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LOCAL GIRLS RAISE MONEY FOR RED CROSS--A church service after the bombing of the World Trade Center, motivated these patriotic Floydada girls to "do something to help". The young ladies invested their own nickels and dimes and opened a "kool-aid" stand on South 2nd Street over the weekend and on Monday. The girls have already raised \$264.80, which will be donated to the Red Cross relief efforts. Those shown working at helping are: (1-r) Randa Robertson, Breana Weeks, LaShay Gooch, RaeRae George, Camaray Gooch, Cassidy Gooch, and Lyndsie Wells. The stand is open after the girls get out of school. There is no set price for the Koolaid. The girls are just asking for a donation. Staff Photo



DAY OF PRAYER AND REMEMBRANCE--The Boy Scouts placed flags at the County Courthouse and throughout the neighborhoods in Floydada and Lockney on Friday, September 14, 2001, in remembrance of all those who were killed during the attack on the World Trade Towers and the Pentagon, September 11. The flags which are usually picked up at the end of the day were left out all week-end. Flags were still flying at half mast one week after the attack.



TEXAS MIGRANT KIDS "LOVE AMERICA"-The Texas Migrant Council Headstart Program kids in Floydada painted signs "I Love America," flew their American flags, and prayed for America last Friday, registration for the arts and crafts September 14, 2001 on the American Day of Prayer and Remembrance.



FLOYD COUNTY'S FIRST BALE--The first bale of cotton in Floyd County was ginned Tuesday, September 11, at Marble Bros. Farms Gin in Lockney. The gross weight was 2035 pounds and the finished bale weighed 550 pounds. Cottonseed planted was Paymaster 2326. The crop was planted May 6 on JDTC Farms by Marble Brothers, and was grown under limited irrigation. Shown here are: (1-r) Keith Marble, Linda Dunne, Tino Chairez, Raul Ascencio, Juan Peralez, Don Marble, Angie Vargas, Maria Huerta, and (kneeling) Maria Ascencio.



THERE WAS NO SHORTAGE OF FLAGS in Glenda Pinner's office last week. Moved by the tragic attack on the World Trade Towers and subsequent news of the shortage of flags for those wishing to fly them, Glenda got on her computer and went to work. A scrapbook instructor by trade, Glenda is no stranger to computer graphics. She found the flags on a U.S. Government website and then put the flags in a arts graphics program. She then laminated the little flags with laminating paper that does not require a laminator. Holes were punched in the top and pins were fastened. Glenda had completed 90 flags by the time the Lockney schools had their memorial service on Friday and all flags were handed out quickly to students. The flags were also taken to the Silverton football game (where Glenda's grandson plays football) and more flags were handed out. "We've given away 250 flags already. People were snatching them up at the football game." Glenda says she now has the flags and instructions on how to make them at her web site: www.happyscrapperscrapbooking.com. Glenda is married to Bobby Pinner and lives in Lockney.



250 FLAGS FLYING AT A.B. DUNCAN ELEMENTARY-Last Friday, September 14, 2001 on the American Day of Prayer and Remembrance, Duncan kids put out the flags loaned by Boy Scout Troop 357. Staff Photo

Punkin Day celebration set for Oct. 13

Plans for Floydada's Punkin Day have not been put on hold. The Floydada Chamber of Commerce is planning this year's event for October

Julie Duke, who is heading up the booths says this year will surpass any previous years with the number of booths on the courthouse square.

"We've already got 52 arts and crafts, and food vendors signed up," said Duke. "And it's not over. I am still getting calls. People are going to be surprised at all we have. We are going to have lots of different kinds of foods, as well as crafts."

Youngsters will also be delighted to know that all the favorite pumpkin games will also return to the square

BBB warns against fraudulent appeals

In the wake of the tragic events at the World Trade Center and the Pentagon, many charitable organizations are launching campaigns to help victims and their families. The Better Business Bureau warns potential doseek to use a national tragedy to take advantage of American generosity and concern. "Given the magnitude of the event and the needs of victims and their families, we encourage the pub-

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BLOOD DONATION SUCCESS IN FLOYDADA-The Covenant Home Health Care office in Floydada had a successful blood drive last Friday, September 14, with 30 donors giving blood and others turned away for lack of time. Shown giving blood is Norma McGowen, LVN (right) and nors against fraudulent appeals that helping in the process is Branch Agency Director Betsy Calderon, R.N.

Due to scheduling problems with singers, the Floyd County Gospel Jamboree, planned for September 22, has been cancelled. It will be rescheduled for a later date.

Isn't it sad that it takes a magnitude of this kind to turn so many people to where their lives are right now-about prayer. I guess that is why they say you never find an athiest in a "fox-

prayer out of the "public" and now every news station and commentator is asking for prayer from the nation.

I'm glad they are asking. I just wish they had been asking before this.

prepared for war. They are trying to explain the type of war that will probably be waged--and who the enemy

by ground forces fighting guerrilla warfare and by aggressive spy techniques. The war will be waged for years. Knowing this, and having a son that will be soon be old enough to eryone. draft, makes me want to ask for prayers all the time.

I also know who the enemy really is and who it has been since the beginning of time. I know that satan comes to "steal, kill, and destroy". I know the Bible tells us that our war is a spiritual one, and I know that right now satan is really beating us up.

We can cower and "take it", or we can wage a war. This war isn't in the mountains of Afghanistan. This war is won through prayer--constant prayer. Prayer without ceasing.

When the towers blew up, many people thought of Armageddon. Well folks, that wasn't anything compared to what the end of the world will be standing" to all those who are fright-

trophe has more people thinking about where they will be when Jesus does

I know lots of people don't like to We've spent years trying to take think about the end of the world. I don't blame them. I don't like to think about what happened at the World Trade Towers either. The magnitude of the horror was overwhelming.

I heard a prayer on the radio the The government is trying to get us other day that really hit a nerve with

> The woman said, "I know there was not one person on any of those planes, wanted to save everyone.

urgency of saving lost souls.

Jesus' words to heart. We are supposed

Let's not just send money, blood, cue effort and upcoming battles. Let's not forget to fight with our most powerful weapons--prayers. And let's be words of our Savior and to pass on

A view from The Lamplighter

What to do? What to say?

barricades and do our part.

turn the other cheek, but is there no had happened, but we were without a

could such a precise criminal act, in- wanting to throw up. volving so many people, over so long advance warning.

may recall the days of the Church Commission, (Church was a liberal community. After Church and his fellow left wingers had laid the ground-Ford and Carter to complete the task. There was a time when our intellitheir names were made known, proved matters that used to be our own re-States. They were not the kind of middle east we have leaned heavily people one would find in church ev- on Israeli intelligence. Occasionally ery Sunday morning. They were not that information has proved valuable, even the kind of people one would go especially during the Cold War period. fishing with. But they were in posi- At that time about the only real "feel" tion to pass along information our we had for things inside the old Socountry needed, for a price, and in viet Union came from debriefing Jewmany cases, they did.

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other people's mail", America's intel-At the moment, we, as citizens of ligence community was turned into an our Republic, can do only one thing. agency of "after the fact" intelligence When the bugle sounds, there's only gatherers. Spy satellites and radio inone thing to do. That is to mount the tercepts took the place of men, and women, on the ground and in place. We are taught from childhood to We could find out in an instant what clue about what might happen.

That does not mean, or should it So now, when the t.v. brings us immean, that people who got us into this ages of grieving, previous leaders, mess should emerge as heroes. Amerithose of us who can, and will, still recans keep asking the question. How member, can perhaps be forgiven for

Make no mistake about it. Both the a time, be carried out without any, any, CIA and the FBI were then and are now, plenty capable of making mis-Those who are old enough to re- takes. The FBI's bungling is well member, and who care to remember, known and well documented. For many years this writer was in position to learn, or know, all the CIA learned Democratic Senator from Idaho) when and knew. I personally know of cases the Senate of the United States em- where they were just flat wrong. On barked on a mission to humiliate and occasions they misread vital informadowngrade America's intelligence tion, and, accordingly, made wrong judgements. But it is better, in our view, to have a wealth of information work, it remained only for Presidents from which to judge, rather than a

Part of the problem is that the virgence community had moles in place tual destruction of our "covert" operaaround the world. Many of them were tions has made it necessary to rely on unsavory characters. Many, when other intelligence communities for to be embarrassing for the United sponsibility. In matters involving the ish defectors making their way to this All that passed. Operating on the country, or to Israel. But for reasons principle that "nice people don't read of their own the Israelis pass along

know. America has assumed, wrongly in my view, that because we underwrite so much of their activity, the Israelis will tell us all they know. And we have relied on them entirely too much, in my own view, in matters involving the middle east. They have an axe to grind, quite obviously and quite naturally, in anything having to do with that part of the world. Intelligence passed to us from that source should be viewed in that light.

The virtual destruction of the CIA's' 'covert" operations is now taking its toll, as is evident in the recent appalling, and secret, attack on the World Trade Center. The result is a devastating loss of life and property, and the inevitable outlay of tremendous expenditure as we try to rectify the damage. And the end is not vet.

This is a time of high emotions. It is in times of high emotion that decisions are sometimes made that prove to be wrong decisions when viewed in hindsight. To this point President George W. Bush has proved to be a steady hand at the helm. Even his most severe critics, including the New York Times and the Democratic leadership in Congress, are giving him high marks. His "popularity" rating has soared nationwide from around 50 per cent to around 90 percent. There is no longer the chatter from Jesse Jackson about Bush's "legitimacy." Foreign governments, many of them at their own peril, have signed on.

(In this regard, Americans should remember that many of those governments would have been well within not do that with satellites in the sky.

only those things they want us to their own rights if they told the United States to count them out. Pakistan, especially, could well have been among those who wished to be counted out. For many years Pakistan was one of the few countries in that part of the world that stood with the United States. Back during the days when India was playing pussyfoot with the Soviet Union to the detriment of America, Pakistan was on our side. There was, during that period, a diplomatic "tilt" toward Pakistan. But as the Cold War played itself out, our "tilt" turned toward India and we've had harsh words for Pakistan. So it is deeply satisfying that Pakistan, which shares a border with Afghanistan, where Bin Laden is supposedly holed up, and whose Taliban regime has vowed to protect him, has told the U.S.they will be helpful.)

By Ken Towery email: chowdipper@earthlink.net

> Too, it should be remembered by Americans that many of those governments have had their own share of trouble from anti-American zealots. The President of Egypt, Anwar Sadat, was assassinated for trying to be our friend. The Shah of Iran and his government, friendly to the U.S. was overthrown and replaced by anti-American zealots. Libya saw its own government pass into the hands of the anti-American Omar Quadafi. So we would be wrong in thinking that all Arabs, or all Muslims, are enemies of America. We do have friends among both camps.

> The task will be to identify our friends from our enemies, and not make enemies of our friends. We can-

Courtroom Activities

2001, the following people were Earl Clark, Brian Friar, Anna Lisa charged with Theft of \$20.00 or more Diaz, Brandon Covington, Julian

In County Court, September 13, Shirley Allen, Hope Lopez, Danny Garcia, Albert Hill Sr., Bobby Keeter, Antonio Ceneceros, Paula Cabello, Ron Kennedy, and Trina McDonald.

American State Bank serves as Red Cross collection point

In response to terrorist attacks on firm that donations may be made at New York City and Washington, D.C., every ASB office throughout West American State Bank joins the American Red Cross in creating a special Disaster Relief Fund.

a flood of calls from people who want erything the nation can give, and the to know how to send contributions to need will continue for months to

Texas

An ASB spokesman says, "It will be our privilege to send the money direct to Red Cross headquarters; re-ASB officials say they've received lief efforts in the Northeast need ev-

Commissioners approve redistricting committee

By Darwin Robinson

Court met Monday, September 10, and unanimously approved the ap-Committee for Redistricting in Floyd said. County.

cinct No. 4, Adolfo Garcia, Sherese Washington, D.C.," Long added. Covington.

2001-2002 fees charged by the a bracelet for memory impaired per-Sheriff's office the same as they have sons. If you know someone who might been this past fiscal year, most of qualify for this, please contact us. The which are \$60 each. The motion was bracelet will have the person's identiseconded by Commissioner Lennie fication and telephone number on Gilroy and unanimously passed.

A motion by Commissioner Ray Nell Bearden to approve an \$83,000 bond for Shelia Faulkenberry in the Fashion Show, which is the biggest county Appraisal District office was unanimously approved by the court. The motion was seconded by Jones. The commissioners unanimously

approved the renewal of a 911 Vice-President, Cienna Carthel. I do Interlocal Agreement dating from not know when the last time we had August 31, 2001 to August 31, 2002. an officer on the State Council. Cienna The motion was made by Gilroy and seconded by Jones.

