

RY NICKELS, Ronnie Chaney and Phil Parmer demonstrate using the portable scales at the Littlefield vocational culture shop.



TURE FARMERS OF AMERICA in Littlefield High get ready to go. Kim Kloiber, Jerrel Haberer and Terry Ogerly prepare for vo-ag. These are three of 31 students taking vo-ag this year.

NO RUNNERS FOR SCHOOL BOARD

City Incumbents File Again

Mayor J. E. Chisholm and City Councilmen Paul McCormick and Chester Harvey have filed for re-election in city balloting scheduled Tuesday, April 1.

Filing deadline for these offices is 5 p.m. the last day of this month.

A check at City Hall revealed that no one thus far had filed to run against the incumbents.

Tom Hilbun will be the presiding judge from the city election. Absentee balloting will be conducted March 12-28 in the City Hall.

Terms of school board members Werner Birkelbach, Calvin Price and

Dr. W. C. Nowlin are expiring and none of the three has filed for re-election, according to Sid Hopping, school tax assessor and collector.

Filing deadline is 5 p.m. March 5 in Hopping's office for those running for the board of education. According to Hopping, no one had yet filed for any of the three places.

President of the board, Dr. Nowlin, said he didn't plan to run again. He has served on the school board nine years.

Birkelbach and Price could not be contacted for comments before press time.



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Council Goes Modern, OK's Tax Bill Data Processing

By JOELLA LOVVORN News Editor, Leader-News

City Councilmen voted to convert the city's tax billing system to data processing and discussed summer irrigation rates for city water customers at their regular meeting Thursday night.

The city has been doing its own tax roll by renting a posting and billing machine each summer. Total cost for the 1968 tax roll was \$1,372, compared to the cost of \$828 for the proposed data processing system—a saving of \$544 per year.

The data processing service would provide an alphabetical roll and a geographical roll, an advantage to the tax department.

Collection policies would not be

changed. After the rolls are prepared and the individual statements are made by the data processing firm, the tax statements would be mailed by the city tax department as in the past. Payments and collections would be made direct to the city tax office, where payment records will be posted, maintained and controlled by city personnel.

Contracting with a data processing company will be done on an annual basis, and was let to Business Data Processing at Lubbock.

The city established summer irrigation rates for 1969 city water customers will be mailed with the March city water billing and are to be returned by April 15, if the customer desires to accept the rates.

Period for the special rates, which are the same as last year, begins May 1 and continues until Oct. 1.

City Councilmen Paul McCormick and Chester Harvey, whose terms expire this year, have filed for re-election. Election day will be Tuesday, April 1. Mayor J. E. Chisholm, whose term also expires, has filed for re-election. Filing deadline for these positions is at 5 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28.

In other activity the council:

- 1. Approved the bills for payment. 2. Discussed an amendment to the Hall Avenue Sewer Extension

contract. In checking an easement on the sewer line, an additional manhole will have to be installed, raising the original contract price by \$200.

3. Discussed conducting another pigeon shoot in Littlefield. Hunters will be contacted and a date will be set later.

4. Declined to accept an offer of a citizen to sell his property to the city.

5. Heard a report on the new sewage treatment plant, bringing the council up to date on its operation.

6. Received the City Auditor's report for the 1967-68 fiscal year.

7. Discussed information received from General Telephone and Electronics in the form of a letter written by New York Attorneys concerning use of Littlefield equipment.

8. Looked at pictures of the ground water storage tanks, showing need of repair by next year.

9. Discussed the dilapidated housing project, in which approximately 20 houses have been demolished and several others are in the process of being torn down.

10. Heard a report from Councilman Paul Carmickle who attended the Water, Inc. meeting last Tuesday in Amarillo. Carmickle lauded John D. Smith for his efforts in getting Mississippi River water to Lamb County.

Carmickle felt more interest in the project should be expressed by Littlefield people, and quoted a speaker at the Amarillo meeting as having said, "Our main problem is people and money."

Can You Keep 'Em Down On The Farm?

Three out of 31 boys taking vo-ag in Littlefield live on farms. The others live in town. Why are the students taking ag? Undoubtedly some take it because it is easier or more interesting to do than something else. But many of the students are taking the course for a legitimate reason: they are interested in agriculture. Some are going into agriculture as a career, or so they think at this time. Most of the students aren't thinking of going into production farming, but into a farm-related business such as the chemical field, the extension office, or any number of non-farm, farm-related businesses. Some of the boys use the ag program to add to their vocational training. In the shop work done during the year, the boys learn plumbing, farm machinery, farm leveling, electricity, motor maintenance, and how to work on small gas engines. "In the shop work," agriculture teacher Lindal Nelson said, "we try to duplicate or get over into the mechanics program or woodworking program. We dwell more on welding, tractor maintenance and on gas engines than we do on the other programs." Each boy taking ag has a project. It could be raising hogs, cows, or lambs, or crop production of cotton or grain sorghum. The main student projects. Ag classes visit student projects during field trips, especially when a student needs help. Field trips include visits to feed lots and ag-related industries. This year students taking ag in the Littlefield schools are sophomores, juniors and seniors. "Next year we hope to pick up an additional 20 students from the freshman class," Nelson said, "making about 50 when the freshmen are allowed to take the course." Farmers are decreasing in numbers,

but farm-related jobs are multiplying furiously. About three out of 10 non-farm jobs are related to agriculture. Some examples are extension work, farm organization officers, farm store operators, agriculture researchers, farm machinery mechanics, farm writers and hundreds of others. The 1969 Ford Almanac says: "A survey of 800 leading agribusiness firms shows 90 per cent of these employers want to hire people with a farm background—but can't find anywhere near enough of them." These are some of the reasons ag is still being taught in public schools.

Some young people will obviously go into production farming since food has not yet become an obsolete commodity. More farmers will be needed to replace those now in the business even though production per farm increases. But this in one area that is hardest to get into than any other. The reason being that farming has become such a big business. It takes backing to get into farming—the amount of backing that gets harder and harder to find. Farming has now become such a big business that a young farmer almost has to inherit a farm to get into farming.

FOR GIRLSTOWN FIREMEN TO THE RESCUE!

Littlefield's volunteer firemen have rescued Girlstown again. The local firemen came to the aid of the girls' home when they learned that the home's station wagon was no longer in running order.

Volunteers went to the Whiteface home, picked up the vehicle and gave it the treatment: tuned the motor, replaced points, plugs and starter. The firemen put a new door on, a back glass in, and took the dents out.

In addition to the mechanical needs, the group gave the station wagon a new look. The car was repainted, the interior was re-upholstered, and new floor mats and a sign were added.

Parts and labor were donated by G & C Auto Supply, Littlefield Motor Parts, Paul McCormick's Service Station, McCormick Auto Supply, Deep Rock Service Station, Grimes Auto Service, Lubbock Wrecking Co., and D. C. Wrecking of Lubbock.

Others donating parts and labor were M. O. Dunagin, Roland Bell, Mike Cotter, Mac Humphries, Efton Graham, Conal's Fina Station, Pat's Record Center, John H. Parkman, Leon Durham, Gene Beck and John Rogers.

Littlefield volunteer firemen have come to the aid of Girlstown several times in the past. They have handled the food drive for the home for homeless girls and about a year ago made it possible for Girlstown to have new washers and dryers.



THESE GIRLS called out the Littlefield Volunteer Firemen.

'Life Is Complete' For Paralyzed Man

By NILAH RODGERS Leader-News Staff Writer

Littlefield's newest watch repairman, George Strange, wears his blond hair in a flat top, speaks in a kind voice and has an inviting laugh. He possesses the attributes of most Littlefield businessmen. The difference between him and other watch repairmen is the way he does his work.

George Strange is paralyzed from his waist down and does his watch repairing on a lap board in his bed at Knight's Rest Home.

He was just a young man when he fell off a windmill in 1943, breaking his back and leaving him paralyzed below his waist.

"I had just come home from town," Strange said, "when I decided I'd better oil the windmill. It was a Saturday afternoon in August. It was hot and dry and there hadn't been much wind."

He fell from the platform landing on his back. When he regained consciousness, there wasn't any feeling in his legs. The fall had broken his back and cut the spinal cord.

That was almost 26 years ago. "I've

just adjusted to it," Strange said in his pleasing baritone. "I don't mind a bit in the world, I feel like life is complete just as I am."

Strange lived at Silverton when the accident occurred. He continued to stay at home on the farm for a couple of years, thinking that some day, some how, some time he would be able to walk.

AFTER A TIME the family moved to Hereford. This was when he decided he would learn a new trade. A watch repairman in Hereford helped him get started, teaching him how to work on clocks first, and then watches.

Strange did watch repairing in his house until his dad's death in 1955. Then he and his mother moved to Plainview. His mother died in 1959, and Strange lived with his brothers and sisters until a little over three years ago. Since that time, home has been Knight's Rest Home in Littlefield.

Strange rented his watch repairing equipment at first. Some of the tools he is using now are on loan, but he has bought some too.

Strange still does watch cleaning by

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GEORGE STRANGE does his watch repairing on a lap board in his bed. Strange has been paralyzed from his waist down for almost 26 years, following a fall from a windmill.

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Mrs. Gossett Hosts Study

AMHERST—The Amherst Study Club met Monday in the Gossett home with Mrs. Douglas Gossett, Mrs. Ray Blessing, Mrs. W. P. Stone and Mrs. Iva Commons as hostesses.

The meeting combined the last meeting in January with that of Monday night. The president, Mrs. Willis Hedges, presided in the business session. The club donated a tree to be planted by the walk at Girlstown. This is a Caprock District project.

Mrs. Jim Humphreys and Mrs. Homer Peel's subjects were on "Thoughts on the Unusual". UFO (Unidentified Flying Objects) were discussed by Mrs. Humphreys and Mrs. Peel described a humorous imaginary ride in a space vehicle. The roll call was, "Do you believe in UFO?"

Mrs. Clyde Brownlow's talk for the Texas Day program was "Thoughts on Our State Project—What Is The Big Thicket?" This area combines the Everglades of Florida, and jungles and swamps in Mexico. An effort is being made to preserve this large area as a national park near Beaumont. This is a project of Mrs. Henry F. Shaper of San Antonio, President of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

The hostesses served refreshments in the George Washington birthday motif, to Mmes. Blessing, Brownlow, Commons, Elms, Hedges, Holland, Humphreys, Gossett, Kelly, LaGrange, Mote, Peel, Pollock and Stone.

OES Honors Ila Stinson

OLTON—Chapter No. 847, Order of the Eastern Star met in regular session Thursday night at the Masonic Hall with Colleen Campbell as Worthy Matron and Kenneth Campbell as Worthy Patron presiding.

There were 19 members and two guests, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Jones of Littlefield, present.

The Charter was draped "In Memory of Mrs. Ila Stinson", who died recently. The Altar was draped "In Memory of a past Worthy Grand Matron."

A special program honored Masonic members who are also members of the Eastern Star.

Mrs. Ruby Brown and Mrs. Thetis Haddad served refreshments to the group.

This group plans to have a Masonic supper sometime in the month of April. The date will be announced later.

The next regular meeting of the Eastern Star will be Thursday, Feb. 27 at 7:30 p.m.



MRS. A. R. WEAVER

Birthday Celebration Honors Mrs. A.R. Weaver

The Community Center was a gathering place Sunday, Feb. 16, for sons and daughters, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of Mrs. A. R. Weaver, a longtime resident of Littlefield, who celebrated her 85th birthday Monday, Feb. 17.

A covered dish luncheon was served during the noon hour. The birthday table was laid with a white linen cloth, centered with two large birthday cakes.

Mrs. Weaver was born Feb. 17, 1884 at Keller, in Tarrant County, and moved from there with most of her family to Littlefield and Lamb County in 1926.

She recalls her move in a roadster and touring car, as she and her family and their daughter and son-in-law, made the drive from Vernon to Littlefield in the rain. Some of their things—chickens, geese, etc.—were shipped in an immigrant car.

Her husband, the late A. R. Weaver who died in 1946 was a farmer when they came to Littlefield, and later became airport manager.

Mrs. Weaver says she has been "just a housewife" during the years, although she helped her husband with farming and at the airport.

For the past 16 years she has resided and maintained her own home at 409 West Fourth Street.

She is a member of First Baptist Church, and although she is not able to attend regularly, she enjoys the visits, cards, and telephone calls from the extension department of that church.

Those who helped her celebrate were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Weaver and Sherie, Mr. and Mrs. George Tooley, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Brawley, Mrs. Irma Brawley, Mrs. Veni Kirk and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jeffries, all of Littlefield.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Weaver Jr., Linda, Darlene, and Lana; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Weaver, Alane and Gaye; Mr. and Mrs. George W. Tooley, Howard, Kelley and Buffi, all of Amherst.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Weaver, Ricky and Rhonda of Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Weaver and Cherri, Allan Underwood, and Ann Fulgim of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Underwood, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Underwood, Rodger, Paige and Stacy of Petersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Tooley of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Tooley, Terri, Ricky and Tommy of Lamesa; and Mrs. Billy Jeffries of Richardson.

