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West Nile Virus confirmed in Lockney

Lockney Veterinarian Paul Glasson has confirmed a case of the West Nile Virus in Lockney.

A horse, boarded at the Lockney Fair Grounds, died last week as a result of the virus.

"The horse was euthanized Wednesday, August 7, because he was going down fast," said Glasson. "The owner made the decision that he did not want the animal to suffer. We did not know what was wrong, but I took a blood sample and sent it off. The results were reported today (Tuesday, August 13)."

"This is the first case here," said Glasson. The closest case has been in Haskell (60 miles west of Abilene)."

According to Glasson, because the virus is so new everyone is seeing different types of symptoms with the in-

fecting animals.

"Usually the horse will act very drowsy or droopy," said Glasson. "The horse will also be uncoordinated."

According to Glasson the vaccine for the virus has not been fully tested. "The vaccine is now being released with a conditional license," said Glasson. "We will have to see if it works. There is no cure for the West Nile Virus."

"We're continuing to urge owners to have their horses, donkeys, mules and other equines vaccinated against this form of 'sleeping sickness' which continues to spread westward," said Dr. Linda Logan, Texas' state veterinarian and executive director for the Texas Animal Health Commission (TAHC). "To gain protection against the virus, however, equines need two

injections of WNV vaccine administered at least three to six weeks apart.

The animal will not develop full immunity for about four to six weeks after the second injection." Dr. Logan advised owners to further protect horses with insect repellents, and if possible, house the animals at night in stalls with screens to prevent contact with potentially infected mosquitoes.

"Likewise, we urge residents to apply insect repellents if they are going to be outside when mosquitoes are active," commented Dr. Joe Garrett of the Zoonosis Control Division of the Texas Department of Health. "There is no vaccine for humans, so disease prevention is our only option. Drain all sources of stagnant water, keep pools optimally chlorinated, and

change water in birdbaths daily to prevent mosquitoes from using these sites for breeding grounds. Because some mosquitoes breed in grassy areas, it's also a good idea to keep areas around homes mowed."

"We will be stepping up our mosquito spraying in the City of Lockney," said Mayor Roger Stapp.

Unless rabies is suspected, WNV testing for horses is usually conducted at the Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory (TVMDL) at College Station. WNV testing for humans, birds and mosquitoes are conducted by the Texas Department of Health (TDH).

Although blue jays, crows and more than 70 other species of birds carry the virus, they do not pose a direct WNV health risk to humans or horses,

stressed Dr. Logan. The disease cycle must involve mosquitoes that feed on the infected birds, then transmit the disease to humans or horses.

The TDH can track the spread of the virus through samples of dead blue jays and crows. For surveillance testing, the Texas Department of Health, needs 'freshly' dead birds that have not begun to decompose. If you have a dead bird to submit, call your local health department, or the state office at 1-512-458-7255 for instructions.

If you handle the bird, wear gloves to protect yourself against any possible parasites or other diseases the bird may have contracted, and double-bag the carcass. Prior to laboratory submission, it's best to place the bird in a cool place, such as an ice chest, to slow decomposition.

"WNV will continue to spread, but like the veterinarian in Haskell County, we need always to consider rabies or other diseases, if animals stagger, are unable to rise, or become disoriented," said Dr. Logan. "Although fairly rare, rabies can strike livestock, and if owners handle an animal stricken with the disease, they must receive preventive medical treatment."

It's important to have a diagnosis when livestock become extremely sick or die. If your animals are exhibiting signs of neurological distress, notify your veterinary practitioner and TAHC at 1-800-550-8242."

Additional information about WNV can be accessed on the internet at: <http://www.tdh.state.tx.us/zoonosis/>

Power Team bringing show to Floyd County

The muscular "Power Team" from the John Jacobs Evangelistic Association will bring their "power" show to the Floyd County Unity Center. August 21-25. The show opens each night at 7:00 p.m.

The "muscle men" reach out to young audiences to deliver their message: "Say 'no' to drugs, suicide and teen sex, and say 'yes' to academic excellence and clean living."

The Power Team members will break free from steel handcuffs, rip several license plates and a Feist directory, break through several feet of granite or ice blocks with their head, or press a 300 pound log-in flames at both ends over a muscleman's head.

Jacobs, who stands 6'4", and weighs above 300 pounds, founded the ministry in 1980 while attending Bible school. When he conducted meetings at a prison, the warden suggested he perform some feats to draw a crowd. The results were immediate--attendance soared from 15 prisoners to 700.

"It's too powerful a tool," said Jacobs. We're reaching thousands of people the church doesn't reach."

Power Team ministers appear at hundreds of schools each year shar-

ing a secular message of academic excellence and denouncing drugs, teen sex, and bad friends who are "dream breakers".

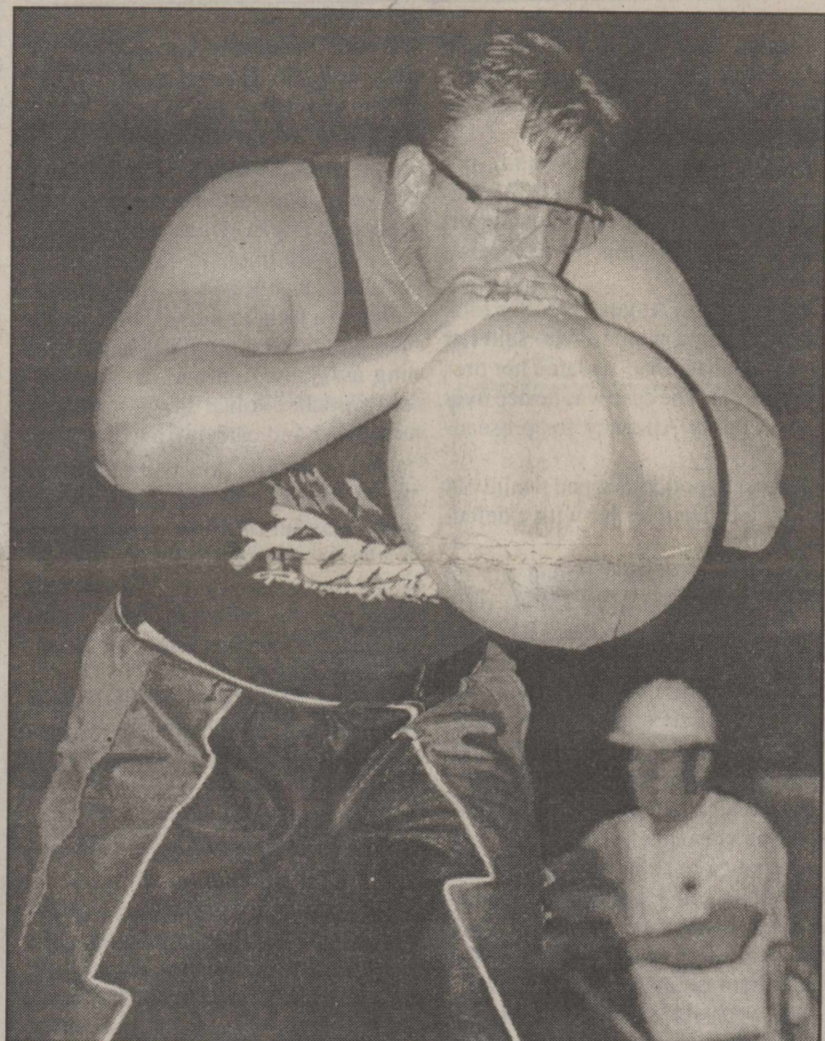
The Power Team bills itself as the "world's greatest exhibition of power, strength, speed, inspiration, and motivation." Its members reach millions through personal appearances and "Power Connection", their weekly TV program that airs in ten countries.

The program is rated by ESPN as the number one school production in the athletic field.

Many altar workers will be needed at the Unity Center to help out. Anyone interested in helping in this area needs to attend one of two training sessions at the Wall Street Parlor, First Baptist Church, in Floydada. The first training session will be August 15, at 7:30 p.m. and the second will be August 18, at 4:00 p.m.

"They give God the credit for their talent and strength," said organizer Kyle Brock. "The message is for all ages but it is focused on the youth."

"They will also be making appearances in local schools while they are here," said Brock.



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Lockney ready for fun on Old Fashioned Saturday

The Lockney Chamber of Commerce is ready for the visitors who will be flocking to Lockney, Saturday, for the annual Old Fashioned Saturday.

Fun begins early and ends at the close of the popular street dance at 12:00 midnight.

Street vendors, including arts and crafts and food booths will be set up early Saturday. Kids games and rides will be available.

One hundred and fifty cars are already registered for the car and motorcycle show near the Methodist Church.

Registration for the Texas Pedal Pullers will begin at 10:30 a.m. on Main Street and the competition begins at 1:00 p.m.

Local entertainment begins at 11:00 a.m. on Main Street and continues throughout the day.

The Volleyball tournament begins at 12:00 noon, also at the Methodist Church.

At 5:00 p.m. a karate exhibition will be held on Main Street.

The 3 on 3 Basketball game has been cancelled.

Visitors can also enjoy a Boy Scout sponsored "bead run". For a \$10 donation to the Boy Scout "new roof fund", participants compete for a chance to win a whole cooked brisket.

Sign up for the bead run (which will be open to all modes of transportation)

begins at 9:00 a.m. The first participant must be "out" by 9:00 a.m. and the last participant must leave by 12:00 noon. Everyone must report back by 2:00 p.m. Registration will be at the old Lockney Oil and Butane building (across from Main Street Pizza).

The Boy Scouts will also be selling brisket wraps to raise money for a new roof.

The Lockney Chamber of Commerce is selling raffle tickets, to win a package deal which includes: one night stay in a King Deluxe Suite at Hawthorn Suites, Lubbock; a \$40 gift certificate to the Cactus Theatre in Lubbock; dinner for two at Texas Cafe and Bar/Lubbock; dinner for two at Texas Land and Cattle Company. The tickets are only \$2.00 each, or 3 for \$5.00. Contact any chamber director for a ticket, or come by the chamber's coke booth on Main Street.

This year's dance will be brought by "U4C" (pronounced "euphoric") Productions, who will provide a deejay to "spin records". The dance is sponsored by Caprock Cattle Feeders-Cargill Company.

The street dance begins at 8:00 p.m. and ends at 12:00 midnight.

There are still spaces for local entertainment.

For more information contact Matt Williams, at 296-5174, or Boyd Jackson, at 296-2713.

4-H Recordbooks win State

Five Floyd County senior 4-H members took top honors with their recordbooks at the State 4-H Recordbook Judging August 6 at the Texas 4-H Center in Brownwood.

