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NOSIN... With Polly

In the good old summer time, in the good old summer time, strolling down a shady lane, with that sweetheart mine...

They, being the He-Man type Sir Galahad that he is, fess shouldered the groceries bravely. While I tagged along lugging my heavy old purse...

Our Boy Friday, (Eldon) gets so carried away with his advertising job, and in wishing to see results from all his ads, he always tries to give them an extra added punch...

Heard there was going to be a real good preacher preach Sunday at the Baptist Church... I didn't quite make it, but my family did...

Heard Nina Messer had recently started a health club in Hite Park addition... Seems everyday at 7:30 p. m. these fair damsels don their sneakers and walking habit...

It was with much anxiety and happiness that we met Phil at the airport in Amarillo Thursday night as he flew in from Tulsa, where he had been visiting Polly, Jr. for the past 10 days...

As we sat anxiously waiting for the plane to arrive, we couldn't help but notice a couple seated with a young lad between them, dressed in a white sailor uniform...



BRAVE LAD, Juan Antonio Ramon, five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Ramon was one of a large group who received immunizations Monday at the Migrant Health Clinic...

Large Group Attends County-Wide Migrant Health Clinic

The Migrant Health Clinic, sponsored by the Young Homemakers' Club, had a tremendous beginning, with 130 immunizations administered, and eighty persons attending Monday night at the Earth Community Building.

Three professional nurses from Lubbock, Mrs. Shropshire, Mrs. Fisher, and one other whose name was not given, Mrs. Mary Miller, Migrant Health Nurse from Petersburg and local registered nurses, Mrs. Dorothy Wood and Mrs. Helen Barton were present, accompanied by Dr. C. H. Bauman.

The Texas State Department of Health Migrant Project, with the cooperation of the Young Homemakers are sponsoring the drive to immunize persons who have not had the protection of diphtheria, whooping cough, tetanus, polio, and smallpox inoculations.

Recent guests in the Jack Ryland home were Mr. and Mrs. John Hobbesiefen, who were enroute from Oklahoma to their home in Truth or Consequences, N. M.

Lindley To Attend International Methodist Evangelistic Crusade

The Reverend Albert F. Lindley, pastor of the Earth Methodist Church, has been chosen by the General Board of Evangelism of the Methodist Church and will leave on July 27 for two weeks in Mexico, as a member of the International Methodist Evangelistic Crusade to Mexico.

Presently there are 53 guest pastors and laymen from all over the United States, who are making plans to be a part of this united effort between the Methodist Church of Mexico and the General Board of Missions of the Methodist Church in the United States.

Assignments have been made and Lindley will be at Actopan, Hidalgo, about 35 miles north of Mexico City.

A meeting will be held Saturday, July 24, at the Earth Community Building, at 9:30 a. m. for all parents who are interested in their children attending either a nursery school or the fall term of the Kiddie Kat Kindergarten.

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REV. ALBERT LINDLEY

Mrs. Lindley is planning on joining her husband in Mexico City for a few days by the return by way of Shreveport, La., where the children will be staying with Lindley's sister, Mrs. Durward Rust.

Danny Smith To Anton As Head Coach

Danny Smith, assistant coach for Springlake-Earth High School for the past 5 years has accepted a position as head coach in the Anton School System.

Smith, who has worked hard while on the Springlake staff to improve athletic ability, as well as to promote good sportsmanship among his students, he was especially active in basketball taking over as head coach in that capacity.

His position is unfilled on the local staff.

Smith, a West Texas State graduate, also taught several classes of social studies, and Junior High School boy's physical education. He was Junior Class Sponsor, and worked with the junior plays, banquets, etc. while connected with the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith have a daughter, Shawndee. They are members of the Earth Methodist Church.

The First Quarterly Conference of the Methodist Church will be held Thursday (tonight) in the Fellowship Hall of the Earth Methodist Church.

This will follow the meeting of the Official Board that will meet in regular session at 8:00 p. m.

All members are urged to attend. Dr. J. E. Shewbert, Plainview, will be present for the Quarterly Conference.

Car Stolen From Farm Road Monday

A 15 year old area lad was picked up by Muleshoe Law Enforcement Officers Monday, and turned over to Deputy Sheriff Earl Clark, after wrecking a stolen automobile.

The 1963 Chevy 2, belonging to Toddy Padillo, was stolen Monday between 1:30 and 2:00 p. m. from where it was parked, along side the road 6 miles west and 2 miles north of Earth where Padillo, who is employed by Doug Lewis, was at work in a field.

Local Deputy Sheriff, Earl Clark transferred the lad to Littlefield Tuesday, where he was filed on.

Damages to the wrecked automobile were estimated to be approximately \$150.00.

Local Group Attend Berkshire Conference

Gene Gaston, Bob Phipps, and Charles Axtell left Monday for Springfield, Illinois, where they will attend the Berkshire Conference.

Charles will have two gilts entered; Ken Dawson sent one boar and one barrow. They plan to purchase boars and gilts while there. The group will return Saturday.

HAVE FUN! TOUR TEXAS THIS YEAR

County Schools Receive \$187,000 In Poverty Program

A meeting of all the Superintendents of Schools in Lamb County, along with school heads having portions of their school districts in the county, met Monday in Littlefield.

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss and to prorate the \$187,000.00 allocated to the county through the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, under the Federal Poverty program.

The \$187,000.00 allocated to the county is to be divided between the school districts, according to the number of families residing in each district, having an annual income under \$2,000.00.

The basis for dividing this money will be by the Federal Census of 1960.

Supt. Bill Mann said, "The poverty program was geared to help areas where there is a concentration of low income families." According to Mann, the Springlake-Earth School District will receive approximately twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) from the Lamb County allocation.

Mann was scheduled to meet with Castro County School officials Wednesday to aid in prorating the money for Castro County, or a portion of our school district extends into Castro County.

Mann could not give a concrete answer as to the way the money would be used, as he had not received definite information as to its use. However, his idea was, that it would be used to provide better facilities for low achievers among low income families.

Deadline Friday For Miss Grain Sorghum Contest

Friday, July 19, is the deadline for entering the Miss Grain Sorghum of the Nation Contest, which will be held August 7, 1965 at the Dimmitt High School Auditorium.

Miss Dianne Hodge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hodge, is the local entry in the contest, sponsored by the Earth Chamber of Commerce.

Girls will be judged on beauty, poise, personality, figure, and talent, and will appear in evening gown and bathing suit. She must be at least seventeen years of age on August 7, 1965, single, and enclose a photograph. Girls who are interested in entering the contest are asked to contact Phillip Haberer, Leroy Wilkerson, or Mrs. Zou Wilson.

The winner will receive a \$500 college scholarship. First runner-up will receive a \$200 college scholarship; second runner-up, a \$100 college scholarship. Each of these girls will also receive a beautiful trophy. In addition the winner will represent the Grain Sorghum Industry throughout the coming year through public appearances, etc.

New Swim Classes Begin Monday

Swimming lessons at the Earth Pool will begin Monday, at 8:00 a. m., for the second summer session.

Sandy Sanders is instructor and life-guard. Manager of the pool is Gene Brock. Life-saving classes will be held from 8-9 a. m. each morning; intermediate classes, 9-10 a. m.; advanced beginner's classes at 10-11 a. m., and beginners classes, 11-12 a. m.

Prices are 75¢ per person per class. A health certificate is required. For additional information, contact the pool at 257-9191.



DIANNE HODGE

FFA Youths Receive Awards At Convention

Gene Gaston, Vocational Agriculture instructor of Springlake-Earth High School, and the following students, Bob Coker, Ken Dawson, and Bob Phipps, returned Saturday from the State FFA Convention in Houston, July 14-16.

Receiving Lone Star Farmer Degrees were: Bob Phipps, Ken Dawson, and Bob Coker.

Bob Coker represented the area in public speaking, and placed second in his division.

Bob Coker was among the fifteen Texas Future Farmers selected to receive an expense paid trip to attend the National FFA Convention in Kansas City in October, courtesy of the Atchison, Topeka, and Santa Fe Railway. Their awards were made at the Convention, and annually are presented to outstanding youths.

Area Women Terrorized By Youth Friday

A 16 year old Dimmitt lad is being held in Castro County Jail pending trial, after having admitted Monday night to sheriff Cartwright of Dimmitt of having terrorized women in the Leabudie and Flagg communities, starting at approximately 2:00 p. m. Friday.

Road blocks were set up at 10 different points in the area following telephone calls reporting three events, one following shortly after another.

