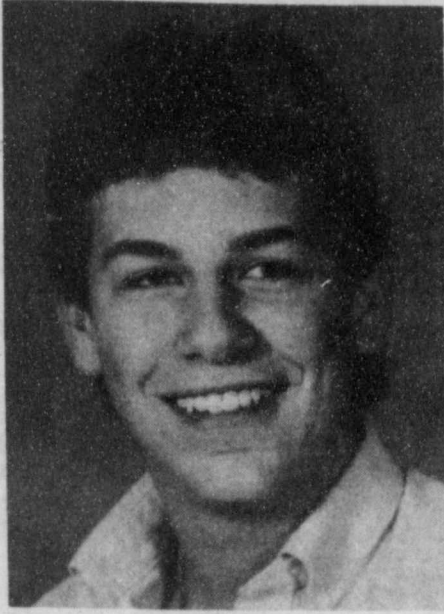


Trio of Lockneyites earn highest state FFA degrees



CLAY ADRIAN

During the State FFA convention, held July 14-17 in Fort Worth, three Lockney FFA members were announced as having achieved the highest degree awarded at the state level.

Clay Adrian, Boyd Jackson and Lori Smith, all senior members of the Lockney FFA Chapter, have achieved the degrees. In order to achieve the Lone Star Farmer Degree a student must complete a great number of steps in the local FFA program.

Included in the steps to achieving the State Farmer Degree, which in Texas is called the Lone Star Farmer Degree, are receiving the Chapter Farmer degree, having been an FFA member for the past two years (24 months), must be enrolled into second year of instruction

in a vocational education course for agriculture occupation, must have a supervised farming and/or other agriculture occupation experience program, have productively earned and invested a minimum of \$500 from one's own efforts in an ag related project or projects.

Also one must be able to demonstrate leadership skills which include serving as a chapter officer, being able to lead group discussions, and making speeches, and must demonstrate scholastic ability in other areas of school work.

This is just a summary of some of the many activities that must be completed to achieve the Lone Star Farmer Degree "which is not easy and requires a lot of work."

CLAY ADRIAN
 Clay Adrian has been showing bar-

rows in the local, county and other shows for a number of years. In addition to shows Clay has also been involved in gilt raising for pork production. He also has an exchange enterprise with milo crops and gardening. He has served as the secretary of the Lockney FFA Chapter for the 1986-87 year and is presently engaged in farming with his father.

Adrian is a second generation Lone Star Farmer recipient in his family. His father Larry achieved the degree in 1959 while attending Idalou High School. Larry also received the American Farmer Degree, the highest nationally awarded, while attending Texas Tech University in 1961.

Clay will be a senior at Lockney High School this year and is the son of Larry

and Sandy Adrian.

BOYD JACKSON

Boyd Jackson, son of D.K. and Gayle Jackson, of the Providence community, has been active in showing barrows at the local and county stock shows for several years, and has made the journey to other shows across the state to show pigs. He also served as the first vice president of the Lockney FFA Chapter for the 1986-87 year.

Boyd is presently engaged in farming with his father. His brother, Dwight Jr., was a recipient of the Lone Star Farmer Degree while he was a student at LHS also.

LORI SMITH
 Lori Smith is the only young lady from

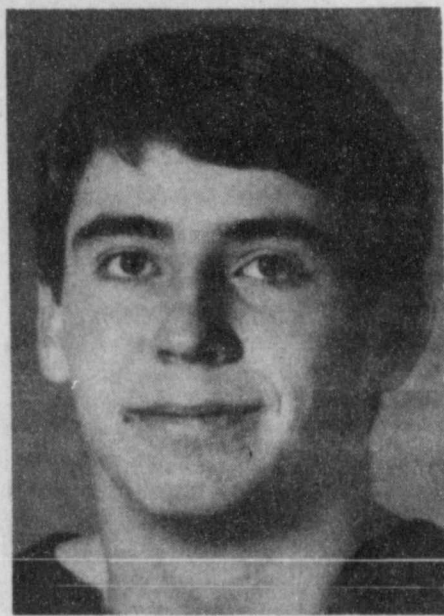
the Lockney FFA Chapter to ever achieve the Lone Star Farmer Degree.

Lori is active in the FFA program through livestock showing which includes lambs and barrows. She has participated in public speaking and on the dairy cattle judging team at LHS.

She has been serving as the reporter for the Lockney chapter during the 1986-87 year.

The only other person in Lori's family to achieve the degree was her cousin, Danny Castleberry of Plainview. Lori is the daughter of Herbert and Sharon Smith of Providence.

Miss Smith was the lone delegate from Lockney to attend the convention.



BOYD JACKSON

Dr. Prater joins local medical staff

Cogdell Clinic in Lockney and Doctors Bill and Gary Mangold "are proud to announce the association of Dr. W. Elmo Prater Jr., M.D.," according to information secured this week. Dr. Prater will begin his practice next Monday, Aug. 3.

A Paducah native, Dr. Prater was graduated with honors from Texas A&M University in 1979 and performed one year of post-graduate work in molecular genetics in 1980. He was graduated from medical school at UTMB (University of Texas Medical Branch) Galveston in 1984, with Alpha Omega Alpha and OB/GYN honors.

The new Lockney doctor recently completed a three-year family practice residency at John Peter Smith Hospital in Fort Worth, where he was recognized for having the highest three-year cumulative American Board of Family Practice in-service examination scores.

Dr. Prater, his wife Tracy, their son Will and daughter Megan have moved to Lockney from Fort Worth. They reside at 520 West Spruce (former residence of Donald and Mavis Reece).

The Praters are members of the First United Methodist Church in Lockney.

"Dr. Prater's association with the clinic will bring new diagnostic modal-

ities including obstetrical ultrasound, EKG exercise stress testing, sigmoid-colonoscopy and colposcopy." The Beacon was informed.

The new medical staff member states that he is happy to be back in this part of Texas. "The neighborly and friendly attitudes of the people are the greatest natural resources found in the Texas Panhandle, plains and rolling plains area."

He adds, "I hope to continue the fine tradition at the Cogdell Clinic of excellent medical care at the lowest possible expense to the patients."

During an August 1986 interview with

The Beacon, Dr. Prater was asked why he chose to establish his practice in Lockney. He responded, "I really wanted to go back to a rural community to establish my practice. I am from Paducah and I wanted to come back to a small community. I have lived in larger cities while attending school and I just prefer to practice in a small community."

Another reason he chose Lockney was his preference to work with other doctors who were trained in family practice program in the state of Texas. We are trained to deal with all phases of medicine by specialists in all fields.

"I wanted more than anything to establish a practice with doctors like myself who were trained at John Peter

Smith. I wanted to establish myself with an aggressive family practice and this facility has that. They deal with all areas of family medicine and including surgery and especially in the area of obstetrics."

In an earlier interview, Dr. Prater had also stated that he liked Lockney "because it's not isolated. When we are in training we are taught to deal with every situation and we are trained to the extent that we know when we must seek help from specialists and larger hospital facilities to get the best care for our patients."

"Lockney has access to Plainview, which is just a few minutes away, and Lubbock, which is just about an hour from here."



LORI SMITH

It's almost ready!

The Lockney Senior Citizens building is nearing completion. Mini blinds for the front windows were installed last week.

Also last week the lots around the building were leveled and this week they are being paved for parking both in the front and on the west side. Plumbing for the dishwasher, which has already arrived, has been completed and is now ready for use, as are the

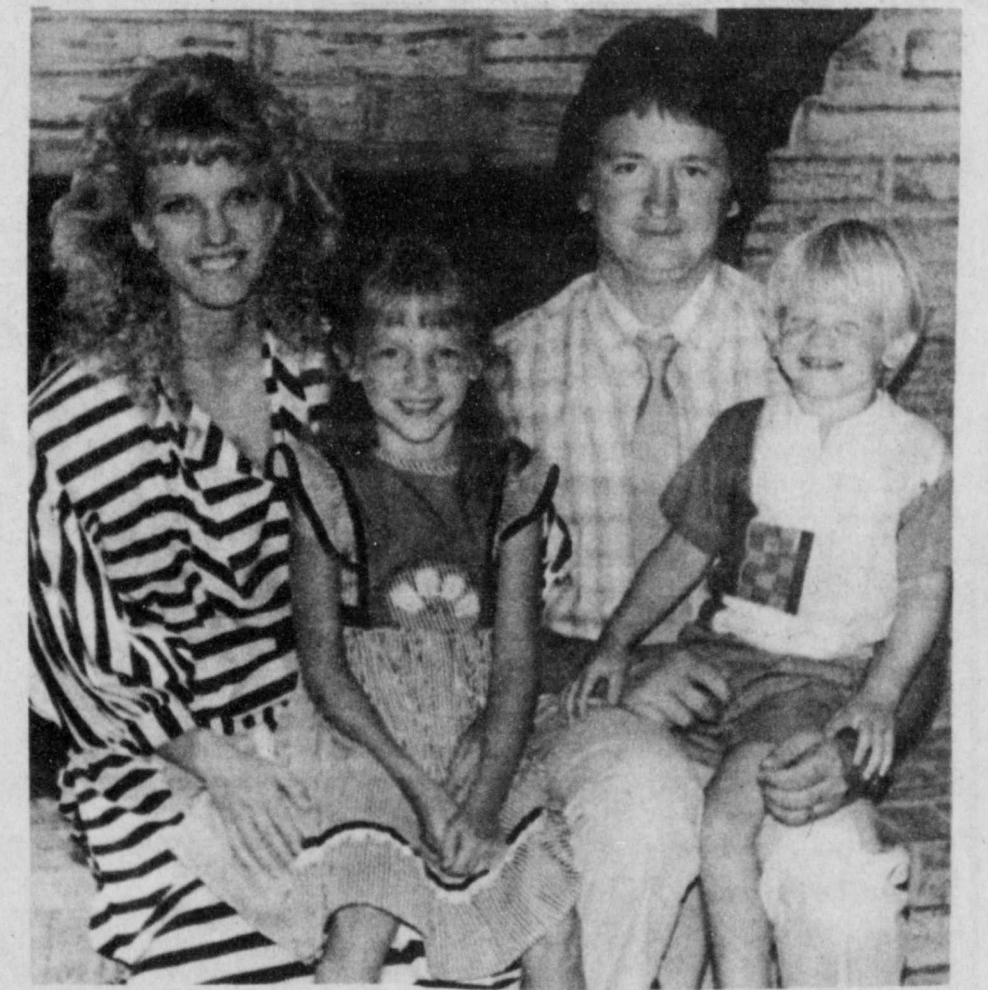
sinks. The monthly party for those with birthdays in July will be Friday, July 31, at the Senior Citizens Center at 6:30 p.m. and everyone is invited.

