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*Both candidates earn more votes*

## Recount changes total in commissioner race

The recount in the Pct. #4 Commissioner Race netted incumbent Commissioner Jon Jones 2 more votes and challenger Amado Morales one more vote.

The vote total now stands at 275 for Jones and 271 for Morales.

Because the count changed the County will reimburse Morales the \$250 he put down as a deposit for the recount. Morales had requested the recount.

The difference in the count was found in the hand counting of mail-in ballots. The tally from the voting machine stayed the same.

An unusually high number of

mail in ballots were received in this race and 32 of those were not counted because of discrepancies, such as no signatures, etc.

The ballots not counted are still sealed and how the person voted is not known. The decisions are made by the election judges on ballots that do not meet legal qualifications.

Challenges to these decisions can be made by either candidate within 30 days of the recount, and would have to be decided in District Court. Each ballot would have to be challenged individually.

It is not known at this time if Morales intends to further challenge any ballots.

## Mangold Health Fair offers free services

By Marsha Allen

W. J. Mangold Memorial Hospital will present their 14th annual Holiday Health Fair on Saturday, December 2 from 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. at the Lockney Elementary School.

Admission to the Health Fair is a donation of canned food or a new toy.

While attending the Health Fair and visiting the over 30 booths, you will be able to have a glaucoma check, blood pressure, blood sugar and cholesterol checks and consult with a hearing specialist. All of these tests are free of charge. Flu shots will be given for a nominal fee and United Blood Institute will be conducting a blood drive. A healthy lunch will be available

for all fair goers.

Again this year a very special feature will be the KidCare Photo ID event. Parents can obtain a current head and shoulders photograph of their child in a special vinyl pocket, plus you will be able to also include the vital statistics of your child and their fingerprints. If you child attended last year bring their ID packet to be updated. If this is your first year to attend you will be issued a new packet. Also your child will be able to visit our children's activity booths.

A mammogram clinic will be held at Cogdell Clinic Lockney on Wednesday, December 20th. To make an appointment for a mammogram call 1-800-377-4673.

## Holiday Events For Your Calendar

### Floydada

**December 2nd**--The Floyd County Chapter of the American Cancer Society will host their annual Christmas Brunch in the home of Marty and Sheresse Covington, 907 W. Missouri, from 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Donations are \$10.00 at the door. Everyone is welcome.

**December 2nd**--The Floydada Boy Scout Troop 357 will conduct their annual Scouting for Food Drive from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Please leave your canned foods on your doorstep.

**December 4th**--The Floydada Chamber will host "Christmas on the Square" in downtown Floydada. Stores will be open late for shopping. A parade starts at 5:30 p.m. Food booths will be available. The Highway 70 Band, and school children, will perform under the pavilion. Santa and Mrs. Claus will arrive at 5:30 p.m. Sign up for door prizes at participating businesses. The drawings for the door prizes will be at 7:00 p.m. at the Courthouse Annex.

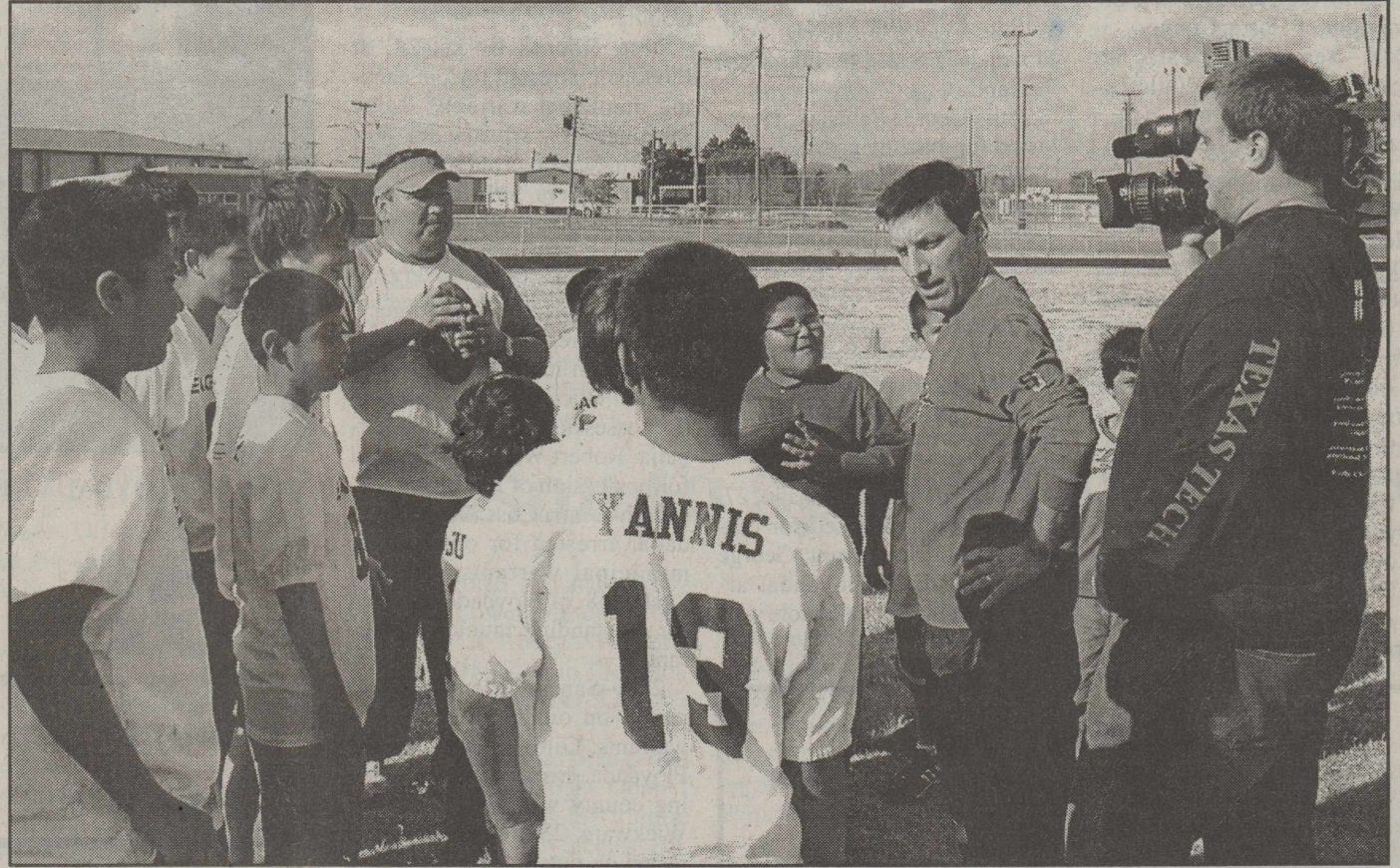
### Lockney

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**December 2nd**--The Lockney Boy Scouts Troop 259 will put bags on front porches for citizens to fill with canned or non perishable food. Saturday, December 9, the Scouts will return to pick up the bags of food.

**December 11**--The Lockney Chamber of Commerce will sponsor the annual "Old Fashioned Christmas" in downtown Lockney. Stores will be open late for shopping. Santa will arrive in town and greet kids from 5:30-6:30 at City Bank. The Christmas Story will be read at 6:45 p.m., and Elementary program will be presented at 7:00 p.m. and the High School Band will play at 7:30 p.m. Hay rides and caroling will be part of the downtown festivities. Stores will close at 9:00 p.m.

## Floydada Eagles "Beat Pete"



CHANNEL 11 SPORTSCASTER PETE CHRISTY VISITS WITH FLOYDADA EAGLES BEFORE THE CHALLENGE

By Darwin Robinson

"We beat Pete" was the chant by the 2006 Floydada Tiger League Super Bowl Champions Monday afternoon, November 27, at the Whirlwind Field House. The team had challenged Channel 11 Television Sports-caster Pete Christy to a football Punt, Throw and Field Goal Kicking contest.

The 8-0 undefeated Eagles outdistanced Pete in every match. The challenge was to punt the football from the south goal line toward the north goal line. Two Eagle players out-kicked Pete by about 15 yards.

The throwing by two more Eagles put them ahead of Pete by a good 20 yards or more. Then came the most difficult part of the challenge. Two field goals were kicked from the spot where their footballs landed on their Throwing contest.

One Eagle missed his field goal from about the 5 yard line, but the other Eagle put his through the Field Goal uprights. Pete missed both of his Field Goal attempts from about the 20 yard line.

The team was promised "I Beat Pete Tee-Shirts" and they chanted as loud as they could "We Beat Pete."

Many spectators were present for the challenge, along with Pete Christy and his cameraman Dusty Jonas. The Eagles Super Bowl Champions consisted of Kaden Lackey, Laron Lamb, RJ Gomez, Adam Suarez, John Angel Yannis, TK Farris, Mathew McGowen, Randy Perez, Jorday Woody, Sean Morales, Hunter Galvan, Janson Graham, Michael Cisneros, Joseph Herrera, Venturo Gonzales, Royce DeLosSantos, Emelio DeOchoa, Venturo Gonzales, Juan Nunez, Jake Graham, Ryan Chavarria, Tyler Covington, waterboys: Jaiden Blakey, Seth Nielson, Labrado Chavarria and Christopher Rosa.

Coaches for the team are: Head Coach Ray Morales, Jake Galvan, Eber Blakey and George Basaldua.

## Credit cards good for utility payments

By Darwin Robinson

The Floydada City Council met Tuesday, November 21, and approved the acceptance of Visa and Mastercard for payments on utility accounts and municipal court fines and the council reduced electricity rates for City customers.

City Secretary Karen Lawson told the council, "We now accept Visa and Mastercard only. We cannot receive debit cards or other credit cards, such as Discover, etc. We have purchased a 'swipe' machine for this new convenience for our customers when paying their bills."

In other matters, the council voted to reduce the cost of electricity rates to customers city-wide by about \$4.00 per 1,000 kilowatt hours used.

City Manager Gary Brown said, "This new lower electricity rate will be used on our next billing cycle. The cost of fuel for generation of electricity has gone down and our consultant recommends we lower our fuel charge."

Following an executive session to discuss personnel, the council gave City employee Gary Fuller the title of Building Inspector and City Patrolman

Ruben Ramon was named Code Enforcement Officer. "These two positions will eventually eliminate the need for an outside building code inspector," said Brown.

Also following the executive session, the council voted 5 to 1 "to not change" the title of Darrell Gooch to Police Chief/Assistant City Manager. Council Members voting "not" to change Gooch's title to include Assistant City Manager were: Bettye King, Jon Nielson, Sheldon Sue, Monte Williams and Ruben Barrientoz. Voting "for changing Gooch's title" was Clar Schacht.

Brown had previously stated in a written handout, "By adding this title to Darrell might make it easier down the road to make the transition to a different city manager. It would be a good way to get by not advertising for the position if the council decided to go that way."

In another matter, the council discussed changing the number of signatures now required to process City of Floydada checks.

Brown told the council, "It takes three signatures on our checks now, two live signatures and one stamped signature. The only ones approved to sign City

checks are the City Manager, the Mayor, the City Secretary and the Mayor Pro-Tem. We see a lot of business checks that have just one signature or a computer signature. We want to know if it is time to go to two signatures."

Council Member Nielson commented, "I believe two live signatures on the checks keeps everybody honest."

No one made a motion to change the number of signatures on the checks.

