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FLOYD COUNTY WHEAT CROP POSSIBLY DAMAGED BY LATE FREEZE-A late freeze in Floyd County Tuesday morning, April 13, has done some damage possibly to the wheat crops in the northern part of the county, while damage in the southern part of the county may be minimal, according to Floyd County Agent J.D. Ragland. "The older wheat in the northern part of the county, in the boot stage, could have received more damage. It all depends on how much colder the temperature was and the growth stage of the wheat. It will be at least 10 days before we will know the extent of the damage," said Ragland. Shown speaking at the Floyd County Wheat Field Day Tuesday morning is Dr. Calvin Trostle, Agronomist TCE at the Cecil Jackson farm west of Floydada.

Prepare now for severe weather

Courthouse basement no longer available as storm shelter

Emergency personnel and the preparation for the severe

West Texas gradually increases in March and April reaching a peak in late May and early June.

"In this area," said Ed Calianese of the National Weather Service Forecast Office, "it is not a question of whether we will have severe weather but rather when will it develop?

21 tornadoes developed across year as well as a number of thunhail and damaging wind."

Local 911 dispatchers are asking the public not to call the Sheriff's office or Fire Department when the weather is bad. Have your game plan formulated before severe weather comes to the area

In Floydada the courthouse

Lubbock National Weather Ser- experienced one of the driest able as a storm shelter. Shelters vice office are gearing up in years on record in 2003 and yet will also not be open to the puweather months on the South the South Plains area during the department. The severe weather season in derstorms that produced large an emergency," said a Floyd

Lockney considers trash collection site

A tentative plan for a new city collection center, along with recommendations for rules governing it was presented by Junior Brotherton to the Council for its consideration at their April 8, 2004 City Council meeting.

It would be free to Lockney citizens, but there would be a charge per ton for others. A city water bill would be required as proof of residence.

'The whole idea is to provide an efficient way to get city trash cleaned up", said Mayor Stapp. "I am for it, if it can be run under extremely controlled conditions; remember what we got into last time.

Council was in agreement to go forward with it, with further research into the details of its operation.

Two representatives from Atmos Energy Company were present to hear the council unanimously approve new rates on a motion by Junior Brotherton and second by J.D. Copeland. They also fielded questions from the Council. The company had requested an increase of 7.7 million dollars, but the State approved a 3.2 million dollar increase. The new rate represents an increase of 2.93%

Consideration of a Tax Abatement Act was tabled until the next meeting.

Councilwoman Mathis informed the rest of the Council of the availability of some crushed asphalt for City use at a cost of \$62.10 per load.

Mayor Stapp responded, "I am extremely conservative, but considering our Mackenzie expenses will be much less than we budgeted, I would support amending our budget, so that we can take advantage of this opportunity to build up some of our roads. This material is hard to come by.

Amending the budget passed unanimously on a motion by Ginger Mathis and second by Junior Brotherton.

In considering rental prices for the Community Building, Council agreed to form a committee, and go by its recommen-

Mayor Stapp mentioned the citizens are being generous in their contributions to pay for \$17,000 state mandated repairs to the city pool. "However, we are looking at a good \$70,000 total, so we need the contributions to continue. Looks like the pool will open on time," Stapp

U.S. Representative Neugebauer on Campaign Swing Through Floydada The public is invited to meet with U.S. Representative Randy Neugebauer and U.S. Representative Mac Thornberry in Floydada, Thursday, April 15, at Lighthouse Electric Co-op, at 3:30 p.m.

bic at the county jail or the fire cover. Another long "all clear"

"Do not call 911 unless it is County dispatcher.

"There is only one dispatcher on duty and that person is having to deal with the National Weather Service, the fire department, and law enforcement. Taking the time to answer the phone could take away from important information that protects the pub-

Citizens will be notified of threatening weather through their television and tornado sirens will

"This portion of the country basement will no longer be avail- be sounded if a tornado is threatening Floydada or Lockney. A long siren will sound to take siren will blast when it is safe to

> A severe weather "watch" means that conditions are right for severe weather to develop but that there is no immediate danger. In a watch--"Watch the sky"

A "warning" indicates imminent danger to life and property to those in the path of the storm and you should take protective action immediately.

Texas ranks first in the country in the average number of reported tornadoes with more than Continued On Page 2

Gas leases on rise in Floyd County

98,000 acres have already been "leased up" for gas exploration in Floyd and Motley Counties, according to a representative with MTT.,LP of Quitaque. Another company, Quicksilver, has also been leasing land in these counties for gas exploration.

Landowners are being cautioned to read all the fine print and make sure they have legal representation before signing lease contracts. To help landowners understand oil and gas leases an information meeting is being sponsored by the Floyd County Extension Service, Tuesday, April 27, at 7:00 p.m., at the Unity Center in Muncy.

"We will have 3 certified lawyers who are familiar with these type of contracts," said Extension Agent J.D. Ragland. "I have been asked lots of questions and some people seem to be unsure of what they are signing. There has also been some confusion over water rights and the fear that the landowner may lose his water rights. We want to make sure people know what they are signing before they enter into agreements."

Wayne Hughes, the executive vice president of the Panhandle Producers and Royalty Owners Assoc., (an advocacy group for landowners); says, "My three favorite words to any landowner is, 'Get An Attorney'. The very first person you should talk to before you enter into any agreement is

cess but the landower can end up carefully." with a new well drilled by the company doing the exploration.

"Usually an agreement is made with the surface owner to drill a water well. When the exploration is over the well is turned over to the surface owner. The water is not part of the mineral estate.

"What landowner wouldn't want a well given to them?"

Hughes says the language of the lease should spell out who pays for the pumping of the wa-

Hughes encourages anyone with questions about the process to visit his website at: www.pproa.org, or go the website of the National Association of Royalty Owners (NARD).

"People who own mineral rights should become active members of NARD if a mineral is found on your land--- and Get an attorney.

William Reeves, a representative of MTT, says his company has been working for several years on developing areas for gas exploration. "We do not have a proven field yet. We have leased up 98,000 acres and we are still leasing. We are not looking for oil--there is no oil here. We are looking for gas, and we have to find a very large gas site to make it productive. Gas exploration is very expensive."

Reeves also says landowners should be careful before signing contracts. "These are very nice people around here. They believe what they are told. If they don't understand a contract then they shouldn't sign it.

"Many people don't understand that signing a lease option is a legal and binding contract agreeing to sign a lease. Some believe that you can go back after signing and renegotiate a

"The lease may give rights to water but it is for drilling purposes. Drilling the well is done with owner approval. To avoid Hughes says gas companies confusion people need to read will need water for drilling pro- contracts--read options--and read

> Reeves agreed that different contracts read differently on how the water payment is handled. "But, the gas company isn't interested in obtaining your 'water

> The informational meeting provided by the County Extension Office will include topics, such as: "What You Need to Know", "Knowing the Company You Are Dealing With", Comparing Contracts", "Asking the Right Questions Before Agreeing"

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LHS Band sponsoring auction and dinner to help with funding trip

in the process of raising money for their band trip to Florida in May. In an effort to make the trip more affordable for the youth the band is sponsoring a silent auction, luncheon, and band concert, April 18th, at the Lockney Elementary Cafeteria.

The luncheon will start at 12:00 noon, Sunday, and will be provided by parents of the students going on the trip.

The concert will begin at 2:00 p.m. and the high bidders of the silent auction will be announced at the concert.

There will be no charge for the lunch however donations will be

Anyone wishing to donate items for the silent auction can call Kerry or Jamie Gardner at 652-1502 between 4:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m. by Friday, April 16th.

Items already included in the auction include: \$40 gift certificate to the Cactus Theater, denim and flannel stadium quilt from Dr. and Mrs. Gary Mangold, 1 hour massage and I hair product gift pack from Rosa's Massage and Hairstyling, 2 paintings by Elfie Sherman, small push lawn mower, 1 harmonica from Ziegler's Music Co. in Plainview, 1 knife from Diamond Industrial, 1 small curling iron from Sally's Beauty Supply, 1 full set of 4 collectible cows and an adult

Lockney Band youth are still meal and child's meal from Chick-Fil-A, 2 1/2 gallons Round-Up Ultramax from Wilbur Ellis, 1 9.9 injection pump from Eco Drip of Abernathy, 10 lb. box of hamburger patties from Lockney Meat Company;

Four tickets to Showplace 6, \$25 shopping spree in South Plains Mall, 2 certificates for Logan's Roadhouse-1 entree and 1 non-alcoholic beverage, \$25 United gift card, 2 bracelets from Friendze's of Lubbock, 4 movie passes to Plainview's Cinemark,

wooden craft items, 20 lbs. hamburger meat courtesy of Kerry and Jamie Gardner, oil change from Raceway Fuel, a pair of Terracotta swans from the Mangolds, an oil change from Hi- Plains Bandag and much



AUCTION ITEMS--Some of the auction items that will be available at the Lockney Band's silent auction, April 18th, are seen here. The auction is being held in conjuction with a concert to raise money for the band to take their trip in May. See the related story.

Courtroom Activities

In County Court, March 31, ,2004:

Johnny Douglas Benton, 40, of Austin, pled guilty on March 31, 2004 to a March 1, 2004 charge of DWI. He was sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for 2 years.

In County Court April 6,

Louis Reyes Amador, 42, of Lockney, pled guilty to October 9; 2003 charge of DWI. Amador was fined \$600 and 180 days in jail which was probated for 2 years plus court costs.

Manuel Arredondo, 28, of Floydada, pled guilty to a February 27, 2004 charge of DWI. He was fined \$600 and court costs and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for 2 years.

Jimmy Avila, 59, of Floydada, pled guilty to a January 27, 2004 charge of Possession of Alcohol with Intent to Resale. He was fined \$600 and court costs and sentenced to 6 months in jail which was probated for 2 years.

Claude Lee Chandler, 34, of Vernon, pled guilty to a January 15, 2004 charge of Possession of Marijuana, of More Than 2 oz. but Less Than 4 oz. He was fined \$600 and court costs and sentenced to 6 months in jail which was probated for 2 years.

A January 15, 2004 theft charge against Jerry Estes, of Plainview, was dismissed.

Elena Gonzales, 38, of Lubbock, pled guilty to a March 12, 2004 charge of DWI. She was fined \$600 and court costs and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for 2 years.

