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Rodeo Begins Today With Downtown Parade

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★ **NOSIN...** ★
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Earth's big 23rd annual rodeo will begin Thursday (today) and end on Saturday, July 15. Performances of the rodeo will start at 8:30 p. m. Thursday through Saturday.

The activities will be kicked-off with a downtown parade at 4 p. m. today. Prizes will be awarded for the best floats, and trophies will be presented to the top three riding clubs. The prizes and trophies will be given by the Earth Chamber of Commerce.

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Don Layman has been elected as parade marshal.

Admission will be \$1.50 for adults and 75¢ for children.

There's never a dull minute living in this small town of Earth. . . . And by the way, if the populus of larger towns have any more to do actively per capita than we small town folks, then I sure 'nuf don't wanta live in a metropolitan area. . . as it takes more than just a little doing here to keep from meeting yourself coming back.

This week, Thursday, is the rodeo parade, followed by a pancake supper and rodeo performance. The rodeo continues through Saturday night. Like always, getting better every night. By the way, if you doubt my word, you'd better attend every night to see if I'm right.

The Earth rodeo usually pulls in over 3000 spectators. . . . and by the way, is the only thing about Lamb County mentioned in the U. S. Almanac.

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Following the rodeo, on Tuesday night the local Lions are "putting on the dog" by throwing a big Lion banquet in order to celebrate their twenty years of active service to the community, which they loyally support.

The Lions are inviting Lions from over the entire region and expect to have a large attendance.

There are, at present, only two charter members of the local Lions Club on the roll today. They are Jarvis Angeley and Norman Hinchliffe, both devoted to service, and if I may use the old saying, "rotten to the core" with only a minor change, I would describe the two as "Lions to the core."

On Thursday night the Businessmen's Association has arranged for a speaker that everyone interested in the growth and progress of this area will want to hear.

He will give out factual information pertaining to ways and means of obtaining industry for small towns.

Like I say, it's a busy little place, if you want some place to go, there's always something going on, that needs the attention of area folks.

FHA To Sell Ice Cream Thursday During Parade

Members of the local Future Homemakers of America Chapter will sell homemade ice cream and brownies Thursday afternoon during and after the parade. The project was set in motion to raise money for various projects of the local group during the year.

Included in these projects is the adoption of a child in one of the foreign countries. The group provides clothing and food for the child after adoption.

The three ice cream selling stations will be located at the La Casa Motel, Citizens State Bank and City Drug.

Bookmobile To Be In Area Today

The High Plains Bookmobile will be in the Earth-Springlelake area on Thursday, July 20, and in Pleasant Valley on July 21.

The schedule for the bookmobile is to arrive in Springlake at 11 a. m. Thursday and remain until noon. At 1 p. m. the bookmobile is slated to begin checking out books in Earth, where it will remain until 4 p. m.

On Friday the bookmobile will stay from 11 to 12 noon at the Pleasant Valley community building for the convenience of readers of that community.

BULLETIN

Mrs. Edd O'Hair died Wednesday about 4:15 p. m. in the Littlefield Hospital. She was admitted Tuesday for tests. No funeral arrangement had been made at press time Wednesday.

BIRTHDAY BANQUET 7:30 P. M. Earth Lions Club To Celebrate 20th Anniversary Tuesday July 18

Members of the Earth Lions Club will celebrate their 20th anniversary on Tuesday, July 18, with a banquet at 7:30 p. m. in the school cafeteria.

Approximately 300 are expected to attend as representatives from Lions clubs throughout the region have been invited to attend.

Included on the list of activities for Tuesday is the regular noon day luncheon, followed by the combined Ladies' Night-Anniversary Banquet. R. A. Lipscomb, Lubbock, past International Director, will be guest speaker for the banquet.

Norman Hinchliffe, president of the local Lions, will be master of ceremonies for the anniversary banquet. The invocation will be given by M. B. Baldwin, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Earth.

M. E. Kelley, one of the two charter members of the local club, will introduce the guests. Presentation of perfect attendance awards will be given.

Presentation of the coveted "Lion of the Year Award" will be made by Deputy District Governor, Jarvis Angeley, the other only charter member of the local club.

An intended townsman, "The Poppashae", from Springlake, will furnish entertainment for the Lions and their guests.

Announcement will be made by Supt. Bill Mann.

District Governor, Charles King of Lamesa, will introduce guest speaker, Mr. Lipscomb.

The club was organized and chartered in June 1947. There were 45 members at that time.

Roy Neal served as the club's first president. Those serving in that capacity since that time include: Sam Cearley, Earl Miller, Jarvis Angeley, Paul Wood, Delmer McCarty, W. H. Braden, C. H. Lemons, Reed Yandell, Marvin Ellis, Bill Mann, Ross Middleton, Carl Meadows, Leon Dent, Rex Clayton, Phil Raught, Carroll McDonald, Roger Haberer, Fred Clayton and Norman Hinchliffe.

The Lions, a service club, have been responsible for purchasing glasses for the needy in the community. They also have supplied baskets of food for Christmas dinners to several senior citizens, shut-in and needy families, as well as contributing to the Crippled Children's Home and many other service projects in the community.



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Lions Club President



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Local Club Secretary and Deputy District Governor

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Mayor Asks Citizens Cooperation

Mayor E. C. Kelley said Tuesday night the city is doing everything possible to exterminate the stray dogs in the town.

"However," he said, "we receive additional complaints almost daily, about stray dogs gathering in people's yards or turning over trash cans in the alleys."

Kelley said since the town could not afford a full time dog catcher to be on call light hours each day, he would suggest city residents to cooperate by doing one of two things: either try to tie up the dog and hold it captive until someone from the city hall could get there, or if they knew who the dog belonged to, they could file a complaint, and in so doing, the city could help them out.

Kelley said that several people had called the city hall requesting them to mow their vacant lots. This service will be offered as soon as property owners clean off their lots, so the mower will not be damaged in the effort.

He explained that there were various things that could be accomplished in Earth with ease, if citizens would cooperate with City Dads.

Mayor Kelley also explained that local townspeople were putting rocks and limbs in the trash cans. These, he said, made it almost impossible for one man to empty.

WEST TEXAS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MAN Industrial Development Representative To Speak At Businessmen's Meet July 20

The Businessmen's Association will have a representative of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce as guest speaker, when they meet at 8 p. m. on Thursday, July 20, at the community building.

The speaker, Mr. Street, is well equipped with facts and examples of how little towns may go about securing industry.

Street is currently assigned to the Industrial Development Board, working in cooperation with the Texas Industrial Commission in Austin. He will have available, and provide the local Businessmen's Association with a list of industries that might possibly be interested in moving into the West Texas area.

He will also provide booklets and other aids, dealing with facts on how to go about pulling industry into a small town, including scope to raise and examples.

This well informed speaker should justify a large audience of interested businessmen and area farmers at the meeting Thursday, July 20, at 8 p. m. Everyone is welcome to attend these meetings, whether a member or not.

Vicki Hyde of Plainview is spending this week visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hyde of Earth.

COFC To Assist With Industry Promotion

At a regular meeting of the Earth Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture Friday morning, the group voted to ask the newly organized Businessmen's Association to act as the Industrial Development Board for the chamber. The chamber will assist in any way possible to bring in new industry for the town.

Applications for membership in the recently formed Water, Inc., representing a three state area, can be secured at the local chamber office.

A letter recently received from the Greenbelt Bowl was read. The letter mentioned that Doug Messer of Earth would play in the Greenbelt Bowl football game in Childress on August 12, at 7:30 p. m., as one of the all star players. The chamber voted to purchase a one page ad in the Greenbelt Bowl football programs.

Mrs. Zow Wilson, secretary for the chamber, said last Thursday that so far only four floats and four riding clubs had entered

the parade. She said several more were expected to enter before the parade at 4 p. m., Thursday. Floats entered are the Rainbow Girls, Earth Roping Club, Earth Lions and Boy Scouts.

Riding clubs entered include Cochran County 4-H Saddle Club, Hart Junior Riding Club, Muleshoe Riding Club and Abernathy Riding Club.

The chamber will present trophies to the first, second and third place winners in the riding club competition. Winning floats will receive \$15 for first place, \$10 for second, and \$5 for third place.

Those attending the meeting were President Neil Pounds, Perry Martin, Henry Lewis, Doug Parish, Tom Sanders and Leroy Willkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Inglis, of Modesto, California, arrived in Earth Friday for a four day visit with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Inglis and family. Bill is a brother of Gerald.

School Board Studies Budget, Tax Letter Responses

The Springlake-Earth School Board met Monday night in the high school building to discuss certain business problems.

Members of the Earth Fire Department met with the board to suggest installing fire plugs and other outlets on the school campus. The school board agreed to the recommendation.

Two fire plugs and two outlets will be installed soon. One of the fire plugs will be located just east of the cafeteria; the other will be in the rear of the high school building. The two outlets will be near the field house and the bus barn.

Ted Borum also went before the board to discuss problems about taxes.

During the meeting three new teachers were approved. They are A. L. and Louise Davis and Shirley Foster.

The Davis' will be teaching in the elementary department. Last year the couple were employed as teachers in Yuma, Arizona. Prior to Yuma, they had taught in El Paso eleven years. They have 27 and 28 years of teaching experience.

Shirley Foster received her B. S. Degree in elementary education from Eastern New Mexico University. Last year she taught in the Alamogordo, New Mexico, School System. At Springlake-Earth she will teach special education.

D. H. Koeninger, high school principal, was granted a two-week leave of absence for a navy tour.

Responses of people about the tax letters, sent out June 23 by the board, were reviewed.

A plan for financing the purchase of new band uniforms was studied. This plan to charge a \$10 uniform fee will go into effect on September 1. In eight to ten years the fees, plus interest, will provide enough money to buy new uniforms, but new uniforms will be needed before this period. It is hoped that the Band Boosters, as they have done in the past, will help with the expenses for new suits.

The preliminary budget of \$509,598.00 was studied. The

hearing date for the official budget will be August 14.

The possibility of the seven-hour school day was talked about, but the board decided it will probably not go into effect this year. If it does, music will be added to the schedule.

Group Returns Friday From State Workshop

Officers of the Student Council of Springlake-Earth and their sponsor, Mrs. Danny Smith, returned Friday from Dallas, following a five-day summer workshop, sponsored by the Texas Association of Student Councils. The workshop was held at the Southern Methodist University.

Purpose of the workshop was to develop the ability of Student Council representatives over the state, in order each may be better equipped to perform their leadership functions locally.

They were given a problem to solve daily. The group first made a list of possible solutions. From this list, they were asked to select the one most feasible working solution and a plan of proposal on how to accomplish results.

Local officers attending were Gary Kelley, Neal Armstrong, and Susan Britton.

There were representatives from schools located in Amarillo, Bryan, Baraburmet, Dallas, Denison, Duncanville, Earth, El Paso, Fallfurios, Garland, Graham, Grand Prairie, Houston, Humble, Hurst, Hutchins, Linden, Midland, Monahans, Otton, Perryton, Plainview, Port Arthur, Fort Neches, Quanah, San Diego, Seymour, Sherman, Silvertown, White Oak, Wichita Falls, and Dallas.

BUILDING PERMITS DROPPED DURING, WET SLOPPY WEATHER

Building permits dropped in Earth during the month of June, to an almost complete standstill with only one permit issued.

The \$2,000 permit issued was for a house moved in on West Fir Street. The permit was issued to Bill Morris.

ATTEND CHURCH SUNDAY



HANDSOME COUPLE... Wanda and Tom Sanders go all-out in their efforts to cooperate with the town during "Western Week". Each day they are dressed in a different garb, using old fashioned and western attire, even to the hair styles of yester year. If those guys and dolls of yester year were as attractive as this couple, then let's all go back to those styles.

Car And Groceries To Be Given Away At Springlake Superette

Saturday is the big day when some lucky winner will drive away from the Springlake Superette Grocery Store in a free '57 Dodge loaded with groceries valued at approximately \$200.

Jim Stephens, owner-manager, reminded area folks there were still three more days left to register.

The car will be given away at 4 p. m. Saturday. There is no obligation involved in registering, and you do not have to be present to win.

Stephens is giving away this

grand prize to show his appreciation for the continued patronage throughout the past seven years he has been in business in Springlake.

The free car is a grand prize alone, but Stephens was not content to give just the car. So he decided to fill it with groceries. The groceries valued at \$200 will include a well balanced grocery list with meats, vegetables, fruits, milk and staples.

Stephens invites the entire area to drop by and register and stop his many good buys in groceries.



MR. AND MRS. LEWIS DWIGHT CLARK
(Formerly Sherian McAlpine)

McAlpine-Clark Exchange Vows Sunday

In a lovely twin ring ceremony at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Clark Church of Earth, Miss Sherian John E. Lewis, pastor of the Rose McAlpine of Earth became the bride of Louis Dwight Clark of Olton.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. E. R. McAlpine of Earth and Mrs. E. R. McAlpine of Earth, in the First Methodist Church of Olton.

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long white lighted tapers, tied with orchid bows, decorating the altar rail. An open Bible, flanked by long white lighted tapers, decorated the altar. Two candelabras, each holding three lighted tapers, flanked by arrangements of white mums, in-



Mrs. Walker Named Tops Queen Of The Week

The Happy Losers TOPS Club met last Thursday in the high school building. Seventeen members and one visitor, Mrs. Chester Kelley, were weighed in by Mrs. C. L. Houchin, who filled in during the absence of the regular weight recorder, Mrs. Florence Gover.

