



Damages amounted to more than \$200,000. Shown here are the charred remains of an evergreen tree in a street planter on Phelps Avenue, (left), various hand tools (lower right), rolls of wire, buckets of paint, water heaters, lumber, stock watering tanks and sheet metal.

(Staff Photo by Joella Lovvorn)



VOLUNTEER FIREMEN were in great danger for awhile early Sunday morning while fighting the office blaze at Wilemon Oil Company. Firemen continue to spray the scorched fuel tanks in an effort to cool them down and avoid an explosion. A county deputy and a firefighter go through some of the office equipment in search of valuables. (Staff Photo by Joella Lovvorn)

CHARRED RUINS of Higginbotham-Bartlett's lumber shed emitted only an occasional swirl of smoke at noon Sunday, after volunteer firemen from the Sudan, Muleshoe, Earth, Olton, Abernathy and Anton aided the Littlefield Department in the morning-long fire fight. The fire began shortly after 4 a.m. Sunday, only minutes apart from a blaze which destroyed Pioneer Oil Company's office building, located about two blocks away.

# Man Charged With Arson In \$200,000 Fire

SLASH RODGERS, 34-year-old Littlefield Negro man, was taken into custody at 12:30 Monday by Lamb County Sheriff E.D. McNeese charged with arson in connection with the two fires early Sunday morning which destroyed \$200,000 worth of business property at two Littlefield firms.

McNeese said Hutchins gave officers a statement Monday afternoon setting the fire to the Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Shed and Wilemon Oil Company. Hutchins told officers he wasn't mad at anyone, but "just like to see things burning," he admitted.

McNeese said the first fire started at the lumber shed two blocks away. The sheriff

said the man then ran across the gin and locker across the tracks on U.S. 385 yelling "fire, fire," then came back to the scene of the fire and helped the firemen extinguish the blazes.

Hutchins is charged with arson, and his bond is set at \$10,000.

The fire at Higginbotham's was telephoned in from Slim's Cafe at 3:55 and four minutes later the fire was discovered at Wilemon's.

Three large overhead storage tanks, less than 10 yards from Wilemon's office, contained 21,000 gallons of gasoline and diesel fuel, and threatened to explode throughout the blazing inferno. Firemen who fought that blaze and kept water on the tanks and nozzles to keep them cool literally took their lives in their hands.

Despite the loss of property, officials counted themselves lucky, due to the fact that there were no injuries. Fire Chief Leon Durham said tragedy would have surely come had the tanks erupted.

Soon after the two blazes were roaring infernos, other fire reports were turned in. A call that there was a house on fire across the tracks and to the east of Wilemon's turned out to be a grass and trash fire. During the height of the blaze, a false fire alarm went off at another downtown business.

Due to the false alarms and the burglar alert, officials didn't know what they were facing for a time, and numerous businessmen were routed from their sleep and advised to go to their places of business to watch for

arsonists and possible burglary attempts.

Sometime early Sunday morning there was an attempt made to break into the VFW building, and the Littlefield Country Club was broken into and robbed of a colored tv set and a quantity of liquor.

Following on the heels of a till taping at Littlefield Super Market about noon Saturday for a time officials believed all the incidents may have been connected.

McNeese said that theory was discounted after the arsonist admitted to the fires.

A Lubbock man was arrested in Lubbock on a Lamb County warrant Monday and charged with the theft of \$900 from Littlefield Super Market.

Lather Lewis, 25, remains in the Lubbock County jail with bond set at \$5,000.

Monday, McNeese said he was working on a lead in the breaking and entering of the Country Club. "And that leaves unsolved only the armed robbery of Pioneer Oil Company," he added.

This service station on Delano and Westside was robbed when two black men threatened M. T. Wallace at gunpoint about 8:57 p.m. Friday and took \$375 from the business.

Three Negro men were involved in the till taping at the supermarket when two of the men distracted the checkout clerk over the purchase of a 15 cent sack of potato chips while a third man took the money from the cash register.

While the fires raged, the red skylight was visible as far away as 30 miles. Firefighting units and volunteers from Morton, Sudan, Muleshoe, Earth, Olton, Abernathy and Anton joined the Littlefield department in quelling the blazes and remained on stand-by alert in the event of additional eruptions.

The lumberyard's warehouse contained an undetermined amount of lumber, gallons of paint, tools, a truck, a front-end loader, water heaters, fencing equipment, a tin and other supplies. The

lumber storage area had been in that location for about 50 years.

Oscar Wilemon said he built his warehouse and office building when he started his business at the Delano location 39 years ago. He said the wood in the building was old and dry. In addition, a quantity of oil was inside the warehouse which added fuel to the blaze which completely destroyed the building in minutes.

A ledger in a fire-proof safe was the only records he salvaged in the fire. Other records over his long years of business were destroyed.

Wilemon said, "We certainly are going to stay in business. We'll have an office open in the next few days." He continued, "We will begin re-building the office as soon as possible."

Harold Clement at Higginbotham's was taking inventory Monday and Tuesday trying to determine his losses.

Debris at the lumber warehouse smoldered until past noon Sunday, and smoke from the blaze resulted in a substantial amount of smoke damage to Wallace Furniture, Perry's Variety and Anthony's across the street and northwest in the windward direction.

## LAMB COUNTY

# LEADER-NEWS

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## Girl Receives Injuries In One Of Three Accidents

Earth teenage girl was seriously injured Sunday and two other teenagers received serious injury.

Miss Jones remains in Lubbock's Hospital where her condition is "critical."

Miss Jones was the passenger in a car driven by 17-year-old Terri Tina White, also of Earth. According to Lamb County highway patrolman, Harry Keyes, Miss White turned left in front of a pickup driven by Ronald Myer

Haberer of Earth.

The pickup struck the passenger side of the car and both vehicles slid off the highway.

The accident occurred in front of the Shell service station inside the Earth city limits.

Both girls were brought to the Littlefield Hospital by Parsons Ambulance, and Miss Jones was later transferred to Lubbock. The driver was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital and has been dismissed.

Marian Donice Quigley, a 14-year-old Springlake girl, went off the road north

of Circle Gin northwest of Olton about 3:15 Saturday afternoon. Her car clipped off a power pole.

Patrolman Santiago Robles said the pole was near a circuit breaker which automatically cut the electric current and saved her from electrocution.

A third accident Saturday occurred at the crossroad at Amherst on U.S. 84.

Cathie Maxine McLelland of Sudan was going into Amherst and pulled in front of a vehicle driven by Ricky Lynn Humphreys of Sudan. There were no personal injuries, but damage to the vehicles was substantial.

## Anton Citizens To Celebrate City's 50th Anniversary

50 years ago the town of Anton was established, and on Aug. 3 of this year, citizens will celebrate their 50th Anniversary.

News accounts of Anton's anniversary indicate that on Dec. 3, 1924, hundreds of property seekers flocked to the edge of town on that morning

to make their mad rush into Anton, grab a tag from a stake on one of the town's lots and make a down payment for a future home or business site.

Plans for the celebration now being made include a barbeque, a parade, games of all kinds and reunions of old school classes.

## City Councilmen To Meet Tonight

Four items of business will come before the Littlefield City Council when members meet in regular session at 7 tonight.

The first item on the agenda is to be the determination of a public hearing date for the General Telephone Rate Increase request.

The second item will be a public hearing to consider Southwestern Public

Service Company's proposed rate increase, and the consideration of passing an ordinance adopting that proposal.

In matters of new business, councilmen will discuss providing dog catching service for the City of Amherst; and councilmen will review the Revenue Sharing Planned Use Report for funds to be received between July 1, 1974 and June 30, 1975.

## Workshop Seminar Slated Tuesday

A workshop seminar, "Putting It Together", to aid various volunteer organizations, is scheduled for Tuesday evening, June 25, at 7:30 p.m. in the Lamb County Electric Co-op building.

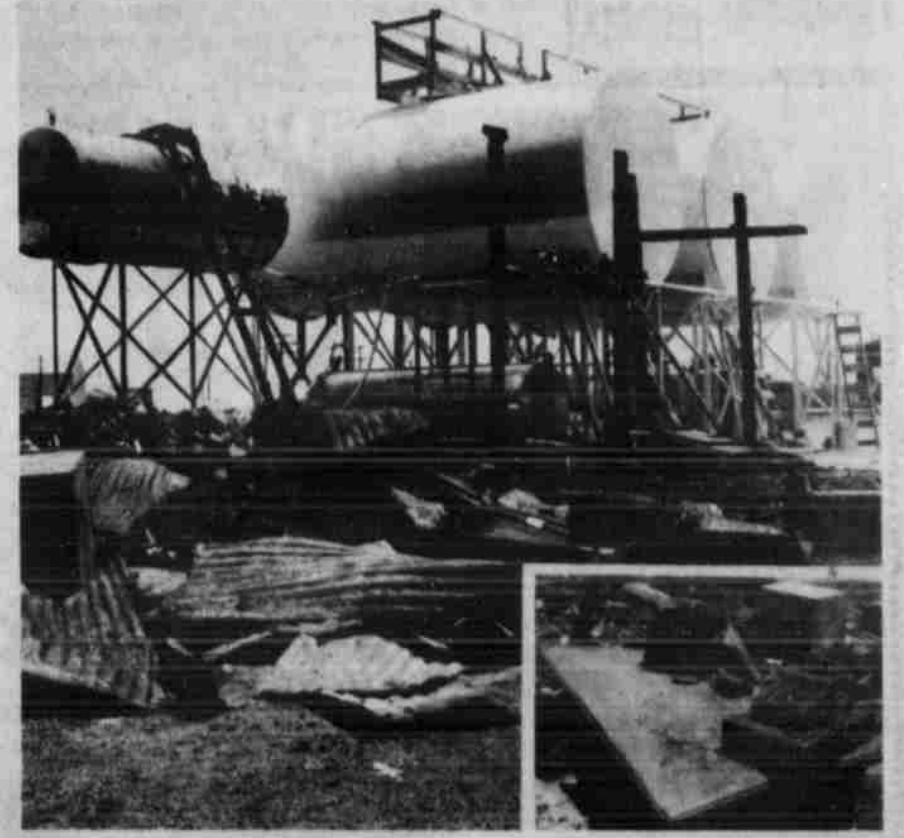
According to Chamber of Commerce president J. L. Marcum, the seminar will serve to "stimulate and get people active in their organizations."