James Johnston, 46, of Floydada, pled guilty to a February 27. 2004 charge of DWI. He was fined \$600 and court costs and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for 2 years.

Demencio Lopez Jr., 26, of Floydada, pled guilty to an April 5, 2004 charge of DWI. He was sentenced to 3 days in jail plus court costs.

Leslie Don Robertson, 49, of Denton, pled guilty to a April 4, 2004 charge of Deadly Conduct. He was fined \$1,500 and court Striking Fixture.

costs and sentenced to 6 months in jail. He was placed on Deferred Adjudication for 2 years.

Jerry Lynn Williams, 40, pled guilty to an October 10, 2003 charge of Criminal Mischief. He was sentenced to 6 months in jail plus court costs and restitution of

Linda Ratliff Williams, pled guilty to a January 26, 2004 charge of Theft by Check, More than \$20 but Less Than \$500. She was assessed court costs, hot check fees, and restitution of \$103 on court costs to be paid on May 6, 2004.

In County Court, April 13, 2004:

Victor Alaniz, 23, of Floydada, pled guilty to a March 22, 2004 charge of DWI. He was fined \$600 and court costs and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for 2 years.

Isaac Cain Campos, 24, of Floydada, pled guilty to a March 12, 2004 charge of DWI. He was fined \$600 and court costs and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for 2 years.

In County Court April 15,

Billy Carl Race, pled guilty to an April 13, 2004 charge of Deadly Conduct. He was fined \$1,500 and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was deferred for 2

Also in County Court:

April 2, 2004: Susanna Alaniz, 17, of Floydada, was charged with Criminal Trespass.

April 12, 2004, Keith Deshone Ledbetter Collins, 23, of Floydada, was charged with Possession of Marijuana under 2 oz.

April 13, 2004, Henry Garcia, 46, of Floydada, was charged with Possession of Alcohol for the Intent to Resale and for Possession of Marijuana under 2 ozs.

April 13, 2004, Jason Glenn Harrison, 26, of Floydada, was charged with DWI

April 13, 2004, Justin Tye Marble, 27, of Floydada, was charged with DWI and Duty on

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Tempie Francis, Attorney at Law in Floydada, will serve as Real Estate Law. the meeting moderator.

Watson, and Rod Wetsel, will be purposes but they would apprethe speakers. They are all board ciate an RSVP at 983-4912.

certified by the Texas Board of Legal Specialist in Oil, Gas, & Mineral Law and Farm & Ranch

The Extension Office says it John Irwin, Charles "Skip" is not mandatory for attendance

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If at home during a tornado, take shelter in a predetermined safe place such as a basement or storm cellar. Get under something heavy. If no such place is available then move into a small interior room on the lowest floor such tornado. as a closet or bathroom. Put as many walls between you and the outside as possible. Leave mobile

homes for a sturdier structure.

If in a vehicle, go to a nearby 130 occurring each year across study building. If there is no building nearby and you are in immediate danger from the tornado then find a low spot such as a ditch or a ravine. Lie low and cover your head with your arms and hands. Do not stop at overpasses and attempt to wait out the

> Most importantly..stay informed and have a plan of action ready should the need arise.

Get your tickets now for the Floydada Chamber of Commerce Banquet, April 29, 2004 at the Friend's Unity Center

> \$12.50 for adults \$8.50 for children

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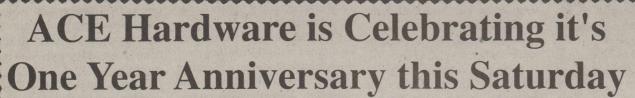
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BUSINESS OF THE MONTH-The Floydada Chamber of Commerce selected First National Bank of Floydada as the "Business of the Month" for April. FNB of Floydada is located downtown at 124 S. Main and their phone number is 983-3717. They offer Free Checking, No Service Charge, No Minimum Balance, Unlimited Check Writing, Free Check Safekeeping and Overdraft Privilege for Personal Accounts. Employees shown are: (front row, l-r) Kelli Hinsley, Monte Williams, Glenda Wilson, Mary Ann Reyes, Sara Segura, Emma Pate; (back row, l-r) Carrie Terrell, Jodie McGuire, Dixie Smith, Beth Eckert.

Floydada Senior Citizens News

By Margarette Word

The Center is open Monday through Friday. Lunch starts at 11:30 am and if you plan on eating with us please call by 10:00 a.m., 983-2032. Come eat a hot lunch and visit with your friends.

Recently Roberta Hardin retired as our church organist from the First Baptist Church. A retirement party was given in her honor Sunday evening March 28, 2004, for her years of service.

Wednesday, April 7, volunteers working at Spirit of Sharing ate lunch with us. They were Connie Galloway, William and Fave Bertrand, Bob and Charlene Alldredge, Mary Pierce, Helen Coleman, Jimmie L. Stewart, Helen Lipham, Evelyn Williams, Virginia Cage, Margie Sue, Loretta Burns, Linda Holbert, Joyce Henderson.

Recently Wanda Williams and her family had a weekend family get together. They were: Gertrud Brand of Lafayette,

Colorado: Nell and Dub Eubanks of Winnsbora; Lois Karr of Lubbock; Noami Johnston from Lockney; James and Wanda Huckabee of Stephenville; and Doris Huckabee, also from Stephenville.

Our sympathy to the family of Bernice Spencer.

Our sympathy to the family of Rachel Jenkins.

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

In memory of Julia Baker -John and Geneva Cockrell, Diana Glover, Keith and June Patzer, William and Faye Bertrand, Louis and Virginia Pyle, Jo Wester.

In memory of Jackie Walls -Carolyn Marble, William and Faye Bertrand, Judy Beedy.

In memory of Turner Hunter - William and Faye Bertrand, Judy Beedy, Joe and Lynn Dunn. In memory of Marguerite Ward - Jo Wester.

In memory of Ted Alexander - Mark and Dee Earle Sanders. In memory of Kyle Glover -Guy and Margaret Ginn.

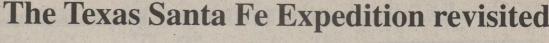
In memory of Son Jackson -Guy and Margaret Ginn.

wheat roll, grapefruit or orange sections, pumpkin pie or bars Wednesday - Pork chop, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, coleslaw, raisin bread, applesauce Thursday - Meat loaf, scalloped potatoes, spinach, cornbread,

roll, peaches



apple cobbler Friday - Lemon chicken, beans, zucchini, tossed salad/Ranch, hot



By Bill Gray

In a first-ever joint meeting of the West Texas Historical Association and the Texas Map Society held at Abilene's Hardin-Simmons University on April 2 and 3, Marisue Potts of Matador and Bill Gray of Floydada presented portions of their papers on the 1841 Texas-Santa Fe Expedition. They were joined in their presentations on the ill-fated journey by Gerald D. Saxon of the Texas Map Society. Eddie Guffee, director of the Museum of the Llano Estacado at Wayland Baptist University, presided in the segment.

The 1841 expedition was an attempt by the Republic of Texas to establish a trade route from San Antonio to Santa Fe. It ended when New Mexican authorities intercepted the caravan before it reached Santa Fe, arrested all its members, and marched the surviving Texans 2,000 miles to various prisons in Mexico.

Marisue Potts' segment centered on her well-known account, (Quitaque); Camp Resolution of

the Texan-Santa Fe Expedition." Gray's paper was taken from his award-winning account, "A Masonic View of the Texan-Santa Fe Expedition of 1841", prepared for the Texas Masonic Lodge of Research in 1986. Entitled "The 1841 Santa Fe Expedition -- Was It An Invasion?", Gray presented evidence that contradicts the invasion theory, still held by many citizens of New Mexico.

Floydada's Lou Burleson also presented a paper at the Abilene meeting, entitled "A Woman's Voice from the Runaway Scrape." It dealt with the flight of thousands of Texas settlers following the fall of the Alamo and the Goliad Massacre in 1836.

Potts, Chairman of the Motley County Historical Commission, and Gray (a member of the Floyd County Historical Commission) contributed the research necessary to place two historical markers commemorating the

"Deathwatch on the Quitufue 1841 campaign. Located five miles south of Quitaque on FM 1,065, the vicinity marks the approximate spot of "Camp Resolution" (among the known bivouac and staging areas of the operation). Potts and Gray are both preparing papers for next year's 82nd annual meeting of the West Texas Historical Association, which will be held at Sul Ross University in Alpine.

Founded in 1924, the West Texas Historical Association is dedicated to promoting the history of a huge region from Ft. Worth west to the Texas Panhandle. The Texas Map Society is a much younger organization (founded in 1996), but equally passionate about history -- in this case, the history of cartography. Both groups also have a healthy cross section of members. At both the WTHA and TMS meetings, you are apt to meet professors, history buffs, ranchers and physicians.

E.M. "Son" Jackson - Gayle

Turner Hunter - Janet

Milam, Don and Carolyn Hardy,

Alton and Sue Higginbotham,

Paul Schacht, and Gayle Jackson.

Fred Byrd - Paul Schacht.

Marble, Don and Carolyn Hardy,

Janet Milam, Alton and Sue

Higginbotham.

A.W. James - Don and Nancy

James Trueman Kirk -

Rosemary S. McBride, Mr. and

Mrs. Harold L. Penn, Dinks and

Beth Eckert, Rex and Marillyn

Lee King, Bob and Marilyn

Chapman, Mrs. Lorena

Dunavant, Don and Myra

Higginbotham, Jack and Billie

Jordan, Don and Nancy Marble,

Shelby Calahan - Doyle and

Jacqueline Walls - Alton and

Nancy Carter - Ruth

Julia Baker - Doyle and Dor-

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Floyd County Historical Museum News

By Carolyn Hardy

Dr. Donald Blakeslee, stu-

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tory and Genealogy Center has

had many visitors this past

month. A few of the names re-

searched are Williams, Splawn,

Smith, Reed, Braidfoot, Jordan,

guests registered from the states

of Texas, Indiana, Kansas, North

Carolina, Ohio, Wyoming, Ar-

kansas, Colorado, Arizona, Utah,

Oregon and California. On April

Wheatcroft from Moffat, Scot-

land visited the Museum. With

them was Gary Edson who is

with the TTU Museum. The

Scotland visitors complemented

the exhibits for their inclusion of

the people and history with the

items displayed. They were es-

pecially pleased to find that the

Museum houses a History and

Recent memorials include:

Bryan Smith - Don and

Mary Warren - Janet Milam.

