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## THE EARTH NEWS

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VOLUME NO. 1 EIGHT PAGES EARTH, LAMB COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 1955 FIVE CENTS NUMBER 47

### Faust Clinic To Be Open To Public Saturday P.M.

**NOSIN' ... WITH POLLY**

Mr. H. S. Hickman has decided the only solution left for the farmers in this vicinity if hailed or flooded out again in the future will be to replant on "THREE MINUTE OATS."

—nosin'—

Faust in making a speech at the Lions Club last week, came with this EARTHLY statement: "That after living ON Earth for almost a half century (and the way he isn't as vain as most of us females, he almost as his age) he decided to set IN Earth."

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We thought we had a pretty son Sunday, and so he was considerate of his "BEED OLD PARENTS" for awhile today.

We had given him the ropes to make all decisions as to how he wanted to celebrate his eighth birthday. He chose fried chicken at a picnic at McKenzie Park, with his old "buddie" with whom he had attended kindergarten at Ada Oklahoma. We couldn't think of a better way to celebrate his birthday either, (especially since we "OLD FOLKS" did have to join in their ball games to get them to relax on a blanket under those beautiful trees. But as soon it came time to go to amusement park. And then we realized why the kids had been nice to let us rest for awhile, gave us more "Pep and energy" to try to keep up with them, so they wouldn't have to slow down.

—nosin'—

I wonder if we know our neighbors? If not I suppose we all miss out in life. A new neighbor has just settled in our town and is sure a lot of fun. I think, and I hope she has the ability to find a lot of laughter in plain every day lives.

The C. Barton have just moved to town and I know you've heard of old saying that long ago ladies used to run to remove the "faust" from their mouth when the pastor came to call. Well that didn't exactly happen to her, but now days it seems we all get caught "left handed" when the pastor calls. I could never quite give you the picture that she gave me but it goes like this, Mrs. Barton had been playing with the kids, who had been knocking at her door, and when a knock came at her door, she hollered in the most kind voice, "C-O-M-E-I-N and to her surprise it wasn't the kids, but the pastor of the church. She looked at one hand to extend, it had a cup of coffee in it. The other hand was busy also, for under that arm she was holding the family bull dog and too she was busy balancing the vacuum sweeper with her knees, and to add to her appearance, she stated that she could have easily won first prize in a "hobo" contest, all she could say was "I was playing with the kids."

I'm sure she was not hampered by embarrassment for long, because she seems to be the kind of person who can rise to meet any situation.

If you don't know the Bartons, call and get acquainted. I'm sure you'll be glad you did.

**Proclamation**

The General Federation of Women's Clubs and the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, as an integral part of the national organization, have achieved outstanding results in recent years by supporting the movement for traffic safety, and specifically have cooperated with the Texas Department of Public Safety, the Texas Safety Association.

This year, these ladies are placing special emphasis on traffic safety by conducting "A Telephone Crusade for Safe Driving Over the Fourth of July" among the people of Texas.

THEREFORE, We, as Mayors of Earth and Springlake, do hereby designate the week of July 3rd, 1955 as Traffic Safety Week in Earth and Springlake, and call upon all our citizens to join in these worthwhile endeavors sponsored by the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, of which the Town and Country Clubs of Earth and Springlake are members.

H. L. PATTERSON  
Mayor  
Earth Texas

V. T. TANNER  
Mayor  
Springlake, Texas

In official recognition whereof, I hereby affix my signature this 29 day of June 1955.

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**Joe E. Sponaugle New Minister Ae Springlake**

This is Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Sponaugle, formerly of Huntsville, Arkansas, the new minister of the Springlake Church of Christ.

The couple moved to Springlake around June 1, when he took over his duties as minister of the Church there.

Mr. Sponaugle has been preaching for five years, prior to his move to Springlake, he served as minister for the Church of Christ in Huntsville, Arkansas.

Mr. Sponaugle was born in Elkton, West Virginia. After moving to Hagerstown, Maryland, he graduated from the Hagerstown High School, and attended the Hagerstown Junior College two years and Harding College of Searcy, Arkansas, two years.

Mrs. Sponaugle was born in Camden, Arkansas. After graduating from the Camden High School she was employed as proof reader for the Camden News and Camden Times.

**Baptist Youth Revival To Be Held July 3 - 10**

The Youth Revival conducted by Larry Walker and his evangelistic team will begin Sunday July 3 at the First Baptist Church in Earth, and continuing for one week. Services will be held twice daily, beginning at 10:00 a.m. each morning, evening services will begin at 8:00 p.m.

Assisting Walker in the revival is Chris Martino, asst. evangelist, Dwain Morrow, and Bobby Taylor.

The evangelistic team conducted a Youth Revival here last year, and due to the good response of last year, they were called again this year.

The young people of the church will be leaders for the Revival.

The leaders and their sponsors taking part in the Youth Revival are:

Publicity Committee, Larry Kelley, Terry Green, Janice Jones, Glenn Rutherford and Phil Cannon.

Entertainment Committee, Yvonne O'Hair, Linda Kelley, Joan Kelley, Carolyn Sanderson, Martha Wuerflein, Mrs. N. Ray Kelly.

Music Committee, Laura Northcott, Charlene Hamilton, Hilda Hill, Ella Mae Bartlett, Roxie Rutherford, Mrs. Lena Hite.

Fellowship Committee, Wayne Mae Rutherford, Francis Cole, Bob Anley, Kenneth Lowe, Mrs. Truman Lowe.

Transportation Committee, Jimmie Hadaway, Edward Wuerflein, Joyce Gooch, Roy Haberer, Mrs. Philip Haberer.

The public is invited to attend the revival.

Dr. F. B. Faust, M. D. and Carroll Rogers, M. T. will hold an open house on Saturday afternoon at the community building, the temporary quarters of the Faust Clinic and Laboratory, in Earth, Texas. They will be assisted by Mrs. Nancy Mullis, Mrs. J. Carroll Rogers, Mrs. Helen Faust, Miss Faith Helen Faust and Bruce Faust.

Dr. Faust and Mr. Rogers have teamed up their abilities and developed a laboratory in medicine to better diagnose and thus treat the sick. The laboratory is complete, having equipment to thoroughly examine the blood with over fifty different chemical tests to aid in the diagnosing of disease.

Completely new X-Ray equipment purchased from the Melton-Clark Surgical Supply House of Amarillo. With it they will be capable of doing all types of diagnostic x-ray, pictures and fluoroscopy (watching the beating heart and movements of the stomach, intestines and colon.) Kidney function as well as gall bladder studies are made.

Mrs. Nancy Mullis will be receptionist and assist in the treatment of the patients. She has been highly recommended by Dr. Hunter of Arkansas.

Mrs. J. Carroll Rogers is the wife of Mr. Rogers and has been working as a nurse for several years. They have been Dimmitt with Dr. Faust for over a year. Mrs. Rogers will aid in the examinations of the patients.

