

Teams Compete Here, Netters Journey To Plainview

'Winds Entertain 4-AA Foes In District Track Meet

Also competing this week and next will be the Whirlwind tennis teams, who will make the journey to Plainview where there is sufficient playing space, finer courts, and better facilities.

Floydada High School's track teams will begin competing in field events at 9 a.m. on Friday. These will be followed by the running preliminaries at 10 a.m. and the finals at 2 o'clock.

Jr. high track squads will participate in the 4-AA extravaganza on Saturday. Girls tennis competition was underway by yesterday afternoon, and

the boys division will be played on Wednesday, April 19.

The Whirlwinds have been experiencing an inconsistent season, where boys' track and field is concerned. Last weekend at the highly-regarded San Angelo Relays, Coach Joe Paty's team finished 11th place in the AA division with 18 total points.

But by Friday, the FHS unit will be ready, according to the highly-successful FHS coach.

"I believe we will get after it Friday and that's where it really counts," Paty stated recently. "Our victory in the Whirlwind Relays will definitely have a positive affect on our mental attitude toward the district meet."

Coach Paty went on to say that the squad is in fair physical condition for the event, with the exception of a few minor injuries.

"I am pretty well satisfied with the team at this point," Paty continued. "Our relays need a lot of work but our individual performances (in the SA Relays) were better than previous weeks."

Coach Tommy Baxter was optimistic in looking ahead to the boys tennis meet and in analyzing the girls' chances

in yesterday's 4-AA competition.

"We should have the upper hand in district especially in the doubles department," Baxter commented Tuesday. "However, being a little weak in the singles dept. brackets is going to tighten the team races considerably. Most of our players are experienced in doubles and are positioned in an effort to get them as far as possible in the regional tournament."

Baxter went on to mention Bobby Whitaker, Zane Jones, Monty Lyons, and Bobby Green as the top prospects for regional playoff berths.

"Girls doubles seems to be another strong point with Jill Poage and Tracy Tyler on one team and Lisa West and Valynda Chandler on the other. Donna Reid and Kara Copeland could push for one of the regional berths in girls singles," Baxter continued.

In the Witchita Falls Spring Classic last weekend, FHS sent a total of three netters to beyond the opening round. Green, Lyons, and Greg Pruitt competed in the second and third rounds against very top seeded competition.

The entire team played against some of the top AAAA players in the entire state.



Travis Jones New School Board President

In a school board meeting Friday night Travis Jones was elected president of the board, Adrain Helms vice president, and Martha Farris secretary.

Jones succeeds Gene Arwine. The board worked until about midnight interviewing principals of the various schools about renewing contracts for all teachers and secretaries.

The board finished the job in a meeting Monday night. All board members were present Friday night, Lawrence Stovall was absent from the Monday night meeting.

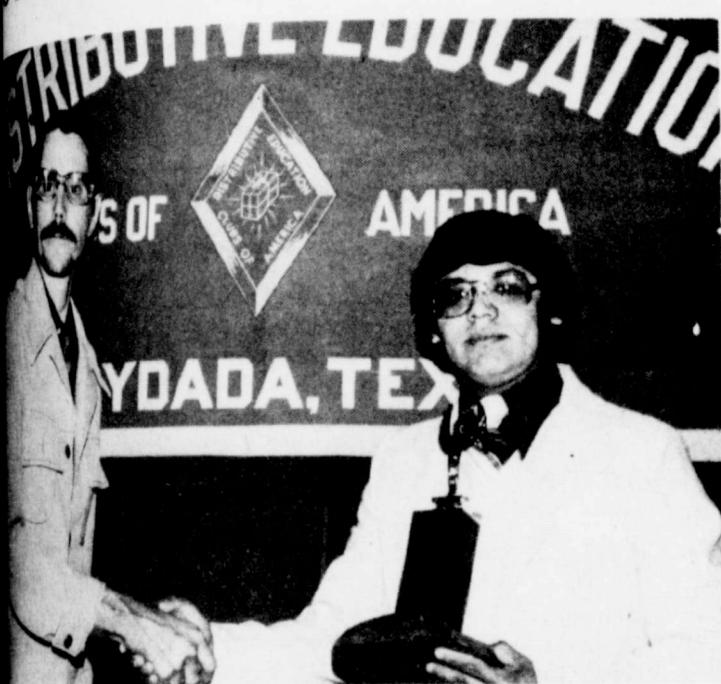
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1000 E. FLOYDADA, FLOYD COUNTY, TEXAS 79235 THURSDAY, APRIL 13, 1978 NUMBER 30

Council Goes To Work On Blighted Area Improvement



Some ten people visited the City Council meeting Tuesday night to speak their concern for areas of Floydada where home and street repair are necessary for a better way of life and a better looking town.

With the elimination of "blighted areas" in the city in mind the council conducted a public hearing concerning the intent to apply for a Single Purpose Community Development Block Grant in the amount of \$500,000.

City manager Bill Feuerbacher said there would be stacks of paper work and several months involved in the application.

OTHER BUSINESS

In other business conducted in the lengthy session the council:
Approved a \$1,558,231 Operation Budget for 1978-1979.

Approved a \$3.00 per year per pole for five year contract with TV Signal Service Company. TV Signal will use city power poles for cable TV lines.

Approved Lon Davis as Floydada representative of the Mackenzie Water Authority board.

Officially appointed and set salary of Police Chief Royce Gilmore.
Appointed Dr. A. E. Guthrie as city health officer.

Decided to charge city residents \$1.00 a month May, June, July and August for Mosquito control. The council also decided to buy another mosquito fogging machine so there would be two machines in case of extreme mosquito infestation.

Decided to hire R. E. McMorries and Associates, engineers, to study electric plant profit-loss experience.

Approved signing a contract with coach Mike Cocanougher to manage the city swimming pool this summer.
All councilmen were present.

Band To Play For Governor

Committees have been formed for the governor's visit: Fred Cardinal and Flora McNeill transportation, Alton Higginbotham and Parnell Powell are to contact merchants, Betty Miller and Francis Stanforth ladies committee, Gene Collins and J. D. Copeland to make Lockney contacts.
Lockney's Hubert Frizzell arranged the governor's visit to Floyd County.

Rusty Sherman's Whirlwind Band will play for Governor Dolph Briscoe when he arrives in Floydada Monday, April 24.

The governor flies in at 10:30 a.m. and will be in Floydada about 40 minutes.

A speaker's stand will be set-up on the square and Floydada High School will turn out at 10 a.m. until 12 p.m. for the governor's visit and lunch time.

Sports Banquet April 15

Floydada High School All Sports Banquet will be on Saturday night, April 15, 7:30 p.m. at Duncan Elementary.

Basketball plus all Spring Sports participants will be recognized at this time. The public is invited to attend. Tickets are \$3.00 each and can be purchased at the High School.



MERITORIOUS SERVICE...this plaque of appreciation was presented to Gene Arwine by Superintendent of Schools A. E. Baker Monday night preceding the school board meeting. Arwine served on the board six years and as president of the board the past year.
(Staff Photo)

Commissioners Set Vacation Policy

Floyd County Commissioners in their Monday meeting voted to establish a vacation policy for the employees of the county. A two weeks vacation will be granted for a year's employment. After a year of employment, part vacation pay is made from time of employment to when employment ceases.

The Commissioners canvassed the school board elections at South Plains and Dougherty. They elected Ira Henderson, Tommy Scaff and Fred Marble elected at South Plains. At Dougherty James Cough and Larry Bostick were declared winners. Although Bostick received 10 votes to Don Smith's 11 votes, the law requires

that a board member live in the district six months and this was not the case for Smith.

The Commissioners approved the trading of a 1958 pickup for a new pickup at City Auto for precinct 1 and the purchase of two Adler typewriters.

The Commissioners approved the final Tax Equalization board meeting hearing for June 13, 1978.

The Commissioners also approved a plan for remodeling the jail house that will cost approximately \$275,000 and instructed the architect to submit it to the state for approval.

All Commissioners were present in the meeting presided over by County Judge J. K. Holmes.

ACCEPTED RESIGNATIONS

Along with hiring teachers for another year, the board accepted some resignations. Resigning by virtue of retirement were high school librarian Helen Patterson, high school counselor Emily Johnston and Junior High teacher Diane Glover.

Jo Anne Cagle will be transferred from Andrews Elementary to high school as counselor and Carol Bell will move from junior high to the high school librarian position.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Vinson are resigned and will move to Forney, Texas. Bennie Locke has resigned as high school DECA teacher, Kermit Bond has also resigned.

The board also discussed the school's various programs for another year and will continue this work its next meeting.

Golf Girls Notch District Championship

By Doug Simpson

A strong and well-balanced nine holes of play at the Lorenzo golf course Monday was all that Coach Dale Tye's FHS female golfers needed to wrap up an unprecedented 6th consecutive district championship and a berth in the regional playoff.

The Whirllette linksters outlasted Tullia's Hornettes in a round shortened by unfavorable weather conditions with a total score of 221. Tullia's total was 229. Idalou finished 3rd in overall 4-AA competition, followed in order by Abernathy and the Wildcats' number two team.

In addition to capturing the 4-AA title, FHS earned still another honor. Senior Mitzi Hale, by finishing a 345 63-hole scorecard earned the honor of district medalist. Jayma Lewallen of FHS snared the runner-up spot with a score of 368.

Other individual scores include: Melissa Hale-417; Lisa Welborn-421; Shonda Fulton 428; and alternate for regional LaDelle Noland 443. Single scores consisted of Pam Liphams 436.

The team will compete in Lubbock on the 20th and 21st of April.



DISTRICT UIL LITERARY WINNERS... (l to r) Front row, Suzanne Dyess, 3rd place-headlines, Judi Bean, 3rd place-newswriting, Trava Gentry, 1st-shorthand, Lisa Noland, 3rd shorthand; Angie Neff, 2nd-oral reading, Dara Carthel, 3rd-oral reading, Pat Rannels, 3rd-poetry interpretation, Kelli Lyons, 1st place-prose reading; Back row, (l to r) Tammy Gentry, 2nd-newswriting, Kara Copeland, 3rd-typing, Shawnda Heflin, 1st-feature writing, Doug Simpson, 1st headline writing, Hugh Miller, 1st-debate, Rick Strange-1st debate, Phyllis Johnson-3rd persuasive speaking, Clay Hamilton, 1st, informative speaking. Most of these winners will be competing in the regional meet on April 22nd, at Texas Tech.

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Mom Buchanan Honored On 102nd Birthday

Mrs. Myrtle Sires (Mom) Buchanan was honored Sunday afternoon with a reception at the Floydada Care Center in observance of her 102nd birthday. Many friends and relatives were served ice cream and a birthday cake and enjoyed visiting with the honoree. The Floydada Care Center hosted the event.

Mrs. Buchanan received birthday greetings from President Carter and Gov. Briscoe.

