# High School Interscholastic League Contestants Announced

and in Earth touches of green can be seen dotting the lawns and flower beds as though it could not wait another moment to chase away the dread look of winter to spread forth a lovely colorful hue to the entire Earth. Could it be possible for one to observe the transformation of

spring with its masses of flowers, and lovely agreen carpeting stretched across the world and yet fail to realize there is a living God.

Logan Logan And Gary Kelley, slide rule, and slide rule, and slide rule, slide rule, and slide rule, slide rule

With the coming of spring the world takes on a beauty unequaled by any other season. Everything that has been sleep-ing silently under the chilling hands of winter seems to awaken, and add color to a drab

Who else but God could declare the seasons, who else could create an earth made of mountains, valleys, and seas, who could shake the whole universe with a sudden bit of thunder, who could hang the stars in the sky, who could spread this colorful cloak of spring across the entire universe and transform it almost overnight into a million colorful hues, shutting away the drabness of winter past. could create man, who, for area within a day to complete deny that He lives today.

'NOSIN'

Phil and I went to Oklahoma last week end to visit Polly Junior and other relatives and friends.

The visit was fine and without incident... Until I was on my way home, riding back with Carolyn Reynolds, Dixie Huff-man, herdog "Pete" and Caro-lyn's pet, Peter Rabbit and we stopped to have chow...and would you believe I broke a tooth, eating, of all things, onion rings... I had expected bad breath, but not the extrac-

DON'T FORGET

D.H. Koeninger, high school principal, announced the pupils who will represent the local high school in the secondary interscholastic league competition.
The contests will be held at Farwell schools Friday, April 7.
Local high school students par-

ticipating in the various contests are: Jimmy Littleton and Marsha Dawson, poetry interpretation, Steve Mann and Pam Avery prose reading.

Mira Smith and Jennifer Angeley, spelling and plain writing. Alynn Jones, Debra Curtis and Rebecca Parish, typewriting. Joan Dawson and Karen Jones, shorthand,

Jimmy Littleton, DeAnne Brock Billy Street, number sense,

### Springlake Lions Collect \$530 In United Fund Drive

The Springlake Lions recently completed the United Fund Drive for the Town of Springlake and the rural area, collecting \$530 for the fund.

Lion boss, Clifford Hopping appointed two chairmen, Parge Winn and Orville Drake to conduct the drive. The two select-Who else but a living God ed workers and canvassed the

some unknown reason wants to the drive.

deny that He lives today.

The United Fund is a consolidated Fund Drive for the Salva-tion Army, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts and Red Cross.

### CITY OFFICE TO REMAIN OPEN SATURDAY

The city office will remain open all day Saturday for the convenience of those who have failed to purchase their auto tags before the deadline, ac-cording to city secretary, Mrs. Betty McAlpine.

Mrs. McAlpine said she figured several people in the area would wait until Saturday to purchase their new tags, as was always the case on April 1.

### Firemen Extinguish Blaze In Hernandez Home Wednesday

Earth firemen extinguished a fire at the home of Mrs. Paula Hernandez in South Earth, Wednesday about 11:45 a.m. house.

A fireman said, it was thought to have started near the range in the kitchen, but no actual

Quick acting firemen prevent-ed complete loss of the house time. and furniture by stopping the blaze in the kitchen and one bedroom before it covered the

DON'T FORGET TO VOTE

### Local Group to Present Act Play Friday at Farwell

Bill Anderson, junior and sen- The play is a one act serious ior English instructor at Spring-lake-Earth high school, this week announced the play cast

Simmons, as Tiger Lily, Jimmy for a one act play to be pre-sented at Farwell Friday afternoon in the Interscholastic

Bovina, Sudan and Kress.

Simmons, as Tiger Lily, Jimmy Stockstill, Quinney, Jerry An-derson, Walter, Pam Jordan, Nina, and Steve Larkin as Derek.

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Wilkinson Named Secretary

### TWO IMPORTANT ELECTIONS COMING UP Of Earth Volunteer Fire Dept.

to the local area are scheduled

for the coming week.
First will be the school trustee election scheduled for Saturday April 1, in the Springlake-Earth high school study hall. Three trustees are to be elect-

ed from a slate of seven candidates. The three elected will serve for three years,

The candidates in the order in which they will appear on the ballot are James Busby, incumbent; Jerry W. Kelley. James A. Littleton, Jr., Thurman Lewis, Mrs. B. T. (Ann) Harnilton, Weldon Barton and John Bridges. Election judge will be Leroy Wilkerson, Assisting him will be Phil Raught, M.E. Kelley, P.A. Washington, Howard Mc-Clure and E.C. Hudson.

Polls will open at 7 a, m, and lose at 7 p.m.
The second election is sched-

uled for Tuesday. April 4 in the Earth community room behind the City Hall. At which time three aldermen will be elected for terms of two years each. The vacancies were created by

the expiration of the terms of Eldon Parish. Donald Runyon, and Richard Stockstill, There are seven candidates seeking the three positions. They are, in the order they will appear on the ballot. Alma stockstill, T. C. Fry. Leon H. Dent, Bill Freeman, Eldon Par-ish, (incumbent): Doug Parish

and Bill Bryant, Polls will open at 7 a.m. and close at 7 p.m. Election judge will be W.C. Maxcey, assisted by J. A. Lit-tleton, Sr. and Roger Haberer. Absentee voting for the city election will close at 5 p.m.

### Springlake Lions Honor Wolverettes

Members of the Springlake Lions Club honored coach Dean Foshee and his state champion basketball team, the local Wolverettes, at a noon day luncheon Thursday at the Community Building in Springlake.
A program was presented by the speech students of Mrs. Rus-sell Haberer.

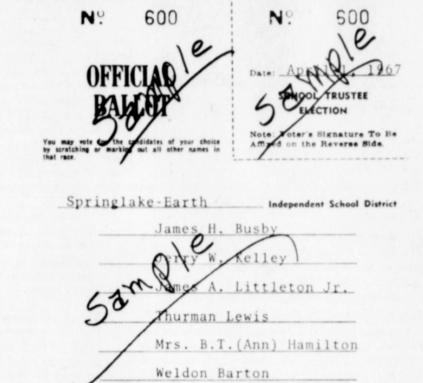
The program included a singing trio, various dialogues, monalogues and readings. Approximately 60 people were present for the luncheon.

### VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT

The Springlake-Earth high school girl's volleyball team will compete in the district 3A Volleyball tournament at Farwell



LOCAL GROUP ENTERTAINS LIONS.... Six members of a local speech class taught by Mrs. Russell Haberer entertained the Earth Lions Club with a program Tuesday. This group will also compete in the forthcoming interscholastic league competition at Farwell on April 7. They are Mike Cleavinger, Jimmy Littleton, Steve Mann, Marsha Dawson, Pam Avery and their speech instructor Mrs. Haberer. (Janice Bridge was present but left before the photo was snapped.)



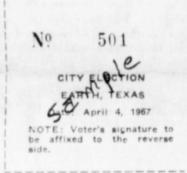
These are sample ballots of the two forthcoming elections, The School Trustee Election set for

John Bridges

April 1, and the City Alderman Election on April 4.

Nowhere on the school trustee ballot does it inform voters to vote for only three of the seven candidates. However, if you want your vote to count, you must scratch or mark out at least four of the seven names on the ballot or it will be declared void. The city ballot carries the information to vote for three.

> Official Balloto You may vate or the candidates of your charge by placing an X in the yeare beside the names or you may vote for candidates of your choice in the races by scratching or marking out all other names



(Vote for Three)

### For Alderman:

ALMA STOCKSTILL

T. C. FRY LEON H. DENT

BILL FREEMAN

ELDON PARISH

DOUG PARISH BILL BRYANT

### The Earth Volunteer Fire Department met Monday night for regular fire drill and to conduct a business meeting. Leroy

Wilkinson was elected secretary, replacing Billy Robnett who re-signed recently and moved to The practice consisted of test-ing fire hose on both the new truck and old truck. All busted

hose were replaced with serviceable hose. A committee of three was appointed, to check the possibilty of providing better rural fire protection. The committee in-cludes Eldon Parish as chairman,

assisted by Bob Belew and Bud The Volunteer Fire Depart-ment consists of 27 members at the present time. Below is a

oster of the members; Phil Raught, chief; Eldon Parish, needed: \$1905, assistant chief; Leroy Wilkinson. Those who w

Firemen are: Hugh Alexander Clarence Kelley, E.C. Kelley, Donald Layman, Clinton Green, Hershel Hulcy, Dong Parish, Bob Belew, Richard Moore, Larry Weaver, Bob Seissler, Jim Wil-liams, Bill Bryant, Sonny Hitt, W. A. Hatfield, Truman Lay-man, Bud Matlock, Alvin Pittman, and Ross Middleton,

EMERGENCY VEHICLE

FUND \$1905 SHORT The emergency vehicle which was purchased at a total cost of \$2,060 is currently \$1905 short of paying it off,

Two businesses and two indi-viduals have donated a total of \$155 to-date.

The fund stands as follows: Emergency vehicle cost: \$2060; donated to-date: \$155; balance

Those who wish to donate to secretary; E.R. McAlpine and the fund may contact any mem-Pat McCord, captains, and ber of the above mentioned

### Norman Hinchliffe Elected Lion Boss of Local Club

Norman Hinchliffe was named | president, L.K. Anderson; second President of the Earth Lions Club | vice president, M. H. "Dutch"

Hinchliffe, co-owner and manager of Earth Farm Chemical in Earth, has been a member of the Lions Club for nine years. Hinchliffe and his family moved to Earth in 1960 and he assumed duties as manager of the local firm,

when local members met Tues-day and conducted their annual election of officer at annual roy Wilkinson; secretary, Jarvis election of officers at a regular noon day luncheon in the Earth tail twister, Ross Brock and Lion tamer, Henry Lewis, Four new directors were elect-

ed Bob Belew, and Norman Sulser were named to serve I year terms and Roger Haberer and Edwin O'Hair were elected to serve two year terms. The above officers will take

office July 1. Fred Clayton who will retire as president will act as ex-officer Other officers elected during the meeting were: first vice-

### Local Jaycees to Sell, Install House Numbers

planning session, Darrell Williams gave a report on several projects the local

group could undertake.

and nameplates on special order. You may contact any member

The Earth Jaycees committee | The pageant has been sched-chairmen met Thursday, March | uled for February of 1968. Work 23 for committee reports and on planning the event will begin about 3 to 4 months before the the date set. The winner of the local contest will be entered in the Miss Texas Pageant,

A report was given by Glen The group voted to sell and install house numbers in the city of Earth. The type being offered

Bulls, who met with the Recreation Association, on plans for improving the City Park. Sevof Earth. The type being offered are embossed aluminum numbers.

bers, The price of the numbers, will be \$2,50 per set installed.