The lad was first reported to have stopped a Littlefield lady driving near the Castro-Parmer County line, asking her to give him a push, saying his car wouldn't start. As she pulled to the side of the road and was attempting to get her car into a position to push his car, he grabbed open her door and crawled into the car with her, and was attempting to force his attention on her.

Sheriff Cartwright said, "In this instance he perhaps became frightened, because he jumped from her vehicle, ran to his, and sped off down the road, as he saw a farmer in a pickup approaching from down the road."

The second stop was made about 30 minutes later when the lad pulled up at a farm house in the Flagg Community, and asked the lady of the house where her husband was, saying he wanted a job. The lady's husband was in the field irrigating. He then asked for a drink of water

and a telephone book to look up a number of a friend he said he had in the area.

As the woman returned with the water and the telephone book she stepped outside the door to hand them to him.

Snatching her by the arm, he produced a broken Coke bottle from his pocket where he cut her thumb and stomach slightly, as he tried to force her back in the house, where her children were.

She fought and kicked in her attempt to free herself, before he succeeded in getting her back in the house. Finally succeeding, she ran toward the barn. Cartwright said, "For help, or for a gun, which was in the pickup at the barn, or maybe she was just running away. Anyway, the results was good, for the boy, again frightened, jumped into his car and sped away."

The third stop was made at a home near Highway 385. When the elderly lady came to the door, she was careful to keep the screen door locked, but said he acted strangely.

The lad was apprehended that night by Dimmitt City Marshal and Sheriff Cartwright.

After lengthy questioning by City Marshal and later by Cartwright, he admitted having talked to the women.

Cartwright said he had been in trouble on occasions before, having forged checks and things of that nature.



KINCAID HOME HAS FIRE Tuesday afternoon. Earth Firemen were forced to cut a hole through the roof of the home to extinguish the smoke in the attic.

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Free Choice Not So Free

Earlier this year schools were notified that unless they agreed to comply with the civil rights act they would be cut off from federal funds. The implication was that any district willing to give up federal money could continue to run its school the way it most desired. Since most schools were relying heavily on federal programs for lunch rooms, vocational agriculture and home economics and some minor share cost science programs, they signed a "blank check" certificate of compliance.

Down at Malone, according to a recent issue of Texas agriculture, the trustees decided they were so minutely involved with federal funds they could easily forego them, and so notified the Texas Education Agency.

Malone was only operating an eight grade school. The high school students were being transferred to Hubbard and Penelope. So what happened? Hubbard and Penelope were to lose their federal funds if they continued to accept transfers from a segregated school district!

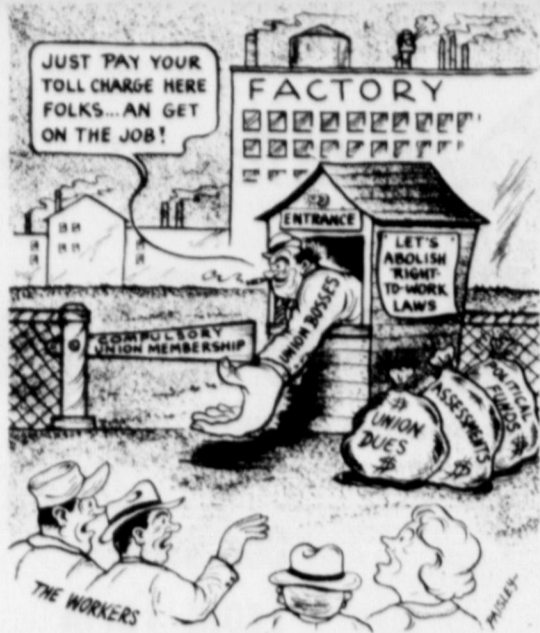
In Goldsboro, N.C., the county welfare board decided that television sets and telephones were essential to persons drawing welfare payments, but Washington ruled that removal of persons from the relief rolls for such reason would mean that all federal funds would be withheld from the county.

In New York recently Gov. Nelson Rockefeller started to veto a small item from a \$9 million appropriation to carry on the war against poverty, acting under provisions of the law which give such authority to governors of the various states. He was notified by the head of the federal anti-poverty program, Sargent Shriver, that veto of this insignificant item would mean cancellation of the entire appropriation.

As stated by Texas Agriculture in concluding its article about the Malone situation: "Thus it was proved once again that the powers that be can make whatever rules are necessary to enforce their will over us. The federal government touches all our lives somewhere, in some vulnerable point. And right there is the spot where enough pressure can be applied to make even the most stubborn say, 'uncle.'"

"This 'we'll get you one way or another' policy is disturbing. Administration of federal law that allows for such arbitrarily-made rulings can become more despotic than democratic."

The Italy News-Herald



Rylant Attends U. S. Highway 70 Meet

Jack Rylant, President of the Earth Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture attended a U. S. Highway 70 Association luncheon Monday at the Nu Griddle in Plainview. Hosted the occasion was the Plainview Chamber of Commerce, Representatives of Muleshoe, Earth, and Plainview were present.

The purpose of the meeting was promoting travel on Highway 70. The Earth Chamber of Commerce voted to go along with the Highway Association. A proposal had been made concerning changing the routing of the highway, and changing the name to the Lost Dutchman's Gold Mine Route, however the proposal was voted against, and a mutual feeling was decided that Highway 70 will continue as before, reaching from Los Angeles, Cal. to Moorehead, City, N.C. However, in California, the same highway then becomes Interstate Highway 10, which is still the same road.

Jene W. Edmonds, Executive Secretary of Mesa, Arizona was present at the luncheon where approximately eighteen representatives were present.

According to Rylant, a proposed plan at present is to contact a Go-Cart Manufacturing Company, and sponsor a thirty day coast-to-coast Go-Cart trip, which should give the area national recognition. If the project goes through, it will be in the latter part of September.

A U. S. Highway 70 Coast-to-Coast Travel Guide, giving publicity to businesses along the route on Highway 70 and will be placed all along the entire route. If interested in joining the Highway 70 Association, obtain application blanks from Mrs. Zou Wilson or the Chamber of Commerce office. Mentioned in the most recent edition are, "Earth, Texas, the biggest little city on Earth. Located in the world's choicest irrigation district; the Wolverine Drive In and Springlake Motor Supply."

00, which added to the \$155.61 will make a total of \$505.61. The local chapter was in need of \$750.00. Some assistance is expected from the Earth Lions Club and the Springlake Lions Club.

The FHA girls and Mrs. Slover wish to express their appreciation to the community for their part in this endeavor.

One hand-operated mill was provided for each group of five to ten men in the Roman army, and the soldiers ground their own corn.

District Court To Be In Session Week Of Aug. 2

The 154th Judicial District Court is set to be in session, during the week of August 2. Twelve criminal cases are on the docket during the session. A murder without malice charge against Roosevelt Sloan in the November 1964 shooting of Elret McLaughlin, near Sudan is one case.

Two defraud cases, one against Benney Perez and one against Charles Cummings, are on docket.

An assault with intent to murder case is among the criminal cases to be heard by District Judge, Pat Boone, Jr.

Two of the cases will be charges against J.D. Young, (who is

presently serving a sentence in Huntsville for another crime), one of theft, and one of intent to defraud. These cases will be tried by District Attorney, Jack Young, of Muleshoe.

Other cases are for fraud with securities, one for passing a worthless check and another for removing mortgage property from the state. A case against H. R. Nicholas for second offense in driving while intoxicated is on docket, and a case against Jose Rivera and John Esquivel for breaking and entering.

Jack Young stated that he expects to present 12 to 14 cases to the Grand Jury for indictment when the Grand Jury convenes July 28.

XIT STUDY CLUB RUMMAGE SALE TO BE SATURDAY

A Rummage Sale is scheduled for Saturday from 1:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. in the lot adjoining the Springlake Superette building.

The sale is sponsored by the XIT Study Club of Springlake, with proceeds to be used to purchase water awards for the top ten students with grade points averaging over 90.

Anyone having anything suitable for the rummage sale, is invited to help by bringing their items to the home of Mrs. Bryant Hucks, or to the sale lot no later than noon Saturday, if possible.

Texas has averaged 14 tomatoes a year since 1916.

Mr. and Mrs. John Welch visited in Hereford Saturday.

FHA Dinner Nets \$155.61

The FHA Chapter of Springlake-Earth High School netted \$155.61 Sunday, July 18, when they gave a salad luncheon at the Community Building. Approximately 225 people attended.

The purpose of the fund raising project was to assist the financing of the school's exchange student, Caridad Martinez Magpantay, of Batangas, Philippines, who will live in, and attend the Springlake-Earth Schools during the following year.

