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MOVING HISTORY--Lockney Elementary students participated in relocating the books from the old Lockney Library into the new Library last week. Thursday, December 6, the youngsters were brought from school to downtown Lockney and personally carried books down the Main Street block into the brand new Library. The experience helped each child take part in getting the community's library up and running quickly.



KIDS KORNER \$1000 FINAL DRAWING--President of Kid's Korner Day Care Center Board Laura Farris (left) and Board Member Denise Doucette are seen drawing the last 25 names on Monday at the First National Bank of Floydada. From the total of 75 names, J.M. Willson of Floydada won the \$1000 cash, along with gift certificates from Lowe's PayNSave in Lockney and from Texas In A Box in Floydada. Shelly Martinez won \$100 from Lockney Meat Market. Fred Zimmerman won two lunches from Azteca #1 in Floydada and Pat Franklin won a gift certificate from Heart's Desire in Lockney. Staff Photo



CANCER BRUNCH TO BE HELD--Wayland and Margaret Jones, at 905 W. Tennessee, will host the American Cancer Society Christmas Brunch on Monday, December 10th, between 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. Donations of \$7.50 per person will be taken at the door. Shown is Margaret Jones (second from left) receiving a hostess poinsettia (donated by Arwine's Flower Shop) from the local ACS Unit Board Members: (l-r) Jane McCulley, (Margaret Jones, hostess), Martha Lotspeich, and JoLynn Dean. Staff Photo

Community Christmas meal help needed

Donations of money, turkeys, and all the trimmings are needed for the community wide Christmas dinner.

The annual Yuletide feast, organized by Sudy Cochran and Fred Thayer, will serve hundreds of elderly and shut-ins on Christmas Day.

The dinner was first started by Sudy Cochran in 1990 to serve Floydada residents who were home alone on Christmas Day. The event has now expanded to serve all of Floyd County, surrounding counties, and the Ronald McDonald House in Lubbock and Amarillo.

Donations can be made at City Bank in the Spirit of Christmas account.

The meal will be prepared and served at the First United Methodist Church in Floydada. Lunch will be, for those who want to eat at the church, at 12:00 noon.

Volunteers who would like to donate their time to deliver food should be at the church by 10:30 a.m., Christmas Day.

Volunteers are also needed to cook and prepare the carry outs. If you would like to participate in this Christmas event please call Sudy at 983-5165, or Fred at 983-3121.

FHS students design downtown amphitheater

The Team Leadership Class at Floydada High School has taken an active role in the Floydada Chamber's beautification project. The youth have designed an outdoors amphitheater to be placed in a vacant lot east of the Floyd County Courthouse.

"This focus of this class is developing leadership and self confidence skills," said teacher Rita Kennedy. "The class came up with this idea to put their skills to work and they contacted Julie Duke with their ideas."

According to Kennedy the youth came up with the layout and plans for the amphitheater.

"We believe we will be able to get

grant money to help with the project," said Duke. "This project will turn an empty lot into a work of art. We will be able to use the outdoor theatre for plays, recitals, Punkin Days, Old Settlers, the chamber's Country Market in July and any other need the community may have."

The theatre will have a concrete foundation with sitting areas and landscaping.

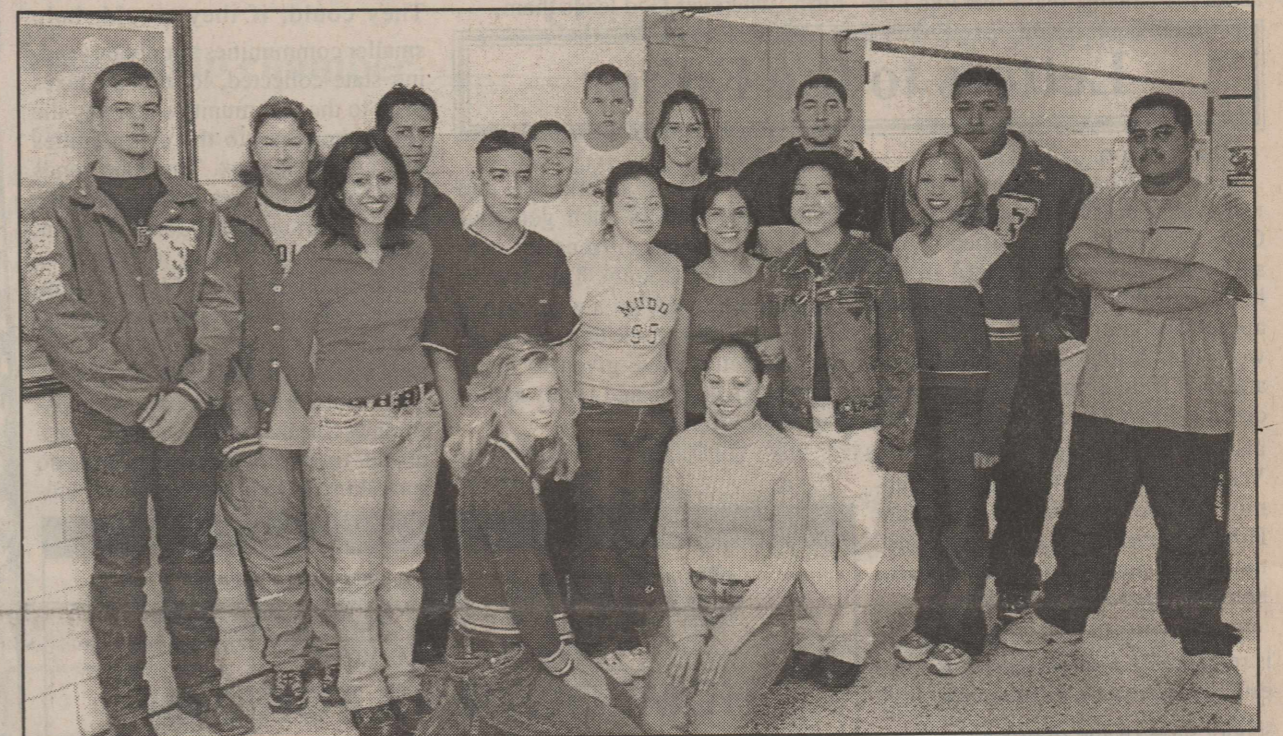
The beautification committee, an offshoot of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce, currently has a bank account at the First National Bank for anyone who would like to donate to the city's beautification projects.

The committee has already started work on a "Retro" theme for downtown Floydada. Signs on windows and murals on buildings are being painted to reflect the 30's, 40's, and 50's era.

The money for projects will come from grants, donations and free labor.

The Forestry Service is giving help in planting trees. People who would like to donate trees can purchase 30 trees from the Soil and Conservation Office for \$50.00.

"When we first started this beautification committee we said there were great opportunities for youth to work on community service for scholarship money." **Continued On Page 3**



FLOYDADA HIGH SCHOOL'S TEEN LEADERSHIP CLASS--(back row, l-r) Chad Hinkle, Amanda McHam, Alfredo Rodriguez, Trista Moreno, Jeff Gandy, Abby Sanders, Tye Wood, Frank Hernandez, Victor Juarez; (middle row, l-r) Annabell Baltierra, Isidro Juarez, Sonia Delgado, Jamie Johnston, Kim Reyes, Anqualita Perez; (kneeling, l-r) Maggie Hilburn and Dulce Coss. Staff Photo



SHOPPING AT HOME (SCHACHT'S GIFTS) DURING LOCKNEY'S HOLIDAY AFFAIR DECEMBER 6

Commissioners and Sheriff discuss "in the red" budget

By Darwin Robinson

The Floyd County Commissioners met Monday, December 10, and approved an amended motion to put license plates on a Sheriff's Department repossessed 1991 four wheel drive Chevrolet Blazer, with the restriction that no more money could be spent on the vehicle. In October, Floyd County Sheriff Royce Gilmore had made the same request, but was turned down by the commissioners at that time and it was suggested then that he sell the vehicle.

Commissioner Jon Jones made the amended motion, with the non-spending restriction, and Commissioner Craig Gilly seconded it. A previous

motion without the restriction had been made, and the vote was split 2 to 2 with Jones and Gilly voting for it and Commissioners Lennie Gilroy and Ray Nell Bearden voting against it. Floyd County Judge said he could not endorse that motion without the non-spending restriction.

Jones and Gilly voted in favor of the amended second motion, while Commissioners Lennie Gilroy and Ray Nell Bearden again voted against it. Floyd County Judge William D. Hardin broke the deadlock by voting in favor of the amended motion.

Judge Hardin said, "I am not in favor of spending any money on this motion without the restriction had been made, and the vote was split 2 to 2 with Jones and Gilly voting for it and Commissioners Lennie Gilroy and Ray Nell Bearden voting against it. Floyd County Judge said he could not endorse that motion without the non-spending restriction." **Continued On Page 3**

Sign-ups continue for local elections until January 2nd

Sign-ups continue for those interested in seeking public offices in Floyd County.

County Judge Bill Hardin, County Clerk Marilyn Holcomb, and District Judge Randy Hollums, have all declared their intentions to seek re-election on the Democratic ticket.

Incumbent Commissioner for Precinct 4, Jon Jones, has also filed his intentions to seek re-election on the Republican ticket.

Lindan Morris has signed up to run on the Democratic ticket for Commissioner Pct. #2.

County Treasurer Mary Shurbet will not seek re-election.

The County Attorney position is also up for election but at press time no one had filed to run.

Incumbent U.S. Rep. Mac Thornberry filed for reelection to the United States House of Representatives.

It was reported in last week's paper that the position of Criminal District Attorney was open. Although this is technically correct for areas who have Criminal District Attorneys, it does not apply to Becky McPherson who is the District Attorney in the 110th Judicial District.

McPherson is not a "Criminal" District Attorney and is therefore not up for re-election this year.

The deadline for filing is January 2.

Band Concerts

Floydada Schools will present their annual Christmas concert, December 16, at 2:30 in the High School auditorium. (More on page 6)

The Lockney School Band concert will be December 20, at 6:30 p.m. in the new gym.

Police now collecting Christmas toys for local charities

BY THE WAY



By
Alice Gilroy
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For those in Lockney who don't know already--it is true that Grace Fellowship Church will soon be closing its doors.

This is particularly sad for my family and I, because we were part of the founding members of that church.

We went from meeting in the home of Tim and Dee Thompson to the back of the Lockney Beacon office (which was housed in what had been the Energas office). The membership grew quickly and soon enabled us to buy the whole building.

Those growing days were exciting for us. However, over the years the same economy that is hurting the larger churches really put the crunch on this small church. Finances and fiscal responsibility have brought about the decision to close.

