

Lately In Littlefield

By Bernita Ratliff — Phone 709-R

Mrs. Tommie Duncan of Anson is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Aldridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Less Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Shaw and Louise Mancuso visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Roberts Sunday in Lubbock at the Poplar Grove Convalescent Home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Huxhurst and A. B. Enloe of the Rocky Ford Community visited in Littlefield with Mr. and Mrs. Elze Feagley last week.

Sandra Ross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Molein Ross, was home over the weekend from Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ross have a new grandson born Saturday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Feas. Mary Brent was the name given the infant.

Ruth Curry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Curry, was home last weekend from Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Leavelle and their two boys, Beane and Tommie, of Dismal, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Foley Sunday.

Mr. A. L. Aven of Hart visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bazon Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keck and sons of Petersburg visited her mother, Mrs. Elmer Dyer, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Pentecost and daughter, Jean, have moved from Antea to 503 T. 8th Street in Littlefield. Jean is employed at Reast Oil Company.

Ann Fields, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Fields, was home from WTSC over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Tooley of Kress visited their son and his family, the Wendell Tooleys, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jungman have moved to Littlefield from Pop. They are making their home at 215 E. 16th.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Stuart and daughter of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williams of Sudan visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stewart Sunday.

C. C. Cooper of Oklahoma City, Okla., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Heathman over the weekend.

Mrs. Roy Lyles and her two children, Cicie and Randy of

Canyon visited in the home of Mrs. Lyle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Fields over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bass of Muleshoe visited in the home of Mrs. L. S. Filden last week.

Betty Wyatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Wyatt, was home from WTSC over the weekend.

Joan Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hall was home from Texas Tech over the weekend.

Sandra Kimbrough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kimbrough, was home from Texas Tech over the weekend.

Joy Windwehen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Windwehen, was home from Texas Tech over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fore, Betty Anita, Jerry Daniels, Gayla Ann Banson and Lydia Morrow of Amherst visited in Clovis, N. M. Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Thompson where they celebrated S. A. Thompson with a dinner to celebrate his 94th birthday which was Feb. 12.

Visitors in the First Baptist Church Sunday were C. C. Cooper of Oklahoma City, Okla., Mrs. Ray Lyles and her two children, Vickie and Randy of Canyon, Doe Anna Pughson of Wayland College Plainview, Joanna Love of Texas Tech, Dee Wheeler of Texas Tech and Sandra McNeese of Littlefield.

Writing in the Parkview Baptist Church Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Vuanne Hopkins of Littlefield, Mrs. Robert Heron of Littlefield, Mrs. Lola Shults of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Chancellor of Littlefield and Mrs. Joyce Rehber and two sons of Lamesa.

Mrs. Delo Shulls of Brownfield is visiting her daughter and family, Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Bass.

Mrs. Joyce Rehber and two sons of Lamesa are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Thompson returned home last Wednesday night from their trip to Florida.

Mrs. Norman Murray and her son, Kendall, are visiting in Amarillo with Mrs. Murray's mother, Mrs. Halie Fox.

Mrs. M. M. Dabose returned home Saturday after being hospitalized with a broken arm.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Thaxton



CHOKER—Eight strands of graduated color in beads, crystals and pearls give a new dressy look to the classic shirtwaist dress. Gangle bracelet's repeat color.

BIB—Chalk white beads in bib necklace give the desired bulky jewelry look to a basic shirt dress. Big matching is worn on belt; bracelet and final note.

Athletic Banquet Held At Whitharral Thursday

WHITHARRAL — "Moonlight and Roses" was the theme for the athletic banquet hosted by the WMU's of the Whitharral Baptist Church at the church here Thursday evening.

A large lace trimmed red heart surrounded by cupids formed the background. Words "Moonlight and Roses" in gold were surrounded by a trellis covered with the climbing red roses. Tables were decorated with lacy valentine centerpieces with red roses and white candles. Red cupids with menu and program marked the seating of the guests.

The invocation was given by Rev. M. D. Durham local pastor. Coaches Willard Hedges and Alton Warren made brief talks.

Miss Donna Kay Kenney, high school senior and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Denney, was crowned basketball queen with Donny Polk, junior and son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Polk, Jr. being crowned basketball king. Gifts were presented to the king and queen and to the two coaches.

"Melody of Love" and "My Happiness" were presented by the new high school chorus. "The Heart of the Matter" with Miss Linda Meritt singing the theme song, "Moonlight and Roses."

Speaker for the evening was Rev. Elmer Ward, pastor of the First Methodist church here.

Baked ham, potato salad, cranberry sauce, pickles, rolls, cherry pie and punch were served to Rev. Duham, Rev. and Mrs. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Hedges, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Comer Born, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Johnson, Mrs. Tom Morgan, Billy Theford, Gerald Pair and Miss Barbara Dickerson, Stevie Bryant, Roy Mayes, Bobby Brown, Jerry Ove man, Donny Poik, Ronny Grant, Phill Huson, Don Creek, Terry Sias, Don Overman and Miss Barbara Crews, Don Stafford, Milton Marrow, Tommy Euckton, Jimmy Brantley, Charles Denney, Julius Mayes and Miss Shirley Edwards, Butch Sanders, R. C. Creek, Clouse Gilley, Jackie Dalrymple, Barry Heard, Jerry Ligon, Troy Harris, Bob Ward and Misses Donnie Cullis, Casandra Hood, Martha Sue Davis, Donna Kay Dennis, Patsy Baisden, Wanda Gay Polk, Peggy Baisden, Edna Johnson, Stella May Collins, Hettie Merle Stockton, Linda Martin, Lola Beth Cox, Jane Mitchell, Wynell Gilley, Rita Ann Dyer, Melba Raines, Betty Burnett, June Simpson, Janell Dasher, Mary Edwards and Marvalynne Durham.

The hostesses' gifts were a folding high chair, baby book and crib blanket. They were Mesdames Thomas Cook, T. I. Batson, Henry Brown, Ted Long, Wendell Clayton, Raymond Wright, Etta Jones, Doc Bowman, W. H. Crosby, J. M. Clayton, James Holland, Bill Robertson, Luther Caraway, Allan White, Les Lichte, Floyd Rowell and Misses Dameris Crosby and Wynwone Cook.

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The Valentine motif was carried out in the serving table decoration and refreshments. The table was laid with a red cloth centered with an arrangement of red and white carnations. Two upright hearts lettered "Frankie and Marvin" in silver added to the centerpiece. Spiced tea, heart shape cookies, nuts and valentine candies were served.

Delta Kappa Gamma Society Meets Thursday

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society met Thursday in the Plainview High School for an exchange program between the Gamma Iota Chapter and the Epsilon Delta Chapter beginning at 10 a.m.

Members attending from the Epsilon Delta Chapter from Littlefield were Mmes. William Brune, Addie Abernathy, Ruth Jones and Ardie Collins; from Sudan, Mmes. M. H. Tollett and C. E. Nichols; from Muleshoe Mmes. Mabie Dorell Elizabeth Watson, Blanche Johnson and Oeatha Finley and from Ollon Mmes. Ethel Gordon Jewel Dale, Muri Snyder and Linda Campbell.

After separate business meetings the Gamma Iota Chapter served a brunch where the members of both groups mingled and visited. The program on scholarship followed.

A skit was presented by Mrs. Tollett and Mrs. Nichols of Sudan with the help of various Delta Kappa Gamma members, explaining each scholarship through use of valentines.

These scholarships may be applied for by any Delta Kappa Gamma member and are gifts, not loans. There are eleven short term scholarships and one long term one.

Any member of the organization desiring to further their education may apply for one of the scholarships.

Following the program a white elephant sale was held. The proceeds of this sale went into the scholarship fund.

Even experienced cooks will be delighted with the idea of making refrigerator meals ahead of holding it in a wide-mouthed vacuum jar until serving time.

Weddings — Cameras
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Pink And Blue Shower Honors Mrs. Coleman

AMHERST — The home of Mrs. C. A. Thomas was the scene of a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Eugene Coleman Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Wendell Clayton of Earth presided at the tea table which was covered with a lace cloth over blue.

A potted pink azalea was the centerpiece with satin ribbon streamers lettered "David Brett" the name given to Mrs. Coleman's baby son. Appointments were in silver and crystal as hot spiced tea and home-baked heart-shaped cookies were served. Plate favors were valentines and miniature plastic babies.

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The hostesses presented her with a bed spread, stainless steel table ware and china in a service for six. The gifts were all on display.

Hostesses were Mesdames Dor Shaver, Ma via Wagner, Fred Johnson, Oby Blanchard, A. J. Mote, W. E. Nicholson, John Humphreys, David Harmon, W. P. Stone, W. P. Davis, Raymond Helms, Leslie Morrow, Jon Cornelius, Hubert Sawyer, R. C. Davis and Misses Sheria Davis, Morine and Karen Nicholson and Pat Harmon.

Hedges, Mitchell Re-elected To Principal Posts

WHITHARRAL — At a recent meeting of the Whitharral School Board, Willard P. Hedges and A. A. Mitchell were re-elected high school and grade school principals, respectively, for the 1959-60 school term.

W. M. Roberts was re-elected for another year in January.

Saturday April 4, 1949, is the date for the school trustee election for the Whitharral Independent School District. Everyone should remember his date and vote at this important election.

Trustees whose terms expire this year are George (T.C.) Wade, Jr., James Marrow, and Doss Wayne Maner.

Any person wishing to have their name on the ballot should file with the County Judge before March 4. This is the deadline for filing for a place on the ballot. Names can also be placed on the ballot by a petition signed by at least five qualified voters and given to the County Judge before Mar. 4.

Garden Club Reports On Their Projects

Mrs. Wiley Roberts, president of the Littlefield Garden Club, reports that the clubs "Litter-bug" campaign has made much progress. A number of club members are carrying litter sacks in their cars and are urging others to do so.

Mrs. G. T. Terry also reports that the club has sold nearly all the National Council Flower Arrangement calendars which were bought in December. These calendars are desk appointment books with outstanding flower arrangements on each page. They make nice gifts and are invaluable to the flower arranger.

They also suggested that if you are wondering where to find answers to your gardening problems you might find your answers at the Littlefield Garden Clubs "Garden Center" located in the public library.

For planting problems they have "Southwest Gardening" and Better Homes and Gardens "Garden Book" and "Planting Guide" for district 1 Texas Garden Clubs. For landscaping there is "How to Landscape Your Grounds" for those interested in roses read "What Every Rose Grower Should Know", it is published by the American Rose Society. Other books available are flower encyclopedias, "All About Houseplants", "The Complete Flower Arrangement", "Flowers Their Arrangement" and also a book on making corsages. If you are leaving West Texas there is a booklet "Gardening in San Antonio and South Texas".

The librarian will help you make your choice.

Intermediates Attend Luncheon In Littlefield

Members and teachers of the Intermediate Sunday School of the Whitharral Baptist Church enjoyed a luncheon at Mac's Downtown Restaurant at Littlefield Sunday.

Present for this occasion were Barbara Crews, Don Overman, Melba Raines, Laticia Hayes, Marvalynne Durham, Jimmy Brantley, Jimmy Slape, Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Durham, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Craife of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Crews and Mike.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

THURSDAY, FEB. 19
12 noon Rotary Club—Metho.ist Basement.
FRIDAY, FEB. 20
10 a.m.—Baptist Workers Conference—Threeway
7 p.m.—Recognition Banquet—First Baptist Church.

W. B. Little's To Sail March 3 For Naples, Italy

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Little will leave Lubbock Feb. 22nd for New where they will sail on the Italian liner, Christoforo Colombo, on March 3 for Naples, Italy. They will fly from Rome to Cairo and from there to Beirut, Lebanon. A private guide will take them through Syria, Jordan, Lebanon, Israel and on to Greece, Istanbul, Turkey and to Vienna, Austria where they will leave the tour and tour Austria, Germany, Eng-

land, France and Scotland. Mrs. Little plans to stop painting in Salzburg, Bavaria, Paris which will be the end of her trip.