They reported, that if residents don't know the address of their don't know the address of their standards.

The type being offered in the cleanup day, Friday at the park, Larry Tunnell gave a report on everything that would be involved in conducting a Miss Earth Pageant. It was decided Cure the address from the city.

They will offer brass numbers ed time they have to organize the pageant, it wouldn't be feasible at this time to proceed with the event.

### Super Market Formal Opening in Progress Banquet Scheduled for April 8

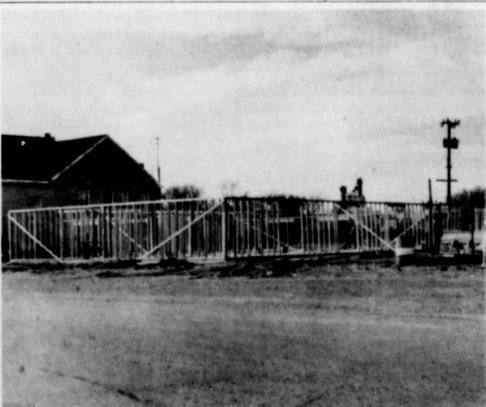
The formal opening celebration at B and W Super Market is in full swing, with area people reg-istering daily for the free grand prize and also for free baskets of groceries to be given away at 7:30 p.m. Saturday. Coffee, cookies and doughnuts

will be served all day (today) Thursday to all who attend,
A Pet Milk treasure chest has
been set up for both Friday and
Saturday to allow many, many winners during the two day event. The chest will be filled with gift slips for various items, throughout the store. Those attending may select one key from a box of keys, if the key select-ed unlocks the chest the winner may select a free gift slip. The kiddies attending will be given balloons and suckers,

Both Wood and Brock invite the attendance of all area people to participate in their grand opening celebration.

### BAND CONCERT

The Springlake-Earth Innual spring band concert will be pre-sented Tuesday April II, in the school auditorium. The fifth grade band, Junior high and high school band, and stage band will



BEGINNING TO SHAPE UP - Workers marted raising the walls on the Earth First Baptist Church educational expansion to the present facilities. Construction was started February 20 on the \$125,000 addition. The structure is scheduled to be completed in the early part of October,

The 12th Annual Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture banquet has been set for Saturday, April 8 at 7:30 p. m. in the Springlake-Earth schools cafe-

teria.

Dr. Floyd D. Golden, educa-tional consultant for Rittenberry and Associates, architects in Amarillo, will be guest speaker for the occasion.

Officers and directors for the coming year will be installed at

the banquet.
This year the board of directors have voted to recognize an out-standing man and outstanding woman of the year, along with recognizing an outstanding farner. These will receive recognition and awards at the banquet Tickets are available at \$2,50 each, from any member of the hamber or at the Chamber of





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EDITORIAL ...

### THINK...Then Go VOTE

Next Saturday, school trustee election day, and Tuesday city election day; are two of the most important days of the year for the electors of Earth and Springlake area.

There are seven candidates seeking places on the school board of trustees and likewise seven seeking positions on the city council. This indicates that interest has been kindled in both races, as this is the first time in many years that area electors have had this large a number of candidates to select

Since these candidates have shown their interest by filing for these positions, it is now the duty of all eligible voters to go out and cast their ballots, selecting three candidates in each of the two elections, to fill the vacancies created by the expiration of terms of three men on both the school and

It is the duty of voters to fill these positions with people whom they think will take interest, and are best qualified to carry on the business of our city and school in the best possi-

If we as voters choose to stay home, go fishing, shopping or visiting and let someone else elect these officials, we forfeit our right to complain if things fail to please us later on. So., THINK, then don't fail to go the polls Saturday and Tuesday and vote for the candidates of your choice.

### Area Receives .50 Inch Rain Last Week

Gentle, welcome rain fell in the Earth-Springlake area last Wednesday night dropping amounts up to 1 inch at most places around the community. This was the most rain recorded since last fall and was welcomed by everyone in the area. More rain fell Thursday morning and again Friday night in Lamb

County but was not measurable. Sudan and Amherst measured about 4 inch of rain while Olton failed to report a trace of moisture. Littlefield measured approximately 0.37 inch of rain.

YOUR VOTE ON SATURDAY AND TUESDAY

### Lions Present Queen With Allowance

Springlake-Earth Lions Club was presented a \$50 check as a wardrobe allowance gift from the two local clubs. Springlake Lion boss. Clifford Hopping and Earth Lion Boss, Fred Clayton made the joint presentation at noon Wednesday.

Miss Packard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Packard will represent the local clubs at the District 2T2 Convention slated for April 28-29

VOTE FOR YOUR FAVORITE CANDICATE SATURDAY AND TUESDAY





### WRITE YOUR CONGRESSMAN

Do you have a gripe about taxes or federal spend- Many philosophers have captured the spirit of ing? If you do, there is something that you can do freedom in last prose. One of them is Immanuel about it. Write a letter!

Members of Congress always welcome the views works appears below: of their constituents-particularly when a specific issue is discussed.

In the interest of aiding Congress to do its job effectively, citizens should acquaint themselves with some phase of the federal budget. Do you think we are spending too much on welfare, or urban renewal, or other phases of the domestic budget?

The Department of Health, Education and Welfare is requesting \$13.3 billion in 1968, an increase of \$3.3 billion. The Office of Economic Opportunity is requesting \$2.1 billion for 1968-up from \$1.4 billion in 1966 and the Department of Housing and Urban Development is requesting \$3.2 billion in funds-some \$1.3 billion above previous years. Over a five-year period the federal budget shows an increase of over 180 percent for all domestic programs. Letters to Congress are the only practical way of registering pertinent taxpayer opinion.

The advice to "write your Congressman" is often heard, but don't discount its importance. Chairman George H. Mahon (D.-Tex.) of the House Appro-Queen, lovely Lynda Packard, priations Committee has said, "A letter, I tell you, like a vote, can make a difference, perhaps the PRIVATE INVITATION -

### New Sea Diver for Navy

The Miami Seaquarium is training eight porpoises as deep sea messengers for the Navy.

fact that the government pro-Burton Clark, the Seaquarium's general manager, said recently that the porpoises were being schooled under a Navy grams to rescue and rebuild centry that the perpenses were being across project. The Sea- our cities for the most percentage contract for use in the Sealab 3 research project. The Sea- have failed. Private citizens quarium is a tourist attraction that highlights performing and private enterprise, which porpoises. It also engages in scientific ventures related to its built the cities in the first various marine exhibits.

place, should be called upon to Mr. Clark said the porpoises were to be used as messengers repair the cities' ills today.' between the ocean surface and an underwater research station 400 feet deep in the Pacific Ocean off Point Magu, Calif. They Rowland H. Macy is credited carry written messages clipped to a leather harness.

A male porpoise was used for courier duty in the successful with having conceived the de-Sealab 2 project.

### Editorial

### HOW TO TELL ONE

At this period in Man's history the most unpopular word in the English language is communist. Any American who suggests that his neighbor may be a communist, or be in sympathy with the comhimself in court charged with defamation of char-

vinced that the means is justified if the end seen s combined. to be praiseworthy. Really, though, there is small difference between communism and socialism except that the former bears within it a master plan to rule all the world, and to obtain control for this rulership by any means necessary -- including assured of value received? open aggression.

But communism, Marxism, and even democratic socialism all have one common denominator that identifies them as basic opposites of freedom. It is the imposition of the will of one person or group of persons upon any other person or group of persons -- AND BY FORCE.

Kant, the famous German. A quotation from his

"Freedom is independence of the compulsory will of another; and in so far as it can co-exist with the freedom of all according to a universal law, it is the one sole, original inborn right belonging to every man in virtue of his humanity.

There is, indeed, an innate quality belonging to every man which consists in his right to be independent of being bound by others to anything more than that to which he may reciprocally bind them.'

IMMANUEL KANT

The key to his message are the two words "compulsory will." So long as man is permitted to choose, he is free. When he is subject to the arbitrary will of another and is constrained by force to agree to that will, he is in bondage -- no matter what it is called.

'We should never lose sight of the fact," Sen. George Murphy

(R. Calif.) stated, "initially

private enterprise built the

great cities that dot our land.

Nor should we lose sight of the

partment store idea in America

By W.H.G. Lovington Leader

### THE GROWING DEBT

When visionaries insist upon federal spending beyond our tax productive capacity to pay-at some point Mr. and Mrs. America will be pressed to call a halt to the accelerated federal spending, which places our children and their children's children

Rep. H. R. Gross (R.-Iowa), in commenting or munist causes, is likely to get a bloody nose or th annual Economic Report to the Nation, said holes in his suit from shotgun pellets or find that the net public and private debt of this country as of January 1, 1967, was one trillion, 368 billion 300 million dollars. That's an increase of 98 billion dollars in the twelve months since January 1, 1966 Likewise the term socialist is not popular, ex- and an increase of 420 billion, 600 million dollars cept in intellectual circles where people who use since January, 1961-making us the worst debt the term to apply to their own beliefs have made ridden nation in the world. The federal debt alone it the egghead's humanitarianism. They are con- exceeds that of all other governments in the world

> Isn't it about time that our legislators, federal state, county and local, started to flyspeck-and to make sure that for every dollar spent we can be



WISH I'D SAID up to his yearning power."

Lee Call, Star Valley (Afton, Wyo.) Independent.

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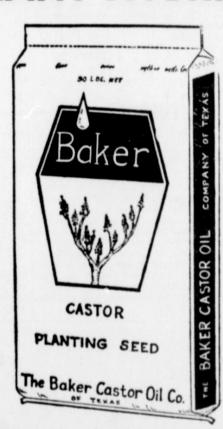
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During the first great war the demand for Faity Soap was so great that the manufacturers dropped their huge advertising program with an eye to making a bigger profit. They figured Fairy Soap was so well known it would carry itself. They were wrong. Other far sighted soap manufacturers stepped in with appealing advertising campaigns and took over the market. Fairy Soap was never able to come back and today lies in the graveyard alongside the Gold Dust Twins, Saint Jacobs Oil, Melon's Baby Food, Dolly Varden Chocolates, Omar cigarettes, Maxwell automobiles and many other products that died a natural economic death due to lack of advertising.

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IT'S SPRINGTIME IN EARTH....and evidence of the lovely season's transformation can be seen on every hand. This tree in blossom is in the yard of Mrs. R.E. Barton.