Obviously we don't want to close--but we know it is for the best.

The church doesn't stop, of course--we just move on to other ministries. I'm excited to see where God is going to put me and the other members.

There are moments, when I think about the closing, that I feel like I let

God down. But then I remember the Baptisms, the charity work and the wide variety of people this church has ministered to over the years.

I know this church filled a need in the community of Lockney. There were many members over the years that were comfortable in Grace Fellowship Church that had never been to church before or whose past had made them feel they wouldn't be welcome anywhere.

I saw changes in lots of people. I know when they moved away from us, they became regular church goers wherever they went because they now knew Jesus welcomed them anywhere, anytime, in any shape or form.

I was ministered to by Grace Fellowship and I will never forget the people who have been a part of it.

Founders Keith Jackson and Charlie and Norene Elam will always be particular favorites of mine. Keith has gone on to his favorite place (Heaven), but the work he was a part of starting will go on in the members who "go forth" wherever God leads them.

A view from

The Lamplighter

By Ken Towery
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We went over to Hale's department store the other day and commiserated for a while with Bill Hale, the son of Walt who started the business many years ago. The Hales are in the process of closing out an institution that has been part of this community for more than half a century.

It's a sad event, one Bill clearly didn't relish. The thing that bothers him most, Bill said, is the effect their closing will have on the community. Clearly that can't be good, He (and everybody there) is cognizant of that fact. Still, what has to be, has to be. The bottom line has to be met. The Wal-Marts of this world can be resisted only so long by independent businessmen in small communities. With their tremendous corporate buying power, with their own transportation systems operating over tax supported highways, with political clout that often translates into tax breaks (it is not much talked about, but Hillary Rodham Clinton was a member of the Board of Directors for Arkansas based Wal-Mart while her husband was Governor of Arkansas), the huge retailing chains have a decided advantage over smaller, independent businesses.

So we lose another clothing retailer who, like Brown's in Lockney, offered local buyers something extra in the way of quality products.

This may not be the place, or the time, to say it, but we will say again that politicians who call the shots in the Texas Legislature ought to revisit the sales tax structure in this state. They could, if they would, help smaller communities simply by sending state-collected, local sales taxes back to the communities that pay the tax, rather than to the communities that collect the tax. The state sends back (or did, the last time we checked the facts) around \$100 for every man, woman and child living in Plainview, while communities in Floyd County receive about one third that amount. And Hale Center, which is Pete Laney's hometown, gets even less. One would think Laney, from his position as Speaker of the House of Representatives, could, and would, do something to help smaller communi-

ties, but the politics of the situation say no. Most of the votes are in larger communities. Laney depends on the votes of Representatives from those larger communities for his position as Speaker, which he wants very much. He would be politically foolish to alienate House members on whose votes he depends, and Pete is not politically foolish.

Still, folks who live in smaller communities are not without weapons in the fight for survival. The personal services aspect of local businesses cannot be matched by anyone in the chain store business. And a dollar spent at home helps those communities where the dollar is spent. It helps the local government fund police and repair city streets, it helps fund, in a roundabout way, the schools, and all those other services funded by local community governments. A dollar spent at Wal-Mart in Plainview helps fund city services in Plainview. A dollar spent in Floyd County helps communities in Floyd County. It's just that simple.

For many years at this paper, we had a ritual of writing at least one column each year in which we urged support of local merchants. After one such column, our editor was approached by one reader who asked, "Why is your dad always on Wal-Mart's back?" She pointed out that she shopped at Wal-Mart "all the time." The funny thing

about that story, if there is anything funny about it, is that the lady in question worked in a tax supported entity, and her entire salary came from people who paid her salary, and the bills to keep this county operational.

There are times, obviously, when it is necessary to look elsewhere for items that are not stocked locally. (And sometimes it is a matter where the potential shopper merely assumes the product is not available locally,

simply because the merchant neglects to advertise his wares.

In that case the merchant is more to blame for lost sales than the customer, or the potential customer.)

We understand that in the natural order of things there are beginnings and endings. Everything, including the weather, changes. Sometimes the change is good. Sometimes it is welcome. Sometimes the change is bad, but necessary. Sometimes it is unwelcome. This is one of those times.

Courtroom Activities

In County Court Dec. 6:
Erma Dean Carver, 34, of Shallowater, was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case.

Roberto Gonzales Jr., 33, of Floydada, was charged with DWI. There was no disposition on this case.

Librado Palacios Jr., 18, of Floydada, was charged with Possession of Marijuana. There was no disposition on this case.

Benny Terrell, 18, of Floydada, was charged with Possession of Marijuana. There was no disposition on this case.

Celestino Villarreal, 17, of Lorenzo, was charged with Possession of Marijuana. There was no disposition on

this case.
Cruz Zavala, 21, of Floydada, was charged with Possession of Marijuana. There was no disposition on this case.

On December 11, 2001 the following people were charged with Theft by Check Equal to or more Than \$20.00 but less than \$500:

April Aguirre, of Amarillo; Angie Bueno, of Floydada; Jody Bueno, of Lubbock; Patty Castillo, of Plainview; Scott Chatman, of Floydada; Patricia Daugherty, of Matador; Maria Galvan, of Lubbock; Karen McKinney, of Shallowater; Michael Roberts, of Plainview; and Maria Rodriguez, of Plainview.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,
Your newspaper assisted several members of the Floydada High School Class of 1966 to be notified of our summer class reunion held in our home in Lubbock. We thank you and appreciate your help in getting the word out. A total of 35 of the class attended from South Plains towns including Floydada and Lubbock, but also as far away as Tyler, Clovis, Vernon, Amarillo, Welch, San Antonio, Bryan, Clossom, Allen, Cedar Hill, and Petersburg. Joe Cox traveled the longest distance to attend from his home in Harrison, Tennessee.

The closeness of our particular class is remarkable. Life-long friends were established during those unique high school days of the drag and the dips in Floydada. The Hesperian was then and remains a wonderful communication line for many of us. We appreciate your paper being on-line as I am sure many others do.

Thank You,
Spike & Camilla (Nash)
Wideman
Lubbock, TX

Happy Holidays!

Dear Editor,
I would like to thank Jim and Denise Doucette for their generous contributions to the citizens of Lockney and Floyd County. The new library facilities will be a nice change for children and adults to experience. The Doucettes have given to many efforts such as this, and I truly appreciate their efforts.

Sincerely,
Phil Cotham

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William D. Hardin has announced he will seek re-election as County Judge, subject to the March 12, 2002 Democratic Primary. In announcing his re-election bid, Hardin expressed his appreciation to the citizens of Floyd County for the confidence and support they have placed in him.

"If re-elected, I pledge to serve the people in a faithful and impartial performance of the duties of this office to the best of my ability."

Political ad paid for by candidate

I have filed my intention to seek re-election to the office of Pct. 4 County Commissioner, subject to the March 12, 2002 Republican Primary.

I appreciate the past support given to me by my constituents in Pct. 4, and I look forward to continually serving you.

Jon Jones

Political ad paid for by the candidate

To file in the Republican Party primary for local office, contact Kerry Pratt, 983-3961, or 983-1026. Deadline is January 2nd.

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Commissioners and Sheriff discuss budget

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Sheriff Gilmore told the commissioners, "I don't plan on putting any new tires on this vehicle, nor spending a whole lot of money on it."

Judge Hardin reiterated, "Let me tell you, I am not in favor of spending any money on it, except for the gasoline to run it. What will you be doing with it?"

Sheriff Gilmore said, "It could be used in bad weather and sometimes we need an unmarked vehicle when we work some drug cases. Now we are having to use our personal vehicles for that."

Commissioner Gilroy asked, "Will you need to put a police radio in it, and what money are you talking about?"

Sheriff Gilmore responded, "I don't know whether the alternator or the power steering is making the noise when we crank it up. It has over 170,000 miles on it and we have had it since March of this year."

Commissioner Gilroy said, "Sheriff, one of the problems we have been discussing here and I am not sure you are aware of it, or not. If you don't know, we want to make you aware of it. Do you realize you were \$10,000 over your budget last year and you are already about \$8,000 over this (fiscal) year?"

Sheriff Gilmore responded, "I know that."

Judge Hardin asked, "Let us take this (over the budget spending) one

step farther. What or how are you going to do this, and are you going to try to get within your budget?"

Sheriff Gilmore answered, "Judge, I am trying, but I think most of this is in the wages. The jail has been full, but right now we are not."

Judge Hardin said, "The month of November you spent \$1500 for groceries. The salaries of the dispatchers is a big item."

Sheriff Gilmore said, "I am not using the deputies (on overtime) as dispatchers any more. The dispatchers have to work some overtime, because I don't have the people to do it. Most of it is on Saturdays from 3 p.m to 11 p.m. That is where I am short handed. So some of the dispatchers had to work this overtime and some jailers had to work overtime because I did not have any one else. One of my jailers quit Sunday."

Judge Hardin said, "The biggest part of last year you went to two dispatchers and used relief workers. This year we have moved the money from the relief workers to the dispatchers (work), and now you have four dispatchers."

Sheriff Gilmore responded, "I think I have spent some on vehicles. I have one that has over 200,000 miles and the transmission is acting up again and we already have put a pump in it."

Commissioner Gilroy said, "Sheriff, I don't mind telling you. I think everyone of us (the commissioners) have cut back a man. I used to have four, now I have three. You may have

to consider cutting back a deputy. Do you want to say anything about that while you are here today?"

Sheriff Gilmore said, "I guess we will answer the calls when we can and we will do the best we can."

