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## Wildcats To Tackle Lobos Friday Night

Locally and physically the Wildcats are ready for the tangle with the Levelland

are considerably lighter than but Littlefield has the 38-0 in their belt while Andrews

### OPINIONS

WARREN: "A lot of people are what others have, but they to scratch for it like they

THE OLYMPICS are over and the most memorable event than a Texas Aggie won a gold he was so proud of it that he

EVENT is planned for the Lamb town of Amherst this Saturday. dedication of that town's first marker and it is going to be a game indeed. While working Macha a couple of days last preparing a souvenir edition of we had occasion to make acquaintances.

Assisting with the people in our town and we know that they are proud of the marker that is to be dedicated. Of all the markers we've seen in Texas, this all-metal marker is the most impressive. If at all attend the dedication. Complete details can be where on this page.

YOU HAD to be impressed by Littlefield Friday night. Of the football teams made a impression and the large fans who made the long trip game of the season and then the Owl boosters by a made an impression on the also, but there was also a lot in both stands about our. They looked sharp in their maneuvers and new As one school board member Tuesday night, "they looked out there."

HAVEN'T bought your season the Wildcat football games will have plenty of time. They'll the rest of this week and next to our first home game with we've a feelin' they'll be going after we wallop the Lobos

YOU NOTICE the number of registered by the losers in night's football games state? Of course there was our Levelland was blanked, as was in total, there were 23 teams didn't score, 16 teams in 3-A, a 26 in class 2-A and 12 in class offense was the name of the those schools this past week.

FIVE PEOPLE enrolled in conversational Spanish class night. Those still wishing to course can still register this Monday, September 18 at the Don Yarbrough, of South was "well pleased" with and expects more to register possible that we may have here this fall.

pounced Levelland 43-0 last week. "But that score is misleading." Head Coach Jerry Blakely points out, "because the score was 26-0 until the final minutes when Andrews added 17 points.

"Naturally, we're looking toward the Levelland game as a challenge. We'll be playing a much much better team this week than we did last week."

The "Golden Lair" or "The Trap" is another big factor in winning. The winner gets to keep the trap. Littlefield won in 1966-67-68 and '69. Then Levelland won in 1970 and got to keep the trap again last year when the Wildcats came out on the short end of the 6-2 score played in a downpour.

The Trap keeps the old feeling of rivalry going that existed when Levelland and Littlefield played in the same district.

Some of the outstanding Lobos to watch include tailback Sam Mitchell (40) who Coach Blakely terms a dangerous runner and the best offensive threat Levelland has, Bobby Kauffman (74) is a rough and ready 195-pound tackle who plays middle linebacker on defense.

Charles Nichols (72) at 190 pounds and Wallace Greer (73) 200 pounds are a pair of guards to watch. Fred Jones (78) boosts the Lobo defense as a 215-pound tackle. Larry Sheppard (24) is the 165-pound halfback who looks like the Lobos best receiver thus far.

Levelland's line will outweigh the Littlefield line by at least 10 pounds. Basically the Lobos offense is a power "I" and they run a multiple defense.

In the Littlefield-Silverton game last Friday night, Coach Blakely praised the Cats effort and said they did a great job of getting ready mentally. The Cats hope to correct the fumbles and errors made during the Silverton game before they meet Levelland.

Gaining individual praise was Terry Bryson on his poise in his first starting assignment and the plays when he carried the ball. Blakely said the running backs were much improved over the first two scrimmages.

Offensive center Kenny Frances was lauded for his fine running and good blocking as defensive nose guard.

Alan Mackey did a great defensive secondary job covering and receiving and made several fine tackles. Blakely said the defensive line showed a great deal of improvement over the two scrimmages.

Expected to start for the Wildcats on offense are quarterback Terry Bryson; fullback Arturo Soria; tailback J. E. Johnson; halfback Pat Henderson; ends Chris Pope and Leon Hodge; tackles Randy Cook and Ricky Richards; guards Bill Hamblin with Larry Hobratschk and Mike Hopper alternating at one guard spot; and Kenny Francis at center.

Defensively the lineup should be the same as last week with Eddie Surratt and Randy Wesley at ends; Jerry Cox and Cook at tackles; Kenny Owens and Hamblin inside linebackers; Johnson and Hobratschk outside linebackers and Henderson and Bryson will alternate at cornerbacks with Alan Mackey at the other cornerback spot. Leneral Lewis will start at safety.

## Car Caravan Planned

This week has been declared "Beat Levelland" Week here in Littlefield.

Friday prior to the Littlefield-Levelland football clash there will be a big pep rally in the LHS gym at 3:30 p.m. Then at 5:15 p.m. the Wildcats will be given a rousing sendoff from the sophomore parking lot at LHS.

There will be a caravan from

Littlefield to Levelland. At 6:15 p.m. persons who want their cars decorated for the caravan to Levelland should line up their vehicles at the high school and the cheerleaders and students will decorate the cars with maroon and white streamers.

The caravan will head for Levelland at 6:30 with arrival at the Lobo Stadium set for 7:15. Game time is 8 p.m.

## Verdict Against Mixon

One case went before a jury Tuesday, trial in another case started Wednesday morning, three cases were settled out of court, three cases were passed and one case was dismissed in the nine civil cases set for jury trial this week.

Late Tuesday afternoon, jurors began deliberating on the case of DeJuan Strickland versus Gene Mixon.

Strickland was seeking over \$8,000 from Mixon for land damage by farming practices, alleging that blowing sand caused that much damage to Strickland's cattle, land, irrigation motors, etc.

Jurors found against Mixon and awarded Strickland \$4,824.30 in damages. Foreman of the jury was Melvin Bock. Others selected to hear the case were Mrs. Olen Crump, Mrs. Omer Neeley, Troy Byers, Claude Blanchard, Norman Emfinger, J. S. Shugart, Leonard Hill, J. H. Barnett, K. W. Mahaffey, John M. Miller and Elnora Dennis.

Jury selection was in process at press time Wednesday in a divorce case styled Charles Kenneth Day versus Charlotte Ann Day.

Cases settled out of court this week included Nina Adrian versus Gaylon Guinn Amerson, collision, injuries and property damage; Roy M. Smith versus Littlefield Cotton Products, Inc., conversion; and James Lambert versus Jerry Gallegger, collision and injuries.

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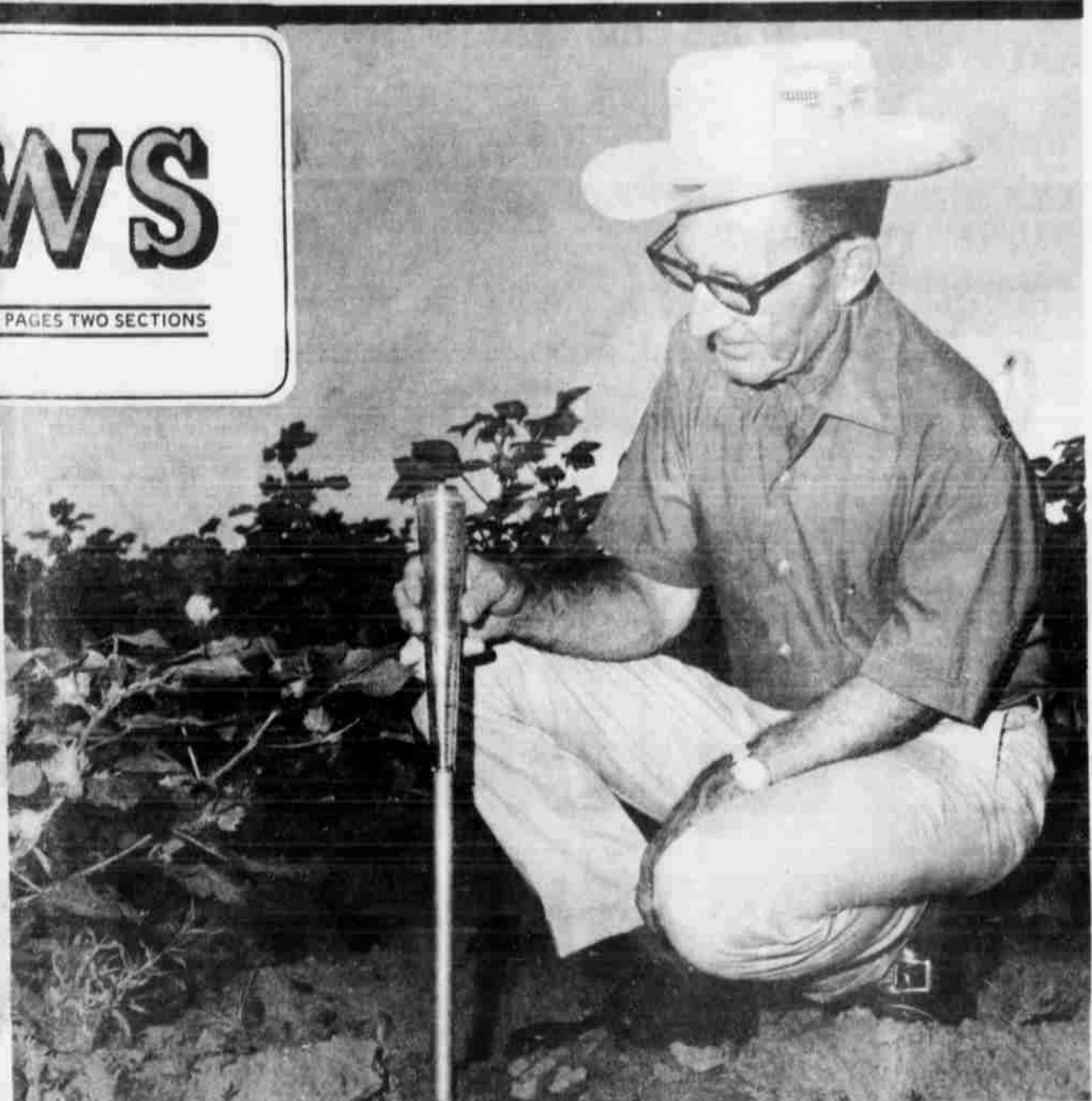
### Page One "Musts"

Football tickets to the Littlefield-Levelland game this Friday night will be on sale at Brittain Pharmacy until noon Friday according to Supt. Paul I. Jones. Adult ducats are priced at \$1.50.

E. C. Parrott brought in Littlefield's first load of grain Tuesday.

Parrott cut 14,960 pounds from the Dee Myers place east of Littlefield, and the grain was weighed in at Littlefield Farmers Co-op Gin and Elevator at 4 p.m. Tuesday where it tested 19.95.

He received \$2.05 per hundred for the sorghum.



VIC REYNOLDS who lives at 112 E. 23rd and farms in the Amherst community checks a rain gauge in a field of cotton. After 27.35 inches of rain thus far this year, producers are checking rain gauges with frowns and shakes of their heads. The Amherst and Sudan areas received up to two inches more Tuesday night.

## Doug Perrin Wins First Grid Contest

Three persons missed two football contests each out of the 18 contest games played this weekend to win the top three spots in the first week of this year's football contest.

A Littlefield student, Doug Perrin, won first place and the \$5 weekly prize by coming closest to the actual scores in the Littlefield-Silverton and Cooper-Plains tie breaker box.

T. W. Bryson of Littlefield won second and the \$3 weekly prize, and Alex Duggan of Amarillo won third place and the \$2 prize in the opening round of the contest.

## Win Cash Prizes By Guessing 1st Freeze

Weather prophets have a chance to win \$175 in Security State Bank's "Freezer" Contest.

Prizes of \$100, \$50, and \$25 are up for grabs to the persons who can come closest to guessing the exact date and time when the mercury first plunges to the 32 degree mark on the bank's time and temperature clock on Phelps Avenue.

Just pick the month, day, hour and minute you think the bank's register will hit the freezing mark, fill out an entry blank and deposit it at the bank.

The clock at the corner of the bank has been wired to stop when the temperature reaches 32 degrees, and following the fall to 32 degrees, the clock will continue to flash the minute the freezing mark was reached until bank officials reset the clock.

All entries must be made no later than Oct. 10.

Last year's first freezing date was Nov. 7 at 2:50 a.m. Gene Bitner, a

former Littlefield resident who now resides in Texico, won first place in last year's contest and the second prize was divided three ways.

Littlefield's earliest freeze was recorded here on Oct. 7, 1952. Nov. 27 is the latest freeze on record with the NWS and Littlefield didn't hit the freezing mark here on that date until 1965. Prior to that late date, Nov. 22 was the latest freeze date, and this was recorded in 1934.

At times the Littlefield area has had the first frost and freeze occur on the same date, but the first freeze generally occurs a week to 10 days following the first nip of frost.

Pryor Hammons has consistently guessed the area's first freeze by going by an old Indian sign. Hammons has guessed this year's first freezing temperatures will come between Nov. 1 and Nov. 4.

Get your guess in. It could be worth \$100, \$50 or \$25.

Seven contestants are right behind the first week's winners with scores of 15 each, and 21 persons picked 14 of the 18 winners for third place standing in the first week of the contest.

For a list of the top 100 contestants, look on the sports page of this issue of the Leader-News.

Each week the Leader-News offers \$10 weekly prizes. Those who forecast the most games within the entire year's contest will win two tickets and \$25 expense money to the New Year's Day football classic in the Cotton Bowl in Dallas.