A delicious menu was prepared by the FHA girls under the supervision of Mrs. Cecil Slover. Tickets were \$1.00 for adults, and 75¢ for children. They formerly had a approximately \$350.

Social Security Office will be in Littlefield on August 5, 1965 in the County Courtroom at 9:00 a. m.

Party Line

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Usery have visited recently with their daughter, Mrs. Max Neal, who is recuperating from recent surgery. Pam and Alan Neal returned home with their grandparents.

Butch Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hamilton, was the weekend guest of Mike Woodard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Woodard, of Dimmitt.

Mrs. Paul Wood recently visited with her sister, Mrs. R. B. Tarter, in Quanah.

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Mets Win Pennant

The Mets won first place in the Freshman League in the 1965 baseball season, with ten wins and two losses.

Second place winners were the Yankees and the Cardinals, with seven wins and five losses each.

Next came the Red Socks, with four wins and eight losses, followed by the Giants, with two wins and ten losses.

The Mets, who were coached by Edwin O'Hair, Jack Angeley, Ed Haley, and Doug Messer, are as follows: Junior Herera, Ernest Flores, Gilbert Flores, Danny O'Hair, Bobby Jack Angeley, Brian Sanderson, Jesse Robbles, Hoyt Glasscock, Steve Sanderson, Kent Parish, Alford Sanders, and Mike Bell.

The following three boys, Johnny Kelley, Danny Boone, and Tony Barton will play with the Mets in addition to their regular team.

Practice games will be played this week between the Mets and the All Stars.

On Monday, July 26, and Tuesday, July 27, at 8:00 p.m., the All Star Teams will play the best two out of three games. The third game, if needed, will be announced later.

FRESHMAN ALL-STAR TEAMS START PLAY MONDAY

Two All-Star Teams were selected. The first team, with J. W. Dear as coach, will be as follows: Steve Busby, John Orr, Billy Thomas, Jessie Costello, Mike Cleavinger, Donnie Gallaway, Larry Thomas, Jerry Lee Chance, Carl Sulzer, Denis Merk, Joe Garza, Leland Dear, Joe Ortiz, Butch Hamilton, and Monty Winders.

The second team with Skeeter Brock as coach, assisted by Dub Merk, is as follows: Johnny Eagle, Johnny McNamara, Nicho Triana, Tony Keith, Kent Coker, Greg Slover, Bobby Snodgrass, Kent Lewis, Chris Brock, Donald Templeton, David Kelley, Frank McNamara, Kenneth Keith, Troy Wisian, and Rudy Aguirre.

Gregory Welch was a Sunday night guest in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hamilton visited in Lubbock Saturday.



METS WIN PENNANT, First place 1965 Freshman League winners are: 1st row: left to right, Junior Herera, Ernest Flores, Gilbert Flores, 2nd row: Danny O'Hair, Bobby Jack Angeley, Brian Sanderson, Jesse Robbles, 3rd row: Hoyt Glasscock, Steve Sanderson, and Kent Parish, Ed Haley and Doug Messer, also coaches with Edwin O'Hair and Jack Angeley, were not present for the picture. Boys not pictured are Alford Sanders and Mike Bell.

Local School Receives Okay On Desegregation Plan

According to Supt. Bill Mann, "The Springlake-Earth School received a letter of acceptance this week, that our plan of desegregation for the 1965-66 school year has been accepted by the U. S. Office of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Our policy is to employ personnel without consideration of race, color, or creed. Without this acceptance, the school could not participate in the Federal Program.

The letter, shown below, was signed by Francis Keppel, Committee of Education; Dear Superintendent Mann:

The plan submitted for the Springlake-Earth Independent School District for the desegregation of its school system in compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 has been reviewed by this office, On

the basis of our review of the plan, particularly of the provisions made for the school year 1965-66, I have determined that the plan is adequate to accomplish the purposes of the Act and the Regulation of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare (Section 80.4 (c)). The plan therefore provides a basis for the approval of applications and for the payment of Federal financial assistance at this time.

In accordance with the Regulation, the plan is subject to review periodically by the Office of Education to determine its adequacy to accomplish the purposes of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

Sincerely yours,
Francis Keppel
U. S. Commissioner of Education.

Local Baptists Attend Glorieta Camp

Mrs. Jean Craft, Timmy Craft, Mrs. Sharon Tunnell, and Miss Kathie Clayton left Thursday for Glorieta, N. M., to participate in the Southern Baptist Music Leadership Conference, July 19-26.

Handel's "Messiah," in its entirety with orchestral accompaniment, will be presented at Glorieta, and Ridgecrest, N. C. Conferences, Dr. Alfred M. Greenfield, of New York University, world renowned authority and interpreter of this oratorio, will serve as guest conductor. Mrs. Craft will sing in the oratorical choir.

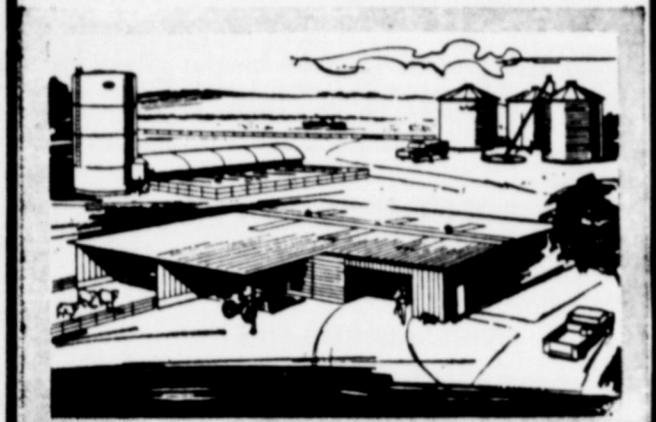
Mrs. Sharon Tunnell and Miss Kathie Clayton are talented

accompanists in the Earth Baptist Church. This will be an educational as well as inspirational experience for them. Mrs. Craft is a talented vocalist, and a member of the choir of the Earth Baptist Church. The talented musicians are also in demand for many civic and social entertainments.

The group will reside at the Littlefield Lodge while in Glorieta. Planned tours to Santa Fe, and music classes for all ages will be additional attractions.

Mrs. Craft also planned to take one of her voice students, Gayle Gunter, 16, of Olton.

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Rex Loftis To Instruct Bull Dogging School

Rex Loftis will begin a Bull-Dogging Instructing School for amateur boys Tuesday, August 17 to Friday, August 27, to be held at the Earth Rodeo Grounds.

Fees for the ten-day school, per student, will be \$250.00. A maximum of ten students will be taught in the class.

A time of day or night will be set to the convenience of the largest number of the group to be taught.

With a background of experience, and three years of professional rodeo, Rex is well qualified to teach in this field. In 1963 he participated in forty-two rodeos, in the Rodeo-Gowboys of America's Rodeos. Other rodeos in which he has competed include: South Dakota, Great Falls, Montana, Portland, Oregon, San Francisco, California, Cheyenne, Wyoming, Ft. Madison, Sydney, Iowa, Nebraska, Louisville, Kentucky, Little Rock, Arkansas, Denver, Colorado, Albuquerque, N. M., Sante Fe, El Paso, Odessa, Dallas, Ft. Worth, San Antonio, and Houston, Texas.

Loftis won in Bull Roping in Vernon and Plainview in 1963; he won fourth in bull dogging in Houston and first in Albuquerque that same year. He was in the top ten among forty-five in ICA competition in bull dog-

ging, winning fourth in average. In San Francisco, he was in the top ten among forty-seven contestants, and has won in various other rodeos.

See Rex Loftis or call him at 986-2285 for additional information.

Methodist Youths To Attend District Elementary Camp

Girls and boys of the Earth Methodist Church who have finished the fifth and sixth grades, are making plans to attend the Plainview District Elementary Camp at the Methodist Camp Grounds at Ceta Canyon, August 9-13.

Final registration date was July 20. Tentative plans are that Mrs. Nelda Curtis and Charles Axte'll will accompany the group. Camp Director will be Mrs. J. E. Shewbert, of Plainview, wife

Party Line

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Layman, Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Haberer and Gary Don left Saturday for a tour of some of the Central States which include Oklahoma, Missouri, Iowa, and Minnesota. Then after a visit to Chicago, they will go to Michigan and will visit Niagara Falls, New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, and Arkansas.

of Dr. Shewbert, Superintendent of the Plainview District. Several days of camping, studying, and worshiping will be participated in by the group.

