

## Hospital District Hearing

Monday 2:30PM

Representative Bill Clayton called from Austin late Tuesday afternoon to give the following message.

A Public Hearing on the desolving of the Earth-Springle Hospital District will be at 2:30 P.M. on Monday, February 17, in the House Chamber.

## NOSIN... WITH POLLY

The wise man makes the most of each day for he well knows that tomorrow may never come. The practice of putting off until tomorrow what can be accomplished today, is highly contagious and has spread like wild fire among the populous today. This idea doubtless was not originated by the wise and successful, but on the contrary, brought about by those of lazy neglectful characters who practiced doing only enough to get by.

As each day hurries by and becomes a week, a month, year, yes even a decade hurries by and is buried in the annals of history leaving behind a mammoth number of deeds undone. Tasks unfinished, doors to opportunity unopened. Not only have these passed into history but with this have gone happy experiences, worthwhile accomplishments, and in some instances our shattered dreams and unfulfilled ambitions.

What remains before us now is the memories of the past and the opportunities of this day, TODAY.

To live in the past closes our eyes to the present and hampers our forward progress. We can profit by our past memories if we turn them into lessons, and our opportunities into challenges. This healthful attitude lends zest and meaning to our lives.

Early this year we seem to be seiged with new ideas. Some of them seemingly good, some otherwise. However with each comes a challenge to work.

Saturday morning a meeting has been called to allow each an opportunity to discuss plans for a feedlot in this area. There will doubtless be a few interested in the area. There will also be those who want only to stand back and "Let George do it," and Crittize the outcome.

On Monday, February 17 at 2:30 p.m. a public hearing will be held in the House Chamber in Austin, on the dissolution of the Earth-Springle Hospital District.

Not only are the above items of interest to the future of this area, but several others, such as working to retain our school, Also Liquor-by-the-drink has been hurriedly pushed before the Texas lawmakers to hassle over this session. Shall we act now? Remember, an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure.

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Members of the West Texas Press Association were favorably impressed with Representative Bill Clayton following his address to the WTPA in Lubbock.

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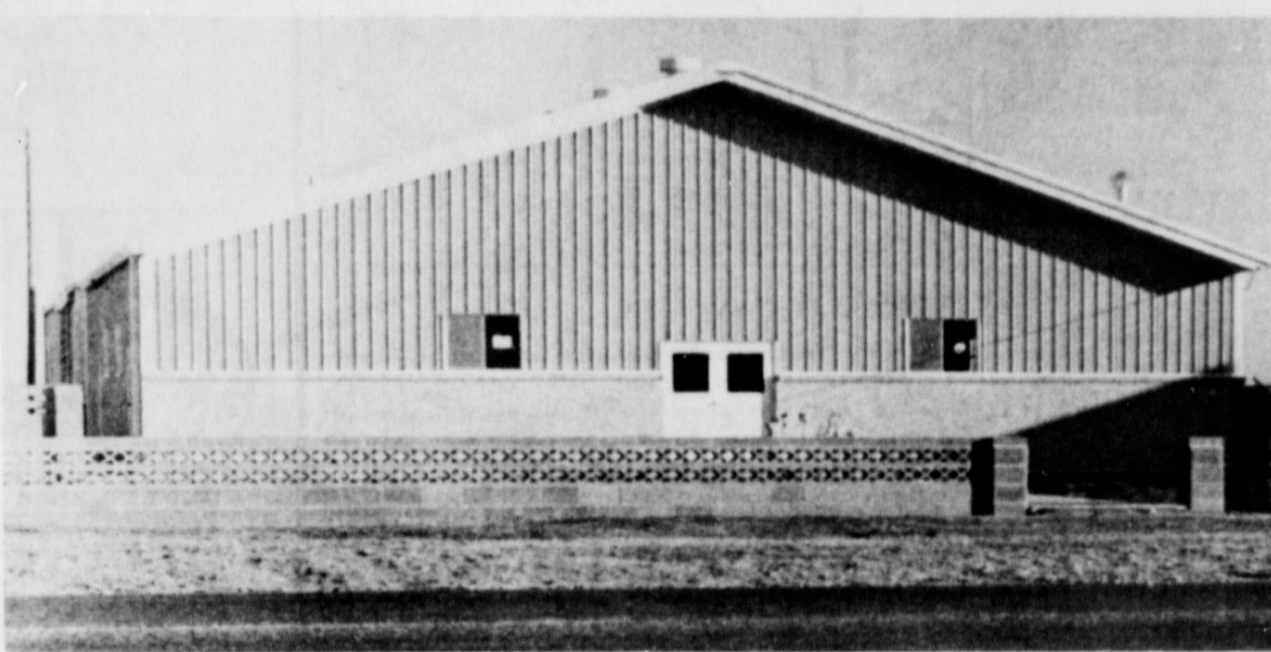
## Local Junior Livestock Show Set Today-Saturday School Board Call Election For April 5

The annual Springlake-Earth Junior Livestock Show is scheduled for today through Saturday at the new Ewing Hassell Show Barn in Earth.

The show is sponsored jointly by the local chapters of the Future Farmers of America and the 4-H Club.

The Board of Directors for the show are: John Bridges, president; Gene Templeton, vice-president; Tommy Alair, and Kenneth Hinson, secretary-treasurer; Weldon Barton, Doug Walden, Bud Matlock and J. D. Phipps, Superintendent of the swine division will be J. D. Phipps, assisted by Carl Jones, Bob Phipps and Tracy Angeley. In the lamb division will be Orval Cleavinger, Thurman Lewis and Bud Matlock. In charge of beef cattle will be Kenneth Hinson, Gene Templeton, Weldon Barton and Doug Walden.

Eddie Haydon will serve as chairman of the sales committee. County agent is Buddy Logsdon, and assistant county agent is Sam Kirkendal. Showing of lambs and steers is scheduled to begin at 5:30 p.m. Friday afternoon. Hogs will be shown Saturday morning. Judging will begin at 5:30 p.m. Friday. The sale following the show is scheduled for 1:30 p.m. Saturday. The local 4-H Club will sponsor a snack bar throughout the show. They will serve sandwiches, brownies, candy, cold drinks and coffee. Awards of plaques, trophies and ribbons will be presented at the show.



SCENE OF 1969 SPRINGLAKE-EARTH JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SHOW. The new show barn will house livestock for the first time when the doors open for the local Junior Livestock Show this weekend. The money for the barn was donated by the Ewing Hassell Foundation.

## School Board Call Election For April 5

The Springlake-Earth Independent School district posted a notice calling for a trustee election to be held April 5. The action was taken at the Monday evening meeting of the local school board.

At stake in the election are two trusteeships. Those wishing to file as candidates are required to file at least 30 days prior to the election.

School board members whose terms are expiring are Orville Cleavinger and Norman Hinchliffe.

Named election judge for the school board election was Less Watson, Alternate Judge and clerk is Dave Cavitt. Other alternate clerks are Howard McClure and Ardis Barton. Louise Bridge was appointed clerk of absentee voting. Absentee balloting will be held in the tax office.

Prior to calling for the election the board took care of the routine business and discussed the enrollment.

The total enrollment of 852 students is down two from last month's figures. A report showed 439 in the elementary school, 155 in Junior High, 225 in Senior High and 30 in special education. The High School enrollment is still dangerously close to being in AA classification.

The board approved payment on two school buses, a 75 passenger International at \$6,645 and a 54 passenger Chevrolet at \$5,454. The buses will be delivered this summer in June and July.

In final action the board reviewed the tax roll relative to delinquent taxes. The 1968 collections total \$188,768.32. Delinquent taxes collected were \$5,312.82 for a total of \$192,081.14.

Delinquent taxes for 1968 stand at \$7,234.84; delinquent taxes prior to 1968 are listed at \$5,140.92, for a total of \$10,375.76 in delinquent taxes.

The board discussed the possibility of sending reminders to those whose taxes are delinquent.

Present at the meeting were: Bill Mann, Orville Cleavinger, Norman Hinchliffe, Jerry Kelley, Weldon Barton, John Bridges, Gene Templeton and R. A. Washington.

## Anderson Named Ginner Of The Year

L. K. Anderson, manager of the Earth Co-op Gins Inc. was named Ginner of the year and was elected president of the cooperative Ginner's Association of Texas at the organizations annual meeting in Dallas February 2, 3 and 4.

Anderson was elected president of the State Co-operative Ginner's Association by the directors of the eleven districts across the state. As president he was automatically made director of the Federation for Co-operatives.

He also received the honor of being named Ginner of the Year at the Association's final banquet Tuesday evening. Anderson's name was submitted to the board by the directors of the local cooperative gin. Recommendations were then sent by individuals in the surrounding areas and he was selected by a committee.

Last year Anderson served on the board of directors as a representative of District I, including Bailey, Castro, Cochran, Hockley, Lamb, Falmet, Swisher, Terry and Yoakum Counties.

Anderson has had 17 years experience as a gin manager. He served as manager of the Hackberry Gin at Post, Sudan Gin at Sudan and Artesia Co-op Gins, at Artesia, N.M. before becoming manager of the Earth Gins, Inc. of Earth. He has served seven years as manager of the local coop Gins.

Attending the meeting with Anderson were: Mrs. Anderson; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Craft; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kelley; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Shelby; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cowley and Mr. and Mrs. James A. Littleton Jr.



GINNER OF THE YEAR, L. K. Anderson holds a plaque proclaiming him Ginner of the Year. Anderson received the honor last week from the Cooperative Ginner's Association of Texas when the group met in Dallas. He was also elected president of the State organization for the year.

## Feedlot Planning Meet Saturday 10 A.M.

One of the most important meetings to be scheduled in Earth has been slated for 10 o'clock Saturday morning in the Earth Community Building. Everyone in the Earth-Springle-Pleasant Valley area is invited to attend this important meeting.

Purpose of the meeting, is to discuss plans for building a feedlot in the area. The best and only way to accomplish any concrete program is to get together and make plans in unison.

Everyone can benefit from this venture if it can be accomplished. A feedlot with a capacity of 20 or 30,000 head would in all probability increase the price farmers would receive for their grain and would also give the community a chance for additional growth.

According to a member of the local Chambers of Commerce there is at present approximately

60,000 head of cattle fed in Lamb County. Yet this area produces feed for 300,000 additional head.

Grain prices are approximately 10 to 15 cents higher in most areas in any direction from Earth. This, however, does not help the grain grower in this area as the freight cost to deliver to these places would eat away the profit.

The Earth Chamber of Commerce has been working on this project although no site has been selected, there are several suitable locations spotted.

This planning meeting will begin promptly at 10 a.m. Saturday, February 15 and no time will be wasted in getting into the facts of a local feedlot. Everyone is invited to come out and join in the meeting. This meeting is for every person in the area interested in the future of this area.

## Water-Imported Or Natural Subject Of County Meeting

Water is the very source of life. When abundant, it can bring life to even the barriest of fields. The area surrounding Earth, Texas has been blessed with a natural supply of water, and because of this supply, the area has become known as the richest irrigation district in the world.

At the present rate of use, however, this natural supply of water will be exhausted by 1985. It is with this fact in mind that the Earth and Olton Chamber of Commerce have called a meeting of interested persons throughout the county with the intent of forming a Lamb County Water Association Group.

The meeting has been set for tonight, February 13, at 7:30 p.m. in the Littlefield Court House. Everyone who may be interested in having water imported to the area is needed at the meeting.

Representatives of Water Incorporated will be guest speakers and will explain the advantages

of forming such a group in Lamb County.

It's a matter of water or no water.

## Band Boosters To Serve Sunday Dinner

The Wolverine Band Boosters will serve a Mexican style dinner at the school cafeteria Sunday, February 23 following church services.

The meal will consist of 1 taco and 1 enchilada (or 2 of either) beans, salad, sherbert, tea or coffee.

The price of the meal has been set at 75¢ for children and students through Junior High; and \$1.25 for adults.

You are invited to eat a delicious Sunday dinner with the Band Boosters-Sunday, February 23.

## BULLETIN Local Students Win Trip To Washington

Eva Lou Johnson, 12, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson or near Earth died Tuesday 8:30 p.m. in the Childrens Medical Center in Dallas from a Heart Ailment. Funeral arrangements were pending at press time.



WINNERS OF WASHINGTON, D.C. TRIP, DeAnn Brock and Jimmy Littleton were named winners of a 10 day trip to Washington, D.C. Monday night. The two Springlake-Earth High School students competed with 3 others in an oratory contest sponsored by Bailey County Electric Cooperative.

DeAnn Brock and Jimmy Littleton are on their way to Washington, D.C. as of Monday evening when they were named winners of an oratorical contest sponsored by the Bailey County Electric Co-operative Association.

The contest was held at 7 p.m. Monday at the Annual Bailey County Electric Co-operative membership meeting held at the Fellowship hall of the Methodist Church in Muleshoe.

DeAnn and Jimmy were in competition with three other students from Whiteface and Muleshoe. Each student gave a five minute talk on his choice of eight subjects.

A panel of judges from West Texas State University selected the winners.

They will receive a 10 day All-expense paid trip to Washington, D.C. in June.

The youth group will travel to and from Washington, D.C. by chartered bus. Participants will be chaperoned by six adult couples.

During the days in the nation's capitol city, the young people will visit various governmental significance. They also will visit the headquarters of the National Association, National Service organization for about organization for about 1,000 1,000 electric cooperatives across the nation.

Each of the youth tour participants will be given a set of color slides showing highlights of their Youth Tour experiences to show local groups such as youth groups, service clubs, church groups, farm groups or any or-



RESERVE CHAMPION LAMB-Kent Lewis is pictured with his 96 pound fine wool lamb that earned the Reserve Championship honors at the Southwestern International Livestock Show in El Paso last week. Kent is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Lewis.

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## Services Held For Arthur Barton

Funeral services for Arthur C. Barton, 77, were held at 2 p. m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church in Earth with M. B. Baldwin pastor and Rev. Bruce Christmas, of Lubbock conducting the services.

Barton, a longtime Earth resident died at 12:30 p. m. Thursday in the Littlefield hospital following a series of strokes.

Barton moved to Earth in 1920 and began farming in the area. He earned the Master Farmer Award in 1941 and had served on the local school board. Barton contributed a drive and enthusiasm that help make the community grow.

Burial was in the Springlake Cemetery under the direction of Parsons-Lillis-Singleton Funeral Home of Earth.

Pal bearers were: Norman Hinchliffe, Jack Fladaway, Ted Haberer, Ed Williams, Bill Waldrop and M. L. Simpson.