Kenneth Wofford - Gayle

Fred Carthel - Gayle Jack-

Nancy Marble, Paul Schacht, and

Jackson, Don and Carolyn

Hardy, and Paul Schacht.

Genealogy Center.

Gayle Jackson.

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Bell, Lawson and Thomas.

The Floyd County Pioneer Reunion will be on Saturday, May 22, 2004. The Museum will be open from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. The wildflower show will be held in the East room and volunteers will be assisting children in making rope. The Museum will be hosting open house from 1:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. on Friday, May 21. The open house gives local and out of town visitors the opportunity to tour the museum prior to Saturday's festivities. Refreshments will be served. A slide show of old photographs will be shown on the computer. Frank Potts has scanned more than 1400 photographs from the Museum's photograph collection. Frank will be here to assist with requests to see specific photographs.

dents and volunteers from the University at Wichita, Kansas were here during spring break working at the Jimmy Owens Site in Blanco Canyon. The weather was good and more artifacts from the Coronado expedition were found.

The Mary Lou Bollman His-

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Laney & Stokes,

Locals win writer's contest

YOUNG WRITERS--(L-R) Zane Montandon and April Arevalo stand with entertainer Tim A.

McKenzie, at the Lubbock Arts Festival Young Writer's Competition. Floydada Junior April Arevalo won both 1st and 2nd place and Lockney Junior Zane Montandon won 3rd place. See

Two Floyd County youths nounced the award winners. captured top slots in the 2004 Lubbock Arts Festival Young Writer's Competition. Floydada junior, April Arevalo, garnered both first and second place honors in the poetry competition, and junior, Zane Lockney Montandon, took third place. These students and other prose and poetry winners were honored Friday evening in the Exhibit Hall at the Civic Center.

Children's author and entertainer, Tim A. McKenzie, anMcKenzie congratulated the young authors and shared his experiences of writing and publishing his new book and CD entitled Baxter Barret Brown's Bass Fiddle. Winning entries are published on the online journal, Secondary English.

Both students wrote their entries as part of English III assignments. Arevalo's first place autobiographical entry, April, was part of an English assignment, as was Montandon's entry, The

Glass Menagerie. Arevalo's second place entry was written to Continued On Page 4

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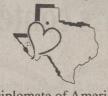
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Wylie celebrates ninetieth birthday

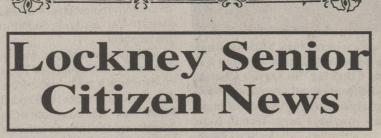


MARIE WYLIE

Marie Reves Wylie will be celebrating her ninetieth birthday on April 17, 2004 from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of West Third and College Church of Christ.

She was born on April 21, 1914 in Montague County to Charley and Hattie (Knight)

Everyone is invited to come help her celebrate. No gifts please, as your presence or a card will be a wonderful gift to her.



Floyd County Lifestyles

By Vera Jo Bybee

Wilma and Linda Edwards' luncheon guests at the Center last Thursday were Judy Macha, Dennis and Mary Carter, Jason Carter and his fiancee Amber Hersman of Cheyenne, Wyoming where Dennis is stationed at F.E.

Warren Air Force Base. Jason and Amber spent a few days last week visiting his parents, the

The 48ers had their monthly luncheon in Plainview Tues April 6th with five members and one guest present. Present were Bobbye Lu Casey Bean of Silverton, Erma Hall Mickey of Plainview, Betty Myers Threadgill of Floydada, Inez Dunavant Mosley and Vera Jo Rogers Bybee both of Lockney,

Guest was Inez's daughter Elaine who is now making her home in Lockney.

Easter Sunday Donnie and I enjoyed lunch with our son Louie and daughter-in law Cynthia and their sons Bryan and Tyler, Cynthia's brother Martin Stoerner and his son Heath. Martin's wife Robin is recuperating at home following surgery.

Our thoughts and prayers are with John Alvin and Rochell Dorman and family on the death of John's Mother Margaret Service. Her funeral services were held in the First United Method-Dimmitt April 3, 2004. Her quilt was entered in the Amateur ist Church in Lockney Sat April

Pieced Quilt division. Overall, there were around 200 quilts This week's Senior Citizen and Pennsylvania, to name a few. She has been retired for seven profile is on Bobby and Mervean Carthel Mervean Patterson was dent School District. Ethelyn stated, "I've always wanted to hand born April 6, 1933 to O.B. and quilt when I retired. This way I can sit and do my thing." She has Virgie Frasier Patterson at been quilting about four years, and has already won or placed Aspermont, Texas. They moved to Floyd County in 1944 where she graduated from Lockney Dimmitt. Ethelyn belongs to "Wednesday Women", a sewing club High School in 1950. She marwhich meets weekly at 9:30 a.m. on Wednesdays, at First Bap- ried Bobby Carthel May 14, 1949 tist Church in Lockney. It is open to all women. She also belongs at Clovis, New Mexico with to a quilting club in Plainview. "I piece two quilts a year on aver- Leroy and Jo Harrison attending.

Bobby was born Dec. 21, 1930 to Cap and Irene Harrison at Lockney. He graduated from Lockney High School in 1949 where he was a Lockney Longhorn football star.

They are the parents of four children. One son Dart of Lockney, and three daughters Sherrey of Plainview, Jackie of Lawton, Okla. and Tammie of Farwell. They have six grandchildren and four greats. Bobby and Mervean have lived in Floyd County all of their married lives and now are enjoying retirement in Lockney,

Thank you Bobby and Mervean for being this week's

want to say a little more about Bobby and Mervean. Bobby and I started to school together in 1936. Donnie came to Lockney in 1942 and Mervean in 1944. We were classmates and good friends during all our school years. Then we all got married and started our families. Our children are close in ages too. Sherrey is just 3 months older than our Dara. Their son Dart is 5 months younger than our Louie and Jackie is seven months younger than our Becky.

Bobby and Donnie played in a softball league every summer on the Fire Department's team. Bobby playing left field and Donnie center field. So Mervean and I raised our children at the ball park. When the babies were little you could see our cars just a rocking out by the center field fence. We didn't know what a baby sitter was. This all was happening in the 50's. To be contin-

Menu for April 19-23 Monday: Beef Patties with Brown Gravy

Tuesday: Beef Soft Tacos Wed: Chicken Fried Steak Thursday: Baked Chicken Friday: Ham

Harmony Extension Club News

By Melissa Long The Harmony Extension Edu-

cation Club met Tuesday, April 6 in the home of Vivian Curtis with Juanita Pool serving as hostess. The words to "Mary Did You Know?" by Mark Lowry were read as the opening by Juanita

The roll call of "What Have You Done to Prepare for the Unexpected?" was answered by eight members. Vivian Curtis presented the program, "Preparing for the Unexpected" with helpful suggestions on ways to be prepared in the case of an emergency. She also read an article entitled All You Need to Know, I Learned from the Easter Bunny.

After recreation, delicious refreshments were served by Juanita Pool to Alice Jiminez. Lucille Miller, Anna Maude Hopper, Maye Williams, Imelda Ramsey, Vivian Curtis and Melissa Long. The next meeting will be held on Monday, May 3 at the Ivy Garden Tea Room in Peters-



AARON DIETRICH AND JOLEE FLETCHER

Fletcher and Dietrich

Tracy Fletcher of Lockney announces the engagement of her daughter, Jolee, to Aaron Dietrich son of Michael and Jo Beth Dietrich of

Miss Fletcher is the daughter of Gary Fletcher of Shallowater, granddaughter of Bessie Fletcher of Lubbock and the granddaughter of the late Patricia Couch. She is a 2001 graduate of Lockney High School and is a senior business major at WTA&M.

Dietrich is the grandson of Sue Dietrich of Plainview. He is a 2001 graduate of Lockney High School and a 2003 graduate of Western

The couple will be married June 12, 2004 at the Trinity Lutheran

Martin and Zachary

Zach Zachary, along with Randy and Tammie Mitchell announce the approaching marriage of their son Matthew Shane Zachary to Meredith Jean Martin, daughter of Keith and Lawana Martin, of Winters.

Grandparents of the groom are Rudy and Wanda Zachary and Bobby and Mervean Carthel, both of Lockney. Billie Martin, grandmother of the bride, resides

Fry's celebrate 50th Anniversary

in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fry celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary on April 3, 2004 at the Triple T. It was hosted by their children and grandchildren. They were married April 6, 1954.

They wish to thank Jerry and Abby Battey who own the Triple T for making this a fun time. Their lunch was so good!

Happy 40th Birthday



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Senior Citizens. In the segment on memories I \$\foralle{\partial} \partial \ Look, Feel and Dream Like An Angel with Avon and Angelic Candles

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floral arrangement in the bride's Linda Matsler. locals win writer's contest Call Darlene Broseh

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chosen colors of navy, cranberry

and cream. An assortment of

grapes cascaded in an artful dis-

play completing the table deco-

ration. Guests were served a de-

licious assortment of pumpkin

bread, banana nut bread, sausage

pinwheels and sausage balls,

complemented by fresh fruit and

shower were: Karen Lawson,

Margie Fowler, Joyce Owens,

Jan Willson, Cheryl Bradley,

Zahn Turner, Kay Tinney, Teresa

Hollums, Mary Garrett, Judy

Thayer, Helen Teeple, Janice

Lloyd, Linda Jackson, Noma

Hostesses for the wedding

Continued from page 3

fore Ethelyn was born.

urday, April 3, 2004.

Wood, uncle.

and centerpiece.

A wedding shower honoring

Selena Wood of Dallas, bride-

elect of Chris Wilson, also of

Dallas was given in the home of

Karen Lawson of Floydada Sat-

a spring mix to match her outfit.

