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MAYOR E.C. KELLEY - Proclaims March Red Cross Month in connection with the annual National Red Cross fund drive. Mayor Kelley in signing the proclamation urged all citizens of the area to give their full support to the drive.

In issuing the proclamation, Mayor Kelley said that the Lamb County Red Cross Chapter seeks to raise \$9,836.00 "To continue its health, safety, and welfare services here and to contribute its share to national red cross programs, some of them world-wide.

The proclamation follows:

"WHEREAS, The American Red Cross is giving round-the-clock service to our sons who are fighting in Vietnam and maintaining U.S. Military strength in other far places; and

"WHEREAS, The American Red Cross provides to hospitals, health agencies, and physicians more whole blood and blood derivatives than any other organization, thus greatly contributing to the health of the American people; and

"WHEREAS, The Red Cross stands ready to come to the aid of people stricken by flood, fire, or storm; and

"WHEREAS, Our Red Cross here helps keep our families safe and healthy through its courses in first aid, water safety, and home nursing; and

"WHEREAS, All of us here can at all times help support our Red Cross with our money, volunteer service, and blood;

"NOW THEREFORE, I E.C. Kelley Mayor of Earth, do hereby proclaim the month of March as Red Cross month in Earth and urge all citizens to join me in supporting our Red Cross."

/s/ E.C. Kelley
Mayor, City of Earth, Texas

Five File For School Board

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Interest in the forthcoming school board election has increased in tempo with five candidates having already filed for the two vacancies created by the termination of two trustees terms.

Those who have filed are incumbent, Guy F. Kelley, also P.A., "Stump" Washington, K. B. Parish, Gene Templeton and Harold Miller.

Deadline for filing is set for March 7. Those wishing to file may do so at the school secretary's office.

The election will be held on Saturday, April 6 in the high school library.

Les Watson has been appointed election judge. He will be assisted by Leroy Wilkinson as assistant judge. Clerks will be Russell Haberer, Jack Angeley, Howard McClure and Edd Dawson.

Mrs. Gaye Clynch has been appointed as absentee balloting clerk.

Never again do I expect to have the opportunity to date a weekly newspaper, published with a Thursday dateline, using Tuesday, February 29. Since this dateline is very rare indeed, some of you readers may wish to stash away this Thursday, February 29, 1968 issue as there will not be another with the Thursday, February 29 dateline until 1996.

This is the first time the News-Sun has ever published five issues during the short month of February. This was brought about because of the 29 days in the month, and the first day falling on Thursday. There are few weekly editors who have ever dated their papers February 29. Few indeed, as the 29 has fallen on Thursday only four times during the past 152 years. The years were 1816, 1844, 1872 and 1940.

All I can figure out about the scarcity of this Thursday, Feb. 29 event is to give, in all fairness, equal right to the newspaper women, to allow them to have time to search the highways and byways for and propose to the man of their dreams, like the other lame brains in this country during leap year, instead of keeping them tied down to press day.

The Wolverettes are beginning this hard march to again, capture the title, "State Champions of Class A." We know the team and Coach Dallas Clynch are going to give it everything they have.

In this issue, you will note many merchants are backing the team, instead of using their regular advertising space for merchandizing ads. These are two-fold purpose. . . They proudly back the Wolverettes and at the same time they could all use your patronage.

BULLETIN

The Wolverettes have two practice games scheduled for today and Friday.

The game tonight is against Quitaque at 7 p.m. in the local gymnasium.

Friday's game is at 7:30 p.m. against Klondike on the local court.

Admission for both games are adults \$1 and students 50 cents.

Annual Red Cross Drive Begins In County Friday

The annual month-long campaign for funds of the Lamb County chapter of the American Red Cross will open Friday. One of the most important of its drives since the second world war, Mrs. Bonnie Haberer, chapter chairman said today.

Because of the greatly increased cost of serving U.S. servicemen in Vietnam and because of a series of major disasters, the red cross has been forced to ask the American People for the largest sum of money since World War II, the amount is \$121,624,000.

Mrs. Haberer said "In Lamb County we are seeking to raise \$8,836.00. We therefore urge that our supporters increase their 1967 donations." The nationwide drive for funds of the Red Cross will be geared to the theme of "S-O-S... Support Our servicemen" and the slogan "Help Us Help".

Annual FFA - 4 - H Club Barbeque Slated

The annual FFA-4-H Club appreciation barbeque supper is scheduled for Monday, March 4 to 7 p.m. in the Springlake-Earth School cafeteria.

The barbeque, catered by Smokey's Bar-B-Q of Plainview is an annual event sponsored by the Livestock Show association to recognize buyers, sponsors, members and junior members of the local FFA and 4-H Club livestock show organization.

Speaker for the evening will be a member of the local FFA chapter.

County 4-H Food Show Slated In Littlefield Saturday

The Lamb County 4-H Club Favorite Food Show will be held Saturday March 2 at Community Building in Littlefield.

Judging will begin at 1:00 p.m. and the show will open to the public at 2 p.m.

Those entering from Earth-Springlake 2nd year cooking class are Vickie West and Franee Faver.

Members entering the show from the 1st year cooking class are Joy Faver, Marilyn Eagle, Terri Inglis, Camille Hinchliffe, Rusty Waide and Glen Branscum.

The public is invited to attend the show.

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KOENINGER AND SMITH RUNNER UPS

Brenda Clayton Named Lions Queen Saturday

Brenda Clayton, petite 16 year old Junior cheer leader and student in the local school was named Queen of the Earth-Springlake Lions Club, at a contest Saturday night in the School Auditorium.

Miss Clayton, a 5 foot 4 inch lass, with lovely hazel eyes and brown hair was dressed in a pale blue floor length formal with sequined bodice. She was amid a group of 26 contestants.

Caron Koeninger, 15 year old, 6 foot 4 inch, freshman was runner up. She has hazel eyes, and brown hair and was wearing a blue empire designed floor length formal. She is the lovely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D.H. Koeninger.

Carolyn Smith, 17 year old, blonde blue eyed junior is 5 foot 2 inches tall. She wore a red satin floor length dress with a red chiffon coat. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Smith.

Miss Clayton, daughter of State Representative and Mrs. Bill Clayton, is a member of the F.H.A. Band manager and was first runner-up in the Queen Contest last year. She was crowned by lovely Miss Linda Packard outgoing Lions Queen.

Miss Clayton was presented a hundred dollar scholarship to the school of her choice, upon graduation. She also received a check for \$ to be applied on the cost of her wardrobe, to enter the 2TE District contest in the near future. Hinchliffe gave the welcome address. Invocation was given by Rev. Walter Driver, of the first Methodist Church.

Introductions were made by Springlake Lion Boss, Clifford Hopling.

Music for the contest was furnished by Mrs. Bob Belew, organist.

Dean Foshee, and his high school stage band entertained during intermission.

Jerry Fletcher, served as master of ceremonies for the event.

The 26 beauties entered the West side of the stage underneath an archway of red net enhanced by a trellis entwined with climbing red roses. An archway on the east side of the stage was entwined with white roses and red roses.

There were fifty one sponsors and co-sponsors for the following contestants, Julie Cleavinger, Denise Morgan, Susan Parish, Ann Bearden, Joyce Starkey, Brenda Clayton, Connie Kelley, Camille Haberer, Marsha Dawson, Kathy Myers, Gaye



QUEEN BRENDA CLAYTON is seated on her throne as first runner-up Caron Koeninger (left) and Carolyn Smith, (right) second runner-up, stand by.

Requirements For Filing For Earth-Springlake Hospital District Director

An election to name five directors of the Earth-Springlake Hospital District is slated to be held in the Springlake-Earth School on Saturday April 6.

Doug Parish, Secretary of the current Board, stated this week that anyone wishing to have their name placed on the ballot must first pick up a petition slip at his office at K.M.P. Pump Manufacturing Company in Earth and have 25 qualified voters to sign it, before they would be eligible to seek election.

Parish also stated, these petitions must be returned to his office 25 days prior to the Election date.

Weekend guests in the G. L. Adrain home was their daughter Mrs. Deanne Kilmer of Lubbock.

Powerful Wolverettes Clash With Idalou Tuesday In Bi-District Play

Springlake-Earth Wolverettes, District 3A champions meets District 4A champions Idalou Tuesday, March 5 at 8 p.m. for the bi-district championship

and the honor of playing in the regional playoffs in Lubbock Saturday, March 9.

The Wolverettes have two practice games before bi-district.

They play Quitaque tonight at 7 p.m. on the home court and Klondike, Friday night at 7:30 p.m. at home.

In district play the Wolverettes

had a record of 8-0. Through season play up until this week their record was 29-2.

The three starting forwards have

an average of 74 points per game.

All-starter Susan Britton has a 25 point average, Marsha Dawson, 27 points and sophomore,

Vicky Gregory has an average of 22 points.

Regional playoffs will be played in Lubbock, Saturday, March 8.

Thursday, February 22 the Wolverettes played Slaton, class 4AA champions in a practice game, and proved stronger than the Tigerettes, downing them by a score of 65 to 60. It was only the second loss of the season for Slaton and the win may be indicative of things to come for the Wolverettes.

Springlake-Earth got off to an early lead, and was never behind in the contest, although Slaton managed to pull within one point at the end of the third quarter of play. At the end of the first quarter, the Wolverettes led by four, with the score 19 to 15. At halftime, Springlake-Earth had increased their lead by two points, going into the dressing room with a 34 to 28 score.

During the third quarter, Slaton managed to outscore the Wolverettes, and at the end of the period it was 47 for the Wolverettes and 46 for Slaton. The fourth period found the Wolverettes outscoring Slaton again as they held on for their five point margin of victory.

Susan Britton outscored all players for the night with a tremendous display of brilliant playing, as she hit for a total of 36 points, while playing her usual excellent floor game. Marsha Dawson found the going a little tougher than usual, as Slaton set up their defenses for her but still managed to toss in 16 points while Vicky Gregory had a total of 12 for the game.

Next scheduled game for the Wolverettes is the all-important bi-district game against Idalou, scheduled for Tuesday, March 5, in the Abernathy High School Gymnasium. Game time is slated for 8:00 P.M.



DISTRICT 3A CHAMPIONS - All set to defend their State Championship, are these Wolverettes Debra McAipine, Mgr. Jan Hedges, Bobby Jan Blackburn, Jamie Washington, Cindy Barton, Becky Sanders, Susan Britton, Vickie Gregory, Dallas Clynch, coach, Marsha Dawson, Linda

Gregory, Debby Martin, Beverly Britton, Jodie Angeley, Brenda Clayton, Sandra Henderson, and Ann Bearden, mgr. The Wolverettes meet Idalou, winners of district 4-A Tuesday night at 8:00 p.m. in Abernathy in Bi-District play.

