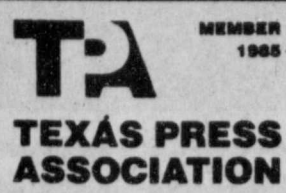


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# Three local elections set for April 5



FRED AND JOHN HUGGINS are doing some remodeling work on the Lockney Cooperatives offices and last week they came across something unique. In 1963 their father, O.J. Huggins built the offices at the Coop and he placed a ruler in the wall which read "placed here by O.J. Huggins, September 20, 1963." During the March remodeling work his sons found this ruler and another note in a different wall. The note stated that Lockney had defeated Hale Center in football in September 1963 by a score of 26 to 6.

On April 5 Lockney voters will be going to the polls to elect members of the Lockney school board, the city council, and members of the Lockney hospital board.

The Lockney city council race should be the most contested race as five men vie for three seats on the council.

At the present time, the city council seats due election are held by Dub Dipprey, Paul Reece, and Pat Frizzell and none of the three incumbents will be running for reelection.

Those signed to run in the council race include Kim King, president of the First National Bank of Lockney; Dan Smith and Ronnie Aston, who are both farmers; Leslie Cox, who is retired; and Lloyd Wofford, who for many years was associated with Wofford Manufacturing.

The city election will be held at the city hall and acting as judge of the election will be Willis Reynolds. He will be assisted by Jim Bob and Kay Martin and Pat Gonzales.

**SCHOOL ELECTION**  
In this year's school board election, three men are running for three seats on the board. Presently the seats are held by Eddie Joe Foster, Bill Race and Clar Schacht. Schacht, an agent with Floyd County Farm Bureau, is the only incumbent running in the upcoming election.

Also running in the school board election are Dickie Lambert, owner of Lambert Spraying Service, and Paul Glasson, Lockney veterinarian. This election will be held at the high school building and the judge will be G.B. Johnston. Johnston will be assisted by Retha and Kenneth Wofford, and Maria Arellano.

### HOSPITAL ELECTION

In the hospital board election, only

incumbents Chester Carthel and Hubert Frizzell are running. Both men are farmers in the Lockney area.

At the present time the judge and election clerks have not been selected but will be announced at a later date.

In the next few weeks The Beacon will profile each of the candidates in each of the local elections. They will be given a chance to voice their opinions and reasons for seeking election to a particular office.

## Consumers holds annual meeting

About 100 stockholders and their families registered Thursday evening for the 60th annual Consumers Fuel Association stockholders meeting and dinner.

Those present were treated to a chicken fried steak dinner, prepared by the Lockney lunchroom staff. FHA girls helped serve the meal.

Randy Swindle of Sandefur and Swindle presented the audit report that showed that Consumers Fuel of Lockney lost \$6,038.49 during the 1985 year. This amount is down \$1,161.88 from the

\$7,200.37 that the association lost in 1984.

Swindle reported that sales for the association were down about \$8,000 in 1985 and that operating expenses were within \$600 of what they were in 1984. He also reported that Consumers has no note liability at the present time.

Billy Joe Turner, manager of the association, then presented the manager's report. He said that to cut fixed expenses the association had changed its business hours. They are now open from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on weekdays and from 7:30 a.m. to noon on Saturdays.

"We did this to cut fixed expenses but we are still available if the customer needs something. We can be called on to serve our customers at any time," said Turner.

Turner also commented on fuel prices. At the time of the banquet Consumers had both regular and unleaded gas for 89.9 cents per gallon, with full service. Also the firm's diesel and propane prices are "competitive" in the area market and they now have diesel with additives, which saves the farmer from having to add to the fuel after it reaches the farm, the manager said.

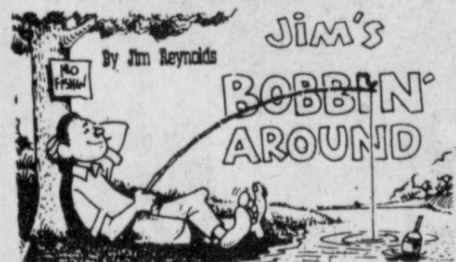
Turner did say that fuel prices will probably go up in May when harvesting begins, but he also said "We can expect propane prices to go down further in the next few weeks."

