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The Hesperian-Beacon sells

The Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon and Blanco Press were purchased by Blackburn Media Group, Inc., last week.

"I've been traveling through Floyd County for years and the economy seems to be improving," said Christopher Blackburn, owner, BMG. "I've enjoyed the friendly residents of both Floydada and Lockney. I know there is a huge rivalry here and we'll do our best to make sure both of these fine towns get the coverage they deserve."

Blackburn, who lives in Childress, said there are several reasons Floyd County stood out to him as a market. "The area has good schools and hard-working people. The economy is humming and there is both oil and wind energy in the area."

Long-time Floyd County Editor Alice Gilroy and her husband Lennie have agreed to stay on for a brief time until the transition is complete, according to Blackburn.

Jim Huggins will continue to

man the press.

"There will be plenty of changes in the near future, but for now, we're going to ease into it," Blackburn continued.

Blackburn said it is a privilege to follow in the footsteps of Alice and her family.

"Alice and her father, Ken Towery are true journalists," Blackburn said. "What they've accomplished in their respective careers is impressive to say the least."

Blackburn said an announcement for a new editor is forthcoming.

"I've selected a good one and hope to have him on board in a few weeks," said Blackburn. "Our readers and advertisers will be pleased with our product. We want *The Hesperian-Beacon* to be a positive reflection on the people of this county and a trusted news source."

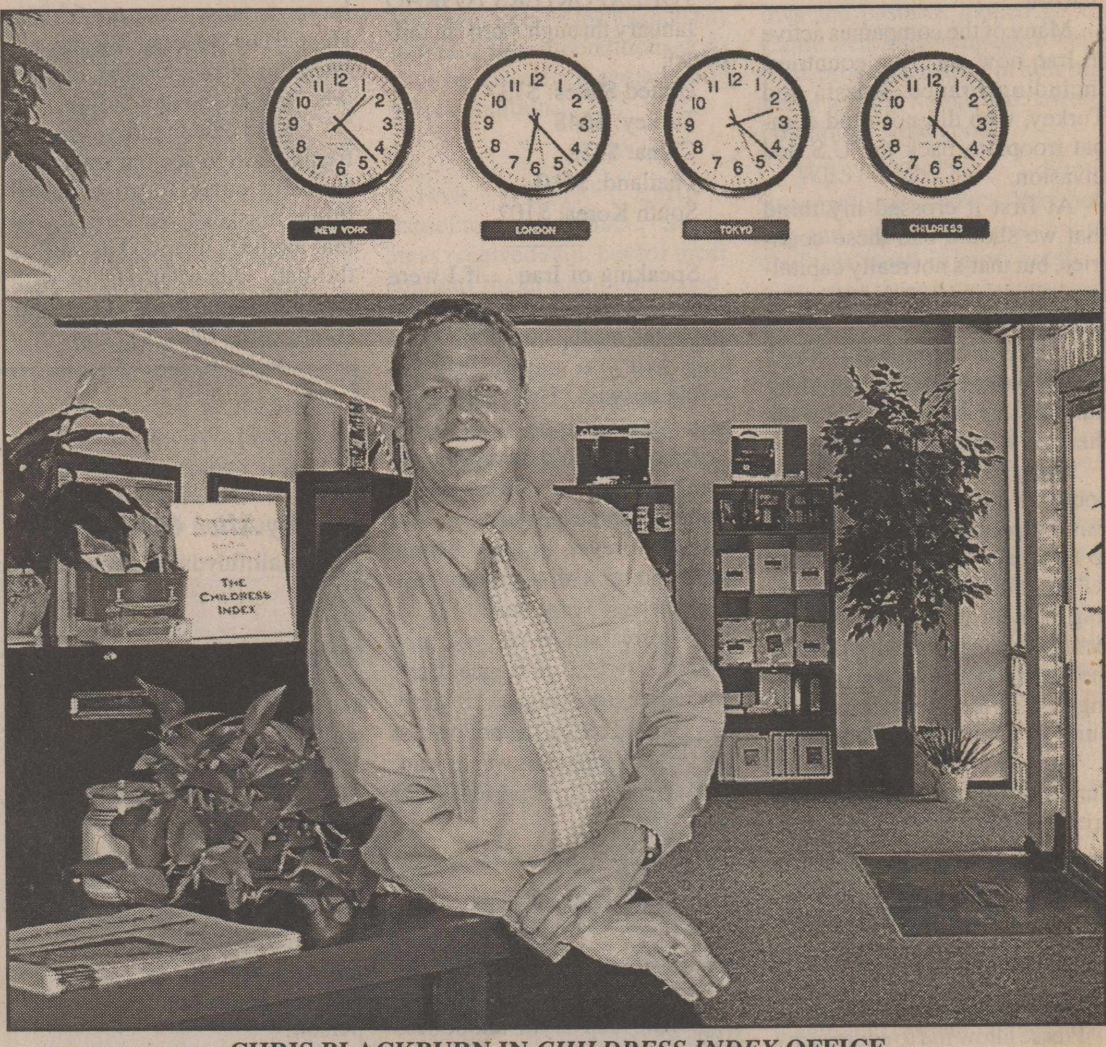
Blackburn Media Group owns six newspapers including *The Childress Index*, the *Hall County*

Herald, the *Hollis News*, *Knox County News* and *The Post Dispatch*.

Blackburn and his wife, Sharon, have two sons, Jackson, 5, and Sutton Hawk, 2. The family also owns and operates Blackburn's Family Clothier in Childress.

"I have mixed emotions about selling the newspaper and leaving the position as editor and publisher," said Gilroy, "but there is one thing I feel very good about and that is Chris Blackburn. I know he has the best interests of the community at heart. He did his research and came to the correct conclusion that Floyd County has a lot going for it. He has invested a lot of money and he wouldn't have done that without having a lot of confidence in Floyd County in general and this newspaper in particular. I'm excited about the changes in store for us."

The sale of the newspaper was handled through Rollie Hyde of W.B. Grimes and Company.