In other matters, the commissioners approved several budget amendments and the transfer of \$4000 to each of the four precincts from the ers approved two farm contracts. One Road and Bridge Fund.

motion by Gilly to advertise for the sale of a used pickup in Precinct No. 3. It was seconded by Bearden.

County Extension Agent Melissa missioners concerning the Extension Services activities during the past gun meeting again.

"Our 4-H kids participated in our The Floyd County Commissioners's County Fair and are now getting ready to go to the State Fair. We sent five Record Books to the state (competipointment of eight county citizens to tion), two of them won, and all five serve on the Community Advisory of them place in the top three," Long

"Our Bunko Bash last Saturday Commissioner Craig Gilly made the night was a good fund raiser. We had motion and it was seconded by Com- 18 teams of domino players and about missioner Jon Jones. Those appointed 50 bunko players. We served lunch, were: Precinct No. 1, Barney Reyes, supper, and we had door prizes. It was Kelli Reddy; Precinct No. 2, Arcenio a great day. We are raising money for Martinez, Ed Marks; Precinct No. 3, four of our kids going to the National Connie Johnson, Olga Chavarria; Pre- Congress and then two will go to

"Another project we are involved Jones made the motion to set the in is the 'In Safe Hands' program. It is them. There is money available for

> "I had nineteen kids in the Junior group I have ever had. They will be going on to the South Plains Fair (in Lubbock) on September 22nd.

'We now have a 4-H State Council will be going to the State Fair and she will attend the Honor Awards banquet on September 29th. I will be going with her," Long concluded.

In other matters, the commissionwas for cleaning out a water way and The court unanimously passed a digging a pit 12 miles north of Floydada and the other was east of Floydada to bury old improvements for soil conservation.

County Treasurer Mary Shurbet Long gave a brief report to the com- gave the commissioners a financial report for August 1 thru August 31, 2001. The report showed the Beginmonth. Long said, "We had a couple ning Balance \$278,387.64 and Reof days last week of district training ceipts at \$261,530.42. Transfers In getting ready for the year. And my and Out were given at \$187,337.99 Extension Education Clubs have be- and \$219,157.32 was Disbursed, leaving a Balance of \$320,760.74.

Punkin Days set for October 13th

that if they had a chance would not I know we are going to lose more have warned people in the World American lives. I know the war won't Trade Tower of the impending wrath be won from the air--it will be won that was coming. They would have 'And if the wrath that is to come is

so much worse than that, why aren't we as Christians hurrying to warn ev-

Good question. Why do us comfortable spoiled Christians not feel the

Maybe this tragedy is our wake-up call to get to work. We've taken our salvation for granted and not taken to "tell everyone", to "spread the good

equipment, and soldiers into this resready to help with the comforting the peace "that surpasseth all underlike. Do you think maybe this catas- ened and hurting so badly right now.

Letters to the Editor

rewards for our students. We are asking community members to help our school earn cash through a fundraising program called General Mills Box Tops for Education.

Here's how it works. Simply clip Box Top logos from over 330 participating General Mills products and send them to Lockney Elementary. Participating products include General Mills Big G cereals, all Betty Crocker® products including Betty Crocker® fruit snacks, Yoplait® multi-packs, Yoplait Go-GURT® and ExprèsseTM, Lloyd's® Barbeque products and many others. Our school gets 10 cents for each Box Top we collect! The more we collect, the more cash we earn—up to \$10,000 per year! Send your Box Tops to our school at the address listed below.

Box Tops for Education is ideal for our school because it requires no doorto-door selling and it costs nothing to become involved. We encourage the entire community to help our school by participating in the Box Tops for Education program.

Thank you for supporting our school and the children in our community!

Sincerely, Tracy Long Box Top Coordinator General Mills Box Tops for Education, Program Coordinator School: Lockney Elementary

School address: Box 127 Dear Editor,

After the catastrophic bombings last week of the Trade Center towers and the Pentagon, I researched Islam to learn what I could about the Muslim religion. According to my sources, they believe in one god as Christians and Jews do. Islam does not condone murder as many people think. A minority of fanatics carried out the bombing against the United States; a majority of Muslims are as horrified as everyone else is.

To stereotype all Muslims as murderers is to say that all white people are rich. Neither statement is true. Those who say that all Muslims are

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This year, Lockney Elementary is murderers are mistaken. All of us raising money to purchase various AR would do well to remember this. Sincerely, Ann Word Carr



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Mandatory breakfast program modified by FISD trustees

Elementary school breakfast program it was seconded by Warren. for a one month trial starting Monday, September 17.

all board members, one board vote chase of a new 15 passenger diesel deadlock, and input from two fathers disagreeing with the mandatory break- The motion was seconded by fast program now in place.

Superintendent Jimmie Collins made a recommendation to the board sit out and skip eating breakfast with the other children for a one month trial period.

Prior to this recommendation, have no such safety features.' Board Member Amado Morales made It was seconded by Board Member Mark McCormick. Morales, McCormick, and Board Member Bill Dean voted in favor of the motion. Board Members Mitch Probasco, Jill Warren, and Kerry Pratt voted against the motion. The motion died for lack of a majority vote.

In explaining his reason for implementing the new mandatory breakfast program this year, Collins said, "I have lived for this day where we could feed all the children. I did not anticipate (problems), nor post elections, so I take all the blame for that.

"I will be willing to continue this program with modifications. Now when you pull some of these kids out of the program, then some of his (or her) friends will go out with them. You will pretty much kill the program," Collins added.

Pratt stated, "But if you have 94 percent of the people who like the program, it looks like you will have 94 percent participate (in the program)."

Warren said, "I have been told about children on medication who need to eat breakfast at home and the parents want to make sure the medication is administered properly. Other children are allergic to milk products."

Collins responded, "I understand completely. If someone has a problem, then they can come and talk to us about it. I am for the program, but we will use common sense and we have people who will work with you on that. We can handle those situations."

A.B. Duncan Elementary Principal Bob Campbell replied, "We have four kids at Duncan who are allergic to their department.

Morren told the board, "I don't want we will reimburse the over payment. to be negative on this, but last month we adopted a dress code. It was done into town, the student must take to benefit all the children, not just one charge of the animal immediately, or or two individuals. The dress code is the very next day, if we come in at not an option, or it is no longer effec-

"I understand your feelings greatly, because I have a child that is there. I would prefer that we sit down at breakfast together. That may be the only meal we can eat together. I teach my son responsibility, and I also teach him compassion. I am afraid if you make this negotiable, then what other programs will become negotiable, such as, the dress code and other policies. I may be wrong about this." Morren concluded.

Board Member Warren, James Hinton, a student's father, and Jerry Crawford, all expressed their opinions that breakfast should be a family meal and they resented the school making breakfast mandatory to be eaten, or served, at the school and on school

In other matters, the board unanimously approved the Superintendent's Evaluation Calendar. Collins told the board that even though his leadership



Happy Birthday, Big Brother Your Biggest Fan

ber 11, and modified the A.B. Duncan evaluated. Pratt made the motion to Christie added. Elementary and the R.C. Andrews approve the Evaluation Calendar and

Upon the recommendation of Superintendent Collins, Warren made a There was a lengthy discussion by motion to open bidding on the puryellow minibus with air-conditioning. McCormick and unanimously passed.

Responding to a question about the need for a 'yellow minibus,' instead to allow the option by any student to of possibly a 15 passenger regular van, Collins told the board, "All yellow buses have built in roll bars to protect the children in case of a roll over. Vans

a motion to leave the present manda- by Mary DeOchoa to purchase Lot 5, tory breakfast program in place as is. Block 2, Bartley Heights Addition, 216 E. Crockett.

Dean made the motion to employ two new teachers, Jennifer Browder, A.B. Duncan Pre-Kindergarten teacher, and Josie Torrez, A.B. Duncan Special Ed teacher. The motion was seconded by Morales and unanimously approved.

The Teacher of the Month was Reba Moore who teaches at the Caprock Cooperative Learning Center (CCLC). Moore was recognized for her dedication and teaching skills at the alternative school.

At the request of Superintendent Collins, Floydada High School Ag teachers Joe Jones and Colby Christie gave the board an overview of the Ag program at the high school. Jones told the board, "I teach four different shop classes where I teach the students how to use drills, scroll saws, table saws, band saws, and both metal and wood saws. We teach welding and we have a complete shop where we get a lot of 'hands on' instructions.

'We try to teach them life skills that they will need when they get out of high school. We teach them how to read instructions and do the mathematics and measurements in building something," Jones concluded.

Christie said, "I teach personal skills, food technology, leadership, and communication type classes. I try to make it a well rounded program, and not focus on one area so much."

Collins asked for an explanation in the changes this year in the procedures when the Ag teachers purchase and transport animals for the students in

milk and the parents have notified us. Christie replied, "The policy that we There is a list that we go by and those are using is that the school is not lichildren are given apple juice, grape able nor responsible for anything. The juice, or another juice, instead of money to purchase a show animal must be paid in full up front. If the High School Principal Wayne animal cost less than what is paid, then

"When the animal is brought back night or on the weekend. Also, a certain animal bought and designated for

The Floydada Independent School was temporary as superintendent, he a certain student must be accepted by District Board met Tuesday, Septem- still wanted his performance to be that student and not exchanged,"

> Collins explained, "I am sorry, but this has gotten us in trouble, and we are not going to do that anymore. We have had piglets come in here and you can't tell if they are going to win or not. When we buy that hog in Oklahoma, or wherever, and it is tagged for that student, then it is not going to change ownership when it gets back

Harold Reese inducted into The board accepted the bid of \$305 Hall of Honor

Wayland Baptist University in Plainview honored Dr. Harold Reese on September 14, 2001, by inducting him into the Division of Mathematics and Sciences' Hall of Honor. Reese was one of the first of two former professors to be so honored. Dr. Dorothy McCoy was the other inductee. Special plaques were unveiled for both.

Reese spoke highly of McCoy and expressed his appreciation to her as a Wayland.

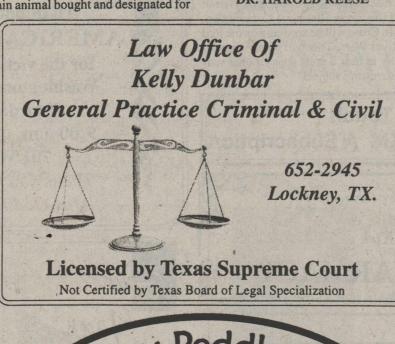
Dr. Gerald Thompson, professor of science, spoke highly of Reese, "Had Wayland would be ancient history."

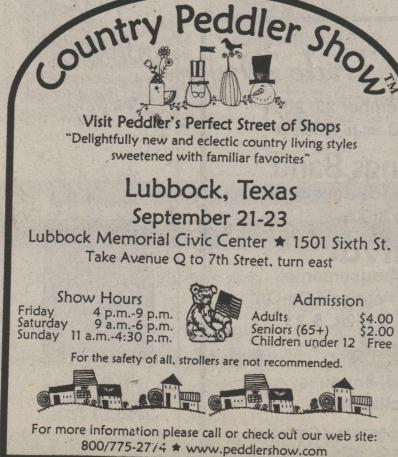
Reese said, "This division is our heart and our life, and we will never 2002 budget include employee raises forget it. It takes dedicated people to to gross \$500 increases. The City will build a program and Wayland defi- cease to pay for the employee family

at Wayland in 1952. He served in the employee medical coverage. army and later received his master's degree from Texas Tech University. Reese taught in the public schools in Plainview, Abernathy, and Dalhart. He returned to Wayland in 1966 and was chairman of the math and science division from 1967 to 1982. He retired in 1995 as professor of biological and street sweeper. earth sciences.



DR. HAROLD REESE







THE FLOYDADA SCOUTS ARE CONDUCTING A SIGN-UP FOR NEW FLAG SERVICE. All net proceeds of the first year for new service will be sent to New York to the disaster areas. Boy Scout Troop 357 would like to thank our community for their continued support. For sign-up call 983-5131, or 983-2603.

Lockney Council keeps tax rate same and 2001-2002 budget conservative

In a recent Lockney Council meetlady, a friend, a mom, and as a teacher ing, alderman adopted a tax rate of for him over his early years at .37303 per \$100 valuation. This rate is unchanged from the previous year.

The Council has also adopted the new budget which includes \$37,500 it not been for people like you who in carryover funds to cover the City's came and invested part of their life, part of the Block Grant for the Aiken pipeline.

