

Plans completed for fair

Plans for the 34th Annual Floyd County and Surrounding Counties Fair have been completed and the slate of events has been announced. Dates for the 1987 fair are August 20, 21 and 22.

WEDNESDAY PLANS

On Wednesday, August 19, Jest Amusements will open the carnival rides to the public at 4:00 p.m. Until that day tickets for the carnival will be priced at two for \$1.00, however on

August 19 tickets will go to \$1.00 each. Tickets are available at several outlets in both Lockney and Floydada. Businesses with tickets for sale are listed in a separate article in this week's Beacon.

THURSDAY EVENTS

Thursday events, in addition to carnival rides, will include judging in all departments which include community exhibits, women's division and agriculture department. Also the art department and photography exhibits will be judged.

Thursday evening the gospel singing will start at 6:30 p.m. in the entertainment building. Don Barrick, music minister of the First Baptist Church, is

in charge of the gospel night this year. Also on Thursday night, at 8:00 p.m., will be the square dance sponsored by the Whirlers.

FRIDAY EVENTS

Events scheduled for Friday will include the Ladies Day programs beginning at 9:30 a.m. in the entertainment building. Four interesting programs on a wide range of subjects will be presented.

Also at 5:00 p.m. will be the tractor driving contest.

Thursday evening at 7:00 p.m. will be a variety show featuring local adult and child talent in a fifties oriented show. Lisa Mosley is in charge of the show and anyone wishing to participate or who has questions about the show should contact her.

SATURDAY EVENTS

Saturday is not only the final day of the fair but also the biggest day with a

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This Week . . .

LION'S BROOM SALE

The Lockney Lion's Club will hold its annual broom sale on Saturday, August 8 at the corner of Main and College Streets (in front of the old tax office). There will be brooms, mops and many other household items for sale.

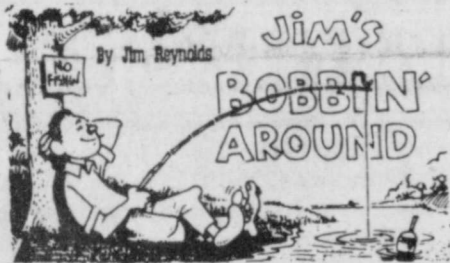
IRICK REUNION

The Irick reunion will be August 2, from 10:00 a.m. til ? at the Rebekah Lodge Hall, which is located one block west of the bank in Lockney.

Anyone who ever lived there or lives there now is invited. Bring cookies and sandwiches as drinks will be furnished.

IL PENSEROSO MEETING

Attention Il Penseroso Jr. Study Club members! A summer meeting will be held July 30, at 7:30 p.m. at Robin Sterners, Providence. Get excited!



BRAGGING ON LOCKNEY

We've just gotta brag on Lockney folks!

When the "honor system" is used for distribution of papers, the theft rate is much greater than the layman would imagine.

Guess what? The week of July 9, The Beacon did not lose a single paper to theft! That's a sterling example of the honesty of most Lockney folks.

DISCIPLINE PROBLEMS

Talking was the number one discipline problem in 1940, according to a recent issue of "Alabama Strate Talk." That issue long ago took a back seat, and by 1982 the major concern among educators was drug abuse.

Floydada Supt. of Schools Jerry Cannon handed us the item which was originally compiled by the Fullerton Police Department:

Top seven public school discipline problems in 1940 — 1. talking; 2. chewing gum; 3. making noise; 4. running in the halls; 5. getting out of line; 6. wearing improper clothing; 7. not putting paper in wastebaskets.

Top 17 public school discipline problems in 1982 — 1. drug abuse; 2. alcohol abuse; 3. pregnancy; 4. suicide; 5. rape; 6. robbery; 7. assault; 8. burglary; 9. arson; 10. bombings; 11. murder; 12. absenteeism; 13. vandalism; 14. extortion; 15. gang warfare; 16. abortion; and 17. venereal disease.

What a difference 42 years makes!

DON'T DO IT, SON

So you were stopped for a traffic violation and were discovered in possession of pot—a felony—and received a suspended sentence. Do you think that is the end of it son?

Not quite! You also lost your right to vote; to own a gun or to run for public office. You lost opportunity of EVER becoming a doctor, dentist, certified public accountant, engineer, lawyer, architect, realtor, osteopath, pharmacist, school teacher, barber, or even a stockbroker.

You can't EVER hold a job where you must be licensed or bonded, and you can NEVER work for the city, the county, or the Federal Government. You can't be admitted to West Point, Annapolis, or the Air Force Academy; but you CAN enlist in the military service...and be assigned to a labor battalion.

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Queens contest

Entrants for Little Miss and Miss Floyd County are now being sought to participate in the contests which are held in conjunction with the Floyd County Fair.

Age divisions for the Little Miss contest include three to six year olds, seven to nine year olds, and ten to twelve year olds.

Entrants in the Miss Floyd County pageant must be 13 to 17 years of age. Complete rules for both age groups may be found in the fair catalogs which have arrived and are being distributed to merchants in Floyd and surrounding counties.

Anyone interested in entering the contest is encouraged to call either chairman Cindy Smith at 652-2170 or Kim Lambert at 652-3412. Deadline for entrants is Saturday, August 15, and the rehearsal for the event will be held that day at 4:00 p.m. in the entertainment building at the fairgrounds.

Carnival tickets

Carnival tickets for the 35th annual Floyd County Fair are now on sale at several outlets. Again this year the tickets are priced at two for \$1.00 until August 19 and on that date the price will be \$1.00 each.

Lockney ticket outlets include Tye Company, NTS Communications office, Dairy Queen, J and K Insurance, Rowell V and S Variety, First National Bank of Lockney, Lee's Home and Auto, and from Betty Hayes.

In Floydada tickets are available from the Sears Store and the First National Bank. Also tickets are for sale at the Phillips 66 station in South Plains.



AIRPORT GREETING — Congressman Beau Boulter was met by dozens of elected officials and farmers when he arrived at Floydada Airport on Sunday morning to view crop destruction throughout the county due to hail and winds. Floyd and Briscoe residents, along with possibly other

counties, are seeking disaster designation on destroyed or damaged crops. Commissioner Floyd Jackson is at left and M.A. Ulmer stands behind him as Congressman Boulter talks with Jimmy Ross, Briscoe County Judge.

— Staff photo

Crop hail damage mounts

After leaving destruction in its path through several counties, a cloud last Tuesday still had enough impact remaining to wipe out Floyd County crops in its path.

Some cotton fields were totally destroyed while farmers are taking a "wait and see" on cotton which was damaged. Extensive hail damage resulted through the center and eastern sections

of this county, from the north edge to Blanco Canyon in Crosby County on the south.

One person believes that "not many fields in the county haven't had hail at one time or another."