Two of Mrs. Weaver's

offspring were unable to attend—a son, Bill Weaver of Amherst, who is vacationing in Corpus Christi, and a daughter, Mrs. G. L. Blevins of Fort Worth.

4-H Food Show Scheduled March

The 4-H Food Show will be held in the Littlefield Community Center, March 1 beginning at 1 p.m.

Each 4-H member who has been in a project group meeting conducted by adult and junior leaders, will exhibit a food they have prepared and will be judged on their nutritional knowledge, the food exhibited, the exhibit, the day's menu and the recipe.

Records of their work will be included in the score also.

All records are to be submitted to the agent's office Feb. 28.

The exhibits will be set up at 1 p.m. Saturday, March 1, and the public is invited to see the show at 2:30, at which time awards will be presented.

Olton H... Has Me...

OLTON—Demonstration Tuesday afternoon home of Mrs. Blackwell, with 12 present.

Mrs. Billy president, presided short business meeting.

Suneer Saehon, exchange student, the program on his country, Thailand.

Mrs. Blackwell coffee, hot tea and members. Mmes. Cardy, J. W. Lewis, Curry, Walter Lewis, Dickson, Les Kenner, Kirby, Leon May, Miller, Billy Pitalo, Ann Warren and Mrs. V. O. Harrod, R. V. Alleorn.

Next meeting Tuesday, March 4 home of Mrs. Ross a program on Fabrics.

Miss Pressle Enters Cont...

Christy Press Littlefield senior student Hardin-Simmons University's Pemma was among contestants entered the at Best-Dressed Cont Tuesday, Feb. 18.

About 20 organizations represented in the which was narrated by Nancy Tillman, current Abilene.

The contest sponsored by the InterClub Council.

PROUD PAREN...

Judges for the show be Mrs. Robin Taylor County Home Demonstration Agent; Mrs. Robinson, Hockley County Home Demonstration and Mrs. Jean Smith, County Home Agent; Hazel Kimbrough, home demonstration of Littlefield.

Major and Mrs. Stone are the proud parents of a baby boy, Saturday, Feb. 22. He was named Leland Dillon and weighed 9 lbs and 10 oz.

Major and Mrs. Stone stationed at Camp Zama, Tokyo, Japan.

Grandmothers are Genita Dittmar of Antonio and Mrs. Stone of Littlefield.

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Oklahoma Ave. HD Hears Program About Scotland

Oklahoma Avenue Home Demonstration Club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. C. P. Davis for its regular meeting.

Vice-president Mrs. J. W. Bitner was in charge of the meeting and members answered the roll call with items of "headline news".

Mrs. Davis reminded members that District Two THDA meeting will be held in Denver City April 24 at the First Baptist Church.

One guest, Mrs. E. S. Turner, presented a program on "Culture of Scotland".

Mrs. Turner formerly lived in Prestwich, located on the southeast coast of Scotland. She told of the language, food, climate, industry, recreation and scenic places. She said "Scotland is a beautiful place".

Refreshments of Flan, a Scottish dessert made by Mrs. Turner, was served to club members.

HOSPITALIZED

Mrs. Paul I. Jones is a patient in Medical Arts Hospital.



KYRA JEAN GRAVES

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Graves of Littlefield announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kyra Jean, to Steven Cox, son of Mrs. Wilson Cox of Littlefield, and the late Mr. Cox.

The couple plans a May 24 wedding at the Crescent Park Church of Christ in Littlefield.

Both are students at West Texas State University in Canyon.



LITTLEFIELD WOMAN'S CLUB met Wednesday noon in the Flame Room for a luncheon and business meeting. Program topic for the day was "Creative Thinking Through Exotic Cooking", brought by Mrs. Bernard Periman.

Exotic Cooking Discussed At Meet

Creative Thinking Through Exotic Cooking was the featured topic of the Littlefield Woman's Club when they met Wednesday noon in the Flame Room of Pioneer Gas Co. for a luncheon and business meeting.

Bernard Periman presented a brief talk on exotic cooking, and gave members recipe books which mostly with French cooking with wine.

Hostesses for the event were Mrs. Jeff Perkins and Kathryn Rumback. Mrs. Reva Florence became a member at the meeting.

One guest, Joella Lovvorn, attended with members, Mmes. Jeff Perkins, Kathryn Rumback, H. C. Randall, Bernard Periman, Lyle Brandon, Lon Campbell, Bob Smith, Roy Taylor, Otto Jones, Audie

Lamb County American Red Cross, informed the organization of the Red Cross drive, which will begin March 1. They noted that "Help Us Help" will be the 1969 slogan and that Mayor J. E. Chisholm will be overall chairman for Littlefield.

Mrs. Lyle Brandon, president of the Woman's Club, presided for a short business meeting.

Members of the Woodcraft Women's Committee are Mmes. Merle Beard, Jonnie Chapman, L. V. Pierce, and Earl Don Pierce.

The publicity committee includes Mmes. Lorene Perkins, chairman; Jimmie Brown and Doyle Dean.

The next regular meeting of the WOW court will be Thursday, March 6, and all members are urged to attend.

Committee members who will plan the annual Christmas party are Mmes. Marion Williams, chairman, Merle Beard, Jonnie Chapman, L. V. Pierce, and Earl Don Pierce.

The initiation, installation and Mr. Woodman committee is composed of Mmes. Marion Williams, chairman, Ray McKinney, W. D. Jackson and Jonnie Chapman.

The Telephone Committee includes Mrs.

Collins, Norman Emfinger, Annie Lee Neale, Fred Dodd, D. C. Lindley, Otis Bennett Sr., T. L. Dunlap, H. A. Mitchell, Doss Maner, Guy Willis, A. B. Brown, Winnie Hogan, Roy McQuatters, R. B. Hall, Emma Sell and C. O. Stone.

The next meeting will be March 19 in the Flame Room, with Mrs. R. E. Scott of Sudan as speaker. Theme of the program will be "Genealogy Inspires Creative Thinking".

Woodcraft Women Committees Named

Women of Woodcraft met Thursday night at the Lodge Hall for their regular meeting, with Mrs. E. E. Carter, president, presiding.

Mrs. Carter reported on the Feb. 10 installation ceremony for the Girls of Woodcraft. Since Girls of Woodcraft are sponsored by the Women of Woodcraft, several of the women participated in the installation ceremony.

Mrs. Ray McKinney was the installing officer, assisted by Mrs. Marion Williams and Mrs. Merle Beard.

Mrs. Carter appointed her committees for the coming year. Members of the Child Welfare and Youth Improvement committee are Mmes. Frank Robinson, chairman; Benny Zahn and Marion Williams.

Members of the Community Projects and Community Welfare committee are Mmes. Edgar McCanlies, chairman; Lorene Perkins, Merle Beard, Jonnie Chapman and Earl Don Pierce.

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The Telephone Committee includes Mrs.

Mitchell Sisson, chairman; Mrs. Marion Williams and Mrs. Lorene Perkins.

Benevolence Committee members are Mmes. Merle Beard, chairman; Ray McKinney and Jimmie Brown.

Membership and Attendance committee is composed of Mmes. Jewel Baker, chairman; Lorene Perkins and Ellen Yeary.

Mrs. Edgar McCanlies will serve as the Historical Award Committee member.

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RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Martin returned home Wednesday after several days spent in Quannah. Her mother, Mrs. M. Fryer, has been seriously ill.

THIS WEEK AT THE MOVIES

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IN "ANGEL IN MY POCKET"

PALACE THEATRE



SUSAN DRISKILL, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Driskill of Littlefield, has been named to the Dean's Honor Roll at Texas Tech for the fall semester. Susan, who was an honor graduate of Littlefield High School, is now a freshman at Tech majoring in liberal arts. She was recently elected freshman representative in her dormitory, Horn Hall.

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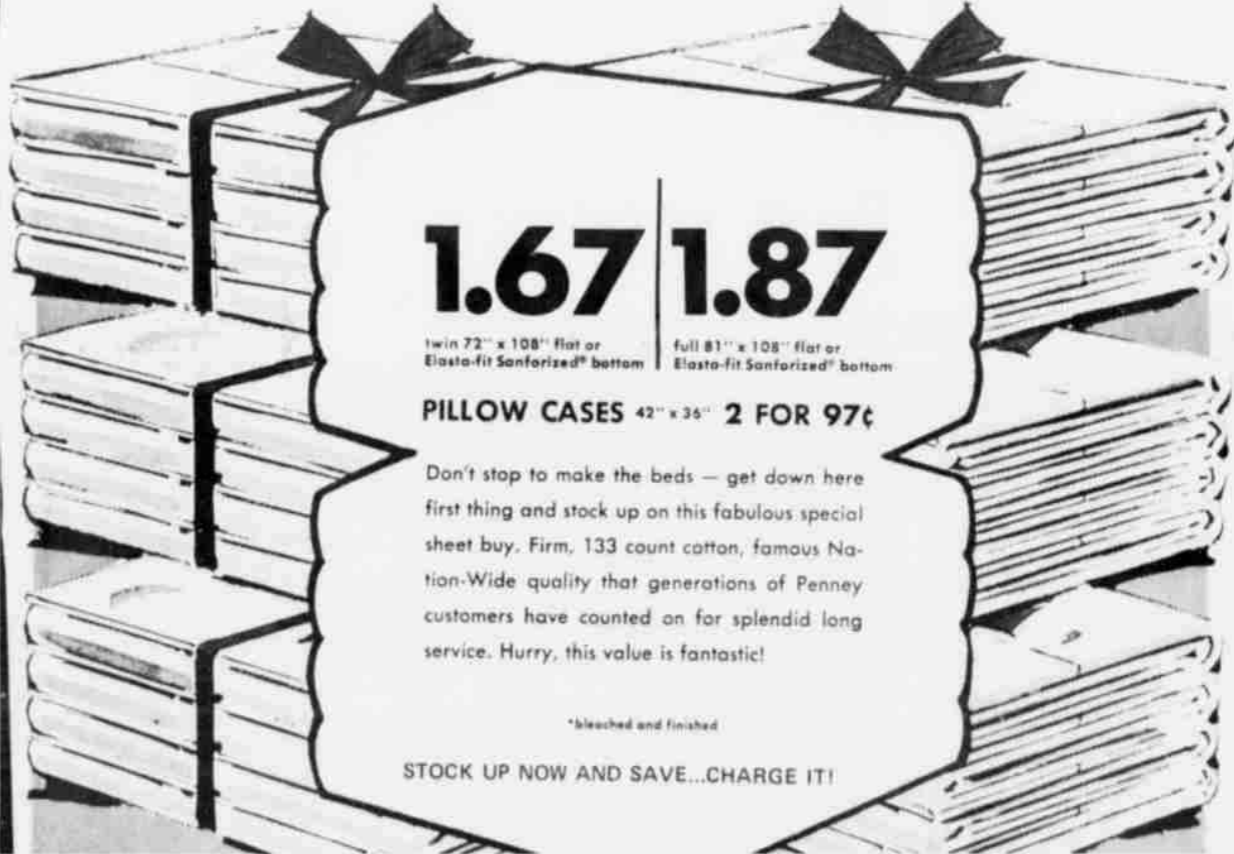


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Little Boys And Their Baths

By BILL TURNER



My wife says she is awfully glad that little boys, sweet as they are, finally grow up. She likes everything about little boys, with one exception: They hate to take baths.

EVERYDAY at our house, things run smoothly except between 6 a.m. and 8 a.m. and between 7 p.m. and 9 p.m.

Just four hours a day are the hectic ones.

This is when we are home. Of course, we are home a little more than that, really. I wouldn't want to mislead you.

But most of the time after 9 p.m. and before 6 a.m., most of us are asleep, and things are smooth enough then.

Really, it goes well pretty much between 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. on weekdays.

This is, for one thing, before I get home, or if I get home early enough, it's fairly quiet and nice around the supper table.

It's after supper that the fun starts.

This is when Amy starts the nightly chore of trying to get Ken to take his shower.

A few minutes later: "Ken, that show's bound to be over."

"No, Mom, it isn't. I was wrong about how long it is. But it'll be over in just a few more minutes."

"Well, I'm tired of waiting on you....."

"It's okay, Mom, go ahead and take your shower."

"Now, Ken, you know that isn't what I'm talking about.....I'm tired of waiting on you to take YOUR shower."

"Ok, Mom, just a few more minutes."

And a few more minutes later.....

"Ken, TAKE YOUR SHOWER! No more excuses, no more waiting around, just DO IT, NOW!"

"Ok, Mom, the commercial will be on in another 20 seconds, I promise."

Twenty seconds later....

"KEN!"

"Well, I would go ahead right now, Mom, but you've always said I have to be in bed by nine."

"Well, it will be in two more minutes, and I'll just have to take my shower in the morning."

"OH, ALRIGHT!"

AMY'S NIGHTLY CHORE then starts over the next morning.