Kathryn Cooper has been selected as the chairman of the booth for the Floyd County Fair. The senior citizens will be operating a food booth in the area which the Eastern Star has had for a number of years.

Senior Citizens Center nearing completion

More members are coming in each week and anyone who would like to join is invited to do so.

Anyone who is interested in seeing a Dallas Cowboys football game is asked to call W.L. Carthel at 652-2674 as soon as possible. The Senior Citizens organization is trying to plan a trip this fall and there must be at least 47 to make the trip. Carthel has information as to the cost of the trip.



NEW LOCKNEY PHYSICIAN—Dr. and Mrs. W. Elmo Prater Jr., daughter Megan (six years) and son Will (three). The family has moved to 520 W. Spruce in Lockney. Staff Photo

Dr. Lane Glenn dies

Dr. T.L. (Lane) Glenn, a former Lockney General Hospital practitioner who underwent a heart transplant last August, died at 6:24 a.m. Sunday in St. Luke's Hospital in Houston.

Memorial services were at 11 a.m. Wednesday in the Bailey-Foster Funeral Home chapel in Palestine.

Graveside rites and burial were at 3:30 p.m. that day in Forest Park Cemetery in Greenville.

Dr. Glenn, who practiced in Lockney from 1960 through 1972, underwent the transplant following his second heart attack, according to local friends. He was a radiologist at Palestine at the time.

He was readmitted on several occasions to the Houston hospital, where the surgery was performed.

According to Dr. W.J. Mangold, who was associated with Dr. Glenn at Lockney General Hospital for 12 years, the Glenn family moved from here to Corpus Christi and he later studied in the field of radiology at Dallas before opening his practice in this field at

Palestine. Dr. Glenn was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force, was a member of First United Methodist Church of Palestine and held membership in a medical fraternity, according to information from Palestine.

He is survived by his wife, Hope; three daughters, Debra Ann Glenn of Lake Jackson, Susan Rene Beckham of Richardson and Sheri Diane Glenn of Austin; one son, Thomas L. Glenn Jr. of Dallas; one sister, Mary Ann Melton of Plattsmouth, Neb.; and one grandson.

August 17 date for distribution of commodities

Distribution of commodities is scheduled from 2:30 until 5 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 17, at the Lockney Community Center.

Authorities ask that no one arrive prior to 2:30 p.m. Recipients are asked to bring their white commodity card and a container for the commodities.

New applications will not be accepted after 4:30 p.m.

Search continues for suspect in rape-robbery

Lawmen continue their search early this week for an area man who abducted at knife-point a 22-year-old Lockney woman and later took her to Lubbock, where she was raped. According to one source, the woman feared for her life during the time she was held captive.

Lawmen report that the victim did not know her abductors.

Apparently, robbery was the original motive as a couple - described as a Hispanic man and woman in their mid-20s who had a baby with them - allegedly broke into the house about 3 a.m. Thursday and held the woman at knife-point during the robbery. The Lockneyite was alone in the residence when the ordeal began.

The intruders reportedly went through the house "looking for property to steal" and located a pistol belonging to the victim's father.

However, the couple did not take the weapon.

They took a 25-inch console television and a clarinet before allegedly forcing the woman into an older-model gray and maroon car. She was driven to an Avenue Q (downtown) motel in Lub-

bock.

The female involved in the robbery-abduction and her child - believed to be 10 to 11 months old - left the motel room. The man reportedly then sexually assaulted the Lockney woman before departing the room himself.

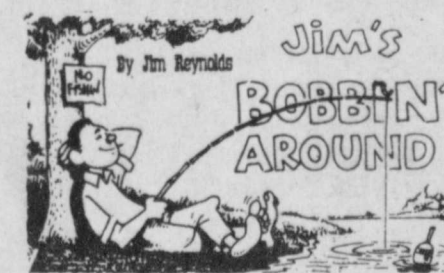
The male suspect could have been a Lockney resident at one time.

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.



CONFIDENCE

Wouldn't it be nice to be as sure of anything as some people are of everything?

'THINGS' NOT IMPORTANT

Don't give your children too many things. In our affluent and permissive society, this advice is hard for most parents to follow. But the truth is, too many things do not lead to happiness, they lead to boredom. It was Thoreau, I think, who said that a man is rich in what he can do without. By the same paradox, a child can be very poor if his parents give him too much. —Norman Vincent Peale

LAUGHTER: GOOD MEDICINE

The long home summer drags on—or should I say, it moves on apace, because it does seem that the days are flying by. Here we are already in the middle of July! School is only one and 1/2 months away, and vacation time may get here for Rambler yet!

But it is hot! and when it's hot, nobody feels very jolly...in fact, Rambler feels decidedly grumpy most of the time. But I see that research continues to find out new things about laughing; well, not laughing per se, but about the good feelings that promote laughing.

For instance:

*Laughter lowers your infection rate.

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Senior Citizens Rockin's

Jewel Fortenberry returned home after traveling for three weeks with her son and wife Elmo and Della. They traveled through Utah, Colorado and New Mexico. Jewel visited with her brother, Cecil McCain in Albuquerque and her brother Clifton McCain in Amarillo.

Ross and Kathryn Cooper attended the Hale cousin reunion in Lubbock, there were 104 in attendance.

Visiting Squealer and Helen Hodel was John L. and Elizabeth Riley from Ingram, Texas. They joined Senior Citizens.

Visiting with Hazel Johnson last weekend was her daughter, Mary and family from Arlington, they were on their way home after vacationing in Colorado.

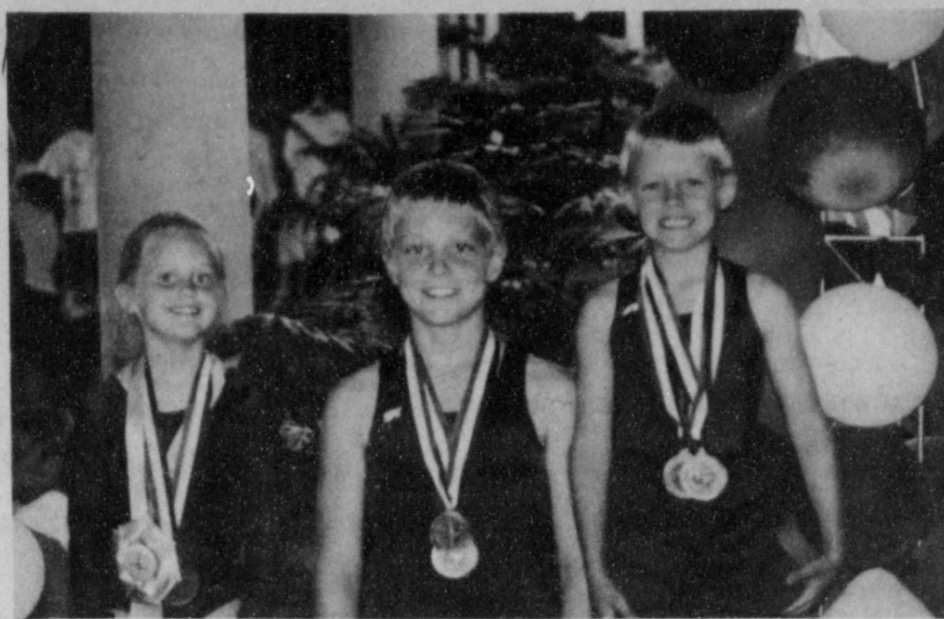
Dr. and Mrs. Charles Huffman and sons from Waco stopped by to visit Les and Faye Ferguson on their way to Colorado for a vacation.

W.L. and Clementine Carthel flew to Dallas Monday afternoon so they could

visit Clementine's niece and family from Switzerland.

There were 30 Senior Citizens and four other people who made the trip to see "Texas" Tuesday, July 21st. All really enjoyed the trip, although the bus broke down in Plainview, all arrived in Lockney at 2:30 a.m. There were some sleepy Senior Citizens all day Wednesday.

Making the trip were: Mr. and Mrs. Elton Wylie, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Workman, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Stansell, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stennett, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reves, Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Carthel, Mr. and Mrs. James Hill, Ina Phillips, Elfie Parker, Maxine Hill, Velma Harrison, Bertha Rollings, Lorene Arterburn, Clara Reecer, May Pearl Burns, Hazel Johnson, Mary Ansley, Mildred Martin, Mary Lou Bollman, all members; and citizens, Claude Workman, Ona Jones, Katie Thorpe and Beatrice Bilberry.



GYMNASTICS WINNERS—Nicole, Jared and Johnnie Mosley, children of Rick and Lisa Mosley of Lockney, excelled in the Tri-State Gymnastics meet in Andrews. Nicole, 5, and Johnnie, 8, placed first overall in trampoline in their respective age divisions. Jared, 10, placed first overall in tumbling in his age division. In other competition, Nicola and Johnnie received seventh and second, respectively, in tumbling and Jared earned third in trampoline. They are grandchildren of Howard and Jackie Gregory of Floydada and Boyce and Inez Mosley of Lockney.

Have a good week

1987 Lockney women's softball season ends

By Karen Quebe

It seems like only yesterday we were hunting for umpires, pulling weeds, and raking cotton off the field in order for the Lockney Women's Softball Association teams to begin their season. I can't believe it has already been seven weeks and the season is over. This year we had seven teams in the league. They included Byrd's Pharmacy coached by Arcenio Martinez, Classics coached by Robert Luna, Jessie's Jammers coached by Jessie Garza, Myths coached by Joe Munoz, Thompson's Pharmacy coached by Kyle Smith, Pretenders coached by Isaias Lerma, and Providence coached by Harvey Shedd. These teams battled back and forth for seven weeks until Providence came out on top with eleven wins, Thompson's in second place with ten wins and the Pretenders in third

with eight wins.

It was enjoyable to watch all the women out there having a good time. With each game, batting improved and some outfield players made some "miracle" catches. All in all, I feel everyone had a good time playing.

Each year, at the end of the season, two players from each team are chosen as "All Star" winners. This year we had several ties so some teams had more than two players chosen. The "All Star" winners included Lisa Mosley, Susan Thomas and Julie Hancock from Byrd's; Margie Cisneros and Paula Ratliff from the Classics; Ester Garcia and Mary Ann Kelly from the Jammers; Cinde Clark and Deloise McDonald from the Myths; Nora Collins and Dixie Smith from Thompson's; Cecelia Garcia and Delia Medrano from the Preten-

ders; and Darla Ford and Karen Quebe from Providence.

Special thanks goes out to Julie Hancock and Arcenio Martinez. These two people were instrumental in keeping the league operating. If I tried to thank everyone by listing names I'm sure I'd forget someone, so I'll just thank all the coaches, team members and fans for a successful season.