Turner also commended the patrons of Consumers for their cooperation in keeping the accounts receivable in good condition.

The election of two new directors was conducted by Don Sutterfield, chairman of the nominating committee. No floor nominations were announced and the names appearing on the ballot included Keith Phillips and Danny Lambert. After what Sufferfield termed "a close election with both men being well liked", Phillips was announced as the new director. He will replace Kenneth Wofford who has served on the board of Consumers Fuel for nine years.

Turner recognized the employees and their spouses to the gathering. These included: Barbara Ellison, Dale Ross, Andy Peralez and wife Maria, Roy

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### 'MILK BOMBS'

Who ever heard of a child throwing "milk bombs?"

If you don't believe this can happen, just ask Barbara and Joe Cunyus. While visiting a son, daughter-in-law and grandsons, the Lockneyites heard a sudden "crash." Peering up the stairs, they saw a curly haired grandson, sporting a full-grown grin, looking down as if "What are you going to do?"

On the ground floor, in hundreds of pieces, were remnants of a glass baby bottle and wall-to-wall milk splashes. After a round of father-son discipline, everyone returned to normal activities ... briefly.

Another "crash" was heard and the youngster's water bottle had gone the way of the milk bottle.

That, in Barbara's terminology, is a "milk bomb."

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### SHARE A STORY

Will you share a humorous story about your family, yourself or a friend for this column? If so, give us a call any Thursday.

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### TEXAS TECH AT LOCKNEY

For years we've heard that Lockney was one of the locations investigated as a possible home for Texas Tech University before it was founded and placed in Lubbock.

Anyone who remembers this situation is asked to contact The Beacon office.

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### REMEMBER WHEN?

Who can remember the old Lockney softball leagues of some 35 years ago? Some of the big name fast pitch softball pitchers in the area were enlisted to play here.

In that pre-TV era cars were parked two and three deep around the park.

The Baccus brothers — Whitey and Rusty — could literally put the ball in orbit.

Those were good old days when people liked to mix and ball games always drew a crowd. We miss some of these things from the past.

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## Resignations of three faculty members accepted by trustees

During the regular monthly meeting of the Lockney school board, members accepted the resignations of three teachers.

Denise Blanchard, homemaking teacher for the last two years, has resigned her post and Robert and Sharon Redden have also resigned. Blanchard is leaving due to her husband's job and coach Redden, who has been the head basketball coach for the last two years is leaving to take the first assistant's position at Electra.

In other action, the board hired Nancy Ratcliff, who will graduate from Wayland Baptist University in May. Ratcliff, 24, will be the girls basketball coach. She is presently doing her student teaching in Lockney.

The board also discussed plans for the upcoming election and reviewed a State audit report that showed Lockney was in compliance with the State.

### CALENDAR APPROVED

Board members approved the calendar for the 1986-87 school year. The first day of school will be September 2. Other noteworthy dates on the calendar include a two day holiday for Thanksgiving, 10 days at Christmas, spring break from March 16 through 20, and the last day of school on May 29.

During the meeting the transfer rate for out-of-district students was discussed and the board voted to leave the

rate at \$75 per month, per student.

In other action the board approved the textbook list presented by R.L. Knox, approved the payment of current bills, and the making of investments, as well as tax report #7.

The board also approved hiring the present school staff which includes Jackie Lou Holt, Claudette Hulley, Dorothy Jarrett, Sandra Turley, Gladys Bobbitt, and C.L. Record.

Also in high school, LaDora Auful, Dayna Owen, Douglas Degge, Trenea Aston, Peggy Hallmark, Jeanette Marr, Kay Williams, June Clements, Patti Purser, Cindy Smith, John Lewis, Randall Robbins, Bob Purser, Mickey-Crowe, Randy Josey, and Malcolm Moerbe.

In junior high, Janet Bek, Kevin Meyer, Karla Josey, Charlotte Mitchell, Zeldia Ellison, Robin King, Linda Terrell, Carolyn Whittington, and Phil Cotham.