### Rheumatoid Arthritis Is Serious Rheumatic Disease

Rheumatoid arthritis is potentially the most serious of the rheumatic diseases, says Today's Health Guide, the American Medical Association's manual of health information for the

American family.
Rheumatoid arthritis characteristically occurs in attacks of pain and swelling in the joints, weakness, fatigue, and stiffness, especially in the mornings. The attacks may last for weeks. months or years, but usually the intensity of the disease fluctuates. The disease varies in severity from time to time, seldom completely disappearing, though a few people have recovered completely. A small percentage of and activity. Prescription of the scribed by the physician.

worsening arthritis that finally results in crippling and deformity

The best treatment usually includes a variety of different methods and techniques. Rest is a cardinal principle of manage-ment and is usually prescribed as a number of hours per day. Details of rest are outlined by the physician. The bed should be firm; pillows under the knees or back should be avoided. The feet should be supported by a footboard. The bed is easier to get in and out of if blocks six to under the casters,

Rest is alternated with exercises

inflammation but exercise is required also to retain muscle and joint function and prevent gradual onset of deformity. Proper balance of rest and exercise is

twice daily are helpful. Hot towels wrung out of hot water, applied to the joints and then wrapped in plastic sheets provide eight inches in heighth are placed muscle relaxation. Infrared lamps are sometimes useful.

proper balance is the physician's responsibility. Specific exer-cises are prescribed, among which are muscle strengthening exercises. Joint deformity can be prevented or made less severe by daily putting the joints try-sofa beds, sofa sleepers, through a full range of motion. and day beds. If pain lasts for more than 15 to 20 minutes after exercise, it has been too much. Rest is necessary to reduce joint

the keynote.
Warm or hot tub baths once or Drug treatment is often pre-

### Dual-Sleep **Furniture Has** Many Rolls

If you've ever caught yourself "short bedded" when a guest arrived for a visit, perhaps you need to combine several functions into one piece of furniture says Jane Berry, Texas A&M University Extension home furnishings specialist.

Dual-sleep units really have a triple role to play in the home. They offer both seating and sleeping comfort, and have sufficient good looks to appear at nome either in a bed room or a living room.

Both eye appeal and comfort qualities have been advanced through the development of new fixtures and mechanisms for dual-sleep furniture. Such new mechanisms permit a floating action of the mattress for su-perior sleeping comfort, permit he user to sleep at night height rather than close to the floor and permit many dual-sleep units to be slip covered. One of the basic things a con-

sumer must consider when selecting a dual-sleep unit is whether or not the piece will be used every night or just occas-ionally. A unit with a better mattress will be required if the furniture will have constant use.

There are three main types of seating-sleeping units made by the upholstered furniture indus-

The sofa bed has no seperate mattress, and when the sofa front is lifted the back drops down to form a flat surface Both seat and back are usually of smooth, tight construction over springs which form a comfortable sleeping surface. A bedding box under the sofa seat provides handy storage for linens

A full-size mattress is concealed under the cushions of the sofa sleeper. When cushions are removed and the seat lifted up and out, a mattress stretches

forth.

The day bed is akin to both sofas and sleepers. Like sofas, they do not open into beds, but are stationary. Like sleepers, their seat cushions are often called mattresses, but are upholstered to match the rest of the piece. It may have arm ends. the piece. It may have arm ends but usually doesn't have a sta-tionary back.

The "Lone Eagle," Charles A. Lindbergh, who made the first solo flight across the Atlantic Ocean in 1927, began his military career as a member of the 110th Observation Squadron, 35th Division Air Service, Missouri



WHAT'S FOR LUNCH??? This well fed little Prairie Dog is doubtless on the poverty program. Who else but a Prairie Dog, presently posed eating carrots, knows where his next meal is coming from, yet this little fellow doubtless has no worries as of hunger pains. (Life seems great at the Lubbock Prairie Dog

### Men Don't Live in Luxury Just Because Wives Go To Work

parative luxury just because only is employed, says Finance your wife has decided to take a Facts. ob. Recent studies show that One in three, or about 15 milports Finance Facts, monthly imately one-quarter of the

sociation.

employed wives cause family lion, wives earn a pay check spending patterns to rise. So re- today, with half earning approx-

newsletter published by the family's total income. Roughly National Consumer Finance As- 40 percent of total consumer spending is estimated to come While employed-wife house-from homes where the wife is holds spend fractionally less for food and medical care, more Nearly half of the employed goes out for alcohol and tobacco, wives are in clerical jobs or are lothing, home furnishings and

new in the fields of implements, irrigation, and industry. New this year will be aircraft dis-

The 1967 3-I-SHOW will be staged on the Seward County Fair Grounds and adjacent school grounds. There will be exhibit space in the fine National Guard Armory as well as the Exhibit Building of the Fair Grounds.

exhibit space at the Liberal Show In addition, more that five -- April 27 through 30 -- and acres of outside display space is Fry is willing to trade space for buffaloes. The commission has agreed to his terms. available.

Space is being requested at a rapid rate, Fry says, Already 133,000-134,000 square feet of o, WKMI will receive from the commission one buffalo for outside exhibit area has been rethe space. WKMI also will buy served.

Last year the 3-I-SHOW at Great Bend, Kansas, drew 200 exhibitors and 102,000 persons. Fry expects this mark to be topped at Liberal event with at least 250 exhibitors and increase

3-I means Implements, Irrigain attendance. tion, and Industry, and manu-facturers in these areas from Firms interested in exhibiting Cansas, Oklahoma, Texas, New Western Kansas Manufacturers, Mexico, and Colorado, have Inc., 107 E. Fulton, Box 757, Garden City, Kansas, been invited to display their

The Army's first Medal of Honor hero in WWI (awarded for an action on July Fourth, 1918) was Corporal Thomas E. Pope, Com-The Finance Facts report was based on a study made by the pany E, 131st Infantry, 33d Di-National Industrial Conference vision, Pope was an Illinois Na-

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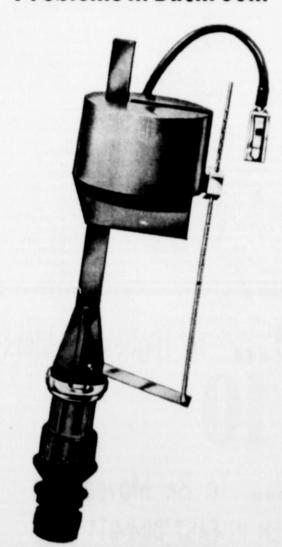
Next year he will want his own reading lamp. Next year he will need an extra waffle at breakfast too, and there will be school clothes to be ironed. All of this will require electricity which is why demand in rural areas doubles every eight years. In 1948, the average family served by Bailey County Electric . Cooperative used 150 kilowatt hours per month. Today, this same family requires 450 kilowatt hours. This constantly increasing demand calls for a constantly upgraded electric service requiring more money for improvements. Bailey County Electric Cooperative is planning ahead nowto provide this additional supply

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## Miss Judy K. Lewis, Lenro L. Jennings Wed Recently

Miss Judy K. Lewis and Lenro L. Jennings were united in mar-riage on March 11 in the First Baptist Church of Groom with the Rev. James Coffman officiating at the double ring cere-

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lewis of Panhandle and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Simmons of Earth,

The bride is a 1965 graduate of Panhandle High School. The groom attended Vega High chool and is presently stationed at Fort Tilden, Long Island, New York, as a missile operator for the U.S. Army.

### **Funeral Rites** Today For Mrs.

J. L. Walker

Funeral rites for Mrs. J. L. Walker, 77, of Amarillo will be (today) Thursday at 10:30 a. m, in the Gregg Funeral Home of Amarillo. Grave side rites will be at 3 p.m. today at the

Earth Cemetery.

Mrs. Walker died at 3 p.m.

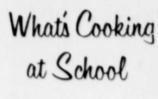
Tuesday in the Amarillo Osteopathic Hospital where she had been hospitalized for the past ten days prior to her death. She had been in ill health for several years.

Survivors include four sons and two daughters. John and Clyde Walker of California, L. C. Walker, Amarillo, Earl Walker of Earth, Mrs. Maybelle Sim-mons of Earth and Miss Angie Nell Walker of Amarillo, Four grandchildren and several great grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Haberer and family spent the Easter Ho-lidays in El Paso visiting with Davey, who is taking training at Ft. Bliss.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cooper, Kerry Kyle and Kim of Plainview.

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April 3 - 7

MONDAY Baked ham Candied yams Prune cake Hot rolls Milk

TUESDAY Pinto beans - ham Spoon tomato salad Creamed potatoes Peach cobbler Corn bread - butter Milk

WEDNESDAY Swiss steak Blackeyed peas Blackberry cobbler Hot rolls

THURSDAY Roast and gravy Creamed potatoes Green beans Chilled peaches Hot rolls - butter

MRS. LENRO L. JENNINGS

nee: JUDY K. LEWIS

**Hello World** 

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Robbins are

the parents of a son born at 1:50

p. m. Friday, March 24 in the West Plains Hospital at Muleshoe.

The young lad has been named

Johnny Clinton, He weighed in at 2 pounds 9½ ounces and was

15 inches long.
Johnny Clinton has two brothers.

immy Don and Charles Wayne,

and two sisters, Lynda Gail and

FRIDAY Wolverine burgers Onions, pickles Oven fried potatoes Pineapple up-side-down cake



This week was homecoming for many of the area boys and girls who are away from home

at college.
Some of those who were home for the Easter vacation are; Dwala Boone, Diane Gregory Lonnie Adrian, Larry Glasscock Phil Middleton, Jacquetine Par-ish, Floyd Bennett, Carolyn Kelley, Buddy Robnett, Phil Bearden, Jimmy Shirey, and Jerry Taylor from South Plains College. Vicki Clayton, Pruda Sanders, Joan Sanderson and Janice Black-

He is presently confined to an Hardin-Simmons Uniincubator at the hospital, but is reported to be doing fine. Boyd Clayton, Beth Dent and Helen Phillips from Abilene spent Easter in the Wayne Ru-therford home.

Christian College.
Those from Texas Tech who were home were, Bobby Borum, Vicky Coker, Ken Dawson, Bob-by Coker, Jerry Don Sanders, Donna Street, Lonnie English,

Also visiting home were Jane McCord, Baylor University; Freddy Kelley, Wayland Baptist College: Nancy Alair, Texas Womanis University: Alicia Washington, and Kenny Ken-dricks, Commercial College,

Dickie, accompained by Mrs. W.D. Martens and Mrs. Harold Powell spent the week end in

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hawthorne, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fields and family spent the Easter Holidays at Langtry. (where Judge Been held court in his day), fishing and sight seeing.