The 1987 season may be the last we see of the Lockney Women's Softball Association. I have been involved as an officer for three years. Julie Hancock has been an officer for two years and Arcenio Martinez has been involved since the association was formed. Each year at the officer elections, the same faces appear and volunteer to get things organized. Next year may be a different story. Because of two surgeries to my

knee, my softball playing days are over. Julie and Arcenio both work full-time during the summer. Getting the league organized is not difficult if there are enough people involved. If there is to be a league in 1988, when you read the notice of officer elections, get involved. The past officers will be willing to help, but I know the same people are tired of doing it year after year. Over eighty women played in the league, but only a handful got involved. Don't let the association end in 1987. If you want to play, get involved.

Recipe shower given for Robin Carthel

The Women's Firemen's Auxiliary gave Robin Carthel a surprise recipe shower in the home of Karen Hooten. Everyone brought recipes and the ingredients for the recipe.

Those present were Karen Hooten, Barbara Carthel, Bertha Hooten, Arlene Hayter, Julie Ellison, Charlotte Hooten, Libby Delgado and Nora Martinez.

The shower was given on Tuesday, July 21, 7:30 p.m. Refreshments were served.

Square Dance News

By Jim Huggins

Whirlers will have two dances away from the Massie Activity Center during August. The regular first Friday club dance August 7 will be at Bramlet's barn with Harmon Wilson from Level-land calling. Club caller Sid Perkins will call the county fair special August 20 in Lockney.

Visiting dancers and spectators are welcome at all Whirlers dances. Admission to all regular club dances is free for dancers and viewers alike, but dancers at the fair special will be asked to donate \$2 each. Proceeds go to the fair

association. There is no charge to watch the dancing at the fair, and a large audience is expected.

The club will have a float in the fair parade again this year. The parade will be Saturday morning, August 22, in downtown Lockney.

Sid is the caller for the Sandhills Celebration street dance this Saturday (Aug. 1) in Olton.

Several Whirlers plan to dance at Ruidoso one weekend in August. Workshopers got a good look at left-hand ocean waves last Thursday. "Follow your neighbor..."

Saturday bridal shower honors Libby Williams

A shower for Libby Williams, bride-elect of Greg Sullivan, was given in the home of Mrs. Rickey Mosley from 10-11:30 a.m. Saturday, July 11.

Special guests included Kay Williams, mother of the bride-elect; Elizabeth Sullivan, mother of the prospective groom; Gladys Golden and Ilyene Williams, grandmothers of the honoree; Jill Golden and Bea Tomlinson, aunt and great-aunt of the honoree; and Debbie, sister of the prospective groom.

The registration table was decorated with black, pink and lavender tablecloth covered with eyelet overlay. A vase of fresh gladiolas adorned the table.

The serving table was covered with a black, pink and lavender English country print overlaid with white Battenburg

lace. Guests were served on various china cups and dessert plates. The table featured a whitewashed heart-shaped grapevine basket decorated with baby's breath and pastel flowers. The basket was a gift from the hostesses to Libby and Greg.

A set of Magnalite cookware was given to the honoree by hostesses Latona Davis, Betonia Belt, Peggy Hallmark, Charlotte Mitchell, Jackie Holt, Flora Lee Jack, Gayle Jackson, Martha Sue Lusk, Barbara Mathis, Barbara Cunyus, Sally Shaw, Cindy Smith, Cheryl Teeter, Linda Terrell, Pat Thornton, Jinna Sue Turner, Barbara Cawley, Cindy Belt, Treena Aston, Charlotte Brock, LaDora Afill, Vera Jo Bybee, Sheryl Bybee, Myrtle Gibson and Lisa Mosley.

Department of Public Safety report

Capt. L.A. Reinhart, District Supervisor of the Lubbock Highway Patrol District comprising of 21 counties said, "For the month of June, our troopers investigated six fatal accidents, 71 personal injury accidents, and 56 property damage accidents. There were seven persons killed and 71 persons injured in these accidents."

Sgt. Glenn Fant of Crosbyton stated, "In Floyd county, our troopers investigated no fatal accident(s), two personal injury accident(s), and two property damage accident(s) in the month of June. No persons were killed and two persons were injured in these accidents."

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.

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OBITUARIES

BAYNARD CARTHEL

Baynard Carthel of Plainview, who had a lifelong association with Lockney, was buried Monday afternoon in Plainview Memorial Park following 2 p.m. Monday memorial services in the Eleventh and Amarillo Church of Christ in Plainview.

W.A. Marshall of Plainview and Boyce Mosley of Lockney officiated.

Mr. Carthel, 69, was claimed by death at 8:55 a.m. Saturday in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock following a lengthy illness.

Born in Lockney and graduated from Lockney High School, he moved to Plainview in 1941. Mr. Carthel and the former Ida V. Mixon were married Oct. 24, 1942, in Portales, N.M.

He was an LP fuel dealer, operating Carthel Inc. prior to his retirement.

Active in civic work, he helped organize the Plainview Little League in the early 1950s, was a member of the Plainview Chamber of Commerce, Plainview Industrial Foundation, Texas LP Gas Association and National LP Gas Association. He was a former member of the American Businessmen's Association and Plainview Zoning Board.

Mr. Carthel was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Billy Carthel of Plainview; a daughter, Patsy Havis of Plainview; two sisters,

Luella Edwards of Plainview and Leu-ana Staggs of Orlando, Fla.; and four grandchildren.

BENITA NARANJO

Mass for Benita Naranjo of Lockney was celebrated at 2 p.m. Monday in San Jose Catholic Church with Deacon Joe Garcia officiating. Rosary was recited at 7 p.m. Sunday in the same church.

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

Mrs. Naranjo, 58, was claimed by death Friday morning in Lockney General Hospital after a sudden illness.

Born in Atascosa County, she was married to Elisandro Naranjo on May 23, 1952, in Greeley, Colo. The family moved to Floyd County in 1969.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Elisandro Naranjo Jr. and Peter Naranjo; seven daughters, Lydia Ramos and Estella Naranjo, both of Greeley, Colo., Eva Naranjo of Milliken, Colo., Rita Naranjo, Dora Mendez, Aurora Naranjo and Virginia Naranjo, all of Lockney; three brothers, Refugio Arguijo of California, Max Arguijo of Pleafanpon and Eugene Arguijo of Kermit; two sisters, Dora Castillo of Pleafanpon and Pauline Martinez of Lockney; 16 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Castillo family home, 1001 N. Main St., Lockney, Texas, on Monday, July 27, at 10 a.m. Burial was in the Lockney Cemetery. The casket will be in state at the Castillo home.

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4-H'ers to advance to district show

Monday, July 27, members of the Floyd County 4-H organization who participated in the clothing category gathered in the Lockney Elementary Cafeteria for the annual county fashion show. This year there were 15 participants and eight of those placed first in their respective areas and will be going on to district competition on August 3 in Lubbock.

Leading off the event was the Junior I category in which eight young women competed. Taking first place in dressy wear was Mandy Hunter and Charla Yearly placed second. First place in casual wear was Joni Smith and second place went to Carrie Emert. Also competing in casual dress were Aimee Fondy, Heather Fondy, and Stacy Lloyd. The only entry in the buying category was Misty Bertrand and she placed first.

Taking first place in Junior II casual wear was Carolyn Turner, and her sister Amy placed second. Heather Henderson placed first in the Junior II buying division.

Four young women competed in the senior division. Sharon Smith took first place and Loretta Turner was second in the non-tailored day-wear. Gwen Lane took first place in the buying category of non-tailored daywear, and Kelli LaBaume was first place in the buying of evening wear.

Judges for this year's event were Lynda Fogerson, Julie Ellison, and Laura Nutt. Many of the prizes for the event were provided by Fabrics, Etc., of Plainview.



FASHION SHOW WINNERS—Lockney young women who participated in the annual Floyd County Fashion Show included [back] Loretta Turner, Gwen Lane, Heather Henderson, Amy Turner, [front] Mandy Hunter, and Carolyn

Turner. Mandy, Carolyn, Heather and Gwen will all be traveling to Lubbock to participate in the District show at Texas Tech University on August 3, at 7:00 p.m.

—Staff photo

Have A Nice Day!

Raetta Starnes home from FFA national leadership conference

Raetta Starnes has returned from Washington D.C., where she attended a national FFA leadership conference. A member of the Lockney High

School FFA Chapter, Miss Starnes serves as a district officer.

She is the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Ray Starnes.

Blood drive set August 14

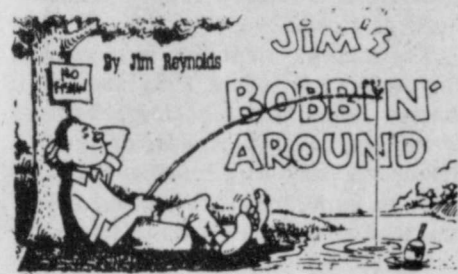
Donate blood and sign up to win a trip to Washington, D.C. on August 14.

The third of five blood drives, sponsored by Lockney General Hospital and held at the Lockney Beacon office, will be held on August 14 from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. in the new Beacon office (the old Energas office). Anyone who would like to make an appointment may do so by calling Dimple Adams at the hospital, 652-3373, or by calling Pam at the Beacon office, 652-3318.

Theme for the blood drive will be Hawaiian luau. Technicians from United Blood Services will come dressed for the occasion and refreshments will include non alcoholic Pina Colodas. "While enjoying the Hawaiian theme you may also sign up for a week-long vacation for four to Washington, D.C.," sponsors state. The winner of the trip will receive flight to and from Washington, D.C., hotel accommodations for four for seven days and six nights and \$2000 in spending money.

You may sign up once for each pint of blood donated and also you may sign up extra times for all those you can recruit to give blood.

"Take just 30 minutes of your time to help someone by donating blood," sponsors request.



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Laugh a lot to stave off colds, flue, and other infections.

*Humor directly opposes negative emotions such as fear and rage—prime emotions that promote heart attacks and stroke!

*People in good spirits let out 100-400 laughs each day. (Have you had your quota in awhile?)

*You are underlaughed if you have less than 15 laughs a day, three of which are bellylaughs.

*Fifteen minutes of laughter can produce two hours of restful sleep. However, finding a good TV program to get fifteen minutes of laughter during prime time may be impossible.

*Humor increases creativity.

If you are having trouble thinking of something to laugh about in today's hard economic times, you might consider this: It's no harder to laugh than to cry or frown, and it may make people think you've finally lost your mind. That might give them a big laugh, and think how much good you'd be doing humanity.

We all need to laugh at ourselves, too. Probably one of our biggest faults is the inability to see the funny side of life's situations. We take everything so seriously, and we get ulcers or high blood pressure, and go around with a long face and pitiful expression. Then we wonder why our friends all seem to have evaporated, and nobody cares anything about being around us. Well, the old saying is true as can be: "Laugh, and the world laughs with you; Cry, and you cry alone."