The council approved an amendment to correct the garbage rate for customers outside the city limits to include an additional charge of \$5.00. Brown said, "When we passed the new ordinance for garbage collection rates, I missed covering the \$5 charge that was (already) established for out of city collections."

Authorization was given by the council to Brown to apply again this year for the Chapman Forestry Foundation tree grant out of Lubbock. Brown said, "We have participated in this for several years. It is a \$2500 matching labor grant. We get about 6 or 8 trees each year that are about 4 inches in diameter."

The council approved a re-

quest by Bill Feuerbacher to issue him a quit claim deed on an abandoned sewer lift station property located at the southeast corner of Lot 5, Blk 1, Steen Place Addition. Brown said, "We do not have any need for this little corner of his lot. I recommend we let this go."

An old structure, located at 231 1/2 W. Jackson, was approved by the council for demolition, upon Brown's recommendation.

Jim Covington was appointed by the council to fill a vacant seat on the Floydada Airport Board.

During Public Hearing, Council Member Ruben Barrientoz asked Police Chief Gooch, "What is considered a vicious dog. Who locally decides this and who needs insurance for their dogs?"

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## Costs high for water tank repairs

By Darwin Robinson

The City Council met Tuesday, November 21, and discussed the needed repairs on the Mackenzie water storage tanks.

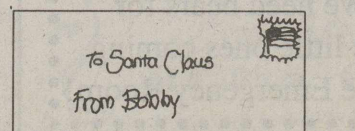
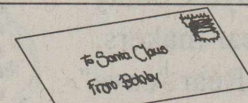
City Manager Gary Brown told the council, "We are a long ways from anything being done. The problem we have now is 'Who owns the tanks?' Does Mackenzie Municipal Water Au-

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### Santa Letters due Wednesday, December 6th

(Teachers bring Santa letters to the office, but parents with children in the 2nd Grade in Lockney Elementary should bring their children's letters to the newspaper office.)





# Floydada Police Report

## November

8th-- Ismael Vega Jr., 29, of Floydada, arrested for Driving While License Invalid.

10th--Israel Morales, 17, of Floydada, arrested for possession of marijuana and Driving Under the Influence by a minor.

11th--Jerry Powell, 46, of Floydada, was arrested for outstanding warrant out of Taylor County.

17th--Adrian Delafuente, 25, was arrested on outstanding parole violation warrant.

18th--Joshua Delgado, 18, was arrested for possession of marijuana.

24th--Jerry Vasquez, 25, of Harris County, was arrested for failure to register as a sex offender out of Harris County.

24th--Vernon Wickware, 54, arrested for Driving While License Invalid.

25th--Joe Cuba, 25, of Floydada, arrested in the 200 block of W. California, for domestic violence.

## October

4th--Jose DeLeon, 21, arrested for outstanding municipal warrant; Susana Alaniz, 20, arrested for outstanding bond surrender warrant.

6th--Vernon Wickware, 54, arrested for City warrants.

7th--Juan Martinez, 47, of Floydada, arrested for Carrying a Concealed Weapon.

10th--Ray Cuba, 30, arrested for outstanding parole violation warrant.

20th--Kocrist Burks, 25, of Floydada, arrested for outstanding Hale County warrants.

25th--Esmeralda Ybarra, 23, arrested for outstanding felony warrants.

27th--Connie Seymour, 48, of Lubbock, arrested at 11:00 p.m., at 2nd and Missouri, for DWI.

## September

7th--Vernon Wickware, 54, arrested for DWI.

14th--Linda Ratliff, 47, of Floydada, arrested for outstanding Hale and Floyd County warrants.

17th--Dylan Campbell, 18, arrested for DWI.

18th--Anthony Sanchez, 21, arrested for motion to revoke probation.

19th--Augustina Lopez, 36, of Floydada, arrested for municipal warrants.

26th--George Sanchez, 19, arrested for evading arrest.

28th--Esmeralda Ybarra, 23, filed on for forgery.

29th--David Rosa, 18, of Floydada, arrested for outstanding municipal warrant.

## August

3rd--Ray Cuba, 30, arrested for outstanding municipal warrants.

5th--Alex Arredondo, 28, arrested for possession of marijuana.

8th--Fernando Maldonado, 27, of Livingston, arrested for outstanding traffic warrant; George Saldana, 26, of Floydada, arrested for outstanding parole warrant.

13th--Lewis Alaniz, 42, arrested on a motion to revoke probation.

21st--David Rosa, 18, arrested for outstanding municipal warrants.

25th--Antonio Garcia, 41, of Floydada, arrested for tampering with evidence; Esmeralda Ybarra, 23, arrested for forgery of checks.

26th--Paige Thomas, 18, of Lubbock, arrested for DWI with child under 15 as passenger.

28th--John Arrendondo, 29, arrested for revocation of probation.

## July

19th--Samuel Wilcox, 46, of Camaron, arrested for outstanding warrants out of Johnson County.

21st--Kocrist Burks, 24, of Floydada, arrested for outstanding municipal warrants; Ricky Martinez, 33, arrested for outstanding warrants out of Hildago County; Orfa Salinas, 34, of Floydada, for outstanding warrants.

25th--Orlando Perez, 23, of Floydada, arrested for forgery; Ricky Suarez, 18, of Floydada, arrested on municipal warrants; Vernon Wickware, 54, arrested for possession of drug paraphernalia; Robert Wells, 20, arrested for possession of marijuana.

26th--Anna Coss, 20, of Floydada, arrested for outstanding municipal warrants; Barbara Leslie, 48, of Floydada, arrested for outstanding municipal warrants.

27th--Sandra Coleman, 29, arrested on outstanding county warrants; Gilbert Garza, 46, of Floydada, arrested for outstanding county warrants; Jermaine Wickware, 23, of Floydada, arrested on outstanding bond forfeiture warrant.

28th--John Freeman, 63, arrested for DWI; Raul Mendoza, 19, of Floydada, arrested for outstanding city warrants.

## City Police questioned on dog laws

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Gooch responded, "An 'unprovoked attack' by a dog will cause it to be (labeled) vicious. A vicious dog will be put down because of a scratch or a bite. You can ask for a hearing by the Municipal Judge Tali Jackson."

Concerning the recent power outage last week, Brown said, "We had one circuit out part of the afternoon due to a citizen backing into a guy wire and causing the wires to get together and short out circuit 2. Electricity was off for about an hour and it was past 5 p.m. before we got all the circuit back on. We had to rebuild a span of wire plus put in at least 20 new fuses."

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CITY OF FLOYDADA GETS IN THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS WITH DECORATIONS



## Courtroom Activities

In County Court, November 21, 2006, Antonio Garza Garcia, 41, of Floydada, was charged with Resisting Arrest.

November 28, 2006, Marjorie Spencer Williams, 57, of Floydada, was charged with Driving While License Invalid 2nd.

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## Palo Duro Basin Oil and Gas Update

Courtesy of Tom Musser

**Tyner Resources Ltd.:** On Monday, November 27, 2006 Tyner Resources Ltd. of Canada issued a News Release on their Tyner Texas Operating Company Palo Duro Basin Operations, updating their operations and plans on the R.G. Stephens Lease (68972) Well #1, the Kenneth

Broseh Lease (68969) Well #1, the Foster Lease Well #1, and plans to consider drilling a well near the PetroGlobe Energy McIntosh Lease Well #1077. On the R.G. Stephens #1, Motley County, a six month production test has been started which includes venting the Gas and pro-

ducing the condensate. On the Kenneth Broseh #1, Floyd County, Tyner Texas Operating is evaluating possible additional work on the well. On the Foster #1, Floyd County, which the horizontal completion is a joint venture with the operator BASA Resources and Apollo Energy Operating, the well continues to be pumped. Tyner Resources additional stated they were considering drilling a Well near to the PetroGlobe Energy USA Ltd. McIntosh Lease Well #1077. In March of 2005 Tyner Resources Ltd. acquired lease acreage from Bankers Petroleum (US) Inc. in the Palo Duro Basin.

## Tank repair expensive

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thority, or does each city, or a combination of cities?"

In October the council looked at bids to repair and paint three water storage tanks maintained by MMWA. Brandt Engineers of Amarillo presented probable total costs estimates at \$1,008,550.00. Estimated repairs at the Tulia water storage tank was at \$358,550.00, while repair estimates at the Lockney water storage tank was at \$433,450.00 and at the Rock Creek water storage tank was at \$216,550.00.

"How much more dollars can we put into this project, when we

are getting very little water from them? The three towns involved are not interested in spending any more dollars on this. If we bypassed Rock Creek, it would reduce our cost down to \$775,000.00," Brown added.

Council Member Monte Williams commented, "I can't see spending dollars on this (project) without searching all options first."

Mayor Bobby Gilliland added, "I believe we should apply for a grant as one entity under the MMWA."

No action was taken by the council.

## CHD approves Ahmad's contract

By Darwin Robinson

The Caprock Hospital District Board met Tuesday, November 21, and approved two medical contracts. One was with Dr. Salman Ahmad and the other one was with PNS Cogdell Clinic. They were both from January 1, 2007 and to December 31, 2008, according to Board Member Tom Farris.

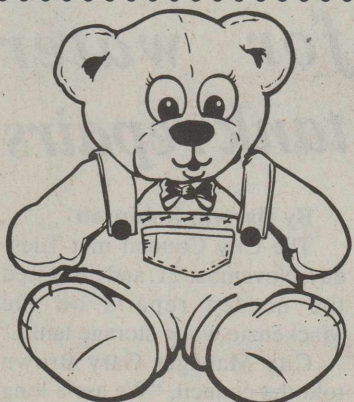
In other matters, the board discussed the health insurance costs for Floydada Emergency Medical Service employees. "The board was informed that the EMS

health insurance costs would be going over budget this year," said Farris.

The board approved advertising for at least two bids to install new carpet at the Cogdell Clinic and they approved a request by the City for the demolition of a structure at 231 1/2 W. Jackson.

The EMS made 54 runs in October, giving a total of 513 runs this year to date, according to Farris.

The PNS Cogdell Clinic showed a profit of \$37,057.29 for the month of October.



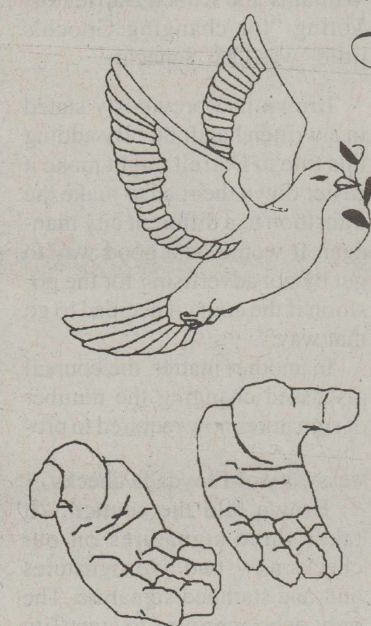
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## Comfort Bears

Needed at W.J. Mangold Hospital!

Floyd County Bear makers, the Bear "cave" is almost empty!

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As We Observe National Hospice Month





**LOCKNEY ROTARY CLUB PRESIDENT CARL MOMAN (left) holds the club's bell as Rotary International Club President Bill Boyd (right), of New Zealand, rings it at the District Foundation dinner in Amarillo this year.**

Courtesy Photo

## Rotary Club highlighted

The Lockney Rotary Club was highlighted in the Rotary Club Showcase in the October issue of the District 5730 newsletter.