They will be in the U.S. for Easter. While in Bethlehem they will visit a girl in an orphanage that they have sponsored for past 12 years.

They will return home on June. Mr. and Mrs. Little broad in 1952 which will be their second trip abroad.

They will also be busy on their trip.

St. Martin's Missionary Circle Meets

The Missionary Circle of St. Martin's Lutheran Church met Sunday at 2:30 p.m. for its monthly meeting.

To open the meeting the hymn "Rock of Ages" was sung. Mrs. Dale Maxwell gave the opening devotional. A Bible study based on Ephesians 1:15-23 was given by Mrs. W. P. Neinst. To close the program the hymn "I Know Whom I Believe In" was sung.

Mrs. F. E. Bourlon presided at the business meeting. A playlet "Roses In December," stressing use of our Thankoffering boxes was given by Mrs. Cecil Price, Mr. Erno Ganzer, Mrs. F. E. Bourlon Mrs. Fred Lucke and Mrs. Edgar Schulz.

A bolt of material to make loin cloths for the New Guinea Christmas box will be bought. Mrs. B. D. Birkebach is chairman.

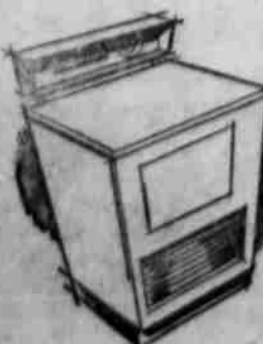
A new meeting date for the group was selected. This will be on each second Tuesday of the month at 2 p.m. beginning in March.

After adjournment of the business meeting the session closed with the Lord's Prayer, Mrs. J. W. Wells and Mrs. Lonnie Neinst hostesses, served cookies, sandwiches and coffee during the social hour.



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**Valentine Party
Thursday
Beginners**

CAMP — A valentine party for Beginner Department of Camp Baptist Church was held Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Leonard. Mrs. Roy Henderson presided with the hospital-

ties. Many faces featured on the valentines were filled with cake topped with cream, red punch and candies were served. The valentine box held for all the guests.

The valentines were distributed by the group was given a valentine with candy. Attending were Mike Burdick, Greg and Mike Burdick, Johnson, Sharon and Debbie Howell, Oliver, Danny Leonard, Donald Parkey, Pat Pattie Muller, Mothering were Mrs. J. W. Jr., Mrs. Elma Burdick, Edwin Oliver, Mrs. De-roy, Mrs. Roy Osthus, Howell, Jr., Mrs. Ivy and Mrs. Junior Muller.

**Miss Layette
Honors
Duvall**

Members of the Young Women's Union school faculty members and a few close friends surprised Raymond Duvall with a shower Thursday afternoon 3 and 5 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Bill Bradley.

Both ever yellow covered table. A circular mirror held with yellow flowers held a ceramic baby on a pillow. A white and yellow tablecloth and yellow napkins were arranged. Five yellow tapered burners in a semi-circle.

and silver appointments as hot spiced tea, as cookies and yellow served. Mrs. Zane Bar- Mrs. J. L. Harris alter- serving. Miss Layette played piano during the calling hours. From the circle, faculty and eighth grade boys and individuals were present. Mrs. Duvall's husband is on the staff at Amherst.



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METHODIST BUILDING CAMPAIGN KICK-OFF DINNER—The \$100,000 new church building campaign began with this dinner in Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church Monday night. It was a dinner for the workers who will be taking pledges from the church members. The workers themselves pledged

\$34,000 of the amount. Shown above, left to right are: The Rev. Lennel Hester, pastor; Dr. Chess Lovern, speaker of the evening; J. E. Chisholm, campaign chairman; Huston Hoover, chairman of solicitation; Mrs. Hoover, Dr. Dallas Denison, district superintendent, and Mrs. Denison. (STAFF PHOTO)

**GS Council To
Meet Feb. 21
At Abernathy**

The monthly meeting of the Senior Planning Board of Caprock Girl Scout Council will be held in Abernathy, Texas, in the Girl Scout Room of the City Hall on February 21, at 10:00 a.m. Final reports will be made on the "Frontier Daze" party to be given on March 14, 8:00-10:30 p.m. in the Lubbock Fair Park Coliseum for the Explorer Scouts in the South Plains Boy Scout Council by the Senior Girl Scouts in Caprock Council.

Betsy Robinson, President of the Planning Board, reminds each Senior Troop to have its representatives or their alternates present. All registered Seniors are invited to attend but only the two elected representatives, or their alternates, may vote.

**Russell Cottons
Honored With
Housewarming**

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cotton and Emily Ruth, who moved recently to their home 5 miles west of Whitharral, were surprised with a housewarming Friday evening. Many gifts were received.

Coffee, cookies and punch were served to Messrs. and Mesdames Cotton and Emily Ruth, Ernest Cotton and children of Spade, J.E. Gravitt and Johnnie, Hugh Buckner, Clinton Fagan and children, Don Reding and children, Robert Ave'y and children, Rafe Rodgers and children, A. R. Steety, Warren Tipton and children, Robert Strickland and children, Raymond Clevenger and children, Elmer Ward and children, Mesdames Vera Rodgers, Carrie Eller and S. J. Clevenger, Jr.

Sending gifts were Mesdames L. C. Lewis, Bill Reding, G. F. Edgar, Hub Sprayberry, E. E. Pair and Elva T. Crank.

**Tournament To Be
Held March 16-20
At Whitharral**

The Whitharral Senior Class is sponsoring a Volleyball tournament on the week of March 16-20 in the Whitharral high school gym.

The tournament will be limited to the first 16 men and the first 16 women's teams which enter.

A 25c charge will be made for each player for each night; all spectators will also pay 25c each night.

Individual trophies will be given the members of the first place teams.

Send your entry to W. M. Roberts, Superintendent, Whitharral Public Schools, Box 119, Whitharral, Texas, Tele. No. 3401 or nite phone No. 3531.

**Whitharral WSCS
Meets Monday In
Methodist Church**

WHITHARRAL — The Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met at the church Monday afternoon. Mrs. Dillard Ridings was in charge of the program, beginning the study of "Isaiah Speaks," which is to be taught each week for six weeks. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Elmer Ward.

Those present were Mesdames Ridings, Wanda, Hub Sprayberry, Russell Cotton, Vera Rodgers, J. E. Gravitt, C. F. Edgar, Robert Strickland, Will Reding and one visitor, Mrs. Williams of Shallowater.

**Jill McCord
Honored With
Skating Party**

Jill McCord was honored with a skating party on her 11th birthday Friday at the Littlefield Sports Arena. Pat McCord, her father, sponsored the party.

Guests were Donna Kay Rudd, Donna Davis, Peggy Kelly, Beverly Kelly and Dianne Hodge. Cakes and candy were served to the group.

**WSCS Observes
Day Of Prayer In
Methodist Church**

AMHERST — The Womens Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church observed the World Day of Prayer last Friday. The meeting was held at the church at 9:30 a.m.

Mrs. Bill Elms was leader of the program with "Lord, I Believe" as a theme. Roll call was answered with "from near and far" projects to be benefitted throughout the world.

A one act presentation entitled "This Noble Perseance" was given by Mrs. Elms assisted by Mesdames David Harmon, George Williams, T. F. Gilliland, H. L. Phelps, Roger Britt and Vernon Stagner.

Twenty-one attended the meeting.

**Banquet Held For
Young People Of
Parkview Baptist**

A sweetheart banquet was held at the Parkview Baptist Church Friday night for the young people of the church.

Invocation was given by Lynn Todd.

Master of ceremonies was John Clayton. Phyllis Cutshall gave a piano number and the group sang "Let Me Call You Sweetheart". Mrs. Nancy Cotham sang "My Blue Heaven."

The group was addressed by the Rev. J. L. Bass, pastor of the church, with the benediction being given by Elwin Gilley.

The valentine motif was carried in decoration.

Forty-five attended the banquet.

**Girl Scout Troop
Visits West
Texas Museum**

Girl Scout Troop 211 visited the West Texas Museum at Lubbock on Thursday, Feb. 12.

Those making the trip were Trudy Grizzle, Susan Parker, Sharon Bernethy, Patsy Martin, Patsy Russell, Glenda McWilliams, Vickie Gagnon, Ruth Ann Zoth, Linda Duncan, Linda Hill, Linda Wright, Geraldine Walker, Linda Newberry, Donna Smith and Carolyn Spencer.

Troop leaders accompanying the group were Mrs. L. G. Grizzle and Mrs. William Duncan. Mrs. Virgil Zoth and Mrs. C. B. McWilliams also attended.

**Jack Horton
Speaks Thursday
At P-TA Meeting**

The Spade P-TA met in regular session Thursday.

C. C. Byars gave the meditation with Mr. Rives leading in prayer. The eighth grade class furnished music for the meeting.

Jack Horton, minister of the Spade Church of Christ, spoke.

In the business session a nominating committee was elected they were Mrs. Albert Lockwood, Mrs. Travis Hopper and Mrs. Leon Leonard.

The next meeting will be March 12.

**Mrs. Mancuso
Honored With
Housewarming**

Thursday evening Mrs. Louise Mancuso, formerly Louise Spann, was honored with a housewarming shower at 616 E. 7th.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Paul Pharris and Mrs. Mable Alexander.

Those attending were Mesdames Mable Alexander, Mildred Wingo, H. C. Robertson, Paul Pharris, Lilly Strawn, Clyde Hauk, Virgo Peterson, Maude Street, Fred Gerlach, Gus Shaw, Gosh Street, Edith Morris, Andy Houk, Less Barker, Winnie Hogan, Bell Dow, Roy McQuatters, H. H. Hale, L. C. Hewitt, Maxine Claxton, Alma Holder, B. D. Garland, J. C. Houk, Audie Collins, T. A. Henson, Hayes Madden, Lucile Brown, Frank Jones, Mary Matthews, Alma Scott, Miss Nadine Spann and Maxine Hutto.

Refreshments of fruit punch, sandwiches and cookies were served to the guests.

**Mrs. Leroy Banks
Honored With
Bridal Shower**

A come and go bridal shower honoring Mrs. Leroy Banks of Channing was held at the Springlake Community Building Wednesday afternoon.

A lace cloth over yellow covered the serving table. A miniature bride and groom centered the table complimented with yellow candles.

Spiced tea and individual cake squares iced in yellow were served to the guests.

Mrs. Sam Borden registered the guest.

Hostess for the occasion were Mesdames Janie Way, Mildred Goforth, Fae Washington, Dorothy Washington, Velma Paddon, Essa Hollingsworth, T. B. Dyer, Sam Borden and Glen McCleskey.

**Valentine Party
Held Friday For
Girls Auxiliary**

AMHERST—A Valentine party was held Friday night in the home of Mrs. J. F. Brantley for the Girls Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church.

Games were played and a Valentine box added to the merriment.

The centerpiece of the serving table was a red and white styrofoam heart on a round mirror surrounded by hearts, cupid and roses. White candles in white holders were decorated with satin bows and hearts.

Punch and heart shaped cookies were served to Jan Holland, Martha Slate, Sue Brantley, Carma Lefa Harris, Nancy and Judy Carter, Mary Ann Cox, Cecelia Brantley and a visitor, Katie Hardwick and their director, Mrs. G. C. Bearden.

**Johnny Fields Named
To WT Honor Roll**

Johnny Fields, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Fields, has been named to the honor roll at West Texas State College at Canyon for the fall semester.

Fields, a sophomore agriculture major, had a grade point average of more than 2.25 with the highest average possible being 3.

**Rehearsal Dinner
Held Friday In
Hampton Home**

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hampton were hosts at a rehearsal dinner for the Hampton-Cowen wedding party at their home Friday evening at 6. The dinner was served buffet style and the guests were seated at tables arranged in the den.

Those present for the dinner were the bride and groom, Peachy Cowen and David Hampton; Mrs. Duane Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Cowen and son, Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. James Durham, Mr. and Mrs. John Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richardson, Cecil Bartlett, Mrs. Don Hatley, Mr. and Mrs. Dick McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Fairbairn, Miss Ruth Corry, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Walden, Miss Paula Sue Jensen, Mrs. Maude Street, Mrs. Virgo Peterson, Misses Jan and Frances Hampton, Mrs. Roland Cowen and daughter, Shauna, the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Cowen and the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hampton.