—Jimmye Taylor, Paducah Post

EARLY CAMPAIGNS

If you think the 1988 presidential campaign is starting off a little early, how about the Texas gubernatorial race?

Jim Mattox and Bill Hobby already are attacking each other. They're prospective candidates—for the 1990 race. —Wendell Faight, Haskell Free Press

LACK OF EDUCATION BIGGEST CAUSE OF CRIME

Since we have just completed graduation exercises in our local schools, we were reminded of points made by District Attorney Johnny Actkinson in a recent speech that ye editor was privileged to hear.

We thought that it might be good to emphasize Actkinson's points, in order to encourage the youngsters who have just received either their high school or eighth grade diplomas to stay in school and continue their education.

Lack of education, Actkinson charges, is the biggest cause of crime. And he backs up his statement with some pretty impressive statistics.

In 600 cases that the Parmer County lawyer has tried and kept records on, only one involved a person with a college education. Further, only ten of the 600 brought to court had high school diplomas.

The average educational level, Actkinson said, seemed to be the eighth grade, and this is a plateau which many youngsters, both in Parmer County and elsewhere, have just reached.

These statistics, based on real cases—not from Dallas, Houston or New York—but from right here in Parmer County, should serve as an incentive for youngsters to pursue their education.

Alcohol and/or drugs also seem to play a prominent role in criminal activities, the district attorney says.

Either alcohol or drugs have been involved in 90 per cent of the misdemeanor cases in which he has been involved. Overall, 75 per cent of those changed with crimes have used an illegal drug.

If a young person needs any further arguments against using drugs or alcohol, perhaps these statistics will be a help.

The state's penal institutions are extremely costly to the taxpayers. In the latest figures available, a total of \$252 million was required in taxes for the state's prison system.

A lot of the expenditures are required for educational programs within the prison. And with the average educational level at about the eighth grade, you can see that those in prison are considerably lacking in this regard.

Due to the high cost per inmate in the Texas prison system, the district attorney suggested that every effort be made to keep youngsters in school, since the cost of educating young people in public schools is considerably less than the cost to taxpayers once these people become prison inmates.

Another thing that Actkinson brought up is the fact that small towns and communities seem to have a lesser percentage of crimes than the larger, metropolitan areas.

The District Attorney didn't have any definite statistics to illustrate his statement, but indicated that residents in smaller communities seem to have a more strict attitude against crime.

It seems that small-town residents have the expectation that criminals should be prosecuted, and with that attitude, would-be criminals are less likely to commit crimes.

Whereas in the larger cities, such crimes as armed robbery are almost commonplace, Actkinson said that he went several years without having such a crime committed in his jurisdiction, which includes Parmer and Bailey counties.

Murders, thankfully, have been few and far between in our counties. This speaks for a better quality of life in the rural areas, something many of us have known for a good many years. —Bill Ellis in The Friona Star

AG IMPORTANCE

"Let us never forget the cultivation of the earth is the most important labor of man. Unstable is the future of that country which has lost its taste for agriculture. If there is one lesson in history which is unmistakable, it is that national strength lies very near the soil." —Daniel Webster

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank the many people who have generously given to the Love Fund for me during my illness. May God Bless you all.

Cindy Barnes Strickland & Family



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Sweepstakes dates:
May 22 - September 13, 1987

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Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor;

So - where is the story?? One week you run Front Page, "Stabbing victim in serious condition," and you mention the officers in the investigation.

And the following week - nothing about the event except you apologized for not mentioning the Floydada Police Department.

Did she get well; did they file attempted murder, and all that "good stuff"?

How did the Floydada Police get involved - did they ever find out who put the torch to the Court House?!!

Things just have not been right since the football game between Lockney and Floydada is not played on November the eleventh!!!

Truly,
J. Ed Parsons
Rt. 4 Box 9785
Weatherford, TX 76086

Answer to the letter to the editor

(Hi, J. Ed. In answer to your question about the stabbing victim, she is recuperating at her home. The suspect (her husband) remains a guest in the Floyd County Jail on a charge of aggravated assault.

(The Floydada police became involved because of a pact between the two Floyd County towns which allows each to assist the other during an emergency. This was an emergency!

(No, we still don't know who "put the torch to the courthouse."

(Incidentally, the Lockney-Floydada football game this year is scheduled for Sept. 25 in Lockney. Hope you can make it home for the annual grid shootout. The Editor.)

Dear Beacon Editor,

In response to a letter in the July 16 edition of the Beacon, the officers of Lockney Women's Softball Association feel that the entire team of Jessie's Jammers should not be held responsible for the actions and comments of only a few players. We agree that the entire team was upset about the default of a game, but there are several players on the Jammers team that would never involve themselves in the actions or comments that took place during and after the game in question. Tempers were on edge and players were upset, but that is no excuse for the way a few of the women were acting. We agree that these actions and comments did not display a sportsmanlike attitude, but the entire team was not to blame.

We hope the players involved have had time to cool down and realize that nothing was gained from their actions other than negative criticism subjected on the entire team.

Thank you,
LWSA Officers
Karen Quebe
Julie Hancock



REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic and foreign subsidiaries of the

First National Bank in Lockney of Lockney City

In the state of Texas, at the close of business on June 30, 1987 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161. Charter Number 14604 5533 Comptroller of the Currency District

Statement of Resources and Liabilities

	Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	1,103
Interest-bearing balances	204
Securities	11,159
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs	3,875
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	9,243
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	321
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	0
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	8,922
Assets held in trading accounts	0
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	68
Other real estate owned	335
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	0
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0
Intangible assets	0
Other assets	524
Total assets	26,190

Deposits:	
In domestic offices:	24,052
Noninterest-bearing	2,281
Interest-bearing	21,771
In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs	0

Noninterest-bearing	0
Interest-bearing	0
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs	0
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	0
Other borrowed money	0
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	0
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	0
Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	0
Other liabilities	371
Total liabilities	24,423
Limited-life preferred stock	0

Perpetual preferred stock	0
Common stock	100
Surplus	950
Undivided profits and capital reserves	717
Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments	0
Total equity capital	1,767
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital	26,190

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

Tom Nichols

Ronnie Hardin

Dub Dipprey

Directors

Jinna Sue Turner

Asst. Vice President - Cashier

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Jinna Sue Turner
June 30, 1987

Athena Study Club celebrates anniversary

Members of Athena Study Club of Lockney observed the club's 25th anniversary Sunday afternoon with a tea in the garden room of First Baptist Church.

The approximately 100 women who had been listed on the club's rolls since its first club year (1961-62) were invited to the tea. Former members in attendance were Denise Blanchard, Emma Lou Fry and Lydia Watson, all of Lubbock; Sheree Cannon of Floydada, Beth Calvert of Breckenridge, Katie Handley and daughter Kathy of Wenatchee, Washington; Liz Litsch of Altus,

Oklahoma; Nida Peck of Plainview; Nita Henderson of Silvertown; Janie Klein of Amarillo; and from Lockney, Barbara Cunyus, Kay Williams, Peggy Wiley and Shelia Poole.

Serving tables were covered with white floor-length cloths and overlaid with white lace. A silver service and punchbowl were used to dispense coffee and fruit punch. Silver trays held fresh strawberries and chocolate dip and crackers. A watermelon half sculptured into a basket held melon balls and fruit tidbits. Centerpiece was a silver epergne holding red silk flowers. Refresh-

ments were served by three of the club's newest members, Ann Anderson, Dani Johnson and Leslie Patterson.

An easel held a display to honor the four former members who are deceased: Felicia Applewhite, Mary Nell Cargile, Glenna Jarrett Northcutt and Darlene Watson.

Scrapbooks which listed Athena's accomplishments and awards while a member of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs (1961-79) were viewed.

Athena current members who were present were Sandra Turley, Virginia Owens, Tanya Covington, Barbara Mathis, Vida Hrbacek, Kathy Hunter, Leslie Patterson, Gayle Jackson, Laura Wilson, Bettye Jackson, Vera Jo Bybee, Ann Anderson, Gayle Reay, Donnie Meriwether and Dani Johnson.

Installation of officers was conducted during a recent meeting of Athena Study Club in the home of Donnie Meriwether. Outgoing president Tanya

Covington was in charge of the ceremony.

New officers to take charge in September are Vera Jo Bybee, president; Leslie Patterson, vice president; Gayle Reay, secretary; Bettye Jackson, treasurer; Gayle Jackson, reporter; and Mr. Covington, historian-parliamentarian.

Chosen by secret ballot of the club members and recognized at the meeting were Tanya Covington, outstanding member; and Donnie Meriwether, Athena Rose. They were presented with gifts.

Plans were made for the club's 25th anniversary silver tea, and for the club's participation in the Floyd County Fair. Committees were appointed to plan a float, educational exhibit and the home-made ice cream booth.

New members attending were Jane Archer, Denise Douchette and Kathy Allen. A salad supper preceded the installation service.



ATHENA CHARTER MEMBERS—Highlight of Athena Study Club's 25th year was a silver tea held Sunday in the garden room of First Baptist Church. Pictured are the three women who were charter members and who are still members. They are [l-r] Gayle Reay, Donnie Meriwether and Vera Jo Bybee. Only Mrs. Meriwether has been a member for the entire 25 years.



DUO RECOGNIZED—Athena Study Club observed Sunday its 25th anniversary and recognized former member Lydia Watson of Lubbock and her daughter, Laura Wilson, the club's only second-generation member.

6,000 at state FFA convention

By Mike Acker
State FFA Reporter

More than 6,000 FFA members, vocational agriculture teachers, parents and guests attended the 59th State FFA Convention, July 14-17, in Fort Worth.

During the four-day convention, FFA members from all across the state gathered to conduct business of the State FFA Association and honor fellow members for their outstanding accomplishments.

This year's convention was highlighted by the special appearances made by Larry Gatlin and the Gatlin Brother Band; Kevin Yost, national FFA secretary; Susan Forte of NASA's Education in Space program; and Jackie Mayer, former Miss America.

Twenty-two agricultural proficiency and other Star awards were presented

to outstanding members, and top chapters were recognized in areas of Safety, Superior Chapter and Building Our American Communities. Lone Star FFA degrees were conferred upon 1,600 FFA members who qualified for the highest state FFA degree as a result of their agricultural and leadership achievements.

In addition to these awards, over \$640,000 was presented in college agricultural scholarships to 100 of the top senior FFA members.