Chartered March 6, 1929, the club is still going strong with 16 members.

Recently 8 club members attended the District Foundation Dinner with Rotary International President Bill Boyd. Boyd rang Lockney's club bell which was held by Club President Carl Moman.

Lockney Rotary has maintained high attendance and is credited with one of the highest attendance records in the district. The Club has claims Dee Copeland, 98, as the "oldest song leader in Rotary".

The Club has supported numerous local and area projects and two members were named Paul Harris Fellows this fall. The club now has 11 PH Fellows.

Lockney Rotary has received a district simplified grant of \$500 for Rotary benches for the downtown Lockney beautification project to be completed in 2007 and has applied for the RI Public Relations Grant for new signage for Hwy. 70 leading into Lock-

ney to promote Lockney and Rotary.

Through a matching grant, the major project for 06-07 is a Water Well Project in Kenya, West Africa. The club has teamed up with the College Rotary Club of Fairbanks, Alaska and the Homo Bay Club in Kenya on a \$35,000 plus project for February 2007.

The club has already raised over \$3,000 for the project through fundraisers, club members, and an anonymous donor.

Rotary International and District 5730 have committed \$5,000 for a travel grant for Project Team Member, Buck Ford, of the Lockney Club, to participate in the water project.

First Baptist Church, in Lockney, has also committed \$1,000 to help with a small Baptist Church close to the well project.

RI and District 5730 have also committed over \$15,000 for this International project.

"The Lockney Club may be one of our smaller clubs," said Club President Carl Moman, "but it thinks big when it comes to 'Service Above Self and to Leading the Way'. We believe the best days for Lockney Rotary are still ahead."

## Lockney Senior Citizens

By Vera Jo Bybee

Grandson J.W. McPherson, who is the main reason I am now writing this news article, came by before he had to go back to W.T after being home for the Thanksgiving holidays. I asked him for his mailing address and if he ever got any mail. He said "not much" but is sure nice when I do.

So I think it would be nice if all you readers out there would fill his mail box full of letters and cards. Christmas is coming up and his birthday is Dec. 24. Mail them to J.W. McPherson, WTAMU Box 61018, Canyon, Texas 79016.

My dear friend Nina Teuton called me with some great news. She had two great grandchildren in one week. Her daughter Rhea's son Spencer Offut and wife Hope are the parents of a little boy, Camdon born 11/20/06. He has a 3 year old brother Devlin. Then 5 days later on 11/25/06 Nina's son Bruce's daughter Syndee and husband Tom Unger were the parents of a little girl, Madison. Congratulations goes out to all them!

Ike Johnson spent Thanksgiving in Plainview with his grandson Steve Johnson and family. Other guest were Tom and Dixie Johnson, Orland Gilbert and his sons Gavin and Gregg and his family.

Lucy Dean Record spent Thanksgiving Thursday with her daughter Donna and husband Guy Roberson. Donna's other guest was their daughter Crystel and family and son, Charles and his family.

Friday Crystel and family came to Lockney. They got to tour D & J gin. They thought that was really something to see. They then visited Ike Johnson and saw all his beautiful handwork, cross stitching and hardanger.

On Saturday night Lucy Dean and Ike attended a surprise birthday party for her daughter Donna at the Lubbock Club. Attending were all of Donna children. Daughters, Crystel, Julie, Amy and son Charles. Also most of their children too.

Marjorie and Mel Holcomb spent Thanksgiving in Canyon with their daughter Charlotte Rhoderick and daughters Kendra, Charla, Kimmie and son Chance. Sunday Charlotte, Kendra, Charles of Canyon and Bruce's daughter Megan Cooksey of Amarillo attended church with Marjorie and Mel and stayed for lunch.

Our niece Debbie Bybee Stennett of Plainview wrote me about her aunt Rita Griffith Coats who passed away one day after her 68th birthday on Oct 9, 2006 having a little granddaughter Hanna Grace Coats born 6 weeks after her granny Rita died. I know Rita really wanted to live to see that little girl but just didn't make it. Hannah Grace's parents are Rita and Charles Coats only child Matt and wife Jennifer Coats. It's such a shame that Hannah Grace won't know what an incredible lady her grandmother was.

Menu for Dec 4-8

Monday: Chicken strips  
Tuesday: Ham  
Wednesday: Chicken Fried Steak  
Thursday: Spaghetti/Garlic Bread  
Friday: Fish

## Floydada Senior Citizens News

By Margarette Word

Keith and June Patzer and their daughter Kathy spent Thanksgiving holidays in San Angelo.

Gene and Nancy Lawson had several family members in their home for Thanksgiving dinner.

Evelyn Pollon ate lunch at the Center with her sister Irene King one day last week.

The Center was Closed Thanksgiving Day so employees could be with their families.

Nell McClung had family members visiting her over the holidays.

William and Faye Bertrand went to Lubbock to celebrate Thanksgiving with their children. Marie Warren ate Thanksgiving dinner with her sister Charlene and her husband Bob Aldredge and 25 other relatives.

James and Sue Lovell's daughter LuAnn Collins and her husband Mike and their son John all of Lubbock spent Thanksgiving day here in Floydada.

Margaret Soudelier, her son Danny and wife Mitzi and their daughter Laci spent Thanksgiving Day in Lubbock with Mitzi's

sister and family Steve and Melissa Trengrove along with other relatives.

Ruth Hammonds had several family members in her home over the holidays.

Virginia and Louis Pyle's children and grandchildren all came home to spend Thanksgiving Holidays together.

Jean Baird fell and broke her hip. She is in the hospital in Lubbock.

Jerry Galloway had hip surgery several weeks ago. He is at home now and feeling good.

Our sympathy to the family of Bobby George Smith.

Our sympathy to the family of Estelle Gilbreath.

Notice: The Center's Christmas Party will be Thursday, December 14 at 2:30 p.m. at the Center. Please bring a "White Elephant wrapped gift" to exchange that will be suitable for a man or a woman. We have a program planned for the entertainment. Come and join good fellowship.

Thank you for remembering the Center when you need to

make a memorial donation.

In memory of Edwina Emert - Kendis and Janis Julian.

Happy birthday to those who have a December birthday.

Dec. 1, Wilma Gowens; Dec. 3, Janice Lloyd; Dec. 13, Jerrold Vinson; Dec. 14, Betsy Dempsey and Dorothy Holland; Dec. 16, Harold Norrell; Dec. 17, Alice Baker; Dec. 18, Charlene Norrell; Dec. 24, Deetta Odam, Ferne Anderson and Louise Turner; Dec. 26, Jerry Pearson; Dec. 28, Tiny Lowrance; Dec. 29, Helen Lipham.

Menu

**December 4 - December 8**  
**Monday:** Roasted chicken, scallop potatoes, beets and onion salad, wheat roll, frosted cake  
**Tuesday:** BBQ pork chops, rice green beans, wheat roll, cookies  
**Wednesday:** Roast beef, roasted potatoes carrots, cinnamon cake, rolls  
**Thursday:** Chicken fajitas, navy beans, tossed salad/French, flour tortilla, pineapple cake  
**Friday:** Brisket, new potatoes w/ sauce, okra and tomatoes, apricots, biscuit

## Mason to appear at Trinity

International T.V. and recording artist, Lowell Mason will be appearing at Trinity Assembly, 500 West Houston in Floydada on Sunday, December 3 at 5:00 p.m.

Lowell Mason has been called the World's Smallest Gospel Singer because of his unique height of only 46 inches. His melliferous voice, however has no comparison to his size. When he sings, his booming voice brings a thrill to everyone who listens.

During his program, you will hear a variety of "Old Time" songs. The mood can change from a deep moving hymn like "Peace In The Valley" or "The Old Rugged Cross" to a rousing, hand clapping gospel favorite like "Daddy Sang Bass" or "Put Your Hand In The Hand Of The Man From Galilee."

The experience of many years of performing to audiences around the world accredits this very talented gentleman with being truly a professional in his chosen field.

Lowell Mason began his singing career at the early age of only 9 years. At that time he joined the staff of "Childrens Bible Hour" radio broadcast out of Grand Rapids, Michigan. For seven years, he was a regular feature on that weekly program which was, and still is, heard from coast to coast. During his teenage years, Lowell sang for Youth For Christ in the United States, and Victorious Christian Youth, in Canada.

After completion of High School in 1955, Lowell Mason joined the Cecil Todd Evangelistic Team of Joplin, Missouri. This association produced a weekly television program called "Revival Fires", which was seen on more than 150 television stations each week. Lowell Mason was featured solo on that program during the 50's and 70's. As a full time Evangelist, Little Lowell travels nearly 100,000 miles each year taking the Gospel in song and sermon to men and women, boys and girls, across America and around the world. Since 1992 he has made

several Crusade tours to Russia. In joint cooperation with Revival Fires, Brother Mason has helped distribute over 3 million Bibles to the school children of that nation, conducts revival meetings, helps establish new churches, and organizes Gospel Team tours to Russia.

In 1996 he received his honorable "Doctor of Divinity" degree for outstanding achievements in World Evangelism.

Lowell Mason has conducted over 1,000 Gospel Music Concerts at the world famous Precious Moments Chapel Complex in Carthage, Missouri.

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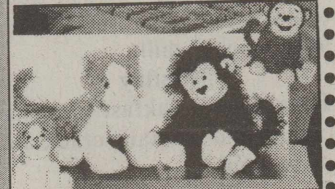
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## Military News

Army Pvt. Andrew Sanchez has graduated from basic infantry training at Fort Benning, Columbus, Ga.

During the nine weeks of training, the soldier received training in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, physical fitness, first aid, and Army history, core values and traditions. Additional training included development of basic

combat skills and battlefield operations and tactics, and experiencing use of various weapons and weapons defenses available to the infantry crewman.

He is the son of Dianna Sanchez of W. Kentucky St., and brother of Chris Sanchez of Rural Route 3, both of Floydada, Texas.

The private is a 2006 graduate of Floydada High School.