**Sunnydale HD
Club Meets In
Jack Brooke Home**

Sunnydale HD Club met Friday in the home of Mrs. Jack Brooke. Mrs. B. D. Birkelbach gave the devotional and Mrs. J. G. Perkins gave the opening exercises. Mrs. Louise Bryce was elected nominee for delegate to the district meeting. County Judge Pat Boone Jr.

**O'kla. Ave. HD
Club Meets In
Solesbee Home**

The Oklahoma Avenue HD Club met Friday in the home of Mrs. C. C. Solesbee. The chairman called the house to order and roll call was answered with "Suggestions on how to raise club funds".

The next meeting will be Feb. 27 in the home of Mrs. E. D. Brooks.

**Northside Club
Meets Thursday
In Wade Home**

WHITHARRAL — "Baking was the demonstration given Thursday by County Home Demonstration Agent, Mrs. Jewel Robinson, at the regular meeting of the Northside Club at the home of Mrs. J. E. Wade on the Anton highway. Food nutrition was stressed also.

Roll call was answered with "things to be done through the year."

The next meeting will be February 26 with Mrs. M. D. Morgan.

Refreshments of coffee, cake, and nuts, carrying out the Valentine theme, were served to Mrs. Robinson, three visitors, Mrs. Hub Sprayberry, Mrs. E. G. Wade, Sr., and Mrs. Clifford Williams and the following members: Mesdames Billy Williams, George Wade, Jr., M. D. Morgan, Ed Johnson, Ralph Wade, J. B. Wren and Doss Maner.

Your chafing dish is an ideal container for serving a hearty supper soup and keeping it piping hot for a second serve-ups.

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Mrs. Lady Clair Phillips gave a demonstration on the second step in sewing which consisted of cutting out the dress and in making button holes before sewing up the dress. She also brought out the importance of interlining the places that need to be. She suggested round button holes for dresses.

Mrs. Fred Lichte was voted to be THDA chairman from the Oklahoma Avenue Club.

The reservation chairman led a game in which they took the hostesses initials and made sentences out of them.

The hostess served brick ice cream and angel food cake carrying out the valentine motif in decoration.

Those present were Mesdames Peggy Starnes, Margaret Graves, Jerry Cook, Joe Jones, Thelma Griffin, Ruth Hopper, Inez Lichte, Carlita Myers, Waiden McKinney, Oats Solesbee, Flora Davis, Ruth Miller, Ila Helms, Cecil Brown, Mrs. Phillips and three visitors, Mrs. Cecil Johnson, Mrs. I. C. Fox, and Mrs. Ethel Brock.

The next meeting will be Feb. 27 in the home of Mrs. Peggy Starnes.

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NEWS FROM OLTON

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. LaFrance are spending a three week vacation in Truth or Consequences, N. M. Mrs. Lee Poteet and Mrs. Jim Biedsoe are also vacationing with the LaFrances.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Estes and Letha spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Mac Esco of Portales.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Silcott spent Friday in Lubbock visiting Mrs. Earl Smith in the Methodist Hospital. Mrs. Smith had major surgery Wednesday. Her condition is improved.

Miss Donice Silcott of Hardin-Simmons spent this weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Silcott and her sister, Mrs. R. V. Allcorn.

Tommy White entertained a group of young people in her home Friday. Those present were: Dana Speer, Darlene Langford, Joneita Moss, Sue Mitchell, Billie Beasley, Sammy Clark, Elaine Everett, Cheryl Poteet, Charlie Burrus, Barry Prostridge, Ray Green, Jerry Peterson, John Johnson, George Phillips, James Lovelless, Robert Struve, Jimmy Curry and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miller and Elizabeth Bell spent Thursday in Plainview.

Mrs. J. C. Hines spent Wednesday visiting in Littlefield and Sudan.

Valley View Club Meets Thursday In Vaughn Home

WHITHARPAL — Mrs. David Vaughn was hostess Thursday afternoon at her home south of Olton for a meeting of the Valley View Club and a products party. Demonstrator of the party was Mrs. Betty Maye of Littlefield. Mrs. Warren Tipton was "lucky lady". Mrs. Hayes Denny presided for a brief business meeting of the club. Mrs. Raymond Clevenger was hostess to the club at the next meeting on Thursday, March 5 at 2:30 p.m. Pop cake, coffee, valentine candy and nuts were served to Mesdames Maye, Tipton, N.M. Martin, Densel, Raymond Clevenger, A. B. Roberts, Viola Montgomery, A. R. Stovett, Robert Strickland, S. J. Clevenger, Jr., L. D. Simpson, Walker Breen Gladys Simpson and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Ester, Mr. and Mrs. Don Williams of Olton and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wood of Plainview spent four days last week at an insurance meeting in Austin.

Mrs. Lucy Armstrong spent Thursday in Abilene attending the funeral of an uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest LaFrance spent Tuesday and Thursday in Petersburg visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pierson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Francher are in Truth or Consequences, N. M. on an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dickson were in Plainview Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Daugherty returned home Friday from Ft. Worth, but they were unable to bring Patricia home. She will remain in the hospital about six weeks. She weighed 2 lbs. and 14 ozs. at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bley visited in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Wayland Stephens of Slaton last week.

Those attending the co-op convention in Galveston this week are, Mr. and Mrs. W. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Earl Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. M. Lambright, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hysinger, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Jones.

Eleanor Suddith and Lera Freeman attended a meeting of the Business Womens Club at Plainview Tuesday evening.

The "Bykata Study" are sponsoring their annual style show Feb. 21 at 8:00 P.M.

John Lynn Burrow's lamb placed in the El Paso Stock Show Thursday morning. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Brent Burrow.

Mrs. Fred Hicks spent Tuesday in Lubbock visiting.

Mrs. E. W. Vaughn returned home last week after visiting in the home of two of her sisters.

Mrs. Bud Haman spent two days last week visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. Albert Jeffrey.

Mrs. Albert Walthall returned home Sunday after visiting in O'essa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Dennis were in Memphis last weekend.

Mrs. Paul Burrow and Charlie

were visitors in Lubbock Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Powell of Rowfield were visitors in Olton Sunday.

The Olton Jr. High Band attended an all day band clinic in Colvis, N. M. Feb. 14. Fred Stockdale reported a good showing by 11 students.

The Olton High School closed out their basketball season with Abernathy Friday night. Both team were defeated. The girls captains this year were Charla Granberry and Pat LaFrance. Other girls on the team were, Bobbie Campbell, Sharon Dennis, Sue Witten, Gayle Manchen, Gayle McNally, Welda Edwards, Jeannie Harper, Janice Campbell, Nancy Bryant, Barbara Kirkpatrick. Captains on the boys team were Jimmy Robins and L. H. Williams. Other team members playing were, Arno Hall, Robert Priest, Paul Ray Montgomery, Wendel Scribner, John Wayne Hair, David Hamm. Basketball judge and quen were Arno Hall and Charla Granberry.

The Wilks have two other daughters, D'Lyde and Theresa.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wood of Plainview spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Wood and Charlotte.

Curley Daugherty of Olton won the grand champion at the Ft. Worth, Fat Stock Show and his son, Frank Daugherty won the reserve championship with his mare. Only recently their mare won championship and reserve champion at the Amarillo show.

Don Williams was named "Man of the Year" of the American Founders Life Insurance Co. for the third consecutive year at the company's annual convention held at the Westwood Country Club in Austin.

The annual blue and gold banquet was held Friday evening in the school lunchroom. More than forty badges were given out. Approximately 170 people attended. The banquet is staged for the entire family of each cub. Guests were the committeemen of the Olton Volunteer Fire Department, the organization that sponsors the cubs. Cubmaster is Vernon Brittan.

Read the labels when buying macaroni and spaghetti — quality depends most on the type of wheat used. That made from durum wheat keeps good shape during cooking.

Both the bride and groom attend Hardin-Simmons. Miss Gardner graduated from Conroe High School in the groom graduated from Littlefield High School.



LAST B-36—Against background of last active B-36 whose flight ended at A. J. Carter Field, near Fort Worth, Capt. C. W. Bigham, left, Biggs AFB, El Paso, receives a world globe symbolizing his completion of 5,900 hours flown in a B-36 from Frank Ravis, Vice-president and general manager of Convair's Fort Worth plant. (AP PHOTO)

Church Of Christ Meets For Bible Study

SPADE — Ladies of the Spade Church of Christ met Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 for their weekly Bible study. They began a study of the book of Numbers with Bro. Jack Horton teaching the lesson. Ladies present were Mesdames, Bill Cook, Gailther Vanderveer, Bud Vann, Jack Horton, Perry Coffee, Grover Durham, Charles Dursam, Jack Stubblefield, Andrew Jaragin, Sue Ellison, Bill Jones, J. R. Matthews, Garland Bryant and Gene Stanley.

Gaylen Allen Ammons, son of Mrs. Omega Ammons of 1317 Monticello, Littlefield, will go aboard the aircraft carrier USS S. S. Oriskany at San Francisco, Calif., March 7.

The carrier will have training off the California coast until September, 1959, for the Far East.

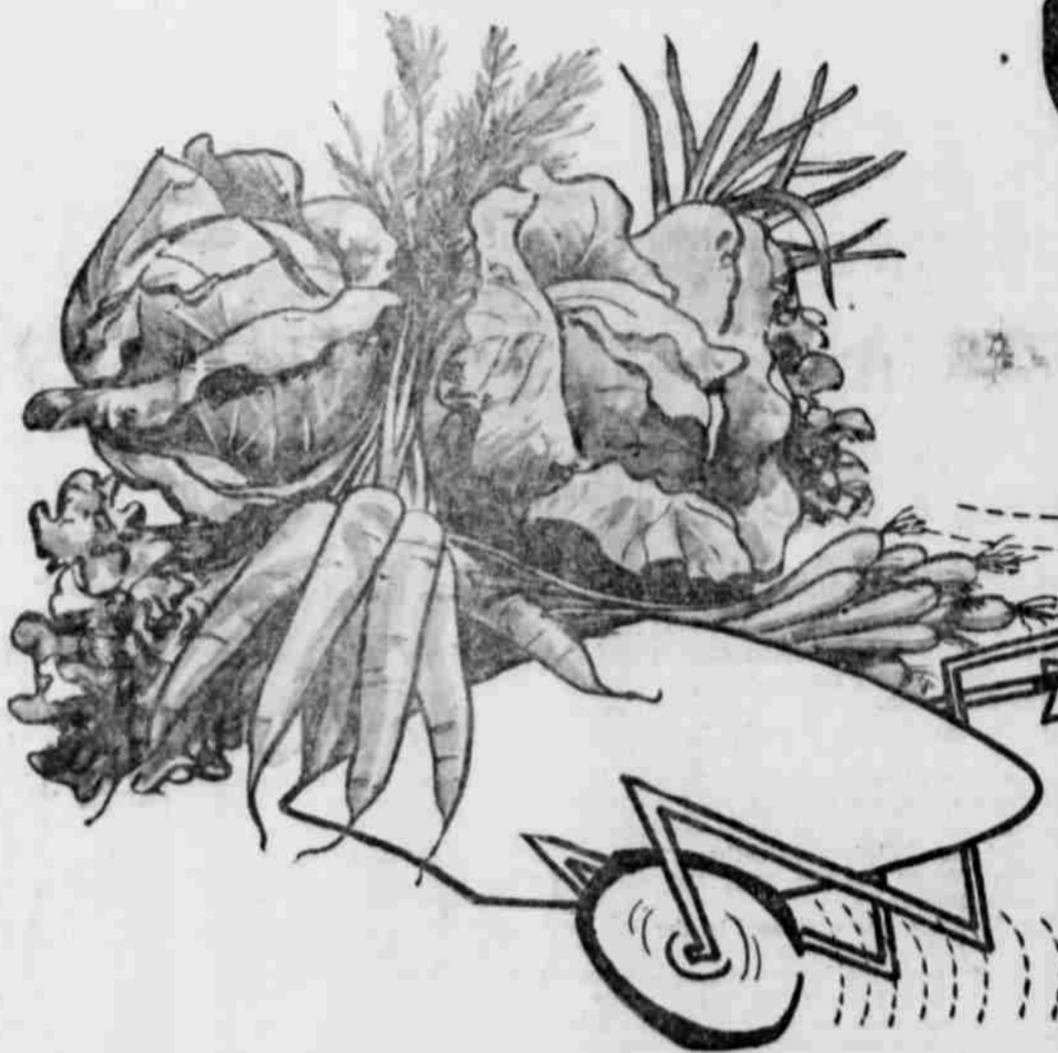
Ammons has been attending pre-commissioning school in Diego the past six weeks. Before entering the service in February, 1958, Ammons graduated from Littlefield High School and was employed by Curtis Gulf Station here.