Jim Roberts of Sterley Gin says that "all around Sterley" sustained crop damage last Tuesday. "Very little of it still looks good. We've (Sterley region) probably lost 40 to 50 percent and the rest has varying degrees of damage."

Roberts says weather conditions "from here on" will determine how damaged cotton develops.

He noted that only "very light hail" had struck that region before that devastating July 14 cloud.

One of the hardest hit areas last Tuesday was South Plains.

Delton Stone, general manager of Lockney Cooperatives, told The Beacon, "There's not much cotton left around South Plains and south of Lockney."

His "conservative estimate" is that 10,000 to 12,000 potential bales of cotton have been lost. This represents "over a half" of the cooperative's ginning area.

At this time, Stone says, it appears doubtful that the Lockney Cooperatives' gin at South Plains will be opened this fall.

Lone Star and Providence area producers reportedly have been hit by hail damage within the past two weeks.

One person has been told by a hybrid seed firm to "not touch" his certified milo crop for "10 days." The firm fears that weather damaged "female" will not pollinate.

Many Cedar Hill crops were damaged prior to the July 14 storm.

School board hires teacher-coach

Purchase of desks, lunchroom tables, computer tables approved

During the monthly meeting of the Lockney school board on July 9 board members approved the hiring of Marcy Kemp of Bishop as an assistant coach and social studies teacher. Kemp replaces Kevin Schamel who has resigned after being hired at the June board meeting. Kemp has worked with Jim Clark for several years in Bishop, as had Schamel.

In other action the board approved purchases of desks, lunchroom tables, and computer tables which totaled \$21,677.46. This is the first major furniture purchase for the school system in a number of years.

Included in the approved purchase were 24 lunchroom tables at a cost of \$7,438.56, 150 student desks at a cost of \$10,912.50, and 24 computer tables for elementary school which cost a total of \$3,326.40.

During the meeting board members voted to reject the bids received for the two school buses. The two vehicles were 1969 and 1972, 72 passenger each bus. Bidders included Eloy's Miscellaneous Sales in Timpson, and Clarence Pringle of Hale Center.

All four bids on the buses were rejected since the board felt the bids were too low. Pringle bid \$213.89 for each bus and Eloy's bids were \$302.00 and \$402.00.

Board members approved the purchase of blinds for Lockney High School classroom windows. The purchase will not exceed \$5,000 and therefore the board will not call for bids for the project.

The board also approved the milk bid from Bell Dairy for the 1987-88

Longhorn Band beginning plans

The following schedule has been announced for the beginning activities of the Lockney High School Longhorn Band.

The flag line, the drum majors, and the percussion line will meet from 8 to 10 a.m. each day starting August 2 and continuing through August 7. Diane Becker, the flag instructor from Texas Tech, will instruct the flag line and Les Ross, the Lockney band director, will

school year and approved the school insurance which will be carried by the same company, National Federation Student Protection Trust. Cost of the insurance will be \$23.00 for at school coverage and \$37.00 for 24 hour coverage.

Auditors for 1987-88 were also approved by the board. Again this year Bolinger, Segars, Gilbert, and Moss of Lubbock will serve as the auditing firm for the school district.

During the meeting superintendent

Dub Hallmark reported to the board that the painting in the cafeteria and big gym has been completed. The junior high dressing rooms are being painted this week. He also reported that repairs to the ag pens are progressing well and should be completed in the next few weeks.

Present for the meeting were board members Keith Jackson, Eddie Teeter, Jim Bob Martin, Paul Glasson, Dickie Lambert, Gary Mangold and Lisa Mosley. Also superintendent Hallmark and principals James Poole, Terry Ellison and coach Jim Clark.

APOLOGY

The staff of the Beacon would like to apologize to Chuck Wilson for omitting his photo credit on the pictures of Jennifer Fortenberry and Mary Lindsey Poole in last week's Beacon. These young ladies won a photo contest in Plainview over the July 4 weekend and Mr. Wilson took the winning photographs of the girls. Again we are sorry to Mr. Wilson and the girls for this omission.



JIM CLARK

Enthusiasm obvious in new coach

"I'm a firm believer in being positive," emphasizes Jim Clark, named in May as athletic director and head football coach in the Lockney school system. Anyone visiting with Coach Clark detects that enthusiasm.

He also enjoys working with youngsters. "I've never wanted to do anything else," he says.

"In the last week or week and a half of school I had an opportunity to meet the kids and visit with them some," says the new Longhorn head mentor.

"I'm excited about being here," he adds. "In the short period of time we've been here so far the people have been very supportive. I believe it will be a good move for my family and myself. We're real excited about it."

Due to similarities in Coach Bob Purser's system and the one employed by Coach Clark, "I feel like the transition within the system will be a pretty easy switchover as far as the kids are concerned because we use basically the same terminology. It's primarily a

matter of becoming accustomed to the names."

He points out that "We'll be running pretty much what they (previous coaching staff) have in recent years, a Wishbone offense and a '27' defense. That in itself will help in the transition."

COACHED WITH PURSER

Clark says he and Purser have "coached together. We both started at Bishop '74 and were hired by Coach (Jack) Tayrien. Bob and I have been good friends ever since."

Tayrien, presently a member of the Texas Tech University football coaching staff, also is a former athletic director and head football coach at Lockney.

After meeting with Longhorn athletes and viewing films of last year's games, Coach Clark says "We feel we'll have a pretty good group of skill people and some good young people in the line. Our biggest problem probably will be experience, because so many kids gradu-

ated. We'll be very inexperienced early in the season and how well the kids develop will determine our success."

Asked about the number of athletes out for football, Clark answers, "At this point in time, we hope to have about 60 kids out in high school. We have a large group of freshmen, which is our largest class at this time. We expect 22 or 23 freshmen."

The new Longhorn head man emphasizes that "The program is open to anybody who wants to participate. We hope we'll have at least 60 to start with and we'll work from there."

Coach Clark realizes that any strong athletic program must "start kids and develop skills at the younger level. We want to get everyone (younger grades) on the field if possible."

"We'll try to increase the level of participation and by that increase the calibre of our program," he says.

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In times like these... By Mary Jo Fielding

Early in 1983 the President and a few top members of his Cabinet decided to move some covert operations to the National Security Council. Junior NSC officers, prominently including a specialist in counter-terrorism named Oliver North, were given wide authority to call on all branches of the military and intelligence communities for assistance with no questions asked. The officers were told to use their imagination and to try unorthodox methods.

Whether the change in the NSC's role was conscious or evolutionary, it is clear that in anticipation of a congressional ban on CIA contact with the Contras, Casey and National Security Advisor Robert McFarlane turned to North to run the secret war in Nicaragua. Says Neil Livingstone, a consultant on counter-terrorism who worked with North, "Bill Casey was not prepared to fight the bureaucratic battles. He knew there were a lot of people who could raise great problems if they went public with

their concerns. He turned the NSC into the Washington station of the CIA.

