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Big Celebration Needs A Name

LAND OF CORONADO

City Joins Program To Attract Tourists

Littlefield has joined 24 other Panhandle-Plains cities this summer in a special promotion aimed at getting more tourists to stop and see various things in the area. The promotion was begun last year with five cities as participants: Amarillo, Canyon, Claude, Pampa and Stratford. The almost fivefold expansion this year includes Littlefield, and goes as far south as Seminole.

towns tell the story of local attractions, and wall or window posters, printed in black and orange, bear a map of the area with tourist sites, and are placed in service stations, motels, and restaurants. Southwestern Public Service Company's area development department inaugurated the program last year, and still guides the promotion, supported by Chambers of Commerce in the area. According to Executive Vice President of Littlefield's Chamber of Commerce, "One Tourist Committee of an area Chamber of Commerce reports that if nine tourist cars a day stop in an area overnight, the economic gain is the same as adding a \$100,000 a year industrial payroll."

Outdoor billboards near participating



LITTLEFIELD one of 24 cities in tourist promotion.

Police Chief Urges Summer Precautions

summertime and the living is easy" be the burglar's theme song this summer. City residents prepare to park on vacation, leaving their homes unattended and easy prey for burglars. Littlefield Police Chief F. A. ...

to come in to turn on lights in the evening. Or you may want to set an automatic timer before you leave so that lights go on at night and off at daybreak—or at regular bedtime," said the chief. Among other precautions the chief advised citizens to take are: "Discontinue mail, milk, and newspaper deliveries so your doorways won't be overflowing with old newspapers and past due bills." "In addition to these precautions which apply especially at vacation time, there are several other ways to discourage would-be burglars all year round," he said. "Keep doors and windows locked, and don't cancel out these efforts by leaving a key under the doormat or over a door. Heavy screening and double locks make forced entry more difficult, always your aim when working against a burglar. When moving into a new home or ... See SUMMER Page 4

Fireworks 'No-No' Inside Littlefield

Shooting fireworks in Littlefield city limits is a "no-no." Fireworks on the Fourth of July are traditional, but Littlefield has an ordinance prohibiting fireworks—both the sale of and shooting—within the city limits. According to city police, "several complaints have already been turned in by city residents, and police officers are hired to enforce the law." "We urge persons wishing to shoot fireworks to go outside city limits," said Police Chief Fitzgerald. Under city ordinance number 109, which was passed in September 1948, "Any person who shall violate this ordinance or any part of same shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined in any sum not to exceed \$100, and each separate sale, giving away, or disposition of any such fireworks or explosives, and each day that any such fireworks or explosives are exhibited shall constitute a separate offense."

EARLY DEADLINES OBSERVED
Deadline for news in this edition was Tuesday afternoon because of holiday scheduling. The Leader-News will close Friday for July 4, as will most other Littlefield firms. Most of the work toward Sunday's edition will be completed today.



FIVE-YEAR-OLD Tracy Neal West had a hard time choosing a few fireworks to celebrate the Fourth of July when confronted with a large assortment. "Hey Mom," he shouted, choosing a large rocket. "I'm gonna blast off to the moon." Tracy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil West.

26 YEARS AGO

July 4th Started City

The very first Fourth of July celebration in Littlefield is unequalled, even after 56 years. July 4, 1911 was the grand opening day of Littlefield. The day of days. Under a bright sun 56 years ago tomorrow, over 1,400 persons gathered in Littlefield on the cloudless morning to watch the official opening of the new town. They came on foot, on horseback, in wagons, on special trains. At noon the Littlefield Land Company served barbecued beef, beans, and other chuckwagon dishes in regular cowboy style to all the guests. More than 1,000 shade trees had been planted on the depot lot, down Phelps Ave., around the school grounds and park, but they were yet too small to provide shade. Cotton bagging was strung on poles to ward off the beaming sun. No celebration was complete without a speech. So visitors were treated to one from the state commissioner of agriculture, Edward R. Kone.

And to serenade the guests, A. P. Duggan hired a 15-piece band from Lubbock. In addition Duggan had worked since April to provide novel entertainment. Proudly he announced in the newspaper that "the West Texas ranch life will be given full sway, and the cowboys of Yellow House Ranch and adjoining ranches will have the pleasure of demonstrating to the visitors the "how" of the genuine round-up of some 2,000 head of full blooded range cattle, making use of the branding iron, together with a realistic bronch-busting exhibition." That night there was a dance. The celebration ended, the newly built Casa Amarillo Hotel was filled, all other buildings and homes had overnight guests, and when the beds were all filled many more were left to sleep under the wagons and out under the stars. It was a festive day. The new Littlefield had made an impressive sight out there on the lone prairie. The day was reckoned a success.

Prize Offered For Best Idea On August Event

The Littlefield annual celebration steering committee has about everything lined out for two big days in late August. But they're lacking one thing...a name for the event. Now they are soliciting the help of the general public, and they're willing to pay for it. The celebration, brought about because Littlefield has nothing of its own to look forward to annually more than nailing up a new calendar, is slated for the Labor Day weekend, August 29-30. There is no particular theme around which activities are planned, except providing a full schedule of entertaining events in which most everyone in the family can participate, or enjoy viewing. For a name of the event, the steering committee, which is made up of representatives of the Chamber of Commerce and various civic and social organizations, will award a handsome prize. To enter the contest, an entry form will be published in this and the next three issues of the Leader-News. Fill out the form and take it, or mail it, to the

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Littlefield Chamber of Commerce office. Deadline for entering is July 14. There is no age or entry limit. The prize will be awarded at some time during the celebration. A Miss Littlefield will be crowned the first evening of the celebration. She will be chosen in a contest staged in the junior high auditorium. To be sponsored by the Beta Sigma Phi, entrants must be sponsored by an organization or business firm, and between the ages of 16 and 21 at the time of the contest. Entry fee will be \$10, and must be filed by August 15. Admission to the contest will be \$1 for adults and 50 cents for children. On the program that evening will be some of the outstanding singing groups from the Society For The Preservation and Encouragement of Barbershop Quartet Singing In America chapters in Lubbock and Amarillo. Three street dances are slated to highlight the celebration, as well as a huge parade Saturday morning, a pony express contest, a fiddlers contest, races and contests for children, beard growing contest, a motor cycle riding exhibition, various exhibitions of cotton products, cars, old relics, art, and a biggest liar's contest...to name a few. Friday night will be a street dance for the teenagers, and the following evening will be a popular style dance at one end of Phelps Avenue, while at the other will be one for square dancing and other folk dances. Several other activities are planned, and will be announced at a later date.

Earth Up In Air After Wire Service Story

...has been described as having more homes, big church, weddings and Catholics than any other place its size on earth. UPI writer Mike Wester with his ... the modern little town ... the perfect spot for a wagon yard and ... of the wire story poured into ... the country. It is ... in parentheses are editorial ... from a local angle, as seen by ... Leader-News Staff Writer.

planet and closer to another celestial body than ever before. "We got no business fooling with the moon," said Alvin Pittman, a big man with skin like baked leather, as he shuffled through his front yard hoeing weeds. (Fact of the matter is, when the reporter phoned Pittman, the city marshal was in bed sound asleep. Pittman must have one of those new tele-view phones. How else did the writer discern his baked leather skin?) "Danged if I think there's anything up there. We're wasting time and money. But we'll probably land on it next month, for all the good it'll do," he said with the same twang in the talk of every one of Earth's 1,104 residents. (Pittman isn't fired up over going to the moon, but he didn't say anything this ridiculous.) The sky has meaning in this Texas Panhandle (oops! He goofed again. Poor guy's on the South Plains and thinks he's in the Panhandle.) town only for the weather it brings. And the weather has been bad lately (One of the few true statements he made, and he didn't attribute this remark to anyone.) "Of course we're interested in space to a certain extent but being an agricultural community, the weather is the big thing around here right now," said Mrs. Ross