Conducting the seminar will be Roy Faubion, president of the Hereford C-C, and Jim Tucker, member of the board of directors of the Hereford C-C. The

emphasis will be on people power and "Putting It Together."

The workshop is for officers, committee heads and members of any volunteer organization. It is designed to give members of any organization a better insight as to what their jobs actually are, and how to get the most mileage out of the organization and its purpose.

The workshop will be about 2 1/2 hours long and a \$5 tuition fee will be charged.



FIVE SCORCHED TANKS filled with 21,000 gallons of diesel and gasoline remain as a memorial to the Wilemon Oil Company property, which fell victim to an arsonist's hand early Sunday morning in the northern business district of Littlefield. Shown below the smaller tank are cans of oil that added fuel to the blaze. In the foreground, left, is filing cabinet which held many office records, and in the inset, lower right, is the twisted office desk bearing a blackened cash register and filing cabinet. (Staff Photo by Joella Lovvorn and Karen Walker)

## All-America Game Scheduled Saturday

Several tickets are available from Lions Club members of Littlefield for the 14th Annual Coaches All-America Game, to be played in Jones Stadium on the Texas Tech University campus in Lubbock Saturday.

For Lubbock and the Texas South Plains, this grid classic has become "All Americans On the Line For Hand-

icapped Americans."

This is the fifth consecutive year the game has been played in Lubbock.

Many needy charities in Littlefield, on the South Plains and throughout the state have benefitted through more than \$160,000 of the net proceeds from the games.

## 'TEXAS' Trip Slated June 25

The Littlefield Chamber of Commerce is working up a bus trip for Palo Duro Canyon and the play, "TEXAS", for the night of Tuesday, June 25.

Leon Burch will serve as "wagon boss" for the tours this summer.

A steak dinner, reserved show seats and the round-trip bus ticket will cost \$12 per person, and reservations are to be turned in to the C-C office in city hall.

Last summer, more than 150 persons from this area saw the play.

WELCOME HOME

ANTON'S 50th BIRTHDAY

1924-AUGUST-3rd-1974

RESIDENTS, left to right, Doug Teague, H. M. Coffman and W. J. [unclear] recently placed this "Welcome Home" sign on Anton's City Hall, in preparation for 50th Anniversary celebrations Aug. 3. (Personal Photo)



# Veterans Charge Past Day Taco Friday

They took it on the first time this when second-place stamped them 17-7. It was Taco's night. It was 10 wins and the Veterans their record to a 14-1.

Devilla fired a two-lead the Veterans, Westmoreland double.

Randell pitched for seven. Adrian Solis a pair of singles.

into the final two the season, WOW in 1 1/2 games in history and Lions and two games.

They won their other Leader-News. Adam Solis got for the winners, while the winning was Derek Twitty.

Sierra and Steve pitched doubles for the and Garland notched a single.

passed an 8-6 win over State Friday with of a five-run third inning Rangel twirled at the Bankers hitting help from Dan with two singles.

Williams punched a and Rangel and Zane and drilled singles.

Smith pitched for the and Pat Torres and Galindo slashed.

league action, Pay & Save 10-10. Rodriguez spearheaded men attack by a homer and limiting to only six hits pitching. Jimmy slugged a pair of for the winners and doubled.

Harris led the losers double and a single.

Conteras cracked two and Jerry Jones and pitched in hits.

split a pair of games, to the Lions in a pit- then dropping 7-2.

Jackson of the Lions. Williams of both tossed one-hitters game Saturday, but got on base more on easily, 9-3. Marty double for the winners and Perea socked a for the losers.

Birkelbach, Ruben gave Rotary another strong pitching performance as he threw a two-hitter. He joined teammates Tommy Williams, Raymond Perea and Robert Flores with singles.

Tracy Birkelbach pitched for Birkelbach and got hitting support from Hoby Phillips and Jamie Rangel.

The Lions pushed across four big runs in the second inning Monday to slip by Fire Dept. 7-5. The Firemen had taken the early lead when they scored four in the first inning.

Raul Villafranco hammered a homer and a single for the winners, and Herbert Spencer got a single. David Duenes picked up the win.

For Fire Dept., Bruce Payne doubled and Pitcher Brady Bradley singled.



JOSEPH CARLISLE (center) of Carlisle-Oldham Ford, Inc., Littlefield, receives Ford Motor Company's highest honor for outstanding service to the customer—the Distinguished Service Citation. Making the presentation are William A. Huffman (left), Dallas district manager for Ford's Customer Service Division, and Joseph A. Kordick, service programs manager for the division in Dearborn, Mich. The award signifies that the dealership ranks in the upper 15 per cent of Ford and Lincoln-Mercury dealers nationally in terms of service to the customer. (Ford Photo)



## LL STANDINGS

MINOR LEAGUE STANDINGS			
W	L	T	
TASTY TACO	10	1	2
VFW	9	4	1
CARLISLE-O	6	4	1
LEADER-NEWS	5	7	
SECURITY ST.	0	14	

MAJOR LEAGUE STANDINGS			
W	L	T	
WOW	9	2	
LIONS	6	6	
ROTARY	6	6	
BIRKELBACH	5	6	
FIRE DEPT.	5	6	
PAY & SAVE	3	8	

## PRE-SUMMER CLEARANCE

<b>SHOES</b>	100 VALUE..... \$7.99
	150 VALUE..... \$17.99
	200 VALUE..... \$10.99 AND \$12.99
<b>MEN'S CANVAS</b>	100 VALUE..... \$4.99
<b>SANDALS</b>	100 VALUE..... \$8.99
<b>ONE GROUP DRESSES</b>	VALUES TO 130.00
<b>1/2 PRICE</b>	
<b>TOPS</b>	100 VALUES..... \$19.99
<b>SKIRTS</b>	100 VALUES..... \$14.99
<b>BLOUSES</b>	100 VALUES..... \$5.99

<b>LADIES CREPE SOLE TIE SHOES</b>	16.00 VALUE..... \$12.99
<b>FLAT RUBBER SOLE</b>	18.95 VALUE..... \$14.99
<b>LADIES &amp; CHILDRENS CANVAS</b>	STILL \$1.99
<b>ONE TABLE</b>	
<b>ODDS 'N ENDS</b>	VALUES TO 19.95
	\$1.99 TO \$3.99
<b>DRESSES</b>	
92.00 VALUE.....	\$59.99
32.00 VALUE.....	\$22.99
56.00 VALUE.....	\$29.99
44.00 VALUE.....	\$22.99

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## PUBLIC RECORDS

**Divorces**  
In the matter of the marriages of: Deena Tyson and Clyde Tyson, divorce was granted May 15.  
Ignacio Rendon and Esther Rendon, divorce was granted May 21.  
Carolyn Sue Johnson and Frank J. Johnson, granted May 21.  
Thelma M. Parrott and Earl C. Parrott, granted May 21.  
Beatrice Ramirez Cano and Placido A. Cano, granted May 21.  
**District Civil Suits**  
Mary Morgan versus Travis Gayle Morgan, reciprocal enforcement of support, filed May 3.  
Amador Gutierrez versus M. H. Been, suit for injunction against foreclosure of lien, filed May 3.  
Grant Wabington Jr., versus George Alvin Taylor and Maria D. Taylor, personal injury (auto collision) filed May 6.  
Owen Bros. Custom Feeding, Inc., versus Cleo Whitmire, breach of agreement, filed May 8.  
Elbert G. Gleaton versus Allstate Life Insurance Co., insurance claim for accident injury, filed May 9.  
Sandra Lambert Carter versus George Lambert, partition of property, filed May 17.