Mae Wood, grandmother; Chris

Wilson, perspective groom;

Vance Wood, father; and Weldon

The hostess gifts were a 10 piece set of Calphalon cookware

The serving table was set with

crystal appointments including a

The bride-elect's corsage was

Special guests included Ina

honor the local veterans during the Veteran's Memorial ceremony earlier this year. Arevalo was the only award winner to win two places in the poetry competition. Each of the students' entries was submitted by their English teachers, Anne Carthel of Floydada and Meredith Miller of

tall cut-crystal vase featuring a Lou Rainer, Connie Bertrand and

"CARD TRICK SAMPLER"---Ethelyn Garnett, retired teacher

from Lockney, won third with her beautiful hand quilted sam-

pler quilt, done in blues, rusts, greens and golds, at the Ogallala

Quilter's Society Seventh Annual Festival and Quilt Show at

judged, from Texas, New Mexico, Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska,

years, though she still substitutes some for the Lockney Indepen-

high at the Floyd County Fair, the South Plains Fair in Lubbock,

and two years ago at the Ogallala Quilter's Society Quilt Show in

age," she said. Her upcoming projects include a quilt top that

was pieced and embroidered by her grandmother sometime be-

Wood honored with Wedding Shower

Arevalo is the daughter of Hernestina Arevalo of Floydada and will be graduating as a three

year graduate this year. Montandon is the son of Francis and Debbie Montandon of Lock-

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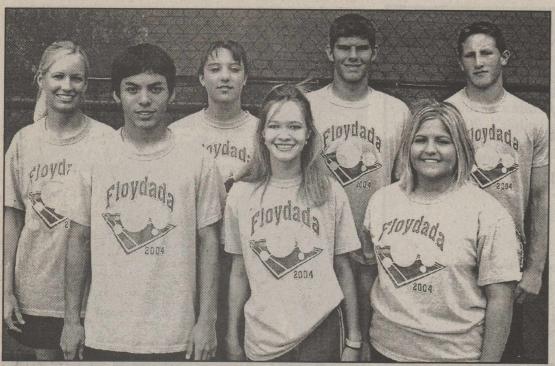


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SEVEN WHIRLWIND TENNIS PLAYERS GOING TO REGIONAL-FHS tennis members qualifying for Regional are: (back row, I-r) Melissa Dunlap, Lindsey Leatherman, Chance Crossland, Ross Bennett; (front row, l-r) Tate Greer, Rachel Griffin, Molly Long. The Regional Tennis Tournament will be held in Abilene on April 30th-May 1st. (see related story) Staff Photo



JEREMY LLOYD

son of Paul and Lori Lloyd. His favorites are: show, "Fresh Prince of BelAir"; movie, Freddie vs. Jason; book,

Jeremy is the

R.L. Stein's; color, blue; school subject, English; food, pizza; musical group, Bone Crusher; song, "Kokomo" by the Beach Boys. His greatest accomplishment is graduating from high school. He plans on working and then go to college.



Luis is the son of Luis Lopez and R o s a Delafuente. His favorites are: TV show, "Sports LUIS LOPEZ Center";

movie, 2 Fast 2 Furious; color, blue; school subject, Algebra II; food, pizza; musical group, G-Unit. One of his greatest accomplishments was receiving All-District honor in football. He plan to become a mechanic.



Melissa Long. Her favorites are: TV show, 'The Golden Girls"; food, Mexican; movie,

Nick

Molly is the

daughter of

Tammy is the

daughter of

Mary

Caballero. Her

favorites are:

"The Golden

show,

MOLLY LONG

Stepmom; song, "Come Away With Me". Her greatest accomplishment is being inducted into the National Honor Society. She plan to attend TTU in the fall.



Girls"; movie, **TAMMY**

Where The LOPEZ Heart Is; color, pink; school subject, apparel; food, McDonald's Big Mac; musical group, B2K; song, "Concrete Angel" b Martina. Her greatest accomplishment is being the first in her family to attend college. She plans to attend SPC, then TTU to get her RN license.

Stovall qualifies for national competition

Cody Stovall of Floydada was part of the West Texas A&M University's Students in Free Enterprise (SIFE) team that advanced to national competition by winning the regional title. This is the 10th consecutive year the team has advanced.

Stovall is a senior marketing major and the son of Larry and Rhonda Stovall.

The WTAMU team from the T. Boone Pickens College of Business topped the field April 1 at the SIFE Regional Championship in Memphis, Tenn., advancing to the SIFE USA National Exposition May 23-24 in Kansas

The national champion will join SIFE teams from 40 countries to compete at SIFE's World Cup 2004 in Barcelona, Spain.

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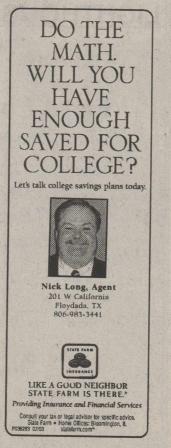
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Lockney. "The competition was tough, but we won every game by 15 to 20 points. I was so proud," said Head Coach Kelli Hinsley. (back row, l-r) Cole Covington, Haden Lipham, Anderson Weeks, R.J. Deleon, Kaden Lackey; (front row, 1-r) Jose Martinez, Adam Suarez, Lupe Lopez, Rene Cevera, John Angel Yannis. (Coaches not pictured, Kellie Hinsley and Angie Lipham. **Courtesy Photo**

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Seven Whirlwinds qualify for Regional Tennis Tournament

players have qualified for the Regional Tennis Tournament to be held April 30th and May 1st in Abilene.

Rachel Griffin won 1st place in the girls singles division, Ross Bennett won 1st place in the boys singles division and the team of Melissa Dunlap and Molly Long won 1st place in girls doubles.

Lindsey Leatherman won 2nd place in girls singles and the team of Chance Crossland and Tate Greer won 2nd place in boys

The team of Kristan Lackey and Whitney Williams lost in the 3rd place girls doubles match in a 3 set dual to the finish tie-

The team of Brandon Rainwater and Spencer Schacht lost in the first round in a very close 2 set match and Jesse Finley lost in the first round to the young man who won 2nd place in the tournament.

Coach Nixon's Comments Another successful year for the Floydada Whirlwind Tennis Team. I am so proud of this team and for this team.

The Whirlwinds are led by 4 hard working Seniors: Ross Bennett, Chance Crossland, Melissa Dunlap and Molly Long. It is only fitting that all 4 have qualified for the Regional Tournament. Rachel Griffin and Ross Bennett dominated the singles division of the tournament.

These two have been playing great tennis all year. Melissa and Molly were extremely focused and I really felt sorry for any of the teams that got in their way!

ing-tongue biting matches of Chance, Tate and Lindsey.

These 3 believe in 3 set matches that cause heart failure! Chance and Tate have played this way all year and the play back match against Friona would be no different. Lindsey was down a set and loosing 2-5 in the second set to battle back and defeat Elliott of Abernathy in the 3rd set. During the play back match Lindsey was not going to be denied a trip to Abilene and worked extremely hard to defeat Codi Wiley from Lockney! Lindsey is a Sophomore and Codi is a Freshman and these two will be fun to watch over the next two years battle it out!

Kristan and Whitney played great tennis but just fell short of that 3rd place medal.

Brandon and Spencer did a great job against Ford and Cummings. We just had a hard time getting our consistency.

Jesse played extremely hard but just lost to the 2nd place finisher from Friona.

In Junior Varsity Play Kendra Covington lost to teammate and eventual 2nd place winner Marla Reeves.

KatieBeth Crossland won her first match and lost her second match to the eventual winner.

Reagan Heflin won her first match and lost her second match to the 3rd place winner.

Doubles

Jesalyn Bradley and Meghan Graham defeated teammates Kayla Kelley and Tana Lloyd in the Championship to win first and second for the Whirlwinds.

Cam Battey and Taylor

Seven Whirlwind Tennis Now, for the exciting-nerve rack- Hilburn lost in the Championship of the Boys Doubles 7-9.

Marla, Kendra, Katie Beth and Reagan all played extremely

well in the girls singles. Jesalyn, Meghan, Kayla and Tana all dominated the girls

doubles division. Cam Battey and Taylor Hilburn have come a long way since the first practice and their hard work paid off with a 2nd place finish.

This year we have played some very tough tournaments and these guys have stepped up and met every challenge. I am so proud of each and everyone of these players. We have played in wind, rain(can you believe it) and sunshine-I never heard a complaint. I want to say a special Thank You" to all of the parents who have supported us all year! When the rain came-Floydada parents were the first on the court to clear off the water! At the district meet we had a field of green working in the "harvest formation"! Your work ethic has rubbed off on your children and that is why FLOYDADA TEN-NIS IS A WINNING TRADI-

Thanks to Coach Hurt who pushed that roll dry for an hour and a half! Coach Smith I could not have made it through this year without your support and wisdom-you are an awesome coach and I am honored to work with you! The regional qualifiers will be traveling to Big Lake this Friday to compete in a very tough tournament! The Junior High Tournament will be held April 23rd in Plainview starting at 3:30! Good Luck!!!!

April 19 - April 23 toast/jelly, cereal, juice

Monday:

Breakfast - Cereal, graham crackers, juice, milk Lunch - Pizza, green salad,

corn, fruit, milk Tuesday:

Breakfast - Biscuits, sausage, juice, milk Lunch - Taco salad/meat &

cheese w/tomato & lettuce, pinto beans, jello, milk

Wednesday:

Lunch - Chicken fried steak,

mashed potatoes w/gravy, green beans, hot roll, pudding, milk Thursday:

Breakfast - Pancakes, syrup, juice, milk

Lunch - Corn dogs, fries, carrots, cookie, milk

Friday: Breakfast - Cereal, graham

crackers, juice, milk Lunch - Hamburger, fries, Breakfast - Scrambled eggs, salad, cobbler, milk

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District 5-2AA Tennis Results

BOYS SINGLES

1st Round: Ross Bennett (Floydada) def. Brance Wilson (Lockney) 6-0, 6-0; Mark Hernandez (Friona) def. Tate Riley (Abernathy) 6-2, 6-4; Jordan Elam (Abernathy) def. Paul Amador (Lockney) 6-3, 6-1

Chad Hutson (Friona) def. Jesse Finley (Floydada) 6-1, 6-1 SEMI-FINALS Bennett def.