Melissa Dunlap, Tasha Powell, Chance Crossland, Lindsey Nutt and Skyler Cornelius placed first and will participate in the National 4-H Leadership Conference in Washington, D.C. November 28-December 3.

Seven Floyd County 4-H'ers were

among the 319 4-H'ers vying for first place honors in thirty seven different categories. 4-H'ers and their respective categories included Melissa Dunlap- Health; Tasha Powell - Consumer Education; Chance Crossland - Recreation; Lindsey Nutt - Housing and Home Environment and Skyler Cornelius - Citizenship and Civic Education. Also participating from Floyd County were Rusty Keaton - Food & Nutrition 2nd place and Josh Bradley

- Science and Technology Open Category 5th. Serving as judges for the statewide event included Anne Carthel and Angela Ragland.

Floyd County had the largest number of first place winners followed by Swisher County with four and Lubbock with three. South Plains District II took fourteen of the thirty-seven first placings up for grabs.

4-H Recordbooks are an accumulation of the past four years of project

work and activities including leadership and citizenship and community service. Recordbooks are a requirement for 4-H'ers to obtain awards such as County Project Medals, the Bronze Star Award, Silver Star Award and the Gold Star Award.

Twenty-seven Floyd County books were submitted on the county level with twenty-four advancing on to District Competition in July.

Redistricting gives Floyd County to State Senator Robert Duncan

The 2001 redistricting process has changed Senate District 28 (of which Floyd County is a part), and given Floyd County a new State Senator.

Floyd County was formerly represented by Senator Tom Haywood, who passed away in 1999.

A special election was held and Sen. Estes was elected to take over Haywood's office.

Redistricting has now assigned Floyd County's representation to Senator Robert Duncan. Senator Duncan, has been in the Texas Senate since 1996.

Senate District 28 includes 46 counties (18 percent of the Texas counties), and 43,465 square miles. The district is larger than 17 of the states.

The state of Tennessee has 41,220 square miles. Ohio is 40,953 square miles. Kentucky is 39,732 square miles. Virginia is 39,598 square miles, and Indiana is 35,870 square miles. Other states smaller than the 28th Senate District, include: Main, South Carolina, West Virginia, Maryland, Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachu-

setts, new Jersey, Hawaii, Connecticut, Delaware, and Rhode Island.

The district's square miles is larger than a total of 7 of the smallest states.

The redistricting added 31 new counties to Senate District 28.

Senator Duncan, a Republican, was elected to the Texas House in 1992. He co-wrote a 1995 tort reform package that prevented attorneys from unfairly shopping for a favorable courts to hear their cases. The also crafted legislation to increase the availability of insurance to people in under-served parts of the state and protect Texans from insurance fraud.

Duncan has been honored as "House Freshman of the Year" by his legislative colleagues; "Republican Freshman of the Year" by the Republican Caucus; and "Legislator of the Year" by the National Republican Legislators Association. Texas Monthly recognized him as a "Rising Star" in the Legislature.

Duncan has practiced law for more than 20 years. He earned a law de-

gree from the Texas Tech University School of Law in 1981, and he joined the Lubbock law firm of Crenshaw, Dupree and Milam, where he is now a partner.

Duncan grew up in Vernon, Texas. His uncle, the late Marshall Formby, represented in the Texas Senate many of the same West Texas counties Duncan now serves.

He is married to Lynn Stebbins Duncan of Dallas, and has two children, Lindsey and Matthew. The family lives in Lubbock.

Duncan's Lubbock office is at 1001 Main Street, Suite 608, Lubbock, TX., 79401. The Lubbock phone number is: 762-1122.

Cow/Calf seminar set for Aug. 21

The Floyd and Crosby County Extension Service will be sponsoring a stocker cattle cow/calf informational meeting on Wednesday, August 21, 9

The Capitol Office is: P.O. Box 12068, Austin, TX., 78711-2068. Phone: 512-463-0128.

Counties of Texas Senate District 28

Armstrong, Borden, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Coke, Collingsworth, Concho, Cottle, Crosby, Dawson, Dickens, Donley, Fisher, Floyd, Foard, Garza, Gray, Hale, Hall, Hardeman, Haskell, Hockley, Irion, Jones, Kent, King, Knox, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Mitchell, Motley, Nolan, Reagan, Runnels, Schleicher, Scurry, Sterling, Stonewall, Swisher, Terry, Tom Green, Upton, and Wheeler.

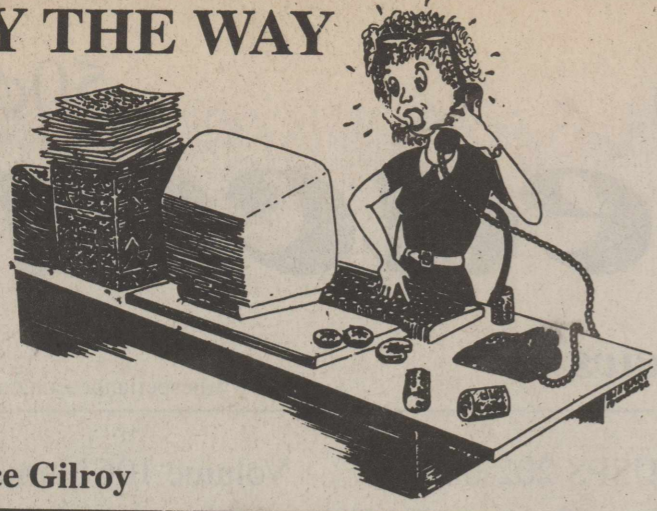


NEW DPS TROOPER PATRICK GAINEY has recently moved to Floydada. A Lubbock native, Gainey graduated from Coronado High School. He attended Texas Tech University and majored in Political Science. Trooper Gainey graduated from the DPS Academy in July 2002. He is married to Rashael Ritter Gainey, also of Lubbock. They have an 18 month old son, Parker Bear. His hobbies include hunting, fishing, and watching football.

Floyd County Fair --September 5-7

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BY THE WAY



By Alice Gilroy

My son turned 16 years old last week.

The excitement had been building for months and I didn't think anything could compare to the thrill of FINALLY getting his driver's license.

However, I was wrong. There was something better. It was the other present he got that seemed to bring the most excitement--the cell phone.

I guess the phone was neat because he already knew he was getting his driver's license--and he already had a pickup truck.

The 1981 pickup was bought almost two years ago because it was such a good deal. It was stored at his grandparent's house in Austin until he got old enough to drive. The pickup didn't have any of those fancy bells and whistles--until now.

My husband says the phone has provided us with our own GPS (global positioning system). I think that is a great way of looking at it.

I've planned this phone ever since I started worrying about my son being where I couldn't reach out and grab him.

I would have bought it for him sooner (like when he started kindergarten), but I couldn't justify the expense. The driver's license made all of that easier.

We planned a great way to give my son the phone. First we hid the phone on the kitchen table, surrounded by all the junk that is always on the kitchen table.

Brandon (my son) got up early for work, on his birthday, and sat down to eat breakfast.

My husband and I went into another room and dialed the new number that would soon be Brandon's "homing" beacon.

When it started ringing Brandon called out, "Dad, your phone is ringing."

My husband shouts back, "Answer it please."

You can hear my son (who is still half asleep) tearing the table apart looking for the phone. In a little bit we hear a hoarse, "Hello".

We commence to singing "Happy Birthday". When we are done there is total silence on the phone. My son did not have a clue who the weird people were on what he thought was his dad's cell phone.

I said, "Happy Birthday! This is your phone!"

"MY PHONE!" said Brandon. "COOL!"

He floated on air all day. He thought we were the neatest parents ever. It was more than he could have dreamed of.

That night he got to drive to Plainview by himself to attend a church youth function. He was so proud.

His phone was charged and in his pocket. His truck was washed and cleaned out. He had the world by the tail. I never had to give him another present for as long as he lived. I had done the ultimate. I was the best!

He arrived at church and couldn't wait to tell everyone what he got. He raced up to Wally Chavez (our wonderful youth director) and said, "Look what I got for my birthday!"

Then, wonderful-wise-and witty Wally said, "Brandon, you know--of course, that your parents didn't get that for you. They got that for themselves--to keep track of you."

Well no, Brandon didn't know that. Great. So much for the ultimate birthday present.

A view from



The Lamplighter

By Ken Towery
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"In war, truth is always the first victim". We forget who first said that, but it doesn't matter. Time has proven the truth of the comment, and now is no exception.

We are, according to the authorities, at war. We are also being fed a lot of disinformation, and it's not easy to sort it all out.

A great deal of that disinformation involves Iraq. We see "leaked" information in the New York Times that says war plans are already drawn up, that it is simply a matter of time before the first blows fall. Then we see denials, and denials of denials. Various officials say various things, and finally the President says he has no plans on his desk for a new (old?) war in Iraq at this time.

It strikes us that much (not all, but much) of the current talk is psychological warfare designed to put pressure on Saddam Hussein. Surely the President wouldn't involve the country in another undeclared mideast war while the Afghan thing is still running its course, and while there has been no solution to the Israeli-Palestine thing.

Or, would he? What, really, are we going to do, again, about Iraq?

Quite frankly, we don't know. The President is getting lots of advice from lots of people. He hopefully listens to some of that advice, and some of it is

hopefully ignored. Our big problem is figuring out whom he listens to. Our worry is that he may be listening to people with their own axe to grind. It wouldn't be the first time.

But if we had to bet on the deal, we would bet that we are not going to war with Iraq in the immediate future. If that turns out to be true, it will be because all the bluster has had its effect. A member of the British Parliament said Sunday that Saddam had told him that UN weapons inspectors could come back and have free reign to hunt for "weapons of mass destruction," whatever that means. In warfare, mass destruction covers a lot of ground. Right away, a spokesman in the Administration said those comments were "irrelevant," that Saddam knew what he had to do.

In a way, another war with Iraq may seem to be in the cards. Why do we

say that?

Well, there are a number of reasons, but primarily because the Israeli media says, in various leaked "backgrounders" to the Israeli press, that it is in their best interest for the U.S. to remove Saddam from power. The last time we checked, Bush did what Ariel Sharon wanted him to do, and as we read the Israeli press, that's exactly what the Israeli government wants Bush to do.

That position on the part of the Is-

raeli government will play itself out in comments and "position papers" across the political spectrum in America. Weighty "think pieces" from both sides of the political aisle will inform us of the imminent danger, not only of Saddam, but of Saudi Arabia, Egypt, Jordan, even Morocco. We will be told, by just about everybody from the left-wing Brookings Institute to the "neo-conservative" Weekly Standard that the only proper course is war.