LOCAL RESIDENTS VISIT RELATIVES

mer of 1966; second place in the Lubbock Music Teachers

cludes, among others, the Frencharia "Ah! Je veux vivre"

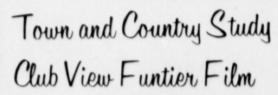
from the opera Romeo and Juliette by Gounod, the German aria "Ach, ich fubl's" from the

opera Die Zauberflote by Moy-

art, the Italian art song "Ama-rilli" by Caccini, and the Old

Mrs. Sarah Clark and Mr. and weekend in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rogers and family. Also visiting with the group Amarillo were Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Worth,

The famed 45th Infantry Division (Thunderbird), Oklahoma 496 combat days in the line. The D-Day landings included Sicily, Salemo, Anzio and Southern France. Early in De-cember, 1951, units of the 45th thereafter became the first Na-



"Texas, Today's Fun-Tier" was given in color movie projection at Town and Country Study Club
Thursday evening by Mrs. M. E.
Kelley in the home of Mrs. Sam

Roll call was answered "Texas Facts" and the collect was led by Mrs. L. K. Anderson. A federation report was given by Mrs. H.S. Sanders, Feder-

ation Counselor, The members prepared folders on the City of Earth and surround-ing area to be included in pack-ets for distribution at Lubbock during the Caprock District con-

Other plans were made for co-hostessing the convention in the business session presided over by Mrs. Wayne Rutherford.

The refreshment table was covered with a white imported cloth and centered by a white Easter liley.

Strawberry pie, cheese canapes and pink punch were served to two guests, Mrs. W.D. Martens and Mrs. L. K. Anderson's mother and the members: Mrs. L.K. Anderson, Mrs. L. Z. Anglin, Mrs. Jane Beavers, Mrs. B. Campbell, Mrs, B.T. Hamilton, Mrs, Lena Hite, Mrs, M.E. Kelley, Mrs. Ray Kelley, Mrs. John Laing, Mrs. Carra Morgan, Mrs. Roy Neal, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Marie Ross, Mrs. Ruther-ford, Mrs. H.S. Sanders, Mrs. C.W. Terry and the hostess.

### NOTICE

Association voice competition; first place in the Pauline Slator Members of the Young Home-makers Club will meet at 7:30 voice competition in Odessa where she won a \$50 scholarship p.m. Monday in the Homemak-Miss Simmons plans to be a voice major in college and there ng Department of the local high school building. Mrs. L.G. Layhas been discussion with several man will bring a program on colleges about voice scholarships. crafts, The program for the recital in-

The Girl Scout neighborhood meeting will be held Monday, April 3 beginning at 9:30 a.m. at the Wilson Lewis home east of highway 70. Group leaders and committee mothers are urged to attend.

The District Meeting of the Wesleyan Service Guild will be at the First Methodist Church in Floydada, April 2, beginning at i p. m.

A pink and blue shower honoring Jeffrey Eldon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Parish will be held in the home of Mrs. Henry Lewis, Tuesday, April 4 at fi a.m. Everyone is invited to at-

# Cearley. The "Salute to the Texas Flag" TeaTo Highlight was led by Mrs. C. T. Richard-

HA Week

Future Homemakers of America week is set for April 2-8. The local FHA Chapter, in connec-tion with FHA Week has planned a full schedule of events.
On Sunday local FHA girls will attend the church of their choice. on Monday the group will honor

their teachers.

Thesday at 7:30 p. m. the girls have slated a tea for the secret grandmothers. The tea will be held in the homemaking depart-ment of the local high school, During the evening, secret grandmothers will be revealed, concluding three months of de-

lightful "Secret Keeping" on the relatives, part of the girls, The FHA will present an assembly program on Wednesday, and on Thursday the girls will observe Color Day by wearing the FHA colors of red and white.

Friday "Something Special" will be done for the eighth grade girls and Saturday the FHA girls will assist at a clinic.

Current officers of the local Future Homemakers of America are: president, Joan Dawson; first vice president, Karen Jones; second vice president, Judy Gover; third vice president, Mel-odie Brock; fourth vice president, Arta Simmons; fifth vice president, Jenny Angeley; parlia-mentarian, Ginger Dent; pianist, Anita O'Hair; historian, Debbie Barton, and treasurer, Linda

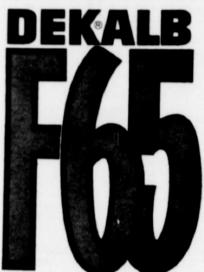
### NOTICE

honoring Mrs. Johnny Wariner former Sue Parker is slated from 4:00 to 5:30 p. m. Saturday April 1 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L.G. Layman. Gifts will be picked up at Bryant's Department Store and Earth Dry Goods.

PARTY LINE

Mrs. Ross Middleton, and Phil spent the weekend in Tulsa and Holdenville, Oklahoma visiting Polly Jean Middleton and other

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Higgins and children of Ft. Stockton visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Higgins of Earth over the Easter Holidays.



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# Springlake HDC Members Have Program on Furniture

Miss Arta Simmons To Be

Presented in Voice Recital

stration Club of Springlake were presented a program on Furni-ture Arrangement and the Storing of Woolens when they gathered Thursday afternoon for a regular meeting in the home of Mrs. Floyd Bills. Lady Claire Phillips county Home Demon-

soprano soloist,

For the past year and a half Arta has been a student of Mrs.

Kelley's and has received a num-

ber of recognitions: 1 ratings by judges; a full scholarship to the Texas Tech Music Camp - sum-

stration agent brought the pro-Those present for the informative meeting were Mrs. T. V. Murrell, Mrs. L.C. Black, Mrs.

Ruel Fanning, Mrs. Herman Coo-per, Mrs. Orlan Bibby, Mrs. Bob Boone, Mrs. Hilbert Wisian, and three visitors, Mrs. Bruce Diana Breedlove and Higgins, Diana Mrs, Edd Bills, Refreshments were served to all who attended.

The next meeting is slated for April 13 in the home of Mrs.

Air Force Colonel Robert Rushworth, who received astronaut wings after flying the X15 rocket aircraft to an altitude of nearly miles in 1963, entered the Korean War service as a member of the Maine Air National

IN AMARILLO

The group spent Sunday at Palo Duro State Park, Mrs. Rog-ets and Mrs. Worth are Mrs. Clark's daughters, Mr. Clark is

National Guard, fought through four D-Day landings in World War II and amassed a total of filed into positions along the Korean battle line and shortly Guard 132d Fighter Interceptor tional Guard division to blast the

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### 25 Percent of American Families Have 2 or More Cars

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Referring to data made availtoday own one or more automobiles, with 25 percent possessing two or more. Moreover, multiple auto ownership increases shopping, and other activities among the growing number of mdirect ratio to income. Sixty suburbanites contribute to the percent of those with annual in-

owners of more than one car and the percentage is going up

Single car ownership varies bereports Finance Facts, monthly or less to about 95 percent of newsletter of the National Con- those with incomes of \$10,000

able recently by the University of Michigan Survey Research simply decided to be as mobile center, facts revealed that 79 percent of all U. S. families nation on wheels.

comes of \$15,000 or over are panding teenage population.

# Asparagus Was Grown Bu Romans As Early As 200 B.C.

sion foods and nutriton special-ist at Texas A&M University.

and fresh. When you use frozen asparagus, you don't need to thaw it before cooking. Simply drop it into a small amount of boiling water and cook just until it is tender.

If you prefer canned asparagus sprouts, though not as much as first drain the liquid into a pan. the leafy green vegetables. first drain the liquid into a pan. Cook the liquid until half the If you are using fresh asparagus, diet food.

mans gave detailed instructions a deep pan with a tight cover, for growing asparagus, reports
Miss Frances Reasonover, Extension foods and nutritor. down as a cover will work well. Pour about two inches of water

Asparagus is still a popular vegetable today. It can be found on the market frozen the lid on and boil fifteen minutes or until tender. The steam will cook the asparagus tips. Asparagus is a nutritious vegetable. It has more vitamin A than green beans or brussels

Asparagus is one of the more add the asparagus and cook it until it is heated through.

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by Vern Sanford

FINDING FISH IS EASY-Finding white bass is easy, providing you know how. Perhaps the easiest way on most of Texas large impoundments is to watch for the birds. When you see a flock of gulls diving down into the water, it is a sign that the whites are chasing shad. And that's a cue for you to chase the fish. Cast a heavy, fast sinking spoon near the edge of the activity. You'll discover that the whites usually are deep down and dining on the in-jured shad that sink to the bottom.

Once in awhile you'll latch onto a big old lazy black bass down there, too.

CANNED BAITS FOR CATS-Looking for a good way to bait your favorite fishing hole?

Try canned dog food, preferably the kind that makes gravy by adding a little water.

Punch a hole in each side of the can with a nail or an ice pick. Tie a rock to the can and drop it into the

Or, if you use the kind that's served in a sack, drop it into a loosely knit potato or citrus fruit sack, weight it down good then lower it into the water. Catfish love dog food.

FISHING THE POINTS-When you're fishing around points it's always safe to leave your outboard

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motor running. That way you can avoid slamming into the bank when a gust of wind hits your boat. Another good idea is to reverse the motor and troll

SUREST WAY TO CATCH FISH-Cast close to the bank and work out.

This is one of the surest methods of catching fish. Especially is this true when fishing rocky shorelines. Cast against the rock and let the lure fall into the water. Give it a moment to sink, then jiggle the bait. If there is a fish around it very likely will take

KEEPS SINKERS FROM SLIPPING-If you use split-shot sinkers here's a good way to keep them from slipping. Insert a short piece of rubber band into the slot in the sinker, along with the line. Then crimp the shot over the rubber band. This will hold the line tight.

ADDING LEADS TO FLY LINE-Use a needle to install your leader to a fly line. Here's how:

Push the needle up through the center of the line and out the side about an inch up the line. Then pull the leader through the opening and wrap the end of the leader tightly around the line in the same manner you'd wrap a rod.

DISCARD WEAK LINE-Don't use a frayed line. Each time you go fishing, cut two or three feet off the end of the line. By doing so you remove the frayed or weak spots that have had the most wear.

TEMPTING CATFISH BAIT-Some fishermen use Ivory soap for catfish bait. Others find marshmallows work good, too. And cheese is excellent bait for cats.

STORE OILY RAG IN SHELL-An empty shotgun shell makes a handy and compact carrier for a small oily rag. A hunter can always use an oily cloth in bad weather when his gun is exposed to

FISH STRIPS FOR PORK RINDS-White strips cut from the belly of a fish are as effective fish-getters as pork rind. Like pork rind, you can store the fish strips in a saline solution.

CHECK BOAT FENDERS-Use extra care with cork filled, canvas covered boat fenders. They pick up a lot of moisture. If left hanging against the boat, they will rot wood and stain fiberglass.

BOTTOM BUMPING FOR BASS-Ever try bottom bumping with unweighted floating worms?

Add a quarter-ounce lead to the line, about 18 inches from the end. On the end of the line use a plastic worm on a weedless hook. Then slowly bump the lead across the bottom, letting the worm move freely . . . as if swimming.

This works many times when the jig-n-worm fails.

STUDY LAKE BEDS-There is one advantage to a drought. You can study the lake beds while the water is low. Then you'll know where the fish hide. Make special note of where the ledges extend out into the water. That's where fish are likely to be found when the lake level rises again.