Elementary school staff members

include Virginia Byrd, Edythe Clark, Glenda Jones, Betie Knox, Billie Lam, Robin Gay, Linda Marr, Jontha Mercer, Jamie Moerbe, Shelia Poole, Marva Rasco, Margie Rexrode, Wanda Rogers, Amy Thornton, Donnette Keltz,

and Cindy Ford.

Special education and State funded teachers include Karen Evans, Leslie Patterson, Karen Quebe, Vicky Schaeferm, Raul Vera, Ethelyn Vernon, Jody Baccus, and Mary Louise McCarter.



## Lockney Jr. High Honor Roll

### 4th Six Weeks

#### 6th Grade

A — Jessica Lemons, Domingo Luna, Ignacio Luna, Chris Villa

B — Tony Ascencio, Almadena Basaldua, Chad Cook, Coy Davis, Rance Ford, Jennifer Fortenberry, Elizabeth Garcia, Calixta Guerrero, Jason Robnett, Becky Rodriguez

Clint Bigham, Kevin Buse, Jerry Don Evans, Lori Gonzales, Abelino Luna, Robin Marks, Malissa Mayes, Angie Moya, David Perez, Gracie Saucedo

#### 8th Grade

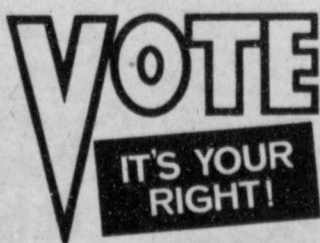
A — Cindy Cook, Phillip Glasson, Shea Jackson, Shana Stapp, Wesley Teeter, Justin Means

B — David Brittain, Mark Gatica, Chad Golden, Michelle Griffith, Peggy Luna, Justin Means, Heath Rexrode, Jennifer Turbeville

#### 7th Grade

A — Tandi Gant, Aimee Green, Orlando Mondragon

B — Erin Adrian, Armando Banda,



## This Week

### SPRING ARTS FESTIVAL

The Floyd County Art Association's '86 Spring Arts Festival Friday and Saturday at Lockney School Cafetorium. Comedy-drama tickets \$6.00 for adults and \$3.00 for students. Art show and demonstrations from 10:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. Saturday. No admission charge.



### Commodity Distribution

The American Agricultural movement will hold commodity distributions for Floyd County in Lockney on Thursday, March 20, at the Lockney Community Center from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. All food recipients must bring proof of residency.

### SUNRISE SERVICE

The Rev. Ray Starnes has announced that the First Baptist Church of Aiken will hold a sunrise service on Easter morning. The service will be held outside if weather permits so dress accordingly. Breakfast will be served after the service.



MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS for Consumers Fuel Association of Lockney include (left to right) Kenneth Brosch, Jerry Ford, manager Billy Joe Turner, Jerry Cawley, Keith Phillips and Kenneth Holt.



## Lockney Hospital Report

**March 10-17**

Margareta Saucedo, Lockney adm. 3-3, dis. 3-11.

Tom Jones, Lockney, adm. 3-4, dis. 3-12.

Tammy Martin, Plainview, adm. 3-9, dis. 3-12.

Jesus Lozano, Plainview, adm. 3-8, dis. 3-12.

Hope Alcozar, Aiken, adm. 3-11, dis. 3-13.

Abigail Cantu, Plainview, adm. 3-12, baby girl Priscella born 3-12, dis. 3-15.

Adam Jones, Lockney, adm. 3-12, dis. 3-17.

Vera Jo Bybee, Lockney, adm. 3-13, dis. 3-16.

Randall Robbins, Lockney, adm. 3-11, dis. 3-14.

Paul Pesina, Lockney, adm. 3-12, continues care.

Jesusa Lozano, Plainview, adm. 3-13, continues care.

Roberta Rodriguez, Floydada, adm. 3-13, continues care.

Todd Cage, Floydada, adm. 3-13, dis. 3-15.

Mary Ann Carey, Plainview, adm. 3-16, continues care.

Esperanza Alcozar, Aiken, adm. 3-11, dis. 3-13.

John Cuevas Jr., Plainview, adm. 3-17, continues care.

Milton Robbs, Lockney, adm. 3-17, continues care.

Eric Robles, Lockney, adm. 3-17, continues care.