Local FFA - 4-Her's Showing Only Two Candidates Have Filed In Earth City Election

Local FFA boys attending and entering animals in the Houston Livestock Show Exposition this week are David Foster, Eddie Jones, Lonnie Dear, Bill Gover and Alan Hatfield, the above are showing swine, David Templeton and Craig Barton are showing calves. The group entered a total of 2 calves and 15 pigs. 4-H club members showing animals are Welda Barton showing a lamb and Bruce Bridges who will be showing 2 calves for himself and 2 calves for his brother Brad. Sponsors of the group accompanying the FFA boys are E. G. Gaston, local FFA instructor

and Bob Phipps who has entered 3 hogs in the senior division. Largest number of entries ever, totaling over 15,510 are competing for record premiums in excess of \$200,000, to be divided among exhibitors of eight beef breeds, four dairy breeds, 11 sheep breeds, four horse breeds, five rabbit breeds, Angora goats, 22 poultry breeds and six swine breeds, according to General Manager E. C. "Dick" Weekley. In addition, \$37,100 in calves will be presented in the world's largest calf scramble and Texas farm youth will take home an estimated \$131,225 in auction premiums above market value.

NOTICE...

The LCC Associates will meet Thursday, March 7 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Hay. Guest speaker will be Freddie Maxey of Clovis.

The explorers have voted to meet semi-monthly, instead of each Monday night. The next meeting will be Monday, March 11 at 6:30 P.M. at Explorer House.

Toni Inglis Honored On Ninth Birthday

Toni Inglis celebrated her 9th birthday Friday, February 23 by having birthday cake and Cokes with friends during the afternoon.

To finish off the big day, Kim Clayton and Shelly Bitner spent the night with Toni.

ATTEND CHURCH SUNDAY

Congratulations WOLVERETTES District 3-A Champions BEAT IDALOU KING BROTHERS Grain & Seed Co.

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Just one week remains for candidates to file in the forthcoming city election set for Saturday, April 6. To date only two candidates have filed for the three vacancies created by the expiration of the terms of Mayor E. C. Kelley and Aldermen Dud Chesney and Neil Pounds. The two candidates, that have filed are incumbent Mayor E. C. Kelley and for alderman Bob Belew.

Fire Departments Receive Checks From Insurance Co.

Don Clayton, President of Lamb County Farm Bureau, presented checks to the Volunteer Fire Departments of Springlake and Earth, early Wednesday morning. The checks each, \$75, 00 were presented by Clayton, in behalf of the Texas Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance Company. A Farm Safety Program of the Company allows that Fire Departments answering calls to

rural residence who are insured by their company, will receive a donation from the Company. The two active Fire Departments worked together to extinguish a fire on the Kenneth Hinson farm on February 2. Several hundred bales of hay and several cotton trailers were destroyed in the fire. Clayton, made the presentation to Fire Chief Walter Ernst of Springlake and Bud Marlock, Fire Chief of Earth.

School Closed Friday For Teachers Meeting In Lubbock

Springlake-Earth Schools will be closed all day Friday, March 1, as local teachers will be attending an all-day meeting teacher's meeting in Lubbock.

Area teachers from sixteen South Plains counties will gather in Lubbock Thursday evening, February 29, and Friday, March 1, for the District 13 meeting of the Texas State Teachers Association. The theme of the convention will be "Be Concerned With Their Education". The house of delegates will convene Thursday evening at 6:30 in a banquet session in the Coronado High School Cafeteria. This meeting will be followed by a business session in the auditorium. Delegates will be selected to the TSTA State meeting to be held October 31 through November 2, at Ft. Worth. Committee reports will be given and new officers will be elected. A general session will be held at 9:30 Friday morning in Lubbock Municipal Coliseum with Neal B. Dillman, Superintendent,

Muleshoe Public Schools, and President of District 13, presiding. "The Ethic of Freedom" will be the title of an address by L. C. Michelson, director of Public Affairs and Education, Republic Steel Corporation, in addressing the convention. Greetings will be extended from the state organization by Claude A. Heam, Jr., Vice-President, TSTA. Music will be furnished by the Monterey High School orchestra under the direction of Mitchell Zablony and Superintendent Nat Williams will extend welcome on behalf of the Lubbock Public Schools. Platform guests will include local unit presidents of the TSTA executive committee, District 13, newly elected officers, past District 13 presidents, William H. Evans, member State Board of Education, and Mrs. Jack Strong, President District 14, Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers.

Services For Arthur King Slated Today

Arthur P. King, 74, of Earth died at 8:30 p.m. Tuesday in the South Plains Hospital in Amberst.

Funeral services are slated for Thursday (today) February 29 at 1 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Earth. M. B. Baldwin Pastor, will officiate.

King had been in ill health for several months. A long time resident of Earth, he moved here in 1935, from Fletcher, Oklahoma. He was engaged in Farm Work until a few years ago, when he was appointed caretaker for the Earth Memorial Cemetery.

He was a veteran of World War I serving with the U. S. Army. Survivors include, a sister, Mrs. A. B. Cottingham, of Austin and many nieces and nephews. Pall bearers will be Jake Scarborough, Harvey Hickman, H. C. Martin, Wayne Rutherford, Alvin Kelley and Doug Ruby. Honorary Pall Bearers will be M. E. Kelley, Herb Wendborn, Donald Ruyon, Hersha Patterson, Bud Gooch and Jerry Kelley.

Interment will be in the Earth Cemetery under the direction of Paterson-Ellis-Singleton Funeral Home.

JAN HEDGES HAS SLUMBER PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hedges hosted a slumber party in their home Friday night, February 23, for their daughter Jan and friends.

Enjoying food and fun all night were Jan and her guests, Becky Sanders, Cindy Barton, Gloria Stephens and Lauren Earnest.

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Three File Vegetable Market Meeting In Springlake City Election

With deadline for filing in the Springlake City Election only one week away, only three men have filed in the Election. The election calls for a whole new slate, requiring a mayor and five aldermen. Those seeking election are Jim Stevens for Mayor and Clifford Hopping and Jimmy Baldwin have filed as aldermen. More interest is expected to be kindled this week, and it is hoped that a full staff of more will come forth and file office. The election will be held in the Community Building in Springlake, W.C. White has been named election Judge and Ralph Radd has been named absentee clerk. Absentee voting will begin March 16 and continue through April 2.

Vegetable Market Meeting In Littlefield Tonight

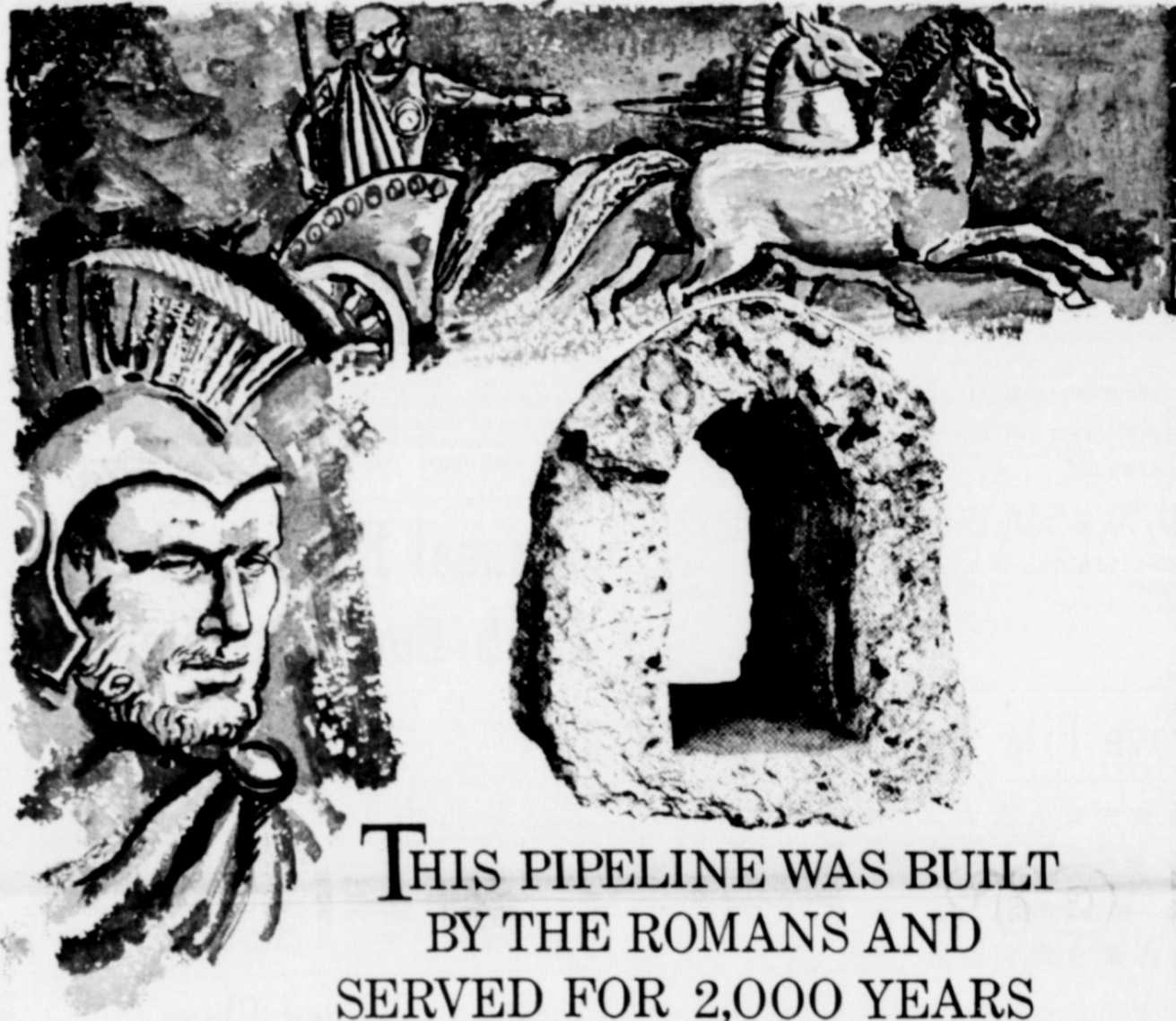
Farmers in the area, who are interested in growing a variety of vegetables this coming season are invited to attend an area-wide meeting in Littlefield Thursday (tonight) at 7:30 P.M. in the Lamb County Electric Cooperative Building. Purpose of the meeting is to discuss a variety of vegetables suitable for growth in the area. Ronnie Smith, Littlefield, who has done considerable work in establishing markets for locally produced vegetables, has urged that Farmers from Littlefield, Amberst, Sudan, Anton, Spade, Fieldton, Springlake, Earth and Whitarral are included in the proposed production area. Approximately 1,000 acres are being sought. Smith says one of the basic reasons for the meeting is to determine whether an association should be formed to work with the San Antonio produce

companies who would buy vegetables. He says an association might be able to work with them easier than individuals. Should an association be formed, and sufficient acreage devoted to vegetable production, which would be grown under contract, the organization would coordinate the marketing and providing of labor. "All the farmer would have to do is plant and grow the crops and let the association know when and how much labor he needed to work and harvest them," Smith said. The companies which would be buying the vegetables would provide technical supervision in the growing. The supervisors would make recommendations on planting, cultivating, watering, fertilizing, spraying and harvesting. Smith made assurances that

farmers with experience in growing vegetables in the area would be on hand Thursday night to answer questions from those interested who have not grown such crops. The Littlefield Chamber of Commerce has pledged its full support in the venture. A C-C representative, Silck Chandler, vice-president of the agriculture division, has been working with Smith to set up the meeting.