Gardner-Fore Wedding Plans For March 27

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gardner announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Shirley Ann Gardner, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fore. The wedding will be held at the Baptist Church in Abilene, Texas, on March 27 at 10:00 a.m.

Both the bride and groom attend Hardin-Simmons. Miss Gardner graduated from Conroe High School in the groom graduated from Littlefield High School.

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**To Be Held
In Church**

Chesher
Services for Mrs. Wil-
cher, 55, were conducted
Wednesday in the
Catholic Church in
Mass is scheduled at
day in the church.
cher died Tuesday at
the Gaston Hospital
while visiting her dau-
James Kinzer. In Dal-
suffering a heart con-

**Services
Wednesday
F. Morris**

Services for Homer For-
65, resident of Lit-
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Dunn, former minister
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a son, Floyd, Little-
sisters, two brothers
grandchildren.
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Miller Sr.**

Services for Mrs. H.
Sr., 86, pioneer Lamb
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Tuesday at the Olton
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ministers were the
Campbell, pastor of
Methodist Church; the
Crabtree, assistant
the Plainview First
Church; and the Rev.
Anally, pastor of the
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after a long illness.
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y years was active in
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are six sons, Bob of
Henry of Olton; Bill
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and Johnnie of Cal-
ster, Mrs. Anna Hill-
Wells; 23 grandchild-
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grandchildren.

**Services
Held Today
reck Victim**

Services for Gwendoyne
M. Levelland, grand-
L. S. Dewett of Lit-
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ett died at 5:23 a.m.
Methodist Hospital.
a result of injuries
an auto accident near
Monday morning,
the 8th grade in Lev-
or High School.
include the parents,
Fred T. Dewett; five
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ll and Jerry both of
nd Lewis, F. T. and
ouston; three sisters,
Julios, Bay City, and
Kathy Dewett, both
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Hester Martin, Lev-
paternal grandfather,
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Sue was born in
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BREAD	TENDERCRUST 1½ LB. LOAF	23¢

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AT SOIL FERTILITY EVENT—Getting together at Tuesday's Soil Fertility Day here were, from left, Dave Eaton of Littlefield, former county agent; K. Sorenson of Littlefield; Bob Gibson, of Littlefield; Alken, one of several speakers; and Clyde Davis of Littlefield. (STAFF PHOTO)

Sudan Sidelights

By MRS. EVELYN SCOTT
Mrs. J. A. Martens has been ill and confined to the hospital in Amherst.
A number from the First Baptist church attended the Group School for Sunday school workers held this week at the Baptist church in Muleshoe. Rev. Wayne Perry, pastor of the local Baptist church, conducted the study of the book, "Personal Soul Winning" by Leonard Anderson, to an adult group.
The local Brotherhood meeting held last week at the 1st Lutheran church in Lubbock were a number of members of the local Brotherhood and their guests. Members, Worley Baker, Paul Goetz, Mark Baker, Bud Matthews, Marcus Paul, Samy Smith, Twid Walter and J. D. Friday, Billy and Denny Allen, and Cary Parrott.
Adults going were Waymon Gordon, Nolan Parrish, E. B. Dick, Homer Morris, Dexter Baker, Rev. Wayne Perry and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Robinson.

Brenda and Bobby Drake, children of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Drake, were ill and confined to their home the first of the week.
Sandra Lane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lane, was on the sick list the first of the week.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perry have moved to Littlefield to make their home there where he is to be employed with the Pioneer National Gas Company. Mrs. Perry will continue to teach in the Sudan Grade school. Perry recently completed a six month active duty tour with the National Guard. He is a graduate of the University of Texas at Austin in Business Administration. Mrs. Perry is also a graduate of Hardin Simmons.
Jack Gibson is returning home from a workshop on the part of the city recently leased by Masten from the city.
The structures will be used in connection with the aerial spraying business to be conducted by Masten and Gibson.
Mrs. Inez Robinson was ill the first of the week and confined to her home.
Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Howell, Mrs. C. C. Serratt and Lum Serratt were in Amarillo Sunday to visit C. C. Serratt who is confined to the Veterans hospital here.
Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Nix and Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Gatewood are at Truth or Consequences this week.
Mrs. Bill Turner underwent surgery Friday morning at a hospital in Littlefield.
Olan Welker was confined to the Amherst hospital the first of the week where he was to undergo some medical tests.
Mrs. W. V. Terry has returned home from a hospital in Muleshoe after being confined there for a number of days.
The city commission met recently when a portion of the city airport was leased to Bob Masten. Other business attended to was the appointment of G. W. Davis as city judge. Davis will serve in this capacity along with acting as Justice of the Peace for Precinct 5. According to Mayor Joe Rone, Davis will be in charge of city court in connection with tickets given by city policeman.

D. C. Dodd became ill Sunday night and was taken to the hospital in Littlefield where he was confined.
Mrs. J. A. Graves of O'Donnell was a visitor last Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. Inez Robinson.
Mrs. Lora Banchard was in Littlefield last Thursday evening to attend a tea held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Henson. The team was in honor of Hal and Dorothy Ferguson, Worthy Patron and Worthy Matron of the Eastern Star chapter in Littlefield.
Mrs. Blanche D is Worthy Matron of the local Eastern Star Chapter.
Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Woolever were in Denver City over the weekend to visit in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Moss.

Negro Woman, 38, Charged in Sunday Stabbing Incident

A Littlefield Negro woman, 38, was charged with assault with intent to murder this week after an incident at Sudan early Sunday morning in which a Negro man was stabbed.
Jailed here on the charge was Louise Hopkins. She was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Homer McLaury and City Marshal Bill Wilkinson, both of Sudan.
The man, Melvin Robinson, was hospitalized at South Plains Hospital at Amherst for treatment of a stab wound in his throat. Robinson was stabbed in the throat. Robinson died Monday afternoon.
The woman went free on \$1,000 bond.

Fair Grounds Clean-Up Planned

A committee of three men was appointed Monday night to see that the Lamb County Fair Grounds is cleaned up in time for the annual Junior Livestock Show.
The action was taken by the civic affairs committee of the Chamber of Commerce, headed by E. J. Foust Sr.
The committee was instructed to contact the county commissioners to determine procedure for cleaning up and repairing fences at the grounds.
Members of the panel are Ernest Owens, chairman; Otis Smith and O. B. Graham Jr.

SAFE DRIVING TIP

Newly developed residential areas require lower driving speeds to protect children.
New housing usually attracts young families with small children, notes the Chicago Motor Club. Motorists are reminded to keep that in mind and adjust their speed accordingly.

Soil Fertility --

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Plains Cotton Growers is not recommending either plan, and that each farmer should compare the plans on his own acreage before making a choice.
He reminded farmers that March 16 is the deadline for making the choice.
In another talk, Dr. Bill Bennett, soil chemist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, declared that fertilizer can be profitable "if the right amount of the right kind is used and if other management factors are limiting in its effect."
Bennett urged farmers to "know your soil and its capabilities. Get your soil tested and use it as a guide in the light of previous experiences."
The soil chemist also advised farmers to "hedge on the effects of season by applying a portion of nitrogen prior to planting and sidedress only if the season is right."
Byron W. Frierson, assistant director in charge of agriculture, Texas Department of Corrections, discussed integrating livestock into the farm program.
Frierson described the Texas program that had resulted in more beef on less land in the past 11 years.
Other speakers were Kenneth Lewis, Lubbock, who talked on farming feed lot operation; Ed Shores, Lubbock, swine management; Robert L. Parker, Texas Sesame Growers, Paris, sesame; Bob Gibson, Paymaster Farms, Alken, soybeans and Joe Cole, Extension Service, Lubbock, vegetables and associated crops.

Master of ceremonies for the morning session was Wiley Mudgett of Sudan. Marshall Howard of Littlefield led the afternoon session. Entertainment was provided by members of the Littlefield High School music department.
HOSPITAL NEWS
Randal Sorenson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Sorenson, was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Sunday for medical treatment. He was dismissed Tuesday.
Johnny Boyce was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Monday for medical treatment.
Jana Ford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford, was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Tuesday for medical treatment.
Ruby Yessel was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Tuesday for medical treatment.
Mrs. Robert Barrett of Cotton Center was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Tuesday for medical treatment.
Mrs. S. B. Sherrill of Amherst was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Tuesday for medical treatment.
Terry Robertson was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Tuesday for medical treatment.
Brenda and Bobby Drake, children of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Drake, were admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Tuesday for medical treatment.
Daniel Estrada, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Estrada, was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Tuesday for a tonsillectomy. He was dismissed Wednesday.
W. A. Hefflin of Sudan was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Tuesday for medical treatment.
Jimmy McBride, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer McBride, was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital on Tuesday for medical treatment.
Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Winfield are the parents of a 7-pound, 3-ounce girl born Saturday in the Littlefield Hospital. Sherry Suzanne is the name given the infant.
Anchovy paste added to a cup of medium white sauce makes an interesting sauce for plain fish fillets.
Cream cheese is too soft to grate but it can be sieved through a coarse wire strainer to make an intriguing looking garnish.

THE BIBLE SPEAKS

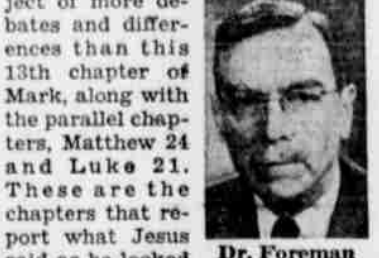
International Union of Christian School Leagues
BY DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN

Bible Material: Matthew 25:31-46; Mark 13:1-37.
Devotional Reading: 1 Peter 4:12-19.

Trouble and Faith

Lesson for February 22, 1959

IT IS A thousand pities, but it is a fact, that the Christian church, which ought to be united by the Bible, has become split over it. Not split by it, but over it, in varying and discordant interpretations of what the Bible means. No passage in all Scripture has been the subject of more debates and differences than this 13th chapter of Mark, along with the parallel chapters, Matthew 24 and Luke 21. These are the chapters that report what Jesus said as he looked down the vista of time to the "end of the age." (That is a more literal translation of the Greek expression sometimes translated "end of the world.") Many Christians, despairing of getting any unanimous explanation of these difficult sayings, have just given up the whole business as a waste of time. Yet these chapters are not a mere puzzle.



Dr. Foreman
Let us stick to one general helpful truth which meets us here, namely the relation of trouble and faith. First of all, as Jesus looks down the years, he does not see the light growing brighter and brighter. At least, he does not see the future with the eyes of the unadulterated optimist. He uses some frightening language—wars, earthquakes, famines, "abomination of desolation," tribulation, and darkness at noon as at midnight. Jesus gave no backing to the idea that if you have faith enough "all your troubles will be bubbles" as the song says. Some troubles are very solid, they can smash a man and his hopes. No matter what goodness there may be in the world, no matter how good God is, there are going to be troubles ahead. People who give up their faith in God because they run into a squall-line of trouble-clouds, which they can neither fly over, under or around, cannot have read these sayings of Jesus very carefully.