Middleton, who with her husband publishes the weekly Earth News-Sun. "It's more important that our farmers get our cotton planted and are able to make a living than whether we go to the moon or not." The Apollo 10 astronauts today were 258,000 miles from U. S. 70, the only paved road in Earth and that was too far away for townspeople to worry about. (Pavement to the west leads to Sudan and Muleshoe, pavement to the east takes one directly into cross country U. S. 385. Paved roads south and north go to Amherst and Dimmitt respectively. Farm to market pavements zigzag all over the Earth country side.) Muleshoe is just 20 miles to the west and any gossip from there draws a crowd. (Muleshoe offers few advantages that can't be found in Earth. The thriving Earth community is entirely too busy to be drawn anywhere by gossip, and plenty of places within a few minutes driving time, Lubbock, Amarillo, Clovis, N. M., offers more in the way of kicks than does Muleshoe.) "I don't know why it'll do us any good to reach the moon when we could spend that money to take care of debts right here on Earth," said Mrs. Bernice English, the stocky wife of a farmer. "The only thing this space shot does is

disturb my usual television programs," she said, smoothing the wrinkles in her brown print dress. (As sophisticated as Mrs. English is, who'd blame her for belting the writer one for that adjective "stocky." Wife of a farmer—if he'd bothered to check, the writer would have learned that Mrs. English has been a widow for about 15 years. And brown print dress—well brown isn't her best color and if she has a dress that fits this description no one around Earth has seen it. Residents say she is always dressed to a "T.") Earth, which will celebrate its 45th anniversary this August, has five gas stations, two drug stores, a post office, two cafes, a lumberyard, two barber shops and a fresh hairdo. (He left out the supermarkets, department stores, equipment companies, auto parts, florist, chemical corporation, grain companies, butane businesses, appliance and furniture dealers, natural gas and electrical power companies, plus a funeral home, bookkeeping and tax service, fertilizer business, a downtown movie, drive-in movie and drive-in restaurant.) The town's biggest event is an annual rodeo, which is homecoming for all former Earth people. They scurry through three days of square dancing and

picnics and cowboy waiters serve bowls of steaming fried chicken and potato salad. (School sponsored activities draw larger home-coming crowds. When there is a big feed at Earth, the main fare had better be beef with all those pick-ups and cars driving around declaring "Eat More Beef." One of Texas' largest ranches is headquartered at Earth, and cattle raising and feeding is BIG business here.) If tourists pause in Earth on the good, warm days between West Texas sandstorms, they can stay overnight in one of the eight cabins at the La Casa Motel, the only one handy. But there is hospitality all around and nowhere is it warmer than at the Earth General Store, a creaking old building propped up on cement blocks. The plank floors squeak as customers walk past sacks of flour and potatoes and barrels of nails toward a block of cheese and a box of soda crackers on a counter. Anybody can eat for a dime. (The Earth General Store exists in the fgment of Wester's imagination only. Barrels of nails! and a block of cheese! Really Mr. Wester. This is the 29th Century, even in Earth, Texas. Anybody serving cheese for 10 cents wouldn't stay in business long before they would be filing in bankruptcy court.)

Down the street, Neil Pounds, filing a prescription across a glass case in his drug store, said he is all for the U. S. Moon trip. "I'd like to go myself," Pounds said smiling through his bifocals. (Neil Pounds is all of 31 years of age and doesn't even wear glasses, much less bifocals. His drug store is quite modern and Pounds is an enthusiastic Earth booster.) "I don't see how we'll know about the problems until we actually step out on the moon. I think we can land and take off," Bob Harper, executive vice president of the Citizens State Bank, agreed. "I never dreamed man would go to the moon but I'm convinced now," he said. "This Apollo flight is wonderful. It's just fantastic. If we can get to within 50,000 feet of the moon this time I feel most of our problems are taken care of. We can get there on our next shot." (Mike Wester must be voicing his own doubts. Many Earth residents without the education and foresight of the banker have long seen the feasibility of reaching the moon.) Old times meet modern ways in Earth. Cadillacacs are parked beside tractors. (Is he inferring some people come to town on their tractors?) Planks squeak at the

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Tau Chi Has Social

The Texas Tau Chi Chapter held their first summer social June 23 in the Reddy Room. A salad supper was prepared by the members.

Those attending were: Karen Bankston, Joan Bromlow, Carol Brooks, Darla Crone, Wayleta Eddings, Kathie Fitzgerald, Diane Grammer, Joan Johnson, Peggy Johnson, Linda Lightfoot,

Terri Miller, Ann Pullig, Kathy Rogers, Claire Sawyer, Paula Schroeder, Carolyn Spies, Carolyn West and Renee Williams.

The second social will be held July 14.

From cottonseed come lintners for mattress fillings, feed for livestock, oil for cooking.



OLTON

MRS. W. B. SMITH JR. 285-2385

MRS. DAN GREGORY is receiving treatment at a hospital in Plainview.

MR. AND MRS. Ross Carty entertained Wednesday with a family dinner. Attending were

Mr. and Mrs. Cullivan Crowder and his sister from Los Angeles, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs.

Foreman Crowder of Coleman, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Hoover Crowder of Olton.

MR. AND MRS. H. B. Carson visited with his mother, Mrs. J. L. Carson Sr. in Plainview Hospital Sunday.

MRS. H. B. CARSON visited with Mrs. Lloyd Graham at Plainview Hospital Friday evening.

MRS. G. C. GRAHAM and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Graham of Wellington visited Mrs. Lloyd

Graham at Plainview Hospital Sunday.

SUNDAY NIGHT the Lorenzo UMY were guests at First United Methodist Church for the evening service. After supper this group presented an inspiring witness program. Following the program the group played volleyball. The joint-UMY meeting was closed with the UMY benediction. Approximately 50 youth were present.

MR. AND MRS. D. C. Eby spent Saturday night in Lubbock visiting Eby's mother, Mrs. W. B. Eby. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Eby visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, former Olton residents, returned last week from an extended trip to Idaho, where they visited relatives.

MRS. EARL SMITH, Terrie, and Mrs. Leslie Whitwell and little daughter, Kelli, all of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Irby and Carrie of Clovis, N. M. were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mrs. L. E. Silcott. Visiting Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. L. E. Silcott were Mrs. Gaile Allcorn and Mrs. Lilly Mae Silcott.

MRS. R. V. ALLCORN is attending summer school at Wayland Baptist College in Plainview.

MR. AND MRS. Alton Cure, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lee Curry and children of Pettus, Mrs. Maudie Cure of Riverside, Calif., and Mrs. Dan Cure and children were guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith and J. R. Walton in Clovis. Mrs. C. L. Smith and Mrs. Alton Cure are sisters and J. R. Walton is their father.

MR. AND MRS. Bert Stewart visited in the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wally Stewart, in Clovis, N. M., last weekend.

MRS. C. C. CURRY, returned home Friday from the hospital in Muleshoe after receiving treatment there 15 days.

JESSIE EBY, brother of D. C. Eby, was able to return home last week from Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

ATTENDING THE funeral Monday at First Methodist Church in Hale Center for Mrs. R. L. Burgess were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Cure, Mrs. Everett Loveless, and Mrs. Maudie Cure of Riverside, Calif.

DENNIS GIVENS, who is stationed at the San Diego Naval Base, is here visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Givens and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Givens.

MR. AND MRS. Lloyd Blackwell visited Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cunningham and children in Canyon.

GUESTS THURSDAY evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Blackwell were Mrs. J. G. Measles of Plainview and Mrs. Billy Tom Grant and two daughters of Littlefield.

ATTENDING SENIOR High Youth Conference last weekend at Ceta Canyon were Rev. Tommy Nelson, pastor of the local Methodist Church, Miss Sharon Liston, youth director, Steve Stockdale, Carmen Robertson, Steve Spain, and Kenny Spain. August 4-9 the youth retreat for youth of the First United Methodist Church will be held in the mountains of New Mexico. The local pastor, Rev. Tommy Nelson, suggests that youths plan ahead so they may be able to attend this encampment.

MRS. ROSS CARTY left by train Saturday for San Jose, Calif., where she will visit in the homes of two of her sons, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Duncan and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Duncan. She was accompanied by her sister from Clovis, N. M.

MR. AND MRS. Tom Smith are vacationing in Utah and Wyoming. In Utah they will visit in the home of their daughter, son-in-law and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Johnson and children.

MRS. PRICE SOUTH and her grandson, Russell South of Ardmore, Okla., visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Chitwood. Mrs. Price South is the niece of Mrs. R. L. Chitwood.

MRS. RICHARD SNELL, Susan, Edwin and Samuel of Clovis, N. M., visited Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Snell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raiford Daniel Sr.

MR. AND MRS. Steve Strasener of Corpus Christi visited Thursday and Friday in the home of her sister, Mrs. Pauline Jones, and in the home

of her brother, Bob Hip.

MRS. PEARL and granddaughter, Sorley, attended "Texas" at Palo Verde Friday night. Sorley participated in a dance with Lake Meedith.

REV. AND MRS. Lewis visited seven weeks in the home of daughter, son, granddaughter, Mr. Gary Holliman and daughter Nancy of Houston.

JACK CHITWOOD, College Station parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chitwood last week.

MR. AND MRS. Strassene of Corpus visited in the home of Stella Cowart afternoo.