The following children plan to attend: Kent Coker, Thomas Ruby, David Wisian, Roberta Gaston, Jan Cleavinger, Jennifer Myers, Marian Dawson, Carl Sulzer, Mike Cleavinger, Becky Littleton, Gregory Slover, Chris Brock, Karen Hinchliffe, Scott Alexander, and Terrell Ott.

Cheerleaders Earn \$96 In Car Wash

Approximately \$96.00 was collected by the 1965-66 cheerleaders of Springlake-Earth High School, Saturday, when they washed cars at Earth Oil and Gas Company.

These six girls spent a busy day, as they worked diligently to raise money to help finance their expenses for Cheerleader's School at Texas Tech College, Lubbock, July 25-30. The girls are: Helen Phillips, senior, head cheerleader, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Phillips; Donna Gover, senior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gover; Pansy Been, junior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Been; Linda Jordan, junior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Party Line

Spending Sunday in Childress were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Phipps, Kay, and Bobby. They visited Mrs. Phipps' mother, Mrs. J. L. Brooks, and her sister, Mrs. Glenn Steiner and family.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. L. H. Randolph were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Randolph, of Sundown, and Jim Stubblefield, of Amberst.

HOW I QUIT SMOKING

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Mr. and Mrs. Donald Layman Honored On Silver Anniversary

The L. G. Layman home in the Dodd Community, was the scene of a reception Sunday, July 18, from 2-5 p. m., honoring Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Layman on their 25th wedding anniversary.

Hosts for the occasion were: Truman, Don and Gary Layman of Earth, and Troy Layman of Lubbock, sons of the couple. Approximately fifty guests called and were registered in the guest book by Miss Janis Layman. The serving table was laid with a beautiful floor length lace tablecloth, Mrs. Layman's favorite color of pink and the traditional silver were carried out. The centerpiece was of pale pink roses, miniature white flowers and bells with silver, tall pink tapers and "25" in silver letters. Long white satin streamers with the couple's names written in silver adorned the table, accented by individual pink roses. The centerpiece was

designed and arranged by Mrs. Beedie Welch, Crystal and silver appointments were used. Pink punch and cake squares with tiny wedding bells were served. A wedding cake and the centerpiece were presented to Mrs. Layman as a remembrance of the occasion.

Serving and helping with other hospitalities were Mrs. JoAnn Layman, Lubbock, and Mrs. Rena and Yvonne Layman of Earth, daughter-in-laws of the couple.

Beautiful floral arrangements in the home were from the garden of and were arranged by Mrs. G. Kellar.

Mrs. Layman was presented with a lovely pink carnation corsage and Mr. Layman and his sons wore pink boutonnières. Lovely gifts were received throughout the afternoon, many who were unable to attend sent gifts.



MR. AND MRS. L. G. LAYMAN

Get Together Held For First Street Residents

Residents on 1st Street in the Hite Park Addition gathered at 7:30 p. m. Friday at the east end of the street for a get-together and get acquainted party.

Homemade ice cream and cake was served to approximately thirty-one. Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Fennell, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Martens, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Messer and Marianne, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryant and Pat, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Chesney and children, Mr.

and Mrs. Hugh Alexander and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Slover and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Sigan and LaDonna.

Those who were away and on vacation and were unable to attend were the Danny Smiths, Dean Foshees, Earl Jordans, Gerald Pethams, Leroy Wilkersons, and Mrs. Lena Hite.

The friends on 1st hope to make their get together an annual affair.

"As Seen In Earth"

By: Carolyn Hamilton

Summertime... Young and old alike, may be seen eating watermelon, swimming, bicycling, etc., etc., but did you see Ross Middleton hopping with that pogo stick???

Jodie and Lanell Mahan, vacationing in Anchorage, Alaska.

Phil Middleton, flying in from Tulsa, Oklahoma...

The Doyle Jackson family, such a nice addition to Earth... Many kind words for the baseball coaches and all people associated in our summer program. We greatly appreciate your working with our boys, and the boys were all real SPORTS!!

Pam Beasley, a very delightful young lady...

That gleam in Wilma Taylor's eyes, hopes for that vacation in Paris, France...

Onions at the City Hall???

Quite a joke... Minnie Pate, peeling fifty pounds of onions in the kitchen of the community building (adjoining the City Hall) for the Earth Rodeo Barbecue recently... Not only was it odoriferous, but tearful, also...

Noble Phipps, vacationing and thoroughly enjoying a respite...

Residents of Happiness Street (1st Street in Earth), getting together for a pleasant evening Friday...

Chef (Boyardee) Middleton, and his home cooking, a delicious pot of beans...

Judith Jones, with Tamara's assistance, preparing for fall Kindergarten...

The PHA Sunday dinner, a huge success... and for sponsoring the exchange student from the Philippines to Earth...

Lynn Hamilton, by the office, and feeling better... Real proud of Lynn at Roswell Military this last year.

To Rev. Albert Lindley, a rewarding experience in Mexico at the International Methodist Crusade...

Cotton bloom at the Pete Parish farm... beautiful cotton and feed everywhere...

Jean Beasley, wearing a beautiful birthday corsage Tuesday...

Such a wonderful health service for Earth, the Migrant Health Clinic which met with such fine response Monday night.

House Guests Visit In Hite Home

Recent house guests in the home of Mrs. Lena Hite were Major Kenneth Hite and family, of Honolulu, Hawaii, who had been away for four years.

Quoting Mrs. Kenneth Hite, "A resume of our last four years is as follows:

In July, 1961, we arrived in Okinawa, assigned to the 18th Tactical Fighter Wing in operations as a plans officer of the U. S. Air Force.

Living in the Orient was a unique experience. A full-time maid made running a home so much easier, and I was able to take Japanese language lessons, to get out and meet many Oriental people, and see how they lived.

We had many typhoon alerts and Ken would help evacuate the airplanes. The children, Sumie-our friend, and I would button-up the house, put on the typhoon shutters, and "wait out" the storms.

Highlights of our tour in the Far East were trips to Tokyo and Hong Kong.

In July, 1963, we arrived at Hickam Air Force Base, Hawaii, assigned to Hq. PACAF, (Pacific Air Force), Operations Plans Division.

Hawaii is unbelievably beautiful. We bought a home, and settled down to enjoying the beach. The children and I tried to absorb a little Hawaiian culture. Doug learned to play the ukelele, and we girls took hula lessons. Doug also learned to surf, a real Hawaiian sport.

Ken's job took him on some extensive trips: Japan, Korea, the Philippines, South Vietnam, and Thailand.

On July 6, 1965 we said "Aloha" to Hawaii, and came home. Ken will be stationed at Nellis Air Force Base in Nevada, for duty flying the F-105 Thunder Chief fighter aircraft. After we leave Earth, we will drive to McAllen, Texas to visit my parents, the G. V. McGurk's, make a short trip to Mexico, then drive on to Las Vegas, Nevada and our new home.

As Lena Hite remarked, "Without saying, it was great, having them home again."

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Anderson and Jay returned Sunday from a visit in Fulton, Arkansas with Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Nolan.

Mrs. Cecil Slover To Attend Home Ec Conference

Mrs. Cecil Slover, homemaking teacher in the Springlake Earth High School, will participate in the State In-service Education Conference for homemaking teachers to be held at Hotel Adlophus, Dallas, July 26-30, 1965, with the meeting theme, "Home Economics-Dual Purpose."

The first general session will open Monday night, July 26, at 7:30 p. m. in the Grand Ballroom. Guest speaker will be Miss Dorothy Emerson, Consultant on Citizenship Leadership from Washington, D. C. She will talk on "Developing Confidence for Community Leadership."

Dr. Glen Hawkes, Head, Department of Child Development, Iowa State University, Ames; and Dr. Johnie Christian, Program Specialist, U. S. Office of Education, Regional Office, Dallas, will assist teachers in identifying the basic subject matter in home economics and in gaining experience in the use of the concept approach to curriculum building.

Bringing teachers up to date on new developments in education and their implications for homemaking education will be Dr. J. W. Edgar, State Commissioner of Education; Terrell Blodgett, Director, Texas Office of Economic Opportunity, Office of the Governor; M. A. Browning, Assistant Commissioner for Vocational Education; Joe B. Neely, Director, Program Development, Evaluation and Coordination; and Harold E. Phillips, Director of Program Development, Division of Compensatory Education, State Department of Education.

Approximately 1500 homemaking teachers are expected to attend the conference. The home economics education program in the state is under the direction of the Division of

Home Economics Education, State Department of Education, with Miss Ruth Huey, Division Director. Teachers meet annually for statewide conference and area meetings for training in new developments and trends in homemaking education.