Mrs. Buchanan was born April 9, 1876 on a farm in Grundy County, Missouri. She was an only child and often comments how she missed all the fun of fighting

with brothers and sisters. She and James Hale Buchanan were married January 24, 1900. They had two sons and two daughters, then two granddaughters and now seven great-grandchildren and one great-great-granddaughter. Her husband died in 1939 while they were living near Carthage, Missouri. She then moved to Texas to the home of her daughter and son-in-law, the Harry Morckels, then to the Care Center August 18, 1970.

Her children are Paul Buchanan, Bois D'Arc, Missouri; Ruth Fields, Carthage, Missouri; John Buchanan, Lamar, Missouri; and Nancy Morckel, Floydada, Texas.

Shower Selections

RHONDA BENNETT
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The well-loved game of tennis came from England and was first played here at a lawn party by Mary Ewing Outerbridge and her two brothers in 1874. America now boasts well over 10 million active players and more than 150,000 courts.

Some say it's good luck for a firefly to fly into the house.

Athena Hosts Il Penseroso

Athena Junior Study Club hosted Penseroso Junior study club to a backwards party last Thursday. Members dressed backwards were greeted at the back door of Shelia Poole's home by co-hostesses Vida Hrbacek and Lydia Watson. The menu of the evening was Upside-down sundae, Poor boy sandwiches, salad, chips, tea, and pineapple juice.

The meal was served in three courses starting with dessert, and members ate at upside down tables.

After much laughter Gavle Jackson was awarded the "Most Laughed at Prize." Karen Koonsman won "The Most Items Backwards" prize. Sheree Cannon was given the award for "Most Unusual" and Rita Burleson was awarded a prize for "Most Appropriate."

After the fun, frolics, and games, Athena held a short business meeting. They will sponsor a Howdy Tea for all new and old comers of Lockney the afternoon of April 16 at the Methodist Church fellowship hall. Anyone who would like to know his neighbor better is invited to attend.

A Bike-a-thon for Cystic Fibrosis will be held May 6. More information on this event will be available at a later date.

The pre-school clinic will be held April 18 from 1:30-3:30 at the Lockney Elementary School. This is the time for parents of children, who will be in school for the first time next fall to pre-register for school. These pre-schoolers will also be given a medical check-up and an eye examination at this time.

TFWC state convention will be in Austin this year. The Junior events will be April 27 and April 28.

New officers were elected for the next club year. These officers are Virginia Owens, president; Kathy Hunter, 1st vice president; Martha Sue Lusk, 2nd vice president; Judy Schacht, secretary; Charlotte Mitchell, treasurer; D'Ann Bellar, reporter; Sheree Cannon, parliamentarian; Ann Favor, historian.

Those present were Rita Burleson, Sheree Cannon, Sally Carthel, Peggy Hallmark, Vida Hrbacek, Kathy Hunter, Karen Koonsman,



Mrs. Meredith Hostess For 1929 Study Club

The 1929 Study Club met Thursday, April 6, in the home of Mrs. C. M. Meredith. Mrs. J. M. Willson, Sr. was leader for the program and led in reciting the club collect.

Roll call was answered with the title of a book read recently.

Mrs. Ian Moore, president, presided over the business meeting. A letter of appreciation was read from Mrs. Dorothy Kemp for the wigs which the club sent to M. D. Anderson hospital recently.

Mrs. Q. D. Williams was designated to enter a nominee for "Woman of the Year" from the club. Under department reports, the need for soap and towels in the schools were discussed; members were urged to write their congressmen concerning the farm bill and Panama Canal issues.

Members were reminded of the salad supper and style show, April 18, sponsored by the Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce.

It was also reported that

many improvements had been made in the County Library and many additions and improvements made at Mackenzie Dam.

Mrs. Williams reported that the clothes sent to the State Hospital had been sold in a rummage sale to purchase picnic tables and chairs for the patients in the hospital.

All members were asked to bring any wigs that they wish to send to M. D. Anderson hospital to the May meeting for the second mailing.

Mrs. Frances McClure was elected to membership. The enjoyable program was a review of the book "Small Blessings" by Celestine Sibley, interestingly given by Mrs. J. M. Willson, Jr.

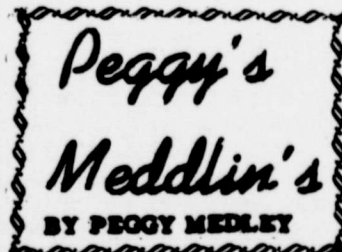
Refreshments were served to Mmes. Q. D. Williams, Emma Lou Whitaker, J. M. Willson, Sr., S. W. Ross, Cleo Goens, Clay Henry, Willard Davis, H. O. Cline, Vance Campbell, C. W. Denison, Miss Anne Swepston, and guest speaker, Mrs. J. M. Willson, Jr.

ATTENTION WOMEN GOLFERS!

Floydada Country Club invites all women who are members of the Country Club to come to a meeting to organize a Ladies Association. The meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, April 18th at 9 a.m. at the Country Club. The election of officers will be held at this time.

Martha Sue Lusk, Barbara Mathis, Virginia Owens, Shelia Poole, Sandra Turley, Lydia Watson, Lela Warren, Sue Zorger, D'Ann Bellar, Ann Favor, Jackie Lou Holt, Anita Bigham, Gayle Jackson, Cheryl Teeter, Sheryl Bybee and Barbara McCormick.

Athena wishes to thank story tellers Matt Mitchell Lisa Terrell, Julie Davis, Steven Cates and Christy Coffman. These recently entertained Athena with a story about "Honeysuckle Soup". The club also wishes to thank poetry readers, Libby Williams, Dane Daniel and Earl Broesh for presenting their poems.



I NOTICE from other news sources that another search has been started for the plane wreckage of aviator Amelia Earhart, who disappeared some 41 years ago. My husband seems to think he has the last photo taken of Amelia when she was aboard his Navy ship that year. It's priceless.

I'VE LEARNED that

gravy is the secret over fluffy dumplings which brings out the flavor in chicken 'n' dumplings. I haven't tried this recipe but plan to do so as soon as possible. Mother says it's a good one and you know how good "mothers" can cook.

The gravy recipe calls for 1/4 cup butter or margarine; 1/2 cup flour; 2 cans chicken broth (13 3/4 oz); 1/4 teaspoon pepper; 1/8 tsp., poultry seasoning; pinch of nutmeg; 9 pieces of fried chicken. For the dumpling's use 1 cup packaged biscuit mix; 1/2 cup milk and 1/4 tsp. black pepper. Melt butter in large saucepan, stir in flour and cook over low heat about 3 minutes, stirring constantly. Add broth and seasonings, and cook over medium heat until thickened, stirring occasionally. While chicken is heating in oven in shallow baking dish mix dumpling ingredients until thoroughly moistened. Drop tablespoon of dough over surface of bubbling gravy. Simmer uncovered for 10 minutes. Cover and simmer another 10 minutes. Serve hot chicken with dumpling's and gravy. This recipe will serve six.

SEAKING of food that king of eaters, Diamond Jim Brady, had a gallon of orange juice for breakfast, followed by hominy, eggs, corn bread, muffins, flap-

Single Adults To Meet

All single adults are invited to a salad supper Saturday night, April 15 at 7:30 at Lighthouse Electric. Bring a salad and join the group in an evening of good fellowship.

Whirlers To Square Dance April 15

Floydada Whirlers Square Dance Club will dance Saturday, April 15 at 8 p.m. at Massie Activity Center. Eldred Parker of Lubbock will be calling. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Club Meets In King Home

The Lone Star Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. C. L. King on April 4. The program was "Choosing Materials for Wall Decorations, and Household Improvements", given by Elvira Stewart. Refreshments were served by Mmes. Herman Huffman, Raymond Teple, J. P. Taylor, Ruth Reeves and Elvira Stewart.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, April 18, in the home of Mrs. Ruth Reeves with the Lockney 4-H leaders presenting the program.

Six ladies from the Floyd County Club attended the Texas Home Demonstration Association District Meeting held April 6 in Dimmitt. Those in attendance were: Mmes. Lucille Miller, Ruth Scott, Vivian Curtis, Lillian Smith, Merle Mayfield and Elvira Stewart.

Victory Baptist Church Women Hold Meeting

The Ladies Fellowship of the Victory Baptist Church enjoyed a ride to Plainview the evening of April 10, to meet in the home of Mrs. Donald Quisenberry for their monthly meeting.

The group enjoyed the ride in the new church bus just recently purchased. The meeting was opened in prayer by Mrs. Arlene Clevenger. After a short business meeting, Mrs. Quisenberry brought the devotion on "Spiritual Mountain

jacks, chops, fried potatoes and steak. And that was just the beginning of his day.

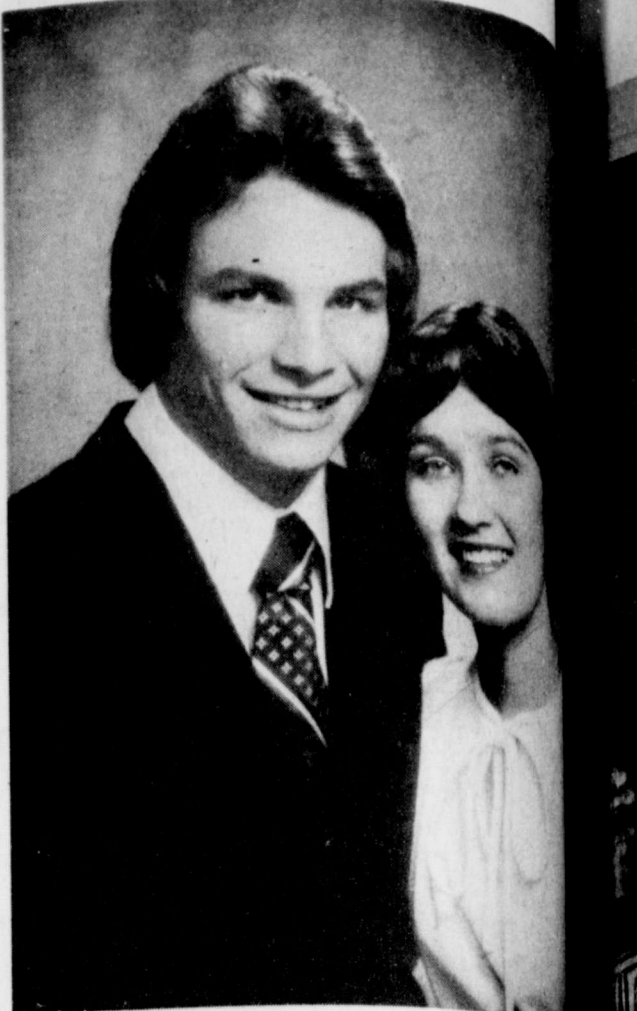
SMOKE SIGNALS...If there's smoke when you're pan-frying, panboiling or braising the meat as a first step in braising process, turn down the heat! When the temperature is too high, valuable juices are lost during the cooking. Less heat means more meat for the money. When it comes to meat cookery often the question arises if the meat should or shouldn't be covered. We are told if it's a tender cut to be roasted, the rule is not to cover. Less tender cuts of meat are the ones that require moist heat. This means adding moisture and covering beef blade and arm and pot-roasts, round steak, brisket and beef for stew.