CROWS FOR DECOYS-Wire coat hangers make good crow hunting decoys. Take the crows you shoot and insert them in the hangers. Then hang the hangers on tree limbs near your blind.

### Pioneer Natural Gas Company Receives Award

has been selected by the Awards Committee of the National Security Traders Association for an award of excellence for shareholder and financial communi-cations, according to C. I. its two regiments at a camp two miles north of the post office at (Stoney) Wall, president of the Lincoln, company. This is one of the major awards presented for the best program by companies in various industry classifications. Winners of the National Security traders Association awards for financial communications by corporations whose securities are traded in the Over-the-Counter market have been announced by NSTA President, George H. Angelos, of Charles W. Scranton & Co., New Haven. The annual program, now in its fourth year, recognizes outstanding shareholder and financial information programs conducted during the past year with awards of excellence plaques.

REMEMBER TO VOTE SATURDAY AND TUESDAY

### service in 34 WWII campaigns "The soldiers of the Guard fought in every action in which the citizen-soldier.

Looking back on National Guard including seven assault landings, the late Robert P. Patterson, as Secretary of War, remarked:

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# In Service 🕽

NHA TRANG, VIETNAM (AHTNC)--Army Private First Class RoyG, Flores, 20, son of Ambrocio P, Flores, Earth, Texas, was assigned March 2 as a military policeman in Com-pany A. 504th Military Police Batalion near Nha Trang. Vietnam.

Pvt. Flores entered the Army in September 1966 and was last stationed at Pt. Gordon, Georgia. Flores is a 1966 graduate of Montbello High School, Los Angeles, Calif.

### Allowances Recommended For Children

Giving children allowances may be an investment in comon sense training, says Mrs. Wanda Meyer, Extension home management specialist at Texas & M University.

The youngsters not only get a feeling of sharing in the family income, but an allowance gives then some practical lessons in handling money, and they will be doing that all their lives, Mrs, Meyer explained,

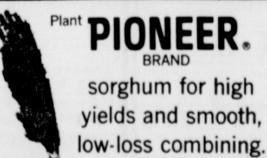
Many child guidance experts recommend starting a child's allowance fairly young, around five or six years old. It doesn't have to be a large amount. Ten or fifteen cents a week will meet their small requirements, Once the precedent is established, of course, you've got to stay with it and the obligation grows with the kids. At the age often, for example, allowances may range from 50 cents to a dollara week. When the youngsters become teens, the range goes higher -- from two dollars upward, depending upon how nuch of their personal expenses are the responsibility of the children.

Many parents let their children take over things like scout club dues, church contributions, haircuts, school supplies, and

similar fixed expenses. Every child has his own pace, Mrs. Meyer points out, But don't be surprised to find your youngsters planning, saving, and making consumer choices. These are basic money management tools and this is where your initial decision to let them handle smaller amounts really begins to make sense.

If therefore the Son shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed.-(John 8:36).

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# Today's Stylish Young Woman Would Be Mistaken For A Boy In 1490

NEW BETA SIGMA PHI MEMBERS... were each given a yellow rose bud during the ceremony in which Mrs. Gene Tunnell (right) took the Ritual of Jewels. Pledges left to right are Mrs. Charles Hedrick, Mrs. Larry Weaver and Mrs. Jimmy Bitner.

It's hard on the pocket book as styles change but styles come and styles go. . Some are pretty and some are, WOWEE ... However today's fashionable

young woman would doubtless be mistaken for a boy back in 1490, according to Miss Rheba Boyles, Extension clothing specialist with Texas A&M Univers-Miss Boyles, quoting James Laver, curator of the Victoria and

Albert Museum, says fashion is undergoing a transition period. Laver has analyzed fashions since "the beginning of history," and concludes that women's clothing appears to have gone full cycle. Today's short skirts, long hose and flat shoes are almost exactly

what young boys wore in 1490," he said. He also observed that today if one were to walk down the street in back of a young couple, their clothing -- and hair length-might be enough alike to really confuse which

Twenty National Guardsmen earned the Medal of Honor, the ighest U.S. decoration for valor during World War II. Three were from Ohio, three from New York two each from Massachusetts. Wisconsin, Oklahoma, and Tex-as, and one each from New Jer-Indiana, Idaho, Virginia California, and Connecticut,

Right now, he states, men's less that eight years of elemen-and women's clothing tends to look alike because history is at actively seeking work.

a meeting point of a patriarchy According to the U.S. Department of Labor, 72 percent of all women who had completed five years or more of college were working in March, 1965. Of women who had four years of

When the matriarchy becomes an established fact, women will be less interested in fashions and men's fashions will become more prominent, said Laver. The beginning signs of this are the new fashions for men--with color, high style, more attencollege, 54 percent were in the tion to details, accessories, and labor force. At the same time, the "Total Look,"





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# District Track Meet Scheduled at Kress

The Springlake-Earth varsity Messer, Kelly O'Hair and Randy track team will travel to Kress Washington.

Saturday to participate in the district 3A track meet.

Messer, Kelly O'Hair and Randy Washington.

220 yd, dash - Steve Larkin, Logan Armstrong and Neal Arm-

Participants from the local school and the events they will participate in are as follows: 440 yd. relay - James Thomas, Steve Larkin, Neal Armstrong, and Logan Armstrong.

880 yd. dash - James Hood Randy Washington and Randy Clayton. 120 yd. high hurdle - Doug

Messer, Kelly O'Hair and Randy Haberer.

100 yd. dash - Logan Armstrong Neal Armstrong, and James Thomas.

440 yd. dash - O.C. Thomas.

Logan Armstrong and Neal Arm-

Mile run - Polk Gidden, Jim Matthews and Joe Alcala. Mile relay - Doug Messer, James Hood, Steve Larkin, and O.C. Thomas. Shot put - Tommy Barlow

Doug Messer, and Logan Arm-

Discus - James Thomas, Logan Armstrong and Ricky Byers,
Broad jump - Neal Armstrong
and Doug Messer, High jump - Gary Haberer and

Tim Matthews. Pole vault - Steve Larkin, W. 330 intermediate hurdle - Doug B. Washington and Dell Vining.

TRACK QUEEN - Miss-Vicki Sanders was elected Track Queen recently by the Springlake-Earth high school varsity track team. Other candidates for the crown were Debbie Barton, Ginger Dent and Beverly Prather.

# Junior High Invitational Track Meet Scheduled

Springlake-Earth Junior High been sent to 24 schools in the school invitational track meet area. will get underway Saturday moming at 8:40 with the preliminaries.

The seventh grade tryouts will run first in all races, followed by the 8th and 9th grades. The finals will consist of the top eight making the best time in each event, except, the hurdles, which will consist of the top six best times.

The preliminary schedule is as

OHOWS:	
8:40	Relay
9:00	HH Hurdles
9:30	100 yd. Dash
0:00	180 yd. Low
0:30	75 yd. Dash
11:00	50 yd. Dash
1:30	220 yd. Dash
The schedual	for the finals i
is follows.	

440 Relay 440 yd. Dash HH Hurdles 100 yd. Dash

75 yd. Dash 50 yd. Dash 220 yd. Dash 880 vd. Relay

The number of schools partic-ipating had not been learned at press time. It is expected that there will be a large turnout of contestants, as invitations have May,

### Texas Draft Call for May Set at 885

May, Colonel Morris S, Sch-

674 for February, and 1,110 for

There will be no quotas for the physical and mental preinduction examination of men in

tion of travel funds. director said no decision had been made as to whether or not examinations would be held in stems,

### Galls Described on Ornamental Plants as Damaging Their Growth

A frequent call county agri- plant lice or aphids, tiny flies cultural agents receive is from called midges, and tiny wasps, homeowners wanting to know If control is necessary, Almand what to do about galls on their says it is important to remember

Fortunately, these small, us- already begun to form. Egg ually spherical abnormal growths laying or hatching by the bug be called upon to furnish 885 ually spherical abnormal growths laying or hatching by the bug men for the armed forces in are not often a serious problem, pest stimulates the plant to form Most healthy plants can tolerate the abnormal growth or gall,

> as A&M University, "Under certain conditions, gall

insects can build up in sufficient numbers to damage the plant, April, Colonel Schwartz said, he said, "Unhealthy trees are damaged more by galls than aminations since early January trees in a vigorous state of

because of the budgetry limita-Many kinds of insects and mites The state Selective Service can cause galls, Attack of each species results in a distinctive deformity on leaves, twigs or

ornamental plants and shade that control by insecticide is next to impossible if galls have

wartz, state Selective Service director, said Thursday.

This compares with quotas of 675 for April, 761 for March.

Lyndon K. Almand, assistant which becomes a protective cell for the developing young. Insecticide chemicals can't make contact. "In many instances, the best time to apply insecticides is not some think are historical records known. "the entomologist said, woven into the design. As in Some species of gall insects primitive design everywhere,

attackearly in the spring, while others may attack throughout Here the environmental hues of most of the growing season. soiland foliage influence color Preventive spray treatments ear- selection and motif. ly in the growing season may reduce gall infestations," Almand suggested that plants be sprayed in early spring just

as new growth begins and constems. Some of the more im-portant gall makers are mites. leaves are fully developed.

### **Fabrics Reflect** Culture And Echo History

Fabrics from far-away places echo history and reflect the culture of their native lands according to Rheba Boyles, Extension clothing specialist at Texas A&M University.

The environmental influences, the climate, and terrain are often portrayed in the designs of the fabric.

Paisley comes from ancient Persia via India and is named after a small town in Scotland where Indian shawls were beautifully copied in the 19th Century. Its characteristic motif is a highly stylized mango, though some insist it is copied after the

Batikis a Javanese word meaning "wax painting." Designs and colors indicate the part of the country from which it comes and are based on objects in nature. Wax is applied with a pen-cil-like funnel to the areas where color is not desired. As the wax cools, tiny cracks occur, permitting the dye to make fine crisscorss lines of color. The wax is removed while the dyes are set by immersing the cloth

in boiling water.
The beautiful islands of Hawaii influence fabric designs which reflect the blue of the sky and sea and the colors of their native flowers. The use of these designs reflect the many-cultured population which includes Chinese, Japanese, Filipinos, Polynesians, Europeans, and Americans.

The sun-drenched colors of Mexico come to life in color-ful striped fabrics. The home-spun appearance of the weave is reminiscent of the early looms and peasant handiwork,

Cluny lace was perfected by monks in the Abbey of Cluny in France. The bobbin lace is made of linen and cotton thread characterized by wheat or wheel designs on a coarse mesh. Today the lace is machine made, it retains its distinctive

African prints sport geometric patterns found in tribal roves roughout the continent. righly woven intricate borders, great attention is paid to detail,

### Tax Rate for Lamb County Remain Same

ourt, recently set the tax rate or operating the county during , at 95 cents per \$100 valation, the same as for 1967. funds and courthouse and jail returning bonds.