The second weekly contest was in the Sunday L-N. Entries must be in no later than 5 p.m. Friday or postmarked before Friday evening game time. All late entries will be disqualified.

To enter, clip out the contest page, mark out the teams you feel will lose. Write the winners in on the official entry blank on the lower left hand of the contest page, fill in the tie breaker, name and address and bring in or mail entries before the Friday deadline.

In addition to the weekly prizes, there is still time to get in on the grand prize to be awarded at the end of the season. Weekly winners, plus the standings, will be reported in each Thursday's paper until the contest ends.

## Amherst Marker To Be Unveiled Saturday At 2

V. M. "Pete" Peterman, chairman of the Lamb County Historical Survey Committee, announces the unveiling of the historical marker, recently erected in the town of Amherst on Saturday, Sept. 16, at 2 p.m.

Arthur Hedges, mayor of Amherst, cordially invites everyone to attend this unveiling and historical event. Big plans for Amherst are expected on that day. Scheduled speakers will address the people at this time. District Judge Pat Boone will give the welcoming address. Bill Clayton, state representative of this district, will also deliver a message.



DOUG PERRIN is the first place winner in the first week of the 1972 football contest. Doug and two others guessed 16 out of the possible 18 winners right in the first go-around, and won the top prize by virtue of the tie-breaker scores. Estelle Myers, Leader-News bookkeeper, presents the winner with his check. Doug is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Armon Perrin, 500 E. 17th.

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**PALACE**

### Texas Tau Chi Chapter Plans Supper

The Texas Tau Chi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi held its regular meeting Monday night in the Reddy Room.

Members voted to hold a spaghetti supper for the public on Nov. 10 in the Jr. High School Cafeteria. It was also voted to continue with their participation in the Mother's March for the March of Dimes Drive in January.

Members present were Glenda Young, Judy Vaughn, Lynn Winkler, Bonnie Stephens, Dot Simmons, Janice Sebring, Kay Roper, Linda Merrifield, Kaye Kendall, Kathie Fitzgerald, Kathy Eddings, Jeni D. Brunson, Carol Brooks, and Joyce Barrett.

### Garden Club Installs Officers For 1972-73

New officers were installed Tuesday afternoon at the meeting of the Littlefield Garden Club.

Mrs. Wiley Roberts installed the following officers: Mrs. G. T. Corey, president (Mrs. Herbert Dolle stood in due to her absence); Mrs. Roy McQuatters, vice president; Mrs. Messer, treasurer; and Mrs. Davis,

secretary-reporter. Mrs. Herbert Dolle, president, presided during the business meeting.

Mrs. Schivally reported that the president's name had been added to the president's list at Botanical Gardens, Headquarters in Fort Worth. Mrs. Roy McQuatters outlined the program for the 1972-73 club year.

Approximately 50 fall flowers were on display at the meeting. Hostess was Mrs. Messer.

Attending were: Mmes. A. H. Schivally, Com+r Hall, R. L. Tisdale, Alma Roberts, O. D. Brown, Roy McQuatters, W. M. Davis, Herbert Dolle and Messer.

### Breakfast Fetes Olton Study Club

OLTON—A 7 a.m. breakfast Monday introduced the beginning of a new year for members of the Olton Study Club.

Served in Women's Club House, Mrs. Bill Yates and Mrs. Bailey Hair were co-hostesses.

Fall greenery and pyracantha berries were used in the decorative scheme for small serving tables and the larger buffet service. Bacon, eggs, juices and jellies were served along with hot biscuits, orange bread and coffee.

Following the breakfast the President's message was

presented by Mrs. Barton Prestridge. Yearbooks were presented by Mrs. Ray Slatten. Roll call was answered by Mmes. Roye Aikman, J. C. Brown, Paul Burrus, E. R. Spain, Jack Straw, Prestridge, Slatten, Hair and Yates.

Mrs. Winfred Hair of Lubbock was a special guest.

## LITTLEFIELD



MRS. J. B. McSHAN

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MR. AND MRS. Otto Jones returned Sunday from spending a few days in Seymour. They were there to be with her brother, Robert L. Higgins, a patient in the hospital and quite ill.

MRS. TRAVIS JONES of Lubbock visited in the Otto Jones' home the first of the week.

MRS. AILEENE THURMOND of Seymour is a house guest in the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jones.

MR. AND MRS. Frank Bigham of Leveland spent the weekend in Littlefield. They visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Rodgers and his brother, H. O. Bigham and wife.

MRS. MARY GREER of Amarillo is a guest in the home of her son, Dan Freach and family.

MR. AND MRS. Arthur Duggan spent the weekend in Plainview and played in a bridge tournament.

MRS. MABLE SORLEY of Fort Worth spent the weekend with her son and family, Rev. Clem Sorley and family.

MR. AND MRS. E. C. Caldwell spent the weekend in Albuquerque, N.M. as guests

meet in Littlefield Saturday from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. The Women's Organization are serving coffee and doughnuts as guests arrive and will serve lunch at noon for \$1.75 each. The meeting will begin with a worship service, led by Rev. Clem Sorley at 10 a.m.

MR. AND MRS. Jess Inman spent the weekend in Lubbock with their daughter, Mrs. Sabin Henderickson and family. They returned Monday.

DAVID WHITE spent several days last week in Big Lake as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Armistead.

MRS. JAMES A. GOWDY has returned from a visit with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Riley and her granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Danny J. Adair in Port Neches.

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of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Phillips, Tege and Ty.

REV. KENNETH COLE, new pastor of the First Christian Church, preached his first sermon in this church Sunday. Rev. and Mrs. Cole and two children, former Ruidoso, N.M. residents, reside in Muleshoe. Mrs. Cole teaches in the school system there. He will be serving both churches.

CURTIS WILKINSON, Kenneth Harrell and Malvin Bowling left Friday on a fishing trip to Guaymas, Mexico.

MRS. H. E. EDMONDS of Bay City, former resident of Littlefield, was in town this week visiting friends. She is guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jewel Anderson in Muleshoe.

MR. AND MRS. Billy Blackwell and his mother, Mrs. Ruby Blackwell of Lubbock, former residents of Littlefield, visited Mr. and Mrs. James Blackwell and family Sunday.

MR. AND MRS. Stephen Cox of Lubbock spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Elouise Cox.

MRS. W. M. DAVIS returned last week from a two weeks visit with her son, Wayne Davis, and wife in Vernal, Utah. They made several trips visiting Great Salt Lake, Bridel Vail Falls and Reno, Nev.

MR. AND MRS. Rickey Kloiber of Albuquerque, N.M. announce the birth of a baby boy, Kurtis Neil. He was born Friday, Sept. 8 and weighed 7 lbs., 5 ozs. The Kloiber's have another son, Kevin, age three. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Neil Landrum and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kloiber, all of Littlefield.

MR. AND MRS. M. M. Brittain left Wednesday for their summer home at Tres Ritos, N.M. They plan to be gone a little over two weeks.

MRS. MARTHA SCHELIN of Lubbock, former resident of Littlefield, was in town Sunday visiting friends.

LUCILLE ATTAWAY of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Dunn.

SATURDAY, OCT. 7  
THE 1957 GRADUATE  
class of Littlefield High  
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that year are urged to  
attend.

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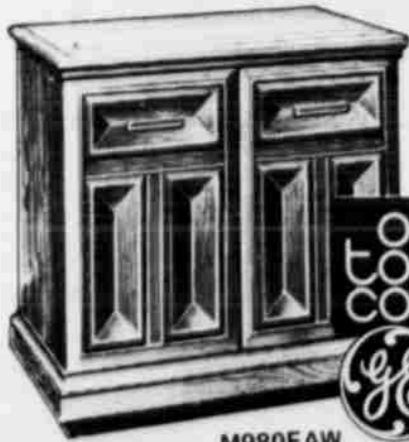
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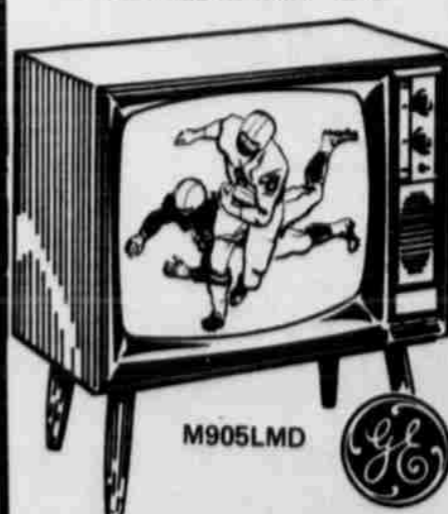
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 Jack Feagley of  
 from 10 a.m. to

Miss Bennie Kay Mills became the bride of Richard Allen Miller Sept. 2, in the First Baptist Church of Spade. Johnny Lee officiated for the reading of the double ring ceremony that was read before an archway trimmed with greenery, white forget-

me-nots and blue bows. Two candelabras, trimmed with blue, flanked either side of the archway. Mr. and Mrs. Bob J. Mills of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allen Miller of Amherst are parents of the newly weds, "Twelfth of Never".

"More" and "The Lord's Prayer" were rendered by Sharon Wallace, organist and Bobbie McKennen and Johnny Lee, soloists. The bride presented in marriage by her father, wore a formal gown of white peau de soie and chantilly lace. It was fashioned with an Empire waistline, accented with a double fold of the peau de soi. Scalloped rows of the wide lace extended down the center front of her gown joining a complete border of the wide scalloped at the hemline and all around the chapel-length train. The bodice featured a sheer tucked yoke and was covered with the lace. At the high neckline was an inset of lace with crystal and pearl covered medallions. Her lantern sleeves were banded at the elbows with the scalloped lace and the fullness below was joined to a tapered cuff and enhanced with the medallions. Her veil of silk illusion was bordered with chantilly lace forming a sheer train featuring four wide scalloped rows of the lace across the back of the veil and was held in place with a mantilla.

Clay Cooper served the groom as best man. The bride's mother was attired in a floor-length gown of deep blue with silver and white accessories. The groom's mother wore a floor-length gown of satin brocade with white accessories. Vicki Kelley of Olton registered the guests. Serving at the bride's table during the reception were Sally Shotwell of Littlefield and Cindy Thompson of Spade. At the groom's table were Lynette Cowan and Jan Glazener of Spade. Miss Kathy Swanson of Andrews distributed the rice bags. For a wedding trip to Colorado, the bride wore a blue double knit dress with white accessories and the orchid corsage lifted from her bridal bouquet.

## WELCOME TO LITTLEFIELD



Meet the Wayne Ethridge Family. Front row left to right is Sheila, 8; Lisa, 3; and Jina, 5. Dolores and Ethridge are standing. The Ethridges moved to Littlefield from Lubbock and run Wayne's Fruit Market.

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"Something old" was a wedding ring that belonged to her late grandmother, Mrs. M. M. Dubose; "something borrowed" was a Bible belonging to Lane Weaver; she wore the traditional "blue" garter; and pennies in her shoes minted the years of her and the groom's birth. The bride presented her mother with a rose as she came down the aisle and after the ceremony she presented the groom's mother with a red rose. The couple lit a candle after the ceremony. Matron of honor was Sandy Mills, sister-in-law of the bride. Karen Vrabel attended as maid of honor and bridesmaids were Gayla Freeman, Leesa Miller, sister of the groom, and Vicki Mills, sister of the bride. They wore pale blue Empire styled dresses with long sleeves trimmed with a darker blue velvet ribbon. They each carried long stemmed carnations. Michelle Gage of Amherst was flower girl and Todd Carpenter of Amherst was ring bearer. Chuck Mills and Stanley Miller seated the guests and served as candlelighters.



MRS. RICHARD MILLER

**BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE**  
 The High Plains Bookmobile will be in your area on the following dates.  
 Wednesday, Sept. 20:  
 Circleback, 9:00-10:00; Bala #1, 10:30-11:30; Bala #2, 11:45-12:45.

# Miss Sherley Is Honored

PEP-Miss Peggy Sherley, bride-elect of Billy Demel, was honored with a bridal shower in the Parish Hall at Pep Sept. 10. Dorothea Demel registered the guests. The serving table was carried out with the honorees chosen colors of blue and white. The table was laid with a white lace cloth over white, featuring a blue and white daisy flower arrangement and

blue and white flowers around the punch bowl for the center decoration. The cake featured the words "Peggy and Billy" and white wedding bells. Cake, punch, nuts and mints were served to the guests. Hostesses gift was an electric handmixer. Hostesses were Ruth Demel, Edna Demel, Ethel Burt, Viola Miller, Evelyn Albus, Rose Albus, Angie Albus, Annabelle Walker and Lulubelle Sihan.

# Sewing Contest Judges Named

Mrs. Richard Black, of Sudan and president of the Lamb-Bailey County Womens Cotton Promotion Association, announces the judges for the county Sew-It-With-Cotton contest. All three judges are instructors in the department of clothing and textiles in the college of home economics of Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

store or department, and send the entry to Wanda Legan, Box 633, Bala, Texas, 79320.

# Mode O'Day Celebrating

Although Mode O'Day has reached the "Life Begins at Forty" age... it's not how old you are, but how young you think that counts. Always on the go—always ready for something new—always young—that's the thinking and the reason behind it's success.