A total of 151 pounds were lost with a gain of 8 1/2 pounds. Mrs. E. R. Walker was named queen of the week. She lost 8 1/2 pounds during the seven days. Mrs. Pauline Hucks, leader, led the group in new exercise games.

In the latest contest started by the club, there was no winner, as Mrs. Edith Crawford's name was drawn for a chance to win a dollar. She was not present. Next week two dollars will be given to the lady whose name is drawn, if she is eligible.

Instead of giving a fruit basket to the queen of the month, the club will pay for a new hair-do for the winner.

Following the meeting, the group met for a luncheon at the Wolverine Drive-In.

Hite Park Addition Holds Party

A "Block Party" was held for the Hite Park Addition Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Belew.

Each family that attended brought a cake and ice cream. Families attending the occasion were: the Danny Smiths, the Dean Foshees, the Bill Bryants, the Roy Neals, the Dud Chesneys, the Gene Browns, the Hugh Alexanders, the David Johnsons, the Jimmy Bitners, the V. J. Sigmans, Mrs. Lee, the Marcus Messers, the W. D. Martens, the R. K. Fennells, the Earl Jordans, Mrs. Lena Hite, and the hosts.

The group enjoyed eating cake and ice cream and visiting in the back yard.

tempered with babies'-breath, completed the decorations.

Flanist Mrs. Bob Belew and organist Joan Dawson, accompanied Mrs. Cecil Slover, as she sang "Oh Promise Me", "Whether Thou Goest" and "The Wedding Prayer".

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was lovely in a formal length wedding gown of candlelight white bridal satin, styled with an empire bodice and lovely scalloped neckline. The short bell shaped sleeves of lace were appliqued with Alencon lace and seed pearls. The fitted slim skirt was appliqued with matching Alencon lace and seed pearls at the hemline, descending up the center front panel of the skirt midway to the waistline. A chapel length train was secured at the waistline with a bow and embellished with seed pearls. Her shoulder length veil of silk illusion was attached to a crown of seed pearls. She carried a colonial bouquet of beautiful white feathered mums and carnations, tied with white velvet streamers.

Brenda O'Hair was maid of honor with Theresa Jo Vining and Debbie McAlpine, sister of the bride, as bridesmaids.

The three attendants were dressed in identical street length dresses, designed in orchid embossed satin, styled with A-line skirts, low rounded necklines and three-quarter length sleeves. They wore orchid tulle veils attached to a band of matching orchid embossed satin. They each carried a long stemmed white carnation.

Haden Hankins, Fort Worth, brother-in-law of the groom, served as best man. Groomsmen were Jerry La France, Olton, now currently stationed at Fort Riley, Kansas, and Jimmy Scherier, Olton.

Candle lighters were Karen McAlpine, Dumas, cousin of the bride, and Norma Kelley of Earth. They were dressed in white street length dresses.

The ring bearers were Cindy McAlpine, sister of the bride, and Deryl Max Clark, brother of the groom. Cindy was dressed in an orchid crystalline dress styled with an empire bodice and flaring A-line skirt with a low rounded neckline.

Rosie Lewis, Earth, cousin of the bride was flower girl. She carried a white satin basket of white mum petals. Her dress was identical to the one worn by the ring bearer.

Ushers were Rickie McAlpine of Dumas, cousin of the bride, and Albert Key, Olton.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. McAlpine chose a two piece linen suit of soft pink, with white accessories. She wore a pink and white hat and a white feathered mum corsage.

Mrs. Clark wore a light blue A-line dress with a cow collar and three-quarter length sleeves. Her accessories were white, and she wore a lovely white feathered mum corsage.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church, Miss Linda Byers, Temple, Arizona, and Mrs. Gayle Hankins, Fort Worth, sister of the groom, served cake and punch.

For a wedding trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico, the bride was dressed in a white linen dress, topped with a white lace coat and white accessories. She wore a white mum corsage, a detachable portion of her bouquet. The couple will be at home in Daleville, Alabama, on July 18.

The bride is a '67 graduate of Springlake-Earth High School. The groom graduated from high school in Olton with the class of '65. He is currently serving in the armed forces stationed at Fort Rucker, Alabama.

Judy Hitt Honored With Farewell Party

Judy Hitt was honored with farewell party at the local swimming pool Thursday, July 6.

Tuna sandwiches, homemade ice cream, cookies, and punch were served to the approximately 30 guests attending. The entire high school sophomore class was invited, as well as members of Judy's Sunday School and Training Union classes.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Donald Kelley, Mrs. Pete O'Hair, Mrs. Guy Francis Kelley, Mrs. Doug Avery, Mrs. Hershel Huley, and Mrs. Troy Blackburn.

Linda Starkey Has Enrolled In Business College In Lubbock

Linda Starkey enrolled Monday in Merrimans Business College in Lubbock, for a six month course in general business.

During the last three months of the course, emphasis will be placed on income tax work and accounting. Classes during the latter period of study will be held in the H and R Block offices in Lubbock.

Linda is a 1967 graduate of Springlake-Earth High School, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Starkey.

NOTICE

A come and go bridal shower honoring Susann Davis, bride elect of Richard Evans, is slated for Tuesday, July 18, from 4 to 6 p. m., in the Price Hamilton home, six miles west and four miles north of Earth. Miss Davis has selected her pottery and crystal at Earth Floral.

The Springlake Home Demonstration Club meeting was called off Thursday. The next meeting is slated for July 27 in the home of Mrs. J. B. Eagle. Lady Claire Phillips will be present to give a demonstration on how to freeze green beans.

NOTICE

The free sewing class for Latin American ladies is slated to meet Friday at 8 p. m., in the

homemaking department at school. Those wishing to learn how to sew are urged to attend.

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CARTON

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June 27, 1967

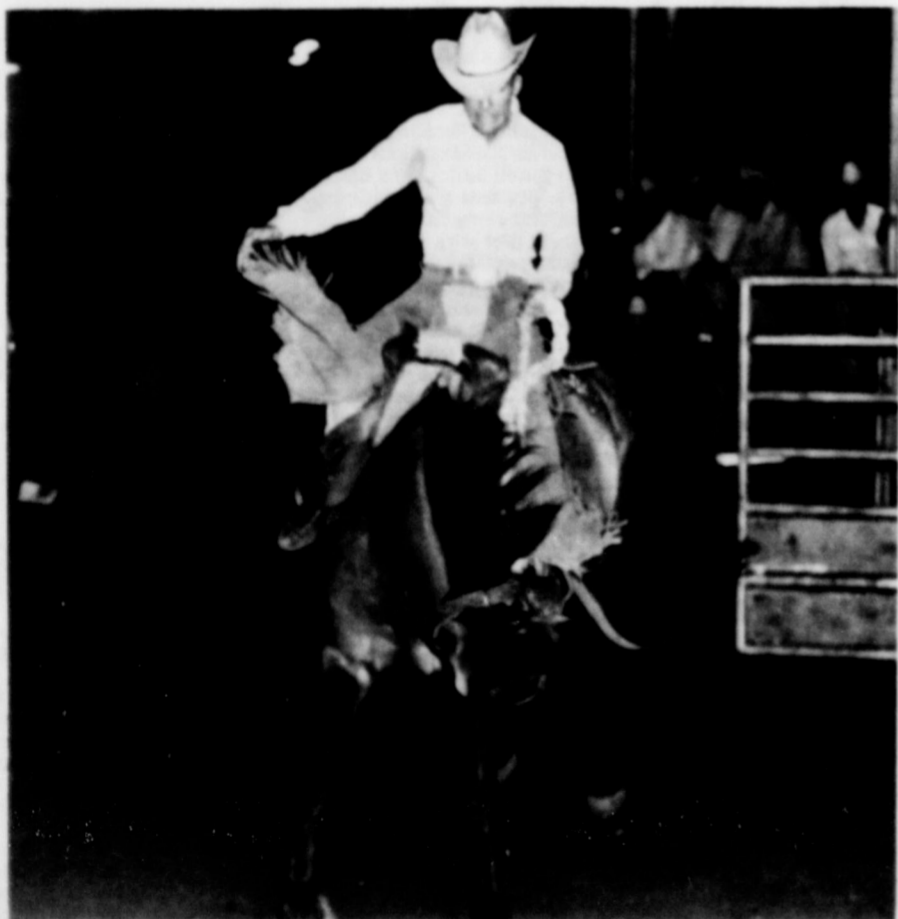
| OFFICERS | Assets | June 27, 1967 | December 23, 1966 |
|---|--|---------------------|---------------------|
| BOONE ALLISON Chairman of Board | First Mortgage Loans | 2,611,045.30 | 2,168,502.91 |
| DONALD W. HARMON President | Loans on Savings Accounts | 48,625.42 | 57,693.52 |
| SPENCER BEAVERS Vice President | Home Improvement Loans | 59,988.08 | 50,683.56 |
| PATRICIA ANN KEESEE Secretary | Other Loans | 61,614.21 | 12,961.69 |
| | Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank | 16,700.00 | 10,500.00 |
| | Accrued Interest Receivable | 26,076.92 | 15,562.60 |
| | Cash and U.S. Government Obligations | 987,597.66 | 452,261.91 |
| | Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment | 22,884.74 | 24,333.77 |
| | Deferred Charges to Expense | 8,594.90 | 10,316.75 |
| | Other Assets | 41,440.55 | 19,712.59 |
| | Total Assets | 3,884,567.78 | 2,822,529.30 |
| DIRECTORS | Liabilities and Capital | | |
| BOONE ALLISON | Savings Capital | 3,513,117.52 | 2,370,587.48 |
| SPENCER BEAVERS | Advances, Federal Home Loan Bank | -0- | 100,000.00 |
| JOE DAMRON | Loans in Process | 2,594.29 | 12,295.08 |
| DONALD W. HARMON | Borrower's Trust Funds for Taxes & Insurance | 16,399.76 | 7,389.22 |
| GEORGE JOHNSON | Unearned Discounts | 17,919.43 | 11,207.31 |
| LINDAL MURRAY | Other Liabilities | 266.99 | 538.71 |
| A. J. (Jack) LENDERSON | Reserve for Payment of Dividends, 6-30-67 | 42,456.94 | 28,383.31 |
| | Capital, Surplus and Reserves | 291,812.85 | 292,128.19 |
| | Total Liabilities and Capital | 3,884,567.78 | 2,822,529.30 |

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SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION
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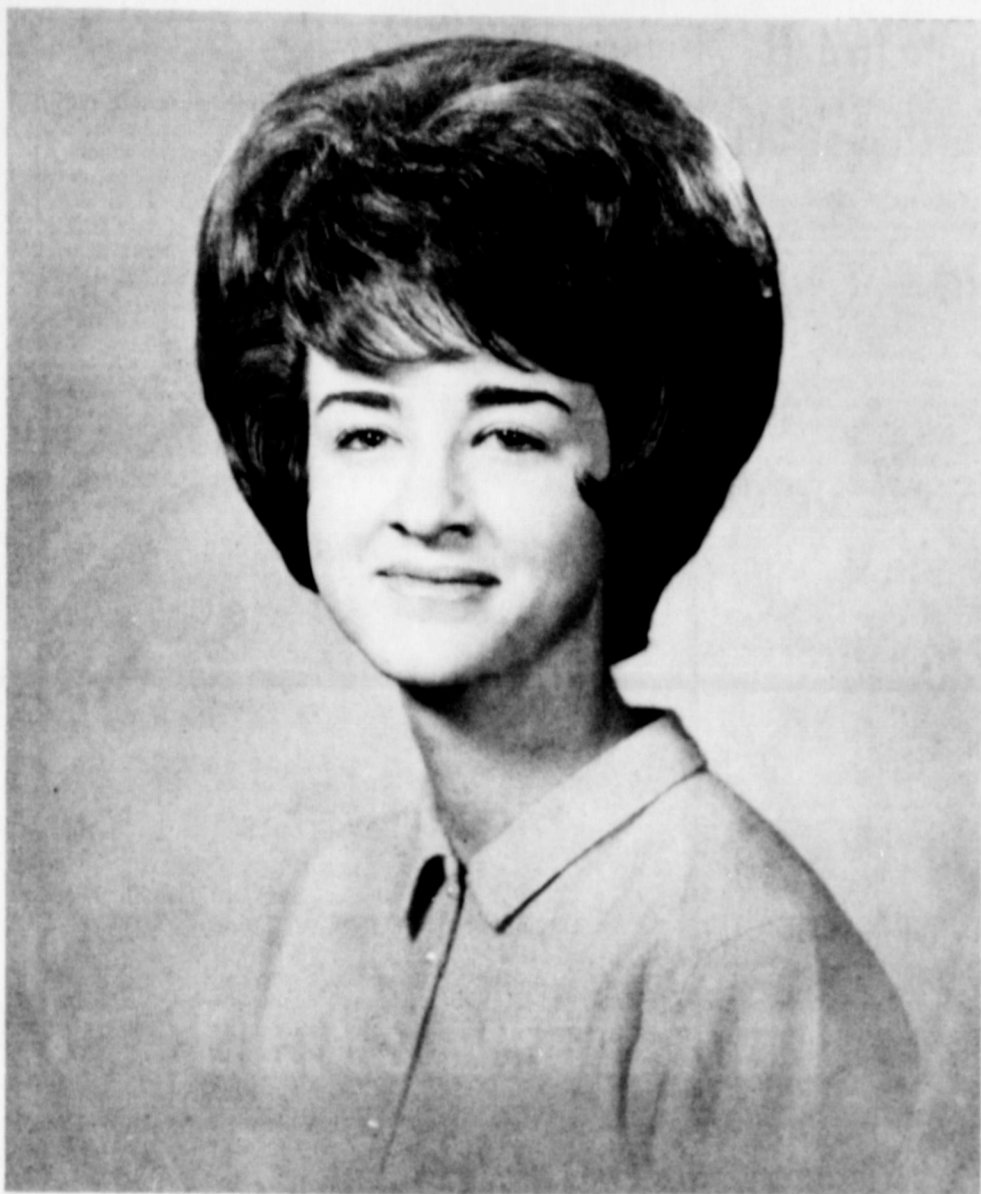
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KATHRYN ELIZABETH DUNN

Dunn-Dennis Engagement Announced

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Kathryn Elizabeth Dunn to Gary Michael Dennis has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max F. Dunn, 9701 Essex Court, Oklahoma City, Okla. Parents of the prospective groom are Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Dennis of Earth.