County Judge O. J. Mangum said also added to the county tax rate is the state ad-valorem tax rate of 47 cents.

The commissioners also made adjustments of delinquent taxes from the 1965 tax role, adding new properties and cancelling others which were double assessed. The procedure is routine after the state audit is published,

In other business the Commissioners approved purchase of a set of books entitled "United States Code Annotated" for the county law library. Purchase was made for \$466.50 after trading in an absolete set which was donated to the county by a local law firm.

Payment for re-laying of a water line and gas line and setting back of fences or right-of-way for a proposed farm market road in the county also was approved.

The road, designated FM '842, will run north from Fieldton community to U.S. 70 west of

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the Canadian River, only a few miles vided. out of Borger.

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flooded its valley. Then came the wind ment between the two states. and sun . . . and the river dried up again in spots.

Now that has been changed!

After years of talk and planning and the expenditure of almost a hundred million dollars, Lake Meredith has been completed and the stored water will be carried by a 35 mile aqueduct to serve the nearby cities of Borger and Pampa.

Another aqueduct carries the water to Amarillo and a half-dozen other highplains cities, which for years have depended entirely upon underground water for domestic purposes and agricul-

Located in Hutchinson County, Lake Meredith will cover slightly under 44,000 surface acres. It will be 20 miles long

research and survey, both by the gov- the help possible. ernment and by private agencies.

lems because much of the reservoir merce in Borger, Pampa or any of the site was in the heart of a major natural nearby towns all of which are extremely gas field. It was necessary to execute interested in this newest development in contracts with the owners of 19 pipe- the Panhandle area.

long have boasted that they are right cation of the lines and capping of the in the middle of the best fishing in the wells, or retapping them by slant drill-

This all has to do with the building Now, however, fishing is a little closer of the lake to impound the water. But to the Texas Panhandle, it means so Today, one of the newest and most much more in a new recreational area. interesting lakes in Texas is in the pro- Floating docks, boat moorings, fueling cess of filling. Lake Meredith is created facilities, trailer parking areas and othby the Sanford (no kin) Dam across er recreational facilities are being pro-

This year will see the greatest utilization of the facilities now available.

Another interesting development is the work being done by the Texas Parks At that time and during the inter- & Wildlife Department in stocking the vening years the Canadian River, which new lake with walleyes. Just a year ago cuts across the Panhandle north of Am- some 2,000,000 fry were released in the arillo, was mostly a dusty stream that lake. The baby walleyes were brought went wild with torrential rains and down from Iowa, in an exchange agree-

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Lake Meredith also has been stocked with black bass, crappie and catfish. The Canadian itself long has been a good catfish haven and natives have caught many fine cats from the river in the years gone by.

This walleye experiment has been most promising. After the first release of 500,000 in 1965, netting samples from the lake indicated good survival. Fishing for walleyes has been closed in Lake Meridith until such time as it has been shown the fish are well established.

Fine cooperation is expected from portsmen from the area because the Panhandle long has been famous for its wildlife conservation programs. Most of the fresh water fishing that has been available to these residents has been in Colorado, New Mexico and Central Tex-Sanford Dam was constructed by the as. So Panhandle anglers know the value Bureau of Reclamation, after years of of this conservation and will give it all

Information about Lake Meredith can This lake presented some major prob- be obtained from the Chambers of Com-

### **Bug Bombers Have Developed** Into Extensive, Skilled Profession

Aerial application of pesticides taken, More than 6 million acres has developed into an extensive and skilled profession. Modern ærial application equipment is asup-to-date as the newest au-tomobiles, and like them is designed to do a specific job well if correctly handled.

Four active members of this skilled profession will be par-ticipating as a panel and dis-cussing "Aerial Application of cussing "Aerial Application of Pesticides...the Operator's View" at the Northern Texas and Oklahoma session of the Southern Regional Pesticide-Chemical Application School Wichita Falls Tuesday morning,

April 6. W.L. Norman, president, Texas Aerial Applicators Association, and operator of Norman's rax rate will go into the general. Flying Service in Dougherty, jury, road and bridge, precinct Texas will act as the panel chairman. Panel members are Miller Tuttle (Tuttle Spraying Company) of Breckenridge Texas; Clint Fry (American Dusting Company) of Chickasha Oklahoma; and Ray William (Midwest Aero Service) Wichita Falls, Texas.

The Tuesday morning aerial application session of the school will be under the direction of George Harris who is the Secretary of the National Aerial Ap-plication Association, Hishome is in Ada, Oklahoma.

John F. Neace, Aerial Applications Project Manager of the

Bell Helicopter Company in Fort Worth, will speak on "Funda-mentals of Aerial Application with Helicopters" following the panel discussion.

Neace is a veteran of more than 20 years in agricultural aviation. He oined the Bel Helicopter organization in 1965. In 1957, he helped supervise what was at that time the largest aerial spray project ever under-

One of the first airmen to be awarded the Medal of Honor in World War I was 2d Lieutenant Erwin R, Bleckley, a member of the 130th Field Artillery, Kansas National Guard, assigned to the 50th Aero Squadron as an observer. Bleckley was lost in action near Binarville, France, in an effort to drop supplies to the "Lost Battalion,"

aircraft in a successful effort to control budworms, The Southern Regional Pesti-

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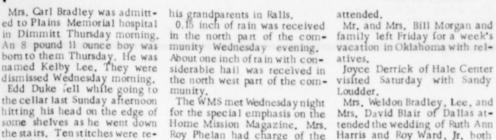
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quired to close the gash. Mr. and Mrs. Houston Carson went to Fort Worth last Sunday to attend the Golden Gloves tournament there. They came home Monday since the tournament was postponed a few days. Mrs. Johnnie B. Lilley was dismissed last Friday from the Littlefield hospital. She was in the hospital overnight for tests.

W. T. Autry was dismissed from Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo Monday after thy-

roid surgery, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jones, Mrs. Wanda Newberry and James, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Jones and family from Texline and Mrs. O. L. Bradford and Bernice of Clovis went to Hico last Sunday to attend funeral services for Mrs. Troy Jones brother-in-law, Tillard Blue. They returned Tues-

Weldon Bradley flew Ray Joe Riley to his place in Bonham last Saturday and was grounded there until Monday because of the weather.

Rev. M.D. Durham, Bill Mor-gan and Mr. and Mrs. Alford Crisp attended Worker's Conference at Springlake Monday night. Karen and Becky DeBord of Littlefield visited last Saturday afternoon with Mrs. David Sadler. Mrs. L. B. Bowden worked at the hospital desk, gift shop, and library Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Pearl Sadler of Dimmitt was dismissed from the Plainhospital Tuesday and has stayed this week with Mr. and Mrs, Ezell Sadler, Mrs, Faye Holland, Mrs, Nora Mae Newsom, Mrs. Ethel Womack and Mrs. Cletha George all of Dim-mitt visited with them Thursday

Mrs. Milton Ott. Mrs. Alton Loudder, and Mrs. Milburn Haydon visited in Hereford Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ott. Mrs. Charles Hedrick was admitted to Plains Memorial Hospital Wednesday and underwent

tonsilectomy Thursday. Brent stayed with his grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Matlock of Springlake, Bryan stayed with

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Mr. and Mrs. Alton Loudder visited in Littlefield Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Westmoreland and childbirthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Messer and children from Midland arrived Friday night to spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Plainview Friday night with Rev. children from Midland arrived Friday night to spend the week Loudder and the rest of her fam- and Mrs, Tom Reynolds, and ily, and in Earth with his fam- children.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bowden family left Friday for a week's visited in Plainview Friday vacation with relatives in Ok-

afternoon with Bill McWilliams, lahoma, The Junior Department, including all children from junior down enjoyed an Easter egg hunt at the church Friday after-noon. Thirty three children attended. Leaders and teachers for

the different departments and organizations sponsored the hunt. Mrs. James Powell and children of Dimmitt visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. Pearl Sadler and Mrs. Ezell Sadler.

and Michael Paul of Plainview her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Frank visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cummings and Bobby, Michael Paul spent Friday night and Saturday with Mrs. Cummings and Mrs. Horton came back Satur-

day night for the baby.
Mrs. David Sadler visited in Mrs. David Sadler visited in Hereford Friday with Mr. and Mrs. James Powell. Randy, Tresa Danae, and Cheryl Mrs. Jake King and children. Brenda and Carl Lynn came Sadlerand Carrie, and Mrs. larry Brenda and Carl Lynn came Sadlerand Carrie, and Mr. and Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. had Sunday dinner with Mr. and David Sadler took them home Mrs. Ezell Sadler. Mrs. Pearl and spent the day with the Jake Sadler went to the E.R. Sadlers.

Jake Christian and his grand-children, Keith Paschal and to spend a week's vacation fish-Jimmy Grisham of Wingate visit- ing

Mrs. Dean Kirby and Rouald Bradley's butane.
of Dimmitt visited Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Ch afternoon with Sandy Loudder. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards of Melrose spent last Sunday night and Monday with their daughter, Mr.

and Mrs. Johnny Crozier and Mr. and Mrs. Truman Redwine visited Tuesday afternoon with of Abernathy spent Tuesday Mrs. Raymond Lilley, and took of Abernathy spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Wel-

don Bradley. Mr. and Mrs. Barton Crozier day to spend the week-end with Crozier and Johnny, Jr. His sis-ter, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Burle-son and family of Lubbock spent Saturday and Saturday night dinner Easter Day with Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lilley.

holidays. Marian went back

Sunday night, Rev. and Mrs. Harry Harris and Harry Jr. of Weatherford, Ruth Ann Harris and Lynn Heath of Wayland, and Mary Jane Rothacker of Fort Worth were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley and Lee and Mrs. David Blair of Dallas Friday night. Mr. them just passing through the Bradley flew to Farwell Friday evening to get Molly, and she

and Harry Harris, Jr. spent Fri-day night with the Bradleys, Mrs. Charlie Waide and Ollie Pearl helped with the Junior Mission study and supper last week helping Mrs. Bill Morgan and Mrs. Alford Crisp. Twenty

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morgan and

Joyce Derrick of Hale Center the north west part of the com- visited Saturday with Sandy

> Wayland College students in Plainview Saturday morning. Mrs. Blair was in the wedding

party. Mrs. Weldon Bradley, Lee. ren to help Lori celebrate her and Mrs. David Blair had supper in Melrose Saturday night with

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Townsend and

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Akers and Kenny of Lubbock spent Satur-day and Sunday with Mr. and

Mrs. John Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Howard of Plainview were dinner guests last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bridge, and this Sunday they were guests of Rev. and Mrs. M.D. Durham and Marva-

lynne. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Lippard Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Horton and Dana spent Easter day with

Sneathen in Tulia. Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Loudder, Lance and Lane of Flagg, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Westmoreland, Lori, Gena, and Zane of Littlegrandson visited Saturday with Mrs. E. R. Sadler. Mrs. Ezell Sadler, and Mrs. Pearl Sadler and Mrs. Tom Messer, Bart and Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Shelly of Midland spent Easter Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Loudder.

home with her and stayed until Mrs. Tex Conard of Dimmitt Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Head and

ed Saturday and Sunday with Earl Phelan and a neighbor of Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler, Mr. Fieldton visited Thursday afterand Mrs. E.R. Sadler, and Mrs. noon with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pearl Sadler of Dimmitt. Phelan, and several friends at

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jones of Olton spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Jones and

Renee and attended the church service with them Sunday morn-Mrs. Raymond Lewis of Olton

her to Amarillo for her regular medical check-up. Edd Sweatt, Mr. and Mrs. and girls of Melrose came Fri- Harold Bischoff and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn West and their son, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny baby all of Dimmitt and Mr.

with them.

