



Gatewood Ford Sales Grand Opening Saturday, To Give Car

The big grand opening celebration for Gatewood Ford Sales will be Saturday, August 13. This will be an all day celebration with free Cokes, coffee, ice cream and doughnuts being served all day. Also free cigars for the men.

A good used, '51 model, Ford Club Coupe will be given away at 4 p.m. There is no obligation to register and no age limit. You do not have to be present to win. The deadline for registering is 2 p.m. Saturday. You are cordially invited to come in anytime and register for the Ford Club Coupe.

Glenn Gatewood, of Sudan purchased the business from E. C. Hudson and took over management June 16.

The building has been completely re-decorated both inside and outside with a new office established in the east end of the show room.

New signs have been painted on the front of the building and also on both sides.

Glenn Gatewood has been a Ford Dealer in Sudan for the past two years, and is owner of Gatewood Motor Company there.

Rodney Balko, Sudan, is the manager and has had twelve years experience in this line of work.

He will move his family to Earth as soon as housing is available.

Benny Arnold has been named as parts manager.

In the service department Raby Kellogg, Service manager, and

Nester Padillo, mechanic are always ready to service any make or model car. Also, Troy Ware, Muleshoe, has been employed as a mechanic. He has had several years experience and is able to service any make or model automobile.

Ware will move his family to Earth in the near future.

Mrs. Dorma Glascock is office manager.

Glenn Gatewood and Rodney Balko extends a hearty welcome to each and everyone to come by and get acquainted with all the friendly employees at Gatewood Ford Sales, who are ready and willing to serve your needs, whether it is a new car you want or a tune-up job.

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**NOSIN.....
WITH POLLY**

Returning from a ten day vacation in Oklahoma with a warm feeling of thankfulness in our hearts of having once again had the privilege of being with "Our Parents" and other loved ones, and remembering anew how fortunate we were to have parents who daily petition to God in our behalf, we were contentedly making our way homeward, when we decided to turn off the road and see Lake Burson where Ross had decided we should try to spend a weekend in the near future, without warning we walked into a tragic scene. Shocking and unbelievable to us like a scene from a story book, so different from the happy reminiscence of our lovely vacation.

As we approached the place we saw happy people who were talking and relaxing in the shade, some fishing and several kids swimming.

This scene however was so quickly changed. Within five or ten minutes from our arrival, it was a horrified group of people who stood huddled about the shore, doubtless everyone was secretly praying as they watched the divers in their attempt to locate the body of a husky 15 year old Anton lad whom we watched swimming just minutes before, who had just gone under. However, it was several minutes before he was found and brought to the surface, and as we tearfully watched the group of people huddled on the little raft near the shore, trying with all their might to revive the boy with mouth to mouth respiration and realizing as the minutes ticked away, so did the chances for reviving the lad slip away.

Try as they did, the cold fingers of death would not let go its clutches on the boy's hand, and when the Silvertone respirator arrived almost an hour later their attempts were also futile.

As the saddened people began to make their ways to their cars to leave I'm sure we all had decided that God was aware of what had happened there, and we earthly creatures were not meant to understand all, and as the song says "Farther Along We'll Know A Little About It." But for now and every day I live, I want to remember to be thankful for just being alive.

Marvin Ellis New Employee At Anderson Jewelry

Marvin Ellis has been hired by Anderson Jewelry, in Lubbock, as watch repairman. Ellis began his duties there Monday, August 8.

He had worked for Anderson a number of years before coming to Earth, six years ago. He is owner of Ellis Jewelry and Floral, Earth, where Mrs. Aylene Ellis will take over management.

The Ellis' have two children, Mrs. Gene Richburg, Lubbock and Gary Ellis, Earth.

Mrs. W. R. Morris was admitted to Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, last Friday where she is receiving treatment for infection resulting from foot surgery several weeks ago.

Jaycee's Annual Family Outing August 18

Ten members and two guests were present Monday at noon for the regular meeting of the Earth Jaycees. Guests were Jody Mahon and Paul Wood.

The Jaycee's annual family outing will be held Thursday, August 18 at Bull Lake with the Sudan Jaycees.

It was decided that the Jaycees would sponsor a trip to Burson Lake, for the American Legion baseball team. Any High School age student is welcome to go on the trip.

Gene Templeton, president of the Earth Jaycees, urges all members to make an extra effort to be present at the weekly meetings of the Jaycees.

Bobby Nickels New Owner of Gulf Station

Bobby Nickels, Muleshoe, has purchased the Gulf Service Station, located on main street, one block west of the caution light. He took over management July 15.

The business will now be known as Earth Gulf Company.

Prior to purchasing the station Nickels was employed by his uncle Guy Nickels, at the Pleasant Valley Gin.

The Nickels' have two boys, Lance, three years old and Brian, two years of age. They attend the Baptist Church and plan to move to Earth around the first of September.

Jehovah's Witness Training Program To Be In Altus

The Littlefield Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses announced at the weekly Watchtower Study Class that their three-day training program for Texas Circuit No. 9 will be held at Altus, Okla., September 2-4.

Lloyd Lowery, presiding minister of the Littlefield congregation, said, "Jehovah's Witnesses take these convention most seriously and take the whole family to receive the Christian fellowship and spiritual information that is dispensed."

Lowery explained that "by having weekly Bible studies and these training programs together with 'little ones' Jehovah's Witnesses have overcome the problem of child delinquency."

"The proverb," Lowery said, "to train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old, he will not depart from it, has proven practical for Jehovah's Witnesses."

The 19 convening congregations from Oklahoma, New Mexico, and Texas will highlight the theme, "Seek Peace and Pursue It."



WELCOME TO THE GRAND OPENING CELEBRATION — Is extended to everyone in the area from each of the above personnel who will be on hand to greet guests who attend the big all day celebration staged at Gatewood Ford Sales, Saturday, August 13. Pictured seated left to right is Mrs. Barney Glascock, bookkeeper and Rodney Balko, manager. Back row, Nester Padillo and Troy Ware, mechanics; Raby Kellogg, service department manager, and Glenn Gatewood, owner.

Springlake School Classes To Begin Monday, August 29

Doors to the Springlake Schools will swing open Monday, August 29, and classes will begin for 1960 term of school, according to Supt. of Schools, Bill Mann.

Registration dates have been set as follows:

Seniors—Tuesday, August 23, beginning at 1:00 p.m.

Juniors—Wednesday, August 24, beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Sophomores—Thursday, August 25, beginning at 9:00 a.m.