The wedding is scheduled for 8 p. m. September 1, in the Central Church of Christ in Shawnee, Oklahoma. The father of the groom will officiate.

Miss Dunn, a 1965 graduate of Shawnee High School, holds an executive secretarial certificate from Oklahoma Baptist University. While at the university, she was a member of Alpha Lambda Delta and Phi Beta Lambda. She is now a post office clerk.

Her future husband, a 1965 graduate of Abilene Christian College, with a BME degree, was a member of Omega Phi Alpha and the Abilene Philharmonic Orchestra. He is currently associate minister at the Central Church of Christ.

Mrs. M. Messer Feted With Coffee Friday

Mrs. M. W. Messer was honored on her birthday, Friday, with a coffee from 4 to 6:30 p. m. in the Roney Smith home. Centerpiece for the table was two lovely yellow carnations in a white milk glass vase. These were presented to the honoree by Terri Carol Smith.

The birthday cake, iced in white and decorated with yellow roses, with "Happy Birthday, Nina" inscribed in yellow lettering. Coffee and tea were served from a silver tea service, and nuts and mints completed the refreshments.

Present for the occasion were Mesdames—Shel Fennell, R. H. Belw, Roy Neal, V. J. Sigman, Dud Chesney, L. T. Smith, Bill Lee, Dub Martens, Leroy Wilkinson, Homer Starkey, Paul Wood, Beulah Coker, Lena Hite, all of Earth, and Mrs. Ted Herring and son of Plainview, and hostess, Mrs. Roney Smith, Terri Carol and the honoree and her daughter, Marianne.

WMU To Serve Evening Meal At Baptist Camp

Members of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church gathered at the church Tuesday morning for a Bible study. Mrs. Troy Blackburn opened the meeting. Mrs. R. S. Cole read the prayer calendar and the scripture from Genesis 27:30-43.

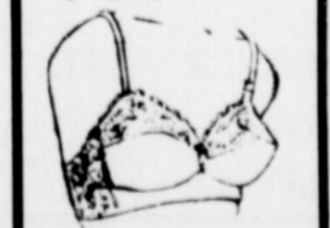
Mrs. Lilly Weurlein taught the lesson entitled "Missions and the Meaning of the Cross". Plans were made for the local W. M. U. to serve the evening meal at the Plains Baptist Assembly, near Floydada on Thursday.

Mrs. Price Hamilton dismissed with prayer. Those present were Mrs. R. S. Cole, Mrs. Troy Blackburn, Mrs. Hershel Martin, Mrs. Price Hamilton and Mrs. Lilly Weurlein.

Switzerland has two unique characteristics: it is the only modern nation where women are denied the right to vote, and it is probably the world's most trouble free country.

"It now looks as though the taxpayer will be the first of America's natural resources to be completely exhausted," Fred W. Grown, Edgewater, (N. J.) Bergen Citizen.

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Arta Simmons Chosen For Play

Arta Simmons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Simmons, Earth, has been chosen for the role of Mrs. Pencil in Alice Gerstenberg's "The Pot Boiler". The play is to be presented on the Lubbock Christian College Campus for a two night run August 8-9.

The comedy centers around a famous playwright, Mr. Suds, and a woman Miss Wouldby, a would be playwright, who seeks his professional advice. She observes as he directs "The Pot Boiler" in which are the rest of the cast. It is really a play

Harvey Kellar Dies Tuesday In Arkansas, Funeral Rites Today

Funeral rites for Harvey Kellar, 76, have been set for (today) Thursday at 2:30 p. m. in the First Baptist Church of Siloam Springs, Arkansas. Kellar died at 5 p. m. Tuesday in a hospital there, following several months of ill health.

Kellar, a pioneer resident of this area, moved with his parents to the Olton area when he was a young lad. He married Irma Bragdon of the Earth-Springlake community in 1931. They resided here until 15 years ago when they moved to Siloam Springs.

Mr. Kellar visited relatives in

within a play with the two being joined by frequent stage directions from Mr. Suds.

In this second play the main plot converges on Mrs. Ivory, a very ambitious business woman who owns a brick factory. The workers go on strike, but their leader, Mr. Inkwell, promises to stop the strike if she will make her daughter marry him. But Miss Ivory is already promised to Mr. Ruler. And so the story goes round in a vicious circle.

Miss Simmons is a vocal music major.

Local 4-H Group To Participate In County Dress Review Friday

Several youngsters, members of the local 4-H Club, will participate in a county-wide 4-H Club dress review on Friday at 2:30 p. m. in the Littlefield community building.

Prior to the review, participants will gather at 10 a. m. in the County Extension office, County Demonstration Agent, Lady Claire Phillips, and judges for the review will give individual inspection of those garments.

Those participating in the review are Laquinta and Renae Clark, Lajuana and Mary B. Marshall, Joy and Francee Faver. The group have been attending weekly classes for the past eight

weeks in the home of sewing instructor, Mrs. George Clark.

HELLO WORLD



Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Pierson of Earth announce the arrival of a daughter born at 5:40 a. m., July 3, in the Littlefield Hospital.

Charla Ann weighed seven pounds and seven ounces at birth. She is the third daughter of the couple. Vera Gay is 3 1/2 years of age and Mary Jean is 20 months old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pierson of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Dickson of near Earth.

Pierson was recently discharged from the army at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, following ten years of service.

PARTY LINE

Mrs. Marshall Kelley of Earth received a telephone call Thursday night from Marlow, Oklahoma, informing her that her mother, Mrs. J. C. Green, had suddenly become seriously ill and was rushed to the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Kelley had just returned that day from visiting her in her home in Marlow. Mrs. Kelley and her daughter, Mrs. Pete O'Hair, left Friday to be at her bedside, in the Tally-Walker Hospital at Marlow.

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Bailey County Co-op Seeking New Manager

D. B. Lancaster, manager of Bailey County Electric Cooperative since 1961, was dismissed from his position by the co-op's board of directors June 24. On Friday, June 30, reason for the dismissal was given in a statement saying the board "cannot organize with Lancaster and therefore recommends his dismissal."

Until a permanent manager can be hired, Connie Gupton, physical plant manager for the co-op, has been named acting manager.

Lancaster also serves as manager of Five Area Telephone Cooperative, which has now been thrown into a dilemma because of his dismissal.

About 2,500 customers from Bailey, Cochran, Farmer, Lamb, and Castro Counties are served by the Bailey County Co-op, and the telephone co-op serves around 1,400. The two co-ops, through a working agreement, share building, poles, equipment and personnel.

The two co-ops met June 30 in Muleshoe at the Bailey County Electric Cooperative building to discuss the action of the electric co-op board. Prior to this meeting, no public explanation had been given for Lancaster's dismissal.

At the open meeting of the electric board, about 50 members of the electric co-op were

present. Part of the discussion of the electric board was held behind closed doors.

Applications for a new manager will not be taken until August 15. The first screening of applicants will be held in the Bailey County Cooperative building August 28 at 9 a. m.

In the afternoon meeting, Wallace O. Jones, president of the board of directors of Five Area Telephone, said that some members of telephone co-op had used a separation of the two cooperatives. This would possibly cause an increase in operational costs to the members as well as necessitating the acquisition of equipment, personnel, and management for the telephone.

Also, Jones said that the manager selected by the electric cooperative might not be agreeable with the telephone organization.

However, he said that for the present, time the telephone co-op would continue to have an operating agreement with the electric co-op. "We're not able to split off," Jones said, "but we may be forced to."

Jones said that the telephone organization wanted equal rights with the electric company in hiring and firing personnel.

"The electric co-op is going to have some trials and tribulations that the telephone doesn't need to inherit," Jones stated.

Mason asked if that was the only problem in the working agreement, Jones said it was. The floor was finally opened to questions. It was at this time a member of the audience asked for a reason for Lancaster's dismissal. Mason then read the statement saying the board

DON'T BE LITTERBUGS



DON'T LITTER

Why do people litter their towns and cities and the countryside? This distasteful condition persists despite the concerted campaigns of civic organizations, governmental agencies and many individual citizen groups.

The basic reason for the problem is that many people are just thoughtless. Too many of us simply feel no personal responsibility for the appearance of our communities. An ever-stretching network of highways, increased travel, greater outdoor recreational facilities, and more leisure time all combine to provide even more opportunities for the litterbug.

Keep America Beautiful, Inc., the national public service organization for the prevention of litter, offers suggestions how everyone can help in the litter fight. They are:

- Keep your own home and property litter-free.
- Carry a litterbag in your car or boat. Always dispose of trash in a proper receptacle.
- Urge municipal officials to provide adequate collection and disposal facilities and a sufficient number of receptacles for street trash.
- Cooperate with others working to eliminate litter in your community. If there is no litter-prevention program in the area--start one.

Remember that litter is a costly eyesore that blights and corrodes, lowers property values, discourages tourists, and alienates potential new business and industry. Everyone should help eliminate litterbugging.

Local Youths To Compete In 4-H Horse Show In Big Springs Today

Welda and Craig Barton of Earth will be among the approximate 100 entries competing in the annual Extension District 2 4-H Horse Show, which is slated for (today) July 13 in Big Springs.

Others entering from Lamb County include Jimmy and Debbie Fields and Danny Cardwell of Sudan, and Jason Latimer of Olton. Buddy C. Logsdon and Sam Kuykendall will accompany the 4-H Club members and their parents.

Twelve to fourteen South Plains counties will be represented in the show, say Extension District Agents Billy C. Gunter and Mrs. Aubrey W. Russell of Lubbock.

Equine enthusiasts will gather at Big Springs' rodeo arena and prepare for halter class judging starting at 9 a. m.

Classes include the following: registered mare, any breed, five years of age and over; registered mare, any breed, under five years of age; grade mare, under 14 hands 3 inches in height; grade mare, 14 hands 3 inches tall and over; grand champion and reserve champion mare; registered gelding, any breed, five years of age and over; registered gelding, any breed, under five years of age; grade gelding, under 14 hands 3 inches in height; grade gelding, 14 hands 3 inches in height and over; and the grand champion and reserve champion gelding class.

Performance classes will be judged following the halter group. These include Western pleasure, reining, pole bending and barrel racing.

Entries include 4-H boys and girls, who with their animals, have topped their respective county 4-H horse shows.

Paul Cross, Howard County agricultural agent, heads the show committee, and his assistant is Ken Cook, Briscoe County agent.

FOSHEE, Mc DONALD WIN MULESHOE GOLF TOURNAMENT

Dean Foshee of Earth and Carroll McDonald, formerly of Earth now from Slaton, teamed for a 45-hole total of 151 Sunday and won the Muleshoe Country Club Member-Guest Golf Tournament.

Ben Cockrell, Muleshoe, and Carroll Sorrell, Friona, won second with a total of 154. Three teams tied for third at 155.

The teams played 18 holes Saturday, then concluded with 27 holes Sunday.

Swimming Warning

When you go swimming at the seashore, beware of the "rip current" that can carry you seaward. The warning is from the Environmental Sciences Services Administration, which explains that a rip current is a strong, narrow current flowing straight out from shore. It can be spotted by the break, or cross-pattern, in lines parallel to the beach that are formed by surf. If you get caught in a rip current, ESSA advises you to swim parallel to the beach until you are out of the current, rather than swim against it.

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Youths Attend Plains Baptist Assembly

Junior girls from the Earth First Baptist Church returned Wednesday from a three day camp at the Plains Baptist Assembly near Floydada.

Those attending were Debbie Green, Kathleen Anderson, Terri Carol Smith, Alice Faye Adrian, and Lajuana and Mary B. Marshall. Their sponsor for the camp was Mrs. Zepi Robnett.

The camp is equipped with recreational facilities, including swimming, tennis and volleyball. They also have a group that participates in the choir. They also have worship services and talks from the camp missionary, who is Billy Frazier from Brazil. The camp pastor is Floyd Bradley of Floydada.