Sandra and Marian Crisp were home from Wayland and business college Friday for the Easter ton with them Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradley and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wel-

don Bradley and Lee had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dixon Easter Day Ninety five attended Sunday School with 51 in Training Union Sunday, Several visitors were in the morning service. Some of

The revival starts Friday night at 8:00 p.m. with prayer meet-ings, booster band and choir

community



8th GRADE SHOP STUDENT, Kenneth Anderson is shown with the mahogany record cabinet which he completed in 22 weeks, at the cost of \$13, 78

### Texas Crop Acreage Intentions Up 9% Over 1966

Texas crop acreages planted tion in the cotton program. The and intended to plant for harvest March | intentions to plant in-

barley, flax, sweetpotatoes and Irish potatoes. Rice and peanut acreage is expected to remain the same as last year. March | prospects are dimmed

thirds of the State. Moisture is very short, except along the Gulf Coast and portions of East Texas, Most central and western areas of the State have not received significant moisture since early fall of 1966. Moisture

which was sufficient on the High Plains wheat area at planting has been steadily depleted. Planting of the 1967 sorghum, com, and cotton crop has begun in the Lower Rio Grande Valley. with some planting as far north as the Coastal Bend.

Most of the land is prepared. but soaking rains are needed in the western two-thirds of the State before most crops can be planted. Recent warm tempertures allowed field work to progress where danger from wind erosion is no problem. Preplant Plains, Rio Grande Valley, and other irrigated areas.

Cotton acreage to be planted in 1967 is uncertain as farmers had until March 17 to decide on acreage diversion for participa-

practice at 7:30. Rev. George a former pastor will be the to attend the services. Morning services next week will be at

Associational Vacation Bible School Clinic will be at First Church, Littlefield April 17, from 9:30-2:30. Take a paper sack lunch, V.B.S. will be June 12-16. Mr. and Mrs. Wendel Payte and girls from Big Springs visited Friday through Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Duke. They also visited with the Robert Duke family, Mrs. Vivaline Duke also of Big Springs visited with them

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during 1967 is expected to be dicates 4,150,000 acres of cotapproximately 9 percent greater ton to be planted. This is 3 per cent less than the 4,265,000 Increases in wheat, sorghums, acres planted in 1966. It appearcorn, sugarbeets, soybeans, and ed that more growers were re-hay acreage more than offset ducing their acreage to the do-decreases in cotton, oats, rye. mestic allotment, which is 65 per cent of the total allotment. than a year ago, Cotton planting is slow due to cool soil temper atures, but should become ac tive in southern areas very soon by the general lack of moisture. Some fields were planted is especially in the western two-early February, and planting was 13 per cent complete in the Lower Rio Grande Valley by March 1.

Intentions to plant all sorghums point to 7,517,000 acres in 1967up 18 percent from last year. There is no payment for diverting acreage over 20 per cent of bases as was the case last year, treasury on or before tax day.
Planting of grain sorghum is which is April 17 this year, Planting of grain sorghum is common in the Lower Rio Grande planting is 36 per cent complete. Other areas in the southern portion of the State need moisture before planting. Planting in the High Plains is still some time off, but substantial moisture is

needed to make a crop.

The downward trend in corn official figures, was nearly \$2, cent from last year as a result holding, of change in the feed grain pro-Moisture is needed in the Blacklands and Southcentral Texas if the 1967 crop is to be planted under favorable condidicts that individual income taxstage. If Congress should go 45 or even 60 mph.

Soybean acreage is expected Brittain of Grants, New Mexico, to increase 60 percent to 210, -000 acres. Sugarbeet acreage on evangelist, Edde Howard, music the High Plains is expected to director for the church will lead total 38,000 acres. Up 28 per the singing. Everyone is invited cent from last year. Planting of sugarbeets is active.

> Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Slover and family spent the Easter Holidays in Childress visiting Mrs. Slover's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ear-Ray. They also visited in Tell.

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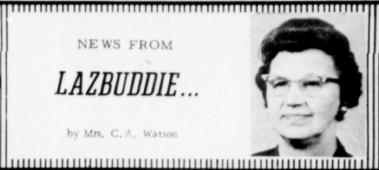
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### LAZBUDDIE...

by Mrs. C.A. Watson



Mr. and Mrs. Owen Broyles accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. S.D. Rule returned the middle of last week from a tour to the East Coast. They were at Browns-ville, Corpus, Port Aransas, Port Lavaca and other points of in-terest along the way. They visit-ed relatives in Corpus. Visited the Wild lafe Refuges near Port Aransas. The flowers along the highway were in full bloom in the far east, crops planted and corn up. The group fished at about every fishing resort along the coast. They came back by Falcon Lake and Devils Lake where fishing was good. At Devils Lake they met the Frank Griffens from Friona. The two Friona familes and the Broyles

Birthday greetings go to: Ronnie Briggs, Jimmie Dale Pierce, Gaylon Templeton, Tom San Meigual, Isidro Sarasun, Ray Vanlandingham, David Smith, Kenneth McGehee, Jan Mason, Brenda Robins, Sherry Robinson, Barbra Pierce, Alfred Steinbock, Gayla Seaton, Jerry Barton, end guest David Flores Wayne Clark, home, Ed Dean Harkey, Clyde Monk and at WTSU,

All reported an enjoyable trip.

was in the area visiting Bobby Morris and other friends the past

weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Windham and children spent the weekend East Texas visiting relatives holidays in Tuscola with her during the past weekend.

parents and other relatives. Annie Cargile Sunday, The Don McDonald family of Route 3. Muleshoe, the Dwain Menefee family, Friona, and the P.E. Cargile family of Lariat were also guests in Mrs. Cargiles

home Sunday.

Marie and Randy Hunt of Lubthan some of our TV weather bock, visited Sunday with Mrs. forcasters have, J. W. Crim has

came back to the area together. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lester and children, Lubbock, were Sun-

> Mr. N. M. McCurdie was in Plainview the Easter holidays visiting her granddaughter and family the Jerry McKenzies, John Edder, Corpus, was week end guest in the C.A. Watson home. Edder is a senior student

Dan Bridges from Littlefield Were in Red River and Santa Fe N. M. for the Easter holidays, They are teachers in the Laz-buddie school system.

The Sam Barnes family were in

Mr. and Mrs. Maurece Good- at the J.W. Crim home Tueswin, Lubbock, visited his sister, day, March 22 at dawn to watch Indian Crim as he is called on that day predict the weather, He has some encouragement for the dry land farmers that prospects for a crop are a little better han they were last year. Crim predicted the weather for the past 42 years at sunrise. If anyone wishes to know more of his day visitors in the home of her past interesting history and why parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud he and Mrs. Crim named one of their boys Bromo Quinine it will certainly be worth your time,

His phone number is 965-2742. A large crowd was on hand Sunday afternoon for the annual egg hunt near Clays Corner, Mr. and Mrs. Clay sponser the event by hiding several hundred eggs each Easter of which the children in the area look forward to.

### Federal Tax Payment In Lamb County May Reach \$5 Million

least, will be contributed in the will reach \$62, 2 billion nationform of income taxes by Lamb ally, as compared with actual County residents, to the federal receipts in the past fiscal year treasury on or before tax day. of \$55,4 billion.

The Government counts on Valley and along the Coastal
Bend. Some fields are up to a
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local tax payments came to

cause average incomes were local tax payments came to some \$4,364,000.

That was the approximate a-mount turned in last April, as determined by a breakdown of collections from the State of Texas as a whole. The state-

pected this year is indicated in \$537,000.

upon the fact that more money cause average incomes were higher in 1966 than they had been in 1965 The \$4,364,000 that residents

of Lamb County paid to Uncle Sam last year represented 0, 19 percent of the statewide total.

along with the President's request for a six percent surcharge on most individual taxes, local residents will have to pay a proportionate share of that ad-

litional levy.
The President's budget for the next fiscal year, which begins on July 1st, calls for personal income taxes totaling \$73.2 billion, including the surcharge That is \$11 billion more that

this year's estimated receipts. would have to rise by more than 12 percent for local residents to meet their share of this increase.

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Speeding should not be confused with driving too fast for conditions, says Texans for Traffic Their forthcoming contribu- Safety." If road conditions was halted as growers intend to 297,000,000. This included inplant 614,000 acres. Up 2 per come taxes paid through withgains made in 1966, is expected nour is the maximum safe to be in the neighborhood of speed, then a person driv-The size of the increase ex- \$4,901,000, an increase of ing 25 miles per hour is driving too fast for conthe Federal budget, presented Just how long it will remain at ditions, even though the to Congress in January. It pre- that level is uncertain at this posted limit may be 30,

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### Lamb County Has 473 Businesses That Employ 2477 People

many business places there are other hand, but the net change in Lamb County? How many is on the pluse side. people they employee? What their annual payroll is?

Bureau, aided by data supplied by the Social Security Administration, sheds light on the size and scope of the local business population.
It is part of a nationwide re-

port, recently released, enti-tled "County Business Patterns," For each section of the country it presents comparable fig-ures on the number of local businesses engaged in retail firms provide employment for trade, wholesale trade, manu- some 2,477 men and women of facturing, finance, services and other branches of industry.

County's business population is at a high level. New enterprises are constantly being launched in the area by local residents covered by social security has who are eager to be their own

Bill Clayton

Reports

active enterprises in the county A new survey by the Census employing one or more people Of this number, 306 have 3 employees or less, 97 have from 4 to 7 employees and 62 have

The figures show that business establishments with fewer than 20 employees predominate in the local area, just as they do in every other part of the coun-

All told, the local business the area in jobs that are covered under social security. This The figures show that Lamb does not include farm workers. government employees, domes-

The annual payroll for those bosses. bosses are existing businesses are \$8,280,000.

# Sen. Hightower Reports On Senate Action

the federal government.

