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Floyd bank deposits rise \$1.173 million

County bank deposits continued their upward spiral during the first quarter of 1988. Both banks reflected an increase in deposits, and they had a combined increase of almost \$1.2 million.

On March 31, the latest call date, First National Bank in Floydada and Lockney had combined deposits of \$75,173,401.01. This represents an increase of \$1,173,760.01 over the \$73,999,641.00 on deposit at the conclusion of the initial quarter of 1987.

Composite loans figures also showed a hike although loans in the Lockney financial institution decreased.

On March 31, the combined loans stood at \$21,785,803.98. This figure was \$1,122,466.58 above the \$20,663,377.37 on the same date last year.

Presidents of both banks foresee the possibility of an "expensive crop" this year unless badly needed moisture is received soon.

Tom Farris, president of First National Bank of Floydada, anticipates "an expensive crop year" due to

"an '87 crop which depleted a lot of fertilizer and moisture on land which did not receive hail damage."
"I would say the increase in deposits is a carryover from a good crop year," he says.

FEAST OR FAMINE

Ronnie Hardin, president of First National Bank in Lockney, partially agrees, "Last year's crop helped us some," Hardin says, "but we were hurt by the large area that received hail." He points out that producers who did not sustain hail damage generally had good yields, but others lost all or most of their crops to spring storms.

"I think had it not been for the hail, we would probably have had a pretty sizeable increase in deposits," Hardin remarks. He adds that both deposits and loans at the Lockney bank are "real close to being the same."

Hardin observes that "it's been a dry year up to now" and a continuation would force irrigation costs up. Irrigation is a "major expense" for many producers.

The Floydada bank president says, "There has been a lot of new equipment purchased, which created new debt."

He adds that "I really don't know why the loan demand is higher this year. Maybe it's the input into the new crop already." Farris adds that another reason for the increased loan demand is that "we are carrying more cattle loans on our books."

RECORD DEPOSITS

First National Bank of Floydada experienced a substantial volume of deposits on the first business day of 1988 after being slightly below \$50 million in deposits at year end.

"We did the same thing" during the first quarter, Farris says. After ending the initial '88 quarter less than \$27,000 below the \$50 million plateau, a surge of deposits in early April pushed deposits above that plateau.

The high mark in deposits came on April 11:

\$51,741,734.92.

"I'm pretty sure that's a bank record" for deposits, Farris says.

The Floydada bank reported deposits of \$49,963,788.27 on March 31, 1988, a gain of \$1,167,606.81 above the \$48,796,181.46 of a year earlier. Year-end deposits were \$49,690,820.

Loans at the Floydada bank were \$1,223,535.71 above the March 31, 1987 figures. Loans stood at \$12,583,626.50 at the latest call and \$11,360,090.81 one year earlier.

First National Bank in Lockney showed a slight increase in deposits and a dip in loans.

Deposits at the conclusion of the first quarter were \$25,209,612.74. This was an increase of \$6,153.20 over the \$25,203,459.54 last year.

Loans in the Lockney bank stood at \$9,202,177.45 at the latest call and \$9,303,246.56 12 months earlier, a decrease of \$101,069.11.



REGIONAL BOUND—Trina Ogden, who won the district UIL typing event, hones her skills while two fellow regional qualifiers in academic contests look on. At left is Christie Anderson, who placed second in spelling during District 2-3A trials, and Travis Bishop, who won first place in informative speaking. Regional academic trials will be Friday and Saturday in Odessa. Staff Photo

Dougherty Community acquires fire truck; donations solicited

Dougherty Community has acquired its own fire truck through the Floydada Volunteer Fire Department.

The truck will be stationed in Dougherty and will serve "the Dougherty Community and surrounding area."

It may be dispatched through Covington Oil and Butane at 983-3893 during the day and through Bob Covington at 983-2736 at night and on week-ends.

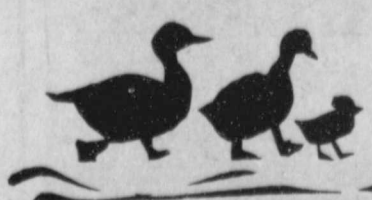
"The truck will be purchased and maintained by donations," this newspaper was informed. Those who have made donations are: Darty Gin, Covington Oil & Butane, Covington Partnership, Ward Insurance, Ruth Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Campbell, Kay Crabtree, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hopper.

Donations may be made through the Dougherty Community Club by contacting Denise Pernell or Jim Covington.

"The community would like to thank everyone who has made donations and all of the men who have volunteered to operate and maintain the truck," a resident says.

Absentee voting for school board starts

Absentee voting for the school trustee election will be at the school's central office, 226 W. California. Absentee balloting opened Monday and continues through May 3 during regular business hours of 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.



Health Fair planned as part of annual Lighthouse meet Saturday

The 49th annual meeting of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc., will be held at the Cooperative headquarters, Highway 70 East in Floydada, this Saturday, April 23.

Registration for the meeting and the

Health Fair will be from 9 a.m. to 12 noon, followed by a fish and chicken dinner catered by Danny's Fins & Hens of Lubbock. Entertainment will be provided by Richard Sudduth and the Blue Denim Band.

New at this year's annual meeting is the free member health fair to be held in the Gerald Lackey Community Room from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

The fair will feature health screening by professional volunteers, and will include such services as blood pressure check, diabetes screening, pulmonary function check, osteoporosis information, stress management information, nutrition counseling, American Heart Association booth, American Cancer Society booth and coupons for reduced cost cholesterol screening by Caprock Hospital of Floydada.

The business meeting will be called to order at 1-p.m. by President Louis Lloyd. The business meeting will include the election of three directors and a report to the membership by General Manager Bill Harbin.

Melissa Wood of Floydada and Rusty Willmon of Afton, winners of the 1988 Lighthouse Government-in-Action Youth Tour Speech Contest, will present their prize winning speeches on "Electric Cooperatives - From Lamp-light to Satellite."

Entertainment for the children will be provided during the meeting and will include a nursery for the younger children.

Door prizes will be presented at drawings throughout the meeting and the grand prize will include a choice of several major appliances.

The Lighthouse annual meeting has traditionally been planned by a Member Service Committee appointed by the board of directors. Planning this year's meeting were: Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Harrell of Crosbyton, Mr. and Mrs. Rick

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City pool closed this summer unless manager hired soon

Will the city-owned Floydada Swimming Pool operate this summer?

The answer is "no," unless a manager is secured soon.

"We need to have something going by the first of May in order to have the pool open by the end of school," says City Manager Gary Browa.

He explains that "It would be hard after the first of May" to make preparations and pool improvements. Should no manager be secured by that time, it would be extremely doubtful whether the swimming pool could operate this summer.

A certified lifeguard must be on duty at all times.

'Just right'

★ Frowns were hard to spot Sunday following a rain described by one individual as "just what the doctor ordered." Amounts varied throughout the county from 1/4 to 4 inches.

"It's unusual for us to get this good a rain before planting," one individual says.

Due to dry soil conditions, many producers had been in the process of irrigating their land prior to the moisture late Saturday and early Sunday. Light rain also fell Monday morning.

Most — but not all — producers now feel that they have ample planting moisture.

Hospital room revitalization goal reached

It wasn't a miracle; just call it community concern.

Forty-five hundred dollars appeared to be an ambitious goal when the 1956 Study Club began its fund drive in March to secure funds with which to refurbish patient rooms at Caprock Hospital.

But the Caprock Hospital Love Fund goal was surpassed Thursday when a \$270 check from the Lions Club pushed the goal "over the top."

"This has truly been a community effort," Janet Lloyd, president of 1956 Study Club, told the Lions moments after accepting the check from Lion Boss Monte Williams. "Funds have come from so many different facets of the community," Mrs. Lloyd added.

Kathy Becker, vice president and projects chairperson of the club, and Mrs. Lloyd told The Hesperian editor during a Friday morning interview that the fund had grown to \$5,215. A major contribution was a \$450 gift from the Floydada High School Student Council.

ROOMS REVITALIZED

Funds will be utilized to revitalize 24 patient rooms at the hospital. The rooms have been painted and have had new wall paper placed, mini blinds arrived early this week and are being hung and bulletin boards are being purchased.

Quest for Caprock Hospital Love

Fund donations will not cease now that the original goal has been attained.

Next to receive attention will be the hospital lobby.

"There have been no definite plans made for the lobby, because patient rooms were our first priority," study club leaders say. They point out that the lobby needs new furnishings, wall covering and other renovations.

"We have no idea" about the cost of revitalizing the hospital lobby, Mmes. Lloyd and Becker admit. The "big push" for funds will cease when the lobby refurbishing project is completed, although memorials and other gifts to the hospital will be "an ongoing thing" to provide for other improvements.

OPEN HOUSE ENVISIONED

The public will be invited to view revitalized patient rooms during an open house planned in conjunction with National Health Week, May 8-14. "Week long activities" are being planned by the hospital staff, including a Health Fair.

Study club officials are "very appreciative" of the medical facility's staff. As an example, they point out that Molly Stringer (director of nurses) has "hung wallpaper, lent encouragement" and helped in numerous other ways with the revitalization effort.

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ANOTHER CONTRIBUTION—Lion Boss Monte Williams presents a \$270 check from Floydada Lions Club to Janet Lloyd for the Caprock Hospital Love Fund. Mrs. Lloyd is president of the 1956 Study Club, which organized the

hospital patient room and lobby revitalization project. At left is Kathy Becker, vice president and projects chairperson of the study club. The check was presented Thursday during the club's weekly noon luncheon meeting. Staff Photo

Letter to the Editor

Letter to the Editor:

RE: The Cost of Smoking to Texas
 Recently published statistics of the cost of smoking to the taxpayers of Texas are staggering and unacceptable. According to the November issue of "Texas Preventable Disease News" smoking costs Texas about \$2.9 billion per year in prevention, diagnosis and treatment of disease, and associated loss of economic productivity. This contrasts with the annual income to Texas from cigarette taxes of \$354 million. Thus, the net annual deficit attributable to smoking is about \$2.5 billion. On this basis, it costs Texas an estimated 63 cents per pack of cigarettes for direct health care costs and 92 cents per pack for lost income from premature death or disability, for a total cost of \$1.55 per pack sold. The cost to each Texan, whether they smoke or not, is about \$170 yearly.

On behalf of the Executive Committee for the Department of Preventive Medicine and Community Health, I am bringing these statistics to your attention because they illustrate the severe drain smoking causes to our economy. The consequences of smoking on health are well known, but the economic costs are perhaps less well appreciated. The ten-fold increased risk for lung cancer, two-fold increase in risk for myocardial infarction, and ten-fold increased risk of chronic obstructive pulmonary disease are not only substantial risks to the well being of smokers, these diseases and other disabilities that affect smokers result in a substantial expenditure of resources that we, as a community, can ill afford.

What practical solutions might society use to solve this problem? Increased anti-smoking education, establishment of smoke free areas in public buildings and public conveyances, and regulation of advertising all help to some extent. However, none of these measures directly addresses the economic burden of smoking. An approach that would restore resources to Texas is a cigarette tax that is proportional to the estimated cost of smoking to our economy. By implementing such a tax we can overcome the drastic economic burden of smoking.

Sincerely,
 Harold H. Sandstead, M.D.
 Chairman
 Department of Preventive Medicine and Community Health
 The University of Texas Medical Branch
 Galveston, Texas 77550

Lighthouse meeting

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Heflin of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Beedy of South Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kirk Smith of Flomot, Mr. and Mrs. Lindan Morris of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Scarborough of Petersburg and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Nutt of Floydada.

Hospital room revitalization goal reached

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The hospital project has been "the largest" ever undertaken by 1956 Study Club, officials believe. The organization launched the campaign in March with funds earned from its annual "Tater Bake."

Revitalizing hospital rooms was an idea which was planted during a January club meeting and was "voted in" in February.

The study club president points out that Caprock Hospital Love Fund contributions have been received from the FHS student body, various clubs and organizations, business firms and families and friends in the form of memorials.

DONORS LISTED

Donors are listed by four categories with gifts for revitalizing one or more rooms and "room memorials" representing contributions of \$150 or more. Listings under "memorials" and "donations" represent gifts of varying amounts.

DONATIONS OF ONE OR MORE ROOMS

1956 Study Club
 R.L. and Winnie Neil
 Tommy and Joy Assiter
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Willis
 Mr. and Mrs. L.L. Hardy
 Aldine and Wanda Williams
 Caprock Hospital Auxiliary
 First National Bank of Floydada
 Oden Chevrolet
 Floydada Chamber of Commerce
 Floydada Lions Club
 Alpha Sigma Upsilon
 American Legion
 Floydada High School Student Council

ROOM MEMORIALS

In memory of Grace Robertson — by B.A. Robertson
 In memory of Mr. and Mrs. B.L. Breed — by Mr. and Mrs. Odell Breed, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Breed, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Breed, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Britton
 In memory of Mr. and Mrs. Clement McDonald — by Carolyn Cheek, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McDon-

ald

In memory of Raymond Irby and O.L. Bearden — by Mr. and Mrs. Connie Bearden

In memory of Weldon Becker — by Mazie Becker, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Becker, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Becker, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Becker

In memory of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lloyd — by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Webb, Ann Dorsey, Mr. and Mrs. G.W. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lloyd

MEMORIALS

Memorials for Vera Vickers — by Mr. and Mrs. Jakey Younger, Mrs. Pierce King, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lloyd

Memorials for Opal Morrison — by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lloyd

DONATIONS

Melvin and Janet Lloyd
 Mr. and Mrs. George Wexler
 Barbara Barnard
 Leroy and LuAnn Schaffner
 Juanita Henry



Caprock Hospital

Love Fund:

\$3,520

OVER THE TOP



STUDENT COUNCIL DONATES TO LOVE FUND—Andrea Bonner, president of Floydada High School Student Council (middle) presents Leroy Schaffner, hospital administrator (left) and Molly Stringer, director of nursing, (right) with enough money to re-decorate three rooms in the Caprock Hospital Love Fund Redecorating project. The money was raised through student council projects. Staff Photo

Arts Festival slated on Pioneer Day

Floyd County Arts Association announces that its 1987 Spring Arts Festival is scheduled for May 26-28 in the county museum. The event will be held in conjunction with Floyd County Pioneer Day, also known as "Old Settlers."

The exhibit of art entries is to be open to the public from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. on both Friday and Saturday, May 27-28.

Awards presentation will be at 4:30 p.m. on Saturday.

Entries are to be judged Thursday, May 26.

Artists will have their entries accepted from 1 until 8 p.m. on Wednesday, May 25. Entry fees are \$4 per Adult Division entry and \$2 for Youth Division entry. A 20 percent commission will be charged on all sales.

Best of show will be awarded \$150, and People's Choice in the Adult Division is to earn \$50. In addition, \$20 is to be given for first place in each adult division and \$10 will be awarded for first place in each youth sub-division.

Officials say that ribbons will be given in each category, and other citations may be awarded by judges.

Categories within the Adult Division include: I. oil; II. acrylic; III. mixed media; IV. watercolor, pastels; V. drawing; VI. sculpture; VII. photography — professional and non-professional; VIII. Classwork (all media, work done in class under supervision); IX. other art forms (original designs in media other than specified in I-VII); and X. designer crafts.

Elementary ages, junior high and senior high sub-divisions will be established in the youth Division. Categories include: I. two-dimensional art (oils, watercolors, pastels, drawing, etc.); II. three-dimensional art (sculpture, wood-carving, other art forms, etc.); and III. photography.

For additional information artists may write Floyd County Arts Association, Inc., P.O. Box 73, Floydada, Texas 79235 or phone Penny Golightly, 983-2019.

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Joyce Williams' dad oldest farmer

Truscott farmer/rancher Edgar Jones, 84, has been named the "Oldest Producing Producer" in the Texas Department of Agriculture's 18-county Vernon District. Jones' recognition was during the district's observance of Texas Agriculture Week, TDA's Vernon District Supervisor Ronald Bertrand announced.

Jones received his award during a special ceremony at the Knox County commissioners court meeting in Benjamin at 10 a.m. Monday, April 11.

The honoree is the father of Joyce Williams.

Jones operates 10 sections, where he farms 3,000 acres of wheat and hay. He also raises high quality commercial Hereford cattle.

Jones says he started in agriculture because he was born and raised on his ranch. He says he continues in agriculture because "I like the work."

Selection of the district's "Oldest Producing Producer" was based on applications received by the district office, Bertrand said. "We just wanted to do something for the folks who have had the staying power to continuously provide food and fiber for the rest of us."

According to Jones' daughter, Clara Brown of Truscott, her father is "at

least a sixth generation of Joneses to raise cattle and crops in America. From Union County, South Carolina, through Bedford County, Tennessee, to Pike County, Ark., Greer County, Okla., Moore County in the Texas Panhandle and finally in Knox County, Tex., the Jones family has greeted the rising sun and changing seasons as people of the land."

His son, Vernon Jones of Truscott and Crowell, is the seventh generation, and at least one of the eighth generation, Monte Williams of Floydada, is involved in agriculture.

Jones was born in 1904 in a half-dugout near Palo Duro Creek in eastern Moore County.

The Knox County rancher has a large collection of fiction and non-fiction books on Texas, which he enjoys reading and sharing with his neighbors.