CHRIS BLACKBURN IN CHILDRESS INDEX OFFICE

Blackouts possible in County

By Alice Gilroy

Local electrical providers, Lighthouse Electric and the City of Floydada, are warning customers that the time may come this summer when a rolling blackout may affect their homes or work places.

SPS (Southwest Public Service) whose territory covers the High Plains of Texas, Oklahoma, and eastern New Mexico suffered a partial blackout on June 17. Floyd County was not affected, but we may not be so lucky next time.

"It's not the consumers fault," said Lighthouse Electric Manager Bill Harbin. "It is because of unexpected delays of generation facilities that SPS thought they would have on line by now. So, the projected load for the summer now exceeds the projected generation resources."

According to Harbin SPS planned to have their new generator in place before the summer peak. It appears now the generator will not be in place until sometime this fall.

"This may have an impact on all electric consumers whether served by SPS, the City of Floydada or Lighthouse," said

Harbin. "The electric grid itself will not have enough capacity. We are all inter connected on the electric grid and we all have compliance responsibility to keep the electric grid from going dark."

"Once the local entity (Lighthouse or the City) is notified that we have to shed loads then we have to make the decisions on who will go dark," said Harbin.

"We will have already been appealing to the public through media outlets to reduce the load."

Harbin and Brown said they already have a plan in place in who and what will be affected first.

According to them the rolling blackout could affect anybody.

"It will most likely happen in the afternoon," said Brown, "but it could happen anytime."

SPS will make the decision that a load must be shed and how much load must be shed.

The electric companies will try to stay away from emergency facilities and the duration of outages should be short lived. However, the shortage could last longer.

"It could be minutes or hours," said Harbin.

Both Harbin and Brown say

conservation is necessary in order to prevent blackouts.

Customers can help by not being wasteful during high load conditions. Turn your air conditioner to warmer temperatures. Don't run your dishwasher, clothes washer, clothes dryer, and turn off lights and anything else that can be turned off. Also-leave your refrigerator and freezer closed.

It is also a good idea to have water drawn up as you would in anticipation of a storm.

Brown said he is looking in to trying to find a place, such as the fellowship halls of First Baptist and First Methodist, where people can go to stay cool in case of a blackout.

"The churches would be some of the last circuits that we would shed," said Brown.

Harbin said hopefully there would be lead time to warn customers of an upcoming blackout.

"But," said Harbin, "if there was an emergency the supply interruption could be instant."

SPS serves all of the High Plains of Texas, eastern New Mexico, the Panhandle of Oklahoma, and southwestern Kansas.

Celebrate 4th locally

By Alice Gilroy

Floyd County residents won't have to spend too much on gas or travel far to celebrate the 4th of July.

The traditional July 4th festivities will return to Floydada and Lockney this Friday.

In Floydada Lowe's Pay-N-Save will once again offer a full day of food, fun, and grocery store specials. The store will kick off the 4th with a free breakfast from 6:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. The breakfast will consist of eggs, sausage, gravy and biscuits, coffee and orange juice.

A live band, the "Texas 114",

will perform in the Lowe's parking lot from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. There will also be children's activities and games throughout the day.

Lunch will be served from 11:00 a.m. until 1:30 p.m., and the prices are set for bargain hunters.

You will be able to get 4 hot dogs for \$1.00; 2 hamburgers for \$1.00; and 4 Pepsi's or Dr. Peppers for \$1.00.

While you're celebrating the 4th with food, music and games be sure and register for prizes inside the store. Lowe's will also

feature many store specials--see the Lowe's ad inside this edition.

Lockney 4th Parade

The traditional children's parade will be held in Lockney the morning of July 4th on Main Street.

Participants in the parade should gather at Main Street Church of Christ by 10:00 a.m.

Decorate your bike, or other mode of transportation, in patriotic colors. Show off your red white and blue as you travel down Lockney's Main Street from the church past the Lockney Rehab and Care Center.

Photo contest now underway

The Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon's photo contest is now underway.

The rules of the contest are simple. Wherever your travels take you, include *The Hesperian-Beacon* along for the trip.

Take your picture (or someone else's--preferably home grown, but not a requirement) holding the Hesperian-Beacon. Tell us a little bit about the picture for our outline.

If you bring us more than one picture of your vacation we will pick the one we like best. We reserve the right to publish or not publish any picture. There are no guarantees the picture will be published.

Remember--content and originality get our attention.

We are not interested in your whole family standing in front of what we really want to see in the first place.

Be creative. Share your trip with our readers.

At the end of the contest we will announce our favorite picture. The winning photographer

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CONTEST PHOTO--The Lockney Varsity Cheerleaders recently attended cheerleading camp at South Padre Island. While at camp the girls learned new cheers, chants and dances to prepare them for the new school year. Both the Varsity squad and Toni Morales the mascot received the award for most improved. Heather Brock was chosen as an All-American Cheerleader. They found time in their busy schedule to enjoy reading the Hesperian-Beacon. (L-R standing): Carrol Chavez, Melissa DeLuna, Lezlie Jackson, Segayle Foster, Malory Johnson, Mercedes Aday, Catey Davis and Robbie Reyes. (Seated, l-r): Heather Brock, Toni Morales(mascot), and Tessa Saul.

Herrera surrenders

By Alice Gilroy

Daniel Jacob Herrera, 26, who was wanted for the killing of Israel Martinez, 27, of Floydada,

and the shooting of Serapio Ovalle, 39, of Floydada, turned himself in to authorities Tuesday, June 24th at 8:00 p.m.

According to Floydada Police Chief Darrell Gooch, Herrera walked in to the dispatcher office of the Floyd County Sheriff's Department and told the dispatcher who he was and that he

was there to turn himself in.

The dispatcher immediately called officers and Herrera was arrested.

Herrera has been charged with Murder and Attempted Murder.

Bond was set by a Plainview Justice of the Peace at \$45,000. Herrera will only be required to

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LISD TAKS scores above State average

Once again Lockney ISD has scored above the State Average in the majority of the subjects tested. Preliminary results showed that LISD scored higher or equal to the state average in 20 of the 27 tests taken during the Spring 2008 test administrations.

LISD Curriculum Director Marva Rasco says that she is very pleased with the 2008 preliminary results but there is always room for improvement in some areas.