Honorary pall bearers include: Willis White, Jack Hinson, Norman Cleavinger, Ray Axtell, Charley Jones, Gus Parish, Jess Osborn, Sam Layman, E. C. Hudson, W. R. Stockard, Patsy Welch, Mae McCarty, Chubby Dent, L. T. Smith, Homer Starkey, Babe Prather, A. C. Briggance.

He is survived by his wife, Ainer Jane of Earth; two daughters, Mrs. Mildred Haley and Mrs. Glady's McCord, both of Earth; three sons, Weldon and Ardis, both of Earth and Melvin of Dismitt; one sister, Mrs. Minnie Pate of Earth; 15 grand-



ARTHUR C. BARTON

children and three great grandchildren.

### YOU CAN STAND ON IT

You can stand on it, sit on it, store in it and then throw it away when you get tired of it. What is this material new to home furnishings? Paper. It is reinforced with nylon and impregnated with glass fibers, says Bonny Lay, Extension home furnishings specialist. Fiberboard can be coated with polyethylene film and paperboard can be finished with plastic. Storage units, draperies, rugs, chairs and tables of paper products are now on the market, she says.

### "BUT THE GOLDEN EGG?"



### INTERSTATE TAXATION

In their determined search for additional sources of revenue, many states have been consistently extending their tax reach to all types and sizes of interstate business. In some cases they may be killing the goose that laid the golden egg.

The wide variety of these spreading tax laws and the lack of uniformity in their application and enforcement are among the most pressing problems blocking the growth and expansion of interstate business.

In 1959 Congress passed Public Law 86-272 to help alleviate the problem, and mandated a full-scale study covering a period of six years by the special Judiciary Subcommittee of the House of Representatives.

Based on this study, the House in the 90th Congress passed the Interstate Taxation Act to provide some uniformity in the application of state income, sales and use and other business taxes. But the Senate did not act on the bill.

The House-passed bill will be re-introduced early in the 91st Congress.

Senator Abe Ribicoff (D-Conn.) has already said that he will introduce a new bill in the Senate.

Immediate consideration by both houses should be encouraged as successful passage of this legislation would help clear up much of the confusion, and provide a fair and equitable basis for state and local taxation of interstate commerce.

## Red Cross Sets 1969 County Goal At \$8860

In the regular monthly meeting of the Lamb County Chapter of the American Red Cross office in Littlefield goals were set for the 1969 fund drive. Mrs. Lyle Brandon, County Chairman, announced that the drive would begin March 1 and that the goal set for this year's drive is \$8860. Each town and community would have their own "Kick-off" Breakfast this year rather than the usual breakfast held in Littlefield in previous years.

Following a film on Red Cross work in Vietnam, Robert Kirk of W. O. W., presented an American Flag to the chapter. It was accepted by Mrs. Bonnie Haberer, Lamb County Chairman.

The film was presented by Ken Infield, Disaster Representative from St. Louis, Missouri.

book provides an added dimension to that fateful day.

### A Day in History— November 22, 1963

A precise, pungent, well-documented narrative, entitled, "The Day Kennedy Was Shot," by Jim Bishop, relives those twenty-four hours of November 22, 1963. Published by Funk & Wagnalls, this new

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## Seniors Honored With Western Style Luncheon

The 48 Seniors of Springlake-Earth High School were honored Tuesday with a noon Western Style Luncheon sponsored by the WMU of the Springlake Baptist Church.

The banquet tables at the church were covered with white cloth and centered with streamers of green and gold representing the school colors. The tables were accented with miniature cowboys and Indians carrying out the western theme. At each plate was laid a "Cowpoke" joke which set the stage for gaiety. The Seniors were also given favors of Boston bean candies.

Centering the head table was a covered wagon accented with a lovely arrangement of spring flowers.

A backdrop of green was centered with a covered wagon which had on it's side "Graduation or Bust" printed in Gold.

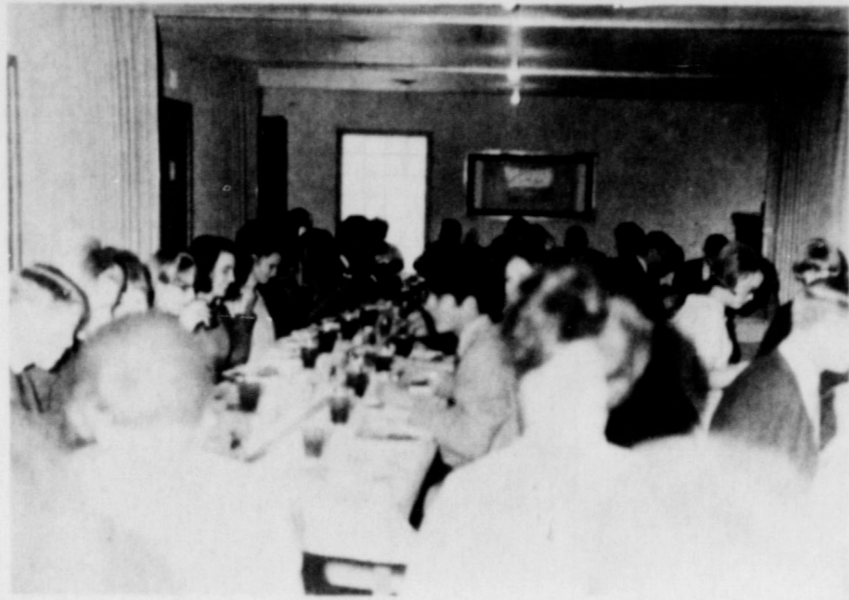
The luncheon menu was in

keeping with the western theme and the Seniors enjoyed a delicious meal of Bar-B-Que chicken, potato salad, pinto beans, vegetable salad, and angel food cake topped with strawberries and whipped cream.

Don Holmes, pastor, welcomed the Seniors to the annual luncheon and introduced the speaker, Dr. Raymond Perkins, pastor, of the First Baptist Church in Dimmitt.

Dr. Perkins spoke to the group on "Getting Ahead-Honestly." He stated that should they succeed, they should make sure it was not by pushing. Success will come as it is earned.

He further reminded the Seniors that receiving a High School Diploma this spring would not magically open doors of opportunity. The doors of opportunity and success are opened through individuals initiative and drive to turn the keys.



GRADUATION OR BUST... reads the sign in the background as 48 local Seniors enjoy a Western style luncheon. The Seniors were honored Tuesday by the WMU of the Springlake Baptist Church.

## Three Attend Explorers To Scout Leader Tour Plant X Meeting

Three local Cub Scout leaders attended the Roundtable meeting Monday evening in Littlefield.

These are meetings of all Cub Scout leaders in the district held monthly to acquaint them with the program for the following month.

The theme for the March Cub Scout meetings in Indian Lore and the Ambler troop presented a program on that theme for the ladies.

Attending the meeting from Earth were Mrs. Ed Dawson, Mrs. Don Taylor, and Mrs. Bert Weil.

ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE

Frank Jackson was on hand to continue the course in Morse Code. Mr. Jackson holds an amateur radio license and is an owner of a HAM Radio.

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## Telephone Cooperative, Inc. Holds Annual Meeting

The Five Area Telephone Cooperative, Inc. held its annual meeting, Friday at the Cochran County Activities building in Morton.

Sixty-three members were present along with 29 local and out-of-town guests.

The Nominating Committee, consisting of: Chester Setliff, Leon Dupler, Dale Nichol, John Hubbard, Nolan H. Harlan, A.E. Cade, and Roy L. Brown met prior to the annual meeting and nominated two or more persons for each district in which terms were expiring.

Those nominated were: District 5: D. L. Tucker and C. A. Petree, District 6: Bill Boyles and J. D. Rowland, District 7: Willard Henry and Leo Cunningham. Newly elected or re-elected were: District 5: D. L. Tucker, District 6: Bill Boyles and District 7: Willard Henry.

Serving as election judges at

the meeting were: L. E. Warren, Gene Cade, John Hubbard, Nolan Harlan, Ray Brown.

Other directors who complete the 7-member board are: Joe Simmacher, Jo Embry, M. G. Kellar and Raymond Gage representing districts 1 through 4 respectively.

R. B. Seaton and Sam Layman of district 2 and Delbert Watson and Jack Hutchison representing district 4, were selected to meet prior to the 1970 Annual meeting and make nominations for Directors for Districts 2 and 4.

Raymond Gage was elected president of the board; Joe Embry, vice-president, and Bill Boyles, secretary-treasurer.

Refreshments were served during and after the meeting by Cochran County 4-H Club.

Entertainment was provided by the Morton High School Choir Girls Sextet.

## Bill Matlocks Host At 42 Party Friday

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Matlock of Springlake were host to a 42 and card party Friday night, in their home.

Refreshments of chips and dips, assorted candies, Cokes and coffee were served through out the evening.

Couples attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Graham, Ray Joe Rileys, Gene Rosses, Carl Bradleys, all of Sunnyside and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Cole and Regina, Mrs. Arcee Martin and Mrs. Jeanie Borthwich attend the wedding of Judith Martin and Brownlow in Hereford Saturday night.

## Local Masonic Lodge To Honor Law Officials

The local Masonic Lodge 1277 will be host to a dinner for Law enforcement officials of Lamb and Bailey counties, tonight at 6:30 p. m. at the Earth Lodge Hall.

The dinner will be served promptly at 6:30. Following a brief lodge meeting at 7:30 p. m., the program will begin.

The program will be entitled "Respect for Law and Order." A Law enforcement officer will be guest speaker for the occasion.

The dinner is part of a statewide program to honor the Law Enforcement Officers of Texas. Jay Guy Smith is Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas. The guest list includes Bill

Angel and Weldon Parson of Littlefield, Department of Public Safety, Highway Patrol and Gene Sizemore and Joel Young of the Muleshoe Highway Patrol; Dick Dyer and Sid Hopping, former county sheriffs; Alvin Pittman, city marshal; Elmer Gary, Deputy; E. D. McNeese, Lamb County sheriff; V. L. Smith, Jr. Littlefield deputy; Homer McLavoy, Sudan deputy; Jack Young, Muleshoe District Attorney and G. T. Sides, Lamb County judge, Littlefield.

Also invited were: A. A. Fitzgerald, J. M. Bowen and Sam Hudson of Littlefield; W. T. Vereen, Sudan; L. A. Glasscock, Earth; W. G. Finney, Olton and C. G. Stuegie, Ambler.

## Cub Scouts Elect New Denner

Cub Scouts in den 3 met Thursday afternoon in the scout hut. Clint Dawson was elected denner for the month of February and led in the opening ceremony.

The den worked on programs for the coming Blue and Gold Banquet and discussed the hidden meaning of the Law of the Pack and the Jay Scout sign.

Mrs. Ed Dawson led the group in songs and Brent and Jeffery Washington served refreshments.

Present were: Terry Hood, Clint Dawson, Brent and Jeffery Washington, Rodney Geissler, Kirk O'Hair, and den mothers Mrs. Fete O'Hair and Mrs. Ed Dawson.

## Goodwill Centre Board Elects New Officers

The local Goodwill Centre Board met Thursday afternoon at 2 p. m. at Pounds Pharmacy to elect officers for 1969.

Mrs. C. L. Houchin conducted the meeting and the following officers were elected: Mrs. Jerry Kelley, pres-

ident; Mrs. Rural Faunting, vice-president; Mrs. J. L. Hinson, secretary; and Mrs. Neil Pounds, treasurer.

Representatives from the various organizations that are on the Centre's Board are: Mrs. Bill Morgan, PTA; Mrs. Gene Brown, Eastern Star; Mrs. J. L. Hinson, Town and Country Study Club; Mrs. Rural Faunting, Home Demonstration club; Mrs. Jerry Kelley, Baptist; and Mrs. Neil Pounds, Young Homemakers.

The Baptists will have charge of opening the Goodwill Centre Saturday, February 15 and the Young Homemakers, on February 22. The next executive meeting is slated for 2 p. m. March 6 at Pounds Pharmacy.

## Local Swine Breeders Plan Gilt Sale

The Springlake-Earth Swine Breeders met Friday night at the Agricultural department at the local school to plan a Gilt Sale.

The sale is slated for March 29 at 12:30 p. m. at the Livestock Show Barn on West Highway 70. Sixty registered Gilts and 50 Commercial gilts will be sold at that time.

The Swine Breeders were organized September 4 in 1968 and are under the leadership of officers Tracy Angeley, president; Bob Phipps, vice-president; and T. E. Alati, secretary-treasurer.

Visiting in the R. S. Cole home Sunday were Carol Cole of Lubbock, Mrs. Jeanie Borthwich of Melvindale, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Diaz of Amarillo, Mrs. Alice Martin and Frances Davis.



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And, right now, Reddy has a new film ready for showing to your clubs and organizations. It's called "Money Grows Here" and shows in beautiful color the advantages that new industry can have by locating in our area.

Your Public Service manager will gladly arrange a showing for your group.



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### Springlake Sunbeams Learn How The Church Helps

The Springlake Sunbeams met Wednesday afternoon for a program on the many and various ways the church helps individuals, families and the community as a whole.

For their weekly Handcraft project the Sunbeams drew pictures of a church.

Present were: Lexie Fennell, Keith Clayton, Carrie Hopping, Renae Winder, Tammy Davis and Hoby Matlock.

Mrs. Jerry Fields met with the group.

### Eastern Star Has Program On Lincoln

The Earth Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, met for a regular meeting at 7:30 p. m. Monday at the Lodge Hall.

Worthy Matron, Mrs. Fern Bock began the program by reading a Valentine poem.

Mrs. Lucille Campbell gave a brief outline of Lincoln's life and presented a story entitled "Why People Love Abraham Lincoln." The program was concluded with the reading of Gettysburg Address.

The meeting was closed with the singing of the "Battle Hymn of the Republic."

The hall was decorated with a Valentine theme. In the East was a large heart centered with a profile of Lincoln. Floral arrangements and Valentines and cupids were placed artistically about the hall.

Mrs. Maudell Simmons and Mrs. Mary Murrel served refreshments.



SUSAN GAY DOWNS

### Downs - McClure Engagement Told

### Sunbeams Hear Valentine Story

The Beginner Sunbeams met Tuesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Earth.

The group heard a valentine story as they made valentines for their mothers.

Refreshments were served by Glenn Craft and Gary Davis.

Present were: Stacy Tunnell, Gary Davis, Glenn Craft, Mike Greenhaw, Greg Dudley and De Vera Maserang.

Visiting in the John Welch home this week is Mrs. Welch's brother Roy Rhea from Huntington, Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Downs of Littlefield announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Susan Gay, to Larry Christopher McClure, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. McClure of Springlake.

The bride-elect is a 1968 graduate of Littlefield High School and is presently attending West Texas State University as a freshman.