Included on the agenda for the week is a recognition dinner and meetings of the Vocational Homemaking Teachers Association of Texas. Miss Emerson will be guest speaker at the dinner, and Dr. Arthur A. Smith, Vice President & Economist, First National Bank in Dallas, will speak at the Second Annual VHTAT Meeting, Thursday afternoon, July 29.

PARTY LINE
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Littleton left Tuesday for New Mexico.

PFC Johnny Anderson returned to Fort Riley, Kansas, recently, following a fifteen-day leave spent in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Anderson.

Tyler-McWilliams Vows Exchanged

Miss Linda Faye Tyler became the bride of Malcolm Odell McWilliams at 3:00, Sunday, July 11, in The Church of The Good Shepherd, at Lubbock. The pastor, Mrs. S. Busley, officiated in the single ring service.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burley G. Tyler of Earth. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McWilliams of Brownfield, are the parents of the bridegroom.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a street length dress of lilac silk organza over taffeta, with a lace jacket featuring elbow length sleeves. She wore a matching headpiece. Her bouquet was a cascade arrangement of white carnations.

Patricia Martin, of Amarillo, a cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid.

Derwin Jones, of San Angelo, cousin of the groom was best man.

Ushers and candlelighters were Billie McWilliams, brother of the groom and Grover Jones, cousin of the groom.

Dickie Sue Adcock, Lubbock, organist, played "Always" and "The Wedding March." Jerry Randel of Lubbock sang, "I Love You Truly."

A reception was given in the Church Fellowship Hall.

After a short wedding trip they are at home at 1212 A, East Main in Brownfield.

The bride was a sophomore at Springlake-Earth School. The groom is a graduate of Brownfield High School and is employed at the Ozark Mahanng Salt Plant in Brownfield.



MR. AND MRS. ODELL McWILLIAMS

Lucia Monreal, 1; Rolando Guadalupe, 1; Irma Munoz, 1; Mrs. Angelita Medina, 1; Thomas San Miguel, 1; Rafael Monreal, 1; Joe Acevedo, 1; Rosemary Acevedo, 1; Merce Hernandez, Jr., 1.

and thanks to the ladies for the cake donations.

PARTY LINE
Janet and Jena Chester, of Olton, visited recently in the Dean Jones home.

Steve Busby and Steve Sanderson are attending Junior High Band Camp at Texas Tech, in Lubbock, and will participate in a concert there July 23.

Local Group Enjoys Cake Walk

A cake walk was held in Earth to raise funds for building a Catholic Church. The cake walk was held in the building that was formerly the Assembly of God Church.

Mike Acevedo, Antonio Marquez, and Armando Flores, members of the Catholic Church Building Committee sold cold drinks. Another member of the committee, Paul De La Cerda, donated a case of cold drinks. Jesus Compeon of Springlake helped the committee sell the cold drinks.

Wives of the committeemen that donated cakes are Mrs. Mike Acevedo, 1 cake; Mrs. Antonio Marquez, 2 cakes; and Mrs. Armando Flores, 2 cakes. Other ladies that donated cakes are Mrs. Isabel Ortiz, 1; Mrs. Jesus Compeon, 1; Mrs. Daniel Tammez, 2; Mrs. Robert San Miguel, 2; Mrs. Fernando Medina, 1; Mrs. Frank Aguirre, 1; Miss Ester Gauna, 1. Those winning the cakes are Minnie Ann Gauna, 2; Richard Lopez, 1; Navor Gauna, 1; Rudy Lopez, 1;

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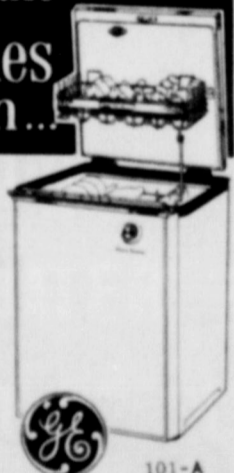
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Rainbow Assembly Initiation Ceremony Held Monday

In a regular meeting Monday night, two lovely girls, Sharla Haberer and Camille Haberer were initiated in a very impressive ceremony. Linda Starkey presided over the meeting. Assisting and attending were: Sherian McAlpine - Worthy Associate Advisor; Brenda O'Hair, Charity, Norma Kelley, Hope; Pansy Been, Faith; Prada Sanders, Drill Leader; Donita Kelley, Musician; Dianne Hodge, Chaplain; Annette Hodge, Annita

Kelley, Ann Bearden, Judy Kay Hitt, Color Stations; Susie Adrian, Outer Observer; Mrs. Zou Wilson, Jean Haberer, La-Juana O'Hair, Gayle Littleton, Beth Kelley, Barbara Lewis, Bob McCaskill, and Mrs. Eula Kelley, Mother Advisor. A delicious and beautiful cake decorated in the Rainbow Colors and the American Flag, was served with punch after the meeting. Annette Hodge baked the cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Haberer Entertain Guests

Major and Mrs. Kenneth F. Hite, Sue, Doug, Holly, and Mrs. Lena Hite were dinner guests in the home of the Ted Haberers Thursday evening. The serving table was laid with a beautiful white Irish linen cloth and the most exquisite china and silver. The menu consisted of delicious New York cuts of broiled steaks, baked potatoes, tossed green salad, and banana nut cake with orange icing.

The Major and family have recently returned from four years of duty in the Far East, Okinawa, and Honolulu, Hawaii. The evening was spent in interesting conversation.

Among Those Who Are Ill...

Ken Dawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dawson, who had a tonsillotomy operation Monday, in Dimmitt, is improving nicely at home.

Mrs. M. M. Morris, who is in Houston, received good reports from tests, but will remain there for treatments. Her address is: Mrs. M. M. Morris, % Mrs. Tobias, 2706 Helena, Houston, Texas, 77006.

Kathy Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Brown, had dental surgery Tuesday in the Methodist Hospital. She returned home Wednesday, and is in satisfactory condition.

Mrs. Dora Bulls, who has been a patient in the Armerst Hospital, returned home with Mrs. Gladys Parish Monday.

Garland Stovall left Tuesday for Long Beach, California, where he is being transferred to the Veteran's Hospital in Long Beach.

Card Of Thanks

We can't express how much we thank each of you for your words of encouragement, thoughtfulness, gifts, food, visits, and above everything, your prayers, during my recent illness. We shall never forget the things you did for us. God's richest blessings on each of you.

Garland Stovall
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stockstill
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Parish
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Drake

Bro. M. B. Baldwin visited Monday in the A. M. Sanders home.

Mrs. H. H. Hamilton and Evan Hamilton visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bo Bryant and family in Dimmitt.

Dwayne Harris, Minister of Music of the First Baptist Church will attend Music Week at the Amarillo Music Camp, July 26-29.

Mrs. James Sanderson and Brian recently visited in Tulsa.

NOTICE

The WSCS of the Earth Methodist Church is sponsoring an Ice Cream Supper honoring the Carroll McDonald family Friday, July 23, at 8 p. m., in the back yard of the Methodist Parsonage. Fellowship is planned for members of the church.

All Rebels are urged to attend the meeting, Thursday, July 22 at 8:00 p. m., at IOOF Hall. There will be a school of instruction held by the Lodge Deputy.

A Gift Tea, honoring Mrs. Carol Cole, nee Jan Knight, of Childress, will be given Thursday, July 22, from 4:30-6:00 p. m., in the Price Hamilton home, six miles north and four miles west of Earth.

Party Line

Mr. and Mrs. Marshal Kelley, Mrs. Pete O'Hair, and sons, Kelley, Kenney and Kirk, returned from Marlow, Oklahoma where they attended a Smith family reunion. Honored guests at the reunion were Rev. and Mrs. Robert Smith and sons, Stanley, Douglas, Ronald, and Bryan, Missionaries on furlough from Brazil. The families attended First Baptist, where the Rev. Smith was the speaker on Sunday morning.

House guests in the M. E. Kelley home this week have been brothers of Mrs. Kelley; Mr. and Mrs. Haskill Green of Camaranga, Calif. and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Green, Janice and Sheryl of Portland, Oregon.

Mrs. Beatrice Hahn, Mrs. Marion Hodge, Diane, and Annette, visited in the home of Mrs. C. L. Hamilton Saturday afternoon.