Carmen Garza, Floydada, adm. 3-17, continues care.



**UNPOPULAR POLITICIAN**—Charlotte Mitchell was not the only educator who showed for the Monday examination wearing an anti-Mark White button. Superintendent W.H. (Dub) Hallmark seems to agree with her viewpoint. Bumper stickers seen frequently proclaim "Will Rogers never met Ross Perot."

## Care Center Capers

Our movie Wednesday was "Places In The Heart" and we all urge you to see it if you haven't. The movie takes place in the 1930's which is a period in history our residents remember well.

Nina Loudermilk's great-grandchildren were here Saturday. They have a country-western band. The music was great and all the residents enjoyed it very much.

Today is St. Patrick's day and true to west Texas windy, after a short bus trip to Plainview the residents were treated to a Leprechaun Party featuring green punch and cup cakes with green icing.

We are glad to have Sams home after an extended hospital stay.



In times like these... By Mary Jo Fielding

For millions of Africans the best rains in a decade have turned the fear of starvation into cautious optimism. However, they have brought no relief from underlying agricultural problems that with another bad turn of the weather, could cause a repeat of the disastrous famine of 1985.

The main challenge is to move from short-term famine relief to longer-term improvement of African agricultural whose output has declined 25 percent since 1960. Feeble African economies are trapped in a cycle of high interest rates, dwindling aid and investment and low prices for export commodities. The first shipments of some 250 million dollars' worth of seeds, fertilizers and other aid to increase agricultural output began in 1985. Most promising are so called miracle crops—high-yieldings, disease-resistant hybrids being introduced for the first time in Africa. However, crumbling roads and rail lines, civil wars and regional conflicts frustrate efforts to rebuild infrastructure.

The combination of rain and relief efforts has reduced the FAO danger list from 21 countries to just six - Ethiopia, Sudan, Angola, Botswana, Mozambique, and Cape Verde. Record crops abound in several countries. Zimbabwe alone expects a 1.2 million ton surplus. Elsewhere grain reproduction is up 50 percent. Yet even success brings problems. How to distribute the surplus of one area to neighboring states. And, in some cases, to packets of famine within grain surplus countries.

Most donor countries, led by the U.S., which provides more than one third of all food aid given to Africa, are maintaining strong aid programs in 1986. As public attention wavers, such special help as the 65 million dollar success of Live Aid and Band Aid concerts and recordings is unlikely to be repeated.

## Broseh named to Who's Who

Earl Broseh, son of Kenneth and Juanita Broseh of Lockney, has been named to the "Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges." He was one of 13 students from Clarendon Junior College to be named to the list.

Students named to the list are nominated for their academic achievement, service to the community, leader-

ship in extracurricular activities, and potential for continued success.

Broseh joins an elite group of students selected from more than 1,500 institutions of higher learning in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, and several foreign nations. Outstanding students have been honored to "Who's Who" since it was first published in 1934.

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**REMEMBER WHEN?**  
Downtown Lockney was a beehive of activity during our high school days here. Saturday night parking spaces were a valuable commodity.  
While working Saturdays at Raymond Rhoades' grocery store (located in the present Rowell Variety building), we recall as vividly as if it were yesterday how one particular family would attend the Saturday night second movie at Brad Seale's downtown theatre before coming in to select their week's groceries.  
The entire crew dreaded to see them come in because it meant we couldn't start sweeping, mopping and waxing the floor until after the family had checked out (usually after midnight). One of the kids would invariably break a