First graders—Thursday, August 25 beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Second grade through Freshmen Friday, August 26, beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Busses will run at regular time Friday, August 26 and should depart for home by 11:00 o'clock.

The Colored School students will register Monday, August 29 and classes will begin that day.

Supt. Bill Mann has asked that all parents and students keep these dates in mind and to be present on that day if possible.

Bus Drivers Hold Meeting

A bus drivers meeting will be held at 9 a.m. Tuesday, August 23 in the Home Ec. Lab. There will also be a general faculty meeting the same day, at 10 a.m. in the Study Hall.

School Employees Dinner

There will be a "school employee supper" Saturday, August 27 at 7:30 p.m. at the Marvin Sanders residence.

SWIM FOR HEALTH . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Maddox New Faculty Members For School

Cecil Maddox has been secured by the Springlake School Board as Math teacher in the local High School.

Mr. Maddox graduated from Olton High School and attended West Texas State College, Canyon. This is his first year to teach.

MRS. MADDOX NEW ELEMENTARY TEACHER

Mrs. Cecil Maddox has been employed as a faculty member in the Springlake Schools and will teach in the elementary department.

She is a graduate of Olton High School and attended West Texas State College, Canyon.

Mrs. Maddox taught one year in the elementary department at Hereford.



CECIL MADDOX



MRS. MARY MADDOX

The Old Timer

"The people who tell you never to let little things worry you have never tried sleeping with a mosquito in the room."

School Budget Upped \$800 Over Last Year

All Springlake High School Band students are requested to meet at the Band Hall Monday, August 15 from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. and bring their musical instruments.

Your children entering school will be expected to have smallpox, vaccination, D.P.T. and Polio immunization.

Dorothy Wood
Springlake School Nurse

There will be a meeting of the Springlake Band Booster Organization at the W. F. Williamson home at 7:30 p.m. August 19. This is a basket supper — Bring a basket (filled) and let's enjoy having supper together along with taking care of some of the items of business that are important at this time of year.

The Springlake School board held their regular monthly meeting Monday night and approved a budget of \$284,829 for the 1960-61 term. Compared to last year's budget of \$283,952. This is an increase of approximately \$800 over last year's budget.

The graduation standard has been raised to 22 units. Among these, men class of 1960-61 school year the graduation requirements were raised to 22 units. Among these, four years English, three years Math, two years Science and two and one half years of Social studies are required.

Those present at the board meeting were: Supt. Bill Mann, Guy F. Kelley, Price Hamilton, Clarence Kelley, Bob Armstrong, Leon Dent, A. E. Wheatley, Roger Haber and Ross Middleton.

IMPROVEMENTS MADE ON BUILDINGS

The windows in the Junior High building have been redone with a complete putty and paint job.

The Science room is in the process of being remodeled and new equipment is being added.

The playground equipment has been repaired and installed and is ready for use.

Cecil Slover To Receive Masters Degree At Tech

Cecil Slover is a candidate for a Masters degree at Texas Tech, Lubbock, with commencement exercises to be held August 29.

Slover, Springlake Junior High Language Arts Teacher, holds a Bachelor of Science Degree. A former resident of Matador, Slover has taught in the Springlake School for three years.

He attended West Texas State College, Canyon from 1945 to '47 and attended Texas Tech from 1955 to '57.

Slover was named Teacher of the year at a Springlake P.T.A. meeting in March of this year.

His wife Mrs. Marie Slover is Home Economics Teacher in Springlake High School. Prior to this position she taught Science in Junior High School and holds a Bachelor of Science Degree.

The Slover's have two children, Gregory, six years of age and Aylene who is nine months old.

Morris Gowdy Bus Mechanic Springlake School

Morris Gowdy, Lakeview, has been approved by the Springlake School board as bus mechanic for the coming year.

Mr. Gowdy served as bus mechanic for the Lakeview Schools for the past twelve years.

Mr. and Mrs. Gowdy moved to the School Campus about two weeks ago. They have two children and are members of the Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. James Parsons, Carla and Jolene returned to their home in Newcastle, Wyo., Monday, after spending the past month with their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hooten.

Springlake F H A Chapter Holds 1st. Meet Tuesday

The Springlake F H A Chapter held its first meeting of the summer Tuesday, August 9 at the Springlake School.

A total of 28 F H A members were present for the meeting including Mrs. Marie Slover, Home-making instructor.

The group made plans and set their goals for the coming school year.

Installation of new officers for the coming school term was set for 8 p.m. August 30. Installation services will be held in the Springlake School auditorium.

The F H A meetings for the next school term are to be held at 6:30 p.m. on the second Monday of each month.

Earth News-Sun Wins Certificate Of Award

A certificate was awarded the publishers of the Earth News-Sun, Ross and Polly Middleton, at the West Texas Press Association, which was held in Pecos Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

The Certificate of Award was presented to Mr. Middleton as fourth place winner in general excellence, which is the overall appearance of the paper.

This Contest is sponsored by the West Texas Press Assoc. The convention was held in the Grand on Hotel in Pecos.

Lazbuddie News

by MRS. C. A. WATSON

Robert "Shorty" Boyd from Tipton, Okla., was a surprise visitor in the Charlie Watson home last Friday. Shorty and Charlie hadn't seen each other since the year of 27. Shorty was just 10 years old then.

Watson and Boyd were neighbors near Tipton. Dickie Chitwood has been in Wichita Falls for the past two weeks visiting with his grandparents the E. D. Chitwood, Sr.

Steve Young left Saturday for several days visit with the Chitwoods in Wichita, who are his grandparents also.

Congratulations to Cooper Young, 4-H delegate who was sent to Kilgore on all expense paid trip to the State Wide Convention being held there.

Only 22 delegates from Texas was honored with this privilege. Cooper will spend a few days with his grandparents the E. D. Chitwoods in Wichita before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Guiley from Cella, Washington was Thursday guests in the Davis Guiley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Monk celebrated their wedding anniversary Saturday, August 6th.

Registration for the school term 1960-61 will be Friday, August 26, according to Supt. J. G. Ward. Buses will run at regular time and return the children home at noon. School will officially open Monday a.m. August 29th.

All teachers have been hired except the homemaking teacher and teacher for the 4th grade as of this writing.

Football practice will begin Aug-

ust 15 according to the coaches.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Young were in Lubbock Friday visiting their uncle, H. G. Harvey in the Methodist Hospital at Lubbock. Mr. Harvey is reported to be doing well after having both legs amputated.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Bewley are in Montana on vacation. They plan to tour Glacier National Park and visit their son Shelby Bewley and family in Missoula before returning.