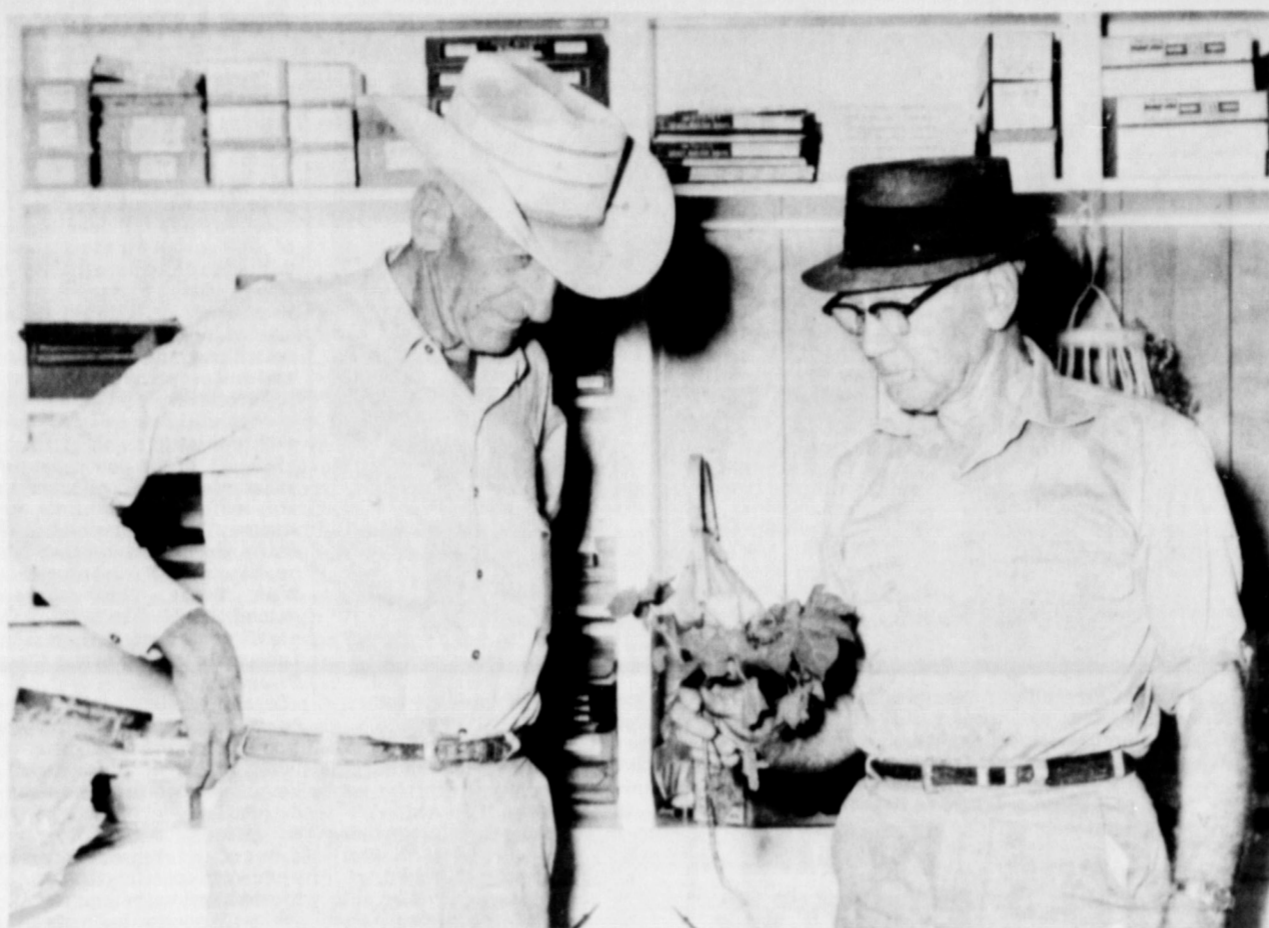
Weekend guests in the Wayne Rutherford home were Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Louder and boys, of Flagg, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cooper and children, of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Crawford, of Los Angeles, California, are visiting in the home of the W. L. Prices.

Mr. and Mrs. Wicks Price and son, of Berger, were weekend guests in the home of Mrs. Minnie Price last weekend.

Sunday afternoon guests in the A. M. Sanders home were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sanders, Mrs. Clarence Kelley, and Mrs. Bonnie Haberer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Middleton and Miss Janis Holt were in Amarillo Thursday evening to meet Phil Middleton at the airport when he returned from Tulsa, Oklahoma.



EARLY COTTON BLOOM is exhibited by Pete Parish, right, whose land is farmed by George Hintner. Parish remarked that this was his earliest cotton bloom in about thirty years of farming, and he has wonderful crops.

Littlefield Merchants To Take Action On "Hot Checks"

The merchants of Littlefield voted, in a joint meeting of the Better Business Committee, to take action on "hot" or returned checks.

According to E. J. Foust, Jr., chairman, "Much time and effort is spent in collecting these items, in addition to the loss of actual money from uncollectible items, and for this reason, something will have to be done."

The group attending the meeting decided to use direct action and exchange names of the frequent offenders. Many merchants are now holding checks

on the same people, and have been for some time. It seems that most passers of bad checks will cash a few at one business location for a couple of days and then move to other merchants, giving quite a few checks from \$1 to \$10 over the city.

Merchants hope to cooperate and take definite steps to cut down on the checks. One plan suggested was to have stamps with address and phone numbers provided, until counter drafts could be obtained.

County Tennis Tournament Slated Aug. 2-7, Littlefield

The annual Lamb County Tennis Tournament for 1965 is slated for August 2-7 at the Crescent Park tennis courts, in Littlefield. Entries must be in by July 24.

Tennis matches will be played between 6 p. m. to 10 p. m. in the following classifications, according to Charles Farley, tournament director: ladies' singles and doubles; ladies' novice; high school girls' singles and doubles, and grade school singles and doubles; men's singles and doubles; men's novice; high school boys' singles and doubles; grade school boys' singles and doubles; and mixed doubles' competition, and veteran's singles and doubles. Tournament fees are \$1.50 for singles players and \$1.00 per person for doubles entries. Grade school division fees will be \$1.00 per person. A trophy in each classification will be awarded for

first and second place, and one for consolation. Balls must be furnished by the players, and no matches will be played until all fees are paid in full.

Party Line

Weekend guests of Mrs. Lena Hite were Dr. F. A. and Mrs. Flaniken of Farmington, N. M. Dr. Flaniken is a nephew of Mrs. Hite.

Weekend guests in the home of Mrs. Sarah Clark were her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Raper, and son, of Dimmitt.

Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Richardson returned Friday from a family reunion in Lawton, Oklahoma, and also visited Oklahoma City, and Electra, Texas.

Anita O'Hair Wins Second Place In Dress Review

Anita O'Hair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert O'Hair, a junior student in Springlake-Earth High School, and a six year 4-H Club member, won second place in the senior division of the annual Lamb County 4-H Dress Review, Monday, in Littlefield.

Tying for first place were Iva Tanner, of Olton, a senior student at Olton High School and Lynna Pitts, of Pleasant Valley, a younger student, Miss Tanner, with one-half point in the lead in score, will represent Lamb County at the District Review, August 12, in Lubbock.

A large attendance was present for the review, which was held in the Community Center of Littlefield, with approximately thirty-five girls in competition. The girls were judged on their dress, their 4-H record books, and their work.

Judging the review was Miss Gena Brazeale, County Home Demonstration Agent, and Miss Marcheta Wood, Assistant Home Demonstration Agent, Plainview.

Anita modeled a black and white two-piece dress, with sleeveless black and white over- blouse of Thomas cotton, featuring a bow belt and a skirt of solid black, which she made.

M. Y. F. Picnic Held In Jones Home

The Senior MYF of the Earth Methodist Church met Sunday evening for their regular meeting in the W. O. (Buzzy) Jones, Jr. home.

A cookout was enjoyed, followed by games of volleyball and badminton. The MYF program and worship service followed.

Attending were Terry Parish, Gwen Smith, Mike Cowley, Melodie Brock, Susan Britton, Bob Coker, Kathie Brown, Pansy Been, Karen Jones, Rev. Lindley, and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Mahan and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hawthorne are vacationing in Anchorage, Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Herring and Tod and Johnnie Olds visited the Clovis Zoo Sunday afternoon.

Parish and Hintner Bring Cotton Bloom To News Office

Pete Parish and George Hintner brought their first cotton bloom of the 1965 season into the News Office Tuesday, however some cotton blooms have been seen in the area for two weeks.

The Gregg cotton was planted May 10. Parish remarked that this was the earliest bloom he had had in the thirty seven years he has farmed this land, located four miles north and one mile east of Springlake. His

first blooms usually appear in August, but Parish said, "This year's prospects are the best ever." The sixty-six acres of cotton are farmed by George Hintner, who has worked for Parish for twenty years.