LOCAL LADIES ATTEND LUNCHEON IN LITTLEFIELD

A luncheon for chairman of the annual Cancer fund Drive, was held at the Crescent House Restaurant in Littlefield, Tuesday. Mrs. J. R. Fain was speaker for the event. She addressed the group giving pointers on how to have a successful Cancer Drive. A film was also shown by Mrs. Fain. Material for the drive was distributed to those present. Those attending from the Earth-Springlake area were Mrs. C. L. Houchin and Mrs. W. B. Hucks.



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'King's X' War No Kid's Play

(Editor's Note: This article was taken from the Sunday issue of the Denison Herald. Mel Moore was discharged two weeks ago. He is the son of Mr. Bill Moore of Durant, Oklahoma and Mrs. Bill (Lois) Moore; a faculty member at Springlake-Earth School.

DURANT -- A 25 year-old Durant Oklahoma man back home after a two-year hitch in the Seabees including eight months in Vietnam. Figures he's a lot luckier than most people to be back alive.

"I spent my eight months in Hue," said Mel Moore, who is back running the electrical shop he shut down when he went into service. "I guess what the pilots say, I really had a milk run.

"Sure we got shot at by snipers from time to time. The Viet Cong lobbed mortars at us occasionally. But we didn't have anything happen to us like what has happened to Hue in recent days."

Moore said most of his eight months was spent inside the Citadel. "That's a no-man's land today, according to news reports," he said. "The Viet Cong flag has been flying over the Citadel for more than two weeks."

"That was the hub of the Vietnamese headquarters. They had all of their communications at Hue. We actually built them in the eight months the Seabees were there, an entirely new prisoner-of-war camp. I guess someone else will have

back and rebuilt it, because from what I hear there isn't much standing there or anywhere else in Hue."

Moore said he selected the Seabees over a regular branch of the service "because it gave me a chance to continue in my chosen electrical field. Too, they were looking for skilled men and I went in with a second class petty officer rating. When my two years were up, they offered a promotion for another tour, but I was ready for civilian life," he said.

Moore actually returned to the states some three months ago, and finished out his Seabee hitch in this country.

"What does he think of Vietnam war?"

"I think we should be there," he said slowly. "I worked pretty closely with the Vietnamese. I got to know some of them pretty well. I visited in their homes, met their families and ate their food. They aren't a lot different from any other family. They don't like the war any more than we do, but they are fighting for their lives and their country. They are just grateful that the U.S. is over there helping them."

"On the other hand, we worked with the Marines, too. They felt that America should be helping the Vietnamese, but they were awfully impatient with the 'king's X' war, as they called it. They wanted to take out after the Viet Cong and chase them clear off the map. They didn't like the idea of stopping at this line or that,

They didn't like not shooting until they were shot at. They felt like if they were over there risking their lives, they should be given the tools and the orders to end the war," said Moore.

"Yes," Moore said. "I think most of them were in agreement that if it takes an atom bomb or more to end the war, then the U.S. should use it. They don't feel it will cause starting a third world war any more than the third world war they feel they already are in."

Moore said he wonders today what has happened to all of the good Vietnamese friends he made.

"Hue is pretty much of a mess. The Viet Cong are executing civilians pretty rapidly. I've seen pictures, and it is hard to realize that in such a short time there have been so many changes and that the Viet Cong could actually put up that much strength."

"No," Moore said softly. "I've been there once. I'm concerned over what happens. But volunteer to return? No thank you!"

Party Line

Visiting in the home of Mrs. S.C. Beavers Saturday evening were Mrs. Beavers sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kitchenside of Vemon and their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Bill Peters and children of Lubbock.



STEVE RANDOLPH - Was picked for Good Guy of the Week in junior high for his outstanding work as manager of the schools football, basketball and track manager. His coach commented "Steve can always be counted on to keep equipment ready and keep things going."

Lazbuddie News...

By Mrs. C. A. Watson

Mr. and Mrs. Don Watson left Thursday for Ft. Eustas, Va. where he will be in training the next few weeks. They had been visiting his parents and other relatives in the area coming here from Ft. Benning Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. O.R. Chandler and children returned to their home in El Paso after a short visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Watson and other relatives.

Shanks Ivy, accident patient in the Methodist hospital, Lubbock is said to be steadily improving it was reported the first of the week.

Recent visitors in the Dalton Minns home were Mr. and Mrs. Bard Clair and Thomas Minns from Wanarhee, Washington. Minns is a brother of Dalton and Mrs. Clair is Mrs. Minns' sister.

Little Pam McDonald has the mumps this week. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. McDonald. Mrs. Annie Vaughn, Nola Frieder and Myrtle Steinbock visited Mrs. Vaughn's daughter Annie Shuping in Kress Sunday.

FPA officers named for the Lazbuddie Chapter recently are Bobby Redwine, president; Frank Hinkson, vice-president; Monte Barnes, treasurer; Gail Morris; secretary and Darrell Embry, sentinel.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hinkson are at Temple this week to be with Mr. Hinkson's brother, Evert Hinkson, a patient at Scotts and Whites Hospital.

Nina Redwine was Queen for the week at the Jennie TOPS Club in Muleshoe Wednesday. Nina has lost the most weight on count down for the period of time given for losing. Paulene Houston also of Lazbuddie was runner up-Okay girls tell some of the rest of us how you are doing it.

The Club members of Lazbuddie Young Homemakers

are planning to organize a volleyball team.

Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Harvey, Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Shafer, Springlake visited Sunday in the James Harvey home.

Cub Scouts Tour News - Sun Plant

Members of Cub Scout Den 6 toured the Earth News-Sun Plant Friday.

The group were met at the door and escorted through the plant. They were shown the typesetter at work, photographing letters making headlines. The water that is used to wax articles and ads to hold them in place on the pages. They were shown page make-up, and a finished page. Publisher, Ross Middleton, escorted the group into the well equipped dark room and showed them how photos were developed.

They were also shown the operation involved in the commercial printing department. Middleton demonstrated the intertype machine and Heidelberg Press.

Those taking the tour were William Flores, Richard Rodriguez, Steve Green, Royce Jordan, Ronnie Chesney and Guy Davis, also their leaders Mrs. Bobby Green and Mrs. Dud Chesney and daughter Karisa.

Baptist To Have Homecoming and Open House

Plans are being formulated to have a "Homecoming and open House" at the First Baptist Church in Earth on April 7. This will be in connection with the dedication services for the new building.

M. B. Baldwin, Pastor of the church said additional information will be forthcoming as plans are completed.

Ray Rowe Family Moves To Earth

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rowe moved to Earth recently and are residing in the Thurman Lewis residence on 3rd street in Earth.

Lowe is employed as machinist for Earth Pump and Machine Shop here. They moved from West Minister, California.

Rowe formerly attending Springlake Schools, during his sophomore and junior year, before moving to California during his senior year.

The couple have two children and will be attending the Baptist Church here.

GOOD LUCK !!!

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DIMMITT WHEAT GROWERS

Past Presidents, Life Members Honored By Local P-TA

Theme for the PTA meeting Monday night was "Founder's Day" in observance of the first National PTA program.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. C. L. Houchin, president, followed by the pledge to the flag, led by Brad Haley, local Boy Scout, Bill Mann, school superintendent gave the invocation.

Bill Anderson, gave a brief talk on the founding of PTA. He told of the women whose idea grew to develop the organization that is P. T. A. today.

At the conclusion of Mr. Anderson's address, all past presidents that were present for the meeting were recognized and presented with sweetheart corsages. Included were Mrs. Bonnie Haberer, Mrs. A. C. Barton, Mrs. J. L. Hinson, Mrs. Gladys Parish, Mrs. Donald Kelley, Mrs. Donald Street, Mrs. Orville Cleavinger and Mrs. Norman Sulser.

Also recognized were six life members, these included Mrs. Ed Haley, Mrs. Bonnie Haberer, Mrs. A. C. Barton, Mrs. J. L. Hinson, Mrs. Orville Cleavinger and Bill Mann, Mr. Mann was presented with a white carnation and the ladies received sweetheart shaped red rose corsages.

Donita, Annita, and Connie Kelley entertained with three musical numbers.

Mrs. Hinson gave a short review on the hard work and some of the amusing incidents, about the beginning of the local organization.

Refreshments of punch, coffee and cake were served to the 56 persons present.

Program for next month's meeting will be working with retarded and slow learning children.



PAST PRESIDENTS HONORED - Springlake-Earth PTA honored past presidents during the Founder's Day program Monday evening. Left to right, Mrs. Donald Kelley, Mrs. Norman Sulser, Mrs. A. C. Barton, Mrs. Donald Street, Mrs. Jack Hinson, Mrs. Orville Cleavinger, Mrs. Gladys Parish and Mrs. Bonnie Haberer.

Jane McCord Honored With Bridal Shower

A pre-nuptial Bridal Shower honoring Miss Jane McCord, Bride elect of David Shobe, was held Saturday afternoon in the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Kelley of Earth.

The entry of the Kelley home featured a picture of the honoree, decorated with a cluster of white wedding bells and tied with yellow velvet ribbons. The mantel in the living room was a focal point of interest as it carried out the family tree. Pictures of Grandparents, parents and Jane, were used, depicting various times of their lives, ending with the pictures of David and Jane, the future bride and groom. The coffee table was decorated with a lovely arrangement of white carnations in a gold epergne.

The dining table was covered with a white organza cloth, trimmed in linen over a white satin skirt. A lovely arrangement of white and yellow carnations with white candles in a silver epergne, centered the table.

Misses Donita, Anita and Connie Kelley entertained with several vocal selections, accompanied by Mrs. Larry Tunnell at the piano.

Miss Karen Kay, Miss Cindy Barton, and Miss Kim Kelley, registered guests in a white Brides Book, from a table decorated with a China Bride and Groom, flanked by yellow candles.

Refreshments of punch, dairy sandwiches, nuts and angel food cake were served from appointments of crystal and silver. Those assisting with hospitalities were Mrs. Marvin Been, Mrs. Kenne Hamilton, Mrs. Gayland Stevens, Mrs. Wayne Tunnell, Mrs. Dixie Cornett and Mrs. DeAnn Kilmer.

Mrs. Clarence Kelley, Mrs. John Laing, Mrs. Bill Morris, Mrs. J. J. Davis and Mrs. I. A. Littleton Jr.

Mrs. Sandy Sanderson, Mrs. Bill Bryant, Mrs. Dean Foshee, Mrs. Danny Smith, Mrs. Cecil Parish, Mrs. DeAnn Adrain Kilmer, Mrs. Everett Patterson, Mrs. Ted Borum, Mrs. Dutch Bean and Mrs. Phillip Haberer.

Mrs. Jarvis Angeley, Mrs. Illene Sturart, Mrs. B. F. Hamilton, Mrs. H. C. Martin, Mrs. Buddy Adrain and Mrs. Jimmie Craft.

8th Grade Girls Basketball Team Honored With Dinner

Coach Terrell Bell feted the 8th grade girls basketball team with a charcoal broiled steak dinner Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Sigman.