He has written a brief, 60-page autobiography and copies are treasured by his family, "as it tells stories of a ranching era long ago."

In addition to daughters Joyce Williams, Clara Brown and Norma Lee of Vernon and the son, Jones' family includes 10 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Jones rode horseback with one of his parents before he could walk, and grew up in a world of mules and wagons which slowly changed to the gasoline powered world of early tractors and trucks.

Even though he was 84 years old on March 10, he still helps with the plowing and cattle feeding. He is active in the Truscott Church of Christ.

Ronald Bertrand, mentioned above as the TDA Vernon District supervisor, is the son of Faye and William Bertrand. He grew up in the Lakeview community.

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Floydada this week...

WEATHER

DATE	HIGH	LOW
April 13	84	47
April 14	84	57
April 15	74	48
April 16	70	47
April 17	68	56
April 18	59	40
April 19	81	46

GRAIN PRICES

	Courtesy of Producers Coop.
Milo	\$3.00 per 100 wt.
Wheat	\$2.40 per bushel

DOG CLINIC TODAY

Floydada dog owners will have an opportunity for their canines to receive inoculations today (Thursday) from 4 until 6 p.m. at the back door of the fire hall in Floydada. Cost of rabies shot (\$5) and city tag (\$2) will be \$7. Lockney veterinarian Dr. Paul Glasson will have other shots available for dogs.

MEN'S SOFTBALL

All teams interested in joining Floydada Men's Slo-Pitch Softball League are invited to attend an organizational meeting Tuesday, May 3, at the Floydada Fire Department building at 7 p.m.

HEART MEETING

The annual meeting of the American Heart Association is set for May 2, at 7:00 p.m. at the bank community room. Everyone is invited.

HIGH SCHOOL PRE-REGISTRATION

Information concerning pre-registration for high school students for the 1988-89 school year will be handed out on Tuesday, April 26. There will be a meeting for parents at 7:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium on April 26. Parents of next year's high school students are encouraged to be present.

"Please bring the information packet that will be given to your children," officials advise.

JODI'S OPEN HOUSE

The Women's Chamber of Commerce will be sponsoring an Open House and Ribbon Cutting, at Jodi's on Thursday, April 21, at 8:30 a.m. Coffee and sweet bread will be served. The public is encouraged to attend and welcome Jodi's to Floydada.

PTA

The A.B. Duncan P.T.A. will meet Monday, April 25, at 7:00 p.m. in the cafeteria. All parents are invited to attend.

WHERE'S LEWIS?

Does anyone know the whereabouts of Lewis Head class of 1954. Call Carolyn Marble, 983-3088.

CLASS OF '78

The Class of 1978 meeting to plan reunion will be at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 14, at Lighthouse Electric. All local exes are asked to please attend.

Care Link helicopter begins patient flights

During the past decade, there has been an enormous growth in aeromedical services. Approximately 100 aeromedical services in major cities throughout the nation have been established to provide speedy transport of critically-ill patients from outlying hospitals and accident scenes to tertiary, acute-care facilities.

To expand the emergency transport care for residents of West Texas and Eastern New Mexico, Methodist Hospital and Lubbock General Hospital have entered a cooperative aeromedical helicopter venture christened CareLink.

The chopper made a recent demonstration visit to Floydada and Lockney.

CareLink provides 24-hour emergency care in a twin jet engine SA 365N-1 Dauphin 2 air ambulance helicopter. The dual pilot aircraft exceeds all professional and FAA standards for safety and is Instrument Flying Rated. The Dauphin is known throughout the industry for its avionic technology, advanced speed and range capabilities.

During flight, the emergency response team is capable of handling medical needs ranging from neonatal care to lifesaving cardiac care. This team is comprised of nurses and paramedics with years of experience in regional emergency services and the two preeminent critical care hospitals in the region.

CareLink Lead Pilot, Scott Boss, said the most important contribution of the helicopter service is speed. "The golden hour," according to Boss, "is the key to lifesaving." Boss stressed that if a patient can be brought to a medical facility within one hour, he or she has the greatest chance of survival.

With a maximum cruising speed of 195 mph, CareLink can travel to cities in a 200-mile radius of Lubbock within minutes, well within the "golden hour."

The CareLink flight team is comprised of Boss and five pilots. The pilots have accumulated more than 30,000 hours of flying time.

Chief flight nurse, Jaine Moore, R.N., brings emergency care and flight experience from Lubbock General's fixed-wing, air ambulance service. Additional crew members include Sandy Willis, R.N., Syan Young, R.N., paramedic, Jeff Ferguson, R.N., Belinda Baros, R.N., Willis Hassell, chief paramedic, Mike Reddell, Bob Pierson, Lloyd Cody and Robert Cocke, paramedics. Additional crew members include Mark Brock, paramedic/ems director, Doak Enabnit, paramedic communication director and Joe Moore, paramedic training chief.

CareLink began patient transports April 11. CareLink is comprised of the Dauphin, the Twin Star (a backup helicopter), a fixed-wing turbo prop and a Westwind jet. The fixed-wing turbo prop and jet will be used for prearranged and long-distance missions and in circumstances where cabin pressure is medical "must." Methodist and Lubbock General Hospitals will be able to provide comprehensive care for patients in life-threatening situations in the region.



ON THE GROUND—The Care-Link helicopter, operated by Methodist and Lubbock General hospitals, sets down on a strip immediately west of Caprock Hospital.

Staff Photo

Cancer crusade chairpersons told

Kacky Jackson and Kay Zimmerman from Floydada Unit have been appointed chairpersons to lead the American Cancer Society's educational and fund-raising Cancer Crusade in Floydada. The announcement was made by Linda Matsler, president of the Floydada Chapter.

"The money will be used to support programs in Floydada that help prevent, detect and treat cancer and offer assistance to cancer patients. Considering the public's dedication and commitment to the Crusade this year, we are sure it will be a huge success," the chairpersons state.

"In addition to raising funds, the Crusade helps the society save lives through education. As part of the April Crusade, many volunteers will be knocking on their neighbors' doors offering information on how they can protect themselves and the women in their lives against breast cancer. Volunteers will deliver the lifesaving message that all women should follow three important steps to help reduce their risk of breast cancer: perform routine self-examinations, have periodic physical health checkups and adhere to a schedule of mammography."

Distributing to their neighbors a pamphlet entitled, "Mammography found my breast cancer early...and may have saved my life!" Within this folder, there's a lot of important information about how women can turn to mammography as a means for detecting their breast cancer early.

"Mammography, a low-dose x-ray of the breast, may often detect a tumor before it becomes large enough to be felt — even before the woman or her doctor knows it's there," the chairpersons emphasize. "It's important to realize that mammography not only saves lives but also saves breasts."

Report of stolen gasoline only case of memory lapse

Police had no serious calls during the past week. One apparent gasoline theft turned out to be a memory lapse, and one man was arrested on charges of public intoxication.

An attendant at Ince Oil Co. #15, 401 South Second, reported at 4:17 p.m. Thursday that a white male driving an '88 Ford four-door put \$8 worth of gasoline into the vehicle and left without paying.

The man later returned to pay for the gasoline. Police believe the incident was an honest mistake.

Enrique (Henry) Rios Gutierrez of Floydada was charged with public intoxication after being apprehended at 1:01 a.m. Monday in front of Allsup's,

Main and Houston Street. He was found inside his vehicle.

Courtroom

In County court on April 13, 1988, Juan Francisco Eguia pled guilty to his March 21 charge of transporting alcoholic beverages in a dry area. He was fined \$800.00 plus court costs and sentenced to 6 months in the county jail which was probated for one year.

On April 19, 1988, Joe Kevin Starkey was charged with unlawfully carrying a weapon. There was no disposition on this case.

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Shonda LeAnn Fulton and Michael Richards Gibson exchanged wedding vows at the 6666 Ranch Headquarters, Guthrie, Texas. Larry Fitzgerald officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Laron Fulton, Floydada, and Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Gibson Jr. of Guthrie.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a white silk jacquard, tea length dress. The dress was embroidered with pale pink roses, designer Cloak of Many Colors by Liberty and Lucrezia. The bride carried a bouquet of white roses with a tatted handkerchief belonging to the groom's mother. The handkerchief was the traditional something old, her wedding attire was something new, something borrowed the pearl necklace she wore belonging to her mother and something blue was her garter.

Flowers and decorations were by Gordon-Bozwell of Fort Worth. The cake was created by Ida Mae's of Jacksboro.

Special guests were the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Fulton and Mrs. Evelyn Sparks, all of Floydada; Jim Gibson of College Station, brother of the groom; Chris and Pam Fulton, Floydada, brother and sister-in-law of the bride. Also Anne Windfohr, Fort Worth; John Marion of

New York, New York, Shirley Fitzgerald, Guthrie, and Louis and Alice Johnson, Phoenix, Arizona.

Following the ceremony, a lunch was served to the wedding party and guests. A reception followed.

Shonda is a graduate of Floydada High School and Texas Tech University. She was employed by KJTV-34 until her marriage. Gibson graduated from Guthrie High School and Texas Tech University. He is employed by the 6666 Ranch. They will be making their home on the ranch.

A bridal tea was given in the home of Mrs. Donald Bean, Floydada. Helping Mrs. Bean were Mrs. Norman Muncy, Mike Giesecke, Bob Ross, Stanley Burleson, Eugene Beedy, Jim Jackson, Lewis Reddy, Jerrold Vinson, Kent Covington and Bob Christian.

A wedding shower was given in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Glenn Blodgett, Guthrie. Hostesses were Karen Blodgett, Flo Woodcox, Sheryl McLaury, Barbara Walls, Shirley Fitzgerald, Janie Loftis, Sherry Seago, Laquita Fields, Luann Slover, Darlene Withers, Elwanda Bradbury, Pat Bradbury, Debbie Williams, Charlene Gaither, Linda Lewis, Tavia Vinson, Debra Moorhouse, Zanna McInroe, Lindy Osburn and Robbie Lightfoot.



CANCER SOCIETY'S ANNUAL CRUSADE—Beginning April 21 the American Cancer Society kicks off its annual crusade. People will be coming door to door in the residences beginning on April 23, and businesses will be approached beginning April 21. Shown here are three of the many people who will be representing the Cancer Society: [left to right] Kaye Orman and Pat Zimmerman, who will be collecting at residences, and Kyle Smith, who will be coming to the businesses in town.

Hospital Happenings

Those of us who must be at work by 6:30 in the morning are still struggling to get ourselves adjusted to the hour less sleep we get each night. We have been busy at the hospital with surgeries, scopes and the delivery of one baby, in addition to having an increase in our patient load.

Our patient census in Home Health is increasing. We have around 80 visits scheduled for April. Penny James, R.N. is the supervisor of Home Health. Penny has been working in our Home Health Service for approximately 6 months. Prior to working in Home Health, she was supervisor of surgery and a staff nurse at our hospital. Penny received her associate degree in nursing from Amarillo in 1986. She has lived in Floydada most of the time since her graduation. Linda Jackson is the secretary for Home Health. She is the wife of Cecil Jackson, having lived in the Sandhill community and farmed there for a number of years. Linda will be attending a Medicare meeting for Home Health in Dallas this week. Dorothy Coleman works as our Home Health Aide. Faye Self of Silverton is a contract LVN for the Home Health Care. She does blood pressure clinics every two weeks at the area banks. Home Health nurses may come to care for a patient in the home if the patient is homebound and has a problem that requires skilled nursing care. This care will be directed by their physician. The cost of the care is covered by Medicare, Medicaid, insurance, or the patient may pay for services if they desire. The RN or LVN visits the patient three times a week, once a week, or once a month, whichever the condition requires. The nurses will monitor blood pressure, blood glucose, draw other lab work ordered by the physician. They may also obtain oxygen set-ups for the patient, respiratory machines, they may change catheters, do dressing changes, teach patients and families to give insulin injections.

Those who qualify for Home Health care may also need the services of our Home Health Aide. The aide will come to the patient's home 3 days a week to help them with their bath and with some clean up chores in the home. They may spend approximately 2 hours each visit

with the patient. If you or your family need this type of care, call us and we will contact your physician and see if a Home Health care plan can be worked out for you.

The work on redecorating the rooms is progressing. We have 11 of the rooms done. The mini-blinds were installed on Monday of this week. They look wonderful! We are excited about the clean and fresh look and feel that all of you will be glad to have a part in this combined community effort. Just drive out to the hospital and look for yourselves.

While most of us are sleeping, we have a staff of 11-7 nurses who are on duty at our hospital. They are here for any emergency that might arise, they care for the patients, give medications, and assist patients with whatever their needs might be. In their spare time, they are putting away linen, making charts, and stocking supplies. Our 11-7 staff consists of 3 LVN's and an RN. Marie Cummings, of Matador, is the wife of the superintendent of the school system. She is a LVN. Nadine Harvey lives on the Matador Ranch where her husband is a foreman. She is also an LVN. Judy Miller comes from Silverton where her husband farms. She has just returned to work after having surgery. The 11-7 RN is Carol Scribner from Olton. This is a very fine and dedicated staff and we appreciate their loyalty to their profession.

We are going to be starting a Candy Striper Program here at the hospital. We encourage any sophomore, junior or senior high school student to get involved in this volunteer community service program.

We have been receiving many encouraging words from you. We appreciate all of your support. We feel it a privilege to work and serve this community.

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Senior Citizens News

By Thelma Jones

Lula Teague spent the weekend in Lubbock and Shallowater visiting relatives.

Cora Hartline and Mable Price spent Thursday in Lubbock.

Everyone was proud of the good rain we got Friday and looks like we will get more.

Mattie Wester had lunch at Furr's Thursday with Joey Payne.

Miss Mary Pearl Coward visited Mrs. W.J. Wilks Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Floyd of Borger, a nephew of Rebecca Smith's, also a niece of Mrs. Geneva Maddox of Claude, spent last Thursday visiting her.

Mary Wilson, Nettie Adams, Beulah Dennison and Myria Dade went to the encampment Monday to a Senior Adult meeting.

Johnny and Nancy Warren and little Johnny of Lubbock spent Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Warren.

Keith Dennison of Lubbock spent Tuesday and Wednesday with his grandmother, Mrs. C.W. Dennison.

Mr. Wayne Day and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Turner went to Lubbock Monday to see their doctors.

Alma Dunn is home and her granddaughter, Lee Ann Parks of Lubbock spent a few days with her last week and her daughter from Lubbock is visiting her this week.

Gladys Widner is spending this week in the Dallas-Ft. Worth area with her children.

Mrs. Evalene Boyd spent the week end in Midland with her children.

Mary Smith and Sue Mahon spent last Wednesday and Thursday in Petersburg visiting relatives.

Mrs. Jo Moore of Alabama returned home last Wednesday after spending the last two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Kate Crabtree and other relatives.

Bessie Wilson returned home Tuesday after a visit with her daughters in Dallas and St. Louis.

Sorority hears cancer program

Dara Ware, president of Alpha Mu Delta, introduced Janice Lloyd who gave the program for the American Cancer Society. Her theme was taking control.

She spoke on general health, weight control and diet; cigarettes and dipping; and skin cancer. Lloyd showed slides and handed out pamphlets to the members present.

Discussion was held on the Founder's Day social and the state convention to be held in El Paso. Planning was done on the taco supper to be held before the Idalou football game.

Pledges attending were Kay Brock, Tammie Wofford, Tammy Wilson and Janie Bevin.

Members brought covered dishes for supper. Hostesses were Melanie Beedy and Ronnette DePriest.

Members present were Sydney Jackson, D'Lee Powell, Melanie Beedy, Dora Ross, Ronnette DePriest, Tonia Kitchens, Kelli Reddy, Dara Ware, Holly Hendrix, Jeanine Helms, Brenda Heflin and Debra Graham.

We Salute...