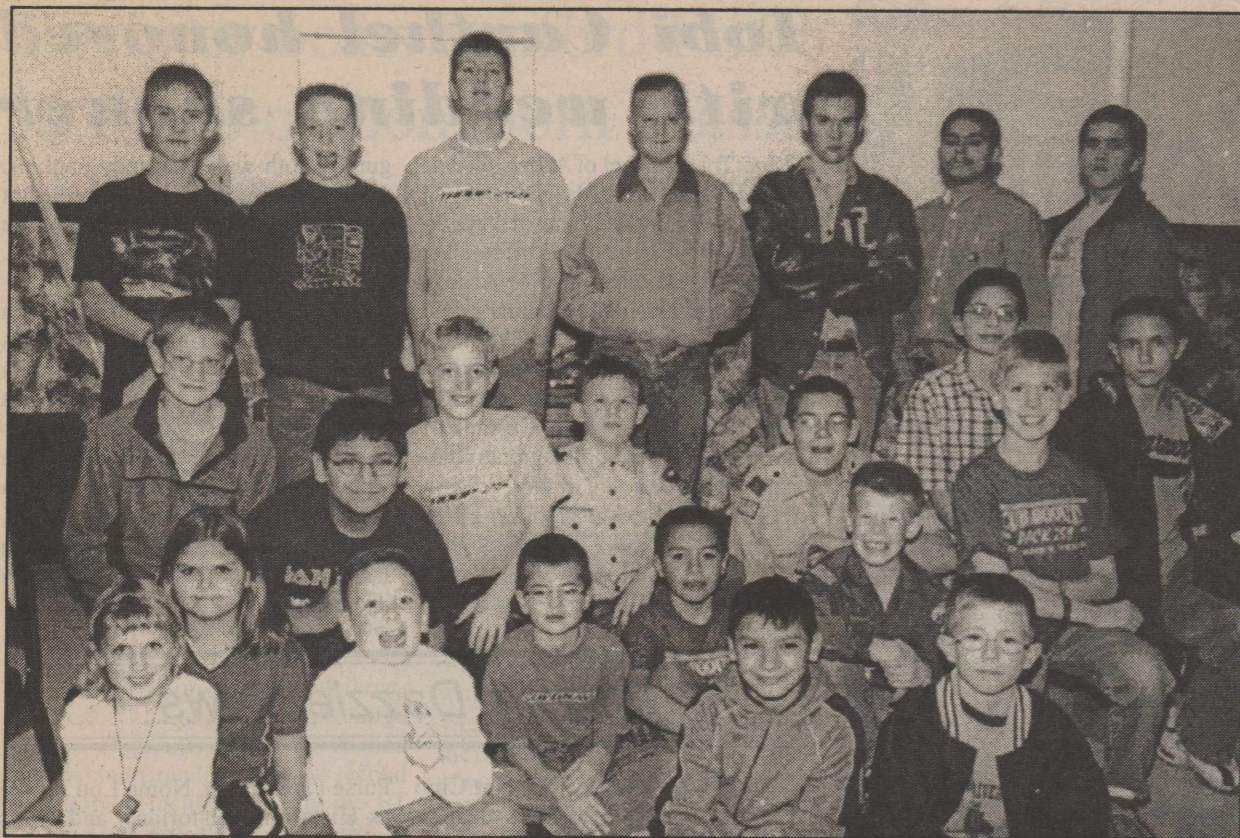
In other matters, the commissioners unanimously accepted a bid of \$1,210 from Keith Reeves for the purchase of a 1966 Ford pickup by Precinct No. 1. Gilly made the motion to accept the bid and it was seconded by Jones.

Two farm contracts were unanimously approved by the commissioners. Both were in Precinct No. 3. One was by Marty Covington for cleaning a pit for stock water about 15 miles northeast of Floydada and the other was by Jay Lackey for digging a pit for stock water about 20 miles northeast of Floydada.

Several budget amendments were approved by the commissioners and \$20,000 was approved to be transferred from the Road and Bridge Fund to the four precincts at \$5,000 each.

Gilroy made the motion to reappoint Terri Wyatt as the County Court Reporter at a salary of \$33,840 per year. Jones seconded the motion and it was unanimously approved.

County Treasurer Mary Shurbet presented the commissioners with the November Financial Report. The Beginning Balance was \$525,291.90 and Receipts were \$402,216.50. Transfers In and Out were \$245,703.68 and \$439,406.70 was Disbursed, leaving an Ending Balance of \$475,276.49.



SCOUTS COLLECT CANNED FOODS--Lockney Boy Scout Troop 259 (some Scouts shown here) were out in force Saturday, December 8th, to collect canned food from Lockney citizens. The food was taken to the Salvation Army in Lockney. The Scouts collected 3,571 pounds of food. Of that 1,406 came from the school (collected at the Health Fair and from students) and 1,969 was collected around town. Floydada Scout Troop 357 (no picture available) collected 1,300 pounds of food.



REFLECTIONS OF LOVE BASKETS READY FOR DELIVERY--Last week young people from the Alternative School in Floydada (shown in picture with other volunteers at the First United Methodist Church in Floydada) helped deliver over 90 baskets donated to the elderly and needy in Floyd County. All the schools were very helpful in gathering items for these "baskets of love." Donations and donated items are still being collected for another delivery before Christmas. For more information call Dalia Arvizu, 983-3134; Sudy Cochran, 983-5156; Thelma Martinez, 983-3988, Fred Thayer, 983-3121; or Nellie Riojas, 983-5701. Staff Photo

Youth help chamber

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ships," said Duke. "These kids from the Team Leadership Class are doing just that. They saw a need and they went right to work. I'm hoping the community will get behind them and support their endeavors."

Shop Locally for Christmas!

Marilyn Holcomb has announced she will seek re-election as County Clerk, subject to the March 12, 2002 Democratic Primary.

"I would like to thank the citizens of Floyd County for their past support and look forward to serving you in the future."

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There are lots of local charities to help out this Christmas!



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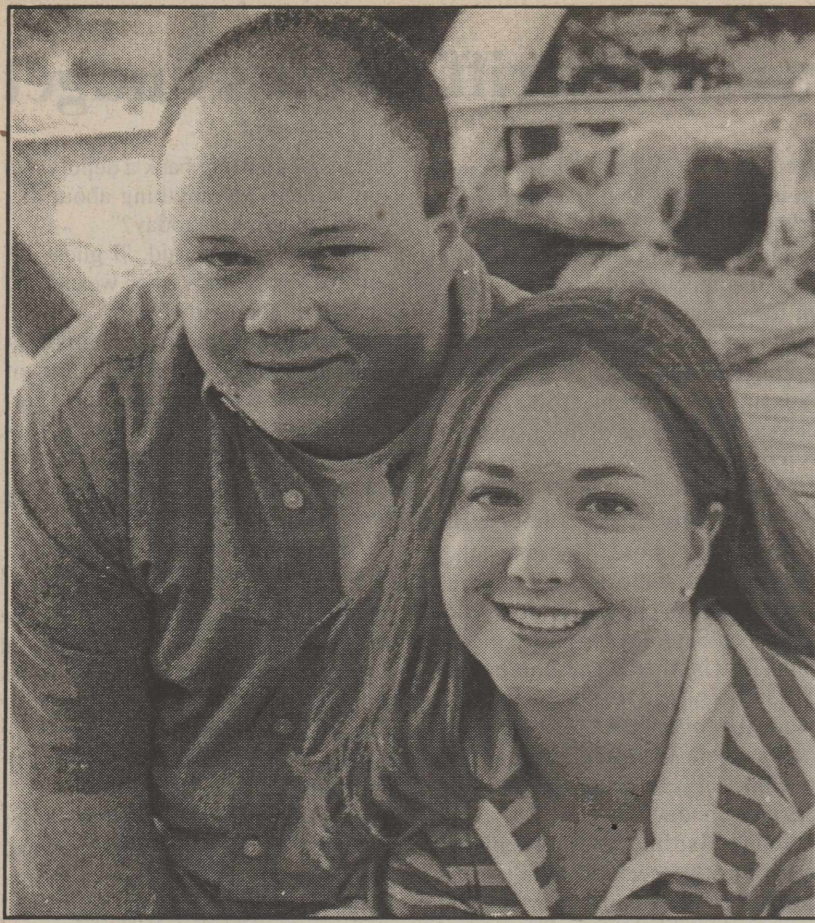
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If you have any information regarding a veteran who may qualify for the Floyd County Monument or need additional information, please contact Skyler or Julianne Cornelius at (806) 983-2982 or e-mail at ecornelius@niinet.net, or 906 W. Houston, Floydada, TX 79235.

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JALIE ROBNETT AND MATTHEW CRAWFORD

Robnett and Crawford

Jalie Mashell Robnett and Matthew John Crawford are pleased to announce their engagement and upcoming marriage. The bride-elect is the daughter of Carla Robnett of Dallas and Buddie and Lynn Robnett of Odessa. The groom is the son of Johnny and Patty Crawford of Mobeetie.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Lockney High School. She is currently attending Wayland Baptist University in Plainview where she is employed by the bookstore.

The groom is a graduate of Hollis High School, and attended Wayland Baptist University where he received a Bachelor of Arts in Religion. He is employed as the youth minister at First Baptist Church in Matador.

The couple plan a January 5, 2002 wedding in the First Baptist Church of Matador.

Floyd County Lifestyles



DAY CARE REPRESENTATIVES AT FINAL DRAWING-Sitting at the table and observing the final drawing for the Kid's Korner Day Care Center fund-raiser were: (table back row, l-r) Alfonzo Mendoza, Nicole Burns, Marqui Morales; (table front row, l-r) Kyi Baker, Macee Brotherton; Teachers (l-r) Beverly Collins and Aurora Johnston.

Staff Photo

Floydada Senior Citizen News

By: Margarette Word

The center is open Monday through Friday. If you are 60 years or older this center is for you. Lunch is served starting at 11:30 a.m. The center is located at 301 E. Georgia. Phone number is 983-2032.

Flora McNeill recently returned home from a bus tour with 46 people vacationing in Branson, Missouri. They were gone six days.

Alton and Sue Higginbotham of Jacksonville, Arkansas, were here last week visiting his mother, Ruby Lee Higginbotham, who is in Covenant Hospital Rehab. They also visited Sue's mother, Nell McClung and other relatives.

J.W. Gilbreath recently has been in the hospital. He is at home improving.

Jo Davis had back surgery again. She is in Amarillo.

Hollis Payne is in the hospital. Our sympathy to the family of Doc Botkin.

Guy Garrison and Francis Gunter went last week to Amarillo so that Guy could have some tests at Veterans Hospital.

We want to "thank" the Good Sams Travel Club for their generous donation to the center. We do appreciate it so much.

Thought for the Week:
Four Things

Four things a man must learn to do, if he would make his record true; To think without confusion clearly; To love his fellow man sincerely; To act from honest motives, purely; To trust in God and heaven securely.
Henry Van Dyke

Menu for December 17 - 21

Monday - Lemon chicken, rice, green beans, sliced tomatoes, wheat roll, chocolate cake.

Tuesday - Oven fried fish, baby limas, carrots, coleslaw, cornbread, oranges & bananas, tartar sauce.

Wednesday - Brisket, scalloped potatoes, fried okra, pickles, wheat roll, apricot cobbler.

Thursday - Beef pot pie, Italian vegetable or zucchini, tossed salad/Italian, garlic bread, banana pudding.

Friday - Meatloaf, corn, spinach, tossed salad/French, hot roll, frosted spice cake.