Witnesses before the Iran-contra committee have testified that they got a strong impression North was working more for Casey than for his nominal bosses, McFarlane and his successor as National Security Advisor, John Poindexter. "Covert actions were pretty much left to Casey and (CIA Deputy Director) John McMahon, with little if any top-level discussion or review," says one former administration policymaker. According to this official, "even Reagan was cut out of the loop. The President became less systematically fashioned. There was no process to involve him. There was not process to involve him. There was too much informality."

Whatever, North, a Vietnam veteran, "came into the NSC as an easel carrier and ended up as the world's most powerful lieutenant colonel."

Lockney Care Center

By Lanita Cantwell

Last Sunday my son-in-law, Jack Gaskins, delivered the sermons at our services at Rock Creek Church of Christ. In the evening he read the poem, The Key to Living is Giving by Helen Steiner Rice as a background for his comments. Church members sometimes tend to get squirmy when preachers mention giving. They anticipate that he is going to nag them about their pocketbook. However, Jack's sermon dealt more with the many things we can give others that really cost us very little. I was made to think how thankful I am to live and work in communities where the largest percentage of the citizenry also believe the philosophy that "living is giving." Lockney Care Center benefits daily from these "givers."

One of those "givers" was very helpful last week giving her time, materials, and expertise to frame our Guarantee of Superior Service for hanging in the care center. Thank you, Mrs. Sierman!

On Thursday, evening our administrator, Lavona Pitchford, Bessie Jack-

son, and I attended the RSVP banquet in Plainview. We enjoyed a lovely Hawaiian luau, good entertainment, and recognition of a large group of "givers." Mrs. Jackson received a certificate for the volunteer time she gives to help in the dining room at the care center. She and the other members of the Retired Senior Volunteer Program of the three-county area gave a fantastic number of volunteer hours this past year. We thank Bessie and the other residents at Lockney Care Center who volunteer to help others.

Speaking of giving, I read in the newsletter, THE LATER YEARS, that some of the favorite gifts of nursing home residents are visits, telephone calls, greeting cards with warm personal messages and any drawing or object created by a grandchild. Another favorite is any gift which produces laughter. Nursing home residents say that even if an item is used only once, and is impractical for continual use, they love it if the gift makes them laugh. All you "givers" might keep this in mind. Let's all get to living and giving!

Have a good week

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MARY LINDSEY POOLE

Mary Lindsey Poole attends Fitzner's Performing Arts Camp

Mary Lindsey Poole recently attended Linda Fitzner's Performing Arts Camp in Wichita Falls. Mrs. Fitzner is the director of the annual musical 'Pizzaz' held there in the city.

She also directs and choreographs many facets of entertainment productions for modeling, television commercials and performing arts in and around that area.

The areas of study, at the camp were 'New Wave' fashion modeling, vocal performance and diction, microphone and stage movement training and staged choreographed routines and specific dance steps. There were 43 girls and boys in attendance.

A modeling contest was highlighted at the end of the camp which was

judged by local celebrities. The Lockney miss won first place in her division and received the overall top score of all the contestants. She was then spotlighted to dance one of her competition numbers she uses in pageants. She landed a solo dance spot for the production number 'One' from the Broadway musical 'A Chorus Line' to open up the Siker Center Mall Fall Fashion show from Dillard's to be held in August. There will be approximately 50 to 60 girls and boys dancing in the production number. She will also be demonstrating some of her pro-am pageant modeling techniques along with the 'New Wave' and 'Dance Modeling' in the categories of creative costume, fancy western wear, and outfit with a prop.

Mark your calendar for the upcoming blood drive at the Beacon, August 14.

Hearing tests set for senior citizens

Lockney Electronic hearing tests will be given at the Plainview Beltone Hearing Aid Service office on Tuesday, and Wednesday, July 28th and 29th, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.



SHEILA MASSIE

Licensed Hearing Aid Specialist, Sheila Massie, will be at our Plainview office at 3109 Olton Road to perform the tests.

Anyone who has trouble hearing is welcome to have a test using modern electronic equipment to determine if the loss is one which may be helped. Some of the causes of hearing loss will be explained, and diagrams of how the ear works will be shown.

Everyone should have a hearing test at least once a year - even people who are now wearing a hearing aid or those who have been told that nothing could be done for them. Only a hearing test can determine if you are one of the many a hearing aid can help.

The free hearing tests will be given Tuesday and Wednesday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at 3109 Olton Road, Plainview. To avoid waiting, call for an appointment.

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Senior Citizens Rockin's

Georgia Ford was expected home Monday from St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock, where she underwent knee surgery after falling at her home over a week ago.

Week-end guests of Linnie Abbott were her son, Larry and bride-elect, Vicki, from Richardson.

Raymond and Leona Watson had week-end guests, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jameson. They all attended the Jameson reunion in Plainview.

Linnie Abbott won a trip for two to Port Lavaca. Her daughter Linda Cranfill from Midland accompanied her. Visiting with Harley and Edna Workman and D.J. and Almeda Phillips is Harley and Almeda's brother, Claude from Arizona.

Visiting with Jewell Thompson were her sister and husband, Nomi and V.G. Rogers from Odessa.

A granddaughter, husband, and son stopped by for a visit with W.L. and

Clementine Carthel. They had vacationed in Tennessee and were enroute home to Corpus Christi.

Roy and Virginia Sissney have their grandson, Lance Sissney of Austin, visiting.

The senior citizens who had birthdays and anniversaries this month include:

- BIRTHDAYS:**
Wednesday, July 15: C.R. Clark
Thursday, July 16: Mrs. E.A. Bonner
Wednesday, July 22: C.L. (Mike) Mooney
- ANNIVERSARIES**
Wednesday, July 1: Mr. and Mrs. Farrell Dollar
Sunday, July 5: Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Baccus
Saturday, July 11: Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Carthel
Thursday, July 23: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sissney
Friday, July 24: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Baxter

Nuncio family reunion held Saturday in park at Plainview

The family of Pablo Nuncio Sr. gathered in Plainview Fifth Street Park on Saturday, June 20, for a family reunion.

The children present at the reunion were Felix Nuncio Sr., Lockney; Lucy Sanchez, Plainview; Pablo Nuncio Jr., Lockney; Marcello Nuncio, Weatherford; Mary L. Mitchell, Sherman; Teresa Enriquez, Sherman; Anna Enriquez, Sherman; Isabel Villarreal, Hale Center; Francis Enriquez, Nocona; Lupe Gonzales, Sherman.