Mrs. Faust and the children will commute from Dimmitt. Faith Helen is senior at Stephens College, a junior girls college in Columbia, Missouri. She will attend the Instituto de Tecnologia de Monterrey in Mexico this summer. Bruce their son, is enrolled at Kemper Military School, a men's junior college in Boonville, Missouri. The Dr. and his staff invited everyone to come by and inspect, ask questions and refresh with coffee, cakes and cookies at the open house Saturday, July 2.

**Rites Held For Grandmother Of Bill Beasley**

Funeral services were held Friday, June 24 in Quanah, Texas for Mrs. W. H. Toland, grandmother of Bill Beasley.

Mrs. Toland died suddenly at 10:00 p.m. Wednesday, June 22, at the age of 80.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beasley, Linda and Pam attended the funeral services and returned home Friday night.

**Earth All - Stars Play Littlefield Friday 8 p.m. Here**

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**Mighty Midgits Hold Frst Place In Earth Little League**

The Fire Department Mighty Midgits continued their winning ways last week winning both of their games to remain in first place in the Earth Little League. They now have won 5 and lost 1. Last week they beat Earth Sun Storms 4 to 3 and Barton Bros. Batty Batters 7 to 6. The Earth Sun beat Barton Bros. 18 to 2 to remain in second place. The Barton Bros. Batty Batters won over Earth Sun Tuesday of this week 29 to 19. This gives them 2 won 5 lost record. Barton Bros. meets Fire Department Thursday, and Fire Department vs. Earth Sun Saturday night. All games will be played at 8:30 under the lights. There will continue to be three games a week, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8:30. Come and encourage the boys.

**General Explains Their Reason For Rate Increase in Earth**

A review of the circumstances surrounding the Earth and Laxbuddie telephone situation including the request for a rate increase now before the Earth City Council and the Extended Area Service (EAS) to Laxbuddie proposal was released today by R. E. Blatz, District Manager for General Telephone Company of the Southwest. Blatz explained the request for increased rates his company made to the Earth Council and the EAS matter were actually two separate items even though they were presented at the same time.

Blatz said his company had contemplated a rate request at Earth for several months and it would have been forthcoming even if the EAS to Laxbuddie proposal had never come up. He said the last rate adjustment his company had in Earth occurred in 1951. Blatz went on to say that since 1951, telephone employees had received four general wage increases totaling 26 per cent, the Federal Income Tax rate had risen the average investment per telephone in Earth had gone from \$279.00 to \$294.00 and material costs had increased proportionately. These items, coupled with the fact that telephone rates remained fixed had resulted in a decline in earnings until the company was unable to realize a fair return on its Earth operations. Blatz said such a condition not only jeopardized current service levels but made it impossible for the

Company to raise capital for expansion and improvements that might be needed in Earth.

The early part of this year Blatz said officials of the Earth Telephone Association began negotiations with this company to establish Extended Area Service between Earth and the Laxbuddie Exchange, owned by the Five-Area Telephone Cooperative. Blatz pointed out that in order to provide EAS, additional circuits, trunking and terminal equipment would be necessary. The maintenance charges, expenses of operation and carrying charges on this additional investment required a small increase in rates, which in this particular case amounted to 65¢ per month for business telephones and 30¢ per month for residence telephones in Earth. Again Blatz emphasized that this increase was to provide for Extended Area Service only and had nothing to do with any increase in rates necessary to compensate for the increased cost of operation the company had experienced since 1951.

There are several items that must be taken into consideration before EAS can be established, Blatz continued. He said these were outlined in a letter to Mayor H. L. Patterson dated April 18, 1955 when the company requested permission to come before the City Council and present their case. Those conditions were:

1. The City of Earth approve exchange service rates, including

charges for Extended Area Service, that will provide a fair return on the Earth Exchange operations.

2. A majority of Earth Subscribers express their desire for Extended Area Service at the required rates.
3. An acceptable agreement for connection on Extended Area Service basis, approved by the Rural Electrification Administration, be worked out between General Telephone Company and the Five-Area Telephone Cooperative.

The proposal was presented to the Earth City Council on April 19, 1955 but the Council took no action on the matter. Blatz said to date, only number 3 of the required conditions had been completed and his company was awaiting action of the Council in order to proceed with plans. The company is attempting to schedule another meeting with the City Council at an early date. Another point of interest pointed out by Blatz was the fact the Cooperative had set tentative date of September 1, 1955 for establishing service at the Laxbuddie exchange. A minimum of 90 days is required by General to obtain and install the necessary equipment in the Earth Exchange to furnish Extended Area Service. Blatz said final arrangements would, of course, have to await the outcome of the rate matter pending before the Council.

**Paul Williams New Owner Of Ray's Texaco Sta.**

Mr. Paul Williams of California a former resident of Earth, has purchased Ray's Texaco Station from Ray Glasscock of Earth.

Mr. Williams did not report whether or not he planned to change the name of the station, but he will take over management on Friday, July 1. And would probably have some new personnel on his force.

Williams has spent the last six years in California, prior to that he lived in Earth three years, and was employed at the Earth Coop Gin Inc.

Mrs. Williams is also formerly of Earth, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Williams live on a farm just west of Earth.

Mr. Glasscock has been employed as wholesale distributor for the Texaco Company the past 6 1/2 years, and continued this employment with the Texaco Company, while operating Ray's Texaco Station. He will have full time employment with the Texaco Company and will continue residence in Earth.

**Rev. Matthews Moves Into New Parsonage**

Rev. Gene Matthews and family moved into the new Methodist parsonage, Friday.

The lovely three bedroom and two bath, brick home is located across the street from the First Methodist Church. The Matthews are happy to get moved into their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miller, Beverly and Janice and Mrs. Miller's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gregory and family of Snyder, Texas spent the weekend in Conchas, New Mexico fishing.

**Mrs. Free Is Much Improved**

Mrs. Mildred Free, who has been confined to a wheel chair for several months due to a broken hip, is much improved.

Mrs. Free went to Lubbock this week and was told by her doctor that she would be able to use crutches. Mrs. Free was very happy of her improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nolan visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hardy in Dimmitt, Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Seymore visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bozeman, Sunday afternoon.

**Lucille Price Receives Treatment at Truth Or Consequences, N. M.**

Mrs. Lucille Price's condition became worse last week and she was accompanied by her husband, Buford Price to Truth or Consequences, New Mexico, Sunday morning, where she will receive treatment for ten days or two weeks for arthritis.

**Attend Murphy Funeral In Lubbock**

Funeral services were held at the Assembly of God Church in Lubbock at 2:00 p.m., Thursday, June 23 for Hershel Murphy.

Mr. Murphy suffered a heart attack Monday, June 21, at the age of 52.

He had lived in Lubbock about five years. He is survived by his wife, a son and a daughter.

Cousins attending the funeral services were, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Loftis and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Wages, Mr. and Mrs. Z. E. Robnett, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hooper, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Parish and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McCaskill.

**Otis Gatewood Delivers Farewell Sermon Sunday**

Minister Otis Gatewood brother of Mrs. John Garrett preached his farewell sermon Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m. at the Broadway Church of Christ in Lubbock, before returning to Germany, where he has spent several years as a missionary.