**State Line Irrigation Co., Ins., versus the McPherson, Eunice McPherson trustee, filed May 17.**  
Western Surety Company versus Jerrell Haberer, Grace Haberer, Betty Ann Hall, Ralph Gage, and Non-Tex Trucking, Inc., filed May 21.  
**Warranty Deeds**  
Iva L. Throop Canalla, Thelma J. Hukill, Lot 1, Blk. 1, Westside Addn.  
Willard Shavor, Leroy Maxfield, Lab. 17, lge. 647.  
Brode M. Puckett, Jack A. Rollins, 1/4 int. Lab. 14, Lge. 652.  
J. D. Evins Jr., Joseph A. Blevins, N/2 of Lab. 21, Lge. 685.  
Annie Maude Holman, Leeman B. Elms, Lab. 1, Lge. 677, State Capitol Lands.  
Bonnie Lee Watson, Edwin Earl Watson, Lots 15, 16, Blk. 1, Westside Addn.  
Elizabeth Bailey Watson, Luis Luera Sr., Lots 23, 24, 25, 26, 26, Blk. 102-Olton.  
Hazel May Taylor, Richard Sherrill, Lots 5, 6, Blk. 39-Amh.  
Cecil Martin, Lewis W. Wilkinson, Lot 1, E/10' of Lot 2, Blk. 8, Crescent Park.  
Ronald Ernest Bell, V. M. Peterman, Lot 5, Blk. 10, Crescent Park.  
Leon Richardson, Billie E. Pointer, W/21' of Lot 6, Lot 7, Blk. 21, Crescent Park.  
Alberta Neal, J. C. Withrow, S/2 of Lab. 5, Lge. 213.  
B. P. Cosgrove, Velerain Laud Boord, Lab. 1, 2, 9, 10, Lge. 675.  
C. B. Jaquess, Harold W. Martin, Lot 21, Blk. 20, Westside Addn.  
Garland Bryant, Larry Stanley, SE/4 of Sect. 51, Blk. 1.  
Thurman J. Moody, Jack A. Peel, 4 ac. out of NW corner of Lab. 23.  
Vicente F. Minez, Raul Munez, Lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, Blk. 10-Earth.  
Chester Harvey, Neil Farr Baern, Lots 10, 11, 12, Blk. 3.  
Bob Wear, Pearl Pace, Lots 1, W/2 of 12, Blk. 7, Duggan Znnez.

**James M. Speer, Robert Menincke, NW corner of SE/4 of Sect. 26.**  
R. S. Gatewood, Doris Warren, Lab. 4, Lge. 215, Lab. 24.  
B. E. Pointer, Nina H. Rogers, Lot 12, E/2 of Lot 11, Blk. 31.  
Athol Lighte, Elmer Lewis, Lot 28, Blk. 37-Olton.  
Fred Grisham, James M. Lackey, 10.2 of Lab. 25, Lge. 644.  
Jose Maria Arroyos, Rafaela Arroyos Diaz, Lot 12, Blk. 27, Olton.  
Agnes Vera Houston, Raunmond Gene Taylor, Lot 1, E/2 of Lot 2, Blk. 8, Duggan Annex.  
Cline Parish, James D. McNeill, Lots 16, 17, Blk. 2, Southside Addn.  
Helen Lois Montgomery, James D. McNeill, Lots 5, 6, Blk. 12, Earth.  
Martin P. Ruiz, James D. McNeill, Lots 18, 19, Blk. 9-Earth.  
Horace A. Mitchell, Ernest D. Goertz, Lot 11, Blk. 8, College Heights Addn.  
R. W. Malone, Fred Hicks, S/2 of 25' of Lot 8, Blk. 75-Olton.  
Norma Phillips, Lucille E. Robinson, Lot 15, Blk. 29, Duggan Annex.  
A. H. Bussanmas, Dannie L. Bussanmas, W/2 of Lab. 3, Lge. 671.  
L. E. Slate, Elray Rosco, E/40' of Lot 17, 18, Blk. 26-Sudan.  
Robert H. Park, James Withrow, Lab. 24, Lge. 218.  
L. B. Eady, J. D. Nelson, Lot 2, Blk. 26, Amh.  
Juan Hernandez Jr., A. J. Herrell, Lot 7, Blk. 7, College Heights Addn.  
Herbert Dunn, Thomas Phil Adkins, S/107' of E/100' of Lot 4, Blk. 8, Southmoore Addn.  
John Sharp, Martin Polanco, Lot 3, Blk. 5, High School Addn.  
Elizabeth Street, (estate of Leonard Green), Eduardo Garcia, Lot 28, 29, Blk. 12, Doughtry Addn.-Earth.  
Minnie Ola Stinson, John Weeks, Lots 7, 8, Blk. 60.

## ENOCHS

MRS. ALMA ALTMAN

MRS. TED HALL has been visiting her children, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Monroe of Anton and Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Hall of Littlefield.

VISITING in the home of Mrs. Alma Altman Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Milsap of Tulsa and their daughter, Kena and Valerie. Saturday, Mrs. R. C. McCormick came. They were all planning to go to their homes on Saturday, but due to the severe sandstorm they remained until Sunday morning.

MR. AND MRS. Bob Newton went to Houston for him to get his regular check-up from his doctor. He will have to go back for a minor surgery in a few days.

MRS. CHARLIE BYARS attended Eastern Star installation services at the lodge hall Saturday night. Her children were all here for the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parr and family of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Har-daway and family of Littlefield and Tom Byars and his wife and son of Friona.

VISITING in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Coats were Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Coats and Kerry Wayne of Levelland, Keith Coats of Hobbs, N.M., and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones of Clovis.

MRS. G. R. NEWMAN received news of the serious illness of her sister in Ft. Worth and she left by bus Wednesday. Newman has been ill and is being taken care of by his children and the neighbors.

CHESTER PETREE has not been feeling as well this week and was required to remain in bed for a week.

VACATION Bible School closed last Friday with an average attendance of 55. Friday they had a picnic at the park at Morton. They all had a good time.

MR. AND MRS. Jimmy Gresham of Jefferson City, Mo. were visitors in Enochs Baptist Church. They are former pastor of this church in 1966-67. They were on their way to Southern Baptist Convention in Dallas this next week.

MRS. SYLVIA HALL has moved her trailer home to Lubbock where she will be nearer her children.

## Texas Plant Disease Handbook Available

All you ever wanted to know about plant diseases is contained in the new "Texas Plant Disease Handbook."

The handbook has been prepared by plant pathologists for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and contains disease descriptions and approved chemical control recommendations for all major crops and ornamentals, points out Dr. Wendell Horne, Extension plant pathologist at Texas A&M University.

Information on the handbook is available from the Extension Plant Pathology Section, Plant Sciences Building, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas 77843.

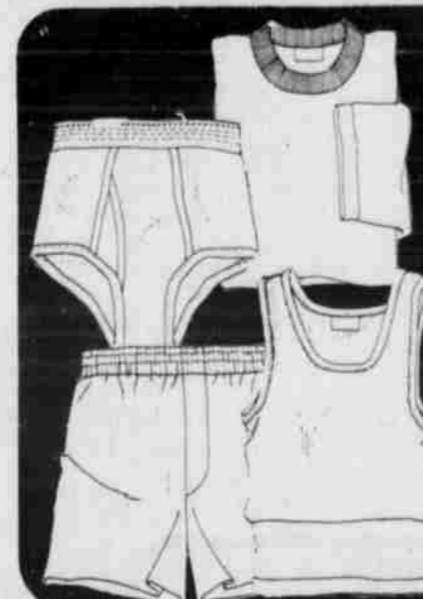
A copy is on hand at each county Extension office in the state, and Horne invites those interested in the handbook to check with their county agent for a review of the handbook.

## JCPenney underwear sale



**Women's panties. 20% off.**  
**Sale 47¢ TO 88¢**  
Reg. 59¢ to \$1.10

Choose from our entire selection of women's briefs and bikinis in an assortment of styles and fiber blends, including lace trimmed nylon/tricot, combed cotton prints and more. In a wide range of colors and sizes.



**Men's underwear. 20% off**  
**Sale 3/2<sup>79</sup> TO 3/3<sup>03</sup>**  
Reg. 3/3.49 to 3/3.79

Stock up and save on men's T-shirts, athletic shirts, briefs and shorts. All in soft, machine washable fabrics.



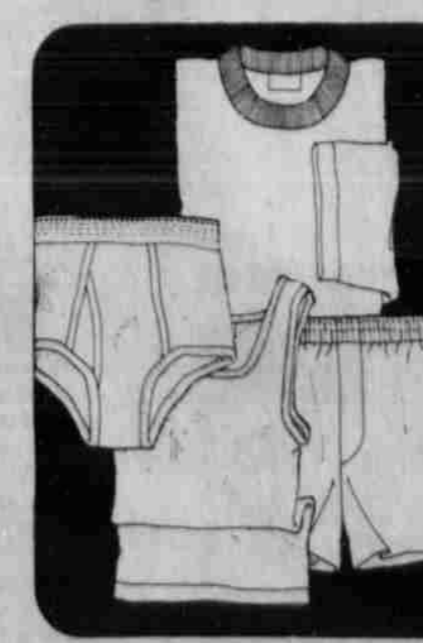
**Girls' underwear 20% off.**  
**Sale 3/1<sup>75</sup> TO 3/1<sup>99</sup>**  
Reg. 3/2.19 to 3/2.49

That's 20% off all girls' briefs and bikinis in a variety of elastic or band leg styles. Savings on undershirts and bras, too including popular beginner styles. Polyester/cotton, nylon and other fiber blends in assorted colors and sizes.



**20% off Penneys baby diapers.**  
**Sale 68¢ TO 1<sup>16</sup>**  
Reg. 85¢ to 1.45

Save 20% on Toddler® disposable diapers in newborn, daytime, overnight and extra absorbent sizes. More savings on infant's underwear, including polyester/cotton gripper shirts, vinyl/plastic training pants, terry reversibles and other popular styles. In infant sizes.