Mrs. M. H. McCurdy and Katherine Smith were in Dalhart over the weekend attending the XIT reunion and to visit with Mrs. McCurdy's brothers Joe and Homer Ragen.

Homecoming Plans are being made for the Lazbuddie ex-teachers, ex-students, teachers and students at present and anyone in the community who wishes to attend. The date will be August 20. Registration will begin at 10 o'clock in the school auditorium. Lunch will be served at noon. The Henry Daniels Catering Service from Amarillo has been hired.

Tickets will be \$1.50 a plate.

Clifford Hugg was admitted to the West Plains Hospital last week having skin grafting done on his foot.

Little Brenda Hall was a medical patient in the Muleshoe Hospital last week.

J. C. Kimbrough was in the West Plains Hospital last week for medical care.

Mrs. Albert Clark was a medical patient in the Friona Community Hospital last week.

Mikel Scott Windham, F.F.A. boy and only child of the Scott Windhams arrived in the Friona Hospital August 1st, weighing 8 lbs. His father is the Lazbuddie Agriculture teacher. Congratulations Mr. and Mrs. Windham. We are happy to have your son in our community.

Guests in the Tommie Wheatley home this week are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wheatley from Haskell.

A cousin of the Tommie Wheatley's, Margie Riley from Longview, Washington is visiting with the Wheatleys this summer.

Pam and Gary Haskins, children of the Edwin Haskins from Lubbock enjoyed several days with grandparents the George Haskins, Sr. recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Littlefield and Carol and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Glover enjoyed a vacation from Monday to Friday fishing in Red River, N. M. and visiting in Antonita, Colorado.

Mrs. Leon Smith, Sr. and Tonia attended special church services

FALSE FRONT



at San Antonio during the weekend of the 5th Sunday in July.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ham attended the Baptist Encampment at Paisano in the Dordis mountains near Alpine last week. Alpine recorded the second highest degree of temperature in the state one day last week. The highest recorded was at Presidio.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blair and children will be at home this week end and getting ready for the opening of school. Mr. Black, High School principal has been attending summer school at Eastern N. M. University at Portales.

Mrs. Effie Ivy from Muleshoe has been visiting her son and family the D. B. Ivys this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Parham, Terry and Mrs. Parham's niece Roberta Gaston from Earth is enjoying a vacation at Red River and in the mountains of N. M. this week.

Penny Grusendorf, Eva Dean Ivy, Coretta Watkins, Sharon Par-

hams Beverley Smith and Judy Brown left Muleshoe on the evening train Saturday to be gone a week to attend twirling and cheer leading at SMU in Dallas.

Mrs. Loyd Vaughn and children from Holly, Colorado visited the J. O. Vaughns at Earth and the John Gammons of Lazbuddie last week. The Loyd Vaughns are former Lazbuddie residents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gammon, Marianna and Johnnie are on vacation at Lake City this week.

The Lazbuddie Baptist Revival is now in progress with Norman Onstead from St. Jo as guest speaker and Charles Baldwin of Friona as song leader. The Public is invited.

Guests in the James Harveys home Thursday and Friday were Mrs. Harvey's mother, Mrs. R. L. Curtis and a sister to Mrs. Harvey, Mrs. R. G. Watson, Ricky and Danny from Lubbock.

Congratulations to Marie Houston on winning a \$40.00 gift certifi-

cate from The First National Bank on their formal opening date last Sunday week.

Patsy Cox from Muleshoe was dinner guest in the Ramond Houston home Sunday.

Morris Bruns, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Bruns in Lubbock Saturday making arrangements to enter the new term of teaching at Smiley Wilson Jr. High. Morris teaches 8th and 9th grade English and Speech.

The Leon Smith family celebrated with a birthday dinner Friday noon honoring Mrs. Smith's birthday. The Leon Smith, Jr. family was present to help celebrate.

Greg Schuman entertained several of his friends with a picnic at the Park in Clovis last week. The group enjoyed swimming during the day.

Birthday greetings this week go to John Gammon, Sona Kay Brown, Ros Florez, Henry San Miguel, Thomas Masters, Sheila Vaughn Mrs. Boyd and John Ward the 8th of August, Judy Watson and Mikel Dean 8th, Everett Maxwell the 10th, and Oradio De La Garson the 12th.

Supt. and Mrs. J. G. Ward and children returned recently from a trip to East Moline, Ill., where they visited Mrs. Ward's brother Merle St. Johns.

The Midway H.D. Club will not meet during the month of August as vacation week. The next meeting will be the first Tuesday in September.

The West Plains Garden Club will have their next meeting August 12, from 2:30 to 4 p.m. A flower show will be displayed and the public is invited to attend. The meeting will be in the Community Center.

Supper guests in the home of the R. L. Foresters Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Welch, Pat and Billy from Levelland.

Mrs. Eulan Parham visited her nephew and family the Gene Gastons in Earth Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Gleason Linda and Bobbie are in Houston this week visiting their son Jerry who is a Dr. in a veterans hospital there. From Houston the Gleasons plan to go to Corpus for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Chunky Ivy and Mark were weekend visitors in his parents home the D. B. Ivys.

Party Line... Party Line.....

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barton visited from Friday through Monday in San Angelo with his sister Mrs. Myrtle Bland, who is critically ill.

Barta Haley left Sunday night by plane for a ten day visit with friends in Los Angeles, Calif.

—PL—

Sonya Blassingame, Amarillo was a weekend guest of Martha Wuerflein. Sonya and Martha were roommates at Wayland College, Plainview.

Mrs. Bertha Chancellor went to Amarillo Tuesday for a two week visit with her children.

—PL—
Mrs. Horace Stansell and children of McAllen, Mrs. Donald Stansell and Debbie of Tipton, Okla. are guests in the Ray Stansells' home.

—PL—
L. E. Sloan went to Portales, N. M. Tuesday on business.

—PL—
Geraldine and Nancy Rea, Childress are visiting their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Slover.