Tiddy Blakely To Coach Majorettes

OLTON—A Texas University drum major the bands for the Bowl game is lending hand to the 1969-70 twirlers.

Mrs. Jerry Blakely, the Mustangs' new major with the majorettes of the band.

Tiddy Blakely, of Seagraves High School, majorette for three years, led the Seagraves band major her senior year.

She attended Texas at El Paso in 1956-57 as twirler and drum major.

A qualified twirler she has twice judged at the Sun Bowl and numerous University Interscholastic contests.

Mrs. Blakely has twirling at Hardin University, Texas, University of Texas at West Texas state and Wayland Baptist.

Majorettes are Nicholas, Cindy Elkins, Wilks and Vicki Ray.

Batson-Parsons Are Married

Miss Brenda Lyman and Jimmy Mae Parsons married Thursday, July 3, at the University Baptist Church in Lubbock with Rev. Fred Threadgill officiating a double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Batson and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Parsons of Littlefield.

Attendants were Sandra Smith, maid of honor and Charlie Hathman, man, both of Lubbock.

The couple will make home in Lubbock.

Jan Sherman Receives Honor

OLTON—Mrs. (Rusty) Sherman, who received her degree in home economics education from Texas Tech last month, has been named to Dean's Honor Roll for spring semester with a point average of 4.0.

A graduate of Tascosa School in Amarillo, Sherman is the former Rowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rowe of Chicago.

Mrs. Sherman is making home here with Mr. and Basil Sherman, while husband is in the service.

Lions Carnival Set July 7-12

OLTON—The annual Lions Club Carnival has been scheduled to open in Olton July 7 and run through July 12, according to Lion Russell Strain.

The Rhodes amusement rides will be set up and ready for the youngsters the night of July 7 along with various community endeavors from different clubs in the city.

All clubs and organizations are invited to set up concession stands or amusement games at the carnival grounds, without charge.

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LITTLEFIELD

Activities

FRIDAY, JULY 4 THE ANNUAL SCOTCH-FOURSOME barbecue will be held at the Olton Country Club. Tickets are on sale at \$1.00 per plate. Eating will begin at 7 p.m.

SWIMMING CLASSES are now being offered at the Olton Country Club. Persons wishing

to enroll may call Mrs. Bob Nicholas.

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CS Children Repeat Lessons

AMHERST—The sharing program of children attending the Methodist Vacation Church school, Monday through Friday last week was presented at the evening church service Sunday.

The children demonstrated some of the things they had learned during the week. Mrs. Emery Blume served as general chairman for the school.

Announces Wedding Date

The wedding date of Barbara Britt to Douglas Yarbrough has been set for 10 p. m., July 19, at the First Methodist Church of Amherst. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Roger Britt of Amherst and Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Yarbrough of Littlefield. Friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.

LITTLEFIELD



MRS. J. B. McSHAN 385-4337

Mrs. Winnie Hogan of Littlefield and her daughter, Mrs. Betty McNeely of Lubbock spent one day last week in Big Spring visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mathew. They report that Mr. Mathew is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. White and David and Ralph Hobratschek left Sunday for Roswell, N. M., to visit relatives. They will then go to El Paso, Juarez and Chihuahua, Mexico, where they will take the train trip into the lower parts of Mexico.

Mrs. Acrey Barton of Burnet, and a former resident of Littlefield, left Monday after visiting in the Viggo Petersons' home.

Mrs. R. G. Wilson of

Muleshoe, daughter of Mrs. D. C. Lindley, had major surgery Wednesday at Medical Arts Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Prichard and two children of Abilene were in town Sunday to attend the Dedication Day at the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Prichard was the former Rosie Lee Hemphill.

Rev. and Mrs. Roy Shahan of San Angelo spent the weekend in the home of Mrs. Rhoda Price. Rev. Shahan brought the message at the First Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. James Welch and family of Lubbock were guests of her parents, the Ray Hulse's, Sunday and attended the dedication at the Baptist Church.

Miss Betsy Landon, a student at Texas Tech, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hilburn last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ellison and two daughters of Sudan were guests of Mrs. S. D. Hay at the Presbyterian Church Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Perkins of Port Arthur is a guest in the home of her son, Dr. Albert Perkins and family.

Dr. and Mrs. Lee Hemphill of Abilene spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pryor Hammons.

Mr. and Mrs. Mancill Hall and E. J. Wicker attended the funeral of George E. Benson at the First Baptist Church in Lubbock Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Parker of Lakeview, Ore., have returned home after a visit with his mother, Mrs. Geneva Parker. Mrs. Parker returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lyman Sr. left Saturday for a vacation in New Mexico and other points.

Max Hulse and family of Odessa spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hulse.

Guests Sunday of Mrs. D. C. Lindley were: Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Wilson and three sons, Lindell, Darrel and Preston of

Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer McCartie and son, Theron of Plainview, Otho Lindley of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Lindley Jr., David and Devida and Mrs. Ruth Oldham, Mike and Glenn all from Canyon, and Mrs. Evelyn Curb of Albuquerque, N. M. Mrs. Curb remained for a longer visit.

Rev. and Mrs. John D. Street and three daughters of Phillips spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Maude Street.

Mrs. Armor Kinkler of Lubbock was a guest in the Hugo Kinkler's home Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Rogers of Littlefield and her sister, Mrs. Nelson of Pasadena, left Saturday for Honolulu, Hawaii.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Blackman spent Saturday night with their son, Donnie, and family in Abilene. Sunday they attended the funeral of Neely Blackman in Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Crume and family of Hereford were weekend guests of her parents, the Robert Gollehon's.

Earl Hopping of Kerrville has been in town visiting relatives the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Ray of Phoenix, Ariz., spent the weekend with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Walthall.

Those visiting Lewis Crane at Littlefield Hospital House last week were his brothers, Carl Crane of Mt. Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Crane of Bogato.

Jackie Harrod Earns Honor

OLTON—Miss Jackie Harrod, who is a student at Bethany Nazarene College in Bethany, Okla., was named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the spring semester.

She had a 3.88 grade point average.

The 1968 graduate of Olton High School is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Harrod of Olton.

She is a music major.

Girl Scouts Attend Camp

From June 23 to June 26, the sixth, seventh and eighth grade Girl Scouts went to White's Ranch for primitive camping.

While there, they completed several of the badges they had started. Several groups of younger Girl Scouts from the Day Camp in LaGonna Park visited the primitive camp site. They were taken on hikes by the older Scouts.

The girls pitched their own tents and did all their cooking over a campfire. Every night a ceremonial fire was lit and songs were sung around it.

The badgework included Campcraft, Hiker, Pioneer, Gypsy, Foot Traveler, Observer, Outdoor Cook, Troop Camper and Backyard Fun.

The hikes included Devil's Inkwell and the Old Graveyard.

Those attending the camp were Carol Hobratschek, Edith Akins, Sharon Cox, Cindy Moss, Mary Griffith, Mary Ann Bellar, Charle Russell, Sherrie West, Patti Chisholm, Regina Williams, Lisa Roberts, Mari Louise Bennett, Cindy Harrell, and Sharla Birkelbach.

Mrs. Lindsey Williams and Mrs. Kenneth Harrell were leaders for the camp.

Olton Teacher Receives Grant

OLTON—Mrs. Wamon Foster, Olton High School mathematics teacher, has been named the recipient of a National Science Foundation Grant and will attend a Mathematics Institute at Western Washington State College in Bellingham, Wash., from June 22 until Aug. 1.

Three of her four children, Jean, Phil and Jim, will accompany Mrs. Foster to Washington.

The fourth child, Karen, will remain at home with her father and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Foster, so that she might attend church camp later this summer.

Foster and Karen will join the family Aug. 1 for a family vacation.

Published Poem To Be Added To Collection

James Ivey's poem, "That Which Shall Prevail", which was published in "The Annual Anthology of High School Poetry," has been selected for publication in "Sermons in Poetry."

This publication is a collection of religious and philosophical poetry written by the youth of America.

Selections were made by the board of judges from thousands of poems.

Janice Long Will Begin Nursing School

OLTON—Miss Janice Faye Long, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Long, began her nursing curriculum at Northwest Texas Hospital School of Nursing, June 2, after completing two semesters of first year academic courses at West Texas State University at Canyon.

Scheduled to graduate in June, 1971, she will become eligible to take the State Board Examination and become a registered nurse.

Miss Long is a 1968 graduate of Olton High School. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Stella Cowart.

Lewis Ivey Receives Honor

Lewis Ivey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ivey Jr. of Littlefield, was named to the Dean's Honor Roll at South Plains College at Levelland this past semester.

Miss Burleson To Band Camp

Lajuana Burleson of Littlefield enrolled in the 17th annual West Texas Band Camp at West Texas State University July 13-25.

