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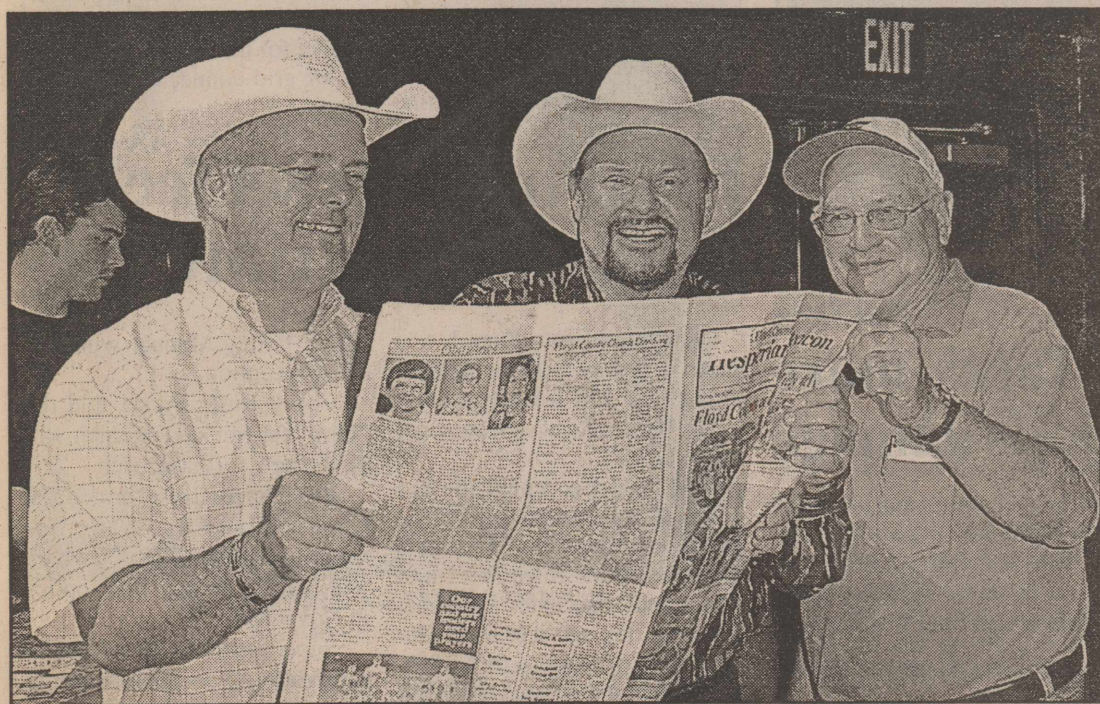
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## CONTEST PHOTO



MO BANDY AND THE HESPERIAN-BEACON--J. D. Ragland and Don Chesshir are seen here sharing a moment of Floyd County news with legendary entertainer Mo Bandy at the Starlight Theatre in Branson, Missouri. J. D. and Don were not vacationing together but met up to hear Mo Bandy and share some good music and good times. Courtesy Photo

## Wind power transmission lines coming to County

Floyd County's State Representative Joe Heflin, House District 85, reported that the Texas Public Utility Commission (PUC) on Thursday, July 17, approved "Scenario 2," the transmission line plan that eventually will move a total of 18,456 megawatts of wind power from West Texas to the state's power grid.

According to the PUC, Scenario 2 can be completed within four to five years. The project is estimated to cost \$4.93 billion.

Representative Heflin stated, "The House District 85 counties currently included in the proposed routes for the new transmission lines are: Borden, Fisher, Floyd, Glascock, Howard, Jones,

Kent and Sterling.

"Other counties in HD 85 will also benefit because the new lines are located near current or proposed wind farm projects. The transmission lines will move the energy produced by our West Texas wind farms to the rest of the state."

Heflin went on to say, "Scenario 2 appears to be a good plan and will give companies the assurances they need to invest in and develop even more wind farms."

"The lack of transmission lines had created a situation where the movement of power produced by wind farms was restricted. Developers now know

that expanding their wind farm operations is good business because when the new transmission lines are built, the additional energy produced can be loaded onto the electric grid.

"This is a win-win for HD 85 and West Texas and the state."

The PUC will take a final vote on its transmission line plan either later in July or some time in August. A map of scenario 2 of the competitive renewal energy zones (CREZ) is available on the Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT) website. Go to [www.ercot.com](http://www.ercot.com). Search for Scenario 2. In the 2nd listing you will find the approved option. Also see Page 5 in this paper.

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COACH STYLES CAN STILL READ THE SMALL PRINT AT AGE 50--The Lady Winds were surprised while reading the "Hesperian" that Coach Mark Styles turned half a century old on July 13. The girls helped celebrate the event "in Style"! Courtesy Photo

## Xcel Energy upgrades alert

AMARILLO -- On Tuesday, July 22, Xcel Energy upgraded an Energy Alert issued the previous Monday, and asked customers to take further steps to reduce electricity demand in light of unplanned maintenance issues at two area power plants and expected high demand due to heat.

The company asked customers to turn off unnecessary appliances and lights until 7 p.m.

If demand continues to outpace supply, the company could be forced to initiate controlled outages around the Texas-New Mexico region.

Xcel Energy declares an Energy Alert only when a reduction in electricity use is urgently needed to maintain the electricity system and service to customers.

"We are making a public appeal to our customers to turn off lights and appliances unless it would harm their health," said David Eves, president and CEO of Southwestern Public Service Company, an Xcel Energy company. "For example, elderly people or people who have health concerns should NOT turn off their air conditioners."

Suggestions on how to reduce electric load include:

Either turn off air conditioning or increase your thermostat

setting to 85 degrees, slowly lowering the setting after 7 p.m. to a more comfortable setting. This does not apply to customers who depend on air conditioning for health reasons.

Put off household chores that involve electrical appliances until after 7 p.m. (dishwashers, washing machines, clothes dryers, vacuum cleaners, etc.)

Put off tasks at work, if possible, that would demand electricity (power tools, maintenance equipment, etc.).

Turn off televisions and electronic equipment unless they are necessary to conduct business or to ensure your health and safety.

Turn off unnecessary lighting, leaving on only enough to move about safely indoors.

Xcel Energy officials declared the Energy Alert only after all other efforts to reduce electricity demand or to increase supply were implemented. Those include:

Bringing on line as many power generating units as possible and buying as much electricity as possible from other utilities.

Reducing electricity use as much as possible at Xcel Energy power plants and office buildings.

Interrupting power to industrial and agricultural customers who signed up for lower interruptible rates.

Asking other commercial and industrial customers to curtail their energy use.

The company expected the tight situation to ease Tuesday evening and into Wednesday as power plants return to full capacity operations. Even so, customers are advised that electric usage usually peaks at the end of July and in early August, and that reserve margins are still tight. Further conservation will help the company meet its demand, and will save customers money as well.

"We take our responsibility to supply energy to our customers very seriously, and we declared this Energy Alert only after exhausting all other options," Eves said.

"Our customers have helped us through similar situations in the past, and we look to them today to help us maintain the integrity of their electricity system. Turning off all lights and appliances that are not essential to health and safety will help us meet everyone's energy needs without service interruptions. We at Xcel Energy - and your friends and neighbors - thank you."

## FISD adopts proposed tax rate and hires assistant principals

(The information for this story was taken directly from school board minutes provided by FISD)

By Alice Gilroy  
During the regular meeting, July 17, FISD Trustees voted unanimously to adopt a proposed tax rate of \$1.155

A public hearing will be held August 21, at 6:30 p.m. on the 2008-09 budget and proposed tax rate. A vote on the tax rate will be held after the public hearing.

Trustees voted 6-1 to hire assistant principals for each campus with the High School getting two assistant principals.

Robin Nixon was approved as the Assistant Principal at A.B. Duncan; Zach Logan will be the assistant at Floydada Junior High, and Tommy Rando and Dana Herrington will be assistant principals at Floydada High School. Each assistant will receive a stipend of \$10,000 each.

Voting for this motion was Rachael Castillo, Marty Lucke, Amado Morales, William Dean, Bart Greer, and Lyle Miller. Opposed was Kerry Pratt.

the report.

A unanimous vote was given to spend \$48,842.68 to upgrade the dining/kitchen room.

Voting to upgrade corridors for \$60,193.24 were William Dean, Amado Morales, Rachael Castillo, Marty Lucke, and Bart Greer. Voting against was Kerry Pratt and Lyle Miller. The motion carried.

The trustees voted 5-2 not to upgrade toilets for \$15,283.08. Voting not to upgrade was Castillo, Dean, Greer, Miller and Lucke. Voting to upgrade was Pratt and Morales.

The trustees then voted 4-3 to upgrade the public restrooms only. Voting to upgrade only the public restrooms was Lucke, Castillo, Dean, and Morales. Voting against was Pratt, Greer, and Miller.

The trustees were unanimous in their vote to spend \$4,043.90 to upgrade the exterior.

Other expenditures voted on by the board included \$17,815.00 for science curriculum for grades 3-8 and a \$2,565.20 for reading curriculum for grade 4-5.

Resignations were accepted from elementary teachers Page Kelson, Megan Sue, Angela

Aleman, and 6th grade Science teacher and Junior High Coach Shelly Miller.

Employed were:  
Floydada High School--Troyce Renfro as math teacher and head boy's basketball coach, Lana Wagner as Science teacher, and Bianey Saucedo as Spanish teacher.

Floydada Junior High School--Becky Renfro, 7th grade Math.

A.B. Duncan--Brittany Douglas, special education; Tavia Davis, 1st grade; Ruth Reed, ESL; Nicole Gonzales, kindergarten; Callie Howell, 4th grade reading; and Catherine Simmons, 3rd grade.