At 6 a.m., her first thought is to get Ken into the shower.

Turning the light on full force is a good way to get him stirring.

"Up, Ken, Up! Hit the shower, NOW!"

"Uh.....Uh..... (moan, groan) what'd you say, Mom?"

"You know exactly what I said."

"Ok, Mom, just as soon as I eat my breakfast."

"Nothing doing, you're not getting a bite to eat until you're clean!"

There is one thing Ken hates worse than taking baths.

Not eating.

It does him in, every time.

BACK WHEN we were first married, Amy and I had a third floor apartment in Iowa City, Iowa, where she was putting me through school.

In the wintertime, I almost died.

That third floor share-a-bath didn't have any heat, and it would take what seemed to be hours to get the water even close to warm.

Amy had her ways and means to get me to take a bath, even in below zero weather, but I'll not go into that.

I guess I finally outgrew my distaste for water, because it's

not really a chore anymore. But I feel for Ken.

AND NOW, I've just been reading something that calls a little boy's bath occasionally.

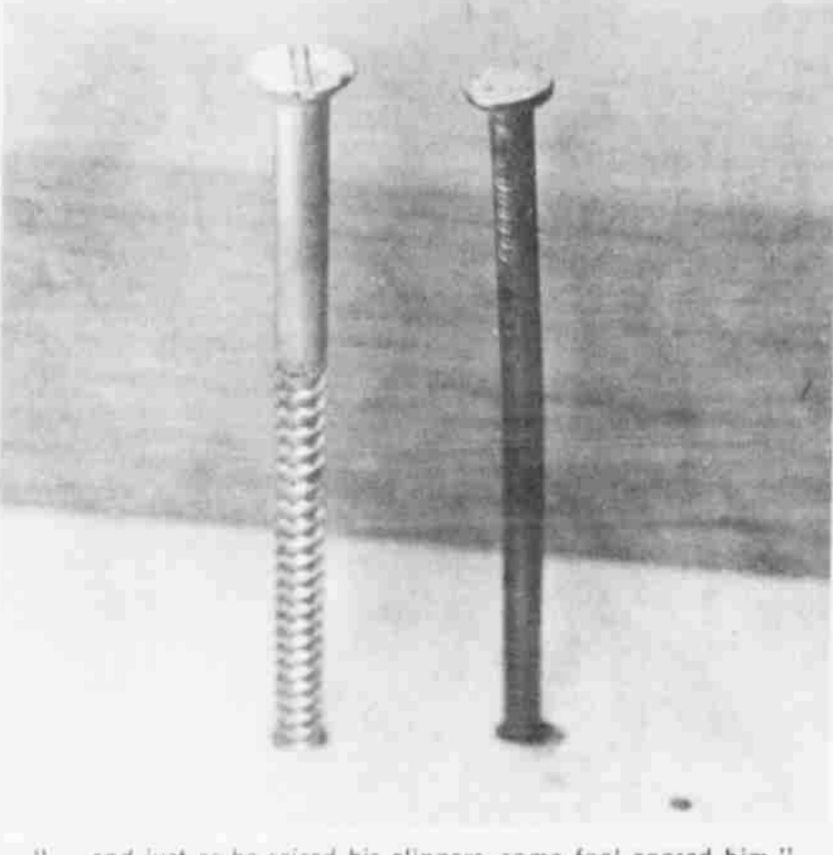
A professor of surgery, Ralph C. Richards of the University of Utah, says that the percentage of bacteria from the body by bath is "almost insignificant, probably no more than seven per cent."

And then he puts on his professional opinion those who scrub and themselves probably irritate their skin enough to wind up with substantially more bacteria.

There would have been present bathwater never troubled into the tub or shower.

I print this only to inform parents, since they may want to make sure their youngsters get a hold of Dr. Richards' article.

And I'll bet one thing: This column will be ripped to shreds by Amy Sunday morning before Ken gets a chance to



...and just as he raised his clippers, some fool goosed him."

THE FARMER'S WIFE Problems!

By LIBBY MUDGETT



PENTAGON ADMIRAL into telephone: What's the matter out in your part of the country? We used to get the most recruits from you and I've always considered you one of our best recruiting officers, but here lately you haven't gotten us one single sailor.

NAVY RECRUITER on the other end of line: Sir, it's not my fault. The kids will hardly even talk to me anymore.

ADMIRAL: What's the matter? Bad breath?

RECRUITER: No, sir.

ADMIRAL: Well, we have the same programs as always and the Air Force is having to turn away the volunteers. More kids than ever are volunteering for the walking army. So it's bound to be something.

RECRUITER: Yes, sir. It is.

ADMIRAL: Go on.

RECRUITER: I think it's those Pueblo investigations, sir. One kid even popped his head inside the door, spit on the floor, said he was worth more than any piece of paper, and went next door into the Air Force Recruiting Station.

ADMIRAL: That's ridiculous! The Pueblo wasn't carrying just pieces of paper. Those were highly secret documents!

RECRUITER: Another boy wanted me to sign a written promise that if he was beaten on, kicked, and tortured while being held prisoner by the enemy, he wouldn't have to go through the Admiral's Inquisition when he was set free.

ADMIRAL: There is no inquisition! Just an investigation. Don't those kids realize we have to find out what happened?

RECRUITER: Then there were a couple of punks who wanted to know if it was okay for them to bargain with the enemy for the highest price they could get for their whole ship and all information if they had the opportunity.

ADMIRAL: Did you sign 'em up?

RECRUITER: No, sir. Their parole officer wouldn't release them.

ADMIRAL: Have you been telling boys about seeing the

world and having a girl in every port and all that?

RECRUITER: Yes sir, but they just give me the horse laugh. I think they've all talked to older friends who've been in the Navy already, sir.

ADMIRAL: That tears it. RECRUITER: Several have asked why a ship should never be given up at any price when the Air Force thinks nothing of losing a plane here and there.

ADMIRAL:! RECRUITER: And one kid even told me that he'd rather be assigned to the planes that were supposed to have given protection to the Pueblo since he wouldn't ever have to leave the ground that way.

ADMIRAL: Have you been telling them about how awful the Army is if they fool around and get drafted?

RECRUITER: Yes sir, but they say they can stand almost anything for just two years rather than take a chance on being tortured by the enemy, finally rescued, and tortured again by the U. S. Navy.

ADMIRAL: The Pueblo crew is not being tortured by the U. S. Navy!

RECRUITER: I nearly had one kid swayed the other day, but he came back later and said he'd been thinking it over and decided he'd rather take his chances with a faulty M-16 rifle than those puny guns the Navy seems to provide it's ships with.

ADMIRAL: !!! Well, try to carry on. This thing is bound to blow over.

RECRUITER: Sir, I'd like to request some protection for myself.

ADMIRAL: What do you mean?

RECRUITER: Well, I was in the act of signing a kid up the other day when his relative came in, sent the kid over to the Air Force Recruiter and then beat the tar out of me.

ADMIRAL: Have you forgotten how to protect yourself and fight back?

RECRUITER: I haven't forgotten, sir, but I couldn't. It was the kid's grandmother and she was using her walking cane.

IT USUALLY STARTS this way:

"Ken, you'd better go take your shower now."

"Aw, Mom."

"Really, Ken, the longer you put it off, the worse it is."

"But, Mom, this TV show will be off in just a few more minutes, and I'll take it then."

PAUL HARVEY Taxpayers Soaked



HERETOFORE, hospitalization was our country's "biggest bargain." You could enjoy hospital room and board for less than the same accommodations would cost in a first-class hotel. Not any more.

SINCE MEDICARE and Medicaid, the cost of a day's stay in the hospital has soared to an average \$54 a day—and rising.

So long as the "government" is picking up the bill, many hospitals, nursing homes and pharmacists have chosen to sock it to the government.

You and I are the government! So our Social Security taxes were increased another .4% of our incomes as of last Jan. 1. Further increases are inevitable as the costs of hospitalization soar.

PATIENT X in a Chicago hospital was charged \$30 a day for anticoagulant pills which previously sold for less than 30 cents per daily dose!

But if you enter the hospital, stating that you are eligible for either Medicare or Medicaid, in many instances you can expect an exorbitantly inflated bill. Since "the government will pay" for most of it, few such patients complain.

AS SECRETARY of welfare, Wilbur Cohen conducted hearings around the nation on the Medicaid program. His findings will almost certainly lead, in the new Congress, to demands for federally regulated fees and charges.

Bert Seidman is director of the Social Security Department of the AFL-CIO. He says, "Some unethical medical professionals are bilking federal and state governments of millions of dollars in the Medicaid program for the indigent."

MEDICAID, of course, is intended to pay hospital and doctors' fees for those otherwise unable to pay. It is financed jointly by federal and state funds. That means it is financed entirely by the taxes you pay. Its costs have soared far beyond all projections.

Mr. Seidman says, "It would be the height of injustice to penalize the poor by barring them from needed health care while continuing to line the pockets of greedy providers who view the program as a get-rich scheme for doctors, nursing homes and pharmacists."

SEIDMAN DEMANDS "federal controls". Whenever we ask government

to do for us something which heretofore we have done for ourselves, we invite government to police its own investment.

The costs of "government medicine" are pyramiding so fast that Congress will have to decide within this year whether to increase such taxes further or to fix prices for hospital rooms, medicines, treatments and doctors and nurses' fees.

DOCTORS AND HOSPITAL administrators are certain to decry the further regimentation of their professions, but it is inevitable, whenever we fail properly to discipline and regulate ourselves, that Big Government has all the excuse it needs to move in and snoopervise our private lives "in the public interest."

THE PHILOSOPHER

Good Advice



(Editor's note: The Sandhills Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm this week contemplates better planning for his farm this year, but then backs off.)

Dear editor:

"The trouble with you," an agricultural expert told me the other day, "is you don't plan your farming operations far enough in advance," and I was thinking about this, wondering if a man sleeps better not knowing what he's going to do the next morning than he does knowing he's got to get up and start digging post holes, when I picked up a newspaper I'd been saving for emergencies and before I could even sit down my eye caught a headline: New York City Draws Up Master Plan For Next 10 Years.

Now there's planning, I said, ten years in advance, maybe that's what I need after all for this Johnson grass farm, and sat down and read the article.

According to it, New York has prepared a 300,000-word plan to be printed in six volumes outlining what it needs to do to keep from choking to death on metropolitan civilization.

I won't go into detail, some of the ideas sounded all right, like elimination of all crime, all poverty, all traffic congestion, all slums, all transportation problems, all pollution, etc., but the clincher was how the city's going to swing it, as the report estimated it will cost 50 billion dollars over the next 10 years.

THIS ARTICLE is a slight departure from the usual subject matter contained in this column, but it is both appropriate and relevant.

Mrs. Wear and I have never found better neighbors and friends than we have found in Littlefield, and we have lived in the admittedly best cities in West Texas. Littlefield is good to us, and we love the people.

THERE IS, however, an obvious, unpleasant fact that many of the good neighbors and friends seem to be creating. Many of them keep asking, "Why don't 'they' do something to improve the economic structure of our city?"

They ask, "Why don't THEY clear away the numerous piles of junk scattered all over our city?" It is true that much of Littlefield is unattractive to prospective investors and businessmen. It is never going to be any better as long as so many are waiting for the few to do something.

ALL OF US must become actively concerned about the needs of our city.

If enough people become

interested enough, we can do everything that is worth doing.

One of the first changes to be made in our talking. The too much of the negative viewpoint in our minds and talk. Too many people are in Littlefield short. The criticism flows freely, and in considerable quantity.

MANY OF THE CRITICS nothing constructive. They do even encourage the persons who are trying to build up or improve our city. They just keep asking, "Why don't 'they' do something?"

We must understand that the spirit of Littlefield is and should continue to be the combined spirit of the people. We must learn to work together, and against each other.

We must work for the good of our city, and not be concerned about who gets the credit.

SOME SIGNIFICANT progress is being made by City Manager, Jim Shearer and the City Council; the Chamber of Commerce; We, The Women; and others. We are grateful, but we also know that the majority of the people are just looking on and see what is going to happen. They should be helping to make it happen.

LITTLEFIELD HAS some good possibilities, and the greatest resource is the human resource.

So far, for the most part, little is being done. The majority of the people have not yet become enthusiastic on behalf of our city (their city). "Awake you who sleep."

WE MUST STOP the downgrading talk, the pessimistic comments and, in short, we must stop dragging our feet. Everybody can make some positive contribution to the continuing improvement and betterment of our city.

ALL OF US can be constructive. Each person can beautify his own plot of ground. We can begin where we are, with what we have, doing the best we can. We haven't done this, yet.

We can help each other, and encourage one another. We can let our civic leaders know our appreciation, and our general optimistic feelings. We must help them. This general action will help generate the spirit and the strength we need.

MY FRIENDS, the spirit of our city is the combined spirit of the people who live here.

We can make this just as vigorous and as hopeful as we want it to be.