Official delegates from each of the 961 chapters in the state represented the 54,000 Texas members in electing the 1987-88 state FFA officer team:

- First vice-president, LeAnne Rogers, Area 5
- Vice-president, Cory Loudermilk, Area 4
- Vice-president, Brooks Hagler, Area 2
- Vice-president, Joey Dollins, Area 3
- Vice-president, Darla Washington, Area 6
- Vice-president, Ronny Nauert, Area 7
- Vice-president, Paul Wooton, Area 8
- Vice-president, Chad Jenkins, Area 9
- Vice-president, Mitch Thomas, Area 10.

The Lockney chapter was represented by Lori Smith.

Area I has set a record for having three presidents in a row in 1985-86. They were Aaron Alejandro from Boys-Ranch and 86-87 Bruce Cobb from Lubbock Cooper.

Social Security Report

By Terry J. Clements

Occasionally people ask if it is possible for a person to get Social Security while in jail. The situation usually arises when the worker has been charged with a felony and Social Security retirement or disability payments are the family's primary income.

In general, the Social Security law prohibits the payment of benefits to people imprisoned for the conviction of a felony. These include childhood disability beneficiaries as well as people receiving other types of benefits under the Social Security retirement, disability or survivors insurance programs.

However, benefits may continue to be paid to any family members receiving benefits on the prisoner's Social Security earnings record. And the prisoner's benefit may begin again with the first full month after release from prison if he or she is otherwise entitled to benefits.

The only exception to the prohibition against the payment of benefits to

prisoners is if the person is entitled to benefits on the basis of a disability and is actively engaged in a vocational rehabilitation program approved by a court of law. The program must be expected to result in the person's being able to do substantial gainful work within a reasonable time after release.

A crime is considered a felony if it is defined as such under applicable State law. In legal jurisdictions which do not use the term felony, a crime shall be considered a felony if the sentence exceeds 1 year.

The present prohibition is a result of legislation enacted in 1980 and 1983. Before 1980, Social Security benefits were paid to people imprisoned for a felony on the basis that the benefits were an earned right that could not be taken away under existing law.

For more information you may contact us at 1401-B West 5th street, or call us at 293-9623. Appointments can be arranged if desired.



"TEXAS" TRIP—Thirty-five people left Lockney last Tuesday afternoon on a chartered Trailways bus to see the outdoor melodrama "Texas" at Palo Duro Canyon. The bus left Lockney under the escort of Lockney Police Deputy Jerry Edwards. Those taking the trip took picnic lunches and

enjoyed those before viewing the play and then making the trip back to Lockney. This was the first trip that the Senior Citizens have taken as a group and at the present time they are trying to plan a trip to see a Dallas Cowboys football game this fall. Staff Photo

Poole advances to Las Vegas

Mary Lindsey Poole has a brand new title to add to her collection, that of "Texas State Our Diamond Miss." She attended the Texas state pageant recently in Arlington held at the Flagship Inn.

After two days of competition, she was announced the over-all winner at the end of finals night.

She received a crown, trophy, robe, banner, flowers, scepter, a diamond necklace and a savings bond. She will attend the Our Diamond Miss national pageant to be held in Las Vegas, Nevada at the Frontier Hotel, August 2-5.

She won first runner-up in the pro-am Diamond Girl modeling and talent events. She also received first place, for best dance costume in her division.

She competed in talent, modeling, beauty and interview. There were 47 contestants from the ages of 3 to 18.



MARY LINDSEY POOLE



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A reminder from this newspaper and the Troopers of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

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Two (2) directors will be elected
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THE CLASS OF 1932

LHS Class of 1932 holds fifty-fifth class reunion

By R.C. Mitchell

The Class of 1932 of Lockney High School celebrated their 55th anniversary reunion Saturday, August 1, 1987 at the home of Charles and Katherine Ball in Lockney. Carroll Feagen and Lawrence Anderson came the farthest distance to attend, Carroll coming from Utahville, South Carolina and Lawrence coming from Benicia, California. Others present were Melvin Allen of Amarillo, Gerald Sams of Ft. Worth, Opal (Thornton) Smith of Conroe, Harley Workman, R.C. Mitchell, Agnes (Johnston) Frizzell, Marie (Reeves) Wylie, Katherine (Harris) Ball, all of Lockney; Fay (Parker) Buth of Rogers, Arkansas, Margaret (Virden) Lacy of Plainview, Kathy (Alexander) Cope of Amarillo, Faye (Marble) Jackson of Floydada.

Others attending the get-together were Cora (Melvin) Allen, Edna Workman, Vernor and Helen Hodel, Ruth Mitchell, Mary Lou Bollman, Billy and Carol Buth (Fay Buth's children) T.V.

Copeland, Charles Ball, Guy V. Cope, Hubert Frizzell, Tony Frizzell and O.C. and Wynona Allison.

Class members unable to attend were Alice (Stewart) Spears, Anice (Stewart) Hubbard, Glyn and Bena Carroll, Marjorie (Smith) Dewiese, Flossie (Reasonover) Huggins, Martha (Meriwether) Chatham, Juanita (Dagley) Loughry, Olga (Carthel) Miller, Leslie Mae (Floyd) Cunningham, Claudene (Thornton) Smith, Wilmer Teuton, D.D. Myrick, Vada (Teouer) Webster, Earl Mercer, Maclea Johnson, Mary Leda (McAdams) Cooper, and Andrew Moore.

Deceased members are Floyd Still, Elza Kunkel, Douglas Adams, Leroy Smith, Rexine (Sams) Jackson, Charlotte (Canning) Reasonover, E.J. Golden and Y.F. Walker.

Everyone present said they were already looking forward to the 60th reunion in 1992!



In times like these... By Mary Jo Fielding

Once again, on the last Friday in June, the heart of Seoul was turned into a combat zone. Tens of thousands of demonstrators roamed through the capital's streets and squares, unfurling banners and shouting slogans, protesting the rule of President Chun Doo Hwan. Once again they were pursued relentlessly by squads of police wearing their familiar Darth Vader helmets brandishing chest-high shields.

The sudden burst of mass protest was not the largest or most violent in South Korea's increasingly bitter cycle of protest, but it was dramatic enough to indicate that the crisis was not abating. The demonstrations climaxed a week

that had up to then been dominated by a potentially hopeful outbreak of meetings and discussions. For the first time the U.S. entered the fray in a major way. Assistant Secretary of State Gaston Sigur was dispatched on a hastily arranged three-day visit to Seoul with instructions to assess the situation and warn the government against a military crackdown. But opposition leaders rejected the President's peace offering and returned defiantly to the streets.

Chun's concession was to rescind his April 13 order postponing debate on democratic reform of the constitution until after next year's Summer Olympics in Seoul.

Lockney Care Center

By Lanita Cantwell

Up on the housetop, thump, thump, thump! Is Santa coming early this year? No, it is the workers from West Texas Roofing who have begun the work of putting on our new roof! Our face-lift has begun. The staff and residents of Lockney Care Center, as well as many others in our community, have been anticipating this improvement for several months.

When we went to Plainview last week for our bus ride, we took a little extra time and did some visiting. Bessie Jackson stopped at Heritage Home to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Pyle. Bonnie Julian's friend, Mary, visited us briefly. When we were at Walmart's parking lot, we spied Dianne Galvan and Anthony. They came over to the bus and greeted everyone. Everyone on the bus ride seemed to enjoy the day a lot.

Teresa Pitchford brought her seashell collection to the care center on Tuesday for the residents to see. Her sister, Brandy, assisted her. The girls both stayed and assisted with the Bingo game. Thanks, girls!

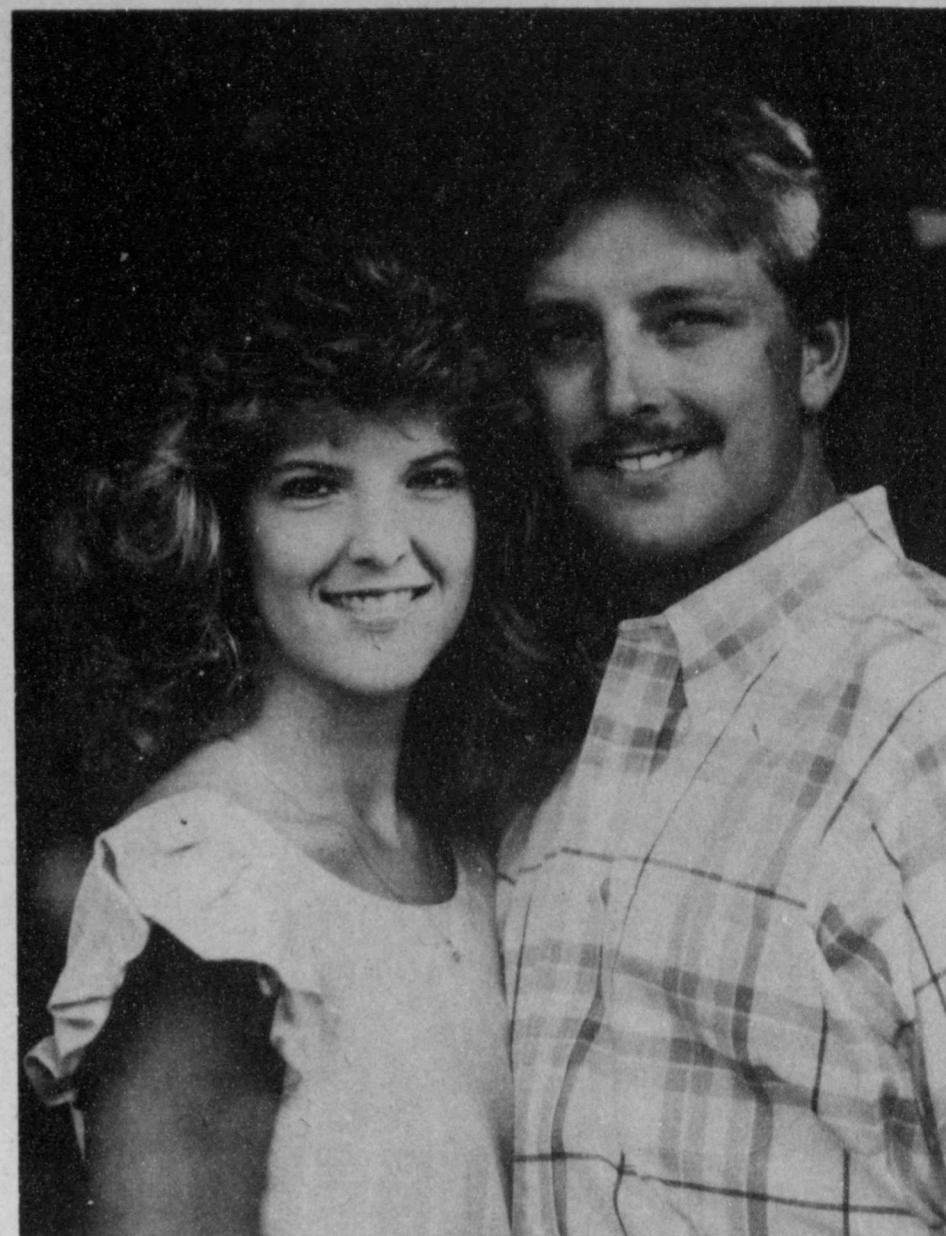
The residents all enjoyed the beautiful bouquet of fresh flowers that Lorene Reves brought last week. Last week was

Lorene's mother's 88th birthday. Since she could not share the flowers with her mother, she wanted to share them with us. We appreciate it.