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Matthew Curtis Jones was born December 6, 2001 at Covenant Methodist Hospital. He weighed in at 8 pounds, 1 ounce and was 21 inches long.

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grandchild of Philip and Jo Wilbanks of Floydada.

ARELLANO
Justo and Rosie Arellano wish to announce the birth of a baby girl. San Jaunita Elena Arellano was born December 4, 2001 in Lubbock. She weighed 7 pounds and was 19 3/4 inches long.

She has four brothers, Joe, James, Isaac and Elijah.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Barrientos Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Arellano, all of Floydada.

DAR Buffalo Chapter

The DAR Buffalo Chapter's November 27 meeting was cancelled due to the weather. The next meeting will be December 18 in the home of Vera Jo Bybee at 6:30 in Lockney.

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Miss Tobi Carthel of Arlington was honored with a bridal shower on November 10 in the home of Vera Jo Bybee. Miss Carthel is the bride-elect of Brian Rosencranz also of Arlington. They are to marry January 5 in Burleson.

Special guests were the betrothed couple's mothers, Rita Rosencranz of Knox City and Jo Ann Carthel of Lockney; and the couple's grandmothers, Mervean Carthel, Ann McCormick and Val Cooper, all of Lockney.

The serving table was covered with a white lace table cloth over a bur-

gundy cloth with burgundy napkins. A silver service was used to serve hot tea and coffee. Refreshments were sandwiches, cookies and fruit kabobs.

The hostess gift was a mirror and a wine cooler. Sharing hostess duties were Nancy Jane Henderson, Robin Stoerner, Wanda Smith, Virginia Stapp, Dorothy Stapp, Heather Golden, Barbara Mathis, Barbara Cunyus, Becky McPherson, Cynthia Stoerner, Rene Hrbacek, Kay Martin, Jinna Turner, Donna Burnett, De Lisa Isom, Lori Hendricks, Anita Bigham and Monica Smith.

Razzle Dazzle News

The Razzle Dazzle Red Hat Club of Floyd County held their meeting December 6 at the Skyview Restaurant in Lubbock. A large group of members and guests, in their purple dresses and red hats, met for lunch, fun and fellowship to entertain themselves and other diners.

Special guest was Margaret Webb, Queen Mother of the Lubbock Red Hat Club. She crowned Virginia Taylor as the Queen Mother of the Razzle Dazzle Club, who then dubbed Elaine McNeill as Princess Joy (Sunshine), Beth Faulkenberry as Keeper of the

Purse (Treasurer), Noma Lou Rainer as Historian (Historian), and Doris McLain as Sergeant of the Gloves (Parliamentarian). Virginia presented each one present with a poem and Christmas card of herself, fully dressed in required attire, and a hand-crocheted snowflake tree ornament.

After a delicious buffet lunch, many members toured the Caprock Winery south of Lubbock.

Hostesses for this event were Meda Ruth Watts, Sherri Smith and Lodema Thomas.

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It's not too late to have gifts monogrammed, but hurry in soon.

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Saturday 10:00 until 2:00

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Lockney

Lockney beats Sanford Fritch in finals of Longhorn Classic

The Lockney Longhorns knocked off previously unbeaten Sanford-Fritch by the score of 43-36 on Saturday night in the championship game of the 2001 Longhorn Classic. The Longhorns advanced to the finals by beating Clarendon, Spur, and Lubbock Roosevelt.

In the opening game on Thursday morning, Lockney jumped ahead of Clarendon early with outstanding defense and hot shooting from behind the three-point line. The Longhorns led 38-18 at the half as they made 6 of 9 three pointers in the first half. Wade Miller and Todd Cotham both had two each, and Emmanuel Ramirez and Kirk Wilson also added three-pointers. The Longhorns kept a large lead throughout most of the second half behind Brandon Alvis' 14 second half points (including 6-6 at the FT line). Alvis led all scorers with 20 points, Wade Miller chipped in 12, and Kirk Wilson added 11 as the Longhorns advanced by the score of 65-51.

The win sent the Longhorns into the quarterfinals to face Spur. Lockney was tied with Spur after one quarter at 15 to 15. Lockney steadily increased its lead throughout the rest of the game and won by the score of 69-56. Lockney steadily increased its lead throughout the rest of the game and won by the score of 69-56. Lockney was led in scoring by Wade Miller who pumped in 20 points. Brandon Alvis scored 17 in the first half, but sat out the second half with a sore foot. Kirk Wilson added 11 points for Lockney. Freshman Marcos Ascencio stepped in and played a great game for the injured Alvis and scored 9 points and pulled down 5 rebounds for Lockney.

The win against Spur put Lockney into the semi-finals to face Lubbock Roosevelt. Lockney opened the game with an 18-6 spurt. The run was led by Todd Cotham's 7 points and Brandon Alvis' 6 points. Roosevelt answered with a 9-0 run to cut the lead to 18-15 at the end of the 1st quarter. Lockney outscored Roosevelt 22-20 in the second quarter as Wade Miller scored 10 of his 16 points including 8-11 from the foul line. Lockney led 40-35 at the half, but increased their lead to 57-48 entering the final period.

Mark Ford led Lockney with 8 of his 15 points in the quarter. During the fourth quarter, Roosevelt was scrambling and trying to face turnovers which led to many fouls. Lockney made good on 9 of 13 free throws in the final quarter and finished by outscoring Roosevelt 23-19. Lockney was led in scoring again by Brandon Alvis who scored 25 points on the night, including 7-8 from the free throw line. The Longhorns scored 28 points at the line on 36 attempts. The 80-67 win pushed Lockney into the finals to play the Sanford-Fritch Eagles.

Sanford-Fritch came into the game with a 10-0 record and had beaten Wellington and Hale Center to earn their way to the finals. Lockney played aggressive defense on their taller opponents and rebounded the ball extremely well in the first half. The first quarter was close, but Lockney led 9-8 with all 9 points coming from Brandon Alvis. During the second quarter, Lockney began to find its range and outscored S-Fritch 12-4 and led by the score of 21-12 at the half. Both teams played excellent defense, and easy baskets were hard to come by. Sanford-Fritch made a small 11-7 run in the third quarter and cut the Lockney lead to 28-23 with :04 seconds left in the quarter. Freshman Mark Ford found Wade Miller behind the 3-point line and Miller drained a 25-footer as time expired to give Lockney a 31-23 lead going into the fourth quarter. Fritch could get no closer than 7 points the rest of the way, and Lockney finished with a 43-36 win to earn the championship. The Longhorns were led again by Alvis' 22 points.

Brandon Alvis was selected as the tournament MVP, and Wade Miller and Kirk Wilson were selected to the all-tournament team. The win marked the first time that Lockney has won

the boys division of their own tournament. The win moves Lockney's record to 11-3 on the season. They will begin district play on Dec. 18th at Friona.

SPORTS

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Lockney Lady Horns win big in Nazareth Tournament

LADY HORNS 53 GODLEY 48

The Lockney Lady Horns traveled to compete in the Nazareth Tournament on November 28 and won their first game by a score of 53-48.

Leading scorer for this game was Jenna Ford with 16 points. She also had 2 assists, 2 rebounds and 5 steals.

Laci Shumacher scored 9 points in the game along with 5 rebounds.

Jalee Dietrich ended the game with 7 points, 2 assists and 13 huge rebounds.

Vanessa Walker also scored 7 points. She added 1 assist, 2 rebounds and 3 steals.

Jane Hrbacek sank 5 points. She had 5 assists, 1 rebound and 1 steal.

Leslie Cuellar added 4 points to the scoreboard along with 8 big rebounds, 1 steal and 1 blocked shot.

Ashlie Cuellar scored 2 points and had 1 rebound and 1 steal.

Also scoring 2 points was Kara Hrbacek along with 1 rebound.

Rounding out the scoring was April Dorman with 1 point along with 1 rebound.

Ashley Brock also contributed to the win with 2 rebounds and 2 steals.

SCORES BY QUARTERS
 Lockney 14 8 11 20
 Godley 11 12 8 17

LADY HORNS 45 FARWELL 45

In their second game of the Nazareth Tournament, the Lockney Lady Horns faced Farwell and the game ended in a 45-45 tie.

Scoring in double digits and leading the scoring was Jenna Ford with 17 points. She also had 2 assists, 4 rebounds and 2 steals.

Also scoring in double digits was Leslie Cuellar with 11 points. She had 1 assist, 8 rebounds and 1 steal.

Vanessa Walker scored 5 points in the game along with 2 assists, 3 rebounds and 5 steals.

Also scoring 5 points was Jalee Dietrich. She had 1 assist and 6 rebounds.

Jane Hrbacek ended the game with 5 points along with 2 assists, 1 rebound and 1 steal.

Laci Schumacher rounded out the night with 2 points. She also had 1 assist, 3 rebounds and 1 steal.

April Dorman ended the night with 2 rebounds.

Ashlie Cuellar had 2 rebounds.

Kara Hrbacek contributed with 3 rebounds and 1 steal.

Vanessa Luebano ended the game with 2 rebounds.

Ashley Brock contributed with 1 rebound.

SCORES BY QUARTERS
 Lockney 10 12 10 9
 Farwell 14 12 11 8

LADY HORNS 60 SUNDOWN 46

In their third game of the Nazareth Tournament, the Lady Horns were victorious over Sundown by a score of 60-46.

Having a huge game was Jenna Ford as she scored 23 points. She had 5 assists, 2 rebounds, 6 steals and 1 blocked shot.

Vanessa Walker also scored in double digits with 10 points. She added 2 assists, 2 rebounds and 5 steals.

April Dorman added 6 points to the scoreboard along with 1 assist, 1 rebound and 1 steal.

Scoring 5 points for the Lady Horns was Laci Schumacher. She added 1 assist, 4 rebounds and 1 steal.

Jane Hrbacek ended the game with 4 points, 4 assists and 2 rebounds.

Leslie Cuellar added 4 points to the scoreboard along with 2 assists and 6 rebounds.

Adding 2 points was Jalee Dietrich. She also had 3 rebounds and 1 steal.

Ashlie Cuellar ended the night with 2 points.

Also scoring 2 point was Kara Hrbacek. She also had 1 rebound.

Ashley Brock added 2 points to the win along with 2 assists, 1 rebound and 1 steal.

Kara Hrbacek ended the night with 1 rebound.

SCORES BY QUARTERS
 Lockney 16 15 14 17
 Sundown 13 13 7 13



ISABELL VILLARREAL

Villarreal of Lockney receives certificate

Isabell Villarreal, formerly from Lockney, has successfully completed a Continuing Education course entitled Phlebotomy at Amarillo College on November 29, 2001.