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FEEL ON US

God and Country Award Given Allen Williams

Allen Williams, son of Dr. and Mrs. Aaron Williams of Littlefield, recently received the God and Country Award from the First Baptist Church.

learning more about his church and denomination. "He becomes involved in matters related to his community, country, and to the world. He seeks to find out more of reverence and of his duty to his God and his country as well as to others and to himself," says R. B. Hall, pastor of the church.

"This award is given to those Boy Scouts who have accomplished certain requirements of the program outlined by the Association of Southern Baptists for Scouting.

"The Scout oath starts with 'On my honor, I will do my best to do my duty to God and my Country,'" said Rev. Hall.

Allen has been under the guidance and leadership of R. B. Hall Jr., pastor of First Baptist Church.

"This coveted award is recognized by the Boy Scouts of America and Southern Baptist Convention," said Rev. Hall.



ALLEN WILLIAMS, second from left, son of Dr. and Mrs. Aaron Williams, to his right and left, recently received the God and Country Award. Looking on as he was pinned is Rev. R. B. Hall, right, his pastor.

Superintendents Serve On Panel

AMHERST—The Bi-County (Lamb and Bailey) P-TA Council met Tuesday in the school lunch room.

County superintendent C. Roy Stevens was moderator of a panel comprised of Superintendents McDaniel of Bula, Mann of Springlake-Earth, and Principal Settles of Littlefield, on Connally's school report. Much interest was shown in the questions and answers.

Mrs. Virginia Moss of Olton presided in the business session. The next council meeting will be March 11, at 2 p.m. at Bula.

Mrs. Verdell Burton, Mrs. Harvey Patterson, and Mrs. Eugene Young served refreshments for the local executive committee to representatives from Olton, Littlefield, Spade, Bula, Muleshoe, Springlake-Earth and Amherst.

Cub Scout Of The Week



RICHARD ROGERS, 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby G. Rogers of Littlefield, is Cub Scout of the Week. Richard has earned his Wolf Badge, Gold Arrow Point, four Silver Arrow points, Bear Badge and Gold Arrow Point. He is now the assistant denner of Den 9, Pack 666. Mrs. Rose Willis is his Den Mother.

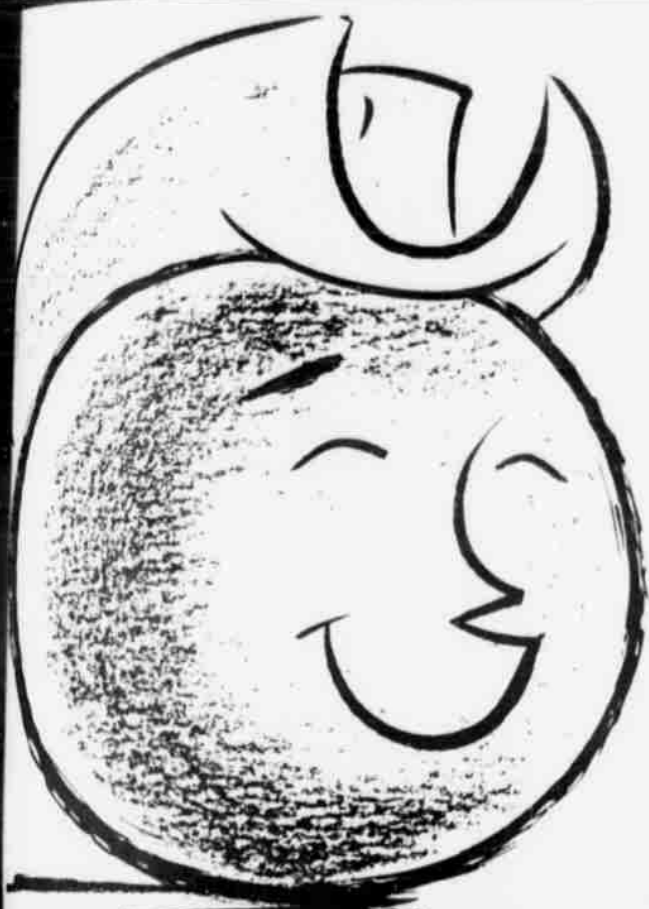
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Emmanuel Lutheran Plans Lenten Season Services Set

"The Bitter Road" will be the general theme of the Lenten series this year at Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 417 W. 3rd, Littlefield.

Rev. William Remmert, pastor, will conduct the services each Wednesday night, beginning Feb. 26.

"It is good, even essential," said Rev. Remmert, "that the calendar of the church, year after year, brings us to the Bitter Road that led to the cross."

He added that "it is good for us to make the journey that brings us again to Calvary and the garden of the new and risen life in Christ."

Pastor Remmert said that, in the series, the church

"will pause at just a few of the stations of the Bitter Road."

Breedloves Named To Honor List

Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Breedlove have been named to the Dean's Honor list again this semester at Texas Tech.

Mrs. Breedlove, the former Diane Phillips, completed her work for the BBA degree and will graduate with honors in June.

The purpose of the Lenten Season is to give Christians an opportunity to recall the consequences of sin and the assurance of being loved by God, in Jesus Christ," says Rev. Philip Berry, pastor of St. Martin Lutheran Church.

During this season, St. Martin Lutheran Church will hold Wednesday evening services at 7:30 p.m. and the sermons will have as a central theme, "We see Jesus..."

Wednesday evening, Feb. 26, at 7:30 p.m., the second in the series of Lenten Services will be held.

Rev. Berry will speak about "We see Jesus... Walking in Our Steps," based on John 16:28.

"All are welcome to attend any of these services," Rev. Berry said.



POPULAR FOLK SINGING group from Wayland College, "The Travelers Three" will entertain for a giant youth fellowship after services tonight at First Baptist Church. Members of the team are Danise Sharp, Martha Carpenter and Tish Whitney, left to right.

Folk Singing Group To Entertain Tonight

"The Travelers Three" a popular folk singing group from Wayland Baptist College will be performing at a giant youth fellowship tonight, following the evening worship service at First Baptist Church. "Every young person in our area is invited to attend this entertaining program," said Al Jordan, minister of music and education.

The three coeds which form the group, Tish Whitney, Danise Sharp and Martha Carpenter, traveled approximately 3,000 miles last year, appearing before civic clubs, church groups, high school student bodies and on television.

An entertainment highlight at any meeting, the group is much in demand for banquets, parties, and conventions as they sing "folk songs with a mixture of this and that," according to Jordan.

Tish Whitney, leader and guitarist for the group,

points out that the main purpose of the group is to help people enjoy themselves. "We try to be 'people pleasers,'" she says. She explains by saying, "We sing songs that people understand and appreciate."

Miss Whitney, senior from Lubbock, is an English major. She holds membership in Sigma Tau Delta, national honorary English fraternity, and the "Trailblazer" staff, campus newspaper. She serves as a dormitory resident assistant and president of the campus B. S. U. She was Autumn Festival Queen this year and candidate for homecoming queen.

Danise Sharp is a senior psychology major from Iraan. This is her second year as a member of the Travelers. She is a member of Delta Chi Delta, women's social service club; Psi Lambda, psychology club; and a former three-year member of the International

choir. She is a candidate for graduation from Wayland College, May, but even more important, she received MRS. Jan. 25.

Martha Carpenter is a freshman English major from Portland, Ore. This is her first year in the Travelers Three. She is an active member of the International Choir and represented the choir in the "Best Dressed" contest on campus.

Jaycees Will Meet Tuesday

A meeting of the Littlefield Jaycees will be called by president Bob Bromlow for 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the bank State Bank's XII Room.

Bromlow issued an invitation to all members interested in Jaycees whether members or not.

The civic organization is reorganizing here in September after several years of inactivity.

Cubs and Webelos Set Blue And Gold

Cubscouts, Webelos and den mothers will be honored at a Blue and Gold Banquet at their monthly meeting Monday night at 7:00 in the Community Center.

Cubmaster Pat Rice will present badges and awards to those present.

Receiving badges in den one are Darren Richards, wolf; Melvin James, gold and silver arrows; Mike Gregg, bear badge; Jamie Rice, silver arrow; Monty Pierce, silver arrow; Mike Williams, silver arrow; Stan Jackson, gold arrow; Daryl Glass, denner; David Goen, assistant denner; and Pauline Dempsey, den mother.

Boys who will be honored in den four are Jeff Birkelbach, wolf; Jeff Ratliff, gold and silver arrow; David Williams, den chief cord; and den mother, Mary Tisdale.

Being honored in den five are Mickey Austin, gold arrow, and den mothers Deloris Bryant and Jo Ann Austin.

Receiving badges in den six are Gregory Moreland, wolf badge and gold and silver arrows; Quinn LeBeauf, bear and gold arrow; Randy Taylor, wolf and silver arrow; and Craig Kelly, wolf, den mother Peggy Taylor will receive a four-year service star.

These boys in den nine will get badges: Timmy Black, silver arrow; Jeff Bryant, wolf badge and gold arrow; Ricky Bryant, silver arrow; Bruce Harlan, two silver arrows; Tommy Malone, two silver arrows; Richard Rogers, two silver arrows. Den mother is Rose Willis.

Those receiving Webelos badges are Larry Dempsey, scientist; Blake Wood, athlete and showman; Roland Lopez, artist; and Kevin Hamilton, artist, athlete and citizenship. Mr. Jennings is Webelos leader.

Gerald Roberts Named Head SPC Veterans

Gerald Roberts, sophomore art major of Littlefield, was elected president of South Plains College Campus-Veterans organization during the regular meeting Feb. 10.

Other officers elected were: Bill Floyd, freshman industrial education major at Amherst, vice-president; Lee Majors, freshman industrial education major of Lubbock, secretary; Michael Gravor, sophomore business administration major of Lubbock, treasurer; Ed Pitman, mid-management major of Lubbock, reporter. Dave Stanley is the faculty advisor.

The club's constitution requires election of officers each semester. Students who have had one year of active service are eligible to join.

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IN A WINDOW of an art store in Paris there was exhibited the statue of a knight of the olden time. He stood clothed from head to foot in chain armor.

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THE MAN WHO BELIEVES is the man who accomplishes.

Peter the hermit was at first looked upon as a fanatic, but he kept preaching a crusade for the rescue of the Savior's tomb.

And one day all Europe was marching and trembling beneath the tramp of the marching feet of his knighthood. They believed in their cause, and were ready to die for it.

NO MAN IS FIT for lasting good until he can look up to God and out upon the world and say, I believe.

It is quite the thing these days to scoff at the old faith, and try to set up in its stead the platitudes of puny man who denies God denies all authority, both God's and man's, and paves the way for anarchy.

The red dragon of the book of Revelation lashes the earth with its slimy tail today, and calls for the destruction of all authority in earth and sky.

REDISM, wherever it shows its hand, seeks the overthrow of governments and the destruction of religion.

A faithful alibi with these destroyers is the teacher, whether in high school, college, or University, who belittles religion and fills the minds of youth with doubt concerning God and the Bible.

IT HAS NEVER been possible for man to get along in the world very well without glimpses of the world to come.

Credo, I believe! Imperfect as the church may be, it is the whitest thing in all the world.

A MUSICIAN went into a china store and asked for some goblets pitched to the key of C.

The proprietor threw up his hands and said, "You have it on me, sir."

The musician said I will take care of that, and going to a table in the center of the room, he struck his turning fork, and every goblet in the room pitched to the key of C trembled into song.

FAITH IS THE turning fork that brings singing into our hearts, the music of heavenly assurance that Jesus Christ, through His atoning death, is ours, and we-through His redeeming grace are His; and that we are saved through His precious blood, and evermore kept by His power.

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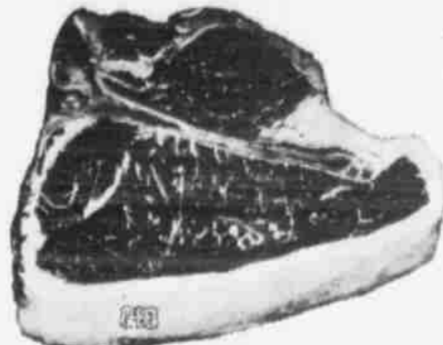
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THE RAIN CAME, Feb. 14, most of the community received from three quarters to one inch of moisture and are in hopes of more before the damp spell is over. This was the first measurable amount of moisture since first of November. Due to the recent sandstorms, the surface moisture was about gone, pasture wheat for cows was gone on dry land.

BULA GIRLS won their last conference game Friday night with Pep, winning by a score of 67-37. Sharron Turney made 33 points for Bula. Bula district champs will play Spade for Bi-district at Texas Dome in Levelland Junior College March 4.

THINGS ARE a little quiet around school this week as this is six-weeks test week.

IVA STAR CLAWSON, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Clawson, underwent knee surgery at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock, Friday. This was done to take care of an injury she received some time ago playing ball. She was able to be returned home Monday and will be in school by last of the week. She will be on crutches several days.

CECIL JONES was able to return home Monday afternoon from a three weeks' stay in St. Anthony Hospital of Amarillo, following head surgery.