The prospective groom is a

1967 graduate of Springlake-Earth High School and is also attending WTSU.

The couple plans a Spring Wedding.

#### PARTY LINE

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Diaz of Amarillo and Mrs. Jeanie Borthwick of Melvindale, Mich., were dinner guests of Mrs. Alice Martin Sunday.

### Brownies Plan Valentine Party

Brownie troop 308 met Monday afternoon at the Springlake Community Building to plan a Valentine party.

The troop discussed having the affair Friday night at 7:30 p. m. in the community building. The party would be for the Brownies and their families and would be a box supper.

The Brownies made Valentine decorations from paper plates as the handcraft project of the week.

Sue Bradley served refreshments of Cokes and cookies to Lindsey Field, Carrie Barden, Susan Clayton, Ranea Winder, Kathy King, Tammy Davis, Jill Barden and Sue Bradley.

### Scouts Lead Brownies In Song

Brownie troop 101 met Wednesday afternoon with five Girl Scout visitors present.

The Girl Scouts were members of troop 178 and were present at the meeting to teach the Brownies new songs and to lead them in folk games.

Elaine Bills led in the Brownie Promise to open the meeting. Doniece Taylor led in the Pledge to the Flag.

Refreshments were served by Anita De Leon.

Others present were: Cheryl Riggs, Dianne Hodnett, Rosy Lewis, Karen Huley, Petra Lewis, Kim Holder, Christi Pittman, DeAnn Clayton, Lisa Pittman and Beth Founds.

### NOTICE

A Come and Go Bridal Shower honoring Mrs. Ted Wilson (nee Bette Jo Byers) will be held Monday, February 17 from 5 to 6 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Norman Sulber.

Pottery has been selected at Pounds Pharmacy.

#### PARTY LINE

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Kelley and Blake of Lubbock visited Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kelley.

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## GA's Begin Study Of Alaska

The Laura Snow GA's met Tuesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Earth, and began their study of Alaska.

Mrs. R.S. Cole opened the meeting with the roll call, twelve were recorded present. Elza Barnes presented each girl with a Valentine bearing the name of a Missionary. The girls were then asked to pray for the missionary. Kathleen Anderson led the prayer for those on the prayer calendar.

Mrs. Troy Blackburn gave a brief history of Alaska telling of the Lud family's move to Alaska.

The State Flag of Alaska is

blue with gold stars. The state bird is the Ptarmigan; the flower, the Forget-Me-Not; the state fish, the King Salmon; and the state tree, the Sitka Spruce.

The girls enjoyed taking part as they gave interesting facts assigned to them. They also put together puzzles forming igloos with interesting Baptist History as each puzzle part.

A skit was given which gave other information about life in Alaska.



JANET RENE'E CHESTER

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## Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Chester, Olton, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Janet Rene'e to L/Cpl. Donald Lynn Roden, son of Mrs. D.C. Brunson of Lubbock and Sam H. Roden Sr., of Plainview.

The bride-elect is a 1968 graduate of Olton High School and is attending Southwestern Business College in Plainview. She was Outstanding Student in

Commercial Studies and co-editor of the school newspaper, "Mustang Tale."

The prospective bridegroom attended Olton High School. He entered the Marine Corps in September, 1967 and was injured May 28, 1968 near DeNang Viet Nam. He is now on limited duty at Camp Pendleton, California.

The couple plan an April wedding.

## Brownie Troop 398 Enjoy Valentine Party

Brownie Troop 398 met Tuesday afternoon for a Valentine Party.

The meeting was opened with the Brownie ring and the pledge to the Flag.

The Brownies enjoyed a Valentine exchange and played games.

Ivera Ingram and Mrs. Rivers served refreshments of cup cakes, punch and pop corn balls.

Present were: Elena Gonzales, Sherri Higgins, Dorothy Rivers, Joyce Ingram, Linda Hood, Kristi Thomas, Elaine Slover, Vicki Freeman and troop leaders Pat Higgins and Eveland Thomas.

## Local Churches Host Associational GA Meeting

The W.M.U. and G.A.'s of the First Baptist Church in Earth were hostesses Saturday at the Llanos Altos Associational GA meeting held at the Springlake Baptist Church.

The theme for the meeting was "Christ and only Hope for Joy and Peace." Mrs. Elizabeth Nelson was responsible for the program entitled "Good News" which was presented in song by the Littlefield Hi-Fys. The Hi-Fys are a group of young people

from Littlefield and Texas Tech. Prior to the program in song, Mrs. Nelson gave a brief summary of the group's trip to California last summer. The Hi-Fys were on a five-week tour teaching Vacation Bible School each morning and hosting a Teen Time in the evenings.

Several individuals from the group gave a testimony of the blessings they received from the tour and the witnessing to the hippies.

The interest center was a miniature igloo an Eskimo driving his dog sled. In the background hung a large map of Alaska. The Alaskan theme was used to represent the G.A.'s home mission study of Alaska. Valentine cookies and cherry punch were served the 100 persons attending.

## Janice Stephens Honoree At Coffee

Mrs. Janice Stephens was honored with a coffee Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Dolan Fennell of Springlake.

Mrs. Stephens, her husband Gene and children Shawn, 7, and Shane, 5, are enroute to Memphis, Tennessee and are visiting family and friends in Earth. Stephens is a special agent with the Federal Bureau of Investigation is being transferred to Memphis from Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Guests were: Pat Goforth of Hereford; Henrian Enloe, Amherst; Carol Bryant, Dimmitt; and Frances Davis.

## 79 Attend Youth Rally

Seventy-nine young people attended the Llanos Altos Associational Youth Rally in Littlefield Monday night. Bro. Smith of Leveland spoke to the group.

Bro. and Mrs. Julian Mendoza, Billy Pittman and R.S. Cole accompanied 18 young people from the local church, to the rally.

Refreshments of sandwiches and cookies were served.

## Ed Haley Speaks To MYF

Ed Haley spoke to the Senior High MYF at their Sunday evening meeting at the First United Methodist Church in Earth.

Haley's topic was "Our Responsibilities as Athletes." He pointed out that the youth should have a Christian attitude on and

off the playing field when involved in any sport.

He related his experiences while traveling around the world as a referee and concluded with the point that whatever they did they should do well.



## Financial Facts

By Norlan Dudlev

### WATCH NEXT

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**Sunbeams Make Valentines**

The primary Sunbeams met Tuesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Earth to make Valentines.

As the group was working on their Valentines they heard the story of a shut-in whose friends visited her.

Stan Runyon served refreshments to: Stephine Tunnell, Kyle Kelley, Miss Greenhaw, Rodney Davis, Kareen Hulcy, Kim Holder and Earvis Rivers.

**MYF Has Recreation And Refreshment Night**

Members of the Junior High MYF of the First United Methodist Church met Sunday evening for their monthly recreation and refreshment night.

Darlene Sulser was in charge of the recreation and led the group in such active games as relay races.

Refreshments were served to eleven present by Brad Haley.

Next week the program will be entitled "Lent-a-Time for Confession and Reconciliation" led by Clifford Daniel.

**Hello World**

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harber of Olton proudly announce the adoption of a baby daughter on Saturday, February 8.

The lovely little Brown haired girl was 16 days old, she weighed 8 lbs. 2 ozs. She has been named Holly L'Zanne Harber.

The Harbers have a son, Robert, Tye, 6. Mr. Harber serves as Vice President of The Citizen State Bank in Earth.

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"GETTING AHEAD - HONESTLY" - was the topic of Dr. Raymond Perkins address at the Senior Luncheon Tuesday. Here Dr. Perkins (center) is pictured with Don Holmes, pastor, (left) and Bill Anderson, senior sponsor, (right).

### 33 Scouts Receive Rank And Merit Badges

Thirty-three scouts received rank and merit badges Tuesday night when the Boy Scout troop 614 held their Court of Honor.

The troop met at 6 p. m. in the Earth Community Building. The meeting was opened with the Pledge to the Flag led by Travis Jaquess.

Rank and Merit Badges were presented by Edwin O'Hair and Jerry Hawthorne.

The court of Honor was begun with the Tenderfoot ceremony. A candle was lighted for each of the twelve laws of the Tenderfoot rank as the law was repeated.

Those receiving their Tenderfoot rank badges were: Chris Espinoza, Frank DeLeon, Eric Freeman, Coke Hopping, Steve Morgan, Dean Walden, Billy O'Hair, Dyke Gaston, Terry Hood, Willie Thomas, Junior Gutierrez, Doug Jones, Greg Welch, Don Marriott, Terry Lively, Kevin Hinson, Emilio Ramon, Freddy Galon.

Four scouts received badges signifying the completion of

the requirements for Star Rank. They were: Hal Wood, Scott Lee, Larry Thomas and Brad Haley.

Merit Badges were then presented to: Brian Sanderson for Music, Personal Fitness, Citizenship in the community and Citizenship in the Nation; Terrell Ott for Personal Fitness; Jimmy Smith for Citizenship in the Nation; Larry Thomas for Citizenship in the Nation, Music, Pioneering and Personal Fitness; Guy Davis for Music, Citizenship in the Nation and Personal Fitness; Monty Price for Citizenship in the Nation and Personal Fitness; David Wheat for Music, Jimmy Coker-Citizenship in the Nation, Citizenship in the Community, Reading, Music and Personal Fitness; Scott Lee-Music, Citizenship in the Nation, Citizenship in the Community, leather craft, Personal Fitness and Sheep farming; Hal Wood-Citizenship in the Nation and Personal Fitness; and Brad Haley-Reading, Music and Coin Collecting.

Prior to the Court of Honor the boys were entertained by two skits, and knot tying races.

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### War Widows Eligible For Education & Home Loans

A reminder that war widows are eligible for GI Bill-type education and home loan benefits was issued today by the Veterans Administration.

The education benefits are also available to wives of veterans who are permanently and totally disabled as the result of military service.

Under a new law which went into effect December 1, 1968 the widow of a man who died and the wife of a veteran who was permanently and totally disabled as the result of military service is entitled to 36 months of educational assistance from the VA.

An allowance of \$130 a month is paid for full-time training with lesser sums paid for part-time training.

Unmarried widows of veterans who served in World War II, the Korean Conflict, or in the Post-Korean period (since January 31, 1955) and who died in service or as the result of service are eligible for VA-guar-

anteed GI home loans.

This eligibility expires July 25, 1970, for World War II widows, with widows of Korean Conflict veterans having until January 31, 1975, to use their entitlement.

Generally, widows of Post-Korean service veterans have 20 years from the date of the husband's death or discharge from service to obtain loans.

The VA will guarantee 20 percent--up to a maximum of \$12,500--of the loan obtained by the widow. Long-term mortgages (up to 30 years) and little or no down-payments remain the principal advantages of GI loans.

The VA also listed some other benefits of particular interest to women:

Dependency and Indemnity Compensation: Monthly payments for widows and children of men who died in service or as the result of service.

Payment is generally \$120 a month plus 12 percent of the monthly basic pay now being re-

ceived by a serviceman whose rank and years of service are the same as those of the deceased serviceman. Minimum payment is \$133 a month.

Death Pension: Monthly payment for needy unmarried widows and minor children of veterans whose deaths were not related to military service. The amount of the pension is keyed to income.

Reimbursement of burial expenses: Payment not to exceed \$250 may be made with-in two years to the widow, undertaker, or any other person who bore a veteran's funeral expenses.

Children's education: In addition to education benefits for qualified wives and widows, an allowance of \$140 a month for full-time college level training is paid to children (under 26) of veterans who died or were permanently and totally disabled as the result of military service.

The VA invites women who have questions about possible benefits to contact their nearest VA office.

### Drunk Drivers Is Subject Of TSA Film

"So, How Do We Chew It?" is the title of a new illustrated talk that sets out in straightforward language the seriousness of the drunken driver problem in Texas by emphasizing that 68 percent of persons killed in one-car and two-car accidents, and 58 percent of pedestrians killed were drunk when they died.

The illustrated talk recommends the adoption of a breath test law in Texas as an effective and a scientific means of combating the drunken driver problem.

Such a law, the illustrated talk points out, will set in motion the wheels to scientifically determine whether a driver is ill, has just had one or two drinks, or is too intoxicated to drive, thus removing the guesswork from the drunken driver problem that has in the past often made enforcement erratic or inefficient.

Illustrated with 32 color slides, the talk will be given to adult groups throughout the state. Civic and service organizations wishing to see the presentation are urged to contact the Texas Safety Association, 1623 South Lamar Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78704, Telephone Austin Area Code 512, 444-6551. "So, How Do we Chew It?" does not consider the so-called "wet" or "dry" issue.

A new process developed by U. S. Department of Agriculture chemists gives cotton fabric the capacity to dry smoothly when hung on a line while damp. Before this, drip dry garments could not be put in the spin-dry cycle on the washing machine, reports Dr. Graham Hard, Extension clothing specialist.

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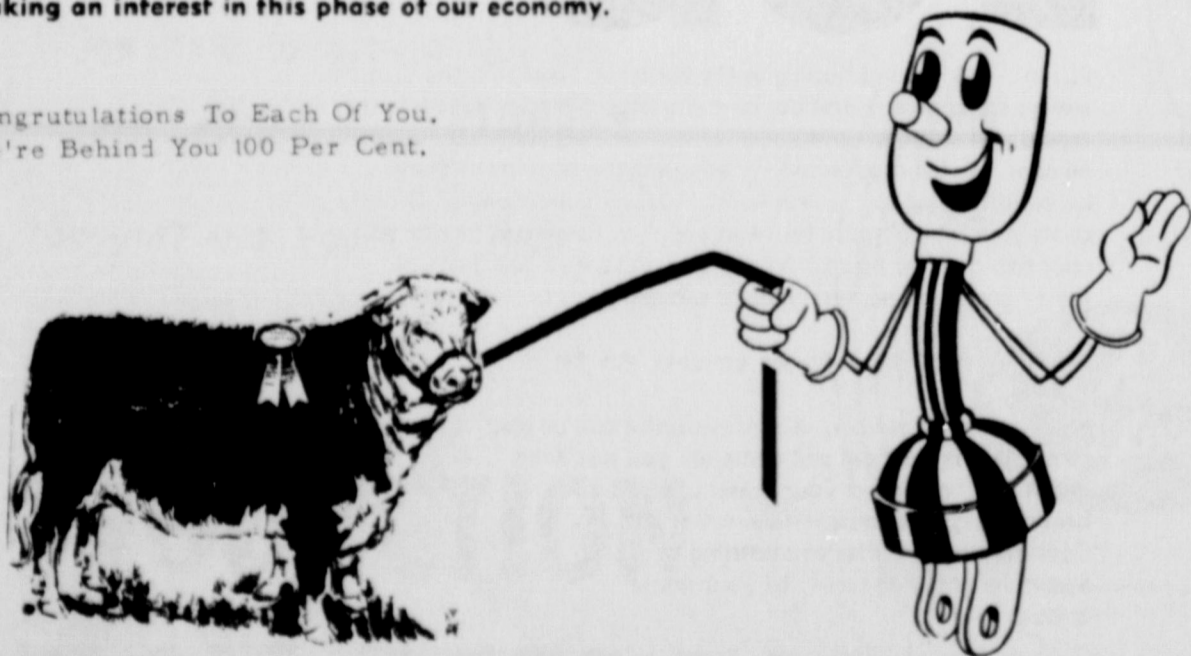
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## Holt Installs New Sprinkler System

Foy D. Holt, recently installed a 1969 model Rainmatic sprinkler system purchased from Plains Supply Company of Lubbock.

