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WITH POLLY

We here at the News who enjoyed beating our tom-toms and blowing our trumpets with a special edition of Earth's Progress and praise, did not feel at all like Belshazzar or do we feel we're celebrating a feast after the hand-writing on the wall. We were tired when we got through to feel like celebrating a feast. (In fact we were too tired to eat.)

I still think they, the pioneers, Mayors and present people of today who have contributed to Earth's Progress, all deserve thanks, and we who fail to say nice things to folks when they are so deserving miss many blessings in a life. That I learned while a little girl still in pigtails.

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Mrs. Sam Cearley gave us a correction on a story, as to the kind of fire the pioneers enjoyed sitting around at night. She says they used kerosene and coal, where we had stated their fires were wood fires. (I knew there weren't enough trees around here now to supply KINDLING for a fire, but it might lead those of us who like trees to wonder if the pioneers had completely used up all of the available tree supply.) (Don't imagine anyone would blame them tho if they got cold) Especially not after a cold week like we've had this week.

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Well we finally got some snow. Looks like four or five inches of it. To wade through the deeper drifts reminds me of a FEW YEARS back when we used to have those real deep snows. I was home with seven brothers and sisters, and being normal brats, we used all of our stored up energy on snow fights and between battles at intermission time we each ran into the house to warm up. (Just eight of mom's noisy snow dripping darlings — She must have loved us lots to let us enjoy life so much.) Then after complete exhaustion racing from the larger kids hoping to prevent them from washing our faces with snow, (which us runts of the family just never could seem to prevent,) we would dry our faces gather up the snow from a clean spot and make snow ice cream, which was delicious. (Only thing I hate about the whole deal is I grew up to enjoy walking with the snow hitting in my face, probably links back to that early childhood when I learned to grin and bear those early face washings with snow.)

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"Shorty" Barlow come by the office this week, and said he had received the paper while in Korea and maybe folks here just didn't realize how much news from home meant to the boys. He said getting the Earth News was almost better than getting a letter, cause that way he read news about everything, and could keep up with one here including the growth of the town. So little can be done for our boys after they leave the U. S. A. But we are thankful we in a small way contributed a little to the enjoyment of one of our boys overseas.

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I was asked about the highway this week, about whether or not it was going through and just what it would mean to Earth — All I could say was, I felt certain it would go through, that there were a few yet who hadn't signed their easements, but I felt certain they would. I have faith in the judgment of Earth's people, that they will not pass up this opportunity if everyone understands the importance of this through highway. The US Highway 70 promotion plan extends the entire width of the nation, from Durham, N. C. to San Francisco, California. The entire route is now paved with the exception of 11 miles in Arkansas.

Travel over the route is expanding and with the improvement of many roads, it is believed that Highway 70 will attract a greater number of tourists. Value of coast to coast routes is well established. Towns on the routes have profited and grown to an amazing degree. The tourist "crop" has been declared most profitable. The value of volume highway travel is not restricted to the businesses which travelers patronize. The money spent is left with



Leroy "Shorty" Barlow

Leroy Barlow Returns Home From Service

S-P3 Leroy (Shorty) Barlow, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Barlow, returned home Friday, January 27, from Ft. Lewis, Washington, where he received his discharge from the U. S. Army.

Barlow had been in service two years and had spent one year, four months and nineteen days in Inchon, Korea.

Barlow attended Springlake Schools and played on the Springlake football team. He plans to farm near Earth.

School Nurse Resigns Monday

Mrs. G. A. Fowler, nurse at Springlake School resigned Monday, January 30. Mrs. Viola Humphrey of Amherst, former nurse at the school filled her vacancy Tuesday morning. Mrs. Humphrey has been a nurse at the school for approximately five years, leaving in October of last year to move to Hagerman, New Mexico.

Everyone is quite excited to have her back. Mrs. Humphrey gets all the attention from the school children.

Newcomers

M. C. Dodson has moved into the E. N. Simmons house. Mr. Dodson is unemployed at the present time.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Meyers have moved into Earth from the farm. The Meyers are living in the south part of Earth on the Amherst Highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Meyers are the parents of Mrs. Bill Kellar of Earth.

LEON FOSTER HAS MAJOR SURGERY

Leon Foster underwent major surgery at the Littlefield Hospital, Saturday. He is reported to be getting along nicely.

Foster is employed at Plant X.

MRS. BONNIE HABERER DISMISSED FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Bonnie Haberer was dismissed from the Medical Arts Hospital at Littlefield, Tuesday where she had been receiving treatment for pneumonia.

Mrs. Haberer is steadily improving.

the cafes, filling stations, motels, small grocery stores, etc. but they in turn spend with other businesses in a community until all reflect the benefit of highway commerce.

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I've seen some "Texas Hospitality" that warmed my heart, and I'm really proud to pass this on for this is genuine hospitality. During this bad weather some folks, tho busy, did not forget old "Uncle Charlie" Nix. He was taken on food by some kind hearted Texans who live by this wonderful golden rule, "Love Thy Neighbor As Thyself." Let's don't forget our old folks during bad weather.