THE UNIFORM of the volunteer firemen in Carteret County, North Carolina, may not be up to par with that of the big city fire fighters. But nobody expected the garb that they turned out in when a night alarm came in.

The firemen's association was in the middle of a fund-raising event one Saturday night and the next spool was an all-male wedding. The alarm sounded and a few men hesitated, but they all jumped on the truck, wearing dresses, wigs and make-up. One burly fighter said nobody dared tease him about his clothes, but he did get some interesting offers.

IRATE wife in throes of washing and ironing to husband filling in tax return: "Don't you dare list me as a dependent!"

THAT deadline by the way is April 17th.



WEDDING PLANNED

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Boone, Lubbock, Texas, and Mrs. Jack Hayhurst of Oklahoma announce the engagement and wedding marriage of their children, Pamela Boone and Jackie W. Hayhurst.

The bride to be graduated from Monterey School, Lubbock, in 1977 and is presently attending Southwestern Assembly of God College in hachie, where she is majoring in Communication. The prospective groom is a 1976 graduate of Henryetta High School, Oklahoma. He is attending Henryetta Nazarene College one semester a year at Southwestern Assembly of God College in Waxahachie. He is presently attending Institute of Mortuary Science majoring in Service Education.

The couple will make their home in Dallas short wedding trip. Following graduation Dallas Institute of Mortuary Science, they are joining the staff of Hayhurst-Wood Funeral Home, Henryetta, Oklahoma.

Pamela is the grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fortenberry, Cedar Hill Community and Mrs. M. A. Boone, Plainview.

Climbing". Mrs. J. W. Hendricks dismissed the meeting in prayer.

Refreshments were served to those attending: Mmes: Curtis Clevenger, David Hale, Edna Cochran, J. W. Hendricks, C. L. McKay, Wayne Fuller, Donald Quisenberry, Emmitt Clappitt and guests, Mrs. Richard Sims and Mrs. J. A. Hatch.



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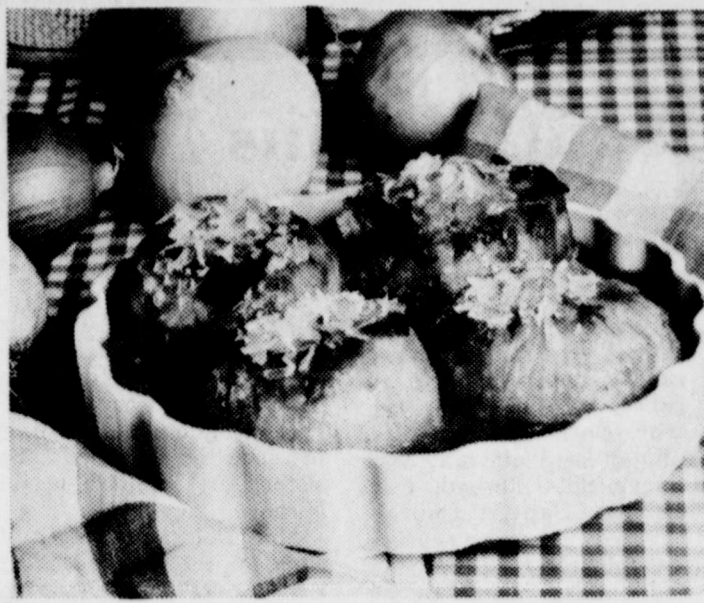
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Texas Department of Agriculture-Regan V. Brown, Commissioner
MEAT-CHEESE STUFFED ONIONS

- 10 medium Texas Onions, parboiled and hollowed
- 1 lb. ground beef
- 1/2 cup Mozzarella cheese, shredded
- 1 clove garlic, finely chopped
- 2 tsp. snipped parsley
- 1/4 tsp. pepper
- 1 egg
- 1/2 cup all-purpose flour
- 2 eggs, beaten
- 1 cup vegetable oil or olive oil
- 1/2 cup beef broth
- 1/2 cup tomato sauce
- 1 bay leaf

Mix ground beef, cheese, garlic, parsley, pepper and 1 egg and divide beef mixture evenly among parboiled, hollowed onions. Alternately dip bottoms of onions into flour and beaten eggs, then coat with flour.

Heat oil in 12-inch skillet, add onions and cook until tender. Remove onions and pour off oil. Return onions to skillet and pour over mixture of beef broth, tomato sauce and bay leaf. Heat to boiling; reduce heat and cover. Simmer 40 minutes. Spoon additional sauce on onions if desired. Yield: 10 servings.



SPRINGTIME DELIGHT--Texas onions are delicious any way you slice 'em, but a savory combination of onions stuffed with wholesome ground beef and cheese offers the best of both worlds, says Texas Department of Agriculture Home Economist Cindy Coleman. They're so good, you won't believe how easy they are!



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between Ambassador Robert Strauss, U.S. Special Trade Representative, and officials of the Japanese trade ministry.

Dallas was the first of six cities which will host trade events in the U.S.

Brown said that the Japanese buyers were mainly interested in processed foods. Commodities being displayed in various forms were beef, pork, citrus juice, canned vegetables, peanut butter, pecans, flour mixes, turkeys, broilers, powdered milk, and specialty items.

"These businessmen were here to make orders," Brown said. Fifteen attended the food exhibits while thirty others traded in apparel and housewares.

Japan is the largest export market for U.S. farm products, spending a record \$3.9 billion for U.S. agriculture imports in calendar 1977. The U.S. provides about one-third of Japan's food imports.

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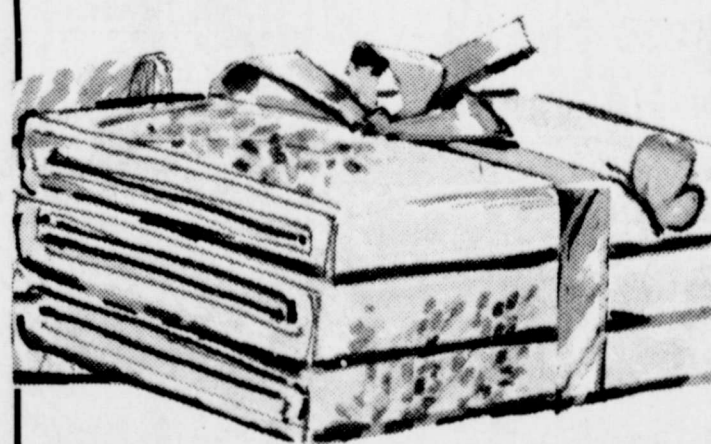
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Library Has New Feature

Loft Origina-Richard E. Leakey

Eager Buyers from Japan

AUSTIN--Japanese consumer industry representatives flocked to Dallas recently to see, and buy, a tantalizing array of Texas agricultural products. Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown has said. The food show, held at the Dallas Garden Center, featured raw and processed agricultural goods ranging from pork sausage to hot sauce, Brown noted. The exhibition was coordinated by the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Texas Department of Agriculture. Agreements to increase Japanese purchases of American goods were reached during negotiations



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South Plains News

By Mrs. Murray Julian

a wonderful revival.

South Plains, April 10th. South Plains Baptist Church ended its week long revival Sunday night. Evangelist was Robert Griffith, from Seth Ward Baptist Church in Plainview, with singer Bill Gilbreath from Calvary Baptist Church, Floydada. Morning services were followed by a luncheon, and Sunday noon, "Dinner on the Ground" was served to a large attendance. Mrs. Walter Wood was able to attend the noon meetings. Many visitors were present during night services. It was

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cox from Canyon attended revival services at Lockney in the First Baptist Church Wednesday and during the afternoon visited here with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nichols. Mrs. Robt. Lee Smith of Sterley took her father, George West to Amarillo on Wednesday where they visited in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans, who went to the Golden Age Home and brought her mother, Mrs.

George West there for a visit. Mrs. Myrtle West is doing well.

Among the Floydada High School students chosen to an all-star cast Tuesday afternoon during the ULL district 4-AA meet were Kelli Lyons and Kelly Marble from South Plains. Congratulations to both of them.

Mrs. Frank McClure is still in the Central Plains Hospital in Plainview. During the week end her sister, Mrs. J. E. Woodson and her brother, A. C. Newman of Snyder visited her. Others from South Plains have also visited her. She is much better than she was last week.

Hobby Club of South Plains will meet at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Carolyn Marble, with a woman from Sears giving a demonstration on window dressing.

Rev. Fred Blake will be evangelist, and Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Payne, Tammy and Joey of Floydada as singers will leave here Friday for Wellington, where they will be holding a weekend revival at the Faith Baptist Church where Rev. Nathan Mulder is pastor.

George West has taken to the emergency room of the Central Plains Hospital in Plainview Saturday morning about 2:00 a.m. by Mrs. Myrtle Sullivan, nurse, who is looking after him. Mrs. Robt. Lee Smith spent the rest of the night with him, and this Monday they are taking medical tests.

Mr. and Mrs. Early Pritchett went to Clouderoft, New Mexico to their mountain home last Tuesday and Early returned home later in the week to attend to farm business. Others who plan to go to Clouderoft to stay this week in their home are Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wilson from South Plains. They will go by El Paso to visit their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Blythe and sons, Russell and Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Kinnibrough were hosts at a birthday dinner in their home Sunday. Week end guests with them were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Simmons of Truscott. Those who came Sunday to share in the celebration of Mrs. Ray Dillard's birthday were her husband, Ray, of Lockney, and the Kinnibrough's daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Horne and Melissa and Mr. and Mrs. Hank Dickens and son all of Plainview.

Birthdays to be celebrated here during April are those of Donna Powell Rushing, April 3rd; Mrs. Martha Blake, April 6; Kenneth Powell, April 9; William Hamilton, April 10th; Tim Julian, April 16th; Glenna Powell, April 26th; and Richard Sanders, April 29th.

Mrs. Mamie Wood went to Baptist Encampment Sunday afternoon and Monday where she attended a Library Conference. Mrs. Genet Blake will attend the Tuesday meeting of the Library.

Monday evening visitor at the South Plains Baptist Church revival was Mrs. Alma Ruth Nelson of Floydada, who was also here Saturday night. Tuesday night Bill Gilbreath brought singers, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sullivan and Mr. and Mrs. George Finley of Floydada, who sang lovely music for the meeting. Wednesday night visitors from Floydada were Sheldon Sue, Shannon Bell, Andrew Large and Loy Norris. Thursday night Gary Yates from the Northside Baptist Church in Plainview was here with Miss Taylor and group of young girls from his church choir. Clarence Foster, Wiley Rogers, Sheldon Sue, Rosemary Hardin, Teresa Hart and Jimmy Finley all of Floydada were also welcome visitors. Friday night Miss Arnold, principal of the South Plains School, Kara Copeland, Sheldon Sue and Tammy Payne of Floydada were present as

was Mrs. Bob Griffith of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Taylor were present at the meeting Thursday and Saturday nights. Saturday night Mrs. Jack Maddox of the Calvary Baptist was with the South Plains Church to give a Chalk Talk, and brought music, as did Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Payne, Tammy and Joey. Clarence Foster and Wiley Rogers of Floydada were also visitors Saturday night.