Senator Joseph Biden (D), of Connecticut or somewhere, now Democratic Chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, has already come around to the conclusion that Saddam must be separated, somehow, from his weapons, whatever they may be. Given the arrangements between the Israeli lobby and the Democratic Party, of which Biden is one, and given Bush's efforts to undercut those arrangements, we can only draw the conclusion that given the proper time and circumstances, American troops will again be committed to a new war in the Middle East.

However, there are many arguments against that endeavor. It is reported that certain members of the Joint

Chiefs of Staff are reluctant to join the battle at this moment. Never mind. They will do what they are told to do thank goodness. Soldiers always do that. That is what they are supposed to do.

Never mind that most of America's allies around the world caution against a new war against Iraq. Never mind that the Majority Leader of his own Party in the House of Representatives, Dick Army, says the time is not ripe. But Army is leaving his post, and his office. Besides that, the historical record indicates that the only opinions that matter about the Middle East are the opinions of Israel's leadership.

Still, things may be different, this time. The junior Bush is thoroughly aware of what happened when his father bucked the Israeli establishment over the Saddam thing. That is not going to happen on the junior Bush's watch, if he can help it, and we believe he can help it. A lot of diplomatic footwork will be required, but we believe that goal is achievable. After all, part of diplomacy is getting oneself out of the box into which one has painted oneself, or has had painted for him.

Juvenile Board gets grant from Criminal Justice Division

Gov. Rick Perry today announced a \$25,438 grant to the 110th Judicial District Juvenile Board in Floydada to provide vocational training, mentoring services and counseling to at-risk youths.

The grant, funded by the Governor's Criminal Justice Division (CJD), will provide vocational screening and assessment services to teens in Floyd, Motley and Dickens counties who are referred to the Juvenile Probation Department. Upon completion of the vocation screening and assessment, the youths will be assigned to a training program based on their interests.

Each year, CJD provides more than \$130 million in grants to help Texans at the forefront of the fight against crime. CJD funds a variety of programs for juvenile justice, crime prevention and victim services grants - all aimed at making Texas a safer place.

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Cow/Calf seminar will be held at Unity Center August 21st

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TCEX Beef Cattle Specialist, Amarillo; agenda will be presented.
9:00 a.m. Registration, Coffee and Donuts;

9:15 - 10:15 Topic: Stocker Cattle, Cow/Calf Herd Health Care and Management, by Dr. Ted McCollum,

and Forage For Grazing, by Dr. Calvin Trostle, TCES Agronomist, Lubbock; 11:30 Conclude

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STATE REPRESENTATIVE PETE LANEY accepted a flag from 4-H'er Tasha Powell, on behalf of the new Lockey Youth Center. Laney was a guest speaker at the Open House, August 8, and Tasha presented the flag as part of her Citizenship Project with 4-H. Staff Photo

Courtroom Activities

In County Court, August 7, 2002: Pedro Ramirez, 17, of Floydada, was charged with Assault. There was no disposition on this case.

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Floydada Police

August 2, at 10:38 a.m., Orlando Lira, 23, of Floydada, was arrested in the 700 block of S. 5th, for Public Intoxication.

August 3, 2002, at 9:30 a.m., police stopped a vehicle in the 300 block of E. Georgia and arrested Gilbert Garza, 42, for Driving While License Invalid.

At 4:00 p.m., August 3, police took a report from a woman who said her former husband had violated her protective order. The case was turned over to the County Attorney for prosecution.

August 5, police stopped a minivan pulling a U-Haul trailer with a defective taillight.

The driver, Ahmed Fouad-Bazan, 33, of Egypt (living in Dallas on a visa); and the passenger, Rossana Mreno, 37, of Ecuador (also currently living in Dallas) were arrested for possession of cocaine and marijuana. Fouad-Bazan is being held by INS for possibly overstaying his visa.

Mreno also had an outstanding deportation warrant.

August 6, at 2:30 a.m., police on patrol observed 3 individuals running between residences in the 500 block of S. Wall. Police pursued them and found them hiding behind a house.

A 16 year old female and a 14 year old female were taken to PAC and charged with evading and curfew violations. A 19 year old female, Erika Eguia, was arrested for evading and violation of probation.

August 8, at 4:50 p.m., police observed a man taking several cases of beer out of the back of a pickup and sliding it across a porch into a house. According to Police Chief Darrell Gooch the officer was granted permission to search.

"The officer found eight 30 packs of beer outside being unloaded," said

Gooch. "Inside the house were two more 30 packs and 4 bottles of vodka."

The driver of the pickup, Jesus Johnston, 49, of Floydada, was arrested for transporting alcohol into a dry area. The resident at the house, Josephine Garza, 47, arrested for Possession With Intent to Resale.

August 8, at 9:18 p.m., police were called to a fight in the 400 block of S. 5th. "Police found 40-50 people running away, or fighting, or cussing," said Gooch. "Police saw a man running away and carrying a metal pipe.

They chased him down and arrested Victor Yannis, 17. He was charged with unlawful carrying a weapon and evading detention."

"At 10:50 p.m. the ruckus was still going on and police arrested Keith Collins, 21, of Floydada, for disorderly conduct."

August 10, at 12:25 p.m., Pedro Ramirez, 17, of Floydada, was arrested for outstanding warrant for assault.

Also on the 10th, police took a report from a resident in the 1100 block of S. 3rd of a broken car window.

At 11:43 p.m., police were called to Annie Taylor Park in reference to a fight. Police met with a 15 year old juvenile who told them he had been assaulted by a 20 year old man out of Plainview. Statements were taken and the case was turned over to the County Attorney for prosecution.

August 11, at 6:00 p.m., police were called to the 200 block of N. 13th in reference to a domestic disturbance. Reynaldo Cuba, 26, of Floydada, was arrested for Public Intoxication.

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Searsy and McLain wed

Charissa Rhea Keaton and Cory Joseph Golden were married Saturday, August 10 at 6:00 p.m. in the Third and College Church of Christ in Lockney. The ceremony was officiated by W. M. McFarland, long time friend of the bride's family.

The bride is the daughter of Charles and Donna Keaton of Lockney. Grandparents of the bride are Don and Sue Chesshir of Floydada and Claude and Mildred Keaton of Ransom Canyon.

The groom is the son of Joyce Golden of Wellman and the late Joe Roy Golden. Grandparents of the groom are A. A. and Oneta Sedgwick of Kress.

Maid of Honor was Beverly Brown of Lubbock, friend of the bride. Bridal attendants included Katie Cunningham of Lubbock, Tobi (Carthel) Rosencranz of Arlington and Kami Keaton, sister of the bride, of Lockney.

The maid of honor and the bridesmaids wore periwinkle organza gowns with a scoop neck, buttons down the back and tied with a sash at the empire waist.

Best Man was Chris Hamm of Brownfield, friend of the groom. The groom's attendants were Clint Forbes, brother-in-law of the groom, Brad Sekulich of North Carolina and Rusty Keaton, brother of the bride, from Lockney.

The grooms attendants all wore black tuxedos with black vests and ties and black patent shoes.

Serving as flower girl was Kaylee Forbes, niece of the groom. She wore a lavender organza dress with four lavender roses at the square neck line. She carried a white basket designed and constructed by the bride's mater-

nal grandmother and dropped silk rose petals. Her hair was adorned with a matching lavender halo with ribbons trailing down her back.

The candles were lit by Dillon Chesshir, cousin of the bride and Shayleigh Forbes, niece of the groom. Dillon wore a tux matching those of the groomsmen and Shayleigh wore a light pink gingham dress of organza.

Carrying the rings for the couple was Tyler Rekieta, nephew of the groom. He also wore a tux matching the groomsmen. He carried a white pillow that was also designed and constructed by the bride's maternal grandmother.

Guests were registered by the groom's sister Robin Rekieta. Guests were seated by Zach Logan, Zane Logan and Tyler Chesshir all cousins of the bride and Zach Chester and Garrett Flowers cousins of the groom.

Musical selections for seating of the guests included Surround Me With Love, Always and Forever, Unchained Melody, Amazed, Shape of My Heart, The Rose, The Wedding Song, We've Only Just Begun and It's Your Love. Rusty Keaton and Joe Trent sang Keeper of The Stars before the candles were lit to Let It Be Me.

Grandparents were seated to You Never Walk Alone. Mothers were seated to The Twelfth of Never. Each mother lit a candle as they entered the auditorium to be used in lighting the unity candle. The groom's mother's candle featured a sunflower in memory of her late husband.

The attendants entered to Annie's Song. The bride entered the church to the traditional Processional. You Light Up My Life was featured during the lighting of the Unity Candle and the couple left the church to a medley of

the traditional Wedding March and the Texas Tech Fight Song.

The bride selected an elegant and traditional gown of malie satin from the designer of the Emme bridal collection. The gown featured sheer long sleeves scattered with beaded re-embroidery lace appliques, a mock two piece silhouette and full ball gown pleated skirt. The bodice was also adorned with re-embroidered lace appliques as well as the top of the pleats of the skirt. The neckline was square with rounded corners and was finished with a satin band. The skirt fell gracefully in the back into a semi-cathedral length train. She wore a fingertip veil of white tulle attached to a beaded come of white pearls and Australian crystals.

The bridesmaids each carried a bouquet of pink, salmon, yellow and white Gerber daisies. The bride carried a traditional bouquet of white roses and white daisies. The groom wore a white boutonniere while the groomsmen wore Gerber daisies.

The front of the church featured a heart shaped archway with English ivy and a lavender and white tulle bow set in front of a white lattice with matching greenery. Two white candelabra sat on each side of the archway with a floral basket beside each candelabra. The center aisle of the church was dressed with white daisies in miniature wash tubs draped over the pews with lavender tulle ribbon. The flowers were arranged by the bride's maternal grandmother and aunt.

The reception was held in the Friendship Hall of the church. The bride's table featured a five tier white cake with white roses and a cascade of lavender flowers. The groom's table featured a German Chocolate sheath

cake with a Texas Tech centerpiece and Texas Tech golf balls. Both tables offered chocolate dipped strawberries.

Reception attendants were Tammie Shuping, who prepared both cakes, Jana Forbes, Christina Chesshir and Lydia Allen. Serving on the house party were Martha Sue Lusk, Virginia Stapp, Dorothy Stapp and Wanda Smith.

A bridesmaids luncheon was hosted earlier in the day by Melissa Long and Angela Ragland at Celebrations in Plainview. The bridal party and mothers, grandmothers and sisters of the bride and groom enjoyed a wonderful meal and spent time relaxing before the ceremony.

The bride is a graduate of Lockney High School. She is a senior at Texas Tech University where she is pursuing a degree in early education. She is employed by Jamie's Hallmark in the South Plains Mall.

The groom is a graduate of Wellman High School. He is also a graduate of Texas Tech University and is currently pursuing a graduate degree. He will be employed by Goodpasture of Brownfield.