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## "Taste of Christmas"

Sunday, December 3, 2006  
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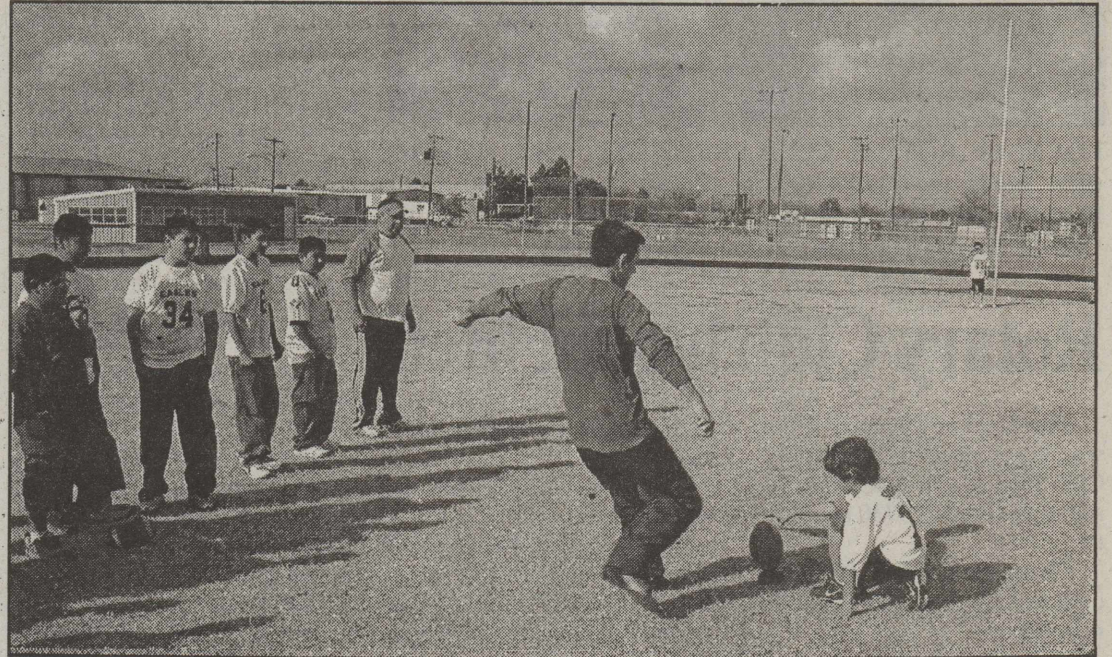
**LOCKNEY JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS** for 2006/2007 are (back row, l-r) Catey Davis, Valerie Cuellar, SyAnn Foster, (front row, l-r) Tanya Hernandez, Devin Caballero and Sunny Williams. Courtesy Photo



**LOCKNEY'S LITTLE LONGHORNS** for the week of 11-27-06, (back row, l-r) Sergio Ascencio, Collin Fulton, Whitney Ascencio, Javier Guerrero, Hunter Thompson, (middle row, l-r) Daylen Gatica, Josh Cruz, Rolando Guerrero, Grip Fortenberry, Dylan Adams, Leslie Flores, (front row, l-r) Jacque Salazar, Annika Garcia, Tristan Schlueter, Juan Guerrero, Marcus Zuniga and Diego Rodriguez. Staff Photo



**PETE CHRISTY**, Sportscaster of Channel 11 TV in Lubbock, is shown throwing in competition Monday against the Floydada Eagles Tiger League. The Eagles "BEAT PETE". (see related story) Staff Photo



**KICKING COMPETITION** by Sportscaster Pete Christy of Channel 11 TV against the Floydada Eagles Tiger League. The Eagles "BEAT PETE". (see related story) Staff Photo

### FJHS Girls Basketball Report

**By Coach Miller**  
The FJHS 7th and 8th grade Lady Winds basketball teams traveled to Childress on November 20, 2006 and came away with wins.  
Game scores and high point players were as follows:  
**7th A Team** - Floydada 58 Childress 14 - High Scorers: Elizabeth Suarez - 12, Sarah Jo Miller 10, Imelda Reswendiz - 10

**7th B Team** - Floydada 15 - Childress 4 - High Scorers: Alexis Holbert - 9  
**8th A Team** - Floydada 48 - Childress 17 - High Scorers: Whitley Beedy - 24, Erica Marmolejo - 6  
**8th B Team** - Floydada 10 - Childress 6 - High Scorers: Yvette Jimenez - 6  
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**December 4 - December 9 Monday**  
**Breakfast**-Scrambled eggs, toast and jelly or cereal and graham crackers, juice, milk  
**Lunch**-Burrito, Spanish rice, tossed salad, fresh fruit choice, sugar cookie, milk  
**Tuesday**  
**Breakfast**-Breakfast pizza or cereal and graham crackers, juice, milk  
**Lunch**-Barbequed chicken, macaroni and cheese, tossed salad, chilled pears, cornbread, milk  
**Wednesday**  
**Breakfast**-Pancake & Sausage on a Stick, milk

**December 11 - December 16 Thursday**  
**Lunch**-Steak fingers, mashed potatoes/gravy, green beans, hot roll, frozen cherry bar, milk  
**Friday**  
**Breakfast**-English muffin with egg, cheese, sausage or cereal and graham crackers, juice, milk  
**Lunch**-Fajitas, chicken over rice, corn, French bread, seasoned apple crisp, milk  
**Saturday**  
**Breakfast**-Cinnamon roll, fruit or cereal and graham crackers, juice, milk  
**Lunch**- Pizza, tossed salad, fresh banana, chocolate cake, milk

## Lockney School Menu

**December 4 - December 8 Monday**  
**Breakfast**-Pancakes or cereal, toast, juice, milk  
**Lunch**-Popcorn chicken or PBJ sandwich, potatoes, broccoli, fruit, roll, milk  
**Tuesday**  
**Breakfast**-Scrambled egg or cereal, toast, juice, milk  
**Lunch**-Chili dog or burrito, corn, fruit, milk  
**Wednesday**  
**Breakfast**-Rice or cereal, toast, juice, milk

**Thursday**  
**Breakfast**-Sausage biscuit or cereal, toast, juice, milk  
**Lunch**-Beef taco or corndog, beans, salad, fruit, milk

**Friday**  
**Breakfast**-Cinnamon roll or cereal, toast, juice, milk  
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# Obituaries



**ESTELLE GILBREATH**

Jossie Estelle Gilbreath, 72, a resident of Floydada since 1952, died on November 26, 2006 at W. J. Mangold Hospital, Lockney, TX.

Mrs. Gilbreath was born January 13, 1934 in Paden, Oklahoma to the late Harley and Clarice Bradley. She married Bill Gilbreath on January 28, 1951 in Lockney. Mrs. Gilbreath was a manager of the school cafeteria for FUSD until retirement. She was a member of the Retired Teachers Association. She was also a very active, involved member of Calvary Cornerstone Fellowship Church in Floydada.

She is preceded in death by her parents, and one daughter, Beverly Gilbreath Anderson.

She is survived by her husband, Bill Gilbreath of Floydada; 2 sons, Garry Gilbreath and wife, Wanda of Terrell, TX; and Wayne Gilbreath and wife, Ann of Lubbock, TX; 9 grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren, and 4 sisters.

The family greeted friends from 6:00 - 8:00 PM, Wednesday, November 29, 2006 at the Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada. Funeral services were held at 10:00 a.m., Thursday, November 30, 2006 at Calvary Cornerstone Fellowship Church in Floydada. Reverend Armando Morales, Pastor, and Claude Porter officiated. Burial was held at the Floydada Cemetery in Floydada, under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada. The family suggest memorials to Calvary Cornerstone Fellowship Church, 505 North 2nd, Floydada, TX 79235.

**THIS WEEK'S**

**FLOYDADA BOY SCOUTS TROOP 357**

Floydada Boy Scouts Troop 357 will Scout for Food, Saturday, December 2nd, 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. You may leave food on doorstep if not at home.

**AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY CHRISTMAS BRUNCH**

The Floyd County American Cancer Society Relay for Life Annual Christmas Brunch will be held Saturday, December 2nd from 9:30 until 11:00 a.m. in the home of Marty and Sherese Covington, 907 W. Missouri, Floydada.

Tickets can be purchased at the door or from any board member or at the First National Bank of Floydada and at Thayer and Washington CPA for a \$10 donation to Relay for Life.

**Holiday Affair in Lockney Dec. 11th**



**Christmas on The Square Floydada Dec 4th**



**GRADY MITCHELL**

Funeral services for Grady Mitchell, 82, of Loraine were held at 2:00 p.m. Sunday, November 26, 2006 at the First Baptist Church in Loraine. Revs. David McNary and Dale Hartley officiated.

Burial was held in the Colorado City Cemetery under the direction of Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Mr. Mitchell died Wednesday, November 23, 2006 at his residence.

He was born July 30, 1924 in Lamar County, Texas to Burrell and Fannie Mae Brymer Mitchell.

He had been a resident of Mitchell County since 1942. He married Anna Elnora Miles on October 30, 1946 in Anson. He was a retired farmer and a long-time member of the First Baptist Church in Loraine.

He is survived by his wife, Elnora Mitchell of Loraine; a daughter, Judy and husband, Ray Macha of Lockney; two sons, Herman and wife, Penny Mitchell of Loraine and Henry and wife, Kelly Mitchell of Roscoe; eight grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

The family received friends from 6-8 p.m. Saturday, November 25, 2006 at the funeral home.

Family suggests memorials be made to the First Baptist Church of Loraine and Home Hospice of Big Spring.



**ELMER SWAFFAR**

Elmer Benjamin Swaffar of Lubbock passed from this life on Monday, November 27, 2006 at the age of 86. Mr. Swaffar was born on November 10, 1920 in Altus, Oklahoma to Benjamin and Pernie (Ray) Swaffar.

He married Johnnie J. Smith on July 1, 1941 in Lubbock. She preceded him in death on April 12, 1984. Before retiring in 1980, Mr. Swaffar was a manager of Barwise Fertilizer and Butane. He is preceded in death by his parents, wife and one brother, "Red" Swaffar.

Those left to mourn his passing are one son, Gene and his wife, Gayle Swaffar of Lubbock; two grandchildren, Brad and his wife, Mikki of Southland and their two children Brooke and Rendall; Regina and her husband, Toby Brooks of Abilene and their two children Stormie and Cutter and one sister, Edder Love of Bridgeport, TX.

Family greeted friends from 6:30-8:00 p.m., Wednesday, November 29, 2006 at Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home in Lockney.

Graveside Services were held at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, November 30, 2006 at Floyd County Memorial Park. Rev. Carl Moman, Pastor of First Baptist Church in Lockney, officiated.

Memorials may be sent in Mr. Swaffar's name to VistaCare Hospice, 1010 Slide Rd., Lubbock, Texas 79416.

Arrangements are under the personal care of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Lockney. To register or send condolences online, please visit: [www.whitefuneralhome.com](http://www.whitefuneralhome.com)

# Public Notices

**NOTICE OF SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY'S APPLICATION TO AMEND ITS CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY FOR A PROPOSED TRANSMISSION LINE WITHIN FLOYD AND HALE COUNTIES, TEXAS PUCT DOCKET NO. 33456**

Southwestern Public Service Company (SPS), in accordance with the rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUCT), hereby gives notice of its intent to obtain a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) to build a new transmission line in Floyd and Hale Counties, Texas. These facilities include approximately 21 miles of new 115 kV transmission line. The estimated cost of this project is \$9,898,838. The locations of the routes, which are comprised of different line segments, are described below and shown on the attached map. The PUCT will approve only one of these routes.