If Jesus had seen only the times of darkness he would have been a pessimist. If we follow his lead we shall by faith see not only troubles as a certainty (though what troubles, and when, only God knows), but also we shall see beyond all troubles. Most important, we shall see God on his throne. There is a famous story of Martin Luther, whose wife once appeared at the table in deep mourning. Martin was astonished. "Who's dead?" she asked. "God must be dead," she answered. "At any rate you have been going around for the last week looking and talking as if He were dead." Martin Luther got the point. God is not dead... yet how many Christians we see today who, looking ahead, see only the troubles, and not the God of love and wisdom without whom not a sparrow falls. Beyond the troubles too we see Christ coming again. It is not true to Christian faith to think of the future as stretching out endlessly, a never-ceasing battle without victory, between God and evil. All that Christ lived and died for will come to pass. "Through many tribulations we must enter the Kingdom," Paul said (Acts 14:22).

Goals To Decide--
(Continued from Page 1)
By Dr. J. W. Davis, Texas Tech government department head, who told the commission the council-manager form was becoming more and more popular in cities all across the U. S.
After months of research, committee meetings and night work, the commission completed the charter several weeks ago.
Since that time, residents have had an opportunity to study it in detail, through articles in the newspaper, a copy of the charter which appeared in the paper and another copy which were sent to every city taxpayer.
Briefly, the charter provides for a five-man council (Mayor and four councilmen which will set the policy of the city and direct the activities of a city manager. Terms of the councilmen will be staggered so that a mayor and two councilmen will be elected every two years. Two councilmen will be carryovers at each election.
The mayor will be elected for a two-year term and the councilmen will have four-year terms.
Charter commission members have said in public meetings that approval of the charter will not mean a raise in taxes.
The only new office created by the charter is that of the city manager. The manager's duties will be much like those of a school superintendent. He will be directed by policies of the city council.
Basic advantages of the charter, as listed by the charter commission, are that (1) the city will have a five-man council with two carryovers at each election; (2) a trained administrator to carry out the orders of the council; (3) the city's own laws, as made by the legislature for general law cities; (4) a health and sanitation commission; (5) Planning and zoning commission; (6) initiative referendum and recall.
City Attorney Bill Street called the initiative, referendum and recall section one of the most important parts of the charter.
This section allows citizens to petition the city for ordinances. It also allows citizens to call for a vote on an ordinance about which they may have a question.
The charter also provides a Franchise and Public Utilities section, through which the city has regulations over local utilities. Establishment of municipally-operated utilities is possible through the charter, including the establishment of a city-operated telephone system Street said.
Members of the charter commission include V. L. Hofacker, chairman; Mancel Hall, vice-chairman; Marshall Howard, secretary; Kenneth Reast, Ray G. Keeling, J. E. Chisholm, Jr., C. A. Duval, Pat H. Boone, W. D. Gilder, F. L. Newton, Albert Perkins, R. W. Manley, John Richey, J. W. Walker and Truman Jones.

Trial Of LaDuke Liquor Case Stated Today In County Court

Trial of criminal cases will start today in County-At-Law after two days of civil trials.
First trial on the docket today is that of L. H. (Peg) LaDuke of Springlake, charged with violation of the liquor law.
The LaDuke case went to trial in December, but ended in a hung jury. LaDuke defended himself in that trial.
Other cases scheduled to be tried this week include those of Cleo Risby of Littlefield and Mrs. J. W. Jones of Sudan. Both are charged with liquor law violations. In a civil trial Tuesday, a jury

ruled in favor of A. B. Young, who farms five miles south of Olton, in a land suit.
The suit, brought by David Shropshire of Beaumont, was over whether Young would lease Shropshire's 640-acre farm in 1959. Shropshire had sold the farm to J. L. Snyder of Olton.
Another civil trial was scheduled to get underway Wednesday. That case was a suit by Millard Phillips of Littlefield against Fred Locker and Lee Carpenter, both of Bula. Phillips is seeking damages in an auto accident which occurred in January, 1957.

Pep, Three Way Play Off 5-B Championship Tonight

Pep and Three Way will settle the district 5-B championship tonight after splitting two games earlier this week to highlight area basketball action.
In other games, Sudan's girls ripped Springlake Tuesday night in the District 3-A basketball tournament. In the same tourney, Anton's girls beat Kress and Sudan's boys stopped Springlake.
In an exhibition game, Anton's boys lost to McAdoo, 72-33. Doug Goss paced Anton with 13.
Three Way edged Pep 24-19, at Morton Tuesday night to force a two-out-of-three series into a third game. Jimmy Homer got eight and Ronnie Kuhler got seven for Pep.
Pep had beaten Three Way 40-25 Monday night, paced by Homer's 15 points.
The third game is scheduled tonight at Morton.
In the District 3-A tourney at Farwell, Sudan's girls swept to a 67-35 victory. Glenna Maston scored 34 points for Sudan while Minnie Wheat got 13 for Springlake.
Barker, with 26, and Judy Oliver, with 25, paced Anton's girls to a 39-43 victory over Kress.
Sudan's boys, in their 55-43 victory over Springlake, were paced

by Rodney Cates with 16. Doug Sanders got 20 for Springlake.
Play in the tourney resumes today at 5:30 p.m., when Anton will play the Farwell girls. Anton and Sudan's boys will meet at 7 p.m.

New Church Plans To Be Secured

By Sudan Baptists
SUDAN — Architectural floor plans and preliminary sketches for the new church plant of the First Baptist Church are to be secured, it was decided at the church conference held Sunday morning.
Completely new units will be built and materials from the old building will be salvaged.
According to Rev. Wayne Perry, pastor of the church, a budget of \$190,000 for the building program has been set and the new plant will consist of a new auditorium and educational spaces.
Rev. Perry said it has not been definitely decided as to which of the units will be built first but a period of four years has been set for the overall building program.
Also named at the conference Sunday morning were four new members to serve on the building committee. Those named were Paul Chisholm, Doyle Watkins, Wallace Gosdin and Henry Gilbert. Other members of the committee are Joe West, chairman; Homer Morris, Lee Roy Fisher, Drew Watkins and Richard West.

Accordingly, it is the purpose of section 132 of the Income Tax Regulations an employee who has been required to account for mileage allowance in lieu of mileage allowance in lieu of expense paid by the employer in excess of 12 1/2 mile and \$15.00 per day.

Officers Probe Two Break-Ins

Sheriff's officers investigated two break-ins Tuesday night, one at Mc's Cafe on Highway 84 and another at the Littlefield Sports Arena.
Officers said someone used a screwdriver to pry open the front door of the cafe. A table model radio and a small amount of change from the cash register and a cigarette machine were taken.
Details of the break-in at the Sports Arena were not available late Wednesday morning.

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NEW LIFE BEGINS FOR TURNCOAT—Claude Barker, Kermit, Tex., GI who was once given a life sentence for deserting with the enemy during the Korean War helps Lassiter with the dishes in the Lassiter home in Littlefield. Lassiter was released from federal prison Jan. 29 and given a job as junior accountant by Paul Lassiter and his home with the Lassiters. (AP Photo)

Income Tax Filing

Do you have reimbursed expenses paid to you by your employer on a per diem basis and on a fixed mileage basis for your car expenses?
If so, and you can qualify, as below, you do not have to report this reimbursement as income or detail the expenses on your income tax return.
An extensive study has been made of the rates of mileage allowances and per diem, allowances in lieu of subsistence paid employees by a substantial number of employers, including States and municipalities, and the method of accounting for these allowances required of the employees by such employers.
On the basis of this study, it has been administratively determined that for purposes of section 162-17 (b) of the Income Tax Regulations an employee who pays or incurs ordinary and necessary business expenses for travel including meals and lodging, and transportation for which he is paid by his employer a fixed mileage allowance or a per diem allowance in lieu of subsistence at rates not in excess of 12 1/2 percent of the rates authorized to be paid by the Federal Government in the locality in which the travel is performed will be deemed to have been required to account to his employer for such expenses of such regulations.
The maximum mileage allowance on a fixed scale authorized to be paid by the Federal Government for use of a personal automobile on official travel is 10 cents per mile and the maximum per diem allowance on a fixed scale in lieu of subsistence authorized to be paid while traveling within the continental United States is \$12.00 per day.

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Mrs. O. A. Pressley Heads Community Center Board

s. Eaton, Helbig Also New Officers

Mrs. O. A. Pressley has been elected president of the Lamb County Community Center Board.

The election came at a recent meeting in which the board re-elected its officers for the coming year.

New officers include Mrs. O. A. Pressley, first vice-president; Mrs. Herb Helbig, second vice-president; Mrs. S. Eaton, representing the Women's Club; Mrs. C. E. Harmon Elliott, representing the Garden Club; Mrs. C. E. Harmon Elliott, representing the Chamber of Commerce; Mrs. Bob Pell, representing the Wood-World; Mrs. Pressley girl representing the Art Club; Mrs. Thomas representing the County home demonstrators; and Mrs. Pell, representing the Lions Club.

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COMMUNITY CENTER BOARD OFFICERS—Mrs. O. A. Pressley, second from right, is the new president of the Lamb County Community Center Board, replacing Harmon Elliott, second from left. At left is Herb Helbig, second vice-president, and at right is Mrs. Dave Eaton, first vice-president. (STAFF PHOTO)

General Telephone Company, Sylvania Merger Is Approved By Stockholders

A new corporate name, General Telephone and Electronics Corporation, was approved last week when stockholders of General Telephone Corporation voted approval of the merger of Sylvania Electric Products Inc. into their company under the new name at a special stockholders meeting held in the Statler Hilton Hotel at Dallas.

At the same time, Sylvania stockholders voted approval of the merger at a meeting held in the Sheraton Plaza Hotel in Boston.

Littlefield is served by the Western Division of General Telephone Company of the Southwest.

Donald C. Power, president of General Telephone, will be chairman of the board and chief executive officer of the new corporation. Don G. Mitchell, chairman of the board of Sylvania, will become president of the new company. Sylvania will continue to operate as a separate corporate entity.

Each share of outstanding Sylvania common stock at the time of the merger will be converted into one share of common stock in the new corporation, Sylvania's non-convertible preferred

stock outstanding will be converted into two shares of voting convertible preferred stock of the surviving corporation.

The merger will result in increased diversification of investment, substantially increased research and development facilities which may enable the General Telephone System to provide improved telephone service to the public and to serve better the national defense effort.

Sylvania will be in an improved position to finance future development, to diversify further due to the research efforts of the combined companies, and to benefit from General's experience and background in foreign manufacturing.

General Telephone is the largest independent telephone company in this country, and the second largest communication system. It has telephone operating companies in 30 states, most of them in growing areas with continued prospects for sizable increases in subscribers.

It also has several manufacturing units, producing equipment for the telephone industry as well as for industrial, communication and transportation fields. A research division is likewise maintained, and several manufacturing units in Europe and Canada, as well as operating companies in Canada, the Philippines, and the Dominican Republic.

Sylvania is a leading manufacturing company in the fields of lighting, television-radio, electronics, photography, and chemistry-metallurgy. It has 45 plants and 20 laboratories in 39 communities in 13 states.

A major participant in a wide variety of research and development projects for the armed forces, involving extremely advanced concepts, Sylvania is engaged in multi-million dollar defense projects involving research, development and production activities in the fields of electronic countermeasures, counter-counter measures, weapons and missile weapons and missile systems, data processing, communications, radar, navigation and control systems.

Funeral Services Held Tuesday For Henry Offield

Funeral services for Henry Lee Offield, 87, Lubbock, father of A. L. Offield of Littlefield, were held Tuesday in the Memphis Avenue Church of Christ, Alva Johnson, Turkey, officiated.

Offield died about 2:30 a.m., Monday at his home. He was a retired farmer.

Survivors include the wife; four sons, E. J. of Afton, J. W. of Mission, A. L. of Littlefield and H. F. of Plainview; three daughters, Stella Derington of Big Spring, Mrs. Marie Calvery of Lubbock and Mrs. Eva Williams of Levelland; 28 grandchildren; 36 great grandchildren; two brothers, Ira and Charlie Offield, both of Breckenridge; and two sisters, Mrs. Louisa Eaton of Bronte and Mrs. Edna Matlock of Breckenridge.