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
Thursday, April 21: Billie Moore, Clar Schacht, Mary Aleman, Karen Davis

Friday, April 22: Edell Moore, Martha Leatherman, Melissa Madrigal, Lonna D. Batey

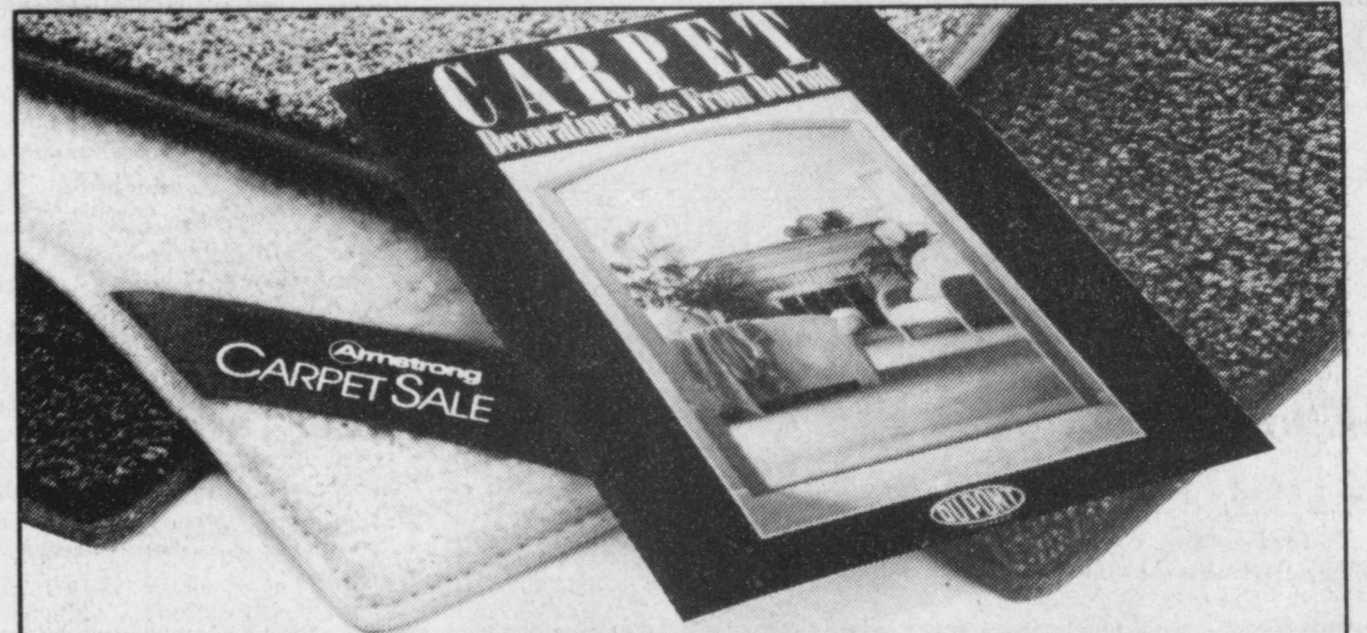
Saturday, April 23: Robert Luna, Virginia Stringer
Sunday, April 24: Adam Arellano, Dwayne Wilson

Monday, April 25: Paul Harmon
Tuesday, April 26: Isidro Segura, Rocky Brown Johnston, Adam Cates
Wednesday, April 27: Tyrel Fuller, Eugene Watts, Michael Hinsley, Eric Luna, Neta Marble

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY
Thursday, April 21: Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Johnston

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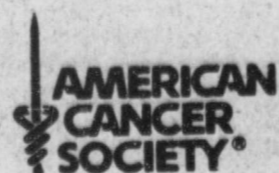
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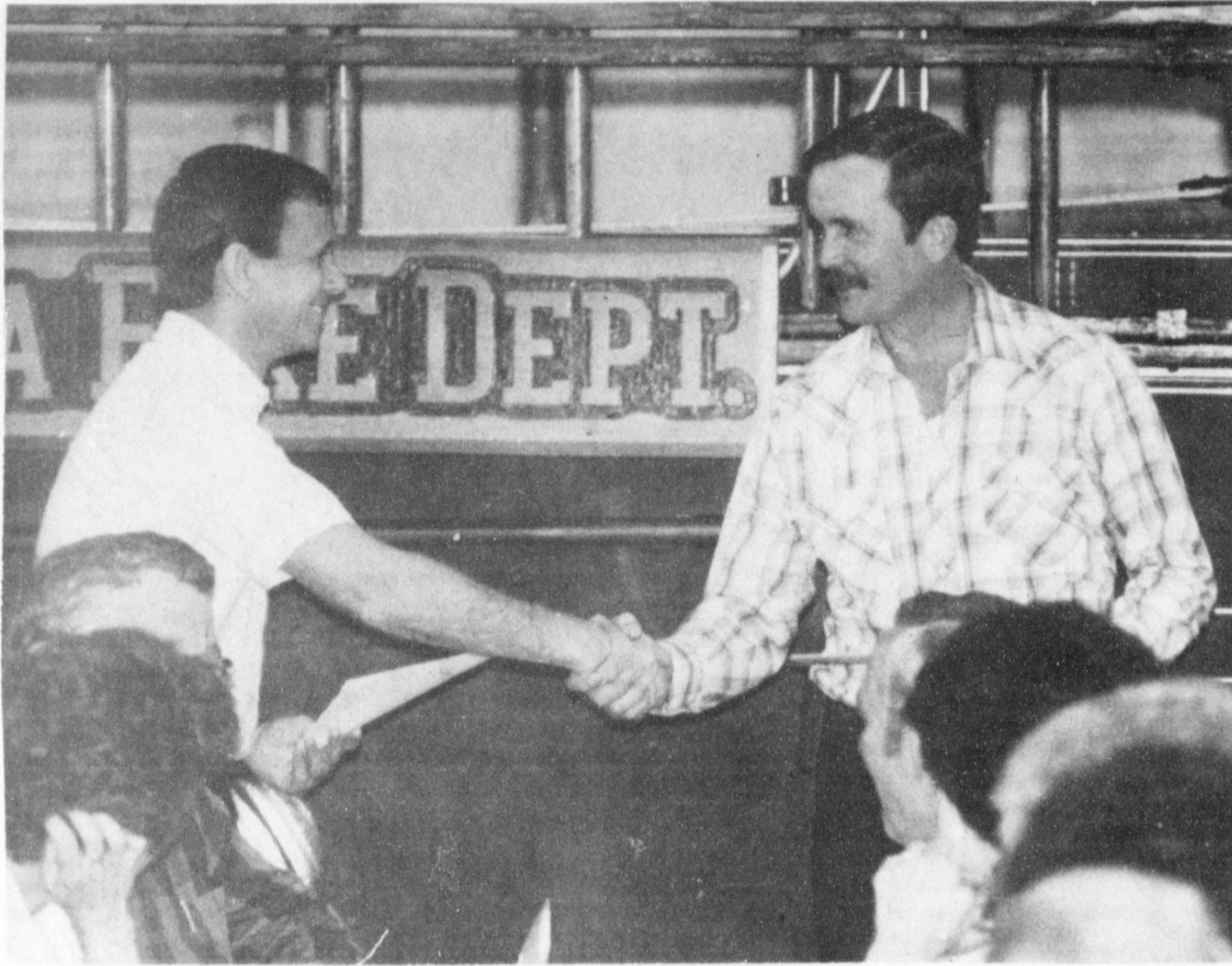
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FIREMEN SALUTE EMPLOYERS—Ricky Burns of City Auto, (left) receives a certificate and verbal appreciation from Fire Chief Larry Guthrie during the first Floydada Volunteer Fire Department Appreciation Banquet in the fire hall on Friday night. The banquet was an expression of appreciation

to employers for allowing firemen-employees time off from work to answer fire calls. Approximately 70 employers, firemen and their families were served a barbecue brisket dinner, which was prepared by the firemen.

Photo by Larry Smith



SERVING LINE—Employers, volunteer firemen and their families were treated to dinner of barbecue brisket and all the trimmings Friday night at the fire hall during the Floydada

Volunteer Fire Department Appreciation Banquet in the fire hall.

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Have a good week!

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Lake report

A 10 pound stripper was landed Saturday from Lake Mackenzie, according to information from Cactus Cove marina. Roy Stockett of Tulia landed the beauty "across from the former beach area." His bait was a half-ounce shad tail, chartreuse in color.

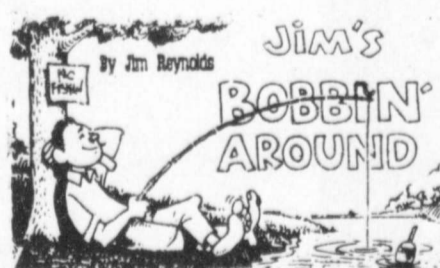
The same day, fishermen — who left neither their names nor the location they were fishing — pulled a 2½ pound channel cat and a 6¼ pound blue cat from the lake. They were using water-dogs as bait.

Good catches were also made Sunday. Gordon Cummings of Spearman reeled in a 9¼ pound stripper. An eight ounce chartreuse jig was used as bait by Cummings, who was fishing off the point by the gas dock.

A 5¼ pound largemouth bass was caught "off the main part of the lake close to the bank" by Gary Newman of Borger. His type of bait was unknown.

Also on Sunday, ringworm bait was used by Glenn Maddox of Amarillo to catch a 2 pound largemouth.

Water temperature was 54 degrees Monday and the depth at the dam was 109 feet.

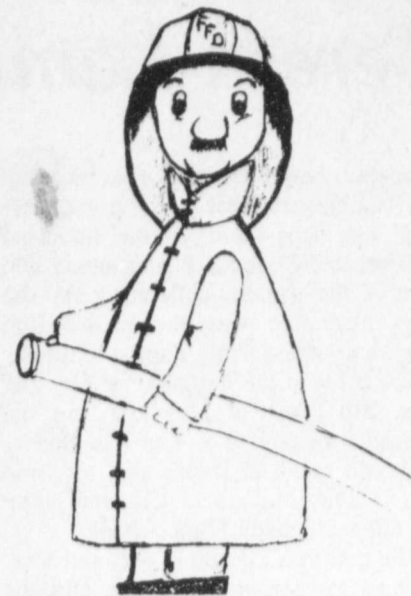


IT HAPPENED!
A fellow wondered aloud a few days ago, "Can't we just get a rain without having a storm?"

By golly, it happened. The Saturday and Sunday rains were just great.

A little hail and some wind accompanied the clouds, but thankfully we were on the tag end of the clouds which deposited large hail and spawned twisters before they passed over us.

LIMITATIONS
The good Lord set definite limits on man's wisdom, but set no limits on his stupidity — and that's just not fair!
—Konrad Adenauer



Where's the fire ...

By Mike Reeves

Eleven men and three trucks responded to an 8:10 Wednesday, April 13, call at 610 W. Virginia, the Leroy Burns home. The fire was a grease fire at the home. There was approximately \$350 damage to the kitchen.

Floydada Volunteer Fire Department was called out at 9:05 p.m. Saturday, April 16, for cloud watch. Eleven men were called and one truck was dispatched to watch incoming clouds. City Manager Gary Brown dismissed the firemen at 10 p.m.

Firemen held their weekly training meeting Monday, April 18, at 7:30 p.m. Fifteen Floydada firemen and one from Dougherty attended the meeting which was a hydraulics class.

One new member was added to the FVFD. Tracy Well is the newest and 24th member. A correction from last week's column: the previous newest member was Jeff Smith, not Tracy Smith as stated.

Social Security News

By Terry J. Clements

Social Security hopes to dispel many of the myths and misconceptions that people have about the program through its nationwide advertising campaign. Many of these myths have plagued the program since its beginning and have obscured its real nature.

Some of the most common myths about Social Security include the following:

MYTH: Social Security is just a retirement program.

FACT: Actually, Social Security is a package of protection—retirement, survivors, and disability insurance. It protects you and your family while you work and after you retire. More than 40 percent of the persons receiving benefits are non-retirees.

MYTH: Social Security is a full national retirement program designed to provide a person's total retirement income.

FACT: Social Security is designed to provide a base of retirement income, not the entire income in retirement. It should be supplemented by savings, investments, and other types of income.

MYTH: Social Security works like a bank account.

FACT: Social Security works more like a pipeline. The taxes paid by today's workers are used to pay today's beneficiaries. This is a pay-as-you-go plan and has the advantage of permitting the balancing of income and expenses of the program as needed over the years.

MYTH: Social Security is going

broke.
FACT: This myth grows out of the problems the system faced in the 1970's when rampant unemployment, high inflation, and a defect in the cost-of-living formula meant severe short-and-long term deficits. Bipartisan legislation in 1983 resolved the problems. Since then the trust fund reserves have been building up steadily each year. The latest trustees report indicates that the program is sufficiently financed to pay benefits well into the next century.

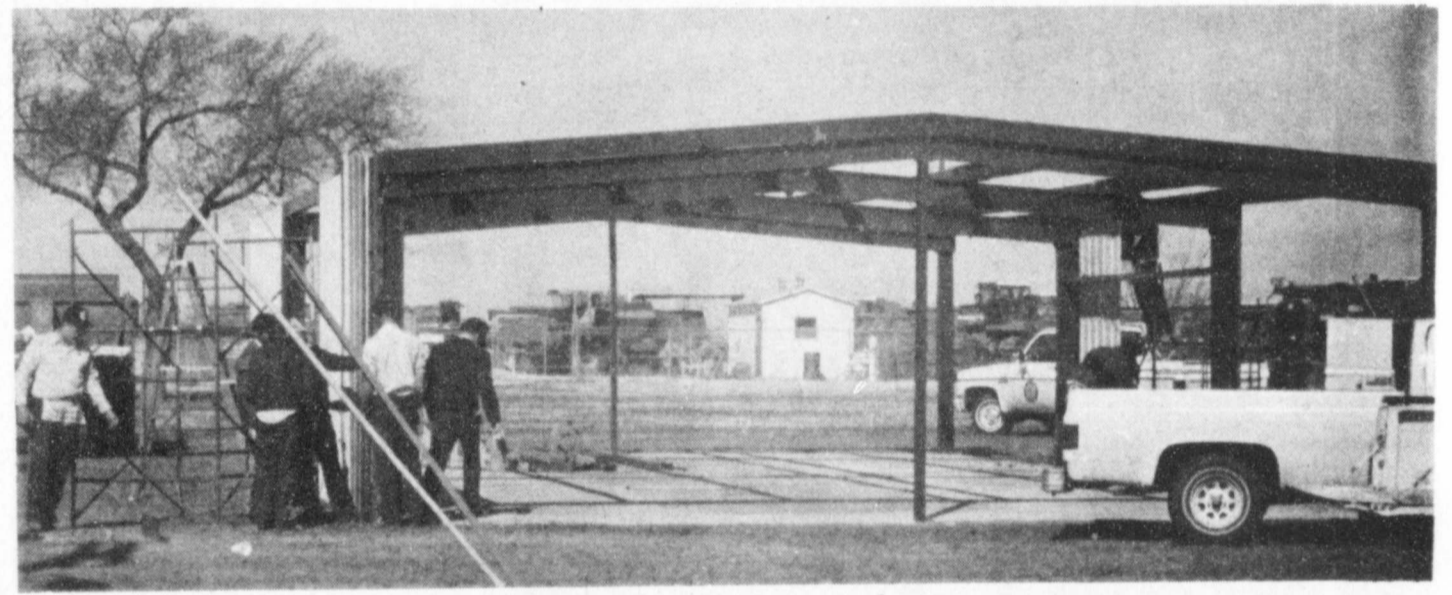
MYTH: Most people don't get their money's worth from Social Security.

FACT: In fact, most people do get their money back from Social Security under today's system. A 65-year-old worker who has paid taxes on the maximum amount of covered earnings throughout his or her career has paid \$26,371 in Social Security taxes through 1987. He or she could expect to get that sum back in less than 3 years. Based on average life expectancy at age 65, the retired worker could expect to continue receiving monthly benefits for another 10 years if a man, or 13 years if a woman. Future retirees also stand to get their money's worth, although it may take longer.

MYTH: Social Security funds are used for all sorts of government projects.

FACT: Social Security taxes are, by law, used only to pay benefits and administrative expenses of the program. The trust fund reserves are invested in U.S. Government bonds, which generate

benefits.



PAVILION AT RV PARK—City employees have been involved in constructing a 36x52 foot sheet metal pavilion at Floydada Overnight RV Park, located near the city swimming pool. The shelter is capable of accommodating 60 person.

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"A standard tractor warranty this long is a first for the agricultural equipment industry," according to Steve Brown and Bud Crump of Brown's Implement, Inc. "It reflects the confidence Case IH has in the thoroughly tested reliability of the MAGNUM line."

"The new MAGNUM tractors have already made farmers take a look with features like improved fuel efficiency, 18-speed powershift and improved visibility from the cab. A warranty that covers the whole tractor for five years or 5,000 hours is the icing on the cake. I'm sure it's going to help us sell more tractors," Brown and Crump say.

The 5-year/5,000-hour coverage provides no-charge, warranty service for dealer labor and parts replacement during the first year.

During the second year through the fifth year, the plan pays warranty service charges after a \$200 deductible is paid by the customer. If a customer sells a tractor, the warranty is transferable.

The warranty coverage applies to all of the 14,000-plus parts on the MAGNUM tractors. Only the tires, which are covered by tire manufacturers' war-

ranties, are excluded. The warranty applies to all MAGNUM tractors including those already sold and being used by farmers.

"Like Brown's Implement, Case IH is a company dedicated to giving customers what they want. So, when dealer feedback and Case IH market research found just how much today's farmers value broader and longer warranty coverage, the company acted right away to give customers what they want," Brown said.

"These tractors have been tested for

thousands of hours of laboratory and field tests. Better design and complete testing produces a tractor that can carry the longest, strongest warranty anybody's ever offered on a modern tractor," the local dealer said.

The new warranty applies to Model 7110 at 130 PTO horsepower, Model 7120 at 150 PTO horsepower, Model 7130 at 170 PTO horsepower and Model 7140 at 195 PTO horsepower. All four models are row-crop two-wheel-drive tractors with optional mechanical-front-drive.

Textile and Apparel Trade Act necessary for farmers

The continuing growth in cotton textile imports points up dramatically the necessity of passing the Textile and Apparel Trade Act this year, according to Earl Sears, executive vice president of the National Cotton Council.

The Council's chief executive officer said cotton textile imports have grown from about 1.9 million bale equivalents in 1982 to some 4.9 million in 1987. He said that three million increase over five years amounts to an annual average

increase of almost 21 percent — or a doubling of imported cotton textiles every four years.

