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Legislative action can soon be expected on proposals that will have tremendous impact on our state's public school system and the young people of Texas for years to come.

The recent and controversial report of the Committee on Public School Education is represented to several bills already introduced in both houses of the Legislature.

Of primary concern is the proposal to force the consolidation of 865 of the state's 1,218 districts, creating 353 districts containing no less than 2,600 students. This would obviously eliminate practically every rural and small community school in the state.

Also of great significance is the proposal to institute a sweeping re-evaluation of all real property in Texas, a program that will, for all practical effect, establish the state board of education as a statewide tax assessor for local school taxes.

That this is aimed directly at the thousands of rural landowners and residents in Texas can hardly be doubted, as the committee's report declares: "The Bartlett study verified the fact that city school districts are being cheated in the distribution of state school aid because county tax rolls favor rural areas."

Certainly it should be recognized that there are schools, supporting only a handful of students, that should consider consolidation with neighboring districts; certainly it should be recognized that inequities, favoring some rural districts,

But we submit that arbitrary elimination of our rural schools and the resultant decay of thousands of rural communities, and the many complex problems arising from the establishment of county-wide and multi-county school districts, is not the answer. Voluntary consolidation should be encouraged, but mere bigness is no guarantee of quality or economy.

We also submit that the tax proposal, that will result in tax bills to our state's rural residents--farmers and ranchers who live on their land and make their living from the land--increasing two, three and four times in size, is certainly as inequitable as is now claimed by the committee on behalf of citizens of metropolitan centers. The old saying that two wrongs don't make a right certainly seems appropriate in this area.

It would appear much more logical and practical, then while encouraging voluntary consolidation of many of our smaller schools, to seek new ways to improve and upgrade the curricula of these schools and to spend our tax money to help accomplish this goal: to bring advanced and improved educational opportunities to the students rather than forcing them to travel many additional miles per day for their education, and to keep control of our schools where it always has been and always should be--in the hands of our local citizens and taxpayers.

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Interest To Retain Hospital County Red Cross Board

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not have Doctors and Nurses, and go ahead and build a Hospital doesn't seem right."

Bob Belew, replied "Forkey, when you came here did anyone guarantee you a living, isn't this about the same thing?" He continued, "If you had no land to farm would you go buy \$12,000 in Tools to farm with?"

Wilma Taylor, cut in to say, "we have a good fire truck and none of us is assured we will have a fire to use it."

Mrs. Pete O'Hair took the floor, "My father received surgery recently in a small hospital in a small town. That is the best little hospital, the people are so proud of the hospital and their Doctors. We may not be able to get Doctors or Nurses here," she went on "because Kenneth Cowley you may have ruined our chances, but if we would stop this fighting and work together, something good could be accomplished."

Bob Belew added, "If our tax money is instrumental in saving one life it is worth every dime."

The topic of the Hospital District Directors election came into focus.

Parish questioned the date of the election stating that it was supposed to be at the same time as the other elections and raised the question as to why the election had not been called.

In an effort to clarify the matter, Pat McCord began by telling the group that to him such a venture was not feasible. He went on to say that if the Hospital District were retained, it would be "okay" with him.

Cowley then took the floor stating that the directors were advised to delay calling a directors election until the status of the Hospital district itself was established. For if the district were defeated, he continued, there obviously would be no need for an election concerning the board of directors.

Parish replied with "I want to be sure there is time to file before the election day."

The meeting drifted on and came to rest on the matter of previous publicity. Here, Parish read the pamphlet circulated by the opposition group on the afternoon before the last election. He referred to a portion that stated "Why haven't we been told the Hill-Burton Grant was turned down." Parish pointed to the letter he had previously read concerning the grant and restated the fact that the grant was never turned down, just delayed.

Pat McCord said "he had nothing to do with the pamphlet, but would try to correct anything he thought was wrong."

Parish, referring again to the pamphlet, read several parts that he felt were incorrect. McCord and Cowley attempted to answer the charges, but here too many began to talk at once and the listening audience was left to decide for themselves what each was trying to say.

Ted Borum raised a question regarding the number of beds in the 26 bed unit that would be used for a convalescent home. He was told 12 beds would be used in that capacity. When he asked if it would qualify for state aid Borum was given an affirmative reply.

After scheduling another meeting for the group at 7:30 p. m. on Tuesday, the meeting adjourned. The Tuesday evening meeting will be held in the FFA Show Barn.

LOCAL SCHOOL BOARD

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Orville Cleavinger, president, Norman Fincentine, vice-president, Weldon Barton, secretary, Jerry Kelley, John Bridges, Gene Templeton, and P. A. Washington.

Prior to the meeting the board members were served a delicious meal by members of the Home Economics III class in the dining hall of the Home Economics Building. The dinner of broiled steak, baked potatoes, greenbeans, tossed salad, cake squares and lemon sherbet was prepared by the girls under the supervision of Mrs. Cecil Stover.

Those preparing and serving the meal were: Beverly Britton, Brenda Clayton, Ann Bearden, Debbie Matlock, Beckie Martin, Linda Robbing, Mary Nell Walker, Frances Padillo, Danny Rodriguez, Rosie Pasodas, Mary Lou Corra, Marice Basquez, Donna Blackwell and Annita and Donita Kelley.

New Member Named To County Red Cross Board

At the Regular meeting of Lamb County Chapter-American Red Cross on Friday, March 7, Mrs. Bonnie Haber, Chairman, welcomed a new member of the board, Rev. C. P. McMaster, Methodist Minister.

The Secretary reported the following case contacts during January and February: Active Service-To-Military 28, Veterans-66, Civilians

Filing In City Election Complete

Midnight, Wednesday, March 5, was the deadline for candidates to file for the forthcoming City Election.

At the close of the deadline six men have placed their names on the ballot to fill the three vacancies of the terms of Aldermen W. H. Bryant, Doug Parish, and Eldon Parish whose terms have expired.

Swine Breeders To Sponsor Gilt Sale

The Springlake-Earth Swine Breeders have announced they will sponsor a Gilt Sale Saturday, March 29 at the Livestock Show Barn in Earth. The sale will begin at 5:45 p. m. and 40 commercial. The breeds to be sold include: Poland Chinas,

Breeders Exhibit In Iowa

Bob and J. D. Phipps of Earth entered some of their Poland Chinas in the breed's 16th Annual Spotlight Show and Sale of fall boars and gilts, held at Cedar Rapids, Iowa March 13 through 15. This year's "National" has drawn entries from 50 herds in 13 states. The Phipps purchased the Champion and top selling boar at the Southwestern Poland Conference at Duncan, Oklahoma. Most of their entries are sired by their Reserve Premier sire at the State Fair of Texas the past two years.

Kirby Kelley spent the weekend with his Grandparents Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sanders in Ralls.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cotton have moved to the Earth Community from Hereford. Mr. Cotton will be employed with Clow Tex Feedlots. Mrs. Cotton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Blackburn visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tomlinson of Tulsa Sunday.

According to reports on the first week of the March Fund Drive most communities had made some progress but no goal had been reached.

Those in attendance were Mmes. Bonnie Haberer, Blanche Dodgen, Doris Frey, Lenore LaGrange, A. H. Scivally, Rev. C. P. McMaster and Ruth Wade.