Visits from family and friends are one of life's most anticipated pleasures. Among those visiting the care center last week were Letha Mulder of South Plains, Annie and Carrie Grabbe of Silverton, Blanche McMillan of Hearne, Chris Key of Munday and Vera King of the Lone Star Community.

Some of our residents are fortunate to have visits from family members daily or at least several times a week. Some of these frequent visitors that I saw last week were Robert McDonald, Doris Thacker, Alice Wilson and her grandchildren, Wanda Lane, Nina Teuton, Barbara Cawley, Bill Thomas, Opal and Dick Taylor.

Bill Glasscock, Carrie Dickerson, Gaye McPherson, Billy Merrell, Kathleen Thornton, Kenneth Jackson, David Jackson, Elva Robbs, Jack Yeary, Don and Ladora Aull, Bill Hamm and Sam and Corinne Lewis. We don't see all our visitors, so we wish that you would sign our register—no matter how many times you come. And remember, the WELCOME mat is always out.



COUPLE TO WED IN SEPTEMBER—Tommy and Mary Alice Reed of Chino, California wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Reagan to Kevin Evans, son of Bill and Karen Evans of Lockney. The couple plan to be married September 26 at 9th and Columbia Church of Christ Parlor in Plainview. They will marry in a private ceremony for family members. Miss Reed is a graduate of Chino High School and a 1986 graduate of Lippert Court Reporting. She is currently a court reporter with Rogers, Harvey and Assoc. in Lubbock. Evans, a 1980 graduate of Lockney High School, graduated from Texas Tech in 1985. He is employed with Kellison Spraying and Fertilizer in Lockney.

Portrait by Wilson Photography



Senior Citizens Rockin's

Visiting Raymond and Leona Watson, was their son and his family who stopped by in Lockney on their way home from Colorado. The three boys stayed until Saturday, while their mother and father traveled to Waco. Then on Saturday the Watsons took the boys and met their parents in Sweetwater where they had a picnic.

Visiting R.C. and Ruth Mitchell was Ruth's brother Carroll Feagan from Evanville, South Carolina.

Kathryn Cooper spent Saturday in Canyon baby sitting grandchildren.

Frank and Lena Hawkins and Edna Cox attended the school reunion in Quitaque Friday. About 500 attended the reunion.

Arvie and Gene Newton were in Breckenridge over the weekend to attend the Newton reunion.

M.W. and Ruby Hartman had visitors Friday and Saturday. They were Mr.

and Mrs. Charles Lewis from Yates Center, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Selman from Princeton came to attend the Irick reunion and then spent the night with Raymond and Leona Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sissney and their son visited with Ray and Virginia Sissney. Their visit included a trip to see "Texas" Friday night.

M.W. and Ruby Hartman were in Clovis, New Mexico Sunday attending the Gelaton reunion.

Senior Citizens birthdays include Ruth Mitchell, August 1, Jewell Thompson August 5. The history of members is now complete but we're sorry we missed these special dates in July. Martha Mangold celebrated her birthday on July 3 and Mr. and Mrs. Arvie Newton celebrated their anniversary, also, on July 3.

Obituaries

CHARLIE BOEDEKER

Charlie T. Boedecker, a well-known member of this community, was claimed by death Friday night in Lockney Care Center following a prolonged illness. He was 75.

Memorial services were at noon Monday in Wood-Dunning Funeral Home chapel in Plainview. Officiating were the Rev. Paul Holdridge and the Rev. Ray Starnes of Aiken.

Burial was made in Plainview Memorial Park.

He was born Aug. 20, 1911 in Falls County and came to Hale County with his parents, the late T.H. and Emma Boedecker, in 1915. He grew up in the Providence Community and attended Providence and Prairie Chapel schools. He married Gussie Kidd on June 1, 1934 in Lockney. He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church and former member of the Church Council. He was a member of Plainview Masonic Lodge and was a 32nd Degree Mason.

Mr. Boedecker was a former member of the Lockney School Board and was a past Lockney Man of the Year. He was active in numerous other community affairs including; past president of the Floyd County Pioneer Association and a charter member of the Floyd County Fair Association.

A farmer, he was a Mason and a Lutheran.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Terry, of Matador; one daughter, Janice, of Carlsbad, Calif.; two brothers, E.H. Boedecker of Lubbock and Bill Boedecker of Levelland; two sisters, Louise Hodel of Plainview and Emma Bontke of Kress; and two grandchildren.

ERNEST L. FOWLER

Ernest Levy Fowler, who came to Lockney over three-quarters of a century ago with his widowed mother and three siblings, was buried Friday in Lockney Cemetery following 2 p.m.

memorial services in First Baptist Church here.

Officiating were the Rev. John Jenkins of Lubbock, a former pastor of the local Baptist Church, and Dr. Thomas Allen of Plainview. Moore-Rose Funeral Home directed arrangements.

Mr. Fowler, 83, was claimed by death about 11:20 a.m. Wednesday, July 29, at his Plainview residence, 612 W. Eighth Street, Apartment 201. He had been in failing health.

He was a longtime businessman and served as Lockney city judge for 16 years before he and his wife moved to Plainview two years ago from Lockney. The move was prompted by Mrs. Fowler's health and the desire to be near a daughter.

Born May 7, 1904, in Miles, Fowler moved to Lockney in 1909 at age five with his mother and her three other children. Fowler's mother, known locally as Mrs. Dell Fowler, moved her family to Lockney to be with her father following the death of her husband.

Within a month, her father died and she was left with the responsibility of supporting her four children.

"My mother worked hard at various jobs to take care of us," Fowler explained, with pride in his voice, during a July 1985 interview. "She told me that any job you do is honorable as long as it's honest. In August of 1913 she became the fifth postmaster of Lockney and served as postmaster for nine years."

He noted that "I still have her commission signed by Woodrow Wilson, framed and hanging on the wall."

At the age of "seven or eight," Fowler went to work shining shoes at a Lockney barber shop to help support the family. "I don't remember the name of

the shop," he said, "but it's called Rudy's Barber Shop now. The chair I shined shoes in is still sitting in there. I worked at that job until I was 18 years old and put myself through school at 10 cents a shine."

He remembered that "Everybody came to town on Saturdays back then, and the field hands would come in to the barber shop to take their Saturday night bath. It was my job to clean up after the field hands. I don't know if you should put this or not." Fowler added with a grin, "but the tubs were so grimy when they were through that I had to clean the tubs with coal oil."

After leaving school Fowler worked at various jobs. He and the former Irene Webster were married on July 4, 1925, in Floydada.

He went to work for Higginbotham-Bartlett Co. "around 1930." He managed different stores for them, starting in Idalou and then moving to Ralls, Floydada and Littlefield.

"Every time you were moved it was an advancement," he stated. "After 20 years with Higginbotham-Bartlett, I started my own shop in 1955. For 14 years I ran the Fowler Hardware Store in Lockney, until 1969 when I retired and became the judge."

Asked about the things he most and least enjoyed about serving as city judge, he responded, "I enjoyed the association with the personnel that ran the office. They made going to work very pleasant. I did not enjoy having to fine citizens."

Mr. Fowler was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife Irene; two daughters, Ernestine Bain of Plainview and Laverne Muse of Toledo, Ohio; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Serving as pallbearers were Lee Bain, J. Frank Muse, Jerry Fowler, Bill Fowler, Dale McMurry and W.L. Cartel.

JUAN SANCHEZ

Mass for Juan B. Sanchez of Plainview was celebrated at 2 p.m. Monday in the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Plainview with the Rev. Matthew DeSouza, pastor, officiating. Rosary was recited at 7:30 p.m. Sunday at Lemons Funeral Home.

Burial was made in Lockney Cemetery.

Mr. Sanchez, 83, was claimed by death Saturday morning in Central Plains Regional Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Born in Eagle Pass, he moved to Plainview in 1963. Josefa Arenas and Mr. Sanchez were married April 24, 1924, in Floresville. She died in 1976.

He was a Catholic and a farmer.

Survivors include five sons, Arselmo and Juan, both of Wellington, Castro of Seymour, Rudy and Andrew, both of San Angelo; seven daughters, Manulita Lopez, Josefina Rodriguez, Ramona Nunez, Maria Garces and Margarita Castaneda, all of Plainview, Juanita Luna of Lockney and Lupe Castillo of Atlanta, Ga.; a sister, Petra Sanchez of San Antonio, 102 grandchildren; and 120 great-grandchildren.

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Williams, Sullivan wed in garden ceremony

Elizabeth "Libby" Kay Williams and Gregory Don Sullivan exchanged wedding vows Saturday night in the garden of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Golden of Aiken. Frank Duckworth, minister of West College and Third Church of Christ, officiated. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Williams of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Sullivan of Claude.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore the wedding dress worn by her mother July 30, 1960. The formal gown of imported rosepoint lace over bridal satin was designed with a molded colonial bodice with iridescent sequins and antique seed pearls. Puffed sleeves ended in petal points at the hand. The overskirt was designed with lace paneling in front and three tiers of rosepoint

lace over nylon tulle which swept to triple points in the back, the third tier extending into a chapel train. Her veil of silk illusion, also worn by the bride's mother, was refashioned into a pouf attached to an antique pearl forehead band with a side cascade of pearls and field flowers.

The bride carried a bouquet of Queen Ann's lace, white dendrobium orchids, pink Holland larkspur, enchantment white roses, Swedish tulle and trailing English ivy.

Maid of honor was Donna Ripple of Claude and matron of honor was Mrs. Jody Foster of Lockney. Bridesmaids were Marianne Brown of Throckmorton, Mrs. Jeffrey Martin of Eldorado, Lisa Wylie of Stratford, and Karyn Foster of Lockney and Leslie Wilkinson of Canyon, both cousins of the bride.

The attendants wore tea length dresses of cotton sateen in a pink and lavender floral print on pale green background styled with pleated and puffed cap sleeves, low back necklines and full skirts. They wore field flowers and gypsophila in their hair and carried French baskets holding white lilac, yellow freesia, pink gerbera daisies and lavender gypsophila with Swedish tulle and English ivy.