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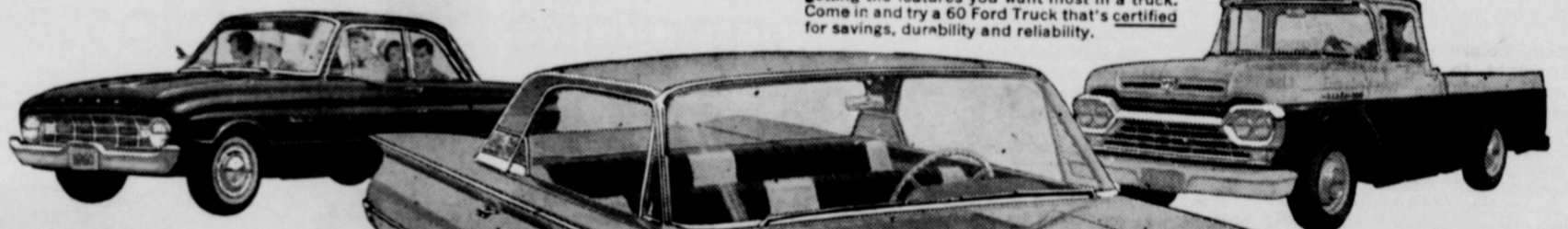
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Springlake News -

By BETTY MATLOCK

Mrs. Sarah Harris of Braggs, Oklahoma arrived Saturday morning to spend part of the week with her son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Matlock.

Dr. J. Ivylo Bishop of Wayland College at Plainview filled the pulpit at both services at the Baptist Church Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Watson and Mrs. Ed Jones were in Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. Wayne Davis Tammy, and Mrs. Kenny Watson were in Lubbock Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Davis spent Friday night and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Davis in Lubbock. They attended the All-Star games there Saturday in which Claude, Max Goforth and Jimmy Banks played. They won 3 out of 4 but the 4th game is re-scheduled.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Johnson of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Padon, Mr. and Mrs. Almon Whitford, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kellar and Elmer King were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ray Banks and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Struve, Kita and Kerry visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Kelley Saturday night.

The G. A. girls of the Baptist Church enjoyed a swimming party Wednesday at the Earth Pool and afterwards enjoyed hamburgers in the backyard of Mrs. Heien Owens. The group presented Donna and Debbie Jester with farewell gifts. The Jesters are moving to Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Grubbs and daughter of Houston and her mother and children of Lubbock visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Matlock.

Mrs. A. M. McGowan spent last weekend in Paris, Texas visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Weatherhead. She had the occasion to help her father celebrate his 75th birthday Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bearden, Phil and Ann left Monday for Brownwood where they will enjoy a few days fishing.

Mrs. Velma Baker was in Plainview Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Walden attended the Swanner reunion at the Plainview Park Sunday.

Dr. J. Ivylo Bishop of Plainview was a dinner guest of the Ernest Baker's Sunday.

Chris McClure spent Sunday in Washington. Bobby Cummings also visited with them during the afternoon.

Mrs. Babe McClure and children, and Donna and Debbie Watson went to Lubbock Friday to visit the Lee Maddens. Debbie and Donna remained for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Matlock, and Jeff took Mrs. Thelma McClanahan to Amarillo Friday night where she boarded a train for Denver, Colo., to visit with her brother, F. V. Dodson who is scheduled to undergo heart surgery Monday, August 15, at the National Jewish Hospital there. His address is Ea-2-



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1881, Room 107, Denver, Colo. Mr. and Mrs. Doug Avery, Pam and Diane of Muleshoe visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Matlock Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Weldon Reed and children of Portales, N. M. spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McGowan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Matlock and Jeff were in Littlefield Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alford Crisps, Mrs. Berniece English and son and Mrs. Winnie Huff and son visited the Lester Kelley's Sunday afternoon.

Those interested in forming a Women's Day League in Bowling met Tuesday afternoon at the community building. They voted to bowl Tuesday mornings beginning September 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Sanders and Jerry Don left Tuesday for a visit with relatives in California.

Mrs. Bill Matlock and Mrs. Charles Hedrick shopped in Lubbock Tuesday.

Debbie Matlock spent last Monday night with Sherry Adams of Circle.

Mrs. Weldon Owens and children, Steve and Stephanie left Tuesday morning for Dickens where they will visit her mother, Mrs. Welch. Then the group will go on to visit relatives in Vera, Texas for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hammonds of Dos Paltos, California and Louie Hammonds of near Seagraves spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Frank McNamara and boys recently.

Mrs. Myrtle McNamara spent the weekend with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cass Kirkpatrick of near Olton.

Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Waide and family visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Truman Ribbles.

John Ed Waide, Portales, N. M., spent the weekend with his brother Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Waide and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arledge, Rockport spent Wednesday night of last week with his sister, Mrs. Gertie Patterson.

Bobby Sloan returned home Monday, from Kress, where he has been employed.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Patterson and Johnny returned home last Thursday afternoon from a weeks vacation in Red River, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Cole and family spent Sunday in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Claud Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rudd and children spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thomason of Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Glasscock and Rocky spent the weekend at Lake Burson, near Silvertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Webb spent the weekend in Odessa with their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Ben Forcher and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Glasscock and children were supper guests Monday night of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Walker, Lubbock.

Mrs. Price Stephenson and Ramona returned Sunday, to their home in Clyde after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Glasscock.

Mrs. Truman Stine is spending this week in Amarillo with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Watson.

Ross Morris visited from Wednesday until Monday in Kress with Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Loftis and Bobby Sloan.

Mary Bea and LaJuana Marshall spent last week in Olton with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ivins and children spent Sunday in Olton with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ivins.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neal and Sue were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Newell, Clovis, N. M. Mrs. Newell is Mr. Neal's daughter.

Pleasant Valley News

By MRS. JOHN WEST

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cook of Lamesa spent the weekend with the E. K. Angeleys.

Mrs. C. W. Calhoun is in Midland to be with her sister who is seriously ill.

Tubby Angeley was in Canyon Saturday on business.

John W. West, Kathryn Sue and Carol Kendrick went to Dalhart Saturday for the XIT Reunion and Rodeo. John reports a wonderful program for the entire day. Thirty four states and 7 foreign countries were present for the barbecue and rodeo.

Pleasant Valley Social Club met Thursday, August 4 at 9 a.m. in the home of Hazel West with the president Eva Calhoun in charge of the meeting. The club voted to take orders for cards and stationary. A committee was appointed to meet with the Home Demonstration Club committee to plan the Farmer-Merchant dinner to be held September 8 at the Community Center. Refreshments of date coffee cake and coffee were served to these members, Eula Calhoun, Judy Green, Ethel Allison, Betty Jackson, Margie Henderson Leah Mae Jones, Gaynell Pitts, Lenora Wells, and Glenna Burhman.

Mrs. Lucille Foster of Greensville, Texas is visiting with the Oscar and Harold Allison families and Mrs. Sam McKinstry.