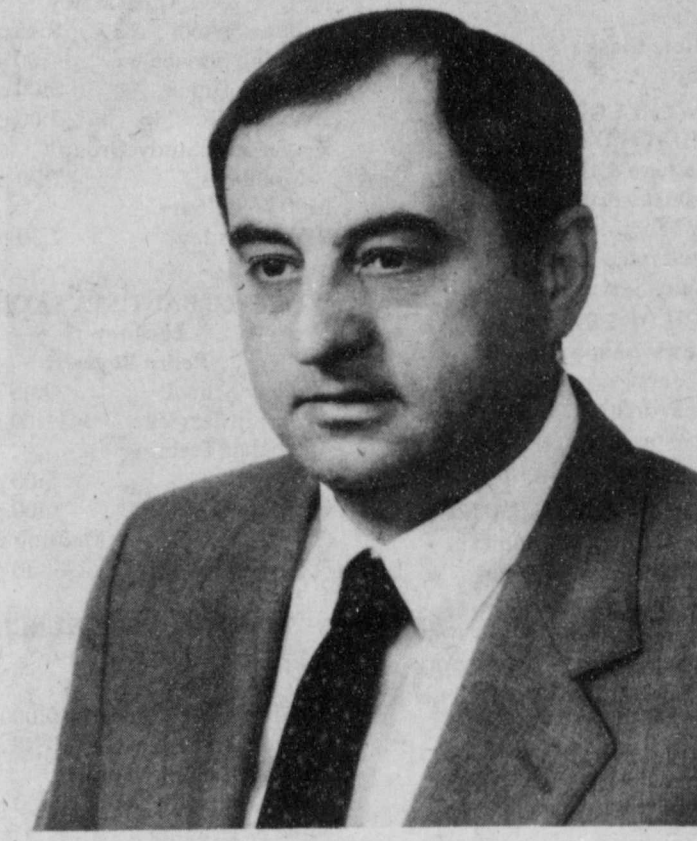
jar ... sometimes filled with goey molasses or syrup!  
Another family bought six or seven sacks full of food, potatoes, flour, etc., late one Saturday night. Clifton Williams and I were the lucky delivery boys assigned to this case.  
Strangely, the family pick-up had been parked at the Pylant food store (now White's) and the family had walked to Rhoades' to shop. Once the heavy sacks, 'taters' and flour had begrudgingly been lugged to the would-be parking slot, the father discovered that a son had moved the pickup! This meant hauling the food back to point of origin.  
It seemed certain to 14 and 15 year olds that there must have been better ways to spend a Saturday night.  
Really, those were good days in Lockney.  
Lockney had at least half a dozen

food stores (if memory serves, the count rose to nine at one time) and two theatres, plus one drive-in movie, five clothing stores, four or five cafes, and various other establishments. An empty building for more than a month was a rarity.

**WHY?**  
Why is it that the guy with 30 minutes to kill wants to spend it with a man who doesn't have a second to spare?

**THRIFTY MAN**  
Undoubtedly the world's most frugal man is ex-President Marcos of the Philippines.  
Since being tumbled from power, Marcos is suspected of having millions in Swiss bank accounts, in New York real estate and in other "investments."  
Imagine, the man amassed his millions on a paltry salary of \$4,700 a year, plus utilities.  
One fellow says there may be a more simple way to figure Marcos' true wealth. Just figure how much foreign aid the United States has furnished the Philippines in the last 10 years and you'll come pretty close to the right numbers.

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**Tuesday:**  
Breakfast — Sausage, toast, egg, pineapple, milk  
Lunch — Chicken and dumplings, buttered spinach, pears, hot rolls, mixed vegetables, milk

**Wednesday:**  
Breakfast — Cereal, peaches, milk  
Lunch — Enchiladas, Spanish rice, pinto beans, sopapillas with honey, fruit gelatin, milk

**Thursday:**  
Breakfast — Oats, tropical fruit, milk  
Lunch — BBQ beef and franks, sweet potatoes, broccoli and cheese, pears, hot rolls, milk

**Friday:**  
Breakfast — Toast with cheese, applesauce, milk  
Lunch — Hamburger, hamburger salad, French fried potatoes, cherry cobbler, milk

**FISHING FEVER**  
With the temperature untypically reaching into the '80s in February and March, "Fishin' Fever" is already making the rounds in Lockney, according to statements we heard last Thursday.  
School spring break created that necessary opportunity to get away a few days for some fishermen.  
The Sterley Gin bunch has already been out trying their luck.