WMU MET Tuesday afternoon with only three present. Mrs. Battles conducted the fourth lesson taken from their current study on "Baptist Work in Columbia". Mrs. Howard read the prayer calendar for the missionaries and Mrs. Battles gave the prayer. Attending were Mrs. C. A. Williams, Mrs. Eddie Howard and Mrs. E. O. Battles.

MR. AND MRS. J. C. Withrow visited Monday in Abilene with their two daughters, Cynthia and Sherry, students at Abilene Christian College.

E. O. BATTLES accompanied a group of men from Littlefield and Amherst on a fishing trip near Rock Port. They plan to do some deep sea fishing, as well as fishing around the bay. In a telephone call Monday evening, they said they were having some cool, damp weather, not too good for fishing—real good for playing dominoes too.

BENNIE CLAUNCH is confined in the Medical Arts Hospital suffering with bronchial pneumonia.

MRS. MARVIN DRAKE, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Mary Camp of Amherst, drove to Friona Saturday afternoon to visit with Mrs. Camp's brother, Joe Camp, who has recently moved to Friona from Dallas.

TWENTY FHA GIRLS and their sponsor, Mrs. Own Young, met at the school lunch room Thursday for a workshop. Mrs. Eddie Howard was the guest for the meeting and she gave the girls lesson on making paper flowers.

MRS. MARY CHESHIRE, mother of Mrs. D. J. Cox, was able to be returned home from M. D. Anderson Hospital at Houston, where she recently underwent mouth surgery.

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BULA HAD three entrants in the fat stock show at Muleshoe. Randy Hall showed two Duroc thoroughbred pigs; Steve and Tom Newton, showed cross breed pigs. The boys are working on more entrants in the Morton Stock Show to be held Feb. 27 and 28.

PREPARATIONS are being made for the Baptist Revival to be March 16-23. Rev. Don Hancock, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Carlisle, will be the visiting minister.

THE BAPTIST Church is proud of its new song books, "The Baptist Hymnal", recently purchased.

THE SENIOR CLASS has been doing some work on the Annual preparation. They had to meet their last deadline this week.

THE RECENTLY elected class favorites for the high school are freshmen, Freda Layton and Ron Risinger; sophomores, Pamela Layton and Gene Stroud; juniors, Tom Newton and Iva Clawson; seniors, Rodney Claunch and Linda Gillum. Most Dependable Rodney Claunch and Patricia Grusendorf.

MR. AND MRS. Merle Todd and son, Sane of Kermit, spent the past week with her parents, the G. B. Salyers.

RAYMOND AUSTIN spent the weekend at the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Orpha Tate and boys, Jimmy and Kevin at Mobeetie. They were detained over a day or two due to the snow and icy weather on the north plains.

JOLENE COX, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Cox has been confined in the Medical Arts Hospital for several days with the flu.

MR. AND MRS. Gene Bryan have been spending some time recently at the bedside of her uncle, Emmitt Nichols, a patient in Littlefield Hospital.

MR. AND MRS. G. B. Salyer were host Friday evening at their home to the rehearsal dinner for the Sheryl Medlin and Glen Salyer wedding Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Salyer served the guests buffet style, she was assisted by her daughters, Mrs. Todd and Mrs. Bowers. Members of the wedding party attending were Rev. and Mrs. Harvey Whittenburg, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Medlin and Shiela, Linda McCamish, Buck Fred, Mike Richardson, Rodney Claunch, Elaine Tiller, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bowers and the bride and groom-to-be Sheryl Medlin and Glen Salyer. The food was served from a table laid in white crocheted over white, centered with a blue floral arrangement.

MR. AND MRS. J. W. Layton spent Monday night with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Ellison of Lubbock. Layton was scheduled to see his eye doctor on Tuesday morning.

THE LAST contact Mrs. Nichols had with Mr. and Mrs. Junior Soria, they were still in Dallas. Their little son, Frankie, was now an out patient to the Children's Medical Center and improved in health. He had even gained some weight. He was still under observation and the doctors would be able to tell them in a few days if they could operate.

MR. AND MRS. Tom Bogard spent the weekend in Clarendon with relatives. They spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackman, and visited Saturday night and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Blanche Smith. On their return home they visited at St. Anthony Hospital in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones,

and at a Nursing Home in Amarillo to see his brother, Neel Bogard.

MR. AND MRS. A. L. Russell of Munday spent Wednesday night with his sister, Mrs. Mae Nichols. They were enroute to Denver, Colo. for a visit with relatives.

DINNER GUESTS Sunday for Mrs. Pearl Walden were her sons, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Walden of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Walden of Littlefield.

WORD HAS BEEN received that Joe Dennington, former resident of the Bula community, had undergone open heart surgery at St. Anthony Hospital in Amarillo recently. He was making good recovery from the operation and if continued to improve would not be confined to the hospital too long. Dennington, with his wife, Alberta, lived here several years ago. Both of their children were born here. They now live in Clovis.

MRS. J. W. LAYTON spent Wednesday at Muleshoe with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Snow. Snow is still confined to his bed most of the time, following a stay of several weeks in Medical Arts Hospital. He is slowly gaining his strength.

MISS PATRICIA Grusendorf was admitted Monday to Medical Arts Hospital for a bronchial infection. This was her second admittance.

BULA SCHOOL is being hit for the second time with a round of the flu bug. Several children have been out this week.

High Plains Bookmobile will be in these areas on the following dates:

Wednesday, Feb. 26: Circleback, 8:45-9:45; Bula No. 1, 10:15-11:15; and Bula No. 11, 12-1.

Thursday, Feb. 27: Amherst No. 1, 9:15-9:45; Amherst No. 11, 9:45-10:15; Springlake No. 1, 11-11:45; Springlake No. 11, 12-1 and Earth, 1:15-3:45.

Friday, Feb. 28: Pleasant Valley, 10-11; Sudan No. 1, 12-1 and Sudan No. 11, 1-4.

Saturday, March 1: Morton, 9:30-12.



MARVIN SMITH, picnicing with his R. A. group from Littlefield First Baptist Church, found 1928 Catholic Eucharistic Congress medal on the sandhills near Plant-X.

Marvin Smith Finds Me

Marvin Smith, a Baptist too, or whether it was by some Spanish mission group, found an antique New Orleans Catholic Eucharistic Congress medal.

The medallion is large and heavy, probably made of pewter, and is dated 1928. It may not be very valuable except to the person or persons who lost it, but it is an unusual find.

Whether the medal was lost by some Catholic picnicing in the sandhills,



TV SCHEDULE CHANNEL 11

SUNDAY		FRIDAY	
8:00 Faith for Today	5:00 Wells Fargo	10:00 Super Six*	10:00 Super Six*
8:30 Quasar Road*	5:30 Huntley Brinkley*	8:00 Evening Report**	8:00 Evening Report**
9:00 Laugh	6:00 Evening Report**	6:30 Dream of Jeannie*	6:30 Dream of Jeannie*
9:30 The Answer	7:00 Rowan and Martin*	8:00 Monday Night Movie*	8:00 Monday Night Movie*
10:00 Ask Your Minister	10:00 Final Report*	10:00 Final Report*	10:00 Final Report*
10:45 First Christian Church	10:30 Tonight Show*	10:30 Tonight Show*	10:30 Tonight Show*
12:00 Meet The Priest*	12:00 New Mexico Report*	12:00 New Mexico Report*	12:00 New Mexico Report*
12:30 Fightiers of Faith*	12:15 Sign Off	12:15 Sign Off	12:15 Sign Off
1:00 Charlie Chan			
2:10 Wild Heritage			
2:30 Experiment 3 T U *			
4:30 Lone Star Sportsman*			
5:00 G. E. College Bowl*			
5:30 Wild Kingdom			
6:00 Evening Report**			
6:30 West Plains*			
7:00 Merv Griffin*			
8:00 Bonanza*			
9:00 My Friend Tony*			
10:00 Final Report*			
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SUNDAY		THURSDAY	
7:00 Biblewatch	3:00 Letter to the Editor	10:00 Super Six*	10:00 Super Six*
7:30 Crippler	3:25 CBS Afternoon News	8:00 Evening Report**	8:00 Evening Report**
8:00 The God and Jerry	3:30 General Hospital	6:30 Dream of Jeannie*	6:30 Dream of Jeannie*
8:30 Willamette	4:00 One Life to Live	8:00 Monday Night Movie*	8:00 Monday Night Movie*
9:00 Look the Lightbeaters	4:30 The Dating Game	10:00 Final Report*	10:00 Final Report*
9:30 Paper Bullets Show	5:00 The Newlywed Game	10:30 Tonight Show*	10:30 Tonight Show*
10:30 The Living Word	5:30 CBS Evening News	12:00 New Mexico Report*	12:00 New Mexico Report*
11:00 Comedy	6:00 Local News	12:15 Sign Off	12:15 Sign Off
11:45 America's Favorite Hymns	6:10 Weather		
12:00 Learn and Live	6:20 Sports Report		
12:30 Teen Basketball	6:30 Sunspike		
1:00 NBA Basketball	7:30 Heek's Lunch		
2:00 American Sportsman	8:00 Mayberry R. F. D.		
4:25 Jack Claude Kelly	8:30 Family Affair		
4:30 America's Edge	9:00 Big Valley		
5:00 Land of the Giants	10:00 News & Weather		
6:00 Lassie	10:30 That's Life		
6:30 Gentle Ben	11:30 Peter Gunn		
7:00 Ed Sullivan			
8:00 The Smekens Brothers			
8:30 Mission Impossible			
10:00 News & Weather			
10:30 Merv Griffin			
11:30 Peter Gunn			

TV SCHEDULE CHANNEL 28

SUNDAY		FRIDAY	
12:00 Directions	6:30 Stony Burke	10:00 Super Six*	10:00 Super Six*
12:30 Issues & Answers*	7:30 Generation Gap	8:00 Evening Report**	8:00 Evening Report**
1:00 Shirley Temple Theatre	8:00 Bonifants	6:30 Dream of Jeannie*	6:30 Dream of Jeannie*
2:30 Home Fun	9:00 The Archie Show	8:00 Monday Night Movie*	8:00 Monday Night Movie*
4:00 Crime School*	9:30 Batman Superman	10:00 Final Report*	10:00 Final Report*
5:30 "Sergeant York" in	10:00 Hercules	10:30 Tonight Show*	10:30 Tonight Show*
7:30 Showcase 28	11:00 Shazzan	12:00 New Mexico Report*	12:00 New Mexico Report*
10:00 News Scope	11:30 American Bandstand	12:15 Sign Off	12:15 Sign Off
10:30 Classic Theatre	12:30 Professional Bowler		
12:00 Sign Off	2:00 Wrestling		
	3:00 CBS Golf Classic		
	4:00 World of Sports		
	5:30 Learn and Live		
	6:00 Turn On		
	6:30 Jackie Gleason		
	7:30 Lawrence Welk		
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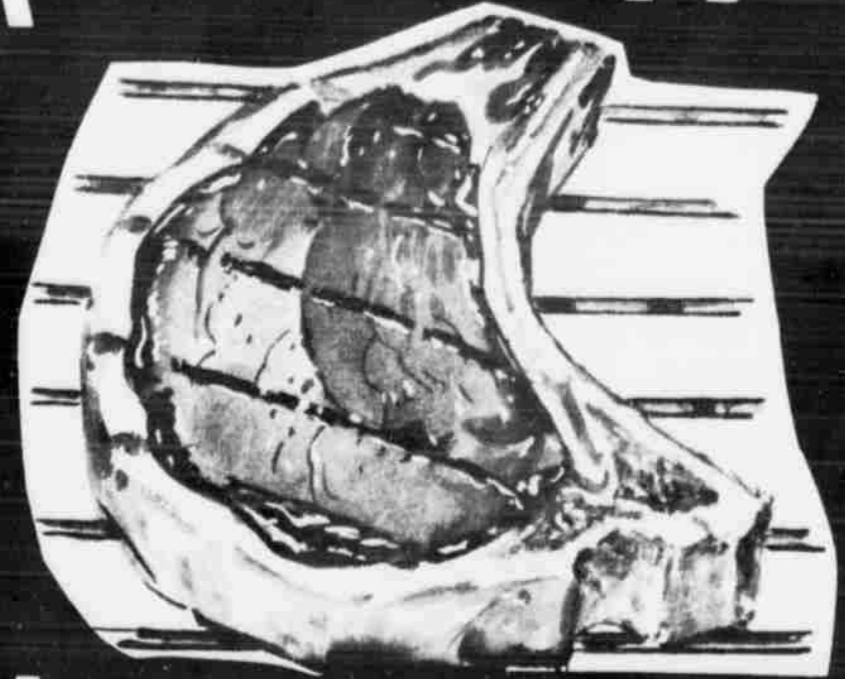
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Rainbows Want Old Hosiery
 Rainbow Girls in Littlefield are collecting old nylon hosiery to be used in patient therapy. The nylons are used to stuff pillows and toys.
 Rainbow Girls had a scavenger hunt last Tuesday to kick off their hosiery collection. They report a good start with 81 bundles of 10 hose each.
 The girls are working for recognition from the Grand Assembly as the assembly that collected the most hose.
 Pam Ward said the goal for her term is 500 bundles of 10.
 The group asks that everyone save their old nylons for them. Anyone having hosiery for the girls may phone 385-3481 or 385-4444 for Mary Weige, and a Rainbow Girl will pick up the nylons.