Pleasant Valley 4-H Club met August 3 at 4:30 p.m. at the community center, the meeting was called to order by Veta Allison. The club voted to have a sand hill party. A committee was appointed to plan the party. The record books of the members present were completed and turned over to the adult leaders to take to the county agents.

SWIM FOR HEALTH . . .

Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Maples and children spent Sunday in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Keetch and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harris. They also visited Mrs. Sarah Clark, who is a patient in Medical Arts Hospital Clinic, Littlefield.

Mrs. N. T. Millican, Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Mullenk and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Filhan, Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Simmons and children of Vega visited over the weekend with Mrs. Aima Stockstill and Mr. and Mrs. Melton Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Birge and Linda of DeQueen, Ark. are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Sheiby.

Kim Craig, Lubbock is spending this week with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Watkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Mullenik and children spent Saturday night in Littlefield with Mrs. N. T. Millican.

Mrs. Doug Parish and Mrs. Paul Poyner had coffee and visited with Mrs. Roney Smith Tuesday morning.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sanders were: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boynton, Oakland, California; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kelley and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Green and Stevie, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boynton of Oakland, California were guests in the A. M. Sanders home from Saturday until Monday afternoon. Mr. Boynton is Mr. Sander's nephew.

Mrs. Bud Elmore, Plainview, spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Gary Bullis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Elmore, Bud Elmore and L. E. Sloan were in Lubbock Saturday afternoon on business.

LETTERS TO The EDITOR

Dear Ross and Polly:

I've been meaning to write for several months, but as usual I have been gone so much I just haven't had time. I made my customary trip to the northwest in March, then I have had meetings in Arkansas, California and Colorado since, and will leave for Colorado again next week.

We like our work fine here in Odessa, and we also enjoy the town. However, it will never take the place of Earth. It will be mighty difficult, if possible at all, to find a place where the people are as friendly as they are in Earth. We love Earth and the people, and nothing can take its place. After living in a community five years, loving the people as we do there, it's impossible to forget them.

Stanley is still working at the Vet Hospital, and has been working there since the middle of January. During the summer he is working full time. Jerry has played ball this summer but I think he misses the Earth Pony team. He played on one of the Pony teams in Odessa. I think they have about 12 Pony teams in town.

We continue to enjoy the paper and again thanks for sending it to us. Margaret and Nancy are doing fine, and Nancy is looking forward to starting school this September.

Must close for now. Give my personal regards to all of Earth and Springlake. We get mighty homesick if you are ever in or around Odessa be sure to see us. Our home address is 1435 Verde, and our home phone is Emerson 6-9330.

Sincerely,
W. E. (Bud) Irvine
August 8, 1960

Dear Mr. Middleton:
The 16th Annual Boys Ranch Rodeo will be held over the Labor

Day weekend, September 4 and 5, and it looks like it is going to be the biggest and best rodeo we have ever had. The boys are working hard to assure all of their friends a good show and their enthusiasm is high.

We expect a lot of folks from Earth will be coming back to see us again this year and because there is so much interest in the rodeo there, I'm enclosing a story I hope you will be able to use.

The facilities for handling large crowds at our rodeo grounds have been greatly improved over the past year with an expansion of the seating capacity and general improvements to the streets, corrals and chutes.

I want to thank you for all the help you have given us in the past. Mr. Middleton, and we look forward to seeing you and a lot of other fine folks from Earth at the rodeo. With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,
CAL FARLEY

Gentlemen:

You were recently furnished mats and proofs of a photograph of Smith Gerald Hudson, one of the "TEN MOST WANTED FUGITIVES" of the FBI.

Hudson has been apprehended, and is no longer wanted.

I wish to thank you for your effective cooperation in this matter.

Very truly yours,
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Party Line...

Mrs. Jean Stephens and Stevie of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Layman left Sunday for several days vacation in Denver, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Bozeman, Springlake, left Sunday night for a business trip to points in Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith, Dimmitt, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Dickson. Mr. Smith delivered the message at both morning and evening services at the Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hinchcliffe, Gilbert, Sarah and Ebb of Odessa, visited the H. N. Seymours', Mike Dents', Lewis Favers' and F. E. Bozemans' last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sloan visited in Lubbock Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Newsom.

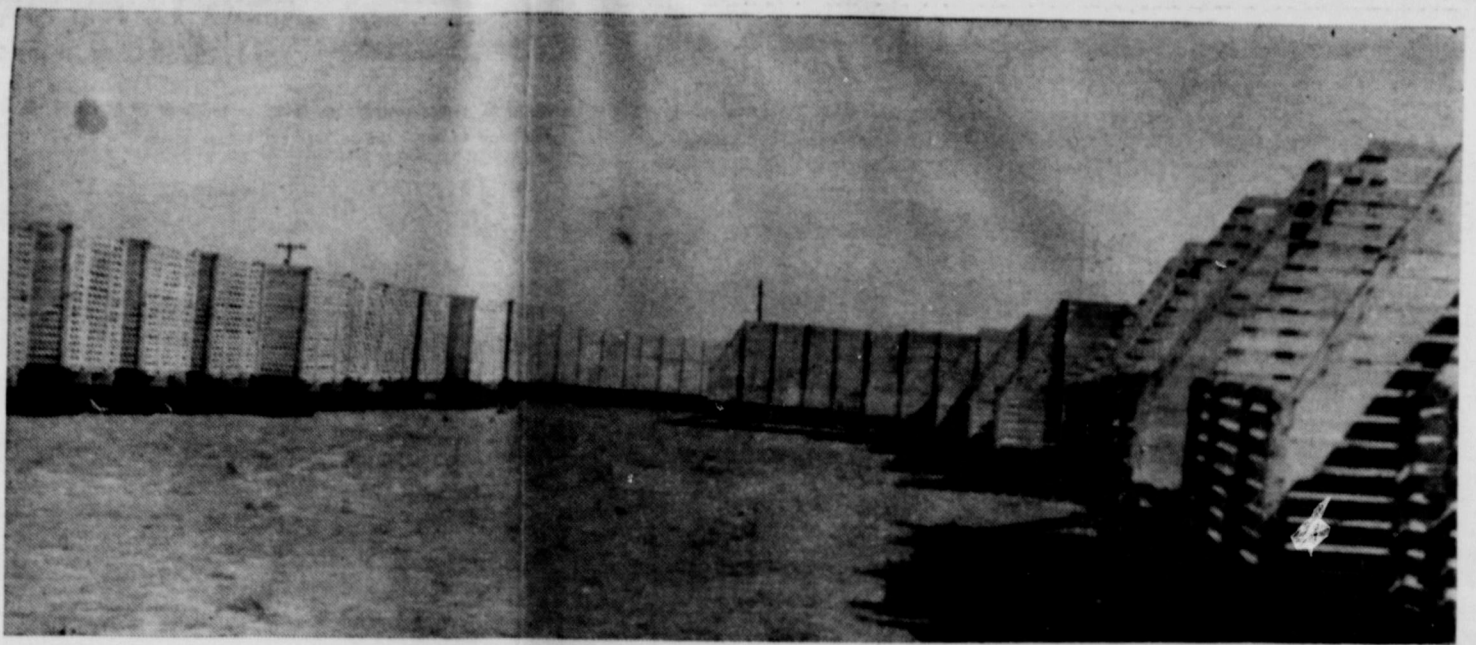
Loren Trout, Olton was a dinner guest Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Winders'.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Littleton Sr. visited, Mrs. Don Atkinson and girls, of Bayfield, Colo., Sunday in Amarillo. Mrs. Atkinson is a former resident of Earth her father is ill in an Amarillo hospital.