Flower girls were Autumn and Adrian Johnson of Claude, nieces of the groom. Thad Lusk of Wellman was ring bearer.

Best men were Stan Ashton of Olney and Scott Sullivan of Claude, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Rodney Jaramillo of Claude, Greg Allen of Amarillo, Evan Wells of Childress, David Norwood of Claude and Roy Lee Mason of Plainview.

Ushers were Brad Johnson of Claude, brother-in-law of the groom; Ty Williams of Stephenville, brother of the bride; Matt Williams of Lockney, brother of the bride, and Dan Brown of Claude.

Mrs. Tyke Dipprey registered guests. Musical selections were presented by Travis and Amy Thornton of Plainview.

Wedding vows were solemnized in a white gazebo entwined with grapevines, English ivy, gypsophila and field

flowers, accented with puffs of pink and lavender tulle, in the bride's grandparents' country garden. Surrounding the gazebo were hanging baskets of aspen ferns, clay pots of petunias, begonias and geraniums in various shades of pink mixed with alyssum, lobelia, impatiens and periwinkles.

A buffet reception was held after the ceremony with Donnie Bybee and Bill Turner of Lockney preparing the beef and shrimp. Reception assistants were Mmes. Chris Bright, Joey Davis, Gordon Havens, John Smith and Kathy Williams, Stephanie Bybee and Nikolyn Philapello.

Members of the house party were Mmes. Joe Cunyus, Byron Brock, Warren Mathis, Ronnie Aston, Ronnie Thornton, Raymond Lusk, Donnie Bybee, David Jackson, Dub Hallmark, Delvin Bybee, Kenneth Holt and Cindy Smith.

The couple will reside in Lubbock after a wedding trip to Orlando, Fla. The bride is a 1984 graduate of Lockney High School and is a senior at Texas Tech University majoring in home economics. She was a Tech cheerleader for two years, is a member of Delta, Delta, Delta sorority, Lambda Sigma and Cardinal Key honor organizations.

Sullivan is a 1983 graduate of Claude High School, attended Lubbock Christian University, West Texas State University and is a student at Tech where he is a member of Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity.

The rehearsal dinner, hosted by the groom's parents, was held in the backyard of the bride's uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Golden of Aiken, and was catered by the Smoke Stack. A miscellaneous shower was held in the Lockney home of Mrs. Ricky Mosley.

Other courtesies included a bridal shower in Claude, a Christmas shower given by Cheryl Bybee and daughters, a lingerie shower hosted by bridesmaids and a bridal luncheon at the Bridal House, hosted by Mmes. Byron Brock, Jody Foster, Eddie Foster, Johnny Belt and Ronnie Aston.



MRS. GREGORY DON SULLIVAN

Portrait by Wilson Photography



MR. AND MRS. LARRY CRAIG ABBOTT

Caliendo, Abbott wed

Vicki Martin Caliendo of Allen, Texas became the bride of Larry Craig Abbott of Richardson during an 11 a.m. ceremony at Prestonwood Baptist Church in Dallas August 1. Dick Baker officiated the reading of vows.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sternberg of Sleepy Hollow, Illinois and Mrs. Linnie Abbott of Lockney.

Attending the bride as maid of honor was her sister, Cathi Gorman of Lucas, Texas. Stan Abbott, brother of the

groom of Santa Fe, New Mexico acted as best man.

A luncheon following the ceremony was served at Dovie's Restaurant, Dallas.

Following a wedding trip to Hawaii, the couple will reside in Richardson.

The bride is a graduate of Sherman High School and Eastern New Mexico University. The groom was graduated from Lockney High School and Texas Tech University. He is employed with NEC Electronics of Dallas.

Special Days In August...

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Saturday, August 1: Robert Webb, A.L. Bigham, Dale Kidd, Christina Rodriguez, Monica Rodriguez, Marcia Phillips, Ruth Mitchell.

Sunday, August 2: Louis Ray Stapp, Clyde Stowe.

Monday, August 3: Melanie Huggins, George Adam Garcia.

Tuesday, August 4: Bob Lane, Treena Aston, Irene Jackson, Johns Cox, Rick Patterson.

Wednesday, August 5: Troy Turley, Earl Broseh, Luis G. Alaniz, Niebes Raais.

Thursday, August 6: Jack Gibson, Terrie Garcia, J.V. Martin.

Friday, August 7: Leonard Griffith, Brenda Jackson, Brandon Gilroy.

Saturday, August 8: Brandy Pitchford, Troi Minnick, Rhanda Hickerson, Hope Blanco, Karen Quebe, Tommy Auld, Elsie Clark, Sammy Jimenez.

Sunday, August 9: Bill Reagan, Wanda Zachary, Wesley Teeter.

Monday, August 10: Carolyn Cunningham, Roy Guerrero, Oscar Palomin Sr., Joshua Delgado, Robert delgado, Andy Rodriguez Jr., Leslie Patterson, Missy Anderson, Lita Jimenez, Lorenzo Salazar, Edward Hernandez Jr.

Tuesday, August 11: Tomasa DeLeon

Wednesday, August 12: E.M. Pyle, Dale Galloway, Brady Marr, Herman Ballejo, Humberto Flores Sr., Maria Silva, Wilma Brown.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Sunday, August 2: Mr. and Mrs. Hall Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Spencer.

Monday, August 3: Betty and David Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Palomin Sr.

Tuesday, August 4: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jimenez.

Wednesday, August 5: Bobby and Naomi Jones, Rusty and Joyce Baccus, Bob and Dorothy Jarrett.

Thursday, August 6: Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Owens

Friday, August 7: Ronnie and Treena Aston.

Saturday, August 8: Byron and Patsy Ford.

Sunday, August 9: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cavazos, Jr.

Monday, August 10: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown, Ed and Joyce Marks.

Tuesday, August 11: Brad and Shari Smith.

Wednesday, August 12: Don and Ethelyn Vernon.

Lockney Hospital Report

July 27 - August 3

Hallie Roberts, Lockney, adm. 7-12, dis. 7-22

Elaine Austin, Kress, adm. 7-26, transferred 7-31

Jane Archer, Lockney, adm. 7-26, dis. 7-28

Melissa Alcozer, Plainview, adm. 7-25, baby boy, Julian born 7-25, dis. 7-27

Bertha Woods, Quitaque, adm. 7-27, continues care

Trina Aston, Lockney, adm. 7-27, dis. 7-28

Morgan McCauley, Ralls, adm. 7-27, dis. 7-31

Mariselda Mora, Plainview, adm. 7-29, baby girl, Marisol, born 7-29, continue care

Adelita Trevino, Floydada, adm. 7-29, baby boy, Jose, born 7-29, mother dis. 7-31

Bessie Tenorio, Hart, adm. 7-30, baby girl, Amanda, born 7-30, mother dis. 8-1

Esmeralda Sanchez, Plainview, adm. 7-30, baby girl, Krystal, born 7-30, mother dis. 8-1

Emma Ascencio, Lockney, adm. 7-30, baby girl, Mayda, born 7-30, dis. 8-1

Joy Whitaker, Flomot, adm. 8-1, continues care

Senior Citizens have chance to see Cowboys game

Lockney Senior Citizens are being given an opportunity to see a Dallas Cowboys football game in person this fall.

W.L. (Laverne) Carthel, vice president of the organization, is checking on details. Persons may phone him at 652-2674 for further information.

"If there is enough interest" additional arrangements will be finalized.

A minimum of 47 reservations would

be necessary to travel on a charter bus. Plans call for the group to spend one night in Dallas.

Three home games which are possibilities for the local group are the Cowboys vs. Giants on Monday night, Nov. 2; the Cowboys-Miami Dolphins at 7 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 22; or the Cowboys-Minnesota Vikings at 3 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 22. Each of these is scheduled for Texas Stadium in Dallas.

No decision has been reached on which game the Lockneyites would see.

If senior citizens do not fill a charter bus, reservations would be offered to other community residents.

MAINES BROTHERS DANCE

As their main fundraising event this year, the Floyd County 4-H organization will be sponsoring a dance featuring the Maines Brothers Band from Lubbock. The dance

will be held on August 8 from 9:00 p.m. to 12 midnight. In the entertainment building at the Floyd County Fairgrounds. Admission to the dance will be \$5.00 per person.

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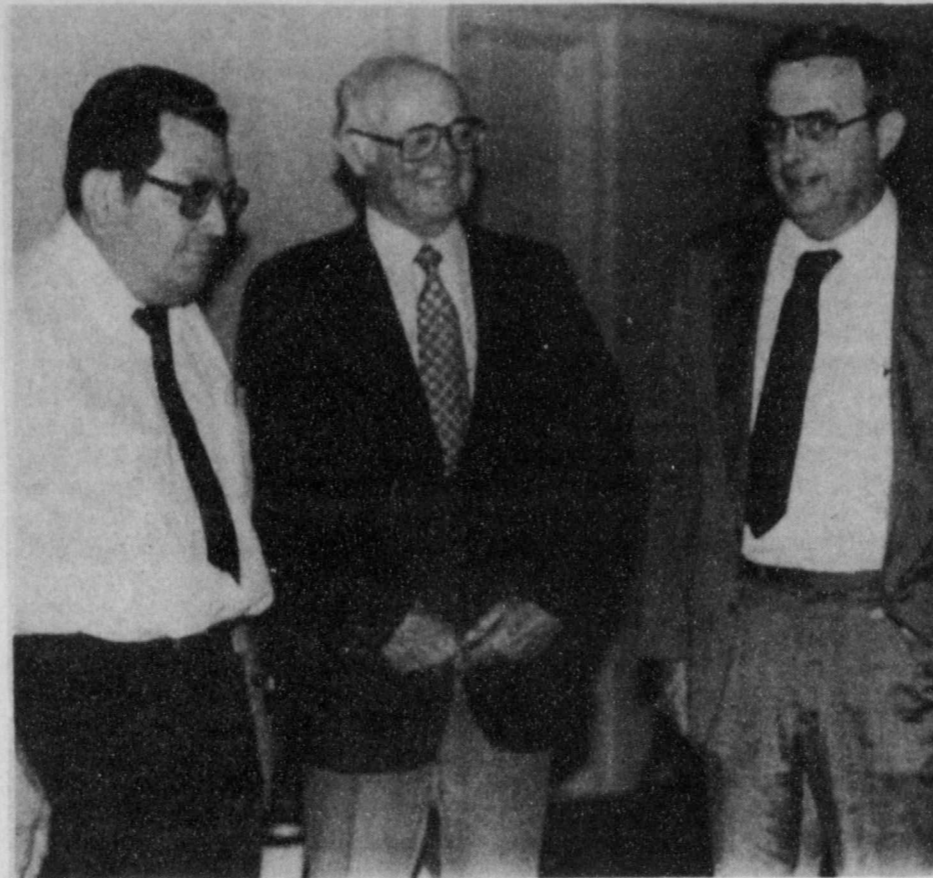
Former officeholder addresses Rotarians

"I ran into a lot of amazing people," former Governor Preston Smith of Lubbock admitted during an address Friday at noon to Lockney Rotary Club.