The major expenses for the 2001insurance premium, however they will Reese earned his bachelor's degree continue to pay the premium for the

> The budget also includes a new police car at \$23,000 and a \$11,000 reimbursement to the Fire Depart-

The City Council decided in 2001 as a priority to start putting money into savings for a fire truck, backhoe, and





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The City purchased 2 CD's totaling \$100,000. One CD for \$80,000 includes \$20,000 for a backhoe, \$20,000 for a street sweeper, and one \$40,000 cured.' general. A second CD, for \$20,000, was set aside for a fire truck. "No money has been specifically budgeted for these new priorities," said Mayor Gary Marr, "because the city has approved a very conservative budget. However, if revenues come in above expenses, then the Council can, at

"The City wastewater plant has received numerous violations and areas of concern from the TNRCC. The Plant is old and needs replacing. We applied for a grant in 2001, which we

some point, deposit money to those

did not get. We will apply again in 2002. We have to hold off on major expenditures until a grant can be se-

During the September 13 council meeting, Lockney Police Chief Jerry Edwards showed the council the new digital camera purchased for the police department.

Aaron Wilson told the council that the fire department had purchased a new defibrillator. The equipment cost \$3,500. A \$3,000 grant helped in the purchase of the equipment.

A zoning variance was approved for a one car garage on Rita Garrison's property, and the council renewed the Triple C Sanitation contract for 2

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Floyd County Lifestyles

unavant holds family reunion

The younger children and all those

that dared played horseshoes, football,

and catch. Needless to say, they all

rested well at night from all the ac-

tivities. Dominoes and visiting were

on schedule for Saturday afternoon,

and after dinner the family played

bingo. Steve was the caller and prizes

for bingo were won by several. The

little children were entertained by

painting sun-catchers during this time.

family attended church services with

Lorena at West Side Church of Christ.

After returning to the building, a photo

session was held and pictures were

taken by many. Lorena smiled

through all of the photos, proud to be

surrounded by her family. Lunch was

served and visiting and singing took

place during the afternoon. After

evening church services and dinner,

Marjorie Kirk and her daughter Lori

presented Reunion Awards, including

oldest, traveling the farthest, most

family members attending, baldest,

and several other honorees worthy of

recognition. Immediately following,

a reunion meeting was held to discuss'

future reunions. Steve and Brenda

Dunavant volunteered to be the chair

couple to plan the next reunion in two

Monday morning breakfast was

served and good-byes were said.

Families traveled home. There was

such a feeling of belonging there that

it certainly made you feel welcome

and sad to leave. We often travel

through this life with friends that mean

well, but there is not a more comfort-

ing feeling than that of a family that

Steven and Jessica Vasqez are proud

Kaden Paul, born September 10, 2001

at 12:36 p.m. at University Medical

Center. He weighed 7 pounds, 5

Grandparents are Linda Lemons

and Marvin Lemons of Plainview, and

Refujio and Pauline Vasquez of Lock-

Carthel of Plainview and Vicki

Lockney Senior

Citizen News

We have had another beautiful week

at the center. Everyone who came

Thursday night seemed to enjoy their

I'm told that Claude Brown is still

Athena Kinard is resting in the Prai-

rie House while Billie Cook is in

Lockney Care Center. They are

missed and we hope they are back in

Menu for September 24 -28

gaining ground. Rusty and Arvie are

Great-grandparents are Fred and Jo

ounces and was 19 1/2 inches long.

Look

New!

VASQUEZ

Rendon of Lockney.

By: Gene Newton

also doing better.

circulation very soon.

Monday - Meat loaf

Tuesday - BBQ chicken

Wednesday - Pork chops

Friday - Chicken fried steak

Thursday - Soft tacos

Who's

Sunday morning, members of the

By Lori Martin

The first Dunavant family reunion was held over Labor Day weekend in Floydada at the Senior Citizen Center. The focus of attention was Lorena Dunavant, who has lived at Floydada most of her life. She and her late husband Grady Dunavant raised five children in this community. The eldest child, Melvin, is deceased. The four surviving children were in attendance.

Milton and Linda Dunavant of Fort Worth were joined by their youngest son, Brent Dunavant, a college student at San Angelo, Sunday and Monday. They brought 3 of their grandchildren, children of Lisa and William DuBone, parents of a baby daughter, Mia, born the previous week.

Truman and Mildred Dunavant had three of their children in attendance. Steve and Brenda Dunavant and their daughter, Becky and husband Greg Scott and daughter Emma were there from Claremore, Oklahoma. Sandra (Dunavant) Wells and her husband Jakie came from Midland with children Bryan and Kaitlyn. Ray and Kathie Dunavant and their sons Ben and Jackson were also there.

Carolyn (Dunavant) Redding and her husband John, who live south of Floydada, attended with their daughter Rebecca and granddaughter,

Marjorie (Dunavant) Kirk and her husband True came from Durango, Colorado.

They had all but one of four children attending: son, Allen Kirk and his wife Laura and children Luke, Zachary, Jessica, Matthew, Michael, and Melissa of Bayfield, Colorado; a daughter, Lori (Kirk) Martin and her husband Glen and children Aaron, Shelbi, and Kirk from Loop, Texas; and also a son, Marlon Kirk, and his wife LaDena, and two children Alexis and Brantson from Durango, Colo-

Glen and Lori Martin, chairpersons of the first reunion, had planned a wonderful time for all. Meals were shared by families with John and to announce the birth of their son, Carolyn Redding preparing the breakfast meals. They held nothing back, with full breakfasts for every morning. Bacon, biscuits, donuts, pancakes, fruit, cereal and all the trim-

mings were enjoyed by all. The Truman Dunavant families were in charge of lunches. Steve and Breanda served lasagna, salad and vegetables on Saturday. Sunday they served deli-works with all kinds of sandwiches from which to choose. They outdid themselves, considering that all of this side of the family traveled so far.

True and Marjorie Kirk and their children were in charge of the evening meals and served Mexican Fiesta on Saturday night and pizza with salad on Sunday night. Of course, there was food a plenty and never once was heard that anyone was hungry.

Activities were scheduled throughout the weekend. Saturday morning after breakfast, the family visited and got reacquainted. Then Milton asked if he could share a story or two. As Milton's stories go, one led to another. Then there were others that had a story or two to tell. Truman shared some fond memories. Lorena recited a history of her family which currently consist of 96 descendants. Marjorie and Carolyn, both had a story or two, and through it all, laughter and tears were shared as those who have passed on were remembered.

Tillett and Perales exchange nuptials Amy Katheryn Tillett and Carlos A. Arnold Perales Jr. of Lockney, the Perales exchanged wedding vows Sat- groom's brother, Rowdy Boggs of

Church of Danville, Kansas with the Rev. Michael Peltzer, pastor, officiat-

and Douglas Tillett of Allen and the Miller, vocalist. granddaughter of Frances Tillett of Falls Church, Virginia and Albert hall. Drouhard Jr. of Harper, Kansas.

Perales is the son of Josie Perales of Lockney and Arnold Perales Sr. of Plainview. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Juan Villarreal and Modesta Perales, all of Lockney.

Nancy Tillett of Allen, the bride's sister, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Angela Tillett of Fritch, the bride's sister-in-law; Jackie Lemons of Allen, the bride's cousin, and Carrie Hogan of McKinney. Mary Neises, the bride's cousin, was flower girl and Danny Martinez of Plainview was

was bestman. Groomsmen were Nancy Tillett.

urday afternoon, September 1, 2001 Amarillo and Shannon Veal of Phoeat Immaculate Conception Catholic nix, Arizona. Serving as usher was Chris Guerrero of Lubbock, the groom's cousin.

Musical selections were presented The bride is the daughter of Marilyn by Kay Troyer, organist, and Diana

A reception was held in the parish

After a Caribbean cruise, the couple will reside in Allen. The bride is a 1995 graduate of Allen High School and a 2000 graduate of Texas Tech University. She is a network analyst for Arch Wireless.

Perales is a 1996 graduate of Lockney High School and attended Texas Tech. He is a manager for Wal Mart.

A rehearsal dinner was given by the groom's parents on Friday, August 31, 2001 at the Harper Citizens Building in Harper, Kansas. The dinner was catered by Pardners Restaurant.

A miscellaneous shower was given Christopher Magonigal of Lubbock by the bridesmaids in the home of

Friends of the Library meet September 12

home of Martha Farris, with President Julianne. Julianne Cornelius presiding. Martha Farris reported that the Texas Capitol ornaments have been ordered and will be available for purchase at Punkin Days. The price will be \$17.00. Mrs. Farris also reported that four new computers have been ordered for the library's Community Room. These computers are to be used for teaching purposes or seminars.

Julianne Cornelius reported on at Duncan and RCA that help kids the book sale.

The Friends of the Library met read, one on one. If you are interested Wednesday, September 12 in the in helping with this program, contact

> Jan Willson gave a brief report on the Adult Literacy program. She hopes to be able to make use of the new computers that have been ordered for the

Jerry Crawford will be in charge of the used book sale at Punkin Days. It will be held in the Community Room at the Library from 9:00 - 3:00. If you have used books you would like to donate, contact him. It was decided Project Impact. She has 30 volunteers to have a bake sale in conjunction with

By: Carolyn Jackson

The 2001 Texas Christmas ornament is now available at the museum. This year's ornament features a porcelain plaque depicting the original architect's sketch of the Capitol. The original, painted on linen, is on display in the Capitol. The image is used on several items sold in the Capitol gift shop. The museum also keep past years ornaments in stock for those who have not started their collection or missed a year.

Archeologists from Kansas arrived on Thursday and Friday prior to the Labor Day weekend to continue working at the Jimmy Owen's site in Blanco Canyon. Dr. Donald Blakeslee, Frank Gagne, Don Henkle and Bob Hodge were familiar faces returning, along with numerous new students who accompanied them. They returned to Kansas on Monday, September 3 and are planning to come back to Floyd County during the Christmas holidays this winter.

Kregg Fehr brought his history class

from Lubbock Christian University to tour the museum on Thursday night, September 6. There were approximately 22 students and visitors making the tour. He brings the class each semester and continues to praise the museum on its exhibits and success in preserving Floyd County history.

Preparations are being made for Holcomb. Punkin Days, Saturday, October 13. The museum will be open from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. and a large crowd is expected. Visitors from all over Texas to the T.V. with my emotions on a past several days. They are beautiful! are expected to be in attendance. There will be activities available for all ages during the festivities.

October is Archeology Awareness month in Texas and the public is invited to come to the museum on Tuesday, October 16 at 7 p.m. to hear Brett Cruse, with the Archeology Division of the Texas Historical Commission. Mr. Cruse will be speaking on the Red River Wars. This will be an opportunity to hear a great speaker on a very interesting subject.

Floydada Senior Citizen News

MRS. CARLOS PERALES

(nee Amy Kathryn Tillett)

By: Margarette Word

The center is open Monday through Friday. If you plan on eating lunch please call the center at 983-2032 by 10 a.m. We want to prepare enough food for everyone.

Guy Garrison spent the weekend of September 8 in Amarillo with his nephew Darrell Garrison and family. Our sympathy to the family of Paul Jones, Juanita Vasquez, Virginia

Martinez, and Lucille Sisson. Thank you for remembering the center when you need to make a memorial donation.

In memory of Grace Jarrett - Dr. Jack and Billie Jordan, Dorothy Carthel, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Havens, Kathryn Jackson.

In memory of Lillian Nichols -Louis and Virginia Pyle, Ray and Marilyn Holcomb, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Hale.

In memory of Freddie Wayne Parkman - Roy and Marilyn

In memory of Emery Roberson -Roy and Marilyn Holcomb.

If you are like me, I've been glued leaving the flags up in our yards these

May God give extra strength to all those working in the rescue effort and to those who are hopeful in finding their loved ones.

roller coaster ride. I've tried to stay

away from the T.V. but find myself

watching it to learn the latest news.

The USA is at war and many

changes will take place. Our freedom

will never be the same. We need to

support our president and be very

much in prayer that he and his staff

will make the right decisions. I was

planning on going to China in Octo-

ber but I have cancelled my trip. I'm

not interested in flying at this time and

being in a foreign country. I want to

I've had trouble sleeping.

World War II the people united and during this past couple of weeks the people again are united and all the petty differences have been put aside. They aren't near as important as they once were. May God bless America.