The menu consisted of steak, baked potatoes, tossed salad, jello salad, french bread and drinks.

The parents furnished all the trimmings to go with the steaks.

Following the dinner the group enjoyed games of twister and spoon. The remainder of the evening was concluded by watching a movie on T. V.

Members of the district winning team attending were Sherry Pittman, Becky Littleton, Cris Dent, Janet Britton, Regina Cole, Karen Hinbliff, Marian Dawson, Ida Vega, LaDonna Sigman, Louise Eagle, and Karen Dear. Adults present were Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Bell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Dent and Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Sigman.

Sunbeams Hear Story of Church Helpers

Members of the beginner Sunbeams met Tuesday at the First Baptist Church in Earth, with their leader Mrs. Robert Geissler.

The group were told a story entitled "Helpers in the Church," followed by a session of art, with the group making Sunday clocks.

The group had sentence prayer, giving thanks for many things in their lives.

Refreshments of peanut butter and crackers were served by Greg Geissler to DeLynn Sanders, Kyle Kelley, and Rodney Davis.



We wish to thank the Earth volunteer Fire Department and the neighbors who assisted in extinguishing the fire Sunday in our back yard.

The Ray Rowe's

PARTY LINE

Dennis and Jerry Thompson, Miss Paula Mockey and Mrs. Louise Edwards, all of Amarillo, spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Elsie Hawkins of Earth.

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Instead of nine paintings in a recent art show held at the Lena Hite residence as stated in last week's issue, there were thirty paintings on display.

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Members of the Town and Country Study Club operated the Good Will Centre in Earth Saturday. The group took in \$15.80 during the day.

Those working at the centre were, Mrs. C. T. Richardson, Mrs. Marie Ross, Mrs. H. S. Sanders and Mrs. W. D. Martens.

The foursome reported the need for additional childrens clothing for the centre.

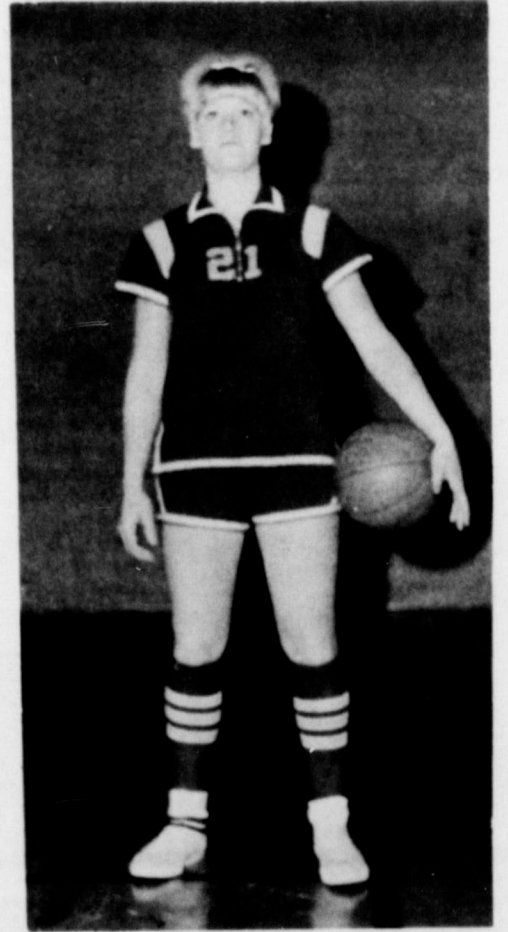
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Among Those Who Are Ill

Mrs. L. T. Smith, is a patient in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, where she is under intensive care. Her condition is very serious, but was slightly improved Wednesday morning.

GROUP MEETS FOR STUDY SESSION

Members of the 6-7-8 year old Sunbeam Class met Tuesday at the First Baptist Church in Earth.

The group studied "A Come and Go Village" in the U. S. A. Present were Donna Green, Sherry Winders, Colota and Debbie Franklin, Kim Holder, Randy Shelby, Kirk O'Hair and Rodney Geissler and their teacher Mrs. Vickie Sanders. Refreshments of apple sticks were served by Donna Green.

What's Cooking at School

Chicken fried steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, (cheese), tossed salad, lemon egg custard, hot rolls, butter, milk and orange juice.

TUESDAY

Roast and gravy, creamed corn, vegetable and pickle slaw, blackberry cobbler, hot rolls, butter and milk.

WEDNESDAY

Frito pie, spanish rice and beans, spring salad, chiffon pie, corn bread, butter and milk.

THURSDAY

Bar-B-que Beef, navy beans, potato salad, cheese salad, pineapple-up-side down cake, hot rolls, butter and milk.

FRIDAY

Fried chicken, gravy, new potatoes, cheese, green beans, orange jello mold, red devil Food Cake, wheat rolls, butter, and milk.

Mrs. William Irvin of Littlefield visited Mr. Gussie Clayton Sunday.

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Study Club Has Program On Investment Value of Stocks

The Town and Country Study Club met Thursday, February 22 in the home of Mrs. Wayne Rutherford, with Mrs. L.K. Anderson as assistant hostess.

An inspirational thought was given by Mrs. Marie Ross.

Mrs. Cara Morgan introduced the speakers, Terry Condry of Lubbock and Harold Combes of Levelland.

Investment value of stocks and bonds were discussed, by the two, bringing to view the value of investor diversified service. Interesting slides were shown by the twosome as they narrated the film.

Refreshment: of sandwiches, nuts, angel food cake topped

with whipped cream, spiced tea, and coffee were served to Mrs. John Welch, Mrs. H.S. Sanders, Mrs. Wayne Rutherford, Mrs. Marie Ross, Mrs. C.T. Richardson, Mrs. Roy Neal, Mrs. Cara Morgan, Mrs. W.D. Martens, Mrs. John Laing, Mrs. Ray Kelley, Mrs. M.E. Kelley, Mrs. Bo Campbell, Mrs. L.K. Anderson and the two guests, Mr. Condry and Mrs. Combes.

Following refreshments a short business meeting was conducted by the president Mrs. M.E. Kelley. Plans were made to meet at the home of Mrs. G.C. Green at 10:00 A.M. March 9 to attend a meeting at the Homemaking Cottage at school,



HONORED BY LOCAL PTA - Life members of the Springlake-Earth PTA were honored Monday evening during the Founders Day Program. Pictured left right Mrs. Rowena Cleavinger, Mrs. A.C. Barton, Mrs. Mildred Haley, Mrs. Jack Hinson, Bill Mann and Mrs. Bonnie Haberer.

Kyle Kelley Feted With Party Monday On Sixth Birthday

Kyle Kelley, was honored on his sixth birthday, Monday with a party in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Kelley.

Birthday cake, punch and ice cream were served to those attending, Dane Clench, Rodney Davis, Kit Foshee, Brent Pounds, Orlie Ellis, Andy Ellis, Kevin Kelley and the honoree. The afternoon was spent playing games.

BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE HONORED WITH DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baker hosted a dinner Thursday evening February 22 on their patio for the young people of the Springlake Baptist Church. The decorations carried out the George Washington theme. About 25 young people were present.

A menu of chicken fried steak, cream potatoes with gravy, green beans, tossed salad, hot rolls, banana pudding and ice tea were served by Mrs. Ed Jones and Mrs. Jimmie Banks.

So Few and Far Between

Its a real event when Mrs. Monte Howard of Plainview, has a birthday... as long as she can remember she has been flat cheated out of Birthday Parties. Not by her parents who enjoyed children's parties, but by the calendar itself.

This year, Mrs. Howard will be privileged to again celebrate her birthday. Her parents took the day off today to help celebrate her leap year birthday. One thing in her favor, she sure does stay young...

Bills Home Scene Of Home Demonstration Meeting

The home of Mrs. Floyd Bills was the scene of the regular meeting of the Home Demonstration Club, Thursday February 22.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. T.V. Murrell, president followed by roll call, which was answered by the statement "Improvements I Plan In My Yard This Year."

Due to the bad weather last week the HD agent was unable to attend and bring the program. Following a short business session Mrs. Bills served refreshments of cherry pie ala mode and coffee to Mrs. Murrell, Mrs. R.W. Fanning, Mrs. James Smith, Mrs. Ed Biles, and Mrs. L.C. Blalack.

Mrs. Marvel Carnuthers will be hostess to the club in her home March 4.

Cooking Class Complete Workbooks

Members of the first year 4-H Cooking Class met Tuesday with their leader, Mrs. Lexie Branscum.

The group spent the entire session getting their workbooks in readiness for exhibit at the

Friendship Night Observed At Eastern Star Meet

The Earth O.E.S. chapter 870 observed their annual Friendship night Monday February 26th. Approximately 100 were in attendance. Include were guests from Tulia, Dimmitt, Hereford, Hale Center, Muleshoe, Littlefield, Olton, Sudan and Portales.

Mr. and Mrs. George Laing Worthy Patron and Worthy Matron presided at the meeting.

Fast Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons were honored during the event.

A musical theme was carried out in the program and decorations.

A prelude to Fellowship was conducted by Mrs. Marvin Sanders.

A reading taken from Matt: 5-6-7 Chapter "Christ's Direction for Harmony" was presented by Mrs. B. Campbell.

Mrs. Jimmie Craft gave a vocal solo entitled "How Beautiful Upon the Mountain," A piano solo, Scherzo Op. 35- Chopin was presented by Mrs. George Laing.

The Sharp Stars Band conducted by Mrs. Donald Kelley presented three numbers.

The syncopated trip played "Camptown Races" and Skip Tum-a-lu.

A salad supper preceded the meeting. The dining area was decorated in a Shamrock theme.

Tops Members Register Weight Loss For Week

Seventeen members of the local Happy Losers TOPS Club met for a regular session Thursday, in the Bank Annex Building in Earth.

The group weighed in with a loss of 134 pounds recorded.

Mrs. Inez Inglis, leader, called the meeting to order. The roll call was answered with hints that helps to lose weight.

The group discussed plans to attend the State Rally Day in Ft. Worth on April 19-20.

The meeting was adjourned with the serenity prayer.

Over 400 million persons suffer from trachoma. For 10¢ UNICEF provides the antibiotics to save one of them from blindness.

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Beta Sigma Phi Has Program On Artist Landscape

Members of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Tunnell, Tuesday night, for a regular semi-monthly meeting. Co-hostess for the event was Mrs. Sherry Tunnell.

A very interesting program was presented by Mrs. Tommie Bills was entitled "Artist Landscape." In keeping with the program the group played

word games of various type flowers and trees.

Refreshments of pie, spiced tea, Cokes and DrPepper were served to Mrs. Sonnie Randolph, Mrs. Tommie Bills, Mrs. Linda Cowley, Mrs. Lorena Weaver, Mrs. Mary Williams, Mrs. Linda Mitchell, Mrs. Jane Bitner and sponsor Mrs. Ann Hamilton and the two hostess.

Local Tops Attend Littlefield Club

Five members of the local TOPS Club attended a meeting of the "Be Little" TOPS Club in Littlefield Tuesday night.

The program topic was entitled "How to Eat and Stay Slim" and was presented by a member of the Littlefield Club.