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**Consumers...**  
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Guerrero, Johnny Rodriguez and wife Brenda, and Johnny Arjona.  
He also introduced the two director nominees and their wives: Keith and Marcia Phillips and Danny and Kim Lambert.  
Turner also introduced the board members. They include: Kenneth and Retha Wofford, Kenneth and Juanita Broseh, Jerry Ford, Jerry and Barbara Cawley, and Kenneth and Jackie Lou Holt.  
Closing the meeting was the drawing for the door prizes. This year's winners included: Donnie Bybee, a set of Schrimshaw knives; Maxine Hill, a set of silver plate coasters; Charles Ball a \$50 gift certificate; Ronnie Thornton, a set of booster cables; Blondie Jack, a pepper mill; Marcia Phillips, 20 gallons of gas; Lois Williams, a case of tractor filters; Mrs. D.J. Phillips, a large cooler; Charlotte Hooten, a 2 liter water jug; and Dart Carthel, Jim Pinner and M.T. Cooper, oil and filter changes.

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**Diversifying the Lone Star Economy**  
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Economic diversification may not be a new twist, but you may be surprised to learn about the new ally in this campaign. Meet your new partner: telecommunications. Yes, the telephone company. Surprised?  
Consider that many businesses today, including the so-called high-technology industries, are heavily dependent on information. These firms need to move large amounts of data across the state and the world. Much of that information will zip across the telephone network — an intricate web of circuits, transmitters and lines.  
Without a first-class telecommunications system, Texas cannot compete with other states vying for new jobs and industry. Remember, most every state is recruiting the same firms. How does Texas set itself apart from the crowd? One way is to parlay our telephone network into a major advantage for our state.

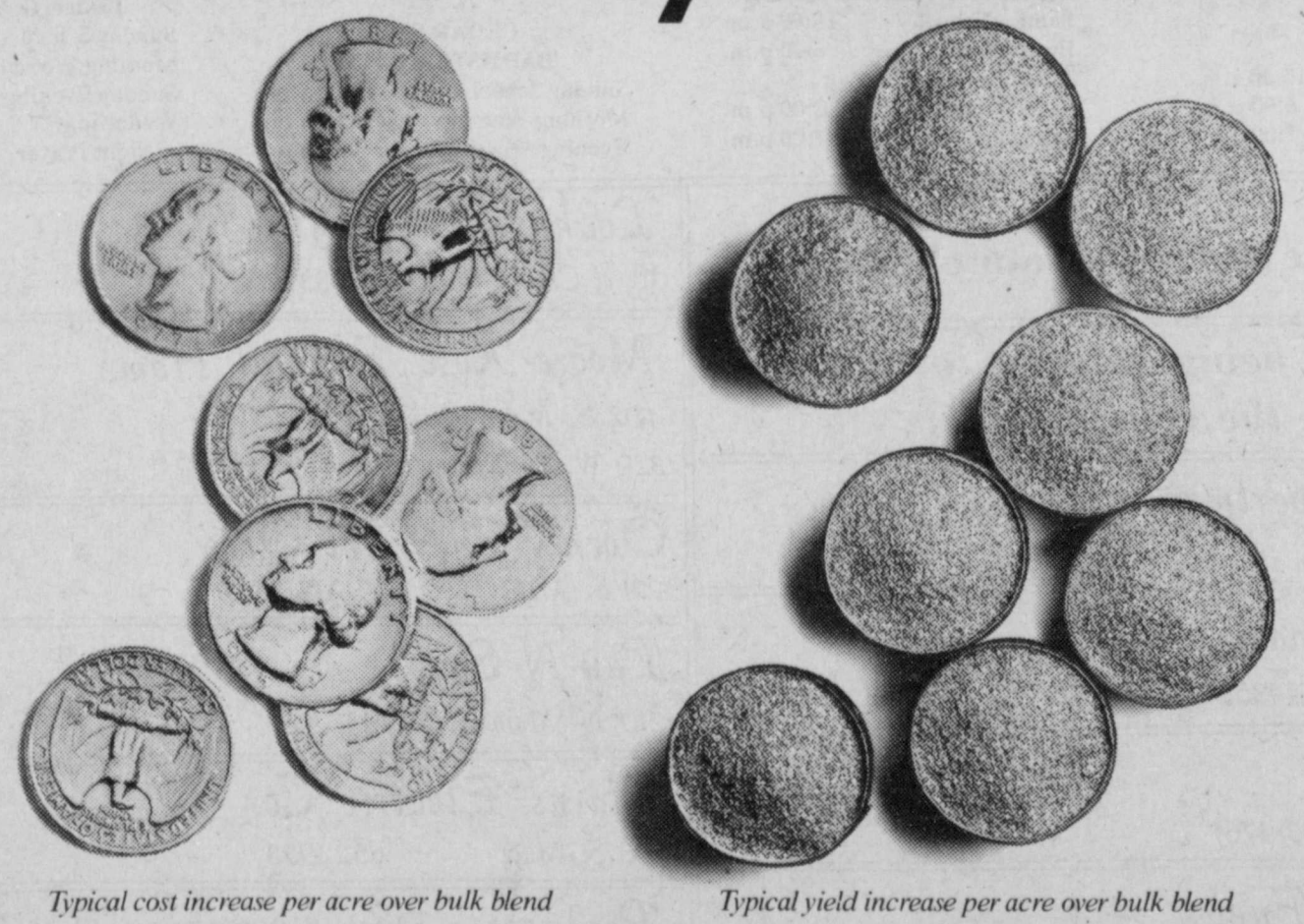
**An economic edge**  
Homegrown Texas firms also will find it increasingly an edge to be served by a dependable communications network. For example, in the oil and gas industry, millions of dollars are riding each day on the ability of these firms to transmit and receive geological data from drilling sites. That puts a premium on fast, reliable communications.  
In our homes too, telecommunications is playing a more important role. Many Texans are using computer linkups over telephone lines to start new businesses, expand their education and even receive health care — all this without leaving their homes.  
Much of what we take for granted in our everyday lives would be impossible without telecommunications. Consider that in Texas there are \$15 million in goods and services sold each day by phone ... more than seven million transactions between financial institutions are processed every day over the telephone network ... and nearly 248 million times a year Texans use phone lines and automatic teller machines to bank at their convenience.