The Intermediate Baptist group left Wednesday for camp. They will return Friday. Among those attending will be Regina Cole, Leah Galloway and Cynthia Laught.

"You gotta be kidding--you've only been here a week and you feel you're not getting anywhere..."

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| CHEEZ-IT SUNSHINE | 10 oz. Box | | 29¢ | | |
| GRAPE DRINK WELCHADE | 46 oz. Can | 3 Cans | 98¢ | | |
| LUNCHEON MEAT WHITE SWAN | 12 Oz. Can | | 49¢ | | |
| VIENNA SAUSAGE WHITE SWAN | 4 oz. Can | 5 Cans | \$1.00 | | |
| SALAD DRESSING WISH-BONE Green Goddess | 8 oz. Bottle | | 39¢ | | |
| SALAD DRESSING MIRACLE WHIP | 32 oz. Jar | | 49¢ | | |
| COLD POWER LAUNDRY DETERGENT | King Size Box | | \$1.11 | | |
| ICE TEA MIX LIPTON Lemon Flavored W/Sugar Added | 1.8 oz. Pkg. | 3 Pkgs. | 29¢ | | |
| INSTANT TEA LIPTON | 8 oz. Jar | | \$1.39 | | |
| JELLY ZESTEE Red Plum | 18 oz. Jar | 29¢ | JELLY ZESTEE Apple | 18 oz. Jar | 29¢ |
| CRACKERS PREMIUM Saltine | 1 Lb. Box | | 33¢ | | |
| LEMONADE SUNSHINE STATE' Frozen | 6 oz. Can..... | 3 Cans | 29¢ | | |
| ORANGE JUICE MINUTE MAID Frozen | 6 oz. Can..... | 2 Cans | 39¢ | | |
| Coca-Cola & Fresca | King Size- 6 Bottle Carton | 3 Cartons | \$1.00 Plus Deposit | | |
| SAMMY'S PRIDE Pickle - Pimiento - Spiced - Bologna - Olive | | | | | |
| LUNCHEON MEAT 6 oz. Pkg. | 3 Pkgs. | 89¢ | SQUASH Yellow | Lb. | 9¢ |
| CHUCK ROAST | Lb. | 49¢ | POTATOES No. 1 Arizona Red | 10 Lb. Bag | 49¢ |
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Know Ye that the International Association of Lions Clubs has granted, and by these presents does grant to the Members, whose names are hereunto affixed, and to all regularly elected members and their successors, this Charter fully constituting them a Local Club under the name and title of

**THE LION CLUB
of Earth**

Located at Earth, Texas with all the rights and privileges given to members of the International Association of Lions Clubs, according to the rules and regulations of the constitution and by-laws of the International Association now in force and in full effect as amended.

This Charter shall be in full force and effect from the day of the date hereof, and for such time as the Members of this Local Club shall conform to the laws and rules of the International Association. Otherwise this Charter shall be revoked.

In Witness Whereof, the International Association of Lions Clubs has authorized its President and Secretary to affix their signatures, and caused the seal of the Association to be hereunto affixed this Twentieth day of June in the year of our Lord 1947

[Signature] PRESIDENT
[Signature] SECRETARY



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PAGE 6—The EARTH NEWS—SUN, THURSDAY, JULY 13, 1967
 Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Inglis and their musical production daughters of Earth and Mr. and "Texas" in Canyon's Ampli-Mrs. Bill Inglis and Theatre, Sunday, they enjoyed family of Modesto, California, a picnic in the park and spent camped out Saturday night in the day enjoying the lovely Palo Duro Canyon. They atten- scenery the park offers.

State Bank No. 11

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

CITIZENS STATE BANK

Of Earth in the state of Texas at the close of business on June 30, 1967.

| ASSETS | |
|---|---------------------|
| Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection, | \$ 469,733.68 |
| United States Government obligations, | 284,177.04 |
| Obligations of States and political subdivisions, | 29,279.52 |
| Securities of Federal agencies and corporations, | 54,500.00 |
| Other loans and discounts, | 2,437,414.79 |
| Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises, | 22,800.76 |
| Other assets, | 33,865.76 |
| TOTAL ASSETS , | 3,331,771.55 |
| LIABILITIES | |
| Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations, | 1,633,597.70 |
| Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations, | 1,072,341.52 |
| Deposits of United States Government, | 75,110.88 |
| Deposits of States and political subdivisions, | 198,680.47 |
| Certified and officers' checks, etc., | 10,578.39 |
| TOTAL DEPOSITS , \$2,990,308.96 | |
| (a) Total demand deposits, | 1,831,967.44 |
| (b) Total time and savings deposits, | 1,158,341.52 |
| Other liabilities, | 57,358.29 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES , | 3,047,667.25 |
| CAPITAL ACCOUNTS | |
| Common stock—total par value, | 75,000.00 |
| No. shares authorized, | 750 |
| No. shares outstanding, | 750 |
| Surplus, | 125,000.00 |
| Undivided profits, | 84,104.30 |
| TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS , | 284,104.30 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS , | 3,331,771.55 |
| MEMORANDA | |
| Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date, | 2,899,487.48 |
| Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date, | 2,535,250.59 |
| Loans as shown in item 7 of "Assets" are after deduction of valuation reserves of, | 48,263.63 |

I, Ann Jones, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly affirm that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 Ann Jones
 Correct-Attest:
 Joe B. Temple
 A. A. Parish
 Johnie M. Haberer

State of Texas, County of Lamb, ss:
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of July, 1967, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
 My commission expires June 1, 1969 Beedie Welch, Notary Public.



PUT OUT THE FLAME. . . Stomping the base as though he was putting out a fire, this local lad wasn't taking any chances of being put out.

At Duncanville Anita O'Hair To Play In North-South All Star Game

The North-South All-Star Girls' Basketball Game for 1967 will be played on Saturday, July 22, starting at 8:15 p.m. in the Duncanville High School gymnasium at Duncanville.
 Anita O'Hair, one of the top performing forwards for the State Championship Wolverette team, will play on the North team. Announcement of the selection of Anita to play in the all-star game came shortly following the State Tournament in Austin.
 Forwards for the North team is as follows: Freida Rousseau, (Tulia High School); Cindy Ingram, (Fritona High School); Barbara Wilde, (Spearman High School); Marsha J.H. Gregg, (Decatur High School); Janie Beddingfield, (Panhandle High School); Connie Kelsey, (Deport High School); Katy Fry, (Rivercrest High School); Janet Sue Lewis, (Whiteface High School).
 North all-star guards include: Jill Johnson, (Quitaque High School); Cathy Horn, (Brock High School); Anita O'Hair, (Springlake-Earth High School); Marjeanne McGowan, (Claude High School); Lynda Luig, (Archer City High School); Linda Williams, (Floydada High School); Lyn Newman, (Cooper High School); Vicki Kinard, (Roosevelt High School).
 The south all-star forwards are: Jean Shumbers, (Victoria High School); Carolyn Domak, (Jourdanton High School); Pat Rakowitz, (Marion High School); Linda Fowler, (Midway High School); Phyllis Parish, (Little Cypress High School); Shirley Gelfert, (George West High School); Brenda Sue King, (Bellville High School); Sandra Kaspar, (Ganado High School).
 Guards for the south team include: Wanda Roe, (Southwest High School); Linda Carole Brothers, (Angleton High School); Molly Marie Davis, (Jasper High School); Judy Bartelli, (Raymondville High School); Karen DuBoise, (Gregory-Portland High School); Doris Aschenbeck, (Round Top-Carmine High School); Donnie Marie Phelps, (High Island High School); Martha Jo Welsch, (Canyon High School).
 All-star coaches for the teams include: Dean Foshee, Springlake-Earth, as coach for the north forwards, with Leroy Roberts, Tulia, as coach for the guards.
 The south coaches will be

Jerry Whittaker, High Island, Little Cypress (Orange) High School for Class AA; Springlake-Earth for Class A; and High Island were Class B Champions.
 The teams and their coaches are expected to be in Duncanville on July 20 for a couple of days' practice prior to the big game.
 Tulia High School was State Champions in Class AAA for '67; America's allies of World War I still owe this nation \$19 billion, says Tax Foundation, Inc. This is \$5 billion more than the U.S. will have to pay for interest on the present national debt.
 Mrs. Edith Brockette is visiting in Athens, Georgia, with her daughter, Mrs. W. A. McCall.
 Mrs. Inez Barton, who visited relatives and friends the past two weeks, returned to her home in Dallas on Tuesday.

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1. To create and foster a spirit of "generous consideration" among the peoples of the world through a study of the problems of international relationships.
2. To promote the theory and practice of the principles of good government and good citizenship.
3. To take an active interest in the civic, social and moral welfare of the community.
4. To unite the members in bonds of friendship and mutual understanding.
5. To provide a forum for the full and free discussion of all matters of public interest, partisan politics and sectarian religion alone excepted.
6. To encourage efficiency and promote high ethical standards in business and professions; provided that no club shall hold out as one of its objects financial benefits to its members.



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New Officers Elected At Red Cross Meet Friday

Several awards were presented to members of the Lamb County Red Cross Chapter, and board members and officers were elected during the annual Red Cross meeting in Littlefield Friday.

Officers elected to one-year terms were Bonnie Haberer,

chairman; James Arnold, vice chairman; Mrs. Lester LaGrange, treasurer; and Pat Boone Jr., secretary.

Re-elected to the board were J. E. Chisholm, Curtis Wilkinson, James Joyner, Blanche Dodgen, Ophelia Stone and Doris Frey.

Several candidates were also considered for new board members.

Sixteen board members were recognized for service to the chapter and presented pins and buttons. Mrs. Lester LaGrange received a 25-year pin; Truitt Sides and J. E. Chisholm received 20-year buttons; Pat Boone Jr., Bonnie Haberer, Blanche Dodgen, and Gladys Joplin each received 15-year pins; Curtis Wilkinson, J. P. Arnold, Ophelia Stone, Howard Hall, Ross Middleton, and Dora Terry received 10-year buttons; Jim Joyner and Doris Frey received five-year pins.

Approximately 75 pins went to area members for their participation in the annual 1967 fund campaign, which netted a total of \$3,611.18.

Special recognition was also given area newspapers and radio stations for their assistance in publicizing work of the chapter during the year.

The annual work report noted a total of 952 cases which received attention from the local chapter from July 1 of last year through April 30. These involved 214 active servicemen, 331 veterans, and 407 civilians, according to the report.

Four American Red Cross first aid courses were taught in the area during that period and 69 certificates were issued.

The chapter also participated in a project involving shipment of layettes for South Vietnamese.

Members adopted a plan to present awards of merit to two youngsters credited with saving the life of an Anton boy at a local swimming pool last month. Awards will go to lifeguard Stanley Harrell, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Harrell, R. 1, Littlefield, and David Martins, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manual Martins of Hilo, Hawaii.

Contributions by board members were also reported to a fund in memory of Airman 2C Lewis A. LaGrange, 19, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Lester LaGrange, who died last month from injuries received in a motorcycle accident in the Philippines.

Those present for the meeting were Jim Joyner, Littlefield; Doris Frey, Spade; Mrs. Doss Manser, Sr., Littlefield; Lee Burnett, Littlefield; Mrs. T. L. Mathews, Littlefield; Blanche

Dodgen, Littlefield; Mrs. A. H. Scivally, Fieldton; Bonnie Haberer, chairman, Pleasant Valley; James Arnold, vice president; Ruth Wade, executive secretary, Littlefield; and Curtis R. Wilkinson, Littlefield. Scheduled speaker Hon. Pat Boone Jr., was unable to attend the meeting.

Services Held For Kin Of Local Resident

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Lulu May Gatlin of Odessa Monday, July 3, in the First Baptist Church in Odessa. Dr. John Rasco, pastor, officiated at the services.

Burial was in the Odessa Cemetery under the direction of Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home.

Mrs. Gatlin died in a nursing home Sunday morning after a lengthy illness.

She was born in Arkansas on January 1, 1882. On May 26, 1901, in Haskell, she married Ben Gatlin. They moved from Springlake to Odessa in 1927.

Mrs. Gatlin was a member of the First Baptist Church and the Rebekah Lodge.

Survivors include four sons, Tom J., Bill, Fred, and Charles, all of Odessa; two daughters, Mrs. Roy Bevers of Odessa and Mrs. L. T. King, Jr., of Torrance, California; 13 grandchildren; and 22 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Gatlin was the sister-in-law of Mrs. Eula B. Whitford.

Those attending the funeral from this area were Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Whitford, Earth, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boone of Springlake, and Delora Devenport of San Angelo.

Babe Ruth All-Stars Lose To Dumas Monday Night 7-4

The Olton Babe Ruth all-star team, consisting of six Earth-Springlake boys, played the Dumas all-stars Monday night and lost by a score of 7-4. Olton was scheduled to play the Canyon all-star team Wednesday night.

If Olton loses Wednesday night, they are through, but they still have a chance for first place if they win the game, as this is a double elimination tournament

July Busy Month For Local Minister

W. P. Dennis, minister for the Church of Christ in Earth, is in Comanche, Texas, this week where he is conducting a revival. He is also teaching a class in Vacation Bible School each morning.

The meeting began last Monday and will continue through Sunday of this week.

Mr. Dennis is due to return home on July 17.