Once again, the elementary and junior high campuses scored above the state average in most areas while the high school campus scored above or equal to the state average in a majority of the subjects tested.

All levels of science (grades 5, 8, 10 & 11) and 9th grade math remain an area of concern in the

state and Lockney ISD was not immune to this either.

"We continue to look into instructional strategies to help improve our TAKS scores across the district," said Rasco. "We will be focusing on various programs, teacher training, and vertical alignment."

"One of the highlights of the 2007/2008 TAKS year included having 100% of our seniors pass the TAKS. Another highlight came when Lockney Elementary was recognized as one of the 'Best Public Schools' in the area of Math (TAKS) by Texas Monthly Magazine."

The schools identified by NCEA for Texas Monthly's Best Practice Schools Lists are those that exhibit outstanding performance in comparison to similar

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Obituary

VIRGINIA G. CAMACHO
Virginia G. Camacho, 75, of Floydada passed away Thursday, June 26, 2008 at Mangold Memorial of Lockney.

Virginia was born on May 22, 1933 in San Diego, Texas to the late Manuel Gonzalez and Rafaela (Polacka) Gonzalez. She was a lifelong resident of Floydada.

Local survivors include her husband, Monserrate Camacho of Floydada; sons, Pepe Perez and Juan Perez and daughter, Josephine Garza, all of Floydada.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, July 1, 2008 at 11:00 a.m. at the Templo Getsemani Assembly of God Church in Floydada. Burial was held at the Floydada Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of Moore Rose Funeral Home of Floydada.

Light the Cross Donation

Donations to Light the Cross Fund have been made as follows:
In Memory of Ann Reddy by Sue Daniels.

Donations to the Light the Cross Fund may be deposited to the Ministerial Alliance Fund at American State Bank.

Texas A&M University Crop and Ag Report

By: Robert Burns, 903-834-6191, rd-burns@tamu.edu

COLLEGE STATION ~ Corn for grain varied from fair to good condition to a total loss from hail in some fields, according to Texas AgriLife Extension Service <<http://agrillifeextension.tamu.edu/>> reports.

AgriLife Extension agriculture agents in many western counties reported all dryland corn a total loss. In other areas and under irrigation, corn was doing better.

"Recent rains have helped the 2008 crop tremendously. However, many of these rains were preceded by a very detrimental hail storm," said Benji Henderson, AgriLife Extension agent in Parmer County <<http://parmer-tx.tamu.edu/>>, southwest of Amarillo. "Much of the mature wheat crop was knocked out, while corn and cotton crops were completely taken out."

"The county received about 1 inch of rain over the weekend. Most of the cotton producers are wrapping up planting cotton," said Wes Utley, AgriLife Extension agent in Haskell County <<http://haskell-tx.tamu.edu/>>, southwest of Wichita Falls. "Peanuts in the county are looking good as is the corn and sorghum."

"Corn fields have also been adversely affected by the dry and windy weather patterns," said Gary Clayton, AgriLife Extension agent in Wise County <<http://wise-tx.tamu.edu/>>, northwest of Fort Worth.

"Most corn producers are salvaging their crop by haying or silage," said David Winkler, AgriLife Extension agent in Bosque County <<http://bosque-tx.tamu.edu/>>, northwest of Waco.

"The last few days have been very hot with temps in the mid 90s and high humidity; typical weather for North Central Texas," said Rick Maxwell, AgriLife Extension in Collin County <<http://collin-tx.tamu.edu/>>. "Our crop conditions at this time are very good. Corn looks extremely good as does our grain sorghum and our few soybeans."

According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service reports, which are compiled from AgriLife Extension county reports, Texas producers planted 2.45 million acres of corn for grain in 2008, up from 2.15 million acres in 2007.

The following summaries were compiled by AgriLife Extension district reporters this week:

SOUTH PLAINS: <<http://lubbock.tamu.edu/>> Several showers occurred with accumulations ranging from 0.5 to 2 inches. Where there was rain, some producers replanted cotton fields lost to the hail storms last week, but most producers have opted to replant grain sorghum

and sunflowers. Soil moisture was short to adequate. Wheat harvest continued as weather allowed. Cotton was from very poor to good depending on whether it rained or hailed. Grain sorghum was fair to good, with fields in a steady (hyphen) growth pattern. Pumpkins progressed well as irrigation and fungicide applications continued. Corn was in fair to good condition. Irrigation wells were running non-stop to keep up with dry conditions. Pastures and ranges were in poor to fair condition. Range conditions improved where it rained. Cattle were mostly fair to good. Supplemental feeding of livestock continued.

PANHANDLE: <<http://amarillo.tamu.edu/>> Temperatures were near to slightly above average all week. Soil moisture varied from surplus to very short, with most areas reporting short to adequate. Corn was mostly fair. Cotton was rated from very poor to excellent, with most areas reporting fair to poor. Peanuts, sorghum and soybeans were rated mostly fair. Wheat was poor to fair as the harvest continued. Oats were rated good. Range conditions were very poor to excellent, with most counties reporting poor to fair. Cattle were in fair condition.