**A mind-boggling figure**  
There's one more statistic that perhaps tells the story best. On a typical day, Southwestern Bell Telephone handles more than 82 million voice and data messages from homes and businesses across the state. And, this figure is expected to continue to grow.  
Obviously, huge investments are required to meet this growth. In fact, for eight consecutive years, my company has spent more than \$1 billion annually to improve and add to the state's telecommunications network. This year will be no different.  
We all have a stake in the economic future of Texas. All of us must do our share. For our part, we want to provide a telecommunications network that is second to none. We have the resources and people to achieve that goal. Given adequate earnings, there is no doubt we will succeed.

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**GARY KLEYPAS** is the pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church in the Providence Community—Lockney. He grew up in the small central Texas town of Buckholts. After graduation from high school in 1967 he attended Temple Junior College and received his BA degree from Texas Lutheran College in Seguin. He earned an MDiv degree from Wartburg Theological Seminary in Dubuque, Iowa and was ordained as a pastor in the American Lutheran Church in June 1975. He is married to Sharon Richards from Stamford, Texas and they have one son, Jeff who is in kindergarten.

## “Contently Blessed”

By Gary Kleypas

The grass always looks greener on the other side of the fence! That may be true, but it's usually because their sewer is backed up! We are quick to see the problems we have while assuming that other people don't experience similar problems. Green grass doesn't necessarily mean that everything is rosy! There's an old Indian proverb, that has biblical roots, that goes like this: "Grant that I may not criticize my neighbor until I have walked a mile in his moccasins." Wearing moccasins I probably wouldn't even make it a mile! The Bible tells us to go a second mile! The fact is we are so easily tempted to overlook our own blessings in life while being envious of our neighbors and little do we know that the neighbor may be envious of our lifestyle! He not only has a backed-up sewer but he has to mow his grass more often!

Though I make this sound light-hearted it is not a joke. If it is a joke then the joke is on us. God is not mocked. He knows our needs, both spiritual and material, and He provides for us abundantly. And that abundance is not weighed with earthly scales but on faith. Being rich does not necessarily mean happiness and being poor does not necessarily mean poverty. Some of the "richest" people I have known have been the most depressed while some of the "poorest" people I have known are the most content. If we base our happiness and life on things of the earth then those same things can cause us misery. If we base our happiness on the cheers of the crowd then those same cheers may turn in to jeers. Just look at the reaction of fans at a football game. If we base our happiness and life on God then He will provide for our needs regardless of the conditions around us. St. Paul said that whether in plenty or in want he was content. He was happy. He was satisfied in the sense of being filled with all things. He lacked nothing.