A motion to accept the bid of \$79,899 to purchase a school bus for the 2008-09 year failed in a 5-2 vote. Voting against the bid was Pratt, Castillo, Lucke, Greer, and Miller. In favor were Morales and Dean.

The board voted 5-2 to reject all bids for a new suburban or like vehicle for district transportation. Voting to reject bids was Pratt, Castillo, Morales, Greer, and Miller. Voting against were Dean and Lucke.

The trustees voted unanimously to reject bids for a new suburban or like vehicle for district transportation. Voting to reject bids was Pratt, Castillo, Morales, Greer, and Miller. Voting against were Dean and Lucke.

## Sanders undergoing surgery for correction of Scoliosis damage

Sarah Sanders, of Floydada, is currently recovering from a 10 hour surgery she endured on Monday, July 21, to correct curvature of her spine. She will undergo another 8-10 hour surgery on Friday.

Sarah has suffered with painful Scoliosis most of her life and had her first back surgery around the age of 13. She has had 5 more surgeries since that time and now at the age of 54 she is once again seeking relief through a difficult operation.

The dangerous procedure was performed in St. Louis, MO at

Barnes-Jewish Hospital South and, according to reports from family, the surgery was deemed a success.

By her bedside is her husband, Brent, and two daughters, Katie and Abby.

In a message board posting, Katie said, "The surgeon felt that everything went wonderfully. They completely removed her L5 vertebra.

"They completed 50% of the scheduled procedure and will continue with another on Friday."

On Tuesday she was sitting up in bed and stood up with help.

"They haven't even finished the procedure and already her back is noticeably more straight," said Katie. "The doctor said that her curvature had been corrected a great deal during the initial surgery, and he would be doing more work on it during the second surgery."

"It's amazing. We can't believe what a huge difference he's made already, and he's not even finished."

Abby said, "By the end of the surgery, Mom will probably be 3-4 inches taller and Katie will

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JUSTIN RIPLEY and his Hesperian-Beacon took a cooling break from his "Robot" during the International Robot Competition, April 17-18 in Atlanta Georgia. Courtesy Photo

# The Paperboy

By CHRISTOPHER BLACKBURN

Winner of The Paperboy's Dumbest Idea Award goes to: Virgin Mobile, one of the largest cell phone companies in the country, and the National Network For Youth, a Washington, D.C., lobbying group for more than 150 organizations which help homeless youth.

Seems the two groups decided last week to begin testing a new fund raising idea. The new national Web campaign encourages young people to post strip-tease videos of themselves as a way of raising clothing donations for homeless youths.

As part of the campaign, entitled "Strip2Clothe," the campaign carries the moniker, "You take off yours, we donate ours." Young people were asked to post videos of themselves stripping to music. In exchange, clothing companies would provide donations of new clothes based on the number of times the videos were viewed. No full nudity was permitted.

Rightfully, the idea has been greeted with outrage because of its tasteless nature and exploitation of teenage girls.

"It was a shock to everybody," voiced Trudee Able-Peterson, coordinator of outreach services at StreetWorks, a Twin Cities collaborative of outreach pro-

grams. "This is the message we send kids? That my granddaughter, who's 17, should strip to provide clothes for other kids?"

What in the world makes someone think this is a good idea? How can a group of people sit in a board room and come up with this and not think there would be some backlash from the public?

Honestly, I think there is something in the atmosphere which is somehow draining common sense from the human brain. That, or the moron farm is having another bumper crop.

When companies think of campaigns which make me scratch my head, it reminds me of a "WKRP in Cincinnati" episode I saw on television when I was a child. Mr. Carlson, the radio station manager, decided to drop turkeys from a helicopter over a mall parking lot. He thought they could fly. Next thing you know, it's raining 12 lb. birds all over the people and cars below.

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Christopher Blackburn is the President and CEO of Blackburn Media Group, Inc. BMG owns several newspapers in Texas and Oklahoma including this publication.



JOSIE PALOMIA, of Lockney, was a recent \$500 "Dash for Cash" winner from Lowe's Pay-N-Save in Floydada.

Courtesy Photo

## Sarah Sanders faces more surgery for Scoliosis damage

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officially become the shortest member of the family."

Currently Sarah is in a great deal of pain because of the

stretching of nerves and tendons.

"The nerves in her right leg have been really stressed, and she has a very sharp, shooting pain. The nurse said there is not much they can do right now--it will just take time"

Sarah has been a teacher with FISD since 1977 when she started teaching 1st grade at Duncan. After 6 years she moved to Kindergarten where she taught for 7 years, then 2nd grade for 12 years and then 8th grade reading for 6 years.

Sarah retired this year to have this surgery.

For those interested in keeping up with Sarah's progress or to send her a message, you can go to [www.carepages.com](http://www.carepages.com). You must get a unique ID and password (at no cost). To log onto the patients name after you register, type in:

SarahSandersFloydadaTX  
To get updates by phone, call Sarah and Brent's home phone and progress updates will be on the answering machine: 983-2320.

To send a card: Sarah Sanders, Barnes-Jewish Hospital South, 4921 Parkview Place, St. Louis, MO 63110.

To help the Sanders family call Lynne Lackey, 983-5086, or Jo Lynn Dean, 983-2975/787-3158.

## Hutchison secures \$2 million for wind research at Tech

WASHINGTON - U.S. Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison (R-TX), a member of the Senate Appropriations Committee, today announced that the committee has approved the Fiscal Year 2009 Energy and Water Development Appropriations bill, which includes \$2 million that Sen. Hutchison secured for wind power research at Texas Tech University. The bill is now ready to be considered by the full Senate.

"Texas leads the nation in wind power production, deriving more than 10 percent of our electricity from wind and accounting

for nearly one-third of the nation's total installed wind capacity," said Sen. Hutchison. "This funding will advance important research initiatives and provide Texans with access to more alternative energy sources."

The funding will be used to establish the Texas Tech University Great Plains Wind Power Test Facility. The facility will build on the significant measurement and analysis capabilities of Texas Tech University and continue to serve as a national resource for the testing and analysis of grid-connected wind turbines.

## FISD trustees set fee for unused sick time pay

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mously to pay \$50 for professional and \$25 for paraprofessional unused local sick/personal days.

The board accepted the bid from Texas Association of School Boards for Worker's Compensation Insurance, and unanimously accepted a contract for drug dog services with Detection K9 of America for \$1,800.

A unanimous vote approved setting lunch meal prices for elementary students at \$1.40; \$1.50 for secondary students; and \$2.80 for adults. Breakfast will be .70¢ for students and \$1.00 for adults.

The board approved the demolition and clean up of property at 508 E. Grover and 801 W. Crockett.

The board also voted unanimously to approve the new Student Code of Conduct, and the

TASB Policy Manual with one DEA exception.

Coach Rusty Purser told the board that Michael Aleman will be the new softball coach.

Rex Holcombe informed the board he is working on an e-rate reimbursement of \$15,000 which will help in getting fiber optics in November.

Superintendent Jerry Vaughn reported on maintenance projects. Carpet has been replaced in the field house and football field restrooms and referee dressing room construction are underway.

Sharon Rainwater gave a tax report. The M&O current tax roll is \$1,656,459; net collections are \$1,595,576; I&S current tax roll is \$185,051; net collections are \$177,175.00; percent of tax roll collected is 96.26%.



## Kay Bailey Hutchison

UNITED STATES SENATOR, TEXAS

The housing crisis is eroding the confidence of our nation's homeowners, financial institutions, and investors at an accelerating rate. Americans are growing anxious that the equity they've paid into their homes may not provide the financial security that home ownership once guaranteed.

Worst of all, nearly 1.9 million borrowers across the nation - more than 50,000 of them in Texas - who have filed for foreclosure on their homes this year live with diminished hope that their own symbol of the American dream will be realized.

The Federal National Mortgage Association (Fannie Mae) and the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation (Freddie Mac) each have similar roles in the home mortgage market. They buy mortgages from primary lenders - like banks - which make additional funds available to those banks to lend to other potential homeowners.

Fannie and Freddie were created by Congress specifically to make home ownership affordable and attainable for low- and middle-income Americans. Since 2000, Freddie Mac has provided

\$821.6 million in low-cost mortgages to Texas families. And as of May 2008, Fannie Mae has purchased over a million home mortgages in our state. Across the nation, Fannie and Freddie own or guarantee \$5.2 trillion in home mortgages - almost half of all outstanding mortgages in the U.S. Because current regulation requires each firm to have a financial cushion of cash or securities, plummeting investor confidence is the basis for the current climate of crisis.

Economists of all philosophies agree that the collapse of Fannie or Freddie would have a devastating impact on the U.S. housing market and further damage an already-fragile U.S. economy.

Concerns about their viability have reinvigorated Congressional efforts to pass a sweeping housing bill addressing the core issues of the financial crisis.

Central to the legislation are long-overdue reforms, which establish a new, independent entity to regulate Fannie, Freddie, and the 12 Federal Home Loan Banks that were set up after the Savings and Loan crisis of the 1980s. The new entity will have the author-

ity to set capital standards and establish prudent management practices. These provisions are designed to ensure the safe and sound operation of Fannie and Freddie and better prepare them to weather unforeseen market challenges that may arise in the future.

The new rules will try to ensure that lenders do not entice people who are unable to make the payments to take on too much debt by requiring a minimum down payment. The legislation also raises the limit on the size of a mortgage, allowing families in high-cost areas of the country to access homeownership with fixed rate mortgages rather than exotic subprime loans. To spur home ownership, the bill includes a refundable first time homebuyer tax credit. Additionally, the package extends tax relief by allowing owners who do not itemize deductions on their tax returns to claim an additional standard deduction for the amount they pay in local property taxes, up to \$1,000.