Following a honeymoon to Florida and a cruise to the Bahama's the couple will reside in Lubbock.

Bridal courtesies were held in Lockney in the home of Martha Sue Lusk and in Brownfield. A lingerie shower was hosted by the groom's sisters and a linen shower was given by Beverly Brown in Lubbock.



MRS. CORY GOLDEN
(nee Charissa Rhea Keaton)

Floydada Senior Citizens News

The center is open Monday through Friday. If you are 60 years or older, come join us. Lunch starts at 11:30 a.m., so please call the Center at 983-2032 by 10:00 a.m. if you plan to eat lunch.

Our sympathy to the families of Ruby Custer, Pete Hickerson, and Henry Barber.

Also, our sympathy to the family of LaVerne Stewart, Vance Mitchell's brother.

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

In memory of Jewell Teague and Carrol Patton: Wendall and Pat Graham;

In memory of Ruth Harrison: Wendall and Pat Graham, Kenneth and Barbara Willis, David and Kristy Lunday, John and Judy Dunlap;

In memory of Jean Williams: Doris Hinkle, Sharron and Bill Fulton, Joe and Errin Hinkle, Vikki and Max Yeary;

In memory of Mamie Anderson: Margaret Jackson;

In memory of Kathryn Jackson:

Margaret Jackson;
In memory of Pete Hickerson: Tom and Edwina Emert;
In memory of Cecil Fyffe: Jo Wester.

Floydada Senior Citizens Menu

August 19 - 23

Monday - Baked ham on wheat toast, tator tots, peas and carrots, sliced tomatoes and fruit salad.

Tuesday - Turkey and gravy, cornbread dressing, green beans, wheat roll, grapefruit or orange sections and pumpkin pie or bars.

Wednesday - Pork chop, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, coleslaw, raisin bread and applesauce.

Thursday - Meat loaf, scalloped potatoes, spinach, cornbread and apple cobbler.

Friday - Lemon chicken, kidney or red beans, zucchini, tossed salad/ranch, hot roll and peaches.

**The Floyd County Fair
Will Be Held
At The Unity Center September 5-7**

Lockney Sr. Citizens News

Lockney Senior Citizens serves noon meals five days a week, Monday through Friday at a cost of \$3.00 for members and \$3.50 for nonmembers. Serving time is 11:40 a.m.

If you are unable to go to the center to eat, the food can be delivered to you at no additional cost.

We welcome Lucy Dean Record and Ike Johnson home after spending several weeks in Colorado.

Sally Brock of Clovis visited her mother, Carmen Dodson, a few days last week.

Remember the potluck suppers at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday nights.

Lockney Senior Citizens Menu

MENU

August 19-23

Monday - Meat loaf

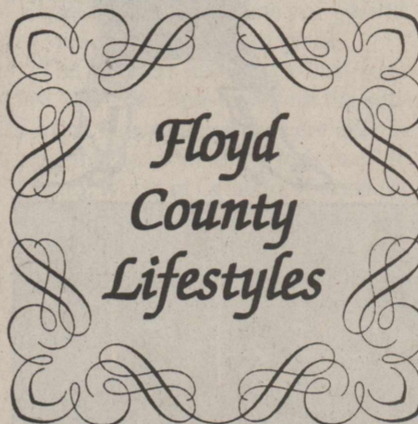
Tuesday - Hamburger steak

Wednesday - Chicken fried steak

Thursday - Ham

Friday - Chicken strips

Pray for Rain



Look Who's New!

CRUMPLER

William Tucker Crumpler is the new great-grandson of Dave and Frances Willis of Paducah.

He was born July 15, 2002 weighing 8 lb. 5 oz., and was 19 1/2 inches long.

Proud parents are Shayne and Rachele Crumpler of Benbrook. Paternal grandparents are Freddie and Fran Crumpler of Bronte and Donna Crumpler of Grapevine.

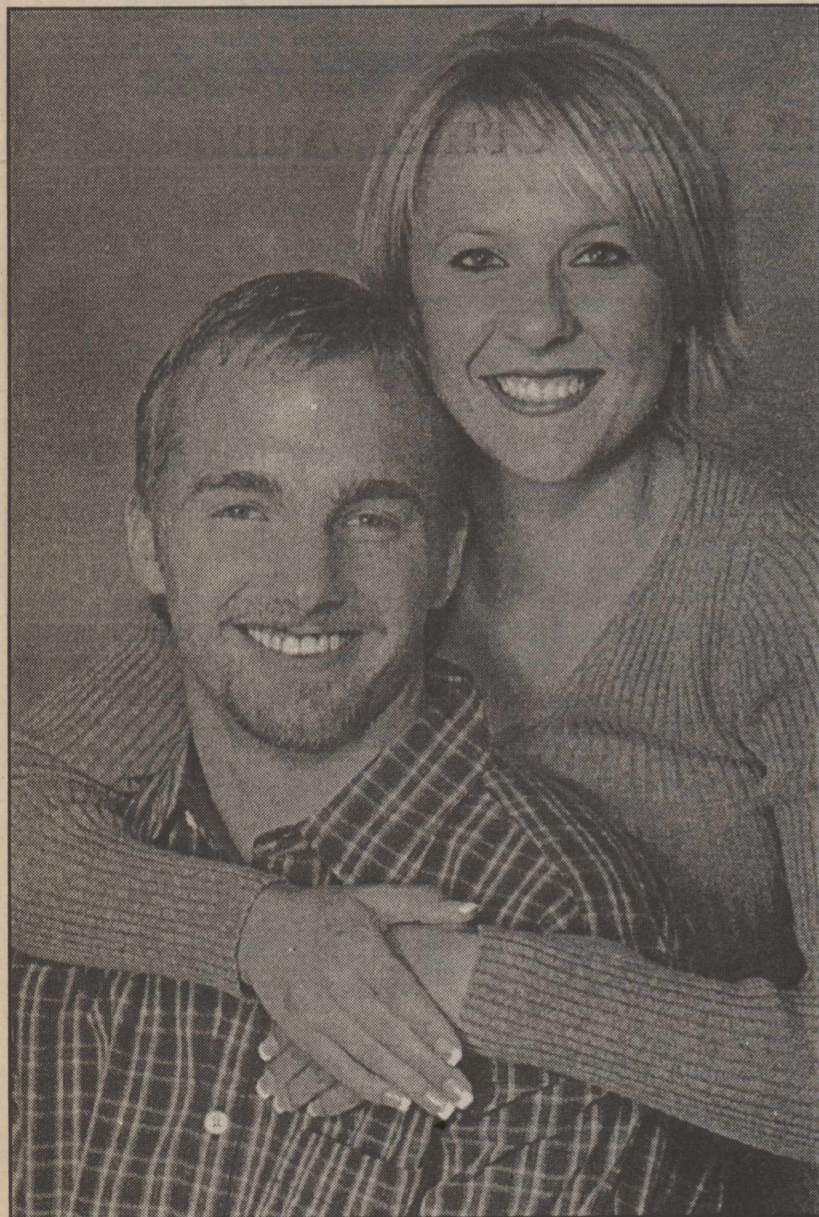
Maternal grandparents are Kenny and Mary Linke and Becky Linke, all of Amarillo. Maternal great grandparents are Richard and Charlene Weigle, and Richard and Marian Linke of Amarillo.

EMERY

Laron and Lisa Cheek of The Colony are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Rachel Tatum Cheek. Rachel was born August 9, 2002 at Plano Presbyterian Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces and was 18 3/4 inches long.

Rachel has a four-year-old brother, Michael Seth.

Proud grandparents are Mike and Liz DelMonico of Security, Colorado and Carolyn Cheek of Floydada.



JEREMY DALE SEARSY AND KACI JO MCLAIN

McLain and Searsy

Kevin and Lana McLain of Plainview announce the engagement of their daughter, Kaci Jo to Jeremy Dale Searsy of Plainview, son of Larry Searsy of Kress, and Ronnie and Renee' brown of Lubbock. Miss McLain is the granddaughter of Gene and LaNeta McLain of Plainview, Lanny and Mary Alice Tucker of Memphis, and Bennett and Shirley Reese of Jayton. She is a graduate of Lockney High School, and attended Wayland Baptist University and Vogue Beauty Academy. She is employed by Lana's Headquarters. Searsy attended Amarillo College and is employed by Chilton Heating and Air. He is the grandson of Eugene and Maxine Searsy of Kress, the late Johnnie and Bonnie Chilton of Hale Center, and Florence Coldeway of Kingsland. The couple will be married October 11, 2002 at Country Home Weddings in Canyon.

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AARON RENDON

Rendon wins U.S International Kick Boxing Championship

Lockney resident, Aaron Rendon recently won the U. S. International Kick Boxing Federation Championship for 8-9 year olds.

Rendon trains out of Plainview Xtreme Karate. His coach is Tommy Alcozer. Aaron, after only one year in this sport, will be heading to South Carolina in November, where he will

be representing the United States in competition with Canada and Mexico for the World Championship title.

He is the son of Carlos and Almadena Rendon; the grandson of Jr. and Rosie Rendon, and Ofelia Basaldua. The Rendon family wishes to thank Delta and Pine Land Co. and D & J Gin for their sponsorship.

Young named recipient of 2002 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo scholarship

When 70 Texas FFA members received a helping hand with their dreams of higher education through Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo scholarships, Kacie R. Young of Lockney, Texas, was among the outstanding recipients.

The Lockney FFA Chapter member plans to study animal industries at Tarleton State University. Kacie's parents are Ted and Kathy Young.

The four-year, \$10,000 scholarships were presented during the 2002 Texas FFA Convention July 11 in Fort Worth, Texas.

The scholarships presented to Texas FFA members are only one part of the Show's current annual commitment of more than \$8.5 million. The Show also awards direct scholarships through the Texas 4-H and the Texas Family, Career and Community Lead-

ers of America, plus through the Show's Metropolitan, Opportunity and School Art programs.



KACIE YOUNG
2002 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Scholarship Recipient

Lockney School Menu

August 19-23

Monday:

Breakfast - Donut or cereal, toast, juice and milk.

Lunch - Cheese pizza or corn dog, tossed salad, watermelon and milk.

Tuesday:

Breakfast - Sausage Biscuit or cereal, toast, juice and milk.

Lunch - Steak Fingers or P. B. J. sandwich, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, applesauce, hot rolls and milk.

Wednesday:

Breakfast - Blueberry Muffin or cereal, toast, juice and milk.

Lunch - Chili dog or ham and cheese on bun, potato rounds, carrot sticks, pears and milk.

Thursday:

Breakfast - Scrambled eggs or cereal, toast, juice and milk.