Following the program the group spent the remainder of the session playing Bingo.

Those attending from the local Club were Mrs. Lois Rudd, Mrs. Pauline Hucks, Mrs. Inez Inglis, Mrs. Jeanette O'Hair and Mrs. Elizabeth Packard.

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Summer Campsites At Post and Tres Ritos Almost Filled

Howard Schmidt, Council chairman of camping and activities for the South Plains council, stated today that troop reservations for the use of Camp Post and Tres Ritos during the regular camping season is far ahead of this time last year. All campsites at Tres Ritos for the first four weeks are filled and four consideration for an additional week is now being studied. Only 25 sites remain at Camp Post for the four weeks of operation there. Schmidt noted that it would in fact be impossible for all troops in the council to make reservations this summer, if they so desired. Therefore, it is important that those wishing a summer campsite, make the reservation quickly.

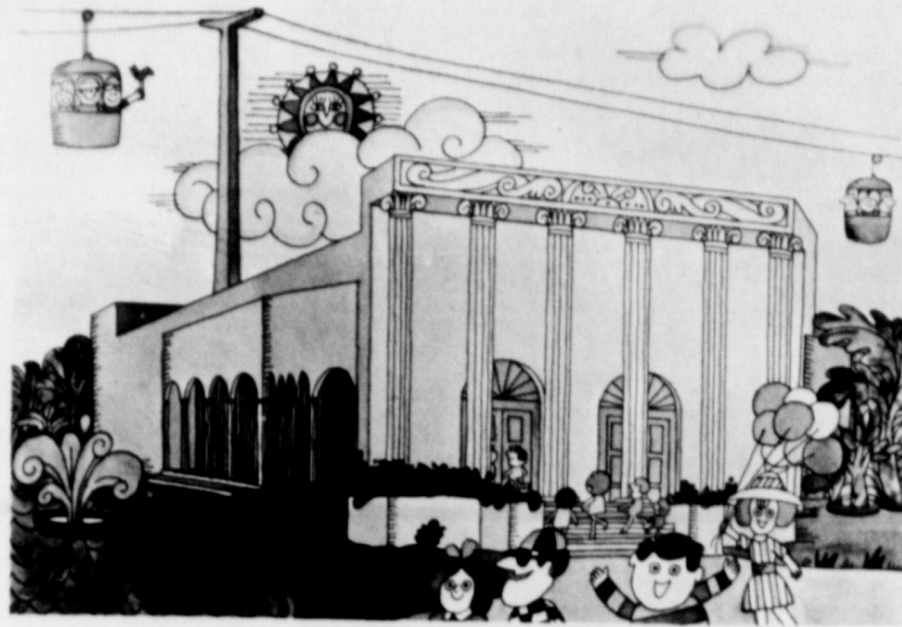
He also indicated that several added to this years operation to give the scouts attending additional experiences, both fun and skill oriented. The Firebird Trail, Rainbow Trail, and Wildcat Trail have been added at Camp Post while an exciting overnight opportunity has been put into the Tres Ritos program. Boys should make a small de-

posit with their scoutmasters on the camp fee now so that the troops know they plan to attend camp. Schmidt stated. Most families need to know the troop plans so that their scouts camp time can be taken into account. He concluded by saying that this will probably be one of the largest camping years the council has had in some years, both in terms of scouts attending and the fine program offered.

PARTY LINE

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Clayton were in Lubbock Sunday. They had lunch and spent the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Garrett and had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bill.

Mrs. Sandy Sanders was the hostess at a Bridge Party Monday afternoon. Attending were Mary Chaney, Yvonne Layman, Carolyn Stevens, Gay Pefham, Bernice Dutton and Karen Tun-



An exciting new addition for 1968 at SIX FLAGS Over Texas is a \$180,000 air conditioned Music Hall seating 1,200 guests. Regularly scheduled shows starring collegiate talent will be presented throughout the day, beginning April 13 when the giant 140 acre family entertainment center opens for the season.

Medical Organizations Say Half Of All Blindness Is Preventable

AUSTIN -- It is estimated that nearly 500,000 Americans are already blind, yet half of all blindness is preventable. As part of its continuing health education program, the Texas Medical Association, in cooperation with the Texas Ophthalmological Association, is currently stressing the importance of proper eye care. "Your eyes reflect your health," is the theme of this month's public information program. Three of the most common defects of the eye, TMA states, are astigmatism, nearsighted-

ness and farsightedness. All three are usually correctable. Two other defects of the eye are quite serious, however. Glaucoma, a disease of the eye, is a major cause of blindness. A cloudiness of the eye lens known as a cataract is another frequent cause of blindness or serious vision loss. A recent article in the Journal of the American Medical Association points out that there are 54,000 men and women blind from glaucoma and that an additional 185,000 people are blind in one eye from this disease. In the United States, there are about 1.2 million people with undiagnosed glaucoma and this disease is responsible for 3,500 new cases of blindness each year.

Glaucoma is produced by a buildup in pressure in the eye accompanied by an imbalance and impairment of the flow of eye fluids. It seldom warns of its presence. Usually there is no pain, and often the disease is in an advanced state before the patient becomes aware of impairment in side vision. Occasionally there may be an acute attack, causing severe pain. Glaucoma can be detected during physical examination by measuring the tension in the eyeball with a simple painless test. If discovered in early stages, progress of the disease usually can be checked and the remaining vision saved through treatment. Once it has been discovered, glaucoma can be controlled by regular use of eye drops to reduce pressure, or, sometimes, by surgery.

Ophthalmologists (medical eye specialists) tell us that four danger signs of glaucoma are: 1) gradual or sudden loss of side vision; 2) frequent but unsatisfactory changes in glasses; 3) blurred or foggy vision; and 4) rainbow-like halos around lights. Anyone of any age can get glaucoma, but it is more common among persons over 40. Those who have glaucoma in the family should have an eye examination every year, medical eye specialists recommend.

Another major cause of blindness is cataract. A cataract is a cloudiness of the lens inside the eye. The lens turns gray, changing from an appearance of clear glass to ground glass. This is caused by a film within the eye is reduced. Three-fourths of all cataracts are in the eyes of older people, but a child may be born with a cataract, or develop one. A main symptom usually is falling vision, rather than pain. When vision is markedly impaired, the cataract is usually removed by surgery. Although a serious and delicate operation, cataract removal is practically painless.

SHORT AND SWEET



We hear that traffic accidents and fatalities in Britain have declined, in some areas sharply, since the government introduced legislation to curb drunken driving. Much of the sharp drop in the accident rate came with people driving less at night because of the restrictions imposed on social life by the breathalyzer tests. Where there is no direct proof that the new breath test for drivers is the reason for the falloff, during the first month of the breath tests there was a drop of more than 10% over last year. There was a drop of 42% in accidents between 10 p.m. and 1 a.m.

Scouting in Earth

Cub Scouts of Den 6 met Tuesday in the Scout Hut and worked on their chip carving boxes. Their leader, Mrs. Eva Hopping and Mrs. Tommie Bills met with the group.

Those attending were Cokie and Scotty Hopping, Cliff Wood, Randy Bills, Dallas Clync, Ronnie Thomas, Joe Bob Owens, Dickie Brown and Mark Barton.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served to the group by Dallas Clync.

PARTY LINE

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Simmons and children of Lovington, N. Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tom Packard and son of Dimmitt, were recent visitors in the Gary Cowley home.

The 4th, 5th and 6th grade patrols of Girl Scout Troop 373 met Wednesday, February 21 in the local Scout Hut under the supervision of Mrs. C. C. Goodwin, Mrs. Donald Street and Kathy Lee, Scout leaders.

Following the opening ceremonies, led by the 5th grade patrol, the group continued work on purses they are weaving to display at the Girl Scout Fair in Lubbock.

At the close of the meeting Kleta Haberer served refreshments of candy bars to Debbie

Bell, Karen Eagle, Joy Faver, Fonda Goodwin, Kelley Haydon, Camille Hinchliffe, Pamela Hockenberry, Karen Kemper, Nesha Lewis, Quincy Lewis, Mary B. Marshall, Margaret Rivers, Teri Carol Smith, Margaret Street, Ruth Street, Peggy Cantrell and three new members, Barbara Lanier, Patricia Lanier and Nancy Cantrell.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir:

As the March drive for Red Cross funds approaches, we are anxious that the residents of Lamb County review some of the services rendered by Red Cross.

The American Red Cross is an organization that serves our men in service and their families at home. It, also, helps in natural disasters.

Our local Red Cross office is located in the Lamb County Courthouse. Our Red Cross executive secretary is on call for services 24 hours a day. For the past seven months, there have been approximately 25 calls a month for services to the military.

When a serviceman makes application for emergency leave, or extension of leave; the Red Cross office is requested to get proper verification before leave can be granted.

When there has been a delay in correspondence between families and the servicemen and there is a great anxiety; the Red Cross can request a health and welfare report.

Our local Red Cross exists on voluntary contributions made by Citizens of Lamb County. The Director and various committee chairmen are all volunteer workers, and represent all communities in Lamb County.

It is your Red Cross and your responsibility to keep this office open with your contributions. Please, be generous for the sake of our Service-men.

Sincerely,
Blanche Dodgen
Chairman Home Nursing-Lamb County Chapter
Box 424
Littlefield, Texas



EIGHTH GRADE FOOTBALL BOYS - Received their jackets and the district championship trophy recently and posed for the photographer. Left to right first row, Mike Bell, Bruce Bridges Terrell Ott, Henry Guerro, Edress Barnes, 2nd row Greg Stover, John Kelley, Weldon Eagle, Eddie Alair, Efen Zambrana, Joe Rolte, 3rd row, Coach Varnell, Billy Ray Thomas, Robert Little, Sonny Matlock, Mike Cleavinger, Chris Brock, Leonard Dear, Manuel Samarron, 4th row, Mike Hedges, Larry Ruid, Donny Wheat, Gary Jones, Refugio Dela Gorza, Carl Sulzer, Back row, Donnie Haberer, Pete Acevedo, David Wislan, Hoyt Glasscock.

James Joy, Candidate for Judge Court of Civil Appeals

Judge James A. Joy, a candidate for Judge of the 7th Court of Civil Appeals, was a visitor in the News-Sun Office, Thursday afternoon.

Judge Joy is the present District Judge at Plainview, having served in that capacity since 1961. Previously he had served as a county judge of Hale County.

There are 46 counties in the



JAMES JOY

7th Court of Civil Appeals District and Judge Joy says he is campaigning in all of them as time allows.

Judge Joy is married, the father of four children and is a member of the Church of Christ. He is a native of Crowell in Foard County. He has been in the practice of law since 1952, having studied law at St. Mary's Law School in San Antonio. He also taught law at St. Mary's.

In World War Two, Judge Joy was a veteran pilot. During his visit here, Judge Joy is seeking the place being vacated by Judge Alton B. Chapman, formerly of Floydada.

64 Texas Towns Ask For Grants To Build Airports

AUSTIN--A \$1,000,000 State aid program to build and develop airports in towns under 50,000 population in Texas was advocated today by Lieutenant Governor Preston Smith.