The beds were watered prior to planting, and they are now watering the cotton for the first time. Dry fertilizer was used before listing, and wet fertilizer was applied ten days ago.

Two Athletic Attractions Slated In Lubbock

West Texas sports fans will have an opportunity to see two top athletic attractions Oct. 2 at Lubbock.

At 7:30 p. m., Texas Tech's Red Raiders host the Texas Aggies in a Southwest Conference football clash at Jones Stadium.

And preceding the grid contest, there will be a 3 p. m. pro basketball game matching the St. Louis Hawks against the Philadelphia 76ers in Lubbock Municipal Coliseum. It will be the first West Texas appearance by NBA teams in five years.

The pro cage tilt will star Wilt (The Stilt) Chamberlain, generally recognized as the greatest basketball player of all time. The 7 foot 1 Philadelphia pivot has led all NBA scorers in each of his six seasons in the

rugged league. No other player has ever approached that performance.

The 76ers also boast Lucious Jackson, a forward who was the NBA's "Rookie of the Year" last season. Other Philadelphia standouts include Hal Greer, Chet Walker, John Kerr, Dave Gambee, and Larry Jones.

The Hawks have a well-balanced scoring attack led by veteran forward Cliff Hagan. Other key men on the St. Louis roster are Len Wilkens, Zelmo Beaty, Bill Bridges, Jeff Mullins and Player-coach, Richie Guerin.

Tickets for the pro cage game are priced at \$3.00, \$2.50, and \$2.00 with all seats reserved. Fans may order ducks now by mailing a check in the proper amount to Pro Basketball, P. O. Box 5002, Lubbock.

Gary Don Haberer Returns From Panama

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Haberer motored to Houston to meet Gary Don at the Houston International Airport.

Gary spent a month in Panama, and saw many interesting things and on his return trip, he changed planes five times, so he got to see a little of Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Honduras, and Guatemala.

Texas looked awfully good to him though. He said he didn't see any place he wanted to move to. In Houston the Haberers visited with Mrs. Lola Chenoweth, an aunt of Mrs. Haberer's. Aiso they toured the Astro Dome. Some time was spent in Austin sight seeing in our Capitol City.

They arrived home Wednesday night. Mrs. Terry Green and Mark are visiting in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Methodist Youth Leave Today For 2 Day Retreat

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. (Buzzy) Jones, Jr., and Rev. Albert Lindley will accompany the Methodist Youth (MYF) to Buffalo Springs Lake, in Lubbock Thursday.

The group will plan programs for the next six months, as well as enjoy recreation. They will stay at the Wesley Lodge at the lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Watson, and Lisa and Lee, of Tampa, are visiting in the Truman Stine home and the Lowell Watson home. They and the Eddie Haydens attended the Shirley family reunion Sunday in Seagraves.

Mrs. Nora Painter, from Sunray, is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. W. Messer and family.

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Farmers, contractors, and others who operate vehicles at speeds under 25 mph can use a simple, inexpensive warning device to alert motorists in time to slow down. Developed through extensive research at the University of Ohio, the brilliant two-colored triangular symbol endorsed by the National Safety Council, American Society of Agricultural Engineers, Automotive Safety Foundation, and other groups.

An educational program aimed at developing widespread use by farmers and other operators of slow vehicles and acquainting the general public with its meaning is being coordinated by the Texas Farm Bureau Safety Department.

Joe Smetana, TFB safety director, said the SMV emblem is intended to supplement and not replace other warning safety devices such as red lights, red flags, etc. Use at the present time is on a voluntary basis only, but some states either have passed laws or have legislation pending making it mandatory on certain types of vehicles.

The emblem and optional mounting assemblies can be purchased at a very nominal cost through county Farm Bureaus, Smetana said. Non-Farm Bureau members can purchase them at the same low price members pay, and plans are

being made to have them sold through implement dealers and other similar businesses in most counties, according to the TFB safety director.

Smetana said the research at Ohio State University revealed that two out of three accidents involving slow-moving vehicles are rear-end collisions. These rear-end collisions account for two-thirds of the fatalities and injuries and 70 percent of the property damage in accidents involving slow and fast-moving vehicles. A majority of the injuries and fatalities occur to the operator of the slow-moving vehicle. Nine out of every ten of the accidents occur in daylight hours on dry highways, according to the studies.

The emblem, made of lightweight aluminum materials, has a solid center triangle of fluorescent orange with a 1 3/4 inch outer border of red reflective material. The orange material has been proven to be highly visible to approaching motorists at distances exceeding one-fifth mile. At night, the reflective border glows brilliantly in the path of oncoming headlights--producing a hollow, red triangle which immediately identifies a slow-moving vehicle. The overall dimensions are 16 inches wide and 14 inches high. It should be mounted at the rear of the vehicle, three to five feet from the ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Moran of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond King and children of Lubbock visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges.



MIGRANT HEALTH CLINIC, sponsored by the Young Homemakers Club, had a large turnout Monday evening, as approximately eighty people were present at the Earth Community Building for immunizations. Registered Nurse, Mrs. Helen Barton, center, was one of six registered nurses on hand, while several FHA girls and Young Homemakers recorded data.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Cox & Hurt
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Dear Friend,
Attorney General Waggoner Carr will be in Plainview, for a short visit on July 22 to meet with his friends and supporters. We have arranged for a coffee

hour with him at Ralph Wayne's Restaurant, 2000 West 5th St.,

from 10:30 to 11:30 A.M.
In discussing the arrangements with Waggoner he particularly asked that you be invited.
I hope that you will be able to attend as I am sure that Waggoner will have some interesting information for us and that you will enjoy a visit with him, as I am sure he will with you.
Yours very truly,
Joe L. Cox

New Crops For Plains Area Need Less Water Studied By H. P. R. F.

Water conservation in itself is not the only way to prolong the life of the ground-water supply under the Plains of Texas. One more way is in the development of new crops for the area that do not need high levels of water.

The High Plains Research Foundation at Halfway, Texas, has underway an extensive research program to develop several new crops having low water requirements, yet giving high enough yields to be economically profitable for the farmer.

Several of the new crops now under research at the Foundation are sunflowers, soybeans, and sesame. The Foundation has already developed the first soybean specifically developed for West Texas. This soybean, named HNN, has boosted the yields of soybean farmers from Lubbock to the top of the Texas Panhandle.

Several hundred types of soybeans, sesame, and sunflowers, from 32 foreign countries are being used in the extensive breeding program at the Foundation. The goal of this expanded research program is to produce and develop new varieties which are specifically adapted to minimum water requirements, yet still retain high yielding characteristics.

These crops are all in good demand as oil seed producers, and also these same crops are edible as a protein supplement which causes them to demand

a premium market in many parts of the world.

Population of the United States is increasing at the rate of 11 new births every second. This means an increase of 8,000 people a day. Food and fiber production for not only the large number now living, but also for those as yet unborn will become a greater and greater problem. These new crops along with those now being grown can help feed and clothe them.

Research being done at the Foundation in these new crops is not being done to replace cotton, grain sorghum, or any other crops now in production, but to provide other income producing crops to help preserve the water supply.

One of the as yet unnamed soybean varieties developed by the Foundation is one that matures in 80 to 105 days, yields from 25 to 30 bushels per acre on one to two irrigations. This bean has been tested from Lubbock to the top of the Panhandle, and in each test, it has been a good yielding bean on low water.

Sunflowers are one more early maturing (around 90 days) crop that has minimum water requirements. In tests at the Foundation, maturity was achieved with one irrigation. This is one of the crops that is hoped for a return to the farmer of around \$100.00 per acre.

Sesame is now being grown on

Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hazlett and Vaughan are visiting in Ashland, Kentucky with Mr. Hazlett's mother, Mrs. C. E. Hazlett.

Sunday afternoon guests in the Irvin Anderson home were Mrs. Jerry Staniford, and Miss Judy Penn, both of Littlefield.

Doug Messer, Jerry Been, Pete Glascock, and Terry Parish are vacationing in Colorado.

A Note Of Appreciation: TO AREA FARMERS

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The Gene Brown's toured the St. Lawrence Seaway. In the background, ships are being raised 35 feet to meet the river level, so they can go from the canal into the river without trouble.



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Lazbuddie News...

By Mrs. C.A. Watson

The Sykes reunion was held at the American Legion Hall Saturday and Sunday, July 17-18. The Kenneth Cox family, Lazbuddie attended, Mrs. Cox's maiden name was Sykes. Approximately 90 relatives were on hand for the occasion. Mrs. Cox's mother, Louella Sykes and sister, Claudene Sykes, of Bellflower, Calif. and three brothers, Bill, Al, and Elbert from Los Angeles returned the first of the week for Calif. after attending the reunion and visiting with the Cox family during the last several days.