"This kind of uncontrolled import growth creates a highly unstable environment," said Sears. "This alarming situation has been stated as objectively and emphatically as we know how, and I'm hoping the message will be heard. If our industry does not get some relief on the import problem, the American cotton farmer will have to substantially decrease his acreage, and rely completely on a volatile and erratic export market."

Sears disputed claims that passage of the bill would invite significant retaliation against U.S. exports. U.S. government officials have been more vocal than many foreign countries in raising the retaliation issue, and four countries already have agreed to growth in their bilateral agreements with the U.S. in line with the level called for under the bill, and therefore would have no reason for retaliating.

He pointed to other factors which counter the retaliation argument such as: (1) the bill providing for compensation by cutting textile and apparel tariffs by up to 10 percent, (2) guaranteeing a 52 percent share of the apparel and apparel fabric market for imports and providing import growth equal to the U.S. market growth trend, (3) the presence of trade surpluses for nearly all of the textile exporting countries, and (4) the leverage the bill could give the Administration to open foreign markets to a wider range of U.S. exports, including agricultural products.

"The cotton industry is an important segment of the farm economy," Sears concluded. "This isn't a special interest bill. It's a piece of legislation that will allow American textile manufacturers and cotton producers the opportunity to survive and grow. It also allows U.S. cotton producers to benefit through their own self-help program of research and promotion."



The fate of an average \$1.3 million in annual "seed money" for Texas natural fiber and nutrition research will be on the line in Austin, May 5 and 6, according to Donald Johnson, executive vice president of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

That's when the Texas Sunset Advisory Commission meets to consider whether to recommend continuation or abolition of the Natural Fibers and Food Protein Commission (NFFPC). The advisory group's recommendation is expected to be a critical factor in the next session of the Texas Legislature where the final decision on the NFFPC will be made.

The 30-year-old NFFPC, an extension of the old Cotton Research Committee of Texas, coordinates and finances research at four Texas universities each year. Also at stake over and above state funds will be a like or greater amount attracted annually by the NFFPC monies from the U.S. Department of Agriculture, private industry, Cotton Incorporated and other sources. For example, the NFFPC 1987-88 budget of just under \$1.5 million

Johnson, who is a member of the NFFPC Industry Advisory Committee, brought the matter before the PCG Board April 7, and at the Board's request has since prepared a resolution supporting continuation of NFFPC "with adequate funding to assure the continuity of the NFFPC's valuable contributions to the Texas economy."

For presentation to the Sunset Commission in a packet of letters and testimonials justifying state appropriations for NFFPC activities. Public testimony will not be heard at the May hearings, but NFFPC advocates will be present to answer questions.

The Texas Tech International Center for Textile Research and Development receives substantial support from the NFFPC for its work on cotton, wool and mohair. Also supported is the Natural Fibers Information Center at the University of Texas, natural fibers and nutrition utilization research at Texas Woman's University, and Texas Agricultural and Engineering Extension Services research on cotton and harvest aid chemicals, sheep and goat and food protein development.

The Sunset Advisory Commission held a public hearing March 23 at which, according to Carl Cox, Executive Director, NFFPC backers were assured their research reports had fully justified extension of the agency for another 12 years.

Government disaster assistance unavailable if insurance offered

(Editor's note: There apparently will be no disaster payments for Floyd and neighboring county farmers who suffered heavy crop loss due to hail last year. Richard E. Lyng, outlines this message in a letter to Senator Lloyd Bentsen and forwarded to The Hesperian by area producers.)

Dear Senator Bentsen:

This is in reply to your letter urging disaster payments under authority in the Food Security Act of 1985 for producers who suffered hail losses on their 1987 cotton crops, and also questioning the prerequisite to have crop insurance, when it is available, in order to count crop losses caused by a natural disaster when calculating eligibility for Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) disaster emergency (EM) loan assistance.

The Food Security Act of 1985 provides that disaster payments to producers may be made, if necessary, to alleviate an economic emergency. It has been determined that in view of the various forms of assistance now made available by the Federal Government to producers of agricultural commodities, including cotton, other disaster payment programs should not be implemented for prevented planting or reduced yields of 1987 crops.

Governor Clements requested EM assistance for 100 Texas counties as a result of adverse weather conditions affecting agricultural production. Those counties included the Texas High Plains counties which suffered cotton crop damage resulting from hailstorms, heavy rain and freezes that occurred between March 28, 1987, and July 14, 1987.

The requirement for multiperil crop insurance sponsored by the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation (FCIC) is mandated in Section 1308b of the Food Security Act of 1985. This legislation amended the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act (7 U.S.C. 1961(b)) as follows: "An applicant shall be ineligible for financial assistance under this subtitle for crop losses if crop insurance was available to the applicant for such crop losses under the Federal Crop Insurance Act (7 U.S.C. 1501)."

In the year between enactment of the legislation and the effective date of January 1, 1987, the FmHA National Office issued a press release widely circulated by the wire services and printed in national media and the

agricultural press. Additionally, the crop insurance providers and agents advertised in numerous magazines and newspapers notifying farmers of the newly required need for crop insurance. State offices of the FmHA issued their own notices as well, and field offices of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) and FCIC also provided information concerning this requirement.

The cost of multiple-peril crop insurance is subsidized by the Federal Government. This subsidy reduces the program costs by about 50 percent, making crop insurance a worthwhile option to consider regardless of the newly-required tie-in with emergency loan eligibility.

The Statute contains no provisions for a waiver of this requirement by the Secretary. Therefore, the only way we can deviate from the requirement is to have the statute amended.

Farmers who have suffered losses may apply for FmHA operating (OL) loan assistance. FmHA may loan up to \$200,000 under the direct OL loan program. Interest rates for direct OL loans are 9 percent for regular loans and 6 percent for limited resource borrowers. FmHA may also guarantee OL loans up to \$400,000. The interest rate for guaranteed loans are negotiated between the borrower and the lender. Farm operating loan funds may be used to purchase livestock, machinery and equipment, and to pay farm operating and family living expenses.

The OL loan program is limited to family size farmers who are unable to obtain credit from commercial sources. Loan terms are from one to seven years depending on the use of loan funds and type of collateral offered.

Under the terms of the buydown program for guaranteed loans, a lender, entering into an agreement with FmHA, reduces the interest rate on a borrower's existing or new guaranteed loan when the lender has demonstrated that a positive cash flow projection on all income, expenses, and debt service is not possible by rescheduling or reamortizing the account. In return, FmHA will pay the lender one-half of its cost of the interest rate reduction, up to 2 percentage points.

We hope this information will be helpful to you.

Sincerely,
/s/ Richard E. Lyng
RICHARD E. LYNG

Service technician Roy Varner graduates from Case IH school

Roy Varner, a service technician at Brown's Implement, Inc., in Floydada, has just completed a five-day intensive training course at the Case IH Service Training Center in Racine, Wisconsin. The course emphasized the new Case IH 7100 Series tractors, called the Magnum line.

The training program included classroom and hands-on study of the Magnum line's transmission, engine, hydraulic system, hitch and electronic systems. Students received an overview of the manufacturing processes used to assure high quality in the Magnum tractors.

To sharpen their servicing skills, students disassembled and reassembled components. They also practiced performing critical equipment adjustments and learned precise testing and trouble-shooting procedures.

"I need to understand all the advanced technology built into these tractors," Varner said, "so we can provide the best possible service to our

customers."

As part of that commitment, students in the course were instructed in pre-delivery, which involves using a checklist to thoroughly check over the tractor at the dealership before delivery to the customer. The service technician signs this sheet and the customer receives a copy to confirm that the checks have been made.

The Magnum line represents the first totally new tractors from Case IH since the 1985 merger of JI Case and International Harvester. The four models in the 7100 Series range from 130 to 195 PTO horsepower. The tractors feature a totally new engine, transmission and cab that will set new standards in the farm equipment industry for performance, efficiency and comfort.

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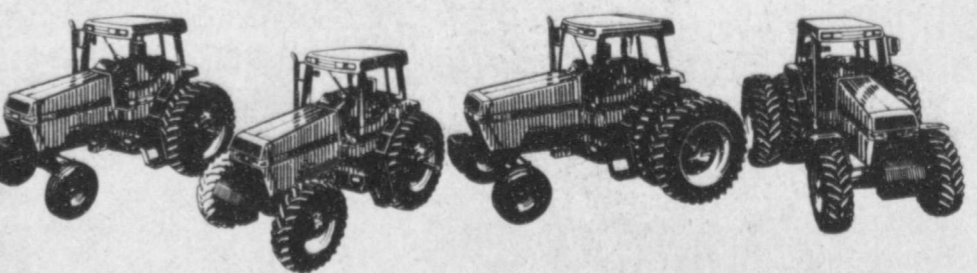


COTTON TALKS

Crosby County cotton producer Steven C. Verett of Ralls has been elected president of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., succeeding Myrl D. Mitchell of Lenorah in Martin County.

The election of officers was held by the organization's board of directors after PCG's 31st annual meeting in Lubbock Memorial Civic Center. The Board is made up of two members elected from each of PCG's 25 counties.

Verett, a Crosby County director since 1985, served in 1987 as PCG's vice president, is a member of the PCG-Cotton Incorporated Barky Cotton Research Task Force, a delegate to the National Cotton Council and was recently appointed by the Secretary of Agriculture to the National Advisory Committee on Cotton Marketing.



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Establishing market uphill battle for ethanol backers

Many believe the ethanol debate has only been around since the energy crisis of the 1970s. Actually, incentives to use ethanol in cars, and the pros and cons of that use, have been around since the 1930s. Whether they think about it or not, nearly everyone, from corn growers to the residents of smogbound cities, have a stake in the outcome.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) has released a study by the Resources and Technology Division of the Economic Research Service that reveals the complexity of the issue. It identified a surprising range of pros and cons for society to consider in deciding whether to use ethanol in automotive fuels.

Blending ethanol into gasoline boosts the octane value of the fuel and stretches the fuel use of imported petroleum while reducing the carbon monoxide emissions from automobiles.

In high altitude cities like Denver or Boise, the air is characterized by an immovable layer of car exhausts. In Denver this has prompted a requirement that only ethanol-blended fuels be sold.

The report is timely during this election year. There is legislation proposed by Rep. Richard J. Durbin (D-Ill.) that would require 50 percent of gasoline marketed in the U.S. to contain the standard 10 percent ethanol blend by 1992.

The bill has 68 co-sponsors and support from several presidential candidates courting the farm vote. Should the bill become law, petroleum company executives and motorists will watch the corn prices on the Chicago Board of Trade as closely as do feedlot operators.

Of course, corn growers and ethanol producers trying to push beyond the edge of profitability favor the proposal. Right now, ethanol remains competitive as a blending agent only by the grace of a federal gasoline tax exemption.

Also crucial is the price of crude oil. When the price was \$28-\$30 per barrel, ethanol was widely used to extend petroleum supplies. That cost-efficiency disappeared when oil prices plummeted in 1986.

Corn is a renewable resource; petroleum is not. So while its present seems tentative, its future as a fuel alternative seems assured. The report, however, also points out certain trade-offs that will have to be accepted to adopt such a measure as national policy.

Though it reduces carbon monoxide emissions from automobiles, ethanol increases ozone pollution unless seasonal blending strategies are followed.

Greater demand for corn would result in higher prices and a reduction in farm program costs and payments and generate jobs and income for rural communities. But tax revenues earmarked for

maintenance of the nation's highways would decrease due to ethanol fuel's tax exemption.

Livestock producers would pay higher prices for corn along with the ethanol companies but would benefit from an abundance of corn gluten meal. Only cornstarch is used to make ethanol. High protein corn gluten and corn oil are byproducts of the process. These would serve as substitutes for soybean meal as soybean oil.

Dennis Sharpe, vice president for economics and corporate relations of the American Soybean Association, was part of a commission that studied the potential impact of Durbin's bill.

"Producing that much ethanol could have a substantial impact on the feed complex," Sharpe said. "Prices would be driven by fuel demand instead of feed demand." He estimated the production of that much corn gluten and oil

would equal soybean meal and oil of 20 percent of current soybean acreage.

Many petroleum companies reject ethanol though they once embraced it. They prefer a byproduct of petroleum processing, methyl tertiary butyl ethers, or MTBEs. They claim ethanol causes vapor lock in automobile engines and is hard to ship by pipeline.

A more likely reason is ethanol's continued reliance on government tax exemption for profitability and the exemption expires in 1992.

Whether ethanol blends become the standard depends on how Congressmen perceive the issue. Those with rural constituencies see ethanol as solving more problems than it poses — a vast new market created for farmers with any imbalances between crops sorted out by the farmers themselves. Urban Congressmen hope ethanol helps clear the city air.

Average Changes in Depths to Water in Observation Wells - 1988

Wells Maintained	Number of Observation Wells	Average Annual Change-1978 to 1988	Average Annual Change-1983 to 1988	Average Annual Change-1987 to 1988
Armstrong	9	-0.26	+0.27	+0.47
Bailey	78	-0.68	-0.14	+0.30
Castro	89	-1.52	-0.93	-0.03
Cochran	52	+0.27	+0.53	+0.79
Crosby	24	-0.03	+1.42	+2.47
Deaf Smith	86	-0.74	-0.34	+0.38
Floyd	98	-0.69	-0.01	+0.89
Hale	27	-0.33	+0.80	+1.88
Hockley	88	+0.30	+0.60	+1.24
Lamb	99	-1.60	-0.78	+0.23
Lubbock	117	+0.33	+0.87	+1.83
Lynn	40	+1.10	+2.09	+4.02
Parmer	97	-1.51	-0.84	+0.36
Potter	6	-0.48	-0.11	+0.03
Randall	50	+0.11	+0.15	+0.37
District	960	-0.48	+0.07	+0.90

Wheat promotion paying off in export market

For anyone who enjoys a challenge, trying to sell wheat products in Colombia would be paradise.

In this country of over 30 million, the popular food products for years have been rice, beans, potatoes and corn. In fact, in a recent survey, bread came to the minds of only 13 percent of Colombian consumers when they were asked to name a food item.

But this situation is changing, and changing rapidly, thanks to the market development work of Texas and U.S. wheat producers through an organization called U.S. Wheat Associates. Largely as a result of the activities of U.S. Wheat, the government of Colombia has increased its 1988 wheat import quota by 20 percent, according to Kenneth Keisling, president of Texas Wheat Producers Board.

Traditionally, the government of Colombia has had low regard for wheat and its end products and has actively discouraged wheat consumption by heavily taxing imports and by controlling the availability of wheat.

Despite these serious impediments, U.S. wheat producers nevertheless targeted Colombia in 1984 when U.S. Wheat Associates joined forces with the Colombian millers federation in an attempt to increase consumer demand for bread and pasta. At that time, the two organizations undertook a relatively low-budget bread/pasta promotion campaign in the capital city of Bogota.

According to Alvaro de la Fuente, U.S. Wheat vice president for South America this first effort resulted in increased wheat consumption, which in

turn influenced the government to raise its 1985 wheat import quota seven percent to a record of 22.8 million bushels, of which 95 percent was U.S. wheat.

Following a second consumer initiative in 1985 (20,000 bread samples per day for two-weeks were handed out during a demonstration of bakery products at the bogota International Trade Fair), the government responded by raising the wheat import quota by eleven percent. However, in 1986, a newly-elected government rolled back 1986 imports to the 1985 level and announced a freeze on annual hard wheat imports for 1987-90.

Not to be stopped so easily when the consumer demand potential for wheat foods was so clear, U.S. Wheat and the Colombian millers conducted a nationwide six-month multi-media bread/pasta promotion campaign, partially funded by the Targeted Export Assistance Program of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. According to de la Fuente, the campaign's slogan was "Bread of life," for the country and the national economy, and bread was depicted as the spiritual symbol of food.

Key to overcoming resistance by the government and by rice growers was the revelation that 89 percent of the value of pasta and bread produced in Colombia contributed directly to the national economy in terms of raw material inputs, labor, energy and taxes. The result: bread gained new popularity and the government announced a 28.8-million-bushel wheat import quota for 1988.

De la Fuente says the expanding Colombian wheat market is a great potential opportunity for increased U.S. wheat exports of every class.

U.S. Wheat Associates, with headquarters in Washington, D.C., carries out market development activities through its 13 overseas offices, including the one in Santiago, Chile for South

America.

Funding for U.S. Wheat is provided by wheat producers through wheat boards-commissions in Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Idaho, Kansas, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Dakota, Texas, Washington, and Wyoming.

Cotton 'perishable' from standpoint of ag workers

As far as seasonal agricultural workers and employers of such workers are concerned, cotton is a "perishable commodity."

That ruling was made recently by a U.S. district judge in Lubbock. The judge ruled that "cotton is a fruit and thus within the ambit of the term 'fruits and vegetables of every kind'."

"This ruling means that under the provisions of the Immigration and Reform Act of 1986, seasonal agricultural workers (SAW) engaged in producing and harvesting cotton for 90

mandays during the period May 1, 1985 through May 1, 1986, are eligible for the legalization process," points out Dr. Richard Edwards, economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Previous rulings by the U.S. Department of Agriculture had excluded cotton as an eligible crop under the SAW provisions, Edwards points out.