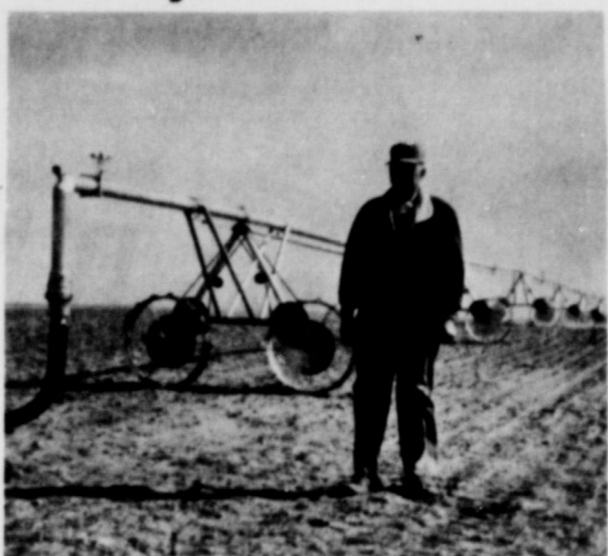
Mr. Holt, who farms 2 miles west and 2 miles south of the Nichols Gin located on Highway 70 between Earth and Muleshoe, is well pleased with the performance of the Rainmatic system, and especially likes the ease of operation. The Rainmatic is presently being operated by Mr. Holt to irrigate 34 acres of alfalfa which was planted last fall, and is making an excellent stand under sprinkler irrigation. He plans to move the system across the road to irrigate a quarter section of cotton and maize, thereby reducing his labor of irrigating to a minimum. The system employs large volume sprinklers that enable longer irrigation sets to be made, and also has adequate clearance for

taller crops such as maize, thus eliminating the problems encountered with drag systems, hand move pipe and trail lines that are commonly used.

Mr. Holt, in addition to his regular farming operations, also raises up to 27,000 chickens each year on a contracted basis, and normally keeps about 35 mother cows on a grazing program.

Formerly in the grocery business in Lubbock, Fay and Ruth Holt have made many new friends in this area since they moved to the farm in 1963. After having turned over the operation of their successful food

store interests "Holt's Fine Foods" to their sons in Lubbock the Holts wouldn't trade their farm life with all its problems for all the grocery stores in Lubbock if they had to operate them.



FAY D. HOLT, Star Rt. 1, Earth, Texas, with his new 1969 model Rainmatic sprinkler system recently purchased from Plains Supply Company

## February 8 - 15 Labeled

### Twirp Week By FHA

It's turnabout time again as the students at Springlake-Earth High School observe, Twirp Week.

For the eighth consecutive year the week preceding the FHA Sweetheart Banquet, February 8-15 in this case, has been turnabout time and the girls take

posse to make sure the girls do their jobs in paying for all treats, the banquet tickets and yes, even flowers for their dates.

The Sweetheart Banquet this Saturday will be the highlight of twirp week. Theme of the gala affair will be the gay nineties, complete with garter girls.

The FHA members will be entertaining at the banquet and dates for the week. The FHA Twirp week will come to a climatic close.

### Scout Leaders - Parents Called To Plan Clean up - Fixup Campaign

Mrs. Dale Riggs, Girl Scout neighborhood chairman, has called a meeting of all scout leaders and parents, and interested persons, to plan a clean-up-fixup campaign for the local scout hut. The meeting

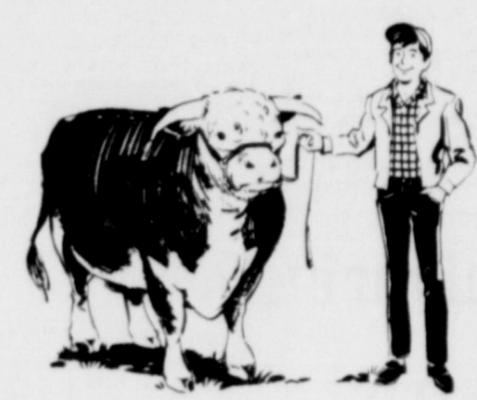
is slated for February 18 at 1:30 p.m. at the scout hut.

Plans will be made to clean and repair the Scout Hut. All persons interested in helping with the project are urged to attend the meeting.

### Applied Research Is Industry's Responsibility, DuBridge Says

In all areas of government interest—space, defense, atomic energy, transportation, standards, etc.—industrial research and development are the nation's prime technological resources. L. A. DuBridge, special assistant to President Richard M. Nixon for Science and Technology, said in a letter to Melvin A. Zurn, chairman, Science/Technology Committee of the National Association of Manufacturers.

## ATTEND THE ANNUAL FFA - 4-H Livestock Show & Sale



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## Virginia Burks Outlines Programs And Plans Of Lubbock Childrens Home

Virginia Burks, of the social service department of Bunkner's Children's Home in Lubbock spoke Sunday evening to the Young People and Adult Training Union at the Springlake Baptist Church. Mrs. Burks outlined the programs and plans of the home for the group.

Five years ago, when Mrs. Burks joined the staff at Bunkner's there were 24 children at

the home; at present the home is caring for 81 children, twenty-three pre-schoolers are in 19 foster homes and the remainder of the children are living on the campus and attend schools in Lubbock.

Mrs. Burks noted that when the children arrived at Bunkner's for the first time many felt unimportant and had negative attitudes toward life. After a per-

## TFB Sponsoring State-Wide Contest For Rural Improvement Ideas

WACO--(Sp1)--The Texas Farm Bureau is offering its members valuable prizes for ideas to improve rural living and agriculture.

A state-wide contest for ideas for local affairs projects and activities was announced in the February issue of "Texas Agriculture," official publication for the 110,000-member organization.

Cash prizes total \$500 with another \$500 worth of merchandise being offered. This includes ten \$50 cash prizes for the ten best ideas and another 25 items of merchandise (each worth at least \$20) offered for the next 25 best ideas.

The 35 winning ideas will be printed in brochure form and made available to county and community Farm Bureau organizations. Deadline for entries is March 14. Names of winners will be announced in the April issue of the TFB's publications.

"The purpose of this contest is two-fold," according to Sidney Dean of Victoria, president of the TFB. "First,

we're hopeful that this will stimulate interest among our members to work on solving their local problems at the local level. This is the goal of our Local Affairs program which is being stepped up this year. Second, the contest should bring in many good ideas which can be stated among all our local units."

The contest rules specify that only Farm Bureau members can enter. The idea should be explained in approximately 100 words or less. Typewritten entries should be sent to the local county Farm Bureau which will forward them to the TFB headquarters in Waco.

Judging will be based on (1) feasibility, and (2) value to rural living and/or agriculture.

## Hints Offered To Improve Cotton Stand

COLLEGE STATION, Farmers who have trouble getting a good stand of cotton can improve their chances by following a few simple rules, says Dr. C. Wendell Horne, Extension plant pathologist at Texas A&M University.

One of the most important factors in getting a good stand of cotton is seed quality. The use of high quality seed will produce a much better stand. High quality seed will resist most seedling diseases, while seeds of low quality prove to be extremely susceptible to such diseases. Seed of high quality will produce a long taproot, says Horne. Instead of the short, stubby one that results from poor quality seed.

Seed can be treated with a fungicide before planting to reduce its susceptibility to diseases. Treated seed has a protection zone immediately around the seed. When the seed germinates, and the seedling leaves this zone in its growth, it again becomes susceptible to disease. In-furrow treatment with fungicides protects the seedling until it sprouts above ground. This practice is recommended where seedling disease is a consistent problem.

A good practice for control diseases is in crop residue management. Organisms which cause diseases often live in the crop residue that is left on the surface of the soil. Deep plowing, noted the pathologist, puts the organism far enough under the seedling to eliminate infection.

New strains of "cold tolerant" cotton are being developed. Farmers should watch the performance of these new strains as they are being tested, and put them to use when they are released, stressed Horne.



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## Wolverines - Wolverettes Battle Vega

The Wolverines and Wolverettes met Vega on the local court Friday night.

In the case of the Wolverines it was a losing battle, 52 to 39 magic number for the Longhorns as they scored 13 points in each quarter for their total 52 points. The Wolverines began with 11 points each in the first and second quarters for a 26 to 22 half-time score. The second half proved fatal

for the Wolverines who scored only 17 points.

Eddie Jones was the leading Wolverine scorer with 14 points. Willie Wilburn and Perry Don O'Hair had 13 and 10 points respectively.

The Wolverettes kept to their winning ways as they breezed by Vega 76 to 60.

Vicki Gregory hit for an amazing 40 points. Marsha Dawson aided the victory with 19 points.



PERRY DON O'HAIR-Was all alone as he made another 2 points. Perry scored 14 points Tuesday night against the Mustangs.

## Jr High Wolverines Cinch Top Slot

The Junior High Wolverines clinched the top slot in their district Monday night when they defeated Vega 52 to 25 and brought home a 9-1 record for the season play.

The chances for victory looked grim the first quarter when Vega used a zone defence which slowed down the Wolverine scoring. Trying to ease the pressure the Wolverines tried the long shots but got into foul trouble. The first quarter ended 6 to 4, Vega.

The second half of play was much better as the Wolverines

got back in the old groove and established the win. Bobby Angeley contributed 11 points to the winning effort and Billy De Busk chunked in 9 baskets worth for the cause.

The win gave the Wolverines the top slot in the district tourney scheduled for this weekend.

Laura Dudley had her best night of the season for the Junior High Wolverettes as she hit for 13 of the team's 17 points against undefeated Vega. Final score for the game was Vega 33, Wolverettes 17.

## Wolverettes Take District 3 - A Title

The mighty Wolverettes took firm hold of the district 3-A title Tuesday evening by blasting Bovina 56 to 37. Vicki Gregory led the way shooting for a fantastic 35 points. Marsha Dawson and Becky Sanders were back up-men with 19 and 10 points respectively.

The game was the Wolverettes all the way, scoring 30 points in the first quarter. The second half was even more exciting with the Wolverettes scoring 48 points Bovina's 13.

The Wolverettes will complete their district play Friday night on the home court against Sudan.

Tuesday, February 18, the Wolverettes will host Quitaque

**MANY TAXPAYERS FAIL**  
Many taxpayers fail to take advantage of the revised law on health insurance premiums. It permits deduction of such premiums up to \$159

at 7:00 p.m. The Farwell boys will take on the Quitaque following the girls game. Friday, February 21 the Wolverettes will travel to Klondike.

The bi-district opponent and game schedule will be announced at a later date.

The Wolverines also had a successful night in Bovina, taking their game 63 to 36. The Wolverines out-scored their opponents in each quarter for an easy win.

Terry Houchin led the scoring for the Wolverines with 16 points but was not the only one hitting

the bucket. Perry Don O'Hair, shot for 14 points, Terry Bridge had 11 and Willie Wilburn 10.

even if you do not have enough other medical costs to claim a deduction, says Wanda Meyer, Extension home management specialist.

## Magazine Features Pesticide Story

AUSTIN--"Our Endangered Earth," an article in the January issue of the TEXAS PARKS & WILDLIFE magazine tells of the dangers of indiscriminate use of pesticides.

Unless restraint and intelligence bring about a more balanced philosophy, he (man) may find himself destroying the very Utopia he is trying to create," says Joe T. Stevens, wildlife biologist for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department and author of the magazine article.

Stevens says that on the surface, man's success in the chemical control of insects which cause disease and crop failure has been phenomenal. "However," says Stevens, "beneath the surface, there is definite cause for concern for our future due to the widespread misuse of these pesticides."

"Agricultural pesticides pose an obvious threat to our fisheries resources not only because of the immediate susceptibility of freshwater fish to the toxin, but also because of delayed reactions. Texas waters can remain toxic from one to nine months after introduction of pesticides, and that which penetrates the bottom silt can be reactivated any time and repeat the kill."

The TEXAS PARKS & WILDLIFE magazine, first place winner of the 1967 international award for magazine excellence given by the American Association for Conservation Information, now goes to over 80,000 subscribers monthly.

The January issue of the magazine also includes: "Dinosaur Tracks," by Neal Cook, tells how Texas' newest park will feature the footprints of some of the world's largest and most famous land animals.

"Heintox Dead Tree," by Suzanne Winckler, shows how the death of a tree means the beginning of life for many other forms of plant and animal life.


"Turkeys," by Robert L. Cook, tells why the wild turkey is an exciting and plentiful game bird in Texas.

"Bit Red," by Ernest G. Simmons, explains why there are probably more redfish in Texas waters this year than at any other time during the past 20 years.

"Signs of Good Fishing," by James Stevens, is about the artificial fishing reefs which are becoming known as excellent fishing spots along the coast.

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## Evangelist Phillips To Speak At Springlake Gospel Meeting

Evangelist Bill Phillips of Universal City will speak at a Gospel Meeting at the Springlake Church of Christ February 17 through 23.

Song director for the Gospel Meeting will be Thurman Ellard. Services are scheduled Monday through Saturday at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., and Sunday at 10:15 a. m. and 6 p. m.

All are cordially invited to attend.



EVANGELIST BILL PHILLIPS

Phillips is well known in the area having been a former minister of the Springlake Church of Christ.

His father, M. R. Phillip is a former minister of the Earth Church of Christ.

He is remembered as being active in all community affairs, and was especially interested in the youth of the community.

## Hunters Up In Arms Over Quail Ruling

Lamb County hunters this weekend charged the commissioner's court with disregarding a petition hearing 662 names in favor of one with only 57 signatures.

January 31 the commissioner's court asked the state legislature to leave the jurisdiction of quail hunting in the hands of the court.

This action was in direct conflict with an order issued in June of last year when the court requested the return of Lamb County quail hunting to the authority of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission. At stake in the controversy is the length of quail hunting season in Lamb County.