The Gatewoods, with 15 others from Lubbock left Lubbock by plane Monday they will be joined by others in New York, making a total of 36 in the group. They will leave New York, July 3 on a chartered plane, the "Flying Tigers" for Frankfurt, Germany, in Germany.

Mr. Gatewood has been doing mission work for the Church of Christ in Germany since 1947, but returned to the States in August of last year.

He reports there has been 23 German congregations established in Germany.

Those attending the services at the Broadway Church of Christ Sunday, from Earth were Mr. and Mrs. John Garrett and family and Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson, Ronnie and Don.

Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson, Ronnie and Don visited their niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Purdy and little son Kim in Lubbock, Sunday.

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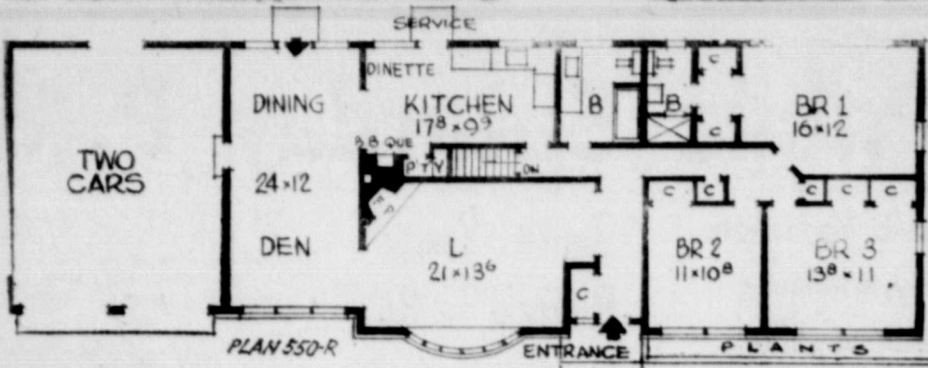
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# HOMES FOR AMERICANS



AP News features

SPACE FOR FAMILY living is featured in this plan for a fieldstone and shingle ranch style dwelling. The secondary living room or family room comes up out of the basement in the form of a den merging with the dining room. A barbecue fireplace is in the kitchen. This is plan 550-R, designed by Lester Cohen, architect, for the Archway Press, 117 W. 48th St., New York 36, N.Y. The house covers 1,700 square feet without garage.

## New Brownie Troop Meets on Thursday

The new troop of Brownies met Thursday at 4:00 p.m. in the community center. Mrs. Marion Hodge their leader was in charge of the meeting.

Lolange Hodge daughter of Mrs. Marion Hodge has donated her playhouse "The Rainbow" for a meeting place for the troop to meet next time. This building will be cooler than the regular meeting place.

Those present were: Laura Ann Jones, Dianne Hodge, Jill McCord, Donna Peth Street, and Vicki Lynn Talbert.

2:30 p.m. Monday, W. S. C. S. 2nd and 4th Tuesday, Wesleyan Service Guild  
Vacation Bible School, May 28 Through June 5, 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.  
1st and 3rd Tuesday Nights, Methodist Men's Organization

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Springlake, Texas

Joe E. Sponaugle, Minister

10:00 a.m. Bible Study  
11:00 a.m. Morning Message

7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Bible Class  
4:00 p.m. Thursday, Bible Class

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Springlake, Texas

Rev. John T. Williams, Pastor

10:00 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Church Service  
7:00 p.m. Training Union  
8:00 p.m. Preaching Service  
8:00 p.m. 1st Monday, Baptist Brotherhood

3:00 p.m. 3rd Monday, W. M. U.  
3:00 p.m. Monday, Johnny Johnson Circle

9:00 a.m. Wednesday, Rosely Appleby Circle  
8:00 p.m. Wednesday, Prayer Meeting

Vacation Bible School, June 8-11  
YWA - GA - RA - Sunbeam, 8:00 Wednesday

For Fly and Mosquito Control, See Earth Elevator.

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### UNSEEN EFFECTS

LANCASTER, Ohio — The year old Georgia Griffith created last June from Capital University's School of Music, planned to teach music to the blind — because she herself is blind.

But there were no positions for her in that field. So she began to instruct pupils who see. When the blind ask her how she can play when their fingers are blind, she says they are blind to the piano keys, not to the notes.

"It's very easy to tell notes do not sound as they haven't your notes."

Napoleon is the man who "An army travels on its stomach."

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Center

## CHURCH CALENDER

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Earth, Texas

Rev. Cecil Meadows, Pastor

10:00 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Preaching Services  
7:00 p.m. Training Union  
8:00 p.m. Preaching Services  
7:30 p.m. Monday, Baptist Brotherhood  
2:00 p.m. W.M.U. Every 2nd and 4th Tuesday  
2:00 p.m. Town Circle, Every 1st and 3rd Tuesday  
2:00 p.m. East Circle, Every 1st and 3rd Tuesday  
2:00 p.m. West Circle, Every 1st and 3rd Tuesday  
7:40 p.m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Earth, Texas

W. E. "Bud" Irvine, Minister

10:00 a.m. Bible Study  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship  
6:00 p.m. Young People Service  
7:00 p.m. Evening Worship  
Men and Boys Training and Study

Class, 8:00 a.m. Monday  
9:30 a.m. Tuesday, Ladies Bible Class  
8:00 p.m. Wednesday, Mid Week Service  
Vacation Bible School, June 13 17, 9:30 a.m. - 11:10 a.m.

### ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Earth, Texas

C. L. Diamond, Pastor

9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Preaching Service  
8:00 p.m. Preaching Service  
Young People Service Tuesday Night

### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Earth, Texas

Rev. F. E. Matthews, Pastor  
10:00 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Church Service  
7:00 p.m. Jr. and Sr. M. Y. F.  
8:00 p.m. Preaching Service

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JOHN 3:16—"For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life." (RSV)

I hesitate to suggest my favorite Bible verse. It is a bit as if some one asked me to name my favorite son or daughter. There are four of them and each has an equal place in my affections. Bible verses are a bit like that to me.

Perhaps John 3:16 stands at the top of the list. No other verse seems to embody so much of the evangel. This verse, sometimes called, "The Gospel in a Nutshell" certainly is at the heart of the Gospel message. God's infinite love, His supreme gift to man, His inclusive invitation to eternal life, and His promise of our redemption through Christ, are the basic foundations on which our salvation rests.

It is for these and other reasons that I cherish John 3:16, as containing a gold nugget of spiritual truth of par excellence value.

Dr. O. T. Deever  
Executive Secretary  
Board of Evangelism  
The Evangelical United Brethren Church  
Dayton, Ohio

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### W. S. C. S. Has United Nations Program Monday

The W. S. C. S. met Monday at 3:30 p.m. at the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Elroy Wislan gave the devotional. The hymn was "In Christ There is No East or West."

The program was entitled "United Nations" and was presented by panel. Those on the panel were Mrs. Norman Sulser, Mrs. Ray Astell, Mrs. Sam Cearley, and Mrs. J. L. Henson. Closing prayer was given by Mrs. B. D. Coker.

Those present were, Mesdames C. M. Jamison, J. D. Newton, Milton Ott, Gene Matthews, J. L. Henson, Sam Cearley, Ray Astell and Norman Sulser.