Burial was in the Afton cemetery under the direction of McDonald Funeral Home, Graveside rites were also held in Afton.

Damages Total \$175 In Sunday Mishap Here

A total of \$175 in damages to two cars resulted Sunday about 8 p.m. in an accident at the intersection of 13th Street and Littlefield Drive.

Officers said cars driven by John D. Smith and Gary Rodgers, both of Littlefield, collided at the intersection. Damages were estimated at \$100 to the Rodgers car and \$75 to the Smith auto. Neither driver was hurt.

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Losses Run \$15 Million A Year

Stronger Shoplifting Law Goes Before Legislature

Honest Texans are paying an estimated \$15 million annually to support human parasites known as shoplifters. In every city, town and hamlet, shoplifting has become nearly as prevalent as the hula-hoop, and easier to learn.

State Senator Robert Baker of Houston, and Representative Carl Conley, Raymondville, plan to make things a bit tougher for this type of sneak thief. A new bill, introduced at this session of the Texas Legislature would, if it becomes law, put the professional shoplifter in jail, discourage the amateur or juvenile, and reduce purchase costs for the legitimate customer.

The new bill imposes stronger penalties, and makes identification of the habitual shoplifter simpler. It also allows detainment of suspected shoplifters, for reasonable causes, within the store. Present law makes it risky for the merchant to stop a suspect until he gets to the sidewalk.

"Modern merchandising methods and old fashioned laws have combined to make shoplifting a simple, profitable and relatively safe crime," according to Ralph Poling, secretary of the Council of Texas Retailers. "Open displays and self-service counters make life easy for the thief. And, even nabbing the shoplifter in the act is no guarantee that he won't be back after a one day jail sentence," he said.

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Houston and Dallas average just under \$2 million each in annual losses attributed to shoplifting, but counter matching is not exclusively a big city crime. In Corpus Christi, Austin, Lubbock and Waco, losses will run from \$300,000 to \$450,000. And any town, of any size, which has a super market, a modern department, variety store or drug store, is paying a "shoplifter's fee" on every item sold.

In cooperation with the Council of Texas Retailers, the University of Houston Law School developed a 50 page study of shoplifting in the state. Surprisingly, they discovered that the so-called "kleptomaniac" is a rare bird, and accounts for very little of the shoplifting loss. Emotional problems are a factor, but the biggest incentive in shoplifting is that of personal gain, either through resale of the stolen item or use of it.

The study discloses a correlation between shoplifting and drug addiction. Shoplifting is often the first crime committed by juveniles who later drift into more serious criminal acts.

While some shoplifters use various "gimmicks" to increase their pilfering ability, the true professional knows that if he is caught, these gimmicks are hard to explain in court. The "booster box" is a popular item in the trade. Looking like an innocent "tied" box,

the "booster" conceals a trap door through which soft goods may be pushed. The "booster coat" is a loose fitting topper with slits cut through the pockets. The wearer, apparently standing with hands in pockets, can easily remove counter goods and place them in a special pocket in the coat tail, or hang them on belt hooks.

Other dodges include the one in which a woman selects several dresses to "try on" and takes them to the dressing room. Later she returns some of the gowns to the saleslady and walks out with one or more under her own loose fitting dress.

The top-notch shoplifter uses no gimmicks other than the ability to walk more or less naturally with stolen goods pressed between sturdy legs. Some female lifters have admitted stealing large hams, several cartons of cigarettes or other bulky items in this manner.

While \$15 million is no joke, merchants are still chuckling about the store manager who reprimanded his clerks for not helping a young lady who was struggling to get her baby carriage through the front door. He assisted her himself and discovered a few minutes later that he was an accessory to a crime. The young lady had stolen the vehicle in his store.

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EDITORIALS

Charter's Home Rule Plan Would Benefit Littlefield

Local government exists to perform functions and render services which the people of a community demand and which can be performed more cheaply and satisfactorily by government.

The gross cost of government in taxes can not alone determine how good government is. Rather, the citizen's questions should be:

- (1) Am I receiving all the services which government should, by reason of economy and convenience, rightfully perform?
- (2) Are those services being efficiently rendered?
- (3) Is government sufficiently subject to democratic control; sufficiently responsive to public opinion in performing those services?

Littlefield's proposed charter, which will be voted upon Friday, provides for home rule government.

Home rule is a form of self-government wherein a city over 5,000 population, such as Littlefield, is authorized by the State Constitution to adopt a method of governing itself in a manner best suited to that particular city.

Home rule cities differ from general law cities in that a general law city can do only what the general laws of the Constitution say it can do. On the other hand, as a home rule city, Littlefield can draft its own charter embodying various provisions which are tailor-made for Littlefield alone.

The city of Littlefield can function under such provisions freely providing such provisions do not conflict with the State Constitution.

For instance: Home rule cities practice a stronger democracy by allowing their own citizens to frame their basic law, or amend it as they see fit. General law cities must depend on the Legislature.

Basically, a home rule charter will allow the city of Littlefield to do what it needs to do, when it needs to do it in the best way possible.

Reasonable Shoplifting Law

Revision of Texas criminal laws is one of the most important topics facing the next Legislature.

Many of these revisions may be controversial. Certainly the Legislature will have to give major consideration to such a general overhaul.

But there is one criminal law that should be considered entirely apart from this general revision—a law in which the need seems so obvious that it would be hard to see any real opposition to a substantial change.

That law is the one covering the crime of shoplifting. And before anyone turns that aside with the comment that this is peanuts, consideration should be given to the fact that shoplifters in Texas get away with from \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000 in goods each year with more than \$2,000,000 of the loss right here in Houston.

There will always be shoplifting just as there will always be murders, holdup, thievery or whatever other crimes you can name. But 26 states in the U. S. have shown that shoplifting can be reduced to a minimum.

How did these 26 states do it? By the passage of what has become virtually a standard law in this field—one drafted after much thought and investigation—one that puts very strong safeguards against the arrest of other embarrassment of the innocent but gives a reasonable means of catching and convicting those who do steal from stores.

And this point should be made very clear—In the final analysis, these shoplifters are not stealing from the stores but from the general public. People who do not steal are footing the bill.

Why? The answer is pretty simple. The cost of shoplifting is one of the cost of doing business that a storeowner must figure in his overhead. The public must pay this item of overhead just as it must pay every other item of overhead. Only from his customers can any man who stays in business get the money to run that business.

There are other angles to this. For example, shoplifting is too frequently the first step toward more serious juvenile delinquency. A small item successfully lifted in a store is a tentative step down a road of crime. If something were done to stop that first step, many juvenile delinquents who go on to a life of professional crime might avoid that road.

The law which merchants all over Texas will ask the legislature to pass is not some extreme, unreasonable law that makes shoplifting a crime out of all proportion to its importance.

It calls for only a fine for a first offender, a jail term for a second offender and a penitentiary sentence only after a third offense.

And this is as it should be for many of the shoplifters are "old pros," who because of the unrealistic Texas law on the subject have repeatedly, time after time, year after year, stolen from stores.

Again, for the protection of the public, it seems to us that this legislation should get high priority during the Legislative session. It should be passed without controversy and as close to the national standard law as possible.

Grassroots Opinion

CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO, CURRENT ARGUS: "Reports are that some 168,000 Americans have offered to place their entire acreage into long term idleness under the new 1959 soil bank program . . ."

"Restoration of worn out soil is one thing. Overproduction of a given commodity or commodities is another. But there's a principle involved in the soil bank problem that is alien to both premises and somewhat alien to the concepts of the originators of this country."



ALL-STAR CAST—Just like Betsy Ross, Mrs. Henry Ross and Janice Herrman, 5, of West Hempstead, N. Y., are busy making their own 49-star U. S. flags. Their work is made easy by a new do-it-yourself kit developed by J. C. Penney Co. It consists of a one-yard square of washable cotton percale printed with three flags. One flag is 24 by 36 inches, and two are 12 by 18 inches. The three flags are to be cut apart and hemmed.

STATE CAPITAL
Highlights
AND **Sidelights**
by Vern Sanford
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN, Tex. — The season of the "hard luck story" is in full swing.

Legislative committees having to do with taxing and spending are in almost constant sessions. On the one hand they hear from the state agencies that want more money — of their dire needs, of the gloomy future that awaits the state if their programs are under-financed.

Equally mournful are the stories of those who would be the targets of new taxes. It would be like putting up a "Keep Out of Texas" sign for new businesses and accompanying prosperity, say many business and civic leaders of the sharp new tax bites. Texas communities trying to build up their areas by bringing in money-making enterprises would have the rug pulled out from under them, say the tax critics.

In this arena of clashing view points, the legislators must serve as both judge and jury. Few lawmakers expect to collect any nosebags for their efforts — no matter how sincere or well-considered. Some expect they may have to displease both groups — by cutting spending requests and

rising taxes — all in one woe-filled session. BANE TO BUSINESS — As expected, businesses, large and small, take a dim view of Gov. Price Daniel's proposal to increase corporation franchise taxes. Industry spokesmen told of probable increases of from 50 to 250 per cent in the amount they would have to pay. They complained, too, that they'd have to pay a tax whether they were making money or not, since the tax would be on capital, rather than income.

Rep. J. E. Winfree of Houston, sponsor of the bill, told the business representatives, in effect, "It's this or something else".

UT PLEADS CASE — University of Texas "will sink back into mediocrity," declared exes and officials unless the school gets a better appropriation deal than that proposed by the Legislative Budget Board.

University officials asked for a two-year appropriation of about \$34,000,061. Budget Board recommended \$27,920,624.

Dr. Logan Wilson told the House Appropriations Committee that

DOWN MEMORY LANE

(Taken from the files Lamb County Leader, Feb. 26, 1948)

Elenor Dunnam and Johnny Srygley were named Wildcat boy and girl for 1948.

Cotton trading was increased sharply. Prices advanced to \$3.50 per bale.

Art Muller was named manager of the hardball team. Littlefield will enter Oil Belt League.

Johnny Srygley and Billy Perkins were named new Wildcat co-captains for the Wildcats in 1948.

people seemed willing to pay broad-based taxes for highways. Why not for higher education?

Herman Jones, Austin attorney and spokesman for alumni, emphasized the importance of improved education to this country's position in international affairs. "I don't want it put in the history books that this generation keep the budget low and let the nation die," said Jones.

UT officials also said they would be opposed to establishing a third medical branch — at San Antonio, Austin or elsewhere — until they have gotten enough money to make "first class" the existing Dallas and Galveston branches.

PRISON PROBLEMS — Even more impassioned are the pleas of those concerned with appropriations for the Department of Corrections.

Texas Prison System is operated at about half the national average cost per inmate, says Supt. O. B. Ellis. For some year Board members have been warning of "dangerously oversmoked conditions, and the need for more buildings.

A slash in funds and personnel, as proposed by the Legislative Budget Board, would bring sheer ruin to the bulging prisons. In Ellis' view.

Prison System has an even more immediate pinch in that it hasn't money to finish out this fiscal year. It had a crop failure last year, when floods wiped out cotton on the prison farms.

Since the Prison System is heavily dependent on its own production, it, like any hard-hit farmer, needs some "cash money" — about \$500,000 — to tide it over for this year.

SOMETHING'S GOTTA GO — We can't continue our present services and take a budget suit too, Texas A and M Extension Service officials told legislators.

Budget Board recommended a slightly lower Extension Service appropriation for 1960 than it had for 1959. Service had asked for sizeable increase to help offset extensive loss of county agents to better-salaried jobs in industry.

Spokesmen for the Farm Bureau and numerous other rural groups appeared before the House Appropriation Committee to plead the importance of Extension Service work.

DEADLINE EXTENDED — Senate General Investigating Committee, a creation of the last session, has until March 2 to complete its voluminous report.

After nearly 20 months of activity, the committee had had 27 hearings, piled up 7,500 pages of testimony. All hearings were public, and some brought unsettling repercussions in the fields of insurance regulations and tax collections.