In a news release late Friday Representative Bill Clayton said that the quail season will remain in the hands of the commissioner's court unless the commissioner asks that quail hunting be returned to the TPWC.

Rep. Clayton had already introduced a bill in the House (House Bill No. 21) asking that quail hunting dates be returned to the TPWC. The bill introduced by Clayton had been referred to the Commission on Parks and Wildlife before the county commissioners phoned him saying they were asking that the law governing the hunting of quail in Lamb County remain as it now reads.

According to Clayton, the commissioner's court order of last Friday invalidates the previous order.

"Generally speaking," Clayton said, "we consider any commissioner's court order the voice of the people."

CLAYTON SAID with two bills, one in direct controversy with the other, such legislation would be considered "controversial" and die in the sub-committee.

Should this happen, quail season will be open 20 days and remain in the hands of the commissioner's court.

The only other alternative, Clayton said, is for the commissioner's court to send him another directive. If the commissioner asks that the quail season be under the jurisdiction of TPWC, the bill now introduced would pass without any problems.

E. L. Larimer of near Fieldton charged that the court backtracked its June decision "on the quite."

Hunters were unaware that any action on the matter was being considered by the court, he continued. The hunters want the quail season taken out of local control and extended. Some ranchers and farmers owning land want the season kept to

a 20-day minimum under Lamb County commissioner's control.

LAND OWNERS, especially ranchers, want the shorter hunting season because of damage they say is done to their property.

Gus Parish of Earth said hunters ignore No Trespassing and No Hunting signs.

"They (the hunters) run over things," Parish said. "They leave gates open, drive across fields, causing the land to blow, and take charge of the land in general," he said.

Johnny Murrell, foreman of Halsell Ranch, said hunters have put more gray hairs in his head than anything else. The Halsell spread covers 75,000 acres in Lamb and Bailey Counties and 35,000 acres in Hockley.

Murrell said 20 to 30 days was long enough to hunt on one set of birds.

"I think the commissioner's being in charge of the quail season is good for the country, the quail and land owners," Murrell said.

As an example Murrell said it was hard to find even one bird left on the 10,000 acres in Bailey County where the season was open from November 9 to January 31.

According to Neil West, Bailey and Hockley game officials are provoked about the Lamb County situation, since hunters that would ordinarily stay in their own county move into adjoining counties when the season closes here.

Quail season in Lamb County is from December 1 through December 20, the shortest season of any county in Texas with an open season. All counties on the South Plains, with the exception of Lamb, have a quail season that opens November 9 and closes January 31, allowing some 83 days of open season.

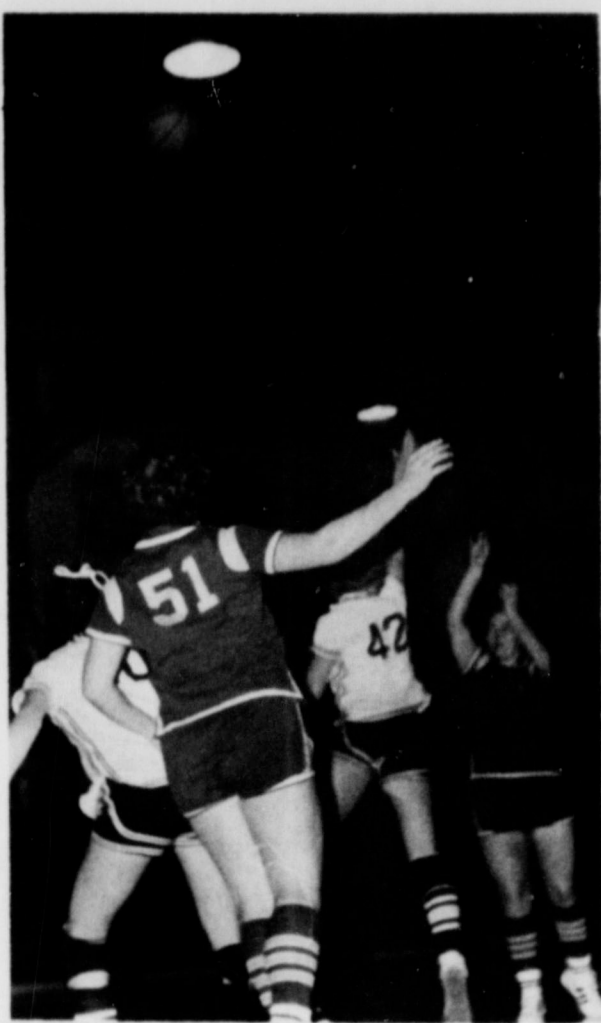
Action from the court stems from a controversial order dating back about 3 years.

The first resolution changing the hunting laws was made in June of 1966 when County Commissioner H. W. Lewis moved the season be shortened and governed locally. This resolution was sent to the Texas Legislature.

The commission acted on this again in a regular session in February 1967. The 20-day open season was set. All commissioners voted yes.

In a special meeting June 7, 1968 fifteen persons met with the commissioner and presented 22 petitions bearing 662 signatures that requested the Legislature return the authority to the TPWC.

Again all commissioners voted "aye" to the proposal. This was sent to Rep. Clayton and



BEVERLY BRITTON-No. 51, Wolverette reserve forward, goes in for the rebound. Beverly had 8 points in the meeting with Bovina Tuesday night.

## Men Sought Openings For Position Of Patrolman

An invitation has been issued to any high caliber young men of this area who feel that they can compete for the position of patrolmen with the Department of Public Safety. The opportunity exists for several men to meet the challenge of the rigid qualifications for patrolmen in the four field services—Highway Patrol, License, and Weight, Drivers License, and Motor Vehicle

Inspection." Major Luther Moore said today.

The DPS Commander stated, "If you are good enough, we can use you, however, we do not want anything but the best. If you cannot meet our standards there is no need of applying for the positions."

Assignment to one of the above services will be made on the basis of aptitude, interest and ability at the conclusion of a period of intense basic training. Then specialized training in the assigned service will be given to those that qualify after which a home station will be designated," Moore said.

Applicants must be between 20 and 35 years old, at least 68 inches tall, weigh not less

than two pounds more than 34 pounds per inch of height and be in sound physical condition. They must have a high school education or the equivalent and their record must be able to stand rigid examination pertaining to character and citizenship. Selection procedures will include written and oral examinations.

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"The law enforcement field is a challenge to young men who are seeking a career, and the Texas DPS is rated among the top law enforcement agencies in the world," Major Moore said.

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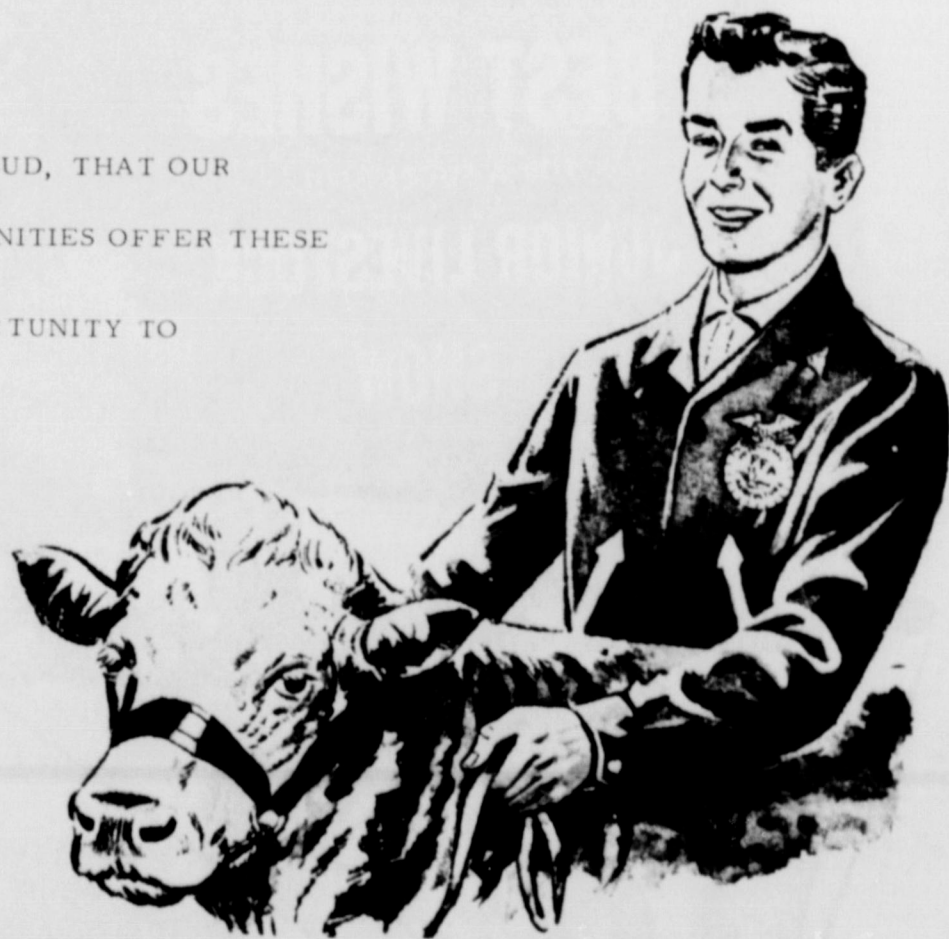
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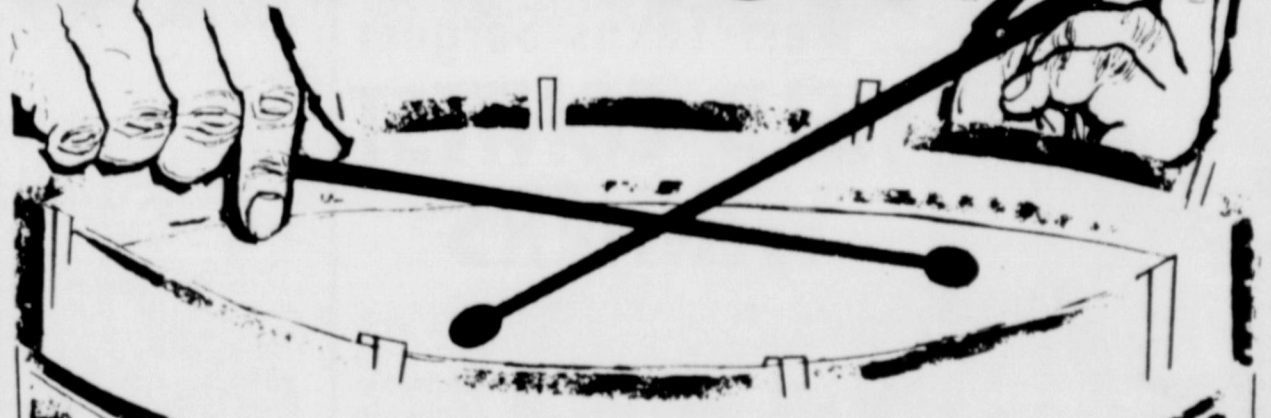
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1969 STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS. Elected to serve as officers for the local student council were: JoAnne Temple, secretary-treasurer; Steve Sanderson, president; and Cindy Barton, vice-president. The officers were elected by the student body on Monday.

## Students Elect Student Council Officers

The student body at the Springlake-Earth High School involved themselves in politics Monday as they encountered the task of selecting their student council officers of 1969.

Elected to serve as officers of the local student council for 1969-70 were Steve Sanderson, president; Cindy Barton, vice-president; and JoAnne Temple, secretary-treasurer.

Other candidates for office were: Jimmy Littleton, president; Kent Parish, vice-president; and DeAnn Brock, Welda Barton and Becky Sanders, secretary-treasurer.

## Girl Scouts Strive For Badge

Girl Scout troop 373 met Monday afternoon to work on the requirements for the Hospitality Badge.

Kim Clayton led the Girl Scout Promise and Debra Daniels led in the singing of America.

The troop then began working on three steps toward the Hospitality Badge. They discussed (1) the correct introductions of persons; (2) proper gifts for family birthdays and troop holiday parties; and (3) giving new friends and keeping old friends.

Kim Clayton served refreshments and Carlene Jones led the troop in outdoor games.

Present were: Sherri Winders, Cindy Debit, Margarite Rivers, Niala Lewis, Kim Jones, Kim Clayton, Donna Dudley, Debra Daniels, Camille Hinchliffe and Carmen Wimberly.

## Food Research Outlay Doubles In Ten Years

Within the last 10 years, the food industry has more than doubled its research and development expenditures. The amount spent for research on food and related products approached \$200 million in 1968, and is expected to set a new record again in 1969. C. W. Cook, chairman and chief executive, General Foods Corporation, said in a year-end statement.

"This increasing expenditure reflects our continuing efforts to make more nutritious foods that offer higher quality and greater convenience. Of particular importance are our accelerated efforts to develop new foods that will help combat the world hunger problem," he noted.

General Foods capital expenditures were \$84 million last year, and will be increased to a record high of more than \$100 million by the end of this current fiscal year, he asserted.

## County Crop Committee Sponsors Agricultural Symposium

The Lamb County Agricultural Symposium, Annual soil fertility day program, will be sponsored by the Lamb County Crop Committee on Monday, February 17 at 9:30 p. m. The symposium will be held in the "Willy Room" of the Lamb County Electric Co-op building.

Buddy Logsdon, County Agricultural Agent will make the introductions.

Doug Waldon, program chairman has announced the program will follow the schedule listed below, and will feature outstanding speakers.

Rogues in Sorghum--Jerry Johnson Agronomist, South Plains Research Center, Lubbock.

Grain Sorghum Insects--John Thomas Entomologist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas.

Oil Seed Crops, Potential, Opportunities, Production Factors--Dr. Bob Metzger Agronomist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Lubbock, Texas.

Varieties for Quality Cotton Production--Dr. Lavon Ray Associate Professor, Texas A&M University.

Cotton Outlook Information--Don Johnson Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock.

Water Importation, How It Affects Lamb County--John D. Smith Farmer, Littlefield. How Farmers Fit Into Cattle, Feeding on High Plains--Grady Sheppard Farming & Cattle Feeding, Hale Center, Texas.

The Hog Industry & Potentials In Our Area--Troy Pritchard, Jimmy Dean Meat Company, Plainview.

1968 Demonstration Handbook Buddy C. Logsdon Lamb County Agricultural Agent.

Those attending the meeting will be treated to a free barbecue dinner at 6:30 p. m. The dinner is being served courtesy

of the following Lamb County Financial Institutions, Bank, Earth; First National Bank, Sudan; Littlefield Federal Savings & Loan Association, and Production Credit Association, Littlefield.