"In view of the late start in the development of an adequate air transportation system in this State and the tremendous growth and increasing economic importance of aviation, I think one of the important items that must be considered at the forthcoming special session of the Legislature is a greatly accelerated airport building program," Smith said.

The Lieutenant governor pointed out that \$500,000 was appropriated at the last session of the Legislature for this purpose.

"However, this is a comparatively insignificant amount since there is only enough money for 25 towns in Texas that demand and need adequate airport facilities," he said.

There are at least 64 towns in Texas that are "eager and ready" to build airports or make their facilities adequate, and only the lack of money was holding back the projects. A \$1 million appropriation will make a sizeable dent in this list, Smith said.

All 64, he said, had formal applications pending before the Texas Aeronautics Commission, and "I know personally of at least 150 other towns that would formally file for State funds, if there was some indication funds would be available," Smith said.

The Lieutenant Governor said an accelerate program of \$1,000,000 for the year 1968-69 would not cost the taxpayers "one thin dime."

"The funds used for the development of aviation and aviation facilities come from unclaimed refunds on aviation fuel."

"The amount of these unclaimed refunds varies from month to month, but will average out to around \$50,000 a month."

"Right now, there is a surplus of \$450,000 in the unclaimed refunds funds, and between now and September 1, 1968, the start of the new fiscal year, another \$400,000 surplus, it is anticipated will be in the fund, and by the end of September, 1969, the full \$1,000,000 will be available for appropriation to the proposed program."

Smith said another half a million dollar million appropriation would be "entirely inadequate," and that he would personally urge and campaign for doubling this amount.

"The air age is here to stay. We must meet the challenge head-on."

Smith said State aid to build airports was not by any imagination a "give away program."

"In the first place, it is the people who fly who buy aviation fuel," he pointed out.

"In the second place, the airport aid program is a mutual assistance program. The State gives a helping hand to towns that do not have the resources to raise sufficient money locally to obtain a grant from the Feder-

Measles, May Be A Thing Of The Past

Within the next five months measles may be a thing of the past in Texas.

Authorities of two key health agencies have gone on state-wide television and radio to urge parents to have their children vaccinated against the dangerous disease which can cripple and even kill.

Dr. J. E. Peavy, State Commissioner of Health, and Dr. Sam Nixon Jr., chairman of the Texas Medical Association's Committee on Public Health, are telling Texans via TV spots that an effective vaccine is available to all children who have reached their first birthday.

June had been set earlier by Governor John Connally as the target date for measles eradication in the state.

In one of two statements made by the Health Commissioner--which will be viewed and aired

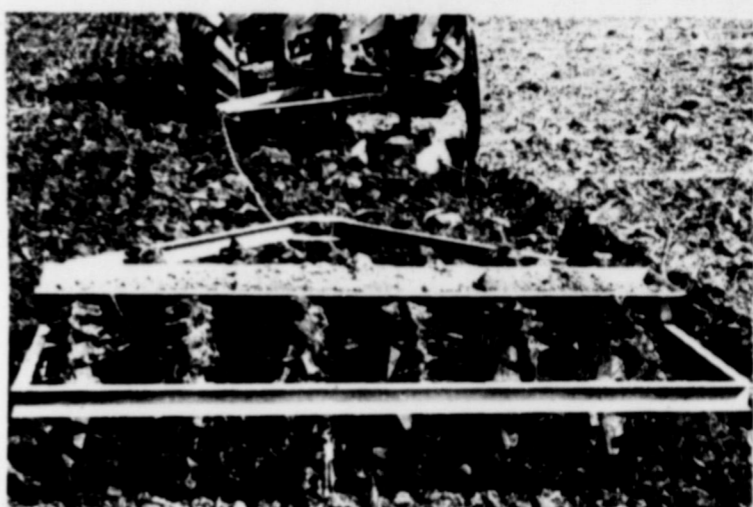
on Texas stations from now through June--Dr. Peavy points out that the goal can be achieved only if parents cooperate with their private physician, local health department and the State Health Department. He says further that local medical societies, health departments and civic groups must continue to get involved "if this measles eradication effort is to succeed."

Dr. Nixon says in his spot, "The Texas Medical Association urges parents to work with their personal physicians, local health departments and the State Health Department to protect their children against measles by having them vaccinated when they're a year old."

Thus far, 17 of the state's 354 counties have held measles immunization clinics include Brazos, Brazoria, Calhoun, Galveston, Gonzales and Harris. Also, Jefferson, Liberty, Lubbock, Pecos, Upshur, Victoria, Wharton and Winkler.

Texas cities having held such clinics include Houston, Marshall, San Benito and the Southwestern Texas District.

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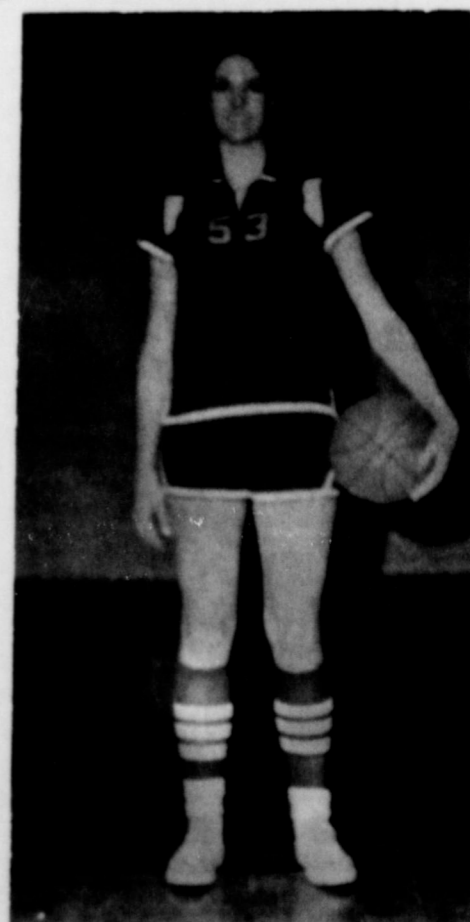
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LITTLEFIELD CONGREGATION

Jehovah's Witness Resume Schedule Of Bible Study

Meetings for the Littlefield congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses were resumed this week with the regular schedule of Bible study activity being conducted at the Kingdom Hall, 933 14th St.

Local members returned home from having attended a 3-day convention to Vernon over the weekend where 538 heard the principal speaker answer the question "WHY DOES GOD PERMIT WICKEDNESS?"

The history of the human family is not a particularly pleasant one," according to A. A. Catanzaro, traveling representative from New York who addressed the hundreds of delegates as they assembled in Wilbarger Memorial Auditorium. "It is filled with the record of man's inhumanity to man," he declared. "Over and over again individual or collective acts of wickedness have plunged large segments of humankind into brutality and bloodshed. As man's inventiveness has progressed so has his capacity to cause grief."

In commenting on the fact that God's guidance is vital, Catanzaro said that "man was not made to govern independently of God. In fact, he could live without God. Initially, this is the cause for wickedness today," he stated. "Our first parents chose to turn their backs on God and they, with help of an invisible spirit creature were induced to join him in rebelling against God. The improper desires of this perfect spirit were, in time, translated into improper actions. He came to be known as the Devil and Satan, --John 8:44."

Catanzaro indicated that God will not tolerate wickedness much longer. He pointed to the Bible's promise that very soon all the wicked will be destroyed by Jehovah God. (Psalm 146:20). "After that, God's

heavenly government will shower down upon its earthly subjects blessings beyond compare. Perfect peace and happiness will be enjoyed by all who live in a restored paradise here on the earth. --Psalm 37:11, 29."

The local presiding minister, Lloyd Lowery, in commenting about the convention said that traveling ministers such as Catanzaro are giving similar Bible discourses all over the world in 197 lands where Jehovah's Witnesses are active. "All who attended the assembly in Vernon have returned home convinced that they are going to learn more about God and his requirements by stepping up the tempo of their Bible study activity both in the home and in the local congregation," Lowery said.

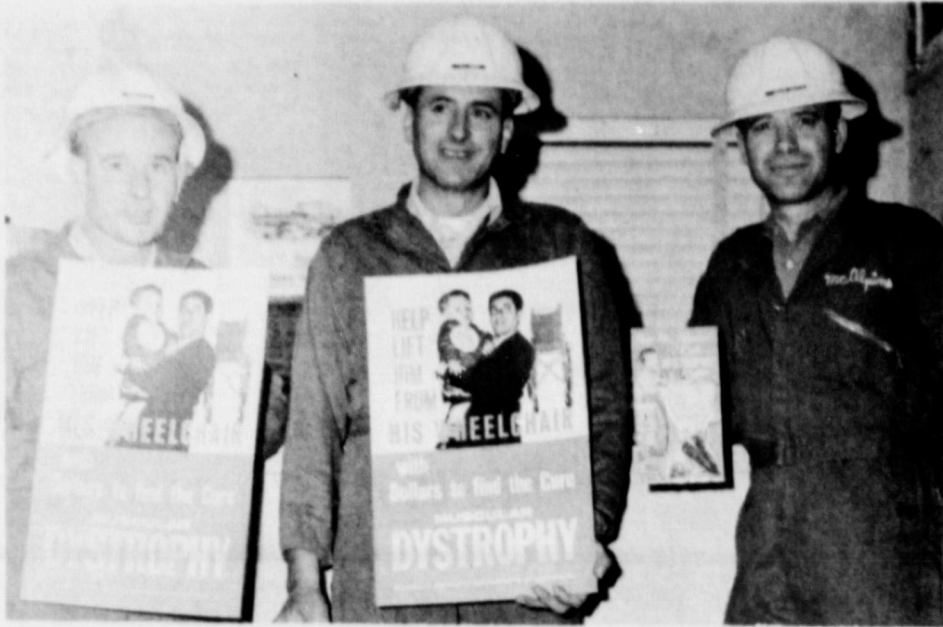
4 Local Lads Place Animals In Recent Show

Because of incorrect information received by the Earth News-Sun reporter concerning the Southwestern International Livestock Show in El Paso, two winners were omitted from the story.

In addition to Bruce Bridges placing 7th with his heavyweight angus and Brad Bridges, angus placing 9th, Kent Lewis placed 7th with his mediumweight angus and Don Templeton placed 12th with his medium weight angus.

Also attending the show were the boy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bridges, Mr. and Mrs. Thur Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Don Templeton.

Brad stayed for the complete show.



LOCAL FIREMEN COLLECTED \$241.65 MONDAY NIGHT in a Muscular Dystrophy Drive in Earth. Approximately 18 local firemen were active in the drive. The drive was made in Connection with National Firemen who annually conduct the drive across the Nation to assist in the effort against the disease.

Taylor's To Leave Monday for Germany and Holland

Mrs. Jerle Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Taylor will leave Monday for Germany and Holland.

Mrs. Jerle Taylor will be spending approximately three months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Donnenbury of Amsterdam, Holland. She will also visit the Billy Taylors in Frankfurt Germany.

The C. O. Taylors will visit their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Taylor in Germany and the Donningburgs in Holland.

While in Germany the Taylors plan to do a lot of sight seeing. The C. O. Taylors are due to return home after two weeks in Germany.

Party Line...