Sandhills Philosopher

Horse Sense Tells Him Why People Buy Smaller Cars

Editor's note: The Sandhills Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm is talking about new cars this week, in a theoretical sort of way.

Dear editor:

I have always contended that American business must know what the American public wants, as it always manages to keep the latter's income tied down in installment payments for months and years ahead, but I read an article in a newspaper last night that makes me wonder.

According to it, car manufacturers, waking up to the fact more and more of those little foreign cars are showing up on the streets of this country, have decided to go into the small-car business themselves.

Sen. Charles Herring of Austin, chairman, is recommending such work be continued by a Joint House-Senate Committee. There must be some sort of "watch dog" Herring believes, for the state's billion-dollar-a-year business.

SLO WDOWN — Chronic speeders would soon find themselves getting around on shoe leather under a strict new measure proposed by Rep. Ben Lewis of Dallas.

Under the bill, the first speeding conviction would bring a 30-day license suspension; the second, a 60-day suspension; the third for six months; and all thereafter for one year. A record of each conviction would be carried on the driver's license.

Speeding, Lewis pointed out, is regarded as a leading cause of accidents.

ANTI-HAIR SPLITTING — "Harmless errors" would no longer be grounds for reversal of a criminal court conviction under a measure being sponsored by Rep. Tom James of Dallas.

But, the article pointed out while the cars will be shorter generally smaller, their won't be a lot less than cars.

This is what I'm talking about. I don't think anybody really objects to a long car, it's the payments that hurt. It's a fact that riding around in a limner, chrome-plated automobile is embarrassing, it's just sometimes embarrassing to the gasoline bill to keep the going.

I know it's hard to park the long models, but if you half in two and sold it to me instead of one, both would still be contending for same parking space. I know people say in horse and days we didn't have any parking problems, but if we had more horses and buggies, we'd be worse, or have you ever tried the distance from the of the horse to the tail end buggy? And have you ever to parallel park in a buggy?

What appeals to a lot of when it comes to foreign isn't the fact they're foreign, not that they're easier to it's simply that they're pay for and cheaper to drive they get for their money, stumps them is how much they give for their car.

Of course though I see wrong, I don't own any automobile-manufacturing plant, vice is cheap. Most of the I've had on farming has from people who don't farm. Everywhere you see new cars. And it's idea too. If you don't own em will hit you.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

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News From Amherst

By MRS. LESTER LAGRANGE

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schroeder of Lubbock were here to the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schroeder and brother, Ronnie.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Platt and children of Lubbock and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Shirley spent Sunday in Bledsoe with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Shirley and baby.

Mrs. C. A. Atkins were in Lamesa for the weekend and attended the wedding Saturday night of their grandson, Connie Baird and Martha Crawley. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Clois Tomes and Sherry, Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Kelly and Mr. and Mrs. Manry Brantley.

Mrs. Tomes and Sherry assisted with hospitalities at the reception. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Uttall of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Hero Willford and children of Seagraves, formerly of Amherst attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim D. Nix were in Earth Thursday to help their grandson Chris Brock celebrate his fifth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Basi Jeffrey, Mr.

and Mrs. Jack Mixon and Mickey Pickrel attended the Baird-Crawley wedding in Lamesa Saturday night.

L. B. Jarvis of Levelland, brother of Mrs. Bob Clayton suffered a heart attack Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton and Horace Woodward were called to Levelland where she remained with Mr. Jarvis.

Mr. and Mrs. James McLaughery of Vera spent the weekend with her father, W. B. Smith and sister, Mrs. Effie Veach.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Porter returned Friday from several days spent with relatives in Douglas, Arizona.

Dave C. Vaughter of Miami, Fla., visited his father, N. A. Vaughter in Littlefield several days. Sunday they visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Bennett and on Monday were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester LaGrange.

Mr. and Mrs. Debbs Knox of Hereford spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. R. Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilson and son, J. V. Wilson of Rush Springs, Okla., visited her sister, Mrs. Etta Jones during the weekend.

Mrs. Fred Wilson was called to Paducah Friday when he raised. Mrs. Ivy Hill passed away. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon. Mr. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Humphreys and Roger attended with Mrs. Wilson.

Mrs. Jack Yarborough returned to work in the post office Monday after an absence of several weeks. She underwent surgery early in January.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ball and Scott returned to Tucson, Ariz., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Dickson and brother, Keith.

Mrs. Blanche Howard of Henryetta, Okla., spent the past three months here with her daughter, Mrs. Bill Bradley and family and her sisters in Lubbock. Mrs. Bradley and Mrs. A. O. Dickson took her home Tuesday.

Mrs. Lige Griffin, Miss Allene Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Griffin and Penny spent last Sunday with relatives in Lubbock.

Visitors in Clovis Sunday were

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown and Guy and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Black, Mrs. Clara Moreland, Mrs. Etta Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Black of Spade were in Paducah Sunday and attended funeral services for Mrs. Ivy Hill. Mrs. Hill is survived by two daughters and a son. She had visited her sister, Mrs. Fred Wilson many times.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Workman and Mr. and Mrs. John Cape visited Mrs. Workman's sister in Levelland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bradley spent several days this week in Miller, Okla., with her brother who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Key and Mr. and Mrs. Duaine Key spent Sunday with relatives in Friona.

Mrs. Clint Edwards had the misfortune to fall, breaking her hip last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hedges and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Maxfield attended the Texas Tech game last Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Maxfield accompanied a group from Littlefield on a fishing trip to Lake Buchanan last week. Those going

were Messrs. and Mmes. A. C. Bridwell, Glenn Batson, E. M. Lowe, Roy Allen Hudson and Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Stafford.

Paul Yarborough is home from the University of Texas with his parents for the weekend.

Mrs. Gerald Coffey and children and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Holland and family visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamm in Hart Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Elms, Mrs. Charles Hinds, Mrs. W. P. Holland, Jr., and Mrs. Roger Britt attended a sub-district meeting of the WSCS held in Bula Tuesday.

Mrs. Larry Sanderson of Littlefield was an out of town guest attending the shower honoring Mrs. Dale Wheeler in Mrs. Oby Banchar's home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Christian and Tripp spent the weekend with her parents in Lubbock.

Rev. John Rankin and Charles Jones were in Lubbock Tuesday night for a district brotherhood rally in the First Baptist Church. Rev. Rankin is District Royal Ambassador leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Nix were in Plainview Wednesday and attended funeral services for Mrs.

Jim Finley. She was the mother of Wayne Boyer, their niece's husband.

For the evening service at the Baptist Church last Sunday, Sam Mataka, an Arab from Jordan was guest speaker. He attends Southwestern Seminary, Ft. Worth and had attended the YWA held in Littlefield Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mixon and children spent last weekend in Mobeetie with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moreland were business visitors in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Yarborough were in Plainview Tuesday.

Mrs. Bobby Walbrick and baby of Sudan spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Gregson. Mr. Gregson continues to improve following a recent illness.

Mrs. Hugh Melton of Sadler, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Velma Melton, spent Wednesday with Mrs. R. Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Bearden returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives in Houston and with their son, Gary in Wichita Falls.

New Caprock GS Camp Gets Name, Camp Rio Blanco

Camp Rio Blanco has been selected as the name for the new Caprock Council Girl Scout campsite on the White River five miles east and one mile north of Highway 81 from Crosbyton.

Regular camping sessions will begin June 7, announced Miss Mary Anderson, camp director. Seven 11 day sessions will be held for scouts in various age groups. Forty-eight girls and twelve counselors may attend each session. The fees are \$35 for members of Caprock Council and \$37 for out-of-council scouts.

Present development includes water wells, a unit lodge for forty-eight girls, two units of tents with seven tents per unit and a swimming pool.

The 118-acre campsite has a colorful history. According to Dr. Clifford B. Jones, originally the property was part of the Two-Buckles ranch owned by the Kentucky Cattle Raising Company. J. S. Bridwell purchased it in land he bought when the Two-Buckles ranch was divided. Bridwell donated the land to Caprock Council last year.

The site has been the scene of many old settler's reunions in past years and a camp ground for early settlers. A grave surround-

ed by ribbon wire, a former barbed wire, is on the site. It is said to be the grave of a died while his family was living through in their camp.

"We wish we could find one who knows more about the grave," Miss Anderson said. One of the first homes on the plains, the Hart home, was built about north of Camp Rio Blanco. Large herds of mustangs the canyon area. Here, caught many of the camp.

Indian artifacts are on the property. Colonel Mackenzie and his Indian cavalrymen patrolled the canyon. One of the last battles, the Battle of Blanco, was fought immediately the campsite.

Early maps show the on White River, forming at the present Girl Scout. Petrified wood is evidence of geological history of the wood was washed down the northwest and deposited inland sea. Girl Scout and counselors from a territory area will be using Blanco.

Candidates Entering Second Week Of Mammoth Trade Expansion Campaign With Narrow Margins Between Many

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HOW THE TERRITORY WILL BE DIVIDED

DISTRICT NO. 1 — District number one consists of Littlefield and Littlefield Routes. Two of the four major awards and four district prizes must be awarded to candidates residing in this district.

DISTRICT NO. 2 — District number two consists of the territory outside of the above mentioned territory. Two of the four major awards and four district prizes must be awarded to candidates residing in this district.

Candidates are not confined to any particular District to secure subscriptions, but instead, may take orders anywhere. The territory is only divided for the awarding of prizes with a set of prizes to be awarded candidates residing in each district.

HOW THE PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED

The candidate with the greatest number of votes in the campaign regardless of district will be awarded \$600 in cash.

Then the candidate residing in the other district with the greatest number of votes will be awarded \$500 in cash.

Then the candidate with the next highest vote standing, regardless of district, will receive \$400 in cash.

Then the candidate with the next highest vote standing, residing in the district which has been awarded only one prize will receive \$300 in cash.

Then if neither of the first four prizes have been awarded to someone residing outside of Lamb county, the \$200 prize must be awarded to the person residing outside of Lamb county with the highest number of votes, but if either of the first four prizes are awarded to a person residing outside of Lamb county then this \$200 prize will be awarded to the person with the next highest number of votes regardless of district who has not been awarded a prize.

Then the candidate with the next highest vote standing in each district will be awarded \$100 each.

Then the candidate with the next highest vote standing in each district will be awarded \$70 each.

Then the candidate with the next highest number of votes in each district will be awarded \$60 each.

Then the candidate with the next highest vote standing in each district will be awarded \$50 each.

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Whitharral News

By MRS. ELVA T. CRANK

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Hicks Sr., were the latter's sister, Mrs. W. M. Housewright, Mr. Housewright, and four children of Midland.

Mrs. Pervadius Wade was a patient at the Medical Arts Hospital at Littlefield from Tuesday to Saturday where she underwent dental surgery.

Gary Max Walden arrived Tuesday morning at a Los Cruces, N. M. hospital to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. Max Ray Walden. Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Walden, here, are the paternal grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McGregor and children of Lubbock visited her father, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Keeney, Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Hudson were called to Austin last week by the death of Hudson's mother there. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wade went down Friday for her grandmother's funeral on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Harris and Troy, Jim Burnett, and Jimmy Brantley were at Plainview Saturday for a pig auction and a judging contest.

Mrs. C. B. Keeney underwent minor surgery at the Medical Arts Hospital at Littlefield Saturday morning.

Mrs. Will Raines accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Billy O'Neal of Lubbock to Abilene Saturday to meet Mr. O'Neal from Fort Hood for a weekend at Big Spring before taking O'Neal back to Ft. Hood on Sunday.

Bobby Sartin of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Martin Saturday. Sartin, a former educational director at the Whitharral Baptist Church, was enroute to Loop where he was to preach on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Craig of Amarillo spent the weekend here with the latter's niece Mrs. W. J. Crews, Mr. Crews, Barbara and Mike.

Weekend guests of Mrs. Grace Gilley and the Doyle Gilley family were their daughter and sister, Mrs. Nanani Smith and family of Amarillo.