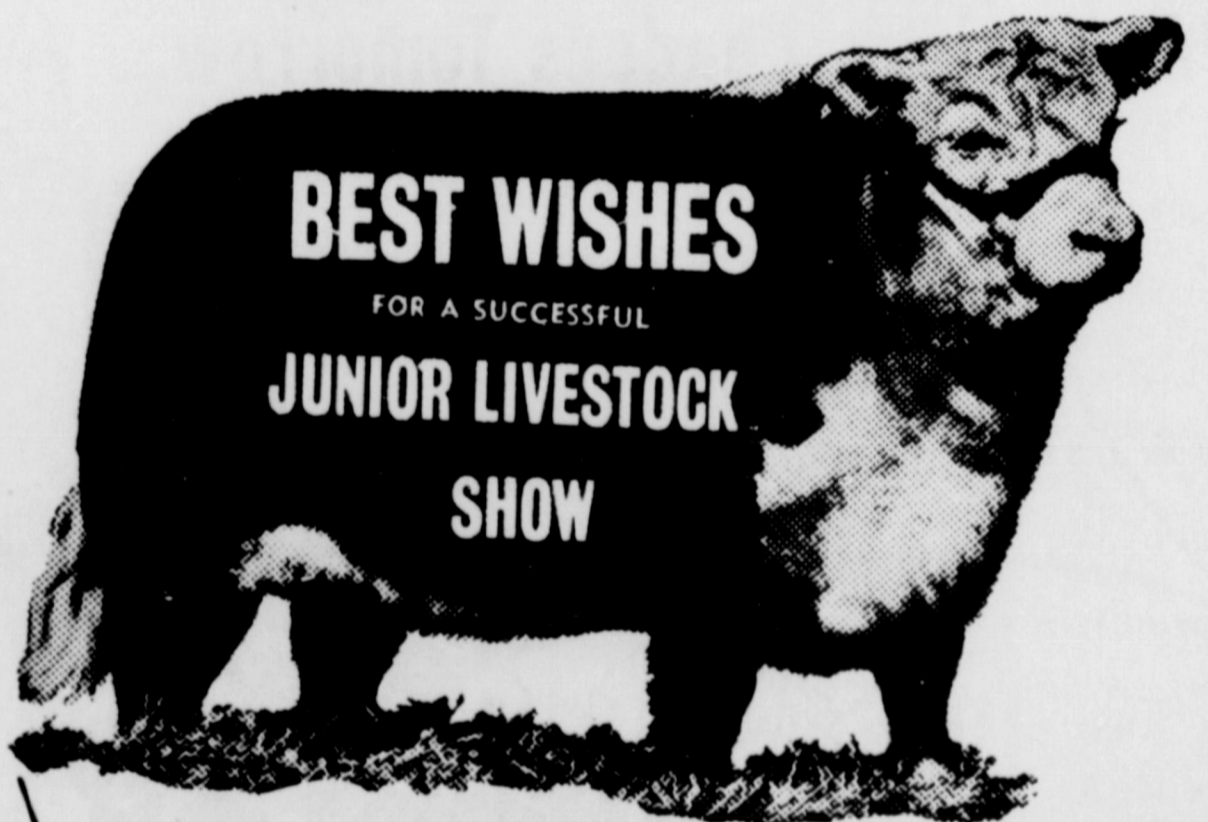
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2. GENE SMITH, Lazbuddie ..... NK 280 ... 9427 Lb./A

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## Local Students Receive Measles Vaccine

Dorothy Wood, School Nurse for the Springlake-Earth Schools, announced that 160 elementary students and three pre-schoolers received their measles vaccine Friday.

Thirty-four first graders received the vaccine along with 24, second; 26, third; 35, fourth; 26, fifth grade and 12 special education students. The vaccinations were given via the new ped-o-jet gun rather than with needles. In order to receive the vaccine each child had to have a permit signed by his parents.

Darrel Morris of the immunization section of the State Health Department and Mary Miller, District Migrant Health Nurse, both of Lubbock were on hand to aid Mrs. Wood in giving a vaccine.



RESERVE GUARDS-Did an outstanding performance Tuesday night. Wolverettes pictured are no. 53, Janice Bridge; no. 25 Jan Blackburn and no. 35, Jody Angeley. Bovina forwards are

Hutto no. 24, who had 24 points for the night and Bronowsky and Griffity.

## Supply Of College Graduates To Equal Demand But

COLLEGE STATION, ---If you complete a college education, a job awaits-if you are in the right profession.

Mrs. Wanda Meyer, Extension home management specialist, reports that although 1966 and 1975 projections predict the demand for college educated workers will balance the supply, an imbalance within professions is expected.

There will not be enough physicians, dentists, engineers and physical scientists, she reports from a Department of Labor survey. A surplus of school teachers, mathematicians and life scientists is expected.

About 6.2 million college graduates will be needed by 1975. Professional and technical fields will call for 4.3 million; managerial occupations .9 million; sales and

clerical .7 million and .3 million will be needed in other fields.

Nation's colleges and universities are expected to confer about 6.5 million bachelor and first professional degrees over the nine-year period, says the Texas A&M University specialist. About 1.7 million master's degrees and doctorates are expected to be conferred from June 1966 to June 1974, more

## '69 Census Of Agriculture Will Require Good Records

COLLEGE STATION, ---Farm and ranch operators will need good records for the 1969 census of agriculture, according to James Mallett, Extension farm management specialist at Texas A&M University.

The farm census will be taken by questionnaires mailed out in January of 1970 to be completed and returned by mail. Response is required by law and information for each farm will be entirely confidential.

The census will ask for amounts spent for feed, fertilizer, pesticides, lime, gasoline, livestock, livestock and poultry. Other information will include size of the farm, age of the operator, value of farm products sold, off farm employment, income from recreational use of

the farm and numerous other items.

Mallett emphasized that good records are also essential to today's commercial farmer. Top management required for success with narrow profit margins in agriculture must rely on complete and accurate information about the farm or ranch business.

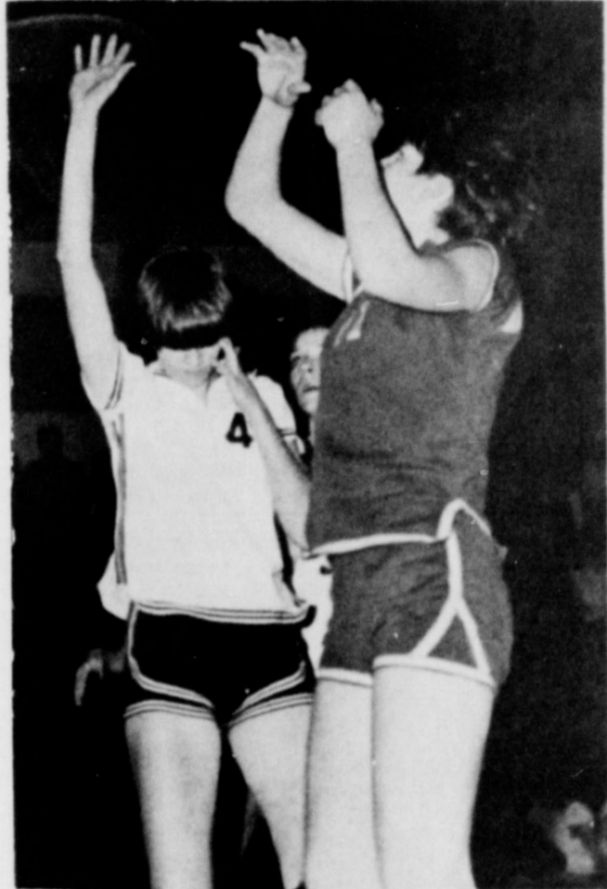
There are two kinds of farm and ranch records, according to Mallett--financial records and production records. Financial records are used to make tax records, analyze the performance of the farm, and establish a basis for credit and other services.

Production records combined with financial records can be used to determine the profitability of each practice or enterprise. Production records in-

clude yields per acre, weaning weights of calves or pigs, milk production per cow, percent calf drop, the cost of producing a unit of output and other measures of production efficiency. Good farm records alone will not insure success. Even the best farm records are of little value if they are not used, said Mallett.

"The Lord helps those who help themselves. All others should contact the government."--A. J. Hudson, The Olustee (Okla.) Chief.

"No American is so heartless that he won't help a person in need."--Bill Trimble, Editor, The Ellicottville (N.Y.) Post.



OH MY! OH MY!-Another two points for the Wolverettes, she says as Vicky Gregory scores. Vicky had a total of 25 points Tuesday night against the Bovina girls.

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## Students Prepare For Spelling Bee

Seven Springlake-Earth Students are preparing for the school spell-down that will take the winner to Lubbock and the 15th Annual Avalanche - Journal Spelling Bee.

Three sixth grade students, Lisa Clayson, Stacy Koeninger, and Quency Lewis; and three seventh graders, Marianne Messer, Gay Ellis and Becky Pittman are preparing for the school championship spell-down set for next month. Alvin Mitchell, counselor for the local schools is working with the students.

Two representatives from the local school will participate in the county bee at Littlefield on April 19 in the District Court Room at Littlefield.

Judge Pat Boone will serve as pronouncer and Mrs. Linton Smith alternate pronouncer.

The county winner will then be eligible to participate in the spelling bee at Lubbock where the winner will receive a trip to Washington D.C. and will be entered in the National Spelling Bee.



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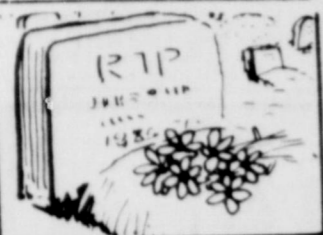
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### Cub Scouts Prepare For Banquet

Cub Scouts, den 4, met Monday afternoon to continue preparations for the Blue and Gold Banquet slated for February 24. Steve Byers led in the opening ceremonies. The den made corsages for their mothers using the tips of Egg Cartons. They also constructed placemats for the tables forming miniature Scouts. Bryant Taylor served refreshments of candy bars to Steve Byers, Donnie Weil, Ray Van Banks and den mother, Mrs. Bert Weil.



PREACHER SEZ HE AIN'T PUSHIN' LIFE INSURANCE AS MUCH AS FIRE INSURANCE.



M. NANCE-Lost the rebound to the Mustang in this action Tuesday night.

### County 4 - H Club Members Lewis Shows Reserve To Exhibit In Houston Champion Lamb At El Paso

4-H Clubbers from Lamb County will exhibit livestock in the Junior Division at the 1969 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, to be held February 19 through March 2.

They are G. Lichte, Kenan Lichte, Gary Lichte, Tracy Bowling, Don Templeton, David Templeton, Dean Walden, Brad Walden, Bruce Bridges, Chesna Dickenson, Gale Long, Marlos May, Rodney Logsdon, Danny Carter, Stephanie Carter, Dyke Gaston, Welda Barton, Cheryl and Marietta Carter.

FFA and 4-H Club exhibitors will be competing for premiums in excess of \$13,000.

These premiums will be divided among exhibitors of 10 beef breeds, 4 dairy breeds, 11 sheep breeds, 5 horse breeds, 5 rabbit breeds, Angora goats, 22 poultry breeds and 5 swine breeds.

In addition, \$38,400 in calves will be presented in the world's largest calf scramble and Texas farm youth will take home an estimated \$131,225 in auction premiums above market value.

The largest number of entries ever, indicates tough competition for the championships, and the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo will have the largest Junior Show in its history, general manager E. C. "Dick" Weekley predicts.

Stars for the Rodeo are: Roy Rogers and Dale Evans, appearing February 19-21; Wayne Newton, February 22-24; The Nashville Sound, starring Boots Randolph and Sonny James, February 25-26; Jimmy Dean, February 27-28, and Jim Nabors as Gomer Pyle March 1-2.

Kent Lewis, a Springlake-Earth 4-H'er, showed the Reserve Champion lamb at the Scout-western International Livestock Show held in El Paso February 1-9.

Courtesy Chevrolet of El Paso purchased the 96 pound, fine wool Reserve Champion for \$2,500. Lewis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Lewis. The Grand Champion Steer of the show went to a 1007 pound heavy weight angus steer belonging to Merleta Carter of Littlefield. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carter. The Grand Champion Steer sold for \$2,750 a pound.

Other county winners are listed below: David Templeton-second middle weight angus; Don Templeton, twenty-second middle-weight hereford; Jennifer Templeton, fifth middleweight angus; Bruce Bridges tenth heavy-

weight hereford and eight middle weight angus; Brad Bridges, fifteenth lightweight angus calf and fifteenth lightweight hereford calf.

Mark Nicholson-second lightweight angus, Bruce Nicholson-sixth lightweight angus; Stephanie Carter-fifth heavy weight angus; Danny Carter-ninth heavy weight angus. Sharla Cook-tenth middle-weight angus and sixteenth middle weight hereford; Rodney Logsdon-fourteenth lightweight hereford; Carrie Logsdon-fifteenth lightweight angus; Gary Lichte-twelfth, lightweight angus and thirteenth heavy weight hereford. Ken Lichte-ninth middleweight angus and fifteenth middle weight hereford; Gall Lichte - second middleweight hereford heifer; Cheryl Carter-seventh heavy weight angus and eleventh heavy weight angus.



He has put eternity into man's mind.—(Eccles. 3:11).

We are in reality slaves of time. Sometimes we waste hours and days, yet fret, and feel hounded and pressured by the loss of even a few minutes. Yet, God has given man eternity. Man has splintered this gift into minutes, hours, days, months, and years. Although we live in the eternal now, participate in today to the full. Then you will remain a vital part of the present.

#### ATTEND CHURCH SUNDAY

Kent Lewis-fifteenth Hampshire lamb and seventeenth Hampshire lamb; Sheila Lewis-fifth fine wool lightweight lamb.