Lunch - Fish sticks or ham, pinto beans, spinach, fruited gelatin, cornbread and milk.

Friday:

Breakfast - Cinnamon roll or cereal, toast, juice and milk.

Lunch - Hamburger or tuna sandwich, french fries, lettuce, tomato and pickle, peach cobbler and milk.



YOUTH CENTER OPEN HOUSE--One hundred and fifty-seven people were served at the open house of the new Lockney Youth Center, August 8. Guests were treated to a tour of building (which is not completed), barbecue, and speeches by state and local officials. Tasha Powell presented the Youth Center with a flag as part of a 4-H Citizenship Project. Shown here are: (l-r) Glen Brooks, from the Criminal Justice and Juvenile Justice office of Governor Rick Perry; Denise and Jim Doucette, benefactors of the Center; Vicki Spriggs, executive director of the Texas Juvenile Probation Commission; Bruce Ballou, Chief Juvenile Probation Officer of the 110th Judicial District; and Eloy Felan, Juvenile Probation Officer and Coordinator of the Lockney Activity Center. Holding the flag are: (left) Patrick Doucette and (right) Tasha Powell.

Connie is Nifty Fifty



PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF MEETING

The City of Floydada will hold a meeting at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, August 27, 2002 at Floydada City Hall, 114 W. Virginia Street to consider adopting a proposed tax rate for tax year 2002. The proposed tax rate is \$.36000 per \$100 of value.

The proposed tax rate would increase taxes in the City of Floydada by 6.4336 percent.

Tax Code Section 26.052

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College News

Lexi Jae Jones, of Lockney, has been named to the President's Honor Roll at Southwestern Oklahoma State University at Weatherford.

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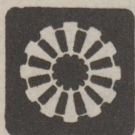
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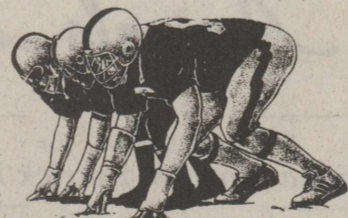


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Lockney Tiger League Football Organizational Meeting for Parents

Thursday, August 15th at 7:00 pm.
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To Be Drawn August 17th at Old Fashioned Saturday

Come "Meet the Longhorns" on Friday., August 16th at 6:00 at the football field. Meals may be purchased for \$5.00 for all non-athletes starting at 6:00 with player introductions beginning at 6:30. Meal deals will be \$5.00. All high school football players, cross country and cheerleaders will be introduced at this time. (All athletes will be fed after introductions.) See you there!!

* We will be glad to take button orders at this time.

Floydada ISD welcomes start of the 2002-2002 school year

By Jerry Vaughn
FISD Superintendent

School bells will have been ringing 112 years for Floydada ISD with the start of classes on August 19, 2002. The Floydada Independent School District has grown from 20 students to over 1800 students at its peak enrollment. Approximately 1040 students are expected to attend classes on the opening day at the campuses of FISD.

The accountability ratings have been recently released by the TEXAS Education Agency. Floydada High School received a RECOGNIZED accountability rating. Floydada Junior High, R.C. Andrews Elementary and A.B. Duncan Elementary each received an acceptable rating. The overall district accountability rating was acceptable for the 2001-2002 school year.

The administration staff is very excited about the upcoming school year. There have been changes implemented in the staffs and programs with the expectations that our students have the best education and the best educational opportunities possible in Floydada ISD. FISD is committed to the improvement of student achievement in all areas as we move into this new and exciting school year. In order to achieve this goal, FISD administration and staff welcomes the many opportunities to work with the parents and the community to provide the very best for our students.

There have been several new additions to the instructional staffs of our campuses. We are very pleased with the quality of teachers we have added to each campus. The new teachers will be a great compliment to an already outstanding teaching staff and will enhance the quality of instruction for the students of Floydada ISD.

The new staff members for

Floydada High School are Lee Sanchez, Social Studies/coach; Irene Luna, Spanish/ ESL; Tommy Rambo, Vocational Education; Angie Watson, Math/coach and Sandy Vaughn, Business Education/Accounting. The administration believes that these new staff members will compliment greatly the existing staff members. This staff will be working diligently to allow all students the opportunity to be successful throughout the school year in all academic areas as well as excelling in extra curricular and co-curricular activities. It will be an exciting year for the Whirlwinds!

Floydada Junior High will have Sonya Glass teaching Algebra I and Pre Algebra as a new addition to their campus. Irene Luna, will also be teaching Spanish I at the Junior High this coming year. Gilbert Trevino, Brandon Gilliland, Sarah Sanders and Kay Cage will also be joining the junior high staff for the 2002-2003 school year.

A new programmatic change at Floydada Junior High will begin this year with the offering of credits at Algebra I and Spanish I toward high school graduation. This will enable our students to begin working on the more advanced diploma requirements in the 8th grade. This will benefit students in allowing them more opportunities to take the more advanced courses or additional electives at the high school level. A couple of new elective courses will also be available for FJH students. Computer Art and Graphics will be a new elective as well as Jazz/Stage Band.

New teachers employed at R.C. Andrews Elementary are Mandy Hughes, Grade 3; Marijo Tunnell, 3-5 Art; and Shaley Stalls, Grade 3. In addition to the new employees, joining the RCA staff are Phyllis Smith,

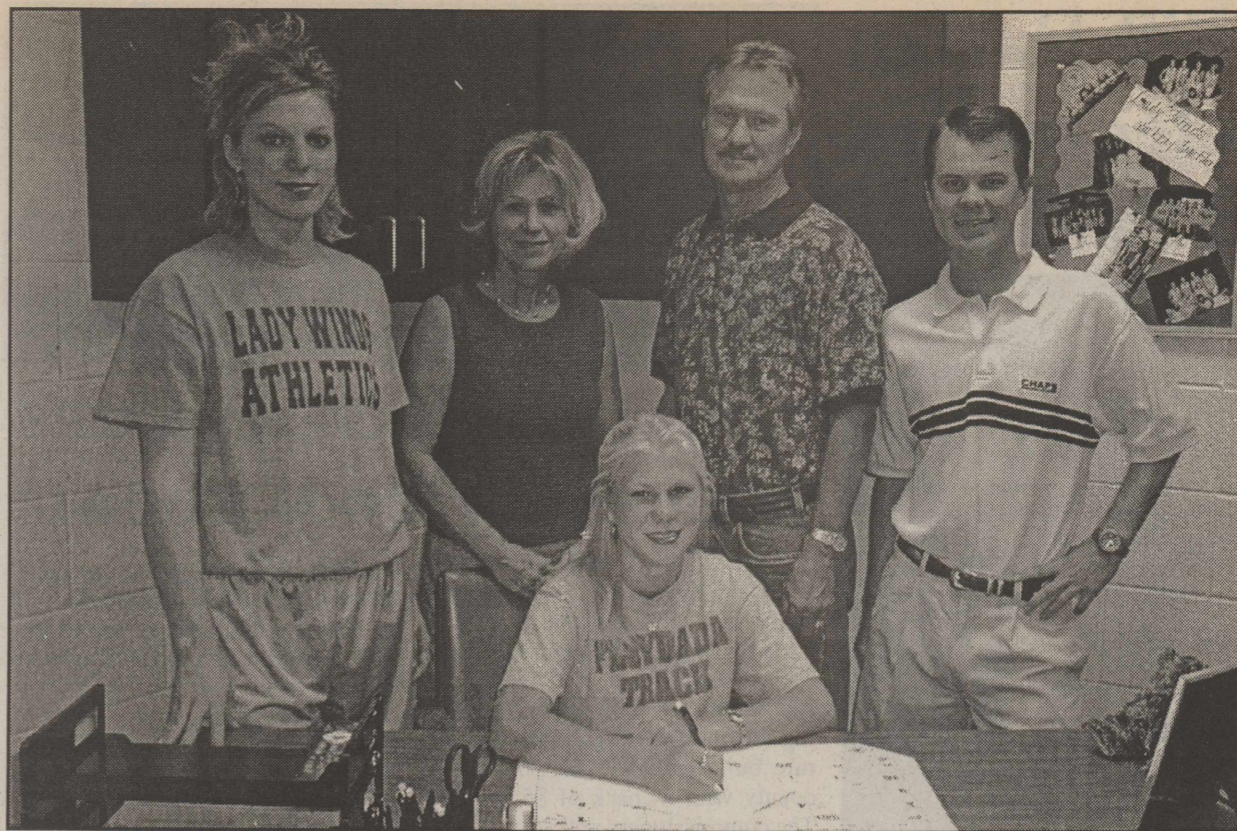
Melanie Craft, Robbie Odom, Sue Daniels and Carlyn Crawford. These teachers will give RCA an outstanding teaching staff and give their students many great opportunities throughout the school year.

Rhoda Morales and Kristie White are new to the district and will be joining the A.B. Duncan staff as Grade 2 teachers for the upcoming year. Also joining the ABD staff will be Karol Rainwater and Rosemary Finley. We believe these teachers will provide the very best quality of instruction and an outstanding foundation for our students as they begin their education in the Floydada ISD.

Caprock Counties Learning Center (CCLC) will welcome new teachers Kathy Brooks, Special Education; Scott Tytler, Social Studies and Therese Knowles, Science. Also new at CCLC this year will be the Disciplinary Alternative Education Program. The DAEP will be moving to CCLC from the Parent Adolescent Center. We are looking for great opportunities to meet the needs of those students being served at CCLC.

Classes will begin at 8:00 and end at 3:30 daily for students at all FISD campuses. The first three days of instruction (August 19, 20, 21) students will be dismissed and buses will run at 1:30. We encourage any students who will be attending classes at FISD and have not registered at the appropriate campus to please do so. We encourage anyone who has questions about any of the programs provided by FISD to contact any of the campuses or central office at 983-3498.

FISD is extremely excited about the upcoming school year and is welcoming ALL students back to a great school year. **FISD IS DEDICATED TO EDUCATION...COMMITTED TO EXCELLENCE.**



PAYNE SIGNS WITH BAYLOR--Jenna Payne, of Floydada, recently signed a letter of intent with Baylor University. Payne will be competing in cross country (which starts in September), and also indoor and outdoor track. Payne (front and center) is seen here with: (l-r, standing) her coach, Coach Brattain; mother, Denice Payne; father, Stan Payne; and brother Justin Payne.

Floydada High School Band Boosters ready to begin another exciting year

The Floydada High School Band Boosters will have their first meeting on Tuesday evening August 20th at 7:00 p.m. in the band hall. This meeting is for all band parents of a high school band student and for parents of students in the eighth grade.

