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Child attacked by rabid skunk

An 11-month old boy, Collin Fulton, is now taking a series of rabies shots after being attacked by a rabid skunk in the yard of his home, 6 miles south of Lockney.

The attack occurred in daylight, at approximately 7:00 p.m., October 3. The child's father, Chris Fulton, was able to kill the skunk and the head of the animal was sent for rabies testing. The tests confirmed what was already suspected. The skunk was rabid.

According to Collin's mother, Pam Fulton, "I was not home at the time. Chris was working in the garage and Collin was with him."

"They heard the dogs barking and Collin toddled out of the garage to see why the dogs were barking. Chris was following close behind. Collin made it out of the barn before his dad and was standing there looking in the direction of the house. Chris walked out of the barn just in time to see the skunk attack our son's legs."

According to Mrs. Fulton the skunk knocked the child to the ground and her husband quickly picked the boy up and held him up in the air. "Chris said he was there within two seconds," said Fulton.

"Chris put Collin in the back of a nearby pickup and turned to see that the skunk had followed him."

The skunk then attacked Mr. Fulton, biting him on the legs. Because he was wearing boots and jeans the skunk's teeth did not penetrate through the material. The skunk also sprayed Mr. Fulton during the attack.

"Chris kicked him and then ran in the house for the gun," said Mrs. Fulton. "He said the skunk tried to follow him into the house. Chris said he could see the skunk standing on

the back porch."

The gun was close and Fulton was able to shoot and kill the animal.

Neighbors were called for help and Collin was taken to W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital in Lockney.

"He had two or three bites on his leg," said Mrs. Fulton. "They looked like snake bites. He did not have to get stitches."

"The hospital does not keep rabies vaccine so they had to wait until the medicine could be sent to them from Lubbock. Collin got two rabies shots later that night. He will have to receive a total of 7 rabies shots."

Lockney Veterinarian, Dr. Paul Glasson, cut off the head of the skunk on the same day as the attack and sent it off for testing. The report came back positive on Saturday, October 5th.

"Rabies has not been a common occurrence in Floyd County in a long time," said Dr. Glasson. "In 1971 we had 23 confirmed cases of rabies, but in the last few years it has been more common in Central Texas and South Texas than it has been here."

"We had one reported case of rabies in the county last year, but it had been several years before that since we had a rabies case," said Glasson.

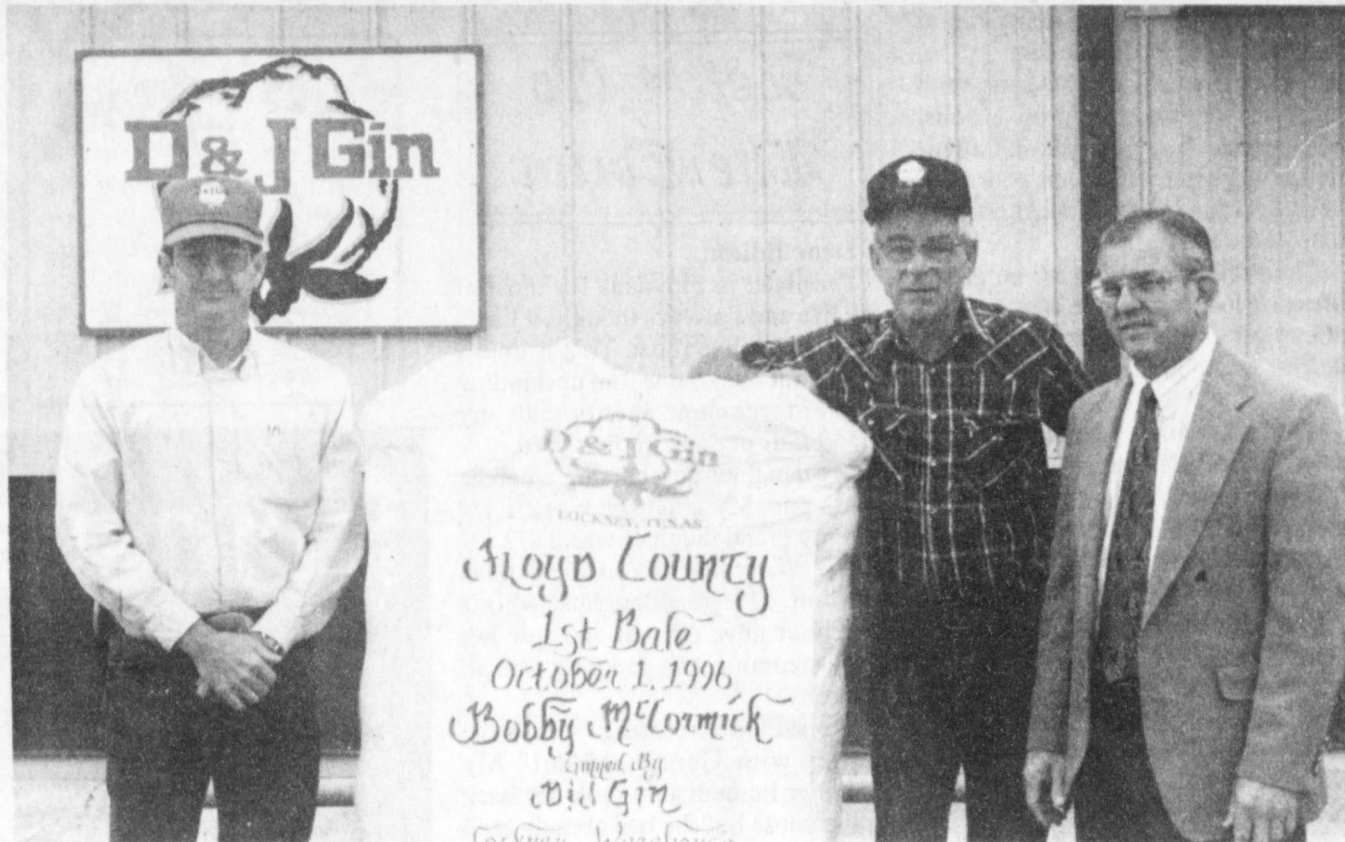
Citizens are encouraged to take the threat of rabies seriously and remember that the spread of rabies can only be curtailed by having animals vaccinated.

Rabid wild animals do come into the city limits and threaten house pets and children.

Authorities also remind citizens that because skunks are nocturnal animals it is safe to assume that if you see a skunk in the daytime it is probably sick.

"Trunk or Treating" needs your donations

The Punkin Days Committee is in dire need of your contributions for Trunk or Treating. If you can help, contact Anne Carthel, at 983-2377, or the Floydada Chamber of Commerce, 983-3434.



FIRST BALE OF COTTON GINNED—Bobby McCormick of Lockney delivered the first bale of cotton to be ginned. The Paymaster HS-200 was grown 4 miles north of Lockney and was cotton irrigated under a pivot system. D&J Gin ginned the cotton on Tuesday, October 2. The bale weighed 497 lbs. and the seed weight was 800 lbs. Shown with the bale are (l-r) David Foster, representing D&J Gin, Bobby McCormick and Terry Ellison, Lockney Chamber of Commerce President. Staff Photo

Agencies benefit from Floyd County's agricultural dollars

Lottery sales makes the news and record keeping in the State Capital makes it easy to find out that Floyd County residents sent \$1,038,244.50 out of the county in lottery sales.

What is not as easy to find out and what comes as a surprise to anyone with the time and resources to do the digging is that at least \$900,000 will also leave the county this year in the form of cotton assessments (CIG), beef checkoff and to the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation.

According to Trent Johnson, County Executive Director of the Farm Service Agency, in a normal year Floyd County will produce 190-195,000 acres of cotton. "This year we are hoping to harvest 150,000 acres. We had 171,000 acres planted but lost approximately 20,000 acres."

Based on these figures, in 1996 the \$1.00 plus 1/2% of gross sales of each

from the cotton farmer for Cotton Incorporated (CIG), there will be approximately \$182,500 leaving the county, with a projected cost of 70¢ per pound. In 1995 an estimated \$156,578 was sent to CIG.

The money is used by Cotton Incorporated for advertising, labeling and promotional efforts of cotton.

Cattlemen are not immune to the advertising efforts of organizations. Beef check-off rules require the cattlemen to send \$1.00 per head of beef sold to the Texas Beef Council.

In 1995 beef check-off generated \$25,000 and so far in 1996, \$16,244 has been collected.

According to officials there are normally 117,000 head of cattle in Floyd County (which includes Caprock Industries). In 1995 TASS reported 60,000 privately owned cattle in Floyd County and in 1996 58,000 privately owned head were reported.

Since not all cattle are sold at local auctions, the beef-check off dollar is reported in the county where the sale takes place.

Again the check-off fees go toward advertising and promotions.

The controversial Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation (TBWEF) has called for Floyd County cotton farmers to pay up \$692,475.00 in 1996.

Because the assessment is being challenged in court, TBWEF has not yet collected all of their expected payments.

TBWEF arrives at their figures by charging the producer \$1.25 per acre plus 3/4¢ per pound of FSA payment yield.

TBWEF has called for the payments to help in their fight against boll weevil infestations. Some producers have challenged the assessment figures arrived at by the TBWEF.

Homecoming events kick off on Friday

FLOYDADA-- Floydada Homecoming activities have been finalized. Exes will gather in Floydada October 11th and 12th.

The Homecoming Football Game will be Friday night at Wester Field. The Floydada Whirlwinds will battle the Slaton Tigers beginning at 7:30 p.m. The Homecoming Queen will be also be recognized at the game.

A pre-game Fish Fry, sponsored by the Floydada Lions Club, will be served at the Floydada Junior High Cafeteria from 5:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$5.00 per plate for adults and \$3.50 for children. Tickets can be purchased at the door.

The Lions will also keep the cafeteria open throughout the game and the Lions will serve coffee, punch and cookies in the cafeteria, after the game, to exes and other citizens who would like to visit.

The main activity for the past students will be on Saturday at the High School. A catered barbecue lunch will be served at 11:30 a.m.

The business meeting and memorial service will be held at 2:00 p.m. in the new gym. This will also include the dedication of the new gym and several awards will be presented. Awards will include the oldest man and woman in attendance and the ex-student traveling the farthest to attend.

Local talent will entertain exes after the business meeting and the winner for the \$500 trip will be chosen.

Saturdays activities will kick off early with registration at the new gym from 9:00 a.m. -1:00 p.m.

A Youth Dance will be held at the Massie Activity Center Saturday night, from 9:00 p.m.-12:00 midnight. Music will be supplied by a DJ.

The Exes will have a dance at the Floydada Cooperative Gin from 9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.

Breakfast will be served after the dances at Pizza Gold.

A complete list of class reunion gatherings and activities can be found inside this week's edition.

City picks engineer for new water tower

LOCKNEY--The Lockney City Council met Tuesday, October 8 to select an engineer for the water tower construction project, hear a proposal on a recycling project, consider insurance quotes submitted, and discuss several other items on the agenda.

Tommie Robinson, a representative of SPAG, met with the council on selecting an engineer for the water tower project. The council members rated the applications received from engineers and awarded the engineering job to O.D.J. of Wellington. Applications were also received from Enviro Ag Engineering, of Dumas; McKay Engineering and Oller Engineering of Lubbock.

Rick Graves and Chess Carthel of Plainview met with the council and

discussed a proposed grant for a recycling project. The project involves a public-private organization applying for a \$145,000 grant to install a sub-regional recycling center in Floyd and Hale Counties. According to Carthel, "If the grant is approved sites will be selected in Lockney, Floydada, Plainview, Petersburg, and Hale Center; a trash truck will be purchased and pickup will be made at regular intervals."

Rick Graves stated that he would be available to give programs to any group that would like information on the recycling project. The council will vote on the project at their next meeting.

Quotes on insuring emergency vehicles were received and discussed

again. The decision was tabled until another meeting.

City Secretary Charlotte Hooten explained the city employees health insurance plans that have been submitted to the council. Premiums for insurance now in force for employees has increased. The plan has a \$500 deductible and \$1,000 out of pocket expenses before payment begins. TMC also submitted a PPO proposal that is cheaper and has a \$300 deductible. After Hooten explained that the employees would prefer the PPO options, Bil Anderson made the motion to go with the PPO plan. The second was made by J.D. Copeland and all voted for.

A letter was received from Karen

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FLOYD COUNTY FRIENDS ACCEPTS GRANT--The Floyd County Friends were the recipients of a \$10,000 Southwestern Bell Excellence Grant, at a ceremony Tuesday, October 1, in Lubbock. Southwestern Bell gave half of the grant directly to the Floyd County Friends and the other \$5,000 to the City of Lockney, as a co-applicant for Floyd County Friends. All the money will be used for the Multi-Purpose Center. The Floyd County Friends currently has raised \$82,000 in cash and pledges. Shown here are: (l-r) Floyd County Friends President Nick Long, Speaker of the House Pete Laney, Lockney Mayor Gary Marr, Nelda Laney, and Southwestern Bell representatives Irasema Velasquez and Jeff Robinson.

Pct. 1 Commissioner candidate profiled

Bob Alldredge is one of two written candidates for commissioner of Precinct 1.

Allredge's has worked in a variety of fields during his life, including careers in teaching, school administration, farming and broadcasting.

"My summer employment before marriage," said Allredge, "ranged from food store carry-out, service station attendant, engineer's helper on highway construction, oilfield roustabout, bricklayer's helper, door-to-door sales and hamburger chef."

After Allredge's marriage to Charlene Battey, and to supplement his teacher's salary, Allredge said he

engaged in "roustabouting, retail sales, painting and custom combining."

Allredge is involved in various community service projects and church ministries. He is a past Lion's Club president, 1988 Employer of the Year and hold various offices in several local, area and state organizations.

He served in the U.S. Army during the Korean conflict.

Bob and Charlene have three sons: Steve, Mark and Roger; a daughter, Karen; five grandsons and two granddaughters.

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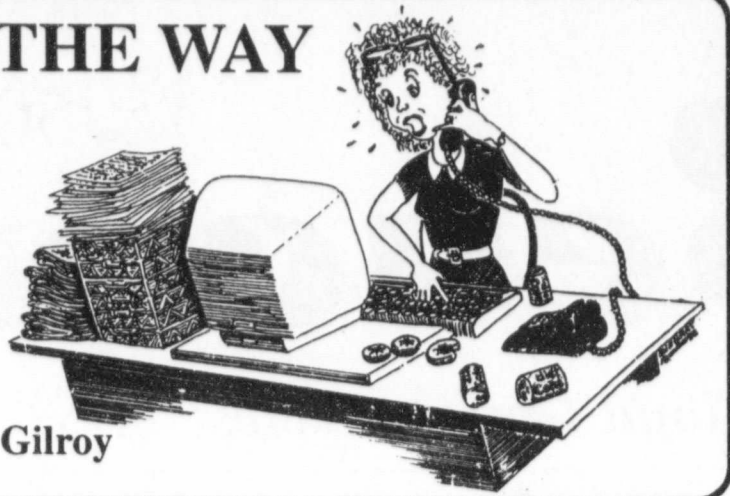
BOB ALLDREDGE



PUMPKINS MAKING A TRIP--Cars and trucks loaded down with pumpkins are a familiar sight in Floydada these days. The colorful arrangements of pumpkins and gourds at the pumpkin stand at the old Red X service station beckons people to stop and load up Floydada's claim to fame. Staff Photo

BY THE WAY

By Alice Gilroy



Recently folks in Lockney have been seeing a large number of teenagers walking around with life-size baby dolls tucked under their arms.

If you don't look closely it is easy to mistake the doll for a real child and it is a little disheartening to think there are that many young girls with children--especially with all of the babies being the exact same age!!

Don't panic--the dolls are a school assignment for the teenagers. Both the Floydada and Lockney schools have tried this project.

The teenage girls have to take the baby everywhere they go. The kid is under their arm in class, in the halls, at their lockers, in the store, at the football games--you get the picture.

The idea is to teach them what an awesome responsibility the wee person can be. It's not fun trying to be a kid and taking care of one too.

I don't know how it is working. I have not asked the kids or a teacher.

I can't help but think that the girls are getting off way to easy. I notice they still look refreshed and rested.

They need to make the dolls wake up every two hours every night for feeding. Colicky dolls screaming at the top of their lungs for hours would

be much more realistic. Stuffed up noses that won't blow and sudden fevers that scare you to death would be a nice touch.

Messy diapers and bottoms with terrible rashes never show up on dolls. The fussy baby demanding attention always puts a kink in your conversation and is sure to mess up your date at the movies.

The pretty dress you are so proud of won't look anywhere near as cool after your kid spits up on your shoulder--or leaks out the other end.

All the attention you get as a new mom wears off real fast when the friends you normally hang around with tire quickly of your new baggage that takes up too much room in the car and makes too much noise.

Babysitters disappear and while your friends are making the drag you are pacing the floor bouncing junior to sleep.

Those dolls really need to come with doctor bills and coupons for diapers.

When they can make a doll like that maybe teenagers would get the point even better. By the way--the boys should have to carry them around too!

Floydada Police Report

October 3 police took a report of a shotgun and cellular bag phone being stolen from the cab of a pickup.

The police already have suspects and the case is being turned over to the county attorney.

"This case was worked real quick because we had such great cooperation between the Sheriff's office and the police department," said Police Chief James Hale. "We also had cooperation from citizens who were suspicious of someone trying to sell stolen property. Because of all of this we were able to recover the stolen property."

Also on October 3, Edmond David Ruibal, 41, of Lewisville, Texas was arrested for outstanding warrants from Grimes County.

October 5, police were called to a report of a woman screaming at an apartment in the Labor Camp on Price Street.

According to the police report, when police arrived they could see through the window of the apartment and saw a man holding a woman and biting her on the cheek. "The woman was screaming and struggling to get away," said Hale.

Horacio Navarro Ovalle, 33, was

arrested and charged with Assault. It was also discovered that he was wanted for theft and bail jumping out of Moore County and police determined that he was also in the country illegally. After faces charges here and in Moore County the man will be turned over to the Border Patrol.

Also on October 5, police took a

report of a 1990 Cadillac being stolen from the 100 block of S. 11th. The car was found the next day at Price & Henry. Four hubcaps, valued at \$1,000 and an Escort Radar Detector, valued at \$200.00 were stolen.

October 5, at 10:00 a.m., police took a report of a bag phone being

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Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor, I've lived in Floydada for most of my life and I always thought it had a very fine police force. That is until I found out one of our fine upstanding law enforcement agents shot my grand kids pet dog in their yard.

My daughter got that dog when he was a pup. My grandson was a 1 1/2 and my granddaughter was 2 1/2.

The officer shot him once and didn't kill him. My granddaughter, who is only four now, ran out and saw her dog screaming and jumping around in agony.

She started screaming "what's the matter with George, mom!" My daughter immediately took her back in the house but she had already seen her dog covered in blood and in pain.

She didn't get to see him shoot the dog the second time. Although she is now having nightmares and so is my daughter. How do you explain a police officer shooting your dog to a four year old.

She now says she hates cops and that is sad because a child should be able to trust a cop. She may never trust one again.

I am very upset by this and I intend to see to it that my daughter goes to whatever means it takes to see that this police officer is never able to shoot another animal.

I don't think Floyd County needs this kind of law enforcement.

Yours truly, Reatha Gowin

(Editor's Note: We checked with the City of Floydada concerning this incident. City Manager Gary Brown has answered this complaint with a letter. According to Brown's explanation the police officer was responding to a report of a dog who had tried to bite a neighbor emptying his trash. The officer's report stated that when the officer checked out at the house the dog in question ran at him, "barking and showing his teeth", and the officer felt he had to use his service weapon to defend himself. Brown felt the actions were warranted and has told the parties in question they can appeal the decision to the City Council.)

Lions to host pre-game fish fry

FLOYDADA--The Floydada Lions Club will host the Homecoming pre-game football dinner this Friday with their famous annual Fish Fry.

The delicious meal will be served up from 5:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. at the Lockney Junior High Cafeteria.

Tickets can be bought from any Lions Club member or at the door. Adult tickets are \$5.00 and children's plates (under 12 years old) are \$3.50.

The Lions will also keep the Junior High Cafeteria open throughout the game and after the game just in case Floydada exes and other citizens would like to gather and visit.

The Floydada Lions will serve coffee, punch, and cookies after the game.

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Courtroom Activities

In District Court James McHam, 17, of Floydada, pled guilty to Assault on a Public Servant, occurring January 19, 1996. He was sentenced to 2 years probation, a \$200.00 fine plus court costs and attorney's fees.

Also in District Court, Virginia Camacho, 63, of Floydada pled guilty to Tampering With Governmental Records, which occurred on March 11, 1992. She was sentenced to 3 years Probation, a \$250.00 fine, restitution of \$837.00 and court costs of \$174.50.

County Court had a very full docket last week.

October 3 the County Attorney cleared out the following old cases:

A July 1, 1994 charge of Criminal Trespass against James Ascencio was dismissed;

Michael Lee Smith pled guilty to a September 9, 1994 charge of DWI. He was fined \$500.00, court costs, and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for two years;

A December 8, 1994 Criminal Trespass Charge against Denis Baldwin was dismissed;

An April 3, 1995 Assault Charge against Darrell Ayers was dismissed;

An April 27, 1995 Possession of Marijuana charge against Antonio Perez Delgado was dismissed;

Danny Joe Clappitt pled guilty to a July 31, 1995 Assault Charge. He was fined \$200.00 and court costs. He was also sentenced to 180 days deferred adjudication which was probated for 180 days.

An August 30, 1995 Appeal by Rubin Morin, on a Turning When Unsafe charge, was dismissed;

A September 22, 1995 Assault charge against Juan Manuel Perales was dismissed;

A Nov. 20, 1995, Public Intoxication charge against Sammy Segura Jr., was dismissed;

A Dec. 29, 1995 DWI charge against John Joe Perez was dismissed;

An April 15, 1996 DWI charge against Juan Sanchez was dismissed;

A May 16, 1996 Assault charge against Patsy Sanchez was dismissed;

Kenneth Hayes pled guilty to a May 23, 1996 charge of Harassment. He was sentenced to 180 days Deferred Adjudication and \$192.00 in court costs.