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Billy Duncan
Rites Monday

James Duncan, head Littlefield High basketball coach and director of singing at the Amherst Baptist Church, was notified yesterday morning of the death of his brother, Billy E. Duncan, in Dallas.
 The late Duncan has served as organist for the First Baptist Church in Dallas approximately 20 years. He apparently died of a heart attack during the night.
 Services are set for 9:30 a.m. Monday in the First Baptist Church of Dallas, with burial to follow in Marshall.
 Duncan asked that donations be made to the Dallas church, rather than local gifts for the funeral.

APPLIANCE STORE HAS RECORD MONTH

Cox Furniture and Appliance of Littlefield has just completed its biggest single month in appliance sales. Mrs. Eloise Cox, manager, reported.
 Mrs. Cox said the local store in January was one of many Frigidaire dealers which had record sales. She said the Frigidaire sales zone of Fort Worth had its biggest single month of appliance shipments in its 50-year history.

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Baker Honored Birthday

A. D. Baker was on her 77th birthday with a dinner Feb. 9, at the City Center. Generations of the family were invited for the occasion. Dinner was hosted by daughters, Otis and Mrs. Haskell Stephens. Mrs. Ford of Tulsa, Mrs. L. L. of Friona and Mrs. of Friona. Approximately 60 grandchildren and children helped celebrate.



LINDA CLAYTON, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clayton, was on the Dean's List at Texas Tech the first semester. She is an Elementary Education major with a minor in speech. She is a 1966 graduate of Amherst High School.

OLTON

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



MR. AND MRS. A. D. Adams visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. F. Lancaster in Muleshoe. Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Lancaster are sisters. Mrs. L. B. Gray returned to Olton with Mr. and Mrs. Adams for a visit in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Adams, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gray and other relatives.

MR. AND MRS. F. E. Lambert of Seminole visited Saturday in the home of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Blackwell. MR. AND MRS. J. W. Henderson are vacationing at Possum Kingdom Lake.

MRS. GEORGE RICHARDS returned Sunday from Jolla, Calif., where she visited in the home of Mrs. George Richards, Jr. Chris and Kurt. Mrs. Richards also visited her sister, Mrs. Edna Forbis and her niece, Mrs. Bobby Wing in Tinacenia, Calif.

MR. AND MRS. Jack Roy Straw, Rod, Roy and Scott of Gruver visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Straw, last weekend. MRS. INEZ YATES visited in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Cole, Norris and Morris in Dimmitt Sunday.

MRS. ANNIE MOORE of Lubbock visited in the home of Mrs. J. H. Moore last weekend. MRS. RUBY SMITH and Mrs. J. Roy Carder visited relatives in Portales, N. M., last weekend.

MR. AND MRS. Billy Gallion and children of Dimmitt visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Snider and Mrs. Sue Cannon Saturday. MRS. LEE GREEN is visiting relatives in Matador this week.

KELLY DAN CURE, son of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Cure, underwent surgery at Plainview Hospital Monday. MRS. JACK COLEMAN of Hereford visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. Era Maye Walthall Monday.

MR. AND MRS. Bert Stewart visited in the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wally Stewart and children in Clovis, N. M., Sunday. Other guests in the Wally Stewart home were

Mrs. Irene Massey of Lubbock and Mrs. Minnie Stewart of Hale Center.

SUNDAY DINNER guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Blackwell were Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Measles of Plainview, Mrs. Measles and Mrs. Blackwell are sisters.

KELLY DAN CURE, son of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Cure, who underwent surgery Monday at the Plainview Hospital was able to return home Tuesday.

RETURNING SUNDAY from a five day fishing trip to Old Mexico were Earl Spruiell, Dr. Basil Johns, J. B. James, J. C. Hamby and Kenneth Burgess.

MRS. KENNETH CAMPBELL visited Kelly Dan Cure at Plainview Hospital Monday.

MRS. RAYMOND MOTLEY is in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock undergoing tests. It is thought that they will operate as soon as all the tests are completed.

OUTSTANDING Crusade Choir Member last week at First Baptist Church was Vic Allcorn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Allcorn. More than 30 adults attended the Personal Evangelism Conference at First Baptist Church in Plainview Monday night.

Among those attending were Rev. John Lewis, pastor of First Baptist Church, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Cowart, Mr. and Mrs. William DeBerry, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Snider, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bley, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Pinson, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Barnett and children, also Debbie Vaughn, and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Franks. Also Mmes. L. G. Elkins, Pearl Schreier, R. G. DeBerry, Stella Cowart, Bob Hipp, Bill Thomas, Bob Duncan, Eleanor Sudduth, and Johnny Hodges.

MR. AND MRS. C. E. Bley are spending this week in Ardmore, Okla.

WMS of the First Baptist Church met Monday afternoon in Fellowship Hall with Rev. Pat Gloria, pastor of Trinity Spanish Mission, speaking to the group. MRS. RAIFORD Daniel Jr. of Earth visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raiford Daniel Sr. Saturday morning.

MRS. EARL SPRUIELL and children visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bass in Wichita Falls a few days last week. Mrs. Spruiell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bass.

OLTON MAYOR, Parley Myers, has called for a City Election for the purpose of electing a mayor and two city council members. Deadline for filing is March 4 and the election has been called for April 5. Ballots will be cast at the city hall.

MR. AND MRS. Raymond Durham and children were honored Friday night at their home with a housewarming. Hostesses presented the couple with two end tables. The serving table was covered with a white cloth and centered with a Valentine centerpiece. Refreshments were mints, cookies, coffee and Cokes. The group played "42" and "88".

HOSTESSES WERE Mmes. Lloyd Blackwell, W. T. Hankins, Denver Offield, Tommy Sluder, Jr., Garland DePrang, Leo Smith, Ray Culwell, Melvin Raines, Mitchell Haddad, Jack Gullett, Bill Langston, Kate Truelock, Nancy Truelock, all of Olton; Mrs. James T. Truelock and Mrs. Nancy Gilmore of Earth and Mrs. D. D. Brown of Midland.

CHAMPION lightweight Hampshire barrow of the San Antonio Fat Stock Show was shown last week by Danny Sides of the Olton FFA. His lightweight Hampshire barrow placed first.

LOCAL BOYS going to San Antonio or sending stock were Danny Sides, Charles A. McClain, Jerry Loveless, Gayle McClain, Rex Rudd, Keith Neimast, Ronnie Truelock and Lynn Gullett. Accompanying the boys were Jon Scott, local teacher and Delmer Givens, a local farmer.

THE CROSSBREED of Lynn Gullett placed sixth; The Duroc of Monte Roberson also placed sixth; and the Duroc of Gayle McClain placed 11th. A NEW BUSINESS has been established in Olton. Bill Kemp, resident of Olton for the past 36 years, opened a new and used car sales dealership last week. The new business is located on Main Street across from the Nixon Auto Parts. Kemp has about 15 years experience in car dealing, having been

employed by Thompson Chevrolet prior to going into business for himself. Kemp and his wife, Velma, have three sons, Billy, Jerry and Jack.

ONE OF OLTON'S newest residents is Miss Charlene Perkins, high school English teacher. She is a January graduate of Wayland Baptist College. Her hometown is Clayton, N. M. Her hobbies are working with scrapbooks, collecting pictures and sewing. She is a member of the First Baptist Church.

MR. AND MRS. C. C. Curry visited with his



SATURDAY, MARCH 1 GIRLSTOWN USA girls, with George Sharp, a recording artist, will present a sacred music appreciation night at Muleshoe High School Auditorium at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$1 in advance at Muleshoe drug stores and \$1.25 at the door. Proceeds will go for the chapel fund for Gilstown.

MONDAY, MARCH 3 LAMB COUNTY Sportsmen will meet in the Springlake Community Club at 7:30 p.m. Purpose of the meeting is to elect directors and establish by-laws for the organization. All hunters, fishermen and interested persons are invited to attend.

JUNIOR-SENIOR P-TA will meet at 7:30 p.m. in LHS Auditorium. This meeting was changed from Feb. 3.

brother-in-law, Robert Smith of Floydada, at University Hospital in Lubbock Sunday. Robert underwent surgery last week. MR. AND MRS. H. B. Carson, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Alcorn and Troy Don visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Carson and children in Dalhart Tuesday. MR. AND MRS. Jack Powell, Teresa and Tammy of Dumas visited Sunday in the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Lee Potest, and attended church at Main Street Church of Christ Sunday night. MR. AND MRS. Clovis Potest visited in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Duncan

and children Saturday in Lubbock. GREEN HAMMILL has gone to Newton to try his luck fishing. MRS. CLAUDINE Bell and daughter, Gulla, of Rochester, N. Y., arrived Tuesday for a visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Curry. MR. AND MRS. Jack Alcorn were in Clovis, N. M., Wednesday. MR. AND MRS. Preston Leggett have moved to Lubbock. He has accepted employment with Bell Dairy Products. This fall Leggett plans to enter West Texas State University at Canyon.

Littlefield Menu

MONDAY: Hamburgers, tossed salad, French fries, milk and cookies. TUESDAY: Pinto beans with pork, buttered greens, carrot sticks, cornbread, milk and apple cobbler. WEDNESDAY: Turkey, dressing and gravy, green beans, combination salad, rolls, milk and chocolate pie. THURSDAY: Swiss steak, creamed potatoes, English peas, hot rolls, milk and cinnamon rolls. FRIDAY: Super dogs, lima beans, spring salad, milk and mince pie.

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Visiting recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Dunlap were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bridges, Cheri, Debbie and Kyle of Sacramento, Calif.; Mrs. L. L. Hanks of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Johnston of Midland; and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vaughn of Lubbock.

Mrs. A. F. Wilson has recently returned from a visit with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ramey Wilson in Lawton, Okla., and with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Dickerson in Devol, Okla.

Mrs. Walter Martin has returned home after spending time with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Mordecai in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Spann and children of Plainview spent last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McCain.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwane Nelson and Jody of Hereford are spending the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Martin.

Jack King Jr. of San Diego, Calif., son of Mrs. Jack King Sr. of Littlefield, had the misfortune to fall and break his elbow recently. He had surgery but was released from Clarumont Hospital last Wednesday.

Mrs. Jack Christian and Jan and Dena Rest left early Saturday morning for Abilene. The girls are attending a houseparty for the YWA girls at Hardin-Simmons University. Mrs. Christian is visiting her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Duggan are in San Angelo this weekend attending the bridge tournament.

Mrs. Jack King Sr. and Carol spent last weekend in Lubbock helping their granddaughter and niece, Elissa Lynne King, celebrate her first birthday. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Karry King.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McCain visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Webster in Friona recently.

Guests the past weekend in the G. T. Corry's home were their son, Clenton and two friends from Dallas and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Schiermeyer and Troy, formerly of Lubbock, but left Monday to make their home in Dallas.

Rhoda Price left Thursday for Hobbs, N. M., to visit her son, Jack and family.

Mrs. I. T. Shotwell Sr. is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Clifford Payne at their ranch near Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Caldwell of Spade spent several days vacationing in New Mexico last week. They went through the caverns in Carlsbad then to Cloudcroft and Ruidoso. In Alamogordo they were guests of his aunt, Mrs. Goldie Caldwell.

Mrs. Jack King Sr. attended the Hospital Managers' Seminar at the Ko-Ko Inn in Lubbock last Wednesday.

All men of the First Methodist Church are urged to attend the District Laymen's Banquet at First United Methodist Church are urged to attend the District Laymen's Banquet at First United Methodist Church at Brownfield, Tuesday evening, Feb. 25 at 7:30 o'clock.

Douglas Allen, Carla Chambers, Shelly Grant, Geoffrey Grizzle, Noel Grizzle, Charlotte Hinds, Pat Hinds, Pat Kirby, Marty Mangum, Janice Oldham, David Roden and Joe Williams, local youth of the First Methodist Church of Littlefield, met last Sunday afternoon with the youth of Wesley United Methodist Church in Levelland. Billy Williams, counselor, also attended.

PEP

ANN ALBUS 933-2230



MAY JANE Demel of Lubbock was home for the weekend visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Demel.

MR. AND MRS. Tony Duesterhaus and son, Keith, were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Duesterhaus and family.

THE CHILDREN of Mary attended 8 o'clock mass in a body Sunday morning. In the evening at 1:30, they held their regular monthly meeting. Ann Albus, president, presided over the meeting. Barbara Glumpler led the opening prayer. In the business discussion, they decided to make out a cleaning list on what should be done when cleaning the rectory. They also discussed Lenten penances. The meeting was adjourned and Pam Demel led the closing prayer.