The boosters had a very busy year last year. The boosters, with the support of the community, were able to send the Spirit of the Winds band to Disney World in Orlando, Florida for four fun-filled days. The band was able to march in the pre "Make a Dream Come True" parade in the Magic Kingdom. They also visited Epcot, The Animal Kingdom, Disney/MGM, and Downtown Disney. None of this would have been possible without the hard work of the band boost-

ers and the generosity of the community.

The boosters are planning many activities for the next two years. Some of the activities are the concession stand at football games, tamale sales, selling pastry products, and painting yard signs.

The band boosters are planning an end of year celebration for 2003 and another trip for 2004. Your help is greatly needed to make all these dreams come true.

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This Week's Announcements

"MEET THE WHIRLWINDS"
"Meet the Whirlwinds" will be held Friday, August 16. The scrimmages will start at 6:00 p.m. followed by the watermelon feast.

The Whirlwind Booster Club will also be having a "Hamburger Cookout" during the scrimmage. Hamburger meals will cost \$5.00. Purchase a membership to the Whirlwind Booster Club and receive 1 free hamburger meal.

Help support our athletes and join the Whirlwind Booster Club for \$10.00 per year.

LOCKNEY BAND BOOSTERS
Lockney Band Boosters will meet on Thursday, August 15th at 6:15 p.m. in the Band Hall. This is the first meeting for the 2002-2003 school year. Plans for the coming year will be discussed. All parents of band members are urged to attend.

FHS BAND BOOSTERS
The Floydada High School Band Boosters will have their first meeting on Tuesday evening, August 20th at 7:00 p.m. in the band hall. This meeting is for all band parents of a high school band student and for parents of students in the eighth grade.

CAMPBELL-CENTER-FAIRVIEW REUNION
The Campbell-Center-Fairview Center Reunion will be held Sunday, September 1, 2002 at the Massie Activity Center from 10:00 a.m. until ?.



LOCKNEY ATHLETIC BOOSTERS

There will be a meeting of the Lockney Athletic Boosters on Monday, August 19th at 7:30 at the Longhorn Gym. This will be to continue with organizational plans for the beginning of our athletic year. All Jr. High and High School parents are invited and urged to attend. See you there!

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Cost: \$100.00
(No Late Sign Ups)

Floydada Tiger League Sign Up



August 19th and 20th from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm at R.C. Andrews School. Bring a copy of your birth certificate. Cost \$50.00 + Pants.
For more information call Jesse after 5:00 pm at 983-3978

Floydada School Menu

September 19-23
Monday

Breakfast - Cereal, graham crackers, juice, milk
Lunch - Submarine sandwich, sliced turkey & cheese, pickle spears, fruit, milk

Tuesday

Breakfast - Biscuits, sausage, juice, milk
Lunch - Nachos, pinto beans, lettuce & tomatoes, assorted fruit, milk

Wednesday

Breakfast - Scrambled eggs, toast, cereal, juice
Lunch - Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes w/gravy, green beans, hot roll, jello w/fruit, milk

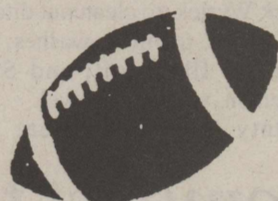
Thursday

Breakfast - Pancakes, syrup, juice, milk
Lunch - Spaghetti, tossed salad, garlic bread, frozen fruit bar, milk

Friday

Breakfast - Cereal, graham crackers, juice, milk
Lunch - Bar B Que on bun, French fries, pickle spear, fruit, milk

MEET THE WHIRLWINDS!



The 'Winds will scrimmage at 6:00 p.m. followed by a Watermelon Feast

FRIDAY, AUGUST 16th

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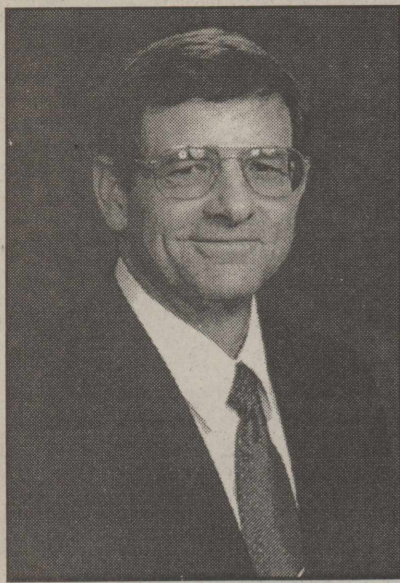
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Bill Harbin elected to TEC board



BILL HARBIN

Billy C. Harbin, executive vice president and general manager of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc. in Floydada, has been elected to the board of directors of Texas Electric Cooperatives Inc. (TEC). The state-wide organization serves 75 electric cooperatives in Texas. The Election was held August 7 at TEC's 62nd annual membership meeting, in Dallas. "I'm honored to serve on the TEC board. The association provides valuable assistance to its members and I intend to contribute as much as I possibly can," Harbin said. "Co-ops have outpaced big utilities in gaining the trust of their member-consumers and keeping them satisfied. Our goal is to continue providing superior service."

Prior to joining Lighthouse, Harbin was engineering services manager at Lamb County Electric Cooperative Inc., for almost 14 years. He is a second-generation co-op employee. His father, Joe Harbin, was a director and later a longtime employee of Bailey County Electric Cooperative.

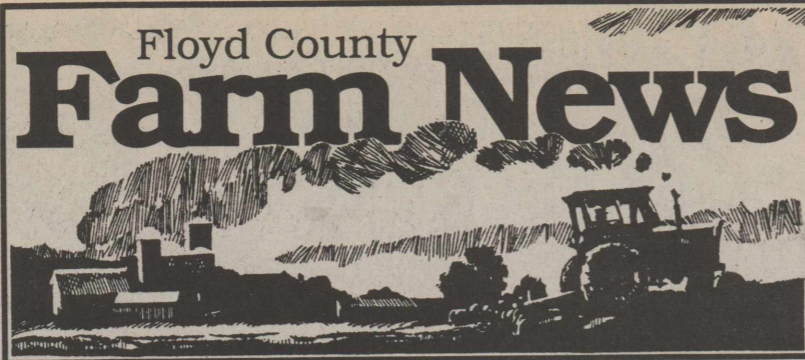
"It has been my great good fortune to be associated with our program for most of my life," the new director said. "I am grateful for the privilege of serving the wonderful people who are employed by and are members of the electric cooperatives of Texas."

Harbin grew up on a dairy farm in Bailey County and attended Muleshoe High School. He has a degree in agricultural engineering from Texas Tech University.

Active in the community, he has served as president of the local Economic Development Foundation and is chairman of the Municipal Airport Board. He also is chairman of the Board of Directors of Golden Spread Electric Cooperative.

He and his wife Linda have been married for 35 years. They have one son, one daughter and three grandsons.

Lighthouse Electric Cooperative owns 4,000 miles of line and serves approximately 8,000 meters in the Panhandle and South Plains. The counties served are Briscoe, Childress, Collingsworth, Cottle, Crosby, Dickens, Donley, Floyd, Hale, Hall, Motley, and Swisher.



Commissioners discuss necessary roof repair

Floyd County Commissioners met Monday, August 12, and approved roof repair and farm contracts.

An insurance adjuster with the Texas Association of Counties inspected the county buildings (including the courthouse, jail, and agriculture building) and will present the county with a check of \$54,849.50. The commissioners will advertise for bids for reroofing those buildings.

The Department of Human Services (which occupies a county building but only pays utilities) has requested that the county pay to remodel the building. The estimate for remodeling would be approximately \$50,000.

The Lubbock office of the Department of Human Services requested that the rent be increased to cover the cost of remodeling. The Commissioners Court will ask for the request and agreement to be put in a written proposal.

The Commissioners approved a resolution supporting the regional effort of volunteers, including the Northwest Texas Museum Association in their application for the Texas Plains Trail designation.

The organization works to develop the Plains Trail region as a marketable tourism destination.

The court approved farm contracts for Kirk Wyrick, to clean out ditches; Eddie Smith, to fill in washes; A.T. Moore, to fill in pit; and Steve McPherson, to spread gravel.

County Extension Agent J.D.

Ragland reported on 4-H progress. "Floyd County 4-H ranked highest in the state for the most 1st place wins in Recordbooks," said Ragland. "Floyd County 4-Hers brought home 5 first place awards."

Ragland told the Commissioners the 4-H Achievement Banquet would be Sunday, August 18.

The Floyd County Extension Agency will also sponsor a Stocker Cattle-Cow-Calf Clinic, August 21, from 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. at the Unity Center.

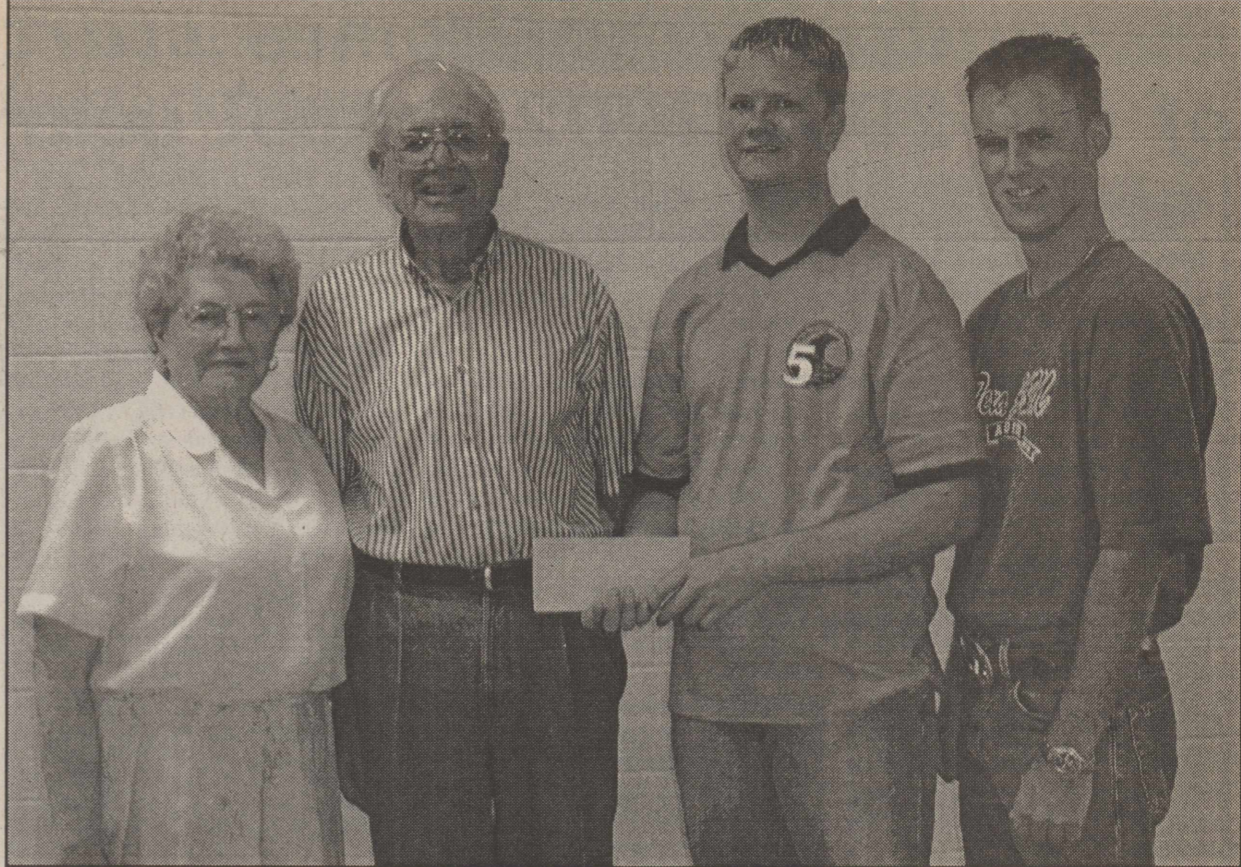
August 27th, the Extension Office and the FSA office would sponsor an informational meeting on the new farm bill.