Since March 2008, my office has responded to letters, emails, and phone calls from more than 5,000 Texans who are anxious about rampant foreclosures, falling home prices, and the trickle-down effects of ailing credit markets. I want all Texans to know that Congress is taking measured steps to ease the burden facing many homeowners, to continue to make loans available, and to soften the toll of the housing crisis on our economy.

Kay Bailey Hutchison is the senior U.S. Senator from Texas and is Chairman of the Senate Republican Policy Committee.

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PRAYING HANDS--Shirley Varner, of Floydada, and her great-granddaughter, Hannah Hernandez stand in front of the Praying Hands while they look at The Hesperian-Beacon near Oral Roberts University in Tulsa, OK. Courtesy Photo

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# Traylor and Cummings exchange vows



MR. AND MRS. ADAM CUMMINGS  
Nee Ashley Dawn Traylor

Ashley Dawn Traylor and Adam Carter Cummings were united in marriage 7:00 p.m. June 14, 2008 at the Amarillo Botanical Gardens in Amarillo. Rev. Kyle Brock Officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Denzil and Sherry Traylor of Fritch. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Traylor of Winters, Ms. Tina Hall of Borger, and Ms. Jane Traylor of Dumas.

The groom is the son of Zach and Sandra Cummings of Lockney. He is the grandson of Mr.

and Mrs. Sterling Cummings and Mr. and Mrs. John Dorman, all of Lockney.

Escorted on the arm of her father, the bride wore a Maggie Sottero designer one-piece strapless, corset back, A-line gown with a sweep train. The gown featured a sweetheart neckline accented with lace and embellished with bugle beads, seed beads, and sequins. Tulle gently caught up at the sides and was accented with lace appliques. The hemline was created from a stunning border of lace.

The bride carried a hand-tied arrangement of peonies, hydrangea and garden roses.

For something old, the bride wore the wedding ring of her paternal great-grandmother and pearls from her maternal great-grandmother. For something new, the bride wore her new pearl earrings. Something blue, was the garter she wore, and something borrowed was her mother's mother's ring tied in her bouquet.

Serving as the bride's maid of honor was Brandy Traylor, of Fritch, sister of the bride. The bridesmaid was Courtney Cummings of Lubbock, sister of the groom.

The bride's attendants wore pearl pink strapless A-line, floor length gowns and carried hand-tied bouquets of pearl pink roses and white hydrangea.

Serving as best man was Cagan Cummings of Canyon, brother of the groom. Groomsman was Ernest Trejo of Canyon, friend of the groom.

The groom was attired in a black tux with a white vest, shirt and tie. The groomsmen were attired in black tuxes with pearl pink vests and ties, and white shirts.

Flower girls were Brylee and Kenadee Winfrey, friends of the couple, both of Canyon.

Ushers were Chase Smyth, cousin of the groom and Billy Rushing, friend of the couple, both of Canyon.

Hosting the guest registry were April Dorman of Plainview, cousin of the groom, Erin Doan of Canyon, friend of the couple, and Summer Downs, cousin of the bride.

The outdoor garden was decorated by its natural green surroundings and the guests were seated in white chairs tied with pearl pink organza.

The music for the seating of the families was a violin playing "Air"; attendants' processional

was a violin playing "Largo ma non tanto"; bride's processional was a violin playing "Cannon in D"; and the recessional was a violin playing "Hornpipe."

The reception following the ceremony consisted of a dinner and dance at the Botanical Gardens hosted by Denzil and Sherry Traylor.

The bride's table featured the four-tiered wedding cake covered in butter cream icing and delicate handmade gum paste pearl pink roses.

The groom's table featured the chocolate groom's cake with chocolate icing, topped with a football in the center, surrounded by chocolate covered strawberries.

The tables at the reception were covered with white tablecloths and pearl pink organza overlays. Hurricanes on a mirrored base, wrapped with sprigs of pearls, with pillar candles placed inside provided the lighting for the evening.

The rehearsal dinner, June 13, 2008, at 6:00 p.m. was hosted by Zach and Sandra Cummings at Amarillo Botanical Park. A hamburger cookout was cooked and served by John Bertsch, Robbie and Tracy Long, Johnny and Julie Dorman, Phil and Cindy Cotham, Lisa Schumacher, Kathy Kellison, Cindy Ford and Charlotte Mitchell.

The bride is a May 2008 graduate of West Texas A&M University and is employed by Randall County.

The groom is a graduate of Hardin Simmons University and is employed by Canyon ISD as a Teacher/Coach.

Bridal showers were held May 3, 2008 at the home of Kathy Kellison and May 31, 2008 at the Fritch Library hosted by Brandy Traylor, Haley McWilliams, Stephanie Brooks and Sasha Garcia.

The couple are at home in Canyon.



BOBBYE AND WALTER BEAN will celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary during a reception, at City Bank of Silverton on August 3, 2008 from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m., hosted by their sons, daughter-in-laws and grandchildren. Bean married the former Bobbye Lu Casey on August 15, 1958 at the First Baptist Church in Lockney. They lived in Lockney for the first few months of their marriage before moving to Silverton where they still reside. Bean graduated from Silverton High School, attended Texas Tech, and served two years in the military prior to engaging in his lifetime career of farming near Silverton. Mrs. Bean graduated from Lockney High School and Hardin Simmons University. She is a retired second grade teacher. Children of the couple and their spouses are Brent and Jan Bean, Kyle and Lori Bean, and Casey and Corinna Bean. The couple have eight grandchildren: Zach, Drew, Jill, Kyler, Baylor, Corinne, Christine, and Caleb Bean.

## Fortenberrys to hold Reunion

By Norma Welch

Members and friends of the J.C. Fortenberry family will gather Friday, August 1 and Saturday August 2 at the Massie Activity Center in Floydada for their 57th Annual Reunion.

The Center will open at 12:00 noon and games and entertainment will begin at 6:00 p.m.

Hamburgers and drinks will be furnished for supper. Bring a freezer of ice cream for the contest or a cake or cookies for dessert. Games for all ages.

Saturday, August 2, breakfast

at 7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Sourdough biscuits, gravy, eggs, bacon, juice, cinnamon rolls, sausage, juice and coffee will be served.

An entertainment program and memorials, along with a short business meeting will begin at 10:30 a.m.

At noon, bread, meat, drinks and utensils will be furnished. Bring and share your favorite covered dish. A few copies of the Fortenberry Family cookbooks are still available. See ya there.

## Lockney Senior Citizens News

By Vera Jo Bybee

It is so dry here in Floyd County. We all need a good rain. It seems as if I am always asking you to add someone to your prayer list, so this week I am asking you to add "rain" to your prayer list. Nothing is too small or large to ask God in your prayers. Just listen to Preacher Bybee.

Gene said we only had home folks to eat with us this week. Please read the menu and see about eating at the Center to sample some of Wanda's good cooking.

People who have your meals delivered please keep them all paid for and do not get behind. Gas and food is too expensive to deliver and not get it paid for when it is delivered. We do appreciate everyone who eats with the Center.

I am sorry I am behind in writing the memorials. I promise I will get caught up one of these days.

I visited the Lutheran Church at Providence Sunday with my

son and wife, Louie and Cynthia and their sons, Bryan and Tyler and wife, Amy of Lubbock. I enjoyed getting to visit with all my Providence friends.

Then I went home with the kids from Church and had a big Sunday dinner. It was 3:00 before I came home.

Visitors this week with Ruby and Bo Kiser were their daughters and families; Jonnell Echols and husband, Bobby of Clovis, "California", their son, Corey and his children, Paiton and Taelyn from Friant, Ca., Ruby and Bo's other daughter, Alma Jean Parker from Lubbock and her family, sons, Cambric and Shawn and daughter, Shayla. Ruby said Cambric is making a chef and that Alma Jean and Cambric brought the Sunday dinner to Lockney. She said Cedric's cake was so pretty and tasted good too.

Last Friday night Bobby and Surina Griffith of Seymour, Dan and Shirley Griffith of Cisco, Ted and Dianna Samples of Plainview, Lynn Ray and Wanda Smith, Boyd and Gayle Reay, all

of Lockney met for an evening meal and some visiting at the Rocking R in Plainview. Bobby, Ted, Wanda and Gayle graduated in 1952 from Lockney High School. Dan and Shirley graduated in 1956.

The Griffiths were also here for the Griffith reunion which was held at the Senior Citizens Center Saturday the 19th with 55 in attendance.

The lunch was catered by Judy and Clar Schacht. I was invited to attend with Bobby and Surina. I stayed for the whole thing and had a great time.

Jewel Roberts Thompson's daughters, Judy, Jill and Jeny and two granddaughters and one great granddaughter were all here over the weekend cleaning out their mother's house. I know it was a trying and sad time for them.

Joe and Lozell Keeter are now home recuperating from being in the Lubbock Heart Hospital. Joe had to have two stints put in.

Joe's three children, Perry, Jack and Jill and Jack's daughter, Darla flew in from Califor-

nia to visit their dad. They all came by to see me Monday afternoon. I was so glad to see them. I knew them so well when they lived in Lockney 28 years ago. They told me their mother Marie is doing fine and is still working for the Navy. She has been with them for about 28 years. When she retires she is going to come out here and we are going to do a bit of traveling.