Mrs. Tom Killbrew, Tipton, Oklahoma, Mrs. Edward Jones, Laura, Nancy and Beth visited Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Seymour.

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Sunnyside News -

By TEENY BOWDEN

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner and boys visited last Sunday in Muleshoe with Mr. and Mrs. Delmer McMillen and family.

The Deacons of the church met Monday night at the Community Building for their regular monthly meeting.

The Gin Cafe was moved to the Gin property Monday.

Mrs. Raymond Lilley visited with Mrs. Raymond Lewis and children of Olton Tuesday. Tommy and Karen returned with her and visited until Thursday.

The new home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lilley has been under construction in Dimmitt for some time. They will sell their lot at Sunnyside.

Rev. Murie Rogers, Roy Phelan, Robert Paschal, Rex Jenkins and Alford Crisp attended the Brotherhood meeting in Amherst Tuesday night. The officers for the new Association were elected. Rev. Rogers was elected R. A. Leader.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arledge of Corpus Christi visited Wednesday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lilley.

Mr. and Mrs. Gentry Armstrong of Earth visited Wednesday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges.

Mrs. Pearl Sadler of Dimmitt visited Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Ezell Sadler, and Mrs. James Powell and Randy.

Mrs. Roy Lilley visited in Hart Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Johnny Armstrong.

The W.M.S. met in Circles Wednesday night for the Circle Program from Royal Service. The church met in conference. Several committees were elected.

W. E. Loudder was honored Wednesday night with an icecream supper. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Loudder, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Loudder, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Loudder and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler and David, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bowden, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Westmoreland and Lori, and Mrs. James Powell and Randy.

Marlin Power was rushed to the hospital by ambulance Thursday noon after a severe convulsion. He remained under oxygen until Sunday.

Mrs. R. V. Bills left by bus Thursday for East Texas after receiving word of the death of her grandmother.

Tex Conard received burns to his eyes requiring medical attention Thursday when a butane tank popped off in his face. He visited with his father who is in the Castro County Hospital Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Herriage of Lubbock visited this week with Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Taylor.

Myles Sadler spent Thursday night in Dimmitt with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fowlkes. He and his grandmother, Mrs. Pearl Sadler of Dimmitt, left Friday morning for Southard, Okla., to visit a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler and Cindy.

Ezell Sadler was confined to his bed with strip throat Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

Housewarmings were given Friday night for Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sadler.

Rev. Murie Rogers left Saturday for a revival in Big Spring. He will return Monday the 15th.

John Bridges and boys, Earl McNeil and a friend of Earth were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Townsend and family left Friday for a two week vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley and family attended the Dixon reunion Wednesday and Thursday at Mackenzie Park in Lubbock.

The foundation for the Sunnyside Store was run Saturday. The floor to the church will be poured Monday.

Brother and Mrs. H. B. Harris and family of Fort Worth visited this week with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dixon of Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Scott of Friona visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley and family. Lee Bradley went home with them to visit a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Blackburn and family visited in Dalhart and Sunray over the weekend with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Paschal and family of San Angelo arrived Sunday to visit a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Paschal and family.

Mrs. Tex Conard spent Sunday night with her sister-in-law in the Castro County Hospital.

Sixty eight attended Sunday School with 59 in Training Union Sunday. Brother A. S. Watson of Floydada had charge of the Services in the absence of the Pastor. The Y. P. and Intermediates enjoyed Fellowship at the Noah Spencer home after the evening service.

Brother and Mrs. A. S. Watson and Peggy and Mrs. Murie Rogers and Butch were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brooks of Amarillo spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Holcomb and family. Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Evans of Bethel visited with them Sunday afternoon.

Richard Jenkins of Odessa spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Jenkins and family after returning from a two week refresher training course with the U. S. Army Reserve at Fort Chaffee, Arkansas.

Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Copeland and daughters of Slaton visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Parish.

Those enjoying a fish fry Saturday night in the F. D. Clayton home were the John Garrett's of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Lowery and family and Mr. and Mrs. Leland Henderson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cearley returned home from Lubbock Monday, after several days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Martin were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Kasinger.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Rogers visited the E. O. Lightfoot's after church services Sunday night.

Sunday night supper guests in the Wilson Lewis Jr. home were Mrs. Frances Blair, Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilson and daughter, Plains, Mrs. M. L. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Brown and Jackie, also Leslie Lewis.

Sunday dinner guests in the Marvin Brown home were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilson and Billie Nell of Plains Mrs. Frances Blair, Muleshoe, Mrs. M. L. Green and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Lewis Jr. and children.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Crawford, Lubbock, were dinner guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Lewis Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gattis and children of Muleshoe were supper guests in the Wilson Lewis Jr. home Saturday night.

Bill Morris and Darlyna spent Sunday with Mrs. W. R. Morris, who is a patient in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Thursday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Lewis Jr. were Mrs. L. D. Davis and children Littlefield and Leslie Lewis.

Johnny Fields, Littlefield Linda Latham and Judy Upchurch attended the rodeo in Clovis, N. M. Sunday afternoon.