"Persons who are eligible for legalization under the SAW provisions have only until Dec. 1, 1988, to make application," the economist adds.

Final procedures set for May 10 beef referendum

Final rules governing procedures for conducting the Beef Referendum as authorized by the 1985 Beef Promotion and Research Act have been issued by the United States Department of Agriculture.

Voting in the referendum will take place in county Extension offices during normal business hours on May 10.

Producers and beef importers who are unable to vote in person may request an absentee ballot by writing or visiting Dr. Milo Shult, Beef Referendum State Extension coordinator, at Texas A&M University's System Building, College Station, Texas 77843. Absentee ballots will be available

from April 1 until the close of business on April 29. The absentee ballots must be marked and returned to the county Extension office serving the county of voter residence by the close of business on May 3.

Eligible voters are all producers and importers of cattle who owned or acquired cattle, beef or beef products during the period of Oct. 1, 1986 through March 31 of 1988. This includes 4-H, FFA and other youth who owned cattle during the designated period of time.

Ballots will be counted by the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

Outstanding Young Farmer/Rancher sought

Entries are being sought in the Texas Farm Bureau state office to select the 1988 outstanding young farmer/rancher in the state. Farm Bureau members who are actively farming and/or ranching and spouse being no more than 35 years of age as of Dec. 31, 1988, are eligible to enter.

Current members of the state Young Farmer/Rancher Advisory Committee are not eligible. Deadline for entries is July 1.

Thirteen Farm Bureau district winners will be selected and three finalists will be selected from these winners. The judges will personally visit each of the three finalists' operations before the winner is selected.

Each district winner will receive reimbursement of up to \$100 towards the purchase of a new pair of boots. A plaque representative of the award will also be presented.

The state winner and spouse will receive an expense-paid trip to the TFB state convention in Corpus Christi, Dec. 4-7, the AFBF annual meeting in San Antonio, January 1989, and the Texas Farm Bureau Leadership Development Seminar in Washington, D.C., during February 1989. They will also receive a complimentary use of a one-half ton Ford pickup for one year. A plaque and belt buckle will also be presented.

The two runners-up and spouses will receive an expense-paid trip to the Texas Farm Bureau state convention and the Texas Farm Bureau Leadership Development Seminar in Washington, D.C. A plaque and belt buckle will also be presented.

Rural revitalization

Some 200 community leaders and other interested persons from throughout Texas assembled in Houston to try to find new ways to literally breathe new life into their hometowns during a Rural Revitalization Conference.

Speakers who were foremost authorities in the field of community development addressed the conference. Four concurrent work sessions on economic development, social services, agricultural development and diversification, housing and infrastructure also provided timely information to enrollees.

Keynoters on the opening day were Mayor Judy McDonald from Nacogdoches, who explained methods used successfully to bring new businesses to that area, and Peter Myers, deputy secretary of agriculture with the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

"Once you have convinced business leaders that your town is an ideal place to locate a new business, you must be able to deliver whatever you have

promised them. Research and survey results are vital, because one bad experience will turn off many future ventures," McDonald said.

Myers said the USDA is looking at alternatives and options for diversification in many areas, and particularly those that can be adapted to rural communities.

Rural development is essential for survival, Myers noted.

"Although the USDA is turning its revitalization effort goes well beyond farming and traditional agriculture," Myers said. Cooperative Extension programs and 1890 institutions as well as landgrant universities are teaming up to find ways to revitalize rural areas, Myers noted.

"We can have great plans but these won't help unless we can motivate local leaders," Myers said. These leaders should have the desire and vision to improve their communities, he added.

Texas Agricultural Hazard Communication Act viewed

In 1987 the Texas Legislature passed the Texas Agricultural Hazard Communication Act, known as the Right to Know Law. The law became effective January 1.

Not all agricultural employers are covered by this act. To be covered, the following criteria must be met: 1) Employers who annually use or store any one of the chemicals covered by the act (chemicals registered under FIFRA); 2) Employers who hire seasonal or migrant workers and whose payroll for those workers is \$15,000, or more, or 3) Employers who hire permanent workers and whose gross annual payroll is

\$50,000 or more.

As of January 1, 1988, covered employers are required to maintain a Workplace Chemical List. Even though regulations for the act are not yet final, employers must make a good faith effort to comply with this provision of the law.

"The WCL form is available through the TDA and/or your county Extension Service. If there is a part of the WCL that is unclear to you or the members in your county, contact the Texas Department of Agriculture at (512) 463-7547 or the TDA district office in your area," Floyd County Farm Bureau points out.

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6 AM	(5:30) Tom & Jerry		Muppets Spiral Zone	(15) News NBC News	CBS This Morning	Varied Progr ABC News	USA Tonight G.I. Joe	Varied Progr	Women in Rock	Prog. Cont. Nation's	
7 AM	(5:55) Hall & Oates	(45) With		Today		Good Morning America	Thunderscats Denals	Movie	(55) Varied Programs	Business SportsCtr	
8 AM	(5:55) Little House	Sesame Street	Smurfs Ruzpin		Geraldo		Woody J. Swaggart		Varied Progr	Varied Progr	
9 AM	(5:55) Mr. Rogers	Mr. Rogers Read Rainbow	Beaver Andy	Sale Concentra'n	Pyramid Card Sharks	Donahue	700 Club	Varied Progr	Movie	Programs Varied Progr	
10 AM		321 Contact Shape Up	Waltons	Wheel Win, Lose	Price Is Right	Boss? Home	Success-N-Li	Varied Progr		Getting Fit Workout	
11 AM	(5:55) Perry Mason	Varied Progr	Geraldo	Passwor Scrabble	Young and Restless	Ryan's Loving	Varied Progr	Varied Progr		Body Motion	
12 PM	(5:55) Movie	Varied Progr	News	News Beautiful	News Beautiful	All My Children	Varied Progr	Varied Progr		Varied Progr	
1 PM		Varied Progr	News	Lives Another	As the World Turns	One Life to Live	Varied Progr			Programs	
2 PM	(5:55) T & J	Varied Progr	Programs	World Sesame	Guiding Light	General Hospital	Bewitched Jeannie	Varied Progr		Varied Progr	
3 PM	(5:55) Fillet	Street			Oprah Winfrey	A. Griffith	Ghostbusters DuckTales	Varied Progr	Varied Progr	Varied Progr	
4 PM	(5:55) Muns. (35) Brady	Read Rainbow	321 Contact	Jem	Varied Progr	Silver Spoon	World of Disney	Varied Progr	Varied Progr	Varied Progr	
5 PM	(5:55) Varie (35) Varie	Exercise Bus Rpt	Fact of Life WKRP	News NBC News	3's Company CBS News	Jeopardy! ABC News	Family Ties Gimme	Varied Progr	Programs Varied Progr	SportsLook Varied Progr	

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	TBS (4) Atlanta	KTX (3) PBS	WGN (7) Chicago	KCB (1) Lubbock	KLBK (13) Lubbock	KAMC (28) Lubbock	KJTV (34) Lubbock	HBO	SHOW	ESPN	
6 AM	(5:55) Tom & Jerry		Kennedy Robert Schul	Insight Ozark Sports	Big Valley	Frog Prince	Duffy Moon	SportsCtr		Sports	
7 AM	(5:55) Flint (35) T & J		Bible Study Jimmy	Tom & Jerry Falwell	Jerry Seabert	Tom Sawyer	Just Kicks	NBA		In PGA Tour	
8 AM	(5:55) Flint	Sesame Street	Shut In Mass Popeye	Swaggart First	CBS Sunday Morning	Larry Jones Prophecy	Jimmy Swaggart	Movie: Treasure Island	Everlasting	Mtrwk Magic Years	
9 AM	(5:55) Good Cool	Mr. Rogers Read Rainbow	Visionaries Cpl Power	Methodist Church	World Tom'w	Keneth Copeland	Hardcastle			Lighter Side Sports	
10 AM		Hand Luke	Wonderworks	Mr. Duck and the Preacher	Robert Schuller	Bus. Wld Another Page	Lifestyles of Rich	Movie: Like Normal	Quartermain	1988 NFL Draft	
11 AM		GED		Going On	Face Nation Inquiry	Midpower	Movie: Alexander the	People		Codename: 1968 NFL	
12 PM	(5:55) Andy (35) Hbll	At Home World Beat	Lead Off Man	Seoul In Schools	Chrysler Cup Senior Golf	Olympic Trials	Great	Not the World News	Kryll (Part 1)		
1 PM	(5:55) Major League	D.C. Week	Wall St	Assignment			Movie: Blind Date	Codename: NFL Draft		continues	
2 PM	Baseball	Money Wild	to Kill	NBA	Gymnastics	Mulligan's Stew			Kryll (Part 2)		
3 PM		Job Corps	USF&G Classic Golf	Basketball		Fat Freedom Got It Made	Academy 3	Movie: Wild			
4 PM		Portrait of the Soviet	Innovation, Fibre, Fiber	Kung Fu	Spirit of Adv.	Small Out of World	Movie: Summer			Thing	
5 PM	Union	Firing Line	Movie: Modern Millie	Wild Kingdom NBC News	CBS News Fight Back!	ABC News	Pollard Ford	Its a Living	Camp Nightmare	Movie: Ferris Bueller	
6 PM	Movie: Rare Breed	Lawrence Welk	Modern	60 Minutes	Movie: Bigfoot, Part 2	21 Jump Street	(15) Oxford Blues	(5:00) Ferris Bueller	NHL Hockey		
7 PM		Nature	Millie Movies	Family Ties	Murder, She Wrote	Supercarrier	Most Wanted Married	Movie: Tin Men			
8 PM	National Geographic	Masterpiece Thrt.	Star Search	Movie: Protocol	Movie: April Morning	Movie: Town Bully	Shandling	Movie: Something			
9 PM	Explorer	Haute Couture	News			T. Ullman	Wild	Movie: Allan		Quatermain	
10 PM	Sports Page	Another Page	Darkside Lou Grant	News Love Boat	News Gunsmoke	(15) Sport (45) Dom	Most Wanted Ebert	Tanner '88		SportsCtr	
11 PM	Falwell	World	Pyramid	Geo. Michael	(45) Happe	(45) News	Pollard Ford Key Exchange	Date		Smart	

10:00 (3) ** 1/2 Buck and the Preacher (1972, Drama) Sidney Poitier, Harry Belafonte. A trail guide is confronted by a con man in preacher's garb.

11:00 (3) ** Alexander the Great (1956, Drama) Richard Burton, Fredric March. Biographical drama of Alexander's birth to his death.

1:00 (3) ** Assignment to Kill (1968, Mystery Drama) Patrick O'Neal, Joan Hackett. A secret investigator uncovers a murder in Switzerland.

1:30 (3) ** Mulligan's Stew (1977, Drama) Lawrence Pressman, Elinor Donahue. Football coach with a wife and three kids takes in four more kids.

5:00 (3) ** 1/2 Thoroughly Modern Millie (1967, Musical Comedy) Julie Andrews, Carol Channing. Two girls go to New York to fulfill their ambitions.

6:00 (3) ** 1/2 The Rare Breed (1966, Western Drama) James Stewart, Maureen O'Hara. Cattleman introduces new breed of cattle to the West.

8:00 (3) ** 1/2 "Protocol" NBC Sunday Night at the Movies (1984, Comedy) Goldie Hawn, Chris Sarandon. A cocktail waitress gets mixed up in State Department funny business.

11:30 (3) ** Key Exchange (1985, Romantic Comedy) Brooke Adams, Daniel Stern. Two young professionals try to decide whether to exchange house keys.

THURSDAY		April 21									
	TBS (4) Atlanta	KTX (3) PBS	WGN (7) Chicago	KCB (1) Lubbock	KLBK (13) Lubbock	KAMC (28) Lubbock	KJTV (34) Lubbock	HBO	SHOW	ESPN	
6 PM	(5:55) Andy (35) Sanf	MacNeil Lehrner	Cheers Barney	News Win, Lose	News Benson	News Wheel	Family Ties WKRP	Movie: Allighter	Vanishing America	SportsCtr SpeedWeek	
7 PM	(5:55) Sanf	Comrades	Movie: Newman's	48 Hours	Peter Board	Movie: Key Exchange	Movie: Wild Thing			NHL Hockey	
8 PM	Baseball	Governor Rpts	Law	Cheers Molly Dodd	Movie: Red Spider	Hotel	Movie: Weekend Warriors	Movie: F/X			
9 PM		Upstairs	News	L.A. Law		HeartBeat	Rockford Files	Not the			
10 PM	(15) Last Train from	Mystery!	Twilite Zone	News Tonight Show	News 3's Company	News M*A*S'H	Cheers Star Trek	World News	Movie: Tin Men	Magic Years SportsCtr	
11 PM	Gun Hill	Bus Rpt	P.I.	Letterman	Night Heat	Love Connect	Pyramid	Academy 3		Muscle Mag.	

MORNING

9:05 (3) ** Killer on Board (1977, Mystery) Claude Akins, Patty Duke Astin. A mysterious virus strikes the passengers aboard a cruise ship.

AFTERNOON

12:05 (3) A Rumor of War, Part 2 (1980, Documentary Drama) Brad Davis, Stacy Keach. Vietnam experience changes idealistic student to proud Marine.

7:00 (3) ** Newman's Law (1974, Adventure) George Peppard, Roger Robinson.

FRIDAY		April 22									
	TBS (4) Atlanta	KTX (3) PBS	WGN (7) Chicago	KCB (1) Lubbock	KLBK (13) Lubbock	KAMC (28) Lubbock	KJTV (34) Lubbock	HBO	SHOW	ESPN	
6 PM	(5:55) Andy (35) Sanf	MacNeil Lehrner	Baseball	News Win, Lose	News Benson	News Wheel	Family Ties WKRP	(5:00) Short Circuit	Tall Tales: John H	SportsCtr NHL Hockey	
7 PM	(5:55) NBA Basketball	D.C. Week	Highwayman	Beauty & the Beast	Strangers with Full House	Movie: Flight of the Grey	Movie: Blind Date		Movie: Gung Ho		
8 PM		Great Performances	Night Court	Hills Buntz	Mr Belvedere	Wolf	(45) About	(50) Comdy			
9 PM	(20) Stoges	Waterfall	News	Miami Vice	The Sunset Strip	Rockford Files	Last Night	It's Garry	Poison	NCAA	
10 PM	(5:55) Power Dancie	Ferlinghetti Bus Rpt	Twilite Zone	News Tonight Show	News 3's Company	News M*A*S'H	Cheers Star Trek	Lighter Side	Movie: Blue Velvet	SportsCtr	
11 PM	(5:55) Tracks	Austin City Limits	P.I.	Letterman	Wrestling	Love Connect	Wildcats			Wrestling	

MORNING

9:05 (3) ** 1/2 The Stratton Story (1949, Biographical Drama (Colorized)) James Stewart, June Allyson. True story of one of baseball's heroes, Monty Stratton.

AFTERNOON

12:05 (3) ** Key West (1972, Drama) Stephen Boyd, Woody Strode. A former CIA chief finds documents incriminating a U.S. Senator.

7:00 (3) The Flight of the Grey Wolf (1975, Adventure) Jeff East, Barbara Hale. A pet wolf is distrusted by both the civilized world and his wild kin.

SATURDAY		April 23									
	TBS (4) Atlanta	KTX (3) PBS	WGN (7) Chicago	KCB (1) Lubbock	KLBK (13) Lubbock	KAMC (28) Lubbock	KJTV (34) Lubbock	HBO	SHOW	ESPN	
6 AM	(5:55) Gunsmoke	Larry Jones	Chicago	Movie Cont. Fill Program	Movie Cont. TBA	Prog. Cont. Blake	Movie Cont. Mom	(5:30) Mr. Mom		Pro Tennis	
7 AM	(5:55) Bonanza	Larry Jones	Gummi Smurfs	Kitty Muppet	Clowns Pound Pup	Solid Gold	Edwards' That's Life	Movie: Star Spangled Girl			
8 AM	(5:55) National	Charlando People	Minority Bus Superman	ALF Alvia	Pee Wee Real Muppets	Johnny Canales	Happy	Movie: Girl Trivia		Pulling	
9 AM	(5:55) Geographic Explorer	Upbeat Special Srs.	Old Times Anglers	Fraggle Archies	Popeye	Bugs F'stones	TBA Sea Hunt			SportsAm SportsCtr	
10 AM	(5:55) Wrestling	Computer Economics	Soul Train	Lubbock Home Modern Chevy	Teen Wolf Galaxy	Crack-ups Health Show	Wrestling	Movie: Sweet Liberty	Movie: Some Kind of	Swimming and Diving	
11 AM		Chargel	Movie: King Kong Escapes	Farm Report (45) NBC	Quartermaster	Polliard Show	SI Se Puede Sportsman	Movie: Story on Page One		Wonderful	
12 PM	(5:55) Boom Town	Bodywatch	Movie: King Kong Escapes	Baseball Game of the Week	Chrysler Cup	Pro Bowlers	Movie: Kate		Movie: F.D.R.	CBA Basketball	
1 PM		Motorweek	Movie: Victory Gdn.	Week	CBS Sports Saturday	Wide World					
2 PM	(5:55) Andy (35) Hbll	Newton Apple	Degrassi	USF&G Classic							
3 PM	(5:55) R. Ma (35) D. Wi	Owl TV Wild Am.	Put on Hits T and T								
4 PM		Wrestling	Bust Loose	Pollard Ford	Comedy Club	Fishing TX	Chas. Chrg	Movie: That's Life	Movie: Mr. Mom	Motorcycle Racing	
5 PM	(5:55) Wrestling	Upstairs	Living	TX Cntry Rpt	Hee Haw	News Wheel	Star Trek: Next G.	(5:00) That's Life	(5:00) Mr. Mom	SportsCtr SpeedWorld	
6 PM	(5:55) Coogan's	Wonderworks	Movie: Final Countdown	Fact of Life	High Mtn.	Dolly	Double Dare	Movie: Heat	Movie: Some Kind of	NHL Hockey	
7 PM		Bluff	Lawrence Welk	Gold Girls	Tour of Duty	O'hara	Movie: Halls of Montezuma			Wonderful	
8 PM	(5:55) Cousteau	Austin City Limits	News	Hunter	West 57th	Spenser: For Hire		Comic Relief '87		NHL Roll Reunion	
9 PM	(5:55) Charibusters	Ferlinghetti	Hogan	News Saturday	News Wrestling	Friday the				College	
10 PM	(5:55) Tracks	Playhouse	Hand of God	Night Live		13th	Darkside	Movie: Hoosiers		Baseball	
11 PM		Sign Off									

MORNING

5:00 (3) ** Killers of Kilimanjaro (1960, Adventure Drama) Robert Taylor, Anthony Newley. An engineer is commissioned to build the first East African railway.