Thought for the day is sent to me by a 1948 Lockney classmate Harold Hall:

Q. Why do 60+ people use valet parking?

A. Valets don't forget where they park the car.

Q. As people age, do they sleep more soundly?

A. Yes, but usually in the afternoon.

### Menu

July 28 - August 1  
Mon: Baked potato  
Tues: Chicken strips  
Wed: Spaghetti  
Thrs: Ham  
Fri: Enchiladas



Proud grandparents are Benito, Jr. and Carmen Alvarez and Maria Saldana and Victor Del Toro, all of Floydada.

Proud Great-grandparents are Benito Alvarez, Sr. of Plainview and the late Romana Alvarez and the late Jose Carmen and Maria de la luz Suarez.

### Look Who's New!

SALDAÑA  
Eladio Saldana, Jr. and Crystal Linda Alvarez are proud to announce the arrival of their daughter, Maria Elisa Saldana.

She was born on Tuesday, June 10, 2008 at 11:45 a.m. at UMC hospital in Lubbock. She weighed 6 pounds 3 ounces and was 19 1/2 inches long.

## Post holds 2008 Arts on Main Street Celebration

This year, Arts on Main Street in Post will be held August 5-9, 2008.

The show is presented by the Post Art Guild, Inc. They are celebrating their 47th year.

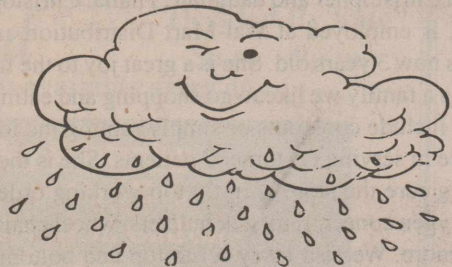
Juror will be Mr. Joseph Adams, Professor of Art at Western Texas College in Snyder. There will be \$2,000 in purchase

awards.

Entries will be taken at the Algerita Art Center, 131 Main Street, Post on August 5, 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. and on Wednesday August 6, 9:00 - Noon.

For further information, call Linda - 806-495-2207; Marie - 806-629-4337; Sheri - 806-495-3493.

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# Martinez and Hays Wed



**MR. AND MRS. ZACHARY HAYS**  
Nee Laci D'Layne Martinez

Lacie D'Layne Martinez and Zachary Taylor Hays were united in marriage recently at South Georgia Baptist Church in Amarillo. Officiating were the bride's pastors in her lifetime: Rev. Bob Miller, pastor of South Georgia Baptist Church; Rev. Lupe Rando of Vernon and Rev. Dallas Stringer of Pampa.

The bride is the daughter of Joe and Thelma Martinez of Amarillo (formerly of Floydada). She is the granddaughter of Ramon V. and Virginia S. Martinez and Ms. Florinda Z. Morales of Floydada and the late Francisco S. Morales.

The groom is the son of David and Thelma Hays of Amarillo. He is the grandson of John and Doris Hays and Dortha Callaway of Amarillo.

All the couple's grandparents attended the ceremony.

Escorted on the arm of her

father, the bride wore a formal gown of white souffle' organza featuring a modified sweetheart neckline and a cinch pleated bodice embellished with hand-beaded lace appliques. The corset back accented the snug waist and ball gown skirt. Sparkling medallions of the beaded lace motif were scattered throughout the bouffant pickups of the skirt, flowing in the graceful cathedral train.

She carried a fragrant bouquet of calla and stargazer lilies and yellow and white roses wrapped in white silk ribbon.

Serving as maid of honor was Lisa D. Martinez, of Amarillo, sister of the bride.

Bridal attendants were Cynthia Gutierrez, of Alamo, cousin of the bride, and Brandy Larned and Teresa Sorria of Amarillo, friends of the bride.

Flower girls were Emma

Rodriguez of San Antonio, cousin of the bride, Chloe Martinez of Lubbock, cousin of the bride, and Bennett Younger of Amarillo, friend of the bride.

Serving as best man was Thomas Hays of Amarillo, brother of the groom.

The groom's attendants were John Hays, brother of the groom, Harold Callaway, uncle of the groom and David Hays, father of the groom, all of Amarillo.

Candlelighters were Marqui Morales of Floydada, cousin of the bride and Shaun Callaway of Amarillo, cousin of the groom.

The theme for the wedding was "Two Hearts, One Love", and the colors were navy blue and pastel yellow.

Music was provided by pianist Marsha Humphrey of Amarillo; Soloist Jed Humphrey who sang "Butterfly Kisses"; Meredith, Laura Lynn and Laura Humphrey who sang "You Raise Me Up"; Shelby Deathridge and Rachael Huseman who sang "When God Made You: and the string quartet, "Vienna Conspiracy" of Amarillo.

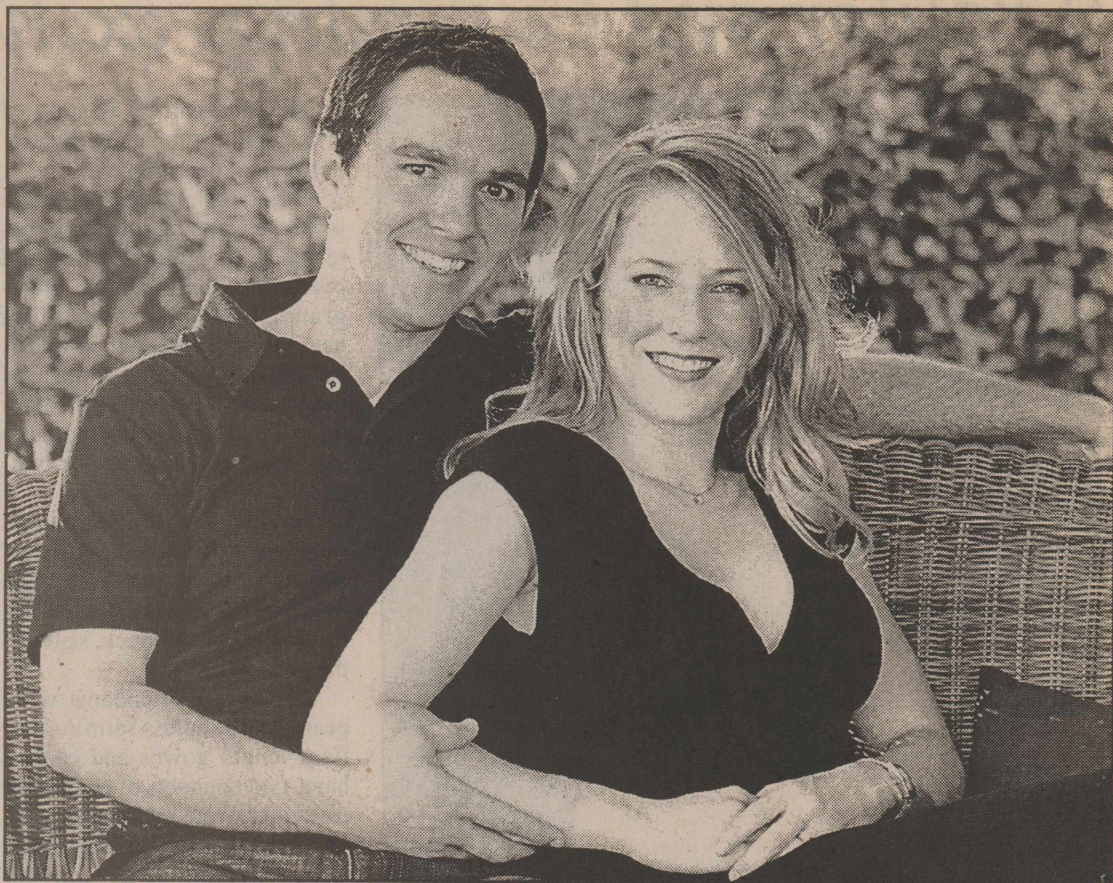
A reception held at the Amarillo Civic Center Heritage Room followed the wedding ceremony. The entertainment was provided by "Mariachi Mi Tierra" of Lubbock.

The ball room was decorated with white, navy and pastel yellow overlays. White linen and pastel yellow sashes covered the chairs. The tables were adorned with centerpiece cardles accented with white and yellow daisies and votives.

The bride is a 2000 graduate of Floydada High School and a 2004 graduate of West Texas A&M University, where she earned a Bachelor degree in Business Administration in Finance, and a Bachelor degree in Management. She is employed at B&W Pantex.

The groom is a 2001 graduate of Palo Duro High in Amarillo and a 2006 graduate of West Texas A&M University, where he earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in General Studies. He is employed by Amarillo National Bank in Amarillo.

After a honeymoon in Playa De Carmen, Mexico, the couple now reside in Amarillo.



**SHAWN DUNN AND REBECCA WARREN**

# Warren and Dunn

Martin and Jill Warren of Floydada are happy to announce the engagement of their daughter Rebecca Lynn Warren to Shawn Ryan Dunn, son of John Dunn and Sherrie Dunn of Oklahoma City.

The bride-elect recently graduated from Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Pharmacy and will be completing a pharmacy residency at the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center College of Pharmacy.

The prospective groom is a graduate of Southern Nazarene University and is working for the Digi Group of Oklahoma City where the couple will reside.

An October wedding is planned.

## Floydada Senior Citizen News

By Magarette Word

If you are disabled, unable to get out of your home, or if you are a caretaker of a homebound person, you are eligible for a lunch delivered daily to your home.

Depending on your income, the meal will either be free, reduced or the suggested daily cost. If you are interested please call the Center at 983-2032 or come to the Center located at 301 E. Georgia.

Bob Dempsey of Amarillo drove Jo Davis to Floydada so she could visit friends. Many of her friends went to Betsey Dempsey's home on Tuesday, July 15, from 2:00-4:00 p.m. and had a very good visit.