September 10, the annual Floyd County Ag Tour would start at 8:00 a.m. at the Unity Center. There will be 3 stops on the tour: The tour will first visit three sites on the James Hinton Farm concerning "no till";

Second--at the farm of Rick Reddy, producers will look at drip irrigation; and then to David Cook's farm, in Sandhill, to look at test plots of cotton varieties.

Ragland told the commissioners the irrigated cotton crops were doing well, and the dryland was "hanging on".

The County Treasurer's report showed, "the total of funds held by the County Treasurer, as well as other assets in her hands in the sum of \$290,653.05. First National Bank Certificate of Deposits was \$585,000.00."



(L-R) VERNA LYNN AND L.B. STEWART present a donation for the Veteran Memorial to the Memorial Chairman Skyler Cornelius and Board Member Garrett Mathis. Contributions to date total \$85,903.74. The goal is \$90,000.

See you at Old Fashioned Saturday In Lockney On August 17th

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By Shawn Wade
Business and agriculture leaders across the State are coming together August 27 in Lubbock to express their appreciation to House Agriculture Committee Chairman Larry Combest of Lubbock for his efforts to secure passage of the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002.

The event is open to anyone wishing to attend. Scheduled to begin at 5:00 p.m. and conclude by 7:00 p.m., August 27, festivities will be conducted in the main Exhibit Hall at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center.

Forty-four agricultural and business entities have signed on to co-sponsor the event to date. There is no charge to attend and business people, farmers, ranchers and all other interested individuals are encourage to attend the "come as you are" event.

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FLOYD COUNTY UNITY CENTER, MUNCY
(New Community Building located 1/2 way between Floydada & Lockney on the West Side of U.S. 70)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21, 2002
9:00 A.M. - 11:30 A.M.

PROGRAM AGENDA

Topics	Speaker
9:00 Registration, Coffee - Donuts, Welcome	Dr. Ted McCollum, TCEX Beef Specialist
9:15 - 10:15 Herd Health Care & Management	
10:15 - 10:30 BREAK	
10:30 - 11:30 Small Grains & Forage for Grazing	Dr. Calvin Trostle, TCEX Agronomist
11:30 Wrap Up & Conclude	

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Old Fashioned Saturday Schedule of Events August 17th 2002

Times subject to change

3 on 3 Basketball canceled for lack of interest (No sign-up entries turned in)

Time	Location	Event
ALL DAY	MAIN STREET	CAR & MOTORCYCLE SHOW
9:00 a.m.	Main St. - Lockney Oil	Bead Run
10:00 a.m.	South of Tastee Burger	Washer Pitch
10:30 a.m.	Main Street Registration Booth	Texas Pedal Pull registration begins
11:00 a.m.	Main Street Main Stage	Local Entertainment
12:00 p.m.	Methodist Church lot	Volleyball Tournament
1:00 p.m.	Main Street	Texas Pedal Pull
4:00 p.m.	Main Street Main Stage	Winners Announced for Car Show
5:00 p.m.	Main Street	Lujan's Tae Kwon Do & Karate Exhibition Local Entertainment
6:00 p.m.	Main Street Main Stage	Local Entertainment
7:00 p.m.	Main Street Main Stage	Local Entertainment
8:00 p.m. - Midnight	Main Street	U4RIC Dancing & Live Entertainment

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AUCTION CALENDAR

SATURDAY, AUG. 24 - 9:30 A.M.
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The Shop - Owner
Located: Hereford, Texas
Selling: Mechanic shop, Vehicles, and boat

Ⓢ **SATURDAY, SEPT. 14 - 10:00 A.M.**
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Market Report August 8, 2002

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Packer cows & bulls steady.

Steers:

2 - 3 wt. 110	- 130 cwt.
3 - 4 wt. 90	- 109 cwt.
4 - 5 wt. 85	- 90 cwt.
5 - 6 wt. 78	- 85 cwt.
6 - 7 wt. 75	- 80 cwt.
7 - 8 wt. 70	- 75 cwt.

Heifers:

2 - 3 wt. 90	- 103 cwt.
3 - 4 wt. 85	- 91 cwt.
4 - 5 wt. 78	- 88 cwt.
5 - 6 wt. 74	- 79 cwt.
6 - 7 wt. 68	- 74 cwt.
7 - 8 wt. 66	- 73 cwt.

Bred Cows:

Young: 550. - 630. per head
Older: 380. - 550. per head

Pairs:

Young: 750. - 820. per head
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Packer Bulls: 47 - 52 cwt.
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HOUSES FOR SALE

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HOUSE FOR SALE-- 223 W. Ollie. 5 lots, storm cellar and storage building, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, den and fireplace. Call 983-3545. tfn

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PUBLIC NOTICE

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 12th day of August, 2002 and that the total of funds held by the County Treasurer, as well as other assets in her hands in the sum of \$ 290,653.05.

First National Bank Certificate of Deposits \$ 585,000.00.

WITNESS OUR HANDS, officially, this 12th day of August, 2002.

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

8-15c

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF SALE

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By virtue of Orders of Sale issued out of the Judicial District Court of FLOYD County in the following cases on the 1st day of August, 2002, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell at 11:00 a.m. on the 3RD DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2002, which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the OFFICIAL door of the Courthouse of said FLOYD County, in the City of FLOYDADA, Texas, the following described property located in FLOYD County, to-wit:

Cause No. 5259TS - CITY OF FLOYDADA VS MARTINEZ PAULINE EST & PAT MARTINEZ EST.

All of Lots Nos. 1 and 2, in Block No. 18, in Bartley Heights Addition to the Town of Floydada, Floyd County, Texas.

Cause No. 5260-TS - CITY OF FLOYDADA VS MITCHELL MINNIE EST & CHARLES MITCHELL

All of Lot Number One (1), Block Number Ten (10), Original Town of Floydada (Floyd City), Floyd County, Texas.

Cause No. 5271TS - LOCKNEY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS PYLE MELBA EXECUTOR OF EVERITT H PYLE ESTATE

Being a 1.454 acre tract out of the east part of a 22.2 acre tract out of the southeast part of Survey No. 73, Block G, Floyd County, Texas.

BEGINNING at a spike set in the centerline of F.M. Highway No. 378, and in the east line of 61 feet North of a nail found for the southeast corner of Survey No. 73, Block G, Floyd County, Texas;

THENCE North 269 feet along the centerline of said highway to a spike set for the northeast corner of said 22.2 acre tract;

THENCE S. 89°44'14" W., along the north line of said 22.2 acre tract passing 5.2 feet South of a powerline, in all, 235.5 feet to a set 1/2 inch steel rod;

THENCE South 269 feet to a 1/2 inch steel rod set 61 feet North of the south line of said survey;

THENCE N. 89°44'44"E., along a line parallel and 61 feet North of the south line of said survey, at 56.1 feet pass 20 feet South of the southwest corner of a well house, in all 235.5 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING and containing 1.454 acres including highway right of way.

Levied on the 1st day of August, 2002 as the property of said Defendants to satisfy the judgments rendered in the above styled and numbered causes, plus all taxes, penalties, interest and attorney fees accrued to the date of sale and all costs recoverable by law in favor of FLOYD COUNTY, CITY OF FLOYDADA, MACKENZIE MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY-FLOYDADA, FLOYDADA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, HIGH PLAINS WATER DISTRICT, CAPROCK HOSPITAL, LOCKNEY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT AND LOCKNEY HOSPITAL.

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Obituaries

HENRY BARBER

Memorial services for Henry Goodson Barber, 96, of San Antonio were held at 10:00 a.m. Thursday, August 8, 2002 at the Forum at Lincoln Heights in San Antonio. Funeral services were held at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, August 10, 2002 at the Cotten Bratton Funeral Chapel in Weatherford.

Burial was in the Greenwood Community Cemetery.
Mr. Barber died Monday, August 5, 2002.

He was born in Weatherford, Parker County, on January 13, 1906 to the late Mr. and Mrs. W. Barber. He graduated from Weatherford Junior College and held a Masters Degree from Texas A&M University.

He taught eight years in Parker and Fisher counties, four years in Harold and then moved to Floydada where he taught for 30 years. He retired in 1969 and moved back to Weatherford where he lived until July 1991. He then moved to a retirement home in San Antonio.

He was a Baptist, a Mason and a member of the Chamber of Commerce as well as a life member of the Retired Teachers Association of Texas. He helped organize the Parker County Chapter of Retired Teachers Association and served as its first president.

He served as president of the Floydada Rotary Club and was the state president of the Vocational Teachers of Texas. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Floydada, where he taught a men's Sunday School Class and was chairman of the Board of Deacons for 30 years. He also chaired a pastor search committee and sang in the church choir.

He was currently a member of the Trinity Baptist Church of San Antonio.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 72 years, Corine Jones Barber.

Survivors include a son, Don Randall Barber and his wife, Ann of San Antonio; a sister, Mayme Heartsill of Weatherford; four brothers, Winburn L. Barber of Weatherford, Joe Ralph Barber of Sun City, James Ray Barber of Tyler and Billy T. Barber of Tampa, Florida; three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Donations may be made in his name to Grace Place Alzheimer's Activity Center, Grace Lutheran Church, 504 Ave E, San Antonio, Texas 78215.

BILLY BARKER BYBEE

Funeral services for Billy Baker Bybee, 73, of Houston were held at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, August 13, 2002 at the Earthman Funeral Home in Houston.