She graduated from LHS two years ago and now has earned her Certificate of Completion in Phlebotomy.

Villarreal is continuing to get her nursing degree from Amarillo College in Healthcare Education.

Lockney Junior High and High School Holiday Release Schedule
 December 20--Buses Run at 2:30
 December 21--Buses Run at 12:00

Lockney 8th Grade Boys Basketball Report

8th GRADE: December 3, 2001.
 Lockney - 31 Scoring totals were: Dahlen
 Hale Center - 17 McCarter, 6; Brance Wilson, 12; John
 The 8th grade boys basketball team Vasquez, 2; Trevor Morris, 4 and
 won over Hale Center in a game held Landon Cotham, 7.

Lockney 7th Grade Boys Basketball Report

7th GRADE: Scoring for Lockney were: Ky
 Lockney - 27 Reagan, 2; Jon Sherman, 6; Manuel
 Hale Center - 25
 The 7th grade boys basketball team defeated Hale Center December 3, 2001. Fierros, 2; Jordan Elam, 6; Tyler Kidd, 3 and Brittan Golden, 8.

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LOCKNEY LITTLE LONGHORNS-(back row, l-r) Kenzie Gibson, Walker Kemp, Cynthia Zavala, Daryn McCarther, Heather Brock, Tucker Sherman; (middle row, l-r) Mercedes Aday, Lacie Nunico, Candy Rea, Mathew Rendon, Katalina Araujo, Christopher Hinojosa, Stoney Newberry, Quinn Jackson; (front row, l-r) Tanisha Peralez, David Johnson, Susie Salas, Kameron Hunt, Lizette Casaros. Staff Photo

Lockney School Menu

December 17-21	real, toast, juice, milk
Monday	Lunch - Turkey w/gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli, peaches, hot rolls, milk
Breakfast - Donut or cereal, toast, juice, milk	
Lunch - Lasagna or corndog, tossed salad, mixed fruit, green beans, Italian bread, milk	
Tuesday	Breakfast - French toast or cereal, toast, juice, milk
Breakfast - Ham or cereal, toast, juice, milk	
Lunch - Pig in a blanket or grilled cheese, pinto beans, corn, pears, cornbread, milk	
Wednesday	Breakfast - Cinnamon roll or cereal, toast, juice, milk
Breakfast - Breakfast pizza or cereal, toast, juice, milk	
Lunch - Sack lunch	

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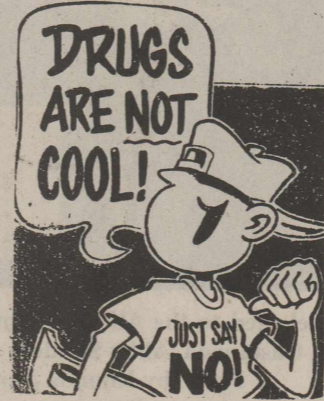
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Whirlwinds play in annual Floydada Classic Tournament

WHIRLWINDS 61 RALLS 54
The Floydada Whirlwinds played the Ralls Jackrabbits in their first game of the Floydada Classic Tournament held on November 29 - December 1. They came out victorious in the game by a score of 61-54.

Bryce Bowley led the Whirlwinds as he scored in double digits with 18 points. He also had 1 assist, 9 rebounds and 1 steal.

Adam Zapeda had a double-double for the game with 14 points and 10 rebounds along with 2 assists and 2 steals.

Brady Rainwater added 8 points to the scoreboard and had 7 rebounds, 1 assist and 4 steals.

Also scoring 8 points in the game was Luke Miller. He added 1 assist, 6 rebounds and 2 steals.

Gerald Henderson ended the game with 8 points, 1 assist and 4 rebounds. Dustin Covington scored 3 points and had 3 assists, 2 rebounds and 1 steal.

Rounding out the scoring for the Whirlwinds was Ross Bennett with 2 points. He added 1 rebound and 2 steals.

David Rodriguez contributed to the win with 2 assists and 2 rebounds.

Danny Diaz finished the night with 2 rebounds and 1 steal.

SCORE BY QUARTERS
Floydada 6 24 15 16
Ralls 6 16 17 15

WHIRLWINDS 33 CROSBYTON 39

The Whirlwinds played the Crosbyton Chiefs in their second game of the tournament on November 30 and came out on the short end by a score of 39-33.

Brady Rainwater had a great game and led the Whirlwinds as he scored 23 points. He had 5 rebounds, 2 assists and 1 steal.

Daniel Ochoa added 7 points to the scoreboard along with 2 assists, 4 rebounds and 5 big steals.

Dustin Covington hit 6 points and

added 2 assists and 2 rebounds.

Gerald Henderson also ended the game with 6 points and had 2 assists, 4 rebounds and 1 steal.

Bryce Bowley added 2 points along with 5 rebounds.

Also scoring 2 points was Adam Zapeda. He had 4 rebounds and 3 steals.

David Rodriguez ended the night with 2 points and also had with 1 rebound and 1 steal.

Luke Miller contributed 5 rebounds and 3 steals.

Ross Bennett ended the game with 3 rebounds and 1 steal.

SCORE BY QUARTERS
Floydada 10 16 10 12
Crosbyton 16 12 15 14

WHIRLWINDS 58 SMYER 60

The Floydada Whirlwinds ended the tournament by playing Smyer on December 1st and lost a close one by a score of 60-58.

Leading the Whirlwinds was Adam Zapeda with 14 points along with 3 rebounds.

Dustin Covington had a good game as he scored in double digits with 10 points. He also had 3 assists, 5 rebounds and 1 steal.

Brady Rainwater added 8 points along with 1 assist, 6 rebounds and 1 steal.

Gerald Henderson ended the game with 7 points along with 5 rebounds, 1 assist and 2 steals.

Scoring 6 points in the game was Bryce Bowley along with 3 assists and 1 rebound.

Luke Miller sank 4 points and had 1 assist, 3 rebounds and 2 steals.

Rounding out the scoring was Matt Kirk with 2 points.

Ross Bennett contributed with 1 assist, 2 rebounds and 2 steals.

David Rodriguez also ended the game with 1 rebound.

SCORE BY QUARTERS
Floydada 24 15 8 11
Smyer 9 15 19 17

SPORTS

Floydada Christmas Band concert Sunday

By: John Odum

This Sunday afternoon, December 16, at 2:30, the Floydada Schools will present their annual Christmas band concert. Participating in the concert will be the Sixth Grade Beginner Band, the Junior High Seventh and Eighth Grade Intermediate Band, Junior High UIL Band, and the High School Band. The bands are under the direction of Band Directors John M. Odum and George James.

The Sixth Grade Band will perform three selections which include "Beethoven's Ninth," "Parade of the Bells" and "Jing-A-Ling Bells." The Sixth Grade Band is made up of two different classes. They are the woodwind class and the brass class. This will only be the second time this year that they will perform together. The next band to perform will be the seventh and eighth grade Intermediate Band. This group will play "Christmas Chimes, Jingle Bells and Santa Comes Marching In", and the UIL Band will perform "Winter Wonderland", "Christmas Angels" and "Jingle Bell Rock."

The High School Band will close the concert with four selections of their own. They will play "Silent Night," "Deck the Halls With Chips and Salsa" and will close the concert with "Sleigh Ride" and "A Christmas Special."

The band boosters will be providing a baked potato luncheon at the high school cafeteria between 11:30 and 1:30. The cost will be \$5.00 for adults and \$3.50 for children under 12. There will be hot dogs available for those who do not want to eat baked potatoes. Tickets are available from high school band students and band boosters as well as the door.

We will also raffle a DVD player which has been donated by Wal-mart Distribution Center of Plainview. Raffle tickets are \$1.00 and are available from band students and boosters and will be sold at the door before the concert. All monies are being raised for the high school band trip to Disney World in June.

There is no admission charge for the concert and everyone in the community is invited to attend an afternoon of fun music and entertainment.

Lady Winds win championship at annual Floydada Classic Tournament

By Coach Brattain
LADY WINDS - 57 RALLS - 47

The Lady Winds won the Floydada Classic on November 29 - December 1. This was the sixth year for the tournament to be held and the second year for the girls to win the tournament.

We opened up the tournament against Ralls. The girls got off to a great start in this game in the first quarter getting after them on defense and finishing with a great defensive stand transitioning to the offensive end.

We started to let down a little and feeling a little too comfortable about our lead and let them back in the game. The girls did a great job of finishing the game off, keeping us on the winner's side of the bracket and facing Clarendon in the next round of the tournament.

Jessica Castaneda had a great game as she led the scoring for the Lady Winds with 21 points. She also had 6 assists, 6 steals and 7 rebounds.

Abby Sanders had a double digit game with 13 points. She ended the game with 5 rebounds and 1 blocked shot.

Ragan Beedy added 9 points to the scoreboard along with 2 steals, 2 assists and 3 rebounds.

Kimber Bennett hit 8 points for the night. She added 3 assists, 3 steals, 5 rebounds and 1 blocked shot.

Scoring 4 points for the game was Trisha Coursey. She also had 1 steal and 2 rebounds.

Rounding out the scoring for the game was Jenna Payne with 2 points. She added 4 steals and 3 rebounds.

Tara Williams also contributed to

the win with 3 steals, 5 rebounds and 1 blocked shot.

SCORES BY QUARTERS
Floydada 18 32 38 57
Ralls 9 18 38 47

LADY WINDS - 60 CLARENDON - 59

Clarendon was a good team for us to go up against. They were a very physical team who got after it on both ends of the court. The Lady Winds did a good job of stepping it up on defense. This game was won by a last second shot by Kimberly Bennett.

Leading the scoring and having a double-double for the game was Abby Sanders with 25 points and 11 rebounds. She also had 2 assists and 1 steal.

Jessica Castaneda also scored in double digits with 12 points. She added 3 assists, 2 steals, 2 rebounds and 1 blocked shot.

Tara Williams added 8 points to the scoreboard along with 3 assists, 1 steal, 9 huge rebounds and 2 blocked shots.

Ragan Beedy hit 6 points in the game and had 3 assists, 1 steal and 1 blocked shot.

Kimber Bennett sank 5 points along with 2 steals and 3 rebounds.

Scoring 2 points in the game was Jenna Payne. She also had 2 rebounds.

Trisha Coursey added 1 point to the score along with 2 steals and 2 rebounds.

Also scoring 1 point in the game was Laura Reddy. She also had 1 rebound and 1 blocked shot.