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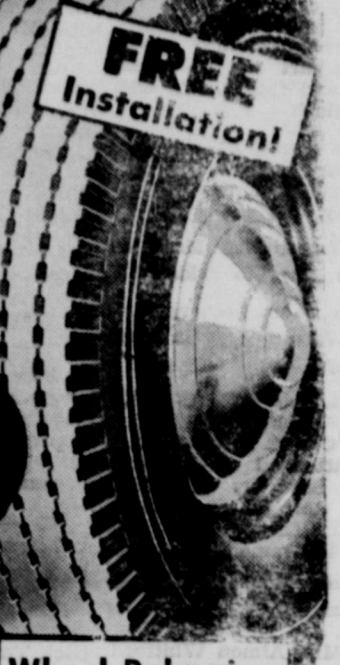
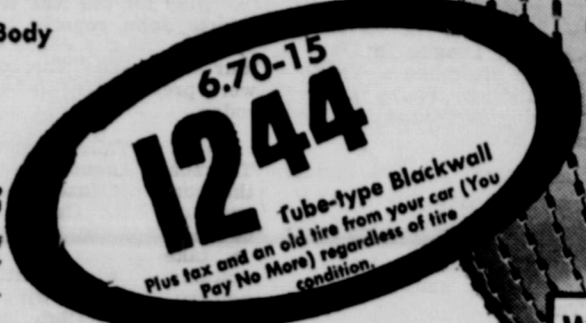
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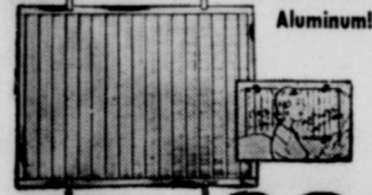
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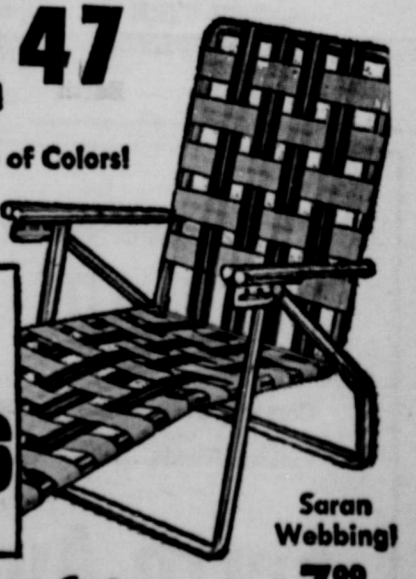


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Executive officers for the new year were elected as follows: Truitt Sides, Olton, re-elected Chapter Chairman, James P. Arnold, Sudan, elected vice-chairman, Mrs. Lester LaGrange, Amherst, re-elected Secretary and Pat Boone Jr., Littlefield, re-elected treasurer.

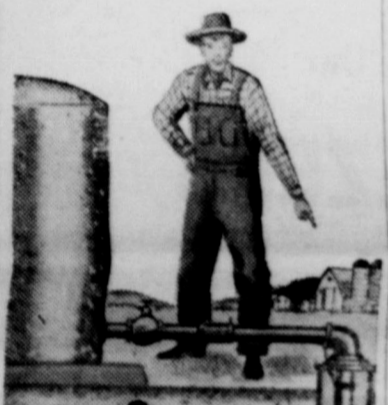
Mr. Sides appointed the following service chairman for the ensuing year: Mrs. Arbie Joplin, Chairman of Volunteers, Curtis R. Wilkerson, Disaster Chairman and Mrs. Bonnie Haberer Co-Chairman, Mrs. Ophelia Stone, Production Chairman, Mrs. J. D. Dodgen Home Nursing Chairman, Mrs. Dora Terry First Aid and Water Safety Chairman, Mrs. Leo Teck, Gray Lady Chairman, James P. Arnold Fund Campaign Chairman.

Mr. Sides also appointed Charles Jones (County Clerk) Littlefield, and Billy B. Braden of Springlake as members of the executive board.

Charles Jones was presented with a five year pin.

Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Lester LaGrange and her sister Mrs. Arnold Macnamus, from Key West, Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Sides, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis R. Wilkerson, Mr. and Mrs. William Brune, and Mrs. James E. Askcraft, visitor, Mr. and Mrs. Arbie Joplin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Brandon, Mrs. Dora Terry, Mrs. Bonnie Haberer, Mrs. Ophelia Stone, Mrs. Leo Teck, Wayne Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold.

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John Ed Waide, Portales, N. M. brother of C. C. Waide underwent major surgery at Medical Arts Hospital Clinic, Littlefield, Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Lonnie Foster, Beaumont, granddaughter of Mrs. T. C. Martin underwent brain surgery Tuesday morning in a Beaumont hospital.

Pete Parish was dismissed from North West Texas Hospital, Amarillo, Friday after undergoing throat surgery Wednesday.

A. L. Sparks, father of Mrs. Ted Borum underwent eye surgery, on Tuesday of last week, in St. Anthony's Hospital, Amarillo.

Mrs. Sarah Clark was dismissed from Medical Arts Clinic, Monday, where she had been a medical patient for the past week.

She is recuperating at the home of her son, Wesley Clark and is reported to be doing fine.

Harley Bulls, brother of Mrs. C. P. Parish and son of Mrs. Dora Bulls, underwent major surgery, Tuesday morning in Phillips Dupree Hospital, Levelland.

Mrs. Dora Bulls, who has been ill for several months is not doing so well the last few days.

Social Security Representative To Be In Earth Wednesday

A representative of the Lubbock Social Security Office will be in Earth on Wednesday, August 17, in the Citizens State Bank at 1:00 p.m. and will be glad to assist in all matters pertaining to social security.

Sunday, August 14th, is the 25th Anniversary of the Social Security Act. Just 25 years ago, Congress enacted the law which has since been amended and broadened several times.

At the end of 1959, as Federal social security was starting its twenty-fifth year, old-age, survivors, and disability insurance monthly benefits were being paid in Lamb County to 1242 persons at the rate of \$63,736 a month, according to John G. Hutton, manager of the Lubbock Social Security District Office. "This is an increase in number of beneficiaries of about 16 percent since February 1959, the last previous date for which Lamb County figures are available," he said.

Nationally, about thirteen and three fourths million persons were receiving old-age, survivors, and disability insurance monthly benefits at the end of 1959 at an annual rate of more than \$10 billion. At the close of 1940—the first year in which monthly benefits were payable — beneficiaries throughout the Nation totaled 200,000. Almost half a million disabled-worker beneficiaries and their dependents receiving benefits at a yearly rate of over \$400 million are included in the figures for 1959.

The number of wives, husbands, and children of disabled-worker beneficiaries receiving monthly benefits increased sharply in 1959. Such benefits were first payable for September, 1958. Nationally, from February to December, 1959, the number of beneficiaries more than doubled—from 60,000 to 126,000.