In attendance were Mary Nuncio, Isabel, Mary Ann, Steven, Christopher, Gaberil, Becky Ann Gonzales, Eddie Janie, Jessica Lee Garza, Mingo, Catherine, Amber, Anita Nuncio, all of Lockney; Felix, Josie Nuncio Jr. of Plainview, from the Felix Nuncio family; Jessie Sanchez, Anita Paiz, Plainview, from the Lucy Sanchez family; Tina, Sue Nuncio, Lockney, from the family of Pablo Nuncio Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Nuncio, Josie Nuncio, Weatherford, from the family of Mar-

cello Nuncio; Connie, Harvey, Grace Andazola, Sherman, from the family of Mary L. Mitchell;

Also, Uber, Reyna, Babbie, Gabril Enriquez, Sherman, from the family of Teresa Enriquez; Adolfo, Luessa, Kelly, Silvia Enriquez, Sherman, from the family of Anna Enriquez; Diana, Martha Castillo, Leonor Byrum, Hale Center, from the family of Isabel Villarreal; Adolfo Enriquez, Sherman, from the family of Francis Enriquez; Martin Gonzales, Patricia, Bubba Byrum, Sherman, from the Lupe Rodriguez family.

Other family members attending were Mr. and Mrs. John Castaneda and family of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gonzales and family, Plainview; Mrs. Gloria Gonzales and family, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Costilla and family, Annona, Texas; and Nick Nuncio and family.

Children not able to attend were: Pat Nuncio, Weatherford; Victor Nuncio, Denton; Delores Cantu, Nocona; Tony Nuncio, Rosana Nuncio, Nocona.

OBITUARIES

FLOYD BARBER JR.

Graveside rites for Floyd Barber Jr., who spent virtually his entire life in Lockney, were at 4 p.m. Friday in Lockney Cemetery. The Rev. Murle Rogers, former pastor of the local First Baptist Church, officiated.

Burial was in Lockney Cemetery. Moore-Rose Funeral Home directed arrangements.

Mr. Barber, commonly known as "Horsefly," had been a resident of Lockney Care Center, where he died at 7:42 p.m. Tuesday, July 14. He was 74.

Pallbearers were R.V. Webster, Ray Dillard, Hubert Frizzell, J.D. Copeland, Dan Teuton and Billy Dollar.

The son of the late S.F. and Lula L. Barber, he was born Oct. 14, 1912, in Lockney.

Mr. Barber was a commercial sprayer and owned and operated Barber Spraying Service for many years prior to his retirement 20 years ago.

He was a Baptist.

Survivors include three sons, C.F. Barber of Vidor, Danny Joe Barber of Washington state and Jerry Barber of Luther, Okla.; one daughter, Jolene Barber of Oklahoma City; one sister, Roberta Bowers of Virden, N.M.; and six grandchildren.

MORRIS LESTER

Memorial services for Morris Lester, 64-year-old Lubbock man who formerly resided in Lockney, were at 2 p.m. Friday in the Main Street Church of Christ in Lockney. Officiating was Glenn Barnhart of Lubbock assisted by Lynn Ray Smith of Lockney.

Burial was in Lockney Cemetery, under direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were E.J. Colvin, Kevin Wieland, Keith Wieland, Jimmy Settle, Mike Whitefield and Kenneth W. Griffith.

Mr. Lester was claimed by death at 10:30 p.m. Tuesday, July 14, in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock follow-

ing a lengthy illness.

Born Jan. 25, 1923, in Vernon, he resided in Lockney before moving six years ago to Lubbock.

A military veteran, he was a retired trucker. Mr. Lester was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include one brother, Travis Lester of Raton, N.M.; three sisters, Maurine Griffith of Plainview, Bettie Jean Brock of Waco and Elizabeth Settle of Lubbock; and 11 nephews and nieces.

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Coffman-Dipprey marriage vows exchanged

Connie Sue Coffman exchanged wedding promises with Dennis Tyke Dipprey of 6402 Albany Avenue in Lubbock in a ceremony at 8 p.m. Saturday, July 18, in First Baptist Church of Lockney. Frank Duckworth, minister of the West College and Third Church of Christ, read the vows.

Thomas and Barbara Coffman of Route One, Lockney, are parents of the bride. The bridegroom is a son of Dub and Doyle Dipprey of Lockney.

A country theme was used to decorate the sanctuary. Two wooden heart-shaped candelabra of bleached pine were intertwined with pink geraniums and tied with large ecru bows. Large, dusty rose pots of geraniums sat at the base of each candelabra.

Pews were marked with hollow bleached pine wooden hearts containing a geranium flowerette with ecru lace over rose satin streamers.

The stained glass windows reflected the candlelight from votives which were set in bleached pine heart-shaped holders. Rose and ecru heart-shaped wicker rag baskets spilled forth pine geraniums atop the piano and organ.

Guests were registered at a table covered with a hand quilted cloth of rose heart design. A framed rose and ecru cut paper design depicting the wedding theme of "This Day I Marry My Friend" stood on a small easel.

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride chose a formal gown of antique candlelight taffeta. The sweetheart neckline was outlined with seed pearls and Alencon lace. The fitted bodice was also covered in motifs of Alencon lace and seed pearl drops.

The back entrance scooped down to the waistline with covered buttons and pearl designs and drops, holding a big bow with motifs of pearls, the puffed sleeves at top and fitted to the hand came to a point with lace and net design.

The cathedral length train was hemmed in Alencon lace scallops.

The bride wore an ivory braided pearl headband accented with cascading flowers and pearl filament sprays. An

illusion tulle pouf bow highlighted the back.

A large flowing colonial cascade of ivory roses and camillas, accented with ivory freesia and bleached baby's breath formed the bridal bouquet. The bridal color was featured in rose pink geraniums scattered throughout the bouquet. Lace and satin, in ivory, flowed from the cascade and again was accented with the bridal rose pink.

ATTENDANTS

Christy Jo Coffman attended her sister as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Johnny Dorman and Mrs. Aaron Wilson, both of Lockney, Mrs. Dean Heinrich of Lubbock, Leianne Stair of Plainview and Cara Carnes of McCamey.

The female attendants wore tea length gowns of window pane lace over satin and featuring sabrina neckline in border flowerette design. They were designed with fitted bodices and basque waistlines. Sleeves were on-off shoulder with lace ruffle, with short border flower scalloped lace sleeve and fully gathered skirts with a wide flowerette border with scalloped hemline.

They carried ecru lace edged colonial bouquets of pink geraniums and bleached baby's breath with bleached pine wooden hearts and rose and ecru satin streamers.

Serving his brother as best man was Todd Dipprey of Lubbock. Groomsmen were Roy Moody of Garland, Chris Mabry of Lubbock, Glenn Graves, Ricky Key and Karl Race, all of Lockney.

Dottie Harrison, cousin of the bridegroom, and Carla Hale of Lawn, niece of the bride, were flower girls.

Ryan and Chase Graves, nephews of the bridegroom, were ring bearers.

Guests were seated by Trent Gant and Clay Harrison, cousin of the bridegroom.

Candles were lighted by Beverly Barker of Levelland.

Libby Williams of Lockney registered guests.

Soloists were Mindy Thompson of Kress and Shari Kliewer of Canyon.