### Half Home Is Scene Of H. D. Club Citizenship Program

The Big Square H. D. Club met Friday, June 24 in the home of Mrs. Fred Helf, with 9 members and one guest present.

A program on Good Citizenship was given by Mrs. Wes Anthony and Mrs. Fred Helf.

Plans for a family picnic to be held July 15 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Collins were laid. No club meeting will be held during the month of July.

### Firemen's Auxiliary Has Weiner Roast At Sand Hills

The Firemen's Auxiliary treated the firemen and their families with a weiner roast, Friday evening, June 24, at the Sand Hills. An enjoyable evening was had by all.

Those attending were, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Angeley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Anderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Templeton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Templeton and family, Mrs. Harold Brittain and family, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Chasteen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hadaway and family.

The next Auxiliary meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Paul Templeton, Tuesday, July 5.

### Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Ingles visited Mrs. Ingles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Bearden of Paducah, Sunday. They were accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. James B. Bills and daughter, Joanna.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny K. Martin and Debbie, Mr. and Mrs. Enos Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Stone and Becky Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Denson Dudley of Olton visited Mrs. Dudley's mother, Mrs. Sarah Clark, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Martin and family visited his sister, Mrs. R. S. Cole and family Friday night.

For Fly and Mosquito Control, See Earth Elevator.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Glasscock returned from a vacation in New Mexico. They spent a few days with Mrs. Glasscock's parents in Archer City.

Those attending the Bates family reunion in Roaring Springs last week were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Glasscock, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Glasscock, Mrs. Henry Randolph, Don and Jane and the families of Hazel, Barney and Lynn Glasscock, also Linda and Mary Glasscock of Morton.

Mr. D. C. Dunbar of Los Angeles, California is here for two weeks, visiting the R. E. and A. D. Bostad and a sister Mrs. Minnie Pate.

### Goes Fishing At Bull Shoals White In Arkansas

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cowley and family left June 18 and returned home June 25 from Batesville, Arkansas, where they visited the Jack McCord family.

While on their trip they fished at Bull Shoals. They reported a nice trip, fishing was fair and pleasant weather.

### News from— Flagg Community

Editor: Mrs. Clyde R. Davis

#### BILL BOOHER HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY DINNER

A birthday dinner was held in the Cecil Ginn home Sunday, honoring Bill Booher, fried chicken, cake and ice cream with all the trimmings, were served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Booher, Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Ginn and Gary of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Heard of Spade, Mrs. Ella Perry and children, Bruce, Helen and Linda of Dahlhart, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Word and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Birchfield and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ginn.

Sandra Wester of Hereford visited in the J. W. Birchfield home last week.

Guests in the Jesse Wooten home Saturday night, were, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ginn and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Birchfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Smithson, Teddy and Janet Sue visited with Mrs. Smithson's parents in Shamrock last weekend.

Mary Cole is visiting with her uncle, J. L. and Mollie Cole in Yakima, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde R. Davis, Adrea and Lance were guests of the Lonnie Bills of Dimmitt, Sunday afternoon.

#### SUNNYSIDE COMMUNITY IS A WINNER IN RURAL NEIGHBORHOOD PROGRAM

The Sunnyside community entertained with a fried chicken buffet style supper, Tuesday night. The occasion was the presentation by T. C. Richardson of the Farmer Stockman, of second place in Rural Neighborhood Progress Clubs.

First place winner was the Fairview community in Armstrong County. Mr. Bridges of Sunnyside emceed the event. Representatives from Flagg, Jumbo and Bethel communities were present and entered in the program. Jumbo club gave a reading, Flagg club gave a short comedy act. Sunnyside entertained with musical numbers. Speakers were T. C. Richardson and G. G. Gibson of Texas A. and M. College.

#### ATTEND COTTON JOHN'S TV PROGRAM LAST WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Smithson and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde R. Davis attended Cotton John's TV program last week, honoring the first place winners in the Rural Neighborhood Program. There was an hour long television program showing just how Fairview cooperated and worked together to win. After the program all present were guests at a fried chicken supper in Thompson Park.

Flagg Progress Club met in the Clyde T. Damron home Tuesday night.

Pictures were shown of Japan, Hong Kong, Manila and the Philippines by Mrs. Douglas Damron, whose husband is on a tour of duty with the Navy. He took all of the pictures as he visited each place.

Delicious refreshments of cake, cookies, punch and coffee were served.

The next meeting will be held in the Cecil Ginn home, July 8.

#### Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haley and Barbara left Sunday for a few days visit with friends and relatives in Tucson and Phoenix, Arizona and on to Taft and Bakersfield, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson and Miles of Kai Wai Island of the Hawaiian Islands have been visiting the R. S. Cole family and other relatives in Olton and New Mexico.

### Padon Reunion Held Sunday

The Padon family reunion was held Sunday in the home of B. V. Padon of Springlake. All of Mr. Padon's three brothers and two sisters were present.

A basket lunch was served at noon.

Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Padon and Gary of Houston, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Padon and daughter of Causey, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Padon and Jerry of Portales, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. John Ed Bailey and daughter of Ft. Sumner, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phillips and family of Clovis, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Olmon Whitford and family of Springlake, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jones of Hereford, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Padon of Spade, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilson and daughter of Lubbock, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Banks and family of Springlake, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Johnson of Amarillo, and old friends of the PPadon family, Mr. and Mrs. Sherrill of Draw, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mattox of Tahoka, Texas and a number of friends called in the afternoon.

### Joy Dee Barton Returns Home From California Vacation

Joy Dee Barton, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barton returned home last Wednesday, from a nine day vacation spent at many points of interest in California.

Joy Dee, accompanied her aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Jones and daughter, Virginia of Seymour to California to visit their son while there they visited in Hollywood, and seen "Ghost Town", where old western movies were made. They also spent several days in Long Beach and went swimming in the ocean.

### W. M. S. Changes Meeting Time

The W. M. S. met Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church for a business meeting.

It was decided to change their meeting time to 9:30 a.m. each Tuesday. On July 5, there will be a 30 minute meeting before the Revival services begin at 10:00 a.m.

Also the time for the Sunbeams and Girl's Auxiliary will be changed to 9:30 a.m. each Tuesday.

### George Kirby Kelley Celebrates Birthday

Mrs. Jerry Kelley honored her little son George Kirby on his 3rd birthday, at her home Tuesday, June 28 at 4:00 p.m.

George Kirby presented each of his guests with a miniature hoe, rake and shovel.

Games were enjoyed throughout the afternoon and gifts opened.

The birthday cake was decorated with three candles on it and a picture of Davy Crockett on top.

Birthday cake and punch were served to, Debbie McAlpine, Jimmie Littleton, Beverly Miller, Sharia Haberer, Janice Miller, Kent Kelley, Gerrell Lee Haberer and Norma Charlene Kelley.