**20% off boys' underwear.**  
**Sale 3/2<sup>15</sup> TO 3/2<sup>38</sup>**  
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# LETTERS

## To The EDITOR

Lamb County Leader-News  
Dear Editor:

"Where there is no vision the people perish. Proverbs 29:18"

A few days ago I had occasion to visit Littlefield after an absence of some 23 years having previously lived in Littlefield from 1833 to 1951 and as I walked down the main street the sight that met my eyes was one of dismay, empty store buildings stared out at me like vacant eye sockets from a dry bleached skull. I passed buildings that were still occupied and for the most part they are the same I remembered when I first came to Littlefield in 1933, only older and more run down.

I was impressed by the improvement in the looks of the street, but it reminded me of the farmer who planted a field of alfalfa, for a time it grew well and he prospered. Then the stand began to thin out and less and less hay was harvested until finally the farmer decided he must do something else his living would be cut off so he plowed around the borders, even fertilized and watered it a little, even built a nice fence across the front next to the road, but none of these measures seemed to help, finally his field of alfalfa would no longer pay to harvest. The farmer simply ignored the basic rule of nature, you can't forever take from your field or storehouse without putting back.

Littlefield is like the farmer's alfalfa field, you take and take and take, but don't put back.

I drove a short way out of town on what used to be the main hi-way to Amherst and more junk and desolation met my eyes.

I then drove through some of what used to be good residential streets and I saw more vacant houses slowly falling apart, this distressed me to see the decay of a city that I used to think had much potential for growth, so again parking on main street I walked down the street and as I walked I wondered what has brought this condition about.

Then I began to notice all the people I met were old or middle aged. Even as I entered various business concerns, I

found old people running them. People I had known many years ago, then it came to me what started this slide downward that threatens to destroy so many of our small cities in the great agriculture centers is that the people have simply lost their vision.

Littlefield, like so many small cities, has simply exported its most valuable crop, their bright young people, until there is nothing left but older men and women who have lost their vision.

It's like a rancher starting out with a good herd of cows and selling all the calves each year and keeping no young replacements until the cows grow old and cease to be productive or die, so the rancher looking only at the short pull finds himself broke and out of business, simply because he did not look ahead.

Littlefield, to prosper, badly needs industry that can supply at least 800 full time jobs at good pay, to encourage the young people to stay. It is simply impossible to have progress without the enthusiasm, the imagination and courage of young people. Young people have visions, old people only have dreams of the past.

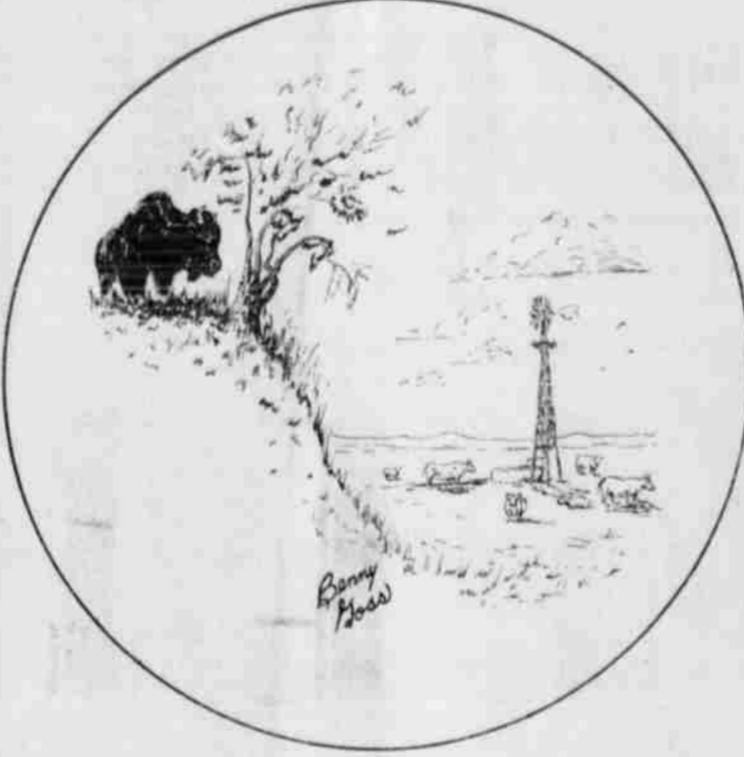
But to get new worthwhile industry takes work and money, plus know-how and enthusiasm. In other words, as Solomon so wisely said, "Without vision the people perish."

There are hundreds of towns in the good farming sections of the country that have almost ceased to exist, simply because the people refused to look ahead.

There are hundreds more that have looked ahead and actively sought industry and are growing and thriving. They are keeping many of their young aggressive people at home after they finish college by having good jobs for them, instead of letting them drift to the big cities to enrich them.

Littlefield, wake up, or one day you will wake up to find your living gone, your property worthless.

Sincerely  
s/Henry Banks  
Bunger Route  
Graham, Tex. 76046



COMMEMORATIVE COIN sets are now on sale at the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture office, located in the city hall. A set of four coins of various metals are priced at \$100; a set of three coins, \$50; and a set of two, \$10. The front and back of the coins will bear the artwork of Benny Goss as shown above. The sketch of George W. Littlefield will appear on the front of all succeeding coins too, but the back design will be changed yearly. The first coin will bear this scene of early days on the Halsell Ranch on the backside.

# CLIPS & TIPS

By JOELLA LOVVERN

HERE ARE SOME MORE salads you can use this summer to add spice to your meals.

- LEMONADE-LIME SOUFFLE**  
1 (3 oz. pkg.) lemon flavored gelatin  
1 (3 oz. pkg.) lime flavored gelatin  
2 cups boiling water  
1 cup lemonade  
1 cup mayonnaise  
1 (8 oz. pkg.) cream cheese  
4 egg whites  
1/3 cup sugar

Dissolve gelatin in boiling water. Add lemonade. Combine mayonnaise and softened cream cheese, mixing until well blended. Gradually blend in gelatin mixture; chill until slightly thickened. Beat eggs until soft peaks form. Gradually add sugar, beating until stiff peaks form. Fold egg whites into gelatin mixture. Wrap a 3-inch collar of aluminum foil around top of 1-quart souffle dish or six to eight 3/4 cup dessert dishes; secure with tape. Pour mixture into dish; chill until firm. Remove foil collar before serving. Garnish with lime slices, if desired. 6 to 8 servings.

**SNAPPY SALMON MOLD**

- 2 envelopes unflavored gelatin  
1 1/2 cups cold water  
1 cup salad dressing  
1/2 cup French dressing  
1/2 cup dairy sour cream  
1 (1 lb.) can salmon, drained, flaked  
1 cup chopped celery

Soften gelatin in cold water; stir over low heat until dissolved. Cool. Combine salad dressing, French dressing and sour cream. Stir in gelatin; chill until slightly thickened. Fold in salmon and celery; pour into 1 1/2-quart mold, brushed with salad dressing. Chill until firm; unmold. Garnish with endive, if desired. Makes 5 to 6 servings.

BUYING BEEF WHOLESALE for storage in the home freezer can be a money-saving experience—if it's done wisely.

Here are some guidelines, as listed by Woodrow Bailey, livestock and meat specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"First of all, locate a reliable firm. Decide what cuts of beef your family likes and know how much you consume over a period of time. Beef will usually show some storage flavor after six months in a freezer."

For a family of six or more people that enjoys hamburgers, steaks and pot roasts, buy a complete side of beef. "This will provide all the cuts you see displayed in a supermarket."

If broiled steaks are the family preference, a full loin may be the best purchase as it will yield only sirloin, porterhouse, T-bone and club steaks.

For those favoring pot roasts, a fore

quarter would be in order, advises the Texas A&M University System specialist. "The price would be much less than a hind quarter and the amount of edible meat would be about the same."

Buy beef according to grades by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. The "Choice" grade is best if steaks and roasts are to be broiled or dry roasted. Choice beef has been fed longer and has more marbling (fat scattered throughout the lean). It is more expensive. On the other hand, "Good" grade beef is suitable if steaks are pan fried and roasts are "pot roasted."

"If ungraded beef is bought, check the rib eye muscle for a liberal sprinkling of fat throughout the lean."

Cattle that have been grain fed provide the best beef for your money, contends Bailey. He advises against purchasing a calf for your freezer out of a pasture.

"When buying beef wholesale, be sure the meat is trimmed properly with only a minimum amount of fat. A choice carcass should not have more than one-half inch of fat on the outside."

The specialist also suggests that a wholesale cut or carcass be weighed in the buyer's presence. A carcass should yield about 75 percent retail cuts, with the remaining 25 per cent going to fat and bones.

I'D LIKE to wish Turn Row "Happy Birthday"—and now he's over the hill as of yesterday. But again, they say life BEGINS at 40, and it should be down hill all the way.

TIPS AND TIDBITS: TO SAVE MONEY, in dips calling for a sour cream base, you can use cottage cheese which has been put through a sieve.

SELECT CARPETING with an eye to adjacent outside areas—dark carpeting for living area next to white sand outside areas—dark carpeting for living area next to white sand outside would be unwise. A white carpet would be less practical than a colored one for children's rooms or kitchens.

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# THE ABUNDANT LIFE

## What We Owe

WE HAVE EXPECTATIONS concerning our rights; how we should be treated; what should be done for us; what privileges should be granted to us; and concerning the attention and consideration we think we should receive.

