were in Floydada visiting their son, Tom and family in Floydada, and were in the vicinity during Thanksgiving time. They now reside in Howe, Texas. It was nice to hear from them.

Sylvin Kinnibrugh went for a doctors checkup Tuesday, November 30. He is

doing better from the shingles he is suffering with, and we hope soon that he will be clear of the trouble he has been having.

Mrs. Ruby Higginbotham spent her Thanksgiving in Floydada at the home of a son, the Alton Higginbothams and children. Others there were Mr. and Mrs. Bud Higginbotham and children from Lubbock, who came here to South Plains to spend some time with Bud's

Sunday afternoon, December 12, the Rev. and Mrs. Cecil and Joyce Osborne have issued an invitation to an Open House reception at their home, with the hours, 3:00 o'clock to 6:30 p.m. as calling hours and party on December 10th, at 7:00 p.m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Teeple who reside on the paved road going east from South Plains, north of town. Club members and their husbands are invited to attend, and after the banquet, the Christmas tree gifts will be shared, and then Mrs. Billy (Frances) Staniforth will bring the program on, "The Fourth Wise Man." You will not want to miss



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BY MRS. J.E. GREEN er 6, 1982:

good to see the sunshine again and today after so many cloudy iny days. But we are proud of the And we hope Chirstmas will be fair.

of last week were "stay at days for some of us. Mrs. Mrs. Frizzell, the Carpenter's

and Mrs. James Hartline of nd visited Saturday with his Mrs. Cora Hartline.

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Joyce Owens and boys visited p.m. with her grandmother. la Warren. Roe Jones is staying in with

ale Miller is away somewhere

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and Mrs. Clay Muncy are home

from the Lockney Hospital feeling

Mrs. Gordon Mayfield reports she hasn't been out of the house for 2 weeks. Mr. Mayfield is better.

Mrs. J.D. Welborn has been on the sick list lately.

Mrs. Plumlee's daughter, Mrs. Alma Ruth Goss who has been here for and since her father's last rites left Friday for her home in Teledega, Alabama. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mensch and

Sunday afternoon with her father Hal Thomas Mrs. Ethel Warren spent Thanksgiving with her son Johnny and family

children of Lubbock visited Saturday to

near Lubbock. Mrs. Brewer is in Lubbock today.

Don Clark Green of Big Spring visited Sunday after church in the parental home - Ma Greens. He arrived first at Calvary Baptist Church. We heard a

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good church service, then the noon meal was served at the church celebrating Thanksgiving and Christmas - serving the traditional turkey or chicken and dressing and pumpkin pie and all the trimmings.

Then at the Green's Vic and Sue Green of Plainview arrived and we planned Christmas. Good time. Thursday Mrs. Anthony Latta, City,

and daughter Carol of Plainview visited in the Green home. Now our sick: Alma Ruth Nelson of the Floydada Nursing Home is reported

"Doing pretty good" Wiley Rogers is still in a Lubbock Hospital where he was taken last week. No news since Saturday.

No news from Mrs. Amelia Ashton, Lockney Nursing Home.

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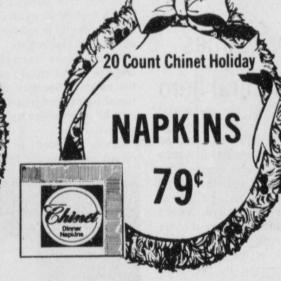
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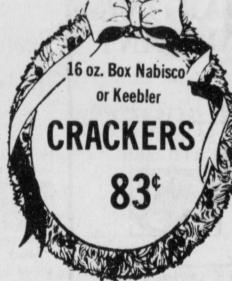
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Dealer to sponsor telecast of rodeo finals

Floydada Implement Co., Floydada, will join Hesston Corporation and more than 1,000 other participating Hesston Farm Equipment dealers across United States in sponsoring the telecast of the 1982 National Finals Rodeo from Okla-

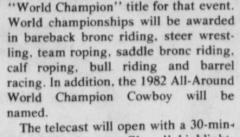
The two-hour prime time telecast will be aired on a special Hesston Rodeo TV Network and be seen by more than 30 million viewers. The NFR will be telecast in a new format this year in most areas, with the two-hour special airing the same day the rodeo takes place, on a live tape delay.