Gary and Peggy Crawford and son, Justin of "Canaan Bound" spent the night in the home of Jon and Elaine LaBaume on Friday night. The rest of the group stayed in their RV except for their driver. The driver spent the night at The Bunk House. "Canaan

Bound" had a very busy weekend. On Friday night, they performed at the Ragtown Gospel Theater in Post. They were a smash hit and have been asked to return in 2009 for another performance. They performed at both prisons in Plainview on Saturday morning and went on to Tulsa where they did another performance before returning to Floydada to perform a 90 minute concert at the First Baptist Church Fellowship Center.

There were over 100 people who attended Saturday night. We really enjoyed the good singing. They will return within the year. On Sunday night, they performed in Pryor, Oklahoma before returning home to Neosho, Missouri.

Boone Adams' brother-in-law Gary Scholton of Tucson, Arizona was here over this past weekend. Thank you for attending the fund raiser breakfast that the Center had last Saturday morning. We appreciate your support

to help us keep our door open five days a week.

We also appreciate the donations and memorials.

Our sympathy to Louis Pyle on the loss of his older brother.

Our sympathy to the family of Scott Faulkenberry.

Melton Evans has been in the hospital but is now back at Floydada Rehab and Care Center.

Thought for the week - True giving knows no season.

### Menu

July 28 - August 1

**Monday**-Chicken fajitas, lettuce, tomato, grilled vegetables, tortilla, cherry salad

**Tuesday**-Spaghetti with meat sauce, Italian blend, salad, garlic bread, cookies

**Wednesday**-Beef roast, carrots, macaroni and cheese, salad, fruit

**Thursday**-Chicken with mushrooms, scalloped potatoes, corn, roll, cobbler

**Friday**----- (not reported)

# Smith and Paul exchange vows



**MRS. BARRY PAUL**  
Nee Dava Lynn Smith

Dava Lynn Smith and Barry Paul were married October 20, 2007 in Red Lion, Pennsylvania.

The bride is the daughter of Dennis and Mary M. Carter of Lockney.

The groom is the son of Gus and Sally Paul, of Pennsylvania.

The groom's son, Eric Paul served as best man.

The bride was escorted down the aisle by her son, Cody, and her father.

The bride's sisters, Ginger Hummel and Margaret Wilson, were her bridesmaids.

A fun reception followed the wedding ceremony.

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## Reliable Home Medical Open in Two Locations



We would like to welcome Valerie Ascencio to our Reliable Home Medical staff, it's also known as Crosbyton Home Oxygen. The name of the business is in the process of being changed over to Reliable Home Medical. Valerie graduated from Lockney High School in 2004, (nice local gal). She lives here with her wonderful husband Christopher and daughter, Thalia. Christopher, who graduated from Lockney High School in 2001, is employed at Wal-Mart Distribution and has been there 6 years. Thalia was born April 13, and is now 3 years old. She is a great joy to the family and those who know Chris, she is exactly like him. As a family we like to go shopping and eating out. We also enjoy gatherings with the entire family that include cook outs or simply renting the local Lockney pool.

Valerie brings 6 years of experience in serving customers/patients. She is the receptionist here at Crosbyton Home Oxygen and making sure the store is in tip top working order. We have in stock TENS units, lift chairs, TED hoses, oxygen concentrators, nebulizers, wheel chairs, grab bars, shower chairs, Diabetic supplies, and much more. We also carry scrub top and bottoms and clogs that are now 20% off. Valerie can find or answer any question you may have. If you have not had a chance to meet this new business in Lockney, come by and see what we have to offer. Crosbyton Home Oxygen is opened Monday thru Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

As you can see, Reliable Home Medical has a staff that is ready and willing to serve you, the patient. We pride ourselves in keeping the patients pleased. You can have your local Doctors or your Lubbock Doctors fax or mail us your order form for oxygen or any medical equipment. Let us know how we can help you reach your medical needs. We are also on call 24 hours a day so you can reach us at any time should an emergency arise. Our #1 priority is our patients.

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**Annual Jamaica Games** St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church in Floydada  
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**Saturday, July 26**  
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**GAMES**  
Dunking Booth; Balloon Dart Game; Bean Bag Throw, Jumping House; Horse Riding; Face Painting and balloons; Cake Walk and Mexican Bingo.

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1st, 2nd, and 3rd Place Cash Prizes  
(Please arrive at 1:30 p.m. to register; \$5.00 entry fee per act; bring your own music)  
**Entertainment For Everybody!!**  
**Lots of DOOR PRIZES**



CAPTAIN LEZLIE WARREN graduated from her five year subspecialty training in Diagnostic Radiology on June 9, 2008. At the ceremony, she received her diploma and the award for "Resident of the Year" from General Thomas W. Travis, commander of the 59th Medical Wing. She completed her residency at Wilford Hall Medical Center and Brooke Army Medical Center in San Antonio, Texas after graduating from Texas A&M Medical School in 2003. Warren received her Bachelor of Science degree in 1999 from Texas Tech University. Dr. Warren will be interpreting X-rays, CT scans, MRI's, ultrasounds, mammograms, and other imaging studies for our soldiers and their families. She was reassigned back to Wilford Hall Medical Center as a staff radiologist where she will practice for the next four years until her next assignment. She is the daughter of Martin and Jill Warren and the granddaughter of William and Faye Bertrand, all of Floydada.

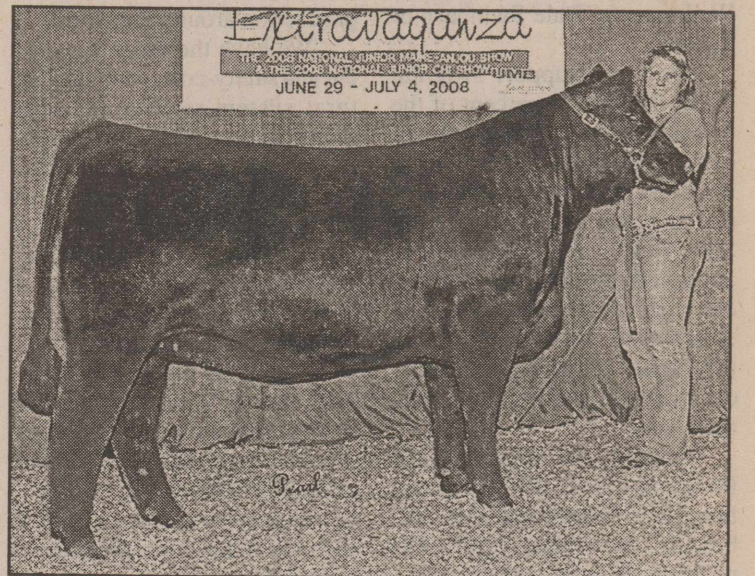
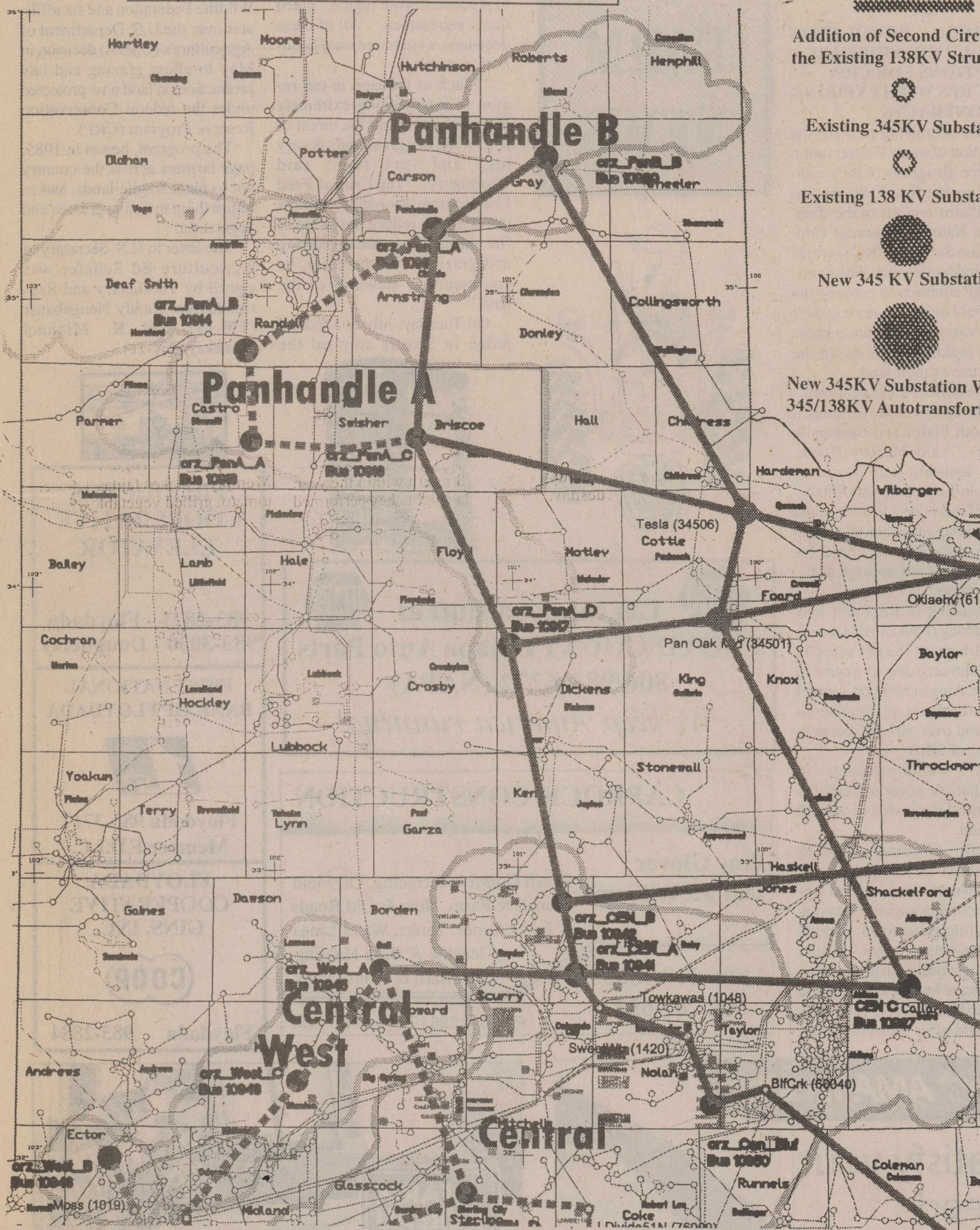