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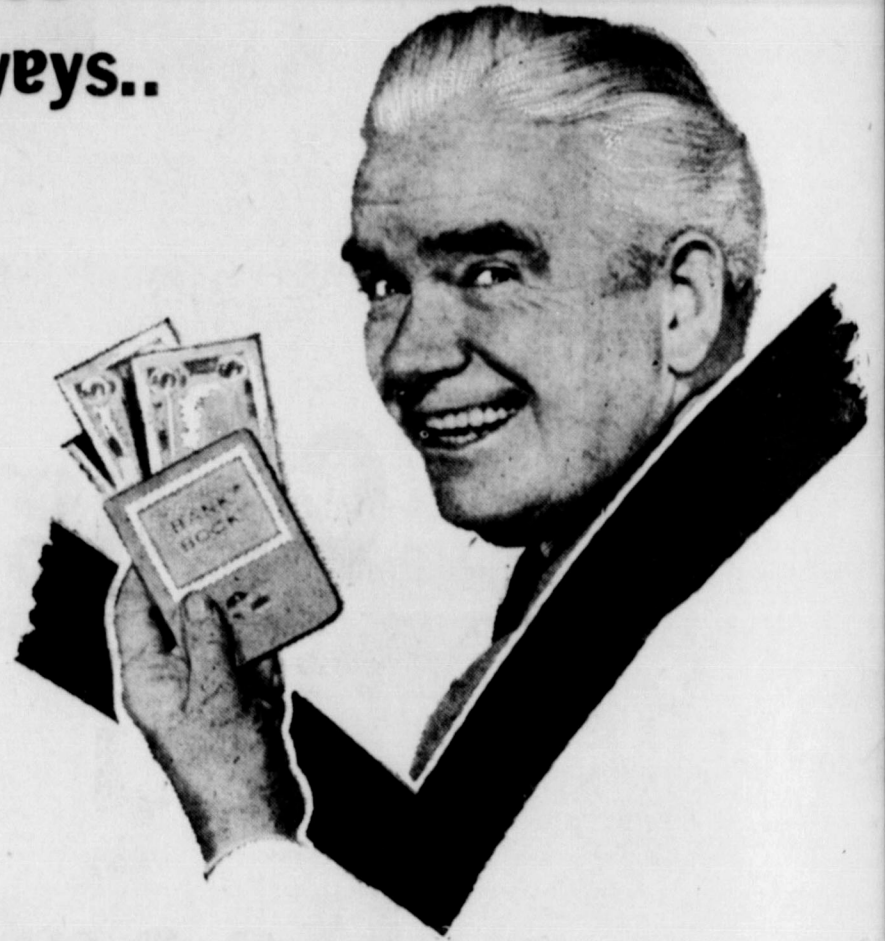
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### Pasant Valley Gene or Lambert Haberer Reunion

Reunion of the Haber-Lamb families was held Wednesday morning in the home of Mrs. Gene Haberer. Each Haberer family brought part of the "Mak-for the 8 o'clock breakfast table was covered with a cut linen cloth, centered with a response vase of pastel roses, cut flowers and pot plants used throughout the rooms. Johnnie Haberer presided at Silver Coffee service, and she, well and Ted Haberer were the "hands" at cooking and



This is The Earth Riding Club as they rode down Phelps Avenue in the Littlefield Jaycee Rodeo Friday.

### Riding Club Makes Littlefield Rodeo

Friday, June 24th, the Earth Riding Club attended the annual Littlefield Jaycee Rodeo, making the fourth rodeo we have participated in this season.

One comment I can make about the Littlefield outings we certainly had enough exercise. The horses were unloaded at the rodeo grounds on the Levelland Highway, and we rode from these grounds downtown to the courthouse before actually getting underway with the parade. Then proceeding up and down the streets of Littlefield for the parade and finally ended up at the Littlefield City Park. (You notice I don't give specific directions, but in Littlefield, I would hesitate before giving anyone directions for straight down; I surely can't imagine anyone wanting directions to any place in that particular locality anyway.)

At the City Park we dismounted in order to be served our afternoon meal, with the courtesy of the Littlefield Sheriff's Posse. (Personally, I had half a mind to ask for curb service, since by then parts of me felt much better not to be moved; but I was afraid



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that would be trusting to hospitality for a little to much.) We were served boiled ham, baked potatoes, and beans with other trimmings, and everyone was welcomed back for second helpings and more; also there was lots and lots of iced tea which really hit the spot with the most of us. With the aid of this good food, we remounted and made the return ride to the rodeo grounds.

We had approximately two hours to spend from the time we returned to the rodeo grounds until the jumping-off time for the Grand Entry, and I felt in dire need of a nap and had just maneuvered into a half-comfortable position for the same when Bob Knight decided he should teach "Doc" (Bob's quarter-horse gelding) a few manners. Was some schooling, and from where I was it would be hard to say who taught whom. But the lesson seemed to be dismissed by mutual agreement.

At the request of Bob Wade, a dismounted club member, we climbed upon our horses a little early to have pictures of the club taken. The first picture was taken all together, and then a series in groups of four, which I thought was an excellent idea in case

something should happen to Bob's camera, would be mighty hard to pick the face to blame. Previous to the Grand Entry, Ed by the club for pivot stand in dith "Punk" Vaughn was selected the Grand Entry. She entered the arena with representatives from the other clubs present, and carried the Earth Riding Club Flag in a very colorful and pretty display. The Grand Entry immediately followed this event, and as customary, we were guests of the Littlefield Club to witness the rodeo performance.

### Spuds - Ice Cream On Plentiful List Of Food For July

Potatoes and ice cream are headliners on the USDA's plentiful foods list for July.

"In checking food stocks in this area to determine what should be on the plentiful list, we found supplies of fresh fruits and vegetables larger than any time since last fall," says John J. Slaughter, field supervisor, Agricultural Marketing service.

They include limes, lemons watermelon, cantaloupes, tomatoes, green beans, cabbage, lettuce, beets and sweet corn.

Also, canned and frozen lemon and lime juice, small size dried prunes and pinto beans are in good supply.

Beef, frozen halibut, broilers and fryers are the only meats on the July plentiful food list.

Milk and related dairy products as well as rice, lard, vegetable fats and oils continue plentiful.

### Training Union Class To Go To Clovis Friday Nite

The training union class, adult department of the First Baptist to Clovis, New Mexico where they at 6:45 p.m. Friday, July 1 and go to Clovis, New Mexico where they will enjoy a Mexican dinner at the El Monterey Cafe.

### Church of Christ Ladies Bible Study Meets Tuesday

The Ladies Bible Study class of the Church of Christ met Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. at the church. Mrs. Ray Stansell gave the opening prayer. Mrs. Perry Martin taught the lesson. The Book of Ruth was completed. The story of Eli, Hannah and Samuel was studied. The next lesson will begin with the sixth chapter of I Samuel. There were sixty-four present.

### Bridge Party Held In Barton Home

Mrs. Ardis Barton entertained her friends with a bridge party last Wednesday at 2 p.m. in her home. There were two tables of bridge. Mrs. J. A. Littleton Jr. had the high score.

The hostess served refreshments of biscuit tortoni, coffee and soft drinks. Those attending were, Mesdames Bill McBride, Bob Armstrong, Ross Brock, James Mullis, Home Hoelge, Roger Haberer, J. A. Littleton Jr. and the hostess, Mrs. Ardis Barton.

### Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. George Choate of Springlake visited his nephew and family, Jack Hadaway Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Teal of Englewood, California visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hadaway, Tuesday.

For Fly and Mosquito Control, See Earth Elevator.

Mrs. A. L. Kelley left Wednesday for Waterloo, Iowa, where she will visit her son, Robert Johnson and family. Mrs. Kelley will be away three weeks and returning home July 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Witt and family of Baytown, Texas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Irvine from Sunday until Tuesday.

Kim Craig, 15 months old grandson of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Watkins, spent the weekend in their home while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Craig were moving into their new home in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Qualls, Louise and D. Lynn of Woolforth spent Sunday with her sister and family, Mrs. Pat Montgomery.

Linda Watkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Watkins, spent last week in Lubbock visiting relatives.

**CARS GET THE BIRD**  
Ironton, Mich. — A cock pheasant which chases automobiles, much like a dog, has taken a mile of country road as his domain. He often startles motorists rushing from a roadside field and charging along with the front wheels, his hackle feathers bristling.

Glenn Williams of Ironton believes the pheasant is one of a flock he raised last year as a sportsman's club project. And Williams thinks he likely is guarding a harem in a roadside field or at least "showing off" for a lady love.

As news of the car-chasing bird spread, more and more motorists started swinging into his domain and driving 10 miles an hour to see the bird run, crowing and cackling.

The diamond is the hardest stone.

### Dangerous Buildup of Thrips Found In County Cotton Fields

Dangerous increases in thrips have been detected in fields in Lamb County, according to County Agent Dave Eaton.

Eaton reported last week that more than half the fields of cotton he checked Monday morning showed large infestation of thrips. The agent said farmers should begin early season control measures to get rid of the insects, providing they intend to control them each year. He pointed out that sporadic eradication of harmful insects is not a good policy, as they come back unless continual control measures are exercised.

A good many fleahoppers have been found too, the agent reports, but the buildup is not alarming at this early stage. Most cotton is too young to be harmed greatly by fleahoppers, which are most dangerous to fruiting plants.

Flea hoppers will likely be found in increasing numbers as the cotton matures, and similar control measures should be started, the agent said.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Scott and family went to Buffalo Lakes, Tuesday and fished. They returned home Wednesday.

Captain Kidd was an American British to capture pirates.

### Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Henson of El Cajon, California, visited in the Ray Glasscock home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Stephens and Gene spent Sunday in Brownfield.

A. D. Taylor received treatment at the Amherst Hospital from Friday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Irvine and family had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Clayton.

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### Fished At Stanford Lake

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Anderson and grandsons, Billy and Johnny returned home Friday from Stanford Lake where they had been fishing a week.

The boys thoroughly enjoyed catching channel cat.

### Owboys To Move To Hobbs, New Mexico

Mr. Sam Ownby left Wednesday for Hobbs New Mexico, where he will begin work Thursday with the Ford Motor Company of Hobbs.

Ownby was formerly employed by the Ford Motor Company a few years ago. While living in Earth he was employed at Dent Farm Supply.

Mrs. Ownby plans to move to Hobbs over the weekend.

### Let Us Reason Together

By W. E. IRVINE  
THE CHURCH DOES MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE

Here are some plain, concrete reasons why the church does make a vital difference in your religion. Here is why you must be sure that you belong to the right church, and the right church is the church you read about in the Bible.

#### 1. JESUS LOVED THE CHURCH

"Christ also loved the church and gave Himself up for it; that He might sanctify it, having cleansed it by the washing of water with the word, that He might present the church unto Himself, a glorious church, not having spot or wrinkle or any such thing, but that it should be holy, and without blemish." Eph. 5:26, 27.

#### 2. JESUS BUILT A CHURCH OF HIS OWN

"Upon this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades shall not prevail against it." Matt. 16:18. Since He built His church, all churches with human founders are in competition with it.

#### 3. THE LORD PUTS ALL THE SAVED INTO THE CHURCH

"And the Lord added to the church daily such as should be saved." Acts 2:47. If Jesus puts all the saved into His church, then does it not make a lot of difference which church you are in?

#### 4. JESUS PAID HIS BLOOD FOR HIS CHURCH

"Take heed unto yourselves . . . to feed the church of the Lord which He purchased with His own blood." Acts 20:28. The church of the Lord is blood-bought. No other is.

#### 5. JESUS SAID ALL OTHERS WOULD BE ROOTED UP

"But He answered and said, Every plant which my heavenly Father hath not planted shall be rooted up." Mat. 15:13. This is why we urge men to spurn the thought that the church does not make any difference.

#### 6. THERE IS ONLY ONE WAY TO GET INTO THE CHURCH

"Verily, verily, I say unto you, Except one be born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the Kingdom of God." John 3:5.

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TOWN and COUNTRY CLUB, REBEKAH LODGE, MASONIC LODGE, BROWNIE SCOUTS, CUB SCOUT Den II.

Party Line...

Joe Fuller, Glenna Ruben, Bob Belew and Virginia McKay went to McKenzie Park Buffalo Lake, Sunday. Mrs. Red Murrell and daughter Joan accompanied her father, L. Skinner of Springlake in Texas of Consequences, New Mexico last week, where Mr. Skinner took a bath. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beasley, Leda and Pam visited their cousin Othello Toland and family in Marillo, Sunday.

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The outlook wasn't very bright for the home team with the score tied, two opposing players on base and only one out. "Spec" Tator, a rabid fan, leaned forward on his seat in the left field bleachers. The pitcher got his signal, the sped toward the plate.

Then came two sharp cracks. The first was the bat on the ball. The second was the ball on Spec's head. Spec was seriously injured. To recover damaged for his injuries and medical bills, Spec filed suit against the baseball club. He charged it with negligence in failing to put wire screen in front of the bleachers where he sat and in failing to warn him that batted balls might come into the bleachers and injure him.

But the court said, "No" to Spec. He had chosen to sit in the unscreened bleachers in preference to sitting behind a screen where the tickets cost more. Therefore, he had "assumed the risk" of being hit by a batted or thrown ball during the playing of the game. No recovery was allowed.

In such cases, the courts say, that the spectator is an invitee to whom the invitor (the ball club) owes the duty to exercise ordinary care to render the premises reasonably safe for him.

"But," say the courts, "the invitor is not an insurer of the safety of the invitee; neither is the invitee protected against all hazard, nor relieved of all duty to himself for his own safety. And to the extent that the duty of the invitor to protect is reduced."

The same rules as to "assumption of risk" are applied to most places of amusement and amusement devices. A swimmer must anticipate that a diving board will be wet and slippery. A person who rides on an amusement device and sees flying sparks takes the chance that a flying spark may strike his eye.

And one who goes upon a revolving floor device for the purpose of being thrown from it, accepts the dangers inherent in the sport so far as they are obvious.

On the other hand if the danger is not apparent or obvious, the operator of the device has a duty to warn the rider or spectator. It is the ordinary risk that is assumed, not the unusual. Where for example, a device was operated on a particular occasion at an expect-



"I've faithfully kept a neighbor's secret for two months - and I believe I've strained something inside."