Thought for the Week: People need to realize that freedom is never free. Thank you Boy Scout Troop 357 for

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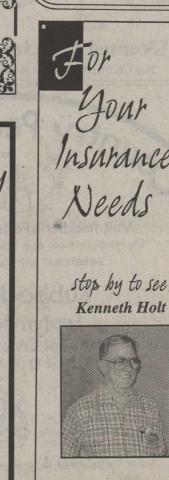
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FHS CLASS OF 1971 held their 30 year class reunion August 4-6, 2001 at the Assiter Punkin Ranch in Floydada and at the Barcelona Courts Hotel and the 50-Yard Line Restaurant in Lubbock. There were



ASHLEY NORRELL OF FLOYDADA ATTENDED 2001 LEADERSHIP CAMP-Ashley Norrell (3rd from right, front row) attended the Texas Pork Producers Leadership Camp June 24-29. Ashley was chosen along with 15 other students from across the state of Texas to attend. She was able to travel all over the state touring different facilities. The camp began in Amarillo, then toured Premium Standard Farms in Dalhart, Iowa Vet Supply in Stratford, Seaboard in Guymon, Oklahoma, Wright Brand Foods in Vernon, Winn-Dixie Retail in Addison, Owens in Richardson, and both, Texas A&M and Texas Tech meat labs. The camp covered all aspects of the pork industry from the nursery to the retail product. Ashley is a junior at FHS and is the daughter of Gerry and Vickie Norrell of Floydada. Those attending were: (back row, l-r) W.P. Stephens, Wacey Tate, Travis Baker, J.W. Wagner, Nathan Wade, Jeremy Boyd, Jessica Keinpen, Josh Little, Anthony Wade, Joshua Kautz; (front row, l-r) Kevin Mock, Russell Real, Jena Dillard, Shelly Vasbinder, Ashley Norrell, Cory Wells, Jennifer Rexroad. **Courtesy Photo**

Lockney School Menu

September 24 - 28 Monday:

Breakfast - Sausage or cereal, toast,

Lunch - Chicken spaghetti or ers late risers, fresh fruit, milk grilled cheese, salad, broccoli, pears,

Italian bread, milk Tuesday:

Breakfast - Cheese toast or cereal, toast, juice, milk, jelly

· Lunch - Corn chip pie or tuna sand-

wich, corn, salad, applesauce, milk

Wednesday:

Breakfast - Breakfast burrito or cereal, toast, juice, milk, jelly

Lunch - BBQ on bun or PBJ sandwich, pinto beans, salad, peaches, juice

Thursday:

Breakfast - Rice or cereal, toast, juice, milk, jelly

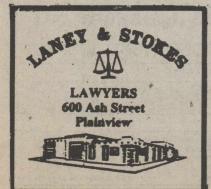
Lunch - Turkey w/gravy or corndog, mashed potatoes, green ers, waffles, syrup, milk, juice beans, hot rolls, orange halves, milk Friday:

Breakfast - Cinnamon roll or cereal, graham crackers, juice, milk

Lunch - Hamburger or ham & cheese, French fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, milk, pineapple w/gelatin



SHAKLEE 983-5246



Floydada School Menu

September 24 - 28

Monday:

Breakfast - Cereal, graham crack-Lunch - Pizza, green salad, corn, fresh fruit cup, milk

Tuesday:

Breakfast - Cereal, graham crackers, pancake & sausage on a stick, milk, juice

Lunch - Nacho grande, lettuce & tomatoes, picante sauce, apple, milk

Wednesday: Breakfast - Cereal, graham crackers, biscuit & Canadian bacon, milk,

Lunch - Fried chicken, mashed potatoes/gravy, green beans, Texas toast, fruit w/marshmallows, milk

Thursday: Breakfast - Cereal, graham crack-

Lunch - Fish strips/tartar sauce, macaroni & cheese, baked beans, Texas toast, peaches milk

Friday: Breakfast - Cereal, graham crackers, cinnamon & sugar toast, scrambled eggs, milk, juice

Lunch - Hamburger, lettuce, tomatoes & pickle, French fries, carrot sticks, frozen yogurt, milk







get me started...

National **Honor Society** Inductions The Lockney High School student

Lockney High

body attended the Lockney chapter of the National Honor Society for the induction of new members Wednesday, September 12, 2001 in the gym. A reception was held in the foyer for new members, their family and fac-

Chapter President Margaret Blanco, Vice-President Linsi Jones, Secretary-Treasurer Amber Wood and committee members Jenna Ford, Melanie Huggins, Liz O'Connell, Kacie Young and Mary Lou Zavala assisted with the induction of new members.

Wade Miller gave the invocation and the pledge before the ceremony began

New members inducted were: Cody Bayley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Caballero; Nathan Burson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Burson; Julian Chavira, son of Mr. and Mrs. Romualdo Chavira; Todd Cotham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Cotham; Leslie Cuellar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Israel Cuellar; April Dorman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Dorman; Jana Edwards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darell Edwards.

Also, Paula and Erwin Blackerby; Janee' Hrbacek, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Hrbacek; Katie Kelley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Kelley; Cody Lass, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lass; Garrett Mathis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Mathis; Matt McPherson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve McPherson; Will O'Connell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Connell; Brady Rasco, son of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Rasco; and Ben Sherman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark

The inductees presented a yellow rose to their mothers before the individual induction. Each new member lit individual candles from the post of: Scholarship, Leadership, Character and Service.

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Unless many express an interest in learning English, there will be no ESL classes. If you want to learn English and will be able to attend on Monday and Tuesday evenings, please come and sign up so a count of who is interested can be established.

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FISD TEACHER OF THE MONTH-CCLC Teacher Reba Moore (right) was honored as the Teacher of the Month by the Floydada ISD Board last week. Board Member Jill Warren (left) is shown presenting Moore with her certificate. Moore was selected for her dedication and faithfulness at the alternative school.

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LONGHORNS PICKING UP YARDS-Longhorn Ulisis Martinez (44) is shown picking up some of the 285 yards rushing for Lockney last Friday night against the Tahoka Bulldogs. Lockney lost 46-12. The Longhorns play New Deal there at 7:30 p.m. this Friday. **Photo by Rodney Hunt**

Bulldogs roll over the fighting Longhorns

By Russell Harris

Lockney had a good start last Friday evening though mistakes eventually stopped them.

Deferring to the second half, the Horns kicked off to Tahoka and forced a three and out.

on the Tahoka 47-yard line. Ulisis Steven Solorzano ran the next play up Martinez ran up the left side for an the middle for the score. Tahoka's eleven-yard gain. Martinez then had carries of six yards and four yards and a second first down. However, a quarterback sack and an illegal procedure penalty force the Longhorns to punt. Mark Ford's punt went out of bounds on the Tahoka one-yard line.

Again, the Lockney defense held the Tahoka offense to a three and out possession. The punt traveled seventeen yards and gave the Longhorns great field position on the Tahoka 26yard line. Mark Ford and Ulisis Martinez ground out the needed yardage capped off by a three-yard carry by Ford for the touchdown. The extra-point attempt by Jesus Rios was blocked. The Longhorns led 6-0 with eighteen seconds left in the first quar-

Tahoka's Josh Thompson had a Westbrook had a run for 19 yards and

good return on the ensuing kickoff. a catch for 32 yards. Ulisis Martinez Tahoka started shop on their 27-yard line. On first down, Brandon McCord completed a pass to Thompson for over 70 yards that was called back on a holding penalty. On second and 20, McCord broke a 73-yard run, taking downs before the evening was over. Lockney's first possession started the ball to the Lockney 10-yard line. The final score was 46-12. extra-point attempt was no good. The score was tied 6-6 with 11:10 remaining in the second quarter.

> Lockney then gave up two touchdowns to the Bulldogs on punt plays. Ben Stroope brought each of the punt attempts in for the short scoring runs. Later, with 4:30 left in the second quarter, Brandon McCord found Josh Thompson for a 90-yard touchdown pass. Tahoka led the Longhorns 27-6 with 4:16 left in the first half.

> In the third quarter, Lockney lost the football on their own 21-yard line. Three plays later, McCord found Jordan Vega in the endzone making the score 33-6 early in the second half.

The Longhorns then mounted their best drive of the evening beginning at their own 17-yard line. Chas football - basketball - track - tennis Il - track ball-football ll - track-tenfootball - football - basketball - footcross football cross I



8th Grade Longhorns beat Tahoka 22-6

By: Coach Hise

The Lockney 8th grade football team won its' opening game on Thursday, September 13 by a score of 22-6. The Longhorns opened the game by stopping Tahoka on its' first 3 downs and forced the Bulldogs to punt.

Lockney then drove 60 yards to the Tahoka 3 yard line. Lance Terrell bulled his way into the end zone to give the Longhorns a 6-0 lead. The Longhorn defense kept the pressure on Tahoka on the next possession, and recovered a fumble at their own 42 yard line. John Vasquez took a handoff on the next play and raced down the sideline for a 58 yard touchdown. Lance Terrell plowed his way up the middle for the two point conversion to make the score Lockney 14, Tahoka

in the second quarter after the Long- to make the score 22-6 in favor of the at New Deal today at 6:15.

horn defense forced them into 4th Longhorns. down and long. The punter mishandled the snap, and then ran 60 yards for a touchdown.

Lockney took the next possession, and advanced the ball to the Tahoka 12 yard line. The big play of the drive was a pass from Dahlen McCarter to Brance Wilson. The pair also connected for a 40 yard touchdown pass during the drive that was negated due to a penalty. The half ended with John Vasquez being tackled at the 7 yard line, but Lockney still led by a score

Lockney opened the second half with a big play on special teams. Lance Terrell caught a short kickoff at the Lockney 40 and scampered up the middle behind a wall of blockers for a 60 yard touchdown return. Terrell Tahoka scored its' only touchdown also added the two-point conversion the season. The Longhorns will play

The Longhorn defense was outstanding during the game, and didn't allow Tahoka to gain any momentum. Lockney also controlled the ball for much of the second half, although couldn't get the ball into the end zone.

Coach Hise's comments:

"We played really well for being the first game of the season. The game was won the line of scrimmage, as our offensive and defensive front dominated Tahoka. We made very few mistakes, defensively and had very few penalties on offense. Hopefully, we can continue to improve throughout the season. I felt like the kids played really hard, and executed pretty well

for the first game." The 8th grade team is now 1-0 on

7th Grade Shorthorns defeat Tahoka

By: Coach Fairchild

the 2001 season with a scrimmage Kidd, Carthel, Gibson and Rosales) against the Tahoka Bulldogs. The did a good job. Other offensive stand-Shorthorns came out on top 1-0. The outs were Ethan Gonzales who had a only score came on a seventy yard 17 yard and Ryan Aufill who had a 14 scamper by Lockney's Brittian yard pass completion. Our two QB's, Golden. Brittian ran the ball well all Elam and Davis, did a good job runnight. Of course in order to have a big ning the offense. night rushing, you must have a good

The 7th grade Shorthorns opened line (Peralez, Brock, Annunziato,

Defensively, the Shorthorns were Deal today for a 5:00 kickoff.

night by your offensive linemen. Our all over the field. Tahoka was much bigger, but that didn't stop the Shorthorns from swarming to the ball. We had some big plays from Sherman, Gibson, Elam, Fierros and Reagan.

> Overall, I was pleased with their effort and look forward to a exciting season. The Shorthorns will be in New

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South Plains 4-H Fashion Follies set for Septemeber 22

Floyd County

completed clothing and textiles a new competition class. projects this year will gather September 22 at the Texas Tech Human Sciences Building to compete in the 2001 Fashion Show.

The event begins at 10 a.m.

"These youngsters represent 4-H ings clubs form the 20 counties in our district. These 4-H'ers earn the right to complete in the district show by winning fashion awards in their home counties," said Brad Davis, Extension 4-H program specialist based at Lub-

competition categories -- construction and buying. The construction division emphasizes and construction skills, and garment appearance. In the buying division, entries are judged on appearance, quality of workmanship, wardrobe, coordination, appropriateness of care requirements, and the use of comparison shopping techniques.

There are four classes of competi-

South Plains 4-H'ers who have specialty; and embellished recycled -

Afternoon activities will take place at the South Plains Fairgrounds, beginning at 2 p.m. with the Fashion Follies on the outdoor stage between the Merchants and Womens Build-

The theme of this year's Fashion Follies is "4-H Clothing Carnival." During this event, 4-H'ers who participated in the morning competition will take the stage alongside other junior and senior club members who completed a clothing and textiles This year's show will include two project this year. They will model their projects in three classes; purchased, constructed, or recycled-embellished.

4-H is the youth development and leadership component of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, part of the Texas A&M University System's Agriculture Program. Texans can get more information on 4-H activities and clubs by contacting their County Extension Office, or on the tion in each category: casual; dressy; Internet at: http://texas4-h.tamu.edu.

lege-related expenses.

Lexi designed a mentoring program called "Kids Helping Kids" for which she recruited high school students to help elementary level children who appeared to be having difficulty with their schoolwork. Working together with elementary school staff and student volunteers, she scheduled high school students to work one day a week with identified grade school students. Lexi now attends Southwestern Oklahoma State University.

Competition for the scholarships was stiff. Of the thousands of students, nation-wide, who applied, less than one percent were selected. Lexi was one of only two winners in the state

Jones of Lockney receives scholarship

ran the ball in from the eight-yard line

for the score. The two-point attempt

was no good. Lockney trailed Tahoka

Tahoka scored two more touch-

The Longhorns could not overcome

their six turnovers in the game. There

were a number of positives for Lock-

ney, including Ulisis Martinez ending

the game with 120 yards of rushing

and Mark Ford gaining eighty-two

GAME STATISTICS

2 of 8

0 of 2

130

19.3

13-110

7 of 19 3rd Down Conver.

