





## In times like these... By Mary Jo Fielding

In the endless propaganda wars between North and South Korea, each side is constantly conjuring up new security threats, real and imagined. The South Koreans say the Communist North's latest weapon is water - tons and tons of it. The dispute involves the Kungangsan Dam, now being built on the North Han River near the Demilitarized Zone. The facility will produce 800,000 kw of electricity and create a reservoir holding 20 trillion gal. of water. South Korea charges that if the dam should ever collapse or be demolished by the North the resulting flood would be a disaster. Thundering down the Han River valley the water would quickly reach Seoul, 60 miles to the southwest, threatening the lives and property of millions.

After groundbreaking ceremonies for Kungang Dam was held in late October, South Korean Defense Minister Lee Ki Back ominously threatened "self-defensive measures." The actual South Korean response was less menacing: A "counterdam" that would be built 12.5 miles south of the North Korean one. Dubbed the Peace Dam, the \$690 million wall of steel and cement would be the same size as its northern counterpart and thus would be able to stop any flood from across the DMI.

The South Koreans would, of course rather not build a white elephant. So they have appealed to the North to sit down in Panmunjom "to earnestly discuss utilization of the resources of rivers."

## Dianne's Diary By Dianne Galvan

January 19 - Hello neighbors. We here at the Lockney Care Center have snow, snow, snow everywhere we go but we love it.

Our bus trip this past Monday took us to McDonald's in Plainview for delicious, high ice cream cones. Speaking of our bus trip, we would like to send out a big Thank-You to the wonderful gentlemen from the city department who came out and filled our potholes on the south side of the building. This makes it possible for our bus to pull in close to the building so that we won't have far to travel to get in the bus. Thanks to you also Mr. J.D. Copeland for making this possible.

In our arts and crafts class this week, we made potpourri sachets that are now for sale. Come by and take a look. They are awful pretty.

On Thursday, in honor of January being National Egg Month, we were scheduled to have a boiled egg decorating contest, however, before I had a chance to get out the magic markers,

paints and other supplies, the residents had already eaten their eggs!

For our Friday Bingo game, we used as prizes oranges and bananas that were donated to us by the Guadalupe San Jose Catholic Church members. Thanks a lot folks.

We would also like to thank Mrs. Mary Ansley for the wicker items she donated to us and to Mr. Hubert Frizzell for coming out and giving the men haircuts.

Our friend, Mr. Andres Pena is in the hospital in Lubbock. We would like to wish him a speedy recovery and a quick trip back home.

On Saturday, January 31, we are planning to have a garage and bake sale in the nursing home lobby. All donated items of clothing, baked goods, and miscellaneous items will be greatly appreciated. Contact me, Dianne, the Activity Director, at 652-2502, for pick-up or drop your donations off here when you happen to be in our area. Thanks a lot!

## Gwen Lane named 1987 Lions Club Sweetheart

On Friday, January 16 the Lockney Lions Club announced that Gwen Lane will serve as the Lions Club Sweetheart for the 1987 year.

Gwen is a Lockney High School junior and is involved in a number of activities within the school. She has served as a varsity cheerleader for two years and has also played on the Lady Horn varsity basketball team for two years.

She participated in the one act play and was named to the all star cast at both district and regional competition. She is also an active member of the Floyd County and Lockney 4-H organizations and serves as a delegate for the county 4-H council. She raises sheep and has received the "I Dare You" award in 4-H.

In addition to her school and 4-H activities, Gwen was accepted into the Lubbock Ballet Company two years ago and makes the trip to Lubbock several times a week to dance with the troupe.

Gwen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lane of Lockney.



GWEN LANE

1987 Lockney Lions Club Sweetheart



### Who's New!

#### CUMMINGS

Zach and Sandra Cummings of Lockney proudly announce the arrival of a son, born at 7:42 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 14, at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview. He weighed 7 pounds, 14 ounces and was 19 1/2 inches long at birth.

Named Cagan O'brian, the infant has a brother, Adam, 7, and a sister, Courtney, 5.

Sterling and Gleyne Earle Cummings and John and Rochelle Dorman, all of Lockney, are grandparents. Great-grandparents are Margaret and Curly Service of Plainview.

#### GRIFFITH

Bruce and Ramona Griffith of Harlingen are proud to announce the arrival of a daughter, born January 16 at 5:27 p.m. at the Valley Baptist Medical Center in Harlingen.

Sara Elise weighed 7 pounds and 8 1/2 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Grandparents are Elmer and Maxine Griffith of Lockney and Louise Arendt of Austin.

#### HRBACKE

Ricky and Renee Hrbacke are proud to announce the arrival of their second child, a daughter, born on December 31 at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview.

Karah Jo was born at 8:06 p.m. and weighed six pounds and nine ounces. She was 20 1/2 inches long.

Karah has one big sister, Janee who is two years old.

Grandparents are Paul and Veda Hrbacke of Lockney and Jimmy and Mary Kay Cummings of Hale Center.

Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Duvall of Lockney and Mrs. Julius Cummings of Aiken.

## Athena Study Club hears program on rug braiding

Athena Study Club met January 13 in the home of Leslie Patterson, with Gayle Jackson acting as co-hostess.

Arla Copeland brought a very interesting and informative program on the art of making braided rugs. Discussion of "What hand crafts mean to me" was used for roll call.