11:05 (3) Treachery and Greed on the Planet of the Apes (1974, Science Fiction) Roddy McDowall, Ron Harper. One of the astronauts is bitten by a scorpion.

AFTERNOON

12:00 (3) 1/2 King Kong Escapes (1968, Drama) Rhodes Reason, Lee Remick. King Kong falls under the spell of a beautiful girl.

3:00 (3) ** The Story on Page One (1959, Drama Mystery) Rita Hayworth, Anthony Franciosa. Two adulterers stand trial for the murder of the lady's husband.

1:05 (3) ** Boom Town (1940, Western Drama (Colorized Version)) Clark Gable, Spencer Tracy. After striking oil, partners' friendship withers over a girl.

SUNDAY		April 24									
	TBS (4) Atlanta	KTX (3) PBS	WGN (7) Chicago	KCB (1) Lubbock	KLBK (13) Lubbock	KAMC (28) Lubbock	KJTV (34) Lubbock	HBO	SHOW	ESPN	
6 AM	(5:55) MLB Baseball	MacNeil Lehrner	Cheers Barney	News Win, Lose	News Benson	News Wheel	Family Ties WKRP	(5:00) Stalag 17	(5:30) 13th Day	SportsCtr NHL Hockey	
7 AM		League	Nova	Movie: Gilligan's Island	Mallock	Houston Knights	G. Pains 10 of Us	Movie: Alice to Nowhere	Movie: Every Goodbye	Rock 'N Roll Reunion	
8 AM		Frontline	News	In Heat of Night	Movie: Sharing Richard	China Beach	Part 2			Movie: Making	
9 AM	(20) Night Passage	The Journey Back	Baseball	Crime Story			Rockford Files	Conspiracy: The Trial of		Great Hits	
10 AM		Body Elect.		News	News 3's Company	News M*A*S'H	Cheers Star Trek	Lighter Side		Lighter Side SportsCtr	
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6 PM	(4:35) MLB Baseball	MacNeil Lehrner	Cheers Barney	News Win, Lose	News Benson	News Wheel	Family Ties WKRP	(5:00) Camp Nightmare	(5:00) Gung Ho	SportsCtr SportAm	
7 PM	(20) Fantastic Voyage	Mark Russell	Movie: Emma, Queen of the	Aaron's Way	TBA	G. Pains Hd Class	Movie: A Fistful of Dollars	Movie: Something Wild	Movie: Brothers in Arms	Skateboard'g	
8 PM		Opera Presents	South Seas, Part 1	Year in the Life	Jake & the Fatman	Hooperman In Time	Dollars	Wild	Movie: Some Kind of	NHL Hockey	
9 PM	(20) Kidnapping of		Baseball	The Bronx Zoo	Equalizer	China Beach	Rockford Files	Hitchhiker On Location		Wonderful	
10 PM		Body Elect.		News	News 3's Company	News M*A*S'H	Cheers Star Trek	Tanner '88		Movie: House of Pleasures	
11 PM	(20) Ski Lift to Death	Sign Off		Letterman	Adderly	Love Connect	Movie: Nightline	Movie: Wealth		(20) Codename: Mtrwk	

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Have a good week

City-area directory work underway

Work has begun this week on updating the City Directory for Floydada and surrounding rural area, according to the District Manager of Johnson Directories, an established publisher of quality directories, located in Loveland, Colorado. The last City Directory was printed in 1984 to be issued at three-year intervals. Johnson Directories was purchased by US West in January of 1986. US West will continue to publish city directories in the towns established by Johnson Directories and at the same time expand to other cities. However, US West will publish all its directories on an annual basis advertising prices have been reduced to reflect the new annual format.

Material for the directory will be assembled through a thorough canvass of the city and of rural homes. Delivery of the book will be made in October.

The directory will list every resident of Floydada and the surrounding rural area, regardless of age, for the business community. The addition of children and their ages to the directory this year will be vital for emergency services. With the addition of the children's names and ages to the directory, the fire department, police station and sheriff's department will be able to more

effectively service the community in an emergency situation when it becomes necessary to identify a child knowing only their name. Additional information for each family will include wife's name, occupation and employer of the husband and wife, designation of home ownership, street address and mailing address and available telephone numbers. The business edition will also include a street and avenue directory listing all homeowners with their phone numbers, and a numerical telephone guide. There will be a classified business section and a preface giving complete information about the community.

A resident edition of the directory will be available by subscription only at a nominal fee. This is a change from the

1984 edition in order to protect the privacy of those individuals providing information for the directory. The resident edition of the directory will have less information in it than the business edition, but will still list both the husband's and wife's first name and the children's first name, but not their ages. It will also include the telephone locator for help in finding who is assigned a certain number when you only have the telephone number.

The directory will be financed through the sale of advertising. Representatives of US West will conclude advertising sales next week. If you are interested in being contacted, please call the Floydada Inn and they will advise a US West representative.

Health Fair set April 23

The Dickens County Home Economics Committee of the Extension Service will be sponsoring a Health Fair on Saturday, April 23, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Numerous booths focusing on individual health will be set up. Organizations involved will be: American Cancer

Society, American Heart Association, the Lubbock General Hospital, Methodist Hospital, St. Mary's Hospital, American Red Cross, Charter Plains Hospital, United Blood Services, Texas Department of Health, Dickens County EMS, and Texas Department of Public Safety.

Programs that will be given free of charge will be blood pressure checks, diet exercise and nutrition information, alcohol and drug abuse, glucose testing and for only \$5.00 you can get cholesterol screening.

The Flight For Life emergency helicopter from St. Mary's and the Care Link helicopter from Lubbock General and Methodist Hospitals will be on hand from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Also available will be the burn trauma unit from Lubbock General and an EMS ambulance.

Children can also be fingerprinted and programs on alcohol and drug abuse and how to quit smoking will be presented.

Senior citizens hospital programs will be presented and anyone desiring information on insurance and Medicare need only to bring their policy and help will be available.

Door prizes will be awarded to those that register. The drawing will be at 3:00 and you don't have to be present to win.

The fair will be held at the Spur High School old gym, and a concession stand will be open. There is no admission charge.



NURSING HOME COMPETITION—Winners were recognized following Friday afternoon competition at Floydada Nursing Home for the Unicare Skills Olympics. Nursing home facilities in Floydada, Lockney, Crosbyton and Tulia had employees entered in four categories: Laundry Employee Olympic, Housekeeping Employee Olympics, Dining Service Olympics and Nursing Assistant Olympics. Each performed job-related skills. First place winners, seated from left, are

Savina Castenada, Tulla; Dianna Enriquez, Floydada; Susan Guerrero, Crosbyton; and Irene Daniel, Tulia. Other winners standing left to right, are Annie Campbell, Floydada; Rita Perida, Crosbyton; Virginia Torres, Lockney; Loraine Beaudion, Tulla; Jane Fernandez, Tulla; Hope Blanco, Lockney; Alex Reyes, Floydada; and Karen Davis, Floydada. —Staff photo



BEST DRESSED WINNERS—Four South Plains College students won honors in the annual Best Dressed Texas contest, held recently in conjunction with the college's spring fashion show. From left are Beth Stolle of Slaton, runner-up, 20, 1986 graduate of Slaton High and an education major at SPC; Michael Pruitt and Shawna Cannon, both of Brownfield, winners; and Hector Cervera of Floydada, runner-up, 21-year-old law enforcement technology major at SPC, 1986 graduate of Floydada High and SPC's student body president.

Old Settlers book sale planned by library friends

The Friends of the Library announce plans for a book sale to be held Old Settlers Day, May 28, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The sale will be located in Randy Hollums' former office building, northwest of the courthouse.

"It's been two years since the Friends held a sale and it's time once again for everyone to look through their shelves to contribute used books and replace them with 'new' ones," a spokesperson says.

"Many treasures are to be found at book sales," the organization points out. The Friends anticipate plenty of children's books, hardbacks and paperbacks

of all kinds. "No magazines, please," they state.

Boxes will be placed in area stores the first of May for people wishing to contribute to the book sale. "Your help will be greatly appreciated," organizers say.

Money that is raised will be added to the Friends of the Library Building

Fund. Sites are being studied for a new location for the library to make it more accessible and to have more space.

A membership drive for the friends will be held during the book sale.

For more information persons should contact Dee Sanders, president of F.O.L., or Janice Lloyd, book sale chairperson.

County Weather 100 years ago

(The weather in Floyd County 100 years ago - 1888. Courtesy of the Floyd County Historical Museum.)

April 21st - 58° at sunrise; 77° at 2:10 p.m. - southwest wind.

April 22nd - 63° at sunrise - brisk southwest wind - warmer.

April 23rd - 66° at sunrise.

April 24th - 55° at sunrise - commenced raining at 7:30 this morning and did not let up until 5 p.m. Water in puddles all over the plains and some in the draws - the rain came from the east and southeast.

April 25th - 60° at sunrise.

April 26th - 60° at sunrise - rained during the night.

April 27th - note: Dr. Keeley was attending a patient Mrs. Witcher "over at the brakes 30 miles northeast" and was not at home to record temperature for this day.

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STUDENT LEADERS—Floydada High School Student Council officers for the 1988-89 year have been chosen. Tiffany Gentry [seated in middle] is the president. The other three leaders, pictured in the FHS library, are, left to right, Trish Hanna, treasurer; Tim Julian, vice president; and Lori Christian, secretary. —Staff photo

Jana Lawson named outstanding TTU sophomore

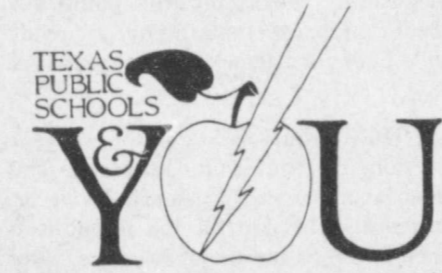


VARSITY CHEERLEADERS—Leading yells for the Whirlwinds next school year will be these six varsity cheerleaders. Pictured are, kneeling from left to right, Shayla Barbee, Jodi Morrison [head] and Shelby Ogden; and standing from left, Blanca Medrano, Lori Christian and JoLee Ellis. —Staff photo



JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS—During the 1988-89 school year, junior varsity cheerleaders will include, kneeling from left to right, Jennifer Crow, Kalli Hicks and Sylvia Caballero; and standing from left, Amy Hinsley, Tonya Powell and Trish Pernell [head]. —Staff photo

Jana Lawson has been cited as the 1988 outstanding sophomore in the Electrical Engineering/Computer Science Department of the School of Engineering at Texas Tech University. She also is the recipient of the \$2,000 Pete Davis Memorial Scholarship. Miss Lawson has been chosen for membership in Kappa Mu Epsilon, a national mathematics honorary society. The daughter of Dale and Joy Lawson was salutatorian of the 1986 graduating class of Floydada High School.



School menu

- April 25-29
- Monday:**
Breakfast — Pineapple juice, cinnamon toast, milk
Lunch — Chicken fried steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, cherry cake, hot roll, milk
- Tuesday:**
Breakfast — Orange juice, toast, jelly, milk
Lunch — Frito pie, pinto beans, spinach, corn bread, fruit cup, milk
- Wednesday:**
Breakfast — Grape juice, hot oatmeal cereal, toast, milk
Lunch — Spaghetti chicken casserole, fried squash, pears, peanut butter cake, hot roll, milk
- Thursday:**
Breakfast — Apple juice, dry cereal, milk
Lunch — Bean beef chalupa, tossed salad, Spanish rice, jello w/applesauce, milk
- Friday:**
Breakfast — Pineapple juice, pancakes, syrup, milk
Lunch — Hamburger w/mustard, French fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, peach cobbler, milk

Consumer facts...

Overweight and out of shape? Can't seem to maintain a regular exercise program? Too many things getting in the way of a diet? Those are problems a lot of us have. But don't be fooled by come-ons from "body wrap" salons. The ads claim that body wraps let you lose "inches while you relax." Don't believe it. It is a physiological impossibility. The Food and Drug Administration's pamphlet **About Body Wraps, Pills and Other Magic Wands for Losing Weight** says: "Most medical experts agree that such treatment (body wraps) will cause loss of inches and perhaps pounds due to profuse perspiration, but reductions are temporary." The FDA also warns that: **rapid and excessive fluid loss is potentially dangerous...Wraps have no effect on fat deposits and will not dissolve fat, even temporarily.**

If you want to lose weight, do it the old-fashioned way — work for it.

Join the Floyd County self-help program.
Check our ads and shop at home.
SAVE TIME SAVE MONEY SAVE GAS

Registration for summer school, pre-registration set for April 26

Floydada ISD will be offering half-day summer school classes for children with limited English speaking ability who will be in kindergarten or first grade in September, 1988. These classes will be held at A.B. Duncan School beginning July 5.

Parents may register their children on Tuesday, April 26, at A.B. Duncan Elementary School Cafeterium from 1:30-3:00 p.m. Transportation and meals will not be provided. Parents must bring birth certificate, health records and Social Security number when registering students.

PRE-REGISTRATION FOR 1988-89 SCHOOL YEAR
Pre-registration for new pre-kindergarten, kindergarten and first grade students entering Floydada school in September will also be April 26, from 1:30-3:00 p.m. at A.B. Duncan Elementary School Cafeterium.

"Free" medical and eye examinations will be given during registration that day.

"Please bring your child's birth certificate, immunization record and social security number," school officials advise parents.

For more information, please call 983-5332 or 983-5341.

INFORMATION LISTED PRE-REGISTRATION INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS WHO WILL BE ATTENDING SUMMER SCHOOL AND FOR THE 1988-89 SCHOOL YEAR:
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SUMMER SCHOOL REGISTRATION—Floydada ISD will be holding summer school classes for children with limited English speaking ability who will be eligible for kindergarten or first grade in September, 1988. These classes

will be half-day classes for eight weeks beginning July 5, 1988. Transportation or meals will not be provided.

PRE-KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION—Four years old before September 1, 1988; unable to speak and understand English; or from a family which would qualify for FREE meals.

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION—Five years old before September 1, 1988. (Parents of children now enrolled do not need to come. These children will already be enrolled.)

"FREE"—Medical examination will be given by local doctors: Dr. Jack Jordan, Dr. Andy Hale and Dr. Rene Lopez.

"FREE"—Eye examination will be given by Dr. Tommy McIntosh.

Immunizations required before September 1, 1988 are as follows:
DPT — 3 or more doses - one must have been received since 4th birthday.
POLIO — 3 or more doses - one must have been received since 4th.
MEASLES — 1 dose
RUBELLA — 1 dose
MUMPS — 1 dose

If you have questions regarding registration, please call Bobbie Weir, principal, at 983-5341 or 983-5332.

Sincerely,
Bobbie Weir, principal

Program on 'Show Rabbits' given for Floydada 4-Hers

The Floydada 4-H Club held its regular monthly meeting Monday night, April 11, in the Massie Activity Center. There were 32 4-H'ers, 16 parents and guests, and agents, Mary True and Richie Crow present.

Three door prizes are given at each meeting, one from the 4-H'ers that are there and registered by 7:00 p.m. and ready for the meeting to begin (an incentive to be there on time), one to a parent (an incentive for more parents to attend) and one given from the group of 4-H'ers, Just For Fun. Rheaene Brown won the prize for being there before 7:00. Olivia Mercado was the parent that won the prize and Carrie Emert won the 4-H'er prize.

The program for the evening was given by Roy Henderson and his daughters, Angie and Heather from Lockney. They brought their rabbits that they use as their 4-H project. They also use them as "Show Rabbits" and

travel all over the state showing them. It was pointed out that this is a good family project.