They were accompanied by organist Mrs. James Ferguson of Lockney and pianist Mrs. Mike Mathis of Providence.

RECEPTION

Following their marriage, Mr. and Mrs. Dipprey were honored with a reception.

Mary Huffman of Lockney and Kene Littlefield of Tulia presided at the bride's table which was covered with an ecru Battenburg lace over rose underlay. A three-tier cake was surrounded by heart-shaped cakes. Crystal candelabra and punch bowl completed the decor.

The bridegroom's table, covered with an ecru Battenburg lace cloth, held a large fruit pyramid and cheese tray and a silver coffee service. Lisa Scott of Kress and Vonda McLaughlin of Lockney presided at the bridegroom's table.

Following a wedding trip to Cancun, Mexico, the couple plans to return July

25 and establish its home at 6402 Albany Avenue in Lubbock.

The bride attended Lockney High School and was graduated from Texas Tech University with a bachelor of science in Home Economics.

Her husband, who attended Lockney High School and Texas Tech University, currently is employed by United Parcel in Lubbock.

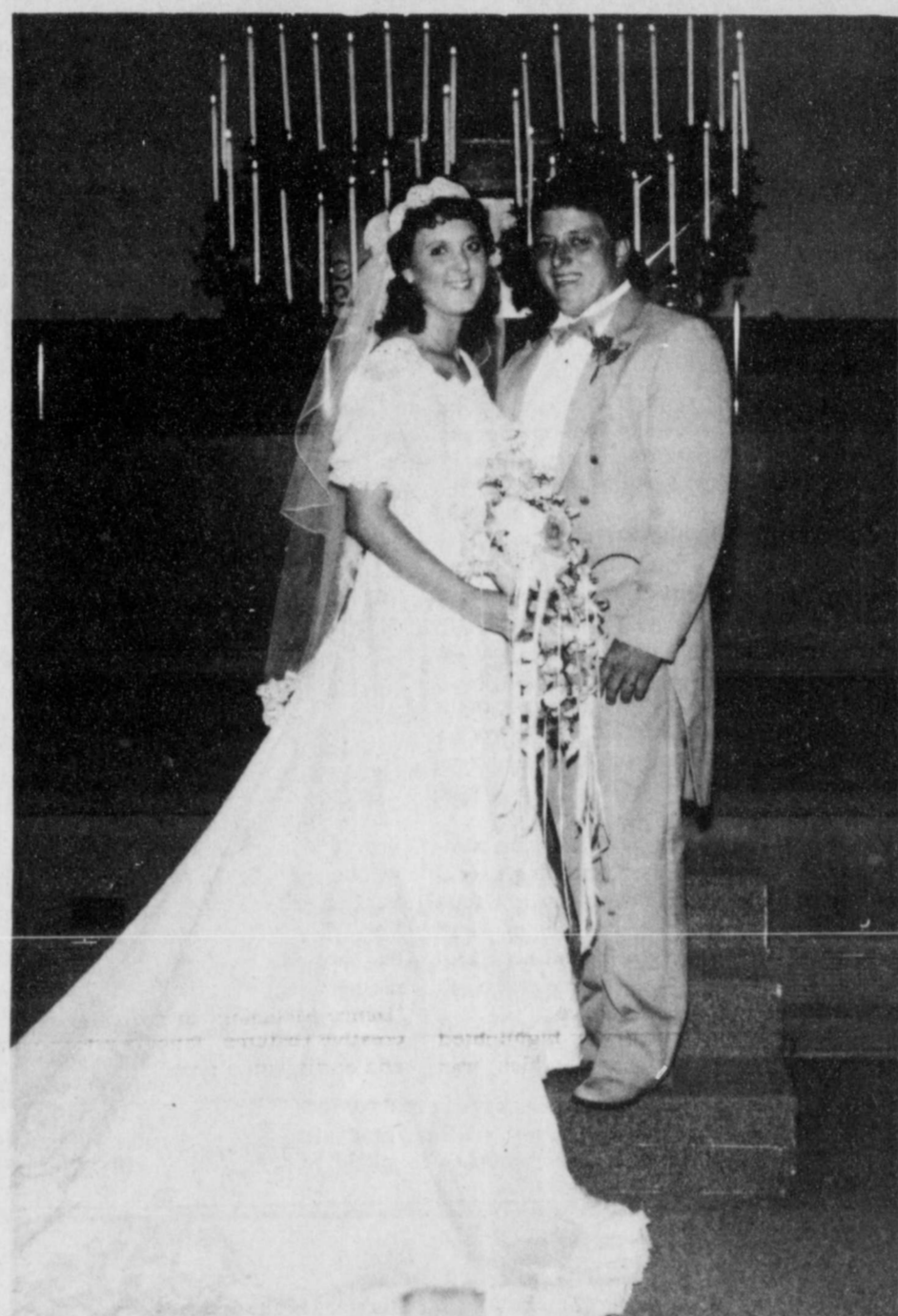
The rehearsal dinner was a barbecue at the home of the bridegroom's parents.

Other courtesies included: a bridesmaids luncheon, hosted by Mrs. Johnny Belt and Mrs. Joey Davis; a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. David Frizzell; a Christmas shower hosted by Mrs. Johnny Dorman, Mrs. Aaron Wilson and Mrs. Ricky Mosley; a spice and rice fete, given by Mrs. Buster Terrell; and a lingerie shower, hosted by Stephanie Bybee, Shandra Bybee and Sara Fitzgerald.



MRS. DENNIS TYKE DIPPREY
Portrait by Wilson Photography

Holladay and Adams recite nuptial promises



MR. AND MRS. BUCKY ADAMS
Portrait by Wilson Photography

Miss Margaret Holladay of Lockney and Bucky Adams of Petersburg recently exchanged wedding vows in a double ring ceremony at the First Baptist Church in Petersburg. The Rev. Waymon Swopes officiated.

Due to an accident, the bride was given away by her future father-in-law, J.D. Adams. She wore a floor length dress with cap sleeves and an empire waistline. The yoke was covered with lace and pearls and the ruffled hemline flowed into a chapel length train. She wore a fingertip veil which was attached to a tiara of lace and pearls. The bride wore a necklace and earrings made of shells that her grandfather brought from Guam in 1946, a blue garter made by her great-grandmother, she carried a handkerchief belonging to a great-great grandmother, and had pennies in her shoes with the bride and groom's birthdates.

Becky Pitchford, sister of the bride from Lockney, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Sarah Fitzgerald, Latona Davis and Irene Cantu, all of Lockney, and Nicki Race of Plainview. The attendants wore lavender wisteria dresses with a double ruffle around the hemline and a lace tunic overblouse. They carried lace fans with lavender and purple flowers.

The mother of the bride wore a blue crepe one-piece dress with long sleeves and accented with pearls. The mother of the groom wore a peach shirtwaist dress with a pleated skirt.