First Downs

Rushes-Yards

Passing Yards

Total Yards

Comp-Att-Int

Punts-Average

Fumbles-Lost

Penalties-Yards

Possession Time

Return Yards

4th Down Conver.

Lockney

33-12 with 4:50 left in the third.

ter of America, Inc.) is proud to announce that Lexi Jones, a 2001 graduate of Lockney High School, is one of 25 recipients of its 2000-2001 Community Contribution Scholarships. ERCA scholarships are awarded to students who have made a difference in their communities. The winners created and carried out volunteer projects that helped to bring their community together, making their school or neighborhood safer, more welcoming places. Lexi received a grant of \$1000 to use for col-

Sanders, Elam, Stringer, Carthel, and Fulton all take home money in 3rd week Football Contest

Contest, we only used the twelve high school games to determine the winners. Due to the tragedy at The World Trade Center and Pentagon, there were no college, nor NFL games played this past weekend.

Brent Sanders of Floydada and Joe Don Elam of Lockney only missed one game each. Going to the first tiebreaker between Floydada and Seagraves, Sanders picked Floydada

In our third week of the Football only 8 points off the final score of 47. Elam also picked Floydada to win with a final total score of 38, 9 points off the final score of 47.

> check of \$25 and Elam will receive the Second Place check of \$15.

> Now for the Third Place. It was a little more difficult to determine.

There were three entries that missed only 2 games. They were Steve Stringer of Floydada, W.L. Carthel to win with a final total score of 39, and Pam Fulton, both of Lockney.

We went to the first tie-breaker in which all three entries were wrong as they chose Seagraves to win. So the second tie-breaker was used and again Sanders will receive the First Place all three chose Lockney to win. All three again were incorrect, as Tahoka beat Lockney.

> So Third Place will be split among all 3 entries. Stringer, Carthel, and Fulton will each receive a check for \$3.33 each.

The Football Contest will resume next week as usual using all high school, college, and NFL games.

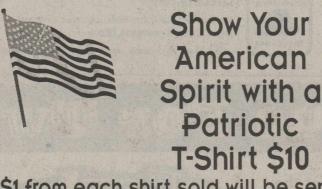


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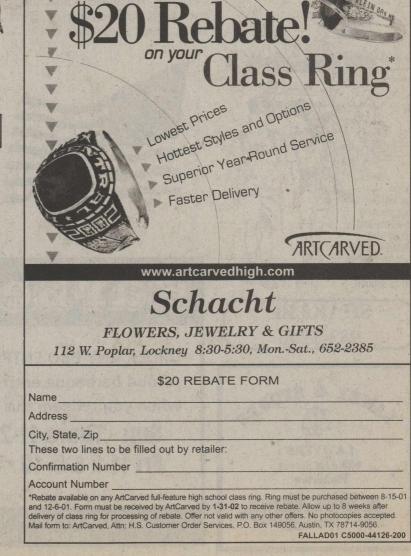


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"Winds"

as they beat the

Springlake-Earth

Wolverines!!!

playing at home this week!



WHIRLWINDS STOPPING THE RUN-Whirlwinds defense is shown stopping the run of the Seagraves Eagles last Friday night. Those helping are Andrew Arvizu (22), Gerald Henderson (44), Morgan Tyerina (51), Jacob Morales (62), and Brady Rainwater (81). Floydada won 35-21. This Friday they play Springlake-Earth here at Photo by Rhonda Stovall

Whirlwinds beat Seagraves 35-21

By: Bill Gray

Quick strikes and big plays were the name of the game as Floydada downed the Seagraves Eagles 35-21 in the Whirlwinds' 2001 home opener at Wester Field last Friday night. Tyler Helms, Brady Rainwater and Dustin Covington helped stake the "Winds to a 28-0 lead before the visitors posted one of their two scores in the final minutes of the first half. Floydada remains undefeated and it is the first time in twelve years for the Whirlwinds to open a season with three straight victories.

The Eagles looked like they were going to dominate - at least in their game-opening drive. They marched all the way to Floydada's 25-yard line in the opening moments, only to see a 5-yard penalty and an incomplete pass put an end to the drive. Following an exchange of turnovers, the Whirlwinds struck for two scores in the final two minutes of the first period.

A Seagraves punt was fielded by Dustin Covington at his own 35-yard line. The speedy junior followed a good block by Anthony Suarez and a wall of blockers en route to a 65-yard return for a touchdown. Tyler Helms kicked his first of five point-afters and the "Winds were on their way. Three plays later, Whirlwind sophomore Morgan Tijerina stripped the ball from Eagle running back Lewis Mijares. Gerald Henderson recovered the fumble near mid-field. On the final (Tijerina) are doing a great job. play of the opening stanza, Floydada They're very coachable and they requarterback Tyler Helms hit Brady ally get after it! We're just real pleased Rainwater with a 48-yard pass-andrun for the Whirlwinds' second score. Helms added the conversion as the quarter came to an end.

Following a short Eagle punt, Floydada set up shop again near mid-field. A perfectly executed pitch from Helms to Covington resulted in a 40yard gainer, and two plays later are very well-disciplined. We had no Covington crashed into the end zone from 6 yards out. The Eagles gave up the ball via a fumble after only one offensive play. Midway through the second period, Helms passed for another touchdown to Rainwater - this one from the visitors' 19-yard line.

Anthony Suarez recovered an Eagle fumble deep in Floydada territory, forcing the "Winds to try to work the ball away from the shadows of their did a good job of keeping him conown goal posts. Three plays later, Kyle tained. Also, our front four on defense Wilson recovered a Floydada fumble to set up the only Seagraves score of

Mahler capped the short scoring march with a 4-yard touchdown pass to B.J. David in the final seconds. think we managed to do that!"

Their attempt for two failed, and the (Floydada's defense held the Eagle Whirlwinds took a commanding 28-6 lead into halftime.

Seagraves took advantage of an-tempts.) other Floydada turnover about halfway through the third quarter. Picking up four first downs, the Eagles covered the 66 yards in 10 plays. Mahler carried the final three yards for the score. The conversion failed, but the Eagles had cut into the Floydada advantage 28-12.

play of the fourth quarter to put the contest out of reach. Helms tossed his third touchdown pass of the game this one a 27-yard gem to Covington. Dustin scored via the punt return, rushing and pass reception for his three touchdowns of the game. Floydada's final 35-12 margin of victory was sweet revenge for the 28-7

Following the game, defensive coach Ty Stovall commented, "We hadn't seen number 3 (B.J> David) on film or anything...he's very athletic and we tried to key on him. I thought we were pretty physical. Tye (Wood) was doing such a good job for us defensively when we went down (to a knee injury). We are hurting without him as we are having to use some younger people in his place and a couple of sophomores have had to step up....but Ross (Bennett) and Morgan

with our overall efforts. Coach Lee Hu t said, "Any time you're 3-0, you know you've got to be doing some things right. Our kids are practicing hard during the week and are coming out and playing really hard. Our kids, especially our offensive line, are doing a great job...they procedure penalties or anything. Tyler (Helms) keeps the defenses off-balance by changing the cadence, but we don't move. We work very hard on that in practice - drawing the defenses

"Our defense did such a great job," said Coach Hurt. "We had been watching for that number 3 (B.J. David). We knew he was a good player, but we did a good job all night putting pres-

the first half. Quarterback Brandon sure on their quarterback. You've got to have good pressure up front, coupled with good coverage in the secondary to shut someone down. I

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not be a superstar, It's just a high school game. So please don't curse those boys down there,

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quarterback, Brandon Mahler, to 42 yards on 4 completions in 13 at-

According to Coach Hurt, "Springlake-Earth will be tough. They've got that same quarterback (Chance Furr, who was all-district last year), and they have good experience on both sides of the line of scrimmage. They are very well-coached and have lot of winning tradition." The Whirlwinds scored on the third Springlake-Earth defeated the Whirlwinds 28-0 a year ago. The Wolverines are coming off a 23-7 loss to Sundown and will be trying to get back to their usual winning ways before they open district play. Springlake-Earth defeated Class 3A Dimmitt 20-14 the second game of the season. Seagraves will travel to Idalou this week. The Wildcats were a 17-14 winner over setback suffered to these same Eagles Shallowater in double overtime a

> It is important that the Whirlwinds keep their winning momentum going with a win over Springlake-Earth. This will be the final tune-up before traveling next week to Friona to open District 5-2A action. The "Winds will be looking for another payback versus the Wolverines...to the tune of 30-20. Bill's other picks: Lockney 14, New Deal, 12; Abernathy 28, Sudan 13; Muleshoe 41, Friona 27.

> Bill's Notes: The Whirlwind offensive line continues to improve each week. They lost Corey Hayter in pre-game drills in kind of a fluky accident...hopefully he'll be back by district play. The same hopes of returning go out to Tye Wood, who has been out with a cracked knee cap. With some injuries, Floydada's depth is starting to be tested. Sophomores Ross Bennett, Chris Wickware and Morgan Tijerina have really stepped up and made hands. Morgan had an outstanding game against Seagraves. Covington had a great night, scoring touchdowns three different ways and having another good defensive outing. And, Helms continues doing a good job in pulling the trigger at the right time...the fade route to Brady will have defensive coordinators scratching their heads all year! It was another good win and superlatives can be added to just about everyone who got into the game

	GAME STATISTIC	CC
Floydada		Seagraves
2 of 8	3rd Down Conver.	1 of 10
1 of 1	4th Down Conver.	2 of 5
12	First Downs	17
33-188	Rushes-Yards	49-205
114	Passing Yards	42
302	Total Yards	247
5-9-1	Comp-Att-Int	4-13-0
6-4	Fumbles Lost	7-5
2-33.0	Punts-Average	3-35.0
1-15	Penalties-Yards	2-10
131	Return Yards	111 .
21:19	Possession Time	26.41

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Lady compete well in **Abernathy Cross** Country Meet

The Floydada Whirlwinds and Lady Winds competed in the Abernathy Cross Country Meet held last Saturday, September 15th.

In the Varsity Boys Division, Rocky Reyes again claimed one of the top two places as he ran 17:40 for second Suarez with a time of 20:33; Johnny Ralph with a time of 20:42; Tyler Battey with a time of 22:09; Brady Rainwater with a time of 22:46 and David Garcia with a time of 26:59.

In the Varsity Girls Division, Jenna Payne captured first place with a good time of 13:38. Tara Williams ran well as she claimed 4th place with a time of 14:30. Katy Gooch ran with a time of 15:35 for 28th place and Edna Oliveras ran a time of 15:45 for 31st place. Trisha Coursey had a time of 17:38 while Ragan Beedy ran a time

Running in the Junior Varisty Girls Division, Dulce Foster had a time of 18:37 and Anna Valadez ran a time of

FHS Lady Winds and 'Winds run at Plainview Cross Country

On Saturday, September 8th, the Lady Winds and Whirlwinds traveled to competed in the Plainview Cross Country Meet.

In the Varsity Girls Division, Jenna Payne placed second with a time of 13:11. Tara Williams ran good placing 35th with a time of 14:26.

The team also consisted of runners Edna Oliveras with a time of 15:21; Katy Gooch with a time of 15:27 and Kayla Stovall with a time of 17:57.

Competing in the Varsity Boys Division, Rocky Reyes garnered first place with a good time of 16:58. Also running for FHS was Miguel Sanchez with a time of 20:40.

The Junior Varsity Division team consisted of Anna Valadez with a time of 18:43 and Dulce Roster with a time

Whirlwinds and Floydada JV 'Winds Lady 'Winds defeats Plainview 16-0

GO MEAN GREEN!!!

By: Coach Stovall

Floydada's Junior Varsity Whirlwinds won their first game of the season Thursday night, September 6th sion. with a 16-0 victory over Plainview

Angelo Williams opened the scoring in the first quarter on a 35-yard scamper. Chris Wickware converted

the 2-point conversion. After a scoreless second and third to Seagraves on September 13.

quarters, Stephen Bueno busted across the goalline from 5 yards out. Chris. Wickware added the 2 point conver-

D.J. Summers led a strong Whirlwind defense that held the Bulldogs without a first down for the entire

This win improves the JV 'Winds to 1-1 for the season and they travel

place. The team consisted of Anthony FHS 9th Grade Whirlwinds tame the New Deal Lions 31-12

By Coach Trevino

The FHS 9th Grade Whirlwinds traveled to New Deal last Thursday, September 13 and came out on top of the Lions by a score of 31-12.

The first quarter scoring was on a 80-yard drive that ended with Luke Miller connecting on a 23-yard pass touchdown to Isidro Segura. The extra point kick failed and the score was

Justin Martinez busted through the line in the second quarter with a 32 yard touchdown run. The kick failed and the score at that point was 12-0. Before the quarter was over Luke Miller threw a 24 yard touchdown pass to Isidro Segura as time expired to make the score 18-0.