The club also had a special fund raiser to be given in memory of Paula Porter who was a member of 4-H. Each club member brought a baked item and they had a "Food Auction." Allen Akers, Floydada High School agriculture instructor, donated his talents as an auctioneer for this auction. The club opted to put one-half of the amount raised into the scholarship fund that has been set up in Paula's memory and the other one-half to go into the Love Fund.

Have a good week



UIL ONE ACT PLAY—Floydada High School competed in the District UIL One Act Play contest in Muleshoe and place fourth against Muleshoe, Friona, Dimmitt, Tulia, and Littlefield. They will advance to the area contest to be held April 9. The cast, crew, and director, pictured here are: [left to right, top row] Lou Burleson, director; Gabriel Mendoza, crew member; Travis Bishop, announcer voice; Dinah

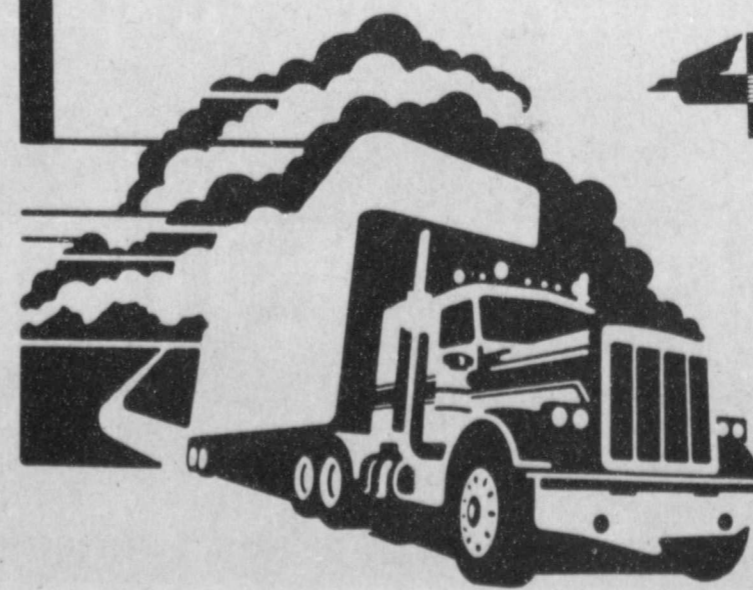
Coronado, "The Mime"; Kelly Wood, "Ringmaster"; Andrea Bonner, "Dancing Bear"; Marty Edwards, crew member; Melissa Wood, "Mother's Voice"; Tana Turner, "Aunt Ellen's Voice"; [bottom row, left - right] Criselda Hernandez, "Star Bright"; Ange Shurbet, "Little Bear"; and Tiffany Gentry, "Fish".

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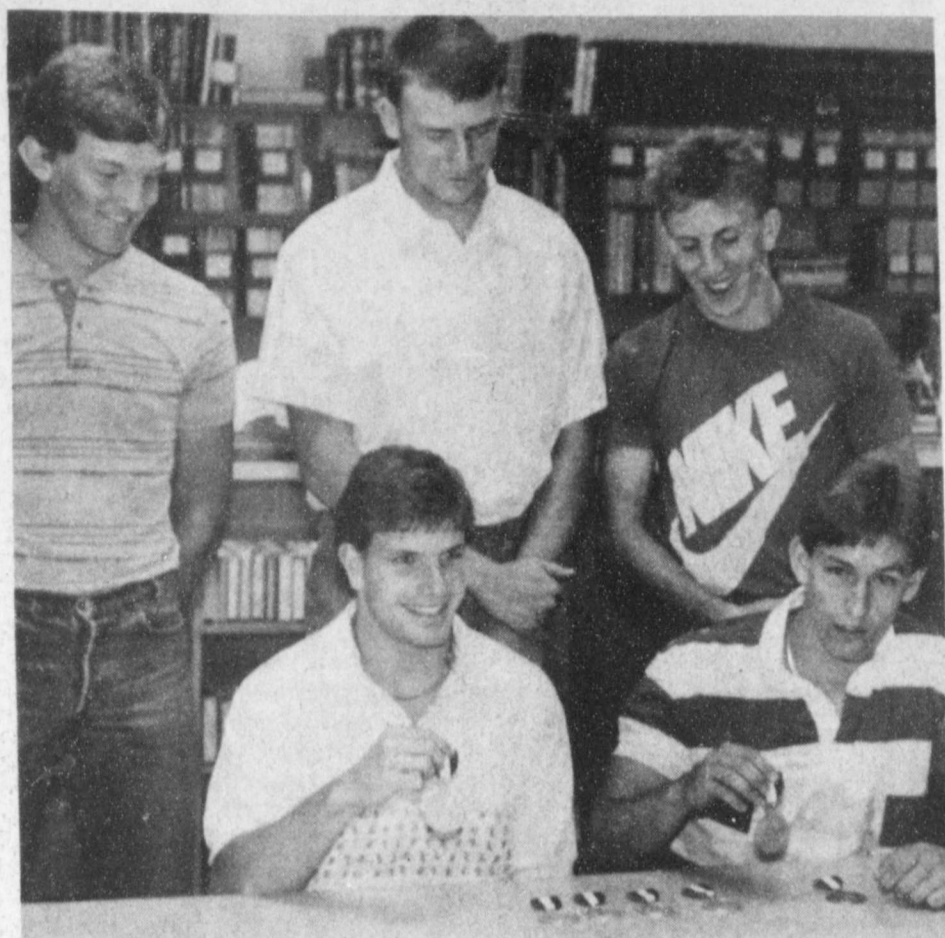
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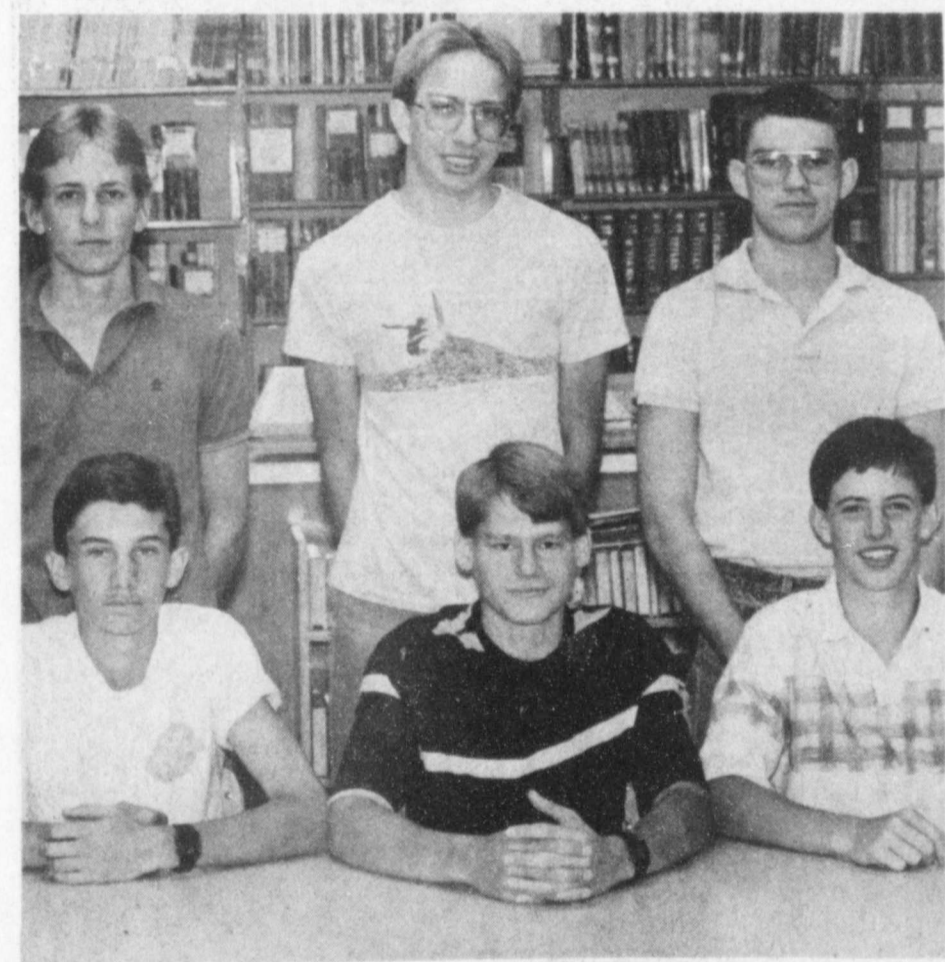
Whirlwind track lads qualify for regional competition in four events



MEDALS GALORE—Whirlwind "A" boys golf team, the district champion, collected several medals during the season. Ty Stovall [seated at left] was district medalist and Corey Bates [seated at right] was runner-up. Other team members, standing from left, are Jason Brown, Dean Smith and Grant Stovall. They will vie in the regional tournament, April 25-26, in Odessa. Lee Hurt is the coach.
Staff Photo



SOLID GOLFERS—Paced by district medalist June Willson [seated at left], Whirlwind girls placed second in District 2-3A action and qualified for regional. Amanda McDaniel sits to Miss Willson's right and standing from left are Amy McCormick, Libby Anderson and Amy Burns. The team is coached by Lee Hurt.
Staff Photo



WHIRLWINDS 'B' TEAM—Whirlwind boys had two male teams competing in district golf action. The "B" team includes, standing left, Chad Williams, Rusty Edwards and Vince Ferris; seated from left, Ryan Burns, Eric Hendricks and Brian Teeple.
Staff Photo

Four athletes in four events will be representing the Whirlwind boys track team in regional competition, April 29-30 in Odessa.

Daniel and David Medrano placed one-two in the 800 meter run to qualify for the regional trials, and Daniel qualified in the 1,600 meters run by placing second. Scott Battey was runner-up in the pole vault to qualify for regional. Rod Davis' third place finish in the 110 meter high hurdles made him a regional alternate.

Daniel Medrano's 1:58.81 time in the 800 meter run established a new school record.

The regional qualifiers expect to compete Saturday in a meet at South Plains College in Levelland.

Coach Mike Vickers' crew scored 60 points in the District 2-3A meet, held Friday and Saturday in Muleshoe, to place fourth in the varsity boys division.

Following are Whirlwind varsity boys who placed, according to Coach Vickers: 400 meter relay — 6. (Rod Davis, Corey Mulder, Joe Suarez and Jessie Suarez), 45.82

800 meter run — 1. Daniel Medrano, 1:58.81 (school record); 2. David Medrano, 1:59.62

110 meter high hurdles — 3. Rod Davis, 15.73

1,600 meter run — 2. Daniel Medrano, 4:48.74

1,600 meter relay — 4. (Joe Suarez, Jessie Suarez, David Medrano, Daniel Medrano) 3:34.20

Pole vault — 2. Scott Battey, 12'; 4. Rod Davis, 11'; 6. Tim Julian, 10'

Long jump — 4. Rod Davis, 21'1 1/4"

JV BOYS THIRD

Whirlwind boys amassed 90 points to place third in their division of the district track meet.

Following are relays and individuals who placed:

3,200 meter run — 4. Junior DeHoyos, 11:55.88

400 meter relay — 2. (Victor Chavarria, Joe Cisneros, Jessie Cervera and Mike Aleman), 47.14

800 meter run — 2. Larry Galvan, 2:11.41

100 meter run — 3. Joe Cisneros, 12.01

400 meter dash — 6. Mike Aleman, 57.90

330 intermediate hurdles — 6. Roy Garcia, 46.86

200 meter dash — 3. Victor Chavarria, 24.06

1,600 meter run — 2. Larry Galvan, 5:15.12; 5. Ray Garcia, 5:29.02

1,600 meter relay — 2. (Victor Chavarria, Joe Cisneros, Mike Aleman, Jessie Cervera), 3:50.22

Pole vault — 2. Ronnie Benjamin, 9'0"

Shot put — 5. Gary Dawson, 35'7"

Discus throw — 3. Adam Cates, 4. Victor Chavarria, 6. Mike Aleman.

Junior high track meet in Muleshoe

Eighth and seventh grade girls and boys track teams are scheduled to compete Friday and Saturday in the district junior high meet.

This will end their season.



SPORTS

Bass tourney at Lake Mackenzie

"Water Dawg, Big Hawg" fishing tournament is on tap Saturday, April 24, at Lake Mackenzie. One thousand dollars minimum is offered for the biggest bass landed during the day.

All entries must be obtained at Billy's Boat Ramp by 6 p.m. April 23. "Absolutely no late entries" will be accepted. The store is located at I-40 and Lakeside South in Amarillo. The tournament starts at 7 a.m. and

concludes at 3 p.m. on the 24th. Entry fee is \$37.50 each.

Pernell chosen to participate in all-star game

Whirlwind athlete Chad Pernell has been named to the south squad for the annual Texas Golden Spread High School All-Star basketball games, which will be played May 5-7 at the West Texas State University fieldhouse in Canyon.

Pernell, an all-district selection in both basketball and football, was the Whirlwind basketball squad's leading scorer during his senior campaign.



FHS NETTERS—Coach Regina Smith and her Floydada High tennis team includes: standing from left to right, Jerry Wickware, Jamie Bailey, Junior Galvan, David Christian and Coach Smith; middle row from left, Misty Avila, Janet Himes,

Angie Briones, Dianah Coronado, Donna Campbell, Trina Ogden and Ange Shurbet; and front row from left, Andrea Bonner, Gabriel Mendoza and Jodi Morrison
—Staff photo

Shelby Ogden, Angie Bertrand advance to regional track level

Shelby Ogden won the discus throw and Angie Bertrand ran second in the 800 meter run at district to earn the right to compete in the regional trials, April 29-30 in Odessa.

Both will vie Saturday in the regional qualifiers meet at South Plains College in Levelland.

Miss Ogden's throw of 91 feet earned her a blue ribbon in the discus throw at the District 2-3A meet, held Friday and Saturday in Muleshoe.

Whirlwind girls picked up first, third and fifth in the discus throw, their best event. Lupe Gonzales claimed third and Nahomi DeOchoa was fifth.

Miss Bertrand, a senior who has been a three-sport standout for the Winds, crossed the line second in the 800 meter run. Her time was 2:33.08.

Coach Gail Gregg says Floydada's 61 points placed the Whirlwind girls fourth among the six teams. Tulia won the team title. Dimmitt was runner-up and Muleshoe placed third.

Following are local girls who placed in the district competition:

3,200 meter run — 6. Lori Christian, 14:23; 7. Deanna Watson, 14:26; 8. Gloria Vargas, 14:28

400 meter relay — 4. (Blanca Medrano, Angie Glasscock, Tiffany Gentry and Heather Henderson), 55.15

800 meter run — 2. Angie Bertrand, 2:33.08

100 meter hurdles — 5. Angie Glasscock, 17.3 (prelim time)

800 meter relay — 4. (Blanca Medrano, Angie Glasscock, Tiffany Gentry, Lori Christian), 1:59.5

1,600 meter run — 4. Deanna Watson, 6:19.7

100 meter dash — 7. Heather Henderson, 13.66

1,600 meter relay — 5. (Blanca Medrano, Lori Christian, Gloria Vargas and Angie Bertrand), 4:37.0

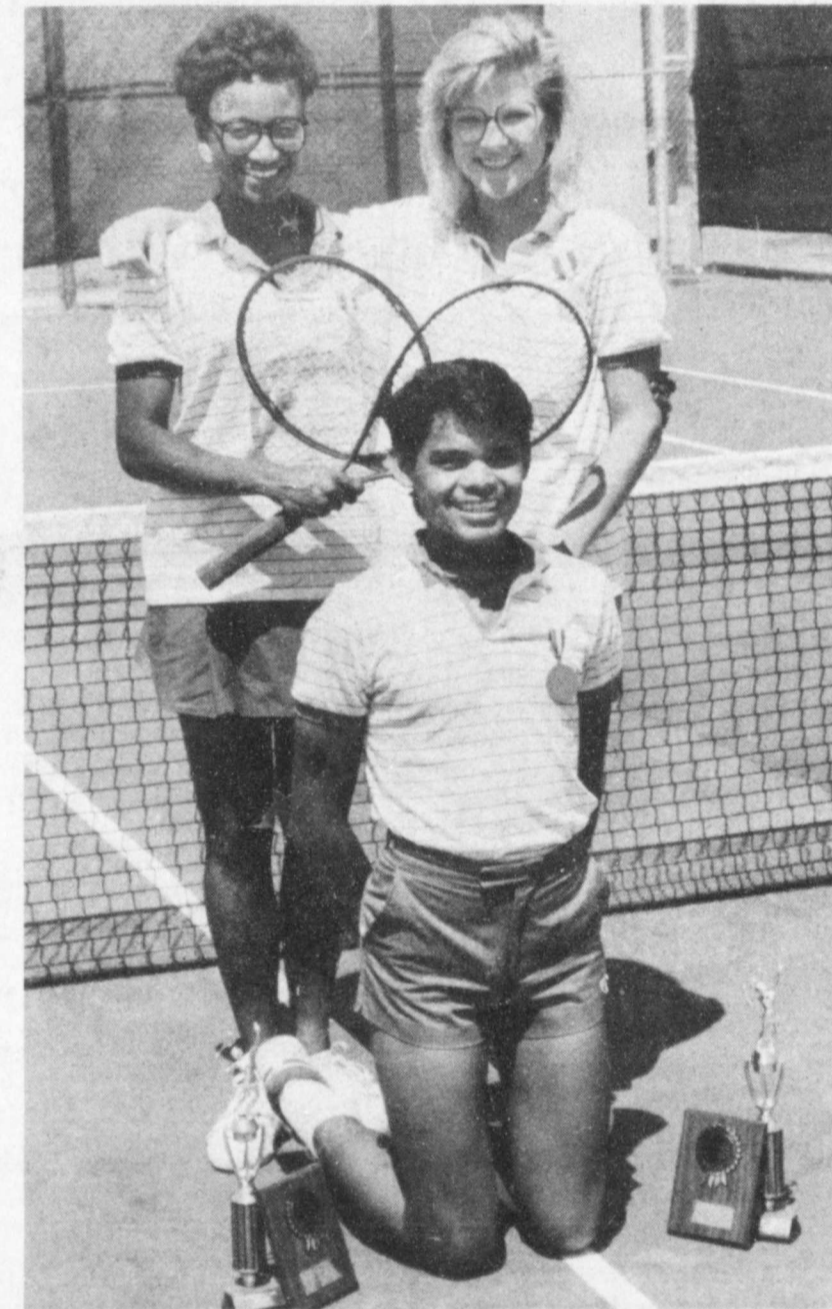
Shot put — 6. Denise Morren, 30'5"

Discus — 1. Shelby Ogden, 91'; 3. Lupe Gonzales, 89'5"; 5. Nahomi DeOchoa, 88'

Triple jump — 6. Angie Glasscock, 30'9 1/4

High jump — Tie for 2. Angie Bertrand, 4'10" (Placed third on number of misses)

Tana Turner, another senior who has been a standout during her track career, missed a portion of her final campaign and the district meet due to a knee injury.