A second meeting to be conducted by Mr. Dennis will begin in Lockett on July 24, and will continue through July 30.

On July 31, a revival will begin in Hereford at the Church of Christ with W. P. Dennis doing the preaching. This meeting is slated to continue through August 6.

During the absence of Mr. Dennis from the local pulpit, Morgan Sturges, of Tulla, will conduct the local Sunday services here.

Water Inc. Office Opens In Lubbock

John J. Kendrick, President of Water, Inc., announced the association has opened its permanent office at 1611 Avenue Q in Lubbock, Texas.

Water Inc. was formed by interested individuals to inform the public of the need for, and assist in the planning for the acquisition, importation, distribution and storage of water that is so vital to the continued growth and prosperity of this great area.

J. W. Buchanan of Dumas, interim manager of the association, is now distributing membership applications for membership in the association.

The Board of Directors of Water, Inc., urges everyone to join in this tremendous and challenging project.

Office hours for the association will be 8:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. Monday through Friday.



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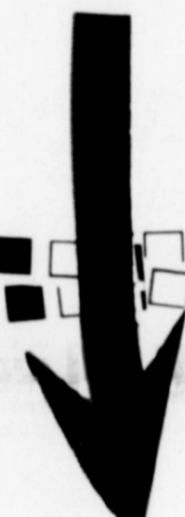


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High Plains Boll Weevil Control Program Sharply Boosted

Field activity in the fourth year of the High Plains Diapause Boll Weevil Control Program was sharply boosted July 5 when 30 trained weevil hunters took to cotton fields along the eastern edge of the Plains.

These men, working in two-man teams, will keep a thorough check of weevil infestations this summer to delimit and map the control zone for this fall's spray operations. They will inspect fields throughout the original 300,000 acre control zone.

But Ed Dean, Field Service Director for Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., says it is hoped the base acreage to be sprayed this year will be 125,000 acres or less. However he went on to say that every field where a weevil is found this summer will have to be sprayed, so no definite prediction of acreage can be made. Last year's program covered 185,000 base acres.

The search for weevils will continue right up to September 5 when the first application of ultra low volume malathion is

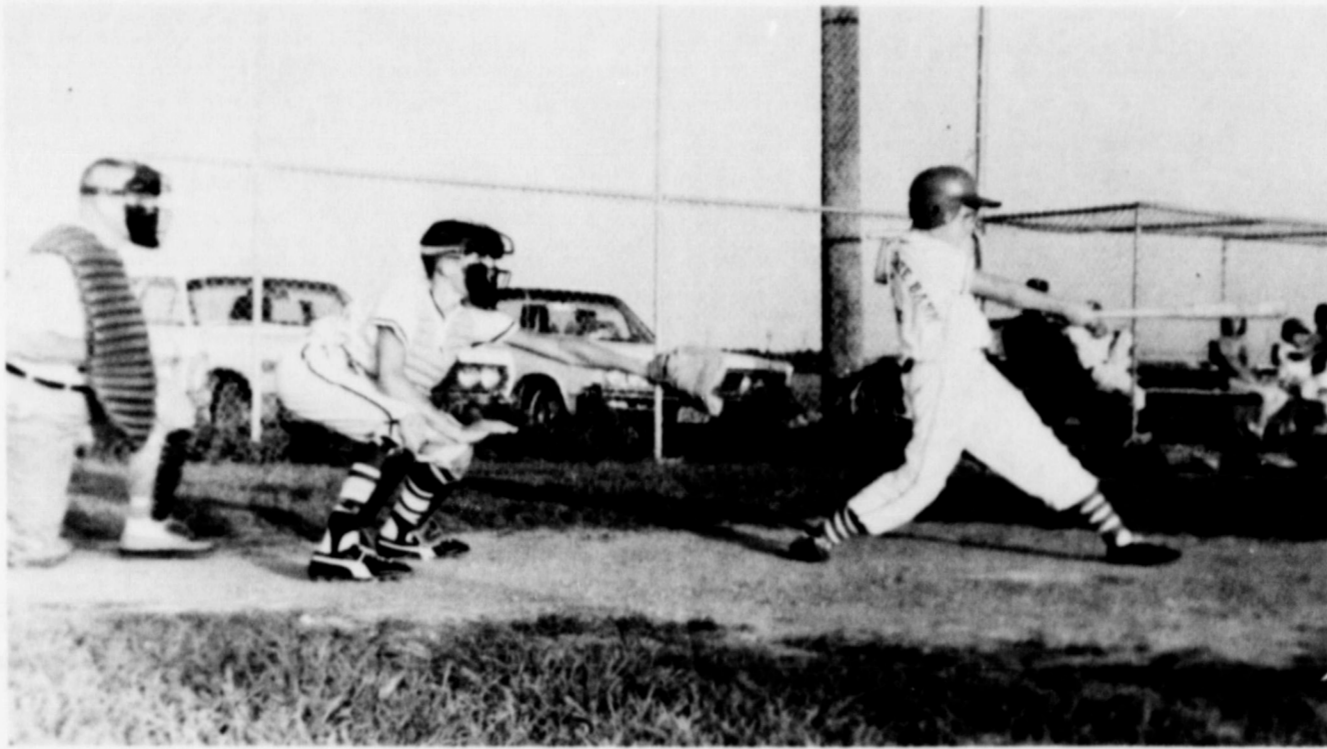
expected to start.

Like last year, the first three applications will be applied in rapid-fire sequence at intervals of only 5 days. These will be followed by applications at 10 to 14 day intervals until frost or chemical desiccation does away with the weevil's food supply.

The first three chemical applications, dropping 12 ounces of the deadly material per acre, are designed to break the weevil's reproductive cycle. The following doses, because of cooler weather and wider time spacing, will be at 16 ounces per acre. Their purpose is to kill remaining weevils before they attain the diapause stage and leave fields for hibernation sites.

This same two-phase system has been used in the program for the past two years and has achieved from a 97 to 99 percent reduction in the number of hibernating weevils.

The 15 mapping teams are working under the direction of USDA's Plant Pest Control Di-



PLAY BALL... Warming up the batter's plate, ready to hit a ball clear out of the ball park is ??? Come to think of it, I'm not sure. Instead of using the old familiar phrase "only his hairdresser knows for sure", we'll change it slightly and say "only his mother knows for sure"....

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vision, which is charged with the general operation of the spray program.

Two other teams from the Texas Agricultural Extension Service will be inspecting weevils at the same time for additional information on dates of emergence, time required to reach diapause and other data pertaining to population dynamics.

Ultra low volume malathion has been used exclusively in the program for the past three years and will be used this year on all but about 6500 acres.

That acreage, located along and on either side of Duck and Docks Creeks in Dickens County (near Farm Road 836 northwest from Spur), is tentatively set aside for a test run on guthion, only recently approved by USDA for use in low volume form.

Dean also noted that plans are going ahead toward initiating methods development work in which some of the new eradication techniques now in the laboratory can be field tested in connection with the High Plains program.

"The sooner we get this eradication work underway the sooner we can look for an end to the weevil problem on the Plains," Dean said, and added that entomologists are now giving us hope that the means to this end may not be too far away.

Front runner among eradication techniques is now the sterile-male approach, similar to that which has been so successful in eliminating the screw worm fly.

Many brides and brides-to-be, when buying their first sets of dishes, will find themselves smothered in countless terms and styles.

Mrs. Jane Berry, Extension housing and home furnishings specialist with Texas A&M University, lists a few hints for prospective tableware buyers.

"Sets" of dishes can be bought for as little as \$25 or \$30, but a "set" may mean 54 pieces of earthenware, 45 pieces of melamine, or 37 pieces of fine china. In fine china, incidentally, a single plate may cost \$100--or a set may cost only \$20.

Prices are quoted in a variety of ways. A "five piece place setting" consists of dinner plate, dessert or salad plate, bread and butter plate, and cup and saucer. A "six-piece place setting" consists of the same articles, plus a soup or fruit dish. A "starter set" has four four-piece settings, each consisting of a dinner plate, dessert or salad plate, cup and saucer.

"Service for eight (or twelve)" means anywhere from 45 to more than 100 pieces, depending on the number of pieces in each place setting and the assortment of serving dishes such as platters, creamer, sugar bowl and coffee pot.

"Open stock" refers to single pieces, individually priced. This enables you to start small and add gradually without buying extras you don't want--and to replace broken pieces. Most moderate and higher-priced dishes are sold in open stock. If your pattern is not a current number, however, you may have to wait months for a special order. And "open stock" is no guarantee that a pattern won't be discontinued.

Figuring the average price per piece is one way to compare prices when the units are not alike. However, design has a significant effect on price. Price reflects the amount of skilled labor involved, too. Up to 70 percent of the cost of making fine china goes to craftsmen. Wares from comparatively low-wage countries carry lower prices, although certainly not all imports are cheap. Many are among the most expensive on the market.

Farmers Increase Efforts To Raise Quality Crops In '67

Most area cotton farmers are concentrating on trying to raise a quality crop this year. As the growing season progresses, different practices will be used that contribute to a quality crop.

The short growing season, early freezes, hail damage, and wind damage, to name a few, are limiting factors to both quality and yield on the High Plains and are conditions over which we have no control.

The control of insects on cotton is one thing that should not be overlooked when considering ways of insuring good quality and yield. As heavy fruiting is just beginning, we should especially be concerned with controlling the fleahopper.

The winged adult and wingless young fleahoppers are very active and hard to see. Both stages feed on the juices of the tender parts of the cotton plant, especially the terminal buds and small squares. The leaves become deformed and somewhat ragged in appearance. The greatest damage is done to the small squares. Many of the squares are killed when they are no larger than a pinhead. They turn brown or black and fall from the plant. These are frequently overlooked because they are so small. This damage causes late blooming which is sometimes attributed to other unfavorable conditions.

The presence of fleahopper damage can readily be seen late in the season by the appearance of whip-like plants with very little bottom crop. Uncontrolled fleahopper infestation is just another way of shortening the growing season for Plains cotton farmers.

Following the recent rains our cotton is in a succulent condition and very susceptible to fleahopper and other insect infestations. Since we are more quality conscious this year and since good quality and net dollars go together, it seems more important than ever to be alert and do a good job of insect control.

Many good insecticides are on the market for the control of this and other insects. Consult your County Agent or a reputable insecticide dealer in the County for information.

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Snakes Ape Kinfolk As Star Guest

AUSTIN—The old saying about all the comforts of home has a definite meaning also for Texas' bountiful snake population, cautions the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

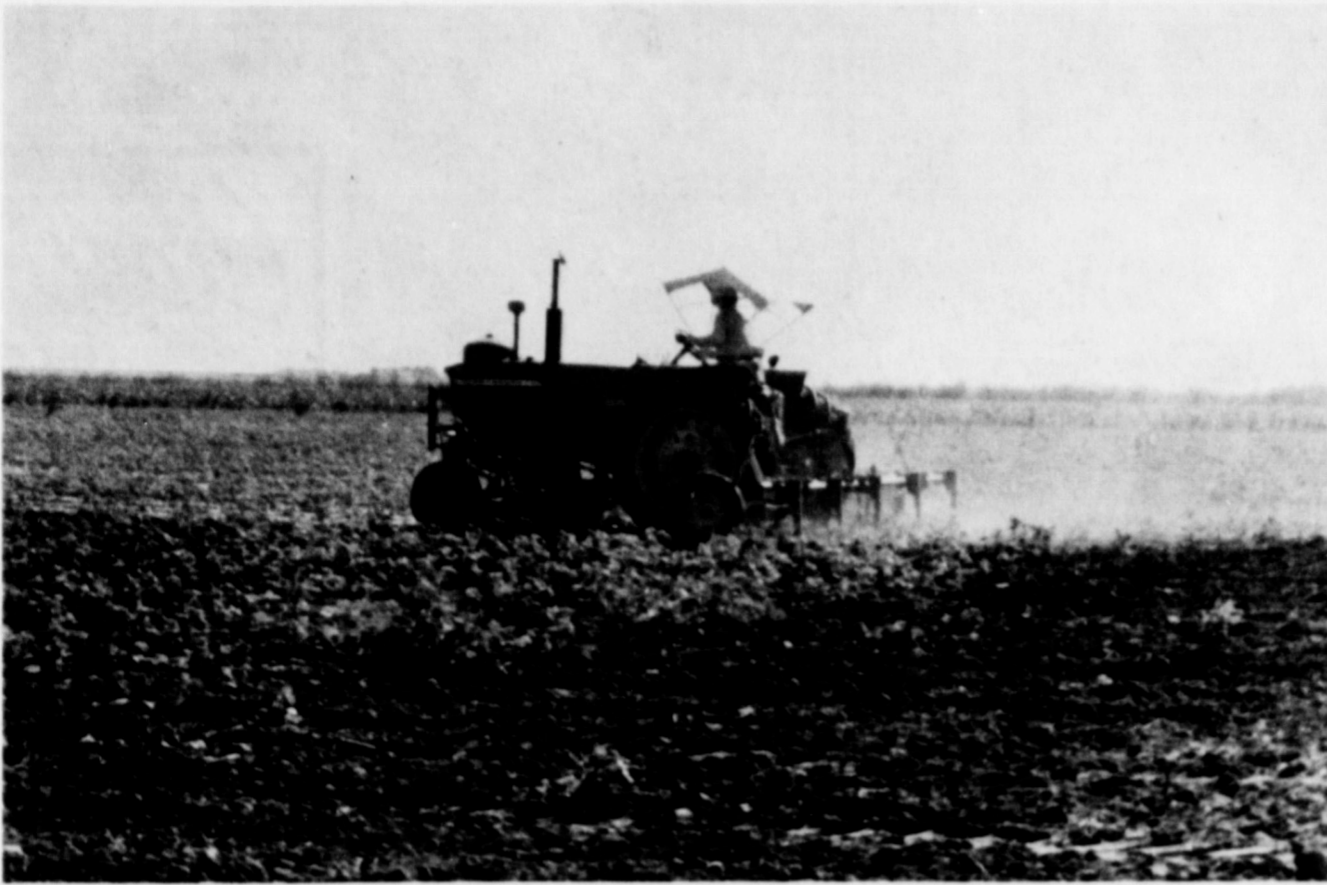
This ancient adage gets into the reptilian act because most snake bites occur around homes for the ironic reason, the Department notes, that they are made to feel welcome, unintentionally, or not.