The candidates that have filed are incumbents Bill Bryant and Doug Parish and Lynn Glasscock Grover "Bud" Matlock, L. H. "Slim" Galaway, and Neil Pounds. The election is slated for April 5 with absentee balloting to begin March 17 and continue through April 1. Perry Martin will be election judge with Dale Riggs assisting.

Swine Breeders To Sponsor Gilt Sale

Durocs, Hampshires, and Commercials. Lunch will be available at the show barn snack bar.

For more information on the sale contact E. G. Gaston, Tracy Angeley, Bob Phipps, or Tom Alair.

8% Of Savings Bond Reached

The 1969 Savings Bonds goal for Lamb County is \$130,000, according to a report received today from C. O. Stone, Chairman, of the Lamb County Savings Bonds Committee. January sales in the county totaled \$10,066 which represents 8 per cent of the 1969 sales goal.

The Texas 1969 Savings Bonds goal is \$176.5 million. Series E and H and Freedom Share sales during January totaled \$18,701,879 which is an increase of 14.4 per cent over January 1968.

Nationwide, during January 1969, total sales of Savings Bonds and Freedom Shares amounted to \$424 million--12 per cent below January a year ago.

Mrs. B. J. Brockette and her daughter Mrs. Elvis Hestend of Portales attended the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Brockett in Cleburne on March 1. They also visited with Mrs. Brockette daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McCall in Covington before returning home.

TV SCHEDULE

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THURSDAY March 13

- 7:00-Early Report-C
- 7:05-Farm Report-C
- 7:25-Today's Weather-C
- 7:30-Today-C
- 8:25-Morning Report-C
- 8:30-Today-C
- 9:00-Snap Judgment-C
- 9:25-News-C
- 9:30-Concentration-C
- 10:00-Personality-C
- 10:30-Hollywood Squares-C
- 11:00-Jeopardy-C
- 11:30-Eye Guess-C
- 11:55-News-C
- 12:00-Mid-Day Report-C
- 12:15-Community Closeup-C
- 12:30-Hidden Faces-C
- 1:00-Days of Our Lives-C
- 1:30-The Doctors-C
- 2:00-Another World-C
- 2:30-You Don't Say-C
- 3:00-Match Game-C
- 3:25-Afternoon News-C
- 3:30-Let's Make a Deal
- 4:00-Hazel-C
- 4:30-Bewitched
- 5:00-Wells Fargo
- 5:30-Huntley-Brinkley-C
- 6:00-Evening Report-C
- 6:3-Daniel Boone-C
- 7:30-Ironside-C
- 8:30-Dragnet-C
- 9:00-Dean Martin-C
- 10:00-Final Report-C
- 10:30-Tonight Show-C
- 12:00-New Mexico Report-C
- 12:15-Sign Off

FRIDAY March 14

- Same as Thursday 7:00-6:00
- 6:30-High Chaparral-C
- 7:30-Name of the Game-C
- 9:00-St. Patrick's Special-C
- 10:00-Final Report-C
- 10:30-Tonight Show-C
- 12:00-New Mexico Report-C
- 12:15-Sign Off

SATURDAY March 15

- 7:00-Roy Rogers
- 8:00-Super Six-C
- 8:30-Top Cat-C
- 9:00-Flintstones-C
- 9:30-Banana Splits Adventures-C
- 10:30-Underdog-C
- 11:00-Storybook Squares-C
- 11:30-Untamed World-C
- 12:00-Huckleberry Finn-C
- 12:30-New Mexico Outdoors
- 1:00-NCAA Basketball-C
- 5:00-Texas Citizenship Test
- 5:30-Huntley-Brinkley-C
- 6:00-Evening Report-C
- 6:30-Adam 12-C
- 7:00-Get Smart-C
- 7:30-Ghost and Mrs. Muir
- 8:00-Movie-The Vikings-Kirk Douglas, Tony Curtis-C
- 10:30-Final Report-C
- 11:00-Movie-The Great Man-Jose Ferrer, Kennan Wynn, Ed Wynn
- 12:45-New Mexico Report-C
- 1:00-Sign Off

MONDAY March 17

(Same as Thursday, 7-6)

SUNDAY March 16

- 8:00-Faith for Today-C
- 8:30-Glory Road-C
- 9:00-Insight
- 9:30-The Answer
- 10:00-Ask Your Minister
- 10:45-First Baptist Church
- 12:00-Meet the Press-C
- 12:30-Frontiers of Faith-C
- 1:00-Charlie Chan in Panama-Sidney Toler
- 2:10-Dick Powell Theatre
- 3:30-Experiment in Television-C
- 4:30-Lone Star Sportsman-C
- 5:00-G. E. College Bowl-C
- 5:30-Wild Kingdom-C
- 6:00-The Wizard of Oz-Judy Garland

WEDNESDAY March 18

(Same as Thursday 7-6)

THURSDAY March 13

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THURSDAY March 13

- 5:58-Sign On
- 6:00-Sunrise Semester-C
- 6:30-In Farm Action-C
- 7:30-Morning News-C
- 7:55-Morning Local News-C
- 8:00-Captain Kangaroo-C
- 9:00-Lucy Show-C
- 9:30-Beverly Hillsbillies
- 10:00-Andy Griffith
- 10:30-Dick Van Dyke
- 11:00-Love of Life-C
- 11:25-Mid Day News-C
- 11:30-Search for Tomorrow
- 12:00-National News-C
- 12:05-Local News-C
- 12:22-Farm & Ranch News-C
- 12:22-Southplains Today-C
- 12:30-As the World Turns-C
- 1:00-Love is a Many Splendored Thing-C
- 1:30-Guiding Light-C
- 2:00-Secret Storm-C
- 2:30-Edge of Night-C
- 3:00-The Linkletter Show-C
- 3:30-General Hospital
- 4:00-One Life to Live
- 4:30-Dating Game
- 5:00-Newlywed Game-C
- 5:30-Evening News-C
- 6:00-Local News-C
- 6:10-Weather
- 6:20-Sports Report-C
- 6:30-Flying Nun-C
- 7:00-It Takes a Thief-C
- 8:00-Movie-The Stripper
- 10:00-News & Weather-C
- 10:30-Ski Report with Jill Morris-C
- 10:35-What's It All About World
- 11:35-All Star Theatre-C
- 12:05-Sign Off

FRIDAY March 14

- (Same as Thursday 5:58-6:00)
- 6:30-Mod Squad-C
- 7:30-Gomer-C

SATURDAY March 15

- 8:00-Outcasts-C
- 9:00-Judd for the Defense-C
- 10:00-News & Weather-C
- 10:30-Movie-The Cardinal
- 12:00-Sign-Off
- 5:58-Sign On
- 6:00-Sunrise Semester-C
- 6:30-George of the Jungle
- 7:00-Go Go Gophers-C
- 7:30-Bugs Bunny/Roadrunner Hour
- 8:30-Wacky Races-C
- 9:00-Archie Show-C
- 9:30-Batman/Superman Hour
- 10:30-Hercules-C
- 11:30-Shazzan-C
- 12:30-American Bandstand-C
- 12:30-Pro Bowlers Tour
- 2:00-Wrestling-C
- 3:00-Golf Classic-C
- 4:00-Wide World of Sports
- 5:30-Learn and Live-C
- 6:00-CBS News with Roger Mudd-C
- 6:30-Jackie Gleason-C
- 7:30-Lawrence Welk-C
- 8:30-Guns of Will Sonnett
- 9:00-Here Comes the Brides
- 10:00-News & Weather-C
- 10:30-Movie-You're a Big Boy Now
- 12:30-Sign Off