## TV SCHEDULE

<b>KCRD - TV CHANNEL 11</b> Lubbock, Texas C Denotes Color	10:30-Tonight Show-C 12:00-New Mexico Report-C 12:15-Sign Off	6:30-Walt Disney-C 7:30-Childrens Letters to God-C 8:00-Ice Capades-C 9:00-My Friend Tony
<b>THURSDAY</b> January 30	<b>SATURDAY</b> February 1 7:00-Roy Rogers 8:00-Super Six-C 8:30-Top Cat-C 9:00-Flinstone-C 9:30-Banana Splits Adventure Hour-C 10:30-Underdog-C 11:00-Storybook Squares-C 11:30-Untamed World-C 12:00-Huckleberry Finn-C 1:30-New Mexico Outdoors-C 1:00-Dick Powell 2:00-SW Conference Basketball SMU and Arkansas 4:00-Shell's World of Golf-C 5:00-Championship Bowling-C 5:30-Huntley-Brinkley-C 6:00-Evening Report-C 6:30-Adam 12 - C 7:00-Get Smart - C 7:30-Ghost and Mrs. Muir-C 8:00-Movie-Ambush Bay, Hugh O'Brien, Mickey Rooney, 10:15-Final Report-C 10:45-Movie-Winchester 73, James Stewart, Shelley Winters, Dan Durva 12:15-New Mexico Report-C 12:30-Sign off	10:00-Final Report-C 10:30-Tonight-C 12:00-New Mexico Report-C 12:15-Sign Off
<b>FRIDAY</b> January 31	<b>SUNDAY</b> February 2	<b>MONDAY</b> February 3
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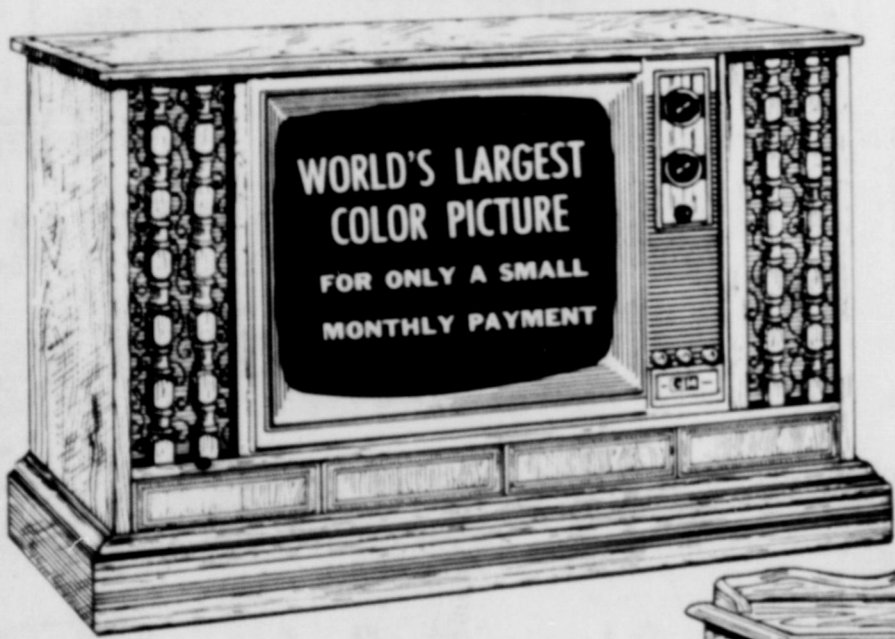
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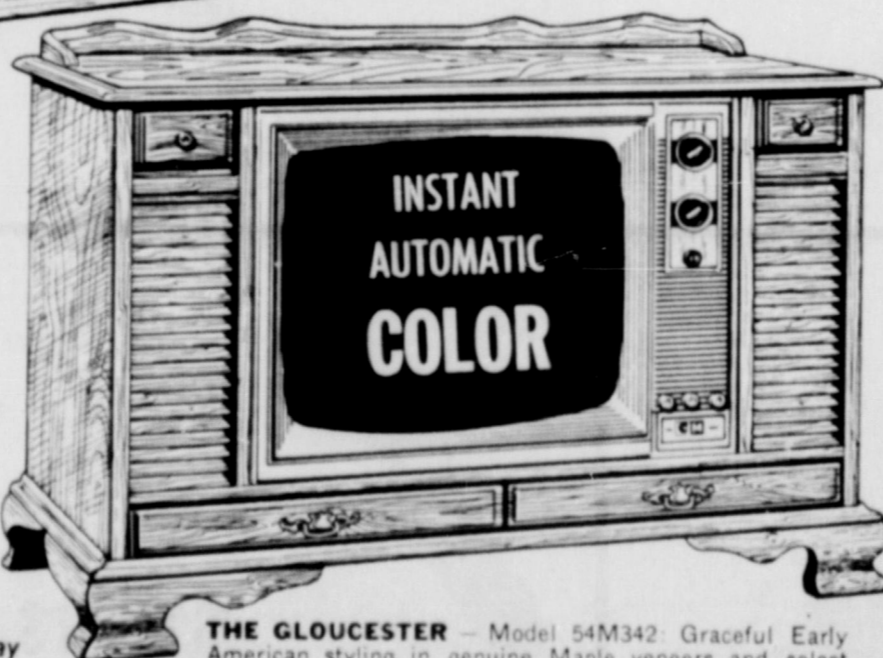
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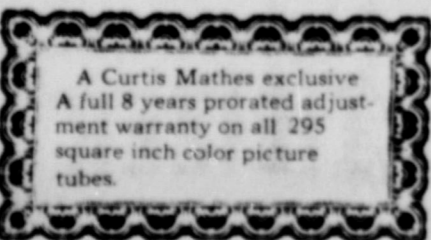


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## Sunnyside News...

By Tenny Bowder.

The first YWA white Bible Ceremony for the Sunnyside Baptist Church was presented before the church Wednesday night during the prayer meeting hour. The ceremony was in honor of Ann Spencer who will be married to Chuck Lay of Dimmitt in the near future. Mrs. E. R. Sadler, WMU Director, Mrs. Bob Ott, YWA Leader, and all the YWA girls took parts in the ceremony.

Bobby Stewart lead the congregation in the song, "Thy Word Is A Lamb To My Feet." Mrs. Roy Pielan led in prayer. Mrs. Weldon Bradley assistant YWA leader was at the organ throughout the ceremony and Mrs. Gale Sadler at the piano. Bobby Stewart lit the candles which outlined the platform with a holder of three candles in the center of the stage.

Mrs. Ott lit her candle from the central candles and the YWA girls and WMU director formed a circle around Ann, Janis Bridge, the YWA president, lit her candle and gave the message of encouragement from the YWA's. Then each girl lit a colored candle symbolic of the various moods of a marriage. They explained what each color stood for.

Together they sang "Bless This House." Then Mrs. Ott gave to Ann the challenge of a Christian home. Mrs. Sadler then presented the white bride's bible to Ann and continued the challenge bringing out the events that take place in building a home. After each of her statements the YWA girls answered in unison "Thy Word is a Lamp To My Feet". Rev. Mack Turner led the benediction. The girls taking part were Sandy Louder, Debra Ball, Debbie and Denise Morgan, Janis Bridge, Terry Crisp, and Naomi Carr.

A reception followed in fellowship hall with refreshments furnished by the WMS ladies. Ann had enough credits to graduate at mid-term, but lacked 1/2 credit in civics which is a required subject. She plans to get the 1/2 credit by correspondence, and then come back and graduate with her class in May.

Wagon Spencer, Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner, and Mrs. L. B. Bowden went to the Golden Spread nursing home in Dimmitt Monday night and Noah showed the slides of the residents of the home, and a few more of HemisFair and Scenic slides made in the mountains of New Mexico.

Mrs. Thomas Parson's sister who married Mr. Parson's brother had major surgery in Methodist hospital in Lubbock Monday. She was still in the in-

tensive care unit Wednesday. The Thomas Parsons have been with them most of the week.

Mokey Ivey was admitted to Plains Memorial hospital in Dimmitt Monday with the flu or a virus, and was given fluid intravenously to correct the dehydration. He was dismissed Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike King and Michael Irving visited Monday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Irving King.

Mrs. Theima McClanahan was honored in her home by her daughter, Mrs. Bill Matlock last Thursday morning with a birthday coffee. Nine ladies were guests at the coffee.

Lesla Morgan and Renee Jones were on the Springlake-Earth 8th grade "B" honor roll for the third six weeks.

Mrs. Carl Bradley was named Queen of the year at the TOPS Club meeting in Earth last Thursday evening. She received a National award for the best loss in 1968 in division IV, and will also be awarded an expense paid trip to the state convention in Houston April 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lilley returned home from Kerville Tuesday evening after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Arledge. They came back by Big Springs and visited with Raymond Lilley and other relatives. They left last Sunday morning.

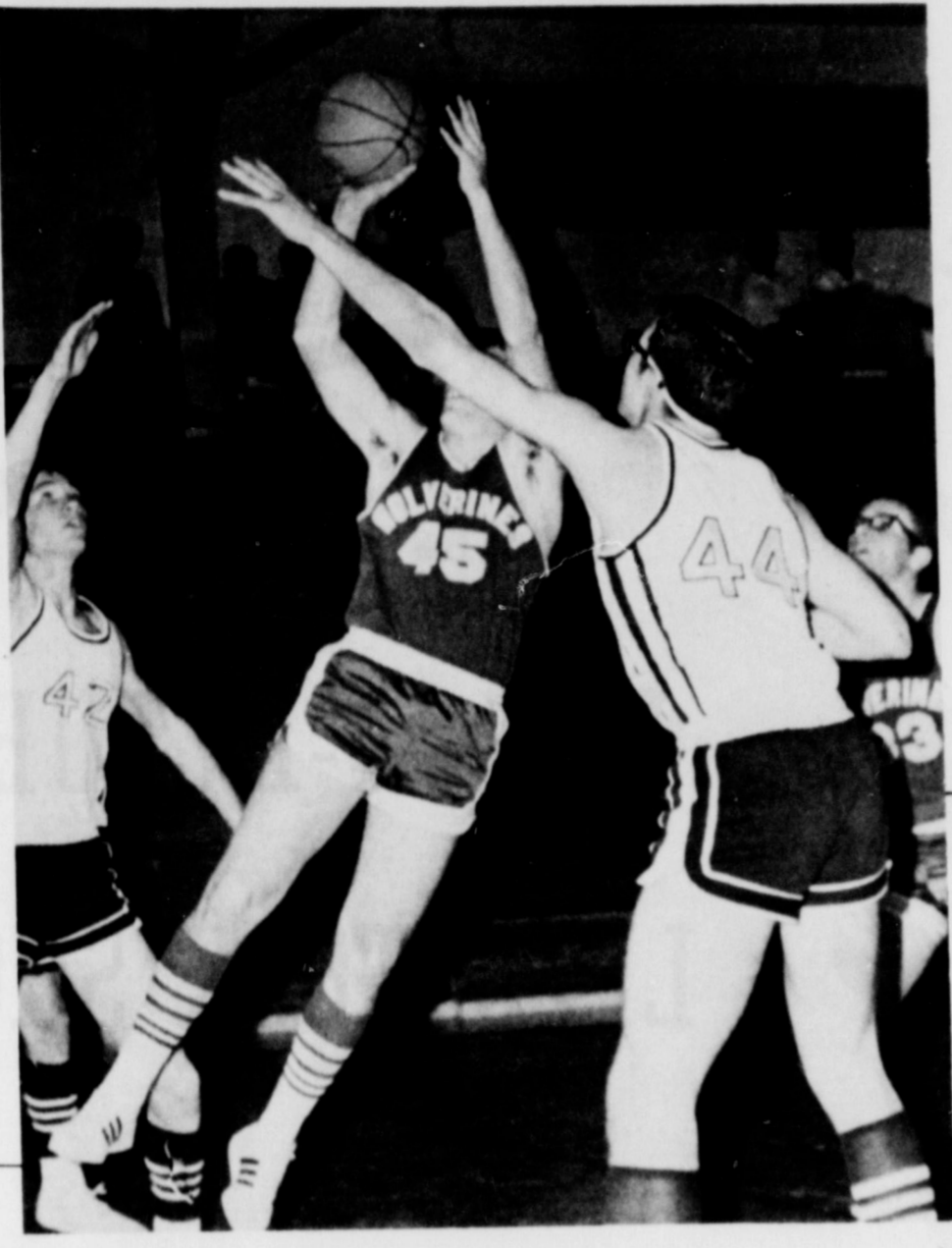
Raymond Lilley made a trip Wednesday and another Thursday to move his things to Big Springs. Mrs. Raymond Lewis of Olton came over both days to help, and Donnie made both trips to Big Springs with him returning home Friday. They will live on a farm near Big Springs and she will drive into town each day to teach school, instead of living in town.

Terry Crisp, Naomi Carr, Debbie Curtis, Debbie Morgan and Marsha Dawson were among the 48 Springlake-Earth seniors who were honored by the Earth Church of Christ with a luncheon Wednesday.

The WMS met Wednesday night for the General Society program. Mrs. L. B. Bowden brought up some WMU business before the program since the director was helping the YWA's to prepare for their program.

Mrs. Doug Louder, Lyle and Dara and Mrs. Alton Louder visited in Littlefield Thursday with Mrs. Lowell Westmoreland, Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Durham of Lubbock visited Thursday with Rev. and Mrs. Mack Turner and several at Bradley's butane.

Arthur Wilson received word, Thursday that his brother, Vernon Wilson died suddenly of a



WOLVERINE RESERVES-Got a good workout Tuesday night against Bovina as coach Dallas Clyne used all the boys during the game. Attempting to make a lay-up is Terry Bridge, no. 45, No. 33 is Kelley Earl O'Hair.

near attack in Dallas. He was 50 years of age. They brought his body back to Seymour for burial Friday. They and the Glenn Wilsons attended the services. While they were still there his brother-in-law of Wichita Falls died unexpectedly of a heart attack. He too was brought back to Seymour for the funeral services Saturday. He was 56. The Wilsons returned home Sunday night.

Mrs. Bob Ott and possibly others of the community visited with Mrs. Arthur Barton Thursday afternoon after hearing of Mr. Barton's death about 1:00 Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Louder, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Axtell, Mrs. Bob Ott and others attended his funeral services in Earth Saturday afternoon. He was buried in the Springlake Cemetery.

Mrs. W. E. Louder received word Saturday evening that her oldest brother, Johnnie, had passed away in the Breckendridge hospital. He had cancer of the liver, but had been hospitalized only since last Tuesday and did not know it until that time. Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bowden went as far as Snyder Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler, Leslie Louder and Sandy, and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Kirby of Dimmitt left Sunday morning to attend the funeral services Sunday afternoon. All returned home Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Louder stayed with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Louder who were unable to go.

Mrs. James Powell and children of Dimmitt visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Louder, Ramona Dones, Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler and Mrs. L. B. Bowden Thursday afternoon. James joined them and they had supper with the Ezell Sadlers Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sadler came in Friday evening from Lubbock for the weekend. They spent the day Sunday in Hereford with her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Payne and girls of Big Springs arrived Friday evening to spend the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Duke, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Duke and family. The Dukes received word from their daughter this week that they had had 50 inches of snow recently from a three-

## Farmers Slow To Sign Up On Feed Diversion Program

Farmers in Lamb County are currently signing up in the feed, grain and wheat programs. Final day for signing is March 21. Last week almost 250 farmers declared their intentions.