Mode O'Day was born of the Great Depression. Way back in the 30's when times were hard and money tight, the young founders of the company came up with the unique idea of developing a chain of franchised dress shops to sell their own manufactured apparel... and they were in business.

The Littlefield Mode O'Day joins in the firm's 40th anniversary celebration. The first Mode O'Day opened in Littlefield in 1952. Mrs. Jewel Grant has been the owner and manager of the Littlefield store since 1954.

Judges are Dr. Delilah Roch, Mrs. Kay Caddell and Miss Ann Vanderpoorten. "We feel very fortunate to get such well-qualified judges for our county contest this year," Mrs. Black States, "and we wish to invite all the women in Lamb and Bailey Counties to enter the sewing contest." There will be cash prizes in all 10 categories in the county contest, and first place winners or alternates in each category will be eligible to go on to the district contest to be held in October in Lubbock. The prizes in the district contest will be either sewing machines or gift certificates in all 10 categories.

Deadline for entry in the contest is Friday, Sept. 15, 1972. Pick up your entry blanks and contest rules at your favorite piece-goods

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## TOWN OF AMHERST

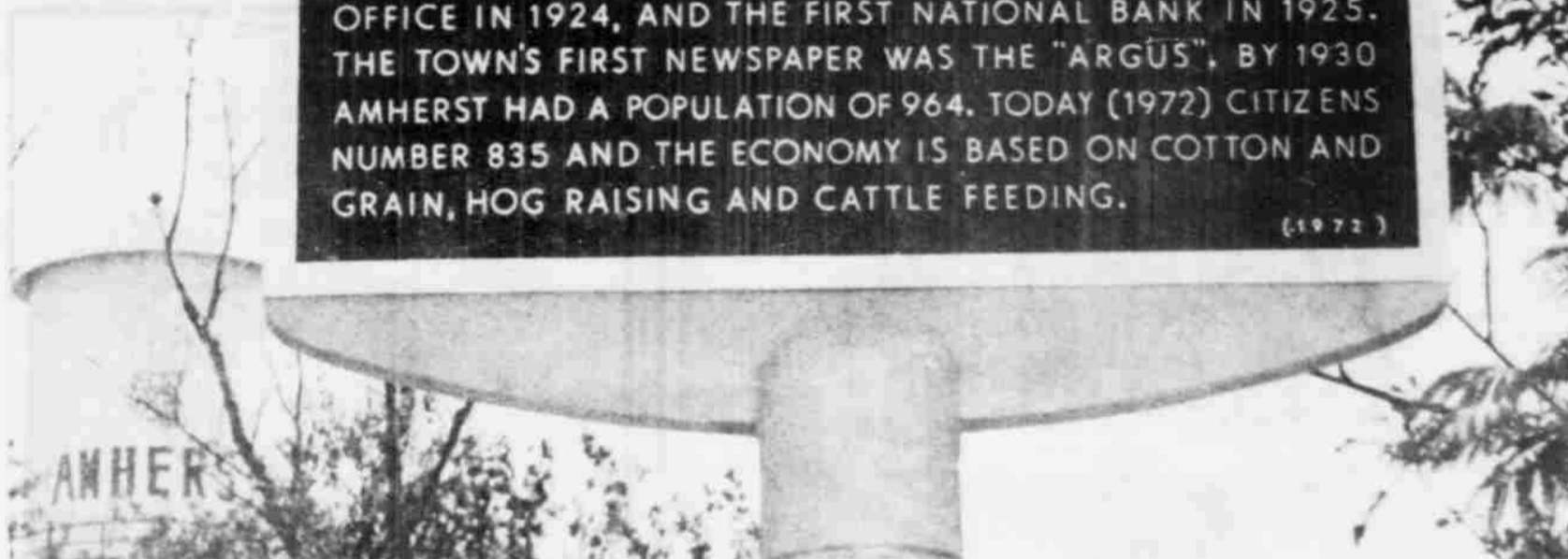
BEGAN IN 1913 AS A CATTLE-SHIPPIING POINT ON PECOS & NORTHERN TEXAS RAILROAD. SERVED THE 300,000-ACRE SPRINGLAKE RANCH, WHICH WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1902 BY W. E. "COLONEL BILL" HALSELL (1850-1934) AND HIS SON EWING HALSELL (1877-1965). ACCORDING TO LOCAL TRADITION THE SHIPPING POINT WAS NAMED FOR AMHERST COLLEGE, MASS., ALMA MATER OF ONE OF THE RAILWAY OFFICIALS.

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THE FIRST GENERAL STORE WAS OPENED IN 1923, A POST OFFICE IN 1924, AND THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK IN 1925. THE TOWN'S FIRST NEWSPAPER WAS THE "ARGUS", BY 1930 AMHERST HAD A POPULATION OF 964. TODAY (1972) CITIZENS NUMBER 835 AND THE ECONOMY IS BASED ON COTTON AND GRAIN, HOG RAISING AND CATTLE FEEDING.

(1972)



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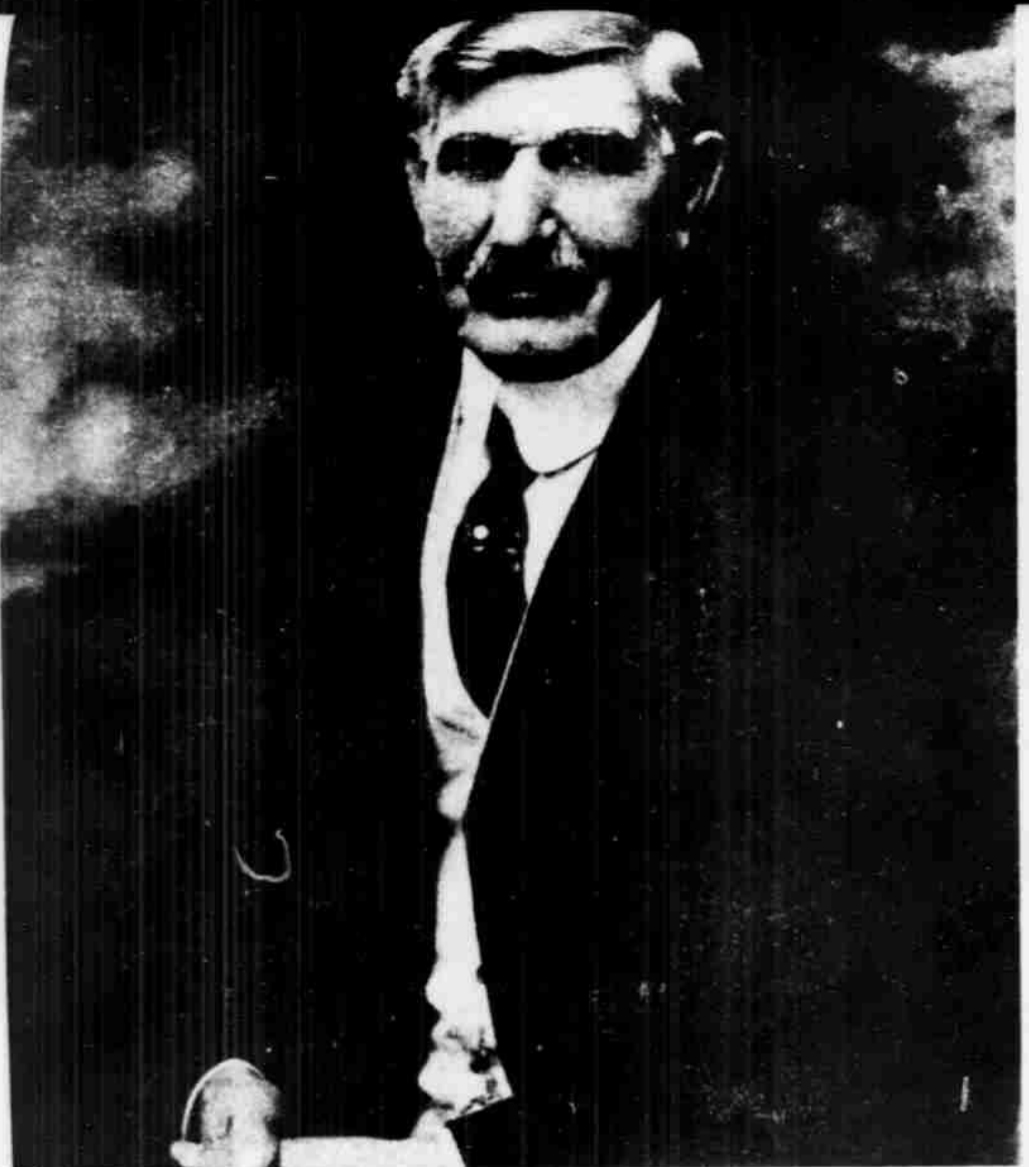
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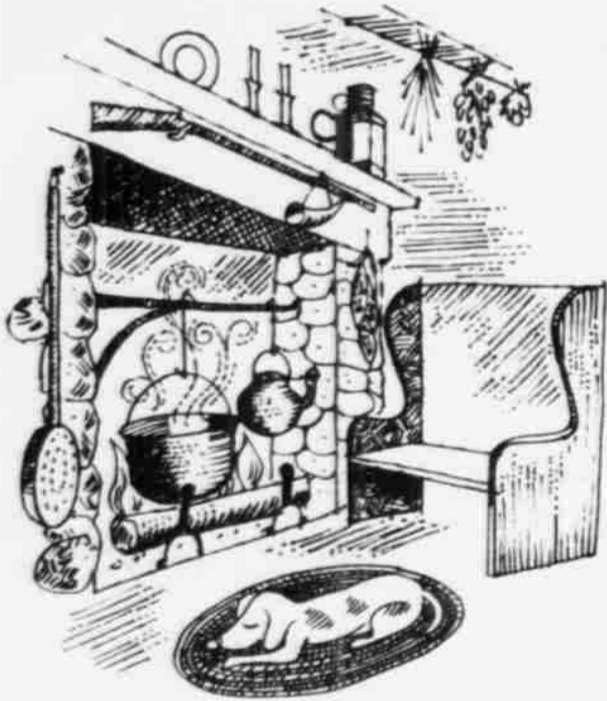
**W. E. Halsell**

**Amherst**

**Founder**



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W. E. HALSELL owned the large Halsell Ranch, or "Mashed O" spread, in the northwest part of the county. He founded Amherst and the lands around there and well on north were owned by him. A tall, striking man, Mr. Halsell was part Cherokee Indian and ranched in Oklahoma before buying his ranch here from the old XIT Ranch owned by the Capitol Syndicate. He later moved to Kansas City, where he made his home until his death.

DO YOU remember when Amherst had a fair grounds that featured auto and horse racing and a golf course?

AT ONE TIME, Amherst had three lumber yards, two hotels, two motels and nine places that sold gas.

**VISIT**  
"The Pick Of The Plains"  
Saturday,  
**SOUTH PLAINS**  
**HOSPITAL and CLINIC**

# Almost Anything Can Grow At Amherst



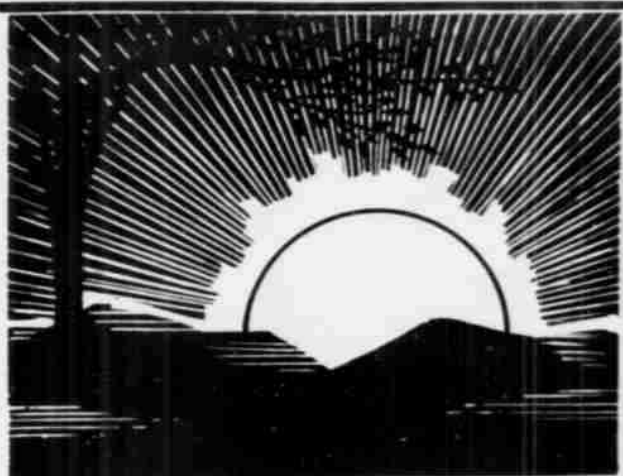
A Large Pecan Orchard Located 1/2 Mile East Of Amherst. Note The Cotton Growing Between The Rows Of Trees.



Milo-Another Cash Crop



Grape Vinyard On The B. L. Greener Farm



## A NEW ERA...

*and a new leaf in history was established when the pioneers of Amherst came forth to help make this county the wonderful place that it is today.*

*The Staff At The  
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# From Railway Station To "Pick Of The Plains"

For several years prior to 1923 the name "Amherst" on a boarded up little Santa Fe railway station was a lonely prophet of a town that would come soon.

The name actually marked a railway switch then, one of many laid out by the Santa Fe in anticipation of towns to come. The name apparently was selected by a railroad official.

In 1923 the Halsell Land Company made plans to sell Sod House pasture, a part of their Mashed O Ranch, as farm land. An acreage was set aside as a town site, for a town-to-be, Amherst. They had employed an early day surveyor, Jeff Williams of Plainview, who staked off labors and made an accurate discription of each division of the land.

On August 1, 1923, town lots and farms went on sale. The Halsells had employed a sales manager, Stanley Watson of Kansas City. The first farm was sold to Jack Mullen, now of Levelland.

Soon buyers with pioneering spirit began to establish

homes in "town" or on the farms, they had purchased. Several of the first homes were dugouts or semi-dugouts. An early-day settler recalled that in the very beginning one wind mill furnished water for all those in town.