SUNDAY March 16

- 6:58-Sign On
- 7:00-Bullwinkle
- 7:30-Casper Cartoons
- 8:00-Tom & Jerry
- 8:30-Aquaman-C
- 9:00-Linus The LionHearted-C
- 9:30-Pepe Bustos-C
- 10:30-The Living Word-C
- 10:45-American Favorite Hymns-C
- 11:00-First Presbyterian Church
- 12:00-Face The Nation-C
- 12:30-National Invitational Tournament-C
- 2:30-Quest for Adventure-C
- 3:00-American Sportsman-C
- 4:00-Jean Claude Killy-C

- 4:30-Amateur Hour-C
- 5:00-Land of the Giants-C
- 6:00-Lassie-C
- 7:00-Ed Sullivan-C
- 8:00-Smothers Brothers-C
- 9:00-Mission Impossible-C
- 10:00-News & Weather-C
- 10:30-Mannix-C
- 11:30-All Star Theatre
- 12:00-Sign Off

MONDAY March 17

(Same as Thursday 5:58-6)

- 6:30-Gunsmoke-C
- 7:30-Here's Lucy-C
- 8:00-Mayberry R. F. D. -C
- 8:30-Family Affair-C
- 9:00-Big Valley-C
- 10:00-News & Weather-C
- 10:30-Tom Jones-C
- 11:30-All Star Theatre-C
- 12:00-Sign Off

TUESDAY March 18

(Same as Thursday 5:58-6)

- 6:30-Lancer-C
- 7:30-Red Skelton Hour-C
- 8:30-Doris Day Show-C
- 9:00-Carol Burnett Show-C
- 10:00-News & Weather-C
- 10:30-Carol Channing & Pearl Bailey on Broadway-C
- 11:30-All Star Theatre-C
- 12:00-Sign Off

WEDNESDAY March 18

(Same as Thursday 5:58-6)

- 6:30-Glen Campbell Good-Time Hour-C
- 7:30-Bewitched -C
- 8:00-Beverly Hillsbillies-C
- 8:30-Green Acres-C
- 9:00-Hawaii Five-O-C
- 10:00-News & Weather-C
- 10:30-Jonathan Winters-C
- 11:30-All Star Theatre-C
- 12:00-Sign Off

First Baptist Church To Host Revival March 23 - 30

The First Baptist Church will host a revival March 23 through 30 according to M. B. Baldwin, pastor. Revival services will be held twice daily at 7 a. m., and 7:30 p. m., Monday through Friday. Services on Sunday, March 23 and 30 will be held at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Visiting evangelist will be Rev. Victor McManus of Belfast, North Ireland. The revival music will be led by Dale Durham of Brownfield. The revival is being held in connection with the Crusade of the Americas, which includes the spreading of God's Word throughout the entire western hemisphere. This massive crusade began as a dream in the heart of one South American Missionary, and has spread to include the North, Central and South Americas.

As a member of the Llanos Altos Association of Baptist Churches the local church is participating with others in the association in revivals this month. The theme of the entire crusade is "Christ the Only Hope."

Rev. Victor McManus is an Irishman, 49 years of age, married and has 4 children. His home is in Belfast, North Ireland. A senior evangelist with the Movement for Evangelization, he has been with the organization for 19 years. This organization has worked closely with Southern Baptists and has assisted them in conducting preaching tours in England and Europe.

Rev. McManus, before his conversion, was active in theatrical productions in the fields of impersonations, singing and acting. Having become fairly wealthy and achieving a great deal of success in the field of the theatre and related areas, Victor McManus was dynamically covered at the age of 27 and immediately gave up his worldly success and riches.

Receiving all of his higher education in England McManus attended college to study religion. McManus is well versed on religious history both Catholic and Protestant, and has a deep insight into the problems and possibilities of the church in the twentieth century.

Rev. Victor McManus has worked closely with Dr. Al-



VICTOR McMANUS (EVANGELIST)



DALE DURHAM (SONG LEADER)

Educational Meeting For NFO In County Held

Plans for a Lamb County National Farm Organization were kicked off with a breakfast Monday morning at the Springlake-Earth show barn in Earth.

Approximately 50 farmers and other interested persons were present for the meeting. Lewis Hawkins of Hart presented the program and explained the workings and the objectives of the NFO.

Twenty area farmers joined the organization at this meeting. Gene Templeton and John Bridges were appointed to contact other farmers interested in joining the NFO. The prime objective of the organization is to give farmers a more secure bargaining position for their products. Other county meetings will be scheduled in Olton, Littlefield, Sudan, Amherst and other communities in the county before officers for the county organization will be elected.

Eroy Wisian, President of the Lamb County Farm Bureau, said, "I am pleased to see this organization being formed in this area, it seems that NFO can help us farmers. For one an interested farmer knowing more about its



NATIONAL FARMER'S ORGANIZATION-Meeting was well attended Monday morning. The meeting was the beginning of an effort to organize a Lamb County Chapter of the NFO. Other meetings are to be scheduled at other communities in Lamb County in the near future.

functions." A Ladies Night for NFO is slated for 7:30 p. m. Saturday in the High School Cafeteria in Olton.

This is primarily to acquaint the wives of Farmers and Businessmen with the chief

aim of this organization. Bill Watson, Tulla Farmer, and Bob Lacy, Hart Farmer, will be the two speakers for the meeting. Everyone in the area is invited to this meeting.

A film will be shown to en-

ertain the children, while the meeting is in session. The Springlake Lions who served breakfast for the Earth meeting Monday netted over \$50.00. This will be used for projects sponsored by the hard working club.

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45th Anniversary, Banquet Topics Of C of C Meeting

The Directors of the Earth Chamber of Commerce met Friday, March 7 at the Chamber office.

Doug Parish, President, presided at the meeting. Minutes were read and approved. Mrs. Wilson reported that four new members have been added.

Doug Parish reported on a meeting about advertising he had attended in Lubbock. He also brought to the Chamber's attention the fact that the J. C.'s building was not being used, and that he had been contacted to see if the Chamber of Commerce could use the building in anyway.

The matter was discussed, then tabled until a later date. Representatives of the Roping Club have contacted Directors and members of the Chamber of Commerce in

regards to the Annual Rodeo held each year in July. The suggestion was made to combine the 25th Annual Rodeo with the towns 45th Anniversary. This would include Three Big Days for the anniversary Celebration Winding up each evening with the Rodeo.

Roger Haberer made the motion to combine the Rodeo and Anniversary and to work with the member of the roping club to make this the biggest and best ever. The motion was seconded by Tom Sanders, motion carried.

Doug Parish reported to the News office that another meeting will be held in the near future to work out the details for the 45th Anniversary Celebration.