Another May 23, 1996 Harassment charge against Kenneth Hayes was dismissed;

Richard Guerrero pled guilty to a June 13, 1996 Assault Charge. He was sentenced to 2 weeks in jail which was deferred for 180 days. He must also pay court costs;

Jose Angel Mora was arraigned for a June 21, 1996 DWI charge;

Thelma Enriquez Garcia pled guilty to a June 24, 1996 DWI charge. She was fined \$600.00 plus court costs and sentenced to 180 days which was probated for 2 years;

A June 24, 1996 charge against Thelma Enriquez Garcia, of making a False Report To A Police Officer was dismissed;

Gary Lemuel Ray pled guilty to a June 24, 1996 DWI charge. He was fined \$600.0 plus court costs and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for two years;

A June 24, 1996 Possession of Marijuana charge against Gary Lemuel Ray was dismissed;

Jerry Wayne Meyers pled guilty to a June 24, 1996 charge of Possession of Marijuana. He was fined \$150.00 and court costs. He was sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for 180 days.

Lasaro Gonzalez pled guilty to a July 19, 1996 charge of Use of a Volatile. He was fined \$250.00 and court costs and sentenced to 37 days in jail;

A August 1, 1996 Driving While License Suspended Charge against Jose Angel Vasquez was dismissed;

Richard Guerrero Jr., pled guilty to a September 5, 1995 Evading Arrest charge. He was fined \$100.00 and sentenced to 90 days deferred adjudication plus court costs;

October 1, 1996 Theft charges against Gabriel Fierres, Esther Bloss, Marco De La Fuente, and Maria Delgado were dismissed.

Also on October 3, John Joe Perez pled guilty to Deadly Conduct. He was fined \$1,250 and sentenced to 180 days in jail which was probated for one year.

TAX SUITS

Tax Suits were filed in District Court, September 30, against:

Luis G. Alaniz, of Floydada; Adolfo & Irma Chavarria, of Floydada; Juan Deleon, of Lockney; Frank Di Fede, of Saint Helena, CA; Jimmy & Dominga Garza, of Floydada; Cleatis Hayes, of Lockney; James C.

Jr. & Tammie King, of Floydada; Esther C. Langley Est. Trust, of Lockney; Neil Langley, of Lockney; Sergio C. & Margrita Leal, of Lockney; Andrew V. Lloyd, of Floydada.

Tax Suits were filed in Justice Court, September 30, against:

Michael Aleman, of Floydada; Naomi Anguiano, of Lockney; Rosellen Arjona, of Lockney; Manuel Ascencio, of Lockney; O Bryan Barker, of Floydada;

Connie Barnett (DBA Shear Country), of Lockney; Ricky Benton (DBA Quality Chemical Service), of Floydada; Mary Boyd, of Hale Center, Juanita & Biennenido Burciaga, of Lockney;

Ester Caballero, of Sandia; Mary and Joe Caballero Jr., of Floydada; Larry Carter, of Lockney; Aracely & Reyes Casares, of Dougherty; T.J. Coleman Jr., of Floydada; Pauline C. Cooper, of Floydada;

Lupe Coronado, of Lockney; Mary V. Cuellar, of Lockney; Margie Cuevas, of Floydada; W.R. Daniel Jr., of Floydada; Dovie Davis, of South Plains; Karen Davis, of Floydada;

Ernesto Z. DeLeon Jr. & Medrano Alfredo, of Floydada; Sharon Derryberry, of Graham; Craig & Gail Dubois, of Lockney; E.A. Sween, of Eden Prairie, NM; Virginia Foster, of Lockney;

Braulio Garcia Jr., of Lockney; Martina Garcia, of Lockney; Saturnino Garcia, of Lockney; Clifton H. Garrett, of Abilene; Eleuterio Garza Jr., of Floydada; James E. Gowin, of Floydada; Clayton Harrison (DBA Harrison's Electric), of Lockney; Shirley Hayes, of Lockney;

Skipper Hicks, of Lockney; Albert Hill, of Floydada; Jennifer Hodnett, of Midland; Vaughn Hunt, of Bicknell, UT; Guadalupe Irlas, of Floydada; Cindy Jefferies, of Floydada; Evelyn Jones, of Floydada; Lynne L. Keen, of Lockney; and Jay Lowery, of Weslaco.

Floydada Police Report

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stolen from a pickup parked at the field house.

Also on October 5, a woman told police that she had woke up the night before and looked outside her house and saw a person in her vehicle. She saw the person get out of her car and into another car. When she checked her vehicle \$96.00 worth of tapes were gone.

October 5, police were called to a fight between two women. According to Hale, "A daughter-in-law and mother-in-law got into a fight over the daughter-in-law leaving with her one year old girl. The mother was holding the girl and the mother-in-law was attempting to restrain her. Slaps and hair pulling resulted and the child was caught in the middle. The child received blows to her face and a cut on her left arm. The case is being turned over to the District Attorney for consideration."

October 6, Noberto Adam Hernandez, 52, of Floydada, was arrested at 4th and Virginia for Public Intoxication.

Aldredge...

"Whether you write me in or not," said Aldredge, "the freedom to vote is a right and should not be taken lightly."

Aldredge encourages citizens to get out and vote during early voting and on election day, November 5.

(Note: The other candidates for Pct. 1 Commissioner, L.D. Smith and RayNell Bearden, were unable to be interviewed before deadline.)

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Business Of The Week

FLOYDADA--Floydada Power & Light began with a May 1916, ordinance which was passed granting a franchise to Texas Utilities for a period of 50 years. The ordinance gave them the right to construct, maintain, and operate an electrical system in Floydada.

In 1920 light poles were bought, installed and maintained by the City.

In 1936 an election approved the issuing of \$120,000 in revenue bonds for a municipal light system for the city. An \$85,000 loan and a \$69,545 grant was approved and the power plant was completed in Dec. 1939.

Other bond elections in 1947 and 1952 expanded the power plant. In 1963 two dual fuel engine generator units were bought.

Production of electricity ceased in 1977 when it became more economical for the City to purchase electricity from an outside source (now SPS) and deliver through its existing distribution lines.

The electrical generating plant is still maintained today and is capable of being cranked-up at any time in case of emergency.

Connie Galloway has been the Electrical Superintendent since 1977. He has been assisted by Jesse Morales for 18 years and Terry Turner for 5 years.

Floydada citizens have a choice to



(LEFT-RIGHT) TERRY TURNER, CONNIE GALLOWAY AND JESSE MORALES

purchase power from SPS or the City of Floydada, but Galloway reminds everyone that, "any profit from Power and Light go back into the city's general fund which keeps our taxes down."

The Floydada Power and Light crew are a familiar sight to Floydadans. The men are responsible for a variety of community services.

The crew built the concession stand and put the lights around all the baseball fields. They not only built the orange pumpkin lights but they also put them up. They also join SPS and

Lighthouse in putting up the Christmas lights.

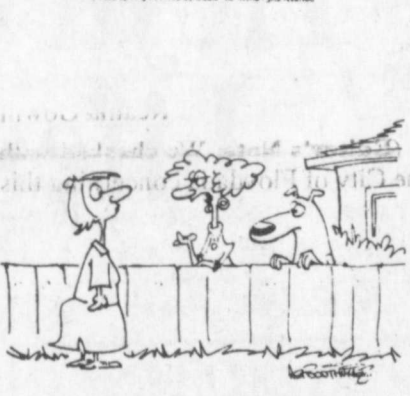
"We help the school whenever they need us," said Terry.

"We do just about anything that needs to be done above ground" said Jesse. "We even help put painters up where they need to be."

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Look Who's New!

LYON

Philip and Cheryl Lyon of Tulsa, Oklahoma, are proud to announce the birth of their son, Zachary Benjamin at 6:04 p.m. on October 7, 1996. He weighed 7 pounds and 10 ounces and was 21 1/2 inches long. He has a very happy eight year old big brother, Eric Lyon.

Grandparents are Betty Goen of Floydada, Norman and Tennie Goen of Plainview, and Dave and Leona Baldwin of Fort Gibson, Arkansas.

Maternal great-grandmothers are Esther Meier of Woodward, Oklahoma and Margaret Hale Morris of Waco, Texas. Paternal great-grandmother is Sally Coachman of Bragg, Oklahoma.

MERKET

Hayden and Lori Merket of Colorado City are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Maci Blair Merket, born September 26, 1996, at 1:00 p.m., in Methodist Hospital of Lubbock. She weighed 7 pounds and 15 ounces.

Maci has one sister, Halie Helms. Grandparents are Joe and Vicki Christian of Floydada and Russell and Penny Merket of Colorado City.

Great-grandmothers are Dorothy Reeves of Floydada and Lennie Williams of Colorado City.

WATSON

Dakotah Chance Watson of Ralls is proud to announce the birth of his new little brother, Hunter Cain. Hunter was born October 1, 1996 at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock to Ed and Melode Watson.

Hunter arrived at 4:12 p.m. weighing 7 pounds and 7 ounces and measuring 20 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Kenny and De Chance of Floydada. Maternal great-grandparents are Raymond Chance and the late Jo Chance of Ralls; Joe and Pauniece Oglesby of Cross Plains; and Lloyd Inscore of Prescott, Arkansas.

Paternal grandparents are Gary and Judy Watson of Beaumont. Paternal great-grandparents are Ed and Mary Watson of Seaford, Delaware, and Jeanette Elliott of Salisbury, Maryland. Paternal great-great-grandmother is Edith Compton of Seaford, Delaware.

Proud uncle is Randy Chance of Canyon.



JARED DAVIDSON RUCKER and MELISSA ANN BLAIR

Blair and Rucker

Bert and Dorothy Blair of Niceville, Florida, announce the engagement of their daughter Melissa Ann to Jared Davidson Rucker.

Rucker is the son of Max and Cheryl Rucker of Amarillo.

The couple plan to be wed December 14, at Paramount Terrace Christian Church in Amarillo.

The bride-elect received a bachelor of arts degree from Eastern Kentucky University in Richmond, Kentucky. She received her teaching credentials from California State University in San Bernadino, California. She teaches second grade at Liberty Elementary School in Victorville, California.

The prospective groom attended recruit fire training at Texas A&M University in College Station. He works for the Fort Irwin Fire Department in Fort Irwin, California, and is a member of the California State Fire Fighter's Association.

Grandparents of the groom are Mrs. Clarice Newkirk of Shamrock, Texas and Ralph and Pat Rucker of Floydada.

Floyd Data

Floyd and Euna Bradford spent last week visiting in Glendale, Arizona with their son and wife, Conley and Kaye Bradford, and granddaughter Paige Whitney and great-granddaughter, Rachel Whitney.

On the way home they visited with Floyd's cousin, Oleta and Roy Street of Tucson, and had coffee with Donald and Mavis Reecer of Alto, N.M.

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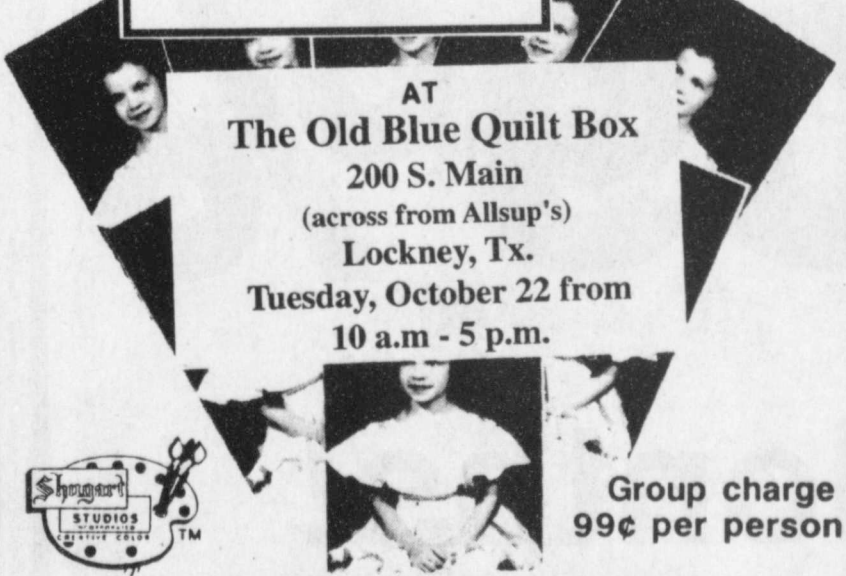
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NSDAR News

By Loretta Denning
FLOYDADA - Buffalo Grass Chapter NSDAR met September 24 at Lighthouse Electric in Floydada. The meeting started at 6:30 p.m. with a salad supper. Mmes. Gene Reed and Loretta Denning were hostesses.

After the meal, Mrs. Dorothy Hodges, Regent, presided over the business meeting. Mrs. Sue Lovell read the President General's message. Mrs. Susan Dunavant, National Defense Chairman, presented an item from the DAR magazine on National Defense. Mrs. Gayle Reay, Program Chairman for the meeting, gave the program "The Constitution and our Flag."

The chapter was informed of a drive to designate the last acres of Arlington Cemetery as a Historical Preservation Site. Members were instructed to write to our U.S. Representative and U.S. Senators about this matter. The name of Mrs. Noilene Bowden of Roaring Springs was presented to the chapter. Mrs. Bowden is presently a member of NSDAR Chapter in the Fort Worth area.

Those present were: Mrs. Noilene Bowden and members, Mmes. Eugenia Bethard, Mary Lou Bollman, Margaret Bury, Vera Jo Bybee, Susan Dunavant, Dorothy Hodges, Sue Lovell, Nancy Marble, Ona Ruth Neff, Gayle Reay, Gene Reed, June Sherman, Joyce Williams, Ava Shoemaker, Sue Parson and Loretta Denning.

The next meeting will be October 22. Mrs. Virginia Taylor will present the American Heritage program "History of the Trail of Tears."

Floyd County Lifestyles

Lockney Senior Citizens

By Gladys Ragle

LOCKNEY -- We had a real good meeting Thursday October 3 with 51 in attendance.

The turn out for the flu shot was good too and we appreciate Ann Ford and her assistants for doing it for us.

Also, Ann Ford and her helpers came on Tuesday October 1 and did blood sugar screening and took blood pressure and we had a lot of people show up. They will be back first Tuesday of the month.

Bernice Miller had the misfortune of falling in her home and suffered breaks in the pelvic area so she will be in bed for quite a while so she can heal.

On Thursday October 10 we will have Bobby Adams and Bob Baer of Crosbyton to meet with us and they will be giving us a short program ex-

plaining assisted daily living. I feel like this will be an interesting discussion for all of us to hear.

"Weekly Words of Wisdom"
A successful politician is one who gets into the public eye without irritating it.

Menu

Monday, Oct. 14 - Chicken strips, vegetable, salad, dessert

Tuesday, Oct. 15 - Swiss steak, vegetable, salad, dessert

Wednesday, Oct. 16 - Chicken fried steak, vegetable, salad, dessert

Thursday, Oct. 17 - Fish, vegetable, salad, dessert

Friday, Oct. 18 - Lasagna, vegetable, salad, dessert

Meals served with coffee, tea, and rolls.

Menu subject to change.

Everyone is invited to the
HARVEST FAIR
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Punkin Days "TRUNK or TREATING" Needs Candy or Donations

It won't be long now before the little trick or treaters will be putting on their costumes and heading for the park for a night of costume contests, trick or treating, and lots of fun and memories. Volunteers, unusual vehicles, candy, and donations are all needed to make this a GREAT time for all of the youngsters from 0-6th grade. If you can help, please contact Anne Carthel at 983-2377, or make checks payable to: Floydada Chamber of Commerce, Punkin Day Committee, % Anne Carthel, 901 West Mississippi, Floydada, Tx. 79235
THANKS FOR YOUR HELP!

Floyd County United Methodists gather pumpkins for kids

A key principle in Christianity is teamwork. Each individual and congregation does what it can to help the whole body of Christ. One thing Floyd County United Methodists can do is pumpkins.

That is why on Sunday afternoon, October 6, United Methodists from Lockney and Floydada gathered at Dougherty to gather a load of pumpkins for the kids at Waco's Methodist Home. Since the Rev. Tommy Beck, pastor at Lockney's UMC, and his wife, Susan, were heading to Waco for a meeting on October 7, men from the two churches decided to get together and send along a specialized gift from the "Punkin Capital."

Fourteen men, youth, and children from the two churches participated in picking, culling, and loading approximately 130 of Floyd County's signature gourds. This project continues a long-standing tradition of sending west Texas produce to Methodist Home. Over the years U.M. producers have provided potatoes, onions, popcorn, watermelons, and other items for the children. It's another example of Christians giving what they have, doing what they can do, for others.



CINDERELLA IS THEME FOR 4-H CLOTHING PROJECT AT FAIR --Members of the Floyd County 4-H clothing project modeling at the South Plains Fair in Lubbock were: Front row (l-r) Melissa Dunlap,

Melanie Huggins, Molly Long, Tasha Powell and Katie Kelley; Middle row (l-r) Lindsey Mathis and Bonnie Dunlap; and Center back row, Prince Charming, Cinderella and the Herald.

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NEW Musical Grays to present gospel program to First Baptist Church

FLOYDADA - "Old Time Gospel Saturday Night (On A Sunday Afternoon)" will be presented by The NEW Musical Grays at Floydada's First Baptist Church on Sunday, October 20, at 2 p.m. The program will feature several of the entertainers who perform regularly with The NEW Musical Grays' Stock Company, including Charles Addington, Scott and Cherri Timms, Darryl Lippe, "The Polka Dots" (Donnetta Keltz, Jeanne Soria and Lori Britton), Dell Gray (keyboards) and Bill Gray (drums). A love offering will be taken in lieu of an admission charge.

4-H members enjoy program presented by J Royce Bradshaw

by Melissa Dunlap
FLOYDADA - On Monday, September 30, at 7 p.m. 4-H members came to the MAC for the monthly meeting. President Cody Stovall called the meeting to order. Abby Sanders led the Pledge of Allegiance and Kayla Stovall led the 4-H Motto and Pledge.

After that, Jurahee Jones gave an inspirational thought. Then Erika Miller introduced the program which was given by J Royce Bradshaw.

Mr. Bradshaw talked about photography. He's been to England, Germany, France, and 48 of the 50 states to take pictures. He has had a picture published in National Geographic magazine. He showed some slides of just a few of the hundreds of pictures he's taken. He also told some useful tips on taking pictures.

Next Lindsey Nutt drew for doorprizes which were won by Ashley Norrell and Hugh Miller. After that, Rachel Miller gave a project report about the "Candidates for Fashion" show.

Melissa Dunlap gave a mini-demonstration about how to brush your teeth properly. Next, Skyler Cornelius announced that the community service project for the night was to bring a bag of candy for the Halloween Trunk-R-Treating on Punkin Days.

Chase Mitchell led recreation. Refreshments were brought by Ashley Norrell and Dustin Jones. Parents-in-Charge were Danny and Mitzi Nixon, Gary and Vicki Norrell, and Larry and Renee Jones.

LUNCH IS SERVED

Thursday, October 10

Lasagna
Apricot Cobbler
Friday, October 11
Chicken & Stir Fry
Cherry Fantasia

Monday, October 14

Baked Ham
Apple Dumplings

Tuesday, October 15

Chicken & Dressing
Strawberry Cake

Wednesday, October 16

Roast & Veggies
Cookies N Cream Pie

Thursday, October 17

Mexican Casserole
Pumpkin Chiffon Pie

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Floyd County 4-H'ers take top placing at South Plains Fair

By Melissa Long

Twenty six 4-H'ers took fifty-six ribbons during judging at the South Plains Fair in Lubbock. Tasha Powell, a junior 4-H'er from Lockney took the highest award of Best of Show in the Junior Clothing category with her 100% wool jacket. Other entries by Tasha included 1st place blueberry muffins, 1st place canned pumpkins and canned tomatoes placing 2nd.

Other 4-H'ers and their awards included: Sarah Martin-Senior Clothing, 1st; Melanie Huggins-Jr. Crafts, 1st; Jurahee Jones-Jr. Crafts, 1st; Katie Kelley-Jr. Crafts, 2nd and Honorable Mention, Canning, 1st and Jr. Clothing, 3rd; Kristan Lackey-Jr. Crafts, 1st, and Jr. Clothing, 2nd; Derrick Griggs-Jr. Crafts, 1st and 1st; Bonnie Dunlap-Jr. Clothing, 1st; Lindsey Mathis-Jr. Clothing, Honorable Mention; Molly Long-Jr. Clothing, 1st and 2nd, Jr. Culinary, 3rd;

Taylor Sue-Jr. Clothing, 1st and 3rd; Jance Hrbacek-Jr. Clothing, 2nd, Jr. Crafts, 1st, Canned Goods, 2nd, 3rd and 2nd. Reagan Heflin-Jr. Clothing, 2nd; Mandi Wood-Jr. Crafts, 3rd; Meghan Graham-Jr. Clothing, 3rd, Photography, 1st and Honorable Mention; Rachel Miller-Jr. Crafts, 1st, Jr. Culinary, 3rd and 1st; Erika Miller-Sr. Clothing, 2nd, Sr. Craft, 2nd and

2nd, Sr. Candy, 3rd; Laura Miller-Jr. Crafts, 2nd and Jr. Culinary, 1st; Mathew Miller-Jr. Culinary, 2nd;

Tiffany Taylor-Jr. Textiles, 1st and 1st; Ashley Norrell-Jr. Crafts, 3rd. Also exhibiting were 4-H'ers: Melissa Dunlap, Marla Reeves and Amanda Hancock. Katie Beth Crossland also exhibited as a Pee Wee 4-H'er in the Jr. Clothing Department and placed 3rd.

In the adult division 4-H parent Karen Miller took a 3rd, a 2nd and another 3rd in the Adult Culinary Division along with 4-H parent Sandra Bradley who took an Honorable Mention in the Sr. Craft Department.

In the Jr. Lamb Show, Josh Quebe took a 3rd and a 5th with medium wool lambs. Also exhibiting were Gretchen Quebe, Sarah Martin, Amanda Hancock, Nathan Hancock, and Tasha Powell.