The first permanent building was the Amherst Hotel built by the Company. It contained 26 rooms with dining facilities and adequate space for offices, a store and bank. In the beginning the purpose of the hotel was to accommodate prospective buyers. For years, until it burned in September 1952, it was the most popular stopping place between Lubbock and Clovis.

It was famous for the fine meals served. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilbert, now of the Rocky Ford Community, were the first managers.

The farm land sold by Mr. W. E. Halsell was priced at \$25.00 an acre, 20 per cent in cash and the balance in 15 annual payments. By this arrangement he felt that permanent residents would be attracted to the area. In those

early days, before irrigation, there were poor crop years but the Halsell never foreclosed when a farmer was known to be making an honest effort to be making a crop.

In some of those lean years maize heads sold for \$5.00 a ton.

As the farms sold and people came, more merchants arrived. Among the early ones were Hurlbert Sate, Duncan and Pennington, Earl Bradley Drug Store, W. P. Fuewell Variety Store, O'Neal Dry Goods, Baccus Hardware, D. M. Cravens, Syd Morris Tenth Street Grocery, operated by Allan White.

A. E. Tapley Gro., J. M. Trammeth, L. A. Daniel Chevrolet Agency, Bill Field's Tailor Shop, O. O. (Doc) Crow Barber Shop, Ed Ross and Charles Jones silent picture show, D. C. Britt, Billy Harris and B. C. Lynn lumber hards. Cotton ginners were Pace Horace Melton and Terry and Boyles. Earl Luce of Littlefield was the first depot agent. There were Walker Bros. wholesale oil and gas and Waid's Cafe.

Ewing Halsell, only son of W. E. Halsell was general manager of the Company. Some of the early employees were John Alcorn, Bill Rowland, Frank Rogers, Lee



The Days Of Coal Oil And Coal Stoves.

Payne, Lester LaGrange and Don Knight, Bill Rowland served as office manager.

Hurlbert (Dude) Sate had the first store in the fall of 1923 and in early 1924, when a Post Office was established, he became the first Post Master.

Farmland and town lot sales were brisk. On August 1, 1924, Amherst celebrated its first birthday. The Company staged a huge barbecue when 28 beeves were barbecued. An estimated 10,000 people attended.

Among the first land buyers who settled here were R. L. May, Chas Harmon, Luther Usleton, J. B. Blessing, W. E. Liles, John Osborn, Elmer Oxford, D. C. Oment, Ira Holland, Pet Thompson, Harry Phelps, Ed Nicholson,

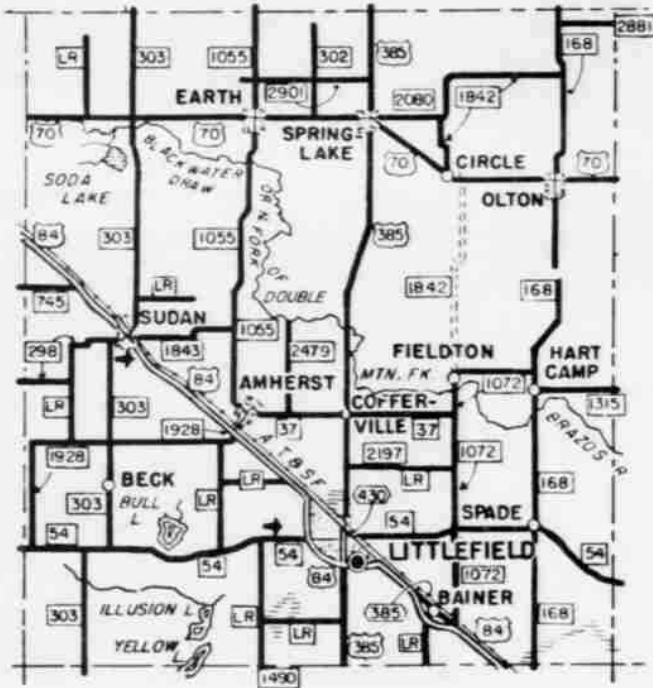
Newt Cantrell and T. B. Priddy.

The first schools were temporary frame buildings, as purchasers were promised schools when they bought land. Loyd Combs was the first superintendent. The Halsell Company donated property for school and church sites.

A civic club of women, the D. B. Club, was instrumental in having a frame tabernacle built in town, where meetings and entertainments were held.

In March, 1924, Rev. L. W. Williamson, missionary for the Staked Plains Association, organized the First Baptist Church with 20 charter

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MAP OF LAMB COUNTY

## Remember When...?



Review It Again...  
Visit Historical Amherst

### BLOSSOM SHOP

816 Main

246-3430

## WE INVITE YOU TO VISIT HISTORICAL AMHERST

'A Community Rich In Friendship'

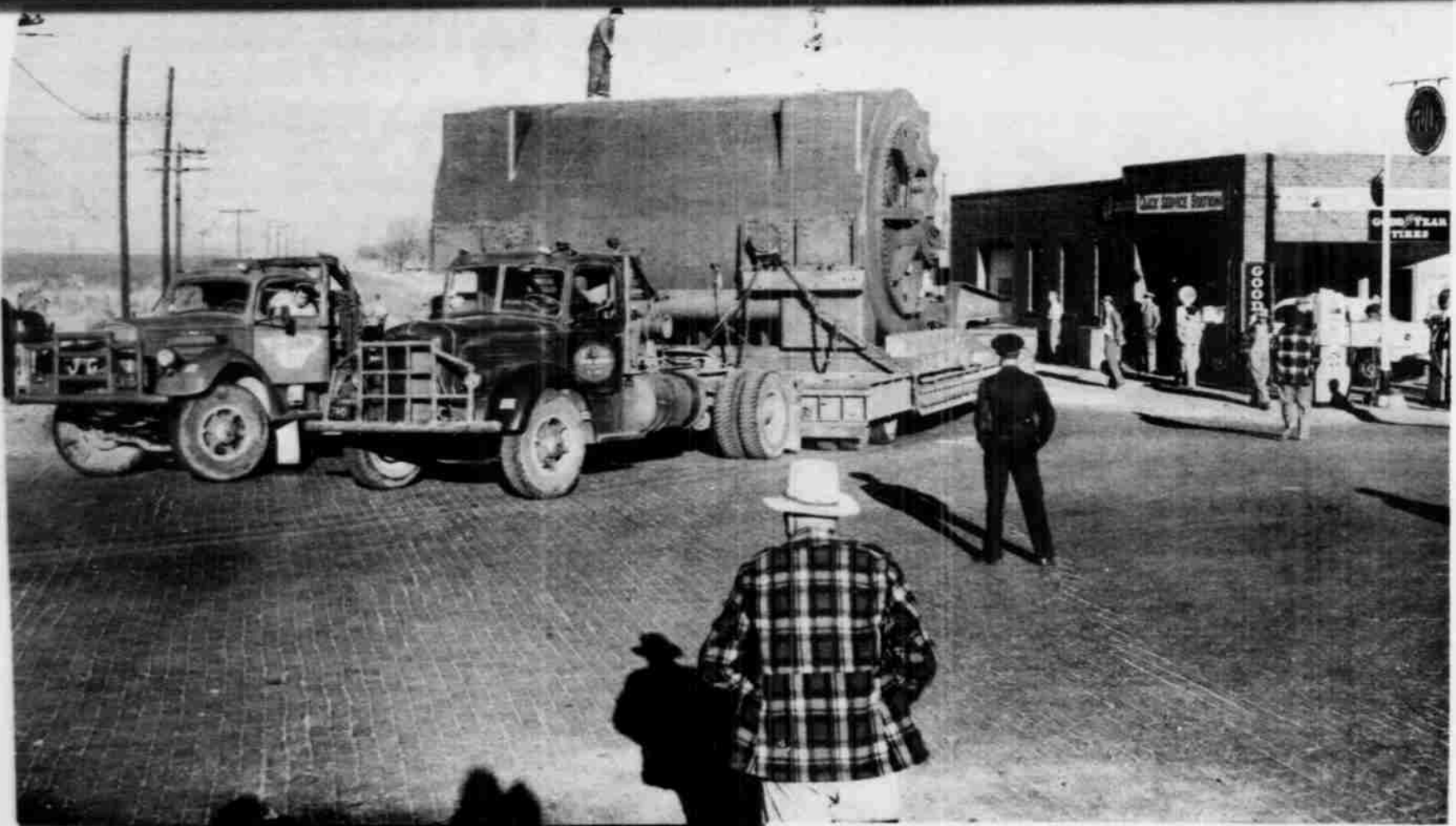
SPECIAL  
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SATURDAY

SEE HISTORY  
IN THE  
MAKING



## Wagner's Pay & Save

922 MAIN AMHERST 246-3241



PLANT X's first generator, 185 ton unit was hauled through Amherst. Gross weight of generator and trucks amounted to 250 tons.



LION'S CLUB broom sale



MAIN STREET of Amherst



V.M. "Pete" Peterman  
Chairman Of Lamb  
County Historical  
Society.

FORD PARTS COULD be bought at Quick Gulf Service in Amherst in the late 1920s. Remember when a wheel sold for \$5, cylinder block \$30 and a complete motor for \$150.

## WELCOME TO HISTORICAL AMHERST



Join The  
Crowds  
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### Black & Campbell Cotton Co.

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## VISIT AMHERST



"The  
Pick  
Of  
The  
Plains"

Saturday  
For The Dedication  
Of Our New  
Historical Marker

Thank You Former Accounts Of Judd Walker  
For Letting Us Be Of Service To You. We Will  
Try To Visit Each Of You As Soon As Possible.

### CAMPBELL INSURANCE AGENCY

1014 Main 246-3226

members. Rev. T. C. Miller was the first pastor. In 1947 a building committee was elected to build a new church. They were O. H. Harring, T. I. Batson, E. L. Schovajsa and Ira Holland.

In 1962 the church membership was 435.

In 1924 the Amherst Methodist Church was organized as a result of interest shown by Robert L. May. The building committee was Joe Harmon, Floyd Heckey, R. N. Carpenter, R. L. Peeples and R. L. May.

In 1924 five members of the Church of Christ met. They were B. C. Lynn, Mrs. Gage, Mrs. George Romans, Mother Carton and S. S. Bozeman, the preacher. In early 1925 the membership had grown and they were able to build a 30 by 40 foot building. In 1944 the present brick building was erected.

In 1945 the Main Street Church of Christ was established. Elmore Johnson of Abilene preached the first sermon. Those responsible for the church were Paul

McCormick and Jack Luther of Littlefield, Brownwood, Atkinson of Brownwood, Hugh Simmons of Spearman and Dennis Kellogg of Hamilton.

Fifteen years ago the colored people of Amherst began worship in their S. James Baptist Church on Madison Street in West Amherst.

In the fall of 1925 a \$110,000.00 modern school was erected. Twelve years later a brick gymnasium was added to the school property, which was enlarged recently with additional dressing rooms and concession space.

In 1956 the main building was completely remodeled with many new facilities added, including a new lunch room with all-modern kitchen equipment.

The agriculture department building, homemaking cottage, bus barn with repair facilities, all go to make the up-to-date school plant for the Amherst district. Lamar B. Kelly is superintendent.

Lee Payne and the late Murrel Autry were instrumental in securing a charter for the South Plains Hospital in the spring of 1940. The first wing was opened in the fall of 1941. Dr. B. O. McDaniel came here from Elk City, in June of that year and had an office in the rear of the Amherst Drug store while the hospital was being erected.

The First National Bank was opened in February 1925, with James Duffy, president; Rogers Willett, vice-president; and C. A. Duffy, cashier. They, with J. T. Harmon and W. F. Rowland were directors. The capital was \$27,500,000.

Amherst has not increased its population to a great extent but it is composed of a fine, law abiding citizenship.

The slogan that has long been applied to Amherst, "Pick of the Plains and Heart of the Irrigation District," still holds true.

AMHERST, the "Pick of the Plains" had three barber shops in 1930 and employed seven barbers. Hair cuts were 35 cents and shaves 25 cents. Now there is one shop and one barber.



Berry's Cafeteria-1960

Visit Friendly  
Historical Amherst



MODERN  
BEAUTY SHOP

908 Main 246-3543



Outside

AMHERST'S  
DEPARTMENT  
OF  
CORRECTIONS  
BUILDING



Inside

**PAYNE**

**FUNERAL HOME**

915 MAIN                      246-3351

EST. 1931

**Congratulations**

**Amherst**

**Pioneers**

**For A**

**Community**

**That We**

**Are Proud Of.**

**BERRY'S CAFETERIA**

Main Street                      Amherst



Wagner's Grocery Founded By The Late O. G. Wagner.  
Picture Taken During The Depression.



Shaded Main Street With School In The Background.

## MARKER

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people who grew up with Amherst.

A block from Crain's Station is Amherst Manor, a modern home for the aged. Then another pioneer owned business is the Enloe Service Station.

Amherst is known for having recreation for its citizens. After leaving Enloe's Station there is an elm shaded croquet court still being used.

Next to the croquet court is the post office and then the Blossom Shop, under its present ownership since 1964. Floral arrangements for all occasions can be obtained from this flower shop.

On the corner next to the Blossom Shop is a pool hall and cafe.

Continuing south on Main is the Amherst Variety, under present management since 1947. A friendly place to shop as well as to visit.

Amherst Drug is next in line. Some say "if you can't find it go to Amherst Drug." Besides merchandise it is lined with a fountain and booths on the south wall for conversation.