Linda Monk, Las Vegas, was home last weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Monk. Linda is employed at Camp Blue Haven, Las Vegas.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Broyles and children left for Houston Monday for a sight seeing trip and to attend a night baseball game in the Astrodome. Recent visitors in the Oran Broyles home were the Alonzo Johnson's from Mt. View, Arkansas, the Ralph Taylors from Bakerville and the Willie Branscum from Fillmore, California. Minister Grover Ross and Mrs. Ross from Portales were visitors at the Lazbuddie Church of Christ Sunday. Ross is Superintendent of the Childrens Home in Portales. Gladys Darling from Portales also visited the church and with her brother and family, the Duane Darling's, Bro, and Mrs. Ross were dinner guests in the Darling home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Thompson and children, Friona, visited her parents, the Duane Darlings Sunday.

The Lazbuddie Church of Christ will host a singing school beginning Monday night, July 26, 8:30 at the church. The school will last through Friday night. Lester Perrin from LCC, Lubbock will teach the school.

Visiting the Fred Gram's last week were their granddaughters, Susan and Athena Hall from Utrica, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crain and Mr. and Mrs. J. McDonald and children were in Abilene the first of the week for the Crain Reunion. The event was held at Conlon Inn at Abilene.

A car-hay truck collision at Clays Corner Saturday at noon was examined by Hi-way patrolman from Farwell, Mrs. John Littlefield was driving the 1965 Oldsmobile, was going north when she hit the hay truck coming from the east. The truck brakes failed, causing them to go on into the cross roads intersection. Mrs. Littlefield tried to miss the truck, causing the car to turn completely around, then go into the pasture west. No one was hurt but both vehicles were badly damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ham are touring Western Canada and the Pacific Coast States. The Hams report the highways wonderful and the scenery beautiful.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Redwine feted with a cookout supper Thursday evening of last week at their home near Hub. Attending from Lazbuddie were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Houston, and Mrs. Raymond Houston, Steve Jones and Leon Watson. Judy Jones' neice of the Houstons also attended the event. Judy is from Slaton. She is here helping the Houstons on the farm.

Sunday dinner guests in the Houston home were Mrs. Wayne Linch, Teddy, Davy, and Judy from Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Redwine from Hub.

The Lazbuddie Home Demonstration Club had a called meeting in the school auditorium recently for the purpose of planning and assisting members of the 4-H Club for the dress review held in the county. The meeting featured a skit, "Katie Did It", demonstrating household cleaners. Members of the 4-H modeled their dresses. The meeting closed with a social hour and refreshments.

Pat Peterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Peterson, Lazbuddie, will be employed for the summer at Glorieta Baptist Assembly near Santa Fe, N. M. Miss Peterson is a graduate of Lazbuddie High School and attended Wayland Baptist College at Plainview for three semesters.

Graveside rites were held Friday at Muleshoe Memorial Park for Glen Hubbard Stevens, one day old son of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Stevens of Lazbuddie. Rev. T. Walker of the Trinity Baptist Church officiated. Single-ton Funeral Home, Muleshoe was in charge of the arrangements. Grandparents were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harkins, Falcon, Nev. and Mr. and Mrs. Butler Stevens, Muleshoe.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Norwood returned Sunday after a few days vacation and fishing at Lake Umbarger. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harper, Muleshoe.

Birthdays celebrated this week go to: Johnny Delgado, Benny Marrow, Dina Andrado, Billy Eubanks, Benny Watson, Kenneth Keith, Jaun Garza, Lorene Blackburn, Maxene Broyles, Doyle Crim, Letha Temple, Victor Schumann, Linda Hodges, Lube Flores, Beatrice Villarreal, Suzanne Crooks, Linda Gleason, Johnnee Seaton, Billy Boldrean, H. S. Bridges, Bonnie Parker, Jim Paul, Mary Maxwell, Kathy Coker, LaReta Wenner.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Bryd celebrated their anniversary Sunday, July 18.

Lowery To Work In Trucking Department During Convention

Lloyd Lowery, local farmer, will be doing something quite different within a matter of days. This unusual and sudden change of occupation is only temporary though. The reason is Lowery and several other local Witnesses will be volunteer-delegates to the four-day "Word of Truth" District Assembly of Jehovah's Witnesses at Lubbock July 22.

"Although I will be a volunteer worker in the Trucking and Equipment department at this upcoming assembly," observed Lowery, "there will be about 1,000 other volunteers working at every conceivable type of job with me. What is faith strengthening and rewarding is to see these hundreds of men, women and youths freely volunteering their time and talents to carry out the task needed."

A special report to the Earth-Littlefield Congregation was read by Lowery, who serves as local presiding minister. It

noted help will be needed in some 30 different skills and trades in order to make for a successful assembly. These range from cafeteria workers and errand boys to musicians and nurses.

Lowery said, "Although not all are in a position to perform convention services, one out of every six delegates will be working in some capacity at this convention as a volunteer worker."

"Though not new for our congregation," observed Lowery, "volunteering is the key to a successful assembly. The reason is because it is putting Christianity to work."

"People helping people" is the way Lowery described the convention organization. "There are some things money can't buy. That includes a willingness to work and serve your fellow man. That's what makes these conventions so outstanding," he concluded.

Cotton Acreage In Texas May Be Cut 35%

Texas farmers are facing a drastic reduction in cotton acreage if the proposed farm bill passes the House. Best estimates indicate that contrary to the House Agricultural Committee's figures, Texas cuts in acreage would be in excess of 35%.

Texas in the past has enjoyed considerable success in getting unused acreage released and in shifting this acreage to farmers who desired to grow cotton. The proposed omnibus farm bill would eliminate for all practical purposes the release and re-apportionment feature of the present law. Last year there were 5,850,000 acres planted to cotton in the State. Estimates indicate that under the proposed bill acreage would be reduced by 2,102,000, a reduction of 35.9%.

Translated in terms of income, assuming that crop conditions will be about the same as they were last year, this would mean a reduction of 1,462,992 bales of cotton worth \$219,500,000 to Texas cotton farmers. The Texas economy, however, would be decreased by a figure approaching one billion dollars since it is a well established fact that cotton multiplies itself in the channels of trade five or more times. Many producer groups, it is reported, are voicing opposition to the reported bill. The Texas Cotton Ginners' Association is definitely opposed to the acreage features, as it will mean a general reduction of income for this vital group of processors. The aver-

age gin in the State processes around 3,300 bales annually, consequently, the entire production from 445 of the State's economy and the cotton ginning industry, drastic acreage reductions would curtail the individual farmer's efficiency by increasing his cost of production, which is directly opposite to what the bill is designed to do. House Agriculture Committee reports indicated a need to temporarily reduce acreage by only 15%, which the industry said it could stand.

Two Injured In Car Accident In Lamb During June

The Highway Patrol investigated 12 rural traffic accidents in Lamb County during the month of June, according to Sergeant D. S. Lawson, Patrol Supervisor of this area. These wrecks accounted for two injuries and an estimated property damage in the amount of \$8,720.00.

The rural traffic accident summary in Lamb County for the first six months of 1965 shows a total of 46 crashes resulting in two persons killed, 16 persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$41,480.00.

As of the first of this month, there had been a total of 1,040 fatal crashes in Texas taking lives of 1,261 persons," the Sergeant stated. This is approximately two percent less than for the same period of 1964; however, if past trends continue, we will in all probability exceed the all time record high of 3,006 persons killed in traffic crashes experienced in Texas last year.

Texas was fortunate over the 4th of July weekend in that the predicted number of persons were not killed, but we cannot brag, as 25 persons were killed over the holiday while in the rest of the nation we experienced a great increase over last year, and set a new all time record for deaths over the 4th of July holiday just as we did during the previous Memorial Day holiday. The veteran Patrol Supervisor concluded that with the vacation season well underway more vehicles will be traveling streets and highways, and he called on all motorists to become more thoughtful in regard to complying with traffic laws in an effort to reduce the rising trend of traffic crashes.

12,000 Quail Are Released

Almost twelve thousand bobwhite quail have been released thus far this year from the state quail hatchery at Tyler.

Personnel of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department revealed 11,987 bobwhites have been banded and shipped for distribution since January 1. The birds have gone to landowners whose lands have been approved to receive the quail and to 4-H and FFA groups who have completed habitat improvement projects.

Gene Gaston, Bob Phipps, and Charles Axtell left Tuesday for Iowa.

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