The program will appear locally on

KCBD, (11), Lubbock, Sunday, December 12, 8-10 CST.

Billed as NFR TELECAST IX, this is the ninth consecutive year that Hesston and its dealers have televised the National Finals Rodeo. The NFR is recognized as the "World Series" or "Super Bowl" of ProRodeo and is the final rodeo on the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association (PRCA) yearly

To qualify for the National Finals, entrants must rank among the top 15 money winners in their respective event for the year. Cowboys who come out on top during the National Finals win the



ute "Countdown to Glory." highlighting the first nine performances of the 1982 NFR. This "Countdown" will be immediately followed by 90-minute, same-day coverage of the tenth and Final Championship Performance, exclusively sponsored by Hesston Corporation and participating Hesston Farm Equipment dealers.

Commentary during the "Countdown to Glory" segment will be handled by rodeo announcer Bob Taliman and Red Steagall, country-western recording artist. The final performance will be covered by Bob Eubanks, television game show host; Larry Mahan, six-time World Champion Cowboy; Hadley Barrett, veteran rodeo announcer; and Pam Earnheart, former rodeo queen, who will assist in interviews and coverage of the girls' barrel racing event. Commercial announcements during

the telecast will feature the Prime Line of farm equipment available from Hesston Corporation. Also featured will be the 1982 "All-Around Cowboy" belt buckle, available from participating Hesston dealers.

As an added feature, Hesston will air its annual "Salute to Agriculture," a public service message written by a member of the national Future Farmers of America organization.

"THE FIRST SANDSTORM"

By W.W.

We saw this giant swirling mess,

Rolling toward us from the west,

Windmills quickly turn, in self defense.

The wind whistles thru' a thousand cracks.

So the women get the lanterns out to light.

When the men come from mowing prairie hay.

Thank God, that our fathers came here to stay.

They pondered why, they had come out this way.

They bemoaned, what happened on this frightful day.

in 285 counties, oats in 384, potatoes in

44, peanuts in 33, tobacco in 70,

Sprague also announced that the

USDA agency will prepare regulations

for covering hybrid seed crops in the

1983 crop year. He said the plan will

insure seed for producers who are under

contract to processors. The new rules

will be published in the Federal

Register for public comment and review

"These needed programs will allow

producers to obtain the risk manage-

ment protection necessary in today's

economic situation. Ultimately, insur-

ance protection against unavoidable

loss will be available to nearly every

crop producer in the nation." said

peaches in 4 and grapes in 3.

before going into effect.

Thistles hung, then jump the fense. Chickens shelter from the storm Wash tubs blow from off the walls,

Milk pen calves run for their stalls.

In the pioneers clap board shacks

But we who live in this land today,

Crop insurance to be

extended at USDA

Crop insurance offered farmers by

the U.S. Department of Agriculture's

Federal Crop Insurance Corporation will

be extended to more crops in more

Merritt W. Sprague, manager of the

USDA crop insurance agency, said the

corporation board of directors has

approved 823 additional county pro-

grams for 1983 crops. A county program

is the authority to sell crop insurance for

"Our agency currently insures 28

crops in 14,498 county programs across

the nation," Sprague said. "the addi-

tional county programs announced are

part of our continuing expansion pro-

Crops included in the additional

county programs for 1983 are soybeans

counties for the 1983 crop year.

one crop in one county.

gram."

Soon the sky is black as night.



FARM NEWS



FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SEMINAR—Benny Butler [right], Con sion Agent-Ag Asst., Floydada, received a Certificate of Compide Agricultural Financial Management Seminar from Richard L. Trimbi Chairman and Economist-Management of the Texas Agriculturi Service. The week long seminar was conducted during the week of the for 40 selected Texas Agricultural Extension Service employees who may farmers and ranchers on financial matters. Topics included financial and accounting rules, record keeping systems, making cash flow so investment analysis and forms of business organization. The seminary

with financial assistance from the G. Rollie White Charitable Trus. Block names farmer to he

soybean research advison

Patrick J. Quinn, a soybean farmer from Monterey. Louisiana, has been named chairman of the Soybean Research Advisory Institute by Secretary of Agriculture John R. Block.