Modern Beauty Shop, a home-owned mother and daughter operation, is located next to the drug store.

C&C Electric, a television and appliance sales and service occupies a modern store and is maintained by Amherst pioneers.

The only barber left in Amherst is Homer Harper who had been cutting the hair of Amherst residents since 1928. He runs his own shop which was established in 1934 and is just down the street from C&C Electric.

Next to Homer's Barber Shop is the school tax office. Next to the tax office is Amherst's first cafeteria, known as Berry's Cafeteria, opened for breakfast and lunch. The Berrys moved to Lamb County in 1923 and opened the cafeteria in 1960.

Wagner Pay & Save is located on the corner. This corner was the site of the famed Amherst Hotel that housed the bank and land

Wagner's Pay & Save, part of a chain with home office in Littlefield was at one time Wagner's Grocery and Dry Goods, established in 1926 by Marvin Wagner's father. Marvin Wagner is the present manager of the grocery store.

On the same block with the bank on the west side of the street is City Cleaners, founded in 1943 by John Faust who came with his wife from Mississippi.

E. L. Black Cotton Company and Gene Campbell Insurance, manned by Amherst pioneers is located in the same building between the City Cleaners and Quick Gulf Service.

Quick Gulf Service Station is a brick building built in 1923. G. A. Bench bought the building in 1924 and went into operation in 1925. Sons of Mr. Bench still operate the station.

At this point a person can either turn right or left. If he turns right he will go to the Farmers Coop Gins or the Producers Coop Gin. Should he turn left he will be on what is called the Sudan Cut-off and pass the Amherst Butane and Fertilizer Company, owned by the mayor of Amherst, Arthur Hedges.


Hidden in the residential area of Amherst are various owned business such as the Hufstедler Beauty Shop and Campbell's Welding.

On the Earth Highway is the Gage Gin, and at Cofferville just west of Amherst is a blacksmith and welding shop and Embry Gin and Chemical Co.

Amherst, a community of living history and friendly people, is far from being a ghost town. It has churches and civic organizations to provide for the spiritual and social enrichment of its citizens and lends a helping hand for those in need. Visit Amherst and learn a little more on the historical background of Lamb County.

CAN YOU remember when Amherst roped off the streets and had boxing on Saturdays? This took place in the '30s.

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the  
GOSPEL  
of  
CHRIST**

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Evangelist  
Corpus Christi, Tex.

ALVIS JONES  
Song Director  
Littlefield, Tex.

SEPTEMBER 17 - 22

CHURCH OF CHRIST  
EIGHTH AND WASHINGTON  
AMHERST, TEXAS

## Come-Celebrate With Us

DURING OUR  
DEDICATION CEREMONIES  
OF OUR NEW  
HISTORICAL MARKER  
SATURDAY.

THE PEOPLE OF AMHERST  
WELCOME YOU.



## HIGGINBOTHAM BARTLETT LUMBER CO.

109 EAST 10

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COWBOYS MOUNTED WITH their extra remuda mounts and chuck wagon posed as they opened a roundup on the old "Mashed O" Ranch or Halsell Ranch from which Amherst was carved. This picture was in the early 1900's.

# Halsell Bought 181,155 Acres

Sixty-two years ago Mr. W. E. Halsell of Indian Territory purchased 184,155 acres of Springlake and Yellow House lands at \$2.00 an acre. This was part of the Llano Estado of Staked Plains, a portion of the XIT Ranch. Before it was the largest ranch under fence in the world.

At the time Mr. Halsell bought this large acreage buffalo, mustangs and antelope were numerous in the wild prairie country where gramma and mesquite grass made an unbroken turf.

On the land purchased was the Springlake division headquarters of the XIT, located five miles west of the present town of Earth. There was also a camp on the Sod House draw, located six miles north of the present town of Amherst, where the Estes Brothers, buffalo hunters, had established a bachelor camp in 1885.

In addition to the original purchase in 1901, Mr. Halsell in 1904 started buying school land located in the sand hills. At the same time he started selling farm land north of the sand hills bringing northern buyers from Hereford in horsedrawn hacks.

At this time his son, Ewing, became general manager for the Halsell interests.

In 1923 it was decided to sell Sod House Pasture as farm land and to establish the town of Amherst. Several years prior the Santa Fe Railroad had crossed the west end of

the pasture and built a depot named Amherst by a railroad official-hence the town-to-be was given this name.

The land at that time sold for \$25 an acre. Today the same land will sell from \$250 to \$500. All farming was dry land. Since then it has been proven that under the whole ranch there is ample water for irrigation, making it one of the best farming sections in Texas.

In 1925 they agreed to sell that portion of the ranch where Earth is located. The town was first called Fairlawn and later Tulse. The post office department notified authorities that this name also could not be used. When this word was received, a colorful character, Daddy Reeves, who operated the hotel built by Halsell, exclaimed "We've got more earth here than anything else - let's call it Earth." The sand was blowing that day and the name stuck. The land around Earth also sold for \$25 an acre. Just this spring a farm that originally sold at that price sold for \$525 an acre.

Today the Mashed O Ranch consists of approximately 80,000 acres, of which about 6,000 acres are farm lands.

Several places in the sand hills on the ranch are known to be spots where Indians lived. Arrowheads, spearheads, many pieces of pottery containing definite markings could be found. The late W. J. McMillan, Lubbock,

naturalist and big game hunter spent many hours on the ranch hunting relics.

Mr. W. E. Halsell was a colorful character, very handsome, more than six feet tall, with sharp black eyes and a wealth of snow white hair. He was one-eighth Cherokee Indian, which was revealed in his gifts of brightly colored beads, necklaces and set rings. He was a wealthy man. When asked on one occasion, "How does a man accumulate a fortune?" his reply was, "by being a good trader."

If you have visited the West Texas Museum at Texas Tech you have seen him as he depicts the cattleman in the mural in the rotunda, painted by the New Mexico artist, Peter Hurd. It is a very good likeness. The mural shows men and women prominent in West Texas' beginning. He died in 1934 at 84 years of age.

The late humorist Will Rogers, a friend of the Halsells in Oklahoma, visited the Mashed O Ranch several times. When there he helped

with the roundup, branding, or any other activities going on at the time. In fact, he visited the ranch just a few weeks before he made the flight to Alaska which ended in his death in August 1935. He was a contemporary of Ewing Halsells, and attended the Willie Halsell College in Oklahoma.

How did the ranch get its name which is its brand. The Mashed O? W. E. Halsell was a partner in a ranch in what is

now Oklahoma. The brand was the three linked Os. When the partnership was dissolved he separated the brading iron Os, took one of the Os and hammered it slightly. The 'Mashed O' resulted.

John L. Murrell is the present foreman of the ranch. He has been an employee for many years.

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From the days of the Buffalo to today - Citizens of Amherst We Thank You HOMER'S BARBER SHOP

**Make a Hit!**

BY ATTENDING HISTORICAL AMHERST'S DEDICATION CEREMONY SATURDAY

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Prices Good Only In 1933

SEE LIVING HISTORY BY VISITING FRIENDLY AMHERST SATURDAY, SEPT. 16.

**Abbott Grocery**

921 MAIN EST. 1933 246-3291

# Historical Marker Dedicated

Amherst, the "Pick of the Plains" will be rolling out the red carpet Saturday for the dedication of a historical marker in honor of that pioneer city.

V. M. Peterman, chairman of the Lamb County Historical Society in cooperation of the State Historical Society and the Halsell Foundation, made this tribute possible.

The historical marker dates back to 1913 when Amherst was used as a cattle shipping point on the Pecos and Northern Texas railroads and goes on to state that in 1923, the Halsells divided the land to be sold to new settlers at \$25 per acre.

Amherst named after the famed Amherst College in Massachusetts is not the dying town that some have indicated. In 1930, Amherst had a population of 964, today its citizens number 835.

From Amherst, offsprings of the pioneers have gone into all walks of life. Practically every profession known includes someone from Amherst, from commercial airline pilots, to finance, to military, medicine and politics. In local politics, almost every office in the county level has been filled by a citizen from Amherst.

Amherst today is a surprising community, with living history, tradition and businesses to serve almost every need of its citizens. It is located almost in the center of Lamb County and holds many of the counties first and only types of business.

If a person journeys through Amherst he may note scars of regression as it, too, like many rural areas, in America has suffered a set back. But it was founded and started like Boom-Town, USA.

In making a visit to Amherst, driving in from the east on US 84, take note about a mile before you get to Amherst, notice the only hog,

cattle and sheep market in the county. Lamb County Hog and Cattle Co. buys hogs and cattle from as far south as the Rio Grand River and to the northern tips of the Panhandle of Texas. In turn this business ships to almost every state in the union. In peak weeks, as much as \$90,000 worth of animals are brought to this market.

As you continue traveling west you will see the Cross Roads Service Station at the crossroads of US 84 and Farm Road 37. Also as this intersection is one of two surviving drive inn theaters in the county.

Turn right on 37 and cross the Santa Fe Railroad tracks. At this point there are three grain elevators to serve the farmers in the marketing of various types of grain sorghums. Be it milo, corn, soybeans or wheat. Also at this point is the Santa Fe depot.

Continue traveling north on FR 37, you can see the richness of the farmlands with crops grown on both sides of the highway until you get to Amherst proper.

Eleven blocks of wide paved streets make up the Main Street of Amherst, the first three when you come into town from the south are paved with brick.

It is reported that these three blocks paved in brick cost \$10,000 a block.

In continuing the journey through Amherst, on the right side of the street is the city park and the historical marker, next is City Hall. At one time this building housed the various government agencies of the county. Next to City Hall is an abandoned theater.

On the corner of the block on the right is the First National Bank, the county's oldest bank. Behind the bank about a block is the city's only lumber yard, Higginbotham Bartlett



Abbott Grocery And Market-1938

Lumber Co., another pioneer business of Amherst. Across from the lumber yard is a welding shop.

Continuing down Main Street on the right side about two doors from the corner in the second block is Abbott Grocery, established in May, 1933. Many of Amherst's citizens were employed at this store throughout the years.

On the same block with Abbott Grocery is the Lee Payne Funeral Home. Still owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Lee Payne. This business was established in April 1931.

Southwestern Public Service and Pioneer Natural Gas Company has a sub-office in with the funeral home.

Pryor Hardware was located on the north corner of the second block, but business

has been discontinued. The building is now being used as a shop to refinish the church pews from the First Baptist Church that was damaged in a fire a few months back.

Joe's Conoco and Tire Supply, owned by the Joe Millers for the past 10 years is the first business on the right in the fourth block.

The South Plains famed hospital takes up the fifth block. This hospital was established in 1941 as a cooperative and had 50 beds. Today it has 30 rooms and 31 beds. The hospital has its own pharmacy and employees Dr. J. W. Chatwell and Dr. B. L. Burditt.

On the next block north of the hospital stands a large two story building that was a home for the nurses that was employed by the hospital.

Later it was used by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Knight as a nursing home for the aged.

One will note as they continue traveling north on Main Street large elm trees shading the street. Many of the trees are as old as the town and so are many of the homes that are still occupied by the pioneers that built them.

At the end of Main, stands Amherst's school system with a full academic and athletic program. Amherst school is the home of the fighting Bulldogs.

Make a u-turn at the school and come back down Main, the first business, still in the residential area is Crain's Texaco Service, operated by

See MARKER, page 9

## Amherst Newest Business Says "THANK YOU"



FOR YOUR ACCEPTANCE AND CONGRATULATIONS FOR ADDING A FEW PAGES TO LAMB COUNTY HISTORY.

# GAGE GIN

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Amherst



Amherst City Hall... Being Painted By Green Thumb Workers.

Several years ago the company put in their own feed lot near the ranch headquarters. They installed modern feeding pens. All the feed is ground and mixed in an up-to-date plant at the lots. Most of the grain, ensilage and alfalfa used is grown on company lands. They now feed more than 2000 head annually, most of which is trucked to Lubbock, Ft. Worth and Oklahoma City.

A few years ago 354 acres of ranch land in the sand hills, five miles south of Earth was sold to the Southwest Public Service Company for their huge Plant X. It is the largest of their plants and furnishes electric power for Western Texas and Eastern New Mexico. They have the water rights to 40,000 acres.

The ranch has access to surface water, and for stock purposes. Although they have several wells on the water-right land, very seldom is more than one well pumping at a time. The water used at the plant is said to be used about six times.

The ranch maintains a remuda of more than 100 saddle horses, and the cowboys enjoy good food served in the ranch kitchen and the life in the bunk house.

IN 1932 THERE were three blacksmith shops in Amherst that employed from eight to 10 people.



**HONKERS** — These five men are pretty proud of themselves. They are pictured after they had spent a morning on the Halsell Farms hunting for ducks. The picture was taken in 1925, and included in it are Lee Payne, Les LaGrange, Frank Rogers, Bill Rowland and Don Knight.

### Residents Organize School District

Early in the spring of 1924, Amherst residents organized the first Amherst Independent school district. Trustees were elected and bonds for a school building were voted on Saturday, April 5.

At that time Amherst had 100 school children and only three teachers. When the bonds were voted, 250 children were expected the following year.

A \$40,000 to \$50,000 was considered a reasonable cost for the proposed new building school.