Candlelighters were Stephanie and Shandra Bybee of Lockney and flower girls were Teresa and Brandy Pitchford, sisters of the bride. Ring bearer was Matt Gregory of Lubbock.

Ricky Adams of Petersburg served his brother as best man. Groomsmen were Tom Gregory of Arlington, Doug Fullingim, Ted Matthews and Topsy Alford, all of Petersburg.

Ushers were Dan Gregory, Mike Willis, Bobby Sansom and Sam Matthews, all of Petersburg.

Bonnie Adams served as registrar. Donita Harkey of Petersburg and Lavonia Moody of Plainview played traditional wedding selections on the piano and organ. They accompanied Tony Gregory and Dee Dee Fullingim, both of Lubbock, as they sang "You and I."

The wedding ceremony was set among silk flowers, greenery and candelabra, which had been arranged by Becky Pitchford, sister of the bride. The flowers were in shades of lavender, purple and white with touches of grey.

The wedding reception was held in the fellowship hall following the wedding. The serving table was covered

with a lavender cloth with a net and lace ruffled overlay. The bride's bouquet served as the centerpiece for the four-tier cake and the cut glass punch bowl. The wedding cake and punch were served by Robin Carthel, cousin of the bride, and Heather Holt, both of Lockney. Other members of the house party were Barbara Carthel, Bobbie Muil, Marchelle Underwood and Beth Robertson. Chuck Wilson, of Lockney, took pictures of the momentous occasion.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pitchford of Lockney. She graduated from Lockney High School and is presently attending Texas Tech University.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Adams of Petersburg. He is a graduate of Petersburg High School and attended Texas Tech University. He is engaged in farming in Petersburg.

The two are at home in Petersburg following a wedding trip to Cancun, Mexico.

Senior Citizens

Chairs for the Lockney Senior Citizens Center have been purchased and delivered to the building. Work in the kitchen is almost finished, according to one member of the organization.

The kitchen cabinets have been completed and can now be stained. Workmen are also near completion of an island which will sit in the middle of the kitchen, and will hold the sinks.

As of deadline Monday, 35 people had purchased tickets to go see the outdoor drama "Texas." Members were planning to leave at 3:30 Tuesday afternoon in a chartered bus to make the trip to Palo Duro. They were to have a picnic supper before seeing the play.

The center raised \$275.00 last Thursday evening when 80 people turned out for the brisquet supper. To date there are 170 members in the organization. Also the basement has been painted and shelves are almost complete. At the present time plans are to use the basement for storage.

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Sidney Jackson feted with baby shower in Shelley Brock home

On Saturday, July 18, a baby shower was given in honor of Sidney Jackson in the home of Shelley Brock in Lockney. Special guests were grandmothers-to-be, Mrs. Linda Stewart of Colorado City, and Mrs. Gayle Jackson of Providence. Gloss Davies (great-grandmother-to-be), Kathy, Cara, Averri, and Crockett Davies, and Amy Havis all of Slaton; and Terrisue Sims of Snyder.

Sausage balls, cherry cheese cake bars, fresh fruit in a watermelon basket, and sparkling orange juice punch were

served to guests. The table was accented with a basket of daisies and other yellow and white cut flowers.

Special gifts received were a Graco swing, three hand-quilted baby quilts, (one by the great-grandmother-to-be), and a sweater that the father-to-be wore as a boy which was hand-knitted by his grandmother. This sweater had been passed on to Mart Todd Terrell and now back to the new Jackson baby.

Hostesses were Cindy Belt, Shelley Brock, Rise Ford, Retha Fortenberry, Chris Taylor, Karen Wilson, and Tami Wofford.

Former South Plains residents honored on golden anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morris of Welch were honored recently by their children with a fiftieth anniversary celebration.

Former residents of the South Plains community, Howard Morris and Gladys Gilliland were married July 15, 1937, in Lockney by the Rev. A.L. Shaw. They have resided near Welch in Dawson County since 1947.

All of the couple's offspring, their families and a sister and brother-in-law of Mrs. Morris attended services at Welch Baptist Church on Sunday morning. A catered luncheon followed in Fellowship Hall of the church.

From 2 to 4 p.m. a reception was held

in Fellowship Hall. The couple's 12 children, 27 of their 37 grandchildren, one of the two-great-grandchildren, other relatives and friends attended.

Children of the couple are Donna Sorrell of Perry, Okla.; Joyce Staley of Adamsville; Melvin Morris of Texarkana; Ann Wilson of Gardendale; Howard Dale of Krum; Arlen of Lamesa; Roy of Perry, Okla.; James of Snyder; Marcia of Wolforth; Terry of Lamesa; Keith of Lubbock and Linda Mayfield of Brownwood.

Other relatives present were Travis and Nettie Gilliland of Memphis, Lester and Aileen Dunn of Lubbock, Mae Bennett of Marietta, Ga., Bill and Ann Auburg of Midland.

Airman Kinard graduated from Air Force school



AIRMAN EDWIN P. KINARD

Airman Edwin R. Kinard, son of Roy F. Kinard of Lockney, has graduated from the U.S. Air Force electronic computer and switching systems course at Keesler Air Force Base, Miss. Graduates of the course were taught to inspect, operate and maintain electronic computers and related equipment, and earned credits toward an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force.

He is a 1982 graduate of Lockney High School.

Robin Carthel named honoree for bridal courtesy on July 11

The home of Mrs. Warren Mathis was the site Saturday, July 11, for a bridal courtesy honoring Robin Carthel, bride-elect of Billy Bob Sherman. Guests called between the hours of 2 and 3:30 p.m.

Miss Carthel and Sherman will exchange marriage promises on Aug. 15 in the home of the prospective bridegroom's parents.

Receiving guests were Mrs. Mathis; the honoree; Mrs. Charles Carthel, mother of the bride-elect; and Mrs. Bill Sherman, mother of the future bridegroom. They wore corsages of mauve and wedgewood blue silk flowers tied with lace ribbon.

Special guests were Mrs. Elfie Sherman, grandmother of the prospective bridegroom; Mrs. Charlotte Carthel and Mrs. Nina Yoakum of Plainview, grandmothers of the bride-elect.

Lavonna Pitchford, aunt of the future bride, presided at the guest registry.

The registration table was covered with a quilted tablecloth made by the bride-elect's mother in the wedding colors of mauve and wedgewood blue. Adorning the table was a picture grouping of the engaged couple, a silk

candling and a candle arrangement.

Lezlee Sherman and Ellen Yoakum served refreshments from a table covered with embroidered linen cloth, mauve and blue silk flower arrangements in a crystal bowl, silver and crystal appointments, mauve and blue napkins, punch, assorted fresh fruits with dip, tea sandwiches and individually iced cakes. Mrs. Sherman is a sister-in-law of the future bridegroom and Mrs. Yoakum, a Sweetwater resident, is an aunt of the bride-elect.