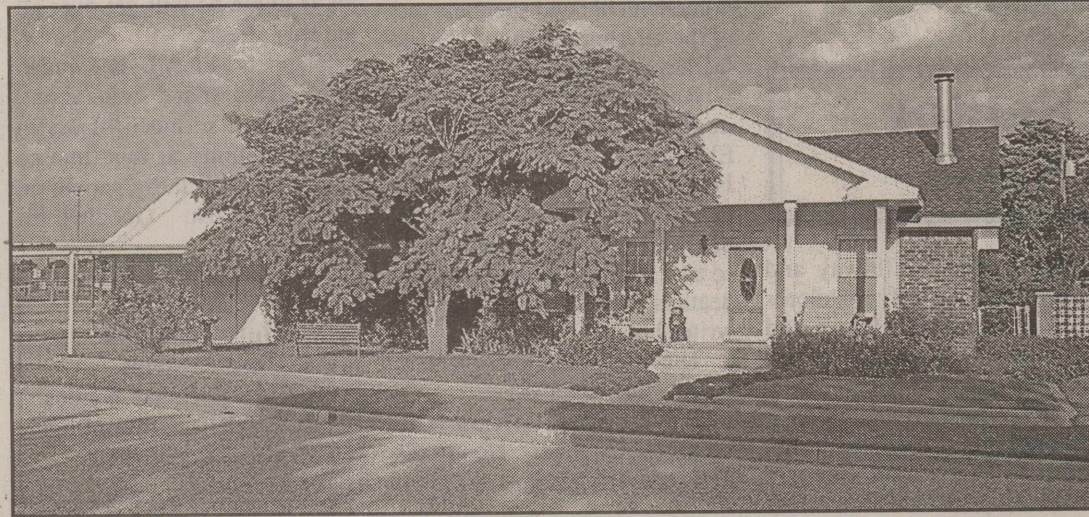
ROLLING PLAINS: <<http://vernon.tamu.edu/>> The north-west part of the region received thunderstorms with high winds, hail and tornados. Childress, Hardeman and Wilbarger counties were hit hardest. Homes and other structures were damaged. Some cotton, corn, sorghum and peanut fields were totally wiped out. There were 100 farms affected in Childress County. Some alfalfa cuttings were lost as were some meadows. But despite the storms, many stock tanks were dry or nearly so. In the eastern part of the district, hot dry conditions continued to hurt hay production. Corn fields were also adversely affected by the dry and windy weather. Some ranchers said they expect to be feeding hay into mid-July if conditions don't change. Livestock remained in good condition.

FAR WEST: <<http://ftstockton.tamu.edu/>> Some areas received rain, but for most counties the drought continued. Livestock conditions declined from lack of vegetation. Some ranchers reduced herd size until grazing situations improve. The region remained under extreme fire hazard with lightning causing more fires. Most crops were poor to average. All crops needed moisture.

NORTH: <<http://dallas.tamu.edu/>> Soil moisture ranged from short to adequate. Days were hot and humid with the temperatures in the mid 90s. Scattered showers helped crops. Corn, sorghum and soybeans all looked very good, as did the peach crop. Most wheat yields ranged from average to above average, with some really high-yielding fields. The oat harvest neared completion. Cotton planting was completed and the crop was in good condition. Hay producers were only harvesting hay as needed due to production costs and carryover from 2007. Some producers made their second hay cutting. Warm-season forages were in good shape. Hay meadows and pastures looked good. Cattle were still doing quite well. Milk production level in milking herds was up. Range and pasture conditions were good.

WEST CENTRAL: <<http://sanangelo.tamu.edu/>> Very hot, dry and windy conditions continued this week in most areas. A few areas reported scattered showers. The potential for wildfires was extremely high, and burn bans remained in effect throughout the region. All crops showed signs of heat and moisture stress. The wheat harvest wrapped up with above-normal yields. Cutting and baling hay and some field preparations continued where it rained. Range and pasture grasses were in poor condition and continued to decline. Stock tank levels were in bad shape, with some completely dry. Livestock feeding picked up. Livestock were in good body condition. Pecan orchard irrigation was under way.

CENTRAL: <<http://stephenville.tamu.edu/~TAEX/>> Dry and hot conditions prevailed. Because of the drought, aflatoxin was expected in grain corn, and yields could be cut in half. Grain sorghum midge was reported, and a few fields were sprayed. Cotton was also stressed by dry and hot conditions. The pecan crop was light to medium. Pastures were dry and growing slowly.



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JESSICA GILLY AND ADAM MOLE

Gilly and Mole

Mark and Beth Gilly of Dimmitt and Lori Vinson of Floydada are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Jessica Gilly to Adam Mole, son of Albert and Diana Mole of Lubbock.

The bride-elect is a 2002 graduate of Lockney High School. She is currently employed as a Histology Technician for Covenant Health System. She is the granddaughter of Jerrold and Belle Vinson of Floydada.

The prospective groom is a 2002 graduate of Monterey High School. He is currently self-employed as a carpenter in Lubbock.

The couple will wed 7:30 p.m. August 9, 2008 at Lake Mackenzie. They have a July 20 bridal shower in Shallowater. Selections are at Payne's Pharmacy and Target.

Floydada Senior Citizens News

By Margarette Word
The Center will be closed Friday July 4th.

This past week Boone Adams' brother-in-law of Tucson, Arizona ate at the Center on Thursday June 26. His name is Gary Scholton.

I always look forward to July 4, because Lowe's Grocery Store has a free breakfast on their parking lot. They have entertainment and they serve hamburgers and hot dogs at noon for a very reasonable price. Lots of people enjoy the activities.

Our sympathy to the family of Billie Pate.

Our sympathy to the family of Nicolas Garcia.

Our sympathy to the family of Virginia Camacho.

Happy Birthday to those who have a birthday in July.

July 1-Jerry Galloway and Dorothy Reeves; July 3-Dolores Cannon, Tommy McIntosh and Bell Vinson; July 8-Opal Kratzer and Sam Spence; July 12-Virginia Pyle; July 13-Nancy Mayo and Genielle Breed; July 18-Kendis Julian and Margie Fowler; July 20-Joan Smith; July 24-Marie Warren; and July 31-Ruby Weems.

Thank you for remembering the Center when you need to make a memorial donation.

In memory of **Ann Reddy** - William and Faye Bertrand, Tom and Jerry Pearson.

In memory of **Billie Pate** - Tom and Jerry Pearson, Mary Shurbet.

In memory of **Tanner Sue** - Tom and Jerry Pearson.

Thought for the week - Enjoy the 4th of July and be safe.

No Menu submitted

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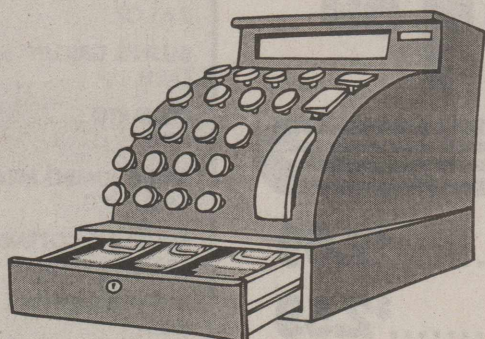
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Floyd County Lifestyles

Lockney Senior Citizens News

By Vera Jo Bybee
The Center will be closed Friday, July 4.