**SERVICE TRUCK** — These crew members relax a moment after erecting an electric transmission line. This 1920 version of a line construction truck had no automatic lifting equipment on it.

### FEET ACHE, ITCH?

1/4 of all your bones are in the feet. No wonder they ache, swell, perspire, itch. Bathe feet twice daily with T-4-L Solution for relief of the 52 bones, 66 joints plus ligaments. Curbs athlete's foot, too. (Sloughs off infection—watch healthy skin replace it) or your 48¢ back at any drug store if not pleased IN ONE HOUR. TODAY at all Drug Stores.



### JOIN THE CROWDS SATURDAY

By Attending The Dedication Of Our Historical Monument

### CITY CLEANERS

## First National Opened In 1925

The First National Bank of Amherst opened its doors in February of 1925. At that time James Duffy was elected president of the bank with

Rogers Willett serving as vice president and C. A. Duffy elected as cashier.

The directors of the bank, which was located at 1000 Main Street, were James Duffy, C. A. Duffy, Rogers Willett, W. F. Rowland and J. T. Harmon.

For 23 years the bank remained in the same location, and in 1948 it was moved across the street to a new and modern building. Since that time the bank has remained in the same place serving the Amherst community in addition to Lamb County residents.

D. A. Duffy was born in Vinson, Oklahoma, February 18, 1900. He attended high school in Mangum, Oklahoma, and served during World War I. His son, C. A. Duffy, Jr., was born in Mangum, Oklahoma, and served in World War II. He attended Texas Tech for two years.

The First National Bank of Amherst offers persons on the South Plains all the latest in banking facilities. Among their special services are a checking account department, savings accounts, safety deposit boxes, loans, and bank money orders.



### THE RUSH IS ON

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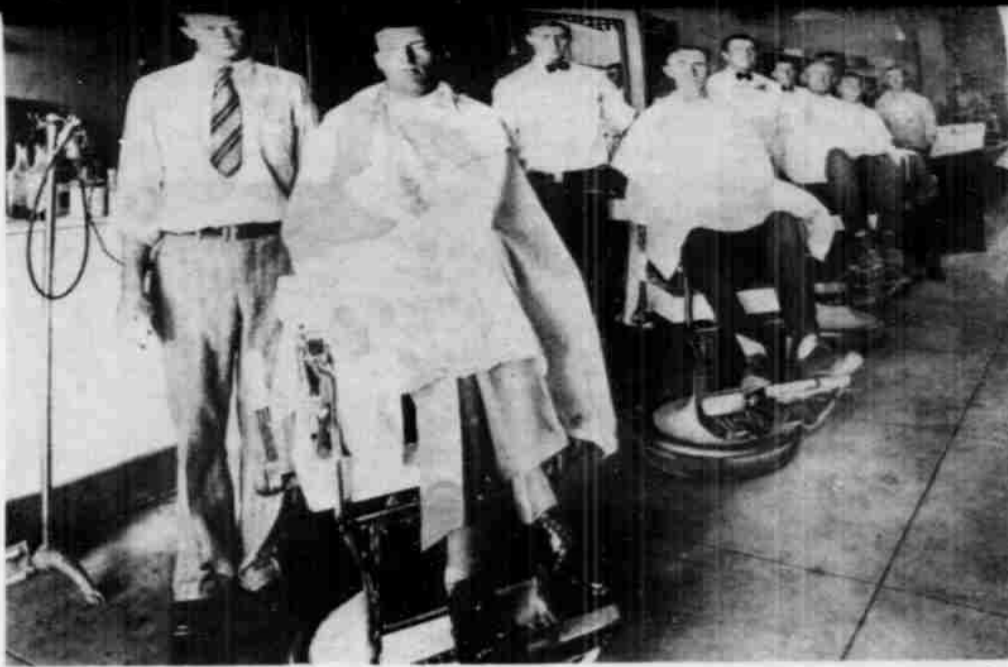
WELCOME TO COLORFUL, FRIENDLY AND HISTORICAL AMHERST

SATURDAY, SEPT. 16

### AMHERST VARIETY

302 Main

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**PARKER'S BARBERSHOP** — These gents were taking full advantage of one of the only barbershops in Amherst in 1929. Mr. Harper is standing in front on the left. Many hours of pleasure were spent in local barbershops in the area. Whether a man needed a haircut or not, sometime during the day he could be found at the barbershop catching up on the latest news.



**City Cleaners**-Founded By The Late John Faust

**BACK IN 1931**, you could have a nice funeral for the cost of \$150 to \$200. The first casket sold at Payne Funeral Home sold for \$59.

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**Texaco Service**  
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## AMHERST

Mrs. Lester LaGrange 246-3336

A **GOSPEL** meeting will be held at the Amherst Church of Christ beginning Sunday, Sept. 17 at 10:50 a.m. Jack E. Orbison of Corpus Christi will deliver the messages at 10 a.m. and 7:45 p.m. Monday through Thursday and Friday 10 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Alvis Jones of Littlefield will lead the song services.

**B. W. BRIGGS**, a student at the Sunset School of Preaching, Lubbock, delivered the messages at the Amherst Church of Christ Sunday. He was spending the weekend with his parents, the Pat Briggs at Fieldton. Tim Conatser and family were on vacation.

**MRS. ROY LOVENTHALL** (Lucile) returned home Friday after spending several weeks with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Blessing. They took her to Lubbock for a plane to Houston where she will visit a few days with her daughter and family before going to Lufkin, her home.

**MRS. OLA BACCUS** of Sudan visited Mrs. A. F. Copeland and Mrs. Don Turner during the weekend.

**MR. AND MRS. Willis Hedges** were in Lubbock Saturday to assist their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Boyd in their move to Amarillo.

**MR. AND MRS. Sam Harmon** returned from Ruidoso Friday. They had spent some time at their place there.

**MR. AND MRS. Jim Roles** are in Santa Fe for a visit with his son and family.

**MR. AND MRS. "Buddy" Allen** of Ruidoso spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Payne. Others here Sunday were their son, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Payne and twin daughters, Jan and Ann of Seagraves. Their other children, Harold Lee attends Texas Tech and Pattibob attends South Plains College, Levelland.

**MRS. GENE KINDRED** (Chrys) of Atlanta, Ga., spent last week with her parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Allan White. They were at the White's place in Tres Ritos, N.M. and returned here Saturday. They took her to the plane for her return trip home Sunday afternoon.

**MR. AND MRS. A. O. Dickson** attended a family reunion at Fort Belnap, near Grahams for the Dickson family, Sunday, which included Mrs. O. E. Dickson, of Graham.

**MRS. A. F. COPELAND** and Mrs. Don Turner visited the Jimmy Copelands in Anton Saturday. Mrs. Archie Copeland was there.

**MR. AND MRS. O. A. Dickson** were in Houston during the Labor Day holidays for a visit with their family. They accompanied the Kenneth Hannas of Amarillo. The James Balls live there, and the Keith Dickson and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hogans. Mrs. Hogan is the former Alana Hanna. They all visited Galveston while there.

**MR. AND MRS. Eryle Abbott** visited the Sherwood Abbotts in Floydada Sunday.

**MRS. A. J. MOTE** was a Plainview visitor Monday.

**MRS. ARNOLD MacMANUS** (Walton) arrived Friday from Key West, Fla. She is making her home with her sisters, Mrs. Lester LaGrange and Mrs. L. E. Slate in Sudan.

## Postal Rates

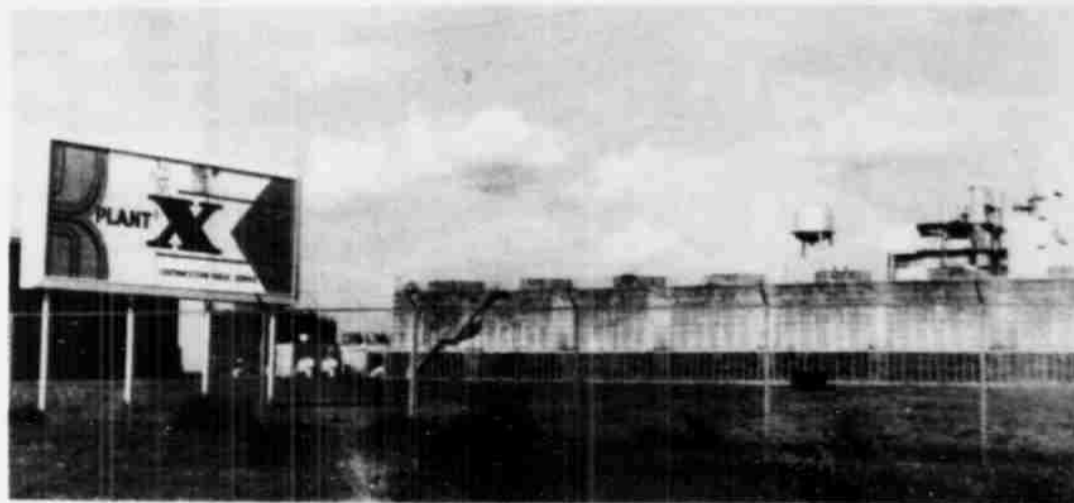
### Now Two Cents

Postal rates jumped to an all-time high in the spring of 1925, with the new rate going to 2 cents for all postage.

In a letter received by the Post Office Department, 10 new points were explained in respect to the system which was put into effect April 15. The changes included mail from first class to fourth class, in addition to money orders and C.O.D. packages.

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## Happiness Is . . .

### Pep Rallies

Maddox!!! Other members are Jerry Stamps, Becky Dunn, Shelley Collins, Blake Wood, Kim McKinnon, Mike Williams, Kyle Shipley, Jill Hinckley, and Sherry Shotwell.

Send us your gossip!!!  
Happy anniversary Mr. and Mrs. Chou En Lai!!!

Happy birthday to Patti Chisholm, Sammy Schlottman and Ricky Bennett!!!  
YOU SPEAK OUT!!!

This week we asked the fatal question, "If you could be anyone in the world, who would you be and why?" We got some good answers, folks.

Glenda FreeLove — Mark Spitz's wife!!  
Carla Price — A person in the Olympics, so I could get rid of the Arabs!!  
Lewis Willey — Howard Hughes!!  
Daisy Abeyta — Patti Chisholm, because she's head cheerleader!  
Blake Wood — A coach (evil laugh) so I could run those boys to death!!!



TRICIA TONEY

Mike Muller — Roger Staubach because he led the Cowboys to the Super Bowl and he's a nice guy.  
Mr. Roycroft — Myself. I think I have worked very hard for what I am.

Mr. Wilson — Myself. I can't think of anybody else offhand that I'd rather be!!

Mrs. Simmons — Chad Everett's wife!!  
Terry Grand — Lance Allworth!! He's a good football player.

Delinda Sebring — The mayor of Littlefield so I could run certain people out of town.

That's all for this week! Have a fantastic week and SMILE!

P.S. Come to Sharing Group Wednesday at 7 a.m. at the First Methodist Church. It's really neat!!

P.S.S. Warning B.W. & L.W. We know who you really wanted to be.

## Mrs. Rodgers Hosts Meeting

WHITHARRAL — The Whitharral Home Demonstration Club met Monday, Sept. 5, in the home of Mrs. Vera Rodgers of Whitharral. Mrs. D. C. Thetford, president, called the meeting to order. Mrs. Lena Maxey read a comical poem "Monkeys Refuse to Descend from Man".

Roll call was answered by each member describing their wedding dress. Jewel Robinson, Hockley County H.D. Agent, gave a demonstration on "How to Properly Fit a Pattern or Garment."

Members attending were Mmes. B. L. Hicks, E. E. Pair, D. C. Thetford, Bud Waters, Eula Fykes, Carrie Eller, Alma Kilgore, Miss Lena Maxey, the hostess and the agent.

## Pentecostal Sets Revival

Rev. T. F. Sarnes, pastor of the United Pentecostal Church, will hold a revival at the church at 1020 E. 11th Street in Littlefield this week.

Revival services will be Thursday through Sunday nights at 7:30 each evening. Special gospel singing from area churches is slated for each of the services. In addition to doing the preaching, Rev. Sarnes will present special musical numbers.

Sunday morning will be surprise day for the children. At 10 a.m., each boy and girl will be given their surprise gift and a special gift will be given to the boy and girl bringing the most children with him to church school.

# Let's Beat The Lobos

## Annual Meeting

Refreshments will be served

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AGENDA:

1. REPORT OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS & COMMITTEES
2. ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS
3. STATE AND NATIONAL RESOLUTIONS
4. ALL OTHER BUSINESS WHICH MAY COME BEFORE THE MEETING

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me to Junior High: Coaches Hench and Blevins!! Also Mrs. Harlan, Mrs. Thaxton, and member! Speaking of welcomes to Littlefield Brad Fitzgerald, member, Larry McDonald, Randy Howard and Bill Wright. If anyone LET US KNOW.

Council members for this year Williams, president; Bruce vice president; Connie Black, treasurer; Lisa Garland, secretary; and Sherry Shotwell, head cheerleader. Squad leaders are Becky Dunn, Patti Chisholm, and Mike Williams, Connie and Patti Chisholm.

high grade Student Council members were elected Friday. Congratulations to Bradley Allen, Elaine Shaylyn Grant, Brent

## SPADE

MRS. EVONE OLIVER 385-5729

AND MRS. Jeff Willey spent Labor Day visiting with his Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Willey and family of Ariz. Also visiting was

his sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Blair and family of Belton.