In further business the Chamber voted to pay the West

Table's Shape Important

The shape of a table concerns family preferences as well as those around the Paris Peace table. Miss Betty Lay,

Texas Chamber of Commerce dues and continue membership in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for another year.

The date for the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet was set for March 22, 7:30 p. m. at the school cafeteria. Frank Pollard, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Tulla will be the guest speaker for the evening.

Committees were appointed for the selection of the outstanding Man, Woman, and Farmer of the year, and planning of the banquet.

Bob Belew will be in charge of the ticket sales.

In the final round of business the election ballots for three year terms were counted and results were given. The new directors elected were Perry Martin, Nell Pounds, and Nolan Dudley.

Extension housing and home furnishings specialist, says American families prefer round tables, but they can find any size and shape in today's elastic market.

They are available in smaller sizes, about 42 inches, that can be extended. Miss Lay says more manufacturers offer a choice of dining table shapes and produce them in sizes that can be extended up to 125 inches.

Oval shapes were preferred second for informal dining. Many consumers think the softly rounded shape more decorative and a little more unusual, says the specialist at Texas A&M University.

The octagonal shape is gaining favor because it, too, offers design variation.

Rectangular tables are preferred for large, more formal dining rooms, reports the specialist.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Foshee, Kit, and Pawan of Grover visited in the Troy Blackburn and Harold Britton homes Friday and Saturday.

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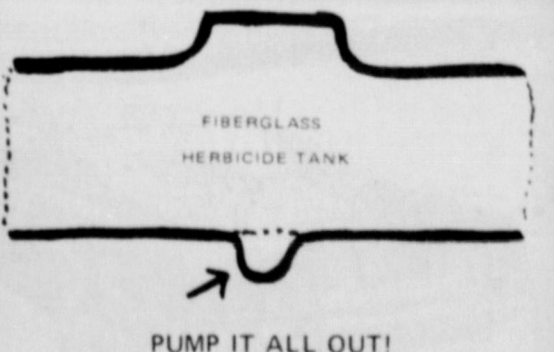
LEGAL NOTICE

of THE ELECTION OF SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS

for SPRINGLAKE - EARTH SCHOOLS SATURDAY, APRIL 5 IN THE HIGH SCHOOL STUDY HALL

TWO BOARD MEMBERS WILL BE ELECTED POLLS OPEN 7AM - 7PM

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Girl Scout - Brownie Cookie Sale Underway

The local Girl Scout and Brownie Troops began their annual cookie sale Tuesday afternoon. The girls joined with a approximately 6,000 other scouts in the Caprock District in selling the five kinds of cookies: chocolate mint, assorted sandwich, butter sandwich and KoKo cookies. The cookies sell for 50 cents a box.

chairman Mrs. Dale Riggs, the sale of 1 box of cookies will buy a tent stake. 2 boxes would furnish a fence post; 30 boxes, would purchase a set of nested pots. 46 boxes would buy a dutch oven; 52 boxes would supply one mattress for a bunk, and 136 boxes would purchase a pup tent.

The cookie sale is one of the main sources of revenue that supports the area camp Camp Rio Blanco located near Crosbyton. Proceeds from previous cookie sales recently built a swimming pool for the camp and other facilities are gradually being constructed as a direct result of cookie sales.

A two-week campership for Camp Rio Blanco will be awarded to Girl Scouts who sell 350 boxes of cookies, or more. Girls selling 100 boxes will receive a "Cookie Patch" for their uniforms. Those selling 25 boxes of cookies will receive a certificate of merit.

The local Girl Scouts and Brownies will be calling on homes and business during the next two weeks.

Mrs. Foster Hosts Salad Supper

Mrs. Leon Foster hosted a salad supper for the Esther Sunday School Class, of the First Baptist Church, in her home Monday evening.

felt cloverleaf and white candle. Following the meal a discussion was held on personal witnessing and the coming crusade of Americas Revival.

Pictures - Subject Of Sorority Meeting

The Phi Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Larry Weaver. Co-hostess for the meeting was Mrs. Dale Riggs.

Mrs. Lowell Westmoreland, and members Mrs. Larry Weaver, Mrs. B. T. Hamilton, Mrs. Rayburn Ott, Mrs. Jim Bitner and Mrs. Dale Riggs.

What's Cooking at School

MONDAY
Chicken fried steak and gravy, buttered broccoli with cheese sauce, tossed salad, white coconut cake, hot rolls, butter and milk.

TUESDAY
Spaghetti and meat balls, English peas and carrots, sliced tomatoes, banana pudding, hot rolls, butter and milk.

WEDNESDAY
Fried chicken and creamed gravy, creamed potatoes, congealed salad, rice pudding, wheat rolls, butter and milk.

THURSDAY
Vegetable soup, Bologna sandwiches, lettuce wedge, fruit cup, cornbread, butter, and milk.

FRIDAY
Frito pie, spanish rice, tossed salad, chocolate chiffon pie, cornbread, crackers, and milk.

Guild Begins Mission Study

The Wesley Service Guild met Monday evening in the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church to begin their study on "Mandate for Missions."

Party Line

Mrs. E.C. Kelley, Carolyn, Keavin and Kyle visited with Mr. and Mrs. Randy Kelley and Blake in Lubbock Saturday.



Women's Page



SANDRA JO RANDOLPH

Randolph - Koontz Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Randolph announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sandra Jo, to Dave Lee Koontz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Koontz of Littlefield.

Girl Scouts Continue Work On Needlecraft

Girl Scout troop 373 met Monday afternoon at the Springlake Community Building to continue work on their needlecraft badge.

Following refreshments of hot chocolate and cookies, served by Nisha Lewis, the troop was issued boxes of Girl Scout cookies. The girls were reminded that the sale was to begin Tuesday afternoon.

GA's Plan Meetings For March

The Laura Snow GA's met Tuesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church to plan their meetings for the month of March.

Mrs. Raymond Cole reviewed the quarters program on home missions. The review was followed by the reading of the Prayer Calendar by Peggy Cantrell.

The GA's then went into their respective active and study groups to plan the month's programs on home missions.

Plans were made to visit a rest home in the area on March 25. Next week's program entitled "A Grain of Sand" will be presented by Donna Green.

Donna served refreshments of cookies to Elza Barnes, Peggy Cantrell, Nancy Cantrell, Pam Hood, Barbara and Patricia Lanier, Joyce Thomas, Patsy Enloe, Mary Lee Johnson, and Beverly Kay and Margaret Hood.

Springlake WMU Meets For Prayer

The Springlake WMU met Tuesday morning at 9:30 in the home of Mrs. Lowell Walden to offer special prayers for the church's coming revival and for those in the community who are ill.

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Financial Facts

By Norlan Dudley

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However, The Legal Length Of Time Will Be Allowed As A Filing Date For All Who Wish To File For The Two Places

Signed **KENNETH COWLEY**
(Member Of The Present Board Of Directors)

TOPS Elect Officers

Inez Inglis was elected to serve a second year as Leader of the local TOPS Happy Losers at their regular meeting Thursday evening.

The election of officers was held with leader Inez Inglis being elected to serve a second term. Other persons elected to serve as officers were: Emily Clayton, co-leader and Jo Houchin, secretary.

The appointments Committee Chairman will be announced at the next meeting.

The time for the Installation of Officers was set for 5:30 p. m. on March 27.