Dr. John E. Green, dean of the university's School of Fine Arts and camp director, said a record 865 students from 81 towns in Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Kansas, California and Arizona will participate.

Burleson is a senior at Olton High School.

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Take It Easy!

TRADITIONALLY, July the Fourth is the holiday for celebrating our freedoms.

Texans are particularly fond of celebrating one freedom—the freedom of mobility, the freedom to take to the open road.

TEXANS by the thousands will exercise that freedom over the July Fourth weekend. Increased travel throughout the

State will mean additional problems for motorists, particularly in construction areas.

The Texas Highway Department works to make construction areas as safe as possible, but extra care is needed during the peak holiday travel periods.

THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT urges you to observe all warning signs. Above all, practice safe driving everywhere—all the time.

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THE ABUNDANT LIFE

The Free

By BOB WEAR

WE MAY NEVER know who the free really are, even though we continue to write and talk about freedom more than any one other subject of human concern.

This much is evident; many who think they are free are among the most enslaved.

Some of the freest people, in fact, are not considered free by their fellowmen.

WHEN WE THINK about free men, we must remember that a absolute freedom is impossible.

In its best form, freedom is submission. If this seems to be a strange statement, be sure to study it carefully before rejecting it.

The truth is that the greatest degree of freedom is found by the persons who seek and submit to the most desirable set of values and standards.

PEOPLE WHO ARE the least free are often those who, for a while, at least, think they are freest of all.

Their faulty view is that the fewer the standards they have to meet, the less controls over their lives, and the more they indulge themselves; the freer they are.

By the time they recognize the chains of bondage they have forged for themselves, they are hopelessly enslaved. They are completely incapable of ever being free.

FREE TO DO as we please is probably one of the most deceptive of all views of freedom.

This is not freedom.

In the first place, no one can do as he pleases. This is a kind of personal anarchy and chaos. The ultimate outcome is personal disappointment, and miserable maladjustments.

THE FAULTY VIEW of being free to do as one pleases is manifestly one of the worst forms of personal bondage.

Even worse than this, it limits and, in some instances, destroys what possibilities the individual does have for freedom.

They have set themselves on an impossible life course.

THERE ARE MANY misunderstandings about freedom, and these prevent the full exercise of freedom.

Too many people think they will be free when they throw off, and reject sensible and necessary controls and restrictions.

Others think that freedom is withdrawal from daily work. Some think they are striking a blow for freedom when they throw off all responsibilities.

MILTON SAID, "License they mean when they cry, Liberty! For who loves liberty, must first be wise and good."

IN OUR TIME, there seems to be a growing feeling that freedom means being free to disobey established law, to destroy property of others, to take the life of others, and to impose upon the infringe upon others in every conceivable way.

Lawlessness is not freedom, but it is one of the most certain ways to destroy freedom.

It may even bring into being some form of police state.

WE ARE FREE TO OBEY established law, to protect the property of others, to hold sacred the life of others and to respect others in every way, and to meet all of our obligations. This is being free.

There is no freedom except in the responsible action of full and complete respect for the person and property of everybody. William Allen White said, "Liberty is the only thing you cannot have unless you are willing to give it to others."

THE FREE AND THOSE who submit to the long-standing and time-tested standards and controls of thought and action.



... EARTH

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general store but across the street at the bank the floors are plush with carpet. (Maybe so, but it looks and feels like hard surfaced flooring.)

Pittman, who doubles as a farmer and town marshal, (Pittman doesn't lead this double life. He does own a farm off the Caprock down in Haskell County, but Mr. Wester didn't bother to find this out.) and Mrs. Middleton admit that life in the small community is quiet, touched by television but untouched by big city problems.

"There's no crime in Earth," our boys and girls are good kids. It's just the adults who are no good. (Wester's viewpoint again. There's no fatalities to speak of," said Pittman, hunched over a hoe in a weepatch. (Pittman was asleep when the phone call came. He knows all about chemical weed killers, too.)

Earth is that place where on a clear day you can see Forever—Forever being about five miles along the flat Texas countryside. On in summer it gets as hot as 100. (Would you believe hotter?) and if one goes up in top of the Earth Elevator he can see Sudan, Muleshoe, Amherst, Dimmitt, Springlake and other places beside "Forever.")

There are a lot of windstorms and occasional tornado dips down but there is not much to damage. (He should see the aftermath of a big tornado that chews up a town.) That's why the tornado that visited Earth two weeks ago was such a nuisance and gave the townspeople a bad feeling about the sky.

"You couldn't catch me making a trip up there," said Pittman. (The dumbest dumb-dumb in or on Earth knows tornadoes and the moon shots aren't remotely related.)

"I would like to see what the astronauts have seen but I'm not overly anxious to go to the moon by myself," said Dutch Been, who pumps gas at one of the town's five service stations.

(Five service stations in a town the size of Earth should attest to the fact that it isn't overly backward, that a few people do have cars instead of driving a team of mules. Dutch Been's plant and warehouse completed in '67 cost about \$80,000. He doesn't pump gas up into a glass pump and measure it with a yard stick as it gurgles down into gas tanks located beneath the seats of tin lizzies.)

"I wouldn't go to the moon for any reason," said Carolyn Kelley, a brown-haired secretary who is waiting for her boy friend to come home from Vietnam. "After we're married I wouldn't want my husband flying to the moon and back.

"I'll stay right in Earth," said the pretty teen-ager over her typewriter. "I'm happy here." (Carolyn is 22 rather than a teenager.)

The same can be said of all the 1,104 who call Earth home. (After this article came out in papers all over the country, residents are wondering if maybe they couldn't get a few blacksmiths, a cobbler and maybe a harness maker or two interested in coming to their town. Earth has been looking for new industry.)

Earth is up in the air, and it didn't take jet propulsion. This fairy tale put them in orbit.

Earth is a small place, but it has as many and perhaps more students attending colleges than any place its size. Many Earth people have traveled extensively and right now the community is entertaining a Swedish guest and making plans to give a royal welcome to two Japanese students who are coming to the community. Earth's community interest certainly reaches past Muleshoe.

Earth is part of Lamb County and the State Representative Bill Clayton hails from these hinterlands where there are probably more educated farmers and well-equipped showcase farms than anywhere else in the state much less the nation.

Touche!

... SUMMER

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apartment, be sure to change the locks. "And finally, don't keep expensive jewelry and other valuables that you don't use regularly in easy-to-find places around the house. Put them in a safe or a safe deposit vault off the premises," the chief continued.

He summed up the warning by saying, "If, after taking due precautions, you are victim of a burglary, there are ways you can help the police. Notify them immediately, and be ready to provide them with serial numbers on items such as typewriters, television sets and sewing machines, along with detailed descriptions of all valuable items.

PAUL HARVEY

Inflation Inevitable?



THE COST OF LIVING soared 4.5% last year.

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The Nixon Administration, pledged to retard inflation, has managed to retard the rate of business growth.

YET A SLOWDOWN in industry, even increasing unemployment, does not necessarily mean the cost of living will come down.

Escalator clauses in union contracts can keep prices going up even during a recession.

Indeed, during the 1953-54 downturn which lasted 13 months, unemployment more than doubled—but prices continued to increase.

DURING THE 1957-58 recession, when business backslid for nine months, the jobless total almost doubled—but prices continued to increase.

During the nine-month slump of 1960-61, unemployment again climbed to 4.8 million—yet prices continued to go up.

Recessions have retarded price rises but have not reversed them.

Nor can economists agree as to how best to apply the brakes without skidding.

DURING THE PRESENT congressional debate over the surtax, experts claim both that it is inflationary and deflationary.

Recently, when banks hiked their prime interest rate to 8.5%, the move was defended by some who said "at that high rate fewer people and businesses will borrow to build or expand, thus our overheated economy will cool off."

But Chairman Wright Patman (D.-TEXAS) of the House Banking and Currency Committee says it doesn't work that way at all. He insists that higher interest rates will

instead force the cost of living up.

WITH HIGHER INTEREST rates, the cost of borrowing a home or a car does go up as a result, decide to buy houses and cars, you'd then would tend to take the steam boom.

Instead, says Rep. Patman, interest rates are higher money is available for purposes—more money is put into the mortgage market buying is encouraged even at prices.

OF COURSE WHEN BUSINESS pays more to borrow money, expansion or whatever, inevitably adds that higher to the price of what it sells. The Patman, higher interest rates retard inflation—they worsen.

There is no consensus of economists except on this: labor fears higher prices, demands higher wages. Industry fears costs, demands higher prices. People, fearing inflation, buy "buy now" and thus accelerate

RETAIL SALES during were up from the month and 5 per cent up from a year.