The Center is still having good tasty lunches. Please save the weekly menu so you can come down and eat with us when we have something that you really like. That just might be every day. Lunches are \$3.50 for members and \$4.00 for non members. Everyone of any age is invited to eat with us.

Be sure and pay your 2008-09 dues in July. They are still \$20.00 a person.

Monday Louie, Cynthia and I took Dara to Lubbock to catch the plane back home to Plano. We enjoyed having her home so much even if it wasn't long enough. She and Becky spent a few days in Ruidosa. Then last Friday we had lunch with Sherrey Carthel Price in Plainview at Furrs. Enjoyed being with her so much we went home with her and spent the rest of the afternoon visiting. I hope Dara comes back soon.

Received a call from my nephew Monty Bybee of Eldorado the other day telling me I was going to have to change the name of this column to the hospital and obituary column. He is so true. Seems like sickness and death is about the news I have to write about.

This week there are several to be on your prayer list.

Joyce Carthel Wilson is in Lubbock Covenant Hospital's ICU recovering from a stroke. If

you would like to keep up with her condition go the Blog www.caringbridge.org/visit/joycerwilson

Freda Davis is still in critical condition in the Lubbock Covenant Hospital.

Sally Shaw is in intensive care in Lubbock Covenant hospital recuperating for colon surgery.

Margie Cypert is still in Lubbock Covenant Hospital recuperating from Colon Surgery

Virginia Sissney and Kathleen Thornton are both in Lockney's Mangold Memorial Hospital. Virginia is recuperating from hip surgery. Kathleen fell and broke several ribs.

W.L. Thomas is at home in Canyon now recuperating from his hip surgery. He told me this morning his hip is doing good but he is having a lot of side effects from some of the medicine they gave him. So maybe now that his is home he will get over all the side effects.

Nephew Monty Bybee was so right about what I write about. We do have so much illness in our community at this time so please keep all these people on your prayer list. Goodbye till next week.

Menu

July 7 - July 11

Mon: Chicken strips
Tues: Beef & cheese nachos
Wed: Chicken & dumplings
Thrs: Hamburger steak
Fri: Meatloaf

Dunlap graduates Schreiner University

KERRVILLE, Texas—Melissa Dunlap of Floydada graduated from Schreiner University in Kerrville and was recognized during campus ceremonies held on May 5.

Dunlap, daughter of John and Judy Dunlap, was awarded a Bachelor of Science degree in biochemistry. Dunlap was a Peer Advisor and a member of the Honors Program, the Judicial Board, the Medical Careers Club, the Alpha Lambda Delta Freshman Honor Society, the Order of

Omega, the Alpha Chi Honor Society, and Delta Phi Epsilon. Dunlap was named to Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

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ZACH MONTANDON will be presented with his Eagle Scout badge at an Eagle Scout Court of Honor, Monday, July 7, at 7:00 p.m. at Main Street Church of Christ in Lockney. The public is invited. Zach is the son of Francis and Debbie Montandon, of Lockney, and grandson of Mary Lois and the late F.L. Montandon, of Aiken, and Teresa and the late Tommy Ford, of Odessa.

Courtesy Photo

Blood Center holds drive in Lockney

Lockney's next blood drive, sponsored by Mangold Memorial Hospital, will be held from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Thursday, July 10th in the mobile coach which will be parked at the hospital.

Lockney has numerous active blood donors and about 5% participate in local blood drives. "Our goal is to build the local group of active donors to so that they will donate at least three times a year," said Connie Hollinshead, Donors Recruitment Representative with United

Blood Services.

Volunteer blood donors must be at least 17 and be in good health. All donors receive a free cholesterol check with every donation. Donors must have a picture ID. For an appointment to donate, please call Shedia Benton at the hospital at 652-3373, ext. 229. All donors who donate in

July will have a chance to win a iPod Nano. All donors will receive their choice of a T-shirt, cap, canvas bag, etc. as a thank you for donating.

New Shipment of Longhorn Bracelets

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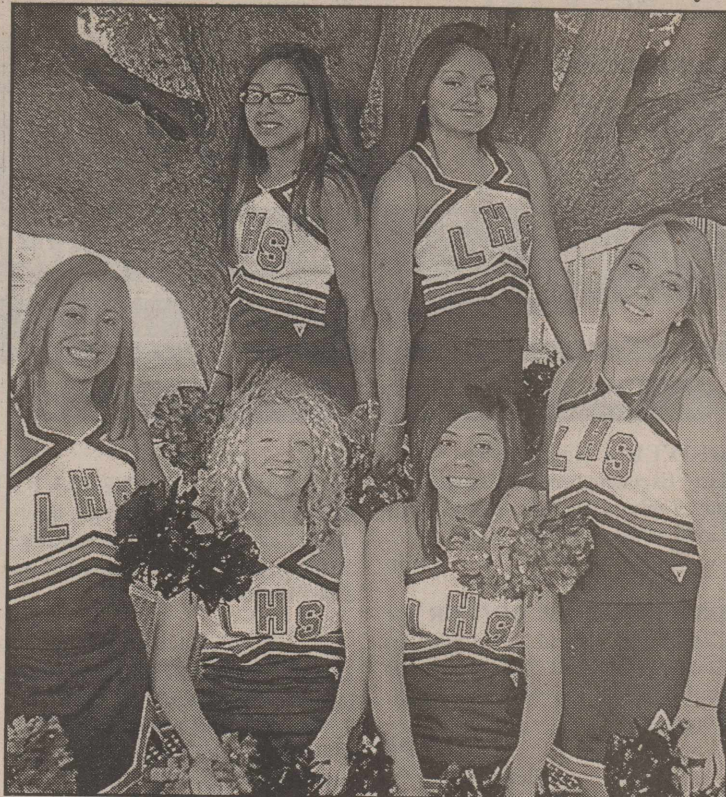
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LOCKNEY JV CHEERLEADERS--Lockney High School will have a Junior Varsity Cheerleading squad for 2008-2009. (Front, l-r) Katalina Araujo, Sunny Williams, Tanya Hernandez, Logan Edwards; (back, l-r): Jennifer Ybarra and Dolores Luna. They will be sponsored by Cailey Stoerner. *Courtesy Photo*

Photo contest now underway

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will get \$100.
The last photo will be published in the August 28th paper. The final deadline for entries is August 25th. The winner will be announced in the September 4 paper.