Sunday guests in the Leon Foster home were Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lanham of Martha, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Bearden spent Sunday afternoon in the home of his mother Mrs. G. C. Bearden in Springlake.

Mrs. Gerald Ingalls and girls and Marilyn Eagle were in Littlefield Sunday afternoon visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Nichols, Mr. Ingalls' sister.

Mrs. Weldon Barton and Welda left on the train Sunday afternoon for Houston where Welda is showing a lamb at the stock show.

Only 40% Of Vehicles In Lamb Have Been Inspected

With the April 15 deadline for obtaining inspection stickers drawing near, only 40 per cent of the 17,242 registered vehicles in Lamb County have been inspected," stated Captain Alan Johnson, Motor Vehicle Inspection Supervisor of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

However, this year the auto safety inspection could be more than just inconvenience to the motorist who waits until the last day to get his vehicle inspected. It is possible many cars may not get inspected due to a shortage of seat belts. The 1967 state legislature passed a law requiring that front seat belts must be installed in all vehicles in which seat belt anchorages were a part of the manufacturer's original equipment.

Seat belt anchorages were part of the manufacturer's original equipment on all American passenger cars beginning with 1962 models. Seat belts also will be required on foreign-made cars in which seat belt anchorages were original equipment.

Captain Johnson points out that seat belt anchorages are threaded holes in the vehicle structure suitable for receiving seat belt attachment fittings.

Captain Johnson also explained there are many 1962 model vehicles containing the seat belt anchorages but no seat belts attached. Also, many of the 1962 and later model vehicles have had the seat belts removed after they were traded in for newer models and were never replaced. Therefore, the owners of these vehicles must have front seat belts installed before their vehicles will pass the inspection requirements.

A shortage of seat belts may develop here because automotive equipment suppliers are reluctant to build up a stock of belts for fear there will be no market for them after this year's inspection program, so most suppliers are holding their stock to a minimum.

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flectors, 12, directional signals, 13, mirror, 14, record motor, serial, identification number, 15, steering, 16, wheels and rims, 17, Seat belts.

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Eighth Grade Boys Win District

In a play off game held last Thursday night in the Muleshoe High School gymnasium, the Springlake-Earth eighth grade boys defeated Farwell to take the junior high basketball district championship. It was a close margin of victory as the final score was 27 to 25.

Playing a slow and deliberate brand of ball, the young Wolverettes had to come from behind on more than one occasion to ice down the victory, but their steadiness and coolness paid dividends.

At the end of the first period, it was all tied up at eight points

each, and when the players filled into the dressing room at halftime, Farwell was leading by two, 16 to 14.

At the end of the third, it was another new game, as the buzzer ending the third quarter saw the score at 21 to 21. The fourth quarter was all Springlake-Earth's however, as they held Farwell to only three points, scoring six themselves to take the championship.

Hoyt Glascock was high pointer for the night with 16 points, while Mike Cleavinger hit for four and Pete Acevedo tossed three.



DISTRICT CHAMPIONS - Springlake-Earth eighth grade boys beat Farwell in playoff to take district championship last Thursday night. Left to right (front row) Greg Slower, Henry Guerro, Danny Bradley, and Mike Hedges; Second row: Terrell Ott, Sammy Finch, Eddie Alair, Eftren Zambrano, Edress Barnes, Raymond Fadillo, and Dale Wheatley; Third row: Carl Sulser, Scott Alexander, Mike Cleavinger, Chris Brock, and Manuel Samarron; Back row: Pete Acevedo, Hoyt Glascock, George Nance and Refugio DeLaGarza. Not available for picture was Donnie Wheat.

had as guests Sunday afternoon their son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Fancher of Lubbock.

Mrs. J.M. Simmons visited during the week-end with her step son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nix of Lubbock. Mrs. Simmons also visited friends, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Thedford of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bradley, David, Danny, Dickie and Sue had as guests Sunday Mrs. Bradley's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Barton Prestridge.

Mrs. C.B. Fancher visited Saturday afternoon in Plainview, with her sister, Mrs. Ozella Bryant.

Brother and Mrs. Haun Kite and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Exter attended the annual Abilene Christian College Lectureship last week. Mr. and Mrs. Exter visited in Plano with Mr. and Mrs. Arno Hall, Tobl and Tony. Mrs. Hall and children returned to Orton with the Exters. They will visit several days here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Chitwood, Mark and Kay of Canyon and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Chitwood and Monte were guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Chitwood. Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Schaefer

and Jackie of Princeton, Ill. Schaefer, Wilfred has recently visited last week with Schaefer's been working with a steel construction company in Dallas.

"THIS and THAT" From Circle-Springlake-Olton

By Mrs. Tom Stansell

V.G. Wood was dismissed last week from Muleshoe hospital where he was a patient two weeks. He received surgery while there. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wood recently were his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood of Cotton Center. Also visiting him were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bardeen.

Phil Bearden, student at West Texas State University, Canyon, visited recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F.W. Bearden.

Mr. and Mrs. Dent Jones of Plainview visited Sunday with Mrs. Floy Chivate.

C.C. Gray was taken to the Littlefield Hospital Sunday morning as she had been in extreme pain all night. At the time of this writing he had not been dismissed from the hospital.

V.O. Harrod returned to Lubbock Friday for physical check-up. The doctor reported his condition to be much improved. It is thought that in three or four weeks he will be able to drive his car for a short period of time.

Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Welch and

Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Stiles and Rita took lunch that the ladies had prepared to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Estes Sunday. They all ate together and then spent the afternoon visiting.

Visiting recently with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Banister were Mr. and Mrs. G.E. Lay of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Banister of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. D.L. Harmon of Halfway.

Sheila Blackwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Harlin, visited Sunday with Ann Bearden.

Mrs. Mattie Boone and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boone spent Sunday in Floydada with Mrs. Mattie Boone's sister, Mrs. H.M. Thomas.

Sunday luncheon guests in the home of Mr. H.R. Keeter were his daughter, Mrs. Louise Dodd of Borger, his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Andrew of Olton, their son-in-law, daughter and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Boone, Mark and Michelle, and another son-in-law, daughter and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lawson, Randy and Dianne of Lubbock.

Mrs. Herbert Miller called Sunday

day in the home of Mrs. Eva Camp. Mrs. Miller also visited with Mrs. Edna McClure who has been unable to attend church for 15 Sundays. Mrs. McClure underwent surgery in December.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Russell and family attended church services at First Baptist Church of Springlake last Sunday. This family recently moved from the Jacksonville area to Russell's parents' farm south and east of Springlake.

105 people were in attendance at the Sunday School hour of Springlake First Baptist Church Sunday morning February 25.

Tuesday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Miller were their daughters and grandchildren, Mrs. Kenneth Hurd and Mrs. Delbert Hall, Wanda Joe and Gary all of Littlefield.

Mrs. Mattie Boone spent the day Saturday with her grandson's wife, Mrs. Kenneth Boone of Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown were in Ruidosa, N. Mex. from Tuesday until Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Marie Ross visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. Almon Whitford. Mrs. Whitford's accompanied Mrs. Ross to Earth where they viewed the home of Mrs. Ross which is now under construction.

Mrs. Ernest Green recently visited her father, J.D. McNeil who is residing in the Colonial Convalescent Home of Lubbock.

Mrs. Ernest Goforth spent Monday in Hereford visiting her son, daughter-in-law and grandchildren. Mr. and Mrs. Max Goforth and children.

Demita is having three day measles which this year seem to be lasting longer than three days.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Adams attended the dinner Saturday

evening which was held in Masonic Hall for the Masons and their wives and for the members of the Eastern Star and their husbands.

Howard Linesay spent this weekend in Hereford with his brother-in-law, sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Horst, Kent and Kevin.

Mrs. G.C. Bearden Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. J.B. James, Linda, Rena and Jennifer had as guests Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Nat Bearden their daughter and grandchildren, Mrs. Gerald Inglis, Terri and Toni of Earth, and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Matlock of Springlake and their grandchildren, Debbie and Sammy Matlock of Earth. Also visiting in the James home Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. F.W. Bearden.

Mrs. Almon Whitford visited Monday afternoon in the home of her son-in-law, daughter and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kellar, Elizabeth and Jennifer.

Mrs. Blanche Lenderson of Muleshoe is conducting a school of painting each Monday in Springlake Community Building. Attending Monday were Mrs. Earl Watson, Mrs. Myrtle Clayton, Mrs. Nellone Dent, Mrs. Wanda Martin, Mrs. Aurilia Sanders, Mrs. Peggy Temple, Mrs. Delma Clayton, and Mrs. Linda Lowe. Mrs. Karen Towler of Plainview were also in attendance.

Mrs. W.D. Holley and Dana Kay of Crosbyton spent Tuesday with Mrs. Holly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Ball moved to Irving Tuesday of this week. Mrs. Ball and daughter Wendy have been staying several weeks in the home of Mrs. Ball's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Miller while Ronnie Ball has been doing accountant work in the Eastern New Mexico area.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stansell called Monday afternoon in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. F.W. Bearden, Mrs. Mattie Boone and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boone.

Mr. and Mrs. J.F. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. T.W. Hacker attended the dinner, Monday evening at Plainview which was held in connection with the Pastor's and Laymans meeting of the Baptist Churches of this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Kersh were supper guests Saturday night of Mrs. Kersh's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Huguley Stacey, Donice and Preston.

Mr. and Mrs. E.S. Huckabee visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kay Trotter.

Guests during the weekend of Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Miller were their daughter-in-law and granddaughter, Mrs. Elza Miller and Stephanie of Plainview. Mrs. Elza Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Dement of Childress also spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Miller.

Mrs. Johnny Busbee visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. Mattie Boone.

Mrs. Almon Whitford, Miss Mildred Brock of Abilene, Mrs. Ernest Green, and Mrs. John Brock and Cheryl of Rogers, Ark. shopped in Plainview Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. L.A. George and Mrs. Bernice Smith called Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stansell.

Visiting recently with Mr. and Mrs. N.W. Livesay have been Mr. J.R. Brown of Plainview, Mr. Floyd McGee Jr. of Lubbock, the Livesay's son-in-law, daughter and granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Horst and Becky of Lubbock and the Livesay's granddaughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Sparkman, Kirk and Kevin of Hereford.

Guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Kersh were Kersh's mother Mrs. Ellen Kersh, and his brother and sister-in-law, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lumsford, Rocky, Teresa and Johnny.

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Guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. George Kidd were their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kidd and infant daughter, Tamie Renee of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Welch visited in the Kidd home. Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kidd remained with the George Kidds until Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Lizzie Harper visited Saturday in Plainview with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Willis, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Pinson

were supper guests Saturday evening of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Pinson. Later both couples attended the basketball game of the Flying Queens versus Nashville Business College.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Banister visited Sunday afternoon in Plainview with their grandmother, Mrs. W. T. Maddox and Mrs. Banister's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Walker also of Plainview.

Sunnyside News...

By Tenny Bowden

Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Hayden left Monday for Oklahoma City to the asthma, hayfever clinic there. They returned Wednesday night.