Mrs. Sarah Beard left last week on Wednesday and Thursday was taking tests in MD Anderson Hospital in Houston. We are wishing her good health.

Those who were hosts in their home for the visiting preacher, the song leader and wife, during the past week for the evening meet were Rev. and Mrs. Fred Blake, on Sunday, April 2 at dinner and supper. Monday April 3rd, the Raymond Uptons were hosts after church services to the revival team.

Tuesday, April 4th, Mrs. Mamie Wood was hostess for dinner in her home, and Wednesday, the Nathan Johnsons were hosts, before preaching, Thursday, April 6th, the Sterling Cummings entertained in their home with dinner for the group. Friday night, in the Kendis Julian home, Mrs. Kendis Julian and Mrs. Murray Julian and Mrs. John Dunlap, District 3; Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, District 4; Mr. and Mrs. Cox, District 5; Mr. and Mrs. J. Adams, District 6; and Mr. and Mrs. Turner Hunter, District 7.

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REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the

The First National Bank of Floydada

In the state of Texas at the close of business on March 31, 1978 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161.

Charter number 7045 National Bank Region Number 11

INFORMATION ABOVE LINE NOT TO BE PUBLISHED		Thousands of dollars
Statement of Resources and Liabilities		
ASSETS		
Cash and due from banks		9,979
U.S. Treasury securities		699
Obligations of other U.S. Gov't. agencies and corps		399
Obligations of States and political subdivisions		5,878
Other bonds, notes, and debentures		None
Federal Reserve stock and corporate stock		21
Trading account securities		None
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell		2,800
Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	10,046	
Less: Reserve for possible loan losses	366	
Loans, Net		9,680
Direct lease financing		None
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises		492
Real estate owned other than bank premises		None
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies		None
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding		None
Other assets		378
TOTAL ASSETS		30,326
Demand deposits of individuals, prtshps., and corps.		12,483
Time and savings deposits of individuals, prtshps., and corps.		11,371
Deposits of United States Government		47
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		2,290
Deposits of foreign govts. and official institutions		None
Deposits of commercial banks		None
Certified and officers' checks		130
TOTAL DOMESTIC DEPOSITS		26,321
Total demand deposits	13,786	
Total time and savings deposits	12,535	
Total deposits in foreign offices		None
TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN OFFICES		26,321
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		None
Liabilities for borrowed money		None
Mortgage indebtedness and liability for capitalized leases		None
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding		None
Other liabilities		318
TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)		26,639
Subordinated notes and debentures		None
Preferred stock No. shares outstanding (par value)	None	
Common stock a. No. shares authorized	2,000	
b. No. shares outstanding (par value)	2,000	
Surplus		500
Undivided profits		2,987
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves		6
TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL		3,687
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL		30,326
Average for 30 calendar days ending with report date:		
Cash and due from banks		10,140
Fed. funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell		3,177
Total loans		9,548
Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices		1,345
Total deposits		26,806
Fed. funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		None
Liabilities for borrowed money		None
TOTAL ASSETS		31,163
Standby letters of credit (outstanding as of report date)		None
Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more (outstanding as of report date)		713
Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more (outstanding as of report date)		632
MEMORANDA		

C. J. Payne
 Name
 Senior Vice President & Cashier
 Title

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. J. Payne
 Signature
 April 10, 1978
 Date

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

[Signatures]
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OBITUARY

W. P. Duncan

Rites were held Tuesday morning in Moore-Rose Funeral Home Chapel for William Pope Duncan, 63 year old Amarillo resident who died at his home there April 8.

A former Floydada resident, Duncan was born in Floydada on May 26, 1914 to Silas E. Duncan Sr., and Irene Jane Pope Duncan. He was preceded in death by his parents, a daughter, a sister, Rebecca Martin, a brother, Silas Duncan Jr., and two half brothers, Alvah and Russell Duncan.

Duncan was a barber by trade and was a veteran of World War II being among the first Floyd County men to serve in the army, enlisting in 1938. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include a son, Billy Pope Duncan of Overland, Kan.; two daughters, Myrna Lynn Hutchison of Recine, Wis., and Reba Romona Waddy of Tennessee; two brothers, Robert B. Duncan of Conoga Park, Calif., and Burton E. Duncan of Las Vegas, Nev.; and nine grandchildren.

The son of the deceased officiated for the service. Burial was in Floydada cemetery with Moore-Rose in charge of arrangement. Pallbearers were William H. Smith, Milton Harrison, Jesse Pernel, Ray Carthel, Ronnie Smith and Bobby Cozby.

Ed Baird

Services for Edward T. Baird, 59, a farmer in the Harmony Community, were conducted Sunday, April 9 in the First Baptist Church in Floydada. Baird died at 10:22 a.m. Friday, April 7 in University Hospital in Lub-

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Lighthouse Annual Meeting April 22

Lighthouse Electric Cooperative will hold its 39th Annual Membership Meeting, Saturday, April 22, 1978, at the Floydada High School Auditorium. Registration of members will start at 11:00 a.m. followed by a Bar-B-Q lunch for the members at 11:30. The meeting will officially be called to order at 1:00 p.m. by president of the board, Carl Baxter.

A report on operations for 1977, the election of a director for District 4 and proposed charter amendments will highlight the business meeting. Music will be provided during lunch and during the program by Andy Ratzlaff and the "Dukes Mixtures". Prizes will be drawn through the meeting with the grand prize to be drawn at the close of the meeting. Only registered members of Lighthouse are eligible for the prize drawing and they must be present to win.

A movie for the kids will again be shown in the cafeteria during the business session.

The annual meeting of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative is planned and held each year by the planning committee. This committee is made up of one couple from each of the seven districts served by Lighthouse.

This year they are Mr. & Mrs. Clifford Trull, District 1; Mr. & Mrs. Randy Bertrand, District 2; Mr. & Mrs. John Dunlap, District 3; Mr. & Mrs. Taylor, District 4; Mr. & Mrs. Galvin Cox, District 5; Mr. & Mrs. J. Adams, District 6; and Mr. & Mrs. Turner Hunter, District 7.

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Crash victims' rites

BROWNFIELD — Pedro (Pete) Cortez, 61, of Brownfield, who was one of five persons killed in a car-truck collision Saturday about 6:45 p.m. at the intersection of FM 1585 and Slide Road at Lubbock, was the father of Mrs. Yolanda Lockney.

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Rosemary Hardin Outstanding Student

The Floydada High School DECA Chapter celebrated its 42nd annual employer-employee banquet Tuesday night in Duncan Cafeteria, and chapter vice president Eli Enriquez was recipient of the coveted "Outstanding Student" award. All DECA students and their employers were honored at the banquet, as were

the chapter officers and beau and sweetheart. Coordinator Benny Locke was master of ceremonies and presented the awards. The food was catered by Jackson's of Post. The program consisted of the reviewing of the list of activities for the DECA students throughout the 77-78 school year.

Rosemary Hardin

GRADUATES AT WTSU

WTSU—Approximately 935 West Texas State University students will receive degrees during spring commencement exercises May 13 at the Amarillo Civic Center Coliseum. The ceremony will start at 4:30 p.m. To be honored are more than 695 May graduates and the 240 December graduates who have filed for degrees and have completed all requirements. Graduates from Floydada are Danny W. Bradford, Rt. 4, with a bachelor of Science degree; Letha D. Bradford, Rt. 4, with a Bachelor of Business Education degree; Kim J. Barnes with a Bachelor of Science degree; and Ellen Enriquez, 329 Jackson St., with no standard degree.

FHS-Petersburg Results

Boys Singles: Kevin Brington, P def. Greg Pruitt, F, 6-1, 6-3; Gerry Norrell, F, def. Rocha, P; Scott Graham, F, def. Ross, F; Eddie Edwards, F, def. Ross, P, 8-5.

Boys Doubles: Bobby Whitaker—Zane Jones, F, def. Wilson—Montez, P, 6-3, 6-3; Bobby Green—Monty Lyons, F, def. Richard Quiroz—Rhodes, P, 6-1; Quiroz—Rhodes, P, def. Sammy Bradley—Kenny Young, F, 8-6; James Hale—Andy Holcomb, F def. Rocha—Ross, P, 8-2; Brington—Rhodes, P def. Lyons—Green, 7-6; Tommy Myrick—Terry Jones F, def. Jefferson—Gregory, P, 6-4, 6-4.

Girls Singles: Connie Bradford, F, def. Angie Flores, P, 8-3; Tana Tyler, F def. Silvas, P, 8-0; Rhonda Jordan, F, def. Aceavado, P, 8-0.

Girls Doubles: Knave—

McLaughlin, P def. Lisa West—Valynda Chandler, F, 6-4, 6-1; Tana Tyler—Melody Stringer, F def. Gomez—Molanado, P, 8-1; Jordan—Lisa Mayo, F, def. Milner—Gonzalez, P, 8-4.

Floydada A's Upset Lubbock, 10-1

Ruben DeLeon, David Marricle, and Rick Carthel unloaded 2 and 3-run homers and winning pitcher DeLeon hurled a five-hitter, as the Floydada A's baseball team defeated the Lubbock Tejanos in a game shortened by rain Sunday afternoon,

by the score of 10-1. It was the first win and the season opener for the

A's team, who will host Dimmitt here Sunday, at 3 p.m.

TDA Asks Texas Homemakers To Share Favorite Recipes

AUSTIN—Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown invites homemakers with favorite recipes using Texas agricultural products to share them with others throughout the state. "Anyone having recipes utilizing quality Texas farm products may submit them to the Texas Department of Agriculture for publication in the TDA Quarterly, a magazine devoted to the agricultural producers and consumers of the state," Brown said. "For the upcoming issue we are

particularly interested in recipes using peanuts, turkey, strawberries and melons." Recipes for the Summer, 1978 Quarterly must be received by May 15. Send to: Commissioner Reagan V. Brown, Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711.

COME ON BIG WHIRLWINDS, WIN DISTRICT..

Crepe Myrtles \$2.80 Each

Sale of Floydada's official shrub, the Crepe Myrtle will begin April 19 by the Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce. The flowering shrubs will be priced at \$2.50 each. They will be firebird red in color and will be delivered inside the city limits C.O.D. by the members.

Whirlettes Place 5th In Olton Track Meet

By Doug Simpson Coach Linden Weese's Whirlettes collected five first, second, and third place medals and accumulated 46 total points, en route to a 5th place performance Friday in the Olton Relays.

The track meet snapped a two-meet victory for the Whirlettes who had previously captured first place trophies at Tulia and Friendship. Kim Curry proved to be high point individual for the Whirlettes, as the junior, 3-year letterman notched 2nd place in the shot put and 3rd in the discus. It was Jaine Guest achieving another respectable performance in the 80-yard hurdles with 2nd place at a time of 11.1. Caren Campbell leaped 5-6 in the high jump for 2nd place, and Rosemary Barnes contributed another 8 points with 2nd place in the triple jump event.