In the third quarter of the game, Justin Martinez scampered on a 24 yard touchdown run. Isidro Segura kicked the extra point to make the score 25-6.

Jerry Santos added a 39 yard touchdown run to end the third quarter with a score of 31-12. The extra point

B.J. Chappell, Taylor Sue, Harvey DelaFuente, Jesse Finley and Spencer Schacht did a great job blocking. Their tough play allowed us to gain over 200 yards rushing for the second week in a row.

Justin Martinez had over 100 yards rushing for the night.

Luke Miller had 5 total throwing touchdowns in the last two games. Ty Heflin had 15 tackles for the

The FHS 9th grade Whirlwinds will play host to the 9th Grade Frenship

Tigers at 6:30 p.m. Season record now stands at 2-1.

Meet FJHS 8th Grade Breezers lose hard fought game to Seagraves Eagles

By: Coach Ayala

The 8th Grade Breezers faced a tough first half against the Seagraves Eagles on Thursday, September 13, 2001 and came up short by a score of

They gave up three big plays that resulted in three scores by the Eagles. The defense stopped all 3 point after attempts with good hard defensive

The offense was hampered by a array of penalties that stopped the Breezers' drive. We had good running by Lionel Garza, Michael Fortenberry, Jason Nutt and Jacob Reddy. Trey Helms showed good leadership in his

endeavors of the night. The offensive line had to work hard

picking up the blitzes from the Eagles. We had good line play from T.J. Collins, Andy Sanchez, Justin Duran, Tyler Chesshir and Rubin Ortiz will help our line play in the future.

In the second half the defense did a great job shutting the Eagles offense down keeping them out of the end zone and forcing them to give up the ball. Again the offense showed spurts of good ball control only to stop themselves with penalties and a number of bad ball exchanges.

We are very proud of our Breezers and look forward to this weeks challenge as we travel to Springlake-Earth to take on the Wolverines. Game time

The 8th Grade record stands at 1-1.

FJHS 7th Grade Breezers crush the Eagles

By Coach Ayala

to the Seagraves Eagles on Thursday, September 13 and handed the Eagles a huge defeat by a score of 44-0.

The Breezers started out the game with a Tate Jones 74-yard kickoff return to the Eagles 23 yard line. On the touchdowns of the night.

Williams scored his first touchdown scores. from 21 yards out. He ran in his second touchdown of the night from 7 yards out and scored his third touchdown on a 21 yard run.

Paul Marmolejo ran in a 25 yard touchdown to add to the scoring for

Then Tell Fuller picked up a Eagle that we received. Shannon Bolton did The 7th Grade Breezers played host fumble and ran it in from 25 yards out. Raymond Everett scored from 2 yards out to end the scoring for the

Extra point results off of 6 scores were 8 points. The Breezers connected on 4 of 6 conversion attempts. Rusty first play from scrimmage, Douglas Hopper and Tell Fuller had passes Williams scored one of his three completed for 2 points and Tate Jones ran in 2 conversion attempts for The offensive line did a great job

Breezers.

along with the good special team play

a good job kicking the ball.

Defensively, the Breezers gave up one first down and recovered numerous Eagle fumbles. Linebacker core of Tate Jones, Paul Marmolejo, Josh Price, Justin Chavarria, Brandon Rainwater, Cam Battey and Taylor Beedy played well. The 7th Grade Breezers will host

the Abernathy Antelopes Thursday, September 20th starting at 5:00 p.m. The 7th Grade Breezers record now

stands at 2-0.

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DUNCAN ELEMENTARY KIDS FLY OVER 250 FLAGS-Mrs. Odoms' K-2 class at A.B. Duncan Elementary in Floydada helped put out about 250 flags from Boy Scout troop 357.

BBB warns against charitable scams

Continued from page 1

cal for donors not to succumb to preswithout first checking out soliciting have agreed to these arrangements. groups to ensure their generosity is not misplaced."

for relief in several ways: through the by calling 763-0459 or (800)687-7890 mail, telephone, door-to-door appeals, or logging onto our website at: solicitors stationed outside busy stores www.bbbsouthplains.org," says, Nan or traffic intersections, the Internet, Campbell, President and CEO of the and announcements in magazines, Better Business Bureau of the South newspapers, radio and television. "Al- Plains. Information on national charithough timing is critical in respond- ties is available from the BBB Wise ing to the needs of victims and their Giving Alliance at www.give.org. In families, fraudulent solicitors often addition, the Alliance and the BBB demand on-the-spot contributions and offers the following tips for donors to be used for the activity mentioned in rely on the fact that individuals will consider. not question their efforts," Taylor said.

from both established and newly what the charity will do to address the formed organizations. Whatever the needs of victims and their families. age of the group, appeals should clearly describe the specific services the charity intends to provide to those with injuries or whose family members were killed or are missing due to the terrorist attack. Further, they should describe whether the organization intends to meet immediate or long-term needs of those victimized by this tragedy, or both. Even newly established charities should have written material available describing their programs, anticipated expenditures, and how they will carry our activities.

The BBB Wise Giving Alliance also advises against giving out credit card numbers to a phone solicitor, or in response to a "spam" email received from an unknown individual or organization. This can be a ruse to obtain the card number for illegitimate purposes. Ask the caller or email sender to provide written information on the charity's programs and finances before you make a contribution decision.

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lic to contribute to helpful causes, es- charity's name or may provide very pecially at this time," said Art Taylor, little to the referenced charities. Look President and CEO of the BBB Wise for a clear disclosure that specifies Giving Alliance, "However, it is criti- how much of the sale goes to the charity and do not hesitate to contact the sure to make an immediate donation named organization to confirm they

"Our office has hundreds of local charities in our database and donors Organizations conduct solicitations can check the local organizations out

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Do not give your credit card number or other personal information to a telephone solicitor. Ask the caller to provide you with written information on the charity's programs and fi-

Be wary of charities that reluctant to answer reasonable questions about their operations, finances and programs. Ask how much of your gift will the appeal and how much will go toward other programs and administrative and fund raising costs.

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Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Church Dinner 11:30 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Ice Cream Fellowship

Monday, Sept 24th

Breakfast 7:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Sandwich Supper

Tuesday, Sept. 25th

Breakfast 7:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Pizza Supper

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Floyd County FARM NEWS



YOUTH BENEFIT FROM FARM BUREAU PROGRAMS--Brady Ragland (left) performed some fiddle tunes at the Farm Bureau annual meeting, Saturday. Ragland has recently won the Farm Bureau district talent contest and will continue in competition--hopefully for a \$3,000 prize. Jeffrey Hunter, right, won a \$200 essay contest on "What Farm Bureau Means to Agriculture". Hunter read his essay at the annual meeting.

Farm Bureau holds convention

people who have been recipients of comments they may have for Farm Bureau scholarships and awards

Jeffrey Hunter and Matthew Rainwater were both recognized as \$200 winners of an essay contest entitled, "What Farm Bureau Means to Agriculture.

Hunter attended the meeting and read his essay to the members. He is currently a freshman at Harding University in Searcy, Arkansas.

Also introduced was Brady Rasco, a junior at Lockney High School. Rasco performed 4 songs on his fiddle, for the members.

Rasco recently won \$1,000 at the district Farm Bureau talent competition. He will now continue in competition in regionals and state.

Farm Bureau 2001 Queen Trisha Coursey was also introduced. The 2001-2002 Queen, Maggie Hilburn, did not attend the meeting.

Seminar students Jurahee Jones, Jenna Ford, and Andrew Francis were also recognized.

"Farm Bureau has given out \$73,000 in scholarships across the state," said President Danny Nutt.

Randy Rainwater told the members that the Farm Bureau had also sent David Gamble, a fireman from Silverton, and Preston Belt, an EMS volunteer from Lockney, to an A&M

fireman's training school. Kerry Pratt gave the financial statement, telling the members that the total income had been \$50,476.29 and the total expenses were \$51,470.22. Cash reserves were \$34,660.41. "We expect the income to be better next year," said Pratt, "now that the office has a new full time manager, David True, and a full staff.

Membership was down to 718, a drop of 33 members. However the board is also optomistic the membership will climb with the new staff on board.

Congressman Mac Thornberry was scheduled to speak at the meeting, however because Congress was in session, due to the recent terrorist attack on the World Trade Center, Thornberry was unable to attend. Staff

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met for their annual county conven- Wenger attended in Thornberrys place tion, September 15, at the Unity Cen- and handed out a letter from Thornberry to the Farm Bureau mem-President Danny Nutt welcomed bers. The members were also given guests and introduced several young sheets to write down any questions or

> Thornberry. Delmas McCormick was honored during the meeting for his dedication to the county and Farm Bureau.

McCormick served on the board for 13 years form 1979 to 1993. He was president in 1980 and 1981. He served elected.

The Floyd County Farm Bureau members Paul Simpson and Susan on several advisory committee and served on the Texas Farm Bureau Board of Directors in December 1994 and served until December of 2000.

> McCormick was elected vice-president of Texas Farm Bureau in 2000 and to the board of directors of Southern Farm Bureau Life Insurance Company for the same time period. He retired from the TFB in December 2000.

> Door prizes were given away and new directors, Brian Teeple, Danny Nutt, and Warren Mitchell were

PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS Special Election NOVEMBER 6, 2001

PROPOSITION 1

tion to relinquish the state's claim to cerain disputed land in Bastrop County The amendment would confirm legal title to that land, excluding any mineral interests, to the individuals who hold a disputed title to the land. The amendment would prevent a loss of title by people who bought and paid for property that was never transferred by the state

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment providing for the clearing of land titles by the release of a state claim of its interest to the owners of certain land in Bastrop County."

PROPOSITION 2 (SJR 37)

Proposition 2 would amend the constitution to establish the process for issuing up to \$175 million of state general obligation bonds and notes to provide aid to counties for access road projects to serve border colonias. Generally, a colonia is an economically distressed geographic area with inadequate public services (such as water supplies, sewer services, or paved roads) in a county without adequate resources to provide such services. These projects could include the construction of access roads, the acquisition of materials used in maintaining those roads, and projects related to the construction of those roads, such as road drainage. The Texas Transportation Commission, in consultation with the Governor, would be authorized to determine what constitutes a border colonia for purposes of selecting the counties and projects that would receive assistance.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of state general obligation bonds and notes to provide financial assistance to counties for roadway projects to serve border colonias.

PROPOSITION 3 (SJR 47)

Proposition 3 would amend the constitution to authorize the legislature to exempt green coffee and raw cocoa held in Harris County from property taxes in order to qualify Harris County as an exchange port for coffee by the New York Board of Trade. The authorization of exemption would not apply to any other county.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation raw cocoa and green coffee that is held in

PROPOSITION 4 (HJR 1)

Proposition 4 would amend the constitution by setting the term of the fire fighters' pension commissioner at four years. The constitution currently provides that the duration of all offices not otherwise fixed by the constitution may not exceed

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment providing for a four-year term of office for the fire fighters' pen-

PROPOSITION 5

Proposition 1 would amend the constitution to allow a municipality to donate outdated or surplus equipment, supplies, or other materials used in fighting fires to an underdeveloped country. Current state law does not allow anything of value belonging to the state or its political subdivisions to be donated to another

> the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing municipalities to donate outdated or surplus firefighting equipment or supplies to underdeveloped

PROPOSITION 6 (HJR 45)

Proposition 6 would amend the constitution to require the governor to call a special session of the legislature so that the legislature can appoint presidential electors when the governor determines that it is reasonably likely that the outcome of the election for a presidential candidate's electors will not be clearly determined in time for the appropriate electors to meet before the federal deadline to cast their votes. Under current law, when the people vote for a particular candidate for president, in reality they are voting for that candidate's electors who will meet to cast their votes for president. If the electors are not determined by the certification date, no electoral votes may be cast for the state. The proposed amendment ensures that the state's electoral votes

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment requiring the governor to call a special session for the appointment of presidential electors under certain cir-

PROPOSITION 7 (HJR 82)

Proposition 7 would amend the constitution to authorize the Veterans' Land Board to issue and sell up to \$500 million of additional general obligation bonds to finance additional home mortgage loans to veterans. Additionally, the proposed amendment would authorize the Veterans' Land Board to use assets from the land and housing assistance funds to create, operate, and improve veterans' cemeteries.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the Veterans' Land Board to issue up to \$500 million in general obligation bonds payable from the general revenues of the state for veterans' housing assistance and to use assets in certain veterans' land and veterans' housing assistance funds to provide for veterans cemeteries.'