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LCC Associates Have White Elephant Sale

Members of the L.C.C. Associates met Thursday night, March 6 in the home of Mrs. Perry Martin. Following a short business session conducted by the president, Mrs. Claude Ellis, the Associates enjoyed a "White Elephant Sale" of many useful items donated by the members. The sale was auctioned by Perry Martin which netted the Associates \$31.40. The hostess served chicken

salad, pie and coffee to the following members: Mrs. Buck Houchin, Mrs. Norman Ellis, Mrs. Curtis Smith, Mrs. Norman Clayton, Mrs. Lexie Branscum, Mrs. Ronald Cleavinger, Mrs. Bill Freeman, Mrs. Claude Ellis, Mrs. Cullen Hay and Mrs. Freddie Clayton. The next meeting will be Thursday, April 3rd in the home of Mrs. Norman Ellis with Mrs. Lexie Branscum as co-hostess.

Orentation Set For Brownie Leader

Mrs. Dale Riggs, Girl Scout Neighborhood Chairman, has announced the establishment of two orientation programs for Brownie Leaders. The sessions are scheduled for 9:30 a. m. on March 25 at the Scout Hut in Plainview and 9:30 a. m. March 27 at the First Christian Church in Lubbock. The meetings were scheduled as an aid to those who will be accepting the position of Brownie Leader for the first time this fall. Any mothers with first or second graders who would be interested in being a Brownie Leader is asked to contact Mrs. Riggs at 257-2073 before March 18. Leaders are asked to attend only one of the two meetings.

The Girl Scout and Brownie program in Earth and Springlake is trying to reach more girls in an effort to strengthen the girlhood of the communities they will face in the future. At present there are only three Brownie and two Girl Scout troops in the two towns. Members are taught troop government, and have workshops on songs and games; arts and crafts; basic outdoor skills; outdoor cooking troop camping, first aid and dramatics to name only a few. The girls are also given an opportunity to attend Day Camp in the spring, and enjoy other activities, such as celebrating their founders birthday, and projects like the cookie sale.

Eastern Stars Discuss Friendship Night

The Earth Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star met Monday, February 10 at the Earth Masonic Lodge Hall for a stated meeting with Mrs. Melvin Bock, Worthy Matron and Melvin Bock, Worthy Patron. The coming Friendship Night, which is to be hosted by the local chapter, was discussed. Approximately

100 Eastern Stars and Masons are expected to attend. The theme for the March 24th meeting will be "Friendship." All Masons and Eastern Stars were invited to attend the joint meeting and Friendship Night to be hosted by the local Rainbow Assembly March 17. Refreshments were served by the Worthy Matron.

Crisp Family Honored With Farewell Party

Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Crisp were honored Tuesday evening with a farewell party as they gathered with their friends in a vacant house at the El Paso Gas Camp. The families met at 6 p. m. for dinner. Following the meal Mr. and Mrs. Crisp were presented with a rug, linens and a lovely home-made quilt. The evening was joyously spent as the families visited. Mr. and Mrs. Crisp will leave Monday for Williams,

Arizona. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Orr, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kemper, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holmons, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Berryhill and Marion and Sandra Crisp.

MYF Attends Study Of "Sermon On The Mount"

The Mid-High MYF attended the study of the "Sermon on the Mount" taken from the 5th Chapter of Matthew, that is being conducted by Mrs. Williams at the First Methodist Church each Sunday evening. The study of the "Sermon on the Mount" will be conducted each Sunday evening through Easter. The MYF will be attending these studies instead of holding their regular meeting. Three members of the Mid High MYF attended the Sub-district meeting in Hart Sunday, they were Roberta Gaston, Jan Cleavinger and Marian Dawson.

The Springlake Sunbeams met Wednesday, March 5, at the First Baptist Church for a Mission study. Mrs. Jerry Fields, leader, taught a Mission book entitled "Blueberries for Steven." The book is a study on the ways an Eskimo lives and makes his living. It also covers the Mission work being done in Alaska. For their handwork project the sunbeams are making an Alaskan Dictionary. Mrs. P. A. Washington served refreshments to Ranae Winder, Tammy Davis, and Corey Hopping.

Week Of Prayer Observed By GA's

The Springlake GA's met Wednesday, March 5 at the Springlake Baptist Church for their Week of Prayer Program. "The Living Church" was the topic of the Week of Prayer. The GA's discussed the weeks of the Church at home and in the Mission field, stressing the importance each

member has in keeping the Church "A Living Church," at home and in the Mission fields throughout the world. Following the study the GA's visited prospects in the community. Mrs. P. A. Washington served refreshments to Vicki McClure, Coelita Biles and Mrs. Delvin Walden, leader.

Brownies Play Games

Brownie troop 308 met Monday afternoon at the Springlake Community building. The opening Flag Ceremony was led by Carrie Barden. The troop played active games including the "Cock Fight" and "Little Red House on the Hill." The Brownies were issued their boxes of cookies and reminded that the sale was to begin Tuesday afternoon.

Connie Dear served refreshments of milk and cookies. Present were: Lindsey Field, Carrie Barden, Susan Clayton, Ranae Winder, Kathy King, Connie Dear, Jill Barden and Sue Bradley. Mr. and Mrs. R.S. Cole and Regina visited with their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Biles and daughters in Denver City Sunday.

MYFS Sponsors Supper

The members of the Jr. High MYF met with the church each Sunday night for a study entitled "Sermon On The Mount." The study of the "Sermon On The Mount" is being brought by Bro. and Mrs. Williams from the 5th chapter of Matthew. This study will be held every Sunday evening through Easter. Following the study Sunday evening the Jr. High MYF sponsored a supper of sandwiches, assorted chips, pie, cake, cookies, coffee and tea. The supper was sponsored to raise funds for the MYF group and was on a donation basis.

Brownies Begin Cookie Sale

Brownie Troop 398 met Tuesday afternoon at the Scout hut to begin their cookie sale. The meeting was opened with the Brownie Pledge and song. Troop Leaders Mrs. Robert Higgins and Mrs. J. B. Thomas then began issuing boxes of cookies to the girls, to begin the annual cookie sale. Present were: Bren Belew, Kim Dent, Sherri Higgins, Dorothy Rivers, Hattie Thomas, Joyce Ingram, Linda Jo Hood, Kristi Thomas, Oleria Thomas, Mel Don Truelock, Elaine Stover, Vicki Freeman and Jackie Lewis.

Rodney Davis Honored On Birthday

Rodney Davis was honored with a "Hamburger Supper" in his home Friday, March 7 to celebrate his 7th birthday. Hamburgers, chips and punch were served to Dane and Dallas Clynch, Kyle Kelley, Ricky Higgins, Gary Davis and the honoree. Following the "Hamburger Supper" the boys played several indoor games.