These expectations can, and do cause much of the difficulty which most of us experience. Of course, this condition is worse for some persons than it is for others.

Unfortunately, there are people who seem to be completely captivated by what they want and what they expect; and they have very little regard for others or for what they may owe to other people.

WE MUST BE CONCERNED about our rights; about how we are treated; about what should be done for us; about the privileges we should be granted; and about the attention and consideration which we should receive; but our thoughts and actions must not be completely absorbed by these.

If we are controlled by such excessive interest in self, we are in trouble. In fact, we are fashioning a life situation in which our problems and difficulties will increase.

OUR CONCERN ABOUT SELF must be correctly balanced with our regard for other people. We have obligations toward self, and there are some justified expectations in our considerations of how other people should treat us; and we also have obligations toward others which must never be neglected.

It is important that we put all of this together in a workable and agreeable behavior pattern.

"THE BEST WAY to do good to

ourselves, is to do good to Anon.

WE MUST NOT neglect because this will lead to one of the worst forms of personal ineffectiveness.

Somewhere between neglect and the inordinate concern for what people should do for us, find the most desirable pattern. This manner of thought and will include a well thought understanding of "what we owe" persons.

We do have such obligations as reasonable and sensible of which can be successfully done.

"WHAT WE OWE" to others a constancy in our life cannot be pushed aside, or in any way.

We must not let the perversity and reactions of other people to the obligations we have toward them. Nothing must be permitted to prevent the full recognition of these obligations.

"What we owe" others, like must be carefully identified and cheerfully and generously as

"MUCH MISCONSTRUCTIVE bitterness are spared to him naturally upon what he owes rather than what he ought to receive from them." —Guizot.

IN MOST SITUATIONS, we likely receive what we think justly due; when we are careful about "what we owe" to others work faithfully to meet obligations.

HOWNY GRITS  
By CORNBALL BLEW

SUPPOSE I OUGHTA try to make good on my promise to write something on the "BOX CAR SHANTIES" so common-place in the days of the "NESTORS". I find this most difficult to do without making most of the text about the people, themselves.

The reasons these shacks were called, "Box-Car" was because that's just what they resembled. All, usually, just twice as long as they were wide, and having the conventional boxcar type cover on them. This was acquired by running a 2x12 stringer through the middle of the roof with 2x6 quarter stringers equidistant from the middle to the side, and finally a 2x4 laid flat at the very wall.

Then, of course the decking had to be the exact length to reach from one wall to the other. No splicing was recommended, because the board had to be bent, or sprung, to cover the stringers and give that oval top affect desired. The decking was then covered with "tar-paper", or roofing material.

THE WALLS WERE of the box and strip construction. This meant that they were made of 1x12 boxing boards, and the cracks were covered by 1x4 strips. If you have concluded that you had about three quarters of an inch of wood between you and the outside, you're right.

Some of the better-to-do had regular flooring while others economized with the 1x6 ship-lap floors. These set on floor-joists of either 2x4, or, six. Depending on your condition of credit.

The most common shack was 14x28 feet, and divided into two rooms. The

foundation consisted of cedar spaced at regular (or irregular) intervals around the sides of the shack with a few through the middle of the floor from making like a trap when you walked across it.

NEEDLESS TO SAY, it was that you had to guess as to what weather was like outside. If it was sprinkled, you heard it. If it was blowing, you felt it. If you knew from what direction, you just observe the walls, and if you know about the velocity, you know how far the walls bowed in. To get the temperature was no problem. The only a couple degrees difference between inside and outside, unless you had started a fire in the heater.

I SUPPOSE THE saving factor durability of the shacks was flexibility. There's still a few standing, over the country, abandoned or used for storage of the farms. It was a well known fact that some of them stood through notable windstorms.

I recall that ours was still standing after the Thanksgiving sandstorm even though we stayed in it for while, and watched the walls bow and out like a winded horse. We began to notice that the corner of the building, was rising and falling back on the block. I decided it was time to go to the ODDLY ENOUGH, I don't recall any of the little houses in our neighborhood that were lost in that wind. See BOX CAR.

# Turn Row COMMENTS

By EMIL MAC

LOOKS LIKE SOME folks accomplished in one week, what the Chamber of Commerce had been trying to do over the past several years, and that is getting Littlefield in the news. I'm not so sure that the publicity we received is the kind we need or want, but nevertheless we got it.

Of course the Farmers and Ranchers for Natural Weather, versus Atmospherics, Inc., put us in the spotlight early in the week, but what I'm referring to is the \$200,000 fire damage we received early Sunday morning.

It seems that the publicity is directed to Littlefield, the merchants who were losers in the fire, and now the arson suspect. Very little is directed to the group of courageous men from Littlefield and the surrounding area who gave up their night's sleep and a Sunday with their families to work under a most dangerous condition to protect the property of others, to the best of their ability, from this disaster. These men are the volunteer fire fighters.

I remember a few years back while covering a fire for the Leader-News, a remark was made: (one that I will never forget) "Why is it every time we lose a building we make the front page and very little if anything is ever mentioned when we save a home or a business?" Think about it? We as news-hungry Americans seem to enjoy reading about disaster instead of heroic deeds.

A big tip of the hat goes to our

volunteer fire department and families. We are blessed that the firemen are well trained and have suffered much physical injury.

There is no reward in being a volunteer fireman, other than that satisfaction in helping his neighbor. He must spend a night a week for training and must answer each beckon of duty regardless of day or night, or the week. Many times, plans are changed and the battle against fire NUMBER ONE priority.

Many of our local firemen are employed, or run what some call horse business, and when the sounds they shut their doors and the fire. Others work for the utility companies and their part-time group are employed by metropolitan areas. It is needless to say that anyone who employs a fireman lives with a fireman is also involved in the fire.

In order for us to all get involved in this disaster, it is to stay out of these trained men who know what they are doing. Each has his job and interruption could cause them to form their job inefficiently because they have to watch out for you. If the help, they will ask for it. So let's help them in their job. Remember, the news or business they save may be yours.

A RARE BOOK is one that comes after you have loaned it.

# OBITUARIES

GALE ETTER  
Gravestone services for Gale Etter, 50, of Lubbock, were conducted Saturday morning in the Roby Cemetery.

Miss Etter died about 5:45 p.m. Thursday, June 13, at her home following a lengthy illness.

Officiating was Rev. Joe S. Harper, pastor of the First United Methodist Church at Roby.

Franklin-Bartley Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Miss Etter was a native of Roby and had lived in Littlefield from 1930 to 1945, when she went to Lubbock where she lived from 1945 to 1947 and from 1963 until her death.

She was a draftsman and had attended Texas Tech.

Surviving are her parents, Jim P. Etter of Lubbock and Mrs. Galen Etter of Lubbock; a brother, Gates S. Etter of Escondido Calif.; and a sister, Mrs. Ganell Toeci of Lubbock.

IDA MAE HALL  
Services for Mrs. Ida Mae Hall, 93, of Amherst, who died in Amherst Manor about 11:45 p.m. Sunday, June 16, following an extended illness, were conducted Tuesday morning in the Amherst Church of Christ.

The minister, B. W. Briggs and Rev. Glenn Wilson, pastor of First Baptist Church officiated.

Burial was in Littlefield Memorial Park with Payne Funeral Home of Amherst in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Hall went to Amherst in the 1930s. She was a native of Ridgeway and a member of the Church of Christ.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Edna Peñal of Amherst and Mrs. Lavelle Clayton of Earth; a sister, Mrs. James Jones of Frederick, Okla.; and four grandchildren.

LELAND LADUKE

Services for Leland Hathaway LaDuke, 71, of Olton, who died at 1 p.m. Monday, June 17, at his residence in Olton following a short illness, were conducted Wednesday afternoon in the Olton United Methodist Church.

Burial was in the Olton Cemetery with Parsons Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

LaDuke was a native of Llano and had lived at Olton 30 years. He married Hazel Hurd April 3, 1931 in Rochester, Tex.

Surviving are his wife; a son, Travis LaDuke of Jenks, Okla.; two sisters, Mamie Benton of Knox City and Golda Cooner of Dallas; five brothers, L. P. LaDuke of Olton, Ben LaDuke of Venon, Douglas LaDuke of Washington, D. C., Vance LaDuke of Edcouch and Weldon LaDuke of O'Brian; four grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

CLARY W. PHILLIPS

Services for Clary Wells Phillips, 70, a resident of Olton since 1925, were Monday morning in First Baptist Church of Olton with Rev. John Lewis, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Plainview Memorial

Park Cemetery by Parsons Funeral Home of Olton.

Phillips died at 4 p.m. Friday, June 14, in Central Plains Hospital at Plainview.

He moved to Olton from Clarendon. He was one of the organizers of the Olton Grain Co-op and was a member of the Olton Co-op Gin board.

Phillips served as general secretary for the Sunday school at First Baptist Church for 20 years.

Survivors include his wife, Hazel; four daughters, Mrs. Lanette Waldrop of Stratford, Mrs. Joy Lambright of Stinnett, Mrs. Gwen Ziska of Woodstock, N.Y., and Mrs. Mary Maddox of Friona; four sisters, Mrs. Addie Maynard of Baxter, Tenn., Mrs. Jay Jolly of Hale Center, Mrs. Joe Thompson of Ada, Okla., and Mrs. Earl White of Farmington, N.M.; four brothers, Marvin of Sunray, Dewey of Akron, Ohio, Jay of Littlefield and Elmer of La Jolla, Calif.; seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

The family requests that any memorials be made to the organ fund of the First Baptist Church of Olton.