4-H'ers exhibiting steers and their respective placings included: Jurahee Jones- Light Medium Weight British Breed-1st and Light Medium Weight Cross Breed-4th; Chance Crossland - Light Medium Weight British Breed-8th; Chase Beedy - Light Heavy Weight British Breed-3rd and Heavy Medium Weight Cross Breed-5th.

Also exhibiting steers was Ty Heflin.

CORRECTION

The name of BEARIE Coleman was incorrectly listed as Bessie in the announcement of her 93rd birthday published in the October 3rd Hesperian-Beacon. The Hesperian-Beacon wishes to apologize for the error.

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SPORTS

FHS Whirlwinds lose to Littlefield Wildcats

By Bill Gray
FLOYDADA - The Littlefield Wildcats scored on their first three possessions and counted on a stout defense to turn back Floydada 34-0 last Friday. The Wildcats delighted their homecoming crowd as they accounted for almost 400 yards in total offense in winning their second District 2-3A game. The Whirlwinds fell to 1-4 on the season and 1-1 in district action.

In a post-game interview, Floydada Coach Tim Daughtrey said, "Littlefield is a fine football team, and they were well-prepared for us. They converted from fourth down in their opening drive, and that kind of set the tone for the rest of the game." The coach added, "We did a poor job of tackling. We had as many as three or four missed tackles on some of the plays. We've just got to go back and work on the fundamentals and basics of the game...Littlefield didn't do anything we hadn't prepared for. They just out-executed us."

The Whirlwinds were 3-and-out in their three first-quarter possessions as the Wildcats scored three touchdowns in the opening period. The Wildcats started their scoring avalanche on

their first possession with a 10-play, 64-yard drive. Ruben Martinez led the ground assault, accounting for 36 yards on 7 carries, and bulled into the end zone with 5:15 remaining in the quarter.

It took only one play for the Wildcats to light the scoreboard in their next possession. Quarterback Kelly Peel hit Larry Galloway on a crossing pattern for a 42-yard pass-and-run touchdown. Fullback Dorsett Jefferson joined the touchdown parade with a 42-yard run in the closing seconds of the opening stanza.

Floydada managed its initial first down on the second play of the second quarter, but was unable to mount a sustained drive. The Whirlwinds' defense tightened and turned back Littlefield's fourth-down attempt midway through the quarter. However, Galloway broke loose for his second TD of the evening by streaking 61 yards to the Whirlwind end zone with under four minutes remaining in the second period.

Cy Cowart directed Floydada's most serious offensive threat in the final three minutes before intermission with passes of 20 yards to Mario

Nunez and 16 yards to Cody Stovall. The 'Winds penetrated as far as Littlefield's 3-yard line before being turned away as the first half ended.

The Wildcats took up where they left off after the halftime intermission. Following Floydada's initial possession (which netted minus yardage), Galloway scored on a 3rd-down-and-11 play from the Littlefield 46-yard line. The Wildcat senior ended the night with two rushing touchdowns and 139 yards on only five carries - along with the 42-yard pass reception for a score.

Littlefield ate up the first 7 1/2 minutes of the 4th-quarter clock with a 67-yard drive that was halted by a spirited Whirlwind defense at Floydada's 3-yard line. Littlefield controlled the ball for all but two minutes of the final quarter, which was a big factor in shutting out the Whirlwinds for the second consecutive year.

Littlefield's spotless record in district action will be put to a true test tomorrow night when the Wildcats invade the unfriendly corral at Denver City. The undefeated Mustangs blanked Lubbock Cooper 14-0 last

week, and have outscored their five opponents 100-15 at the midway point of the season.

The Whirlwinds hope to break back into the victory column when the Slaton Tigers come to town for Floydada's Homecoming at Wester Field. Both teams have identical 1-4 season marks, but the Whirlwinds are 1-up on the Tigers in district play.

Score By Quarters	
Littlefield	21 6 7 0 - 34
Floydada	0 0 0 0 - 0

Scoring Summary	
1st Quarter	
LHS - Ruben Martinez 3 run (Joseph Olmos kick), 5:15	
LHS - Larry Galloway 42 pass from Kelly Peel (Olmos kick), 3:04	
LHS - Dorsett Jefferson 42 run (Olmos kick), :18	
2nd Quarter	
LHS - Galloway 61 run (kick failed), 3:27	
3rd Quarter	
LHS - Galloway 54 run (Olmos kick), 9:04	

Team Statistics	
Floydada	Littlefield
1 Penetrations	6
1 of 11 3rd Down Conversions	4 of 7
1 of 2 4th Down Conversions	1 of 3
6 1st Downs	16
40-101 Rushes-Yards	35-333
50 Passing Yards	62
151 Total Yards	395
5-6-0 Com-Att-Int	4-8-1
2-8 Penalties	2-10
8-27.4 Punts-Avg.	0
1-0 Fumbles-Lost	2-0
85 Return Yards	0
25:33 Time of Possession	22:27

Individual Statistics	
RUSHING - FHS: Cy Cowart 18-42; Mario Nunez 10-37; Andy Young 9-21; Albert Hill 2-3; Michael Black 1 (-2). LHS - Larry Galloway 5-139, 2 TDs; Dorsett Jefferson 8-95, 1 TD; Ruben Martinez 12-59, 1 TD; Morris Randle 3-27; Chelton Wormly 2-12; Ronald Moore 2-6; Rodney Patton 1-1; Nathan Jephcott	

1-1; Kelly Peel 1(-7).
PASSING - FHS: Cy Cowart 5-6-0, 60 yds. LHS - Kelly Peel 4-8-1, 62 yds., 1 TD.

RECEIVING - FHS: Michael Palacios 1-20; Cody Stovall 2-18; Mario Nunez 2-12. LHS: Larry Galloway 1-42 (TD); Ruben Martinez 1-8; Adam Harvey 1-7; Dorsett Jefferson 1-5.

RETURN YARDS - FHS: Daryl Henderson 2-32; Albert Hill 3-47; Andy Young 1-6.

PASS INTERCEPTIONS - FHS: Cy Cowart.

Bill's Notes
 The Whirlwinds weren't outclassed last Friday...just out-performed and out-executed. The 'Winds are a very young team overall, and have a hard time lining up against a team loaded with depth as well as talent. The Whirlwinds' time will come...make no mistake about it. They showed TRUE CLASS with the goal-line stand in the fourth quarter. Down 34-0, a lot of teams would have certainly given up. But, it was a determined effort, and they certainly won my respect. It truly displayed the mettle and heart of this team. If any of the remaining five opponents take the Whirlwinds lightly, they may be in for a shocker! Littlefield's Larry Galloway gets my nod for the offensive player of the game, and his 3rd quarter 54-yard TD is my choice for offensive play of the game. Littlefield's Dorsett Jefferson did a lot of damage on offense, but it was his defensive play that impressed me...so I'll name him the defensive player of the game. Two of Floydada's defensive plays stick out and need mentioning. One was Cy's interception late in the 3rd quarter, and the other was Daryl Henderson's tackle on Larry Galloway which saved a sure TD on the final play of the 3rd quarter.

I think the Whirlwinds will answer the challenge and give the exes something to shout about tomorrow night. How about Floydada 20, Slaton 15? I like Lockney over Hart by 17 points. Bill's other pics: Littlefield 18, Denver City 16; Seminole 14, Brownfield 10; Lubbock Cooper 19, Lubbock Roosevelt 13; Texas Tech 31, Kansas 27.

Eighth grade Shorthorns beat Petersburg

By Lockney Coaching Staff
 The eight Shorthorns traveled to Petersburg Thursday and came home victorious with a 28-0 win.

The kids played well all the way around. Defensively this was probably our best showing. Our defense played hard from start to finish. Having good games for us were Gilbert Encizo, Ricky Cabello, Chris Anguiano and Heath Stoerner. As a whole we had 11 players trying to get to the football and that is important defensively. Offensively the kids played well also. We had good showings from Kelsey Hooten, Chase Graves, Jon Martinez and Paul Juarez.

Our offensive line blocked hard and our backs ran hard and that was the key to our success. Finding the endzone this week for us were Tauren McDonald, A.J. Thornton, Kelsey Hooten and Chase Graves.

"I was proud of the kids in the way they came out and played hard from start to finish. We came out early and scored and I think that got them pumped a little. Our defense came out and played hard not giving Petersburg any opportunities. This was a good showing for all of our kids." We play Hart for our first district game, so come out and give them your support.

Breezer Football Report

By Bill Gray
FLOYDADA - Littlefield's 7th graders scored 14 first half points and added a touchdown in the final period to edge the 7th Grade Breezers 20-12 at Wildcat Stadium on October 3. Sean Holster scored on a 50-yard pass-and-run in the 3rd quarter, and Aaron Hernandez added a 40-yard run for a TD in the final period.

According to the coaches, "The 7th graders played well, especially in the second half. Sean Holster had 4 pass receptions for about 90 yards and Aaron Hernandez rushed for about 90 yards." Ty Wood, Rocky Reyes and T.J. Fuller each had outstanding defensive outings.

The 8th Grade Breezers started slow and gave up a few big plays in a 25-0 loss to Littlefield. According to the coaches, "We moved the ball well, but couldn't seem to punch it in. We played hard in the second half, and held Littlefield scoreless in the final two quarters." The coaches added, "Trey Holmes got his first start at end, and made the best of it by forcing Littlefield to go the other way." Trey was the outstanding defender in the game.

Zack McNew was 4-of-7 while passing for 40 yards. Joe Cuba rushed for 60 yards and had another 40 yards in pass receptions. Tyrel Fuller added 80 yards rushing in a good offensive outing.



WHIRLWIND JUNIOR VARSITY TEAM MEMBERS -- Front row (l-r) David Bishop, Aaron Kirk, Dusty Jahay, Chris Sanchez; Middle row (l-r) Cory Kirk, Paul Vallejo, Jeremy Hernandez, George Perez; Back row (l-r) Cody Stovall, Patrick Odom, Joel Santos
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Retirement reception set for ex-coach

A retirement reception is being held for Jack Meredith, former assistant coach of the Floydada Whirlwinds, in Belton, Texas, October 18 at Tiger Field. Meredith assisted the late Coach Preston Watson during the 1951, 1952, and 1953 football season. Any ex-players or friends wanting more information on the reception should call Jackie Meredith at (817) 939-0113 in Belton.

Hey Whirlwind Fans! Old and New!

It's Homecoming Time! Kick off Homecoming Weekend by attending the Homecoming Pep Rally at 2:30 p.m. at the new gym. Make plans to be at Wester Field for kickoff at 7:30 p.m.

Varsity Cheerleaders

Seventh grade Horns lose to Petersburg

By Coach Dowell
The 7th grade Shorthorns traveled to Petersburg Thursday night to take on the Buffaloes. The Shorthorns fought long and hard but came up short, losing in a 14 to 6 battle. The game started off with a big stand by the Shorthorns tough defense. After being backed into a corner the Lockney defense strapped'em on and held the Buffs on the Lockney 20 yard line. The Shorthorn offense sputtered and was unable to move the ball with much success. Following the Lockney punt, the Petersburg offense capitalized as they scored and converted on the two point conversion taking the lead to 8 to 10. The Shorthorn offense was once again unsuccessful in its attempt to move the ball, but the defense took up the slack holding the Buffs to give Lockney the ball with 1:10 left in the half. The two minute drill was on and the Lockney offense responded as they drove the ball to the Petersburg 9 yard line before time ran out in the half. The half time left Petersburg holding an 8 to 10 lead but gave momentum to the Shorthorn squad. The second half brought a fierce defensive struggle as both groups went 3 and out. Following the last exchange Lockney's offense lead by quarterback Mo Collins busted out a 3 play 57 yard drive that ended with Collins in the endzone. The P.A.T. was unsuccessful and the Lockney team cut the Buffs lead to 8. The Buffaloes offense once again scored with 2:40 left in the game but failed the points after attempt bumping up the score to 14-6. The young Lockney team was unable to rebound and the Buffaloes held on to win by 8 points. "I was extremely proud of these young men and the effort they shared this week. We fought hard the entire game and never gave up. That says a lot for this group's character," said Coach Dowell.

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Longhorns remain undefeated

By Lockney Coaching Staff
LOCKNEY--The Lockney Longhorns concluded their non-district schedule with an undefeated 5-0 record as they plugged their way to a 19-14 victory over visiting Petersburg.

It was the Longhorns getting on the board first as late in the first quarter when Horn quarterback, Adam Cummings hit the streaking J.R. Walker down the left side with a perfect pass for a 42 yard TD score. Carson Johnson's extra point upped

the tally to 7-0. Lockney's defense rose to the test with a big turnover which led to their 2nd touchdown. A fumble recovery by Richard Guerrero set up the Horns in business. Behind some key runs by Anthony Poole, Devon Phillips, and Cummings the Longhorns marched to the Buffalo 32 yard line where on 4th down the elusive Walker evaded one tackler in the backfield, sprinted down the sideline, and dove head-over-heels into the end zone to complete the touchdown run as Lockney took

a 13-0 halftime lead. The Longhorns stretched their lead to 19-0 early in the 3rd quarter when Anthony Poole scampered into the end zone from 4 yards out. The Longhorn defense, which had allowed only one first down in the first half, suddenly had problems controlling Buffalo offense. Two impressive drives by the visitors narrowed the gap to 19-14, but Lockney then took over the 4th quarter. Two ball control drives by the Horns offense and impressive series by the stopper

unit kept Petersburg at bay the rest of the game. The Buffs' last gasp attempt ended when Devon Phillips forced a fumble which was recovered by Willie Luna. The Horns then ran out the clock to salt away a victory.

The undefeated Horns open 3AA play this Friday night with a 7:30 kickoff against the Hart Longhorns in Hart.

Offensive Leaders
Rushing: Devon Phillips, 172 yards; Passing yards: Adam Cummings, 89 yards; Receiving yardage: David Hernandez, 3 for 46 yards; Blocking: Tyson McDonald; and Special teams: Willie Luna.

Coach's Comments

By Malcolm Moerbe
By Malcolm Moerbe
LOCKNEY--A pilot once said, "It doesn't matter how bumpy the landing, if I can walk away it's a successful trip." That pretty much describes our game with Petersburg Friday night. We did not play as well as we had in our previous four games. But we gave Petersburg credit. They played well and forced us to play an entire 48 minutes. I think they will still be playing when playoff time comes. But I think our kids deserve credit too. To go 5-0 through a tough non-district schedule is quite an accomplishment for them.

The REAL season starts Friday in Hart. These district games are the ones that really count and unfortunately we don't get to ease into district play. Hart is, despite their 2-3 record, the best team we have played so far this year. They are big and physical on defense and possess a very good offense led by the 215 pound tailback. It will take our best game of the year to beat them. But I think our kids will be ready and inspired to start district play off on the right foot.



MEMBERS OF THE FRESHMEN WHIRLWIND TEAM -- Front row (l-r) Jonathan Ibarra, J.R. Mercado, Todd Anderson; 2nd row (l-r) Darryl Ortiz, Ty Hendrix, Hector Palacios, Jeffrey Lyles, Dustin Jones; 3rd row (l-r) Artemio Diaz, J.J. Morales, Andy Williams, Erick Arrellano, Lonny Nelson; 4th row (l-

r) Scot Holster, Nick Garcia, Shane Lloyd, Jack Tipton, Dusty Anderson, Adrian Hernandez; Back row (l-r) Jamie Davis, Darryl Henderson, David Rainwater, Justin McGuire, David Lightfoot.

Photo by R Photography

Lockney JV wins over Petersburg, 26 - 14

By Lockney Coaching Staff
LOCKNEY--The Lockney J.V. traveled to Petersburg to play their last non-district game, and they came home with a big win. Jordan Lambert and Able Rosales moved the Longhorns down the field with great runs. Lambert then threw a 5 yard TD to Brett McQuhae to make the score 6-0.

The two defenses then took over with both teams trying to find the end zone. Petersburg then slammed the ball in the end zone, converted the extra point to make the score 6-7 with 18 seconds left in the half. The Horns took possession on the 30 yard line. On the first play Lambert hit Calvin Collins for a 50 yard reception. After an incompleteness and 4 seconds left, Lambert once again went to the air waves hooking up with Collins for a 16 yard TD throw. The half time score was 12-7.

The Horns took the opening drive of the second half and marched it

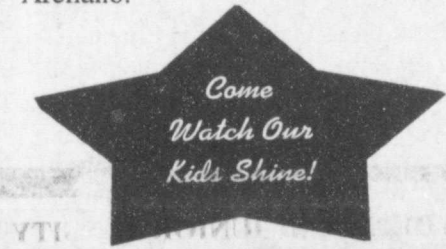
down the field. Victor Alaniz, Able Rosales, Calvin Collins and Jordan Lambert each ate up large pieces of real estate. Brett McQuhae also caught a crucial reception to keep the drive alive. Jessie Ledesma ended the drive with a good 1 yard touch down plunge. This made the score 18-7.

Petersburg found the endzone in the 4th quarter to make the score 18-14. The Longhorns responded by once again marching down the field. Collins found the endzone again, this time on an eleven yard scamper. Lambert converted the 2 point conversion to secure the victory 26-14.

The kids played very well. They have improved each week and if they continue to improve. They can be competitive in district play.

The offensive line of Primo Salazar, Hank Henderson, Eric Villereal, Andy Castro, Abel Luna, Brett McQuhae and Jeremy Stapp did an excellent job of blocking.

Defensively the kids played very well also. Good performances were put in by Jessie Ledesma, Eric Villereal, Adam Pachiano, Victor Alaniz, Kevin Auful, Rodolfo Cervantes and Calvin Collins. We would like to thank the cheerleaders and fans for all their support. The J.V. play Hart this Thursday in Lockney.



Hey Longhorn Fans!

We would like to thank all of you that have supported the Lockney Longhorns as they have gone undefeated. Your support is very much appreciated!

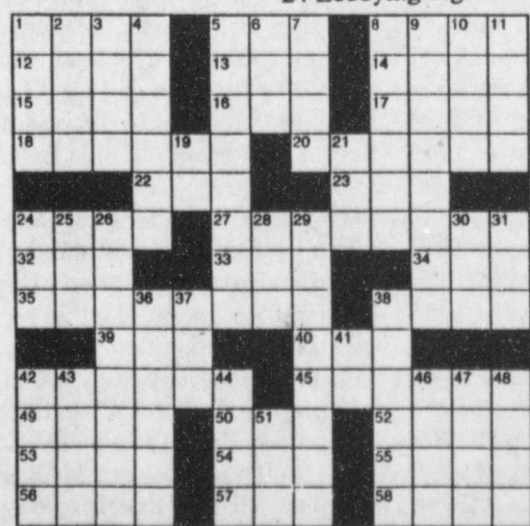
This week the 'Horns will be traveling to Hart to compete in the first district game of the season at 7:30. At 2:55 there will be a pep rally in the jr. high gym. We encourage you all to come out this Friday and to once again support your Lockney Longhorns!

LHS Cheerleaders

Have a Great Week!

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GED testing to require higher scores for completion & diploma

Beginning January 1, 1997, the national GED Testing Service (GEDTS) will require that all states comply with higher minimum scores on the General Education Development (GED) test. Therefore, the Texas State Board of Education has approved new passing standards for candidates earning the Texas Certificates of high school equivalency beginning January 1, 1997.

The new standards require that examinees make an average of "45" on the battery of GED tests, with no score less than "40" on individual parts of the test. Therefore, it is strongly suggested that anyone who has taken one or more of the GED tests complete the battery of tests before January 1, 1997. After that time,

the new standards will apply.

The Texas Education Code limits GED testing of persons under the age of 18, with the following exceptions: Seventeen-year olds may take the GED (1) if they are enrolled in an approved school GED preparation program or (2) if they are not enrolled in school and have parental or guardian permission. Sixteen-year-olds may take the GED if recommended by a public agency that has court-ordered supervision or custody of the person taking the test.

The change in standards resulted from recent standardization studies involving the administration of the GED tests to a representative sample of graduating high school seniors. The result of these studies indicated the

need for equivalency credentials to be based on somewhat higher test scores.

GED tests are administered at the Region 17 ESC Adult Education Office located at the Matthews Community Learning Center, 417 North Akron, Lubbock. To make an appointment to complete the GED tests or for more information, call the Adult Education Office at 766-1540



CHEERLEADERS OF THE PAST -- Cheerleader exes met recently to practice their part in the Homecoming pep rally. All former cheerleaders and sponsors are invited to attend a coffee at the home of Polly Cardinal, 625 W. Mississippi, from 10 - 11 a.m. on Saturday, October 12. Staff Photo

College information days slated at Lockney

On Tuesday evening from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., college representatives and financial advisors will be at the Lockney High and Junior High to give materials, information, and advice on college programs and finances. The National Honor Society will be hosts for the evening.

The Junior High gym will be the appointed place for the college browse, and the High School library will be the setting for the college finance workshops. Several college representatives will be in the gym with displays and materials for the students. At least two financial aid advisors will present information about planning for future education. The LEARN representatives will be here to discuss federal grants and scholarships. The Panhandle Plains Higher Education Association will take part in the program by explaining about loans that are

available for college students.

This will be a fun and informative evening for parents and students. Refreshments will be served in the gym during the browse time. Door prizes will be given in the library for those attending the financial aid workshops. The door prizes will be donated from the local businesses and the represented colleges.

The schedule for the evening is as follows: Library - 6:00 to 6:45, 8-10 graders and their parents; 7:00 to 7:45,

11-12 graders and their parents.

Junior High Gym - 6:00 to 6:45, 11-12 graders and their parents; 7:00 to 7:45, 8-10 graders and their parents.

The purpose of the College Daze evening is to give parents and students a view of the alternatives for future education after high school. Planning for a future education should be an important part of a child's life in

today's society. Tuition and fees can be very expensive. By smart planning and being informed of the financial avenues, parents may be able to educate their child without a financial burden on the family.

Please plan to be at this first College Daze evening on Tuesday. Mark your calendar and come educate yourself on the higher education choices.