Brownies Work On Hand Craft

Brownie Troop 101, met Wednesday, March 5, at the Scout Hut, with Mrs. Doug Lewis and Mrs. Nell Pounds, troop leaders. The Opening Ceremonies were conducted by Donice Taylor leading the Pledge of Allegiance, followed with the Brownie Pledge by Petra Lewis, Brownie Song by Beth Pounds and Christi Pittman led the troop in singing America. Following the opening ceremonies the Brownie Troop started working on their new



MRS. MARVIN SANDERS-MISS TESA

Mrs. Marwin Sanders Crowned Miss TESA

Mrs. Marwin Sanders was crowned Miss TESA Queen for District 17 during the noon luncheon at the district meeting of the Texas Educational Secretary Association held in Lubbock Friday. Mrs. Sanders was given the honor by the approximately 300 school secretaries attending the meeting at Atkins Junior High School. She is now in her thirteenth year as secretary to the local school's superintendent, Bill Mann. The theme of the meeting was "TESA University-Min-Semester Workshop." The workshop was conducted in the form of university classes as the secretaries were given tips on English grammar and letter-writing, telephone courtesies, personal appearance, proper diet and public relations. Mrs. Jo Watson, chairman of the District workshop, served as the Dean of Students and presided at the meeting. Classes were conducted by Mrs. Grace Wellborn, Mrs. Leota Matthews, Mrs. Donald Tankersley and Arthur B. Watkins. The first class, English 101, "Grammar Comes Alive" was conducted by Mrs. Grace Wellborn, professor of English at Texas Tech. Mrs. Leota Matthews, consultant for Social Studies in the Lubbock Public Schools, served as professor for Sociology 201, speaking on "Winds of Change, Student Dissent." Following the luncheon the secretaries attended PE 111. The short course on body conditioning was taught by Mrs. Donald Tankersley. Her topic was "Pose Personified." Arthur B. Watkins concluded the series of workshop university classes as he served as professor of Philosophy 235, and spoke on the topic "Your Attitude Is Showing."

Crisp Transferred To Arizona

The El Paso Natural Gas Co. has announced that A. E. Crisp will be transferred from the local plant where he has been employed as an operator to the Williams Station in Arizona. Mr. Crisp will receive a promotion to Shift Supervisor at the Williams Plant. Mr. and Mrs. Crisp have been residents at the El Paso Natural Gas Plant for nine and one half years. They have three daughters Terry, Sandra, a student at Wayland, and Marian, who is employed in Plainview. Terry Crisp will be staying with the Cecil Curtis family until she has finished this school term. The Crisps plan their move approximately the 17th of March.

Among Those Who Are Ill

High Blaylock, who recently underwent surgery in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital, is expected to be released today and will be at home at 111 Starkweather in Pampa. Mrs. Elma Criswell of Springlake is a patient in the Littlefield Hospital. She was admitted February 25 and is reported to be improving. James Washington of Springlake underwent surgery, Tuesday in Lubbock's Methodist and is listed in serious condition. He is expected to be released in two weeks. Visiting last weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Alair and Mrs. Rachel Elsea were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cox of Edinburg, Canada; Mrs. Gladys Hopper of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Turner of Wink; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ogletree of Bangs; Laurence Cox of Brownfield; and Norman Cox of Las Cruces, New Mexico.

Scouts Complete First Aid Course

Boy Scout troop 614 met Tuesday night at the Scout Hut to complete their First Aid Course. The class was returned as Troop Advisor Travis Jaques instructed the Scouts in how to care for persons with heat stroke, sun stroke, shock and broken bones. The troop was also taught the use of a stretcher. With the completion of the course, the boys are eligible to try for their badges. Twenty-four Scouts were present.

Former Resident Injured

Spec. 5 and Mrs. Hoy Morgan of Killeen, were injured Saturday, March 1, at 8:15 p. m. when the '68 Mustang they were driving was struck in the rear as they attempted to turn into their driveway. The car burst into flames after the impact. Mrs. Morgan was thrown from the car and suffered a cracked pelvis and light burns on her back. Morgan received severe burns to both arms, and burns on his face. The couple are still hospitalized in the Doanall Hospital and their conditions are reported to be improving. Morgan is stationed at Ft. Hood. Mrs. Morgan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Starkey.

Letters to the Editor

The Earth News-Sun
Mr. Ross L. Middleton
P.O. Box 568
Earth, Texas 79031

Dear Mr. Middleton:

Thank you for your letter of March 3, 1969, and for the rate card and newspaper accompanying it.

After glancing through it, the first thought that came to my mind was "What a fine looking newspaper." Then I went back through it again several times and was simply amazed at the amount of local coverage and advertisements from first page to last page. May I compliment you highly for one of the finest weekly newspapers I have ever seen!

Our expansion plans for 1970 are still in a formative stage, however I intend to place some ads with you in the very near future concerning an offer of franchise for some qualified person in Earth. With your progressive paper, and the H & R Block formula, anyone in Earth who takes on the franchise for a Block office there is bound to make some good extra money.

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CABIN AT SAN FELIPE-Until well past the middle of the century the last house was the most common type of residence. The house consisted of two large, square rooms under the same roof, with a runway between them a porch across the front. On the end of each room was a chimney, and the area between the logs in the walls were chinked with mud or clay. Some houses boasted glass windows, but many had only shutters. Roofs were covered with flat pieces of lumber called clapboards, larger than present day shingles. By Fern Ingels



CABIN OF STEPHEN FULLER AUSTIN, SAN FELIPE, TEXAS-This is the home of the man who is known as the "Father of Texas." Stephen F. Austin was born Nov. 3, 1793, in Wythe County, Virginia. His father, Moses Austin, became quite wealthy because of some lead mines that he owned. Moses Austin's wealth was lost in the panic of 1819. He decided to re-establish himself by bringing American families into Texas. He died soon afterward, and Stephen Austin took over the task. In 1821 he picked a site on the Brazos River for the first settlement. During the next ten years he brought more than 3,000 settlers into Texas. By Pat Cleavinger

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REPLICA OF CHURCH NEAR ELKHART-A replica (rebuilt model) of the old church building in which the Rev. Daniel Parker first preached, stands today near the East Texas town of Elkhart. Upon the foundation laid by these early religious leaders, the Baptists built the largest religious group in Texas. By Brad Freeman



OLD STONE FORT-This is a model of the Old Stone Fort now located in the east Texas town of Nacogdoches. It was here that some of the earliest fighting in the Texas Revolution took place, and this is one of the few original Spanish forts still located and restored by the state. By Sheila Lewis



THE OLD FERRY AT SAN FELIPE, TEXAS-The old ferry carried many people and goods across San Felipe Lake. Many people called it the bear ferry from about 1700 to nearly 1800. It also carried many loggers, cattle and horses across the lake. The old ferry was built about 1701. Now railroads are carrying most of the goods, animals, and people. By Evan Hamilton



THE SIEGE OF THE ALAMO-The Battle of the Alamo was a heroic attempt by Texas to hold back the Mexican force under Santa Anna until Sam Houston could have time to gather, equip, and train an army during the Texas war for independence. The gallant defenders held off an army of some 3,000 men for 13 memorable days, thus giving Houston the needed time, and the Alamo became a rallying cry for the Texas. By Jandy Stephens

Hale Center Rites For Father Of Earth Resident

Last rites were held at 2 p. m. Monday, for James Franklin Berlin, 81, a longtime resident of Hale Center.

He was born August 31, 1887 in Quitman County, Arkansas and died in Hale County Hospital March 8. He moved to Hale Center in 1930 from Weatherford where he was a farmer. He was a member of the First Baptist Church and the Woodmen of the World.