"Rock piles, trash piles, stacked lumber, tree stumps and other forms of debris near or under houses often harbor rats and mice which form the principal food of most snakes. In addition, this trash furnishes cover for the reptiles and offers them protection from enemies and bad weather. Therefore, if all rubbish is removed from the premises, the food and shelter which attract snakes are largely eliminated and the snakes are forced to seek a more suitable environment. Dense, low growing plants may also supply cover for snakes."

In any event, the Department suggests that people watch their step nowadays whether around the houses or afield. It urges all to have a standard snake bite kit handy and that snake bite victims be rushed to the nearest hospital. The Department suggested that precious time may be saved by meeting the physician at a hospital rather than wasting time going first to his office.

Texas' poisonous snakes are rattlesnakes, copperheads, water moccasins and coral snakes.

One commonly mistaken for a rattler is the harmless diamond back water snake. It is marked almost identical to the rattler but its pointed, rattlesnake-like tail is the easiest distinguishing mark. Naturalists rate it along with the other do-gooder species as a valued defense against rats, mice and other undesirables.



OH HAPPY DAY... Farmers are back in their fields plowing this week following a long wet spell that kept them out of the fields for several weeks.

TIPS FOR OUTDOORSMEN

by Vern Sanford

Natural Lure Selector

If you, as a fly fisherman, are uncertain which lure to use at a particular place, on a given day, hang several pieces of fly paper overnight near the water you are to fish.

Next morning examine the bugs stuck to the paper and select a lure closely resembling the live bugs.

To Blaze A Trail

Trail-blazing trees with a

hand axe is arduous work. Also it may injure valuable trees.

A new and better way to mark your trail through the woods is to carry a small pressure can of orange-colored luminous paint. Mark the trees, as you walk, by squirting a spot of bright paint on them.

This not only doesn't injure the tree, but the luminous paint easily can be seen during

the day. Furthermore it will glow brightly in a flashlight beam at night.

To Remove Fish Smell
After handling or cleaning fish your hands are apt to smell mighty disagreeable. Usually this odor is hard to remove.

Try rubbing your hands with toothpaste. Smear the paste on liberally, rinse, then dry, and the fishy smell will be gone.

Keep Sleeping Bag Clean

Take along an old mattress cover when going camping. Slip the cover inside your sleeping bag before crawling in.

Mattress cover will absorb perspiration and dirt, thus keeping the sleeping bag clean and fresh.

When Tying Flies

Amateur fly-tyers can speed up production by slipping a small mirror under the fly vise. This enables you to see the under side of the fly. It also makes the fly-tying more professional-looking.

Unsnarling Lures

When the monofilament line on a spinning reel does get fouled up it sure makes a mess of itself.

Such a "bird's nest" snarl usually takes tedious and laborious work to untangle. Simplify the job by using a good strong toothpick.

Or better still, carry with you a small crochet needle. The notched point burrows deep into the bird's nest to lift out the crossed line.

Name On Wood

Any piece of outdoor equipment, partly made of wood, easily can be marked permanently and attractively with your initials and address by painting with fingernail polish. Then light a match to the moist nail polish!

Burning polish chars the letters into the wood underneath.

Catching Crawdads

Don't waste too much time trying to catch crawdad bait.

They are mighty slippery little critters.

Instead, cut the top and bottom from a rather large tin can. When a crawdad is spotted, plop the can over the little booger, then leisurely pick him up.

By using this method the bait can be gathered quickly and neatly.

Transparent Bait Boxes

Keep lures, hooks, sinkers and other items of fishing tackle neatly separated, yet easily accessible, by packing them in transparent plastic containers such as your neighborhood druggist gets his drug supplies packed in.

Lures always will be visible. The containers will fit neatly in your tackle box. And the druggist most likely will be glad to save them for you.

Fishing With Hellgrammites

When baiting your line with hellgrammites, let the bait sink to the bottom so it can drift or crawl away in a natural manner.

Do this and you will get more strikes.

Mark Your Equipment

Equipment not only can be lost or stolen on a camping trip, it can become mixed with that of your companions or left at camp when you depart.

It is wise to plainly mark each piece of your property with name, address and phone number, using a ballpoint pen to keep markings waterproof.

A laundry marking pen is ideal for such purposes.

Best Line For Bass

Puzzled as to which weight line is best for bass fishing? The heavier line is hard to cast.

Consensus of opinion leans toward the 12-pound line as the heaviest to use for good casting. The lighter your line, the easier and farther you cast, all else being equal.

A Bass Jigging Trick

When bumping the bottom for winter bass, there is no better bait than the popular plastic worm and jig... especially if the worm is blue.

However, if you wrap a tin-foil strip about an inch wide around the worm, nearest the hook, your luck probably will double.

Flashing of the foil attracts the reluctant lunger lurking nearby.

Washing Equipment

When you get home from a camping or fishing trip, fill a washtub half-full of water. Add detergent and stir well.

Then toss in all pieces of tackle such as stringers, bait buckets, scalars, cleaning knives and sacks used to carry fish.

Let them soak for an hour or two. Then empty the suds and rinse.

This procedure will clean your gear of fish odors. Be sure to dry equipment well before storing.

Cattle Feeders Membership On The Rise

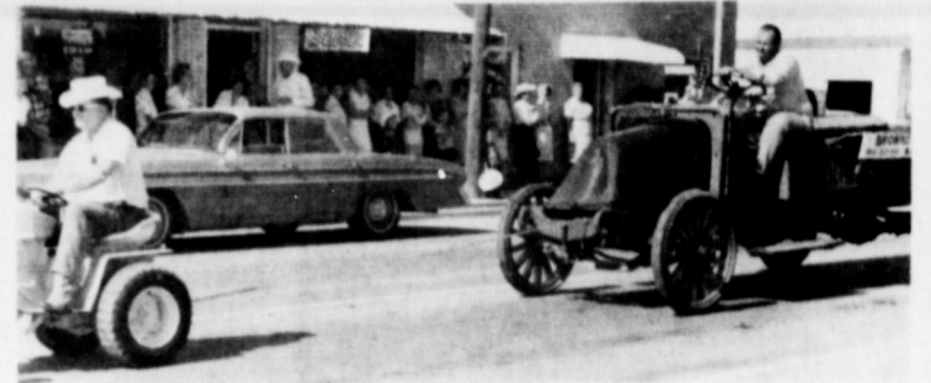
Jack Carrothers, president of Texas Cattle Feeders Association, has announced the establishment of Association offices at 800 West 9th Street in Amarillo, Texas. The offices are located in the new American Amicable Life Building.

In reviewing the progress of the new Texas Cattle Feeders Association, Carrothers said, "Membership applications are being received and I am pleased with the excellent support the Association is experiencing."

Membership in the Texas Cattle Feeders Association is avail-

able to all cattle feeders and a special Associate membership is available to allied industries and others interested in the cattle feeding industry. Membership applications can be obtained by contacting Association Board of Directors or the Association office.

The Association has completed arrangements with LFM News, Inc., to provide members with a complete livestock, feed and meat market information wire system. Members will receive special rates for the LFM News service as well as a private market report prepared daily by the Texas Cattle Feeders Association. LFM News, Inc., is a nationwide news gathering and dissemination organization and in cooperation with the Texas Cattle Feeders Association will provide members with a prime source of the latest livestock, feed and meat prices.



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"THIS and THAT" From Circle-Springlake-Olton

By Mrs. Tom Stansell

Henry Hudgins of Farmington, New Mexico, died there Thursday, July 6. Mr. Hudgins was a former resident of this area, and at the time of his death, owned the farm south of Circle, on which Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Welch live.

Ezra Whittington has been ill since the middle of last week. He is the father of Mrs. Phil Nelms, Springlake, and the cousin of Mrs. Alice Smetley, Earth.

J. C. Dearsuffered a heart attack Monday night, July 10, and was rushed to Littlefield Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Cain, Jr., visited in Lubbock Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Willis White and Jimmy Packard. Mr. White was out in the lobby talking with friends, and Mrs. White is permitted to have company.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Skinner spent last week with their son, Lloyd, at Dumas. They fished at Lake Meredith and Lake Dalhart.

Mrs. Donald Packard and family were in Plainview shopping Saturday.

Mrs. Orville Drake was dismissed from a Littlefield hospital Saturday.

R. D. (Dick) Baker, grandfather of Mrs. W. C. Gunter, has been dismissed from an Amarillo hospital, where he had been a patient three weeks. Mr. Baker, 97, resides on the farm he homesteaded in 1896 on Star Route #2, Panhandle.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Singletary returned Sunday from a fishing trip at El Vado, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Chitwood left Sunday for El Paso, where Mr. Chitwood will be attended by his brother-in-law, Dr. Jim Parsons, and other physicians of that city. Mr. Chitwood has been ill for several weeks.

Mrs. Wayne Davis and Mrs. Buck McClure visited Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Ernest Goforth.

Charlie Timmons from Whit-



THE YANKEE TEAM is a power house on the baseball field. They are currently tied with the Mets for first place in the league. Kneeling front row, left to right: Donnie Henderson, Donald Montelongo, Esquil Castillo, Oscar Castillo, Dale Davis and Kevin Hinson. Middle row: Mike Cleavinger, Larry Thomas, Joe Acevedo, Guy Lynn Davis, Kent Lewis and Brian Britton. Coaches are Harold Britton, Thurman Lewis and Wayne Davis.

Dawn, Jill and Carrie went vacationing in New Mexico last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Kellar and Mrs. Jessie Baker of Siloam Springs, Arkansas, visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Watson and Monte. Mr. Kellar and Mrs. Baker are great uncle and aunt of Mrs. Watson. Mrs. Lowell Watson, Mrs. Lillie Renfro and Mrs. Renfro's sister, Mrs. Edith Fields of Roswell, New Mexico, were visiting Mrs. Roy Smoot and children of Childress Wednesday through Saturday of last week.

Katly Cain spent Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Miller and Harvey visited Friday in the Charlie Timmons home at Whitharal. Other guests were Mrs. Charles Timmons and daughters of Hawaii.

Brother Gerald Johnson of Plainview conducted worship services both Sunday morning and evening at the Springlake First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Myrtle Clayton returned last week from a bus tour of Northeastern United States and the Canadian World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Miller had as guests Sunday their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Miller, Margo and Victor of Amarillo; their daughter and children, Mrs. Kenneth Heard, Donnie and Emmett, and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Miller and Mandy, all of Littlefield.

Hardin Guin of Edinburg visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hucks and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Livesay had as guests Sunday their daughter and son, Mrs. Milton Horst and Gregg of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stephens, Gloria and Randy visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gibson.

Linda James attended a swimming party July 3 honoring Debbie Matlock on her birthday. Following swimming, cake and ice cream were served in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Matlock to Kathy Kelley, Vicki Gregory, Teresa Glasscock, Linda James, Kathy Lee, DeAnne Brock and the guest of honor, Debbie Matlock.

Bonny James spent Thursday, Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald James, Loretta and Clifford.

Dale Gabelan recently went for a check-up at an allergy clinic in Oklahoma City.

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harral and son, Carl Timmons, of Colorado visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Miller and Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wayne Hair and Melissa of Mesquite spent the week-end with Mrs. L. V. Steffey, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hair and Oris Hair.

Mrs. Estelle Watson of Dallas visited recently with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hinson.

Mrs. Richard McCaskill, Judy and Justin of Lubbock spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. McCaskill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Almon Whitford.

Jack Edwards transacted business in Springlake Saturday.

R. L. Byers injured his shoulder in a fall last week, but no bones were broken.

Olton teachers, James Gagle, coach, Leslie Russ, band director, Jack Williamson, high school math teacher, and Bob Alfford, teacher of remedial reading, are attending West Texas State University.

Jimmy Packard, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Packard, was taken back to a Lubbock hospital Friday, July 7. He returned home Monday.

Mrs. Jacky Pinson of Lubbock was a house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Pinson from Thursday to Saturday. Jacky Pinson was on a field trip in New Mexico, with fellow members of a science class from Texas Tech.

