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In Memoriam

JOHN LOGAN LOCKSTONE
Funeral services for John Logan Lockstone, 13 year old Dunham resident will be Wednesday, April 26 at the First United Methodist Church in Dunham, Rev. Joe Davis and Rev. Phil Wahl will officiate. Graveside services will be Thursday, April 27 at 2 p.m. in the Greenwood Cemetery in Weatherford under the direction of Don Grantham Funeral Home of Dunham and Lockstone Funeral Home of Weatherford.

John was born on September 8, 1981, to Shawn and Mary Anne (Pope) Lockstone in Dunham, and died in an accident on Sunday, April 23, 1995, in Dunham. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Dunham.

He is survived by his parents, Shawn and Mary Anne, and one brother, Kenneth Lockstone, of the home in Dunham, his paternal grandparents, Sherry and Elaine Lockstone of Weatherford, his maternal grandparents, Anna M. Pope, and Delane Pope, and his wife Elaine, all of Howell, New Mexico; his paternal great-grandmother, Bertha Tawfot of Weatherford; and paternal great-grandparents, Cecilia Hess and Fred Hess and his wife Anne, all of Las Cruces, New Mexico, and by many aunts, uncles and cousins.

Memorial may be made to the John L. Lockstone Memorial Scholarship Fund at the Oklahoma National Bank in Dunham. Rev. Leonard Malone and Rev. Ozzie Byrum will officiate with the service.

April 23, 1995, in Dunham. He was currently attending the seventh grade at Dunham Middle School, where he played on the football and basketball teams.

John enjoyed camping and hiking and was an avid member of the Boy Scouts. He liked mowing and was a kareoke student at the Dunham Fitness Center. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Dunham.

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Mary was born December 14, 1914 in Weatherford to Henry and Rose (McCliff) Hamilton and died Saturday, April 22, 1995 at Baptist Hospital in OKC. She grew up in the Mt. View area where she attended school, and later attended Weatherford schools.

Mary married Earl Ainsworth on November 29, 1933 in Weatherford, where they afterwards made their home.

She worked for Owl Photo and Eaton's RIA. She attended the First Baptist Church in Weatherford, and enjoyed church activities, gardening and cooking. She was preceded in death by her parents, one son, Dean, and two brothers, Dan and John. Survivors include her husband, Earl, one son, Glen Ainsworth and his wife Ingrid Monument Colorado; 8 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren.

Also surviving are two brothers, Henry Hamilton Jr. of Weatherford and David Hamilton, and three sisters, Gerie Hensler of Del City, Mildred Ainsworth of Delany and Rosie Hamilton.

Funeral services for Fannie Xona Johnson, 96 year old Weatherford resident, were Monday, April 24, at the Emmanuel Baptist Church in Weatherford. Rev. Ozzie Byrum officiating with burial in the Fairview Cemetery in Stillwater under the direction of Lockstone Funeral Home in Weatherford.

Xona was born on December 17, 1898, near Elk City, Kansas, to Joseph and Mary Jane Patterson Owen.

She came to Oklahoma with her parents in a covered wagon in 1901, and they settled on a homestead west of Binger. She attended school and lived in Binger.

On November 3, 1915, Xona married Leyd Dodson in Binger. They made their home there, where they farmed for a number of years before moving to Stillwater in 1926.

At Stillwater, Xona was an active member of the First Baptist Church for over 40 years where she was involved in the Sunday School, and W.M.U. work.

She was a member of the Farm Women's Club and worked for J.C. Penney Company for over 12 years.

Leyd passed away on August 10, 1960.

On June 10, 1974, Xona married Douglas Johnson, and they moved to Weatherford where she resided until her death on Wednesday, April 19, 1995, at Southwestern Memorial Hospital in Weatherford.

In Weatherford, she was a member of the Emmanuel Baptist Church, the Nation A.B.F., and the Senior Citizen Center. She was preceded in death by her parents, two husbands, and infant daughter, two brothers, Glen Owen and Lynn Owen, two sisters, Ruby Freeman and Faye Stephens, two grandsons, one brother-in-law, Hartley Freeman of Perkins, two grandchildren, Barbara Sheers and Brian Keith Dodson, and three great-grandchildren, Chris McKee, Stephanie McKee and Jason Pell.

Funeral services for Lindsey Ray Morgan SR., 39 year old Eakly resident, were Saturday, April 29, at 1 p.m. for Mr. Morgan, who was born in Eakly and died at the age of 39. Hinton-Turner Funeral Home is in charge of the services. See a complete obituary next week in The Country Connection News.

A.J. PEARCE
Services will be Wednesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Cordell, for 18 year old A.J. Pearce.

A.J. was born at Clinton Regional Hospital on August 15, 1976, to Frankie Lee and Sydney (Edith) Pearce. He departed this life on April 23, 1995 near Cordell.

A.J. attended school at both Settled and Cordell, and graduated from Cordell High School in May of 1994. In high school he participated in baseball, football and basketball, and had many athletic accomplishments. He was one of twenty chosen to represent Oklahoma and Texas in a national baseball tournament in Apollonia, Holland in July, 1994, where he pitched the winning semi-final game.

A.J. was employed at the farm

ily business, Sydo Systems in Bama Flat.

He is survived by his parents, Don and Sydney Gonzales of Cordell and Frankie Pearce of Elk City; his sisters, Michele and Anita Hockaday of Snyder; and many other relatives including an uncle, David Pearce of Eakly.

He was preceded in death by his grandfather, Don Pearce of an uncle, Brady Roff.

Personal Opinions

ALL ACTIONS HAVE EFFECTS ON OTHERS
I call it the ripple effect. A sort of deviation of Einstein's law of relativity, where every action has an equal and opposite reaction. Whenever a pebble is dropped into a pond, the effects are felt in ripples that extend outward, covering an area that can be 100 times or more larger than the original size of the pebble.

We are not in this world alone, and as such, every action that each of us takes, affects people and things in a way we never imagined it would. Our actions, good or bad, ripple out, touching everyone and everything in their paths.

And as result of those actions, we have no control of where or how wide the ripples will reach. We cannot control who or what or when the ripples will touch, nor can we control the type of effects that will be felt by our actions. Thereby control we have is in the decisions of our actions.

The ripple effects of the destruction caused by the bomb explosions are being felt in every heart in this state and beyond, to all of the nation and the world. Lives were forever changed and the ripples will continue to touch and affect everyone in Oklahoma in ways that we cannot even begin to conceive, much less understand.

To grasp the true of this magnitude is incomprehensible. And

then to come to the realization that this act of terrorism is of a domestic nature creates a gut-wrenching, heart-stopping fear in all of us.

Oklahoma was and still is vulnerable and now, all of America is. But Oklahomans could never have imagined this level of vulnerability. Instead, Oklahomans have always chosen to focus on what Oklahomans do best—prayer their caring, loving nature that is full of faith, honor and trust for all of mankind.

It is this very nature of Oklahomans that has united the city and the state in such a horrible tragedy. For this is Oklahoma, truly the Heartland, where the things that matter most to all of us are centered in our hearts.

This demonstration of love and compassion in sharing the sorrow and pain of the slitting together of police and fire departments from across the state and nation; the quick response from the medical professions and the clergy; the cooperation between state and federal agencies and the wonderful citizens of this state; readily responding to calls for blood, food, rescue supplies and donations of money; surprises no one in this state.

For this very reason, the nation has so honorably dubbed our state, The Heartland.

Clyde Graham
Crawford



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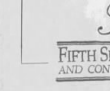
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