Mrs. M. R. Matthews of San

Angelo was here for the weekend with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Sires and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Matthews and Jane of Hale Center were here Sunday to visit Mrs. Matthews' father, C. B. Keeney. They visited Matthews' father, Garland Matthews of Anton, a patient at Littlefield following a heart attack at his home Thursday morning.

Misses Ann Sexton and Melba Raines spent the weekend with their sisters, Misses Jane Sexton and Geneva Raines, respectively, at Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mayes, Julius, Pauletta, and Ralph visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burns at Lubbock Saturday. The Burns accompanied the Mayes home for the weekend. Other weekend guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Kennedy and Bill Kennedy of Roosevelt.

Mrs. Carrie Eller accompanied Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Eller and children of Lubbock to Big Spring for the weekend with their daughter and sister, Miss Myrtle Eller.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willis of Snyder visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Johnson here Sunday. They were accompanied home by their daughters, Annette and Shirley Kay, who had spent the weekend with their grandparents.

Bob Grant of Grand Prairie was here the weekend for Mrs. Grant Joli and Mike, who have been here for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Mitchell and other relatives, while Grant was at Baltimore, Maryland.

Mrs. J. E. Gravitt and Johnnie visited Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Priest and Gip at Clovis, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Gage are in Dallas with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gage, of Levelland. Jerry underwent surgery on his ear Tuesday at Baylor Hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Buck and Perry returned to Amarillo Tuesday following a short visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Grant.

Messrs. and Mesdames Plez Holms of Littlefield, J. W. Borders, Jr., V. D. Hodges, Henry

Jones, A. B. Roberts, Ed Johnson, and James Marrow are among the group from this community who are attending the ginner's convention at Galveston this week. They will be joined there by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wade who are at Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn Peltrey and children of Lubbock spent Sunday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Peltrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Reding and children visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Ralph Bone and Mr. Bone at Brownfield Sunday.

Mrs. Ervin Sadler is ill with pneumonia at her home west of town.

Born Monday in a Denver City hospital, a daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Box of Plains. The mother is the former Carol Beth Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Roberts and Charles spent the weekend at Estelline.

Master Keith Burnett of Plainview is spending the week here with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. John I. Burnett and family.

Fear Of X-Rays Can Stall Proper Medical Care

Fear of excess radioactivity is causing many Americans to deprive themselves of medicine's most valuable tools — X-ray, fluoroscopy and treatments with radio-active material, says the current issue of "Changing Times," the Kiplinger Magazine in an article entitled "Common Sense About X-Ray Dangers."

Medical radiation — like all radiation — can be dangerous if improperly used, and its use for good must be balanced against its risk, say the editors. Since its great value for good makes medical radiation indispensable, the magazine offers these rules for living with radiation in the atomic age:

Don't confuse X-ray with nuclear radiation. The latter affects the whole body while the former can be pinpointed on an organ.

Don't refuse X-ray, fluoroscopy or treatment by radiologists if the doctor says there is good reason for their use — and certainly not in case of cancer.

Avoid X-ray examination during pregnancy, if possible.

Rely on skin tests for detection of TB unless you are a heavy smoker.

Talk with your dentist if you feel he overdoes X-rays.

Don't allow your child to stand under a shoe-fitting fluoroscope.

Don't insist on X-ray treatment for benign conditions like ringworm or acne.

Be sure that as much of your baby's body as possible is covered when he is examined under radiation.

Inquire about reasons if your doctor seems to give too-frequent

HOW BOUT THAT



Spade Scoops

By Mrs. JOE PRATER
Mrs. Wayne Hodges of Littlefield visited Mrs. A. F. Sladek on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Briggs and Jimmie of New Home visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Briggs Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Robinson visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Robinson of Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Key and family visited his cousin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cheek of Levelland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Darvis Foster and Mrs. Levi Dickerson of Edmondson visited Mr. and Mrs. Doc Key and family last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vrubel and children spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Waylon Hodges, of Littlefield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Hopper and John Vrubel attended a Basic Training meet for Scout leaders at Anton Sunday afternoon.

Ernest Savage is observing a birthday Feb. 19.

Mrs. Corinne Gilliam and her father, B. Hutson of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hutson Sunday.

Mrs. Wayne Painter and Mrs. Maxine McCarty of Edmondson visited Mrs. Doc Key last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hutson, her brother, Ruben Brock, and their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Crews of Lubbock went to Andrews Sunday to visit their brother, Alvin Brock, who underwent surgery Friday morning.

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Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wylie and Jeff, near Cotton Center, visited in the community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Paden of Anton visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McQuatters, Jr., and Martha Sue on Friday.

Mrs. E. G. Huff of Vernon is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Streety.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Swanson returned Saturday from Chattanooga, Tenn., where they visited their son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Swanson. They came back by Houston and visited relatives. They were gone about ten days.

Kathy and Keith Woody of Littlefield visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Woody, during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Glass moved to Littlefield Saturday. Their address is 811 Sunset.

Grover Meador from Houston is the new operator of the Spade Cafe.

Martha Shaw, visited her sis-

ter, Mary, who is a student at WTSC at Canyon, during the weekend.

Mrs. H. Harvey and daughter, Mrs. Alvin Ray of Morton, left Wednesday to spend a few days at San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Rogers have moved to Friona. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cobb of Smyer have moved where the Rogers lived. Mr. and Mrs. Cobb are former residents of this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Pool and daughters of Odessa visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Emmons, during the weekend.

Patricia Mitchell, junior 4-H leader and civil defense chairman of Area 1 F.H.A., reminded the 4-H girls that they should always be alert in time of emergencies. She showed material on civil defense preparedness. Patricia and her F.H.A. advisor, Mrs. Bill Kimbrough, attended the area officers meeting recently. The local chapter is making plans to attend the district and state meetings.

Mrs. J. R. Hodbes is rapidly improving following surgery last Tuesday. Her mother, Mrs. W. E. Warner, of Lamesa is visiting in this area.

Mrs. Joe Prater visited Mrs. Foyd Dyer of Littlefield Sunday afternoon.

Springs is visiting her daughter and family, Mrs. Jack Bridwell.

Mrs. Gene Newsom and son of near Brownfield spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bridwell.

Mrs. Naomi Marsh of Crosbyton and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Reed and children of Lubbock visited Mrs. Ada Reed Sunday.

Oil Project Slated In Drilling Block 72

The Leo R. Hewitt No. 1 Unitized Drilling Block No. 72 will be drilled in the city of Littlefield.

The venture will be a 4,100-foot rotary project in Littlefield's San Andres pool. The location is 150 feet from the west lines of Labor 30, League 664, State Capitol Lands survey.

Lt. Sammy Brooks in Newfoundland

Navy Lt. (jg) Sammy Brooks, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Brooks, of Route 2, Lubbock, serving with Airborne Engineering Squadron 11 at Station, Argentina, Newfoundland. The Squadron flies the Radar Constellation unit of the North Atlantic which extends from Argent point near the Azores to

Each Takes On SMU Saturday

LUBBOCK — Texas Tech's next-to-last home game against the Southern Methodist Mustangs in the Cotton Bowl Saturday night.

Second place in the Conference race will be able award for the winner as Christian almost had an emotional cinch on the Texas Tech.

Texas Tech will avenge its worst defeat season, a 73-59 loss to Dallas last month.

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CHERRIES NORTH PORT, RED SOUR PITTED, NO. 303 CAN 19c

FLOUR FOOD CLUB 5 LB. BAG 39c

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BOLOGNA SLICED, ALL MEAT 12 OZ. PKG. 49c

CHEESE ELNA, 2 LB. BOX 69c

FISH STICKS FOOD CLUB, LARGE 14 OZ. PKG. 59c

ROUND STEAK U.S.D.A. CHOICE LB. 89c

SIRLOIN STEAK U.S.D.A. CHOICE LB. 79c

SHORT RIBS U.S.D.A. CHOICE BEEF LB. 29c

BACON

ARMOUR STAR OR FARM PAC, LB. 59c

CHEESE

REAPT LONGHORN, LB. 49c

H-A BOYER'S HAIR ARRANGER 60c SIZE 35c

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MORTON'S FRESH FROZEN MACARONI CHEESE 20 OZ. PKG. 39c

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FOOD CLUB, FRESH FROZEN BLACKEYE PEAS 10 OZ. PKG. 19c

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1/2 cup warm (not hot) water—105° to 115°
 1 pkg. Fleischmann's Active Dry Yeast
 2 1/2 cups Bisquick
 1/2 cup chopped onion
 2 cups tomato sauce
 8-oz. can mushrooms, sliced, scallions
 butter
 8-oz. can Star-Kist Tuna, drained and flaked, salt and pepper taste
 2 1/2 cups grated Cheddar cheese
 Orégano
 *8-oz. Family Size can may be used if desired

Dissolve yeast in warm water. Add Bisquick. Beat vigorously. Turn dough onto floured, dusted surface. Knead until smooth; knead 20 times. Divide dough into 4 parts. Roll each part into a paper-thin circle about 12 in diameter. Place on ungreased baking sheets or in shallow piepans.

Filling: Mix onion, tomato sauce, mushrooms, Star-Kist Tuna, salt and pepper. Spread on dough. Sprinkle grated cheese over all. Sprinkle with orégano to taste. Heat oven to 425° (hot). Bake 12 to 15 minutes or until crust is brown and filling is bubbly. Serve immediately.

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- 40 OZ. BOX **BISQUICK** 45c
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- HERSHEY, 1 LB. CAN **COCOA** 73c
- HERSHEY, 8 OZ. CAN **COCOA** 39c
- PILLSBURY'S 9 OZ. BOX **PIE CRUST STICKS** 19c
- WOLF BRAND, NO. 309 CAN **CHILI** 49c
- ARROW, 10 OZ., WHITE OR YELLOW **POPCORN** 15c
- PAP PUFF STRAWBERRY, 18 OZ. JAR **PRESERVES** 39c
- DEUTZ BRAND, NO. 303 CAN, CUT **GREEN BEANS** 2 FOR 25c
- HEINZ'S NO. 300 CAN **SPINACH** 15c
- WHITE KARO, NO. 1 1/2 CAN **SYRUP** 25c

- CHICKEN BREASTS** 69c
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- HILLS O HOME, 14 OZ. FROZEN PACKAGE **CANDIED YAMS** 29c
- SILVERDALE, 8 OZ. FROZEN PACKAGE **BRUSSEL SPROUTS** 19c
- ORANGE DRINK** 12 1/2c
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- LIBBY'S 46 OZ. CAN **PINEAPPLE JUICE** ... 29c

- HENS SPARERIBS** 25c
 FRESH FROSTED, PRIDE OF THE PLAINS LIGHT HENS 2 1/2 TO 3 LB. AVERAGE, LB.
- PICNICS SHRIMP** 39c
 FRESH FROSTED PORK, LB.
- KRAFT'S NATURAL CHEDDAR CHEESE** LB. 59c
- TAST O' SEA, 16 OZ. PACKAGE **FISH STICKS** 59c
- U.S.D.A. GOOD BEEF, PINBONE **LOIN STEAK** LB. 39c
- U.S.D.A. GOOD BEEF **RIB STEAK** LB. 39c

CALIFORNIA SUNKIST, LB. **LEMONS**... 12 1/2c

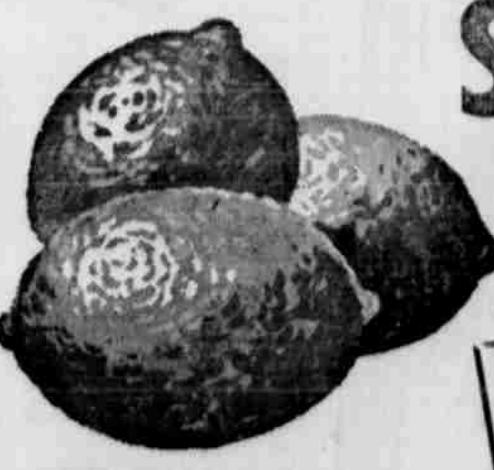
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FRESH, BUNCH **GREEN ONIONS** 7 1/2c



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