The adult choir participated in the music festival at the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe Monday night. They sang "Have You Any Room for Jesus" and "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" accompanied by Mrs. Gale Sadler at the piano. Carl Bradley also sang a solo "The Ninety and Nine." Richard Montgomery directed the choir. They all had supper together in Muleshoe.

Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Durham and Mr. and Mrs. Alford Crisp attended the Worker's conference board meeting at Muleshoe and the music festival that followed. Terry Bridge and Jimmy Waggoner attended the festival.

Mrs. Vivian Davis of Warren, Ohio arrived February 13th, and visited with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ivey and Mokey until Saturday. Last Friday they all flew to Gainesville and Saturday to Abilene to visit with relatives. The weather kept them there throughout the week-end. On Thursday Mrs. Ivey and Mrs. Davis visited in



JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT CHAMPIONS - Springlake Earth Junior High school basketball girls are proudly displaying the trophy they received for winning District. Left to right, front row: LaDonna Sigman, Rocky Littleton, Karen Dear, and Ida Vega; second row: Louise Eagle, Janet Britton, Marian Dawson, Josie Creste, and Suzie Temple; Back row: Regina Cole, Leslie Haberer, Criss Dent, Sherry Pittman and Karen Hinchliffe.

were the hosts, and Debbie and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan, and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Duke. Since the R. A. Axtells couldn't be there, they all had it over again at the home of the Cecil Curtis Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan were in Tulla Tuesday with his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Morris. Mrs. Morris underwent minor surgery Tuesday morning.

Mrs. John Morris visited in Lubbock Tuesday through Thursday with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Thomason and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Little and children returned home from San Angelo Tuesday night, and have been preparing to move the rest of the week. They moved over the week-end to San Angelo.

Mrs. Glen Weyandt of Pampa and her daughter Patricia, from Amarillo visited last Sunday with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Lippard and Dana. Richard Armstrong of Amarillo spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. David Sadler.

About one-half inch of snow was received Tuesday night with another inch Thursday on top of an ice cover, but both melted off the highway before night.

Ray Joe Riley attended the Water Inc. first annual meeting in Plainview. He was re-elected to a three year term as a director representing Castro and Lamb Counties, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Axtell also attended.

Richard Montgomery resigned Wednesday night as intrinsic director since he is leaving for the Air Force March 13th. He wasn't present Sunday since he went to Dallas to visit relatives and

their grandson, Scott Bischoff, given by his parents in his home Thursday evening. Several of his friends were also present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Joe Riley and family visited in Hereford Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reed of Levelland spent last Saturday night with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Shirley after attending Jimmy's wedding.

Mrs. John Gilbreath and boys visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Barnett of Olton. They and John had Sunday dinner and spent the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gilbreath in Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis White of Springlake, Mrs. Ida James of Lubbock and Inez Ott of Plainview visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ott and Don.

Mrs. Roy Phelan, Mrs. Bob Ott, Mrs. Weldon Bradley, Naomi Carr and Debbie Morgan attended a Y. W. A. luncheon in Farwell Sunday after church.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Louder attended the church services at the First Baptist Church at Earth Sunday night to see their grandson, Lance Louder of Flagg baptized. They also visited

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father, M. H. Fowlkes had been admitted to the hospital at Corpus Christi following a heart attack. He was placed under oxygen, and when the electrocardiogram Sunday morning showed no change for the better Mrs. Sadler flew to Corpus to be with him. Sunday afternoon, David and Stanley Harris left Sunday for Houston to show 5 pigs with the Hart FFA. David will show two hampshires, one poland and one cross. Stanley will show one cross bred.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Lippard, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. John Gilbreath, Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler, and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Little, attended the Plains Memorial hospital auxiliary banquet in Dimmitt Saturday night. Mrs. Lippard helped with the entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pruitt of Midland, and Sue Kiser of Canyon visited with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ivey and Mokey and Mrs. Vivian Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Wiley attended the birthday party for

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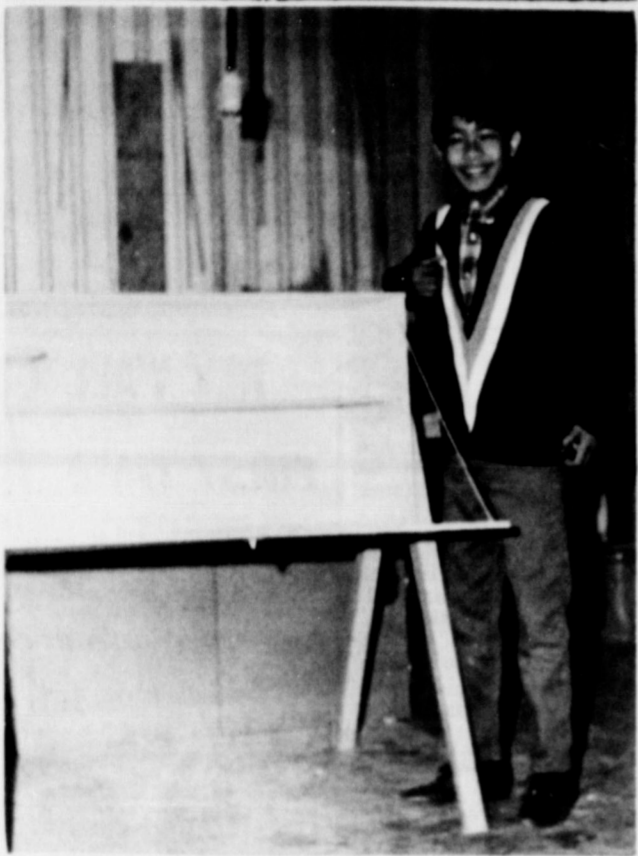
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INDUSTRIAL ARTS CLASS - Built a chuck box for the local Boy Scout troop to use on camping trips. Pictured with the box is Frank Aguirre 7th grade industrial arts student.

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Political Calendar

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY For State Representative District 72 BILL CLAYTON (Re-Election)

For District Attorney 154th Judicial Dis. JACK YOUNG (Re-Election)

For Lamb County Tax Assessor Collector HERBERT DUNN (Re-Election)

For Lamb County Sheriff W. A. HATFIELD STILWELL RUSSELL DUB McNEESE DON HATLEY

For Castro County Sheriff HENRY MYERS OGLETREE

Services For Coy Bartlett Today In Springlake Baptist Church

Funeral services for Coy Bartlett, 64, of Springlake, will be at 3 p.m. Thursday (today) February 29 in the First Baptist Church at Springlake. Rev. Don Holmes will officiate.

Miller Receives Discharge

Joe Miller, was recently discharged from the army, after serving a two year term. He is currently engaged in farming in this area.

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Migratory Housing Project Open House Scheduled

A bellweather project for decent, modern housing of migratory farm workers in the United States will open Friday March 1 at 1 p. m. at Dimmitt, Texas, a vegetable-growing capital of the West Texas Plains.

Opening of the 192-family project will coincide with the start of the great annual northward trek of Mexican-American families from the Rio Grande Valley of Texas. Their first work in the Dimmitt area will be to hand plant hundreds of acres of onions beginning the first of March.

The year's first migrants arriving in Dimmitt will find ready for use a new complex of 192 modern family apartments completed over the winter as replacement of crude shacks and barracks that migratory families previously have had to use for living quarters.

Dimmitt's project "Castro County Agricultural Housing," is a \$966,820 development organized and built by an association of 37 farmers in the county surrounding Dimmitt and 25 business firms in the town. It is the biggest new mi-

gratory farm labor housing center completed in the country by a private community association assisted by federal loan-and grant financing through the farmers Home Administration, a credit agency of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The agency insured a private loan of \$570,000 which the Castro County Association will repay at 5% interest in 33 years. The USDA-FHA added a \$387,380 grant to cover additional cost of establishing the complex. The farmers and other association members contributed \$9,440 in organizing the project.

The 9-acre area of attractive garden-style apartments includes nine two-story and 23 one-story buildings, containing 144 one-bedroom and 48 two-bedroom units. All contain modern kitchens and baths, hot water and central heating. Buildings are of fireproof, cinder-block construction. The project has a central laundry facility and a well equipped children's playground. It houses a permanent year-round office



VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT RECEIVES BOOST ... Bud Matlock, Earth Fire Chief, and Walter Ernest, Springlake Fire Chief, accepted checks Wednesday from the Texas Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance Company, for extinguishing a rural fire on the Hinson Farm, Don Clayton President of Lamb County Farm Bureau, (Center) presented the twosome with the \$75,00 checks,

of the Texas State Employment Service that will serve as a

clearing-house for employment opportunities in the area, and a full-time clinic of the State Migrant Labor Health Service. Its peak occupancy in mid-year is expected to total about 1,000 adults and children. Nearly 50 families who work in the Dimmitt area will become year-round residents of the project.

The new units will rent at rates of \$13.00 to \$15.00 a week compared to the scale of \$10.00 to \$15.00 a week that migrants have paid to live in disreputable huts and bunkhouses devoid of plumbing and kitchens.

The Dimmitt housing is expected to set a pattern for similar developments throughout the U. S., in areas that need thousands of migratory farm workers every year and have no fit housing to accommodate them.

In Dimmitt, the project also is regarded as a vital element in the town's economic growth. Its organization was hastened beginning in 1966 when area farmers and the local Chamber of Commerce determined that vegetable acreage in the county must be drastically held down for lack of adequate housing for the necessary seasonal farm workers. With the new housing, cucumber acreage that supplies a pickle factory in the town can be materially increased; production of onions, carrots, cabbage and other vegetables will remain up to capacity; and new vegetable packing industries in prospect for the town can be assured of adequate supporting farm production.

For the workers, the formal opening of Castro County Agricultural Housing on March 1

cent living conditions. Truman J. Jones, County Supervisor, Farmers Home Administration, Littlefield, Texas, wishes to extend an invitation to all persons interested in attending this formal opening. He would especially like to have as many members of the Chamber of Commerce as possible to attend the opening. Mr. Jones stated that Howard Bertsch, National Administration of Farmers Home Administration, and L. J. Cappelman, State Director, Farmers Home Administration will be present as well as other National and State officials. Mr. Bertsch will be the main speaker for the formal opening.

All Girl Rodeo Slated In Lubbock March 2 - 3

AN ALL GIRL RODEO is slated in the Auliff's Indoor Sports Arena in Lubbock, on March 2-3. Saturday's performance begins 7:30 p. m. and Sunday's performance begins 1:30 p. m.

The Rodeo is sponsored by the West Texas Barrel Racing Association and is open to all girls. The all-around Champion will be the recipient of a beautiful hand tooled trophy saddle. An engraved \$50.00 sterling silver

belt buckle will be awarded to the runner-up. An expectancy of 450 entries will be competing for these awards plus trophies and rosette ribbons.

The events are as follows: wild cow milking, goat tying, barrel racing, flag race, ribbon roping, pole bending and steer riding. Featured attraction will be Herby Clay, Wellington, Texas, riding a Wild Buffalo.

Party Line...

Mr. Frank Prather of Muleshoe was a week-end guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Prather.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hatfield spent the week-end in Haskell visiting with Mrs. Hatfield's mother, Mrs. Ben Worley.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Smith spent last weekend in Nuidosa New Mexico.

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