MOLLIE WILSON

Mrs. Mollie Wilson, 77, of Amherst died about 12:05 a.m. Friday, June 14, in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Services were conducted Sunday in the First Baptist Church with burial in Amherst Cemetery under direction of Payne Funeral Home.

She was a long-time Amherst businesswoman who moved to Amherst in 1927 from Paducah.

In 1946 she operated the Amherst variety store. Mrs. Wilson was a member of the First Baptist Church.

She was a native of Navarro County. Survivors include her husband, Fred; a daughter, Mrs. Artie Jewell Humphreys of Amherst; a son, Richard L. of Riverside, Calif.; a brother, C. D. Jones of Lamesa; two sisters, Mrs. Faye Gorre of Plainview and Mrs. Neeley Wilson of Paducah; and two grandchildren.



This vibrant woman owes her life to her promptness in seeing her doctor when she felt a lump in her breast. Now cured of cancer, she is an active volunteer in the American Cancer Society's Reach to Recovery program.

American Cancer Society

# Amherst

IN DIMMITT with their son Sam and family for Father's Day were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Templeton. Other sons and daughters were there for the special day.

MRS. W. F. (Bill) Taylor is

in Lubbock this week. She entered St. Mary's Hospital Monday for scheduled eye surgery. Their daughter, Mrs. J. C. Goodin and Darlene of Tucson, Ariz. are here. Guests in the Taylor home Sunday were Mrs. O. B. Whitford of Earth and their son, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor Jr. of Muleshoe.

HERE WITH their father, W. L. Key, for a surprise Father's Day dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Steven Butler and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gammons of West Camp, Dwaine Key, Kathy and Kenneth of Oklahoma Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Howard

of Littlefield, and Bill Keys and Sid Keys of Enochs. MR. AND MRS. Jack Knox of McCamey visited Mrs. A. F. Copeland, Mrs. Virginia Turner and other friends Friday afternoon. They went to visit relatives in Hereford. Violet (Mrs. Knox) said that her father, Judge John H. Wood of Austin hoped to reach his 101st birthday next fall. He was an early day lawyer in Amherst.

MRS. JOHN FOUST was in Lubbock Sunday with her son, Eddie Mac and family. GENE SMITH of Childress visited his aunt and cousin, Mrs. A. F. Copeland and Virginia Saturday. He was their overnight guest. He had come to Halfway near Plainview, on business.

JEFF AND JANET Haithcock of Carlsbad are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Mary E. Britt. John Dvid

Harlan of Bula was a weekend guest of his grandmother, also.

REV. JOHN H. Rankin of Lorenzo was here Sunday and assisted with Mrs. Fred Wilson's funeral service at the First Baptist Church. He served as pastor here several years.

MR. AND MRS. Bill Workman attended the Workman family reunion held at Lake Murry Lodge, near Ardmore, Okla. Friday through Sunday. About 50 attended this annual reunion. It has been organized since before World War II the past five years held at the Lake Murry Lodge. The relative there from Sterling, Colo. had come the longest distance.

TONYA BEARDEN, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barry Bearden is receiving congratulations for winning "Miss Lamb County" at the

pageant presented in Littlefield Friday night. She received the "Miss Congeniality" award also. She was sponsored by the Lions' Club. Next year she will be "Miss Lamb County" at the Miss West Texas" pageant.

SPENDING several days last week with Mrs. C. A. Thomas were her nephew Burt John and daughter and son Karen Riley and son of Steamboat, Colo. and Mrs. Howard Johnson and Jessie Mae Gibbons of Altus, Okla. and other relatives.

TONYA BEARDEN and Darla Hedges leave Tuesday of next week for Brazil where they will represent the Lion's Club as exchange students. They will be stationed at Belo Horizonte each with a different family. They are to return Aug. 2.

MRS. BILL Workman's brother-in-law, Paul Jones of

Brownwood, is ill in the Orthopedic Hospital, in Lubbock.

MRS. BERTIE JOHNSON of Littlefield visited Mrs. Della Thomas Sunday.

GUESTS of Mr. and Mrs. Jay House Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Wood of Slaton.

WHEN Mr. and Mrs. David Harmon visited their daughter, Mrs. Ron Coffee and family in Dallas recently their grandchildren, Sharalyn, Gina and Bryan Patterson accompanied them. MRS. WILMA SWINDLE of Hart was the weekend guest of her sister, Mrs. W. P. Holland and Mr. Holland.

MRS. BOB PAYNE, Sherry and Michael returned home from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irving McCaleb in Anson.

LINDA AND Darlene Weaver, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Weaver Jr. have an

apartment together near West Texas State University, Canyon. Darlene is a graduate student employed by the college and Linda a 1974 graduate of Amherst High School is a freshman student.

OUT-OF-TOWN relatives attending the Pamela Yantis and Gary Pryor wedding included: Mr. and Mrs. Clay Pumphrey and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Reinsch of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Y. T. Wright and Julia of Odessa; Mr. A. L. Wright Jr. of Odessa; Mrs. Dixie Ogden of Andrews; Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Ramsey of Lewisville; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Houk of Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Van Oxford, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Oxford and Mark of Frederick, Okla. Other guests registered from Lubbock, Littlefield, Sudan, Hart, Amarillo, Eldorado and Levelland.

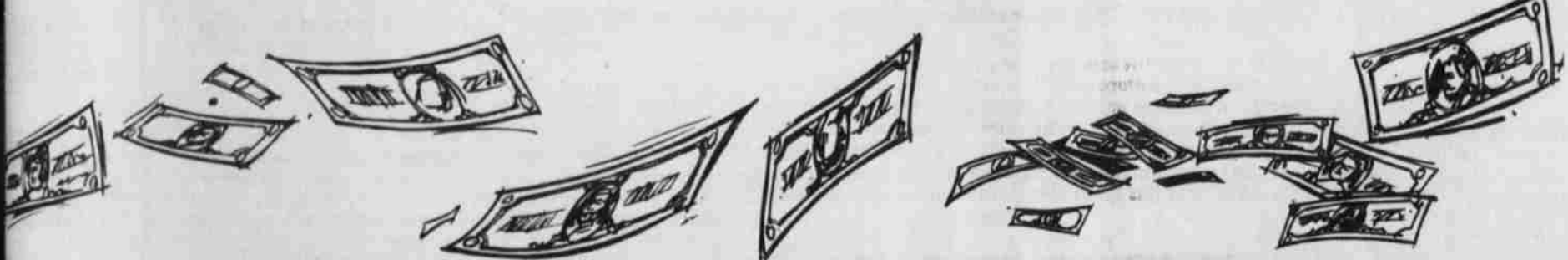
ALTON  
RAY CARSON will Saturday, June 29, shower in the R. G. DeBerry. are 3 to 5 p.m. relatives are  
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## Activities

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# SATURDAY

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The Mayor and City Council reserve the right to reject any and all bids, to waive all formalities and to make the awards of the contracts based on the bid or bids deemed to be most advantageous and in the best interest of the City of Littlefield. Bids shall be clearly marked: SEALED BID, FIREFIGHTING APPARATUS, June 24, 1974. Specifications and Bid Forms may be obtained from the Office of the City Manager, P. O. Box 1267, Littlefield, Texas.

Jim C. Blagg City Manager

MR. AND MRS. Ves Patterson have returned home from a recent visit with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hays in Austin and attended the wedding of their grandson, Tim, to Ailene Miller in Houston. They also attended the rehearsal dinner on Thursday night in the Royal Coach Inn in Houston. The newlyweds spent their wedding night in the Bridal Suite compliments of the Royal Coach Inn and then to Ruidoso, N.M. for their honeymoon trip.

THE PATTERSONS will meet their daughter, Mrs. Fredda Hays and family at Logan, N.M. during this weekend.

AMONG THOSE from Sudan attending the wedding of Cindy Hanna and James Partlow Saturday, June 8 in Maple were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hanna, Michelle and Mark, Tanya Chester, Mrs. Pat Kent and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Dykes.

A GOING-AWAY party was held Saturday night in the community center honoring Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Beavers, Lesha and Angie, who are moving this week to Waco.

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## PEP NEWS

By MRS. CONRAD DEMEL 933-2222

REV. KEVIN CLARKE, Member of the Pallotine Fathers, celebrated his 25th year of priestly ministry which began in the Argentine Republic June 12, 1949. Bishop Lawrence M. De Falco of Amarillo, with about 35 priests from various parts of the diocese, attended. Beginning with a mass at 5 p.m. in the evening, a reception at the parish hall followed with a happy hour and fellowship. Speaker Monsignor "Bottoms" of Amarillo concluded the evening.

MR. AND MRS. Al William Deusterhaus, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Emma Deusterhaus of Levelland, was called to the bedside of Gerald Brown who resides near Munday. Brown suffered a severe heart attack.

MRS. CONRAD DEMEL is getting along satisfactory after surgery. She is in St. Mary's hospital at Lubbock.

MRS. CECILIA SOKORA is spending a few days in Medical Arts Hospital at Littlefield taking tests.

FAMILY NIGHT was observed by K. C. of Pep and surrounding communities Sunday night. Good eats and Bingo was enjoyed by a large attendance.