Breezers Participate In Hornet Relays

Floydada Junior High boys track teams competed Friday in the Hornet Relays at Tulia and walked away with finishes of 3rd and 6th places under their belts. The meet marked the final event entered prior to the District 4-AA meet on Saturday, which will be hosted by the Breezers at the FHS track complex.

Coach Mike Brownlee's seventh grade troops notched 6th place in the Tulia meet with 38 points and an overall total of 7 placings. Felix Soliz captured 4th place in the shot put and proceeded to place 5th in the discus event. Joe Hernandez achieved second place in the high jump while teammate Marty Covington placed 5th. The 440 relay foursome, consisting of Salazar, Covington, Bruce Williams, and Floyd Hightower crossed the tape in 3rd place. Randy Rendon captured 3rd place in the 660-yard run, and Hightower notched 4th place in the 100-yard dash.

Chris Fulton placed 3rd and 5th respectively in the shot put and discus events. In the pole vault, Moses Reyes and Jim Waller captured 4th and 5th place ribbons. The 440 Relay foursome of Ronnie Minner, Lee Parker, Norman Allen, and Todd Beedy placed 3rd with a 50.0 clocking. Parker added a 5th place to the Breezer cause in the 220, and in the 230 hurdles, Minner placed 2nd. Troy Moore notched 3rd place in the 660, followed by Javier Resio in 5th. The Mile Relay team, Allen, Parker, Beedy, and Rainwater, coped 4th place.

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1057-stroke total score, behind Tulia, runner-up Idalou, and third place Abernathy. Jim Covington, junior, fired a team low score of 86 and shared honors with teammate and senior Monty Smitherman. Clay Simpson's 87 claimed runner-up honors, and Kerry Pratt and Jimmy Jones traded in respective scorecards of 90 and 92 to round out the first team. Rick Covington shot an 86, to lead single players, and Jack Carthel followed close behind with a 97. Bill Starkey shot a 102. The final district round will be played at Lorenzo next Thursday.

A's Baseball Team Clips Ralls, 8-2

Ruben DeLeon smacked a two-run homer in the last half of the second inning and Steve Westbrook limited opposing batters to only 4 hits, as the Floydada A's baseball team extended their unbeaten streak to 2 with an 8-2 win over Ralls Tuesday.

The victory left the Floydada club with an unblemished 2-0 mark, and it will try to improve on its record Sunday when Dimmitt comes to town. Game time will be 2 p.m.

A number of business within the Floydada community are sponsoring the A's this season and will be listed on a later date.

Post-FHS Dual Results

FLOYDADA 7, POST 3 Boys Singles: Raymie Holly, P def. Oscar Barrera, F, 6-1, 6-1; Greg Pruitt, F, def. Jackie Stelzer, P, 3-6, 7-6, 6-2; Gerry Norrell, F, def. Pat Mitchell, P, 7-6, 6-3.

Boys Doubles: Bobby Whitaker-Zane Jones, F, def. Mike Macy-Jimmy Pruitt, P, 6-3, 6-4; Bobby Green-Monty Lyons, F, Def. Dick Kirkpatrick-Randy Conner, P, 7-5, 6-1; Chuck Black-Mike Holly, P, def. Andy Holcomb-Lyons, F, 4-6, 7-6, 5-4.

Girls Singles: Debbie Wyatt, P, def. Kara Copeland, F, 6-2, 6-1; Donna Reid, F, def. Nancy McCowen, P, 6-3, 6-3.

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DRIBBLING DRAGONS 35 ROAD RUNNERS 30

Smith drilled home a total of 24 points as the Dribbling Dragons downed the Road Runners on April 7. K. Lloyd pitched in 5 for the Dragons, as Kitchens added 4, and Orman scored 2. Lara contributed 12 for the Road Runners, as Acy scored 6, Cisneros pitched in 4, Self scored 4, Dickson 2, and Galloway 2. Rusty Rainey canned 9 points to lead all scorers as the Raiders handily defeated the Queens 25-15. Pena added 6 for the Raiders, followed by Wilson with 6, Davis with 2, and Simpson scored 2. C. Wilson, Ledbetter and Pitts paced the Queens with 4, and Pruitt added 3.

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1900 as a wedding gift. Cake and ice cream was served to everyone. It's not often that one receives a birthday card from the President of the United States, and the Governor of Texas. Mom Buchanan did.

Our big bingo winner was Hope Hammonds with four games. Pearl Carrick with three, Dora Henderson with two, Clara Williamson, Willie Stambough and Molly Jones with one game each. Alta Probasco is in Caprock Hospital with a broken hip. We wish Alta a speedy recovery. Many thanks to each of our visitors. Chuck Baker—Boulder Colo. Mrs. Bill Smallwood—Mataador, Thanie Smallwood—Mataador.

Larene Reasoner, Mrs. Hubert Davis, Doris Snodgrass, Mrs. George Wexler, Alma Ruth Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Willson, Mabel Redwine, Otis Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wester, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Odam, Mrs. Jim Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jarnagin, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Hart, Mrs. George Wexler, Rev. Jack Maddox, Mr. Elvis Warren, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Odam, Mrs. Jim Owens, Mrs. Merlene Breeding, Miss Delzie Bradford, Mrs. Dell Stout, Odell Stout, of Floydada.

Cattle on feed in Texas in 1977 consumed over 6 million tons of grain, worth some \$500 million, Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown notes.

Farmers got less than 3 cents for the wheat used to make a pound of bread retailing for 34.7 cents in 1977, states Agriculture Commissioner

Misty Younger, Terri Marquis, Ledbetter, and Sandra Robinson, captured 6th in the 440 and 5th in the 880 events. Younger also placed 4th in the hurdles.

8TH GRADE Debra Alfaro achieved first place in the shot for the 8th grade Breezettes, and 2nd in the discus. Karen Davis notched 6th in the discus, and in the high jump, Kelli Ferguson captured 6th. Susan Turner topped competitors in the long jump. Turner, Alfaro, Pleasant, and Triss Coleman composed the 440 and 880 relay foursomes. In the 440 relay, the group achieved 3rd place, and crossed the tape in 3rd in the 880 event. Coleman's 28.8 timing in the 220 was good for third place, and Christina Medrano dominated the 660 and 1320 events with a pair of first places. In the 1320 Relay, Turner, Alfaro, Coleman, and Baker finished 4th place.

Breezettes Compete Tulia Track Meet

Chickwick's 7th and 8th grade teams captured 3rd and 5th place respectively in the Tulia Relays, with the Breezettes leading in the 440 and 880 events, and the team achieving 4th. The Breezettes will precede the 440 and 880 relay events at the Tulia field complex.

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Summer Camp For 4-Hers

Summer is camping time, and for 4-H members it's time to start thinking about taking advantage of some of the many great experiences in store at the Texas 4-H Center this summer.

The Center, located near Brownwood in Central Texas offers a special camping program for 4-Hers during the period July 9-28, points out Birch Lobban, Assistant County Agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the parent organization of 4-H. Theme of this year's camping program is "Texas Heritage and Horizons."

Summer camp at the Texas 4-H Center can be a unique experience, emphasizes Lobban. It provides an opportunity to meet new friends, learn new skills and have a great time. There are nature activities, folk games, folk arts and crafts, outdoor sports and recrea-

tion, music and planned social recreation along with many other things.

Instruction relating to Texas' Cultural Heritage will be provided by qualified college-age counselors and resource persons. Adult 4-H leaders and County Extension agents will serve as supervisors.

The camping program will be conducted according to age groups, with the schedule as follows: July 9-12, 15 years and older; July 12-14 and July 26-28, 10-11 years old; July 16-19 and July 23-26, 12-14 years old.

Cost of the camp is \$35 per individual except for the 10-11 year-old groups, which is \$30.

Parents and leaders who will be providing transportation for 4-Hers may make reservations to stay at the center at the same fee as for the youth.

Applications for the sum-

mer camping program at the Texas 4-H Center are available at the County Extension office, adds Lobban. Reservations will be made on a "first come, first served" basis.

4-H is open to all youth 9 to 19 years old regardless of race, creed, color, national origin or sex.

If a car is over four years old, collision insurance may not be worthwhile, suggests Claudia Kerbel, consumer information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Check the car's value in the National Automobile Dealer's Association "Official Used Car Guide," commonly called "the Blue Book," the specialist advises.

Do Not Send Cash To Pay Income Tax

Taxpayers should send either a personal check or money order, but not cash, when remitting Federal income tax, the Internal Revenue Service said.

Using a check or money order is not only safer, the IRS explained, but the taxpayer has the added advantage of having a record to prove that he or she made the payment.

The IRS also stressed the importance of entering a correct social security number on the check or money

order directly below the signature. If the payment should be separated from the tax return, it is very simple to readily locate the taxpayer's return through the use of the social security number.

Taxpayers should also bear in mind that whether a check is certified or noncertified, the tax is not paid until the check is honored by the bank on which it is drawn. All checks or money orders should be made payable to "Internal Revenue Service."

The Floyd Philosopher Isn't Too Surprised That \$1,000,000,000 A Year Lost On Mail-Order Rackets

Editor's note: The Floyd Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm takes a sidelong glance at human nature this week.

Dear editor:

According to an article in a newspaper the wind blew against a fence out here and which I pulled off before the fence fell over from the extra pressure, about one billion dollars was lost by the American people last year because they fell for phony mail-order schemes.

In some cases the advertised products were never furnished, in most cases the products were worthless. The people losing their money were mostly adults, bearing out the notion, discovered centuries ago by politicians, that a lot of people are easy to fool.

Now there is a time in life when falling for a sales pitch for a phony product seems natural, like believing Santa Clause can travel all over the earth in one night. For example, when I was a boy I was all set to astound and baffle my friends because I'd

sent off ten cents and gotten nothing but enabling me to throw my voice under your tongue, the ad said, and mystify your friends by making me come from another room, around or wherever you please.

It was a hoax, it wouldn't work, the ten cents was well spent, educational, and I've often figured people as youths had bought those gadgets mail-order rackets and tougher going later on.

But I'm not sure. We ought to think that it must be human nature to run against high taxes even when taxes have been going up since Caesar's time, regardless of who is to tell the people what they need and, when you get in and change the subject.

Cedar Hill News

By Grace Lemons

Patsy Boone and daughter, Donita, and Rhonda Fort-

tenberry of Lubbock spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fortenberry.

Louise Dunn and Mattie Davis ate lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Junior Taylor Sunday, Agnes and Gus Wesley and Grace and Olan Keeter were also there.

On Friday, Norma Welch visited Mr. and Mrs. Cephus Fortenberry, Pauline Vanhoose, and Clara Mize in Cedar Hill and Benny Golly in Floydada.