THE ALTAR Society held their regular monthly breakfast consisting of doughnuts, rolls, coffee and milk. A large number of families attended the breakfast.

DINNER GUESTS Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al William Duesterhaus was Mr. and Mrs. Fred Albus and family.

MR. AND MRS. Joe Kloiber, former residents of PEP were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Jungman recently.

MR. A. G. Jungman has completed a book on the history of Pep, recently. It has 140 pages and features 281 pictures, the first of which were taken in 1923 and the last in 1968. Mr. Jungman has not had the book published as of yet, but hopes to have it published soon in memory of the small community of Pep.

WAYNE GLEN, Rita Bustamante and Mary Sinnacher enjoyed the weekend skiing at Ruidoso. MR. AND MRS. L. V. Hogue returned home Sunday after spending the week in Tennessee with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hogue. On their return trip home they visited Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hogue of Georgia.

EVERYONE enjoyed themselves at the domino party Sunday evening sponsored by the P.T.A. Refreshments of cookies, cake and coffee were served. A large crowd attended and everyone had an enjoyable evening.

REV. FATHER Cocoran was a guest for dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gaubert Demel and family.

PEP P.T.A. met Monday night in the high school. President Mrs. Frank Sinnacher presided over the meeting. Mr. Coy Keahey led the group in prayer and the Pledge to our Flag.

In the old business, it was reported that the tennis courts are ready to be packed. Eddie Schlottman would get the courts rolled. Also, the poles for backs would be picked up in Littlefield.

The president asked all of the members to write the Congressmen if they haven't done so already concerning the Governor's Committee of Public School Education. Mrs. Frank Sinnacher read the Texas Congress of Parent and Teachers' Legislation Program of 1968-69.

MRS. PAUL ALBUS accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kuehler of Brownfield, visited relatives recently in El Paso.

KATHY DECKER, Betty Albus, and Charles Shannon attended a seminar at South Plains College, Wednesday Feb. 19.

MRS. PAUL GONZALES was brought home from Levelland Thursday after spending several days in the home of her son, Frank Gonzales. She had been in a Lubbock Hospital 11 days. Fortunately, surgery was not necessary.

STEPHEN COX and William Floyd were on the dean's honor list at South Plains College the first semester.

MR. AND MRS. Lamar Kelly, Kathy and Mark were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Harvey and family in Canadian last weekend.

MR. AND MRS. John Rice and Pat visited relatives in Plains last Sunday.

MR. AND MRS. Sherwood Abbott were recent guests of Mrs. Betty Sadberry in Fort Worth.

BRENDA DAVIS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis underwent knee surgery in Lubbock this week. She is recovering satisfactorily.

RECENT GUESTS of the Jim Gages were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nesbitt and baby daughter Mickey Jill of Levelland.

MRS. VERDELL Burton and her mother, Mrs. Clyde Rhodes of Littlefield were in Hereford Wednesday when Mrs. R. W. Mitchell underwent major surgery. She is Mrs. Rhodes' sister.

IN VENEZUELA

Exchange Student Saves American

Residents of Littlefield last week were urged to initiate and participate in an exchange student program with South American countries, by an American who has been in Venezuela almost 15 years.

He is C. L. "Chuck" McCoy, a nephew of Chuck Harlin, and manager of an oil drilling company in South America. He spoke Wednesday before the Littlefield Lions Club and Spanish and Latin classes in LHS.

The reason McCoy urged the exchange student program was that he had seen results from one exchange student that quite possibly saved his life.

Establishing the background of his story, McCoy pointed out that for several years after Americans moved into Venezuela, they treated the natives badly. Effects of those early years still smudged relations with many natives, today, he says.

One day, a few years ago, a group of apparent students gathered outside the gates of his company's office and began shouting and attempting to get inside the compound.

He learned their reason was to lower the American flag, that was flying alongside the Venezuelan flag, which is permitted by law there. The Marine



McCoy

veteran of both World War II and the Korean War said he told himself they'd have to get to the flag over his body.

Attempts to talk the students out of breaking in were to no avail, he said, and he backed away from the gate ready for his defense.

About the time the students were ready for their big move in forcing open the gates, McCoy said a young man waded to the front and began talking with the youngsters.

He said he couldn't understand what was said, but that very soon, all the

angry youths calmed, lowered their heads, and slowly retreated from the area.

"The young man had just returned from America on an exchange program. I later learned," McCoy said. "He had told them about our country and our real attitudes toward them. That young man most likely saved my life and averted an international incident, just because he had lived with our people here in the United States."

The speaker said the major needs of the people in

Venezuela were organized activities for the youngsters, such as athletic programs. They've nothing to do, he explained.

Current political administrations have worked hard and been highly effective in fighting Communism in the country, he pointed out.

McCoy is in the states on a 90-day extended vacation. He said he was very impressed with Lions Clubs and intended to initiate one for some 200 Americans who worked in his area in Venezuela.

Red Cross Campaign Begins Here

Lamb County Red Cross Chapter will begin its fund campaign March 1 and will continue solicitations through the month.

"Since our chapter was granted its charter in April of 1931, Lamb County residents have generously supported our Red Cross program," said Mrs. Bonnie Haberer, Chapter chairman.

"Those of us who are closely associated with the Red Cross program know the great value it is as a link between the civilian community and the nation's armed forces," said Mrs. Lyle Brandon, county fund chairman.

Emergency messages about serious personal and family problems travel between American Red Cross field staff in South Vietnam and chapter in the United States at a rate exceeding 33,000 a month, according to information released by the Red Cross.

A total of 558 service contacts were made by the Lamb County chapter between Jan. 1, 1968 and Jan. 30, 1969. Of these were included contacts concerning 162 active servicemen, 195 veterans and 201 civilians.

SUDAN

MRS. R. E. SCOTT 227-5351



MRS. J. R. Manning was guest speaker Monday evening at the meeting of the FHA held in the FHA Cottage. Mrs. Manning spoke on "Personality and Individuality."

MRS. J. E. W. L. HOOFFMAN has returned to her home in Mark Tree, Ark., after several weeks visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Gene Duval and family.

THE IOTA ETA CHAPTER, Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority, met for a business session Thursday evening in the home of Martha Markham. Assisting Mrs. Markham was Mary Cowart.

PAM WISEMAN, vice president, presided when Alma Lumpkin was named Outstanding ESA'er for 1968-69. Mrs. Lumpkin will be among participants in the district ESA'er contest and the winner will be announced at the April meeting in Post.

PLANS WERE completed for the program presented by the Sorority at the Senior Citizens meeting Friday afternoon. Topic for the evening was "A Noble Deed is a Step Toward God". The director was Betty Martin.

Mary Cowart discussed the topic "Give One Thing More-A Grateful Heart". A Valentine theme was used for party decorations and refreshments were served to Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Wiseman, Mrs. Cowart, Charis Baker, Betty Martin, Loretta Reid, Pat DeLoach, Sharon Brown, and Maxine Nichols.

THE SENIOR CITIZENS were entertained with a Valentine party when the group met Friday afternoon in the Community Center. In charge of the program were members of the Iota Eta Chapter. ESA, Martha Markham and Pam Wiseman.

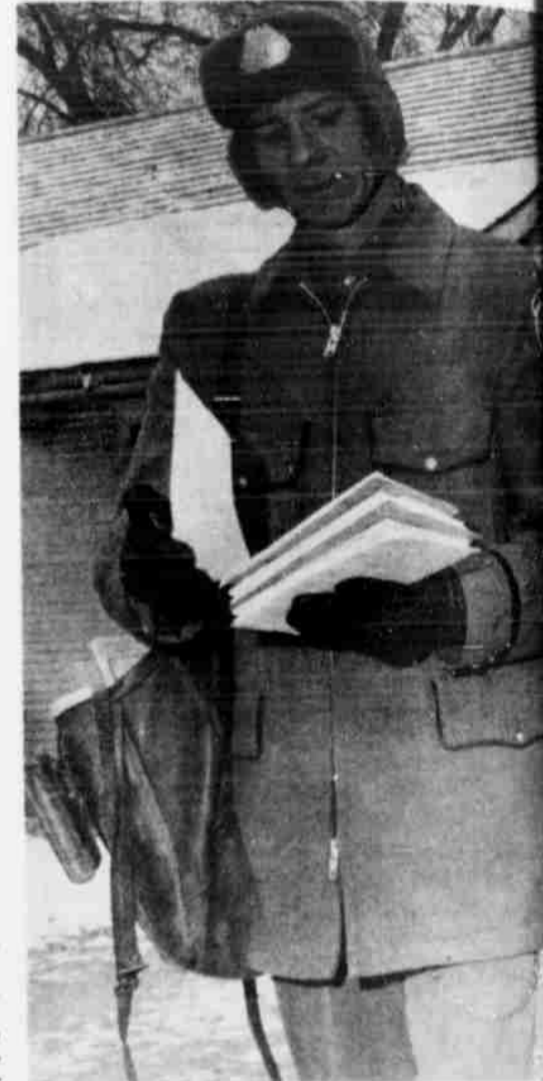
greeted the guests who were presented Valentine corsages and bouquets. The second grade class of Mrs. Nichols presented a Valentine program of musical numbers. Serving refreshments were Charis Baker and Charlene Blume. Among those attending were mothers of second grade students, Mrs. Ruby Fulcher, Mrs. Donnie Cowart, Mrs. R. E. Scott. Approximately 20 were present. After the program, table games were played.

THE SUDAN 4-H Club met Thursday evening. A program on "Gun Safety" was presented. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fields and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bowling are the Adult leaders.

MR. AND MRS. Marvin Bowling and Tracey were in San Antonio Feb. 8 and 9 to attend the stock show there.

THE FHA SWEET-HEART banquet was held Saturday evening in the school cafeteria. The theme for the banquet was "A Wishing Well" and table decorations included cupid and candles. Place mats were hearts. Judi Williams gave the invocation and the guests were welcomed by Kathy Rice, Debbie Fields introduced special guests including the FHA Beau, Bobby Brown, and the FHA Buddy, Billy Wayne Gore. Also chapter parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fields, and Mrs. Keith Bray of Muleshoe, were presented gifts.

"THE GROOVYS", a musical group sang several selections. Forming the ensemble were Sharon Wilson, Venita Whiteaker, Kathy Rice, Rex Boyles, Clinton Jones. Giving the benediction was Francis Hanna.



TROY GARDNER, Littlefield letter carrier, wears ear muffs Thursday morning after the year's snow fell. The snow was gone by noon, springlike weather appeared early in the day.

EARTH

MRS. BEULAH NEWTON 257-4341



GUESTS in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Runyon, Friday through Tuesday were their granddaughter and family, S. Sgt. and Mrs. S. D. Hotray and four children of Batesville, Ark. Hotray is a recruiting officer in the U.S. Air Force and is a career man. Mrs. Hotray is daughter of the former Anna Lee Runyon.

MR. AND MRS. L. S. Griffin attended funeral services for Mrs. Robertson in Anton Monday. She was wife of their pastor in the Primitive Baptist Church in Muleshoe.

MR. AND MRS. Leon Foster were in Littlefield Monday morning. Foster saw the doctor, as he is having some eye trouble.

MR. AND MRS. Ray Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Pete O'Hair and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kelley have been to McKinney to be with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kelley, M. E. has been in the hospital in McKinney and had surgery Monday. It has been reported that his condition is much improved. The surgery was minor and is for emphysema.

MRS. DUB COCHRAN of Magnolia, Ark., was a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Dennis Simmons, from Friday to Wednesday. Mrs. Cochran is a former resident of this community.

MR. AND MRS. Fred Ussery left Tuesday for Ruidoso. The Usserys are building a room onto their trailer house in Ruidoso.

MR. AND MRS. Dennis Simmons and Mrs. Dub Cochran spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Simmons and children of Lovington, N.M.

MRS. NELLIE BARTON left Tuesday for Oklahoma City, Okla., to spend some time with her daughters and son. Edd Barton came Monday for his mother.

THE EARTH Masonic Hall was the scene of a special meeting Tuesday evening. Purpose of the meeting was to honor H. D. Sanders and present him with a pin. District Deputy of Grand Lodge of Texas presented the pin and address. Mr. and Mrs. Bill

Sanders of Amarillo and Mrs. Aurelia Sanders of Earth were present to see the honor bestowed on their father. Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and coffee were served to approximately 35 Masons and their wives.

MR. AND MRS. Harvy Hickman are in Houston this week where Mrs. Hickman will have a check-up on her eyes. Mrs. Hickman was supposed to have gone to Houston a week ago, but due to the death of her brother, A. C. Barton, she had to have another appointment.

THE SWEETHEART Banquet for the FHA was a success last Saturday evening.

SUNDAY GUESTS of Mrs. Nat Bearden were two of her daughters, Mr. and Mrs. James Dempsey, Judy and Gary of Lubbock and Mrs. Derral Nichols, Jimmy and Daria of Littlefield.

WEEKEND guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Inglis were his father J. B. Inglis and an aunt and uncle all of Mangum, Okla.