SCORES BY QUARTERS
Floydada 16 17 10 17
Clarendon 15 13 19 12

LADY WINDS - 49 POST - 36

In the championship game of the Floydada Classic Tournament we met up with Post. Post was a very quick and scrappy team. Post was an excellent defensive team. I thought the Lady Winds did a great job of slowing the game down a little and making them play the way we wanted instead of out of control. The Lady Winds got off to a little bit of a slow start but eventually got it together and took control of the game to finish off the tournament as the champions.

Abby Sanders led the Lady Winds in scoring with 16 points. She had a good night as she added 1 steal, 5 rebounds and 1 blocked shot.

Kimber Bennett had a good game as she added 8 points to the scoreboard along with 1 assist and 7 huge rebounds.

Scoring 7 points for the night was Laura Reddy. She also had 5 big rebounds.

Tara Williams finished the game with 6 points and 2 assists, 6 big rebounds and 1 blocked shot.

Trisha Coursey added 5 points to the big win along with 1 assist, 1 steal and 5 rebounds.

Rounding out the scoring was Jessica Castaneda with 2 points. She also had 3 assists, 3 steals and 1 blocked shot.

Jenna Payne contributed to the win with 3 assists, 1 rebound and 1 blocked shot.

Season Record: 5-1

SCORES BY QUARTERS
Floydada 15 13 10 11
Post 10 6 10 10



LADY WINDS WIN CHAMPIONSHIP-The Floydada Lady Winds won the championship trophy in their own 2001 Classic Tournament. They are: (l-r) Laura Reddy, Kimber Bennett, Ragan Beedy, Trisha Coursey, Abby Sanders, Heather Ware, Ashley Hale, Jessica Castaneda, Tara Williams and Jenna Payne.

Photo by Rhonda Stovall

Floydada School Menu

December 17 - 19
Monday:

Breakfast - Cereal, graham crackers, cinnamon rolls, yogurt, milk, juice

Lunch - Pizza, green salad, corn, fresh fruit cup, milk

Tuesday:

Breakfast - Cereal, graham crackers, breakfast pizza, milk, juice

Lunch - Taco salad w/meat & cheese, Spanish rice, cinnamon crispies, orange quarters, milk

Wednesday:

Breakfast - Cereal, graham crackers, cinnamon toast, milk, juice

Lunch - Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes w/gravy, green beans, roll, jello w/whipped topping, milk



FHS ALL TOURNAMENT TEAM-Floydada Whirlwinds and Lady Winds selected to the All-Tournament Team in the Floydada Classic Tournament are: (l-r) Dustin Covington, Jessica Castaneda, Abby Sanders and Brady Rainwater.

Photo by Rhonda Stovall

Floydada Lady Winds JV Basketball Report

LADY WINDS JV 45 SMYER JV 36

The Floydada Lady Winds JV played host to Smyer on December 4 in the Whirlwind Gym and won by a score of 45-36.

Antonnette Acy scored in double digits and led the Lady Winds with 16 points.

Alyssa Bennett also scored in double digits with 14 points.

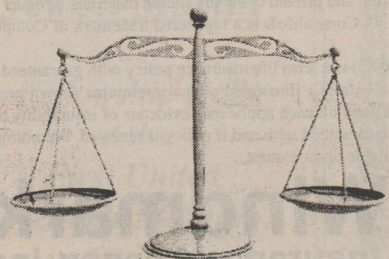
Courtney Campbell added 4 points to the scoreboard.

Katya Vega ended the night with 3 points.

Jessie Horn, Mandi Wood and Suleum Saldana scored 2 points each.

Season Record: 4-2
SCORE BY QUARTERS
Floydada 12 9 12 12
Smyer 14 7 10 5

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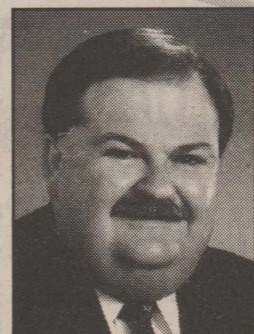
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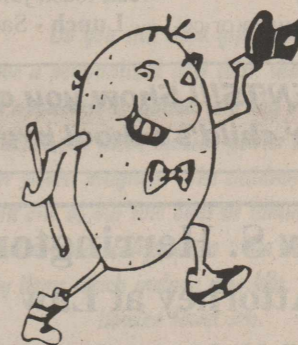
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Staff Photo

Floyd County Farm News

Senate leader intends to finish Farm bill

By: Shawn Wade
When it comes to making yourself understood in Washington, DC there is usually very little room for error or a lack of clarity.

That was reiterated quite clearly late Thursday afternoon after comments by Senate Majority Leader Tom Daschle were read, interpreted and apparently misconstrued. After telling reporters that he intended to pursue the Farm Bill through passage by the Senate, Daschle apparently left out the part in which he wanted to complete a conference and send the Bill to the White House for the President's signature.

In an effort to clear up exactly what he intended to say the first time around, Daschle's office has been hard at work reiterating his goal of finish-

ing Senate Floor debate of the Farm Bill, quickly completing a conference with representatives of the House of Representatives and dropping the Bill on President Bush's desk before Congress adjourns for the holidays.

That is where the politics of the situation appear to have the most impact. Reality and the calendar says that there just isn't that much time left before Congress will adjourn. Plains Cotton Growers and others have been adamant about the fact that whether they like the Senate Farm Bill in its current form or not there should be no delay in getting the Farm Bill to the Senate floor.

Once there both Republicans and Democrats would have the ability to debate and offer amendments to the Senate Bill. This would serve two im-

portant purposes: First it keeps the process moving forward; and, second neither side is viewed as trying to obstruct or delay completion of the legislation.

Everyone, from the producer in West Texas to the shopkeeper in the big city is keenly aware of the fact that Congress has a lot of work to do between now and Christmas.

The fact is a new Farm Bill will strengthen the foundation of a struggling Agricultural economy that supplies 20 percent or more of the nation's Gross Domestic Product.

Its passage is not only important to farmers and ranchers, it should also be viewed as one of the first steps toward moving the entire U.S. economy out of the current economic recession.

Filing for Water District nears

Applications for a place on the ballot for the upcoming district director and county committee election in Precincts One, Two, and Five of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 must be filed at the district's Lubbock office no later than 5 p.m. on December 19, 2001.

Those wishing to run as a write-in candidate must file a declaration of write-in candidacy with the district office no later than 5 p.m. on December 24, 2001. The election is scheduled for February 2, 2002.

Precinct Five consists of the portion of Floyd county above the escarpment and all of Hale County. Bruce Rigler of Plainview is the incumbent district director. "Residents in this District Directors' precincts will elect a director and county committee members to represent them in Water District matters for the next four years. In the county committee election, one person will be elected to represent each

County Commissioners' Precinct and one will be elected at-large within the county," said Jim Conkwright, water district manager.

The district's board of directors meets monthly to set long-range goals and policies.

County Committee members meet regularly to recommend approval or denial of water well permit applications. Committee members also keep district directors informed about water-related needs of their area and serve as local contacts for water conservation opportunities or problems in their respective communities.

Conkwright added that candidates for district director or county committee members must be at least 18 years old, a Texas resident, and must have lived at least six months in the precinct in which they are seeking office.

Early voting by personal appearance for this election is scheduled for

January 16-29, 2002. However, revisions to the Texas Election Code give political subdivisions, such as water district, authority to declare all unopposed candidates elected to their respective offices without having to conduct an actual election.

"This provision helps save taxpayers the cost associated with holding an election," said Conkwright. "We will know later this month if there are any contested races. If so, we will hold the election only in those respective precincts. If not, the board of directors

will declare all unopposed candidates to be duly elected to their respective offices."

Additional election information is available by contacting Carmon McCain, Administrative Aide, High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1, 2930 Avenue Q, Lubbock TX 79405-1429 or by calling (806) 762-0181

Sunflower meeting set for Petersburg

Texas South Plains sunflower producers may share grower experiences and discuss production and crop management questions at an upcoming meeting sponsored by Texas Cooperative Extension Offices Hale, Floyd, Crosby, and Lubbock Counties.

The meeting is 9:30 - 11:30 a.m., December 14 at the Security Bank Conference Room in Petersburg. County agricultural extension agents and extension agronomist Calvin

Trostle, Lubbock, will be on hand to learn about grower experiences and concerns.

Texas Cooperative Extension personnel will be shaping research and educational programs for 2002 based on grower feedback. Sunflower production literature will be available, and 1.0 CEU (general) will be offered. Prospective sunflower growers are invited to attend as well.

For further information contact the Texas Cooperative Extension Offices in Hale, Floyd, Crosby, or Lubbock Counties or the Texas A&M Center at Lubbock, 806-746-6101.

Cotton Market Weekly

A service Provided by Plains Cotton Cooperative Association

A fifth consecutive day of unchanged world prices, coupled with heavy U.S. cotton sales and shipments as recorded in USDA's weekly report, were more than enough to send futures prices sharply higher on Thursday.

"It was a pretty nice bounce back up," said one analyst. "A lot of the move upward was export related. For many weeks, we've been getting really solid export sales numbers, but the shipments have been a little bit of a disappointment," he explained.

Export shipments, which had been a concern to many analysts because they were not on pace to match USDA's full-year projection of 9.4 million bales, were up for the week ended Nov. 29. At 187,100 bales, the shipment figure was up 22 percent from the previous week and 20 percent above the four-week average.

Net export sales of current crop U.S. cotton surprised most analysts at 284,600 bales for the week, up 26 percent from a week ago but six percent

below the four week average.

"The export sales report was outstanding not just for the unexpected magnitude but because sales were concluded in a holiday shortened week amid a period of rising prices," a cotton market observer said.

Beyond export figures, Thursday's market probably gained some strength from world prices which have remained firm this week despite slumping New York cotton futures prices.

High quality marks 2001 crop

By: Shawn Wade
With the High Plains cotton harvest virtually complete all that remains is the ginning and classification of cotton still in modules.

For most growers one of the more pleasant surprises of this year's crop has been the consistently high quality it has exhibited.

Overall the crop has averaged some of the best color, staple and strength readings observed in recent memory.

To date the Lubbock Cotton Classing office has processed just over 1.6 million bales of cotton and expects to

see slightly more than 2 million bales by the end of the ginning season.

Staple lengths recorded at the USDA Agricultural Marketing Service Cotton Classing Office in Lubbock are averaging just under 1 1/16th inches (Staple 34) with approximately half having staples of 34 or longer and the rest coming in below that figure.

HVI Color and Leaf measurements have also been a pleasant surprise. More than 75 percent of the crop classed to date has been assigned Color Grades 11 or 21 while 93 percent of the bales have received Leaf

grades of 3 or better.