Texas Viewpoint In Washington

By PRICE DANIEL U. S. Senator

Literally hundreds of Texas farmers have been in Washington this year on various legislative proposals and sightseeing tours. The latest visitors were here for the annual meeting of the "Flying Farmers." Twenty Texas members of this group and their families flew their own planes to Washington and joined flying farmers from all over the nation for their annual business sessions and tour of the Capitol. They were entertained with coffee by Congressman Olin Teague and other members of the Texas delegation. Fred Tripiett of Hillsboro is president of the Flying Farmers Association, and Miss Ama Lee Jameson is secretary.

Earlier 160 Texas farmers and ranchers stopped in Washington on the sixth annual farm and ranch study tour sponsored by station WFAA of Dallas. We joined other members of the Texas delegation in meeting this group at the railroad station for a 7:00 a.m. breakfast and then gave them a personally escorted tour through the Capitol. Murray Cox, radio farm director of WFAA, was in

ally fast speed so that it jerked and jolted violently, a rider who was injured by these unusual conditions was permitted to recover.

A patron of a place of amusement is entitled to be protected from hidden dangers, but he can not go into a place of danger where he appreciates and understands, and then recover damage if he is injured.

charge of the party. They had already toured Indiana farms, Purdue University research programs and Richmond, Williamsburg and Jamestown, Va. From Washington they went on to the New Jersey farming area, Atlantic City, Philadelphia, New York, and then to Bermuda.

HURRICANE and TORNADO WARNING SYSTEM

Last week we co-sponsored an amendment which would provide a system of radar stations throughout the country for the purpose of better detection and forecasting of hurricanes and tornadoes. Fresh on our memory is the disaster at Waco in 1953 caused by a devastating tornado. This system would establish throughout the country 55 long range radar stations to track hurricanes, tornadoes and other severe storms to permit adequate preparation and a consequent reduction in damage. The number of stations to be located in Texas is still restricted information. However, it can be revealed that the system should be adequate to prevent at least some of the past damage and to save many lives.

Texas is second only to Kansas in the number of tornadoes which have occurred from 1916 through 1954. We have had 666 tornadoes which have resulted in approximately 804 deaths. The total property loss for this period amounts to nearly \$4 billion, with an average annual damage of well over \$2 million. The system of tracking hurricanes, tornadoes, and other severe storms on radar has been used to advantage by the Air Force

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ce and other armed services. You are all familiar with the airplanes which fly out into the hurricanes to determine their strength by use of radar equipment in the plane itself. The cost of installing these additional weather stations will be relatively small compared with the saving in human lives and property damage.

TEXAN TO PAKISTAN

Miss Aline McKenzie who has been chairman of the Department of Home Economics at Texas A. and I. at Kingsville, was in Washington two years of service in Pakistan, where she will set up a home economics program. Miss McKenzie is immediate past president of the Texas Business and Professional Women's organization. In Pakistan she will hold the rank of professor with the University of Dacca. Miss McKenzie was selected through the A. and M. College program of cooperation with the Foreign Operations Administration. It was our pleasure to arrange here for a luncheon and visit with Ambassador Ali of Pakistan, who, by the way is one of the biggest Texas boosters in the foreign diplomatic corps. His son is an admirer of Texas and a frequent visitor there. Many Texans are working in the foreign aid program in Pakistan. Ambassador Ali told the Texas delegation luncheon last week of many similarities between the people of Pakistan and Texas and said that his country could be depended on to cooperate always with the United States and other free nations of the world.

TAX IN THE MILL

RICHMOND, Va. - Joel W. Stowe, of Dry Fork, a saw mill operator, was acquitted in federal court here of willfully failing to file a federal income tax return after testifying he didn't know about it.

"It is rather surprising to see a person who is blissfully ignorant of the burden of Federal income tax," said Judge Sterling Hutcherson. "This is a case where I think this is true."

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## Party Line...

**ATTEND WEDDING OF COUSIN IN LEVELLAND**  
 Mrs. Paul Templeton, Gene and Helen and Mr. and Mrs. Emert Rose attended the wedding of Mr. Templeton's cousin, Helen Ruth Brock of Levelland and Calvin Bryant of Whitharral in Levelland Sunday.

—PL—  
 Mr. and Mrs. Leroy G. Harris, Mrs. John Mitchell and Johnny of Harlingen, Texas visited with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Montgomery Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Black and Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson enroute to the Timber Carnival in Albany, Oregon.

—PL—  
 Mrs. W. H. Evans visited Mrs. Joe Bozeman in Amherst, Thursday.

—PL—  
 Mrs. Tommie Patterson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Artie Cone in Dimmitt.

—PL—  
 Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Griffin had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Sanderson and Linda of Springlake, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Lottie, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sloan and family and Henry Ann Rudd of Springlake.

—PL—  
 For Fly and Mosquito Control, See Earth Elevator.

—PL—  
 Mrs. W. H. Evans visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bozeman in Amherst, Sunday.

—PL—  
 Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Starkey were three cousins, Mrs. Verna Taylor, of Lubbock, Mrs. Frank Vojkufka of Munday and Mrs. Olan Reeves of Shallowater.

—PL—  
 Linda Starkey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Starkey has been ill with the mumps.

—PL—  
 Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Anglin and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kelley spent the weekend in Ruidoso, New Mexico.

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 Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Simmons and Mike visited in Shallowater, Sunday with Mrs. Simmons's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Ireland.

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## Old-Fashioned Sunday Night Supper

CECILE BROWNSTONE  
 Associated Press Food Editor

My Sunday night supper was a favorite around our house when I was a little girl. As I look back now, I realize that we enjoyed it so much because it was such a relaxed time. I would bring school for my father, my mother would go to his office, and my mother would be bustling as she managed home and took part in my projects. But with the dinner out of the way, the afternoon was a time for me to sit in a big chair with a book, playing dominoes or sitting around the sewing. There was a warm, comfortable serenity about the evening as an easy-going air in the room as a light supper was served.

My Sunday night supper menus were simple. There might be a bowl of soup with the rich aroma of a hambone, and the wonderful and inevitable accompaniment - croutons. I can remember preparing the croutons, slicing stale bread into small squares and putting them into the oven in a big pan. Of course the soup was served out of a big tureen at the table. We children could hardly get a bite into those crunchy squares of toast floating on

itly carries his own tray. A big bowl of green pepper rings, carrot and celery sticks, green and black olives will be fine accompaniment to the Lobster Chowder, and the celery and green pepper will repeat part of the soup's good flavor. For dessert, a pineapple upside down cake will fill the bill and may be made easily from a package mix.

**ROCK LOBSTER CHOWDER**  
**INGREDIENTS:** 2 cups diced potatoes, 1/4 cup butter of margarine, 1/2 cup minced onion, 1/2 cup minced celery, 1/2 cup minced green pepper, 6 cups milk, two 6 1/2 - ounce cans South African rock lobster.