TAKS above State average

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schools across multiple grades and years.

Rasco said, "Overall, we are pleased with our TAKS scores throughout the school system and the district's goal will be to focus on improving the weaker areas while maintaining the successful areas."

"In many instances we have managed to remain above the state level so we cannot show a large margin of growth for multiple years. That is a good problem."

"We will continue to stress the importance of teamwork, strategic planning, and teacher/student rapport."

Thank-you & Welcome Home

By Bailey Davenport

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(Written out of respect for the men and women serving our country and dedicated to my cousin, Anthony Paul LoBianco III, who just completed his sixth tour of duty in Afghanistan and to my uncle, Michael Chapman, who served in Vietnam and is currently serving his second tour of duty in Iraq.)

Everyone must make choices in life. Some choices can be as uncomplicated as a choice between french fries or tater tots. Others can be as substantial and life altering as choosing to leave your family for a life in the military. Most decisions that are made in the military involve life or death situations such as choosing to leave the dying behind and rescue the healthy or trying to save the dying and hoping to come back and find many who are still alive.

The military is a life career. When a person joins, the government pays for them to be trained in whatever they choose. Other benefits may include funding for college and the opportunity to travel outside of the area where they were raised. However good these benefits may sound, there is most eminently a dangerous side to being in the military. Many are dying everyday in the wars that are waging in this

world; still many more come home to trouble with their families, their friends and their jobs. Life has gone on as usual while the soldier has been away, and it is hard for those who have not been through combat to understand the emotional toll taken on the soldier.

The sacrifices that are made by a soldier are probably the most extensive. A few of the many sacrifices that they make every day include having to leave family, children, and loved ones for many months at a time and risking the likelihood of never coming home again. A soldier never knows what will happen next.

Many often ask questions like: Will I make it back to camp? Will my 9-month-old child remember my face or remain distanced and scared of me? Most of the major decisions are not determined by the soldier. The military makes most of the decisions in the soldier's lives. When the military administration tells a soldier to move his family to a new location, all a soldier can ask is where? Despite these costly sacrifices, many soldiers choose to stay in the military even after their contract has expired.

Most soldiers choose to stay in the service because they believe that it is God's mission for

their lives. They stand up for people who can't stand up for themselves everyday. Those simple luxuries that are often taken for granted, such as choosing the music that is playing on the radio, picking out clothes, or even choosing a life partner, are not available to some people in this world. A soldier takes on the responsibility of putting words into actions. Most people will talk the talk but never walk the walk. They think that there is always someone else who will stand up for the rights of the people so that they won't have to. They speak about change and reform, but a soldier is the one who puts those words into progress. Just think that if there were no soldiers to fight for what is right, then how could the world go on without war, disease, death, and total destruction?

Our veterans make choices that not only affect their lives, but the lives of every citizen of these United States. So whether a choice is being made of what kind of bread to eat, school to attend, or music to listen to, one must remember that its because of these brave and patriotic people that we are able to freely make choices. To these soldiers we must say thank you and welcome home!

Local students honored by WTAMU

West Texas A&M University has named five students from Floyd County to its 2008 Spring Semester Honors List.

Seth J. McLean, a Junior majoring in Speech Communication, was named to the President's List. He is the son of Steve and Darla McLean of Lockney.

Krista D. Rasco, a Sophomore majoring in Agribusiness, was named to the President's List. She is the daughter of Darrell and Marva Rasco of Lockney.

Amber D. Dorman, a Junior majoring in Sports/Exercise Sciences, was named to the Dean's List. She is the daughter of Johnny and Julie Dorman of Lockney.

Keyla A. Pesina, a Sophomore

majoring in Nursing, was named to the President's List. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Israel Pesina of Floydada.

Kallie G. Ferguson, a Sophomore majoring in EC-4 Generalist/Education, was named to the Dean's List. She is the daughter of Larry and Cathy Ferguson of Floydada.

Students named to the President's List must have a grade point average of 4.00 and carry a minimum class load of 12 undergraduate hours.

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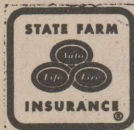
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Jones and Hernandez to play Greenbelt

Bryce Jones and Chris Hernandez, both 2008 graduates of Paducah High School, were chosen to play in the Greenbelt Bowl All-Star Football Classic.

The game was played Saturday, June 14, 2008 at Fair Park Stadium in Childress. The boys played for the North. Final score was South - 14, North - 10.

Attending the game were Bryce's parents, Larry and Jill Jones and Travis, of Paducah, along with grandparents Babe and Nell Jones of Floydada.

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Or mail to: Patty or Bailey Davenport:
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You are invited to an Eagle Scout Court of Honor for Zach Montandon Monday, July 7, 2008 7:00 p.m. Main Street Church of Christ 505 S. Main - Lockney