The only HVI reading that appears to be less than optimal appears to be Micronaire where the trend for much of the season has been to the high side of the optimal range. This is further evidenced by the fact that 45 percent of the bales classed at Lubbock has mike measurements in the 4.3 -4.9 range and 19.9 percent have been assigned mike grades of 5.0 or greater.

The high mike readings are in many cases keeping producers from realizing the full price benefits of the longer than expected staple readings.

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**Foster family shows at
Louisville, Kentucky**

Senee', Segayle, Addie, and Will Foster showed their string of show heifers during the 2001 North American International Show in Louisville, Kentucky, November 11-16. Results were as follows: Senee' Foster, Grand Champion Chiangus Heifer in both Open and Junior Shows; Segayle Foster, Reserve Grand Champion in both Open and Junior Shows; Addie Foster, Division Champion Open Show; and Will Foster, Division Cow/Calf Champion Open Show.

Fall Classic Stock Show

Scott Nixon exhibited steers at this year's Fall Classic in Waco. His short-horn took 2nd in Ring A and 2nd in Ring B. His Simmental was 3rd in Ring A and 2nd in Ring B.

Senee' and Segayle Foster also showed heifers. Results were: Senee', Breed Champion Chianina Ring A, Reserve Breed Champion Continental Heifer Ring A, Breed Champion Chianina Ring B, Supreme Continental Heifer Ring B; Segayle, 2nd in Class Ring A, and Reserve Breed Champion Ring B.



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Obituaries

J.W. BECKER

Funeral services for J.W. Becker, age 81, of Slaton were at 1:30 p.m. Friday, December 7, 2001 in Grace Lutheran Church with Rev. Carl Schwinck, pastor, officiating. Interment was in Englewood Cemetery under the direction of Englund's Funeral Service.

Mr. Becker died Tuesday, December 4, 2001 in his residence.

He was born October 18, 1920 in Holland, Texas. He had moved to the Southland area in 1925 from Holland. Mr. Becker married Patricia Browne in Lubbock and she preceded him in death. He had farmed in Levelland and Floydada from 1953 until his retirement in 1980. Mr. Becker moved to Slaton in 1985 from Floydada. He married Libbie Schneider on September 20, 1968 in Slaton.

He was a veteran of WWII having served three years in the US Navy on the USS Fanning DD385 in the Pacific Theater. He was a member of the Slaton VFW and a member of Grace Lutheran Church.

Mr. Becker was also preceded in death by one brother, Richard Becker and two sisters, Helen Horne and Angeline Becker.

Survivors include his wife Libbie; three sons, Rob Becker of Woodrow, Kel Becker of Midland, and Sam Becker of Lubbock; one stepson, Larry Schneider of Greenville; one daughter, Barbara Becker of Lake Jackson; one stepdaughter, Joan Gindorf of Wimberly; three brothers, Charlie Becker of Slaton, A.J. Becker of Wilcox, Arizona, and Bill Becker of Lubbock; two sisters, Dorothy Mueller of Lubbock and Margery Martin of Slaton; 15 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Grace Lutheran Church, 840 W. Jean St., Slaton, TX 79364, Slaton Meals on Wheels or Senior Citizen Center, 230 West Lynn St., Slaton, TX 79364.

R.Q. BOTKIN

Memorial services for R.Q. "Doc" Botkin, 84, of Floydada were Wednesday, December 12, 2001 at 2:00 p.m. at City Park Church of Christ with Gene McCarty officiating.

Burial followed in Ralls Cemetery under direction of Adams Funeral Home in Ralls.

He died Monday, December 10, 2001 at the Floydada Nursing Home and Rehabilitation Center.

He was born December 29, 1915 in Whitney. He was a member of the City Park Church of Christ and the Floydada Masonic Lodge where he was a 32nd degree Mason. He retired from Pioneer Natural Gas in 1979 after 29 years of service. He was a U.S. Army Veteran of WWII.

He was preceded in death by one brother, Carl Botkin; and one sister, Jimmie Benton.

Survivors include one son, Richard Marshall Botkin of Amarillo; one daughter, Connie Lou Johnson, South Plains; one sister, Ruth Mosley, Ralls; six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

DON EARL DAVIS

Services for Don Earl Davis, 58, of Blossom were held Sunday, December 9, 2001 with the Rev. Henry Blackmon and Rev. Billy Daniels officiating. Burial followed in East Post Oak Cemetery under direction of Bright-Holland Funeral Home.

He died Thursday, December 6, 2001 in Houston.

Mr. Davis was born August 5, 1943 in Floydada, the son of Hubert Earl and Ruby Smith Davis. He married Glenda Giles on September 12, 1963 in Oak Missionary Baptist Church and was a mechanic with Campbell Soup Co.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Guy Davis and wife Tonya of Henderson, Ladd Davis and wife Beverly of Cedar Park and Gary Don Davis and wife Randi of Henderson; one daughter, Glynese McNabb and husband Michael of Paris; one sister, Gwen Holladay and husband Donnie of Clarendon; six grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents.

The family suggests memorials to East Post Oak Missionary Baptist Church Building Fund, Rt. 1 Box 265, Detroit, TX 75436.

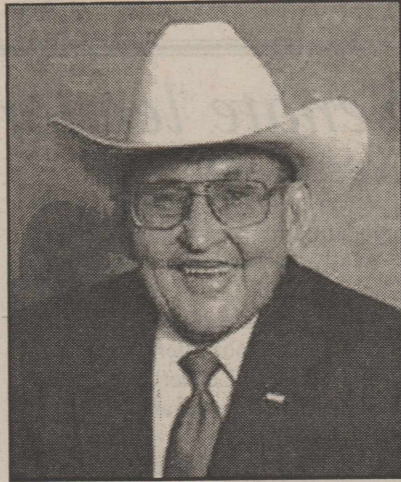
PEDRO P. GONZALES

Rosary services for Pedro P. Gonzales, 58, of Lubbock were at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, December 11, 2001 at White Memorial Chapel in Lubbock. Mass was celebrated at 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, December 12, 2001 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Lubbock with Father Michael O'Dwyer, celebrant. Burial followed in Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park under the direction of White Funeral Home of Lubbock.

He died Sunday, December 9, 2001 in Lubbock.

He was born June 29, 1943 in Lockhart to Martin R. Gonzales and Magdalena Pisenzo Gonzales. He attended Idalou High School. He was a lifelong resident of Lubbock. He was employed by Eagle Picher for 31 years. He was a former member of Cursillistas and a member of St. John Newman Catholic Church in Lubbock.

Survivors include his mother, Magdalena Gonzales of Lubbock; two sons, Mark Gonzales of Lubbock and Steve Gonzales of El Paso; a daughter, Sylvia Lozoya of Lubbock; two brothers, Jim Gonzales of Ft. Lupton, CO. and Tommy Gonzales of Lubbock; six sisters, Mona Oliva, Paula Narbaez and Juana Arellano, all of Lubbock, Clea Arellano of Roosevelt, Rose Navarro of Keller and Margie Szekeley of Montdell, Co.; and five grandchildren.



ROY M. LATHEM

Services for Roy M. Lathem, 80, will be Thursday, December 13 (today), at 10 a.m. at the First Baptist Church in Pierre, SD with the Rev. Theodora Bollin officiating. Burial with full military honors will take place at the National Cemetery in Sturgis.

He died December 8, 2001 at St. Mary's Hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was born November 2, 1921 in Floyd County to Marion and Clara (Sluder) Lathem, the oldest of four children. He graduated from Floydada High School in 1940. He worked at the W.M. Massy Ranch in Floydada until Pearl Harbor, following which he joined the United States Air Force. Roy spent almost four years stationed in England, France, Belgium and Germany serving as an airplane electrical mechanic.

During his European tour of duty, he played as an offensive and defensive guard on the Air Force football team, and had the privilege of playing on the European Operations Theatre Championship team when Air Force upset General Eisenhower's Army Headquarters team.

He returned to the United States in November 1945 working for several years in ranching, logging and trucking. Roy married Loreta (Reta) Stringer July 20, 1947 in Sandhill. Following their wedding he returned

to ranching and working for G.L. Taylor Cattle Co. at Stratford, and later, LaVeta Colorado.

In 1952 he returned to Olton where he worked with the Olton Butane Co. until 1956, and then moved to Stanley County, South Dakota to work at the Billy Barrick Cattle ranches.

Survivors include his wife, Reta; a daughter and son-in-law, Penny and John Porter of Yankton; three grandchildren; a brother, W.G. Lathem of Bee Branch, Arkansas; a brother-in-law Bruce Baumann of Perryton; a sister-in-law Sylva Williams of Flint; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother, Ray Lathem, and sister, Nell Baumann.

Memorials are suggested to First Baptist Church, 2310 East Capitol, Box 105, YMCA, 900 E. Church or Gideons International, P.O. Box 251, Pierre, SD, 57501.

FAYE TERRELL

Services for Faye Terrell, 67, of Lubbock were at 2 p.m. Wednesday, December 12, 2001 at Resthaven Abbey Chapel with Stacy Bell officiating.

Burial followed in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Resthaven Funeral Home of Lubbock. She died Sunday, December 9, 2001.

She was born April 21, 1934, in Farmersville and married John "J.A." Terrell on March 24, 1951 in Plainview. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Arlin and Alan, both of Lubbock; a daughter, Debra Bell of Lubbock; a sister, Pauline Beavers of Hereford; eight grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.



PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Board of Trustees of the Floydada Independent School District posts this notice in compliance with 28 C.F.R. 51.28 (g) as follows:

On August 14, 2001, at a duly called and noticed meeting, the Floydada Independent School District Board of Trustees adopted a RESOLUTION regarding redistricting, whereby the Board adopted a plan to redistrict its five single-member districts pursuant to applicable Federal and State law. As required, the change was submitted on November 28, 2001 to the United States Attorney General for preclearance consideration. Copies of the RESOLUTION and preclearance submission are available for the public review during business hours at the business office of the Floydada Independent School District located at 226 West California, Floydada, Texas. Any persons wishing to make comments for the consideration of the United States Attorney General may submit such comments to:

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NOTICIA PUBLICA

Los administradores de de positario de la Escuela Independiente del Distrito de Floydada coloco esta noticia de acuerdo con 28 C.F.R. 51.28 (g) como sigue.