Lockney Math/Science team competes

LOCKNEY - On Saturday, October 5, 1996 the Lockney High School Math/Science Team participated in the Texas State Technical College Math Science Meet. There were approximately 400 students attending in small and large school divisions. Only four team members were able to compete: Dwayne Jones, Eddie Amaya, Lindi Miller, and Kevin Aufferl.

The winners were as follows: Number Sense - Senior: Dwayne Jones, 1st place; Calculator - Senior:

Dwayne Jones, 8th place, Sophomores: Lindi Miller, 8th Place, Freshmen: Kevin Aufferl, 10th place; Math - Senior: Dwayne Jones, 4th place; and Science - Freshmen: Kevin Aufferl, 8th place.

The Lockney Math/Science Team placed 7th out of 16 schools in the small division consisting of 1A, 2A, and 3A schools.

In Number Sense, Dwayne's score was the highest score in the small school divisions. He tied with the top score from Coronado High School, a 5-A school.

Lockney High School Honor Roll 1st Six Weeks

- All grades between 90 and 100**
Grade 9: Meradith Burson, Allyson Clark, Courtney Cummings, Danny Huggins, Adam Jones, Lauren Mangold, Nicole Mosley, Melissa Sisk
Grade 10: Dana Martinez, Lindi Miller, Michelle Smith, Jeremy Stapp
Grade 11: Stacy Bigham, Jennifer Cabello, Rodolfo Cervantes, Adam Cummings, Rita Mann, Erin Schaeffer, Noemie Sepulveda, Ryon Smith, Callie Wilson
Grade 12: Jessica DeLeon, Mandy Gallaway, Dwayne Jones, Corbin Kellison, Gerardo Luna, Jennifer Lynn, Allison Mangold, Tamie Marble, Kaci Mathis, Timothy Mitchell, Johnnie Mosley, Marcel Rosenast, Joe Tambunga

- All grades between 80 and 100**
Grade 9: Cristina Amador, Kevin Aufferl, Katrina Bartlett, Shayla Brewer, Fany Cruz, Tessa Davis, Marcus Fierros, Justin Graves, Dominique Guerrero, Yara Guerrero, Brooke Hooten, Kris Jones, Kristen Kellison, Jordan Lambert, Jessie Ledesma, Bobbie Mann, Benita Martinez, David Martinez, Kaci McLain, Adam Pachiano, Brandon Prather, Joshua Pyle, Joshua Quebe, Connie Reynaga, Jenal Rodriguez, Javier Salazar, Susie Tambunga, Amanda Thompson, Isabell Villarreal, Ellen Westfall, Brandi Wright
Grade 10: David Amaya, Lacey Aston, Daniel Banda, Tobi Carthel, Calvin Collins, Eliza Cuellar, Amy Davis, Abel Luna, Thad Lusk, Sarah Martin, Christopher Mayo, Brett McQuhae, Tori Minick, Lilia Mondragon, April Ochoa, Rosemary Padilla, Carolyn Pinales, Jalie Robnett, Kenzie Stapp, Tessa Stapp, Amber Waller, Marc Wilson
Grade 11: Jeff Archer, Pepper Billington, Nathan Carthel, Lori Garcia, Leslieann Hickerson, Wesley Hunter, Casey Lambert, Tyson McDonald, Aracely Pinales, Gretchen Quebe, Hope Rendon, Eloisa Solis, Charles Van Zandt
Grade 12: Kelli Clark, Richardo Cruz, Claudia Duran, Joann Encizo, Janet Jones, Kimberly Martinez, Shanna Mathis, Michael Mondragon, Amanda Raissez, Amy Vega

Floydada ISD to air series on cable

Floydada ISD is airing a parent education series on Cable Channel 2 on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 9:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. throughout October. There will be ten different topics covered on the program, and each topic discussion lasts approximately two minutes.

The topics for the month include: (1) The First Day of School: Getting Ready; (2) Helping Your Child Pay Attention; (3) Too Much Television: Here's What You Can Do; (4) Latch

Key Kids Need Attention; (5) Goal Setting: Kids Need It; (6) Self Esteem and Learning; (7) Parent Involvement: Here's How; (8) Effort is the Key; (9) Eating Well Can Help Your Child Learn Better; and, (10) Emerging Literacy: How Reading and Writing Begins.

Fact sheets containing additional information about each topic may be obtained by calling the FISD Curriculum & Federal Programs Office at 983-3323.

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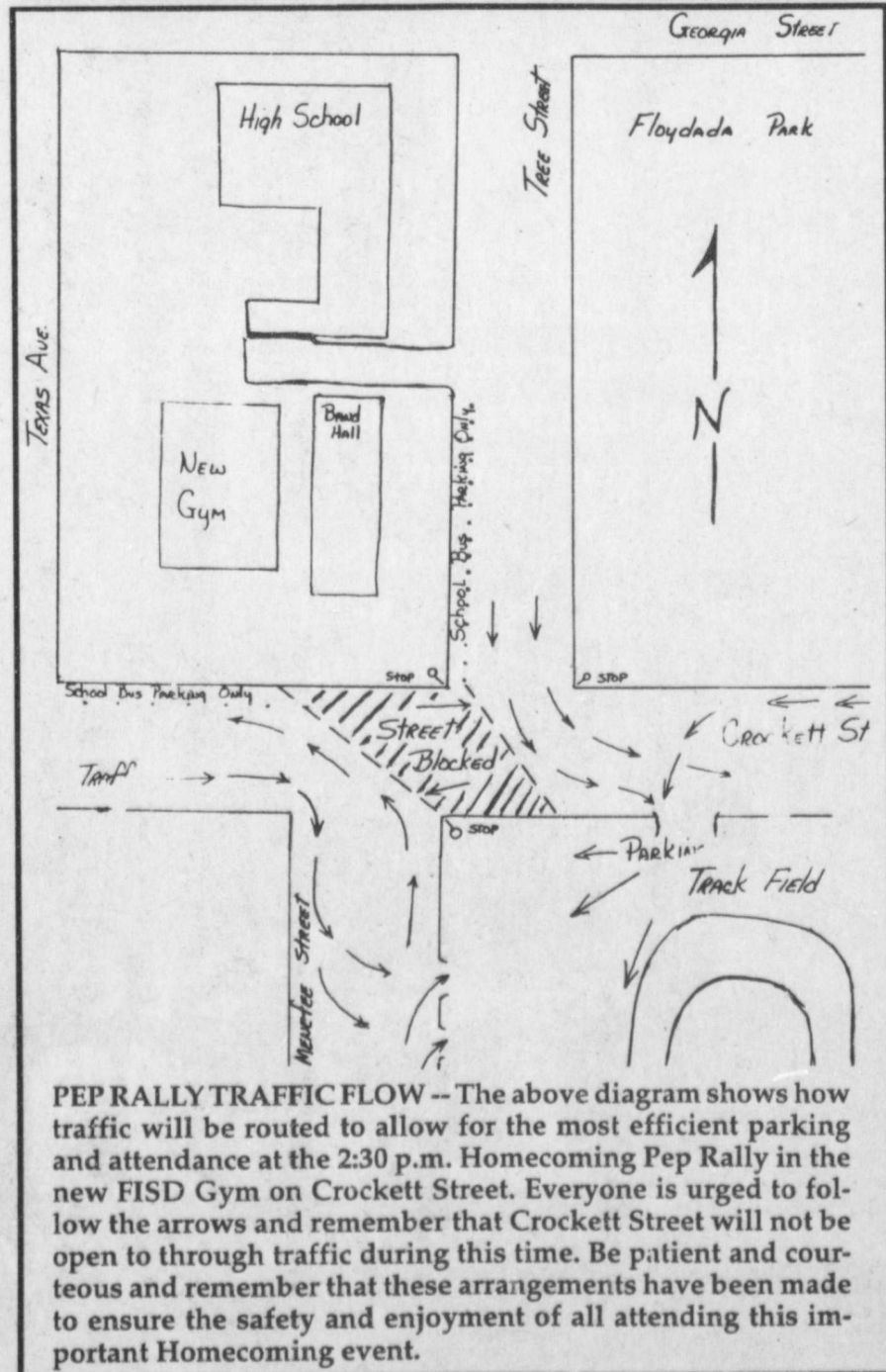
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Floydada Homecoming Schedule

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10
 Class of 1955 Kent & Barbara (McNeill) Covington, 907 W. Jackson

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11
 Raffle tickets for \$500 Trip booked thru 'Beyond the Caprock Travel' on Sale!
 2:30 p.m. Pep Rally, NEW High School Gymnasium
 5:00-7:30 p.m. Lion's Club Fish Fry, Junior High Cafeteria
 7:30 P.M. Football Game between Whirlwinds and Slaton Tigers
 Homecoming Queen recognized before the game
 Ex-Band members march with band during half-time
 Lion's Club After Game Coffee, Junior High Cafeteria, All exes invited.
 Classes of 40-49 - After Game Party - Duncan Elementary
 Class of 1950 through Class of 1959 After Game Party, Lighthouse Electric
 Classes of 1960, 1961 and 1962 After Game Party at Leonard's Cafe, Hosted by Gary and Linda Matsler, Everyone Welcome.
 Class of 1964 and 1965 Party hosted by Dwight Teeple, during and after game
 Classes of 1967, 1968, 1969 and 1970 After Game Party, B&G Harvesting
 Class of 1967 After Game Party Hosted by Michael and Linda Hinsley, 905 West Georgia
 Classes of 1971-1979 - After Game Party at the Wayne Russell RV Park
 Classes of 1980 thru 1989 After Game Party at Massie Activity Center.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12

9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. REGISTRATION, New High School Gymnasium
 Coffee served in new Gym

10:00-11:00 a.m. Reception for Ex-Cheerleaders, Pep Squad & Whirlwind Supporters
 Hosted by Polly Cardinal at 625 W. Mississippi

10:00-11:00 a.m. Tea for Ex-Teachers

11:30 a.m. Catered Meal served in High School

1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Class Reunions, High School

2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Business Meeting and Memorial Service in new Gym
 Dedication of new Gym
 Drawing for \$500 trip
 Election of Officers for 2000
 Special Recognition to Classes of 1926, 1936, 1946, 1956, 1966, 1976, 1986
 Awards Presented to: Oldest Class Member Present; Oldest Gentleman in Attendance; Oldest Lady in Attendance; Ex-Student traveling the longest distance.
 Local Entertainment

3:00 p.m. - Golf Scramble, Floydada Country Club

3:00 p.m. - Class pictures available by R. Photography

Class of 1931 - 4:30 p.m., Outdoor Cookout, Hosted by Flora McNeill, 833 West Tennessee

Classes 37, 38, 39 - 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. at Lighthouse Electric

Class of 1944 - 5:30 p.m. Supper at Lighthouse Electric

Class of 1945 - 10:00 a.m. Reception, First Baptist Church, Wall Street Parlour, 400 South Wall

Class of 1946 - 9:00-11:00 a.m. 50 Year Reunion Reception, Lighthouse Electric; Banquet, Saturday night, 6:30 p.m., First United Methodist Church

Class of 1948 - 3:30 p.m., Doyle Turner home, 1 mile East on Highway 70

Class of 1949 - 4:30 p.m. Hosted by Roberta Hardin, 616 West Kentucky

Class of 1953 - 4:30 p.m. Reception, Wall Street Parlour

Class of 1954 - 4:00 p.m., Lamplighter Inn

Classes 55-60 - 6:00-9:00 p.m., Hosted by Laron and Joy Fulton, 838 W. Mississippi

Class of 1957 - 4:30 p.m. Hosted of A.C. and Beth Pratt, 6 miles East on Hwy 70, 1 mile North

Class of 1963 - 4:30 p.m. at Brown's Implement

Class of 1966 - 7:00 - 9:00 p.m., Catered Meal and Class Meeting, Lamplight Inn

Class of 1986 - 7:00 p.m., 10 Year Reunion, Wayne Russell RV Pavilion

Youth Dance - 9:00-12:00 p.m., D.J., Massey Activity Center

Exes Dance - 9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. Live Band, Floydada Cooperative Gin

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Otto Schacht named new battalion commander

Lockney graduate, Otto Schacht became the first commander of the 5th Battalion (Civil Affairs/Psychological Operations) of the 95th Regiment, 3rd Brigade (Combat Support) 95th Division (Institutional Training) during special ceremonies recently in the Armed Forces Guard/Reserve Center in Lubbock.

Otto graduated from Lockney High School in 1966. He is the son of Eleanor Schacht, of Lockney, and the brother of Margaret Schacht of Lockney and Clar Schacht of Floydada.

Schacht is currently the South Plains College's Dean of Arts and Sciences, and a Lieutenant Colonel in the U.S. Army Reserves.

Schacht has 22 years of military service. He was presented command of the 5th Battalion following deactivation of the 4166th USARF School that school had a long and varied history of service, having been organized on September 1, 1956. It provided 40 years of service to the nation. The mission of the 4166th was to provide training for Army National Guard, Reserve and Active Component personnel, to meet and maintain military education and proficiency standards.

A new era has begun for the 5th Battalion. The mission is to train all enlisted soldiers in a nine state area.

The deactivation of one unit and the activation of a new, larger unit is a part of the U.S. restructuring of its military forces.

Col. Calvin G. Arnold, Assistant Division Commander of the 95th Division described the soldiers of the 4166th as "unsung heroes of the military..." "We expect you to become the premier institutional training center of the Army," said Arnold.

Col. Richard Lininger, Commander of the Third Brigade, cited the 4166th's tradition of excellence.

Lt. Col. Schacht responded to comments by saying, "The 95th too has a

long tradition of excellence. Each of the speakers has mentioned the proud tradition of this unit. That proud tradition will continue."

The commander's sons, Jackie Don and Fritz, made special presentations to their father.

Jackie Don, an Adult Probation Officer in Brazos County said, "I would like to reveal to you something very special to me about my father...something called unconditional love."

Jackie Don then read the following story:

"There was a little boy who really wanted a puppy. He went to the pet store and asked the owner how much his puppies cost. The owner told him and he said he would be back. He saved his money for some time and then returned to the pet store. He presented his money to the owner, and the owner told him to go and pick the puppy he wanted. In the back of the cage was a small crippled puppy. 'This is the one I want!' The owner tried to talk the little boy into picking another puppy. 'That puppy is crippled and he can't run and play like the other puppies,' the store owner said.

"'This is the puppy I want,' said the boy. When the little boy was leaving the store, the owner saw a brace just below the pant leg of the little boy and then he understood why the crippled puppy was exactly what the little boy wanted.

"Dad, I'm proud of your accomplishments...but I'm mostly proud of who you are and what you stand for," continued Jackie Don. "To me, you have been and always will be, the little boy in the story. You overlooked the flaws and handicaps of character and took me home anyway. Thanks for always seeing me for who I could be and not who I was at the moment. Thanks for being my brace while I decided to grow up..."

His other son, Fritz, a sophomore at South Plains College, presented him with a sword. "We give this sword to you because this is replica of a CSA sword. It was carried by commissioned officers of the Confederate States of America. It was considered more a symbol of rank than a weapon. So today, as you receive your Battalion and become the leader, we present this sword to you because you are a leader. You are a leader for the Lord, your family, your friends, your co-workers, and today you become a leader for your country, the United States of America.

"We honor you, we love you, and we respect you," Fritz said.

Schacht served in the U.S. Air Force as a minuteman Missile Electro-Mechanical System Technician from March, 1971 until March, 1975. He reached the rank of Sgt. E4, and his last duty was as an Inspector/Evaluator with the 351st Strategic Missile Wing at Whitman Air Force Base, Knob Noster, Mo. In October, 1978, he joined the 4166th USARF School as a SPC, E4, Clerk Typist. He was direct commissioned to captain in October 1980, advanced to the rank of major in 1987 and was promoted to Lieutenant Colonel in 1994.

Schacht earned his Bachelor of Science Degree in Agricultural Engineering from Texas Tech University in 1970, the master Science in Agriculture Technology from Central Missouri State University and the Doctor of Philosophy in Agricultural Engineering from Texas A&M University.

Schacht taught Ag engineering at Texas Tech for five years, becoming an instructor in agri-business technology at South Plains College in 1983. In March 1989 he was promoted to his current position.

He joined the U.S. Army Reserves while teaching at Texas Tech.

He and his wife Madonna, have been married for 28 years.



NEW COMMANDER--A Levelland resident and South Plains College Dean, Otto B. Schacht, was named commander of a new Army Reserve battalion during special ceremonies at the Army Forces Guard/Reserve Center in Lubbock. After the formal ceremony his family presented him with a replica of a Confederate States of America sword. Posing with him are his youngest son, Byron Fritz-Otelson Schacht, his wife, Madonna, and oldest son, Otto Jackie Don Schacht.

Staff Photo

Jane Pruitt wins in fifth week of Hesperian football contest

Winner of the fifth week of the football contest was Jane Pruitt of Floydada, who was one of three missing eight games this week.

Pruitt selected Littlefield to win with a combined total score of 41 just seven points over the actual total of 34 (Littlefield 34, Floydada 0). She can pick up the prize check for \$25.00 at the Floydada Office on Friday.

Earning the second place check of \$15.00 is Cody Bayley of Floydada. He also missed 8 and chose Littlefield to win with a total combined score of 48, 14 points over the actual combined total of 34. A check will be waiting for him on Friday.

Third place goes to Keith of Floydada. He missed 8 games and chose Littlefield to win. He selected a total combined score of 49, fifteen points over the actual combined score of 34. A \$10.00 check will be waiting for him on Friday in Floydada.

Earning an honorable mention with nine misses were Joe Copeland and Johnnie Mosley, both of Lockney, and Lucio Vasquez, Sammy Bradley, Sherese Covington and Mike Anderson, all of Floydada.

Four entries missed 10 games this week and 13 entries missed 11 games. Six entries had 12 games incorrect this week and twelve entries missed 13.

- Last Week's Game Results**
1. Brownfield 19 2. Slaton 0
 3. Lubbock Cooper 0 4. Denver City 14
 5. Seminole 42 6. Lubbock Roosevelt 11
 7. Boys Ranch 28 8. Highland Park 14
 9. Hale Center 14 10. New Deal 20
 11. Lorenzo 34 12. Bovina 32
 13. Olton 30 14. Anton 13
 15. Friona 35 16. Amarillo River Rd 19
 17. Dalhart 41 18. Muleshoe 0
 19. Dimmitt 31 20. Sanford-Fritch 10
 21. Perryton 10 22. Tulia 14

23. Vernon 45 24. Hirschi 14
 25. Abil. Cooper 28 26. Amarillo High 31
 27. Lubb. Monterey 0 28. Sweetwater 22
 29. Borger 12 30. Canyon 14
 31. Colorado City 34 32. Lamesa 6
 33. Lubb. Estacado 27 34. Andrews 20
 35. Springlake-Earth 20 36. Sudan 14
 37. Valley 20 38. Motley County 28
 39. Baylor 24 40. Texas Tech 45
 41. Not counted - game postponed
 43. Houston 31 44. SW Louisiana 24
 45. Oregon 22 46. UCLA 41
 47. Washington 27 48. Stanford 6
 49. Texas Christian 7 50. Tulane 35
 51. Georgia 38 52. Mississippi State 19
 53. Missouri 27 54. SMU 26
 55. Navy 64 56. Duke 27
 57. North Carolina St. 34 58. Maryland 28
 59. Kansas 52 60. Oklahoma 20
 61. Packers 37 62. Bears 6
 63. Rams 11 64. 49ers 28
 65. Colts 13 66. Bills 16
 67. Oilers 30 68. Bengals 27
 69. Broncos 28 70. Chargers 17
 71. Seahawks 22 72. Dolphins 15
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GROCERY WINNER -- Floyd County Child Welfare Board President Elza Mercado, left, and Vice President Rudy Medrano, right, present Martha Gutierrez with a certificate for \$100 worth of groceries from Lowe's Pay-n-Save. Gutierrez won the groceries in a raffle at the Floyd County Fair. -- Staff Photo

Gray appointed LHAT representative

FLOYDADA - Killis Almond, past president of the League of Historic American Theatres (LHAT), has recently appointed Bill Gray of Floydada as the West Texas representative for the organization. Almond, a San Antonio architect whose firm specializes in the restoration of historic buildings, is the South-Central Region Director for LHAT.

Founded in 1976, LHAT is based in Baltimore, Maryland, and is an international association dedicated to the cultural and architectural heritage of historic theatres.

Its members work locally to reha-

bilitate and restore theatres in communities throughout North America. They collaborate with one another, share their experiences and expertise, and provide inspiration, information, and a broad perspective on historic theatre restoration and operation.

Membership includes preservation activists, architects, structural engineers, acoustical consultants, urban planners, restorers, (painters, plasterers, metalworkers), vendors (seats, marquees, stage equipment, etc.), specialists in theatre operation and management, booking and artist management firms, fund-raising consultants,

and interested members of the general public.

The interest and movement to restore and renovate old theatres and movie houses has become increasingly popular throughout the country during the past decade. Post's Garza Theatre and the Lyceum Theatre in Clovis, New Mexico, are but two examples of such activity in this area. Both have been operational for over ten years, featuring stage productions and other forms of live entertainment. The recently-restored Cactus Theatre is one of the most popular entertainment venues in Lubbock's historic

Depot District.

Texas theatres which have been members of the League almost since its inception include the Granbury Opera House, the Paramount in Abilene, San Antonio's Majestic Theatre, the Majestic in Eastland, and the Grand Opera House in Galveston.

Gray, whose repertoire troupe has appeared in several of the region's restored theatres and opera houses, will represent the League in West Texas. He will act as a consultant as well as recruit and coordinate new membership for LHAT.

Lockney City Council meeting continued

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Houchin, attorney for the City of Floydada, on purchasing the railroad right of way located between Highway 70 and Shubert Streets. Council Member J.D. Copeland pointed out that the rock has been removed from the site and he could not see any benefit from the purchase. The motion and second were made by Council Members Bil Anderson and Richard Zavala to not purchase the property. All voted for.