Hernandez 6-0, 6-0; Hutson def. Elam 6-3, 6-3

THIRD PLACE Hernandez def. Elam 6-4, 5-7, 6-4

CHAMPIONSHIP Bennett def. Hutson 6-1, 6-1

PLAYBACK Hutson def. Hernandez 6-2, 6-4 **GIRLS SINGLES**

1st Round: Rachel Griffin (Floydada) def. Jordan Jamerson (Friona) 6-0, 6-0; Codi Wiley (Lockney) def. Ashley Ford (Abernathy) 6-1, 6-4; Heather Elliott (Abernathy) def. April Lopez (Lockney) 6-0, 6-1; Lindsey Leatherman (Floydada) def. Mashay White (Friona) 6-1,

SEMI-FINALS Griffin def. Wiley 6-1, 6-1; Leatherman def. Elliott 4-6, 7-6 (8-6), 6-4

THIRD PLACE Wiley def. Elliott 1-6, 6-2, 7-5

CHAMPIONSHIP Griffin def. Leatherman 6-0, 6-0

PLAYBACK Leatherman def. Wiley 2-6, 7-5, 6-3

GIRLS DOUBLES

1st Round: Graham/Gerries (Friona) def. Ford/Miller (Lockney) 6-1, 6-4; Lackey/Williams (Floydada) def. Christopher/ Rodriquez (Abernathy) 6-3, 6-2; Barrett/Murphrey (Friona) def. Durham/Hancock (Lockney) 6-2, 4-6, 6-4

SEMI-FINALS Dunlap/Long (Floydada) def. Graham/Gerries 6-1, 6-1; Barrett/Murphrey def. Lackey/Williams 6-4, 6-1

THIRD PLACE Graham/ Gerries def. Lackey/Williams 1-6, 6-1, 7-6 (9-7)

CHAMPIONSHIP Dunlap/ Long def. Barrett/Murphrey 6-0,

PLAYBACK Barrett/ Murphrey def. Graham/Gerries 6-3, 7-5

BOYS DOUBLES

1st Round: Alaniz/Miller (Friona) def. Vallejo/Lara (Abernathy) 6-0, 6-1; Cummings/Ford (Lockney) def. Rainwater/Schacht (Floydada) 6-4, 6-4; Crossland/Greer (Floydada) def. Martinez/Perez (Abernathy) 6-1, 6-0; Dickson/ Gammon (Friona) def. McCarter/McPherson (Lockney)

SEMI-FINALS Alaniz/Miller def. Cummings/Ford 6-1, 6-2; Dickson/Gammon Crossland/Greer 1-6, 6-0, 6-2

THIRD PLACE Crossland/ Greer def. Cummings/Ford 6-4, 6-0; Dickson/Gammon def Alaniz/Miller 3-6, 7-6, 6-3

PLAYBACK Crossland/ Greer def. Alaniz/Miller 6-4, 4-6, 6-4

TEAM STANDINGS

Boys Champions - Fiona Girls Champions - Floydada **Overall Champions - Friona**

Junior Varsity District Tennis results **GIRLS SINGLES**

1st Round: KatieBeth Crossland (Floydada) def. Jessica Garcia (Friona) 8-0; Reagan Heflin (Floydada) def. Meghan Hill (Abernathy) 8-1; Courtney Adams (Friona) def. Kina Gonzales (Lockney) 8-1; Marla Reeves (Floydada) def. Corina Gonzales (Abernathy) 9-7; Marti Nolan (Lockney) def. Gabi

Moreno (Abernathy) 8-0 2nd Round: Naomi Konishi (Abernathy) def. Crossland 9-7; Adams def. Heflin 8-6; Reeves def. Kendra Covington (Floydada) 9-7; Yvonne Vega (Friona)

def. Nolan 8-5 SEMI-FINALS Konishi def. Adams 8-2; Reeves def. Vega 8-

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THIRD PLACE Adams def.

CHAMPIONSHIP Konishi def. Reeves 8-4

BOYS SINGLES ROUND ROBIN Tyler Kidd (Lockney) def. Chance Lewellen (Friona) 8-2; Kidd def. Justin Wesley (Abernathy) 8-4; Wesley def. Lewellen 8-5

First - Kidd; Second -Wesley; Third - Lewellen **BOYS DOUBLES**

Battey/Hilburn (Floydada) def. Hall/Long (Lockney) 9-7

SEMI-FINALS Battey/ Hilburn def. Pyle/Gilroy (Lockney) 8-2; Prather/Aufill (Lockney) def. Teal/Mendoza (Abernathy) 8-3

THIRD PLACE Pyle/Gilroy def. Teal/Mendoza 8-3 CHAMPIONSHIP Prather/

Aufill def. Battey/Hilburn 9-7 **GIRLS DOUBLES** 1st Round: Bradley/Graham

(Floydada) def. McClenney/ Hood (Abernathy) 8-3; Mangold/ Reecer (Lockney) def. Castanon/ Delgadillo (Friona) 8-6; Lloyd/ Kelley (Floydada) def. Sytsma/ Revilla (Abernathy) 8-3 SEMI-FINALS Bradley/Gra-

ham def. Dorman/Dietrich (Lockney) 8-2; Lloyd/Kelley def. Mangold/Reecer 8-3

THIRD PLACE Dorman/ Dietrich def. Mangold/Reecer 8-2; Bradley/Graham def. Lloyd/ Kelley 8-2

Floydada 2004 - 2005 preregistration for pre-k and kinder

Tuesday, April 27, 2004, 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. Please bring *original birth certificate (Children must be 4 by September 1, 2004.) pre-k (Children must be 5 by September 1, 2004.) kinder *Social security card and *updated shot record *Medicaid (current month) pre-k only *Income verification: 2003 Income tax or W-2's, pre-

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WTAMU's Student Employee of the Year will move on to regional and, possibly, national Student of the Year competition. Nominees will be considered according to the following criteria: reliability, quality of work, initiative and professionalism.

'Another thing we look at is the uniqueness of their contributions to the departments they work in," Yvonne Wieck, campus coordinator of Student Employ-

Jessica Coronado, of Floydada, ment Services, said. "They also a senior print media major who have to be employed at the same department for at least three

Each WTAMU nominee will receive a certificate of appreciation for their hard work along with a Student Employee of the Year nominee pen. The winner will receive two plaques--one to take home and one to hang in his or her office-- and a \$50 gift certificate from the University Bookstore.

All the nominees will be recognized and the winning student will be announced at a reception at 3:30 p.m. Friday, April 16 in the Jack B. Kelley Student Center Quiet Lounge. WTAMU President Russell Long will make the presentations and Dr. Don Albrecht, vice president for student services, will speak on * the importance of student em-

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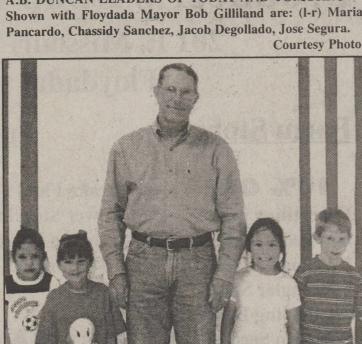


RESA MERCADO WITH PENNY MARSHALL-2000 FHS graduate, Resa Mercado, daughter of Sammy and Olivia Mercado of Floydada, is shown with Penny Marshall, wellknown star of the TV sit-com, "Laverne and Shirley", and Hollywood director. Ms. Marshall had a cameo appearance in the short film, "All's Well, That Ends Well", in which Resa was the key make-up artist. Resa attended the Kelly Roberts Cosmetics Artist Academy in Dallas and Make-Up Designory School in Los Angeles. She is a certified beauty, character and special effects make-up and hair styling. Resa has worked in numerous short films, photo shoots and independent films, including a horror film in which she did prosthetics and horror Courtesy Photo special effects. She lives in Hollywood.

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A.B. DUNCAN ELEMENTARY LEADERS -FISD President of the School Board Mitch Probasco is shown with four Duncan Elementary leaders of tomorrow. They are:(1-r) Sol Gonzales, Kailey Bueno, Bethany Morales, and Logan Allen.

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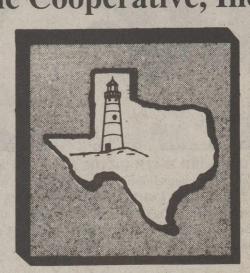
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Business Meeting7:00 p.m. **Election of Directors**

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LHS Varsity track team runs a Roosevelt

The Lockney Varsity boys track team ran at the Eagle Relays held at Roosevelt High School on Friday, April 9th.

Results are as follows: Team Totals: 1. Idalou 140; 2. Lockney 103; 3. Tahoka 102; 4. Roosevelt 92; 5. Post 46 110 hurdles: 1. Cummings,

Lockney 15.55 1,600 relay: 2. Lockney,

800 relay: 3. Lockney.

200. 3. Ford, Lockney 23.25 Discus: 2. Schumacher, Lockney 141

Triple Jump: 2. Westbrook, Lockney, 39-7 1/4

Long Jump: 1. Ford, Lockney, 20-7 1/2; 2. Westbrook, Lockney, 20-3

High Jump: 2. Ford, Lockney, 5-10

Lockney Band raising money for trip to Florida

Lockney Band youth are still in the process of raising money for their band trip to Florida in May. In an effort to make the trip more affordable for the youth the band is sponsoring a silent auction, luncheon, and band concert, April 18th, at the Longhorn Gymnasium.

The luncheon will start at 12:00 noon, Sunday, and will be provided by parents of the students going on the trip.

The concert will begin at 2:00 p.m. and the high bidders of the silent auction will be announced at the concert.

There will be no charge for the lunch however donations will be

Anyone wishing to donate items for the silent auction can call Kerry or Jamie Gardner at 652-1502 between 4:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m. by Friday, April 16th.

Items already included in the auction include: \$40 gift certificate to the Cactus Theater, denim and flannel quilt from Dr. and Mrs. Gary Mangold, I hour mas-

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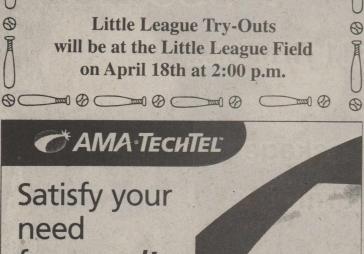
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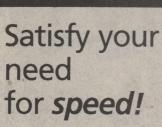
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RODEO ROPING WINNERS-Cody Ware (left) is shown heeling, while Sam Archer (right) is shown heading the calf. They won 1st Place at the Childress High School Rodeo on March 27th. Courtesy Photo

Cotton Market Weekly

A service provided by Plains Cotton Cooperative Association

Cotton futures on the New York Cotton Exchange (NYCE) dropped from session highs to close almost unchanged on Thursday after a strong export sales report from USDA failed to sustain the rally.