Edna Gilly of Cedar Hill, Clara Redd and Ruth Hill of Floydada attended the funeral of Mrs. A. J. Garland, 63, at the First Baptist Church in Goodnight. Mrs. Garland lived at Clarendon.

Viola Hoole of Lubbock spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Garland Tucker. Frances Tucker and Evelyn Tucker of Lubbock had lunch with them Saturday. Viola accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Tucker to attend the funeral of Mrs. A. J. Garland in Goodnight. Mrs. Garland is a niece of Mr. Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Conner were among the many friends who attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Lindsey and Ethyl Graham held in their home Sunday afternoon. They were also present for the birthday

celebration Sunday in Floydada for Mrs. Buchanan who is 102 years old. Later they visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Lemons in Cedar Hill.

Fred Conner of Amarillo visited with his parents, Mr. and Ms. J. R. Conner Tuesday.

Mrs. Carl F. Lemons visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lemons in Plainview Saturday. She also visited with Temp Phillips in Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Robin Fortenberry were host and hostess for a lunch given in their home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Cephus Fortenberry were present.

Several from Cedar Hill attended the Fowler Concert given in the Agriculture Building in Plainview Thursday evening. Those from here were Mr. and Mrs. Robin Fortenberry, Gladys Fortenberry, Edna Gilly, Ruth Hill and Imogene Fortenberry.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Vanhoose visited with their son and family in Lubbock Saturday and spent the night with another son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Vanhoose.

Pauline Vanhoose visited Mattie Davis and Louise Dunn Monday morning.

Patsy Boone and Gladys Fortenberry went to Plainview shopping Saturday.

A good representation were present at a coffee given in the home of Imogene Fortenberry in behalf of the cancer drive. The women brought their donations and enjoyed refreshments at ten o'clock Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor of Lockney had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fortenberry Sunday.

Glenda Kay Thompson spent Friday night with her

grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Hess in New Deal Friday.

Mattie Davis and Louise Dunn visited with Tom Fortenberry Thursday evening.

Jessica Lemons of Lockney spent Monday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Lemons.

USDA SUMMER FOOD PROGRAM

This summer USDA will seek to initiate summer food program projects in low-income counties across the country. The Department will compile a report based on evaluations of these projects. Sponsors will use this report to assist them in operating the program more effectively in rural areas in the future.

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- ★ Has won two high awards from Texas A & M for contributions to agriculture, as well as the Federal Land Bank Medal.
- ★ As legislator sponsored the Colson-Briscoe Act creating the farm-to-market road system that brought rural Texas out of the mud.

THE PRESENT

- ★ Kept his promise of no new state taxes in three consecutive Legislatures; advocates property tax

relief for homeowners and family farmers and repeal of the sales tax on utilities.

- ★ Signed into law a requirement that all beef and dairy products purchased by state-supported agencies be produced in the U.S., and has urged President Carter to require federal agencies to do the same.
- ★ Has urged President and Congress to require imported agricultural products to meet the same inspection standards as domestically-produced goods and favors the Beef Import and Labeling Act of 1978 requiring imported beef to carry an identification label to the ultimate consumer.
- ★ Backs the Flexible Parity Act of 1978 which would establish new target prices for wheat, upland cotton and feed grain.
- ★ Backs emergency legislation in Congress directing Secretary of Agriculture to increase acreage set-asides for this year's crops of wheat, corn, cotton and soybeans by 31 million acres, thereby stimulating market prices.
- ★ Has helped mobilize nation's governors to encourage President and Congress to bring about 100% parity in the marketplace for American agricultural products.

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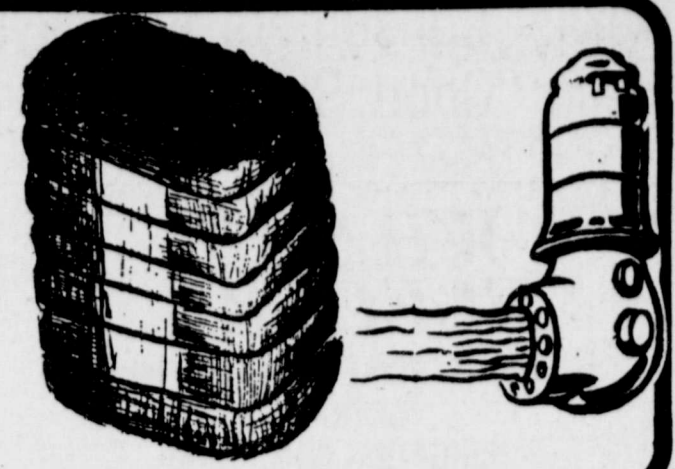
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...of products such as herbicides, pesticides or other soil conditioners are plaguing farmers already bogged down with problems of their own. Some of these "miracle products" are promoted through false, deceptive or misleading claims.

The BBB and the Texas Attorney General suggest the following procedures be followed if you are contacted to buy such merchandise.

—Take note of the salesperson's name, the name of the product, and its manufacturer.

—Pay attention to claims made about the performance of the product, or any claims that it is "approved by the Texas Agriculture Department."

—Ask if local stores carry the product, then tell the caller you intend to compare shop to be sure his price is the best and that his product compares favor-

ably with similar ones.

—Ask the caller to mail you information about the product, tell him you will examine it and then make a decision about a purchase.

—Be very suspicious if a claim is made that the product will "take care of all your pests for two or three years" or if the caller says "this product is industrial strength but may also be used on pastures or croplands."

Obesity problems are more readily solved by preventive measures than by curative approaches, says Frances Reasonover, foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

TWO STEPS TO COMBAT BOLL WEEVILS

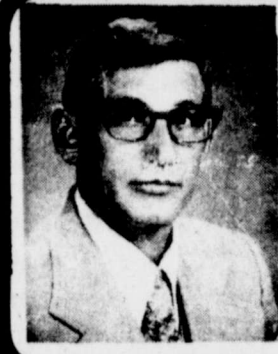
Two steps, if taken in the next few days, can help cotton producers put more money in their pockets by reducing the threat of boll weevil damage during the growing season.

The two steps are the collection of a special fund of \$3 an acre to insure an adequate spraying program below the Caprock and adoption of boll weevil management practices recommended by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The steps were explained by Extension specialists and representatives of the U. S. Department of Agriculture's

Around the County

County Agent's Column



By Doyle Warren
County Extension Agent

Plans Protection and Quarantine office and Plains Cotton Growers at meetings held recently in Quitaque and surrounding areas.

Another meeting will be Thursday, April 13, 7:30 p.m., at Valley School.

The recommended management practices call for a two-pronged effort which would greatly reduce reproduction from over-wintering adult weevils.

When overwintering weevils emerge, they live for approximately 12 days on seedling cotton, Dr. James F. Leser, area Extension entomologist, explained at the meetings. They must find squares which are one-third grown or larger for reproduction. The greatest number of overwintering weevils have emerged prior to mid-June.

If cotton below the Cap in Floyd County is not planted until May 20 or later, most of the female weevils will have emerged and died before third-grown squares are

present in your cotton, Leser said.

The second part of the recommended management practices calls for establishment of a concentrated survey program to find fields in which early infestations occur and enable producers to effectively apply overwintered weevil control.

Boll weevils initially infest a few fields nearest to their overwintering quarters, Leser noted, and monitoring these fields by trained scouts has proven highly effective in controlling them through one timely early-season application of insecticide in most cases. By controlling weevils in a few fields early in the season, damaging infestations in most fields can be prevented or at least delayed until late in the season.

Such a scouting program, using technically trained scouts, can be provided if cotton farmers below the Caprock in Floyd County and surrounding areas voluntarily contribute 20 cents per cotton acre to a special fund to employ the scouts.

To employ and train the scouts, these funds must be collected by May 7. A collection committee of Quitaque producers will be formed.

The combination of a planting date of May 20 or later and the expanded scouting and early-season control effort can effectively minimize early-season weevil problems. For maximum effectiveness, these management practices need to be adopted by all produc-

ers in the area below the Caprock.

The special fund which will insure an adequate fall control program in the area below the Caprock would be kept separate from regular funds used for the Diapause Boll Weevil Control Program and would only be used in case of emergency, Ed Dean, director of field ser-

VICES for Plains Cotton Growers, explained at the meetings.

To provide this added insurance, at least 90 percent of the producers below the Caprock must agree to impose upon themselves an assessment of \$3 per land acre, Dean said. This money must be collected by June 15.

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Soybean

Hay Pays

HUDSON, IA.—Soybean hay could be the alternative to limited supplies of quality forage and low cattle prices, according to an article in the April issue of *Soybean Digest*.

"Many bean growers with unprofitable cattle operations have taken a critical look at both bean hay and baled bean stubble," Vance Ehmke writes.

Mississippi farmer Truett Allen has put up 15 acres of soybean hay for his small Angus herd for the past 5 years, and doesn't harvest a single acre as beans. Allen figures at 14 percent protein, his soybean hay costs 95 cents a 60-pound bale and saves on protein supplement, compared to at least \$1.25 per bale of grass hay.

Dr. Hiram Palmertree, Mississippi State University agronomist agrees that whole-bean hay makes good feed. He encourages producers to put beans up for hay when land is not a limiting factor.

"If there's a problem with bean hay, it's low energy and high fiber," he said. "Even then it's not bad feed for dry cows, or even for cows with calves if enough bean hay is fed or supplemented with a little energy."

Baling is an excellent way to salvage a crop damaged by weeds, disease, or drought, he said. Soybean hay cut from the bud to early bloom stage can have as high as 18 to 20 percent protein.

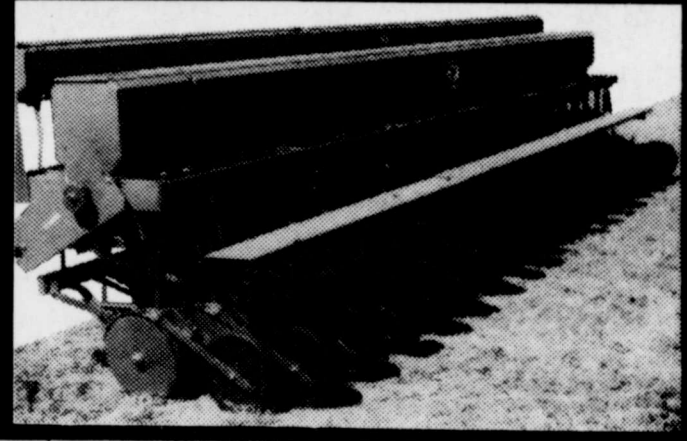
Beans swathed for hay will take longer to dry before baling, Palmertree noted. A seeding rate of 1½ to 2 bushels an acre reduces stem size, speeds up drying time and possibly cuts down on feed wasted by cattle.

"If you don't want to cut your beans for hay, consider stubble as a low cost roughage source," he said. "With a little supplementing, it can be a real lifesaver for a roughage-short cattleman."