Council members voted to amend Ordinance No. 277 concerning the definition of a pool hall as defined by state regulations. The definitions are as follows: 1. Coin activated pool or billiard tables are not, for purposes of Ordinance 177), electronic games. 2. Any location where billiard or pool tables are to be exhibited is deemed to be a pool hall, regardless of whether other kinds of businesses are also operated at said location. 3. All persons employed and working in

pool halls, billiard parlors and game rooms, are subject to the provisions of Sec. 6 (a) of Ordinance 177, and shall pay the City's actual costs of conducting criminal record checks, as determined, from time to time, by the City Secretary. J.D. Copeland made the motion and the second was made by Bil Anderson. All voted for.

Kenneth Tate was appointed to fill T. Owen Thornton's position on the Mackenzie Water Board.

Kenny Hooten was evaluated on his hiring anniversary date as to his on-the-job performance. From statements made by the council Hooten is doing an exceptional job. He received a three percent cost of living raise.

Richard Castro's bid of \$150 for Lot 19 of Block 2, Tuttle Addition was accepted. A variance was requested for the installation of a mobile home

on SW 6th Street. The item was tabled until the trailer is inspected and meets the mobile home ordinance. Also tabled was the annexing of Highway 70 and 378 into the city. More information is needed from the state engineer. The council voted to advertise bids on leasing the 34 acre site at the landfill for grazing.

Regular items before the council included the reading of the minutes, approving the bills for payment, and reviewing the financial statement. Present at the meeting were Mayor Gary Marr; Council Members, J.D. Copeland, Tina Graves, Richard Zavala, Bil Anderson; City Secretary Charlotte Hooten; City Attorney Paul Lyles; Utilities Superintendent Dickie McCarty, Tommie Robinson, Rick Graves, Chess Carthel, and the Hesperian-Beacon reporter.

Make your own grow light

By Texas Agricultural Extension Service

Grow lights are expensive. Anyone who tried to start plants inside has been started by the cost. From the Internet comes a bit of information we might use. According to Dr. Dennis Lock, you can get the proper mix of light by using one cool white tube and a warm white tube in the same fixture. The cost is less than "grow lights" which are colored to match light requirements. Using cool or warm white tubes alone won't give the proper balance that a plant needs, but mixing the two produces the needed light colors.

This was checked with Dr. Rydl, and he confirmed that it will work. Additionally, he said that using incan-

descent bulbs along with the cool white fluorescent tubes will give the same results.

Editor's note: Dr. Roland Roberts, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Extension Horticulturist, Lubbock, states that spacing is also important for the health of the seedlings. You should locate the bulb approximately 1-3 inches above the top leaf of the seedlings, making sure the seedlings are under the center of the bulb for the best light exposure. Put aluminum underneath the seedling tray to reflect light up. Maintain this light for 14-16 hours per day for 4-6 weeks which means either your rack or light fixture must be adjustable to insure proper spacing.

Social Security can be effected by career changes

By Mary Jane Shanes, Manager, Plainview

Most American workers change jobs an estimated four to six times during their working life, and observers note that the rate seems to be increasing. There are many reasons for changing jobs - a promotion, a change in career focus, even a layoff. Regardless of the reason, you may wonder if it will affect your Social Security if you change jobs. Most likely it won't.

No matter how many times you change jobs, you never lose the Social Security protection you've already earned. And you continue earning that valuable protection for you and your family as long as you work a job that's covered by Social Security. Although there's no difference in how you earn Social Security protection, a job change could mean a difference in how you pay your Social Security and Medicare taxes.

If you're paid a salary, your employer deducts 7.65 percent from your gross pay, matches the deduction dollar for dollar and sends both amounts, along with a report of your earnings, to the government. If, however, you are self-employed, as are 8.1 million of the 143 million current workers, you pay your Social Security and Medicare taxes directly to the government.

It's not uncommon for a person to switch from a salaried job to self-employment and when that happens he or she may wonder how that affects his or her Social Security. For example, a woman recently called our office to ask how she would pay Social Security now that she had changed her career.

Mary McDonald had worked for large company for 15 years when her job was eliminated because business dropped off. Fortunately, Mary's experience and knowledge enabled her to form her own consulting business. But she no longer has the convenience of having Social Security taxes withheld from her paycheck; and she doesn't have an employer to share the tax expense.

Mary pays the entire 15.3 percent of her salary. Each year, she files her taxes and reports her annual net earnings on IRS Schedule SE (for self-employment). Mary pays her Social Security and Medicare taxes as part of her quarterly tax filing. In 1996, she will pay 12.4 percent in Social Security and 2.9 percent in Medicare taxes on net earnings up to \$62,700. If she earns above \$62,700, she'll pay the 2.9 percent Medicare tax on the rest of her earnings.

Self-employed persons get two income tax deductions that reduce their tax liability. The deductions are intended to make sure self-employed people are treated in much the same

way as employers and employees for Social Security and income tax purposes. First, an individual's net profit from self-employment is reduced by 7.65 percent when determining net self-employment income. Second, self-employed persons can deduct half of their self-employment tax on the face of the IRS Form 1040. It can't be an itemized deduction and must not be listed on the Schedule C.

For more information about Social Security and self-employment, call Social Security's toll-free number, 1-800-772-1213, and ask to receive the factsheet Social Security: If You're Self-Employed (Publication No. 05-10022).

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Floyd County Farm Page

Farm Bill lets local SWCD offices guide nation's conservation efforts

"As a result of the 1996 Farm Bill the Floyd County Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) with headquarters in Floydada, along with 3,000 other SWCDs in the nation, has been given the charge to lead the way in developing programs and initiatives to improve soil and water resources at the local level," said Leon Ferguson, chairman of the SWCD.

"After years of applying top-down program management approaches in federal conservation programs, the new 1996 Farm Bill establishes a locally driven process, coordinated by conservation districts, to guide the state and nation's agricultural conservation efforts. It provides tremendous opportunities for local people to become involved in assessing local re-

source needs, setting priorities, developing conservation policy, providing technical support, accepting program applications and approving conservation plans upon which cost-sharing will be based," Ferguson added.

According to Lindan Morris, the process deals with developing a list of priority areas and concerns for the long range Farm Bill program for Fiscal Year 1998 and beyond.

To enact the Farm Bill on the local level, the Floyd County SWCD, in partnership with the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service, will conduct a work group meeting with its conservation partners and interested persons or organizations on October 22 at 7:00 p.m. in the Floydada High School auditorium located at 618 South Tree, Floydada.

The purpose of the meeting is to conduct a local conservation needs assessment, discuss local priorities and make program recommendations on what problems the SWCD should address in future years. Local recommendations will then flow to the state level where the district's various technical issues, resource priority areas and program policies will be reviewed and integrated into a state, regional and national program.

"We are really excited about the opportunities the new Farm Bill offers because Congress is seeking our leadership to assist our community in carrying out a cooperative, locally driven, incentive-based conservation program that wisely invests public resources to protect local natural resources," said Leslie Nixon.

Cotton producers reap added value from local and regional cooperatives

Texas and Oklahoma cotton producers received significant added value to their crops from their local and regional cooperatives during fiscal year 1995-96, according to figures released yesterday.

The cash payments, over and above the lint value of the cotton, originated from local cooperative gins, Plains Cooperative Oil Mill (PCOM), Farmers Cooperative Compress, Plainview

Cooperative Compress and Plains Cotton Cooperative Association (PCCA).

The figures show an average of \$67.29 per bale was paid in cash from combined fiscal earnings and stock requirements. Cotton producers receiving the average payment ginned their cotton at a cooperative gin, stored the cotton at a cooperative warehouse, marketed the cotton

through PCCA and participated in its denim mill program, and had their cottonseed processed at PCOM.

The \$67.29 added value per bale is a significant contribution to the cash flow of cotton-producing cooperative members throughout Texas and Oklahoma, and it is further testimony to the advantages provided by local and regional cooperatives.

Boll weevil battle underway

Activity on the 1996 High Plains Enhanced Boll Weevil Diapause Control Program has reached a fevered pitch as program personnel work to complete the program's first diapause application.

"The first round of treatments for this year's program will be covering some 1.4 million acres of cotton and address as strongly as possible boll weevil populations throughout a twenty county area," explains PCG Executive Vice President Donald Johnson. "The next round of treatments are scheduled to begin October 10 provided the weather does not interfere with the progress of the first application."

Through the end of September High Plains producers had sent in approximately \$4.4 million to support the 1996 effort, providing enough to fund the first round of applications. An additional \$1.15 million from the United

States Department of Agriculture will also support the 1996 program.

Johnson notes that producer comments following the start of the program have been very favorable with most noting that they would be sending in their 1996 assessments.

"Producer participation is the key to the success of this program," notes

Johnson. "Cotton growers can now see that their program is underway, and committed to doing the best possible job."

"It should be the incentive growers need to send in their assessments, especially those who have held back wondering if we were going to have a program this year."

Recycling efforts improving

From Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission

Environmental challenges include:
 - Up to 80 percent of the 22 million tons of trash headed to Texas landfills every year is potentially recyclable
 - More than half the waste headed to landfills comes from the commercial sector. However, according to a recent survey of Texans' environmental attitudes and behaviors, fewer than half of us have access to recycling programs at work while nearly

all of us are willing to participate in these programs.

- Texas leads the nation in toxic chemical releases (TRI) from industry to air, water and land.

- Air pollution remains a problem, with four of the state's industrial and population centers considered nonattainment areas for federal air quality standards.

- As Texas endures its most severe drought in decades, water conservation has become more crucial than

ever.

Progress made includes: - According to the survey of Texans' environmental attitudes and behaviors, three-quarters of us are recycling more now than ever before.

- On the second annual Texas Recyclers Day held November 15, 1995, nearly 82,000 citizens pledged to start or enhance their recycling efforts. That's a 20-fold increase over 1994 pledges.

- Nearly 60 cities with populations totaling 4 million Texans have voluntarily pledged to cut solid waste disposal in half by the year 2000 as members of the CLEAN CITIES 2000 program.

- Texas industries have reduced toxic chemical releases by 31 percent between 1987 and 1994, even with a 21 percent increase in industrial growth in the Lone Star State. In addition, 147 facilities across the state have joined CLEAN INDUSTRIES 2000 and committed to reduce toxic chemical releases and hazardous waste by 50 percent by the year 2000.

- More than 1,500 businesses, schools, government agencies and civic and nonprofit organizations have pledged to cut their waste disposal and buy recycled products as members of the CLEAN TEXAS STAR program.

- More than 1,200 tons of household hazardous waste, 475 tons of litter, and thousands of gallons of used oil, paint and agricultural chemicals have been collected at nearly 400 Texas Cleanup events sponsored by the TNRC with the help of more than 20,000 volunteers.

- Recognizing that 89 percent of Texans turn to TV to get environmental information, television stations across the state are subscribing to the new "CLEAN TEXAS REPORTER" environmental news and tips series.

It's now clear to everyone from industries to homeowners that reducing waste, preventing pollution and conserves natural resources, saves money and helps to preserve the environment. The voluntary partnerships are working but everyone must help and more must be done to meet the CLEAN TEXAS 2000 goals.



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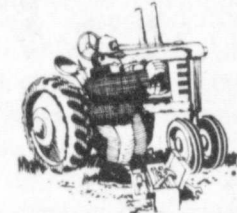


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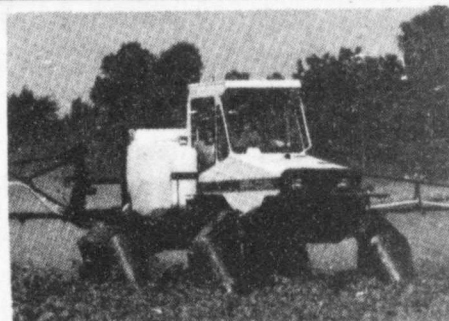


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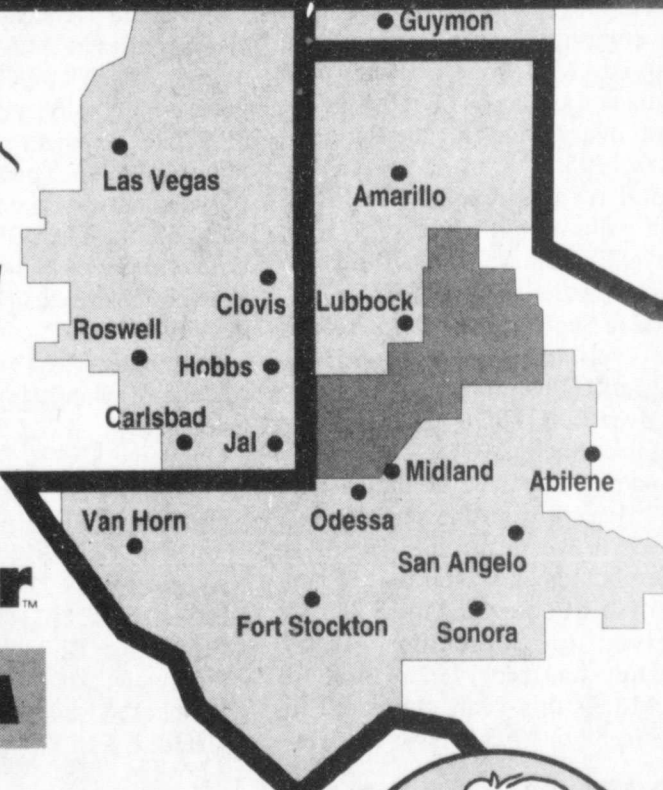
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Obituaries

GEORGE WASHINGTON CALVERT
Memorial services for George Washington Calvert, 84, of Lubbock, were held to celebrate this faithful servant of the Lord at 10 a.m. Saturday, October 5, 1996 at the Quaker Avenue Church of Christ with Elmore Johnson officiating, and Clark Johnson assisting. Following the memorial services the interment was at 2:30 in the Afton Cemetery, Afton, Texas, under the direction of White Funeral Home of Lubbock.

George Washington Calvert was born in White Flat, Texas in Motley County on February 12, 1912, to the parents of Archie Roe Chellar Calvert, and Mattie Pearl Cain, and passed from this world October 1, 1996 at Saint Mary's Hospital in Lubbock. George was raised on the family farm near Afton, and was baptized into Christ's church by Alva Johnson of Turkey, Texas. He married Jewell Marie Offield February 12, 1929, and in the early 1940's and 50's owned and operated the George Calvert Garage in Lubbock. He was one of the original families in 1945 which helped to establish the 4th and Avenue D Church of Christ. This congregation later moved to 22nd Street and Memphis Avenue, and then to the present location of 17th and Quaker Avenue.

He was ordained a minister of the Church of Christ by E.E. Cowen and George Hughes in 1951. He served as an elder at 22nd and Memphis. In 1963, he became the full time minister for the newly established 78th and College Avenue Church of Christ congregation, and in 1970 was the minister to the N. Main and Parker Avenue Church of Christ in Midland. He also served the Willow Shade Church of Christ in Willow Shade, Kentucky for two years until his retirement as a full time pulpit minister in 1977. He moved to Farmers Branch, Texas and was a member of the Valley View Lane Church of Christ. He continued to preach the gospel of Christ to area congregations until his health began to fail and he moved back to Lubbock in August of 1994.

Survivors include his devoted and beloved wife of 67 years, Marie; his daughter and son-in-law, Georgia and James Biggs of Lubbock; a son, Dennie Lee Calvert and daughter-in-law Patricia Stephenson, of Memphis, Tennessee and a son Alva Gene Calvert, Sr. of Waxahachie, Texas; six

grandchildren, Ronnie Biggs of Lubbock, Jan Biggs of Mesquite, Tricia Calvert of Memphis, Tennessee, Dee Calvert of LaGuna Hill, Ca., Gene Calvert, Jr. of Fayetteville, Arkansas, and Jennifer Calvert McCannies, of Lubbock; 8 great-grandchildren, Calvert Brouthers, Chrissy Brouthers, Chase McCannies, Haleigh Marie McCannies, Morgan Calvert, Luke Calvert, Kelsey Calvert, Kevin Calvert; and one cousin, Alma (Calvert) Purdy, of Midland.

Pallbearers were Ronnie Biggs, Gene Calvert, Jr., Dee Calvert, Johnny McCannies, Max Hoover, and Loy Pinkerton.

Memorials may be made to Quaker Avenue Church of Christ, Building Fund and Berean Children's Home in Albany, Mississippi.



JACK FRIZZELL

Services for Jack Frizzell, 81, of Lockney will be at 3:00 p.m. Thursday, (today) October 10th, at First Baptist Church with Rev. Harold Abney, minister, officiating. The Rev. Gene Hawkins, of Lubbock, will be assisting.

Burial will be in the Lockney Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Lockney.

Mr. Frizzell died Tuesday evening in his home.

Mr. Frizzell was born October 10, 1914 in Roseland, Floyd County, Texas. He graduated from Lockney High School and attended Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

Mr. Frizzell married Lucille Fletcher on November 26, 1936 in the Lone Star Community of Lockney.

Mr. Frizzell was a farmer in the Lone Star Community for 50 years.

He received the Lockney Chamber of Commerce Family of the Year Award in 1983.

He also served on the Floyd County FHA Advisory Board. Mr. Frizzell was a member of the First Baptist Church of Lockney.

Survivors include his wife, Lucille; one son, David and Pat Frizzell of Lockney; three daughters, Jackie and Kenneth Holt of Lockney, Mamba Webster of Wichita, Kansas, and Joy and David Camden of Weatherford, Oklahoma; three brothers, Hubert Frizzell and Pat Frizzell of Lockney and Milton Frizzell of Silvertown, two sisters, Leota Boyter of Lubbock and Laverne Long of Silvertown, 12 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be made to First Baptist Church of Lockney Building Fund.

AUDREY ANNA SIMPSON

Funeral services for Audrey Anna Simpson, 64, were held Monday, September 23 1996 at 10 a.m. at Mullare-Murphy Funeral Home with the Rev. Mary Barbee officiating.

Interment followed at the Masonic Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of Mullare-Murphy Funeral Home.

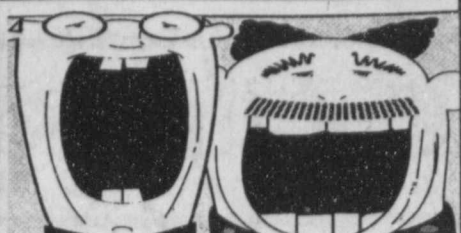
She was born March 15, 1932 in Chicago, Illinois to Art and Hattie Soucek.

She was united in marriage to Tom O. Simpson on June 1, 1954 in San Antonio. Audrey was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Lockney. She was a registered surgical nurse in San Antonio and supervisor of nurses in Lockney, before joining her husband in the floral, jewelry and gift business in Lockney, Rock Springs, Wyo., and Green River, Wyo. Following this, Tom and Audrey selected Trinidad for retirement in April of 1980. She was a devoted wife, mother and homemaker.

She was preceded in death by her parents and a son Blane Simpson.

Survivors include her husband Tom, one son Keith Simpson and daughter-in-law La Doris Simpson of Eufaula, Ok; two step-granddaughters; four step-great-granddaughters and a step-great-grandson all of Oklahoma. Other survivors include Iwana and Carver Monroe, Silvertown; Bettie and Johnny Emmett, Tulsa; and Charles and Mildred Simpson, Ruidoso, N.M.

This Week's Announcements



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

CONE COMMUNITY REUNION
The Cone Community Reunion will be held on Saturday, Oct. 12, in the old school building in Cone. We will be there at 9 a.m. with coffee and donuts for those who wish to arrive early. The cost of the noon meal will be \$7.50 per person. If you plan to attend, please send the names, the number of people who will be attending, and payment for the meal by the deadline of Oct. 1, 1996, to Jeanette Wilson, Box 231, Ralls, Tx. 79357 or Sue Thornton, Rt. 1, Box 6C, Ralls, Tx. 79357.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
Alcoholics Anonymous and Anons meet each Tuesday night at 8:00 p.m. Anyone wanting the loving fellowship of men and women who can share their experience, strength and hope is welcome. Meetings are at the Caprock Hospital, 901 W. Crockett. Anyone interested may call 983-3635 or 652-3546.

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

FLOYDADA PEP RALLY
The Floydada Homecoming Pep Rally will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30 in the new gym.

FLOYDADA HOMECOMING AFTER-GAME PARTY
Classes of 1971-79 will have an after-game party at Wayne Russell RV Pavilion following the game Friday night. Classes of 71-74 is to provide soft drinks and the classes of 75-79 is to provide finger food snacks. See you there!

1996 FHS HOMECOMING LUNCH TICKETS
Local FHS Ex-Students will need to purchase lunch tickets in advance for Saturday, Oct. 12. BBQ tickets are \$7. Contact City Hall, Chamber of Commerce, FSD Office or any of the Homecoming Committee members. Also on sale are raffle tickets for a \$500 trip and "Blew in like a Whirlwind" T-shirts - proceeds to go to FHS Scholarships and Homecoming 2000.

FHS YEARBOOKS ON SALE FOR EXES
1996-1997 FHS yearbooks are on sale now! Special features include 6 pages of Homecoming coverage - ballgame, queen, and exes included. Be sure to get your "Coming Home...Destinations Unknown" edition of the Whirlwind. The cost is \$27 or \$29 with your name on the cover. Contact Rita Kennedy at FHS or mail your order and payment to Floydada High School.

FLOYDADA HOMECOMING VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
We are in desperate need of volunteers to help set up for Floydada homecoming. Contact Joe Jones at 983-2838 if you can help.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY
The American Cancer Society, Floyd County Unit, will meet Monday, Oct. 14, at 5 p.m. in the community room of the First National Bank.

HARVEST FAIR
There will be fun and games for all at the Trinity Church Harvest Fair on October 12, from 6-8 p.m. at 500 W. Houston in Floydada. Everyone is invited. Come and support the church youth group.

LOCKNEY HIGH HOMECOMING YEAR 2000
There will be a follow-up homecoming meeting at the LHS Library at 7 p.m., Tuesday, Oct. 15. If you were involved this year, or you have some good suggestions for next time, please attend this meeting. We need your thoughts on how this year turned out. This will help the committee make Homecoming 2000 a special event.

DUNCAN PTA
Duncan PTA will meet Monday Oct. 14, at 7 p.m. in the Duncan Elementary cafeteria. This will also be the Scholastic Book Fair parent preview night.