PROPOSITION 8

Proposition 8 would amend the constitution to allow the legislature to authorize the Texas Public Finance Authority to issue and sell up to \$850 million of general obligation bonds. The proceeds of the sale of the bonds would pay for construction and repair projects or for the purchase of needed equipment by the General Services Commission, the Texas Youth Commission, the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, the

fected by this tragedy. In light of these events the problems that have garnered much of our attention over the past few months pale in

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comparison. They are, however, still with us and must be dealt with in due Eventually the serious problems

facing agriculture in the United States will again take center stage and we will move forward with the process of developing a blueprint to guide agricultural support programs in the As the many government agencies

headquartered in Washington go about with everyday had offices located in the process of carrying out the business of the nation, we have also tried to assess where the process stands. We know that congress has yet to

> pass major legislative initiatives including major appropriations bills for the 2002 fiscal year. Consideration of the House Ag

reality that many of us have a direct family and friends or business ac- Committee's Food Security Act of quaintances that may have been lost. 2001, HR 2626, is on hold for now

Our hearts go out to everyone af- after being scheduled for consideration this week on the House floor.

We have been assured by members of the House Ag Committee staff that they are ready to proceed quickly on HR 2646 as soon as the opportunity presents itself.

Needless to say the issue may be on the back burner, but is not considered a dead issue by any means.

No one is sure what affect the events of the week will have on the outcomes of these and other legislative issues.

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The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of up to \$850 million in bonds payable from the general revenues of the state for construction and repair projects and for the purchase of needed equipment."

PROPOSITION 9 (HJR 47)

tion to authorize the legislature to proture without an election if only one person is a qualified candidate in the election to fill the vacancy. Under current law, a special election must be held to fill a vacancy in the legislature even if there is only one qualified candidate.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the filling of a vacancy in the legislature without an election if a candidate is running unopposed in an election to fill a vacancy.

PROPOSITION 10 (SJR 6)

Proposition 10 would amend the constitution to authorize the legislature to exempt certain items of personal property from property taxation by political subdivisions of the state if the property is warehoused temporarily in a location in Texas to be assembled stored manufactured, processed, fabricated, or repaired and then forwarded to another location inside or outside Texas. The proposed amendment would authorize a political subdivision that imposes ad valorem taxes, at its option, to tax this type of property after a local public hearing on

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to promote equal tax treatment for products produced, acquired, and distributed in the State of Texas by authorizing the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation tangible personal property held at certain locations only temporarily for assembling, manufacturing, processing, or other commercial purposes.

PROPOSITION 11 (HJR 85)

Proposition 11 would amend the constitution to allow a schoolteacher, a retired schoolteacher, or a retired school administrator who serves as a member of a governing body of a school district, city, town, or other local governmental district, including a water district, to receive compensation for serving on such a governing body. Currently, state employees or other individuals who are compensated directly or indirectly from state funds are barred from receiving a salary for such service.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to allow current and retired public school teachers and retired public school administrators to receive compensation for serving on the governing bodies of school districts, cities, towns, or other local governmental districts, including water districts."

PROPOSITION 12 (HJR 75)

Proposition 12 would amend, repeal, or relocate several sections of the current

constitution to improve the clarity, organization, and consistency of the

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The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to eliminate obsolete, archaic. redundant, and unnecessary provisions and to clarify, update, and harmonize certain provisions of the Texas

PROPOSITION 13 (SJR 2)

Proposition 13 would amend the constitution to allow the legislature to authorize a board of trustees of an independent school district to donate real property and improvements formerly used as a school campus in order to preserve that property. The board may make the donation if the board determines that the property Proposition 9 would amend the constitu- has historical significance, that the donation will help to preserve the property, vide for filling vacancies in the legisla- and that the school district no longer needs the property for educational pur-

> The proposed amendment will appear on . the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to authorize the board of trustees of an independent school district to donate certain surplus district property of historical significance in order to preserve the proper-

PROPOSITION 14

Proposition 14 would amend the constitution to allow the legislature to authorize a taxing unit, other than a school district, to exempt travel trailers from property taxation as long as the travel trailers are lawfully registered with the state and are not held or used for the production of

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to authorize taxing units other than school districts to exempt from ad valorem taxation travel trailers that are not held or used for the production of income."

PROPOSITION 15 (SJR 16)

Proposition 15 would amend the constitution to create the Texas Mobility Fund, which would be administered by the Texas Transportation Commission. The Fund would finance the construction, acquisition, and expansion of state highways and would pay a portion of the costs of public toll roads and other public transportation projects. The legislature may reserve specific sources of state revenue for the Fund and may authorize the Commission to guarantee the payment of any obligations or credit agreements with the full faith and credit of the state. The attorney general shall determine the legality of any such obligations or credit

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment creating the Texas Mobility Fund and authorizing grants and loans of money and issuance of obligations for financing the construction, reconstruction, acquisition, operation, and expansion of state highways, turnpikes, toll roads, toll bridges, and other mobility

PROPOSITION 16

Proposition 16 would amend the constitution to reduce the waiting period required for a valid home improvement lien on a homestead from 12 days to 5 days. Currently, a lien may not attach to a homestead for a home improvement loan if the homeowner executed a contract for the improvements less than 12 days after applying for the loan. In addition, the proposed amendment would

authorize the conversion and refinance of a personal property lien secured by a manufactured home to a lien on a home-

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment prescribing requirements for imposing a lien for work and material used in the construction, repair, or renovation of improvements on residential homestead property and including the conversion and refinance of a personal property lien secured by a manufactured home to a lien on real property as a debt on homestead property protected from a forced sale."

PROPOSITION 17 (HJR 53)

Proposition 17 would amend the constitution to allow the state to relinquish claim to certain state land and to clear title defects for persons who claim title to those lands. The proposed amendment would apply to land whose owners have disputed title to the land, but for which no patent from the state, giving clear title to the land, was ever issued. Among other requirements, all of the taxes due on the land must have been paid. Under current law, there is no procedure allowing the state to settle title disputes without a constitutional amendment for each piece of land in dispute.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to settle land title disputes between the state and a private party."

PROPOSITION 18 (SJR 49)

Proposition 18 would amend the constitution to authorize the legislature to create a program to consolidate and standardize the collection, deposit, reporting, and payment of criminal and civil court fees. If the legislature creates such a program, any new fees imposed by the legislature may not take effect before January 1 of the following year, unless an earlier effective date is approved by a vote of two-thirds of the members of each house of the legislature.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to promote uniformity in the collection, deposit, reporting, and remitting of civil and criminal fees."

PROPOSITION 19 (HJR 81)

Proposition 19 would amend the constitution to allow the Texas Water Development Board to issue up to \$2 billion of additional general obligation bonds. The Board issues bonds to pay for water supply projects, water quality enhancement projects, flood control projects, state participation in water and wastewater facilities, and projects for economically distressed areas. Current law limits the amount of bonds that the

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of additional general obligation bonds by the Texas Water Development Board in an amount not to exceed \$2 billion."

Estos son los informes explanatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestats al la contitutión que aparecerán en la boleta el 6 de noviembre de 2001. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes in español, podrá obetener una gratis por llama al 1/800/252/8683 or por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, TX 78711.

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bituaries

CLAUDINE BRETTHAUER

September 14, 2001 at 10:00 a.m. at Burial followed at Llano Cemetery under direction of Schooler Funeral Home of Amarillo.

She died Friday, September 7, 2001 in Amarillo.

She was a 60 year resident of Amarillo. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Jean Caperton in 1988.

Survivors include two daughters, Ruth Norsworthy of Trinity and Lynda Eisbrenner of Smyra, Tennessee; two sisters, Vonceil Casey and Bettye Quisenberry, both of Plainview; one brother, Bobby Redd of Lubbock and three grandchildren.

VENITA BUTLER

Graveside services for Venita "Nita" Butler, 72, of Lubbock were at 11:00 a.m. Friday, September 14, 2001 at City of Lubbock Cemetery with Larry Marshall, minister of Knott Church of Christ, officiating. Arrangements were under direction of White Funeral Home of Lubbock.

She died Tuesday, September 11, 2001 in Lubbock.

She was born June 18, 1929 in Floydada to the late David Monroe McCleskey and Bonnie Dell Greer McCleskey. She graduated from Lubbock High School in 1945 and attended Texas Tech University. She moved to Lubbock from Floydada in 1944. She married Henry Wenton Butler on August 15, 1947 in Lubbock. She was employed by LISD in the Central Payroll Office for 25 years and she was also a homemaker. She was a member of the Texas Retired Teachers Association, Tumbling Tumbleweed R.V. Club and the Church of Christ. She was preceded in death by a son, David Butler on September 19,

Survivors include her husband, Henry Butler of Lubbock; a son, Terry

Butler and wife Glenda, both of Graveside services for Claudine Sachse; two daughters, Teresa Gaskins Redd Bretthauer were held Friday, and husband Kelly of Knott; and Deanna Jordan and husband Mike of Llano Cemetery with Robert Field, Haskell; a brother, Greer McCleskey retired Baptist minister, officiating. of Bartlettsville, Oklahoma; a sister, Bonnie George of Hart; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Children's Home of Lubbock, 4404 Idalou Hwy. Lubbock, Texas 79403.

REBECCA CHAVEZ

Rosary services for Rebecca Chavez, 31, of Floydada were at 7:00 p.m. Thursday, September 13, 2001 at Moore-Rose-White Memorial Chapel in Floydada. Funeral mass was celebrated at 2:00 p.m. Friday, September 14, 2001 at St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church with Reverend Rudolf Crasta, celebrant. Burial was in Floyd County Memorial Park under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada.

Mrs. Chavez died Tuesday, September 11, 2001 in Floydada.

She was born on January 31, 1970 in Lockney to Mrs. Margie Delgado Contreras and the late Mr. Domingo Contreras. She graduated from Floydada High School and attended South Plains College. She married Gerardo Chavez on July 17, 1989 in Plainview. She was a correction officer at the Wheeler Formby Unit in Plainview. She was a lifelong resident of Floydada and a member of St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church.

She is survived by her husband, Gerardo Chavez of Floydada; her mother, Margie Contreras of Floydada; a grandmother, Trini Rodriguez of Ralls; a daughter, Alexandrea Chavez of Floydada; five brothers, Domingo Contreras Jr. and Armondo Garza both of San Angelo, Rable Contreras of Mathis, and Richard Contreras and Max Garza both of Floydada and two sisters, Linda Gomez of Tampa Bay, Florida and Rachel Gonzales of Floydada.



PAUL JONES

Services for Paul W. Jones, 63, of Floydada were at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, September 15, 2001 at First Baptist Church in Floydada with Reverend Anthony Sisemore, pastor, officiating and Pastor Bob Miller of Amarillo, assisting. Burial was in Floyd County Memorial Park under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral of Floy-

Mr. Jones died Wednesday, September 12, 2001 at the VA Hospital in

He was born on January 19, 1938 in Dallas to the late Mr. Paul Bedford Jones and Mrs. Francis Willard Jones. He graduated from high school in Dumas. He married Joyce Smith Jones on December 31, 1993 in Floydada. He moved to Floydada from Childress in 1994. He was a veteran of the United States Marines having served during Vietnam and the Korean War. While he was in the Marines he atcarpenter and a member of the VFW and the First Baptist Church. He was dren and 8 great-grandchildren. preceded in death by a son, John Jones and a brother, Charles Jones.

Jones of Floydada; three sons, Pat Jones of Pasadena, Texas and Keith Jones and Tim Jones, both of Mesquite; one daughter, Brenda Jones of Mesquite; three stepdaughters, Jan Nichols of Breckenridge, Vicki Derryberry of Floydada, and Terri Gordon of Luling, Louisiana; one brother, Raymond Jones of Mesquite; 18 grandchildren and eight greatgrandchildren.

VIRGINIA MARTINEZ

Prayer services for Virginia Martinez, 71, of Floydada were at 7:00 p.m. Thursday, September 13, 2001 at Primera Iglesia Bautista in Floydada. Funeral services were at 10:00 a.m. Friday, September 14, 2001 at First Baptist Church in Floydada with Rev. Lupe Rando, pastor of Primera Iglesia Bautista, officiating. Burial followed in Floyd County Memorial Park under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada.

Mrs. Martinez died Tuesday, September 11, 2001 at Floydada Rehabilitation & Care Center.

She was born on June 27, 1930 in Derby to the late Mr. Rufugio Santos and Mrs. Gregoria Guzman Santos. She married Ramon V. Martinez on January 21, 1946 in Derby. He preceded her in death on November 13, 1987. She moved to Floydada from Derby in 1951. She was a homemaker and a member of Primera Iglesia Bautista. She was also preceded in death by five brothers.

She is survived by five sons, Juan Martinez of Arlington, Jesse Martinez of Lubbock and Mauro Martinez, Joe Martinez and Sammy Martinez, all of Floydada; two daughters, Sylvia Arellano of Metter, Georgia and Edna Juarez of Amarillo; three sisters, tended engineering school and was a Maria Saldana of Crystal City, Gunnery Sergeant for E-7. He was a Carmela Jiminez of Florida and Selia Casillas of Floydada; 14 grandchil-

The family suggests memorials to Primera Iglesia Bautista, 401 W. Ken-He is survived by his wife, Joyce tucky, Floydada, TX 79235.