USDA released a "friendly" export sales report on Thursday showing strong sales and robust shipments. The department said net U.S. export sales in the week ended April I totaled 254,700 bales, sharply above trade estimates. Meanwhile, sales of 2004-05 U.S. cotton totaled 176,800 bales for the week.

Additionally, cotton shipments for the same week surged to a marketing year high of 441,400 bales, surpassing the former record of 395,900 bales set the previous week and above trade expectations of 300,000 to 400,000 bales

China was the leading buyer and primary destination of U.S. cotton for the week. The country purchased 110,400 bales and received shipments of 172,700 bales. Total purchases by China in 2003-04 already have reached 4.58 million bales versus 1.68 million at the same time last year.

Strong shipments show that the United States is capable of shipping an "enormous" amount of cotton on a weekly basis, according to one cotton market observer.

With three and a half months remaining in the 2003-04 market- a "nonevent," saying the only Garden area also have been uning year, exports were well on positive factor in the report was able to initiate planting activities

forecast for the season, and the loss of Step 2 payments for at least the next four weeks is not expected to materially affect the level of weekly shipments.

"The export sales report was one of the best ones we've had, yet it meant nothing to the market," said one trader. "I think the dilemma for cotton lies in the quality of cotton, and until the high grade cotton around the world is sold out or cotton futures drop to lower levels to find buyers, there is no motivation for cotton futures on the NYCE to move higher," he commented.

On the spot cotton scene, sales improved but remained slow during the five trading days ended April 8 as Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas producers sold 541 bales online, an increase from the previous week when only 46 bales were sold.

Meanwhile, reaction to USDA's monthly supply and demand report was muted since virtually no changes were made to the data. Although USDA made no changes to the overall U.S. statistical position in this month's assessment, only modest adjustments were made to both domestic cotton consumption and world figures. In fact, the department added only 10,000 bales to its domestic consumption forecast bringing the total to 6.2 million

their way to reaching USDA's the reduction of world ending due to the rain.

stocks in 2003-04 to 31.61 million bales from 31.73 million bales in the March report.

In other news, the National Agricultural Statistics Service reported that 8 percent of the U.S. crop was in the ground as of April 4 compared to the five-year average of 5 percent. California growers made great strides in planting with 20 percent of fields planted compared to 9 percent one year ago and the 11 percent average. Arizona, however, also is behind schedule at 7 percent, down 4 percentage points from

Rains have fallen over most of Texas this week and the impact of the precipitation across the state ranged from detrimental to highly beneficial. Farmers on the Texas High and Rolling Plains were glad to receive more rain to replenish soil moisture. However, cotton in the Texas Rio Grande Valley is up to a stand, and some fields likely will be briefly under water. Some replanting may be required on newly emerged cot-

Similar reports came this week from the Coastal and Upper Coastal Bend areas. Planting is complete in the former, and the rain is not expected to prove very beneficial. Approximately half of the latter region has been planted, and the moisture will delay work One analyst called the report there. Producers in the Winter

Commissioners discuss lowering speed limit on county road 120

By Darwin Robinson

The Floyd County Commissioners met Monday, April 12, and approved a motion for a Public Hearing to be held at the commissioner's next regular meeting on Monday, May 10 at 9:00 a.m. The purpose of the Public Hearing is to discuss the possibility of posting a speed limit of 40 m.p.h. on the feedlot road, County Road 120, northwest of Lockney.

According to Commissioner Lennie Gilroy of Precinct 2, there have been several complaints of excess speeding on the road. Commissioners Gilroy, Ray Nell Bearden and Craig Gilly voted for the motion. Commissioner Jon Jones voted against the mo-

In other matters, the commissioners unanimously approved the purchase of a 1998 Caterpillar motor grader for Precinct 1. The \$107,550 selling bid by Warren Caterpillar of Lubbock was accepted by Commissioner Bearden. After making a down payment of \$20,000 and the resale of the old grader to Babe's Service Center for \$30,600, the total amount financed by Precinct 1 for 60 months was \$56,950.

The commissioners accepted the \$451 bid by Lorenzo Salazar of Lockney to purchase from the county a 1979 1/2 ton Chevrolet pickup. There were six other lower bids. The court also approved the advertising for the sale of used grader blades.

A request by Glenn Quebe to cross County Road 35 with a water line was approved by the commissioners. It was specified in the motion to bury the water line two feet below the bar ditch and there would be no responsibility for the line by the county.

\$44,000 was transferred by the court into the four precincts from the Road and Bridge Fund. It was divided up at \$11,000 into each precinct for their general

County Treasurer Elva Martinez gave a monthly and a quarterly financial report to the commissioners. They were both approved by the court. The

\$878,026.19, with Receipts of \$150,619.38. Transfers In and Out were \$172,893.21 and Disbursed was a \$196,181.46, leaving an Ending Balance of \$832,464.11.

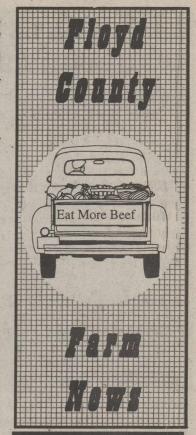
County Agents J.D. Ragland and Melissa Long both gave reports to the commissioners. Floydada High School senior Lindsey Nutt was introduced to the court by Long. Long said, "Lindsey is applying for state 4-H scholarships amounting from \$1500 to \$15,000. If she is selected for an interview, she will automatically receive a \$1500 scholarship.' According to Long, Lindsey is involved with quilting groups, elementary school programs, the Senior Citizens Center, the State Food Show and teaching cooking at PAC. Lindsey brought the commissioners a sample of her pumpkin quick bread.

Ragland told the court, "Agricultural-wise we have received 9 inches of rain in Floyd County up to now. That is 9 inches more than we had at this same time last year. Our wheat crops are really coming along and our dryland wheat is really looking good. We need the good rainfall, but not the hard water."

'We have been really blessed with good moisture this year. The producers have saved a lot by not having to irrigate. Our cotton producers are getting ready to plant around May 10. There should be around 190,000 acres of cotton planted again this year. The soil temperature last week was at 56 degrees. That is too cold to plant cotton. Corn can be planted now. There should be around 20,000 acres of corn planted in the northwestern part of the county," said

Ragland reminded the commissioners of the Oil and Gas Lease Information meeting coming up on Tuesday, April 27, at 7:00 p.m. at the Floyd County Friends Unity Center and the Wildlife Enhancement Meeting with Dr. Dale Collins, TCE Wildlife Specialist from San Angelo. The Wildlife meeting about the raising of pheasants, quail and deer will be held at the Friends

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According to Floyd County Extension Agent J.D. Ragland, three CEU's will be available to all producers in attendance.

Program topics scheduled are: 9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m., Establishing Wildlife Habitat on Your Farm or Ranch, by Dale Rollins, TCE Wildlife Specialist of San Angelo.

9:45 a.m. Break

10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m., Managing Pheasant for Hunting, by Rollins.

10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m., Managing Quail for Hunting, by Rollins.

11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., Managing Deer for Hunting, by Rollins.

11:30 a.m. - 12:00 Noon, Establishing Hunting Leases and Marketing Available Acres on Your Farm, by Rollins.

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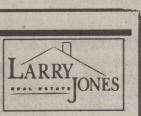
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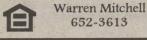
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Don't get hit with a penalty! "Render" your taxable property by April 15th.

A "rendition" is a report to the appraisal district that lists all the taxable property you owned or controlled on January 1st of this year.

Who must file a rendition?

You must file a rendition if you own tangible personal property that is used to produce income—such as the inventory and equipment used by a business. If you render late, don't render or file an incomplete or false rendition, you could be hit with a 10 to 50% penalty.

Are there any advantages to you?

The advantages of filing a rendition are:

- You give your opinion of your property's value. The appraisal district must notify you in writing of any value change and explain how you can protest that value to the appraisal review board.
- You record your correct mailing address so your tax bills will go to the right address. If your bill is mailed to the wrong address, the law still holds you responsible for paying your . taxes on time or paying extra charges for late payments.
- You can also file a "report of decreased value" to notify the appraisal district of significant depreciation of the value of your property in 2003. The district will look at your property before assigning a value in 2004.

What's the deadline?

The last day for filing 2004 renditions is April 15. You can get an automatic extension to May 15 if you ask for it in writing on or before the April 15 deadline. The chief appraiser may grant an additional 15 days after May 15 for an owner who shows good cause in writing.

Where do you file?

File renditions with your local appraisal district at:

Floyd County Appraisal District 104 E. Ca. P.O. Box 249 Floydada, Tx. 79235 806-983-5256

For more information, stop by your appraisal district and pick up

"Texas Property Taxes: Taxpayers' Rights, Remedies and Responsibilities"

Or contact:

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¡Cuídese de las multas! "Presente" su propiedad antes del 15 de abril.

Una "declaración de propiedad" es un reporte para el distrito de valoraciones en donde Ud. enlista toda la propiedad que poseyó o controló el día 1º de

¿Quién debe hacer una declaración de propiedad?

Debe hacer una declaración de propiedad si Ud. es dueño y gana ingresos de una propiedad personal—por ejemplo, el inventario y equipo utilizado en un negocio. Si usted no declara a tiempo, o si presenta una delaración incompleta o falsa, usted puede recibir una multa de un 10 hasta un 50 por ciento.

¿Que ventajas me da?

Las ventajas de hacer una declaración de propiedad son:

- Ud. registra su opinión sobre la valoración de su propiedad. El distrito debe avisarle por escrito y explicarle como protestar el nuevo valor y e cambio ante su junta de revisión.
- Registra su dirección correcta para que le puedan mandar sus tarifas de impuestos. Según la ley, Ud. es responsable por pagar sus impuestos sin demora o de pagar cualquier multa que resulte por haberlos pagado tarde—aunque la tarifa se haya mandado a una dirección equivocada.
- También puede someter un "reporte de valoración disminuida" para avisar al distrito de cualquier reducción significativa en la valoración de su propiedad en el 2003. El distrito examinará su propiedad antes de designarle un valor en el 2004.

¿Cual es la fecha límite?

El 15 de abril es el último día para mandar sus declaraciones para el 2004. Puede obtener una extensión automática hasta el 15 de mayo si la pide por escrito en o antes del 15 de abril. El jefe de valoración/tasación puede extender su plazo otros 15 días despues del 15 de mayo si usted puede mostrar una razón justificada para la extensión.