Presiding in the gift room were Linda Kidd, Charlann Burson, Shelley Brock, Nellie Webb, Terry Yoakum of Sweetwater, the honoree's cousin and Joey Rasco of Sweetwater.

Serving as hostesses were Anabel Bramlet, Shelley Brock, Charlann Burson, Barbara Cawley, Dovie Davis, Karen Evans, Myrtle Gibson, Glenda Ford, Naomi Johnston, Linda Kidd, Linda Lemons, Mary Louise McCarter, Debbie McCarty, Joyce Marks, Wanda Moats, Lisa Mosley, Wanda Smith, Sally Shaw, Shirley Sutterfield, Nellie Webb, Rita Webster, Barbara Cunyus, Molly Huffman and Barbara Mathis. Their gift to the honoree was a vacuum cleaner.

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ATTENTIVE — Congressman Beau Boulter [third from right facing camera] was all ears Sunday morning when he was met at Floydada Municipal Airport by a group of Floyd county farmers and officials to discuss the possibility of disaster

designation following severe hails which have ravaged crops throughout the county. Lockney Mayor Dan Smith [left] drove the congressman to several of the areas which received hail. — Staff photo

Plans completed for fair

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wide variety of events. Beginning Saturday morning will be the rabbit show in the livestock building. This show is sponsored by the Floyd County Rabbit Breeders Association and is open to the public. One of the highlights of the show will be the best dressed rabbit show during the show.

The annual parade will begin at 10:00 a.m. on the north end of Main Street.

The chili cookoff will kick off at 11:00 a.m. when all entrants must be in place at the cookoff sight. Judging of the cookoff will be at 5:00 p.m. on Saturday and after judging chili may be purchased by the public. In addition to the cookoff awards will be given in horse-shoe and washer pitching and there will be a jalapeno pepper eating contest for those brave enough to enter.

At 1:30 the Lockney FFA will hold its toy tractor pull on the slab east of the livestock building. And at 2:00 p.m. the Floyd County 4-H will hold the children's rodeo and playday.

The Little Miss Floyd County contest will begin at 3:00 p.m. in the entertainment building and the Miss Floyd County contest will begin at 7:00 p.m.

Closing the fair at 9:00 p.m. will be a dance with the Kountry Knights Band from Lubbock.

Everyone is reminded that the fair

admission is free, however there will be nominal charges for a few of the events. Make your plans to attend one of the few county fairs left.

Carlton family reunion held in Rexrode home

Members of the Carlton family gathered this past weekend at the home of Joe, Margie, Wyman and Heath Rexrode in the Lone Star community.

Saturday evening all attending the reunion enjoyed an outdoor chicken fry with salads, desserts and homemade ice cream.

Special guests attending included Clifford and Madge Crow, Myrl Buske, Lillian Jones and Jewell Robason, all of Friona and Shelbi Gray of Odessa. Don, Ethelyn, Donna, Robert and Tami Vernon, Mrs. Tina Rexrode, Jim Pinner, Brother and Mrs. Murle Rogers and Raetta Starnes were special Lockney guests.

Family members attending included Wilburn and Zula Carlton of Plainview, Sonny, Nell and Tracy Carlton and Shannon Jones of Tuscola, Texas, Stacey, Sharon (Jones), Ransom and Macon O'Shields of Idalou, Walter,

Randa, Marti, Jodi, Casey and Toni Carlton of Wink. Also, Milton, Sandi, and Angela Carlton of Plano, Debra Carlton of Hart, and Jim and Donette Weatherly of Conroe.



Quarterback Club elects officers

The Lockney Quarterback Club held its first organizational meeting of the 1987-88 year on July 16 in the home of Eddie and Cheryl Teeter. New officers were elected and fundraising projects for the coming year were discussed.

New officers for 1987-88 include president Eddie and Cheryl Teeter, vice president Dub and Peggy Hallmark, and secretary/treasurer Paul and Delinda Glasson.

Fundraising projects for the coming year will include two raffles, the sale of booster caps, and others will be announced at a later date.

Coach Jim Clark met with club members and discussed the latest guidelines on UIL regulations. He also announced that the team slogan for the coming year will be "Fighting Longhorns." He also told the group that the first scrimmage will be against Roosevelt in Lockney.

New club president Eddie Teeter would like to extend an invitation to the public to become members of the Quarterback Club.

Enthusiasm obvious in new coach

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SUPPORT CITED

Highly complimentary of Lockney, Coach Clark believes that "the participation level here is due to support and backing of our program." He notes that the school's record has been strong in other sports as well as football.

Malcom Moerbe, a veteran Longhorn coach, has been named first assistant and defensive coordinator by Coach Clark.

Two other staff holdovers are Randy Josie, offensive line, and Phil Cotham, receivers.

Tommy Kelly and Marcy Kemp are new members of the boys coaching staff. Kelly is to head the seventh grade program and help with the line on the high school level. Kemp will be in charge of the eighth grade boys as well as assisting with high school running backs.

Eddie Fortenberry, the new head of girls athletics, will serve as football scout. Karla Josie is assistant girls coach in all sports.

Kemp has served as an assistant coach in Bishop, under Clark, for the past four years. Prior to that time, he was associated with the Agua Dulce school system, including "10 or 11 years" as head coach.

Kelly "played high school ball for me in 1974-75 when I was working under Coach Tayrien as an assistant in Bishop," Clark says. He secured a degree in business and worked in private business before deciding to enter the coaching field. He re-entered college and earned his teaching certificate. "He's going to be a good one," Clark believes.

FOLLOWS TAYRIEN

Prior to accepting the Lockney position in May, Coach Clark served 13 years in the Bishop system. "When Coach Tayrien left in March of 1980, I became athletic director and head football coach," Clark says. Bishop is a AAA school.

Jim and Judy Clark are parents of two sons, Jim Clark Jr., 19, a May graduate of Bishop High School who plans to

enter Texas A&I at Kingsville this fall, and Jason Clark, 10, a fifth grader. Mrs. Clark and her youngest son will be moving to Lockney, "hopefully within the next two weeks."

The Clarks are members of the Baptist Church.

SEASON NEARS

Shoes and socks will be issued to high school gridders on Wednesday, Aug. 5, beginning at 9 a.m. at the field house.

The following Friday, Aug. 7, all high school and junior high boys who plan to participate in athletics are scheduled to have physicals at 5:30 p.m. "If they can come in 30 or 40 minutes early, we can have them lined out and ready when the doctors arrive."

Coach Clark and his staff are planning a meeting with high school football players and their parents at 8 p.m. Friday, Aug. 7, in the elementary school cafeteria. Among items discussed will be the insurance program for all sports.

A similar meeting with junior high parents will be held at the beginning of school.