We wish to thank everyone of the community for your prayers and gifts of love during this time of Mom's passing. In particular, we want to express our gratitude to Floydada Rehab and Care Center for being our extended family and for loving Mom as each of you did. May God's blessing be with each and every-

The Family of Juanita Vasquez

On behalf of our family, we would like to give a heartfelt THANK YOU to all of our friends who provided prayers, donations, flowers and worlds of support and love during the illness and passing of our beloved "Mother". You have made life easier with your compassion.

> "Friends are the flowers in Life's Garden..... Our Garden has the most Beautiful Flowers."

> > Peggy and Rodney Hill and The Nichols Family

We wish to express our thanks to everyone who sent cards, food and for your prayers and visits during Leonard's surgery and recovery. We appreciate all that everyone has done for us.

Leonard Griffith & Family

Thank you to everyone that participated in our fund-raising endeavors Saturday at the band garage sale/concession stand. I appreciate my community.

> **Derrick Griggs** Floydada Band Member

Many thanks to all those who helped with the first 4-H Domino Tournament and Bonko Bash. We appreciate all those who came out and supported us by playing and those who provided prizes, dominos and their time. Thanks to all 4-H families for their support. Special thanks go to City Bank, Lowe's Supermarket - Floydada, Kay Brock, Kirt Wyrick, Ron Graves and John Dunlap. Thanks also to KFLP and the Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon for promotion.

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The Whirlwind Booster Club will hold their next meeting, Monday, Sep-

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BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC

A free blood pressure clinic is held in the community room of the First National Bank in Floydada every Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Everyone is welcome.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

Alcoholics Anonymous and Al-Anons meet each Tuesday night in Floydada at 8:00 p.m. Anyone wanting the loving fellowship of men and women who can share their experience, strength and hope is welcome. Meetings are at 111 North Wall, a block north of the courthouse. Anyone interested can call 983-3635 or 652-3546.

VETERANS SERVICE OFFICER AVAILABLE

Veterans Service Officer Ralph Jackson is available on Wednesdays, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in Room 112 of the Floyd County Courthouse. Call 983-4933.

LOCKNEY AA

Open meetings of Alcoholics Anonymous in Lockney will be Fridays, at 8 p.m., at Grace Fellowship Church, across from the hospital. If you are worried about your drinking, or someone else's, we understand, we care, and we want to help. Phone 652-3546 or 652-2280.

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Week's Announcements

LOCKNEY ATHLETIC **BOOSTERS**

There will be a regularly scheduled meeting of the Lockney Athletic tember 24th at 7:00 p.m. in the FHS Boosters Monday, September 24. The Cafeteria. Everyone is invited to at- Varsity Cheerleaders will be sering a tend and show our support for our ath- meal beginning at 6:30 for any Booster Club members or their families that would like to eat. The meeting will start at 7:00 at the Lockney

Punkin Days October 13th!

LOCKNEY GIRL SCOUTS

Lockney Girl Scouts will have registration Monday, September 24 at 7:00 p.m. at Lockney Elementary

25 Years of Fitting **Hearing Aids in** the Lockney Area



J. Wampler, BC-HIS Free Screening * Ask about Digital **Technology LOCKNEY:** Thursday September 27th Lockney Senior Citizens Center 10:00 - 12:00

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PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE OF FREE AND APPROPRIATE EDUCATION

Education for all Children with Disabilities

The Lockney Independent School District offers a free and appropriate public education to all children with disabilities. Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the American with Disabilities Act (ADA) requires that the Lockney Independent School District not discriminate on the basis of handicap in any district program or activity. The district will identify, evaluate and provide an appropriate public education to students who are handicapped under Section 504, including homeless children. Call Terry Ellison, Section 504 Coordinator, at (806) 652-2236.

Educacion Especial

El Distrito Escolar Independiente de Lockney ofrece una educacion publica gratuita y adecuada a todos los ninos con impedimentos. La Seccion 504 de la Ley de Rehabilitacion de 1973 y la ley de Americanos con Impedimentos (ADA) requireren que el Distrito Escolar Independiente de Lockney no discrimine basandose en impedimentos en ningun programa o actividad del Distrito. El Distrito identificara evaluara y ofrecera un educacion publica adecuada a los estudiantes con impedimentos de acuerdo con las Seccion incluyendo a los ninos sin hogar. Llame a Terry Ellison, Coordinador de la Seccion 504 at (806)

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF PROPOSED TEXAS HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT CONTRACTS

Sealed proposals for highway improvement contracts will be received by the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) until the date (s) shown below, and then publicly read.

CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE CONTRACT (S)

Contract 6075-34-001 for INSTALL NEW DRAINAGE CULVERT in FLOYD County will be opened on October 17, 2001 at 10:00 a.m. at the District Office for an estimate of \$ 26,695.00.

Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or District Offices listed below. Bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract (s) are available from TxDOT's website at www..dot.state.tx.us and from reproduction companies at the expense of the contractor. NPO: 4745

State Office

Construction Division 200 E. Riverside Dr. Austin, Texas 78704 Phone: 512-416-2540

District Office (s)

Lubbock District District Engineer 135 Slaton Lubbock, Texas 79404 Phone: 806-745-4411

Minimum wage rates are set out in bidding documents and the rates will be part of the contract. TxDOT ensures that bidders will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin.

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The County of Floyd has contracted with South Plains Association of Governments (SPAG) to handle the Redistricting process in Floyd County. Redistricting involves the process of implementing a change in a voting standard, practice or procedure. As a result of the changes in population shifts and Census, the County is required to redraw their precinct boundaries to consider population shifts and most importantly to provide equal access to the electoral process to persons on account of race, color, language and minority status in accordance with the Voting Rights Act of 1965. The Floyd County Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC), a demographically representative committee tasked with providing community input on the redistricting process, will meet to discuss the boundaries and to make recommendations to the Commissioners' Court.. This meeting is open to the public and will take place at 4:00 p.m. on Monday, September 24, 2001 in the Floyd County Courthouse.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Floydada Independent School District will accept sealed bids to purchase one (1) new 2002 Model Diesel Powered School Bus. The bids shall be in the Business Office at: 226 West California Street, Floydada, Texas 79235, no later than 3:00 p.m. October 9, 2001. Envelopes must be marked in lower left hand corner (Bus Bid).

Specifications may be obtained at the Administration Office at: 226 West California Street, Floydada, Texas 79235.

Floydada Independent School District reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids in the best interest of the Floydada Independent School District.

9-20, 9-27c

REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS

The Commissioners' Court of Floyd County is requesting proposals for the following insurance coverage, which is scheduled to expire on October 15, 2001.

> Property General Liability Auto Liability & Physical Damage Public Officials Liability Law Enforcement Liability Workers Compensation

Underwriting data can be reviewed from existing files in the County Clerk's Office between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Sealed proposals must be received in the County Judge's office, Floyd County Courthouse Room 105, Floydada, Texas 79235, by 10:00 a.m.. on Monday, October 8, 2001. Proposals will be opened and considered at the regular meeting at 10:00 a.m. on October 8, 2001.

Proposers must use unit pricing for each type of coverage. Floyd County will pay annual premiums. No bid bond is required.

Floyd County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals and/or negotiate items in proposals to best serve Floyd County's risk exposure needs and the right to waive all formalities.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT, FLOYD COUNTY, TX. BY: WILLIAM D. HARDIN, County Judge

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THE CLASSIFIEDS

Call 806-983-3737 or 806-652-3318 web site: http://www.texasonline.net/floydco

FISHING LEASE

FISHING LEASE--\$400.00 per year. Cogdell Irons Ranch - Matador, Texas. 806-983-3957 or 806-469-5003 after 6:00 8:00 - ??. Lots of everything.

FOR RENT OR LEASE

FOR SALE OR RENT--3 bedroom, 2 bath house. 812 S. Wall. Call 783-0742.

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GARAGE SALES

Floydada 130 W. OLLIE--Garage sale Saturday,

GARAGE SALE--Saturday - 121 J.B. Avenue. 7:00 a.m. - Noon. Kitchen items,

905 W. GEORGIA--Garage sale--Friday, September 21st. Beds, clothes, pool, toys. 9-20p

ESTATE GARAGE SALE--417 West Mississippi Street - Saturday, September 22nd - 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Lots of dishes, pots and pans, antiques, small appliances, refrigerator, dryer, what-nots, linens, some furniture, baby items and air conditioner. NO EARLY BIRDS!!

GARAGE SALE--505 W. Virginia--Thursday and Friday - 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Porch swing, kids swing, Barbie Dolls, colored TV, microwave, stereo and

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September 22, 2001 --- 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 203 W. Kentucky, Floydada

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> Are available at 111 E. Missouri Floydada 110 S. Main Lockney

Your Heart



Floydada for Lubbock Avalanche Journal. Great parttime \$\$ for someone willing to

get up early. Looking for honest, dependable person with good transportation. Call Customer Service 806-762-8855.

HELP WANTED

HOUSES FOR SALE

Floydada ZERO DOWN-ZERO CLOSING COSTS for qualified buyers on this large 3 bedroom and 2 bath home that has been remodeled. Priced below appraisal at \$52,950.00. Call Jones Enterprises at 983-

NICEST two bedroom home in Floydada. Recently remodeled and is perfect for single person, young couple or small family. Must see to appreciate. Call Jones Enterprises at 983-2151.

\$900.00 DOWN PAYMENT, owner will pay closing costs and payments less than \$250.00 per month. House is a 2-1-1 with new paint and carpet and corner lot location. Call Jones Enterprises at 983-2151.

REDUCED \$5,000! This brick home is a bargain at \$44,950.00. Can move in for around \$3,500.00. Don't let this one get away! Call Jones Enterprises at 983-2151.

FOR SALE OR RENT--114 J.B. Avenue 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, storage building. Central H/AC. 983-6456 or 983-2814

HOUSE FOR SALE--3 bedroom, 2 bath. Nice yard. Good neighborhood. Call 983-5660.

HOUSE FOR SALE--Unique two bedroom, 1 bath, livingroom, family room, basement, one car garage. 605 W. Kentucky. Call Corey at 771-5954. tfn

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HOUSES FOR SALE

NEW CARRIER NEEDED in **REAL NICE 2 bedroom, 2 bath, garage and large workshop on Marivena

**NEW LISTING on Houston Street. 3 bedroom, 1 bath.

**NICE 2 BEDROOM, one bath home on 1 acre, just north of Floydada on high-

ALL SHOWN BY APPOINTMENT---Call Sam Hale Insurance and Real Estate 806-983-3261.

603 W. MISSISSIPPI--3 bedroom, 2 bath, 3+ garage, large workshop, large den, corner lot. Completely updated throughout. Large shop area. \$79,950.00. Call Bill Kiser at Greg Garrett Realtors - 806-787-

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Lockney

FOR SALE--405 N.E. 2nd, Lockney--Nice brick 4 bedroom, 1.5 bath, attached garage, fenced in backyard, cellar. Reduced from \$40,000.00 to \$37,000.00. "Owner to help on closing cost." Barker Realty - 652-2642.

IN LOCKNEY, A REALLY NEAT HOME FOR SALE--Reduced from \$90,000.00 to \$87,000.00, basement, office, pool, 2 car garage, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, completely remodeled and ready to move in. 209 S.W. 3rd. Barker Realty -652-2642.

HOME FOR SALE BY OWNER--Excellent location. 2 blocks from Junior High. 2 bedroom, 1 bath. Call 652-8916.

LOTS FOR SALE

PROPERTY FOR SALE--701 W. Wilson, Lockney. \$1,500.00 - 293-2985 after

REDUCED!! LOT FOR SALE--\$1,000.00 negotiable. Driveway, improvements. Apogee Street. Call 983-3737 - day or 652-2552 - night.

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED--Golf cart. Must be reasonable. Call 652-3619.

FOR SALE--New twin beds, large refrigerator. 901 S. Garrison.

DO YOU NEED SOMEONE to do your ironing. Call 983-5755.

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17.8 ACRES PLUS HOUSE--3-1-2, large living area, 2 stora buildings, 3 wells. ---28.5 ACRES SOUTHWEST OF LOCKNEY -- City water, 4" well and

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Lockney. Tax appraised \$28,468.00.....PRICE.. \$19,500.00 ON PAVEMENT NEAR LOCKNEY--22.6 acres farmland with 4" submersible well. House with city water .--

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Double Glider \$235.00 Double Rocker\$165.00 Single Glider W. Table\$165.00 Single Rocker..... \$135.00

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- Exceptional 3 br 1 3/4 bath for large family located in the west part of town.
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-LOCKNEY-

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