Mrs. Eula Whitford was recently staying in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Almon Whitford. Saturday, July 8, she was with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Struve, Dismitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stansell called Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dear.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Welch have visiting with them their grandchildren, Bobbie, Connie and Ronnie, children of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bridgeman of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Byers have visiting with them Mrs. Byers' nieces, Dana, Kimberley and Charla, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Perkins of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Allen and Mrs. L. V. Steffey were guests Sunday of Mrs. L. A. George and Mrs. Berniece Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Kennedy and sons, T. C. and Leslie, attended funeral services Saturday afternoon for Robert McAfee at Pampa.

Guests this week of Mrs. Minnie Simmons are her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wood Myers and La Ruth of Gatesville.

Supper guests Tuesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Oatley and children were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown and family, Mr. and

Mrs. Norris Sampler and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Tooker and children.

Saturday Almon Whitford was back in traction at his home as the result of riding a tractor.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rex V. Jenkins and Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Adams, Bill and Winona, are Mr. Jenkins' sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wing III of Fishkill, New York.

Wayman Epps, brother of Mrs. C. C. Gray, had heart surgery last Wednesday at Houston. He was reported Sunday to be making satisfactory progress.

Mrs. W. P. Hedges, Jan Hedges and Mrs. Leroy Hodkin and daughters of Hereford left Monday for Plainview, Arkansas, where they will visit Mrs. Hodkin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Phillips. Mrs. Hedges is the mother of Mrs. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. James Truelock and daughters visited Sunday with Mr. Truelock's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Durbin and children.

Joe Dale and Monte Chitwood are staying with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Chitwood, Olton.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hilbert Wisian were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hawkins of Fort Worth, and their son, Ralph Wisian of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Kellar of Earth spent Independence Day with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Watson and Monte.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hucks went to Abilene two weeks ago and brought Ronnie to spend the rest of the summer with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Adams, Bill and Winona left Monday of last week for Lake Thomas near Snyder. There they were joined by Mrs. Adams' sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Matthews and Cheri of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wing III of Fishkill, New York, and Mr. and Mrs. Rex V. Jenkins. The entire group attended the Jackson

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By Mrs. Tom Stansell

Milton (Bud) McNamara, Red Wood City, California, came last week to visit his mother, Mrs. Myrtle McNamara, and other relatives.

Mrs. G. C. Bearden, Linda, Renay and Loretta were in Muleshoe Friday.

Mrs. Myrtle Clayton, Mrs. Bert Thomas, Mrs. Stella Cowart and Mrs. Fear Schreier attended the Mineral and Gem Exhibit at Levelland Saturday, July 8.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE YOUTH CAMP

Rev. Gerald V. Davis, pastor of Olton Church of The Nazarene, took four local young people to Junior Camp, which is to be held July 10-14 at Camp Arrowhead near Glen Rose. Those accompanying Rev. Davis are Kenneth Limbocker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Limbocker; Leslie Gary, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gary, Halfway; Elva Jalomo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vicenta Jalomo, and Sharon Davis, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Gerald Davis.

About one hundred eighty Juniors are expected to attend from the one hundred churches in the Abilene District of The Church of The Nazarene. The principal speaker is Brother Balderjack, River Oaks Church, Fort Worth.

OLTON CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL

Minister Tex Williams, Lubbock, conducted revival services July 2-9 at the Olton Church of Christ, with Pastor Haul Kite in charge of the singing.

Minister Williams, a forceful speaker, is a teacher in The School of Preaching at Lubbock Sunset Church of Christ. He spent many years as a minister in Africa and desires to return to that country.

The services were well attended with numbers of listeners from out of town. Basket lunch was spread Sunday at the Legion Hut.

COUPLE RECEIVE TRINIDAD ASSIGNMENT

Mr. and Mrs. George Biggs and family of El Dorado, Kansas, who are visiting Mrs. Biggs' parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Hat-

rod of the Circle community near Olton, will leave August 13 by plane for Trinidad, West Indies Islands, where they will be teachers in the Caribbean Nazarene College, located in the Santa Cruz Valley.

Biggs will teach Christian Doctrines, European history, ancient history, psychology, and accounting. He also will be the purchasing agent for the college and manager of its 40 acre estate.

Biggs holds a B. S. Degree from Bethany Nazarene College and a Master's Degree in the field of economics from Fort Hays, Kansas State College. He taught economics at El Dorado High School and Butler County Junior College the past two years.

Mrs. Biggs is a graduate of Olton High School, of Bethany Nazarene College and has attended Texas State University two years. At the Nazarene Caribbean College, she will teach homemaking, freshman English and fundamentals and appreciation of music. She will also give private lessons in organ and piano, especially for students, who wish to aid in worship service.

The family will take only personal possessions plus their piano, as they are allowed 6,000 pounds of luggage, custom duties and transportation free.

The Caribbean Nazarene College was established in 1950 as a Bible school. Later it offered two, then three years of college courses. The 1967-1968 term marks the beginning of its being a four year accredited college. Most of its students are converts from Catholic, Moslem and Islam faiths. These students come from Barbados and Guyana, as well as from the islands. Students do the manual work, such as building, cooking and cleaning. The Biggs will be the first teachers of this school, who have not been ministers or wives of ministers. They plan to remain on Trinidad Island four years before receiving a furlough of one year, if they have no health problems.

The coldest temperature there is 67 degrees and the warmest is 93 degrees, but the humidity is excessive.

Mr. and Mrs. Biggs have three children, Michael, 10, Carol, 4, and John, 2. Michael will be taken eight miles to Saint



A TIME WHEN EVERY SECOND COUNTS... Especially when the ball whizzes by overhead just a few paces in front... However, luck was with the runner, and the baseman missed the ball, and he made it.

Andrews School, Port of Spain. Mr. and Mrs. Biggs are two of 33 persons, who received appointments this year from the General Mission Board of The Church of The Nazarene. The mission work is financed primarily by offerings taken Easter and Thanksgiving.

Forty-two million people now receive regular checks from the Federal government—either directly, or from the states under aid programs financed largely with Federal government funds.



to make footprints in the sands of time because they do not want someone following them."—Geo. B. Bowra, Aztec (N. Mex.) Independent-Review.

"It's not money that causes so much trouble, but the misconception that a lot of it can be had for nothing."—Joseph M. Shaw, Jr., Centra (Ala.) County Herald.

"A lot of men do not want

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hatfield and family have moved into the Roy Gover house on 4th Street.

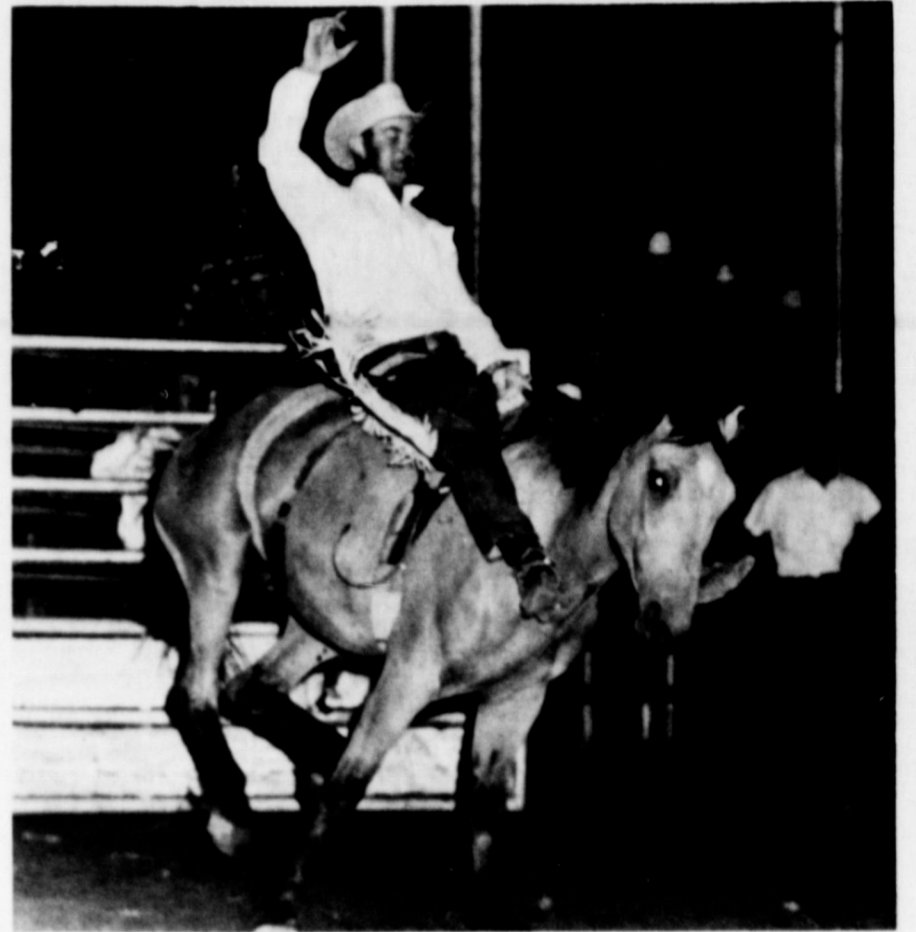
Mr. and Mrs. Charley Dunn and children have moved to North 4th Street, near the city pool.

Pam Jordan returned recently from a five weeks' visiting with her grandmother, Mrs. Mel Hastey, in Santa Paula, California.

Mrs. Mildred Haley, who had major surgery last week in the

Littlefield Hospital, is now home and is slowly improving. Somehow or other, as we get older, work seems a lot less fun, and fun seems a lot more work."—Rex Goldthorpe, Cuba City (Wisc.) Tri-City Press.

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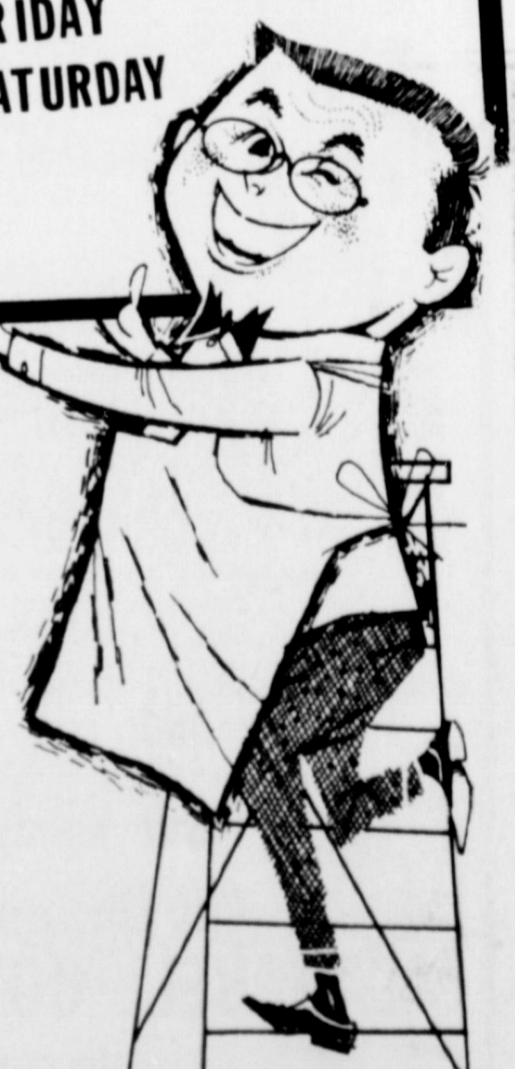
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Sunnyside News...

By Tenny Bowden.

TOO LATE FOR LAST WEEK

W.E. Loudder had a light stroke early Monday morning. He was admitted to St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo Tuesday morning and underwent cardio-vascular surgery on the left artery in his neck Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haydon visited with Mr. and Mrs. Willis White of Springlake in Methodist Hospital Thursday. Mrs. White got out of the intensive care unit Tuesday.

Several have visited again this week with Gerald Elkins at Methodist Hospital. A few have taken his five minute period to visit with Mrs. Elkins. She is improving, but is now going through the very painful drying out period.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving King returned home from Cimarron, New Mexico, last Thursday. Their fishing trip was interrupted when Mrs. King fell on Wednesday, cracking the bone in her right arm and bruising herself, and skinning both knees. She received first aid at the Boy Scout Camp on Wednesday. Her arm was placed in a binder instead of a cast.

Mrs. Charlie Hall Jones visited in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Wednesday with her daddy, Ray Glascock.

Joyce Derrick of Hale Center spent last Sunday with Sandy Loudder. Sandy went home with her and stayed until Wednesday. Then Joyce came home with her again.

Mr. and Mrs. E.B. Wilson moved from the trailer house at the store to Needmore Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Little and children of Seminole set up housekeeping in the trailer house this week preparing to lease the store and open it next week. They will live in the Roy Phelan rent house where the George Drakes lived.

Mr. and Mrs. George Drake and Linda moved from the community to near Hart Saturday.

Mrs. Ray Joe Riley entertained her bridge club last Thursday. Those present were Jerry Butler, Mona Merritt, Shirley Wise, Ruth Jackson, Carolyn Jones, Elaine Herring, Myrna Miller, Mary Jo Brown, Lexie Harden, Millicent Bennett and Stephanie Love all of Dimmitt.

Mrs. Thelma McClanahan re-

turned home from Alba Tuesday. Rev. M. D. Durham, Noah and Harold Spencer, Bill Morgan and Roy Phelan attended the Brotherhood Camp at Plains Baptist Assembly near Floydada Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ott and Don of Dimmitt moved to the Ott homestead this week.