It is difficult to tell a man's paycheck appears to be that—subtracting the recent cost-of-living increase—has been shrinking since early 1968. Annually demanding money, he has ended up with

IF A RECESSION is necessary to retard this frightful cost-price spiral, it will not be a drastic one, but it will be politically popular.

It is much easier for a President or for a member of Congress to continue to buy votes with dollars worth less, but it is a hoax and much more hurtful all in the long run.



THE FARMER'S VIEW

I Like The 4th

By LIBBY MUGGETT

I LIKE JULY 4th I like the Declaration of Independence.

I like the Constitution of the United States.

I like the Bill of Rights.

I ESPECIALLY like the way that all of these came into being.

What I don't like is to run into someone that has only the very foggiest of notions about how our freedom came about and why.

It's then that I want to storm our teachers colleges and universities and demand that only our most dedicated and talented of teachers be allowed to teach history.

WHY IS HISTORY considered something to be tossed into the curriculum because it has to be, a subject to be taught by just about anybody that has a free period to stand up before a bunch of kids and bore them to tears while they drone on and on?

No wonder that the 4th of July has come to mean hot dogs, fireworks, cold beer and not much else.

Some of the history textbooks that I've picked up are better for insomnia than any lullaby pill on the market.

NO WONDER many a kid goes into a state of stupor during history class.

As with most generalizations, there are certainly exceptions to this. Many a history teacher teaches with great enthusiasm and a few history books are interesting.

But I've yet to see one that was what you might call "gripping".

AND THE TRAGEDY is that the whole story of America's coming into being a nation is about as gripping a story as there ever was; yet it is written up as a series of dates with dry facts in between.

Written in the right manner, it could rival a James Bond thriller.

I picked 10 people at random and asked them if they could tell me why the Boston Tea Party happened. Three answered correctly, two had most of it correct, three considered it "corny" even though they knew little of the details, the other two blanked out.

All 10 knew who said "Give me liberty or give me death," but only three knew who said "If this be treason, then make the most of it."

OF THE THREE that got Patrick Henry correctly, only two knew the occasion which prompted him to say it.

Of 10, only one knew the part of the Bill of Rights.

Eight knew who said "I want that I have but one life to give my country," but only five knew when and why.

No wonder our freedoms are slipping from us little by little.

THE LARGEST majority to either never realized or forgotten how hard they were come by.

What's wrong with telling all 56 signers of the Declaration of Independence put themselves merely by writing their name?

What's wrong with spelling exactly why they put themselves into this precarious situation?

But even more important, what's wrong with having it all presented in an exciting way?

Because exciting it was.

And is.

THERE'S MANY things wrong with America now, and probably always has been.

But there's man things right, and always has been.

Can you think of somewhere you'd rather live?

If so, go.

If not, stay and rejoice this 4th of July.

And write your congressmen reminding him in the words of Samuel Adams "to no longer insult the feelings of an exasperated people."

And ask your kids who Richard Henry Lee.

W. A. STEPHENSON

Services for W. A. (Uncle Ben) Stephenson, 87, of Anton, who died 10:30 a.m. Tuesday in University Convalescent Center after a long illness will be held today at 3 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church in Anton by Rev. R. H. Campbell and Rev. Delo Fisher officiating.

Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park with Resthaven-Singleton-Walker Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Stephenson, a retired farmer and carpenter, was born in Alabama and moved to Anton from Estelline in 1910.

Survivors include eight sons, Z. B. C. S., both of Anton, O. W. of Willington, Colo., L. A. of Calvert, Delo of Floyd, Mo., Dore of Espanola, N. M., Vernon Glenwood Springs, Colo., Owen, Anaheim, Calif.; two daughters, Greta Piffe of Kingston, Md., and Margeeta Hanson of Anaheim; three brothers, L. L. of Anton, Gus Albuquerque, N. M., and Harlo Phoenix, Ariz.; 30 grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

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EARTH

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DOUG LEWIS underwent major surgery in Littlefield Hospital June 23. His condition is good.

VICKIE WEST was bitten by a cat last week and has been having to take rabies shots. The cat died and was sent to Austin for an analysis. Vickie is alright.

MRS. J. O. PENLEY returned home from Pennsylvania last Thursday where she had been for two months. Mr. and Mrs. Penley went to visit their daughter and family, while Mrs. Penley became ill and had to be

hospitalized for two weeks. Mr. Penley came home several weeks ago.

MRS. BEULA COKER and Mrs. Marie Ross visited Mrs. Mary Parish in the West Plains Hospital in Muleshoe last Thursday afternoon.

THOSE FROM Earth attending the Miss Muleshoe contest last Friday evening were Mmes. Jane Beavers, Lena Hite and Cara Morgan. They reported a most enjoyable evening.

BRO. JOHNNIE WILLIAMS visited Mrs. Mary Parish in the West Plains

Hospital in Muleshoe last Friday afternoon. Mrs. Parish has been a patient in the hospital for three weeks. She is much improved.

MRS. DON DAVIS of Miami, Fla., spent the night with her mother Wednesday night. She left Thursday afternoon and returned with her children, Don, Melonie and Wes, who had been with their grandmother. Mrs. Bessie Cearley for about 10 days.

GRAVESIDE RITES were held Friday afternoon in the Earth Cemetery for Jeffery Cloyd Green, infant son of Mr.

and Mrs. Clinton Green. Little Jeffery was born dead Thursday morning at 9:30 in Littlefield Hospital. Services were conducted by Rev. Fred D. Howard, interim pastor of the First Baptist Church of Earth. Parsons-Ellis-Singleton Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Survivors are the parents, two sisters, Debra and Donna, one brother, Randal, all of the home; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Zeph Robnett and Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Green and great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. I. Anderson.

GUEST SATURDAY night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kelley was Mrs. Edith Jacobs of Los Angeles, Calif. THURSDAY NIGHT and Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cowley were Mrs. Cowley's sisters and brothers-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Brown of Altus, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Span of Tulsa, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Jack McNeallie of McAllen. The group had been

vacationing in Colorado. Dinner guests of the Cowleys Friday were Mrs. Don Davis and children Meloni, Don, and Wes of Miami, Fla., and Mrs. Bessie Cearley.

SATURDAY NIGHT and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Foster and David were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Elam and Cheri Lynn of Lubbock.

Richard Hall Gets Award

OLTON—Richard Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hall Jr., has been named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the spring semester at Panhandle State College.

To qualify for the Dean's Honor Roll, a student must have a grade point average of 3.30 or above.

Stockholders Get Dividends

OLTON—Stockholders of the Olton Co-Op Gin held their annual meeting and barbecue Saturday in the gin warehouse. Approximately 1500 persons attended the barbecue with all the trimmings.

Two directors, DeVurn Mandrell and A. F. Smyth were elected.

Outgoing directors were Larry Witten and Leon Griffin. Lloyd Graham is local manager of the Olton Co-Op Gin.

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Ratliff's parents are Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Ratliff.

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Gene Ratliff operates the Texaco dealership at 102 W. Delano and the station just south of Marshall Howard Blvd. at 2402 Hall Ave.

Dave Dailey is the man wearing the Texaco star at 521 Hall Ave.

Joy Parker has the Texaco station across the street from the Post Office at 532 Phelps.

Boots Askew is the Texaco man at 401 E. 9th St.

W. S. Reynolds is the Texaco dealer at the Amberst service station.

Ratliff and his wife Bobbie have five children. Wrene Ratliff is an LHS junior student for the coming year. Marshall Allen will be a senior when school begins this fall. Craig Ratliff is an eighth grader. Douglas Allen will be a ninth grader; and Bradley Allen will be a fourth grader.

School activities occupy much of the Ratliff's spare time.

The Ratliff family enjoys collecting and refinishing antique furniture, also.

Many weekends are spent looking around in old buildings and various old trading stores, second hand furniture and antique dealers looking for something to refinish and add to their collection.

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Bill enjoys quail hunting but won't let his wife go with him when he is hunting. "I let her go one time," Bill Fudge said, "and she (accidentally) shot me."