In the 1969 ASCA Program, farmers can divert up to 50 per cent of their feed, grain and wheat allotment and draw price support payments for the percentage of acreage not planted. According to Lamar Aten ASCA office manager, about 85 per cent of Lamb County farmers are expected to divert part of their feed allotment.

"Fewer farmers will participate in the feed diversion as it goes along," Aten said. "The participation goes down as the number of feeding operations increase."

Aten said this is the first year there has been a noticeable change since the program started. According to Aten, grain prices were 10 cents per hundred weight higher north of the sandhills where there are more cattle, especially in Castro and Packer Counties.

Aten attributed the slow sign-up to the fact that no advance payments are being made at the time the farmers come in. When the ASCS office gets the word to start writing checks, he said, the first ones signing up will be paid first.

"We need to be averaging 250 farmers per day to get all the farmers signed up before the deadline," Aten said. "If they

all wait until the last day, we can't get them processed in time," he said.

Aten said the ginner are still guessing about the numbers of acres that will be planted in cotton this year.

There is no diversion on the cotton program this year. The farmers can plant from 65 per cent to 100 per cent of their cotton allotment and still draw the same amount of money, however.

If the farmer chooses to plant below 65 per cent of his allotment he will be paid for the acreage he plants. Aten said Lamb County farmers probably will plant 90 to 95 per cent of their full allotment. That five to 10 undetermined percentages can shake the figures up, he added.

In the past, farmers have always planted all the cotton they are authorized to plant when there is an allotment, Aten said. Lamb County has 187,431 acres which can be planted in cotton. Two factors which may determine how many acres are planted in cotton are lack of water and the early frost in the northern part of the county. Farmers affected by these situations may decide to try soybeans or castor beans, according to the ASCS manager.

When total payments are made this fall the Lamb County ASCS office will have paid \$14,300,000 to the farmers for the 1969 program.

## Accurate Records Needed On Farm Labor

COLLEGE STATION.--The minimum wage for hired farm workers went up from \$1.15 to \$1.39 per hour on February 1, 1969, according to James I. Mallett, farm management specialist of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Farm employers who used more than 500 man-days of farm labor in any calendar quarter of the preceding year are required to pay the minimum wage during 1969. Immediate family members and hand harvest pieceworkers who commute from their own home and worked less than 13 weeks in the preceding calendar year are not included in the man-day count, Mallett says.

A man-day, for determining the 500 man-day count, is any day an employee worked one hour or more. Each 7-day period during which an employee worked one hour or more on one or more days is counted as one week for the 13-week test.

Certain employees are not covered by the minimum wage. These include immediate family members, hand harvest pieceworkers who commute daily and worked less than 13 weeks in agriculture during the previous year, migrant minors 16 years old and under who do hand harvest piecework paid at the same rate as their parents on the same farm, and workers primarily engaged in the range production of livestock.

Accurate records are required by the Department of Labor for employers currently under the minimum wage and those who could reasonably expect to be under the minimum wage in the future. Additional information and specific interpretation of the law are available from the Regional Director, Wage and Hour Public Contracts Division, U. S. Department of Labor, 411 N. Akard, Dallas, Texas, advises Mallett.

This spring, footwear is in soft pastels such as apricot, yellow, aqua and dawn pink, and in light neutrals such as champagne, wicker beige, mushroom and straw-colored leghorn, reports Dr. Graham Hard, Extension Clothing specialist.

## Specialist Reports '69 Lamps Will Be Modern

COLLEGE STATION.--For several years many European designers have criticized American home furnishings designs for lagging behind technology, but lamps for 1969 may prove them wrong.

Bonny Lay, Extension home furnishings specialist, reports that modern-styled and space age produced lamps will replace the old.

The Birthday club honored Mrs. Hamilton of Earth with a birthday party in her home Friday afternoon. Those attending were: Mrs. R. E. Duke, Mrs. Ray Axtell, Mrs. Irving King, Mrs. Roy Phelan, Mrs. Cecil Curtis, Mrs. R. V. Bills and Mrs. J. E. Shirey.

Mrs. Mack Turner, Mrs. Bill Morgan and Mrs. Alford Crisp took the Junior GA's to Springlake to a meeting Saturday afternoon.

place take period, comfortable, shade-on-base lamps of grandmother's era.

Lamps need to be designed to fulfill their function, and not be simply decorative objects as fringed trimmed lamps for bedtables and fancy dangling glass chandeliers were, explains the Texas A & M University specialist.

Many of the functional ones of tomorrow will probably be taking on the look of art objects, with an abundance of sculptural-like designs.

Plastics will replace traditional shades and bases. Mrs. Lay says other material combinations will include enameled metal, chrome, glass and wood.

The no-color or neutrals as chrome, black, white and smoke will be common with the introduction of wet-look blues, cranberries and curries.

## Save Food Money, Buy Specials

COLLEGE STATION--Save on this week's food bill with these tips from Gwendolyn Clyatt, Extension consumer marketing specialist.

Retail beef prices are about the same as last week and most markets are featuring various cuts at special prices for the weekend. The Texas A&M specialist suggests checking the counter for family preferences.

Watch your newspapers for best beef values on chuck roasts and steaks, ground beef, round steaks and roasts. Pork values include end-cut lion roasts and chops, picnics, hams and shoulder roasts and steaks.

Fryers remain an excellent choice in most retail meat departments and grade A large size eggs offer the best combination of quality and economy for your egg money, according to Mrs. Clyatt.

Fresh fruit and vegetable items in best supply at the most economical prices include oranges, grapefruit, bananas, apples, potatoes, head lettuce, celery, cabbage, carrots, salad tomatoes, dry yellow onions, cauliflower and green onions.

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### My Neighbors

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Take advantage of weekend food specials to save on the grocery bill. But, warns Gwendolyn Clyatt, Extension consumer marketing specialist, know the regular prices of food items to recognize a good value.

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SENIOR FORWARD-Marsha Dawson, no. 21, scored 19 points against Bovina Tuesday night.

### News From Here And There

By Tuh Watson

The Lazbuddie Young Homemakers Club will have a spaghetti supper the evening of February 14 in the school cafeteria. The supper will be served from 5:30 to 7:30. Admission is \$1.00 for a plate. 50¢ for children under 12. Proceeds will go to send a girl to Girls State at Austin. Donations are accepted. The girl that will go has not been named as of this date. After attending the meeting in Austin she will give talks on her trip to other inform members of the Young Homemakers Club about the Girls State School at Austin.

Congratulations to Scotty Windham Lazbuddie Advisor and the group of FFA and 4-H club members on their fine winnings at the Fat Stock Show in El Paso. Going were: Loy Dale Clark, Brad and Stan Treider, Scott Brown, Johnny Jones, Ricky and Thressa Seaton, Randy Bush, also Mr. and Mrs. Ted Treider and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Seaton.

Mrs. Jack Smith and her mother, Mrs. McCurdie visited the past weekend in Sweetwater with the Smith's daughter and family the Jerry McKenseys.

Recent guests in the Riley Goodnough home were Mr. and Mrs. Bud Stinson from Kermitt. Mrs. Stinson is Mrs. Goodnough's sister. An aunt, Mrs. Minnie

Mosley from Tulla and Mrs. Goodnough's brother E. B. Shouts from Roswell were also weekend visitors in the Goodnough home.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Wilmett, Lubbock visited Sunday with her sister and husband the Raymond Houston, and Mrs. Wilmett's son Airman Steve Jones who has been visiting the Houston the past several days.

Funeral services for Anna Schmitz, 77, the mother of Mrs. Lucy Jasco, Lazbuddie were held in Canyon, January 30. Anna Schmitz was formerly a resident of Canyon but had been a patient in the Kings Manor Nursing home, Hereford the past four years. Mrs. Schmitz died Tuesday January 28 in the home.

Birthday Greetings go to Elaine Cargile, Charlie Gustin, Sandra Lee and Sarah Lou Stroud, Craig Schumann, Pauletta Templeton, Kent Hargroves, Gary Coker, Nancy Putman, Jackie Seaton, Kim White, Jeannie McGehee, Frances Oliver, Jimmie Robinson, Cooper Young, Thomas Ramon, Jimmie Broyles, Beverly Johnson, Allison Freure, Roads Ovasia and Clevas Castro.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Bass and children, El Paso were in the area Monday visiting friends and relatives.

### Williams Visits Family - Next Stop Vietnam

PFC Roger Dale Williams, 18, returned to Earth Sunday evening to visit his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams. Williams had just completed an 8 month stay at Ft. Campbell, Kentucky and was granted a 31 day leave before beginning a tour of duty in Vietnam.

Williams lived in Earth with his grandparents a major portion of his life and calls this his home. He attended Springlake Earth High School part of his junior year before returning to Albuquerque, New Mexico where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee Williams reside.

Williams joined the Army on January 18 of last year and was sent to Ft. Bliss for eight weeks of basic training.

Ft. Huachuca, Arizona was his home for a short four weeks where he was to receive OJT (On the Job Training) in clerking. Uncle Sam had a change of heart, however and Williams was assigned to the 553 Military Police Unit at Ft. Campbell, Kentucky.

After visiting the week with his grandparents, Williams will return to Albuquerque. He is scheduled to leave Oakland, California on March 15 and will arrive in Saigon on March 20th.

### Three From County Entered In Contest

The Lamb County Soil and Water Conservation District has entered the Fort Worth Press competition in hopes of being named Outstanding District and copping the \$1,000 prize offered for the first place winner. Three hundred dollars goes to the district champ in each of the five regions.

Joe Blevins, district conservationist, said the district competition is one of three entries made in the Fort Worth Press contest which ends February 15.

Eldon Golke has been entered in the state competition for the best conservation farmer or rancher. Earlier this year he was named "Outstanding Conservation Farmer of the Year" by the Lamb County Conservation District.

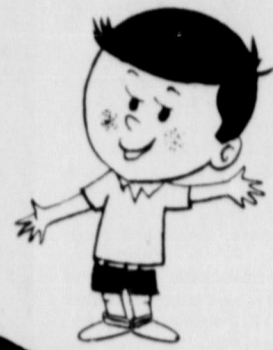
The winner of the best conservation farmer in the Fort Worth Press contest will be presented with a silver service and plaques will be given to the five regional champions.

Bill Clayton of Springlake is the nominee for the "Water Conservation" award in the press competition. A plaque will be presented to the Texan who is awarded for outstanding service in water conservation.

#### PARTY LINE

Mrs. R. S. Cole and Gary Davis, and Mrs. Alice Martin visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cole in Olton and Mrs. Gay Kimbrough in the Littlefield Hospital Monday.

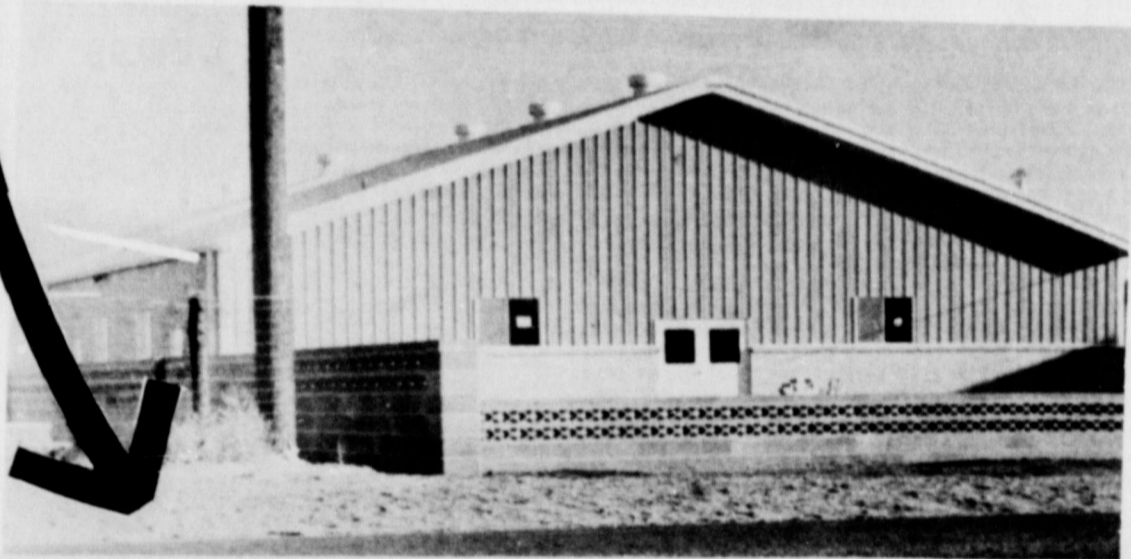
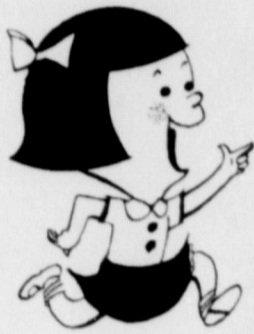
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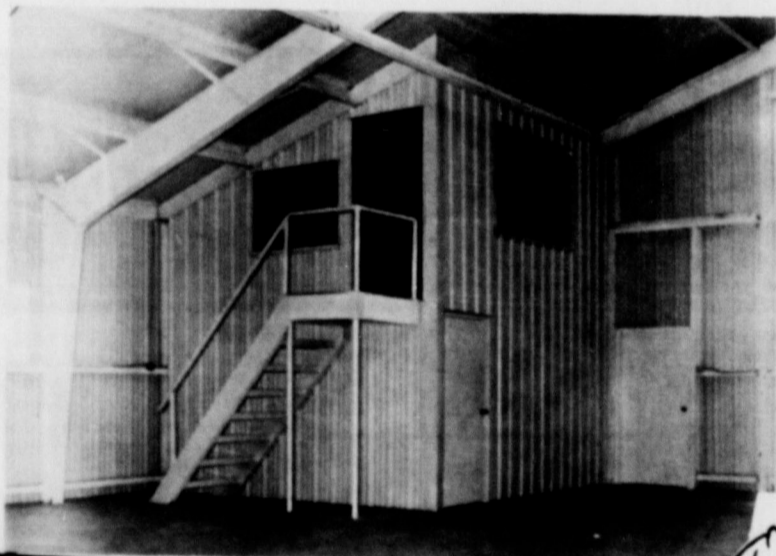
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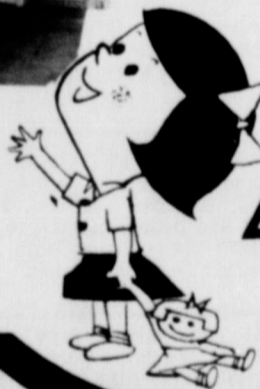


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