Quinn will chair the group's first meeting December 17 at the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Congress established the advisory insitute under a section of the 1981 farm bill. Its purpose is to assess the effectiveness of soybean research in the United States and to evaluate the potential for increasing soybean production in the years ahead.

Quinn said a comprehensive report on soybean production and utilization will be submitted to Congress by March 1.

A director of the American Soybean Association, Quinn is one of 11 members Block named to the advisory group. The group includes soybean producers. research experts from land grant universities and federal agencies and

representatives of private industry. Other members are Billy E. Caldwell. head, department of crop science. North Carolina State University; Michael F. Campbell, manager, protein products development. A.E. Staley Co., Decatur. Illinois: Harry B. Collins, director.

soybean research. Delta and h Co., Scott, Mississippi; Der Hacklander, fibers and oils to USDA's Economic Researd Washington, D.C.; Edgar El research agronomist, USDA tural Research Service, Stones sissippi; John E. Heilman. dent-engineering, world prote vision, Continental Grain (York, New York.

Also, Werner L. Nelson, en president. Potash and Phospi tute. West Lafayette. Indian: Sharp, G & S Farms, Cont Alabama: Keith J. Smith. director. American Soybean tion, St. Louis, Missouri: Williams, vice president-reser tral Soya Co., Inc., For Indiana.

Robert C. Leffel, national a program leader responsible ing and production of soybeat USDA's Agricultural Research is the advisory institute's secretary.

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USDA to permit price support loans on substituted grain, soybeans

Farmers who participate in the government's acreage reduction program now will be able to take out government price support loans on grain and soybeans substituted for crops produced on their farms, a high ranking U.S. Department of Agriculture official

Previously, only grain physically grown on a producer's farm was eligible for price support.

Everett Rank, administrator of USDA's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, said the change was made to allow farmers who participate in acreage reduction programs to take advantage of government price supports without having to transport their grain to areas where grain elevators will accept the grain for storage.

Rank said the change will permit eligible producers to feed or sell grain produced on their farms and place under loan an equivalent quantity of acquired grain stored in an approved

Commodities that may be substituted include wheat, feed grains, rice and

Rank also announced that:

- Loans will be based on the rate applicable for the county where the loan grain is stored.

- Producers must obtain approval to place under loan any grain which they acquire before an equivalent quantity they produced is sold or otherwise disposed of.

- Warehouse receipts covering the acquired grain must be submitted to the county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service office as security for the loan within 15 days after the producer's grain is sold or traded.

Rank said, "The farmer-elected county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation committee has the responsibility to protect the interest of both the producer and CCC in approving the substitution of grain for loan purposes. Producers who wish to take advantage of this change should contact their county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service office."

Search continues for Texas' rural hero

The search is under way for Texas' rural hero of 1982.

The Rural Heroism Award, sponsored by the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council, is presented each year to some person judged to have performed an act of exceptional bravery during a time of crisis, according to Ben Bullard, Council president and assistant safety director of the Texas Farm Bureau.

March 1, 1983, is the deadline for entries to be received by the Rural Heroism Award Committee, Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council, P.O. Box 489, Waco, Texas 76703.

The heroic act or human-life-saving deed must have occurred within Texas during 1982 and should be related to farming or ranching operations.

Nominations should include a written account of the incident and the names. addresses, and telephone numbers of all persons involved. Newspaper clippings and pictures should also accompany the nominations, if available.

The award will be presented at the Monday morning opening general session of the 44th Annual Texas Safety Conference and Exposition, April 25, 1983, at the Shamrock-Hilton Hotel in



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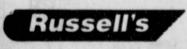
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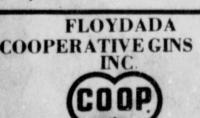
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