**METHOD:** Cook potatoes rapidly in a small amount of boiling salted water until tender; drain, melt butter in saucepan or kettle; add onion, celery and green pepper, cook over low heat until onion is wilted and yellowed. Stir in potatoes and milk; add lobster in large chunks and liquid from can. Bring slowly almost to boiling; do not boil. Stir as little as possible so lobster won't shred. Add salt and pepper to taste. Makes six servings.

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  - 43—Exista
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Earth News

### Earth Rainbow Girls Return From Grand Assembly At El Paso

The Earth Chapter of Rainbow Girls, returned home Saturday, June 25, from El Paso, where they attended the Grand Assembly of Rainbow Girls.

There were 3-480 girls present at the Assembly from all over the State of Texas. The Earth chapter received a Grand appointment. Charlene Hamilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Price Hamilton was appointed Grand Representative to Florida. Janabeth Laing, Grand Faith helped put on the work for all present. Mrs. Gene Brown, Mother Advisor, said, "Grand is the word for our assembly of Rainbow Girls."

The girls enjoyed a trip into Old Mexico and swimming.

Mrs. Brown wishes to say thanks to the girls for helping make the trip a very pleasant one, also to Mrs. Anna Kelley, for assisting her.

Mrs. Brown presented a gift to each girl, to show her appreciation after they returned.

The Earth Chapter of Rainbow Girls who attended the assembly were: Laura Mae Northcutt, Charlene Hamilton, Janice Jones, Lois Lewis, Roxie Rutherford, Doris Dickson, Laverne Williams, and Janabeth Laing.

### Springlake Ladies Bible Study Class Met Thursday

The Springlake ladies Bible study of the Church of Christ met at 4:00 p.m. Thursday at the church.

Minister Joe E. Sponaugle was in charge of the lesson and gave the opening and closing prayer. The 17th chapter of Acts was studied.

Those present were, Mesdames C. C. Barden, Frank Bozeman, R. L. Roach, Joe Sponaugle, Grant Lott and Gene Herstand.

### News from— Pleasant Valley Community

The Pleasant Valley Singing was well attended Sunday. Singers are invited to attend the 4th Sunday singing each month.

### THE RUSSELL HABERERS HOSTS TO COUPLES CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Haberer were hosts Monday evening to the "Couples Club" of Muleshoe, with a steak fry in the home of Mrs. Herman Haberer. Bridge provided the evening's entertainment. Members present were, Mr. and Mrs. ammie Dameson, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Poole Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Chief Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Alsop, and guests, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stockard and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Haberer.

### Party Line ...

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Benson and daughters Blenda and Deanna of Santa Rosa, California arrived Wednesday afternoon to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Stephens and her brothers and families, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stephens and Gene Stephens. This is the Benson's first trip back to visit here in 18 months.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutch LaRue and children left Monday for a weeks vacation of rest and fishing, at Red River, in New Mexico. They plan to return home this weekend.

Mrs. M. M. Morris and Mrs. E. C. Hudson returned Saturday from a short visit with Mrs. Morris's sister, Mrs. A. G. Spencer in Lubbock.

Margarette Meadows, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Meadows attended a district 4-H Club meeting in Lubbock, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. There were 25 counties represented.

Mrs. E. C. Hudson and Mrs. M. M. Morris are spending several days this week in Ruidoso, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Campbell and Joe returned this week from Wynnewood, Oklahoma, where they spent several days visiting relatives. They attended the Gardner family reunion in Hennington, Oklahoma, while on their trip.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barton of Earth, were Mrs. Faye Whitson and daughter Boyce of Levelland and Ronnie Joe Dvose of Amarillo.

### Party Line ...

Mr. and Mrs. Bob O'Hair attended the Pleasant Valley singing Sunday afternoon, and later they visited their son, Ed O'Hair and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Martin visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Montgomery, Friday evening.

Mrs. Henry Henderson underwent surgery at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock, Monday.

For Fly and Mosquito Control, See Earth Elevator.

### Niece From Germany Visiting In Garrett Home

Mr. and Mrs. John Garrett have as their guest Mrs. Garrett's niece, Darlene Gatewood of Frankfurt, Germany, who will be here a month or longer.

Darlene came to the States in August of last year with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ott Gatewood.

When her citizenship papers are completed she will be accompanied to Dallas by Mr. and Mrs. Garrett, where she will board a plane for New York and then on to Frankfurt, where she will join her parents.

Three hundred constitutes a perfect score in bowling.

### Bridal Shower Honors Mrs. Dale Harper

A lovely bridal shower honoring Mrs. Dale Harper was given Tuesday at 8:00 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Ely Clayton.

Mrs. Cletis Clayton furnished music for the background during the evening.

A gift, "White Than Good" was given by Mrs. Edward Jones accompanied by Mrs. Clayton at the piano.

The centerpiece was a large umbrella encircled by pink flowers, miniature gifts were underneath the umbrella.

Those present at the gifts were Misses Sharon Ray, Beverly Stone

Francis Phipps, Betty O'Hair and Charlene Hamilton.

Presiding at the table were Misses Lois Lewis and Evelyn Clayton.

Refreshments of individual cakes decorated with the bride's colors, pink and white, and lime punch was served.

Hostesses for the occasion were, Mesdames, H. N. Seymour, Henry Lewis, Levoyd Deed, Harold Patterson, Albert Taylor, Marvin Evans, Edward Jones, Elvia Clayton, Robert O'Hair, Truma Sidon, C. D. Roberts, Perry Martin, Cullen Hay, Houston Stephens and Mrs. Opal Kittrell.

Forty-five guests were present and a number of gifts were sent by some who were unable to attend.

Mrs. Walter Stout visited yesterday, Mrs. Virgil Woodson and family, who live near Farwell.

Saturday.

### Lemmons Return From Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lemmons returned Sunday night from Denver, Colorado where they spent last week attending the International Full Gospel Business Men's


Fellowship. There were people present every state in the United States and several representatives from places overseas.

A collection was taken to send missionaries to the fields. This collection totaled \$17,000. This business men's organization was organized years ago, and meets annually.

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<b>RECIPE OF THE WEEK</b>	<b>SUNSWEEET PRUNE JUICE</b> ..... Quart <b>37c</b>
<b>Jiffy Coffee Cake</b>	<b>LIBBY'S SPINACH</b> ..... No. 2 Can <b>14c</b>
3 Tablespoons brown sugar 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon 1 1/2 Tablespoons pancake mix 1/2 cup finely cut, unsalted nuts 1 1/2 Tablespoons melted butter or margarine	<b>LIBBY'S TOMATOE JUICE</b> ..... 303 Can <b>10c</b>
2 well-beaten egg 1/4 cup sugar 1 1/2 cups pancake mix 3 teaspoons ground orange rind 1 egg 1/2 cup melted butter or margarine	
Mix in a small bowl the brown sugar, cinnamon, 1 1/2 Tablespoons pancake mix, the nuts and 1 1/2 Tablespoons melted butter. Let stand until cooled. In a 2 quart bowl, mix rest of ingredients. Pour batter into a well-greased 9-inch square pan. Sprinkle crumbs mixture over top. Bake on rack slightly below center in 400 oven (hot) about 25 minutes, or until brown. Serve warm.	

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