The proposed project includes the construction of a 115 kV single-pole transmission line between the Floyd County and Cox Interchanges in Floyd and Hale Counties, Texas. Route 1, which is the Preferred Route, consists of Segments A, B, C, E, and G. Starting at Cox Interchange the route goes east 4.5 miles (Segment G). From there it turns south and continues approximately 3.5 miles to US 70, turning west along US 70 (but outside the right-of-way) for 0.5 miles and then south to cross US 70 (Segment E). On the east side of FM 2883, it continues 2.2 miles south (Segment C) and then turns west for 0.5 miles (Segment B), south for 8.3 miles, west for 1/4 mile, and then south for one mile. The route then turns west and goes 1/4 mile, and then south to the Floyd County Interchange (Segment A). Route 2, which is an alternative, consists of Segments A, B, D, E, and G. This route is the same as Route 1 except that Segment D is on the west side of FM 2883. Route 3, another alternative, is made up of Segments A, H, I, L, and M. Starting at Cox Interchange, it goes south 1.8 miles to US 70 (Segment L). At US 70, it turns southeast along US 70 on the south side for one mile (Segment M), then another 1.3 miles southeast along US 70, and turns south for 1.8 miles (Segment I). It then turns east for 0.6 miles, south for one mile, and then east for one mile (Segment H). From there it turns south following the same route description as described above for Segment A and terminates at the Floyd County Interchange (Segment A). Route 4 consists of Segments A, H, J, L, M, and N. Starting at the Cox Interchange, it goes south 1.8 miles to US 70 (Segment L). On the south side of US 70 it turns southeast (Segment M) for 1.2 miles, then turns south for 0.8 miles. The route then angles southwesterly across the county road and continues south for 0.5 miles (Segment N). From this point, the route continues south for one mile then turns east for one mile (Segment J). From there the route continues east for 0.6 miles, turns south for one mile, and then east for one mile (Segment H). At this point, the route follows the same route as described above for Segment A and terminates at Floyd County Interchange. Route 5 consists of Segments A, H, J, K, and L. From the Cox Interchange, this route goes south 1.8 miles to US 70 (Segment L). It continues south for 1.8 miles and turns east for one mile (Segment K). It then turns south for one mile, and then east for one mile (Segment J). The route continues east for 0.6 miles, turns south for one mile, and then turns east for one mile (Segment H). The route then turns south following the route as described for Segment A above and terminates at the Floyd County Interchange (Segment A).

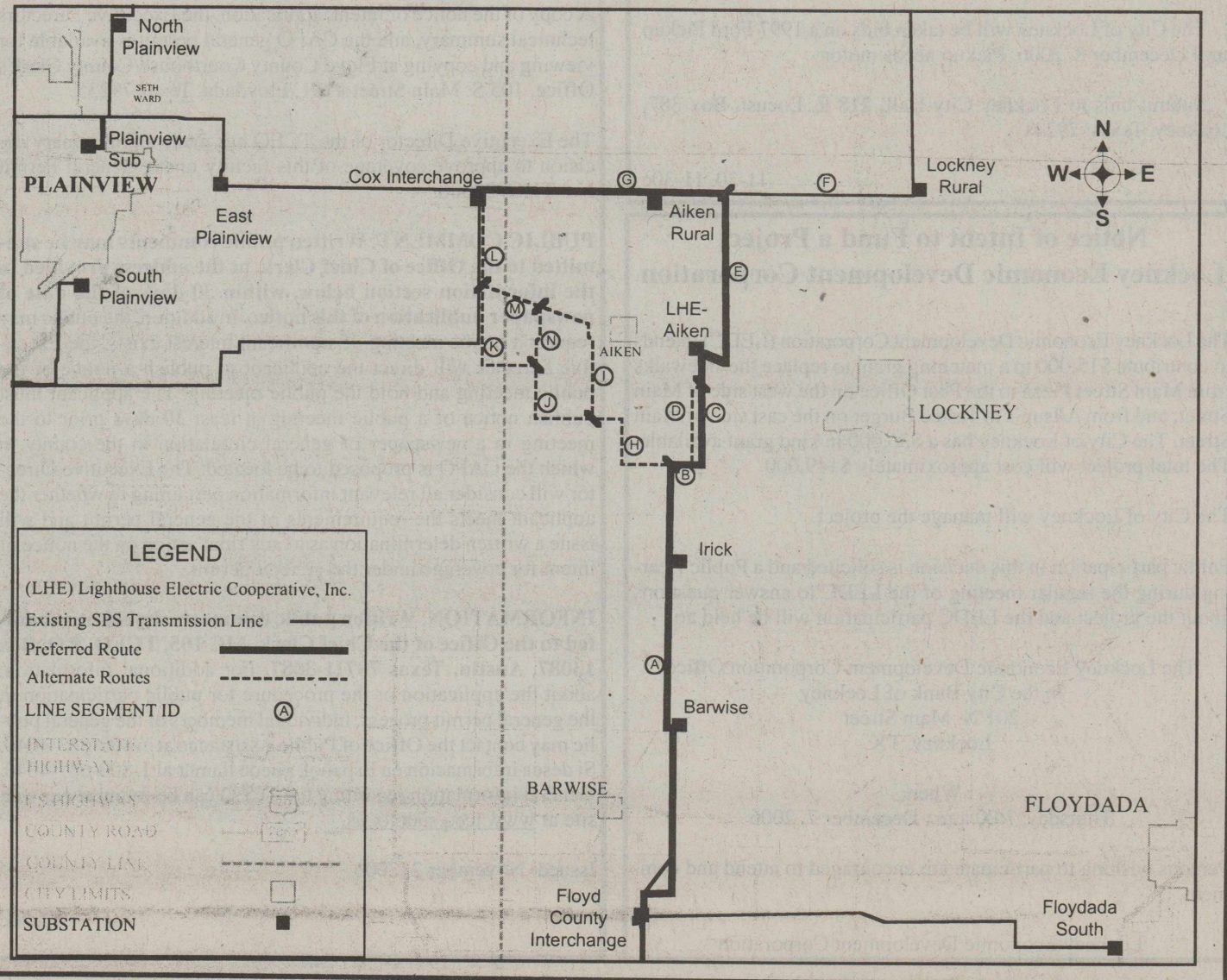
Maps showing the foregoing preferred and alternate routes may be reviewed at SPS's office, 601 S. Tyler, Amarillo, Texas, by contacting Lance Kenedy at 806-378-2435. Persons wishing a copy of these maps should contact James Bagley at 806-378-2868.

Persons with questions about PUCT Docket No. 33456 should contact Brad Sparks at 806-378-2132 or James Bagley 806-378-2868. Persons who wish to intervene in the proceeding or comment upon action sought, should mail their requests to intervene or their comments (along with 10 copies of the letter) to:

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Central Records  
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1701 N. Congress Avenue  
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The deadline for intervention in the proceeding is 45 days from the date this application was filed, and a letter requesting intervention should be received by the PUCT by that date.

The PUCT has developed a brochure titled "Landowners and Transmission Line Cases at the PUC." Copies of this brochure are available from SPS by contacting Brad Sparks at 806-378-2132 or James Bagley at 806-378-2868 or may be downloaded from the PUCT's website at [www.puc.state.tx.us](http://www.puc.state.tx.us). To obtain additional information about this case, contact the PUCT at 512-936-7120 or 888-782-8477. Hearing- and speech-impaired individuals with text telephones (TTY) may contact the PUCT at 512-936-7136 or toll free at 800-735-2989.





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General Permit Authorization NoTXG920757

**APPLICATION.** Larew Farms Inc., P.O. Box 1554, Plainview, Texas 79073, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) under General Permit No. TXG920000 for authorization to operate a new dairy cattle facility at 4,400 total head, of which 3,600 head are milking, in Floyd County, Texas. The notice of intent was received by TCEQ on May 9, 2006. No discharge of pollutants into the waters in the state is authorized by this general permit except under chronic or catastrophic rainfall conditions or events. All waste and wastewater will be beneficially used on agricultural land.

The proposed facility will be located on the south side of Farm-to-Market 1782 (County Road 110) and 0.5 mile west of Ranch Road 2301, said intersection is three miles north of the intersection of Ranch Road 2301 and U.S. Highway 70, Floyd County, Texas. The facility will be located in the drainage area of the White River Lake in Segment No. 1240 of the Brazos River Basin.

A copy of the notice of intent, application, the Executive Directors technical summary, and the CAFO general permit is available for viewing and copying at Floyd County Courthouse/County Clerk's Office, 105 S. Main Street #101, Floydada, Texas 79235.

The Executive Director of the TCEQ has made a preliminary decision to approve coverage of this facility under General Permit No. TXG920000.

**PUBLIC COMMENT.** Written public comments may be submitted to the Office of Chief Clerk, at the address provided in the information section below, within 30 days of the date of newspaper publication of this notice. In addition, the public may request a public meeting. If significant interest exists, the Executive Director will direct the applicant to publish a notice of the public meeting and hold the public meeting. The applicant must publish notice of a public meeting at least 30 days prior to the meeting in a newspaper of general circulation in the county in which the CAFO is proposed to be located. The Executive Director will consider all relevant information pertaining to whether the applicant meets the requirements of the general permit and will issue a written determination as to any final action on the notice of intent for coverage under the general permit.

**INFORMATION.** Written public comments should be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087. For additional information, about the application or the procedure for public participation in the general permit process, individual members of the general public may contact the Office of Public Assistance at 1-800-687-4040. Si desea informacion en Español, puede llamar al 1-800-687-4040. General information regarding the TCEQ can be found at our web site at [www.tceq.state.tx.us](http://www.tceq.state.tx.us).

Issued: November 2, 2006

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### Public Notice

#### ORDINANCE NO. 06-15

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER UTILITIES OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF FLOYDADA, TEXAS, BY AMENDING ARTICLE 13.1000 GARBAGE RATES AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**BE IT ORDAINED** by the City Council of the City of Floydada, Texas:

**SECTION 1.** That Chapter 13, Article 13.1001 Garbage Rates of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Floydada is hereby amended to read as follows:

**ARTICLE 13.1000 GARBAGE RATES**  
**SECTION 13.1001 Garbage Collection and Disposal Rates Established**

The monthly service rates or charges for garbage collection and disposal service furnished by the City of Floydada shall be as follows:

**Residential Rate** -- \$17.00 per month - 1 container; 1 pickup per week

**Business Rate** -- \$21.00 per month - 1 container; 1 pickup per week

\$35.00 per month - 1 container; 2 pickups per week

\$49.00 per month - 1 container; 3 pickups per week

All other customers outside the City Limits currently serviced shall pay an additional \$5.00 per month.

**SECTION 2.** This Ordinance shall be effective for the October, 2006 billing.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** by the City Council of the City of Floydada, Texas on this 19th day of September, 2006 and amended on November 21, 2006.

Bobby Gilliland, Mayor

ATTEST:  
Karen E. Lawson, City Secretary

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### Public Notice

#### NOTICE OF MEETING

The Floyd County Central Appraisal District will hold its regular board meeting at 9:00 a.m. Thursday, December 7, 2006 at 104 E. California, Floydada.

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#### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City of Lockney will be taken bids on a 1997 Ford Pickup until December 8, 2006. Pickup needs motor.

Submit bids to Lockney City Hall, 218 E. Locust, Box 387, Lockney, Texas. 79241.

11-20, 11-30c

#### Notice of Intent to Fund a Project Lockney Economic Development Corporation

The Lockney Economic Development Corporation (LEDC) intends to contribute \$15,000 to a matching grant to replace the sidewalks from Main Street Pizza to the Post Office on the west side of Main Street, and from Allsup's to Tastee Burger on the east side of Main Street. The City of Lockney has a \$36,000 in kind grant available. The total project will cost approximately \$149,000.

The City of Lockney will manage the project.

Public participation in this decision is solicited and a Public Hearing during the regular meeting of the LEDC to answer questions about the project and the LEDC participation will be held at:

The Lockney Economic Development Corporation Office  
in the City Bank of Lockney  
201 N. Main Street  
Lockney, TX

When:  
Thursday, 7:00 a.m., December 7, 2006

Persons wishing to participate are encouraged to attend and comment.

Lockney Economic Development Corporation



# It's Time For Our Great HOLIDAY HEALTH FAIR

**Saturday**  
December 2, 2006  
9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.  
Lockney Elementary School  
310 S.W. 8th Street

**For Admission**  
please bring a New Toy  
or Canned Goods  
Which will be donated  
to the Lockney  
Salvation Army  
Christmas Cheer  
Program.