1.4 inches of rain was received Wednesday night, about 3 Friday night, 2 Saturday night and 10 Sunday night. This brings the total rainfall in June to between nine inches in the north part of the community to eleven inches in the south. Wheat harvest has been delayed and weeds have endangered the young crops.

Mrs. David Sadler and her mother, Mrs. Jake King of Hereford, visited in Amarillo Thursday with Mrs. John Chase. Mrs. Sadler also visited with W.E. Loudder in St. Anthony's Hospital and with Mrs. Ezell Sadler and Mrs. L.B. Bowden, who are staying with him.

Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner entertained in her home Friday afternoon with a Tupper Ware Party. Mr. and Mrs. Irving King visited in St. Anthony's Hospital Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Harvey Looney of Amarillo, whose husband underwent major surgery on Saturday afternoon.

He was in surgery 11 hours. His heart stopped beating, and they massaged his heart for an hour before it worked on its own, and they could continue the surgery. They also visited W.E. Loudder, Mrs. F.M. Sweeney and Bill also visited Mr. Loudder, Bill visited him Thursday, Friday, and Saturday mornings for a few minutes, also.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving King also visited with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Francis King and Mrs. Sweeney and Bill Sunday while in Amarillo.

Mrs. Pearl Sadler visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Sadler.

Mrs. David Sadler visited in Hereford Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake King, Carl Lee and Brenda.

Bob Loudder of Happy visited Sunday afternoon with Leslie and Alton Loudder.

Mrs. Howard Cummings was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Sunday with a head cold and sinus infection.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Joe Riley and Kevin took Kim Riley back



THE LAZBUDDIE LITTLE LEAGUE TEAM has provided stiff competition among the Earth Little League teams. They are a hard playing group of fellows, who are devoted to baseball. Kneeling left to right: Coach Jimmy Seaton, Danny Clark,

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to school at Ada, Oklahoma, Friday. They came back by their place at Bonham Saturday. Jodie stayed with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Riley in Dimmitt.

Leslie and Sandy Loudder Mrs. Dean Kirby, of Dimmitt and Joyce Derrick of Hale Center visited Friday afternoon with W.E. Loudder in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Don Phelan of Weatherford and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelan of Fieldton spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shirey visited in Canyon Saturday the 24th with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Montgomery and children. Mrs. Shirey stayed with them until last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Ivey of Kerrville spent the week-end with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ivey and Mokey. They were on their way to Yellow Stone National Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Carson went to Topeka, Kansas, last week for medical treatment. They went to Dallas Thursday and Houston was admitted to Timberlon Hospital in Dallas that day for treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Conard and La Donna Kay Franklin returned home last week after a two week visit with relatives in Oklahoma and New Mexico. They visited with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Conard and family in Midwest City, Oklahoma, and her sisters in Marietta and Durant, Oklahoma. One of her sisters is gravely ill with cancer. They visited in Farmington with a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Noyed Anderson and family.

The annual G.A. Coronation Service was held Sunday night with Mrs. M. D. Durham, director, in charge. Rev. Durham, Mrs. Roy Phelan, Mrs. Bill Morgan, Mrs. Hershel Wilson, and Mrs. Alford Crisp helped out with the service. Naomi Carr, Janis Bridge, and Terry Crisp were recognized as Queens-with-accepters; Lesa Morgan, who was absent, LaDonna Kay Franklin, Debbie Wilson, Renee Jones, and Tressa and Myrna Elliott were recognized as ladies-in-waiting. Peggy McGowen, Patricia Waide and Resa Carson were recognized as Maidens. 83 attended Sunday School with 37 in Training Union Sunday.

Mrs. Cecil Curtis and Debbie were in Ceta Canyon this week

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Butter, of San Diego, California, arrived by plane at the Amarillo Airport Tuesday to visit several weeks with the Jarvis Angeley family. The Angeleys met the Butters in Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. Butter are the parents of Mrs. Jarvis Angeley.

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"Kids Next Door" To Appear At Fair With Eddie Arnold

The Kids Next Door, who thrilled fairgoers in Lubbock last year, as the Young American Singers, will return to the Panhandle South Plains Fair this fall as part of the featured Eddy Arnold all-star show. The 18 member singing group will be appearing on stage in Fair Park Coliseum with Arnold and Jimmy Nelson throughout the week-long engagement, slated September 25-30. Nelson also will bring his dummy pals, Danny O'Day, Humphrey Higginbotham, Farfel and Fratarotta, to the golden anniversary edition. The Young American Singers were students first, entertainers second, it was only logical, then, that the Kids Next Door should be born. As graduates of the Young Americans, these girls and boys have completed



THE KIDS NEXT DOOR

their schooling and are now free to perform on a year-round basis. Unlike the Young Americans, The Kids Next Door are professionals. Their national television debut on Perry Como's Thanksgiving Special last November generated such excitement in the entertainment world they already have been committed to concert dates deep into 1968.

They will be seen in numerous mid-Western colleges, and in concert halls across the country with such stars as Johnny Carson, The Tijuana Brass, Tennessee Ernie Ford, Petula Clark, Arnold, Bob Newhart and a repeat tour with Perry Como. Ford and the Young Americans played to nearly 40,000 persons at the fair last year, when overall attendance soared

beyond the quarter-million mark for the first time. In addition, fair officials welcomed their five millionth visitor in the 49-year history of one of the Southwest's oldest and most successful expositions. The 50th annual renewal will salute A. B. Davis, longtime general manager.

The unique quality of The Kids Next Door lies in the fact that each individual performer has a talent all his own. Each is able to perform in his own distinctive and original manner whether playing a banjo, guitar, bass or harmonica, singing an aria, wailing a folk tune, or performing a dance routine.

The basic personality of The Kids Next Door has always been friendliness, and this feeling is captured in their own associations with one another. All ages, many nationalities and religions are joined together to promote feelings of good will and understanding--for one another, and the rest of the world.

Since signing with RCA Victor Records in 1944, he has sold more than 40 million albums and singles, according to figures released by the company. This puts him in the list of the ten biggest selling popular record-

ing artists of all time. During most of 1966, he had three albums consistently on the Billboard magazine list of the 150 biggest selling albums. The year was the highpoint in Arnold's long and enduring career. Ventriloquist Nelson is the third star in the fair's 1967 triple-header, believed to be the exposition's top drawing card in history.

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Gross value to farmers from 2,122,770 acres of cotton allotments in the 23 counties surrounding Lubbock and represented by Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., came to \$257,922,510 in 1966.

This is the figure arrived at by John J. Seibert, Area Extension Farm Management Specialist, working with the PCG staff. It includes producer income from lint, seed, and both price support and acreage diversion payments under last year's cotton program.

In calculating lint value, Seibert used quality statistics published for each of the High Plains counties each year by PCG. Per-bale prices for lint, on a 500-pound basis, ranged from \$72.76 to \$91.62 or from a little over 14.5 cents to 18.3 cents a pound.

Seibert says varietal differences plus the varying effects of adverse weather from county to county in 1966 accounted for the difference in prices received.

Total lint value of the 1,293,700 bales (500 pounds gross weight) in the area was \$149,885,258.

To that figure the value of cotton seed added another \$33,375,000 based on an average of 800 pounds of seed per bale at \$65 per ton.

Government payments finished out gross cotton income with another \$108,037,252 in the 23 counties. In this figure were included \$68,897,682 of price support payments and \$39,275,560 of payments for diverted acres.

Seibert says these figures are to be used in connection with the South Plains Development Program launched last year by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The program seeks to build producer income from all crops through yield and quality increases, reduces production costs and maximum efficiency.



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Annual Membership Dues To Water, Inc. Set For Texas, Oklahoma, And N. Mexico

Those paying dues between \$250 and \$1,000 will be classed "Sustaining" members; those from \$1,000 to \$5,000 as "Sponsoring" members, and those above \$5,000 will be called "Leadership" members. Kendrick announced that all memberships received by Water, Inc., within 120 days of the June 13 meeting will be considered charter memberships, and membership certificates to that effect will be issued. Membership applications will be made available to area

people through the mail to the extent possible with existing mailing lists, Kendrick said. In addition, a supply will be placed at Chambers of Commerce offices, banks and other locations throughout the area. Mailing address of Water, Inc., is P. O. Box 367, Lubbock.

"Membership in Water, Inc., with its unlimited promise to the area, should be a must for all who have a stake in West Texas, Eastern New Mexico or the Oklahoma Panhandle," Kendrick said, "and we want to give all an opportunity to become a Charter member."

He pointed out that the Lubbock City Board of Development has voted an initial contribution of \$10,000 to Water, Inc., thus becoming its first "Leadership" member. He said this was an excellent testimonial to the importance of the association's work and said he hoped it would serve as an example to others who seek to further the economic growth of this area.

Initial plans call for the importation of water first from the surplus water areas of Northeast Texas, probably within 10 or 12 years, and later from the Mississippi, Missouri or Arkansas rivers where more substantial amounts are available. Studies by government agencies and private engineering firms are already underway on the engineering feasibility and costs of such projects.

The engineering feasibility of transporting water to the West from both in-state and out-of-state sources has been firmly established, and most observers are convinced it is economically feasible as well.

Kendrick, who is president of the First National Bank of Brownfield and was elected President of Water, Inc., at its organizational meeting, said:

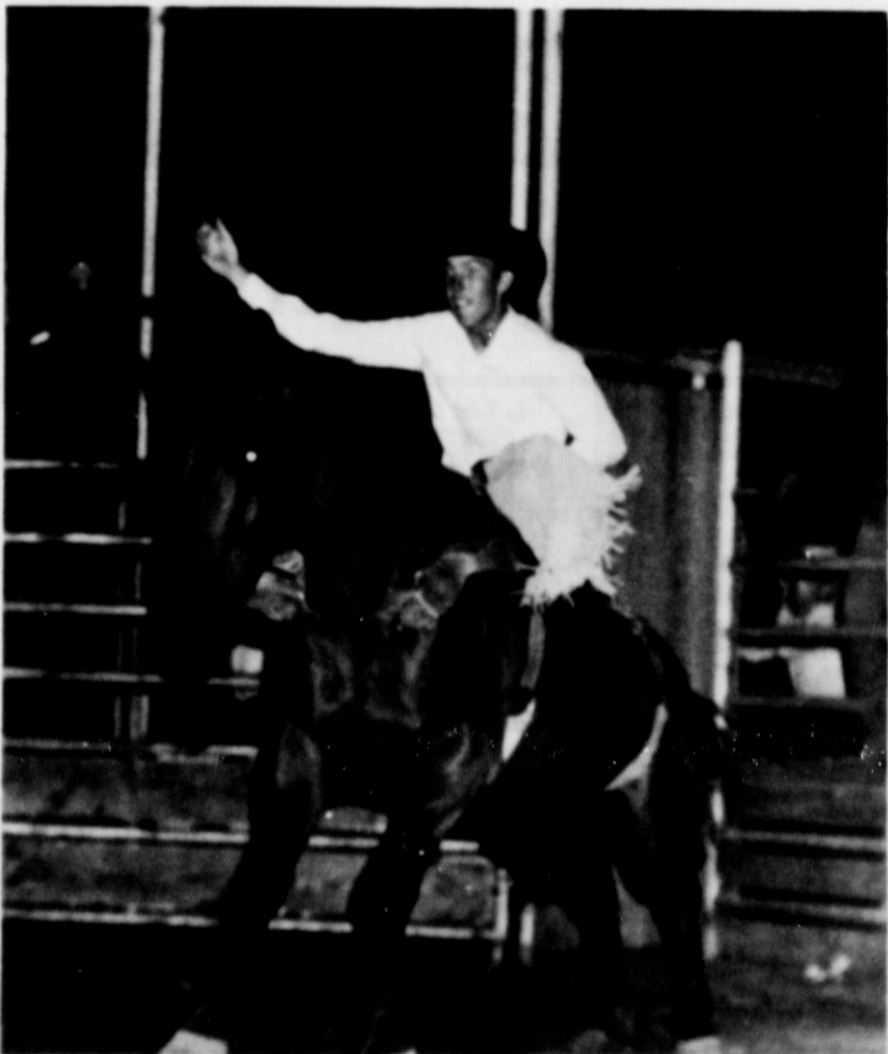
"The benefits to every resident of this region will be almost beyond the limits of imagination once Water, Inc. has achieved its goals. We believe the various levels of membership dues are equitable for all concerned and are such that they will not work a financial hardship on anyone."

He pointed out that a project of this magnitude simply requires a great deal of money to see it through the necessary engineering and political phases. "Both State and Federal money will be necessary and the full cooperation of many agencies in Austin and Washington will be indispensable if the job is to be done," he said, and added "Neither the State nor the Nation can afford to be without the tremendous productive potential of the West, and I am confident that with proper support and cooperation from the people involved, we will get imported water to realize that potential."

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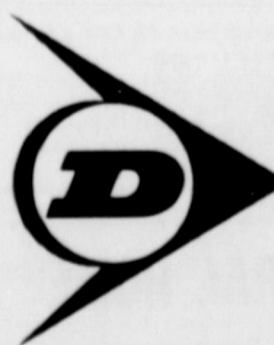
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