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Farmers Jones, Assorted
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59¢

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Kraft, All Varieties
18-Ounce Bottles

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59¢

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3 \$1

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BLACK PEPPER

Schillings
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35¢

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Yard Guard
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\$1.49

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Guaranteed Ripe
25-Pound Average

19¢

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WATERMELON

Each

59¢

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ICE CREAM

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1/2-Gallon

59¢

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BAR-B-QUE SAUCE

Kraft, All Varieties
18-Ounce Bottles

3 \$1

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BLACK PEPPER

Schillings
4-Ounce Can

35¢

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REPELLENT

Insect Repellent
Yard Guard
16 1/2-Ounce Can

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PEACHES

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WATERMELON

Each

59¢

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ICE CREAM

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WATERMELON

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BAR-B-QUE SAUCE

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NOTICES

NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING

In obedience to the order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in Session at its regular meeting place in the Court House in the town of Littlefield, Lamb County, Texas, at 9:00 o'clock A.M., on Monday the 14th day of July, 1969, for the purposes of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in Lamb County, Texas, for taxable purposes for the year 1969, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

/s/ Mary Beth Willey County Clerk, Lamb County, Texas

NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

In obedience to the order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place at 410 LFD Drive in the city of Littlefield, Lamb County, Texas, at 9:00 o'clock A.M., on Monday the 14th day of July, 1969, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in the said Littlefield Independent School District, for taxable purposes for the year 1969, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

Sidney C. Hopping Secretary /s/ Sidney C. Hopping Board of Equalization Independent School District

Littlefield, Texas 26th day of June, 1969.

Crazy Golf Stated July 4th

A Scotch Doubles Crazy Tournament has been scheduled July 4th at the Littlefield Country Club.

To begin at 4 p.m., the nine-hole event will be followed by a wiener roast and swim party.

Rules of the tournament are that men and women can ask for partners, but the ladies must bring a crazy costume for both herself and her partner. Entrants may register through Thursday.

Bankers Coasting To Minors Title

Security State has built nailing down the Minor League championship, with barely more than a week remaining on the schedule.

The Bankers turned the trick by blasting defending champion Leader-News, 20-8, and removing their major contender for the crown, Coca Cola, the next closest runner, doesn't have enough games left to make the upset it has been improving, and shooting for.

Coca Cola and Security hook up a week from Saturday in the final game of the season, but the Bankers must meet V.F.W. (1-11) before that.

7 STROKES

Pro-Am First Is Runaway

Friona pro Cotton Renner joined with his wife, Kay, and locals J. R. Chamberlin and Johnny Talbert to win first place in the Pro-Am tournament played Monday at the Littlefield Country Club.

The winning quartet turned in a low-ball score of 53, seven strokes ahead of a cluster of five teams that finished in the second-place money.

Jerry Mobley of Muleshoe was the low pro, 70, with Morton pro Babe Van Langingham nipping at his heels with a 71.

In the pro-pro division, local professional Dale Weaver joined with Terry Abrach, assistant pro at Hereford Country Club, to cop first place money. They had a 66. A two-way tie for second, with 68s, were Mobley and Bud Posey (Dimmitt), and Renner and VanLangingham.

Members of the five teams which tied for second were: Abrach, Joe Solz, Mike Horton and Don Scher; Mobley, Ben Cookrell, Virgie Hail and Allen Johnson; Pro Wilson Sweeney of Clovis, Pat White, Glenn Byrne and Lloyd White; Posey, Judge Baldrige, Arthur Duggan, and Buddy Duggan.

And Pro Courtney White of Lorenzo, Bob Hawkins, Joe Darden and Lindell Holley. Low Amateur honors were

Track Team Shows Well At Lubbock

The Littlefield Track Club, though out-gunned by much larger and experienced teams, made its most impressive showing of the season Saturday in the Texas Amateur Athletic Federation meet held in Lubbock.

Lubbock, as expected, won the boys division, with Brownfield second and Lefors third. Sixteen teams were entered.

The host city made a clean sweep of team trophies by copping the girls title as well, though pushed by Snyder and Seminole, in that order. Twelve teams were entered in that category.

The first place taken by a Littlefield runner was sprinter Doris Ashley, running on a 440-yard relay team with three Lubbock girls. She was third in the 100-yard dash.

Placings by local athletes were as follows: MIDGET BOYS—Tommy Wilson, 4th, long jump. JUNIOR BOYS—440 relay team, Pat Henderson Johnny Washington, Lenearl Lewis, and Don Washington, 3rd; Henderson, 6th, 100. INTERMEDIATE BOYS—440 relay team, Ben Washington, Leroy D anford, Michael Holmes, Larry Hodge, 3rd; Washington, 6th, 100. JUNIOR GIRLS—Monette Ross, 3rd, 50 and 100. INTERMEDIATE GIRLS—Brenda Feagley, 2nd, 100, 4th, 50-yard hurdles. SENIOR GIRLS—Mary Wilson, 2nd, shot, 3rd, 60-yard hurdles, 3rd, (with Crosbyton) 440 relay; LaTonya Dangerfield, 3rd, long jump, 3rd, 440 dash, 4th, shot; Ashley, 1st, (with Lubbock) 440 relay, 3rd, 100; Doniece Ross, 2nd, 440.

TWO TEAMS

1969 Babe Ruth All-Stars Name Sud

Littlefield's Babe Ruth League has named its first All-Star teams to play in the coming area tournaments.

Fifteen players were named to the regular All-Star team, and the same number to the 13-year-old team. The 13-year-old started working out as a team Monday.

The regular team plays in Lubbock the 11th, and here

the following evening, two-out-of-three in the winner tournament that is necessary, reported played here also. No elimination for the 13-year-olds, play their first games in Slaton.

Members of the Babe Ruth All-Star team, only first year for Babe Ruth League in Littlefield. Dennis Cowen, Jay Chuck Blevins, Larry Rinkelbach, E. Johnson, Danny Matt Giles, Eddie Glenn Short, Ron Jefferson, Ron Risner, Doug Cummings.

Coaches will be Conley and Richard with Joe Johnson as Making up the All-Stars team as Bryson, Pat Henderson, Stamps, David Williams, Parker, Mark Hanna, Tamplin, Donnie Charles Jefferson, Millegan, Jerry Sowde, Owens, Kelly, Prater, Ratliff, and Clodis T. R. J. Cook is manager. James Trammell is

The 13-year-old meet Post in their first 5:30 p.m. Tuesday. Monday's schedule: Frontier vs. Brownfield, Tri-City vs. Lubbock, and Slaton vs. Taber. Winners of the first two will play at 8 p.m. Tuesday.

Prior to the Littlefield game, Levelland played at 3. All games played and Tuesday will be contests.

Bankers Coasting To Minors Title

Security State has built nailing down the Minor League championship, with barely more than a week remaining on the schedule.

The Bankers turned the trick by blasting defending champion Leader-News, 20-8, and removing their major contender for the crown, Coca Cola, the next closest runner, doesn't have enough games left to make the upset it has been improving, and shooting for.

Coca Cola and Security hook up a week from Saturday in the final game of the season, but the Bankers must meet V.F.W. (1-11) before that.

7 STROKES

Pro-Am First Is Runaway

Friona pro Cotton Renner joined with his wife, Kay, and locals J. R. Chamberlin and Johnny Talbert to win first place in the Pro-Am tournament played Monday at the Littlefield Country Club.

The winning quartet turned in a low-ball score of 53, seven strokes ahead of a cluster of five teams that finished in the second-place money.

Jerry Mobley of Muleshoe was the low pro, 70, with Morton pro Babe Van Langingham nipping at his heels with a 71.

In the pro-pro division, local professional Dale Weaver joined with Terry Abrach, assistant pro at Hereford Country Club, to cop first place money. They had a 66. A two-way tie for second, with 68s, were Mobley and Bud Posey (Dimmitt), and Renner and VanLangingham.

Members of the five teams which tied for second were: Abrach, Joe Solz, Mike Horton and Don Scher; Mobley, Ben Cookrell, Virgie Hail and Allen Johnson; Pro Wilson Sweeney of Clovis, Pat White, Glenn Byrne and Lloyd White; Posey, Judge Baldrige, Arthur Duggan, and Buddy Duggan.

And Pro Courtney White of Lorenzo, Bob Hawkins, Joe Darden and Lindell Holley. Low Amateur honors were

Track Team Shows Well At Lubbock

The Littlefield Track Club, though out-gunned by much larger and experienced teams, made its most impressive showing of the season Saturday in the Texas Amateur Athletic Federation meet held in Lubbock.

Lubbock, as expected, won the boys division, with Brownfield second and Lefors third. Sixteen teams were entered.

The host city made a clean sweep of team trophies by copping the girls title as well, though pushed by Snyder and Seminole, in that order. Twelve teams were entered in that category.

The first place taken by a Littlefield runner was sprinter Doris Ashley, running on a 440-yard relay team with three Lubbock girls. She was third in the 100-yard dash.