DONATIONS FOR LOCKNEY CITY PARK FLOWERS
Cans for donations for flowers at the Lockney City Park have been placed at Main Street Pizza, Hearts Desire, Schachts, Floyd County Farm & Ranch, and First National Bank in Lockney.

BOOTH SPACE FOR CARNIVAL
1990 Study Club will be hosting a Halloween Carnival Saturday, Oct. 26, from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Massie Activity Center. For information regarding booth space, call Becky Sharp at 983-2169.

LOCKNEY ADULT EDUCATION CLASS
Adult Basic Education classes will be held at Lockney High School on Monday and Tuesday nights from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. for anyone wishing to further their education, or prepare for GED and ESL. For information call 652-2141 between 10:00-11:30 a.m. Classes will begin Monday, Sept. 23.

BLOOD PRESSURE AND GLUCOSE TESTING
Free blood pressure and glucose testing is held every other Thursday from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Lockney Care Center. Everyone is welcome.

VETERANS SERVICE OFFICER AVAILABLE
Veterans Service Officer Ralph Jackson is available in the county courtroom on Friday afternoons from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.

LOCKNEY SALVATION ARMY STORE
The Salvation Army is taking donations. Childrens winter clothes and shoes are needed. The toy drive for Christmas will start soon.

WEATHER
Courtesy of Energas

DATE	HIGH	LOW
Oct. 2	82	58
Oct. 3	75	52
Oct. 4	69	58
Oct. 5	74	59
Oct. 6	78	59
Oct. 7	85	60
Oct. 8	83	54

Sales tax rebates show increases

September 1996 sales tax rebates made to Floyd County cities from the state comptroller's office have been received, with both Lockney and Floydada showing an increase for the month over rebates for the same period in 1995.

Total rebates received in Floyd County this month were \$17,971.50, an overall increase of 29.70 percent when compared to the \$13,855.37 received in September of 1995. Year to date rebates now stand at \$132,881.69, an increase of 3.51 percent over the \$128,364.52 county total at this time in 1995.

Lockney displayed an increase of 32.33 percent from the same period for 1995 in over all receipts. The city's September check was in the amount of \$5,141.61 compared to \$3,885.37 received in September, 1995. Lockney has received a total of \$39,618.91 this year, compared to \$37,916.38 in 1995. This is an over-

all increase of 4.49 percent.

Floydada's check from the state comptroller's office was in the amount of \$12,829.89 showing an increase of 28.68 percent from the \$9,970.00 payment received in September of 1995. The total received in Floydada at this time now stands at \$93,262.78. The 1995 total at this time was \$90,448.14. This displays an overall increase of 3.11 percent for the city.

September 1996 rebates and percentage of change for area cities are listed below.

- Quitaque; \$2,535.23, +66.23%
- Silvertown; \$2,309.24, +51.00%
- Crosbyton; \$7,200.43, -0.50%
- Ralls; \$7,066.18, +34.14%
- Abernathy; \$9,234.69, +27.33%
- Hale Center; \$4,041.95, +15.96%
- Petersburg; \$2,730.12, +29.23%
- Plainview; \$229,654.78, +18.78%
- Lubbock; \$1,894,259.64, +25.71%
- Matador; \$2,137.94, +72.42%

Roaring Spgs; \$2,461.43, -11.77%

Tulia; \$23,559.49, +25.49%

September payments totaling \$165.8 million in local sales tax rebates went back to 1,084 Texas cities and 114 counties, according to the state comptroller's office. This month's payments include local sales taxes collected by monthly filers on July sales and reported to the Comptroller in August by businesses filing monthly returns.

Sales taxes are collected by merchants and forwarded to the state which retains a 6.25 percent share and returns the city sales tax portion to each city, county, hospital district or transit system. Neither Floyd County nor Lockney General Hospital District levies a sales tax at this time. No qualifying transit system, which could also levy a sales tax, operates within the county.

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WHEN THEY SAY THIS ABOUT PETE LANEY:

His record is being distorted.
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He voted against chemical castration for paroled sex offenders. He says sex offenders shouldn't be paroled.

His vote was for assessments on the earned surplus of businesses.

He voted to expand the sales tax base instead of raising the tax rate.

THEY MEAN THIS

No one ever expected anyone would look at his voting record!

We've got to come up with excuses about why Laney always votes to raise taxes, why he voted against an elected State Board of Education and why he was against letting people vote on if they wanted an elected Board or appointed Board. Folks back home won't like that!

How dare ordinary, working men and women discuss Laney's voting record. What makes them think just because he votes to raise taxes, it's a tax increase? What do they know anyhow?

Hope they don't find out that in 24 years in Austin Laney never filed a bill to prohibit paroling sex offenders and, to this day, sex offenders are still being paroled and still committing sex crimes.

Why, that's more creative than Clinton's "fair share" and his "everybody must make a sacrifice" explanation of higher taxes! Hope they don't figure out that "assessments" are really taxes and "earned surplus" is really income.

Think they'll figure out this is still a tax increase on everyone? Wonder if they'll notice he never votes for spending cuts and smaller government?

Let the House Journal of record votes speak for itself: Laney voted for a corporate income tax on 8/5/91 vote #134 and again on 8/13/91 vote #215 and #216. For increased sales tax on 6/30/84 #130; 6/30/84 #131; 6/30/84 #130; 7/2/84 #173; 7/3/84 #217; 9/27/86 #52; 9/27/86 #61; 7/2/87 #99; 7/2/87 #105; 7/20/87 #116; 7/20/87 #186; 4/19/90 #32; 4/19/90 #34; 5/24/90 #32; 8/5/91 #142. For expanded tax on elective medical services on 7/2/87 #88. For expanded tax to other services on 7/2/87 #92. For a tax on insurance premiums on 7/2/87 #93. To make temporary taxes permanent on 3/5/87 #38; 3/5/87 #41; 7/2/87 #78; 7/2/87 #105. For increased fees on 4/22/85 #231; 5/26/85 #588; 8/5/91 #140; 8/5/91 #147; 8/5/91 #149; 8/5/91 #152.

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Kyle, Teresa, Bradley & Zachary Minnix 10-10p

I would like to thank all of my wonderful customers, friends and family who have been so supportive of me in the past five years. I have sold my Beauty Salon and I am pursuing a career in nursing. I have really appreciated the community of Floydada for the opportunity to serve you. Thank you again.

Sincerely, Jeanine Helms 10-10p

To our wonderful friends in Floydada we extend our sincere thank you for your presence, your calls, cards, memorials and other expressions of love and concern following the death of Jack's brother, Ray. Jack & Billie Jordan 10-10p

We would like to thank Aaron and Karen Wilson for taking the time to organize the Punt, Pass and Kick competition in Lockney on Saturday. Almost 50 kids participated and fun was had by all. Thanks again.

Friends of Punt, Pass & Kick 10-10c

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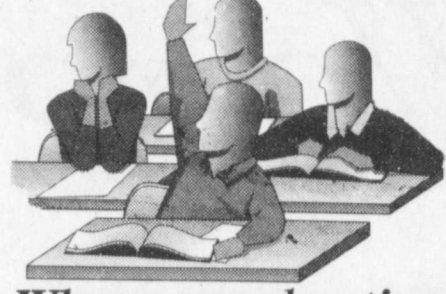
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioners' Court of Floyd County will accept sealed bids until 10:00 a.m., October 14, 1996, for the sale of the following:

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INSTRUCTIONS:
All bids should be delivered to the County Judge's office, Floyd County Courthouse, Room 105, Floydada, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Bids shall be sealed when presented and will be opened at the above time and date.

The used car may be seen at the County Barn, 303 E. Mississippi, Floydada.
Payment shall be made in cash. Floyd County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and right to waive all formalities.

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

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NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

(Aviso de eleccion general)

To the registered voters of the County of Floyd, Texas: (A los votantes registrados del condado de Floyd, Texas:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on November 5, 1996, for voting in a general election to elect Presidential Electors, Members of Congress, Members of the Legislature, and state, district, county and precinct officers.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales siyados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el concho de Noviembre 1996 para votar en la Eleccion General para elegir electores presidenciales, Miembros del Congreso, Miembros de la Legislatura, y oficiales del estado, distrito, condado y del precincto.)

LOCATIONS OF POLLING PLACES

(DIRECCIONES DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

- S.W. Floydada #1.....Massie Activity Center
- East Lockney #5.....City Hall
- Providence #7.....Lutheran Church
- South Plains #9.....Baptist Church
- Cedar Hill #11.....Producers Elevator Office
- Harmony #16.....Harmony Community Center
- Goodnight #17.....Fairmont Baptist Church
- West Lockney #18.....Methodist Church
- Dougherty #20.....Producers Grain Store
- S.E. Floydada #23.....County Courtroom, Courthouse
- N.E. Floydada #24.....Caprock Community Action Bldg.

Early voting by appearance will be conducted each weekday at the office of the County Clerk of Floyd County in Floydada, Texas between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on the 16th day of October, 1996 and ending on the 1st day of November, 1996.

(La votacion adelantada en persona llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en el oficio del Secretario del Condado de Floyd, Floydada, Texas entre las 8:30 de la manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el dia 16 de Octubre, 1996 y terminando el dia 1 de Noviembre, 1996.)

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This team included Gov. Preston Smith, Bill Parsley, Dr. Brandon Hull, John Logan, Delwin Jones, Bill Clayton, Reed Quilliam, Elmer Tarbox, Doc Blanchard, R.B. McAlister, and countless others including our County Commissioners, the Texas Tech Board of Regents, Hospital District officials and other West Texas Legislators. Through their collective efforts, University Medical Center opened its doors on February 1, 1978.

In the years that followed, others joined the team to secure and preserve this dream. Speaker Pete Laney, Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, Sen. John Montford and others worked to bring the Texas Tech Medical Center into continued prominence.

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Lockney celebrates '96 Homecoming

By Gleynn Earle Cummings

LOCKNEY - Homecoming '96 was great! We had a great time - we had great committees - and now we have great memories!

Homecoming got off to a fast start with registration and a full house for a spirited pep rally - beautifully decorated in red, black and white. To the cheerleaders - "You did great!"

Ex-coach and ex-superintendent, Dub Hallmark made an excellent inspirational speech - he said, "You have 48 minutes to play and a lifetime to remember what happened at the '96 Homecoming Game!" Well the Longhorns had a near perfect game - everyone did their job and did it well and the reserves got plenty of playing time. Our congratulations to Hallmark for his inspiring words, the coaches for their preparation and the boys for "getting it done." Lockney 34 - Post 0.

An ex-student from the class of '45, Terry Perkins said even after 51 years away from Lockney, "The first thing

I do on Saturday morning is turn to the Houston Sports page and see how the Longhorns did on Friday night!" What a treat he's getting this year and what a testimony to the loyalty of an ex-Longhorn!

The tour of the high school and the cheerleader decorated halls was indeed a walk down memory lane. Our principals, superintendent, students and custodial staff are to be congratulated. The buildings are so well taken care of - I think this goes back to a dedicated "Custodial Engineer", Uncle Ben Reece who had a tradition of excellence and pride in a job well done.

The cheerleaders enchilada dinner was a delicious and enjoyable meal - a time for relaxation and visiting. They served about 350.

The after-game coffees were well attended. Congratulations to Marjorie Cox Holcomb, Kim Lambert and Tina Graves.

The registration committee did an

excellent job of getting address corrections. They registered 456 ex-students.

Lavirn and Clementine Clark Carthel, Bill and Mary Jo Bonner Sherman did a great job on organizing the BBQ ticket sales. There were about 550 who ate a delicious and well served lunch. Thank you James Poole and Mac Sherman! Mary Jo Sherman did a very nice job of having displays for homecoming in the downtown windows. Thank you, Mary Jo and helpers.

The business meeting was standing room only! The homecoming honors were - Larry and Sonny Lawson Hammit, class of '58, from Montreal, Canada, traveling the furthest. Bascum Baxter, Class of 1930, was the oldest man in attendance and Mary Lou Bollman, class of 1929, was the oldest woman in attendance.

The drawing for 2-40# packages of hamburger from Excel Beef was won by James Race of Pampa and Al Reis

of Lockney. Thank you Cindy Cooper Stanford for a job well done! Our fund raisers were successful - the raffle, the t-shirt sales and the passing of the Red Buckets along with our conservative committees put us over the top for Homecoming 2000 and a good beginning. Officers are President, Gary and Linda Howard Marr, Vice-president, Louie and Cynthia Stoerner Bybee and Secretary/Treasurer, Jim Bob and Kay Johnston Martin.

A comment from a husband of one of the 50 year class of 1946, "I can't believe how wonderful it is to come back and find Lockney is still a small town Christian community, still building on the traditions of excellence - Homecoming '96 was wonderful!" Thank you all for making this such a memorable occasion, Lavirn and Clementine Clark Carthel and Sterling and Gleynn Earle Norman Cummings. We'll treasure the memories! On to 2000!



CLASS OF 1946 GATHERS DURING HOMECOMING--Class members attending the get-together were (l-r, back row) Bonnie Fanning, Earnest Fanning, Sue Blenden Thornton, Kenneth Thornton, Boyce Mosley, Inez Dunavant Mosley, Marjorie Cox Holcomb, Mel Holcomb, Dan Teuton, Nina Foster Teuton, Billy Griffith, Evelyn McCollum Thomas, Johnnie Holmes McKinney, Virginia Daniels Vincent, Laverne Rhine Donnell, Lynna Carter Davis, Thurman Davis, Jeanette Hall Marr, Thomas Marr; (l-r, front row) Royce Vernon, Irma Horton Vernon, Flois Cunningham Reed, Dee Copeland, and Arla Copeland.(Sponsor).
Courtesy Photo

Class of 1946 has 50 year reunion during Lockney Homecoming

LOCKNEY - The 1946 graduating class of Lockney High School held their 50 year reunion along with homecoming, September 20 and 21. On Saturday, Sept. 21, the group met in Plainview at the home of class member, Jeanette (Hall) Marr and Tom Marr for a delicious breakfast. Tables were set up in the enclosed patio looking out into the beautiful back yard.

Members present were Johnnie (Holmes) McKinney of Amarillo, Flois (Cunningham) Reed of Panhandle, Evalyn (McCullum) Thomas of Baytown, Tx., Virginia (Daniels) Vincent of Truth or Consequence, N.M., Jeanne (Thomas) Fairman of Lubbock, Laverne (Rhine) Donnell of Abilene, Billy Griffith, of Olton, Royce and Irma (Horton) Vernon of Scroggins, Tx., Kenneth and Sue Thornton of Farmington, N.M., Ernest and Bonnie Fanning of Longview, WA., Thurman and Lynna (Carter) Davis, Del Rio, Boyce and Inez Mosley, Dan and Nina (Foster) Teuton, Mel and Marjorie (Cox) Holcomb and Dee and Arla Copeland, all of Lockney and the host and hostess Tom and Jeanette (Hall) Marr.

Arla Copeland was their teacher and sponsor.

Coming the farthest was Ernest and Bonnie Fanning, from Longview, Wa., John Lee and Jo Ann Carthel had the most children, Royce and Irma Vernon had the oldest grandchild and Mel and Marjorie Holcomb had the youngest grandchild. Royce and Irma Vernon were married the longest - 50 years in May.

They all went to the activities at the elementary school. At 6:00 p.m. that evening the group met at the Golden Corral in Plainview for dinner. Joining them were Dorothy (Weiland) Cummings of Floydada, James and Lynon (Norman) Preston of Lampasas, Tx., Hap and Donna Gloyna, of Blanket, Tx., Lonnie and Bo Peep Seaman of Yukon, Ok., John Lee and Jo Ann Carthel of Lockney and visitors: Joanis (Daniels) Robertson, of Dimmitt, Robert and Bell Daniels, of Lockney, Jack and Carolyn (Kellison) Adams, of Ruidoso, N.M. and Christine (Seamon) Shelton of San Diego, Ca.

The group will meet again in 4 years, in the year 2000.

Lockney Class of 1953 gathers to visit

LOCKNEY--The Class of 1953 gathered at the Main Street Church of Christ on September 21 in conjunction with the 1996 Homecoming activities to visit and catch up on happenings through the years.

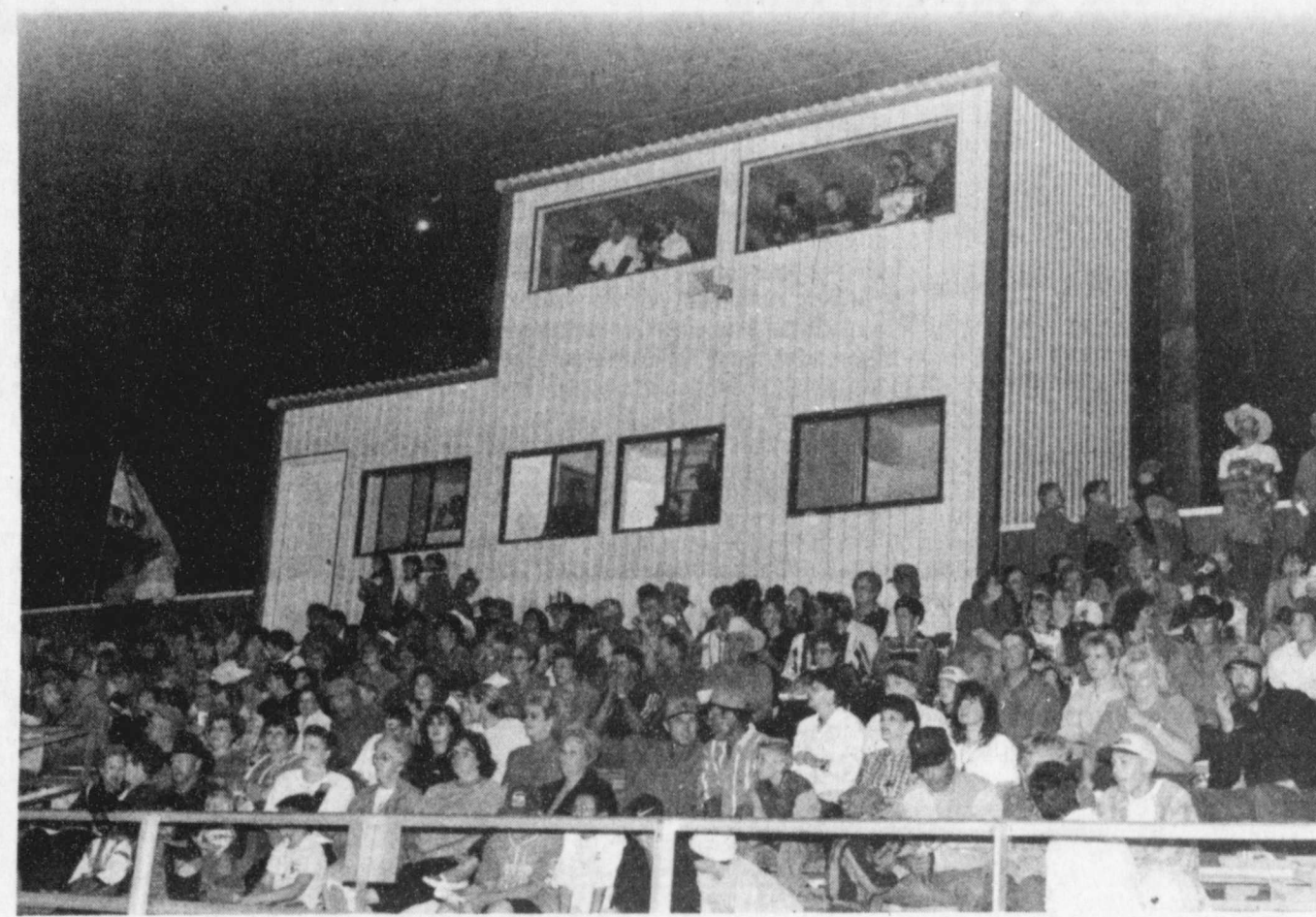
Those enjoying the visit were Pat and Susie Farrish Frizzell, Delton and Clydell Jack, Warren and Barbara Mathis, Bill and Mary Jo Bonner Sherman and Durrell Fortenberry of Lockney;

Ken Williams, Doyle and Dorothy Marr Turner of Floydada; Don and Nancy Holland Marble of South Plains, Ed and Pat Holland Musser of Canyon.

Orland and Betty Gilbert of Lubbock; C. B. Smart and Pat Goebel of Amarillo; James Carthel of League City; Loy Davis of Clarendon;

John and Rochelle Rigdon Dorman of Plainview; Dick Blenden of Carlsbad, New Mexico; Liz Handley Litsch of Altus, Oklahoma and Mavis Tate Reece of Alto, New Mexico.

They made plans to get together again at Lockney Homecoming 2000.



NEW PRESS BOX--Lockney Football Fans, coaching staff and announcers have been enjoying the brand new press box at the Lockney football stadium.

The press box was built during the summer by Coach Ventura and Mr. Young.

Staff Photo

Thank you for reading the Hesperian-Beacon!