**Lunch**  
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**Blood Drive**  
9:00 to 2:00

Early Childhood  
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Services  
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Dec. 20

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Dr. & Mrs. Gary Mangold  
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## Whirlwind Math and Science Teams win medals at Lubbock

The Whirlwind Math and Science Team competed in the Small School Division at the Fall Festival Math and Science Meet held November 18, 2006 on the Lubbock High School campus in Lubbock. The following honors were earned:

**Individual Math**  
**Number Sense**  
 Diane Flores--Silver Medal, 9th Grade  
 Kenya Pesina--6th place ribbon, 9th grade  
 Andrea Delacerda--7th place ribbon, 10th grade calculator  
 Charles Rex Beedy--5th place ribbon, 11th grade Math  
 Sean Bob Miller--4th place ribbon, 10th grade  
 Jimmy Clayton Simpson--6th place ribbon, 11th grade  
 Roberto Buck Foster--10th place ribbon, 12th grade  
**Science**  
**Overall Composite of Biology, Chemistry & Physics**  
 Roberto Buck Foster--9th place ribbon, 12th grade  
 Charles Rex Beedy--10th place

ribbon, 11th grade  
 Sean Bob Miller--4th place ribbon, 10th grade  
 Able Brian Cortinas--Silver medal, 11th grade  
 Jimmy Clayton Simpson--Bronze medal, 11th grade  
**Biology**  
 Jimmy Clayton Simpson--Gold Medal, All Grades Team  
**Sweepstakes Math and Science**  
 7th place team--Diane Flores, Kenya Pesina, Andrea Delacerda, Charles Rex Beedy, Sean Bob Miller, Jimmy Clayton Simpson, Roberto Buck Foster, Abel Brian Cortinas, Robert J. Beuning, Anthony Herrea.  
**Science-All Schools**  
 2nd place team--Abel Brian Cortinas, Jimmy Clayton Simpson, Sean Bob Miller, Charles Rex Beedy.

**Science II A Division**  
 1st place team--Abel Brian Cortinas, Sean Bob Miller, Charles Rex Beedy, Jimmy Clayton Simpson.

## Whirlwind Math, Science & Engineer Teams win at TTU

The FHS Whirlwind science team competed at the South Plains Math & Science Competition held November 11, 2006 at Texas Tech University in Lubbock. The Winds competed in written Math and Science contests in the morning and an Engineering Challenge contest in the afternoon. Each Wind entered one Math, one Science and one Engineering Challenge contest. The following honors were earned:

**Individual:**  
**Math**  
 Abel Brian Cortinas - 1st Place ribbon - Algebra II  
 Jimmy Clayton Simpson - 3rd Place ribbon - Precal

**Engineering Challenge**  
 Sean Bob Miller - 2nd Place medal

**Science**  
 Roberto Buck Foster - 2nd Place ribbon Anatomy & Physiology

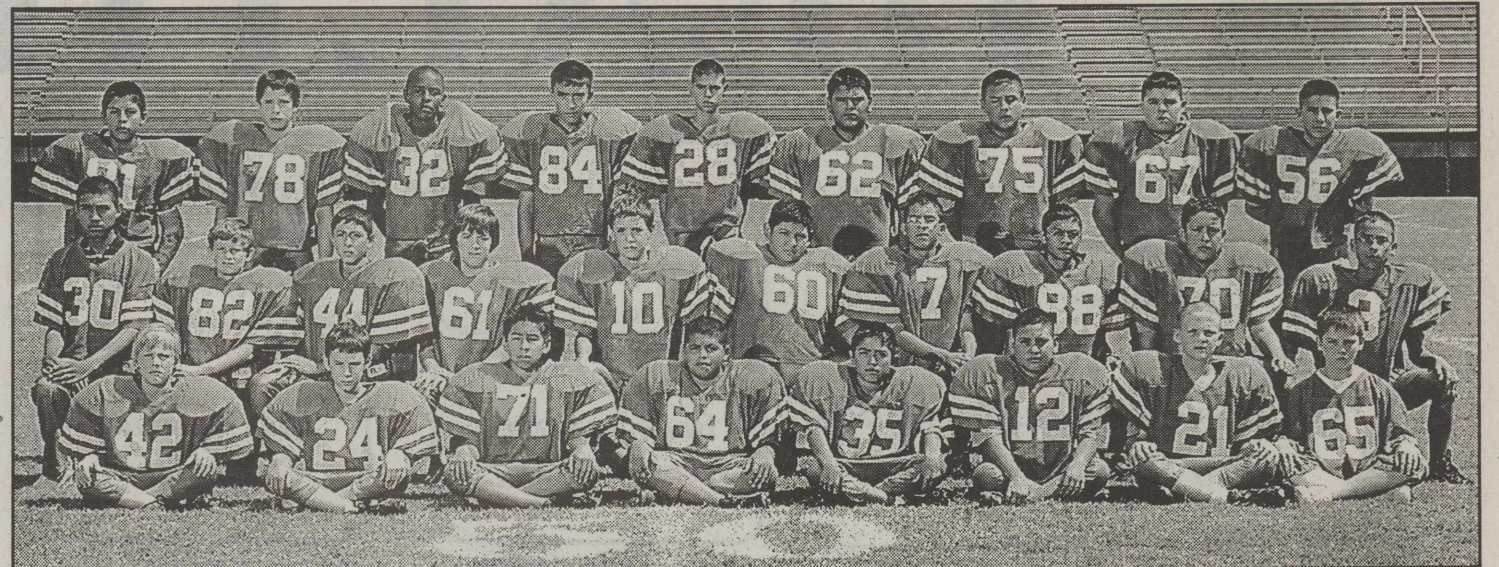
Sean Bob Miller - 1st Place ribbon Biology II  
 Jimmy Clayton Simpson - 3rd Place ribbon Chemistry II  
 Charles Rex Beedy - 2nd Place ribbon Chemistry II  
 Abel Brian Cortinas - 1st Place Chemistry II

**Team:**  
 Sweepstakes Trophy - Team members consist of Robert J. Buening, Charles Rex Beedy, Roberto Buck Foster, Jimmy Clayton Simpson, Abel Brian Cortinas and Sean Bob Miller.

The Sweepstakes trophy is awarded to the school with the greatest number of individual wins in all contests. This year's trophy is a handmade model windmill bearing the championship plaque for the 2006-2007 meet. The model was by Texas Tech Graduate students and Dr. Chapman of the Wind Engineering Department.



FLOYDADA JUNIOR HIGH 8TH GRADE 2006 FOOTBALL TEAM-(Back row, l-r) Garin Carthel, Dylan Thomas, Jordan Tinon, Carson Battey, Greg Aleman, Blake Chavarria, Eddy Rodriguez; (middle row, l-r) Juan Carlos Olvera, Brandon Basaldua, Juan DeOchoa, Bryson Session, Melissa Pitts, Ryan Pecina, Eric Perez; (front row, l-r) Joseph Martinez, Juan Carlos Davila, A.J. Lopez, Miguel Vasquez, Kylab Martinez, Troy Morales, Jerry Delgado.  
 Photo by Cory Sinkler



FLOYDADA JUNIOR HIGH 7TH GRADE 2006 FOOTBALL TEAM-(front row, l-r) Hector Rodriguez, Louie Saenz, Anderson Weeks, Joshua Islas, R.J. Deleon, Michael Salazar, Gabe Mendoza, Joseph DeOchoa, Fabian Torres; (middle row, l-r) David Munoz, Haden Lipham, Jake Luna, Trey Keese, Cole Covington, Andreas Delacerda, Juan DeOchoa, Isaac Martinez, Andrew Perez, A.J. Ovalle; (back row, l-r) Taylor Ross, Tyler Campbell, Evan Martinez, Anthony Garza, Lupe Lopez, Jose Martinez, Braydon Pyle.  
 Photo by Cory Sinkler

## Floydada Math and Science Teams win trophies at Coronado

Floydada High School math and science teams attended the first meet of the academic year at Coronado High School in Lubbock, October 29, 2006. The Winds competed in the small school division and the team consisted of J.C. Simpson, Charles Rex Beedy, Jennifer Leatherman and Sean Bob Miller. The following honors were earned:

**Science Team:**  
 3rd Place Trophy--Simpson, Miller and Beedy  
**Individual**  
 3rd Place Medal, 11th grade-Simpson

7th place ribbon, 11th grade-Beedy  
 8th place ribbon, 11th grade-Leatherman  
 4th place ribbon, 10th grade-Miller  
**Calculator Individual**  
 3rd place medal, 10th grade-Miller  
 4th place ribbon, 11th grade-Beedy  
**Math**  
 5th place ribbon, 11th grade-Simpson  
 3rd place medal, 10th grade-Miller



### Comfort Bears Needed at W.J. Mangold Hospital!

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## SCHOOL NEWS

### Vote for the FHS Cheerleaders @ KCBD.com

The FHS Cheerleaders have made it to the "Final Four" in the KCBD.TV Cheermania competition out of the original 70 schools.

Please vote as often as you can, only one vote per minute, per person counts.

Voting ends Thursday - November 30th @ 3:00 PM

Thank you for supporting and have a Happy Thanksgiving!



## 2006-2007 Lockney Jr. High Basketball Schedule

| DATE           | OPPONENT         | SITE | TIME | TEAMS       |
|----------------|------------------|------|------|-------------|
| Nov. 30-Dec. 2 | Slaton Tourn.    | Away | TBA  | Girls       |
| Dec. 4         | Floydada         | Home | 5:00 | Girls       |
| Dec. 4         | Floydada         | Away | 5:00 | Boys        |
| Dec. 7-9       | Roosevelt Tourn. | Away | TBA  | Boys        |
| Dec. 11        | Childress        | Away | 5:00 | Girls       |
| Dec. 11        | Childress        | Home | 5:00 | Boys        |
| Dec. 18        | Littlefield      | Home | 5:00 | Girls       |
| 18             | Littlefield      | Away | 5:00 | Boys        |
| Dec. 18        | Abernathy        | Away | 5:00 | Girls       |
| Jan. 8         | Abernathy        | Home | 5:00 | Boys        |
| Jan. 8         | Shallowater      | Home | 5:00 | Girls       |
| Jan. 15        | Shallowater      | Away | 5:00 | Boys        |
| Jan. 15        | Lockney Tourn.   | Away | TBA  | Boys /Girls |
| Jan. 20        | Floydada         | Away | 5:00 | Girls       |
| Jan. 22        | Floydada         | Home | 5:00 | Boys        |
| Jan. 22        | Childress        | Home | 5:00 | Girls       |
| Jan. 29        | Childress        | Away | 5:00 | Boys        |
| Feb. 5         | Littlefield      | Away | 5:00 | Girls       |
| Feb. 5         | Littlefield      | Home | 5:00 | Boys        |
| Feb. 12        | Abernathy        | Away | 5:00 | Boys        |

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## Cotton Market Weekly

A service provided by Plains Cotton Cooperative Association

At the end of a lackluster, four-day trading week shortened by the Thanksgiving Holiday, cotton futures on the New York Board of Trade settled higher Wednesday but failed to rise above a key area of resistance, traders said.