Following the program and refreshments, the business meeting was conducted by Gayle Jackson, vice president. Some of the business discussed included donations to the Floyd County Child Welfare Board and Channel 5, the educational TV channel. Thank you's were read from the elementary P.E. department and the state school for donations presented previously.

Those attending were: Vera Jo By-

bee, Vida Hrbacke, Kathy Hunter, Bettye Jackson, Gayle Jackson, Barbara Mathis and guest, Ginger Mathis, Charlotte Mitchell, Leslie Patterson, Glenna Robbins and Gayle Sherman.

## Lockney Hospital Report

January 12-19

Eligio Valle, Lockney, adm. 1-9, dis. 1-14  
G.E. Kellison, Lockney, adm. 1-10, dis. 1-15  
Kimberly Guevera, Lockney, adm. 1-7, dis. 1-12  
Pedro Regalado, Petersburg, adm. 1-7, dis. 1-12  
Modena Edwards, Flomot, adm. 1-8, dis. 1-12  
Karla Hale, Silverton, adm. 1-13, baby girl Krista, born 1-13, dis. 1-14  
Olivia Bueno, Floydada, adm. 1-13, baby boy Stephen, born 1-13, dis. 1-15  
Claude Brown, Lockney, adm. 1-13, dis. 1-17  
Prescilla Perales, Lockney, adm. 1-7, dis. 1-12  
Shondra Emert, Floydada, adm. 1-14, dis. 1-18  
LaRaine Craver, Floydada, adm. 1-14, dis. 1-16  
Wanda McClendon, adm. 1-15, baby girl Jeanie, born 1-15, dis. 1-18  
Janet Pyle, Olton, adm. 1-14, baby boy Jeremy, born 1-14, dis. 1-17  
Velma Guerra, Plainview, adm. 1-14, baby girl Angilita, born 1-14, dis. 1-16  
Cecil Jackson, Floydada, adm. 1-14, continues care  
Faye Lynn Maciel, adm. 1-18, dis. 1-19  
Donna Valdez, Silverton, adm. 1-17, baby boy Aaron, born 1-17, dis. 1-19  
Virginia Hardin, Silverton, adm. 1-16, continues care  
Nellene Tucker, Quitaque, adm. 1-17, continues care.

## Have a good week!

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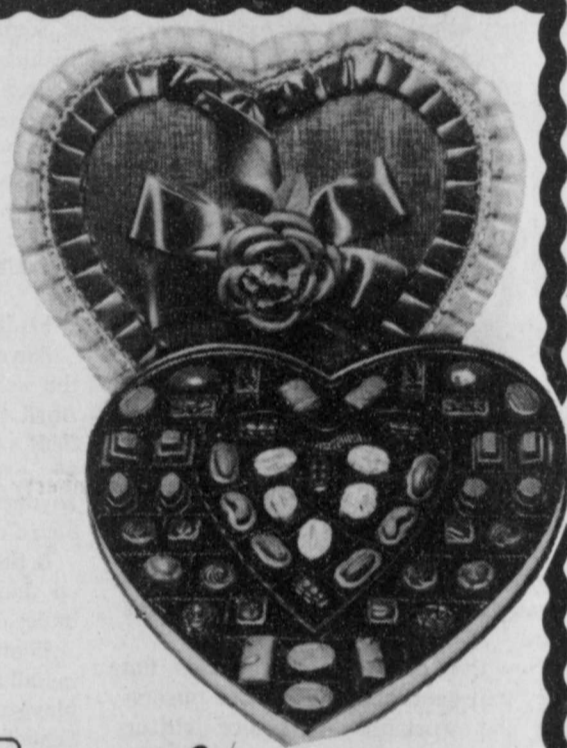
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## School election called by board for April 4

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both children and play toys from getting into the streets around the school.

In other action the board approved the purchase of new game jerseys and pants for varsity football players. The old ones will be moved down to the junior varsity players.

Board members also approved the purchase of a new 36 passenger bus. This is a medium size bus and the approximate cost will be \$21,000.00. Superintendent Hallmark commented, "We are trying to get buses that better fit our needs at this time. We have several large buses and a couple of smaller ones. The medium ones will meet the needs of our routes and also will be of greater use on students trips."

#### CONTRACT EXTENDED

The board also approved the extension of the superintendent's contract by one year. It is now good through June of 1990.

In addition to approving the payment of current bills, the making of investments, and the minutes of the previous meeting the board also approved tax report #5.

Tax report #5 shows that Lockney I.S.D. is now 77.69% collected. A total of \$373,029.25 in current taxes have been collected of the \$491,706.17 expected this year. The tax report also showed that \$17,804.27 in delinquent taxes have been collected.

Board members also approved the annual performance report for the 1985-86 school year. The report is a general overview of the 1985-86 academic year, from personnel to finances, to student performance.

Over the next few weeks the Lockney Beacon will be bringing readers a series of articles on the report.

For those who would like to read the

full report, copies are available at each of the three school offices as well as the superintendent's office. Look for the first of the Beacon's articles in the January 29 edition.

### Senior citizens...

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One individual interested in forming a senior group in Lockney believes that "We'll need at least 40 or 50 members" to make the organization successful. He points out that membership fees will be nominal in order that all senior residents might have an opportunity to participate.

"Talk to your friends and neighbors," he says, "We need a lot of interest to make this thing work. Then plan to attend the Jan. 29 meeting and share your ideas."

### HOMESTYLE

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