Funeral services were held in the First Baptist Church of Hale Center with T. J. Oz-

burn, pastor, conducting the services. Interment was in the Plainview Memorial Park under the direction of Freeman Funeral Home of Hale Center.

Mr. Berlin is survived by his wife Willie Ann of Hale Center, one son, Clifford E. of Plainview, four daughters, Mrs. Myrtle Sledge, Mrs. Verna Nivens and Mrs. Marie Steward all of Hale Center, and Mrs. Mary Francis Weil of Earth; one sister, Mrs. Paul Attaway of Big Spring, ten grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

Cub Scouts To Adopt Indian Names

The Cub Scouts of Den 3 met Thursday afternoon, March 6, in the Scout hut with Mrs. Pete O'Hair and Mrs. Ed Dawson, Den Mothers.

The Cub Scouts are observing Indian Lore Month during the month of March. At each meeting of the Scouts will study Indians of this locale, work on Indian handicraft and play Indian games. They will drop their names and be called by Indian names throughout the month.

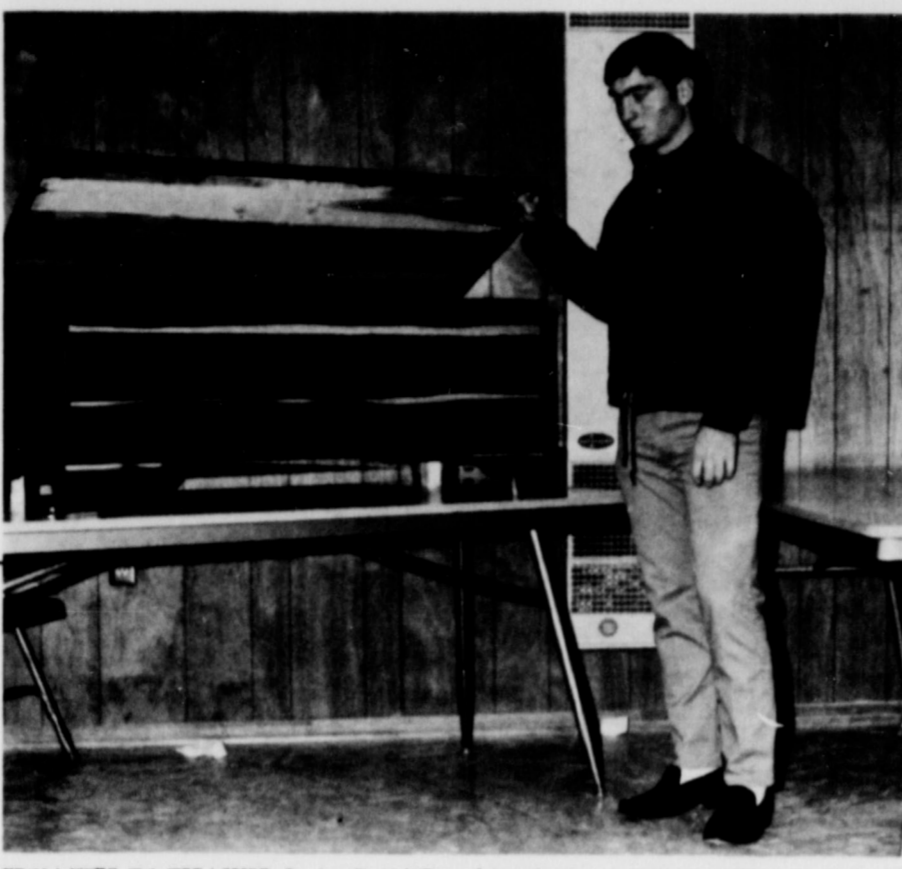
The Den Mothers had several Indian handiworks layed out and ready for the boys to choose from when they arrived at the Den Thursday. The Cubs picked the project they wanted to work on and

went right to work. Some of the projects were Indian Headdress, Necklaces made from spoons that they painted and decorated and rattlers that the Indians use to make music in their Indian Dances.

While the Cubs were working on their projects the Den Mothers discussed the history of the Indians of this locale and different Indian names the boys would call themselves during the month.

Following the study the boys went outside and played Indian games.

Refreshments were served by Rodney Geissler, to Terry Hood, Joe Hood, Clint Dawson, Ed Dawson, and Kirk O'Hair.



FROM TREE TO TREASURE-Senior David Templeton is pictured with his completed shop I project, a lovely cedar chest. The 18 week project was built at a cost of \$25.75. David is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Templeton.

Panel To Compare Texas Performance To Fed Standards

Austin, How Texas stands in relation to Federal Highway Safety Standards will be among the more timely topics covered in detail at the 30th Annual Texas Safety Conference scheduled for Houston, March 30-April 2. In underscoring the importance of this topic, Fred Claiborne, Houston, General Conference Chairman, pointed out that failure by states to substantially comply with the standards could result in a 10 per cent loss of Federal Highway funds.

J. Sam Winters, Austin attorney and Chairman of the Federal Highway Safety Advisory Committee, will brief delegates on standards and Norman V. Suarez, Austin, General Counsel, Texas Department of Public Safety, will discuss in detail the standards dealing with "Law and Traffic Records."

C. C. Benson, Dallas, Manager, Southwestern Division of the National Auto Theft Bureau, will compare Texas performance with standards in the areas of "Police Traf-

fic Services" and "Debris, Hazard Control and Clean-up." Standards relating to "Traffic Records" and "Driver Licensing" will be handled by Ronnie Terrell, Executive Director, Safety Council of Fort Worth and Tarrant County, while Glenn L. Peavy, Austin, Texas Education Agency, will handle "Driver Education" and "Motor Vehicle Inspection."

Harvie Yoc, Austin Field Supervisor, Emergency Facilities Survey, Texas State Department of Health, will announce the results of a recently completed statewide survey of emergency medical services and will tell how Texas' performance in this area compares with the Federal Standards. Leader of a planned 90-minute question and answer period on the Federal Standards will be W. F. Leonard, Jr., Dallas, The Southland Corporation.

Modern safety equipment, devices and techniques will be on display during the entire conference.

The classic description of an accident, "Somebody Goofed," will be the topic of a talk given by Frank D. Weaver, Houston, in the Petroleum Section of the Conference. Lester A. Eggleston, Senior Research Engineer, Southwest Research Institute, San Antonio, will handle the subject "Management Looks at Plant Fire Protection."

Concepts of Total Loss Prevention" will be discussed by D. Mark Johnson, Wausau, Wisconsin, Manager, Safety Services, Employers Insurance of Wausau.

The "micro-seminar" on Texas and the Federal Highway Safety Standards and the Petroleum Section will be two of 47 key sessions scheduled for the Texas Safety Association's Conference to which all persons interested in traffic, farm, occupational, home and school safety are invited to attend.