USDA's weekly export sales report was released one day late as government offices were closed for Thanksgiving on Thursday. The department reported net export sales of U.S. cotton totaled 233,400 bales in the week ended Nov. 16, 39 percent more than the previous week and 46 percent more than the four-week average. Major buyers included Turkey, Indonesia, and South Korea. Sales of 7,500 bales for delivery in 2007-08 were for South Korea and Indonesia.

Export shipments of 146,100 bales were equal to the previous week and 11 percent more than the four-week average. Primary destinations were Turkey, Mexico and China.

On the spot cotton scene, online trading by producers in Texas, Oklahoma, and Kansas in the week ended Nov. 23 totaled 10,569 bales compared to the previous week when 6,081 bales were sold. Average prices received by producers in the most recent week ranged from 42.88 to 47.00 cents per pound compared to 43.48 to 48.02 cents per pound the previous week.

Meanwhile, the U.S. cotton harvest continues. Some areas of the Southeast experienced scattered rain and temperatures 20 degrees below normal for this time of year. Snow flurries were reported in isolated locales. Although more than three-fourths of the crop already is off the stalk, the precipitation likely will have an adverse effect on the quality of lint in remaining open bolls. A prolonged period of warm,

sunny weather urgently is needed to help bleach any discolored fibers and to allow picking to resume.

Harvest is progressing at a rapid pace on the Texas High and Rolling Plains under favorable conditions. Above-average temperatures prevailed this week, and the harvest progressed without interruption. Seed cotton supplies are increasing, and gins are operating at full capacity.

Near ideal conditions persist in the Far West and fieldwork is quickly advancing. In fact, record-setting daytime highs were reported in parts of Arizona this week. Approximately two-thirds of the crop was off the stalk in the Far West as of Nov. 19. Ginning, however, will continue well into January.

In other cotton news, scientists at Texas A&M University reported this week they have genetically engineered cottonseed that contains virtually no gossypol, a compound which is toxic to single-stomached animals such as poultry, hogs, and humans. Cottonseed has long been a tremendous source of protein only for ruminants (animals with four stomachs) such as dairy cows. However, according to analysts, if this new cottonseed is viable, it could be used in much wider and more varied applications.

"Of course the quality of the fiber produced from the new seed needs to be of adequate length, strength, micronaire, uniformity, and color in order to ensure widespread commercial acceptance," one market observer explained. "However, the fact that a vastly larger market would exist for the seed, which heretofore has only been able to be used for cattle feed and/or oil extraction, could bring another stream of income to those farmers who choose to plant the new variety," he concluded.

## Texas A&M University Crop and Ag Report

High winds throughout the state knocked some row crops to the ground and delayed the harvesting of others. In some parts of the state, relief-giving rains came, while other regions remained dry, Texas Cooperative Extension agents reported.

"Significant weather events in Lubbock County over the past week included high winds reaching 44 to 45 mph on both Nov. 14 and 15," said Mark Brown, Extension agent for agriculture. "These winds hampered harvest and caused minor structural damage, but did not appear to cause significant damage to cotton or sorghum still in the field."

"High winds are drying out the soil moisture levels, reducing the wheat growth," reported Justin Scott, Extension agent for agriculture and natural resources in Cochran County. "Dry weather has allowed cotton and sorghum harvest to continue, although the wind has been a factor in the ability to harvest numerous acres. The harvest reports have been good, with cotton doing well in yield and quality."

"Winter grazing at this early stage is better than it's been in a few years," said Jon Green, Extension agent for agriculture and natural resources in Parker County. "Some haven't turned in yet, but growth has been good. We are still in great need of runoff rainfall in stock tanks."

"The area has received sufficient rains to lower the Keetch/Byram drought index into the hundreds," said Jack White, Extension agent for agriculture and natural resources in Cherokee County.

Based on 100 years of weather data, the Keetch/Byram drought index is primarily used to predict the chance of forest wildfires, said Dr. Eric Taylor, Extension forestry specialist. However, the data shows a 25-year cycle. One 25-year period shows wetter and cooler than average summer conditions; the next hotter and dryer, which has an impact on all agriculture. According to the index, the state is currently about seven years into one of the hotter and dryer 25-year periods.

More information on the Keetch/Byram drought index can be found on the Texas Weather Connection Web site at <http://twc.tamu.edu/kbdi.aspx>.

The following are reports from Extension districts around the state:

**PANHANDLE:** Temperatures were variable during the week with a few days slightly above and a few days slightly below average. High winds over several days caused some soil erosion and crop damage. No significant moisture was received during the week. Soil moisture is rated very

short to adequate, with most areas reporting short. Open weather has allowed cotton harvest to make good progress. Wind-blown tumbleweeds caused harvesting difficulties in some fields. The cotton crop was about 65 percent harvested, and yield and grade reports are good. Peanut harvest is nearly complete. Sorghum harvest was about 50 percent complete. High winds caused some crops to fall down in many fields. Soybean and sunflower harvests were almost completed. Wheat is rated mostly fair to good. High winds caused some damage to recently emerged wheat fields. Range conditions are rated mostly fair. Abundant dry grass, no precipitation and high winds have created a high fire-danger potential. Cattle are in good condition. Supplemental feeding is under way in most areas.

**SOUTH PLAINS:** Most of the region received its first hard freeze. Mild days and cold nights prevailed with no moisture and two days of 45-55 mph winds. Cotton harvest was about 60 percent complete. High winds shut down cotton harvest and other field operations for two days. Peanut harvest is winding down with an estimated 90 percent harvested. Grain sorghum harvest was 70 percent complete. Winter wheat stands continue to be excellent, but dry windy days were rapidly decreasing the available soil moisture for all cool-season small grains. Forage availability for livestock was still good, and livestock are in mostly good condition. Supplemental feeding of livestock continues in most counties.

**ROLLING PLAINS:** Cold nights, warm days and very high winds throughout the week dried top moisture. Surface tank water is short to dry; good runoff is needed to fill dry lakes and ponds. Cotton harvest continues; yields are average to a little below average on irrigated land and will be below average on the dry land. However, the majority of farmers are starting to get harvesting equipment ready. Wheat planting continues to progress; most producers have enough moisture to get a stand. Ranges are going dormant, and some producers getting ready to start feeding livestock. Some ranches are already supplementing bulls. The region still has not had a major killing frost or freeze.

**NORTH:** Soil moisture ranges from very short to adequate. Winter wheat and winter annual pastures are doing better after recent rains. Producers continue to plant winter pasture and look for hay. Sorghum, soybeans and cotton crops are 100 percent harvested. Oats are 90 percent to 100 percent planted. Winter

wheat is in fair to good condition, with 50 percent to 80 percent emerged. Pecan harvest is under way with 30 percent harvested. Livestock is in fairly good condition. Supplemental feeding of livestock is in full swing. Runoff for livestock water is still needed.

**EAST:** Calf prices were steady to \$3 lower this week, and demand was good on quality calves. Good quality bred cows saw prices steady to higher. There no real choice pairs this week to test the market. Pecan harvest was near completion. Producers were trying to finish baling hay.

Winter pastures were in good condition with some small grain plantings being grazed. Ample moisture, along with cooler temperatures, has provided

good growth of cool-season forages. Cattle were in good condition, and prices still holding. Hay supplies are limited, but few producers have had to feed yet. Conditions are getting dry again, and winds have dried soils out. There was no rainfall this week and none is forecast for next week. Some winter pasture continues to be planted. Beef cattle are in good to fair condition. Winter pastures making fair progress. Hay supplies were extremely short. Calf weaning was nearly complete. Stock water remained very low. Fall calving was in progress. Winter pastures showed promise. Cooler temperatures will not stay long and no rainfall was reported this week. Hay harvest continued in some places prior to the Friday frost.

**FAR WEST:** Soil moisture ranged from very short to adequate. Ranges and pastures varied from very poor to excellent. Winter wheat ranged from very poor to good. The first freeze was reported, and there was no precipitation.

**WEST CENTRAL:** Temperatures have remained cool and dry. High winds at midweek caused soil moisture to rapidly decrease. Low temperatures dropped to freezing in most areas. Producers continued to harvest cotton crops. Yields have been good. Field preparation and planting of small grains continued. Fields that have emerged need rain for increased growth. Final hay cutting was harvested. Livestock remained in fair to good condition. Supplemental feeding continued. Stock tanks were very low to dry, and hay was in short supply. Pecan harvest is under way. The pecan crop was very light.

**CENTRAL:** Small grains needed rain. Many fields began to show moisture-stress. Nights have been cool with some areas having had a light frost. Warm-

season grasses continued to give short grazing but were of high quality. Concerns increased over limited stock water supplies.

**SOUTHEAST:** No rain fell this week. The last hay fields were cut and baled. A few last sites had armyworms. Producers were treated to a beautiful week with no rain, just cool dry weather. Cattle feeding was the No. 1 agricultural activity in Lee County. The peanut crop is still in the ground as producers hope for a little more nut filling for poundage. Deer hunters are busy looking for that trophy buck. Ryegrass and other winter pasture continued to be planted. Fertilizer was applied over early planted winter forages. The ratoon rice crop has been harvested. Livestock are doing well.

**SOUTHWEST:** Most of the region has been completely dry since Oct. 25. Year-to-date cumulative rainfall is now less than 29 percent of the long-term average. Cool weather this week will help winter vegetable crops and conserve water. Forage availability is very limited. Some stock tanks are almost dry. The peanut harvest continues but yields are down. Fall sorghum harvest is complete. The cabbage harvest is gaining momentum. Spinach, green beans and cucumbers for pickling are making progress under heavy irrigation. Hunting and hunter activities are the dominant rural activity, especially during weekends.

**COASTAL BEND:** Cooler, drier weather moved in. Soil moisture was short with most areas in need of rain for winter forage. Fieldwork progressed. Ranges and pastures were in fair condition.

**SOUTH:** Dry weather in some areas of the region is causing difficulty for growers of dryland oats, wheat and ryegrass. Cooler weather significantly reduced warm-season native range and pasture forage production. Most fall vegetable crops have progressed well. Spinach production was doing well under irrigation. Fieldwork was active, with the harvesting of cabbage, citrus and sugarcane. Supplemental protein for livestock has been

## Palo Duro Basin Oil & Gas Report

By Tom Musser

Prepared for Nov. 23, 2006 paper, but did not make it to early deadline.

### Swisher County:

A completion unit has rigged up on the PetroGlobe Energy USA Ltd. Young Lease #1032 and operations are underway to prepared to evaluate the Wolfcamp Formation at approximately 5,800 feet and to test this zone of the Wolfcamp Formation for Oil Production as PetroGlobe Energy USA Ltd, stated in their operational update of November 14, 2006.

### Floyd County:

On the PetroGlobe Energy USA Ltd. Cox Lease Well #1013 Intermediate casing has been set and Norton Energy Rig #2 is drilling ahead.

On the PetroGlobe Energy USA Ltd. McIntosh Lease Well #1077 the portion of the well testing which included flaring the gas concluded on Tuesday, November 21, 2006. Further evaluation of the McIntosh #1077 will continue.

A new pumpjack has been set on the Apollo Energy Operating Company W.D. Miller lease well #1 and preparations are being made to put the Miller #1 back on a pumping schedule.

### Motley County:

A workover rig is on the Bankers Petroleum (US) Inc. D.M. Cogdell Jr. Estate Lease Well #10-01 conducting work in preparation for additional Well stimulation as Bankers Petroleum (US) Inc. stated in their news release, November 9, 2006.