SYANN FOSTER, Lockney, exhibited the Grand Champion Chiangus Female, FBF True Luck 522T 2CA, at the 2008 AJCA National Junior Heifer Show July 3-4, 2008 in Kansas City, Mo. Among those pictured with Foster are Mallorie Blankenship, ACA National Queen; David Foster, Darlee Foster, Jody Foster, Shawnda, Foster, Will Foster, Judge Scott Schaake, Sence Foster & Segayle Foster. Courtesy Photo

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**Wind Energy Transmission Line Route**



SEGAYLE FOSTER, Lockney, exhibited the Reserve Grand Champion Bred & Owned Chiangus Female, FBF Tahoe Rose 309T 2CA, at the 2008 AJCA National Junior Heifer Show July 3-4, 2008 in Kansas City, Mo. Courtesy Photo



SYANN FOSTER, Lockney, exhibited the Chiangus Senior Yearling Reserve Division Champion, LSB Sweet Addiction 632S 2CA, at the 2008 AJCA National Junior Heifer Show July 3-4, 2008 in Kansas City, Mo. Courtesy Photo



SENEE' FOSTER, Lockney, exhibited the Chiangus Senior Heifer Calf Reserve Champion, FBF Tried And True 516T 2CA, at the 2008 AJCA National Junior Heifer Show July 3-4, 2008 in Kansas City, Mo. Pictured with Sence is Segayle Foster. Courtesy Photo

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**Whirlwind Little Cheerleader Camp**

**Who:** 4 years through 6th grade interested in learning fun cheers, chants, and dances

**What:** Floydada High School Varsity & Jr. Varsity Squads will be hosting a cheerleading camp

**When:** August 4, 5, & 6, 2008 from 8 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

**Where:** Floydada High School Whirlwind Gym

**How:** Registration Monday, August 4th @ 8:00 a.m. in the Whirlwind Gym. The cost is \$30 cash or check (made out to FHS cheerleaders)

**Why:** Because it will be fun \*O/\*

**Camp Includes**

- 3 days of instruction...cheers, chants, dances, & stunts
- Snack and drinks
- Show and tell sessions
- Special appearances by the "Floydada Whirlwinds"
- Cheerleader performances
- Prizes and Spirit Sticks
- Spirit Days
- A post-camp performance @ FHS Homecoming Game
- Lil' cheer camp t-shirt

**Lockney Elementary School Registration**

Lockney Elementary will have registration the week of August 11-15, 2008 for students who did not attend our school last year. This includes children registering for Pre Kindergarten and those new to the district. *If your child attended Lockney Elementary last year, you DO NOT need to register them for the 2008-2009 school year.*

Please bring the following documentation with you to register:

- Child's birth certificate, Child's Social Security Card, Child's current shot record, Information about household income, and Parent's Identification

Children entering Pre Kindergarten MUST be 4 years old on or before September 1, 2008.

Lockney Elementary tendrá matrícula la semana August 11-15, 2008 para estudiantes que no asistieron su escuela el año pasado. Esto incluye a niños que registran para Pre Kindergarten y esos nuevo al distrito. *Si su niño asistió Lockney Elementary el año pasado, usted no necesita registrarlos por el 2008-2009 año escolar.*

Traiga por favor la documentación siguiente con usted registrar:

- Certificada de nacimiento del niño, Tarjeta de la Seguridad social del Niño numero social, Certificada de las inmunizaciones, La información acerca de ingresos de casa.

Los niños que entra Pre Kindergarten debe tener 4 años en o antes de el 1 de septiembre de 2008.

**Texas Producers Direct Key Cotton Research Through Cotton Inc. State Support Program**

Members of the Cotton Incorporated Texas State Support Committee met in Austin Tuesday, July 15 to review and select cotton research projects for State Support funding in 2009.

The Committee, comprised of cotton growers from across Texas, worked out preliminary plans to allocate over \$1.2 million in 2009 research funds available through the Cotton Incorporated State Support Program. Texas State Support Committee members from the High Plains participating in this year's Texas State Support Committee meeting included James Brown of Muleshoe, Jackie Burriss of Wellman and Dale Swinburn of Tahoka.

The State Support Program (SSP) returns 7.5 percent of the most recent three-year average of cotton producer contributions to the CI budget back to cotton producing states each year. The CI State Support Program provides an opportunity for cotton producers to direct an extensive array of research activity addressing the important production, processing and marketing issues they face.

Within Texas CI State Support Program funds are allocated based on a formula that uses one-half of available funds for projects deemed relevant on a statewide basis. The remaining money is further divided among the State's nine growing regions based on each region's percentage of statewide production averaged over the most recent three growing seasons.

Based on this allocation structure, High Plains producer leaders selected projects for 2009 funding totaling \$418,254. A total of 19 research projects were selected during the July 15 meeting for funding from the High Plains' share of projected 2009 Texas State Support Program funds.

Researchers at the Texas Tech University (TTU) College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources, the TTU Fiber and Biopolymer Research Institute, USDA Agricultural Research Service Cropping Systems Research Laboratory, Texas AgriLife Extension, and Texas AgriLife Research will conduct the selected High Plains projects.

Research priorities that will be addressed by 2009 research projects include genetic improvement; disease resistance; irrigation and fertilization management; pest management; harvesting and ginning; spinning performance; and marketing and economics.

A final listing of approved projects will be compiled and released, along with final funding levels, by Cotton Incorporated staff later in the year.

**CI Launches On-line Natural Resource Survey**

U.S. cotton growers checking their mailboxes earlier this week are likely to have found a letter from Cotton Incorporated inviting them to participate in a new "Natural Resource Survey." The survey is designed to gather important information detailing the high level of environmental stewardship exercised by U.S. cotton producers on their farms.

Cotton Incorporated began accepting responses from the U.S. cotton producers asked to

participate in its newly created "Natural Resource Survey" on July 15.

According to Dr. Kater Hake, vice president, Agricultural Research, Cotton Incorporated, the survey could become one of the most important information gathering tools in which U.S. cotton producers are ever be asked to participate.

"Results from the 'Natural Resource Survey' will literally form a foundation for and help guide the efforts of the Cotton Research and Promotion Program over the next several years," explains Hake.

According to Hake, the U.S. cotton industry has a unique opportunity to benefit from the increased scrutiny consumers are applying to food, fiber and feed production around the world.

"We have the most transparent and safety-conscious agricultural system relative to other major cotton producing countries," adds Hake. "The U.S. cotton industry has made great strides in production efficiency gains and results from this survey will show the true extent of modern cotton production's environmental stewardship."

There is no log-in to participate in the 20 minute on-line survey because individual responses are not being tracked, however Hake and staff do ask that producers take the survey only once and only if they have production responsibility for a cotton farming operation.

"Producer input will be anonymous, so we hope all participants will be comfortable in truthfully answering our questions," says Hake.

"We realize that producers get numerous requests for information, so we appreciate your willingness to participate in this Cotton Incorporated survey and if you want to learn more about this program or the other activities of Cotton Incorporated please contact us at:

agsurvey@cottoninc.com," concludes Hake.

**FSA Reminds Growers of August 1 County Committee Nomination Deadline**

Teresa Lasseter, administrator of USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA), today reminded farmers, ranchers and other agricultural producers that they have until August 1, 2008, to nominate eligible candidates to serve on local FSA county committees.

"County committees are important because they help deliver federal programs, which is an important aspect of our service to agriculture," Lasseter said. "I encourage all producers to get involved by nominating eligible candidates to serve on county committees."

"I especially urge producers to nominate beginning farmers and ranchers, as well as minorities and women. Helping beginning farmers and ranchers is a USDA priority under the new farm bill. Having these producers in the county committees will help us build a strong future for our next generation of agricultural businesses and communities."

FSA county committees help local farmers through their decisions on commodity price support loans, conservation programs and disaster programs, and by working closely with county executive directors.

To hold office as a county committee member, a person must participate or cooperate in

a program administered by FSA, be eligible to vote in a county committee election and reside in the local administrative area in which the person is a candidate.

A complete list of eligibility requirements and additional information are posted online at <http://www.fsa.usda.gov>; click on the "FSA Counts on You" Spotlight.

Individuals may nominate themselves or others as candidates. FSA encourages beginning farmers and ranchers, as well as minorities and women, to file a nomination form on their own behalf.

All nominees must sign nomination form FSA-669A, which includes a statement that the nominee agrees to serve if elected. Form FSA-669A is available at USDA Service Centers and online at the Web site listed above. All nomination forms for the 2008 election must be postmarked or received in the local USDA Service Center by close of business on August 1, 2008.