AVIATION Anti-Submarine Warfare Technician Chief Guy Thompson, U.S. Navy, has assumed the duty of recruiter in charge at the Navy Recruiting Branch Station in Elk City, Okla. Thompson is a veteran of 14 1/4 years naval service and recently served with the Defense Special Projects group in Stuttgart, Germany. Prior to his assignment in Germany, Thompson served two and a half years as a naval advisor in Vietnam. Thompson has twice been awarded the Bronze Star with the Combat "V", the Joint Service Commendation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, National Defense Medal, Vietnam Service Medal and the Vietnam Campaign Medal. As a youth Thompson lived at Spade and is a brother to Carl Thompson of this community.

MR. AND MRS. Kerwin Oliver and Elisa returned last week from Colorado where they spent several days visiting with her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stubblefield and Kathy. They also visited with other relatives living in the area. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thurman and Smokey, Roxane Thurman and Lee Stubblefield.

MR. AND MRS. Jeff Willey attended the funeral of his uncle, Bud Jay of Brady last Tuesday.

MR. AND MRS. Bill Cook visited recently in Dallas with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Walter and Amy.

RECENT VISITORS of Mrs. R. L. Stubblefield and Doris Stubblefield were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hoelscher of Fort Worth.

MARKEETA LEONARD, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Leonard, has left to attend school at Baylor University in Waco.

MR. AND MRS. Bert Dozier spent last weekend in Fort Worth. While there they visited with Channie Nabors of Irving.

MR. AND MRS. Edwin Oliver and Debbie visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Kerwin Oliver and Elisa. THE BILL COOKS attended the Harper family reunion in Tulia last weekend.

## P-TA Meet Held At Spade School

Spade P-TA meeting was opened Thursday with the Pledge of Allegiance led by Sharon Wallace.

Meditation was given by Mrs. Joe Bailey entitled "Quiz For Parents" and music was presented by the Community Youth Prayer Group.

Treasurer's report was given.

Mrs. Jessie Sotello was elected as secretary. Program for the year was presented by Mrs. Bill Ivins and adopted by the association. Budget was read by Mrs. Bill Thompson and adopted by the association.

Mrs. Bill Ivins and Mrs. Bill Thompson were elected as delegates to the County Council. The first council meeting will be in Amherst, Sept. 26, for a leadership course.

Teachers and parents were

introduced and the meeting was adjourned.

A reception for teachers was held in the lunchroom following the meeting.

### BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE

Thursday, Sept. 21: Amherst, 9:15-10:15; Springlake #1, 11:00-11:45; Springlake #2, 12-1; Earth, 1:15-3:45.

Friday, Sept. 22: Pleasant Valley, 10-11; Sudan #1, 12-1; and Sudan #2, 1-3:45.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Morton, 9:30-11:45.



Texas TOPS No. 102 met in the dining room of Medical Arts Hospital Sept. 5 with 14 members present.

Rose Zyburka called the meeting to order.

Mildred Smiley read the minutes of the last meeting and called the roll. Members answered with the number of pounds gained or lost.

Sept. 18, the TOPS Club will meet on Monday night due to a nurses meeting in the dining room on Tuesday night.

Monthly queen was Wanda Major with 11 pounds lost. Runner-up was Lucille Robison.

Weekly queen was Virginia Nichols with 7 pounds lost. Aubrey Long and Norma Holtcamp were runners-up with 4 1/4 pounds lost.

Secret pal gifts were exchanged.

Gainers sang a song.

Oleta Lott has returned from Leland, Miss. Oleta visited the TOPS Club there. The club there treat their month's queen by taking her out to a salad supper.

TOPS Club was adjourned by all saying the TOPS pledge in unison.

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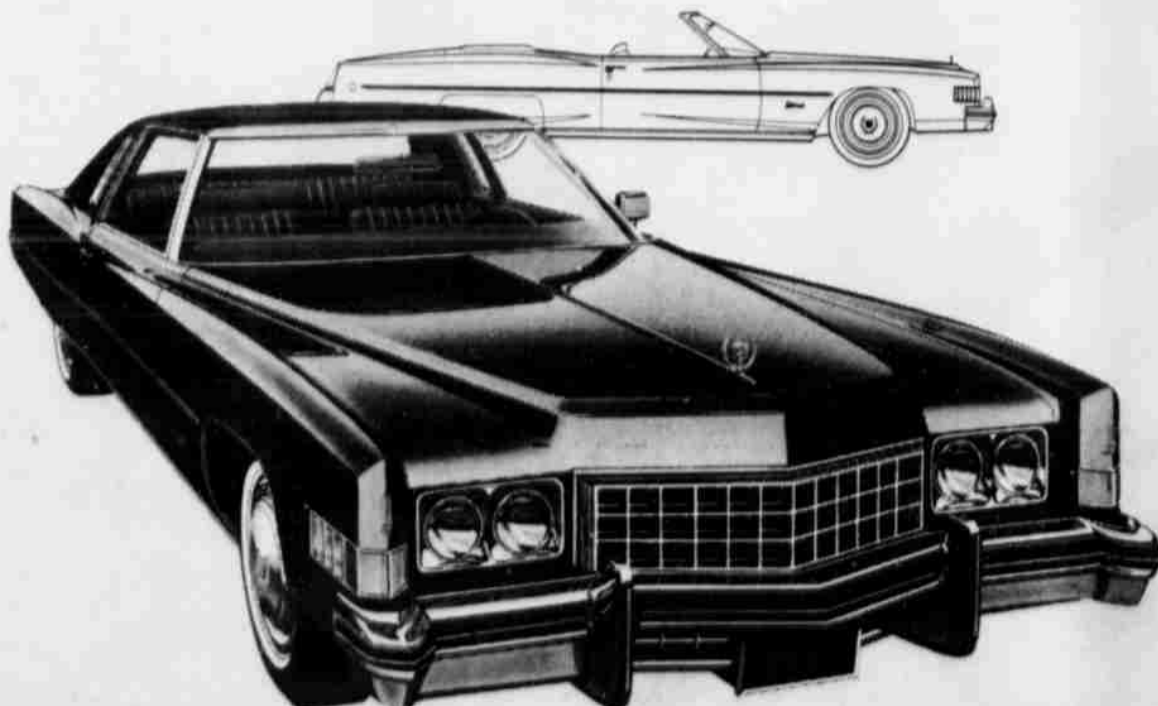
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**DALLAS COWBOYS**

The Dallas Cowboys open defense of their NFL World Championship this Sunday with six "new" faces among the 22 starters and two kickers who will face the Philadelphia Eagles in Texas Stadium.

Here are the changes in the lineup that defeated the Miami Dolphins in Super Bowl VI:

Craig Morton at quarterback for Roger Staubach, sidelined with a shoulder separation.

Calvin Hill at running back for Duane Thomas, traded to San Diego.

Ralph Neely at left tackle for Tony Liscio, retired.

Pat Toomay at right defensive end for George Andrie, troubled by back problems.

Toni Fritsch at placekicker for Mike Clark, claimed on waivers by Buffalo.

Marv Bateman at punter for Ron Widby, traded to Green Bay.

Bateman is the lone rookie

of the group. The rest are veterans who have been regulars at one time or another. Morton was the quarterback in 1970, when the Cowboys went to Super Bowl V against the Baltimore Colts. Neely is a four-time All-Pro who missed the last half of the '71 season with a broken leg and Hill is a former All-Pro who missed half of the '71 campaign with a knee injury. Toomay is a third-year man who began to challenge for a starting job last year and Fritsch, signed in Vienna in the spring of 1971, was the Cowboys' placekicker for two games last season before suffering a pulled hamstring muscle.

**District Roundup**

Littlefield was the No. 1 squad a few weeks ago, and that has not changed. The Wildcats showed why they are rated so strongly as they opened the season in wild style.

District 3-AA teams took two of five openers, with Friona joining Littlefield as a first-game winner.

The Wildcats brushed aside Silverton 38-0 despite a big rash of fumbles. Six times, Wildcat ball-carriers fumbled away the ball to the Class A Owls but still they won with ease. So strong was their defense as they forced Silverton into two bad snaps good for out-of-the-end-zone safeties.

In other games, Friona

blistered Farwell 34-13, Dimmitt fell to Muleshoe 20-6, Tulia outlasted Olton 12-6 and Springlake-Earth blanked Morton 13-0.

J. E. Johnson scored three times. Tailback Johnson inaugurated the season for the defending district champs with a 58-yard touchdown sprint in the first period.

The early district scoring leader, however, in Friona's little ("we might stretch him to 140 pounds," said coach Bob Owen) Louis Lee who peppered Farwell with three scoring shots and added four points on PAT runs. Lee's scoring runs measured 13, 2 and 20 yards and helped the Chieftains to a 34-0 lead before Farwell could score.

Olton shocked heavily favored Tulia with a 61-yard sprint by quarterback Tim Givens in the second quarter and took a lead into the final period. In that last quarter, however, interceptions ruined the Mustangs' victory hopes. Interceptions set up both Tulia tallies.

Two Dimmitt fumbles set up Muleshoe's first TDs, and a recovery by Muleshoe set up Dimmitt's score.

Travis Hampton Jr. caught a 20-yard pass from Terry Powell for Dimmitt's TD in the third period.

The start for Friona was the way coach Owen wanted it. "We made a lot of mistakes, but you can credit that to the first game. We picked up quite a few penalties which we will have to eliminate. But, still, I'm well pleased.

"We didn't fumble the football much. We fumbled one pitch but got it back. And we had tried to pick up a punt at full speed and lost it. But we didn't have any busted plays to speak of."

Lee was not just a scoring ace; he showed it can run in all areas of the field, as he rushed for 143 yards during the game.

This week, the Chieftains host Class A Bovina, which blanked Class AA Boys Ranch 16-0 in its opener. Littlefield will take on Class AAA Levelland, a 43-0 loser to Andrews.

Morton will test Tulia, and Olton will take on Muleshoe. Dimmitt will play Farwell, as the 3-AA members start matching opponents.

**DISTRICT 3-AA STANDINGS**

Team	W	L	T	P	Op
Friona	1	0	0	0	14
Littlefield	1	0	0	0	0
Dimmitt	0	1	0	0	20
Morton	0	1	0	0	13
Olton	0	1	0	0	12

Last week's results: Littlefield 38, Silverton 0; Friona 34, Farwell 14; Muleshoe 20, Dimmitt 6; Tulia 12, Olton 6; Springlake-Earth 13, Morton 0.

Friday's schedule: Dimmitt at Farwell, Bovina at Friona, Littlefield at Levelland, Morton at Tulia, Muleshoe at Olton.

**INDIVIDUAL SCORING**

Player	Team	TD	PAT	FP
Louis Lee	Friona	3	4	22
P. Henderson	Lfd.	2	0	12
J. E. Johnson	Lfd.	2	0	18
T. Hampton	Dimmitt	1	0	6
Tim Givens	Olton	1	0	6
J. Bartlett	Friona	1	0	6
T. King	Friona	1	0	6
L. Moberg	Lfd.	0	2	2
A. Mackey	Lfd.	0	2	2

**Top 100 In Cont...**

- 16 Doug Perrin, Lfd.
- T. W. Bryson, Lfd.
- Alex Duggan, Amherst
- 15 Joe Hala, Lfd.
- Brad Hansen, Lfd.
- Alan Mackey, Lfd.
- Mrs. Byron Ford, Suda
- Harold Bowman, Amherst
- Ployce Piers, Lfd.
- Roy Jackson, Lfd.
- 14 Gilbert Stryker, Lfd.
- Ronnie Fisher, Lfd.
- Arthur Duggan, Lfd.
- W. W. Frye, Lfd.
- A. D. Perrin, Lfd.
- Kim Tidwell, Lfd.
- Arthur McLain, Lfd.
- Lynn Duffy, Lfd.
- Ed McCann, Lfd.
- Phelan Stone, Amherst
- Scott McNease, Lfd.
- Randy Dayton, Lfd.
- Lee Roy Nuttall, Friona
- Max McAlland, Lfd.
- Sue Bowman, Amherst
- Ernest Mills, Lfd.
- Shirley Starnes, Lfd.
- Dwight Starnes, Lfd.
- Jimmy Clayton, Lfd.
- Dobie Mitchell, Lfd.
- Kay Jackson, Lfd.
- 13 Walter Liles, Lfd.
- Mike White, Suda
- Donnie Heard, Lfd.
- Richard Hopping, Lfd.
- Andy Rogers, Lfd.
- Richard Rogers, Lfd.
- Orville Bassett, Lfd.
- Maurice Sexton, Lfd.
- R. J. Cook, Amherst
- Douglas McNease, Lfd.
- John Moberg, Lfd.
- Connie Bowman, Amherst
- Joe Kelson, Lfd.
- Paul Farbrugh, Amherst
- Billburn Baker, Lfd.
- Mrs. H. A. Mitchell
- Doug Cummings
- 12 Eddie Duvall, Amherst
- Ben Kelson, Lfd.
- Domino Ramirez, Lfd.
- Jerry Schmitz, Lfd.
- Chris Hala, Lfd.
- Ouida Liles, Lfd.
- Leon Burch, Lfd.
- Craig Pickett, Suda
- Ray C. Key, Amherst
- Pam Brandt, Lfd.
- D. J. Johnson, Amherst
- Virginia McLain, Amherst
- William Mott, Lfd.
- Mark Varbrugh, Amherst
- Barbara Starnes, Lfd.
- Winston Cummings, Amherst
- John Clayton III, Lfd.
- Gene Pratt, Lfd.
- Brad Walden, Lfd.
- Dean Walden, Lfd.
- 11 Ben Kelson, Lfd.
- Roger Swart, Suda
- Alvin Mills, Amherst
- Chris Hala, Lfd.
- Connie Black, Lfd.
- Raymond Duvall, Amherst
- Elmer Weaver, Lfd.
- Linda Horn, Lfd.
- Mozelle Hutson, Lfd.
- Roy A. Hutson, Lfd.
- C. W. Conway, Lfd.
- Mrs. Doris Robison, Lfd.
- 10 Leonard Huber, Lfd.
- Shirley Macha, Lfd.
- Bobby Baker, Lfd.
- Pat Marcum, Lfd.
- Mike Siate, Amherst
- Harold Pollard, Escob
- Lloyd Pollard, Suda
- David Jones, Lfd.
- Jamelyn Weaver, Lfd.
- Janet Mitchell, Lfd.
- David Hampton, Lfd.
- Ricky Parker, Lfd.
- 9 Carl Enloe, Lfd.
- Miles A. Stephens, Lfd.
- Shauna Clayton, Lfd.
- Douglas Walden, Lfd.
- Larry Reese, Lfd.