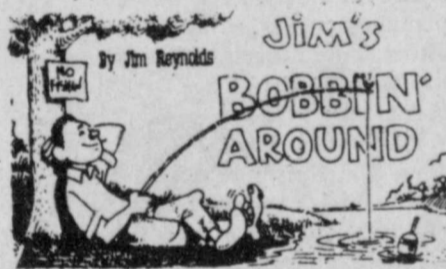
Regular two-a-day practices begin at 9 a.m. on Monday, Aug. 10. The two-a-day schedule is to continue "through probably the 20th, for sure. We'll cut back to one-a-days when school starts."

The Longhorns will have two scrimmages, the first against Roosevelt on the home field and the second in New Deal. Dates and times for the scrimmages will be announced later.

The season opener is slated for 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 4, at Ralls.

In addition to Clark heading the football program, other head coaches include: boys basketball, Cotham; girls basketball, Fortenberry; boys track, Clark; girls track, Fortenberry; tennis, Moerbe; cross country, Fortenberry.

"Ever since I accepted the Lockney job, I've been excited about getting up here, getting settled in and getting to work," Jim Clark observes.



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Son, take it from some guys with a lot of mileage behind them: To you—with a lot of mileage still ahead of you—it just

isn't worth it! DON'T DO IT! —Kansas VFW Bulletin *****

IT'S WHAT

Henry Russell called his brother Wayne in Floydada last Tuesday night to learn more about the adverse weather that ravaged this and neighboring counties that night.

Henry had heard over a Denver TV station that "Floy-dodda" had severe weather.

Someone familiar with West Texas had phoned the TV station to correct the pronunciation.

SWITCHING TO BOWLING

A fellow says he is ready to make the big switch from golf to bowling, because the latter is less expensive. He bowled for three hours one night, he explains, and only lost one ball! *****

LOVES SMALL TOWN

A Tulia medical doctor, Dr. Gordon Scott, was featured in the June 6 issue of "Medical Economics" magazine, and he relates how he made the decision to go from daily surgical work in Albuquerque, N.M., into family practice at

Tulia.

His story is quite a transition in an era when many persons prefer the metropolitan areas.

Dr. Scott was averaging 20 major operations a month. He wanted to get out of the stress of the big city and surgical procedures. In the article, he explains how he returned to medical school, learned up-to-date primary medicine and moved to Tulia.

He describes how happy he is that he made the decision, he brags on the new Tulia clinic in which he works and about a town that still has old fashioned soda fountains.

"Tulia is my Shangri-la," he says. "Albuquerque's population had skyrocketed during my 20 years there, and I was weary of the crime, traffic and smog. Tulia is a clean little town with only three traffic lights and you can get anywhere within five minutes. The move here (Tulia) was like traveling in a time machine to a more pleasant era."

The good doctor's sentiments are as refreshing as a breath of spring air. Some of us reside in a small town by choice, and we suspect that others would make the same decision if suitable employment was available.

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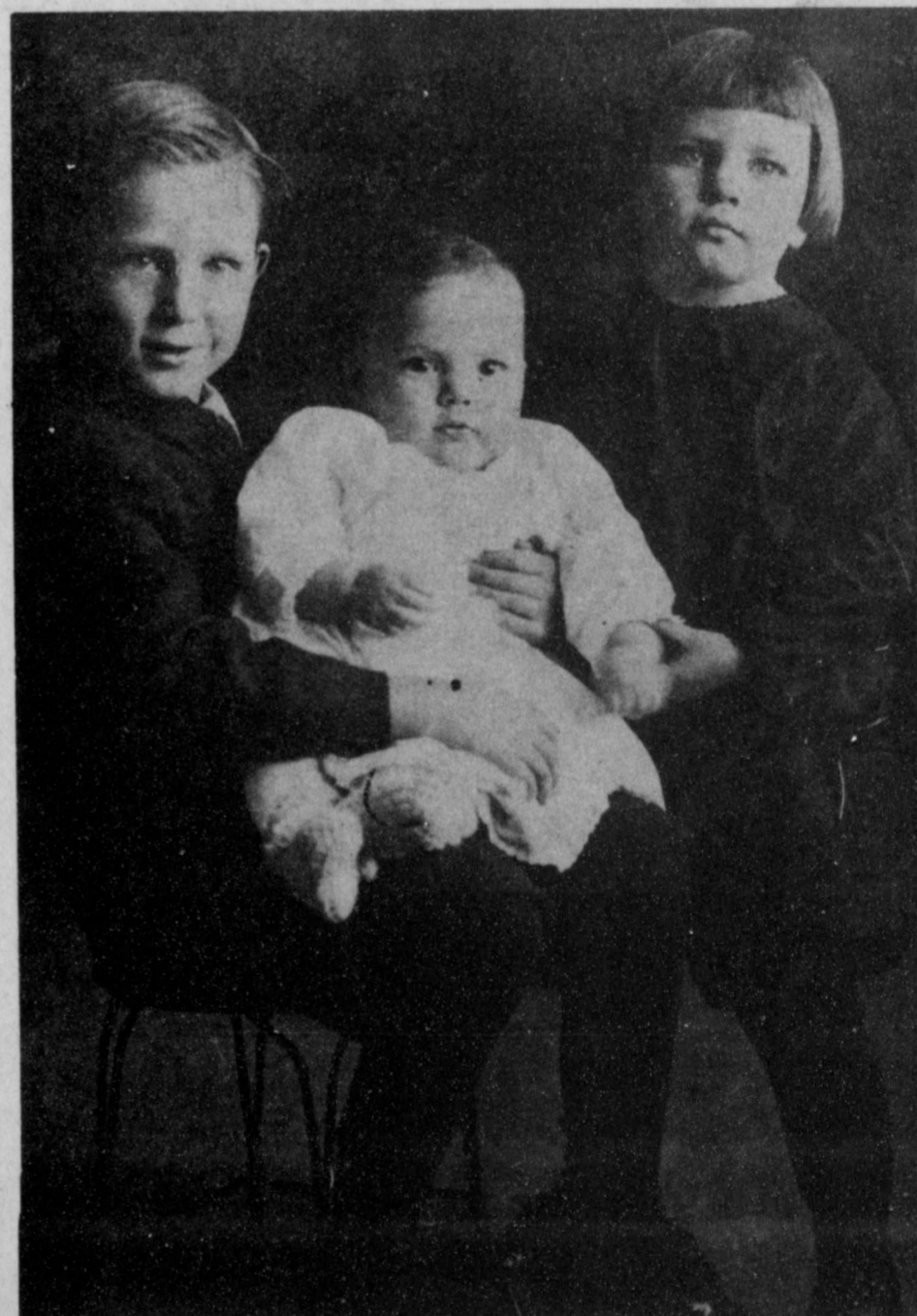
If you tell a man there are 300 billion stars in the universe, he'll believe you. But if you tell him a bench has just been painted, he has to touch it to be sure. *****

Have a good week

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