MRS. BULA COKER attended funeral services for a sister-in-law in Saint Jo, Texas, last Sunday. Mrs. Coker was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Bill Nix of Sudan.

THE FLU BUGS are at work again and seems that they have really struck hard in our school and faculty.

THE MOISTURE we have received has been most welcome. However, some are saying they wish the sun would shine. How can the sun shine and rain or snow at the same time? Yes it could but, would we get enough moisture to help? Do we count our blessings and thank God as we should?

THE BAND students are sponsoring a Mexican food dinner at the school cafeteria, Sunday. Let's stand behind our young people.

MRS. MARIE SLOVER is a patient in Littlefield Hospital. She is suffering from bronchitis.

MR. AND MRS. Glenn McGeath are in Arizona where McGeath is employed by Pioneer Natural Gas.

They hope to be at next month.

MR. AND MRS. Welch were in Vega Sura. A sister, nephews and brother all met them there.

MEN OF THE town surrounding community at work trying to get commercial feed lot Power to these men in efforts.

HOSPITAL NEWS

LITTLEFIELD HOSPITAL February 19

ADMITTED: Mrs. Elms, Mrs. Juanita May, Mrs. Margene Jackson, Bertha Dutton, C. Stafford.

DISMISSED: Ron Amos, Miss Carol Kay Floyd Ivey, Sam Randall.

February 20

ADMITTED: Mrs. Diering, Monroe Hogue, Mrs. Lucy Lewis, Glenna Crawford, Myrtle Jones, Craig R. Nita Richardson, A. Pinkerton.

DISMISSED: Miss De Amos, Mrs. Kay Anderson and infant, Miss King, Buster Davis, Ver Eagan, Miss De Hernandez.

February 21

ADMITTED: Mrs. Pointer, Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. Pence, N. O. Drake, Graves.

DISMISSED: Mrs. Rangel, Mrs. Lela Elms, Juanita Manley, A. Pinkerton.

BIRTHS Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson, girl, born Feb. 20, at 7:22 p.m., weighing lbs. 4 oz.

TO HEREFORD Mr. and Mrs. family were in Hereford Sunday to visit their grandmother, Mrs. Wilcoxson. Mrs. Wilcoxson has been ill but is home, doing much better.

AMHERST, WHITEFACE CLASH MONDAY

Area Champs Take Lumps

Championship basketball teams took lumps in warmup games as they prepared for bi-district playoffs. Amherst Bulldogs and Spade Ralls teams Thursday night, fell to Idalou and Springlake-Earth's Wolverettes were off by Klondike.

into the South Plains College Texan Dome tomorrow night for the bi-district title challenge against Whiteface. That game, which will follow a clash between South Plains College and Hobbs Junior College, is slated to tip off about 9 p.m. Tickets will be \$1.50 for adults and 50 cents for students. The District 5-B title is the fourth for Coach Bert Grimes since he's been

at Amherst. He tied with Anton in 1963 and lost in a playoff for the right to represent the conference. His Bulldogs have won the trophy the last two years, but have never been able to get past the bi-district level. Amherst, now 24-5, has split with Whiteface in two non-conference games this season. The 'Dogs topped the Antelopes 70-63 in the first meeting, and then were edged, 53-51 right after the Christmas holidays. The Bulldogs had a cold night from the floor, hitting only 19 percent of their shots, and losing 63-47. Coach Grimes said Ralls' height probably had a lot to do with that. Three Jackrabbits range in height from 6-6 to 6-9, with Jim Cox, the tallest, scoring 19 points.

But the 'Dogs played very well, Grimes pointed out, especially holding their own on rebounding against the taller opponents. Ralls hit 38 percent from the floor. Mickey Johnson and Royce McAdams tied for scoring honors with 13 each. Trailing by eight points as they entered the final quarter, Spade's defending 5-B champion girls almost overtook the Class A Ralls girls, but finally bowed, 67-63. They had held their own through the first quarter, 25-26, but fell behind 32-40 by the half. The game was marred with turnovers by both clubs, 19 for Spade and 18 for Ralls. Belinda Thompson racked up 14 field goals and nine free shots for 37 points that evening. Christi Adams had 17. Coach Larry Morris says his club will play one more warmup game, at 7 p.m. Monday at home against Idalou, before taking on Bula in the big bi-district clash. Spade and Bula meet in Levelland's Texan Dome March 4, for the right to enter the regional tournament. Bula lost Friday night, 64-50, to Idalou, District 4-AA champion. The Springlake-Earth Wolverettes, state Class A champions the past two years, was upset by the District 13-B champion Klondike Friday, 65-60. Vickie Gregory led the Wolverettes in scoring, with 30 points. Maggie Mintor had 33 for the victors. Klondike is now 31-2 for the season, and S-E is 26-4. The bi-district clash between the Wolverettes and Ralls will be at 8 p.m. March 4, at Abernathy. Tickets will be \$1.50 for adults and 50c for students. Ralls is coached by Amherst native Judy Bowman.

... Paralyzed Man

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hand. "The cleaning jars are so expensive," he said.

STRANGE, AT 55, is relatively young at the home. He is the official "winder-up" of watches for the elderly

residents of the home. He has two or three regular customers for this service each morning. One woman brings her watch in for winding two or three times every day, he said. Strange spends much of his time visiting other patients there. Other hobbies include watching television and reading.

National Bass Tourney April 10-12 At Rayburn

Texas reputation of having the best bass fishing waters will be tested with the Texas National Bass Tournament to be held at Sam Rayburn April 10-12.

Sam Rayburn, near Jasper, has been selected for the Tournament by the Texas Anglers Sportsman Society. Additional information on membership in the Society may be obtained by writing P. O. Box 3044, Montgomery, Alabama, 36109. Prizes to the winners of the Tournament will exceed \$7000 in cash, trophies and awards. The competition is highly regulated to insure fairness. Each contestant must fish with an observer. All lures must be artificial.

resource—particularly conservation of rivers and streams. The Texas National Bass Tournament is open to any member of the Texas Anglers Sportsman Society. Prizes to the winners of the Tournament will exceed \$7000 in cash, trophies and awards. The competition is highly regulated to insure fairness. Each contestant must fish with an observer. All lures must be artificial. This will be the ninth in a series of tournaments to be presented by the Society. Similar contests have been held in Arkansas, Georgia, Texas, Alabama, Mississippi, and Florida.

Olton Women Top Bowlers

Olton has some of the state's top women bowlers. At least, some of the tops among those who've competed in the Texas Woman's Bowling Association state tournament, currently under way in Lubbock. Olton women are among the top 15 in Class A team, doubles and singles. The Ed Thompson John Deere team is currently ranked 11th. The team fired a 2247 last weekend. Bobbits of Houston is the leader with 2553.

Bettye Jordan and Nora Lee Martin are eight in the Class A doubles standings, with a 1048. A pair from Houston lead 1117. And in the singles competition, Mrs. Jordan is eighth with a 533, behind a Dallas bowler's 586.

Also in Class A singles, former Olton resident Bonnie Buchenau, now of Plainview, is 16th with a 522. Class A is the highest division, according to the bowler's average, in competition besides the Open Division. The tournament will continue another month before the final standings are completed. They compete on the weekends throughout the tournament.

AMHERST				RALLS			
Player	Fg	Ft	Tp	Player	Fg	Ft	Tp
Johnson	5	3	13	Johnson	2	1	5
Duffy	4	4	12	Cox, J.	7	5	19
Moates	0	5	5	Shelby	7	1	15
Maxfield	1	2	4	McEvoy	4	2	10
McAdams	4	5	13	Hargrove	5	2	12
TOTALS	14	19	47	Cox, R.	1	0	2
				TOTALS	26	11	63

Scores by quarters				
Amherst	8	22	31	47
Ralls	13	25	45	63

SPADE				RALLS					
Player	Fg	Ft	Pf	Tp	Player	Fg	Ft	Pf	Tp
Thompson	14	9	1	37	Myers	4	1	1	9
Adams	7	3	0	17	SPADE	25	13	14	63
RALLS	26	15	17	67					

Score by quarters:				
Spade	20	32	48	63
Ralls	23	40	56	67

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BULA GIRLS DISTRICT 5-B CHAMPIONS

SPRINGLAKE-EARTH GIRLS DISTRICT 3-A CHAMPIONS



Big Colleges Like Area Lads

The big colleges of the western area like athletes from the County and District 3-AAA. To date, they've signed 13 footballers, with eligibility remaining in football and track are expected to be signed. Lamb, A&M has already signed Olton's Eddie Hooper and Monte Roberts. While Monte Roberts is inked with TCU and Akin, another Olton star, has signed out for Lubbock's Texas

contributed Randy Baker, tackle, (SMU), and running back Dan Steakley (Texas U.). Twice all stater A. G. Perryman of Dunbar is one of 10 Texans thus far signed with Oklahoma U. He is a linebacker and fullback. And Snyder defensive back David McGinnis has signed with TCU.

BOWLING NEWS

HIT & MISS LEAGUE		
Team	Won	Lost
Team No. 1	24	8
Team No. 2	22	10
Team No. 3	18	14
Team No. 4	17	15
Team No. 5	14	18
Team No. 6	12	20
Team No. 7	8	24
Team No. 8	8	24

High team game and series, Team No. 1, 834 and 2411; high women's game and series, Robbie Sexton, 246 and 564; high men's game, Bill Harris, 212; high men's series, Maurice Sexton, 564.

Whitharral Farmer Contest Winner

WHITHARRAL—Farmer Stafford of Rte. 2, Whitefield, has been named place winner in a 1968 pesticide control contest on the basis of cotton yield. Stafford achieved a yield increase of 326 pounds of an acre on a farm six miles northeast of Whitharral. He won a third-place \$50 merchandise award. First place winner was Brown County Farmer Roy Bradden of Lamesa who commented a yield increase of 172 pounds an acre. He took a trip for two to Mexico. Other winners, also among \$50 merchandise awards, were Harmon Mills

of Seagraves, second, with a 703-pound increase; James E. Fine of Levelland, fourth, with a 199-pound increase; and George Martin of Whiteface, fifth, with a 197-pound increase. Stafford, who farms 348 acres northeast of Whitharral, treated 120 acres of his cotton land with a soil fumigant before planting in 1968, he said. For the contest demonstration, he had two side-by-side acres, one treated and one not treated.

At harvest time, he ginned 414 pounds of lint off the acre where he used the fumigant and only 74 pounds off the acre which was not treated. The treated cotton sold for 17.60 cents a pound and untreated cotton, with poorer grade, sold for 16.50 cents a pound. That meant that, on the demonstration, Stafford realized a "profit" of \$54.10 an acre after deducting the \$8.00 an acre cost of fumigating his land. Across the entire 120-acre field, Stafford figured that fumigation increased his yield by at least a half bale per acre, resulting in increased income of \$43.50 an acre or a total increase of \$5,220 compared to his total investment of \$960 in the fumigant. In other words, he said, he got back nearly \$5.50 for every \$1 invested in fumigation.

"If you have nematode problems," he said, "it's well worth putting fumigants down."

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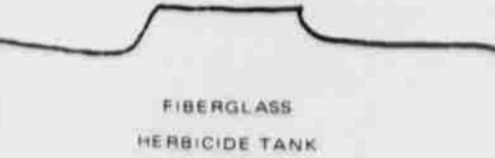


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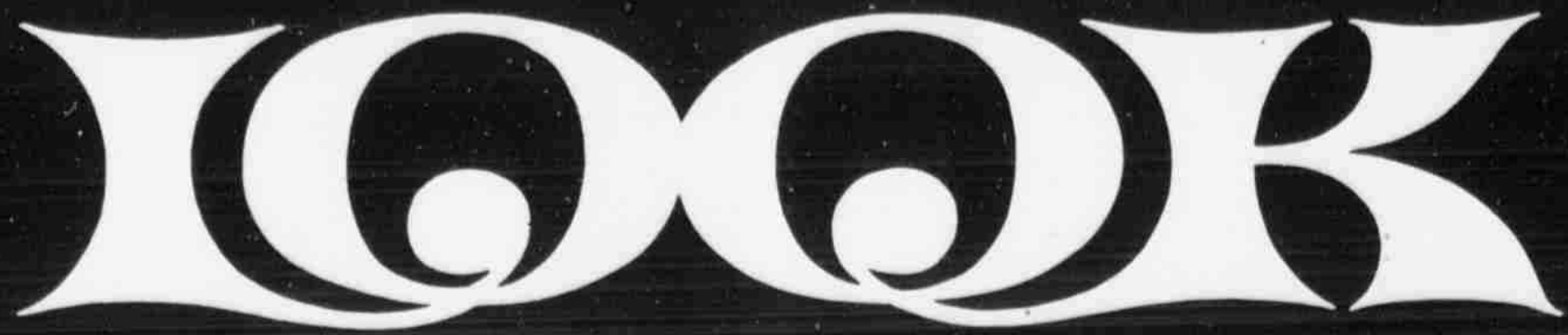


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