MRS. VALERIA SHANNON and Mrs. Evelyn Albus attended the Catholic Life Insurance Union meeting at San Antonio this past weekend.

VISITING Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Albus on Father's day were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Albus and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Albus, all of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Joe Albus and son, Shanne of Littlefield, also Mr. and Mrs. Ray Decker and children.

MR. AND MRS. Albert Pardo of Waco spent the weekend visiting Mrs. Clara Albus and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Albus and many other friends.

ENJOYING Father's day with the Jerome Decker family were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker and family of Anton, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Shilling and family of Bovina, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Decker, and Rev. Kevin Clarke all were dinner guests. Joining them in the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kuehlers and boys of Morton.

MOST ALL of Pep folks sat in on the cloud seeding suit being tried in court at Littlefield.

MRS. GAULBERT DEMEL attended the Amarillo DCCW meeting at Plainview Monday.

A FATHER'S DAY, speciality breakfast consisting of pancakes and sausage was served to all fathers of Pep community Sunday morning after church.

MRS. GLENN HUGHES of Seminole visited her mother, Mrs. Cecelia Sokora, who is a patient at Medical Arts Hospital at Littlefield.

MR. AND MRS. Ray Kitten and sons, Chis and Gary of Lubbock, visited their mother,

Mrs. Hilda Frances Kuhler Saturday.

PAM and Vanessa Demel, Bettye and Mary Frankline, Ann Hatla, Glenda Green attended "Girl Scout Camp," at Levelland this past week. Mrs. Alice Kester was their supervisor.

VANESSA Demel and Lesia Kester are attending "Girl Scouts Day Camp at Laguna Park in Littlefield this week. Vanessa is a Girl Scout Aide.

VISITING in the Walter Gerick home this past week was her mother Mrs. Chris West, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jack West of Oregon, N.M.

MR. AND MRS. Gary Franklin of Morton and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walkers and family of Levelland, spent Father's day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Franklin, MR. AND MRS. Joe Sim-

REV. ELTON WYATT has moved here from Hale Center to assume the pastorate of First United Methodist Church. Pastor of the Hale Center United Methodist Church the past six years, Rev. Wyatt and his wife, Wilma, arrived here Wednesday. His first sermon in the local church was Sunday. Rev. Wyatt attended school in Roscoe and graduated from McMurry College. He received his degree from Perkins School of Theology by Correspondance.

ORDINATION services were held Tuesday evening. The new pastor's son, Jerry Wyatt, was ordained as deacon and has been appointed to a one-year internship at Dimmitt's First United Methodist Church. He plans to return to Perkins College next year. He is married and has one son. The Wyatts have another son, Lynn Sims of Hale Center, and three daughters, Mrs. Leonard Groves of Morton, Mrs. Charles Evers of Amarillo and Mrs. Bill McKebben of Lovington, N.M. They have eight other grandchildren.

MISS PAULA Strain will be honored Saturday, June 29, with a pre-nuptial gift-coffee in the home of Mrs. Larry Witten. Friends and relatives are invited to call between the hours of 10 and 11:30 a.m.

ALVA J. SPAIN, commissioner of Precinct One, underwent open heart surgery Thursday, June 6, in Lubbock Methodist Hospital. He is reported doing well and has been moved from the heart ward to Room 806.

SHERYL and Bradley Straw, children of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Straw of Memphis, Tenn. are here visiting in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Straw.

SPEC. 4 Larry Brown is home on 30-day leave before going June 29 to Greece for a 12-month tour of duty. Brown is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown. He has been in the army since October, 1972. After basic training in Fort Ord, Calif., he has been stationed at Ft. Sill, where he was trained as an artillery crewman. He and his wife Renee have a son Bryan, three months old.

JASON LATIMER, graduate of Olton High, is one of more than 2,300 students at Sam Houston State University who was named to the dean's list of academic honors for the spring semester. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Latimer.

REV. AND MRS. Al Jennings moved Wednesday to Abernathy where he will be pastor of First United Methodist Church.

BARRY COWART has been named a Distinguished Student in veterinary medicine at Texas A&M University. He is a first-year student in the College of Veterinary Medicine. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Cowart.

HIGH ATTENDANCE at Main Street Church of Christ Bible School was 145. The school closed Friday with a big bang.

RICKY LEE underwent surgery Tuesday at Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview.

MRS. LILLIE MCGILL, mother of Mrs. Cloys Fancerb, Elmer and Lowell McGill, is receiving treatment

at Hi-Plains Hospital Center.

MRS. FLO DANIELS remains in Plains General Hospital in Plainview.

MR. AND MRS. Wilson returned week from Cedar where they fished with relatives 24 miles.

MRS. HARRIE derpool Beach visited Saturday in of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sr.

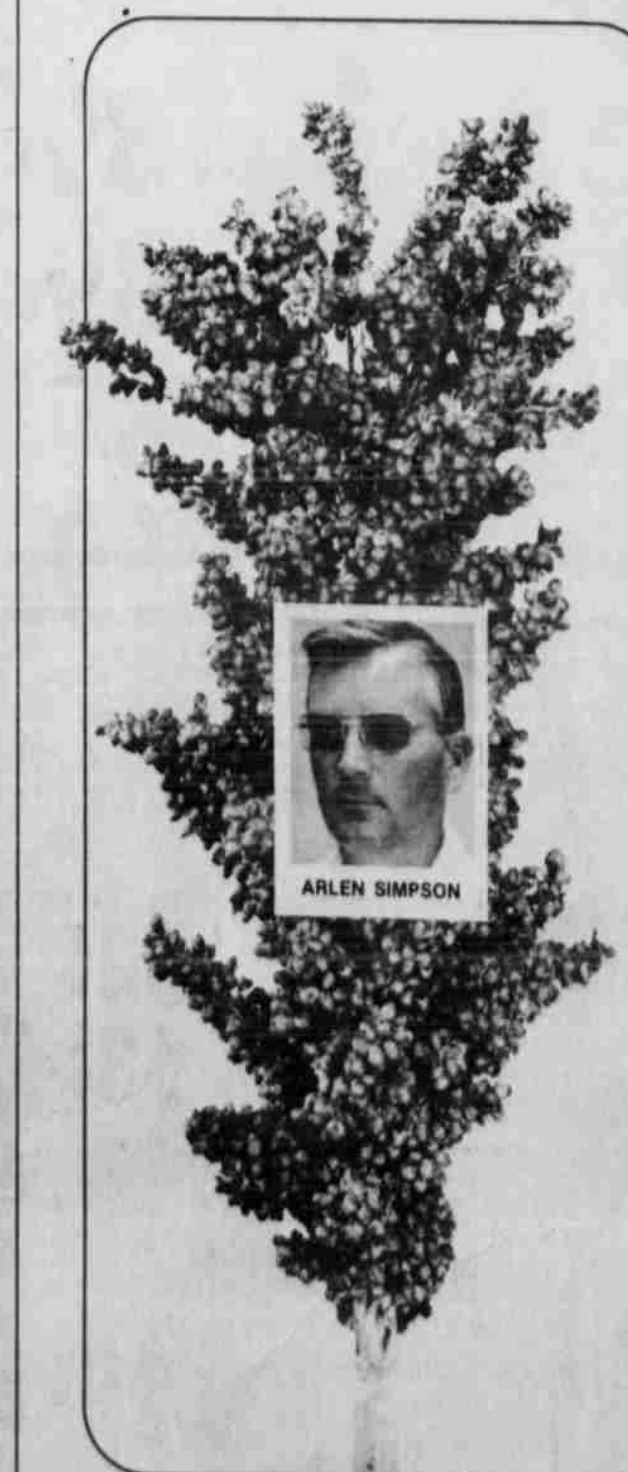
MR. AND MRS. had as guests last daughter and child Don Roden, Jeff Velvet of Amarillo.

REV. AL E. Jensen and Mrs. Elmer and Mrs. Inez Yates, Mrs. Green and Mrs. Bob Kevin attended the Texas Conference United Methodist Tuesday and Wednesday in Amarillo.