Attend The Hospital District Meeting

News From Here And There

By Tish Watson

The Don Nash family attended the Birthday dinner celebration for her father, Z. N. Burris at his home near Muleshoe Sunday. Other relatives attending were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gors, Circle Back, the Dean Johnson family, Viola Bailey, Grants, N. Mex., and the Jim Haygood family from this area. This was Mr. Burris 69th Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hardage attended the funeral of her brother Barto Britton at Seymour Wednesday of last week. Mr. Britton, 65 passed away Monday evening at 10 in an Olney hospital after several months illness. Services were held in the Seymour Church of Christ, with entertainments in the Seymour Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mason, Wayne Hardage also Ed Har- dage from Farwell and Billy Har- dage from Plainview at- tended the services for Mr. Britton.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Mene- fee were dinner guests in the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Perry Barnes, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Car- gile and children attended Church services at Anton Primitive Baptist Church Sun- day.

Mrs. Charlie Watson and Mrs. Preston Cargile accom- panied Mrs. J. L. Phipps, Mrs. Clint Garlington and Mrs. Orbie Chandler all of Mule- shoe to Friona Friday after- noon to visit Mrs. Bernice Gowens. Mrs. Gowens has been on the sick list several days but it much improved at present.

Mrs. R. L. Curtis and Mrs. David Benson and son of Lub- bock visited Monday with Mrs. Benson's mother Mrs. James Harvey. Mrs. Harvey is Mrs. Curtis daughter.

Funeral services for Mrs. Henrietta Duncan of Here- ford were held Thursday in the Lazzbuddie Baptist Church with the former pastor of the Methodist Church, Rev. Don Davidson of Hereford and Raymond Carson of Lat- ticing, Mrs. Duncan mother of Mrs. A. E. Red- wine of Lazzbuddie passed a- way Monday after about two weeks of illness. Burial was in the Bailey County Mem- orial Cemetery.

Rose Mary Harris has returned home after having surgery Monday of last week in Meth- odist Hospital Lubbock. Mr.

and Mrs. J. R. Harris Sr. was at Lubbock Monday to be with Rose Mary Harris. Birthday Greetings to Judy Whitley, Gaylon Beaver, David Rocha, Gregory Warren, Sidney Bond, Gary Wayne Harris, Pauletta Temple- er, Delayne Steinbock, Mara Anna Gammron, Susan Farley, Gloria Robles, and DeAnn Kimbrough.

The Raymond Lester fam- ily, Lubbock were weekend guests in the home of her par- ents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Blackburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Shar- rock and children from Lord- sburg, New Mexico were here the first of the week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hall.

The R. B. Seaton's returned the last of the week from Dallas where they visited their brother in law Earl Prather. Mrs. Seaton reports Prather to be in real good condition at present. The Seaton's came back by way of DeKalb where they visited the Hoyt Eubanks and other relatives.

The Freeman Davis family were in Albuquerque the past weekend visiting relatives.

Volleyball Tourney Slated April 24-26

The Sophomore Class of Dim- mitt High School is sponsor- ing an Adult Volleyball Tour- nament to be held April 24, 25, and 26. Games will be- gin at 6:00 each evening and conclude at approximately 10:00 p. m. The games will be played on a time sched- ule.

The first 8 men's teams and the first 8 women's teams to send their \$5.00 entry fee to Mrs. E. W. Hallford, Dim- mitt High School, 801 West- ern Circle Drive, will be accepted. There is a limit of 8 members per team. A refund will be given your organization if your team is not accepted.

Individual trophies will be given to the winning teams.

We will provide a nursery service for a nominal fee.

Springlake Superette Closes Doors

The Springlake Superette closed following business hours Saturday night, Jim Stephens, manager and co-owner has accepted a position with By-Low Discount Foods in Lubbock.

The firm was co-owned by other men in the Springlake area, but none were avail- able for information as to the future of the store.

The closing of the Superette was a blow to the people of Springlake as it was the most popular place for stopping for groceries and the snack bar provided a gathering place for afternoon coffee drinkers.

GOODWILL CENTRE NETS \$23, 10

The members of the First Methodist Church opened the Goodwill Centre Satur- day and reported a total of \$23, 10 brought in.

The Goodwill Centre, a local charity project, that has helped several local fam- ilies in the past years with providing Medical Services, Clothing and many other worthwhile, needs is still in need of children's clothing and linens. The different workers at the centre have reported calls for these items more than anything else, anything else.

The Goodwill Centre is open on Saturday afternoon and all donations may be brought by at this time. Working at the Goodwill Centre were Mrs. Beula Coker, Mrs. B. J. Brockette, Mrs. J. Coker, and Mrs. O. M. Cleavinger.

MACHINE AGENT?? A scientist has figured, by hand, that it would take 50 persons, working day and night, 187 years to make as many mistakes as a comput- er can make in two seconds.

LOOK FOR BEST MEAT val- ues in the market this week- end in short ribs, liver, ground beef, round steaks and roasts and arm and blade pot roasts and steaks, suggests Extension consumer market- ing specialist Gwendolyn Clyatt. Pork values include picnics, end cut loin roasts and chops, ham portions and shoulder roasts and steaks.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS CITY OF Earth TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE CITY OF EARTH, TEXAS:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 5 day of April, 1969 in the City of Earth, Texas, at the place, in the manner, and for the officials set forth in the attached copy of an order for City Officers' Election, duly adopted by the Mayor of said City on the 7 day of March, 1969. Said attached order for City Officers' Election being made a part of this notice for all intents and purposes.

Flora Maserang City Secretary/Clerk

ORDER FOR CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION

I, E. C. Kelley, in my capacity as Mayor of the City of Earth, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held in said City on the 5 day of April, 1969, for the purpose of electing the following officials for said City:

3 Aldermen

That in accordance with an order adopted by the City Council of said City, said election shall be held at the following place in said City, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election.

In Election Precinct No. 2 at City Hall Building, in said City, with Perry Martin as Presiding Judge, and Dale Riggs as Alternate Presiding Judge, and said Presiding Judge shall appoint the necessary clerks to assist him which shall not exceed 2 clerks.

Flora Maserang is hereby appointed Clerk for absentee voting. The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at City Hall, March 17th thru April 1, 1969 within said City and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at least eight hours on each day for absentee voting which is on a Saturday, a Sunday, or an official State holiday, be- ginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open be- tween the hours of 9:00 a. m. and 5:00 p. m. on each day for said absentee voting. The above described place for absentee voting is also the absentee clerk's mailing ad- dress to which ballot applica- tions and ballots voted by mail may be sent.

That said election shall be held in accordance with the Election Code of this State and only resident qualified voters of said city shall be eligible to vote at said election.

That the City Secretary/ Clerk shall give notice of said election by posting a copy of this order in each of the election precincts of said city, which posting shall be done not less than 30 days

First Aid Course In Progress

Wayne Cole of Olton be- gan instruction in the Red Cross First Aid Course Fri- day evening at the Earth Fire Hall.

The first session dealt with the treatment of wound and shock.

The course is being sponsored by the Earth Volunteer Fire department and is open to the public.

The next session in First Aid will be held Friday at 7:30 p. m.

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GUITAR LESSONS Contact JIMMY SHIREY 257-2158 2/20/4tp

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Walden Sun- day were Mrs. Walden's sis- ter and families. Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Williams of Beula and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cooper and Janett of Mor- ton, and Mr. and Mrs. Del- vin Walden and children. The family gathered to cel- ebrate Mrs. Walden's birth- day.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete O'Hair, Kenny and Kirk and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kelley attended the Ball game in Lub- bock Saturday

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