En el 14 de agosto de 2001 una junta fue llamada y notada con los administradores de depositarios de la Escuela Independiente del Distrito de Floydada, adoptaron un "RESOLUCION" tocante de redistrictar, donde los administradores adoptaron un plan para redistrictar cinco miembros singulares de distrito en insistente continuacion aplicable en la ley federal y estado. Como requerido, el cambio fue sometido en el 28 de Noviembre de 2001 al ministro de justicia de los Estados Unidos para consideracion de permiso oficial. Copias de la "RESOLUCION" y sumision de permiso oficial son disponible para que el publico las examinen durante de las horas de negocio en la oficina de negocio de la Escuela Independiente del Distrito de Floydada, colocado en 226 West California, Floydada, Texas. Cualquiera persona deseando hacer comentarios para la consideracion del ministro de justicia puede somerir tal comentario al:

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Department of Justice
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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Caprock Hospital District in Floyd County, Texas, intends to contract with one or more banks in Floyd County for the deposit of the district's public funds.

Any bank in the County of Floyd that wants to be a Hospital District depository must deliver its application to Maybelle Monrae at the Cogdell Clinic on or before December 17, 2001.

Further information may be obtained by contacting:

Caprock Hospital District
901 W. Crockett
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806-983-2875

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We the family of Modesta Peralez would like to thank you for all your love, prayers and support during our time of sorrow.

To each of you who remembered us in so many ways, the food, flowers, cards and phone calls. We deeply appreciate each and every one of you. A special thank you to Father Jim McCartney and Sister Sophie for all the times you were there for our mother and grandmother.

May God Bless You,
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Rea Family, Huerta Family

I would like to thank all the businesses who participated in "Christmas on the Square". And for the businesses that donated all the giveaways, we would like to say an extra "Thank You". You were a very large part of the success of "Christmas on the Square".

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Administration of the estate of **ELSA RODRIQUEZ, DECEASED**, has been commenced by the issuance of letters testamentary to the undersigned on November 30, 2001, by the County Court of Floyd County, Texas, acting in Cause No. 5575, styled IN RE ESTATE OF ELSA RODRIQUEZ, DECEASED, in which court the matter is pending. All creditors having claims against the estate are hereby notified to present them to the undersigned at the address shown below within the time prescribed by law.

Dated this 30th day of November, 2001.

SYLVIA RENDON
INDEPENDENT EXECUTOR OF
THE ESTATE OF ELSA RODRIQUEZ
C/O KAREN HOUCHEIN
ATTORNEY FOR THE ESTATE
P.O. BOX 421, 106 E. CALIFORNIA
FLOYDADA, TEXAS 79235
PHONE (806) 983-5556, FAX (806) 983-3540

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LOCKNEY ISD PUBLIC HEARING

Lockney ISD will conduct a Public Hearing on the 2001 AEIS Report. This hearing will be held on Thursday, December 13, at 6:30 p.m. in the LISD Board Room. Interested citizens are invited to attend.

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TREASURER'S REPORT

We the undersigned County Judge and Commissioners in and for Floyd County, Texas hereby certify that we have this date made an examination of and compared the County Treasurer's Quarterly report, filed with us on this 10th day of December, 2001 and that the total of funds held by the County Treasurer, as well as other assets in her hands in the sum of \$ 475,276.49.

First National Bank Certificate of Deposits \$ 670,000.00.

WITNESS OUR HANDS, officially, this 10th day of December, 2001.

William D. Hardin, County Judge
RayNell Bearden, Commissioner Precinct #1
Leonard Gilroy, Commissioner, Precinct #2
Craig Gilly, Commissioner, Precinct #3
Jon Jones, Commissioner, Precinct #4

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PUBLIC NOTICE CITY OF FLOYDADA TEXAS RECREATION AND PARKS PROGRAM MASTER PLAN

The City of Floydada will hold a public hearing at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, December 18, 2001 at the City Hall, 114 W. Virginia, Floydada, Texas, in regard to the submission of a Texas Recreation and Parks Program Master Plan.

The City encourages citizens to participate in the development of this Master Plan and to make their views known at this public hearing. Citizens unable to attend this meeting may submit their views and proposals to Gary Brown, City Manager at City of Floydada, P.O. Box 10, Floydada, Texas 79235. Persons with disabilities that wish to attend this meeting should contact City Hall for assistance. Individuals who require auxiliary aids or services for this meeting should contact city Hall at least two days before the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made. If anyone interested in attending the public hearing requires a translator, please contact City Hall. Handicapped individuals that wish to attend this meeting should contact the City Manager at 806-983-2834 to arrange for assistance.

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This Week's Announcements

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY CHRISTMAS BRUNCH

The American Cancer Society Christmas Brunch will be held Saturday, December 15, 2001 from 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. in the home of Wayland and Margaret Jones, 905 W. Tennessee, Floydada. Tickets are available now for a \$7.50 donation. Door prize will be given away.

SUMMER IN DECEMBER

The Floydada FFA is having a dance Thursday, December 20th from 8:00 p.m. - 12:00 midnight at the A.B. Duncan cafeteria. All students are allowed. There will be a \$5.00 charge

LOCKNEY SALVATION ARMY

The Lockney Salvation Army is in need of contributions and items for Christmas and the winter months. Toys and winter clothes and jackets are needed. Please wash clothing before bringing them to the Salvation Army.

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.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE

The First National Bank of Floydada invites everyone to the "Annual Christmas Open House" on Friday, December 21st from 9:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m. in the Community Room.

FLOYDADA 4-H MEETING

There will be a Floydada 4-H meeting on Thursday, December 20 at the Massie Activity Center at 5:30 p.m. Program will be caroling and the Community Service will be canned goods for Christmas Meal - Fred Thayer.

LOCKNEY CHRISTMAS BAND CONCERT

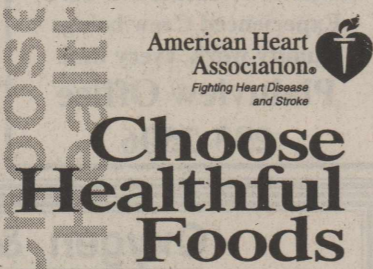
The Lockney Bands -5th grade through High School, Christmas Concert will be Thursday, December 20th at 6:30 p.m. in the Longhorn Gym. Everyone is invited.

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.

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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\$100 WINNER-Janet Pyle (left) is presented with a \$100 check from the Lockney Chamber of Commerce Director Russell Harris after she won the "Shop Lockney" incentive program sponsored by the Lockney Chamber. Janet's name was drawn during Lockney's Holiday Affair Dec. 6th.

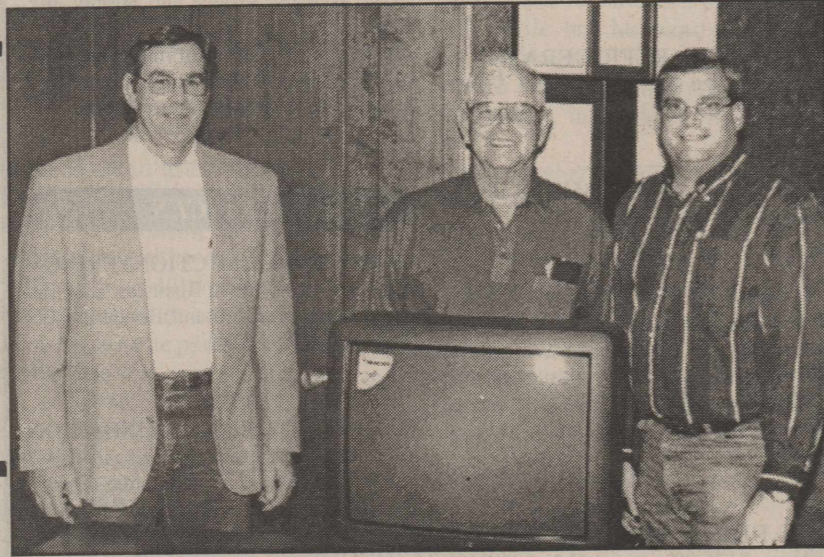
Light the Cross Donations

Donations to the Light the Cross Fund have been made in memory of: JoLynn Maddin by Bob and Martha Lotspeich; Carolyn Moore by the Bill Feuerbachers; Larry Jordan by the Bill Feuerbachers; Jo Y'Blood by Kim and Sarah Hinsley; and Joyce Carroll by Kim and Sarah Hinsley.

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

The fund will pay the ongoing expense involved with maintenance and monthly bills. Please give names on memorials and honorees and cards will be sent.

BILL MCCARTER (center) won the T.V. raffled off by the Lockney Chamber of Commerce. It was presented to him by Chamber Director Russell Harris (right). The T.V. was given to the Chamber by Caprock Industries, represented by Manager Pat O'Connell (left).



CHAD FRIZZELL (left) was the winner of a \$250 raffle from the Lockney Lions Club and was presented with a check by Terry Jones (right).

Salvation Army to distribute Christmas boxes

Distribution days for anyone needing items from Lockney's Salvation Army will be Dec. 14th and 15th.

Food will be delivered to senior citizens on Dec. 14th.

Items will be distributed to families December 15th. "You must sign up by Dec. 14th if you want to be a part of this holiday distribution," said Salvation Army manager Alicia Luna. "With advance notice we can have it all organized for you on the 15th."

"Santa Claus will also be coming to town Dec. 15 at 10:00 a.m. and will visit with children in the old Brown's Department Store building."

Holiday cooking great for children

Holiday baking offers a great opportunity to help youngsters learn about food preparation and nutrition in a fun way.

"Young children love to help, and they really take pride in showing adults how much then can do. By inviting them to assist with holiday baking, parents can help building their children's self-esteem, as well as skills, creativity, and knowledge of food and nutrition," said Becky Gorham, a registered dietitian and research nutritionist with the USDA/ARS Children's Nutrition Research Center at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

Small children have short attention spans, so choose recipes that are simple and offer lots of opportunities to stir, add ingredients, and decorate. Keep nutrition in mind by choosing fruit and nut breads, oatmeal and peanut butter cookies, carrot and fresh apple cakes, and peanut-dense peanut brittle instead of high-fat brownies and fudge.

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Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

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810 S. 3rd, Floydada
Darwin Robinson, Pastor
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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

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Floydada
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Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

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Floydada
Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.
(Summer 8:00 p.m.)

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Vance Mitchell, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
Sunday 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

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401 S. Main, Floydada
Anthony D. Sisemore, Pastor
Les Reed, Minister of Students
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Lockney
Phillip Golden - Pastor
Phil Cotham-Music Director
Rodney Hunt-Youth Minister
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

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Reverend Ione Sedinger
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Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Monday Bible Study 9:30 a.m.

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
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Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday: 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

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Lockney
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Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
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Floydada
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Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

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Wednesday Meeting 7:00 p.m.

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

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308 W. Tennessee, Floydada
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
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Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
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