456 Register at Lockney 1996 Homecoming

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Mary Lou Bollman, Pauline Hampton Roberson</p> <p>1930
Gladys Carthel Golden, Kline Nall, Bascom Baxter, Gene Dyer Meador</p> <p>1931
Dorothy Lackey Merrell, Leon Wofford</p> <p>1932
Agnes Johnston Frizzell, Marie Reves Wylie, Maclea Johnson, Harley Workman, Jiggs Morrison, John P. Smith</p> <p>1933
Brice Allen, T.V. Copeland, Lela Fore, Wynona Wofford Allison</p> <p>1934
Owen Thornton, Imogene Roberson Whitford, Kenneth Wofford, Retha Wofford, Herman Thornton</p> <p>1935
Delbert Hamilton, Gladys Morris, Delbur Rose, Almeda Phillips, Viola Rowell, Gladys Gilliland Morris, Elvora Nall Bledsoe</p> <p>1936
Hall E. Nall, Walter Reves, Raymond Spence, Pauline Weathers, Anna Dell Wharton Quebe, Kathryn Davis Smith, Raymond Whatley, A.C. Carthel</p> <p>1937
Robert Lee Smith, Hubert Griffith, J.C. Harris, Flora Lee Jack, Paul Teuton, Inez Gilliland Spence, Lorene Arterburn</p> <p>1938
Leo Comer, Mary Alice Baker Gonzales, Duard Reeves, Shelby Calahan, Kathryn McDonald Clayton, Kendall Cummings, Henry Ford Jr., Sammy Ruth Anderson Lucas, Eugene Royal</p> <p>1939
Claude Brown, Wallace Allen, Catherine Handley, A.E. Hill, Roy Lyles, Merle Mooney, S.C. Richardson, Doris Meriwether, Mary Louise McPherson, Bertha Reed, W.L. Thomas, Calvin Williams</p> <p>1940
Aileen Taack Allen, Easton Blenden, Margaret Bean Calahan, Sterling Cummings, Warren Graham, Jim Bert Bobbitt, Lavirn Carthel, Josephine Wells Griffith, Kathleen Myers McPherson, B & Sibyle (Mudgett) Parrack, Merle Scoggins, Nettie Mae McPherson, J.B. Roberson, Christine Seaman Shelton, Bill Ford</p> <p>1941
Gene Belt, Kathleen Richards Brown, C.W. Childers, Dewanda Bennett Blenden, Bascom Brotherton, Shirley Harper Cox, Mary Glenn Huff</p> | <p>1942
Agnes Johnston Frizzell, Marie Reves Wylie, Maclea Johnson, Harley Workman, Jiggs Morrison, John P. Smith</p> <p>1943
Mary Ruth Thomas Blanchard, Clementine Carthel, Billie Dean Trussell Craig, Ray Dillard, Naomi Langford Ford, June Carthel Leonard, Shirley Floyd Roberson, R.L. Knox</p> <p>1944
Barry Barker, Byron Ford, Dorothy Belt Jarrett, Lozell Callaway Keeter, Sally Patterson Shaw</p> <p>1945
Evelyn Johnson Cox, Vanda Mae McAda Moses, Dwight Perkins, Terry Perkins, Kathryn Hall Cooper, Geraldine Cunningham Hinds, Mildred Vernon Smith</p> <p>1946
Lon Colvin, Dorothy Weiland Cummings, Thurman Davis, Jeanne Thomas Fairman, Billy Griffith, Jeanette Hall Marr, John Lee Carthel, Lynna Jaye Carter Davis, Laverne Rhine Donnell, Ernest Fanning, Carl Alford "Hap" Gloyna, Marjorie Cox Holcomb, Boyce Mosley, Lynon Norman Preston, Lonnie Seaman, Nina Foster Teuton, Kenneth Thornton, Royce & Irma (Horton) Vernon, Virginia Daniels Vincent, Johnnie Holmes McKinney, Flois Cunningham Reed, Evalyn McCollum Thomas</p> <p>1947
Joann Cannon Carthel, Leo Watson Montandon, Sue Blenden Thornton, Dan Teuton, Joe Toney, Bill Bybee, Dorothy Rowell Stapp</p> <p>1948
Bobbie Lu Casey Bean, Erma Hall Caldwell, Robert Daniels, Wanda Rhine Bearden, Vera Jo Rogers Bybee, Gleynn Earle Norman Cummings, Janet Huffman, Edwin Langford, Margaret Weathers Turpin, Wanda Carter Webb, Glen Worsham, Dora Lee McDonald Cole, Inez Dunavant Mosley, Sara Miller Stowe, Rita Webster, Aubrey Crisp</p> | <p>1949
Jack Adams, Carolyn Kellison Adams, Geraldine Sims Johnston, Doris Pinner Huffine, J.L. McGowen, Donald Reece, Donnie Bybee, Joe Keeter, Lewzetta Morgan Gloyna, Naomi Callaway Hickman, Joyce Carthel Wilson, Mary Louise Manning McCarter</p> <p>1950
Maxine Foster Crisp, Jerry Paul Cooper, Charles Dipprey, Kay Norman Hall, Robert Matthews, Dub Mercer, Arlene Turner McCallum, Eugene Tannahill, Troy Tucker, Joanis Daniels Roberson, DeJuan Strickland, Ray Tomsu, Jr.</p> <p>1951
Hurlshur Harston, Wanda Dorman Harston, Joe Cunyus, Barbara Mullins Cunyus, Edgar Hartley, Bobby McLeod, Jontha Lee Casey Mercer, Ronald Reece, Melba Weathers Rogers, Freda Bybee Schafer, Lynn Ray Smith, Joe Huffman, Clea Huddleston Skittle, Rex Rogers, Lela Huddleston Skutevik, Peggy Carthel Turner</p> <p>1952
Bobby Ray Griffith, Bonnie Singer Hartley, Joe Nance, Gayle Sherman Reay, Tom Rogers, Wanda Johnson Smith, Geneva Burke Stansell</p> <p>1953
Loy Davis, Betty Dipprey, James Carthel, Orland Dorman, Durrell Fortenberry, Oriand Gilbert, Elizabeth Handley Litsch, Pat Holland Musser, Delton Jack, Nancy Holland Marble, Audrene Rhine Robison, C.B. Smart, Mavis Reece, Bill Sherman, Mary Jo Sherman, Dorothy Marr Turner, Ken Williams, Rochelle Rigdon Dorman, Dick Blenden</p> <p>1954
Betty Johnson Gilbert, Jerry Ford, Clydelle Hill Jack, Barbara Carthel Mathis, Denny Quisenberry, Johnnie Mac Bonner Quisenberry, Jim Meyers, Marie Meester Rogers, Patty Adams Tannahill, Jim Williams, Nina Vernon White, Mary Joyce Griffith Williams</p> <p>1955
Wilbur Adams, Royce Carthel, Marion Cross, Darla Allison Cross, Buck Ford, Jerry Holmes, Eeva June Chandler Everheart, Lerel Foster, Nell Cunyus Kelly, Charlotte Ragle McCulloch, James Morris, E.M. Pyle Jr., Jimmy Scott, Norma Kerns</p> <p>1956
Frankie Hardy Adams, Theta Willis Brotherton, Betty Jackson Bruce, Barbara Hanks Casey, Foncine Boedeker Carthel, Doyle Fowler, Jerry McQueen, Ernestine Spradlin Myers, Peggy Epperson Roberts, Dan Griffith, Doyle</p> | <p>1957
David Frizzell, Shirley Warren Griffith, Donice Casey, Carolyn Cunningham, Margie Sechrist Green, Peggy Hall Nance, Roland Watson</p> <p>1958
E.L. Brotherton, Jr., Jerry Davis, Jane Chandler Barnes, Virginia Caldwell Dunlap, Glenda Ford Ford, Jerry Griffith, Larry Hammit, Sunny Lawson Hammit, Gayle Rucker Hamilton, Carolyn Jones Jackson, M.L. Johnson, Roy Kidd, John Perry Truett</p> <p>1959
Byron Brock, Linda Baxter Kidd, Jimmy Minter, Bill Race, Mary Martin Smith, Edna Johnson Watkins, Robert Williams, Ronnie Thornton, Pat McLaughlin Thornton, Jerry Lynn Wofford</p> <p>1960
Joe Cox, Vincent Felty, Ronnie Hayes, Sandra Thompson Moody, Doyle Poole Jr., Lawson Rowell, Pat Gray Nelson, Reba Ragle, Jake Wofford</p> <p>1961
Doyle Freeman, Myrna Hayes George, Charlotte Taylor Brock, June Caldwell Hill, Warren Mitchell, Jackie Lou Frizzell Holt, Deral Kent, Karen Brown Lindeman, Loveta Jones Morren, Margaret Schacht, Ann Brown Race</p> <p>1962
Raymond Davis, Tony Arterburn, Janice Carthel Parish, Alvin Vernon, Jimmy Graham, Danny McAnally, Rose Almandarez Villa</p> <p>1963
Janie McAnally, Marta Hardin, Karen Johnston, Dovie Auld Davis</p> <p>1964
James Race, Sherry Williams Race, Betonia Barnett Belt, Clar Schacht</p> <p>1965
Linda Sechrist Shugart, Joe Copeland, Linda Lucas Davis, Brenda Gant Elam, Patsy Baxter Fox, Lynn Sissney, Don Henderson, H.G. Graham, Donnie Jackson, Judy Johnson Jackson</p> <p>1966
Joe Hays, Jimmy Thomas, Amando Alaniz</p> <p>1967
Shirley Hayes, June Hays</p> <p>1968
Jan Baucum, Jana Jones Hill, Belvred Jack, Richard McCarty, Cindy Montandon Vannoy</p> | <p>1969
Sue Carthel Barnes, Debbie Miller Karis, Carlton Johnson, Glenda Cooper Jones, Kathy Thornton Kellison, Gary Marr, John Quebe, Janice Lucas Shipman, Debbie Carthel McCarty</p> <p>1970
Cathie McDonald Elam, Mike Fairman, Rita Hays Brown, Gary Mangold, Debbie Webster Harmon, Carol Bramlet Huggins, Diane Ford Johnson, Linda Howard Marr, Jim Bob Mstrin, Vickie Daniels Melton, Rhea Williams Offutt, James Sechrist</p> <p>1971
Bobby Jones, Kay Johnston Martin, Marlon McDonald, Joe Jones, Charlie Minick, Maria Blanco Nolan</p> <p>1972
Sandy Smith Bayley, Mike Dietrich, Berry Hooten, Chris Reece, Dan Smith</p> <p>1973
Louie Bybee, Lesca Hayes Durham, Barton Cooper, Frankie Graves, Frank Muniz, Ester Raizez Muniz, Cathy Castro Rosales, Reeda Cay Lawson Smith, Tony Bybee Whitley</p> <p>1974
Cynthia Stoerner Bybee, Larry Bramlet, Ronald Carthel, Joan King Davidson, Becky Smith Knowles, Ginger Henderson Mathis, Joe McLendon, Robin Smith Stoerner</p> <p>1975
Wilmer Archer, Brad Blenden, Joann McCormick Carthel, Zach Cummings, Sandra Dorman Cummings, Lonny Hooten, Archie Jones, Tony Gross, Becky Bybee McPherson, Mike Mathis, Martin Stoerner, Zach Zachary, Scott Stansell</p> <p>1976
Donna Bobbit, Tracy Wofford Fletcher, Joy Frizzell Camden, DarLee McPherson Foster, Donna Spencer Miller, Sally Alaniz Rodriguez, D'Lyn Mathis Morris, Rusty Wilson</p> <p>1977
Beverly Barker, Charla Dipprey Carthel, Karla Broussard Duckworth, Karen McCarter Hooten, Janis Marr Porter, Diane Martinez Vasquez, Laura Watson Wilson, Sonia Salinas Cox</p> <p>1978
Paula Ellison Blackerby, Sue Martinez Garza, Jo Beth Stallings Dietrich, Kim Lambert, Boyd Lee, Patricia Reyes</p> <p>1979
Cindy Frizzell Cotham, Karla McCarter Flowers, Tim Cooper, Linda Jones, Graves, Christi Jack Pare, Breck Record, Lezlee Wofford Sherman, Kevin Stennett, Armando Vasquez</p> | <p>1980
Blanca Balderas Rodriguez, Chris Hennagan, Shari Carthel Shaw, Missy Pinner Minick, Roel Rodriguez</p> <p>1981
Kevin Belt, Byron Brock, John Cummings, Julie Frizzell Dorman, Angie Guerrero, Irene Mariscal Higgs, Cindy Michelson Hunter, Tonya Nance James, Roxanne Ford Hennagan, Dwight Jackson, Rosemary Martinez, Jamie & Rhonda Hooten McCulloch, Mose Ramirez, Sharon Spencer, Bonita McDonald Thornton, Tammie Hayes Rodriguez, Javier Rodriguez, Mike Stennett</p> <p>1982
Tyke Dipprey, Patricia Torrez Garza, Phillip Kidd, Karl Race</p> <p>1983
Connie Coffman Dipprey, Julia Reece, Robin Carthel Sherman, Karen Mathis Wilson</p> <p>1984
Shawnda Brock Foster, Jerri Ann McCormick Havens, Libby Williams Cuddy, Becky Pichford Meyers, Susie Pinner Saul, Stephy Bybee Sulton, Angie Gaskins Sutton</p> <p>1985
Nicki Race Adams, Latona Belt Davis, Ralph Gonzales, Paul Moats, David McCulloch, Scott Poole, Cindy Cooper Stanford, Monty Teeter, Brent Hallmark</p> <p>1986
Coy Holly, Ronnie Ford, Randy Race, Johnnie Torrez, Robert Wofford, Heather Holt Smith</p> <p>1987
Matt Mitchell, Julie Davis Wekar</p> <p>1988
Clay Adrian, Donna Vernon Autry, Joel Mitchell, JoAnn Castro Rodriguez</p> <p>1989
Bertha Rosales, Loretta Turner Nutt</p> <p>1990
Phillip Glasson, Rajeanna VanCleave McCready</p> <p>1991
Aimee Green Hancock, Tandy Kant Mitchell, Angie Moya Salas</p> <p>1992
Chad Cook, Brandon Poole, Anjelica Bernal Salazar</p> <p>1993
Dana McCarty, Priscilla Ramos, Sarah Silva Wallace, Alicia Sepulveda Galvan, Tami Vernon</p> <p>1994
Melissa Bybee, Rhanda Hickerson, Jerod Glasson, Alan Martin, Glenn Truett, Max Green</p> <p>1995
Tanner Johnson, Mikhael Durham, Dede McCarty, Chris Sepulveda</p> |
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Thornberry honored by National Federation of Independent Business

Rep. Mac Thornberry of Texas has been named "Guardian of Small Business" by the nation's largest small-business advocacy organization, the National Federation of Independent Business.

NFIB represents more than 600,000 small and independent businesses nationwide, including more than 36,000 in Texas. The organization honors U.S. lawmakers who provide consistent support for free enterprise by voting favorably on key small-business issues at least 70 percent of the time during a two-year session of Congress.

Rep. Thornberry's small-business voting record during the 104th Congress, based on 37 recorded votes,

was 97 percent.

Among crucial issues for entrepreneurs this session were legislative proposals dealing with balancing the federal budget, reducing government regulation, protecting small businesses from frivolous lawsuits, simplifying pension plans and making health insurance more readily available for small-business owners.

NFIB is a non-profit, non-partisan organization which lobbies federal and state legislatures on behalf of small business. Small businesses comprise about 98 percent of all American employers, hire nearly 60 percent of the workforce and create some two-thirds of all net new jobs.



THORNBERRY HONORED BY NFIB -- Rep. Mac Thornberry receives honor of being named "Guardian of Small Business" by the nation's largest small-business advocacy organization, the National Federation of Independent Business. Courtesy Photo

Seniors honor Thornberry

The 60 Plus Association, a senior citizens group with a half million supporters nationally, has presented Congressman William "Mac" Thornberry of Texas with the Association's highest honor, the Guardian of Seniors Rights Award.

60 Plus President Jim Martin emphasized that his Association is non-partisan, presenting its Guardian Award to Democrats and Republicans in the House and the Senate who voted "senior friendly." 60 Plus honors Members of Congress who score 60 or more (60 Plus) on its Congressional Scorecard. Thornberry scored 100. 60 Plus originated the Guardian Award in the 103rd Congress in 1994.

Out of many key votes, seniors are grateful to congressman Thornberry because:

He voted to increase seniors' Medicare benefits from 4,800 annually to \$7,100 by the year 2002, an increase some Members of Congress opposed

and even voted against.

He voted for the Pension Protection Act to protect seniors' pensions from raids by those who wanted to invest these pensions in shaky ventures.

He voted to repeal President Clinton's 1993 tax increase on Social Security benefits.

Thornberry voted to increase the amount working seniors can earn without losing Social Security benefits.

He voted to lower inheritance taxes and voted for a \$500 tax credit for the caretaker of an elderly parent at home.

"This tax credit may seem small, but we see it as a token of appreciation to the caretaker who is trying to keep an elderly loved one at home, thereby relieving American taxpayers of the added established cost of \$40,000 annually for nursing home care."

Have a good week!

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SHIRLEY BELL - OWNER

Featuring an outstanding selection of all types of new and nearly new clothing, RERUNS & ACCESSORIES AT 7th and Quincy in Plainview, phone 296-2883, specializes in new and nearly new clothing, wedding gowns, formals, jewelry, handbags and much more!

This respected merchant has an excellent selection of nearly new and new clothing for those who are simply budget-minded. There's no better place to shop for bargains and unusual items!

You can always count on being able to deal with this firm, and it's fun to shop for your purchases. They sell clothing and miscellaneous merchandise, and prices are always very, very low. Stop in today and browse...you're sure to see something you like.

RERUNS & ACCESSORIES is open Monday - Saturday 10am to 6pm and MasterCard, Visa and Discover cards are welcome. We, the writers of this 1996 Fall Headline Review are very pleased to recommend this fine shop to all of our readers.

TATTOO GRAPHICS

KENT & DELMA SANDERS - ARTIST/OWNERS
REGISTERED BY TEXAS HEALTH DEPARTMENT

When a service for which you cannot go without is needed, such as professional tattooing, it then becomes very important to know the reputation of the firm with which you're going to do business. TATTOO GRAPHICS, located at 1909 Quincy Street in Plainview, phone 296-6456 or 293-1304, is a firm which one can do business with confidence and assurance of receiving total satisfaction and safety. They are a Member of the National Tattoo Association and Artist, Kent Sanders, has over 16 years experience in tattooing.

They feature TATTOO ARTISTRY FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD! They know the business perfectly and insist that each job be done perfect. TATTOO GRAPHICS is favorably known for prompt service, fair prices and sterile conditions. Whether you're searching for an elaborate design or just looking to express your individuality with something simple and elegant, the artists at TATTOO GRAPHICS can bring out the best ON you! If you wish to update your present art or cover it entirely, the professionals at TATTOO GRAPHICS can help.

The writers of this 1996 Fall Headline Review are very pleased to recommend TATTOO GRAPHICS. We know you will be pleased with any work they do for you! Their hours are noon to 8pm, Mon. - Sat.

ELEGANCE NAILS

MYLE DANG - OWNER

For your next sculptured nails or nail tipping treatment, call ELEGANCE NAILS, located at 5116 58th Street in Lubbock. Phone 797-6923 for your next appointment. Here you will find professional manicurists who have many years of experience in nail care. They have had extensive training and can give your nails the quality treatment they deserve.

This is one shop where nails are as modern as tomorrow. It is a woman's privilege and duty to look her best at all times, so don't neglect your nails. Call 797-6923 for an appointment today. Remember that the care of your nails is an important part of your total beauty image. They are specialists in their field and offer the finest in nail sculpturing.

Walk-ins and late appointments are welcome. They are open Mon. - Sat., 10am - 8pm and Sundays 12pm - 5pm. It is our pleasure, as the editors of this 1996 Fall Headline Review to recommend only ELEGANCE NAILS to our readers who demand the finest in nail treatments.

ALLSTAR AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSIONS

PRESTON & TERI PEEBLES

Transmission repairs? Smart motorists in this area are going to ALLSTAR AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSIONS AT 3802 Avenue A in Lubbock, phone 744-2332! Here you can rest assured that your transmission will be repaired quickly and economically and that the job WILL be done right the first time! One day service is available for most vehicles.

This is one shop where transmissions are the main business, not a sideline. Free estimates are given on foreign, domestic, standard, 4-wheel drive, front wheel drive, overdrive, and electronic overdrives. Whether you need a minor adjustment or a major overhaul, THIS is THE place to go! Make an appointment today to have that strange noise in your transmission checked by an expert.

Be sure that your vehicle receives the very best care! As the editors of this 1996 Fall Headline Review, we suggest that you place your confidence in this fine shop. We know they won't let you down! They also offer a complete auto repair service! So when you're in need of the best transmission service around, or any other auto repair service, call on ALLSTAR AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION and have that repair done right!

LUBBOCK AMERICAN IRON AND METAL

Buying and selling scrap metal is the job of LUBBOCK AMERICAN IRON AND METAL at 32nd and Martin Luther King in Lubbock, phone 765-8837. This established firm deals in all types of scrap metals and pays top dollar for all commodities. They also sell reusable and random steel on location. Specialists in iron, brass, steel, aluminum, copper, radiators, batteries and many other materials, this well known scrap yard will pay cash by the pound or ton for metals of all types. You're doing a service to the ecology AND to your pocketbook when you make it a point to take all excess metal to LUBBOCK AMERICAN IRON AND METAL for recycling. They, in turn, sell materials to foundries, iron works and other places where they're converted back into useful products again. It's an excellent way to help the environment and the economy. "EARTH DAY" is every day at LUBBOCK AMERICAN IRON AND METAL.

The editors of this 1996 Fall Headline Review would like to commend this well known firm for their significant contribution to the ecology of the local region.

RANGER SEPTIC SYSTEMS

Building a home is a difficult business. There are many decisions to be made, and you want to get the absolute most for your money. A reliable septic and waste water treatment system is a necessity and, if poorly constructed, can be expensive to maintain. One way to be sure of getting a quality septic tank and waste water treatment system is to contact the professionals. RANGER SEPTIC SYSTEMS. Their reputation is their best recommendation. They are located at 4601 Grinnell Street in Lubbock, phone 747-9119 or 1-800-464-9413. These professionals can install the finest in septic tank and waste water treatment systems for your home, mobile home, lake property or any other location - residential or commercial.

This well known firm will install the home sewage treatment system which best suits your individual needs and requirements, and which is approved by local sanitation authorities meeting all applicable health codes. You know you're getting the best when it's from RANGER SEPTIC SYSTEMS! Call 747-9119 or 1-800-464-9413 to discuss any of your septic tank needs with this experienced firm - estimates are free! The editors of this 1996 Fall Headline Review highly recommend RANGER SEPTIC SYSTEMS to all of our readers. You'll be in the best hands when you deal with this respected company.

TACO VILLAGE

SERVING THE AREA SINCE 1975

"THE FINEST IN AUTHENTIC MEXICAN CUISINE"

Enjoy all the flavor of old Mexico with a delicious meal from TACO VILLAGE, conveniently located at 1712 3rd Street in Lubbock, phone 762-4457. Here, you will find luncheons and dinners moderately priced and moderately priced. They specialize in authentic Mexican dishes that your family is sure to love!