**Activities**

There will be a Delta County Reunion at District 1 Club House, 5012 50th Street, on Sunday, September 17, 1972 from 10:00 a.m. til ??  
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# Football Wrap Up

# SPORTS

Schools swing into gridiron Friday the exception of the Wilson, Bala Southland, Earth travels to Plains. Muleshoe and Smyer in.

Springlake-Earth, looking for its second win in the 1972 season, goes to Cooper for another class AA battle. The Class A Wolverines blanked AA Morton, 13-0, Friday. Cooper took a 20-6 win from Plains Friday.

It will be a battle of all battles Friday between Sudan and Plains at Plains. The Hornets' new coach came from Plains and the home team will be hungry for a win after taking a 20-6 whipping from Cooper Friday. The Hornets rallied in the final minutes in their game against Class AA Olton was tripped from behind Friday by Class AAA Tulia and went down in the final quarter, 12-6. In this week's grid battle the Mustangs hosts Class AAA Muleshoe. Muleshoe won over AA Dimmitt, 20-6, Friday night.

Whitharral will engage in one of their toughest games of the season when they host Smyer Friday night. Each game on the Panther schedule is a conference game, with their first three games being the toughest. Whitharral was dumped by Dawson, 63-12, Friday night in an eight man battle.

## JV, Freshmen Play Tahoka Today

The Littlefield JV and the freshmen will meet Tahoka there today with the frosh beginning at 5:30 and the junior varsity playing immediately after the conclusion of the frosh clash.

Tahoka doesn't have as many boys suited out this year as Littlefield, but Tahoka always has a good team, according to Coach Lewis Boomer.

This is the JV's and freshmen's first scheduled game of the season. The JV beat Tahoka 1-0 in a scrimmage two weeks ago, then held the Hereford sophomores to a 0-0 draw in the second scrimmage.

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Highway 70. On display will be Foundation facilities, research plots and displays featuring the latest developments in farm equipment, agricultural chemicals, seeds and feeds.

Field Day activities begin with field tours at 1:30 p.m. at the Foundation at Halfway, 14 miles west of Plainview on

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Shook Tire Co.	L 17
Marcum Olds, Cad.	W 25
No. 4	L 25
Lumsden Gin Co.	W 26
Coca Cola	L 26
High team game points, Renfro Bros., 142; high individual game points women, Little Jarnagie, 60.	
HIT & MISS	
Conal's Fine	W 28
Milly's Cotton	L 28
Clark's Rest.	W 20
Ken's Appliance	L 20
No. 8	W 20
No. 5	L 20
No. 4	W 8
High team game points, Mills Cotton, 62; high individual game points man, J. R. Hodges, 52; high individual game points, women, Patsy Grimes, 46.	
Town & Country	
Coca Cola	W 26
Cox Furniture	L 26
Lf. Sand & Dalint.	W 17
Perry Variety	L 19
Lamb Bowl	W 19
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24 OZ CARTON **49¢**

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**WAX** FARM PAC, ASSORTED  
FLAVORS, 1/2 GALLON **28¢**

**CONDENSED SOYBEAN SAUCE** FOOD CLUB  
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THE ADVISORY BOARD of the Salvation Army met Friday morning to elect officers and make plans for the Oct. 10 fund drive. President is Warren Dayton, left, vice president James Settle, center, and secretary-treasurer is Charles Duval, right. Doyle Patton will be fund chairman for the drive which will attempt to reach a \$3,500 goal. Members decided to contribute \$200 toward the purchase of a fire truck for the Salvation Army summer camp, and named Jeni D. Brunson and Rad Richardson as new board members. (Staff Photo)

## WHITHARRAL

VISITING IN the D. C. Thetford home Tuesday evening were Dr. and Mrs. Van Brimhaw of Otton. Dr. Brimhaw is Thetford's nephew. The Brimhaws also visited with his aunt, Mrs. Annabel Richardson of El Cerrito, Calif. and an uncle, W. W. Thetford of Yakima, Wash., who have been house guests in the D. C. Thetford home. W. W. Thetford and Mrs. Richardson returned to their respective homes Sept. 6.

MR. AND MRS. Coy Mills of Whitharral, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Whitson of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Weige and Mr. and Mrs. Foy Mills of Anton spent Labor Day weekend in Ruidoso, N.M.

MR. AND MRS. Charles Addington were in Ruidoso, N.M. while the Ralph Wade and Don Reding families spent

the holidays at the Wade cabin on Lake Kemp, north of Seymour.

MRS. TOM BURRUS was in Alpine over the weekend visiting in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ward.

MRS. HATTIE HOOD returned to her home southeast of Whitharral after having spent several weeks in Lubbock and Lovington, N.M. She stayed in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Casandra Stanfield in Lubbock, while Mrs. Stanfield's sister-in-law, Miss Donna Stanfield, was confined to the intensive care unit of a Lubbock hospital after having been involved in a car wreck. Miss Stanfield has been released from intensive care but remains in the hospital. Mrs. Hood was

called from Lubbock to the bedside of her elderly mother, Mrs. D. J. Dunlap of Lovington, N.M. when she was placed in the hospital. Mrs. Dunlap was released from the hospital and Mrs. Hood returned to her home Wednesday.

DALE CRANK, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Crank, was released from the hospital recently where he was confined with a fractured collar bone. He sustained the injury during football practice. Dale plays on the Whitharral Jr. High team.

MR. AND MRS. Thetford returned from Gatesville, recently, where they had gone to attend the Thetford Reunion. They were accompanied by Thetford's brother, W. W. Thetford of Yakima, Wash., and his sister, Mrs. Annabel Richardson of El Cerrito, Calif.

SHERI GAGE accompanied Cynthia Ann and Mrs. Erna Mae Wade to Six Flags and Seven Seas over the Labor Day weekend. They spent Friday night at the Wade cabin on Lake Thomas and drove to Ft. Worth Saturday morning. Mrs. Wade also visited in the homes of her aunts and uncles, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Green and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Russell, all of Arlington.

MR. AND MRS. Lloyd Hood and son spent four days on White River camping out and fishing, over the Labor Day holidays.

MR. AND MRS. Selmar Schoenrock were in Ruidoso, N.M. over the weekend helping their daughter Lynn, move. Lynn graduated this summer from Texas Tech and has accepted a teaching job with the White Mountain school of Ruidoso.

MR. AND MRS. Johnny Hodges were in Sundown Friday night to attend the Anton-Sundown football game in which the Anton Bulldogs came away victors.

WHITHARRAL residents driving to Dawson to attend the Panther-Dragon eight-man football game were Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wade and Randy, Mr. and Mrs. Bufford Hayes and James, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Grant and Mitch, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan and Bart, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Reding and Roger.

MR. AND MRS. R. L. Heard left Friday, Sept. 1 and drove to Sanger, to spend several days with their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Berry Heard. On their way home they came through Cleburne to spend a night with Mrs. Heard's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Rudolph, before returning to Whitharral Monday.

LOUIS McCORMACK, Whitharral High School principal, was called from school Friday to take his mother, Mrs. Oscar McCormack of Portales, N.M. to Wichita Falls, so that she could be with her daughter, Mrs. Gail Reynolds during emergency surgery. McCormack returned Sunday afternoon and reported his sister doing very well. His mother remained at the bedside of her daughter.

GUESTS IN the Adolph Dukatnik home over the Labor Day weekend were Melony and Debbie Timmons of Dimmitt. Melony and Debbie are Mrs. Dukatnik's nieces.

CYNTHIA DUKATNIK of Lubbock was home this weekend and accompanied her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Dukatnik to Ruidoso, N.M., Saturday where they remained for several days visiting friends.

## OLTON

MRS. W. B. SMITH JR.

MR. AND MRS. Raiford Daniel Sr. left Monday for Abilene, where they will visit in the home of his sister. From there they plan to drive on to Houston, where Mrs. Daniel will undergo tests at M. D. Anderson Clinic.

S/SGT. JESSE D. Buckner and his wife, Sandy, are here visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Buckner. S/SGT. Buckner who has recently been stationed at El Paso. He is to leave soon for a tour of duty in Germany, where he has previously served three years.

MRS. F. M. WILLIAMS of Childress visited recently in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leon May, and with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams and children.

DURING THE first week in October, Otton First Baptist Church is in for a treat. The vice-president of the Southern Baptist Convention is to be the guest preacher for revival services. He is Dr. James Coggim, pastor of Travis Avenue of Dallas for some thirteen years. "He will bring us a blessing", says the Rev. John E. Lewis, pastor. Bud Lovell, from Cliff Temple Baptist Church in Dallas, will lead the music. Bud is a former Ottonite. The date is Oct. 4-8.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

SYMPATHY IS extended to the children of Mrs. Florence Spears, 72, who died Friday in Hi-Plains Hospital in Hale Center. One daughter, Mrs. Juanita Bennett of Joseph City, Ariz.; two sons, Nolan Holland of Otton and Marvin Holland of Clovis, N.M.; ten grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. Harvey Maxey Sr., and a sister-in-law, Mrs. George Boyner, survive her.

MELVIN RAPE visited recently with his mother, Mrs. Vella Rape, and helped her move from her farm home into the town of Spur.

MR. AND MRS. Charlie T. Burrus and Kauli and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Struve have returned from a week's vacation in Colorado. Bob Burrus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie T. Burrus, spent the week visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Witten in Plainview while his parents vacationed in Colorado.

MR. AND MRS. J. R. Finney of Banning, Calif. visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Finney.

SYMPATHY IS extended to the family of Ralph A. Beasley, 55, longtime resident of the Westside community. Survivors include his wife, Mildred; one daughter, Mrs. Don (Billie Ann) Riley of Houston; one son, Gary Beasley of Houston; four brothers; two sisters; his mother; and four grandchildren.

MRS. MATTIE SUGART of Canyon is here visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. J. A. Hudgens, also in the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Curry. Mrs. Hudgens has been on the sick list the past week.

WE EXPRESS sincere sympathy to the Fritz Richards family in the loss of his grandmother, Mrs. M. W. Richards of Salina, Kan. and her grandmother, Mrs. Macie Grogden of Lubbock; to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clark in the passing of their brother-in-law, Ralph Beasley of Plainview.

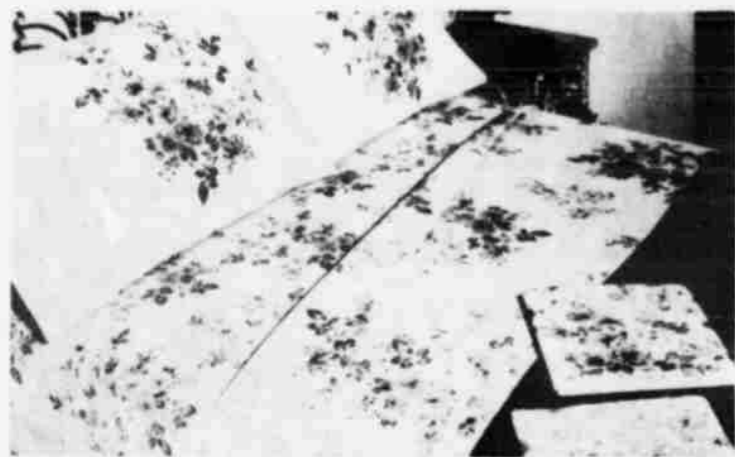
MAX MOSS, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Moss, returned home Wednesday from Hi-Plains Hospital in Hale Center, where he received treatment for several days. J. A. CARRUTH, father of Mrs. Carroll Moss, underwent surgery in Methodist Hospital, last week in Lubbock.

GORDON THOMAS is receiving treatment at room 225 in Littlefield Hospital.

MRS. G. B. LaFRANCE, mother of Mrs. Clovis Poteat, is in University Hospital in Lubbock with cracked bones in her left leg.

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