Before you criticize or become envious of your neighbor it is best that you stop and look and consider. Have you walked a mile in his or her shoes and then gone a second mile with them? Do you like to moan and complain just to get attention? Have you stopped long enough to look at God's universe and consider how blessed you really are? "Let brotherly love remain in you. And forget not hospitality toward strangers; for thereby some were worthy to entertain angels unawares. Remember those who are in bonds, as though you were bound with them; remember those who suffer adversity, for you are human also... Do not be carried away by the love of money; but be content with what you have; for the Lord himself has said, I will never leave you nor forsake you..." Amen. (Hebrews 13)

## Classes tour Harrington House

On Tuesday, March 4, the Home Furnishings classes of Denise Blanchard toured the historic Harrington House in Amarillo.

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Mrs. Harrington still visits her home

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Bailey, 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. Ladies Bible Study, Wednesday 9:30 a.m.</p> <p><b>LATIN AMERICAN CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> Lockney Bible School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Service 8:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> Lockney George Schuster, 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.</p> <p><b>WEST COLLEGE CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> West college &amp; third, Lockney Frank Duckworth, Evangelist Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Evening Service 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Service 8:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE</b> Lewis Shapp, Pastor Sunday School 9:15 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study 5:30 p.m.</p> <p><b>TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH</b> Providence Community Gary Kleypas, Pastor Sunday School &amp; Adult Bible Class 10:00 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH</b> Lockney Bill Beachy, pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship Service 10:55 a.m. UMY 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. United Methodist Women. First Tuesday of Month Circles. Monday (2nd &amp; 4th Monday nights) Tuesday &amp; Wednesday mornings.</p> <p><b>GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST</b> John Williams, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Service 7:30 p.m. Prayer Service-Tuesday 8:00 p.m. Service-Wednesday 7:30 p.m.</p> <p><b>SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Rev. Ceel Osborne Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA</b> 504 East Lee St., Floydada Pastor Evan. Herman Martinez Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Tuesday Ladies Prayer 2:00 p.m. Thursday Service 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH</b> Floydada Earl Blair, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Youth Fellowship 5:00 p.m. Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>EVANS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Rev. Bennie Anderson Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m. Sunday Afternoon Worship 2:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>PRIMER IGLESIA BAUTISTA</b> Rev. Agustin Rey Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m. Training Union 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Prayer and Study Group Monday 7:30 p.m. Mid-Week Service Wednesday 7:30 p.m.</p> <p><b>TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM</b> Lockney Pedro Reyes Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m. Christian Training Time 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting &amp; Choir Practice 7:30 p.m.</p> <p><b>BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Floydada Bob Chapman Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Sunday Evening Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m. Sunday Evening Services 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Evening Services 7:30 p.m.</p> <p><b>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Lockney Murle Rogers, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. R.A.'s 5:00 p.m. Acteans 5:00 p.m. Church Training 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Choir Practice 8:00 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m. Our Time (Jr. High and High School) 7:00 p.m. GA's (gr. 1-4) 7:00 p.m. Mission Friends (preschool) 7:00 p.m. (Time will change to 8:00 p.m. with daylight savings time) Thursday: G.A.'s (gr. 5-6) 4:00 p.m. Baptist Women 1st &amp; 3rd Mondays 3:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>CEDAR HILL BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>CALVARY BAPTIST</b> Floydada Rev. 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Baldwin, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Prayer Service, Wednesday Evening 6:30 p.m. Brotherhood, First Saturday Morning of Every Month.</p> <p><b>VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Floydada Travis Curry, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Services 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Floydada Jim Jackson, Pastor Sunday Congregational Singing 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>SPANISH BAPTIST MISSION</b> Floydada Eloy Felan, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Church Training 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>TRINITY CHURCH</b> Meets at the Y Pastor: G.A. Van Hoose Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Prayer 7:30 p.m.</p>
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