The county committee nomination period began June 15. Voting takes place in the fall. Ballots will be mailed to eligible voters by November 3. The final day to return voted ballots to the local USDA Service Center is December 1. Newly elected county committee members take office January 1, 2009.

**NRCS: PRODUCERS SHOULD CONSIDER ALL OPTIONS FOR CRP ACRES WITH EXPIRING CONTRACTS**

Time is drawing near for the expiration of many Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) contracts on the South Plains and High Plains regions of the state.

The Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) wants to remind landowners with expiring CRP contracts to come by the local field offices to review their conservation compliance plans before making decisions on the future use of their land.

"The bulk of the state's expiring CRP contracts are located on the South Plains and Panhandle regions," said Mickey Black, NRCS assistant state conservationist in Lubbock. "It's important for landowners to understand USDA compliance before putting a plow in the ground. Producers should know the options available to them."

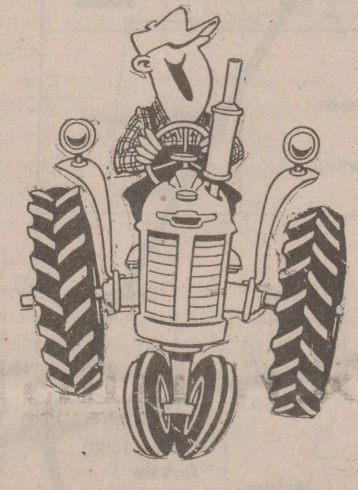
According to the Farm Service Agency (FSA), in this region there are over 78,000 acres in CRP contracts due to expire in October. Almost 680,000 acres of CRP will expire in October of 2009, and over 507,000 acres in October of 2010.

NRCS wants producers to know that it's never too early to start considering what to do with CRP land.

Leigh Cranmer, NRCS agronomist in Lubbock said, "Landowners have several options, including grazing or haying the existing grass cover, making enhancements to target wildlife, or putting it back into production. A grazing or haying system could be set up for relatively little cost, and would offer protection from

erosion as well as benefiting wildlife. If crop production is the goal, serious consideration should be given to leaving sensitive areas and acres with a low potential for production in grass, and only farming those areas best suited for crop production."

NRCS can assist producers with livestock water facilities and cross fences if producers leave the land in the existing grass cover. Cost share assistance may be available through the Environ-



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**Part two of beef cattle summer meeting Wednesday, July 30th**

The Floyd County Texas AgriLife Extension Service is sponsoring a three (3) part Beef Cattle Summer Meeting series. This meeting series is for any interested producer and/or beef cattleman. Part II will be held next.

The meetings will be held throughout the summer months. Part I was held on June 26 and featured Beef Cattle "Herd Health". Part II is set for July 30 and will feature Beef Cattle "Feed and Nutrition" and the final Part III will highlight "Managing Native Pastures". On site tours will follow each meeting. All meetings will be from 9

a.m. - 3 p.m. at the Floyd County Friends Unity Center (located 6 miles North on Hwy 70).

A noon meal will be provided at each meeting. CEU's will be offered for appropriate topics. Meal sponsor businesses are: Davis Farm Supply, Floydada; Range Mineral, Tulia; Plains Federal Land Bank, Plainview and Hi Pro Feeds, Friona.

A RSVP one week prior to each meeting will be helpful but it is not mandatory.

For more information and for helpful RSVP please call the Floyd County Texas AgriLife Extension Service at (806) 983-4912.

**Mac Thornberry protests ruling to prohibit grazing**

Washington, DC - Congressman Mac Thornberry (TX-13) announced that he and other Members of the Texas Congressional Delegation have written to encourage the U.S. Department of Agriculture to lift a judge's temporary restraining order against the Conservation Reserve Program Critical Feed Use Program.

"More than 1,000 applications representing more than 218,000 acres have already been granted to producers in our region," noted the Congressmen. "All of these decisions were based on a good-faith contract."

"Much of the land in our region is experiencing extremely dry conditions, and the threat of fire on the dry grasslands is very high and very real," said Thornberry. "The Critical Feed Use program afforded producers the ability to reduce the threat of fire through responsible haying and grazing and, therefore, be conscientious stewards of the land."

On Tuesday, July 8, a federal judge in Seattle stopped the

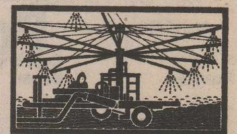
emergency federal program that allows grazing and hay production on millions of acres of farmland nationwide that had been set aside for conservation.



The injunction ordered by U.S. District Judge John C. Coughenour could affect 24 million acres of conservation lands across the country, including grasslands in Texas.

Coughenour ordered the temporary restraining order after a suit was filed by the National Wildlife Federation and six affiliates over the U.S. Department of Agriculture's (USDA) decision in May to allow grazing and hay production on land now protected under the federal Conservation Reserve Program (CRP).

The program, begun in 1985, pays farmers across the country not to plant fragile lands, and to return them to native grasses and vegetation.

The letter to U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Ed Schafer was signed by Thornberry and Representatives Randy Neugebauer (TX-19) and K. Michael Conaway (TX-11).



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**Floyd County Texas AgriLife Extension Service (2 of 3) Part Beef Cattle Summer Meeting Series July 30 and September 3, 2008**

Date and Location	Beef Cattle Program Topics
<b>July 30, 2008</b> 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Floyd County Friends Unity Center	<b>"Feed and Nutrition"</b> with On-Site Feed Program Tour
<b>September 3, 2008</b> 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Floyd county Friends Unity Center	<b>"Managing Native Pastures"</b> with On-Site Native Grass Variety Tour

Program presenters for all meetings will include: Dr. Ted McCollum, Texas AgriLife Beef Cattle Specialist - Amarillo; J.F. Cadenhead, Texas AgriLife Range Specialist - Vernon; and J.D. Ragland, Texas AgriLife Ag Agent - Floyd County.

Producers are welcome to attend one or both meetings. A noon meal will also be provided at each meeting. No RSVP is required for any of the meetings. For more information call (806) 983-4912

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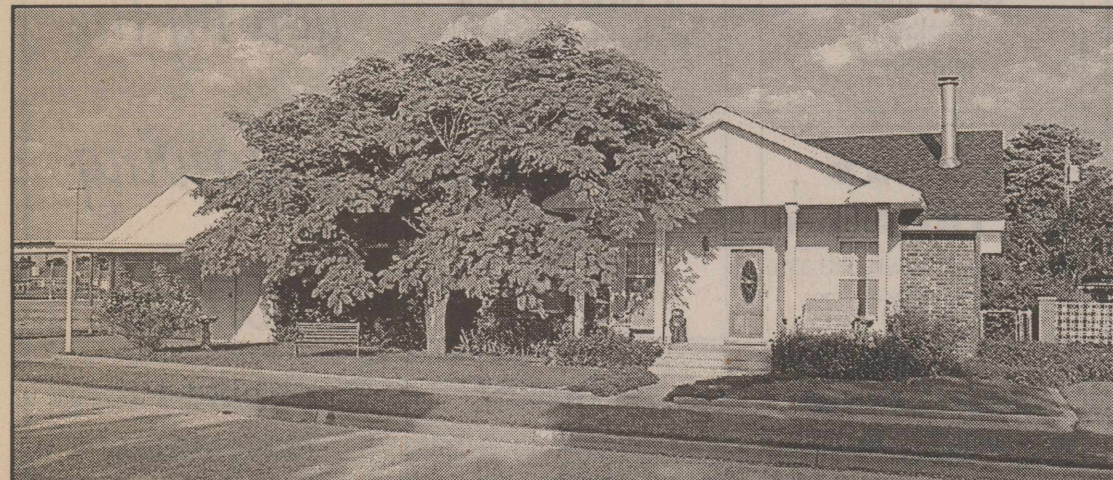
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**Notice of Public Hearing on Proposed Tax Rate**

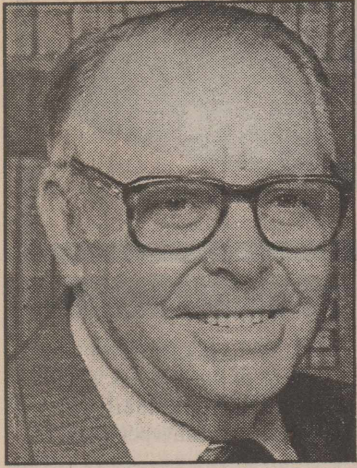
The Commissioners' Court of Floyd County will conduct a Public Hearing on the Proposed Tax Rate for Fiscal Year beginning October 1, 2008, on Tuesday, July 29, 2008 at 8:00 a.m. in the County Courtroom 106, Floydada, Texas. The public is invited to attend.

A copy of the proposed tax rate is on file and available for inspection in the County Clerk's office, Courthouse Room 101, Floydada, Texas.

**PENNY G. GOLIGHTLY**  
**COUNTY JUDGE**  
**FLOYD COUNTY, TEXAS**

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# Obituaries



### WOODROW W. BRINTS

Services for Woodrow Wilson Brints, 93, of Lubbock, formerly of Idalou and Crosbyton were held at 2:00 p.m. Monday, July 21, 2008 at New Salem Primitive Baptist Church in Floydada. Elder Ronnie Hedges and Elder George Johnson officiated.

Burial followed in the Crosbyton Cemetery under direction of Adams Funeral Home of Crosbyton.

Visitation was at the church from 11:00 a.m. to noon on Monday.

Mr. Brints passed away Friday, July 18, 2008 at The Plaza in Lubbock. He was born February 1, 1915 in Bowling Green, Kentucky to the late John and Hattie (Milsead) Brints. On October 29, 1936 he married Stella Fay Bingham in Benjamin, Texas. He was a farmer and a member of the New Salem Primitive Baptist Church in Floydada. He was a founding director of the Harmony Plains Singing School and a former member of the Crosbyton Lions Club and Crosbyton Chamber of Commerce.