Bring your family and friends to TACO VILLAGE in Lubbock for a uniquely different dining pleasure. Their menu features all your old favorites as well as special combination meals. All ages are sure to enjoy the Mexican specialties featured here. Take-out service is available by calling 762-4457.

For the finest in authentic Mexican cuisine served in a casual atmosphere, drop in soon to TACO VILLAGE. You will be pleased with their creative approach to Mexican cooking and their warm, gracious service. We, the writers of this 1996 Fall Headline Review, are very pleased to recommend this outstanding Mexican restaurant to all our many readers.

COMPUTER EXPRESS

We salute COMPUTER EXPRESS in this 1996 Fall Headline Review. There is no company more worthy of extended mention than COMPUTER EXPRESS in Lubbock at 3602 Slide Road, Suite B24. If your present computer system is not relating to your growing needs, or if you don't have one, contact this firm immediately by calling 797-1393. These friendly and courteous people will be happy to discuss your needs and recommend a computer system which will give you the competitive edge. They sell versatile, affordable computers for business and home in addition to selling printers, supplies and accessories. COMPUTER EXPRESS also features Sales, Service and Repair on business copier machines. Call them today for more information! They will be happy to recommend a computer system or a copier that is affordable and efficient. We are very pleased to recommend this outstanding computer company to all of our readers. Watch for the Grand Opening of another COMPUTER EXPRESS in Plainview scheduled to open at the end of October!

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"AUTOMOTIVE AND DETAIL"

Like to keep your car, truck, van, recreational vehicle or boat looking like new but can't seem to find the time to spend hours washing, waxing and cleaning? Do what smart auto dealers do and take your car to the experts at L & D KLEAN KING.

Conveniently located at 2555 34th in Lubbock, phone 797-8334, these "cleanliness engineers" will detail your car from bumper to bumper, inside and out! They will shampoo the carpet, clean all of the glass, and steam clean the engine. Small, hard-to-get-at places, like dashboard and gauges, are cleaned to perfection, and every speck of dirt is removed from the interior. On the outside of your car, you can expect nothing less than a perfect wash, wax and polish job! They also offer free local pick-up and delivery.

If you're contemplating selling or trading your car, detailing is an absolute must to get top dollar. So, don't put off having your car detailed any longer. One phone call is all it takes to make an appointment, and the editors of this 1996 Fall Headline Review suggest that you make that call to L & D KLEAN KING today!

IDEAL HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING

"HEATING - COOLING - GEOTHERMAL"

For a place that's friendly and a staff of courteous employees call on IDEAL HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING located at 514 East 34th Street in Lubbock, phone 762-4004 or 1-800-660-6157. Doing business with congenial people is much more pleasant and costs no more. Here you will find that efficiency and a pleasant manner go hand in hand, and members of this firm make every effort to take care of your heating and air conditioning needs. As the area's authorized Carrier dealer they offer sales, service and maintenance agreements to residential and commercial customers within a 100 mile radius! Just call and tell them what your requirements are and you will receive their undivided attention. We, the writers of this 1996 Fall Headline Review are very pleased to recommend this outstanding company to all of our readers and suggest you call them today!

JOE'S TV & VCR REPAIRS

JOE AGUILAR - OWNER

Quality television repair starts with a phone call to JOE'S TV & VCR REPAIRS, located at 1308 34th Street in Lubbock, phone 763-0106! This is one of the best known television and VCR Service Technicians in the area, and they have the reputation to back it up.

Specialists in all makes and models, this reliable firm can repair most any make of television or VCR expertly and their prices are very competitive and reasonable. Whether your TV or VCR requires a minor adjustment or professional tuning or a full scale overhaul...this is the place to go! Regardless of what type of TV or VCR you have...they can handle the problem quickly, properly and at the least possible cost.

The editors of this 1996 Fall Headline Review suggest that you contact this well known television service technician for any and all problems. As a matter of fact, JOE says to bring this ad in and receive 15% off your repair bill!

MERLE NORMAN COSMETIC STUDIOS

SHIREEN DEVLIN - RETAIL OPERATIONS MANAGER

When was the last time you did something very special for yourself? When was the last time you came into the MERLE NORMAN COSMETIC STUDIO for your own FREE MAKEOVER? It's a beautiful idea...and it's absolutely free. Their Beauty Advisors will teach you exactly how to make up your face. If you've already had your Free Makeover, come in for their other free lessons for your beautiful face: an Eyebrow lesson, an eye makeup lesson, a lesson in complexion care and more. Discover their new beautiful shades created to go with the season's most beautiful fashions. They'll teach you your own special look for perfect day...or glorious night.

At MERLE NORMAN COSMETIC STUDIOS they know that learning how to make up your own face is learning how to look beautiful. Call for an appointment at any of their four locations. The MERLE NORMAN COSMETIC STUDIOS are located at 3408 34th Street (at Indiana) in Lubbock, phone 795-6292; 4414 82nd Street (at Quaker), in Lubbock, phone 795-9907; 1010 Austin, in Levelland, phone 894-5443; and NOW at the SOUTH PLAINS MALL, at 6002 Slide Road in Lubbock, phone 791-1201.

The authors of this 1996 Fall Headline Review suggest to our readers to call MERLE NORMAN COSMETIC STUDIO for your FREE MAKEOVER soon! We know you'll be glad you did!

WILKISON RADIATOR SERVICE

"SERVING THE SOUTH PLAINS SINCE 1943"

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With Fall here, NOW is the time to make sure your cooling system is in the best working condition! Radiators play an important part in the life and operation of an engine. If you do not have a properly operating cooling system, you'll soon find yourself out of commission.

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This is the time of year to have your radiator serviced and checked by these professionals. Stop in soon and get your cooling system ready for trouble-free operation throughout the coming winter months. Same day service is available in most cases. Make WILKISON RADIATOR SERVICE your complete radiator headquarters. We, the writers of this 1996 Fall Headline Review are very pleased to recommend this fine shop to all of our many readers. We know you'll be pleased and satisfied with their service.

Masons honor members

By Bill Gray

FLOYDADA - Approximately 100 members and guests attended award ceremonies at Floydada Masonic Lodge No. 712 on September 24. Following dinner, Worshipful Master Bert Vandiver extended greetings and turned the program over to R. Furman Vinson of Flomot, Past Grand Master of Texas Mason.

On behalf of the Grand Lodge of Texas, Vinson presented 50-year

membership pins and certificates to J.M. Jimmy Willson, Jr., Dr. Floyd C. Bradley, Joe B. Martin and John J. McKinney. A 25-year membership in was also presented to Kent Covington.

The Golden Trowel Award, the highest honor a local lodge can bestow upon one of its members, was presented to Boone Adams by Dr. Floyd C. Bradley, Past Master of Floydada Lodge No. 712, A.F. & A.M.



GOLDEN TROWEL RECIPIENT -- Boone Adams (left) received the Golden Trowel Award and Kent Covington (right) was recognized for 25 years of membership at Floydada Masonic Lodge on September 24. Also attending the ceremonies were (L) Mrs. Ruth Adams and Barbara Covington. Staff Photo



MASONS HONORED -- Those participating in September 24 ceremonies at Floydada Masonic Lodge #712 included: (left to right) Bert Vandiver, Worshipful Master; R. Furman Vinson, Past Grand Master of Texas Masons; Dr. Floyd C. Bradley, 50-year honoree; Mrs. Aline Bradley; J.M. Jimmy Willson Jr., 50-year honoree and Past Grand Master; Mrs. Anne Willson; Mrs. Reta Martin; Joe B. Martin, 50-year honoree; Mrs. Lorena McKinney; and John J. McKinney, 50-year honoree. Staff Photo

Give someone a smile!!

"FOCUS ON THE FAMILY" with Dr. James Dobson

QUESTION: I am a teenager and want to look and dress just like all my friends. My parents tell me I should be an individual and be willing to be different, but I just can't do it. Do you understand?

DR. DOBSON: Sure I do. Let me explain why you feel such pressure to be like everyone else. The answer involves feelings of inferiority, which are usually very strong during adolescence. You see, when you feel worthless and foolish--when you don't like yourself--then you are more frightened by the threat of rejection by your friends. You become more sensitive about being laughed at. You lack the confidence to be different.

Your problems seem bad enough without making them worse by defying the wishes of the majority. So you dress the way they tell you to dress, and you talk the way they want you to talk, and all your ideas are the group's ideas.

Your great desire is to behave in the "safest" way possible. These behaviors all have one thing in common: they result from lack of self-confidence.

Gradually, your self-respect will return as you become more mature and comfortable with yourself.

QUESTION: Some educators have said we should eliminate report cards and academic marks. Do you think this is a good idea?

Dr. Dobson: No, academic marks are valuable for students in the third grade or higher. They serve as a form of reinforcement--as a reward for the child who has achieved in school and as a nudge to the youngster who hasn't.

It is important, though, that marks be used properly; they have the power to create or to destroy motivation. Through the elementary years and in



DR. DOBSON

the required courses of high school, a child's grades should be based on what he does with what he has.

In other words, we should grade according to ability. A slow child should be able to succeed in school just as certainly as a gifted youngster. If he struggles and sweats to achieve, he should be rewarded with a symbol of accomplishment, even if his work falls short of an absolute standard. By the same token, the gifted child should not be given an A just because he is smart enough to excel without working.

Let me sum up my thoughts. Our primary purpose in grading during the elementary and junior high school years should be to reward academic effort. On the other hand, college preparation courses in high school must be graded on an absolute standard. An A in chemistry or Latin is accepted by college admission boards as a symbol of excellence, and high school teachers must preserve that meaning. By then, Slow Joe and his friends need not be in those difficult courses.

Dr. James Dobson is a psychologist, author and president of Focus on the Family, a nonprofit organization dedicated to the preservation of the home. Correspondence to Dr. Dobson should be addressed to: Focus on the Family, P.O. Box 444, Colorado Springs, CO 80903.

Dr. Dobson is brought to you courtesy of West College & 3rd Street Church of Christ, Lockney.

Floyd County Church Directory

AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH
607 W. Lee St., Floydada
J.D. Young, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
810 S. 3rd, Floydada
Darwin Robinson, Pastor
Sunday:
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday:
Evening Services 8:00 p.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Floydada
Claude Porter, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Bible Study 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 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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Frank Duckworth, Evangelist
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday Service 8:00 p.m.

CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST
Floydada
Gene McCarty, Minister
Sunday:
Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
(Summer 8:00 p.m.)

EVANS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. G.A. Blocker
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Afternoon Worship 2:00 p.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
701 W. Missouri, Floydada
Vance Mitchell, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
Sunday Evening
Evangelistic 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Night Service 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Floydada
Rev. Howell E. Farnsworth Jr.
Pastor
Michael Holster
Music/Adm./Sr. Adults
Marlon Pritchard,
Students/Ed.

Sunday:
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Discipleship Train. 5:45 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Children's Choirs 4:00 p.m.
Evening Meal 6:00 p.m.
R.A.'s & G.A.'s 6:45 p.m.
Preschool Choir 6:45 p.m.
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
Youth Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
Adult Choir 7:45 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Lockney
Harold Abney, Pastor
Les Reed, Youth Minister
Kent Lloyd, Music Minister
Sunday:
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Discipleship
Training 6:00 p.m.
Kids of The King
Children's Choir 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
Youth Activities 7:00 p.m.
R.A.'s and G.A.'s 7:00 p.m.
Pre-School Choir 7:00 p.m.
Adult Choir 8:00 p.m.
3rd Saturdays:
Men's Breakfast 7:00 a.m.
1st Tuesday and 3rd Mondays:
Baptist Women 3:00 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Reverend Ione Sedinger
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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Floydada
Clark Williams, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Youth Fellowship 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Lockney
Tommy Beck, Pastor
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
UMY 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
United Methodist Women,
Hill Circle, 3rd Tues. . 9:30 a.m.
Ruth Wesley Circle:
2nd & 4th Mondays . 10:30 a.m.

FRIENDSHIP CHAPEL
CME
Floydada
Rev. James Jenkins
Sunday 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday:
Bible Study 8:00 p.m.

GRACE FELLOWSHIP CHURCH
211 N. Main, Lockney
Interdenominational Church
Rev. Ted Samples, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.

GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
John Williams, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Monday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday:
Prayer Service 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

IGLESIA DEL REY JESUS
404 E. 6th St., Lockney
Lupe Banda, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday:
Youth Service 7:30 p.m.

MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST
Lockney
Russell Harris, Minister
Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m.
Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
Floydada
Rev. Ralph Jackson
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
BTU 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Mid-Week Prayer 7:00 p.m.
Thursday:
Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
Floydada
Sunday: Congregational
Singing 10:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
3rd Sunday, Elder Don Martin
4th Sunday, Tom Taylor

PRIMER IGLESIA BAUTISTA
Lockney
Pedro Villareal, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 5:00 p.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.
G.A.'s 7:30 p.m.
Ambassadors 7:30 p.m.
Fellowship Luncheon -
1st Sunday of Month;
Music Worship;
Last Sunday with evening service

PRIMERA MISION BAUTISTA
Floydada
Rev. Lupe Rando
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.
1st Wed. Organization Night

SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH
Lockney
Msgr. Tim Schwertner, Pastor
Wednesday:
Communion Service 8:00 p.m.
Sunday Mass 11:30 a.m.

SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH
Ernest Stewart, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD TEMPLO GETSEMANI
308 Mississippi
Rev. Thomas G. Lopez
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Evangelistic
Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Family Night 7:30 p.m.

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Floydada
Father Elbert Fadallan
Sunday Mass 11:30 a.m.
Weekday Mass 7:30 p.m.
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TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM
Lockney
Pedro Reyes, Interim Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 p.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Christian Training 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

TEMPLO BETHEL SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD
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Lockney 652-2181
Gabriel W. Ortiz, Pastor
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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

TEMPLO EVANGELICO PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
Natividad Luna, Pastor
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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.

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Wednesday Evening 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship 5:00 p.m.

TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA
Rev. Herman Martinez
308 W. Tennessee
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Prayer Service 2:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Tuesday:
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Thursday Service 7:30 p.m.

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652-3704
Sunday Services 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

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Interdenominational Church
Charlie Stice, Pastor
983-5499
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

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Rev. Arthur P. Bliese Pastor
Sunday School &
Adult Bible Class 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

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Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

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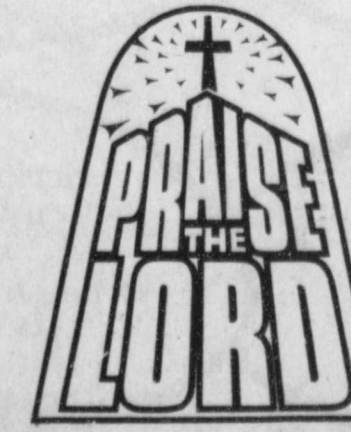
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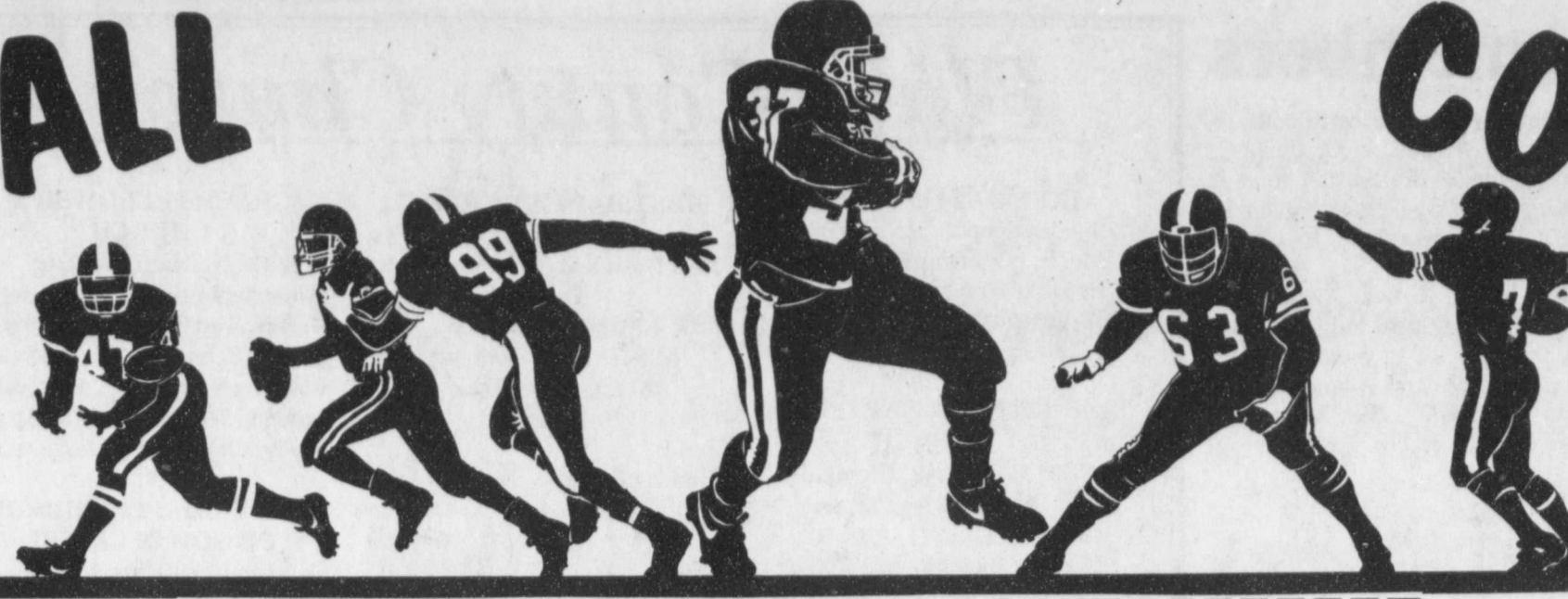
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FOOTBALL CONTEST



WEEKLY PRIZES ARE:
1ST - \$25
2ND - \$15
3RD - \$10

Weekly winners will be announced in the next week's issue of the Hesperian-Beacon & may collect their prize checks on Friday.

Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon Football Contest Official Entry Form

Cut on the dotted line.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
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1996 Football Contest Rules

Any subscriber or purchaser age 7 or older is eligible to enter this contest. Only one entry per week per person.

To play, circle on the official entry form, the numbers of the teams you believe will win this week's games. To indicate a tie, circle the numbers of both teams playing the game. Also write a guess of the combined total points to be scored by the two teams listed in each of the tie-breaker footballs. Circle the team you believe will win. Circle both teams if you think the game will end in a tie.

Only entries on official entry forms brought to a Hesperian-Beacon office in Floydada or Lockney no later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday. No photocopies will be accepted and no mail entries will be considered.

Three cash prizes are awarded each week. In the event of ties (the same number of correct games & equal scores on tie-breakers) prizes will be combined & shared by those tied. The tie-breaker scores will be used only in the event of a tie on the number of games correct.

South Plains Gin
 1. Seminole vs.
 2. Brownfield

Sterley Spraying
 3. Littlefield vs.
 4. Denver City

FNB in Lockney
 Member FDIC
 5. Lubbock Cooper vs.
 6. Lubbock Roosevelt

American State Bank
 Member FDIC
 7. Tulia vs.
 8. Sanford-Fritch

Crime Alert Lockney
 9. Perryton vs.
 10. Amarillo River Road

First National Bank of Floydada
 Member FDIC
 11. Dalhart vs.
 12. Dimmitt

West Texas National Bank
 Member FDIC
 13. Friona vs.
 14. Muleshoe

Don Hardy Fuel Efficient Engine Service
 15. Highland Park vs.
 16. Olton

Cargill Hybrid Seed
 17. Bovina vs.
 18. Hale Center

Floydada Power & Light
 19. Childress vs.
 20. Iowa Park

Floyd County Farm Bureau
 21. Jacksboro vs.
 22. Vernon

Floydada Coop Gin
 23. West Texas High vs.
 24. Stratford

Schacht's Flowers, Jewelry & Gifts
 25. Clarendon vs.
 26. Quanah

Lighthouse Electric
 27. Happy vs.
 28. Valley

Wilson Photography
 29. Nazareth vs.
 30. Sudan

Payne Family Pharmacy
 31. Lubbock Monterey vs.
 32. Lubbock High

Tipton Oil & Butane
 33. Canyon vs.
 34. Pampa

Muncy Elevator
 35. Plainview vs.
 36. Frenship

Lowe's Pay-n-Save Floydada
 37. Amherst vs.
 38. Whitharral

Lockney Meat Company
 39. Kansas vs.
 40. Texas Tech

City Auto
 41. Texas A&M vs.
 42. Iowa State

Lowe's Pay-n-Save Lockney
 43. Oklahoma vs.
 44. Texas

Brown Implement
 45. Florida vs.
 46. Louisiana State

Lambert Spraying
 47. Florida State vs.
 48. Miami

Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co.
 49. Kansas State vs.
 50. Missouri

D & J Gin Lockney
 51. Oklahoma State vs.
 52. Colorado

Lockney Cooperatives
 53. North Carolina State vs.
 54. Alabama

Producers Coop Elevator
 55. Baylor vs.
 56. Nebraska

Clark Pharmacy
 57. Notre Dame vs.
 58. Washington

KFLP Radio
 59. Cardinals vs.
 60. Cowboys

Attebury Grain
 61. Lions vs.
 62. Raiders

Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon
 63. Eagles vs.
 64. Giants

Providence Farm Supply & Grain
 65. Dolphins vs.
 66. Bills

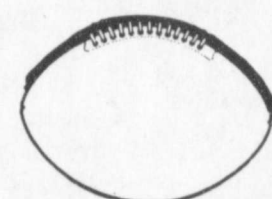
Script Printing & Office Supplies
 67. Bengals vs.
 68. Steelers

Blanco Offset Printing
 69. Oilers vs.
 70. Falcons

Our Place Drive-In
 71. Redskins vs.
 72. Patriots

Ray Lee Equipment
 73. Jaguars vs.
 74. Jets

Lockney vs. Hart



Tie Breakers
 circle winner and write total combined score in football

NAME _____
 ADDRESS _____
 CITY _____

Floydada vs. Slaton