Graveside services were held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, August 14, 2002 at the Lockney Cemetery. Reverend Neely Landrum of the First United Methodist Church of Lockney officiated. Masonic Rites were also given.

Burial was under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Lockney.

Mr. Bybee died Saturday, August 10, 2002 at his home.

He was born July 24, 1929 in Lockney to Delbert and Lois Baker Bybee. He married Patricia Hobbs on July 1, 1977.

He attended schools in Sterley, South Plains and Lockney. He served honorably in the United States Navy as a gunner and cook on the USS Ozburn and the USS Stockham. He received the Korean Service Medal, Naval Occupational Medal and the China Service Medal.

He became a 32-degree Mason in 1984. He was a Shriner with the drum and bugle corps of Houston's Arabia Temple. He was also a member of the Scottish Rite, Veterans of the Foreign Wars, American Legion and he was also a Methodist.

He also became a Master barber in 1956 in Amarillo. He owned barber shops in Amarillo, Midland and Houston. Before his heart attack, he owned seven barber shops in Houston. At the time of his death, he owned and worked parttime at the "Piney Point" barber shop. Some of his famous customers were President George Bush, Dr. Denton Cooley and Red Adair.

Survivors include his wife, Patricia Bybee; seven children; one brother, Donnie Bybee of Lockney; four sisters, Loree Hammitt of Plano, Betty Stevenson of Lake Whitney, Fredda Schafer of Dallas and Patsy Stephens of Denver, Colorado; eight grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to the American Heart Association, 3403 73rd Street, Lubbock, Texas 79423 or to a favorite charity.

JAMES CAMPBELL

Graveside services for James Campbell, 91, of Tuttle, Oklahoma were held at 1:00 p.m. Friday, August 9, 2002 at the Cone Cemetery in Cone.

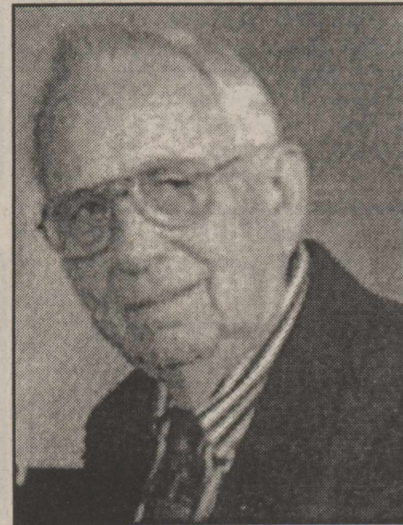
Arrangements were under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada.

Mr. Campbell died Tuesday, August 6, 2002 in Tuttle, Oklahoma.

He was born on January 31, 1911 in Tuttle, Oklahoma to the late Charles Russell and Susan Josephine Jones Campbell. He attended schools in Tuttle, Oklahoma and was a cowboy and a Baptist.

He was preceded in death by three brothers, John Campbell, Charles Carroll Campbell and Marshall Pete Campbell and three sisters, Annie D. Cuthbertson, Agnes Uhl and Cecil Githens.

Survivors include one son, John Charles Campbell of Minco, Oklahoma; three daughters, E. Rowena Bowen of Chickasha, Oklahoma, Janet Susan Campbell of Poteau, Oklahoma and Dee Campbell of Huntington Beach, California; 20 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.



L.T. (PETE) HICKERSON

Funeral services for L.T. (Pete) Hickerson, 84, of Floydada were held at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, August 13, 2002 at the First United Methodist Church of Floydada. Reverend Earl Blair of Canyon officiated and Dr. David Jones, pastor, assisted.

Burial was in the Floyd County Memorial Park under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada.

Mr. Hickerson died Sunday, August 11, 2002 at his residence.

He was born July 31, 1918 in Dallas County to the late Flay and Sadie Adair Hickerson. He moved to Floydada from Dallas in 1925 and graduated from Floydada High School in 1938.

He married Wanda Lou Sargent on November 12, 1938 in Crosbyton. He was employed by the Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service for 25 years before retiring in 1982.

He was an active member of the First United Methodist Church of Floydada and served on its board and committees. He had also served on the board of directors of the South Plains Open Heart Club. Hickerson was an avid gardener and influenced beautification in his neighborhood.

Hickerson and his wife were Methodist Youth Fellowship directors for 13 years. They were active in the American Field Exchange Student Program and were host parents to Bok Shin Lee Powell of Korea, now of Virginia; Enrico Pizzini of Milano and Verona, Italy; and Orhan Erisir of Istanbul, Turkey.

Survivors include his wife, Wanda; one daughter, Pat Carthel and son-in-law, Bill Carthel of Silverton; two grandchildren, Tania Halbleib of Plainview and Thad Carthel of Abilene; and two great-grandchildren, Kenady and Jagar Halbleib of Plainview.

The family suggests memorials to Hospice Hands of West Texas, P.O. Box 118, Lockney, Texas 79241, the First United Methodist Church, 203 W. Kentucky, Floydada, Texas 79235 or to the American Heart Association, 3403 73rd Street, Lubbock, Texas 79423.



LAYNE MERCER

Funeral services for Layne Mercer, 16, of Canyon were held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, August 7, 2002 in the First Baptist Church of Canyon. Reverend Curtis House, pastor of First United Methodist Church of Happy and Reverend Paul Burwash, pastor of First Baptist Church of Happy officiated.

Burial was in the Happy Cemetery under the direction of Brooks Funeral Directors.

Miss Mercer died Sunday, August 4, 2002 in New Mexico.

She was born on January 14, 1986 in Amarillo to Tim and Jackie Allison Mercer. She attended Canyon schools through the eighth grade and then became a Happy Cowgirl.

She was active in Happy Cowgirl basketball, cross country and was sophomore class vice-president, president of FFA and homecoming flame queen. She was a regional qualifier in golf.

She was a member of Randall County 4-H and was active in stock shows. She was affiliated with First Baptist Church of Happy and Methodist Church youth groups.

Survivors include her parents, Tim and Jackie Allison Mercer of Canyon; a sister, Timberly Mercer of Canyon; her grandparents, Dub and Jontha Mercer of Lockney and Jack Allison of Dalhart; and two uncles, Joe Allison of Dalhart and Dan Mercer of Canyon.

The family suggests memorials be to Layne Mercer Memorial Scholarship Fund at First State Bank of Happy, % Judy Shipman, P.O. Box 1001, Happy, Texas 79042.

LAVERNE STEWART

Graveside services for Laverne Stewart, 73, of Crosbyton were held at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, August 14, 2002 in the Crosbyton Cemetery. Reverend Scott Parrish and Reverend Vance Mitchell officiated.

Burial arrangements were under the direction of Adams Funeral Home.
Mrs. Stewart died Monday, August 12, 2002.

She was born on January 3, 1929 in Midford. She moved to Crosbyton in 1946, moved away and returned in 1990.

She was a homemaker and a member of the Assembly of God Church.

Survivors include a son, David Stewart of Woodway; two brothers, Gary Mitchell of Crosbyton and Vance Mitchell of Floydada; a sister, Mary Bowen of Midland; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.



Memorial Hospital To Sponsor Blood Drive

Mangold Memorial Hospital will sponsor a blood drive, Tuesday, August 20, in the hospital lobby from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

For an appointment to donate call Dimple Adams at 652-3373.

THE POWER TEAM IS COMING

The muscular "Power Team" of modern-day Samsons, from the John Jacobs Evangelistic Association will bring their "power" show to the Floyd County Unity Center, August 21-25.

The Power Team members will break free from steel handcuffs, rip several license plates and a Feist directory, break through several feet of granite or ice blocks with their head, or press a 300 pound log-in flames at both ends over a musclemans head.

My family and I would like to express our immense gratitude to everyone for the telephone calls, cards, visits, food baskets, flowers and prayers during my (JR.) recent surgery. With all the support I have received, it has helped progress my recovery at record speed.

The Junior Martinez Family

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AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH

Randy Curtis, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH

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

CALVARY'S CORNERSTONE FELLOWSHIP

Floydada
Armando Morales, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Bible Study 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening . . 7:00 p.m.

CARR'S CHAPEL

Service Every Sunday:
Morning Worship 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

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

CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST

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

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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
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.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Floydada
Dr. David Jones, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Lockney
Rev. Neely Landrum, Pastor
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Praise/Worship 7:00 p.m.

GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

Joe Bennett, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday: 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service. . . . 7:30 p.m.

MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST

Lockney
Russell Harris, Minister
Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday..... 7:30 p.m.

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

Floydada
Rev. Ralph Jackson
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.
Thursday: 7:00 p.m.

NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Floydada
Pastor Elder Ronnie Hedges
Telephone (806) 637-0430
Sunday Singing 10:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

POWER OF PRAISE FULL GOSPEL CHURCH

Rev. Manuel Rendon, Pastor
704 N. Main, Lockney
Sunday Services 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

PRIMER IGLESIA BAPTISTA

Lockney
Pedro Villareal, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

PRIMERA IGLESIA BAPTISTA

Floydada
Rev. Lupe Rando
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening . . . 7:00 p.m.

SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Lockney
Jim McCartney, Pastor
Wednesday Communion..8:00 p.m.
Sunday Mass 11:30 a.m.

SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH

Joe Weldon, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

TEMPLO GETSEMANI ASSEMBLY OF GOD

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Rev. Ray Gonzales
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983-3047 (parsonage)
Sunday School 9: 45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Floydada
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Deacon Ricky Vasquez
Sunday Mass 11:30 a.m.
Mon., Tues., Wed. Mass . 6:30 p.m.
Saturday Mass 9:30 a.m.
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Phone: 983-5878

TEMPLO BAPTISTA SALEM

Lockney
Pedro Reyes, Pastor
Sunday Prayer Service.. 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:45 p.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Meeting . . . 7:00 p.m.

TEMPLO BETHEL SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Washington and 1st St.
Rev. Eliseo Ovalle 983-6202
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service . . . 7:00 p.m.

TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA

Rev. Herman Martinez
308 W. Tennessee, Floydada
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Tuesday..... 7:30 p.m.
Thursday Service 7:30 p.m.

TRINITY ASSEMBLY

Floydada
Henry Russell, Co-Pastor
Vance Mitchell, Co-Pastor
983-5499
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:40 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

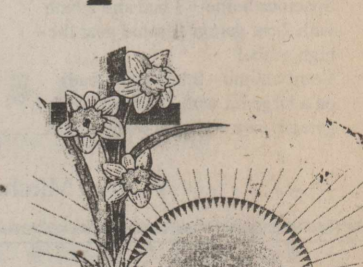
TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Providence Community on FM 2301 293-3009
Melvin Loseke, Minister
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

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Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.

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