Gov. Smith held the attention of Rotarians and their guests during his 30 minutes of remembering colorful episodes during his political career, mentioning a new research program to aid handicapped youngsters, beating the drums for the Texas Tech University School of Medicine and briefly touching on Texas' financial woes.

"We've got to do a better job of telling our story," the former governor related.

He questioned why Texas Tech University and its medical school were granted a 9.2 percent increase in funding during the legislative session just ended as compared with a 12.4 percent increase received by the University of Texas, which - along with Texas A&M University - is a part of the University Permanent Fund, which is extremely well endowed.



TALKING IT OVER—Nick Muniz (left), manager of the Lockney Pay-N-Save store, and Roger Lowe (right), owner of the Pay-N-Save stores in both Lockney and Floydada, discuss the Rebound program with former Governor Preston Smith, who was the guest speaker for the Lockney Rotary Club on Friday, July 28. Rebound is a program which Smith is currently involved.

He told the Lockney group, which meets each Friday for lunch at Strickland Restaurant, that professors in certain states have salaries averaging 26 percent higher than university faculty members in the Lone Star State. He did not reveal salary figures.

The former governor told the Rotarians that before the Texas Tech medical school was established, a number of West Texas counties were without trained medical personnel. Today, however, he noted that "there is not a West Texas county without access to medical attention."

"What value can you place on human life," he asked.

He believes that the TTUSM has "fallen down on its PR job," adding that "we need to tell the story downstate."

The Lockneyites were told of an editorial which appeared in a metropolitan newspaper advocating that funds be removed from the Texas Tech medical school and transferred to Southwest School of Medicine in Dallas.

"The editorial writer probably had no knowledge" of the medical school headquartered in Lubbock, he added. Rather, that individual quite possibly had been influenced by representatives of the Dallas-based medical school.

'REBOUND' PROJECT

Gov. Smith outlined the "Rebound" program, which is the funding vehicle for a research laboratory at Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center for study of children who are born with deformed hands and arms. Little research has been undertaken to correct their problems.

"Dr. Royce C. Lewis Jr. (a Lubbock orthopaedic surgeon), Bill Joe Boren and I plan funding for the establishment of a nationwide center for research on children or adults with deformed hands or arms," according to data introducing the program. "This center, known as The Institute of the Study and Treatment of Congenital Abnormalities of the Hands and Upper Extremities, will be located at the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center in Lubbock."

The above-mentioned trio has formed a company known as Medi-RX-Inc to market a pill known as "Rebound." This over-the-counter pill complies with the specifications and requirements of the FDA and is, or soon will be, available at most retail outlets over Texas.

Medi-RX-Inc. has pledged to designate 25 percent of the profits derived from the marketing of "Rebound" to

begin "this most worthwhile project."

The former governor says his involvement was prompted by such a birth defect striking his secretary's grandchild.

Speaking of the state's economy, Gov. Smith related that the conversion

is being made from an agriculture and petroleum base to "high technology."

He mentioned conversations with Gov. Clements and alluded to recent legislative session. A Republican governor and a Democratic-controlled House and Senate plus "a huge deficit,"

presented problems in agreeing upon a budget.

He noted that Clements had earlier committed himself to "no new taxes," which placed him in an uncomfortable position.

Gov. Smith interspersed his address with light-hearted happenings during his tenure. What does a former governor do, he asked, and answered his own question by saying, "He listens to a lot of folks."

He related that while seeking reelection in 1971 he had no Democratic Primary opposition, but he did face a Republican opponent in the general election.

BETTER THAN INCUMBENT

At one of his regional campaign headquarters a number of Smith's photos appeared on walls around the room.

One fellow entered the Smith campaign headquarters and was viewing pictures of the governor. "I know him and he's a fine Christian man and a good community worker," the visitor related to a campaign volunteer. "He'll do a hell of a lot better than the man who's in there now!" he added.

Relating how he met everyone who entered the governor's office and attempted to have his photo taken with that individual, he added that he tried to personally talk with those who phoned the office.

A man from California placed an early morning - 2 a.m. - call to the governor's mansion. He offered advice via a home remedy concerning equine sleeping sickness in Texas.

A couple nights later, an aide answered a second early morning call from the Californian. The phone operator observed that "He must have been

drinking for a week, nobody could have gotten that drunk in one day."

Smith remembered another incident in which a Menard woman mailed an invitation for the governor to attend a town anniversary celebration in Menard. She prefaced her remarks with, "I know you can't come, but..."

He asked his secretary if his schedule was clear on the date of the celebration. "Oh no," the secretary responded, "that's the first day of hunting season."

Governor Smith advised her that he would travel to Menard for festivities that morning, appearing in a parade and addressing the group.

Informed that the governor had accepted the invitation, the Menard woman excitedly informed townspeople of the good news. She was asked several times whether the governor's wife would accompany him.

"IS MRS. SHIVERS COMING?" This prompted the Menard woman to place another phone call to the governor's office. "Will Mrs. Shivers (Allen Shivers served as governor several years before Smith) be coming with the governor?" she asked.

Nick Muniz arranged the program. Gov. Smith was introduced by Roger Lowe of Littlefield, owner of Pay-N-Save food stores in Lockney, Floydada and other area towns.

Dan Smith, president of Lockney Rotary Club, extended the welcome, and Secretary C.L. (Mike) Mooney announced that 17 members and eight guests were present.

Preston Smith served as state representative, state senator and lieutenant governor prior to his election as governor. Since leaving his office, he and Mrs. Smith have resided in Lubbock.

Raetta Starnes attends FFA conference

Raetta Starnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Starnes of Aiken, has returned from the 1987 Washington Conference Program in Washington, D.C. The event was from July 20 through 27.

This weeklong program helps FFA members improve leadership skills, develop an understanding of national heritage, and prepare for more effective leadership roles in their local FFA chapters and in their communities. Sessions on human relations, goal setting and personal communications develop these skills. Personal outlook, motivation, and pride are also discussed.

Miss Starnes commented "The con-

ference was really good and the sessions were fun and very informative, and I learned a lot. The session on self image was especially good."

While in the nation's capital, the 140 participants in the conference saw numerous historical sights including the Lincoln Memorial, the Vietnam Veterans Memorial, Mount Vernon, the Smithsonian Institute, and the Jefferson Memorial.

Also, the Lockneyite said that she rode the elevator to the top of the Washington Monument, saw the changing of the guard at Arlington National Cemetery, and saw the Iwo Jima Monument.

Raetta is a third year member of the

Lockney FFA program and has served as the chapter secretary for the past two years. In addition to the local office with the Lockney chapter, she also served as the treasurer of the Plainview District and is the first district officer since Earl Brosech graduated from LHS.

According to FFA advisor Randall Robbins, "serving as a district officer makes Raetta Starnes the highest ranking member of the Lockney Chapter."

In her years in the Lockney FFA Chapter, Miss Starnes has participated in extemporaneous speaking, prepared public speaking, chapter conducting, and she shows pigs at the local and county stock shows.

In addition to her FFA activities, she also participates in band, is a member of the flag corp, and is a member of FHA.

She said "I would like to thank everyone who helped sponsor me for this trip and especially to Mr. Robbins for his continued support and help with my activities."

Vacation Sunday scheduled for Trinity Lutheran Church

On August 9, Trinity Lutheran Church (ELCA) in the Providence Community northeast of Plainview will close for its Annual Congregation Vacation Sunday. This is one Sunday per year that the church closes and does not hold worship services. The congregation will return to the normal schedule of 9:45 a.m. Sunday school and 11:00 a.m. worship on August 16.

Trinity Lutheran's tradition of "Taking a Sunday off" is a parallel to the Old Testament custom of "Jubilee." Every 50th year, the nation of Israel was to put the past away and begin afresh with no old debts and no grudges. This is also a good thing for a congregation to do. As we live closely with each other, we occasionally rub each other the wrong way. This Vacation Sunday, August 9

Caprock Industries to aid Lockney

Continued from Page One

beef and is also paying to have the beef processed so that all the winners have to do is put it in the freezer.

Caprock officials stress that none of the profits from the raffle will go to them. They are donating the beef and the processing and that all proceeds will go toward a community benefit project.

Caprock officials told The Beacon that they are receiving suggestions from Lockney Mayor Dan Smith as to some of the projects to be considered. At press

time a few of the discussed projects included carpeting around the Lockney Swimming Pool, a heater for the swimming pool, or a slide for the park.

Anyone who would like to submit

another project for consideration should contact Tina Graves at the feedlot.

Tickets for the raffle will remain on sale through the fair. Winners will be announced on August 22.

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor:

I am extremely proud to thank the area jump rope students in Floyd County for the \$1463 they raised in the 1986-87 Jump Rope for Heart event, co-sponsored by the American Heart Association and the Texas Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation.

Our outstanding Jump Rope coordinators made this possible. They include: Judy Seals, Dougherty Elementary; Anne Carthel, Duncan Elementary, Floydada; and Joyce Marks, Lockney Elementary School. These teachers helped our Floyd County youngsters "get a jump" on a heart healthy lifestyle by promoting the importance of regular exercise through the Jump Rope for Heart team competition.

Not many people know that of the total number of deaths in Floyd County in 1985, almost half were due to heart disease. The money our students and Jump Rope for Heart coordinators raised helps support the American Heart Association in its mission to prevent premature death and disability due to cardiovascular disease, including heart attack and stroke.

In fact, 70 percent of the \$1463 helps to support research, public education, and community service programs conducted by the American Heart Association. Another 5 percent is channeled back to Texas school physical education

programs through the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance (AAHPERD) and the Texas Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance (TAPHERD). The remainder supports the promotion of the Jump Rope for Heart program, including the student, teacher and school prizes, curriculum guides, etc.

Thanks to the students in the Floyd County Division, a major effort has been made in the fight against heart disease.

Sincerely,
/s/ Kellie Williams
Kellie Williams, President
Floyd County Division
American Heart Association

LOCKNEY LOCAL

Dick and Margie Cooper of Bronte, Texas visited Glen, Violet and Tim Cooper this past weekend. Dick is a brother of Glen's.



RAETTA IN WASHINGTON—Raetta Starnes of Lockney was greeted in Washington, D.C., by Jayme Feary (right) of Falkville, Alabama, national vice president, Southern Region, of the national FFA organization. Miss Starnes attended the week-long National FFA Washington Conference Program on July 20-27 in Washington.



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