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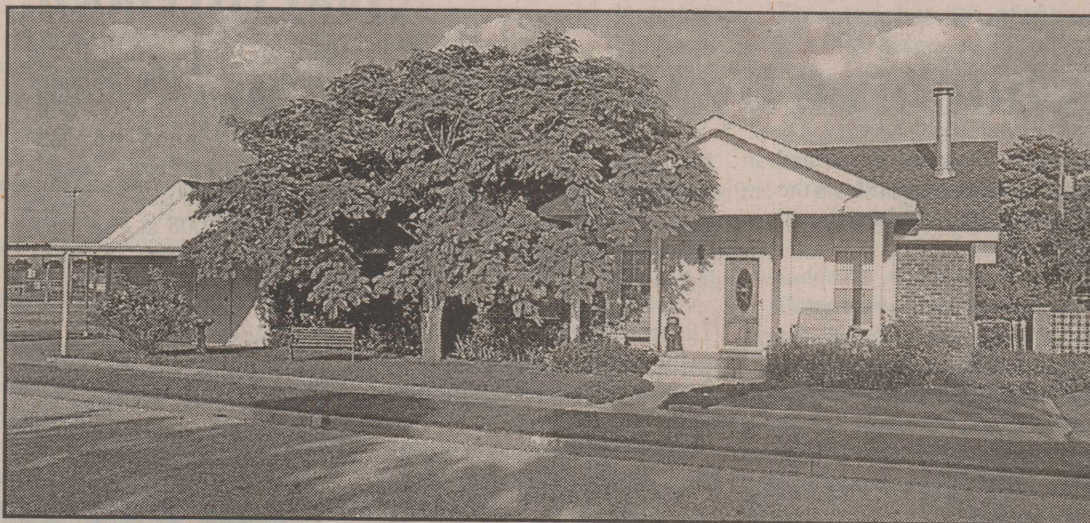
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Jim Huggins will continue to manage printing plant

Blanco Offset Printing is now under the new ownership of Blackburn Media Group, but the management will stay the same.

Manager Jim Huggins now only knows the printing business, but is well qualified to do anything in anybody's newspaper.

Blanco President Wendell Tooley says, "Jim has worked for The Hesperian, The Beacon, and Blanco a total of 38 years and did a great job in every capacity."

"He was out of high school and a clerk at Beall's Department Store in Floydada when I hired him as a reporter and photographer. He was already an excellent photographer and dark room developer, as that was his hobby."

"We experienced some exciting years when he was reporting the Lockney football games and I was covering the Floydada games. Back then we were a twice weekly and publishing right along with the dailies Friday night football."

"On Saturday morning we

were at The Hesperian, developing action shots and writing stories for our Sunday edition."

After Tooley bought the Tulia Herald and moved to Tulia, Huggins became assistant to Terry Reeves at Blanco Printing. When Reeves was moved to manage the sister printing plant (Brazos Offset) in Slaton, Huggins became manager of Blanco. His assistant is George Garcia.

Blanco Founded in 1965
In 1965 the publishers of Floydada, Lockney, Crosbyton and Slaton formed the Blanco Corporation and not only printed their newspapers but also several in the area. At one time Blanco printed 18 weekly newspapers. Today the number is 10.

For six years Blanco printed the Texas Tech University Daily newspaper.

Only two of the founders are still alive. Jim Reynolds of Tulia, and Tooley, of Plainview. Other stock holders are Ken Towery, of

Austin, and Joe Harrison, of Spur.

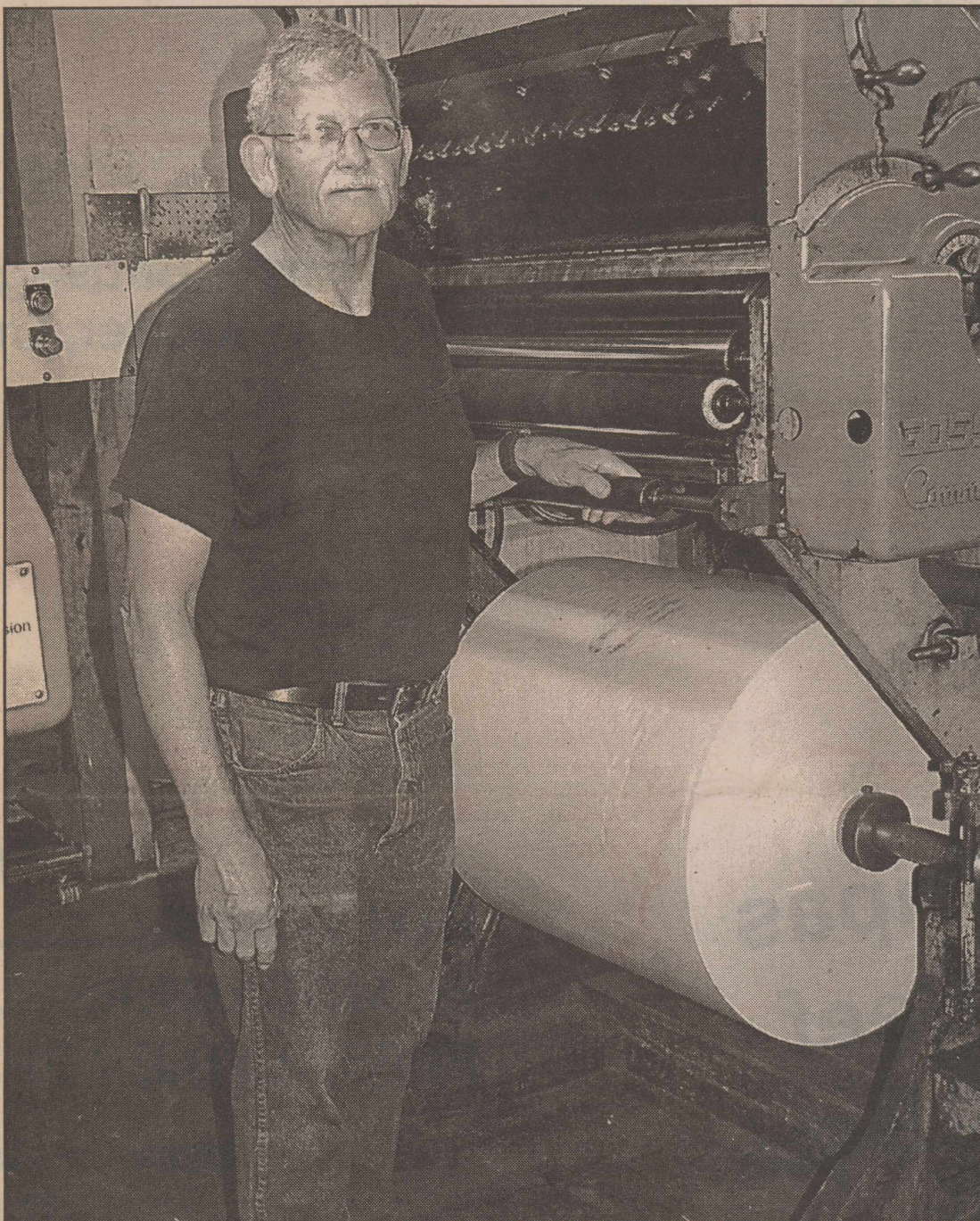
Reynolds and Tooley remain partners in the Slaton plant.