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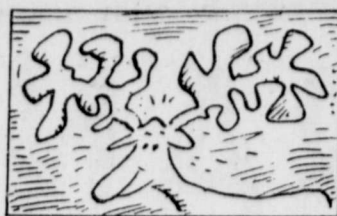
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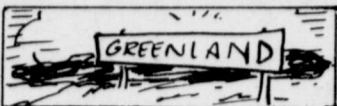
"There were 16.6 million broiler chicks hatched in February, 12 percent above a year ago," he said. "However, we saw a 13-percent drop in egg-type chicks hatched. These totaled 2.1 million during the month."

Brown noted that the January chicken slaughter was up 10 percent, as this high-protein meat continues to expand its solid position in consumer diets nationwide.



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LAST-MINUTE TAX TIPS

In your rush to beat the April 17th deadline, be sure you don't miss these often-overlooked deductions.

By Bob Rosenblatt

Income-tax time is a painful season, but the sting will be a bit easier to tolerate this year.

The IRS forms are shorter and easier to read, fewer calculations are required. But despite the simplifications, preparing a tax return is still a difficult chore. Here is a guide to the tax forms and a listing of helpful deductions commonly overlooked.

The first decision focuses on the appropriate form to use, the short 1040A or the long 1040. Use 1040A if you meet all these conditions: total income was \$20,000 or less (\$40,000 or less for a married couple filing a joint return); you do not itemize deductions; you received no more than \$400 in interest or \$400 in dividends.

Certain taxpayers may qualify for the 1040A but should use the long form instead. You need the long form to take advantage of the child-care credit, to get a tax break for alimony payments or to receive the special credit granted to people 65 and older.

Don't forget these tips that might apply to you:

Earned Income Credit. The tax system offers a special break for people with families and an income below \$8,000 a year.

Alimony. These payments were itemized deductions in past years. Now, alimony payments

are "adjustments" to income. You subtract them from your taxable income even if you take a standard deduction.

Medical Expenses. Health insurance premiums qualify as an itemized deduction, up to a maximum of \$250. Many taxpayers overlook this deduction because they think the bills greater than 3 percent of income. But the 3-percent rule doesn't apply to the first \$500 of health-insurance payments.

Selling a House. If you are 65 or older, you get a bigger benefit when you sell your house. Profits are tax free if the selling price was \$35,000 or less, adjusted for selling costs and expenses.

Business Mileage. If you use a car in your work, you can deduct all travel costs according to a Treasury mileage allowance table instead of keeping detailed records on gasoline purchases, repairs and depreciation.

Sales Taxes. Use the table in your long form 1040 to calculate sales taxes in your state as an itemized deduction.

List all your legitimate deductions and use all available ones. While doing this, watch for errors. Mistakes in arithmetic can be the downfall of an otherwise meticulous taxpayer.

Bob Rosenblatt is a Washington-based economics writer.

Quick Takes

Deaths from heart disease might be reduced by 15% if drinking water contained just the right mixture of minerals and other components, says a study sponsored by the Environmental Protection Agency. The report indicates that "hard" water has been linked to decreased incidence of heart disease, high blood pressure and strokes.

The job market for new college graduates will be the best in years reports a national survey of corporate recruiters. Over 70% of the respondents said that they planned to hire as many or more graduates than they did last year. Engineering graduates are most in demand, followed by graduates with degrees in accounting, business, econom-

ics and marketing. It's still a tight market for liberal-arts grads: only 11% of the companies reported a need for them.

Increasing numbers of people no longer have to deal with the problem of how to move their furniture when they relocate - they rent it. Furniture rentals have tripled in the last 5 years and are still rising. Who principally rents? The recently divorced, newlyweds, professional athletes, flight attendants and diplomats.

Adding spice to your life can be good for your lungs says a Calif. lung specialist. Dr. Irwin Ziment, chief of medicine at Los Angeles County-Olive View Medical Center in Van Nuys, Calif., says that a spicy diet clears your nose and sinuses and may help clear your lungs.

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AMERICA WASN'T FIRST

We Americans are pretty smug sometimes until we stop for a closer look.

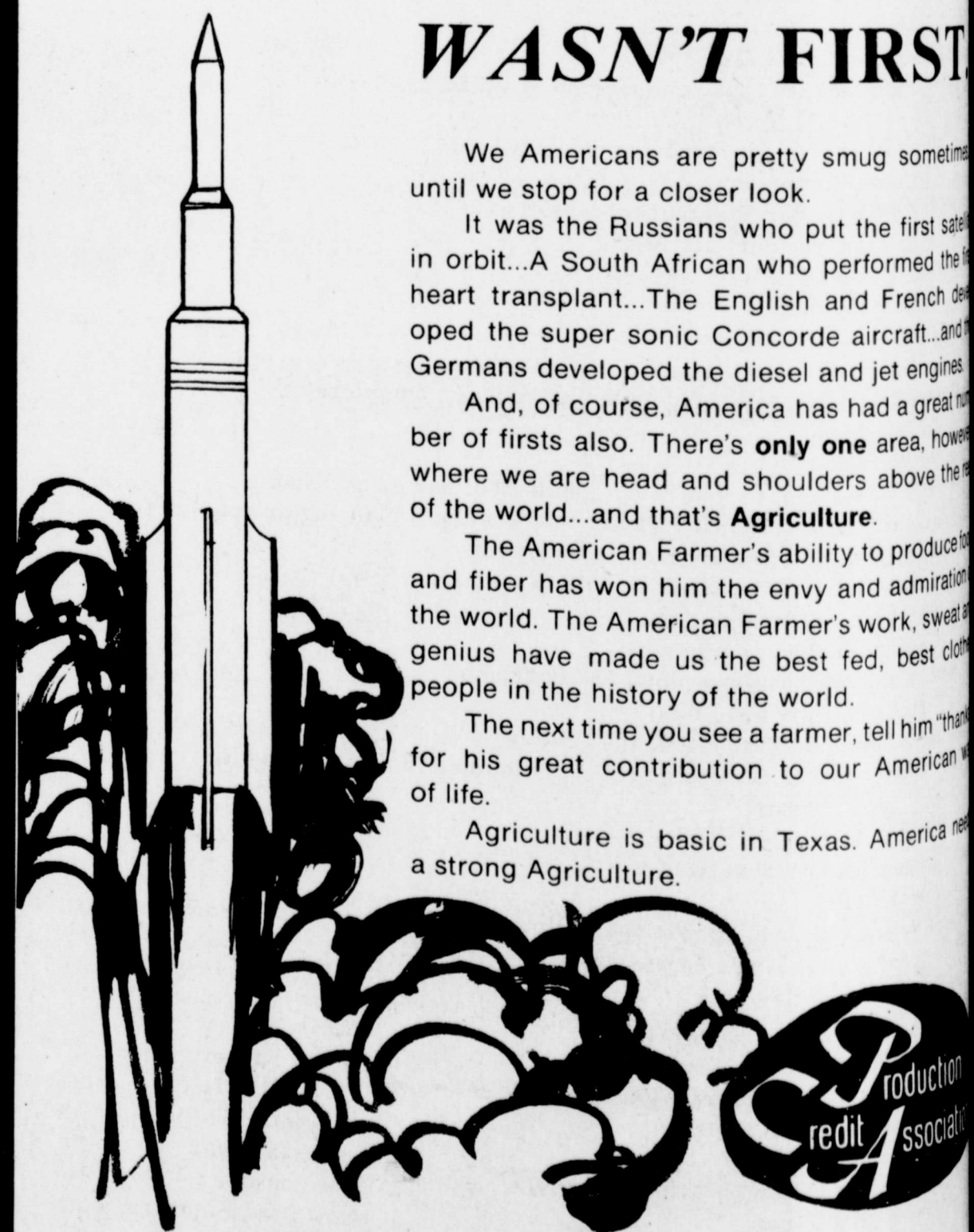
It was the Russians who put the first satellite in orbit...A South African who performed the heart transplant...The English and French developed the super sonic Concorde aircraft...and the Germans developed the diesel and jet engines.

And, of course, America has had a great number of firsts also. There's **only one** area, however, where we are head and shoulders above the rest of the world...and that's **Agriculture**.

The American Farmer's ability to produce food and fiber has won him the envy and admiration of the world. The American Farmer's work, sweat and genius have made us the best fed, best clothed people in the history of the world.

The next time you see a farmer, tell him "thanks" for his great contribution to our American way of life.

Agriculture is basic in Texas. America needs a strong Agriculture.



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BUDDY LUTRICK MGR.

Center News

By Mrs. J.E. Green

Fairview

Our weather turned from summer like weather to winter time again. Some folks were getting their air conditioners ready to use but today we are enjoying fire. A small amount of rain fell over the area during the weekend.

We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Graham who will observe their 50th

wedding anniversary April 12. The reception was held Sunday April 9 at their home, hosted by Mrs. Jewell Teague and Mrs. Tommy Pearson. 137 friends and relatives attended. April 9 was also Lindsey's birthday.

Mrs. Verna Lee Cardinal returned home last Wednesday from Nichols Clinic where she underwent surgery March 28.

Mrs. Bud Warren talked by phone Sunday with her sister, Mrs. A. G. Cardinal of Tishimingo, Oklahoma. Mrs.

Cardinal had been sick but is doing fine now.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Graham last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Burl Huckabee, Ozell Chappell and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hatley.

Mrs. Ray Cook and Mrs. Gus Hammonds went to Ransom Canyon Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Campbell visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cook recently.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Walls

were in Lockney Tuesday afternoon and visited Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Tate.

Mrs. C. H. Wise visited Mrs. Clyde Bagwell Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wise visited Mr. and Mrs. Charley Perry Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ray Cook visited Thursday afternoon in the Lee Burton home with Lee, Richard and Carolyn.

Mrs. C. W. Burton had a phone call from her daughter, Mrs. R. H. Green who lives in Waco, Mrs. Green

told her mother that she had become a great-grandmother. Mr. and Mrs. Green are the grandparents of a baby girl born March 27.

Maurice Burton of Lubbock spent last week here with her mother, Mrs. C. W. Burton and on Monday afternoon, April 3 Maurice's Sunday school class of First Baptist church gave Maurice and her mother a party.

Those present other than the honorees were Thelma Crawford, teacher of the class, and Glenna Orman,

Estelle Carthel, Betsy Dempsey, Dorothy Holland, Winnie Beedy, Dorothy Reeves, Leona Campbell, Gwen Cogdell, Queen Annie Lawson, Edna Beth Tye, Lorene Newberry and Mrs. Bill Bullock.

Others visiting in the home of Mrs. C. W. Burton during the week were Helen Dunlap, Oleta Collier, Sue Thompson, Nell Swinson and Frances Mitchell.

Edna Beth Tye and Judy Allen worked on the Cancer Crusade Sunday afternoon.