AUSTIN -- The Senate Wed-nesday approved Senator Jack that as the House adjourned for the Easter week-end, last Thurs-day, this marked the half-way Hightower's permissive tax bill for cities and towns and sent the point in the Legislative Session. The work load for the rest of the session will be heavy as there are approximately 1000 bills be acted upon.

From Austin

Clayton reported that he will have two of his bills concerning Industrial Revenue Bonds up for consideration this week. These two bills will provide cities and counties in our area to be able to attract industry through a revenue bond finance plan. Thirty-seven other states have such laws for industrial financ-

on three bills pertaining to water law and one relating to the licensing of court reporters, au- Texas Municipal League said ored by Clayton, next week. that this new course of local bill creating the Earth-revenue would also "slow the A bill creating the Earth-Springlake Hospital District will considered the following

Before adjourning last week, the Committee on Revenue and Tax heard the proposed "liquor- was "very Pleased" that the bill by-the-dirnk" bill. The "horse- had been approved. racing" bill will be heard April 6th, at 2:30 p.m. by the Com-mittee on Counties.

Clayton, who is chairman of relief from the skyrocketing cost the Counties Committee, said he did not think that either of

One bill of interest to be considered this week, is a measure to exempt Texas from Daylight Saving Time. Only one State in the United States has exempted

Time. April 30th. This is a very controversial bill and it is predicted that Texas will also

go on Daylight Saving Time, Legislative, Congressional and Judicial Redistricting, along with Appropriations Bill and the tax measures will probably consume much of the time in the

coming weeks.
Rep. Clayton stated that anyone desiring more information on any pending Legislation, can obtain it by either phoning him at Area Code 512; GReenwood 5-3400 or writing to Box 120, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas

### BAD DRIVERS SUSPENDED

Automatic suspension of the license of any driver convicted of certain major traffic law violations would help make our highways safer, says "Texans for Traffic Safety." Proposed in Governor Connally's highway safety program is a 12 month automatic suspension for such dangerous drivers, upon conviction.



Since thou has been precious in my sight ... I have loved thee .- (Isa. 43:4).

The assurance of God's love for us harmonizes our minds, hearts and bodies so that we are at peace and happiness floods our soul. We know that God loves us so we can be at peace within ourselves, no matter what hapens. We know that God loves us, and because of it, we love God, His world and His people. The miracle of God's love for us brings the joy of heaven to us right here and



EASTER VACATION WAS FUN TIME for students of Springlake-Earth who enjoyed various types of recreation during the five day holiday. This threesome is seen skating along main street. They are Gale Lackey. Donald Montelongo and Lynn Lackey.

## Texans Must Consider Community Property Law In Filing Tax Returns

the whole story for married tax- Dallas District taxpayers filing Dallas District, points out that narried couples in Texas must onsider the Texas Community Property Law in determining what they should report on their income tax return. distinguish between what is community property and income and what is separate property

separate returns, The bill, designed to ease the In filing separate returns each spouse must take into account Texas towns and cities, would half of the community income authorize municipalities -- with and deductions, and all of his orher separate income and deductions, to determine the pro-Senator Hightower, of Vernon, pointed out that the sales tax per tax on separate returns. Each may claim only his own could be levied only with apexemptions and deductions, A dependent supported with com-munity funds may be claimed The proposal drew wide support from city and state government either spouse -- however, an officials from throughout the

by the taxpayers. working wife in Texas is liable transfer of local responsibilities her working husband's income for social and other services to unless they file a joint return that is signed by both husband and wife. Determining the the state, and, particularly, to Senator Hightower said that he amount of community income and deductions becomes especially important in divorce cases. The husband and wife are each Recognizing that the ad va- liable for income tax on 1 lorem tax payer must have some the income from the salaries of both and are each entitled to of ocal government and the of the deductions up to the date ever pressing demands for civic of divorce. Each is naturally

ening the base of city tax sup- Mr. Campbell emphasizes three quired to set up a "Motion Pic- the authority for such regulation, port with the hope that it may special areas affected by comture Classification Board" to prove beneficial to those cities munity property law: (1) Extra preview every movie to be the United States has exempted that choose to take advantage itself thus far.

All States surrounding Texas will go on Daylight Saving Time. April 30th. This is a sensor Joe Christie of El Paso.

Senator Joe Christie of El Paso.

and income if they plan on filing file joint returns showing a cap-ital loss each year. Some of these are eligible to file separate returns and claim an additional loss. (3) Retirement In-come Credit--The community property law works both for and exemption may not be divided Mr. Campbell says that -- conother states -- a nonfor filing an income tax return and paying the tax due on 1 of

The income tax instructions no matter which spouse owns the community property can give a mailed to taxpayers do not tell stock. An estimated 160,531 young wife in Texas full retirement income credit from the repayers in Texas. Ellis Campbell, joint returns report dividends on tired husband's income from a lr., District Director of the their tax return. Many of these public retirement system, even taxpayers do not understand that though she would not qualify in the community property law gives them a double dividend exclusion. (2) Extra Capital Loss Deduction--Community property by law makes it possible for Tex
tylaw makes it possible for Texas taxpayers with a capital loss wife who qualifies for retire-of more than \$1000 on sale of ment income credit on the basis community property, to file of having community income separate returns and claim as for more than 10 years. An estimuch as \$1000 capital loss on mated 19,530 Dallas District each return. An estimated 22. - taxpayers claim retirement in-462 Dallas District taxpayers come credit on joint returns each year. The community property law can cause some of these taxpayers to pay as much as \$300 additional tax--or it can reduce the tax bill by as much as \$300. property law works both for and against Texas taxpayers in Community property law effect retirement income credit. When one spouse retires IRS offices for taxpayers who and becomes eligible for retire-need additional information to

on income tax, is available at ment income credit on his tax return and the other spouse continues to work, the community claim the proper dividend experience to work, the community ment income credit. Taxpayers property law can eliminate part who are concerned about the or all of the retirement income community property effect on credit that would be available their income tax return should to the retired taxpayer in other call the Internal Revenue Serstates. On the benefit side, vice for help.

### Movie Regulations May Soon Be Mandatory In Texas Towns

liable for his or her own separate Every incorporated city and income after the date of divorce, town in Texas may soon be rebut his bill would make the board mandatory and would pro-

# Buyers Want Quantity, Uniformity Of Quality Fibers

Cotton in at least 500-bale lots, with the Maximum attainable uniformity of quality fibers within each bale and from bale tobale, that's what textile mill buyers look for when they set out to fill their requirements for raw cotton fiber.

It follows naturally that this is the crying need of cotton producers who would attract those mill buyers to a given area. This was the stand-out message

delivered to High Plains cotton producers by members of the American Textile Manufacturers Institute Cotton Committee meeting in Lubbock recently.

Top attraction of the two day meeting was a grower-spinner cotton quality forum attended by some 600 area producers and other cotton industry people. Nine members of the ATMI Cotton Committee were present, representing textile mills which account for about 40 percent of annual raw cotton consumption in the United States.

The primary concern of many in the textile industry currently is the pending shortage of cotton stapling 11/16 and 11/32 inches and having the desired strength, micronaire and other quality characteristics.

In a question and answer session after the formal part of the meeting it was apparent that all cotton production from the High Plains is not expected to staple above an inch. And it was just as obvious that there are markets and good markets, for cotton in the shorter staples, assuming it is grown and handled in the

proper manner. Producers, of course, will want to grow the longest staple that can be grown in their areas of the Plains consistent with economic reality. All other things being equal, such as yields and micronaire readings, the longer the staple the greater the farm-er's income.

However, producers in those areas which, because of geographic location or elevation, do not have a growing season and climatic conditions that lend themselves to the production of the longer staple varie-ties now available should not despair of improving their market position.

Graves Jones, vice president of Pacolet Industries, Inc., Spar-tanburg, South Carolina, said in his address "I'm not saying that there will be no demand for the shorter staples because there are products which are made from this type of cotton. How-ever, the other fiber properties of these shorter staples need to be improved, higher micronaire and better tensile strength, for example, and of course they need to be harvested and ginned in a manner which will not adversely affect the fiber properties bred into the seed variety. It was in later conversations with Jones and other members of the Cotton Committee that the 500-bale lot and uniformity factors were brought out, along with the fact that the annual offtake of cotton stapling one nch and under averages in neighborhood of 4 million bales. Whatever the staple objective of producers, if they are to en joy favorable markets and build a reputation for the cotton they produce, it is necessary that hey provide mills with sizable lots of uniform, high quality

To reach this goal most in the cotton and textile industries agree that it will be necessary for producers to enter into lint block programs from which cotton will be block ginned to re-

tain varietal purity.
There are four basic principles which such programs must follow if they are to be successful, They have been repeated many times, but cannot be overem-phasized. They are: planting seed which is virietally pure and reasonably well adapted to the area, planted to sufficient acreage to produce at least 500-bale riety selection. lots; cultural practices -- including fertilization, irrigation and the use of harvest-aid chemicals --which will help, not hinder the production of the maximum length, strength and fineness potential of the variety; harvesting with quality, not speed, in mind, and ginning in such a manner as to preserve quality characteristics, which again, means speed and high grades will have to be upstaged by the desire for overall quality.

Producers of course want to know if such a program will

know if such a program will guarantee a market for their cotton at premium prices.
First, it is next to impossible

tential is greatly enhanced by the adoption of lint block pro-

proven that cotton produced from pure seed under recom-mended cultural practices and

kept virietally pure at the gin will yield greater returns to the farmer, even when it goes into the government loan.

The key to success in these programs is selection of variety. And here producers have access to seed breeders. County Agricultural Agents, the South Plains Research and Extension Center, the High Plains Research Foundation, PCG and others, All of these have access to information gleaned from extensive variety trials and demonstration plots. They can all be helpful in va-

Dr. Lavon Ray, head of SPREC's cotton breeding program, has said "Opportunities are offered NOW to profitably produce varieties with a fiber that will be more acceptable to mills."

He added that "In doing this, we must consider the range of adaptability of these varieties and changes that need to be made in our management practices to assure production of good quality fiber. Some em-phasis needs to be shifted from our normal goal in cotton pro-duction--maximum tonnage--

to fiber quality."
PCG President J. D. Smith, of
Littlefield, says "The cotton
producer's business in in some First, it is next to ....

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To guarantee markets, much less market premiums, so long as commodity Credit Corporation is holding a cotton surplus.

But it can be said that there lint block programs are an 'all ordinarily be no markets or will ordinarily be no markets or continuous professional gambler. And when the proper variety is selected. In block programs are an 'all to gain, nothing to lose' situation -- a gambler's dream."

World War I Medal of Honor winner William J. (Wild Bill) Donovan commanded the 165th ("Fighting Irish") Infantry, New York National Guard. As a major general in World War II, he headed the top-secret OSS.

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