¿Dónde hago mi declaración?

Haga su declaración con su distrito local de valoraciones en: Floyd County Appraisal District

104 E. Ca. P.O. Box 249 Floydada, Tx. 79235 806-983-5256

Para más información, visite su distrito de valoración y obtenga una copia de

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A variety of homestead exemptions could lower your property taxes!

A homestead exemption lowers the property taxes on your home by lowering its taxable value. If your home is valued at \$50,000 and you receive a \$15,000 homestead exemption, your home will be taxed as if it were worth \$35,000.

Who qualifies for an exemption?

Anyone who owned a home on January 1 and used it as a primary residence on that date is entitled to a \$15,000 homestead exemption to lower school taxes this year...and it doesn't matter if your home is a house, condominium or mobile home. Counties, cities and special taxing districts may also offer homestead exemptions.

Are other exemptions available?

If you're disabled—or if you're 65 years old or older—you are entitled to an additional \$10,000 school tax exemption on your home. And if you qualify for the over-65 or disabled exemption, you're also entitled to a permanent, locked-in "ceiling" on the school property taxes on your home. (Starting this year, the county, city or junior college may adopt a tax ceiling to lock in 2004 taxes as the highest amount for over-65 or disabled homeowners.) The over-65 or disabled homeowner's school tax ceiling transfers to the surviving spouse, if the spouse is 55 years of age or older at the time of death and lives in and owns the home. These homeowners (or their surviving spouses 55 years of age or older) also may transfer the percentage of school tax paid, based on their former home's school tax ceiling, to a new home

Do I have to apply each year?

No. If you had a homestead exemption on your home in 2003, you won't need to reapply for 2004 unless your chief appraiser requires it. However, if you haven't received an exemption on your sent home—or if you've moved to a new home—you'll need to file for an exemption for 2004. If you are 65 this year, you may file for the over-65 exemption up to one year after the date you turned 65. And if you became disabled, you need to file for the disabled

When and where should I file?

File applications by April 30 at your appraisal district office. If you need more time, contact us at:

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¡Varias exenciones de residencia pueden rebajar sus impuestos de propiedad!

Una exención de residencia reduce sus impuestos de propiedad. Por ejemplo, si su residencia tiene un valor de \$50,000 y Ud. recibe una exención de \$15,000, sus impuestos se calcularán como si el valor de su residencia fuera de \$35,000.

¿Quién califica para una exención?

Cualquier dueño de una residencia principal el día 1º de enero tiene derecho a una exención de residencia de \$15,000 este año para rebajar sus impuestos escolares... y no importa si la residencia es casa, condominio o casa móvil. (Los condados, municipios y distritos especiales de impuestos tambien pueden ofrecer exenciones de residencia.)

¿Hay otras exenciones?

Si Ud. es incapacitado—o si tiene 65 años o más—tiene derecho a una exención adicional de \$10,000 en sus impuestos escolares de propiedad. Y si Ud. califica para la exención para los que ya cumplieron 65 años o está incapacitado, tambien tiene derecho a un "tope" permanente en sus impuestos escolares de residencia. (Comenzando éste año, el condado, la ciudad o una universidad de dos años puede adoptar un tope de impuestos en los impuestos del 2004 como la cantidad más grande para los dueños de hogar de 65 años o más o incapacitados.) La exención para los que ya cumplieron 65 años o éstan incapacitados y el tope máximo se pueden transferir al esposo/ esposa sobreviviente si el o ella tiene 55 ó más años de edad y es dueño/dueña de la casa en donde vive. También el dueño de una casa nueva que tiene más de 65 años puede trasladar un porcentaje de tope máximo de los impuestos escolares que le tocaron en su domicilio anterior.

¿Debo solicitarla cada año?

No. Si Ud. recibió una exención de residencia en el 2003, no hay necesidad de solicitarla de nuevo en el 2004—al menos que se lo pida su jefe de valoraciones. Sin embargo, si no ha recibido una exención en su residencia actual—o si ha cambiado de domicilio tendrá que solicitar una exención para el 2004. Si Ud. cumpliera los 65 años durante este año, tiene hasta un año de esa fecha para solicitar una nueva exención. Y si cumplió los 65 años o resultó incapacitado, tendrá que solicitar las exenciónes adicionales.

¿Dónde y cuando debo solicitar mis exenciones?

Debe presentar su aplicación en la oficina local del distrito de valoraciones antes del día 30 de abril. Si necesita más tiempo, favor de ponerse en contacto con nosotros antes: Floyd County Appraisal District

104 E. Ca. P.O. Box 249 Si desea más información, visítenos y obtenga una copia gratis de

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"Productivity appraisal" may lower the property taxes on your farm, ranch or timber land!

Texas law allows farmers, ranchers and timber growers to pay property taxes based upon the "production value" of their land rather than on market value. This "productivity appraisal" means qualified land is taxed based on its ability to produce crops, livestock or timber—not on its value on the real estate market. And it can mean substantial property tax savings.

When is the application deadline?

If your land has never had a productivity appraisal or you are a new owner, you must apply to your local appraisal district by April 30 to take advantage of this benefit on your 2004 property taxes. You may get up to 60 extra days if you have a good reason and ask for it by April 30. If you miss this deadline, you may still be able to apply, but you will pay a penalty. Check with your appraisal district office.

Do you need to reapply annually?

If your land already receives agricultural or timber productivity appraisal, you normally don't need to reapply unless the chief appraiser requires you to do so. If a new application is required, the appraisal district will notify you by mail.

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¡"La valoración productiva" puede reducir los impuestos de su terreno agrícola, ganadero o maderero!

La ley de Texas permite a los granjeros, rancheros y madereros pagar sus impuestos de propiedad basándose en "la valoración productiva" del terreno calificado—o sea en su habilidad de producir cosecha, ganado o madera—y no de su valor en el mercado actual. Y esto le puede ahorrar en sus impuestos de propiedad.

¿Cual es la fecha límite?

Si su terreno nunca ha tenido una valoración productiva, o si Ud. es nuevo dueño, debe solicitarla a su distrito de valoraciones antes del día 30 de abril, para recibir el beneficio en sus impuestos de propiedad del 2004. Puede recibir hasta 60 días más si tiene una buena razón y si solicita el tiempo adicional antes del 30 de abril. Si se pasa de esta fecha, es posible que todavía la pueda obtener, pero pagará una multa. Pregunte en la oficina de su distrito de valoraciones.

;Debo solicitarla cada año?

Por lo general, si su propiedad ya recibe una valoración productiva agrícola o maderera, no hay necesidad de pedir una nueva cada año—al menos que se lo pida su jefe de valoraciones. Si una solicitud nueva se requiere, el distrito de valoraciones le mandará un aviso por correo.

Para más información, llame o visite:

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Con mucho gusto contestaremos a sus preguntas y le proporcionaremos una copia gratis de

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Public Notices

NOTICE OF SHERIFF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF FLOYD

By virtue of Orders of Sale isued out of the Judicial Distrist Court of FLOYD County in the following cases on the 2nd day of April, 2004, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell at 11:00 a.m. on the 4th day of May, 2004, 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. 5350TS FLOYDADA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS AGUIRRE JOSE ESTATE

All of Lot Nine (9), in Block Number One Hundred Seventeen (17), in the Town of Floydada (Floyd City), in Floyd County, Texas.

Cause No. 5338TS LOCKNEY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS AURORA MARIA & TREVINO MARIO

A small tract of land in the Town of Lockney, Floyd County, Texas, Seventy-five feet (75') by One Hundred-forty feet (140'), out of the N.B. Davis Survey, Abstract 590.

Cause No. 5293TS LOCKNEY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS BARR RAYMOND

TRACT 1: All of Lots Four (4) and Five (5) in Block 36, Original Town of Lockney, Floyd County, Texas.

TRACT 2: All of the West Seventy (70) Feet of Lots Numbers One (1) and Two (2) and the West Seventy (70) Feet of the North One-half (N 1/2) of Lot Number Three, all in Block Number Thirty-six (36), in the Original Town of Lockney, Floyd County, Texas.

Cause No. 5352TS FLOYDADA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS. HAWKINS LAMONT

Lots Nos. Ten (10) and Eleven (11) in Block No. Thirty-seven (37) in Original Town of Floydada, Floyd County, Texas.

Cause No. 5352TS LOCKNEY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS. JIMENEZ REYNOLD

All those certain tracts of parcels of land situated in Floyd County, Texas, being five (5) adjoining tracts totaling 2.05 acres of land, more or less, in Survey or Section No. 9, Block C-9, Certificate 1/122, G.C. & S.F. Ry. Co., Floyd County, Texas.

Cause No. 5198TS FLOYD COUNTY VS KEETER WA ESTATE & E W KEETER

That certain lot, tract or parcel of land comprising 1-1/4 acres out of the J.D. Burleson 158 acre homestead Survey situated in Floyd County, Texas, Abstract No. 1227.

Cause No. 5289TS FLOYDADA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS LEADON IORA ESTATE & BILLY RAY LEADON

All of Lot Number Fourteen (14), in Block Number Fifty-sven (57), in the Town of Floydada (Floyd City), in Floyd County, Texas.

Cause No. 5334TS CITY OF FLOYDADA VS LUNA FREDDIE

Lots Number Eight (8) in Block Number Fourteen (14), in the Town of Floydada, in Floyd County, Texas.

Cause No. 5359TS LOCKNEY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS. WINN EVELYN

A tract of land 46 feet in East and West width by 140 feet in North and South depth facing North on West Washington Street in the City of Lockney, in Floyd County, out of the J.D. Burleson 158-acre Homestead Survey, Abstract No. 1227, Patent No. 89, Vol 30, dated April 29, 1898, recorded Vol. 1, Page 197, Patent Records of Floyd County, Texas, such tract of land being described by metes and bounds according to Field Notes prepared by W. D. Newell, Registered Public Surveyor, recorded June 18, 1968, in Vol. 8, Page 80, Surveyor's Records of Floyd County, Texas.

ALL BIDDERS MUST REGISTER WITH THE TAX OFFICE PRIOR TO SHERIFF'S SALE.