TALENTED NETTERS—Andrea Bonner and Jodi Morrison joined forces to claim the district girls doubles tennis championship. Their plaques and trophies flank Gabriel Mendoza, who was runner-up in boys singles. The trio will vie April 27-28 in the regional tournament at Odessa Junior College. Regina Smith is their coach.
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OBITUARIES

JUANITA AGUIRRE

Funeral mass for Juanita Garcia Aguirre of 515 South Wall in Floydada was at 2 p.m. Monday in St. Mary Magdalen Church. Father Terry Burke, pastor, officiated.

Interment was made in Floydada Cemetery, under direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers were Jose Angel Torres, Juan M. Enriquez, Gabriel Juarez, Joe Enriquez, Joe Angel Barrientos and Roberto Rodriguez.

Mrs. Aguirre, 72, was claimed by death at 6 a.m. Saturday, April 16, in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

Mrs. Aguirre and her family moved to Floyd County in 1964 from Estelline.

The former Juanita Garcia was born Dec. 27, 1915 in Pearsall, Texas. She and Jose Aguirre Sr. were married June 15, 1933, in Mexico.

A Catholic, Mrs. Aguirre was a homemaker.

She is survived by her husband; Jose; two sons, Joe Aguirre Jr. of Floydada and Richard Aguirre of Amarillo; two daughters, Ramona Barrientos of Floydada and Elida Balderas of Dallas; a brother, Felix T. Garcia of Saginaw, Mich.; 10 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

ROY WALLACE BURROWS

Roy Wallace Burrows, 81, of Amarillo was buried Monday in Memorial Park Cemetery in Amarillo following 10 a.m. memorial services in Trinity Baptist Church. The Rev. David Evans, pastor, officiated and was assisted by the Rev. Coy Quisenberry of Fort Worth.

Mr. Burrows, who had several local relatives, was claimed by death at 1 a.m. Friday in Olson Manor Nursing Home after a lengthy illness.

A son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Rulen Burrows, he was born in Floyd County. He was a retired salesman for Maywood and a member of Trinity Baptist

Church.

Survivors include his wife, Lotella Ann; two sons, Roy D. Burrows of Lawton, Okla., and Jimmy G. Burrows of Farwell; two sisters, Agnes McNutt of Waco and Pearl Formby of Amarillo; eight grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a daughter.

VIRGIL LEWIS

Funeral rites for Virgil Lewis, 82, of Earth were at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Earth Church of Christ. Burial was made in Earth Memorial Cemetery.

Mr. Lewis was claimed by death at 3 p.m. Sunday in Littlefield Medical Center after a lengthy illness.

He was a brother of Ruth Webb of Floydada.

Born in Mountain Home, Ark., Mr. Lewis moved to Earth in 1928 from Paducah. He was a retired farmer and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife, Annie; two sons, Truman Lewis of Lubbock and Melvin Lewis of Fort Worth; two daughters, Neleen Dent of Muleshoe and Linda Johnson of Pampa; a sister, Ruth Webb of Floydada; three brothers, Paul Lewis of Lubbock, R.B. Lewis of Hughes Springs and Foy Lewis of Fresno; 10 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

VINSON SMITH

Vinson Smith of Silverton, investigator for the 110th district attorney for several years until his retirement last year, was claimed by death early Wednesday morning in the Veterans Administration Hospital in Amarillo.

Memorial services will be at 11 a.m. Friday, although the site had not been determined at press time.

Smith was a former Briscoe County sheriff.

Other details were unavailable at press time.

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION

Notice is hereby given that Bloom Dairy Farms whose principal business office is at 3108 23rd Street, Lubbock, Texas 79410, Lubbock County, Texas, did, on January 2, 1988, become incorporated without a change of firm name.

Dated March 7, 1988.

/s/ Bennett G. Cook
BENNETT G. COOK, Attorney for Corporation

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City of Floydada, Texas will receive bids at the office of the city secretary, City Hall, 114 W. Virginia St., Floydada, Texas until 5:00 p.m. on May 10, 1988 and then opened and publicly read at its regular council meeting at 7:30 p.m., at the city council meeting room for the following equipment:

1. An On-Line Interactive Computer System for City Government Use.

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Request for Proposals may be obtained at the City Hall 114 W. Virginia St., Floydada, Texas, Monday through Friday, from 8:00 a.m. through 5:00 p.m.

2. The bids are to be submitted in a sealed envelope addressed to the Mayor and City Council, City of Floydada, 114 W. Virginia St., P.O. Box 10, Floydada, Tx. 79235

3. The award of the bid will be made at a later date to be set by the City Council.

4. The City Council of the City of Floydada reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids submitted.

April 21, 28

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals addressed to the Honorable Mayor and City Council of Lockney, Texas, will be received at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall in Lockney, Texas, until 7:00 p.m., C.D.T., May 12, 1988, for furnishing all necessary materials, machinery, equipment, superintendence and labor for placing a seal coat, consisting of one application of asphalt covered with aggregate on approximately 27,000 square yards of street pavement. The estimated quantities are:

- 8,100 gallons of asphalt
- 225 cubic yards of aggregate

Bidders shall submit their bid on the forms attached to the specifications and must submit therewith a Certified Check issued by a bank satisfactory to the Owner, or a Proposal Bond from a reliable Surety Company payable without recourse to the order of the City of Lockney, Texas, in an amount not less than five per cent (5%) of the largest possible bid submitted on the project as a guaranty that the Bidder will enter into a contract and execute bond and guaranty in the forms provided within fifteen (15) days after notice of award of contract to him.

Information for bidders, proposal forms, specifications and plans are on file at the office of the City Secretary, Lockney, Texas, and copies can be secured at the Office of the Consulting Engineer, A.C. Bowden, 1716 Avenue M, Lubbock, Texas, upon deposit of \$10.00 as a guarantee of the safe return of the plans and specifications. The full amount of the deposit will be returned to the Bidder on submission of a bonafide bid on the work, with such plans and specifications or upon returning the plans and specifications immediately after examination of same but before the time of receiving bids and advising the Engineer that a bid will not be submitted, otherwise, the deposit shall be forfeited. Suppliers may secure copies of the plans and specifications as outlined above but will be given five (5) days after bids have been received to return said documents to the Engineer's office before the deposit shall be forfeited. No obligation is assumed to return the deposit under other conditions.

City of Lockney, Texas

/s/ Dan B. Smith
Dan B. Smith, Mayor

ATTEST:
/s/ Erma Lee Duckworth
Erma Lee Duckworth, City Secretary

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals addressed to the Honorable Mayor and City Council of Lockney, Texas will be received at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall in Lockney, Texas, until 7:00 p.m., C.D.T., May 12, 1988, for refurbishing the exterior surfaces of the city's elevated water storage tank.

EXTERIOR SURFACES:

Clean the exterior of all rust and loose paint and spot prime with WTS-1000 Rust-Inhibitive Primer, followed by one complete finish coat of WTS-800 Alkyd Enamel, then replace signs.

Bidder shall perform all work furnishing all labor, equipment, materials and insurance.

The city reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to negotiate with the bidder of their choice.

City of Lockney, Texas

/s/ Dan B. Smith, Mayor
Dan B. Smith, Mayor

ATTEST:
/s/ Erma Lee Duckworth
Erma Lee Duckworth, City Secretary

Caprock Hospital Report

April 12-19

Elizabeth Brinsfield, Matador, adm. 4-8, dis. 4-13, Jordan

Bonnie Palacios, Floydada, adm. 4-8, dis. 4-13, Lopez

Madge West, Floydada, adm. 4-8, dis. 4-13, Hale

Marge McElyea, Floydada, adm. 4-8, dis. 4-15, Hale

Haylie Brice, Petersburg, adm. 4-9, dis. 4-13, Hale

Mabel Holmes, Floydada, adm. 4-11, continues care, Hale

Gladys Simpson, Floydada, adm. 4-11, continues care, Jordan

Dee Leatherman, Floydada, adm. 4-12, baby girl born 4-12, mother dis. 4-15, baby transferred 4-15, Hale

Almeda Watts, Floydada, adm. 4-12, dis. 4-15, Hale

Donna Harmon, Floydada, adm. 4-12, dis. 4-15, Hale

Philip Wilson, Chillicothe, adm. 4-12, dis. 4-13, Lopez

Albert Cisneros, Rails, adm. 4-13, dis. 4-17, Jordan

Weldon McCormick, Floydada, adm. 4-14, dis. 4-18, Jordan

Eulalia DeLeon, Floydada, adm. 4-14, dis. 4-17, Lopez

Barbara Marvel, Roaring Springs, adm. 4-15, continues care, Jordan

Robbie Hatley, Floydada, adm. 4-15, continues care, Jordan

Etoile Stanley, Matador, adm. 4-17, continues care, Hale

Hilda Rodriguez, Floydada, adm. 4-17, continues care, Lopez

Arthur Wylie, Floydada, adm. 4-18, continues care, Jordan

Estefana Mercado, Floydada, adm. 4-18, continues care, Lopez

SPHPO will provide free cancer screening

The South Plains Health Provider Organization, Inc., in association with the American Cancer Society, announces free cancer screening and education for older adults, April 25 through April 29.

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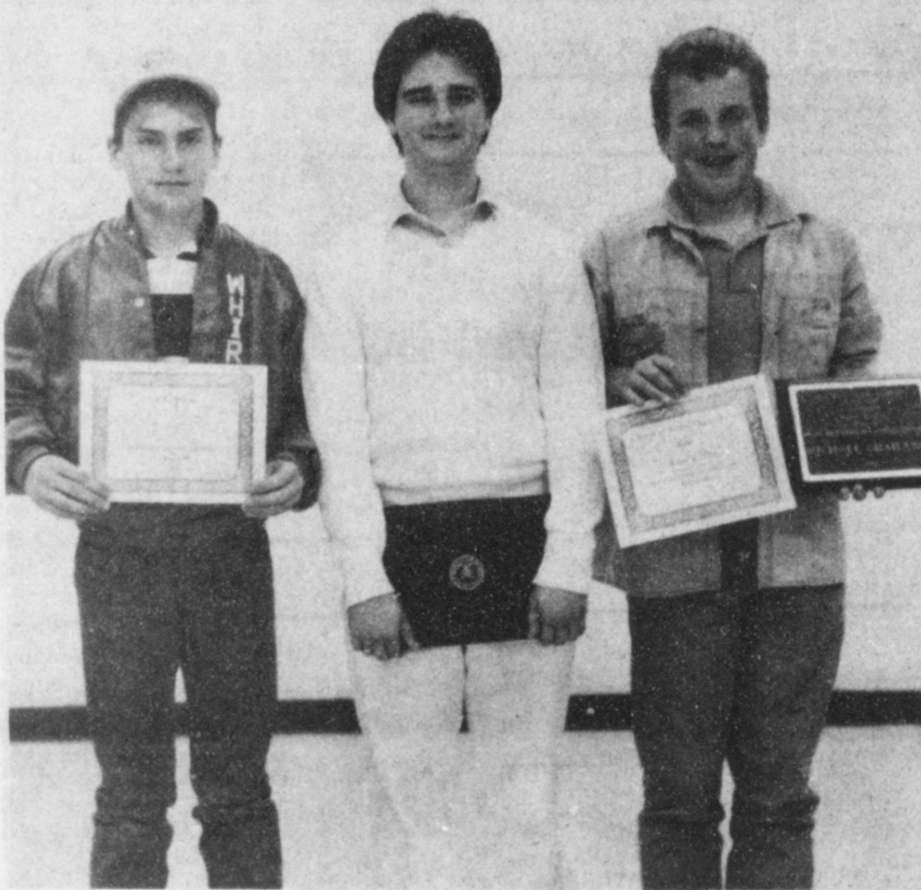
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A film, "The Cancer No One Talks About," will be shown and a brief class and discussion will be held on Wednesday, April 27, at 7 p.m. at the clinic. This class, as the screening, is free and open to the general public. However, the screening does focus on older adults.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION
(AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)

To the Registered Voters of Floydada, Texas:
(A los votantes registrados del Floydada, Texas:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on May 7, 1988, for voting in a General election. (Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitadas abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 7 de Mayo de 1988 para votar en la Eleccion para General.)

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES
(DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

Floydada Municipal Building, 114 W. Virginia St.

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at (La votacion en ausencia en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en) Floydada Municipal Building, 114 W. Virginia St. between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on April 18, 1988 (entre las 8:00 de las manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el Abril 18, 1988) and ending on May 3, 1988. (y terminando el Mayo 3, 1988.)

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:
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Jimmie Lou Stewart
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(Nombre del Secretario de la Votacion En Ausencia)
P.O. Box 10
(address) (Direccion)

Floydada, Tx. 79235
(City) (Ciudad) (Zip Code) (Zona Postal)

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on April 29, 1988.

(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el Abril 29, 1988.)

Issued this the 9 day of February, 1988.
(Emitada este dia 9 de Febrero, 1988.)

/s/ Parnell Powell
Signature of Presiding Officer (Firma del Oficial que Preside)

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids addressed to the City of Floydada, Texas will be received at the City Hall until 7:30 PM, May 10, 1988 and then publicly opened and read for furnishing all plant, labor, material and equipment, and performing all work required for cleaning and painting a 200,000-gallon steel elevated storage located behind the City Hall.

Bids shall be submitted in sealed envelopes upon the blank form of the proposal attached hereto and marked in the upper left hand corner.

All proposals shall be accompanied by a cashier's check or certified check upon a national or state bank in the amount of five (5%) percent of the total maximum bid price payable without recourse to the City, or a bid bond in the same amount from a reliable surety company, as a guarantee that bidder will enter into a contract and execute any bonds that may be required within ten days after notice of award of contract to him. The bid security must be enclosed in the same envelope with the bid. Bids without check or bid bond will not be considered. Contract is expected to be awarded at the May 10 meeting.

If contract is over \$25,000 the successful bidder must furnish performance and payment bonds upon the forms which are attached hereto in the amount of 100% of the contract price from an approved surety company holding a permit from the State of Texas to act as surety or other surety or sureties acceptable to the Owner.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in bids received.

Plans, specifications, and bidding documents may be obtained at the office of Bill R. McMorris & Associates, Inc., 6300 Canyon Dr., Amarillo, Texas 79109, upon deposit of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) per set which sum so deposited will be refunded, provided the prospective bidder complies with one of the following requirements (1) If no proposal will be submitted: All documents will be returned to the office of the Engineer not later than 48 hours before the time and date of receiving proposals; or (2) If proposal is submitted: All documents are returned in good condition at the time and date of receiving proposals. Provided the prospective bidder complies with neither of the two above requirements, the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) shall become the property of the Engineer.

CITY OF FLOYDADA, TEXAS
By: Parnell Powell, Mayor

April 21, 28

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We would like to thank those who showed their concern at the time of our accident. We appreciate the visits, cards, phone calls and your prayers. The people who helped at the wreck were very good to us.
May the Lord Bless you in your time of need.
Virginia & Grant Cage
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We are so very grateful to all who helped us during Madge's stay in the hospital. For all the calls, the cards and visits and prayers and food that was brought to us, we wish to express our appreciation. Special thanks to Caprock Hospital staff and Dr. Hale. We believe that Floydada is the very best place to live. Thanks again.
Madge & John Key West
4-21c

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the Caprock Hospital, Dr. Jordan, Calvary Baptist Church, ministers, and friends for all the help and support during my recent stay in the hospital. For all the cards, calls, visits and prayers.
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