Survivors include his wife, Stella Fay Brints of Lubbock, a daughter and her husband, Christene and Don Edwards of Lubbock, two sons and their wives, Norman and Sydney Brints of Vernon and Calvin and Susan Brints of Lubbock, 10 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren and 2 great great grandchildren.

Serving as casket bearers will be his grandsons, Clint Brints, Chad Brints, Ky Brints, Travis Brints, James Bell, Greg Bell and Perry Bell.

The family suggests memorials to the Harmony Plains Singing School, c/o Christene Edwards, 5606 Nashville Ave., Lubbock, Texas 79413.

### SCOTT FAULKENBERRY

Wendell Scott Faulkenberry, 72, of Floydada passed away on Monday, July 21, 2008 in Floydada.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, July 24, 2008 at the First United Methodist Church with Rev. Les Hall officiating. Burial will follow at the Floydada County Memorial Park in Floydada. Arrangements are under the direction of Moore Rose Funeral Home of Floydada.

Scott was born on August 18, 1935 in Floyd County, Texas to F.A. Faulkenberry and Pauline (Wise) Faulkenberry. He was a lifelong resident of Floyd County. He attended and graduated from Floydada High School in 1953.

Scott married Beth Bulls on July 30, 1960 in Earth, TX. She preceded him in death on May 18, 2003. They were married for 42 wonderful years. Scott was a farmer/rancher for many years and had many many friends. He was a member of the First Baptist Church. Scott was also a member of the VFW and the Barwise Domino Hall in Floydada. In his favorite past time he loved and enjoyed the company of his family and friends.

He is preceded in death by his parents and his wife.

Those left to cherish his memory are a son, Joe Scott Faulkenberry and wife, Carol of Stephenville, TX; two daughters, Kay Rainwater and husband, Andy of Floydada and Julie Knight and husband, Jim of Canadian; eight grandchildren, Brady, Taryn and Adam Rainwater, Zach, Whitney and Carley Knight, Scotta and Kenna Faulkenberry and a great grandson, Kaston Rainwater.

He will be missed by family and friends.

### SUZANNE WALL

Suzanne Wall, 61, of Floydada passed away Monday, July 21, 2008 at Covenant Lakeside in Lubbock.

Memorial service will be held Thursday, July 24, 2008 from 5-7 p.m. at the Trinity Assembly Church.

Arrangements are under the direction of Moore Rose Funeral Home of Floydada.

Survivors include her husband, Billy Wall of Floydada; two sons, two grandchildren and a sister.



### JAMES WHITE

James Eldon White, 78, of Lubbock died Monday, July 21, 2008 at the VA Medical Center in Amarillo.

He was born March 29, 1930 in Denton to James and Jessie (Dikes) White. Eldon graduated from Denton High School and attended Texas Tech. In June of 1951, he joined the United States Navy and proudly served his country during the Korean War. Following his discharge, he married Mary Linda Gregory on June 27, 1959 in Quanah, TX.

Eldon worked 23 years for General Electric and was a member of Oakwood Baptist Church. In the interest of science, Eldon donated his body to the Texas Tech University Health Science Center School of Medicine in order to assist in the research of dementia and vascular diseases.

Left to cherish his memory is his wife, Mary White of Lubbock, son, Charles Edward White and wife, Karen of Pecos, daughter, Mary Elizabeth White Bramlet and husband, Larry of Lockney; grandchildren, Jill Elizabeth and Jake Ty Bramlet and brothers, Earl Wayne White of Washington and David Lee White of Missouri.

Memorial service with Military Honors will be at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, July 24, 2008 in Resthaven's Mausoleum Chapel under the direction of Resthaven Funeral Home with Dr. Stan Blevins officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Amarillo VA Health Care System Alzheimer's Unit or to a local Hospice organization.

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Bids will be accepted in the Superintendent's office until 12:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 13, 2008. Bids will be opened on Wednesday, August 13, 2008, at 1:00 p.m. in the Superintendent's office and a recommendation made to the school board on Thursday, August 21, 2008 at the regular meeting. Bid packets can be obtained at the Superintendent's office at 226 West California Street. Floydada I.S.D. reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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#### NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

The following vehicles will be sold at 10:30 a.m. on August 5, 2008. The vehicles may be seen at City Auto in Floydada, Texas. The vehicles will also be auctioned off at the same location.

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- 1988 Mercury Cougar VIN #1MEBM62E7JH619553

The Floyd County Sheriff's Office reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids.

Paul Raissez  
Sheriff  
Floyd County, Texas

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# Floyd County Church Directory

<b>AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Jay Simpson, Pastor Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship .... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday ..... 7:30 p.m. *****	<b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH</b> Lockney Rev. Ricky Carstensen Pastor Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m. Worship Service ... 10:30 a.m. Evening Service .... 6:00 p.m. Wed. Jr. High ..... 5:30 p.m. Wed. High School... 6:30 p.m. *****	<b>PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA</b> 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. *****
<b>BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH</b> 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 ..... 7:00 p.m. *****	<b>GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST</b> Joe Bennett, Pastor Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m. Evening Service ..... 7:30 p.m. Tuesday ..... 8:00 p.m. Wed. Service ..... 7:30 p.m. *****	<b>PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA</b> Floydada Pastor Reverend Raymond Asebedo Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship .. 10:55 a.m. Evening Worship .... 6:00 p.m. Wed. Evening ..... 6:00 p.m. *****
<b>CALVARY'S CORNERSTONE FELLOWSHIP</b> 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. *****	<b>MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> Lockney Jay Don Poindexter, Minister Bible Study ..... 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday ..... 7:30 p.m. *****	<b>SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH</b> Lockney Jim McCartney, Pastor Wed. Communion .. 8:00 p.m. Sunday Mass ..... 11:30 a.m. *****
<b>CARR'S CHAPEL</b> Service Every Sunday: Morning Worship .... 9:00 a.m. Sunday School ..... 10:30 a.m. *****	<b>CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> 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. *****	<b>SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Joe Weldon, Pastor Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m. Prayer Meeting ..... 7:00 p.m. *****
<b>CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> Levi Sisemore - Minister Floydada Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship .... 6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study .... 7:00 p.m. *****	<b>MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Floydada Rev. Ralph Jackson 401 N 12th St (983-5805) Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship .... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Study .. 7:00 p.m. *****	<b>TEMPLO GETSEMANI ASSEMBLY OF GOD</b> 701 W. Missouri Rev. Ray Gonzales 983-5286 (church) 983-3047 (parsonage) Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m. Evening Service ..... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday ..... 7:00 p.m. *****
<b>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Anthony D. Sisemore, Pastor Bill Swinney, Minister of Ed./Music Eric Kaiser - Min. Students Sunday School ..... 9:15 a.m. Morning Worship ... 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship .... 6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study ... 6:30 p.m. *****	<b>NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Floydada Pastor Elder Ronnie Hedges (806) 637-0430 Sunday Singing .... 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m. *****	<b>ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC CHURCH</b> Floydada Father Jose Relente Phone: 983-5878 Sunday Mass ..... 11:30 a.m. Mon.Wed. Mass ..... 6:30 p.m. Confession Sat. 10:00-11:00 a.m. *****
<b>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Lockney</b> Carl Moman, Pastor Chad Cook, Youth Min. Phil Cotham, Music Min.. Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship ... 10:45 a.m. Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday ..... 6:30 p.m. Wednesday (Youth).....7:15 pm *****	<b>OUT REACH HARVEST PENTECOSTAL CHURCH</b> 310 E. Mississippi Floydada Rev. David Ramos, Pastor Ester Ramos, Praise Leader Sunday Bible...10:00 a.m. Morning Praise...11:00 a.m. Evening Praise ....5:00 p.m. Wed. Worship.... 7:00 p.m. *****	<b>TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM</b> Lockney Rev. Joe Hernandez Sun. Prayer Service 9:30 a.m. Sunday School ..... 9:45 p.m. Worship Service ... 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m. Wed. Meeting ..... 7:00 p.m. *****
<b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH</b> Floydada Rev. Les Hall, Pastor Early Worship ....8:30 am. Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship ...10:50 a.m. Youth (Sunday).....5:00p.m. Youth (Wednesday)..7:30 p.m. *****	<b>POWER OF PRAISE FULL GOSPEL CHURCH</b> Rev. Manuel Rendon, Pastor 704 N. Main, Lockney Sunday Services .. 10:00 a.m. Sunday Evening .... 5:00 p.m. Wednesday ..... 7:30 p.m. *****	<b>TEMPLO BETHEL SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD</b> Washington and 1st St. Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship ... 5:00 p.m. Wed. Service ..... 7:00 p.m. *****
<b>American State Bank</b> Member FDIC 217 W. California 983-3725	<b>Goen &amp; Goen Insurance</b> 102 E. California 983-3524	<b>TRINITY ASSEMBLY</b> 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. *****
<b>Barwise Gin</b> Barwise Community 983-2737	<b>Lockney Co-op Gin</b> 652-3377	<b>LUTHERAN CHURCH</b> Providence Community on FM 2301 293-3009 Rev. Burnell Lund, Minister Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m. Worship Service ... 11:00 a.m. *****
<b>City Auto Buick, Pontiac, GMC</b> 201 E. Missouri Floydada 983-3767	<b>Lockney Ins. Agency</b> 105 N. Main 652-3347	<b>WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> Floydada 983-3548 Sunday Worship ... 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening ..... 5:00 p.m. *****
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