Payments to a retired worker

BANK NOTES ... by Malcolm

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with no dependents receiving benefits average \$69 a month nationally at the end of last December; to a retired couple, both of whom were receiving benefits, the average payment was \$121. The average for a widow with two young children was \$169.

By contrast, Mr. Hutton recalled that when benefits first became payable in 1940 the average monthly payment to a retired worker with no dependents receiving benefits was \$22, and to a retired couple the average payment was \$36.

As social security celebrates its Silver Anniversary (the original Act was signed into a law on August 14, 1935) about 74 million working people are in covered employment or self-employment in the course of a year. They are building old-age, survivors, and disability protection for themselves, their dependents, and their survivors under the social security law.

For the entire State of Texas, old-age, survivors, and disability insurance payments at the end of December, 1959, were being paid to 540,833 beneficiaries at the rate of more than \$350,000,000 per year.

Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Kirby and girls of Dimmitt visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Armstrong.

Those enjoying home-made ice cream in the R. L. Kellogg home Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Bud Elmore and Debra, Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sloan and Kirk O'Hair.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kellogg and family were Sunday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chester of Olton.

They also attended Church services in Olton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Williamson, Glenda and Ronnie were in Lubbock Saturday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Meadows, Margret and Evelyn left Monday for several days vacation in the mountains in N. M.

Mrs. Floyd Bills visited Saturday afternoon with Mrs. R. C. Hooten.

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C. B. Strain Promoted To Sgt. Of The Texas Dept. Of Public Safety

Austin — Col. Homer Garrison Jr., Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, today announced the promotion of License and Weight Patrolman C. B. Strain of Lubbock to Sergeant.

Strain, a veteran officer of 18 years service with the Department, topped a field of 32 applicants who took a three-day competitive examination for the post at the Austin headquarters.

Garrison congratulated Sergeant Strain as he pinned a brand-new Sergeant's badge on his shirt during a brief ceremony at the Department's Law Enforcement Academy.

The new sergeant, who will remain in the Lubbock region where he has served as a License and Weight Patrolman for some 11 years, is a native of Chico, in Wise County. Upon graduating from high school there, he worked for four years at a produce company in Wichita Falls and then joined the Department in August of 1942 as a Driver License Examiner. He served in that capacity at Big Spring until September of 1949, when he was transferred to

the License and Weight service and stationed at Lubbock.

Strain, 43, was married in 1945 to the former Ruth Merrick of Lamesa. They have three children: Celia B., 13; Ann, 11; and James Robert (Bob), 8.

Party Line.....

Mrs. Pete O'Hair, Kelley Earl and Kenney, Mrs. M. E. Kelley and Susan Green enjoyed an outing at the Amusement Park in Lubbock Friday evening.

Mrs. T. E. Wheat, Frances and Joe Ed and Mary Jane Shroy spent the weekend in Denver, Colorado with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Neal Ellis.

Party Line...

Mrs. M. E. Kelley, Susan Green, Mrs. Pete O'Hair and children visited in Friona Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Green.

Mrs. Bertha Chancellor and Mrs. J. S. Henderson were Monday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Drake.

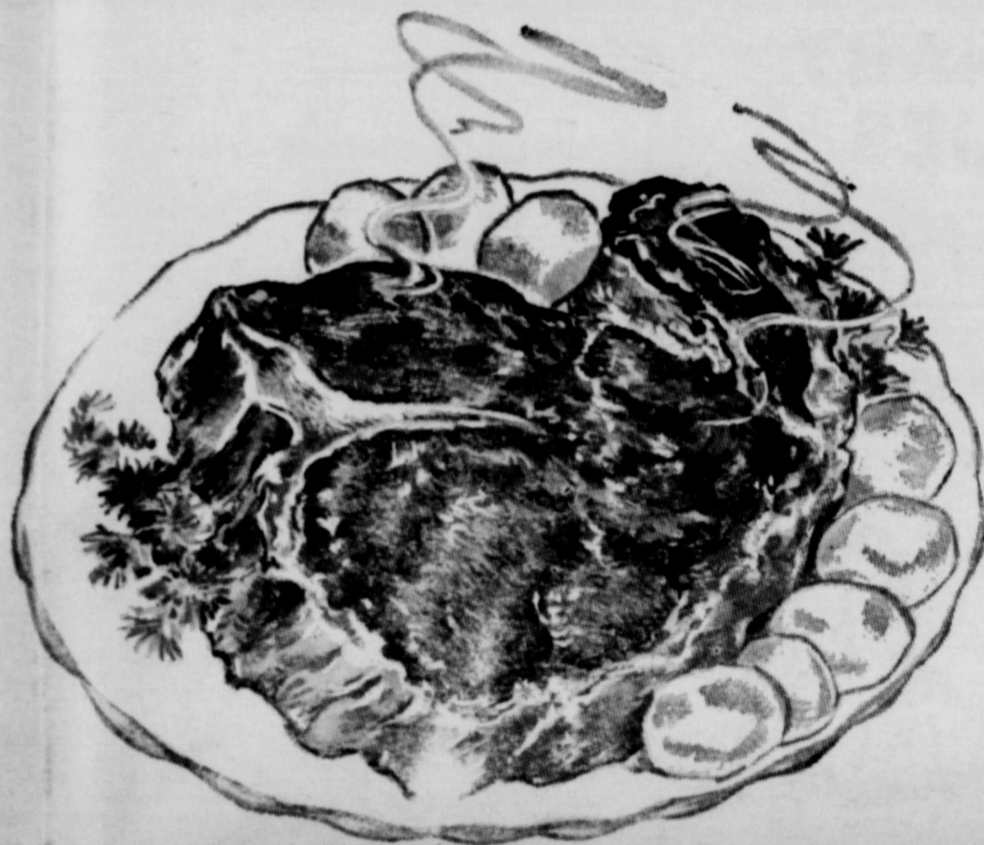
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Slover of Valley Mills are guests this week in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Slover.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hickman Jr. and Susan of Lolita are visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hickman.

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WILSONS
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Fruit Cocktail .. no. 2½ can 43¢

WIZARD
Deodorizer Bomb 49¢
CUDAHY'S
Vienna Sausage 2 cans 39¢
AUSTEX 15½ oz. Can
Spaghetti & Meat Balls 29¢
KRAFT
Cooking Oil qt. 53¢

CRISCO 3 Pound Can 75¢

COFFEE MARYLAND CLUB Pound 69¢

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CAKE MIXES White, Devils Food, Banana, Yellow or Sugar Maple! BOX 35¢

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