They look back on the days of publishing the Floydada and Lockney newspapers in "hot type" with lead. Tooley was running an eight page flat bed press in Floydada, Reynolds, a four pager in Lockney. The old Floydada press was sold to a publisher in Mexico.

"It was a complete new ball game, when offset presses were invented," Tooley continued. "The process was so clean, so much photography, so much computer typesetting that took the place of the old linotype machines."

Today weekly newspapers are right up with the dailies with four color process pictures.

"The people of Floyd and surrounding counties have been good to me," said Tooley. "I cherish the memory of many friends and acquaintances."



JIM HUGGINS



CANAAN BOUND, of Neosho, Missouri will return to Floydada for a free concert, July 19th, 7:00 p.m., at the Fellowship Center of First Baptist Church. Canaan Bound was the southern gospel group that entertained at the Floyd County Friends Gala in March. They are considered one of the premier Southern Gospel quartets in Southern Missouri. Courtesy Photo

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- AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH**
Jay Simpson, Pastor
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Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

- FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**
Lockney
Rev. Brian Adams
Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service ... 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Jr. High5:30 p.m.
Wed. High School... 6:30 p.m.

- PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA**
Lockney
Jesus Caballero, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service ... 11:00 a.m.
Discipleship 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Service 7:00 p.m.

- BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH**
810 S. 3rd, Floydada
Darwin Robinson, Pastor
983-5278
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

- GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST**
Joe Bennett, Pastor
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Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.
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Tuesday 8:00 p.m.
Wed. Service 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship .. 10:55 a.m.
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Evening 6:00 p.m.

- CALVARY'S CORNERSTONE FELLOWSHIP**
Floydada
Armando Morales, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.
Bible Study 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

- SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH**
Lockney
Jim McCartney, Pastor
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Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

- SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH**
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Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

- CHURCH OF CHRIST**
West College & Third,
Lockney
Steve McLean -Minister
Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

- TEMPLO GETSEMANI ASSEMBLY OF GOD**
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Rev. Ray Gonzales
983-5286 (church)
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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

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Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
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Morning Worship ... 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study ... 6:30 p.m.

- TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM**
Lockney
Rev. Joe Hernandez
Sun. Prayer Service 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:45 p.m.
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Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Meeting 7:00 p.m.

- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Lockney**
Carl Moman, Pastor
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Phil Cotham, Music Min..
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Morning Worship ... 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday (Youth)....7:15 pm

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Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship ... 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Service 7:00 p.m.

- FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**
Floydada
Rev. Les Hall, Pastor
Early Worship8:30 a.m.
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 10:50 a.m.
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Youth (Wednesday)..7:30 p.m.

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Sunday Evening 5:00 p.m.
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- TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA**
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308 W. Tennessee,
Floydada
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Tuesday 7:30 p.m.
Thursday Service ... 7:30 p.m.

- AMERICAN STATE BANK**
Member FDIC
217 W. California
983-3725
- Goen & Goen Insurance**
102 E. California
983-3524
- TRINITY ASSEMBLY**
500 W. Houston
Floydada
Henry Russell, Co-Pastor
Vance Mitchell, Co-Pastor
983-5499 or 983-2887
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship .. 10:40 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

- Barwise Gin**
Barwise Community
983-2737
- Lockney Co-op Gin**
652-3377
- CITY AUTO**
Buick, Pontiac, GMC
201 E. Missouri
Floydada
983-3767
- Lockney Ins. Agency**
105 N. Main
652-3347
- Clark Pharmacy**
320 N. Main - Lockney
652-3353
- Oden Chevrolet Inc.**
221 S. Main, Floydada
983-3787
- Davis Lumber**
102 E. Shubert
Lockney
6523385
- Payne Family Pharmacy**
200 S. Main, Floydada
983-5111
- Garcia's OK Tire Store**
306 S. Main - Floydada - 983-3370
511 1st Olton, TX 2657796
- Pay-n-Save**
210 N. Main
Lockney
652-2293
- Lighthouse Electric Coop**
102 E. California
983-3524
- Schacht**
Flowers, Jewelry & Gifts
112 W. Poplar, Lockney
652-2385
- Sunshine Pump Oliver Clark**
Box 266, Lockney
983-5087 - 774-4412 (Mobile)

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\$2.29

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12 oz
\$1.19

Kraft Miracle Whip
32 oz
2 for \$6.00



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FREE BREAKFAST

6:30 AM to 9 AM

Eggs, Sausage, Gravy, Biscuits,
Butter, Coffee, Orange Juice

"Spend the 4th of July at Home"

LUNCH

11 AM to 1:30 PM

HOT DOGS
HAMBURGERS
PEPSI AND DR PEPPER

Children are invited to participate in
STICK HORSE RACE

REGISTER TO WIN PRIZES INSIDE STORE



MARKETPLACE

220 South 2nd St. Floyd
Specials Good All Day



Breakfast

7 AM to 9 AM

Gravy, Biscuits, Jelly,
Orange Juice

Family at Home with Us!"

Lunch

1:30 PM

- 4 FOR \$1.00
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- ER 4 FOR \$1.00

and to participate in the
HORSE RACE

ENTER TO WIN PRIZES AT STORE!

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and St. Floydada, Texas
All Day Friday, July 4th

**Shurfine
B.B.Q Sauce**
18 oz
3 for
99¢

**Shurfine
Plates**
50 ct
99¢

**Fresh
Yellow Corn**
2 For \$1.00

**Texas 114
Live
Band**
10:00 am to 1 pm

**Jalapeno
Peppers**
88¢ lb

**Fresh
Green Onions**
2 for
\$1.00

Cantalopes
69¢
each