Placings by local athletes were as follows: MIDGET BOYS—Tommy Wilson, 4th, long jump. JUNIOR BOYS—440 relay team, Pat Henderson Johnny Washington, Lenearl Lewis, and Don Washington, 3rd; Henderson, 6th, 100. INTERMEDIATE BOYS—440 relay team, Ben Washington, Leroy D anford, Michael Holmes, Larry Hodge, 3rd; Washington, 6th, 100. JUNIOR GIRLS—Monette Ross, 3rd, 50 and 100. INTERMEDIATE GIRLS—Brenda Feagley, 2nd, 100, 4th, 50-yard hurdles. SENIOR GIRLS—Mary Wilson, 2nd, shot, 3rd, 60-yard hurdles, 3rd, (with Crosbyton) 440 relay; LaTonya Dangerfield, 3rd, long jump, 3rd, 440 dash, 4th, shot; Ashley, 1st, (with Lubbock) 440 relay, 3rd, 100; Doniece Ross, 2nd, 440.

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POWDER PUFF

WINNERS VS. WINNERS

Following final game the Little League All Stars will introduced on the field; Sportsmanship trophies will presented; 2 door prizes of Poloroid Cameras will be away.

Anton Hosts Pony Tournament

The Tumbleweed League All-Stars, made up of Pony League teams from Anton, Frenship, Shallowater and Reese Air Force Base, will be host team for the District tournament starting July 21.

Tumbleweed will face the Castro County All-Star 8:30 p.m. the following a game bet Hereford and Borger that at 6:30.

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BABE RUTH LEAGUE

Sudan Heads Pack

Sudan, according to all reports received by the Leader-News and going into Tuesday night's action, held a comfortable lead in the Babe Ruth League standings. With a 9-4 record, Sudan has two and a half games ahead of Roden (6-6), and Amherst (5-5). The pack is still closely bunched, with the cellar teams, Security (7-9) and Ware-Richey (7), only three and a half games out of first place. State-Line-B & C is in the middle, one game out with a 6-7 record.

AMHERST-13-10 SECURITY-1-1

Security was unable to score more than one point a game in a double header against Amherst last Thursday night. Ron Risinger was the top performer for Amherst during both games. In the first game he hit a homerun, a double and a single, and in the second he hit two doubles. Kim Harmon hit a homer and a single in the first game. Jimmy Risinger had two hits in the second game. The winning pitchers were Larry Cummings (first game) and Larry Clawson (second game).

Rickey Sanchez was the losing pitcher for Security with two singles in the first game. Camps was tops in the second game with two singles. The losing pitchers were Tom Hutson in the first game and Pat Henderson in the second.

STATE LINE-B&C-14 AMHERST-13

Terry Bryson and J. E. Hanson both hit a homerun in State-Line B & C in edging Amherst 14-13 in a Babe Ruth battle Tuesday night.

The game was tied in the top of the seventh inning and a double in the top of the eighth inning by Ralph Funk drove in the winning run for State-Line-B & C.

Hodge was the winning pitcher with nine hits allowed. The leading hitters for Amherst were Mark Wilson, with a grand slam homerun and a single, and Ron Risinger with a homerun, a double and a single. Risinger was also the losing pitcher.

SECURITY STATE-8 WARE-RICHEY-4

Security and Ware-Richey tied 3-3 after seven

innings, but the Bankers rallied in the eighth inning to score five runs to come out victorious over Ware-Richey, 8-4.

The leading hitter for Security was Danny Estrada with a homer, a triple, and a single.

The leading hitters for Ware-Richey were: Michael Carter, Eddie Surratt, David Williams, John Bell and Glennie Francis each with singles.

Pat Henderson was the winning pitcher, with five hits allowed. Glenn Short was the losing pitcher.

SUDAN-14 STATE LINE-B&C-9

After seven innings the score was tied, 7-7, but in the eighth inning Sudan scored seven runs to overpower State-Line-B & C 14-9.

J. E. Johnson was State-Line-B&C's leading hitter with a single and a triple.

The leading hitters for Sudan were Mark Hanna, Donny Noles, Bo Lance with two singles each. Lance was also the winning pitcher allowing only three hits.

Brad Nace was the losing pitcher.

SECURITY STATE-10 SUDAN-2

Security lead all the way in a 10-2 stomp of Sudan last Saturday night.

Danny Estrada had an excellent night at both the pitching position and at batting. As winning pitcher he only allowed two hits and he collected three doubles, at the plate.

Bo Lance was the leading hitter for Sudan with two singles.

Jerry Price was the losing pitcher.

WARE-RICHEY-11 RODEN-10

Roden rallied in the fifth inning in an unsuccessful attempt to beat Ware-Richey. Ware-Richey won 11-10 over Roden.

Eddie Surratt was the winning pitcher with three hits allowed. Dennis Cowen was the losing pitcher.

The leading hitter for Ware-Richey was John Bell with two doubles.

Chuck Blevins was the leading hitter for Roden with two doubles and a single.

SPORTS

SEASON STANDINGS

MINOR LEAGUE

TEAM	W	L	GB
Security	12	1	-
Leader-News	9	3	2 1/2
Coca Cola	7	4	4
PCA	4	6	6 1/2
Piggly Wiggly	2	10	9 1/2
VFW	1	11	10 1/2

MAJOR LEAGUE

TEAM	W	L	GB
Rotary	11	2	-
Lions	10	3	1
Butane	8	4	2 1/2
Batson	4	7	6
Optimist	4	8	6 1/2
W.O.W.	0	13	11

BABE RUTH LEAGUE

Team	W	L	GB
Sudan	9	4	-
Roden	6	6	2 1/2
Amherst	5	5	2 1/2
State-Line-B&C	6	7	3
Ware-Richey	5	7	3 1/2
Security	7	9	3 1/2

PEE-WEE LEAGUE

Team	W	L	GB
Road Runners	4	0	-
Barracudas	3	1	-
Green Ramblers	1	3	-
Tasty Cream	0	4	-

FOR ROTARY

Lions Hold Key To Majors Crown

Although another week still remains on the Major League schedule, Saturday night's big

game between Rotary and Lions will pretty well determine the association's champion.

Going into the game Rotary is 11-2 and Lions are 10-3. A Rotary win would put the defending champions almost completely out of reach. But a Lion win would leave the final season outcome unknown for another week ... or even until a playoff.

Butane continues to hold a strong grasp on third place with an 8-4 record, going into Tuesday night's game against Batson.

ROTARY-9 OPTIMIST-5

Gary Brown's great batting helped Rotary come out victorious again, this time over Optimist Monday by a score of 9-5.

Brown collected a homerun and two singles.

The winning pitcher was Steve Jackson with only one hit allowed while he was pitching. He relieved Willie Huey.

The leading hitters for Optimist were: Bill Turner with two singles; David Blevins, Kevin Hamilton and Andy Rogers with a single each.

Tom Hutson was the losing pitcher.

LIONS-10 W.O.W.-7

The Lions outscored W.O.W. 10-7 in a Major League game Saturday.

Danny Brockington was the winning pitcher with one hit allowed. Angel Sanchez was the losing pitcher. Sanchez allowed no hits while on the mound.

Sanchez was the leading hitter for W.O.W., with a homerun and two singles. He was followed by Jerry Feagly with a double.

Earth Infant's Services Pend

Services are pending at Parsons-Ellis-Singleton Funeral Home in Earth for 18-month-old Antonio Marques, who was pronounced dead by Justice of the Peace, L. A. Glasscock after an accident between Earth and Springlake Tuesday night.

All-Stars Named For LL Tourney

With hopes running high in the belief this is one of the strongest Little League All-Stars teams put together in several years, Littlefield All-Stars will commence practicing at 10 this morning.

Naming of them, held secret until today, took place at a meeting of coaches and league officials Saturday night.

The team, composed of 10 12-year-olds and four who are 11, is made up of: Bill Turner, Connie Bowman, Ricky Richards, Gary Lichte, Tommy Batson, Gary Brown, Doug Perrin, Lonnie Twitty, Angel Sanchez, Glen Smith, Danny Brockington, Ronald Farmer, Ricky Parker and Kyle Jones.

Bowman and Brown, the only 11-year-old members of last year's All-Star team, are the only returners from the 1968 team that lost in the first round of the tournament at Muleshoe.

Jerry Williams will be coaching the team for this third consecutive try a tournament title. The Rotary coach will be assisted by Floyce Pierce, Optimist coach.

The team will hold daily workouts at the Lions practice field, next to the county barn. Members must provide certified birth certificates, according to League president Bob Bromlow. Hospital certificates are not valid.

Statistically, the team shapes up well on paper. Records kept on games played through June 24 indicate the 14 players are batting at a clip of .318, with each player collecting 10.7 hits for the season and scoring 14 runs.