MISS DEBBIE daughter of Mr. Harold Jordan, Rainbow Grand Area San Antonio last week is Worthy Advisor of Rainbows, Chapter 1

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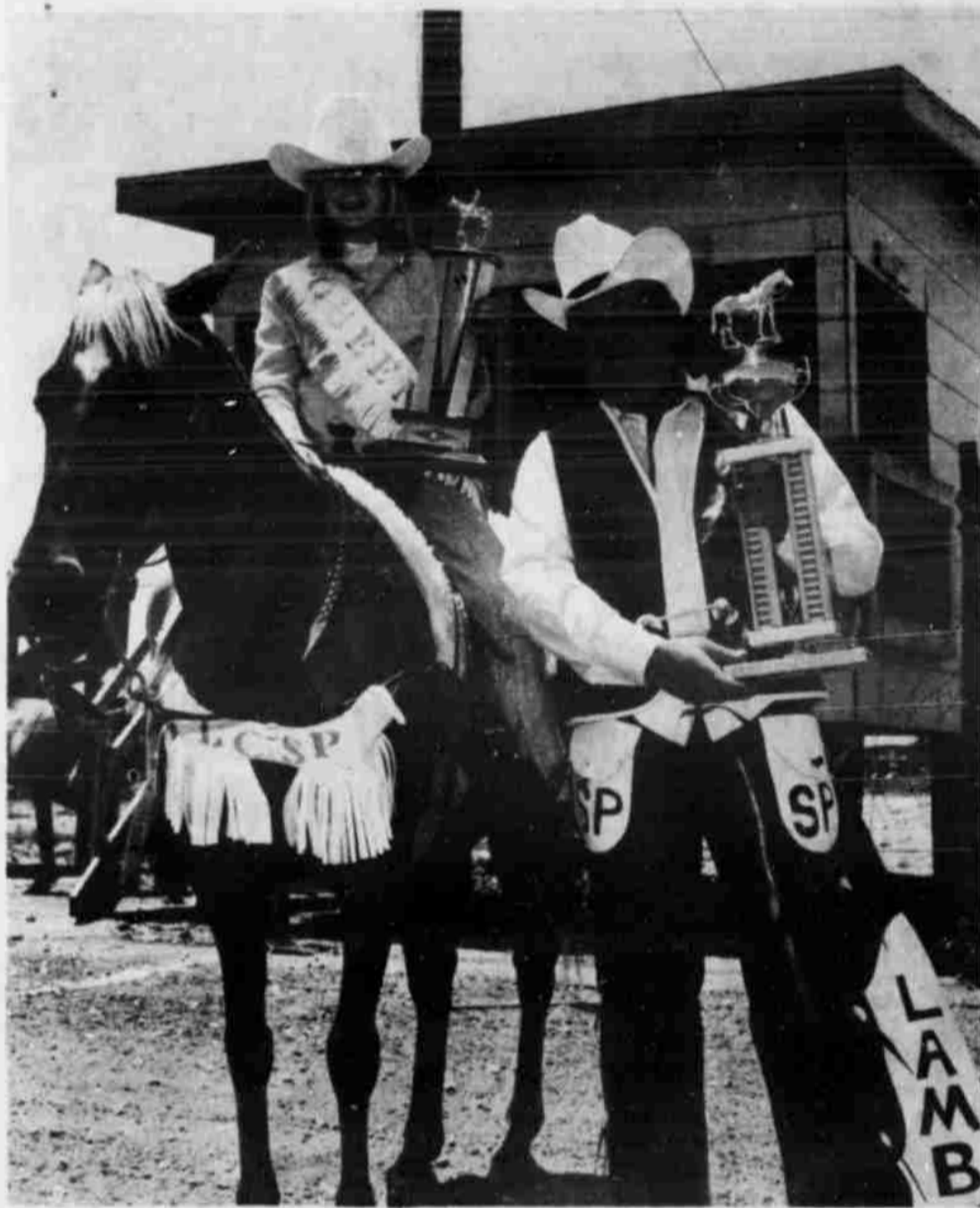
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RIDING TO WIN, the Lamb County Sheriff's Posse, with 20 uniformed riders, captured the second place parade trophy in Hereford Saturday afternoon during the annual Hereford Riders' Rodeo. Carrying the Texas flag is

Monica Phillips, and the two posse flags are carried by Cleon Johnson, left, and Dub Berry, right.

(Photo by Timmie Campbell)



SHERIFF'S POSSE QUEEN Michelle Phillips and her mare, Gypsy, display the second place trophy won at Hereford Saturday during the annual Hereford Riders' Rodeo. This was the second trophy the Posse had won during the week. Parade Marshall Bill Blackwell holds the second place trophy won by 19 riders in the Bar None Rodeo parade in Plainview Thursday. (Staff Photo by Linda Hodge)

### Posse Makes Parade Plans

Lamb County Sheriff's Posse members enjoyed coffee, Cokes and cookies at their regular business meeting Monday night. The trophies won by the club at the recent Plainview and Hereford parades were on display.

President Mark Suitt read several invitations to upcoming parades. Club members voted to attend Canyon Days Parade Saturday, June 29, at 5 p.m. when a barbeque and a Pony Express Race will be held afterwards. Members also voted to ride in the Earth Rodeo Parade and Grand Entry Thursday, July 11.

Trail Ride Chairman Kenneth Overland reported that arrangements had been completed for holding an open trail ride at Bull Lake at 2 p.m. Sunday, June 30. More details will be given at a later date.

Treasurer Mildred Kelly reported a good turnout at the playday Sunday, with many out-of-town riders participating.

Members welcomed new members to the Posse, as Kevin Aduddell and the Harold Heller family signed up Monday night. Kevin rides a thoroughbred gelding called "Barney" and competes in the Junior Boys' divisions in local playdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Heller, their son, Larry, and daughter, Jan, have recently moved here from Houston. Larry and Jan have a palomino and a sorrel mare and will ride in the Junior division.

## ... BOX CAR SHANTIES

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make-shift barns and outhouses were either destroyed, or had to be set right side up, afterwards. I guess they were stronger than outward appearances would suggest.

When you think of the daring, and determined efforts that went into the settling of the country, you wonder how it was ever done at all. I doubt if the last two generations would have found the spunk and courage to undertake the task.—Indeed, we wouldn't even know how to go about the job, in the first place.

PICTURE, IF YOU CAN, a fellow moving his family into a 14x28 boxed shack, out in the middle of nowhere, with the idea of putting a quarter section of land into cultivation with a horse-drawn plow. All the while, he expects to live and make a crop with practically no money to start with.

His nearest neighbor may be a couple of miles away, maybe five to 15 miles to the country store, and goodness knows how far to the nearest doctor. This didn't matter so much anyway, because there was a shortage of money. Much of the trade was by barter system.

YOU TOOK YOUR eggs and butter to town and traded them for a like value in groceries and drygoods. If you had corn, you shelled it and took it to the grist mill and the miller would grind it for a part of the corn. This was what you used to make your corn pone and mush. Sometimes you could even trade corn for flour.

I suppose my pop was as full of ambition and nice expectations as anyone. The first year we were here, he essayed to borrow some money from a bank. He told the banker about his plans and collateral. "I think I'd like to borrow \$300 to make this crop on," he ventured.

The banker's jaw dropped, but he soon regained his composure. Looking down his nose at my dad, he answered, "You can have \$50: take it or leave it!"—Pop took it.

THAT WAS THE big reason we found a job of clearing land for a gentleman

who was breaking land to be put into cultivation. The pay? We got 5 cents per Mesquite grub, regardless of size. In addition to that we were allowed to haul the grubs home for purpose of heating and cooking. You got three heats from these plants: one while digging them up, one when chopping them to stove wood size, and another while they burned in the stove. Pretty good, huh?

THE MORE THRIFTY used wood burning ranges for the dual purpose of cooking and heating. These were fine in the winter, but really played havoc with the air-conditioning in the summer. Progress came in the form of kerosene cookstove we've talked about in our previous article. You had to watch them closely lest they overheat and expode.

We used all manner of fuel, as I remember. Anything from "Cow Wood" to coal. Of course we burned very little coal, as ten dollars per ton seemed to be exhorbitant. (Besides, we couldn't spare that ten bucks) Mesquite grubs, maize heads, cotton seed, and cotton burs, I've seen used at one time or another. Believe me, the "fireman" at our house had a full time job in the winter, especially. The temperature was up and down, like a yo-yo. Finally, came the kerosene heater, a real blessing!

MOST OF THE lighting was furnished by kerosene lamps. We sat up nights and read about poor ol' Abe Lincoln who used to have to study by light from his fireplace—Shame!

Let me say, at this point, that we belonged to the more elite of the early nesters. Our house, though of the same construction otherwise, did have a gable type roof, complete with shingles. I'm sure this served to keep the place a little cooler, both in summer and winter.

The house was already on the place when my dad went in debt for it. This, complete with a well that was good for about a number 3 tub full of water, before the pump started sucking air. After something like 10 minutes you could pump another tub full. You supplied the power by means of an 8-foot pump handle, which did wonders for

your waistline, especially, since we had about 15 head of cattle and horses.

I REMEMBER MY irritation at one of our cows, specifically, during that first warm summer. She could drink as much water as two ordinary cows, and she was the boss of the entire herd. She was first schnooz in the water tub, and seemed to relish taking her good easy time about soaking up the water, while the others stood anxiously by. More than once I ran her away from the tub to give the other cows a chance to drink. She wasn't, however, above sneaking back into line. Naturally, she was our best milk cow. After all, I guess she had to do something with all that water!

We did, too, have running water. It ran out of the end of the pump pipe—that is, if you pumped hard enough. When the water bucket ran dry we had to run and get another bucket full. We found this to be a real drag, on wash days, and Saturday nights. Saturday night? We had to bathe, whether we needed it, or not.

The water supply for the house, was a three-gallon bucket that sat on a washstand. The reason it was called so was by reason that the wash basin usually sat right beside the water bucket. We were reminded when we washed not to slosh our wash water back into the water bucket, since it was used for drinking purposes, also. We weren't above washing three or four faces in the same basin of water, because we knew that when the bucket was empty, someone was going to have to go out to the well and pump another bucket of water. The same went for the bath water, only we had a rule that the dirtiest had to wait 'til last.

AND WOE UNTO the luckless chap who had to be the helper around the house on wash day! He had to pump the water, fire the wash pot, and help hang the clothes between times. Just getting the fuel together to fire the pot was a major chore. I always thought it funny that my older brother and dad usually had some place they ju : HAD TO GO, on washdays.—Shux!

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