Levied on the 2nd day of April, 2004 as the property of said Defendents to satisfy the judgements 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, LOCKNEY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, CITY OF LOCKNEY, MACKENZIE MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY-LOCKNEY, HIGH PLAINSWATER, LOCKNEY HOSPITAL, FLOYDADA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, CITY OF FLOYDADA AND MACKENZIE MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY-FLOYDADA.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 2ND DAY OF APRIL, 2004.

BILLY R. GILMORE Sheriff, FLOYD County, Texás

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This Week's

Announcement

WHIRLWIND BOOSTER CLUB MEETING

The Whirlwind Booster Club will hold a meeting on Sunday, April 18, April 25 and May 2 in the Whirlwind Gym. The meeting will start at 2:00 p.m. This meeting is in preparation for the Whirlwind All-Sports Banquet. All parents of high school athletes are encouraged to attend this meeting.

DONATE ALUMINUM CANS

Donate aluminum cans to help Lockney Band students take their band trip. Call Debbie Montandon, 652-3696, if you need someone to pick them up.

AARP DRIVER SAFETY PROGRAM

The AARP Driver Safety Program is being sponsored by the 1950 Study Club. The course will be offered April 19th, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at Lighthouse Electric meeting room. There will be a \$10.00 fee; no test will be take. Class is limited. For more information call Geneile Evans, 983-3830; Shirley Morton, 98-5312 or Billie Jordan, 983-2249 or any 1950 Study Club member.

TRIP TO WASHINGTON DC & NEW YORK

Kids and adults can sign up to go to Washington D.C. and New York on a 5 day trip July 19 -23, 2004. You have until May 5th to sign up. Do not miss a trip of a lifetime. If you are interested in going in July 2004, please come by Floydada Junior High to room 207 or call Sherry Colston at 983-2669 if you have any questions. She will have an itinerary and an

OUR ADULTS FOR KIDS COMMUNITY COALITION OF LOCKNEY

application to fill out.

The O.A.K. Community Coalition of Lockney will meet at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, April 26, 2004 at the Lockney Youth Activity Center. Everyone is invited to attend.

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC A free blood pressure clinic is

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.

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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 April, 2004, and that the total of funds held by the County Treasurer, as well as other assets in her hands in the sum of \$878,026.19.

First National Bank Certificate of Deposits \$296,000.00.

WITNESS OUR HANDS, officially, this 12th day of April, 2004.

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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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NOTICE OF AVAILABLE STUDENT LOANS

The Burch-Settoon Student Loan Fund Trust has loans available to graduates of any high school located in Hale, Floyd, Lamb, Castro, Swisher or Briscoe Counties in Texas, to be used for the purpose of attending an accredited college or university. Applications will be considered without regard to religious preference, race, creed or color. Loan Applications may be requested by writing to, or coming by Wells Fargo Bank N.A., 205 W. 5th Street, Plainview, Texas 79072 or by writing to: Wells Fargo Bank N.A. Investment Management & Trust, P.O. Box 10517, Lubbock, Texas 79408. Deadline for accepting applications is June 1, 2004.

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bituaries

RACHEL JENKINS

Services for Rachel Jenkins, 91, of Floydada were held Tuesday, April 13, 2004 at Mt. Zion Baptist Church. The Reverend Ralph Jackson officiated. Burial was in Floydada Cemetery under the direction of Adams Funeral Home of Ralls.

She died Friday, April 9, 2004 at her home in Floydada.

She was born November 11, 1912 in Robertson County. On March 10, 1928 she married James Jenkins in Robertson County. She was a homemaker and a member of the Methodist Church. She moved to Floydada 60 years ago.

She is preceded in death by a son, Curtis Jenkins, on August 1,

Survivors include her husband James of Floydada; a son, Michael Cooper of Ft. Worth; two daughters, Stella Cooper and Pauline Cooper, both of Floydada; two brothers, Theodore Toncy of South bend, IN and Waydell Campbell of Quanah; ten grandchildren and nine greatgrandchildren.



MARGARET SERVICE

Funeral services for Margaret Service, 91, of Plainview were held Saturday, April 10, 2004 at the First United Methodist Church in Lockney. Reverend Harold Abney officiated and Reverend Neely Landrum assisted. Burial was in the Lockney Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Lockney.

She died April 9, 2004 at Santa Fe House Assisted Living in Plainview

She was born March 5, 1913 in Wichita County to the late John and Myrtle Lloyd. A longtime resident of Lockney, she married Fred Dorman on Januray 13, 1931 in Floyd County. He preceded her in death on June 26, 1960. She married S.V. (Curly) Service on February 24, 1968 in Plainview. They owned Margaret's Jewelry in Plainview until she retired in 1998. Curly preceded her in death on November 30, 1994. She enjoyed working in her store and in her yard with her roses. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Plainview.

She was preceded in death by two sisters, Leona Brandes and Fannie Mae Brown.

Survivors include one son, John A. Dorman and wife Rochelle of Plainview; one grandson, Johnny Dorman and wife Julie of Lockney; one granddaughter, Sandra Cummings and husband Zach of Lockney; five greatgrandchildren; one stepson, Ken Service and wife Tammie of Plainview; and one step granddaughter, Sally Service.

The family requests memorials to a favorite charity.

FLOYDADA EMS appreciates your memorial donations. Mail memorial donations to: P.O. Box 373 Floydada, Texas 79235 Please include the address to which acknowledgement cards are to be sent. Thank you for 'your support!

Love Fund A Love Fund has been established for Sudy Cochran in Floydada, at American State Bank, for monetary

donations. If donations of clothing are sent to Sudy, sizes needed are: 3X for a 20 year old girl, 3-4 Toddler for a little girl; and size 7 for a little boy.

Sudy's home and all her belongings were destroyed in a fire.

The family of Gilbert L. Fawver would like to express our sincere gratitude and love for all the expressions of sympathy shown to our family during the illness and loss of our dear

Special thanks to Q.D. Williams, Clarence Polk, Paul Atteberry, Cowboy Wiley, and Larry Williams for the help you give us on the farm. To Brother Anthony for always being there when we need him.

God bless all of you, Thelma Fawver, Edwin and Doris Wilcox Terri Wilcox, Charles and Tammy Dunn and family

I wish to say thank you for the flowers, gifts, cards, hospital visits, phone calls and prayers for me during my recent knee surgery.

Kay Hicks

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF APPLICATION AND INTENT TO OBTAIN A WATER QUALITY PERMIT **AMENDMENT**

PERMIT NO. WQ0010211001

APPLICATION: City of Lockney, P.O. Box 387, Lockney, Texas 79241, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCBQ) to amend wastewater disposal Permit No. WQ0010211001 to authorize modifications to the treatment system; the reduction of the acreage used for irrigation; and an increase in the disposal of treated wastewater to a volume not to exceed a daily average flow of 350,000 gallons per day. The domestic wastewater treatment facility and disposal site are located approximately 0.1 mile south of U.S. Highway 70 and 1.0 mile east of Farm-to-Market Road 378 and southeast of the City of Lockney in Floyd County, Texas. This application was submitted to the TCEQ on February 24, 2004. The permit application is avialable for viewing and copying at Lockney City Hall, 218 East Locust Street, Lockney, Texas.

The TCEQ executive director has determined the application is administratively complete and will conduct a technical review of the application. After completion of the technical review, the TCEQ will issue a Notice of Application and Preliminary Deci-

PUBLIC COMMENT/PUBLIC MEETING. You may submit public comments or request a public meeting about this application. The purpose of a public is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or to ask questions about the application. The TCEQ will hold a public meeting if the executive director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application of if requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing.

Written public comments or requests for public meeting must be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

ADDITIONAL NOTICE: After technical review of the application is complete, the executive director may prepare a draft permit and will issue a preliminary decision on the application. Notice of the Application and Preliminary Decision will be published and mailed to those who are on the country-wide mailing list or the mailing list for this application. That notice will contain the final deadline for submitting public com-

OPPORTUNITY FOR A CONTESTED CASE HEARING. After the deadline for public comments, the executive director will consider the comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material, or significant public comments. The response to comments, along with the executive director's decision on the application, will be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments or who requested to be on the mailing list for this application. If comments are received, the mailing will also provide instructions for requesting reconsideration of the executive director's and for requesting a contested case heaering. A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in a state district court.

A contested case hearing will only be granted based on disputed issues of fact that are relevant and material to the Commissioner's decision on the application. Further, the Commission will only grant a hearing on issues that were raised during the public comment period and not withdrawn.

MAILING LIST. In addition to submitting public comments, you may ask to be placed on a mailing list to receive future public notices mailed by the Office of the Chief Clerk. You may request to be added to: (1) the mailing list for this specific application; (2) the permanent mailing list for a specific applicant name and permit number, and/or (3) the permanent mailing list for a specific county. Clearly specify which mailing list (s) to which you wish to be added and your request to the TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at the address above. Unless you otherwise specify, you will be included only on the mailing list for this specific application.

INFORMATION. If you need more information about this permit application or the permitting process, please call the TCEQ Office of Public Assistance, Toll Free, at 1-800-687-4040. General information about the TCEQ can be found at our web site at www.tcpq.state.tx.us.

Futher information may be obtained from the City of Lockney at the address stated above or by calling Richard McCarty at 806-652-2355.

Issued: March 23, 2004

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Floyd County Church Directory

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 Evening7:00 p.m.

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

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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. Wed. Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

401 S. Main, Floydada Anthony D. Sisemore, Pastor

Bill Swinney, Minister of Ed./Music Sunday School 9:15 a.m. Morning Worship ... 10:30 a.m Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study... 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Lockney Dr. Glyndle Feagin Interim Pastor 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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Dr. David Jones, Pastor Rev. Ione Sedinger, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship .. 10.50 a.m.

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

MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST Lockney Jay Don Poindexter,

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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.

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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 *****

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Lockney Jesse Caballero, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship Service ... 11:00 a.m. Evening Service ... 6:00 p.m. Wed. Service 7:30 p.m.

PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA

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

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TEMPLO GETSEMANI ASSEMBLY OF GOD 701 W. Missouri Rev. Ray Gonzales 983-5286 (church) 983-3047 (parsonage) Sunday School 9: 45 a.m. Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m. EveningService 5:00 p.m. Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

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TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM

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

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. Wed. 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.

TRINITY ASSEMBLY
500 W. Houston
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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.

WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST Floydada 983-3548 Sunday Worship ... 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening 5:00 p.m.

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