## Perennial Wheat research looks at options for producers

By: Kay Ledbetter

**BUSHLAND-** Perennial wheat? The possibility is being looked at by a Texas Agricultural Experiment Station researcher. Annual wheat, which is traditionally grown in the Great Plains, is planted in the fall and dies after harvest in mid-summer. But Dr. Charlie Rush, Experiment Station plant pathologist, is testing some perennial lines of wheat bred in Washington state.

These perennial lines regrow after harvest and may survive for up to five years, Rush said. And eastern Washington is climatically similar to the Texas Panhandle, except it has harsher winters.

"This wheat, if it works here, will start growing back as soon it rains or is irrigated after harvest," he said. "Right now, we don't know if it will work in our area or not. But there definitely could be some applications for it if it does."

The perennial wheat could be used as a ground cover for highly erodible lands, wildlife habitat and an alternative crop for Conservation Reserve Program lands, Rush said. However, primarily he is interested in evaluating use of perennial wheats in dual purpose grain-grazing cropping systems that are prevalent in the southwestern Great Plains.

Over the years, different breeders have crossed bread wheat with wild wheat grass in order to acquire a variety of de-

sirable traits, such as drought tolerance and resistance to diseases and insects, Rush said. In making these crosses, some of the resulting lines inherited the perennial trait.

Perennial wheat programs are already underway in Kansas and Washington. But it was work on disease resistance by Dr. Tim Murray, professor and chair of the plant pathology department, and Dr. Stephen Jones, wheat breeder, both at Washington State University, that first gained Rush's interest.

"For perennial wheats to have a place in our dual-purpose cropping systems, they must have good resistance to disease and insects," Rush said.

For this reason, his primary concern is determining how the 20 experimental lines will hold up against wheat streak mosaic and greenbugs, something both Jones and Murray also are researching.

In addition to screening for disease and insect resistance, Rush is also evaluating the perennial wheat lines for forage quality and yield, water use efficiency and drought tolerance.

"If they have drought tolerance and natural resistance to diseases and insects, it opens up real possibilities," he said. "Producers could save the cost of replanting at the very least. But it could also allow cattle to graze later in the spring and earlier in the fall, and still allow farmers to harvest for

grain."

Also, Rush said, producers would be able to avoid the fallow period that sets fields up for erosion. If the perennial wheat is rained on or irrigated in July, it is possible that cattle might be able to start grazing as early as August.

"Since perennial wheats typically yield only 70 percent of the best bread wheat cultivars, I don't see this as competition for the grain crop, but primarily as another option for forage," he said.

Lower yields are the primary reason researchers have not been very interested in perennial wheats, Rush said. But with increasing energy costs and environmental concerns, perennial wheats are worth a new look, especially for the dual-purpose systems.

In September, Rush planted three replications of 20 lines of perennial wheat in September, plus seven non-perennial varieties already in commercial production in the High Plains for comparison. Additionally, he bordered the plots on one side with a variety highly susceptible to wheat streak mosaic virus and on the other side with a highly resistant variety.

"One of the things that could quickly kill this project is if all the perennials are highly susceptible to wheat streak mosaic," he said. "We don't want to have that bridge for the virus and mites to over-summer and threaten the fall wheat crop."

"However, we are confident that some of the lines will be disease-tolerant, because some of Dr. Murray's preliminary findings on resistance to wheat streak in Washington state," Rush said.

Additional testing for insect and disease resistance will be conducted in the greenhouse with the perennial lines being inoculated with wheat streak mosaic virus and tested for resistance to greenbug and possibly bird cherry oat aphids, which also vector barley yellow dwarf virus, he said.

All the insect screening will be conducted by Dr. Jerry Michels, Experiment Station entomologist at Bushland.

"Because this whole research is so brand new, we're limited in the number of treatments we can do until there's more of this perennial wheat seed available," Rush said.

Disease screening and forage quality sampling using remote imaging techniques to measure the biomass, instead of clipping it, has already started and "we're getting good data," Rush said.

In the first sampling, some of the perennial wheat lines yielded roughly the same amount of forage as the bread wheats and also exhibited good resistance to wheat streak, he said.

"I can hardly wait until our next field day to show our regional wheat producers these new wheat lines," Rush said.

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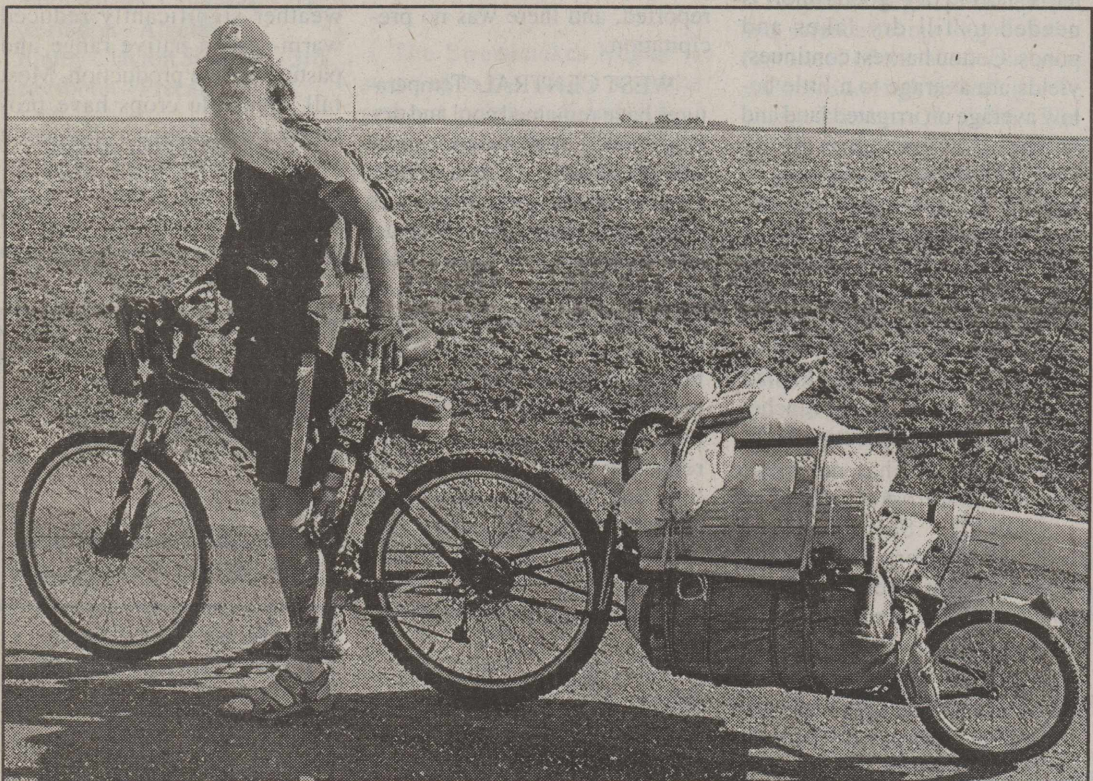
**CHRISTMAS BRUNCH CANCER BENEFIT** will be held Saturday, December 2, from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., in the home of Marty and Sheresse Covington, 907 W. Missouri, Floydada. Tickets can be purchased at FNB, Thayer & Washington, or at the door for \$10.00. Come and join us for food and fellowship and help promote a worthy cause. Shown are: Sheresse Covington, Brienne Glasscock and Amanda Hinsley, representing Relay for Life. *Staff Photo*

## Reflections of Love accepting items to give to Senior Citizens

Reflections of Love is gathering items and filled baskets for some of Floydada's Senior Citizens. "In this day of rising fuel cost, many of our senior citizens find they are having to do without in order to stretch their limited incomes," states Sally Bradley, President of Reflections of Love. The gift baskets that Reflections of Love delivers, annually, is our community's way of saying "Thank You" and expressing our love and concern to

many of our senior citizens. Reflections of Love needs your help in accomplishing this task. "This year we find our organization short on funds," says Fred Thayer, treasurer. We need the community to help out in any way that they can in order for us to fill the 65-70 baskets. Floydada Junior High has taken 17 of the baskets to fill. These students are showing their care and concern by helping in this project. Floydada High

School National Honor Society is filling five of these baskets also. The young people of Floydada are leading by example during this time of Thanksgiving and sharing. You can help by bringing items to fill the basket at your place of business or your child's school. You can also help by making donations to: Reflections of Love c/o Fred Thayer, P.O. Box 9, or contact Sally Bradley 983-6390.



**WORLD TRAVELING BIKER, MICHAEL KILPATRICK, PASSING THROUGH DOUGHERTY**

## War veteran bikes across America

**By Darwin Robinson**  
Crossing the country by bicycle is not how most people dream of seeing America. But Vietnam veteran Michael Kilpatrick, age 54, of Russellville, Alabama has been pedaling across America by 'extreme distance bicycling' since July, 2000. According to Kilpatrick, he holds the unofficial world record for the longest single bike ride. He says he has traveled 47,168 miles by bike since 2000. His bike travels has taken him from coast to coast 7 times, from border to border 6 times and he has crisscrossed America twice, according to Kilpatrick. "I have been in every state, including Alaska, Quebec and New Brunswick, Canada and Nova Scotia. I hope to get a passport and go to Europe and ride my

bike, and hopefully back to Vietnam and ride there." Kilpatrick served time in Vietnam in the early 70's and he was discharged from the armed services in 1983. His wife of 13 years died in 1998. His grieving was more than he could bear, according to Kilpatrick. He quit his job at a nearby factory of "sawing limestone slabs for building materials and tombstones" and headed out across country on his bicycle. He has a one-wheel trailer, which he pulls behind his bike. It is full of supplies, a tent with poles, a small mattress, a spare bicycle tire and trailer tire, his Bible and a new book called 'A Purpose Driven Life.' "I read my Bible every day and trust Him to take care of me. I've been trusting Jesus ever since Vietnam. People along the

way have been real good to me. I keep a daily journal and I hope to write a book someday of my travels," said Kilpatrick. Two years ago, Kilpatrick fell and shattered his hip. He spent 9 months and 8 days in the veterans hospital in Los Angeles, California, while they replaced his hip. Spirit of Sharing (S.O.S.) of Floydada donated some canned goods and a box of crackers to help Kilpatrick on his journey toward California. According to Kilpatrick, he is financed by his veteran's check back home in Russellville, Alabama and he has been interviewed by 103 newspapers, 74 radio stations and 6 television stations on his journeys.

## Floyd County Church Directory

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Brian Adams<br/>Pastor<br/>Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.<br/>Worship Service ... 10:30 a.m.<br/>Evening Service .... 6:00 p.m.<br/>Wed. Jr. High .....5:30 p.m.<br/>Wed. High School... 6:30 p.m.<br/>*****</p> <p><b>GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST</b><br/>Joe Bennett, Pastor<br/>Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.<br/>Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.<br/>Evening Service ..... 7:30 p.m.<br/>Tuesday ..... 8:00 p.m.<br/>Wed. Service ..... 7:30 p.m.<br/>*****</p> <p><b>MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST</b><br/>Lockney<br/>Jay Don Poindexter,<br/>Minister<br/>Bible Study ..... 9:30 a.m.<br/>Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m.<br/>Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.<br/>Wednesday ..... 7:30 p.m.<br/>*****</p> <p><b>MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH</b><br/>Floydada<br/>Rev. 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