

L.C. JOHNSON

Funeral for L.C. Johnson, 63, Wells, was at 10 a.m. Thursday at Falvey Memorial United Methodist Church with the Rev. Jamie Lea officiating. Burial was in Mount Hope Cemetery under direction of Carroway-Claybar Funeral Home of Lufkin.

Mr. Johnson died Feb. 11. He was born Aug. 16, 1943, in Alto to the late Horace and Venette Reed Johnson.

He lived in Wells most of his life and was a mechanic for more

than 20 years for Great Western Trucking Co., Lehman's Pipe and Steel and others. He was also self-employed and was a member of Falvey Memorial United Methodist Church.

Survivors include four sons, Jason Johnson and Jeff Johnson, both of Lufkin, Chris Johnson of McKinney, and Clay Johnson of Saginaw; a sister, Linda Ellerbee of Wells; eight grandchildren; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

HOWARD NEIL WEGNET

Memorial service for Howard Neal Wegmet of Frankston was at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Frankston United Methodist Church Family Life Center with the Rev. Robert Waldman and the Rev. Doug Howell officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Thompson Funeral Home. Mr. Wegmet died Feb. 14. He was born Dec. 25, 1921, in Independence, Kan. to Joseph and Clarice Springer Wegmet.

He served in the U.S. Navy from 1941-61, retiring as a Lt. Commander. He saw combat off the coast of North Africa. He was one of only a few pilots who received their wings before becoming an officer entitling him to be a member of The Silver Eagles Enlisted Pilots Organization. He spent much of his later career training jet pilots.

He received a Bachelor of Arts Degree from Tulane University. From 1961-82 he served the State of Texas, first as a schoolteacher in Jacksonville ISD and later as a pilot for Texas Railroad Commis-

sioner Jerry Sadler and finally as a state oil and gas landman.

Mr. Wegmet was a member of the Frankston United Methodist Church, the United Methodist Men and was a member of the Fellowship Class.

Survivors are his wife, Dorothy Wegmet of Frankston; a son and daughter-in-law, Steve and Lu Wegmet of Jacksonville; a daughter and son-in-law, Clarice and Hugh Kirksey of Frankston, a sister, Marge Ramsey of Charleston, Ill.; a granddaughter, Kristin O'Brien of Frankston; a great-granddaughter, Lauren O'Brien; a step-son, Richard Massey of Las Vegas, Nev. and his children Monty Massey, Nola Massey, Sammy Massey and Benjamin Massey; and a step-daughter, Terry Odom of Jacksonville and her children Adam Odom and Selena Odom.

If desired memorials may be made to Hospice of East Texas, 4111 University Blvd., Tyler 75701.

AUBREY EUGENE SIPES

Funeral for Aubrey Eugene Sipes, 79, of Jacksonville will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Jacksonville First Baptist Church with the Rev. Vernon R. Lee officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Cemetery.

Mr. Sipes died Feb. 18. He was born April 24, 1927, in Dallas and moved to East Texas at the age of three. He served in the military from Aug. 1945-48, spending time in the Marshall Islands. He worked as an ironworker and welder. He was a member of the Jacksonville First Baptist Church, Adult 6 Sunday school class, Golden Jubilee, Jacks 'n Jills Square Dance Club and ETMC Volunteer Auxiliary. Preceding him in death were his daughter, Aleta Jo Brannon; parents, Richard and Jimmie

Sipes; a brother, J.R. Sipes and sister, Una Witherspoon and Lola Berry.

Survivors are his wife, Jean Moody Sipes of Jacksonville; two sons, Larry E. Sipes of Fountain, Colo. and Robert W. Sipes of Grand Saline; a sister, Faye McNair of Dallas; three step-sons and a daughter-in-law, James Moody of Porter, Joe and Anne Moody of Bullard and Jackie Moody of Mount Enterprise; grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be Alvin Coleman, Jim Eyre, Jack Williams, Gerald Gray, Jimmy Tankersley and Kenneth Melvin. Honorary pallbearers are member of the ETMC Auxiliary. Memorials may be made to ETMC Auxiliary (903) 586-5000.

PETE BEARD

Funeral for T.E. (Pete) Beard, 80, of Frankston was at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Thompson Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. J.A. Griffin officiating. Burial was in Frankston City Cemetery. Mr. Beard died Feb. 18. He was born Sept. 24, 1926, in Frankston to Alex Thurman and Winnie Mae Beard.