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Libby's **Vienna Sausage**

3 5-oz. Cans **\$1.19**

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Assorted Colors

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Libby's **Purple Plums**

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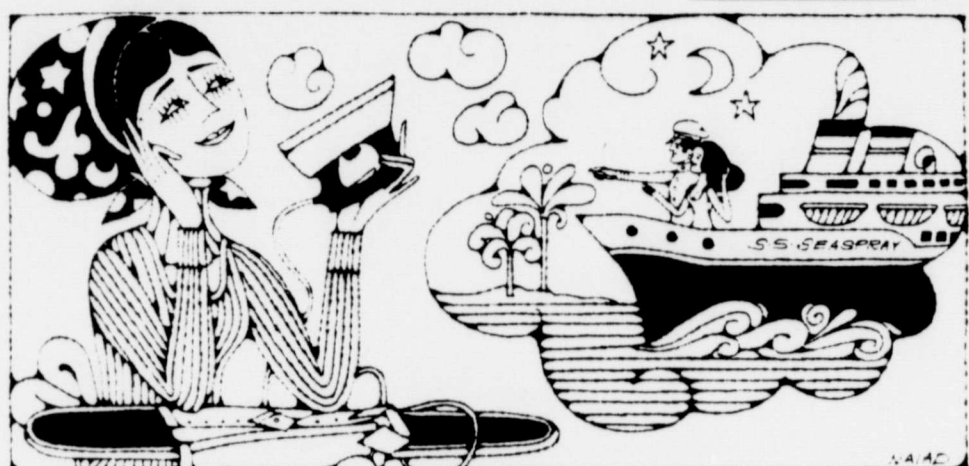
Production Associatio



CHARLES STENHOLM FOR CONGRESS CAMPAIGNERS (l to r) Judy Dunlap, Cindy Stenholm, and Sue Higginbotham.



MASSIE ACTIVITY CENTER OFFICERS (l to r) Sammy Hale treasurer, Sam Baker and Edith Muncy new directors, Newell Parker vice president, Gayle Ramsey president, Clarence Denton, Joy Fulton and Geneva Geisecke new directors. (Staff Photo)



How Daydreaming Can Help You

Daydreaming can be good for you says Dr. Philip L. Taylor, an asst. prof. of psychosocial science at Penn. State Univ. Most people who let themselves daydream are often refreshed, stimulated and renewed when they come back to what they are doing. For many people, it is analogous to relaxation and meditation. Another benefit of daydreaming, says Taylor, is that it allows us to sort out things in our minds. Many people work out solutions to problems while daydreaming. The only people Taylor doesn't encour-

age to daydream are those who find themselves preoccupied with obsessional fears. In this case, Taylor advises seeking professional help. What should you do if your child appears to spend a lot of time daydreaming? "I wouldn't do anything unless it is interfering with the child's activities," says Taylor. Taylor says if the child seems preoccupied, you might ask him in a friendly way what he's thinking about, but don't press. "Children need to have some freedom and private thoughts of their own," he says.

Easy On Your Eyes

Do you spend a lot of time reading, drafting or sewing? If so, these suggestions should help you minimize eyestrain and judge if you have sufficient light.

- For reading, writing and other close work, keep approximately 15" between eyes and book or desk. Avoid reading while lying on your stomach.
- All reading and writing work should be sloped in front of you at a 20° angle.



Doing so puts the angle of the face and the task on the same plane and will reduce near-point vision stress.

• Look up periodically after reading 3 or 4 pages. Young children often will read 45 minutes at a time without looking up, which can be extremely detrimental.

• To minimize eyestrain, use 2 sources of light, an overhead light or floor lamp for general illumination and a special source of light for the work area.

• Such tasks as reading, sewing and nondetail factory work require the amount of light produced by an uncovered 100-watt bulb at a distance of 4 feet. Such work as drafting and needlework requires 25 to 50% more light.

Not Sheepish About Rising Prices

AUSTIN—Scarce forage and rising feeder lamb prices have increased the flow of Texas sheep and lambs into drylots for fattening, Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown has said. "Figures released by the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service show 140,000 head of sheep and lambs on feed as of March 1," Brown said. "This is an increase of 9 percent over the same time last year. Many lambs that otherwise would have been kept on pastures have been going into drylots. This is due to a lack of adequate forage in many areas, as well as higher prices, which have recently topped \$80 per hundredweight for some Choice and Fancy feeder lambs."

Brown also noted that the number of early crop lambs this year is down by 33 percent. These are lambs born between October 1, 1977 and March 1 of this year. "Last year's early lamb crop totaled around 780,000 head," Brown stated. "This has fallen to 600,000 this season. Many producers are blaming the hot, dry weather during the breeding season, which disrupted the breeding cycle. "In addition, there were heavy death losses from snow and cold weather this year," he commented.



BEAUTIFUL FASHIONS SHOWN BY LOVELY MODELS...These models were among those wearing new spring fashions during the annual salad supper and style show Monday night which is sponsored each year by the Women's Division of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce. Models left to right are Kelli Higginbotham, Jayma Lewallen, Valdonna Barbee, Tiffany Bennett, Leora Younger, Tian Younger, Rhonda Bennett, Shayla Barbee, and Stacy Day. (Staff Photo)

Supper And Style Show Is Great Success

Approximately 260 persons attended the annual salad supper and spring style show held Monday night sponsored by the Women's Division of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce. The event proves to be a greater success each year with more stores and models participating and more women in the community attended the social function. A number of out of town guests also attended. The welcome was given by Becky Henry, president of the Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce. Mrs. Floyd Bradley gave the prayer. The announcement was made that orders are being taken for the official Floydada flower, the crepe myrtle. Call any member of the Women's Division including Joy Denton, chairmen. The stage and cafeteria at Duncan Elementary School was gaily decorated

for the occasion. Before a garden setting, Sara Sanders described the new spring fashions modeled by youngsters, teen-agers and adults from play cloths to dress-up to what the housewife may wear or what the career minded woman may choose. From descriptions any color goes, dresses are longer, peasant blouses and dresses are back as are the higher wedge heels. Models and stores participating included Leora and Tian Younger, Kelli Higginbotham, Darlene Stovall, Stacy Day, Barbara Nutt, Wanda Hickerson and Leslie and Lisa Sherman of Hales Department Store; Rhonda Bennett, Margie Fowler, Valdonna Barbee, Wanda Williams, Shayla Barbee and Tiffany Bennett of Andersons Dept. Store; Angie Turner, Daralyn Williams, Lana Moore, Carrie Emert

and Lee Battey, Sears Store. Pam Overstreet, Melba Lori Vinson, Sherre W. Green, Kristi Ward and Royce; Christy Kendrick, Jayma Lewallen, Emmell, Amy Burns and Cheryl Beal of Beal's Department Store; Morales and Travis Biss Cataleto Store. Thirty five Floydada named door prizes. This year \$1 per person in order to offset expenses of the cafeteria, soft drinks and products for serving. The Women's Division sincere appreciation to those who donated gifts for door prizes for the table and to Beal's stage backdrops.

Protecting Our Environment

Troubleshooting Engineers The only thing good about oil spills is when they are stopped, as a runaway North Sea well was ingeniously capped. The North Sea platform well ran into trouble and began spewing millions of gallons of oil into the sea. Its crew had put a ram-type blowout preventer, designed to prevent just such an accident, in place. Unfortunately, it was inserted in an inverted position thereby preventing it from operating effectively. Engineers from NL Industries' Petroleum Services group, a leading worldwide manufacturer and supplier of equipment and services for the oil and gas industries, quickly went into action.



Working through the night, halfway around the world in Texas and California, they used a computer and same type blowout preventer to test a simulated identical malfunction under laboratory conditions. Finally, they devised an equipment adjustment that the well crew could make, even under the adverse conditions existing on the platform. The dangerous blowout was choked off, thanks to the fast acting engineers who demonstrated that in the computer age solutions to difficult problems occasionally require heroism in the face of danger coupled with the ingenuity of the minds of men. "Old wine and an old friend are good provisions," George Herbert

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Letter To The Editor

Dear Mr. Tooley, Please convey my appreciation for the lovely salad supper and style show with the first quality door prizes organized by the Women's Chamber of Commerce. These ladies are a priceless asset to our community. The enthusiasm they generate through their socials makes us want to spend our money in Floydada, whether or not new industry is brought into town. The book of 5000 S and H green stamps given by Buddy's which I won, will be remembered by my family for years to come. The beautiful and delicious salads beat a barbecue any day. Perhaps these ladies should invite industrialists to a home cooked Floydada meal to persuade them to locate here. Sincerely, Mrs. Q. D. Williams

Dear Mr. Tooley: Since there is an obvious discrepancy between the facts as stated in Mr. Jarrett's letter and in the first letter published about the Floyd County Jail, the citizen is left a little bewildered about what the true facts really are. Perhaps this is an opportunity for your newspaper to investigate and inform the public on a matter that is of concern to everyone in the county. I'm sure there are several sources of information about the matter other than the two letters that have appeared in the editorial column. I will be hoping to see more about the commissioner's court actions and about the proposed jail, as well as the existing jail, in your paper very soon. (Name withheld by request) with several plans there have been several reports come out edition that the current plans (which are open to the public in the judge's office) will house 13 inmates and the suggested and invited our people to visit the jail. Some high school government classes have viewed the jail. We plan an interview with the sheriff and possibly will be taking some pictures of the jail. As we understand it, the sheriff must approve the plans, the commissioners must approve them, and then the state jail standards office must approve, before the contract is signed for remodeling.

COTTON TALK

FROM PLAINS COTTON GROWERS' ASSOCIATION To predict the fate of emergency 1978 farm program considered by Congress would be an exercise in futility, say officials of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. L. Meanwhile, they say, farmers are raising questions about the only program they can be reasonably certain will be approved by Congress. And PCG has contacted USDA officials in search of answers. As of April 7 the originally announced 44-cent target price, with no mandatory set-aside, remained with the Administration's voluntary "set-aside" program. The latter program has prompted the most questions from producers. A producer can divert from production and devote up to 10 percent of his 1978 crop an acreage equal to ten percent of his 1977 crop acres in return for a payment. The payment is 40 cents per pound times the normal yield from planted acres also conditioned on compliance with the farm's Normal Cropland Acreage (NCA) and on the farmer not planting more than was planted in 1977. Here are some of the USDA statements given in response to queries, with the caution that most were preliminary: "As far as we know now..." Setting aside ten percent of planted acres will reduce the farm's Normal Cropland Acreage for future years. The assigned 1978 NCA is intended to be in effect for four years of the 1977 Act, through 1981. One-half of the two-cent per pound set-aside program was made soon after the producer signs up his planting plan; the other half after planting is completed. In the event a producer is prevented from planting or other condition beyond his control, the portion of the set-aside payment made at sign-up will "probably" be deemed prevented planting disaster payment. However if planting is completed and the producer subsequently becomes eligible for a no-yield or low-yield payment, the full payment "probably" will be made. The ten percent set-aside requirement applies to the acreage, not last year's acreage. Thus the farmer who has otherwise planted 100 acres of cotton will be eligible to set aside only 9.1 acres (approximately ten percent of 100 acres), not ten percent of 100 acres. The acreage to be set aside and leave the required acres for planting is determined by multiplying the factor 90.91 times the acres that would have been planted without a set-