The probable pitching staff, which includes Brown, Brockington, Farmer, Turner, Richards, Bowman and Batson, has a 22-9 won-loss record. Littlefield will host the

All-Star tournament July 17-18-19.

For the third straight year, the locals take on Olton in the opening round. The northeastern Lamb town has come out on top the past two years, eliminating Littlefield from the tournaments.

Plainview American will clash with Amherst-Sudan at 2 p.m. the first day, followed at 4 p.m. by Springlake-Earth vs. Anton, and at 6 p.m. by Muleshoe vs. Plainview National. Littlefield and Olton play at 8 p.m.

Winners of the first two games will play Friday at 6 p.m., with the bottom bracket winners clashing at 8 p.m. Finals are set for 8 p.m. Saturday.

Big Scores In Pee Wees

The Road Runners and the Barracudas continue their winning ways in Pee Wee League play.

An 11-7 decision was earned by the Road Runners over the Green Ramblers last week, behind the play of Jimmy Avery and Brent Jones. Each took turns on the mound, and were two-for-two at the plate.

Other standouts for the victors were Joe Zahn, Danny Spies and Ricky Henson.

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MRS. CLARA GERTRUDE WHITAKER
Mrs. Clara Gertrude Whitaker, 79, a resident of Lubbock 41 years, died Sunday afternoon in Medical Arts Hospital after a long illness.

Services were held Monday at the First Methodist Church of Littlefield, with Rev. Wallace Kirby, pastor, and Rev. R. B. Hall, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Littlefield Memorial Park with Hammons Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Whitaker was born at Richland, Mo., and moved to Lubbock from Oklahoma. She was a member of the Friendship Class at the First Methodist Church.

Her survivors include a son, Ellis Whitaker of Raton, N. M.; three daughters, Mrs. Paul Hyatt of Littlefield, Mrs. Louise Bates of Mill Valley, Calif., and Mrs. Don Chaffin of Great Bend, Kans.; three brothers, B. O. Ellis and A. B. Ellis, both of Beaver, Okla., and Paul Ellis of Shreveport, La.; a sister, Mrs. Ruth Roach of Shattuck, Okla.; and five grandchildren.

MRS. MARY BLACKWELL

Mrs. Mary Blackwell, 82, a resident of Lubbock since 1918, was found dead at her home Saturday morning by her husband, J. A. Blackwell.

Services were Monday in Sanders Memorial Chapel in Lubbock with Rev. Jack Ellzey of Dumas officiating.

Burial was in City of Lubbock Cemetery. Survivors include her husband; two sons, Ed Blackwell of Littlefield, and J. A. Blackwell of Metairie, La.; a daughter, Mrs. Julia Galbraith of Los Angeles; a brother, Will Chauncey of Waco; a sister, Mrs. Bertha Alexander of Abilene; nine grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

LENNIS R. HUTTO

Funeral services for Lennis R. Hutto, 58, of Tulia, will be conducted at 2:30 p.m. today at Tulia's First Baptist Church. He died Tuesday morning in Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia.

Dr. W. Neil Record, former pastor of the Tulia Church who is presently serving as assistant to the president of Wayland Baptist College in Plainview, and Rev. Frank Pollard, present pastor, will officiate.

Masonic graveside services will be conducted in Rose Hill Cemetery with Wallace Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

The owner of Hutto Motor Sales, he was born in Rule and had been a Tulia resident since 1927. He was a Mason and a member of First Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Alma; two daughters, Mrs. Russell Rucker of Tulia and Dr. Dolores Carruth of Dallas; his mother, Mrs. W. A. Hutto of Littlefield; six brothers, Doyce Hutto of Littlefield, Delmer Hutto and Hansford Hutto, both of Tulia; Spurgeon Hutto of Hart, Bill Hutto of Slaton and Eddie Ray Hutto of Bovina; one sister, Mrs. Lafern Harris of Mesa, Ariz.; and three grandchildren.

W. B. MAN

W. B. (Bob) Man, 62, businessman and cattle buyer, died Friday in a Cleburne hospital following a long illness.

Services were Tuesday in the Dillon-Emmert Funeral Home Chapel at Cleburne.

Man lived in Littlefield, Spade and Hale Center before moving to Cleburne several years ago.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Bobby Jo of Mineral Wells; his father, Will Man of Big Lake; four sisters and a brother.

MR. AND MRS. Jim Pugh left Monday for the grain harvest in the Sinton area.

DEBBIE HOLLAND and Linda Gossett were in Brownfield Sunday afternoon for a Methodist Youth Fellowship Council meeting.

IN HALE CENTER to attend funeral services for Stewart Barnes, 76, were Mrs. W. P. Holland, Jr., and children and Mrs. Gerald Coffey and Mandy.

DR. AND MRS. B. O. McDaniel of Muleshoe visited the Bill McDaniels and sister, Mrs. John Faust, Sunday. Mrs. McDaniel (Lounell) had spent last week in Lubbock for treatment.

MRS. IVA Commons was in Levelland during the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Bates and family.

MARTHA AND Michelle Brantley of Lubbock spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Manny Brantley.

MR. AND MRS. Raymond Duvall, Eddie and Sandra, visited their parents at Poolville, near Fort Worth Thursday to Sunday.

THURSDAY GUESTS of their daughters, Mrs. W. P. Holland, Jr. and Mrs. Gerald Coffey, were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamm of Hart and Carolyn Hamm of Dallas.

MR. AND MRS. W. P. Holland, Sr. visited her sister,

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Swindle, and family in Hart Sunday.

MR. AND MRS. Clois Tomes and Kelly were at their cabin in Ruidoso Friday through Sunday.

MR. AND MRS. Jerry Estep and family were in Ruidoso for the weekend. They were joined by her sister and family from Carlsbad, N. M.

MR. AND MRS. Charles Pollock and sons were in Albuquerque during the weekend. Charles remained and is having a check up and tests at the Santa Fe Hospital this week. Mrs. Pollock and the boys are visiting her mother, Mrs. Grace Walker, in Plainview and in Hale Center while he is away.

THE LIONS CLUB is meeting at the city hall and park for their summer meetings. A committee of wives plan the covered dish menu every other weekend.

MRS. JEANETTE Lawrence and Mrs. Grace Wentworth of Oklahoma City were guests of Mrs. John Faust Thursday to Saturday. The three were childhood friends in Oxford, Miss., and had not seen each other in many years. Friday night they were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Faust and girls in Muleshoe.

MRS. GAYLEN Cary and children accompanied her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed

Nicholson, home after their visit in Vernal, Utah. Gaylen is expected this week for his vacation.

MR. AND MRS. Glen Eagle of Grants, N. M., are here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Coffey. He is scheduled for his examination for induction into the service early this week.

RECENT GUESTS of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roles were his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Roles, from Santa Fe, N. M. Other guests were her son, the Darrell Nichols of Littlefield.

MRS. MARY CAMP and Mrs. Lloyd Pryor visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Jack Davidson of Littlefield, after she underwent major surgery in Lubbock.

MR. AND MRS. Bennie Harmon and Scott were in Ruidoso for the weekend.

MR. AND MRS. John Moreland were business visitors in south Texas during the weekend.

MR. AND MRS. Joe Brandstatt and Mrs. Hubert Sawyer visited the folks in the wheat harvest in the Dumas area Sunday.

MRS. O. P. Lane's granddaughter, Debbie Lane of Vernal, Utah, is in a Salt Lake City, Utah, hospital with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lane. She is having extensive tests made by doctors and a

neurosurgeon. She graduated from the Vernal High School this spring and the serious trouble has progressed rapidly in the region of her brain. Mrs. Lane expects to go to Utah soon.

MRS. JAMES WENTWORTH and two daughters are returning to their home in Belfast, Maine, this week. They have visited her parents, the Eagle Moores, in Portales, N. M., her grandmother, Mrs. Ora Rawls of Amherst and an aunt, Mrs. Clois Tomes and family of Amherst, and in Lubbock, their former home. They will visit her niece, Sherry Tomes, and friends in Dallas before their departure from Texas.

MRS. BILL BLACK and children of Greeley, Colo., have visited the Ernest Black and Gene Campbells and are now guests of her parents, the Howard Farmers, in Farwell.

Bill will join them when they return home.

RICKEY HULL, son of Mr. and Mrs. Humphreys, is expected to arrive from California next week where he is training for the 14-day furlough, to Ft. Sill, Okla.

MRS. MAUDE celebrated her 80th birthday Thursday. She was entertained with a luncheon at the Lubbock. A Mrs. Gail's mother and Irma Bennett and Littlefield, Mrs. Midge, three children of Mrs. Bennett, daughter in Littlefield, returning home at weekend. Gail is a ward clerk at Hospital.

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