Survivors are his wife, Beverly Beard; three sons and daughters-in-law, Spencer and Janisue Beard, Greg and Becky Beard and Gary and Margo Beard; two

brothers and sister-in-law, T.L. Beard and D.A. (Doodle) and Betty Beard, all of Frankston; four sisters and a brother-in-law, Ruth Novalene Burris, Betty Reese, Mary Ann Randall of Dallas and Gladly and Bill Overton; two sisters-in-law, Francis Beard of Frankston and Barbara and husband, Gerald Burks of Jacksonville; 10 grandchildren

Pallbearers were David Smith, L.D. Dickerson, Tim Burks, James Beard, Jerry Beard and Blake Bumbard.

50th anniversary



Emadean and Joe French of Maydelle recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. The couple was married Feb. 9, 1957, in Rusk. Their children include Doug and Paula French, Dale and Sarah French and Deanna Cox. Grandchildren are Brandon, Ashley, Brittany, Robert and Katy.

SUE BELL NEWBURN

Graveside service for Sue Bell Newburn, 90, of Bullard was at 2 p.m. Saturday at Bullard Cemetery with the Rev. Jeff Olive officiating and arrangements under the direction of Autry Funeral Home.

Mrs. Newburn died Feb. 14. She was born May 19, 1916, in Bullard. She was a homemaker

and a member of the County Line Baptist Church. Preceding her in death was her husband, Chief Newburn.

Survivors are a daughter, Lynda Pipes of Plano; a granddaughter and her husband, Lesley and Cleve; a grandson, Grant; and two great-grandchildren, Peyton and Lucy.

ELLA SESSION

Funeral for Ella Session, 94, of Rusk, was at noon Saturday at Blount Chapel Baptist Church with the Rev. Brown officiating. Burial was in Woodville Cemetery under direction of Mercy/McGowan Funeral Home. Mrs. Session died Feb. 8. She was born June 26, 1912, in Sugarlock, Miss. She attended Shady Grove schools and was a longtime Rusk resident. She was retired, a Baptist and member of Mission Ministry and Heroines of Jericho. She was preceded in death by one daughter, three brothers and five sisters.

Survivors include two sons, Oneal Session and Charles

Session, both of Houston; five daughters, Mary Pruitt, Ann Marie Marsh, and Claydel King, all of Dallas, Charlie Ringo and Edwinea Session, both of Houston; and three sisters, Ethel Porter and Bertha Kelley, both of Los Angeles, Calif., and Zula Tubb, Dallas.

Pallbearers were Don Turner, Hermon Christopher, Frederick Turner, Jimmy Turner, David Moore, Charles Turner and Jack Morris.

Honorary pallbearers were Oneal Session, Charles Session, Michael Rizer, Tito Marsh, Anthony Marsh, Cetric Ward and Steve Seals.

TRACY LEE REAGAN

Graveside service for Tracy Lee Reagan, 44, of Jacksonville was at 2 p.m. Monday at Jarratt Cemetery with the Rev. George Folmar and the Rev. Don Harvey officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Thompson Funeral Home. Mr. Reagan died Feb. 15. He was born Aug. 15, 1962, in Jacksonville. He was a security guard, a member of the Hilltop Baptist Church and a member of the Berryville Volunteer Fire Department.

Preceding him in death were a sister, Bonnie Joy Reagan; and

his mother, Eula Jack Reagan.

Survivors are his father, Rastus Reagan of Jacksonville; two brothers and a sister-in-law, Roger L. Reagan of Dialville and Donald and Orlanda Reagan of Jacksonville; three sisters and two brothers-in-law, Wilma and James Taylor of Crockett, Doris Rodgers of Howell and Judy and Joe Burton of Jacksonville.

Members of the Berry Volunteer Fire Department and volunteer firemen from surrounding counties served as honorary pallbearers.

WILMA ESTELLE DOSSETT

Graveside service for Wilma Estelle Dossett, 89, of Tyler, was at 2 p.m., Tuesday, Feb. 20, at Salem Cemetery with the Rev. Don Copeland officiating under the direction of Wallace-Thompson Funeral Home. Mrs. Dossett died Feb. 17. She was born Aug. 1, 1917, to the late John and Della Darrett Lloyd. She was a resident of Tyler for two years and formerly lived in Rusk. She was a homemaker and a member of Lone Oak Baptist Church. Preceding her in death were her

husband Bonnie Lee Dossett in 1972, two daughters, Betty Sue Dossett and Barbara Lou King, son John Howard Dossett.

Surviving are one son, Billy Dossett of Rusk; three daughters and sons-in-law, Charlene Dossett of Jacksonville, Linda and Sam Culotta of Houston and Frances and Bruce Barnes of Tyler; one brother, Jerry Dean Lloyd of Texarkana; several grandchildren and great grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews.

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