Approximately 1,000 Attend Open House at School

Approximately 1,000 persons attended the building dedication program at the Springlake School Monday night.

Open house and registration was held from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Following registration, a program was held in the new auditorium.

The program consisted of songs by the Elementary School, Wolvevine Band and Girl's Chorus under the direction of Mr. Nolen Froehner and a one act play directed by Mrs. John Adams.

NOTICE

The Challenge of the Cross, a religious drama, will be presented at 7:30 p.m., Sunday night at the First Baptist Church.

The Adult 1 Department of the First Baptist Church will have a Western Party, Friday, February 3 at 7:30 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Angeley.

A "42" Party will be held at the Lions Hall in Earth, Tuesday night, February 14, sponsored by the Farmer's Union. Everyone is invited to attend.

The Associational Brotherhood Meeting Held Tuesday Night

The Association Brotherhood of the West Plains Baptist Association met Tuesday night at the First Baptist Church in Enochs. Those attending from Earth were Paul Wood, D. E. McCarty, Edd O'Hair, Reed Vandell, Elton Vaughn and Rev. Cecil Meadows.

Hickman Candidate For Alderman

Harvey Hickman has filed as candidate for Alderman, this brings the total to four candidates. The other three candidates are Carroll Blackwell, Clarence Kelly and John Welch.

Election will be held February 18 to see whether or not the people of Earth want to change their form of government.

Chosen By Governor To Attend Convention

Eugene Higgins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Higgins who is a student at Eastern New Mexico University at Portales, was chosen as one of the four delegates from Roosevelt, by Governor Sims of New Mexico to attend the Democratic Convention held in Santa Fe last week.



These nineteen ladies participated in the house to house canvass for the March of Dimes drive, Tuesday night in Earth. They collected \$165.00.

LIONS ROAR

The charter night meeting of the Springlake Lions Club was postponed until Tuesday night, February 14th, due to the illness of the installing officer, LaVar Thatcher, of Salt Lake City, Utah.

The Earth Lions are to have Ladies night February 14th and have asked Springlake Lions to be their guests. At this meeting "Dub Nelson of Childress, District 271 Governor, will be present to make the presentation of the charter and install officers of the Springlake Club.

Methodist Men Have Breakfast

The men of the Earth Methodist Church met Tuesday morning in the dining hall of the church for a business session.

Ham and eggs and hot biscuits were prepared and served to approximately twelve men by Dutch LaRue, Elroy Wisian and Harry

Church of Christ Gospel Meeting February 5 - 12

A Gospel Meeting will begin February 5 through February 12, at the Earth Church of Christ.

Mr. Wilbur C. Dennis, minister of the Hamilton, Texas Church of Christ, will be the speaker. Mr. Dennis is a very able speaker, and has conducted meeting in Earth prior to this time. He has attended Abilene Christian College at Abilene, Texas.

The song services will be under the direction of Edward C. Jones, local song director. The public is invited to attend, each service, which will be 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Earth Angels Receive Placques

The Earth Angels Road Club, met at the Legion Hall, Thursday night to receive plaques for their cars. The plaques were presented by Deputy Sheriff Joe Ebling. No business was transacted due to the Football Banquet.

METHODIST CHURCH BUILDING PROGRAM DRIVE TO START TUES.

The Earth Methodist Church Building Drive Program, will begin Tuesday, February 7, with a kickoff dinner at 7:30 p.m. Monday, February 6 at the church for the solicitors and their wives.

The building program is for a \$45,000 educational building 50' x 100' which will furnish rooms for the nursery through the youth departments.

The goal set for this drive is

\$25,000. Those who will be the solicitors are Harry Axtell, Ray Axtell, Jim Gregory, Burl Hamilton, Dutch LaRue, Buzzy Jones, Oliver Tunnell, Ross Brock, Elroy Wisian, Edd Dawson, Norman Sulger and Lynn Glasscock. The church members will be solicited to begin with. But all donations from the many friends of the church will be deeply appreciated.



Pictured above is the group of solicitors for the Methodist Church Educational building fund drive. They are from left to right around the table; Harry Axtell, Ray Axtell, Mrs. Oliver Tunnell, Jim Gregory, Burl Hamilton, Dutch LaRue, Buzzy Jones Oliver Tunnell, Mrs. Hilbert Wisian (standing), Ross Brock, Elroy Wisian, Mrs. Irvin Ott, Edd Dawson and Rev. Gene Matthews and Mrs. L. Z. Anglin.

K. Sawyer Receives Minor Burns From Explosion and Fire

An explosion occurred on the Kenneth Sawyer farm three miles west of Earth at 6:30 p.m. Thursday while Sawyer was filling a tractor with butane from a tank on his pickup.

Sawyer lit a cigaret while the tractor was filling, causing the explosion which knocked Sawyer to the ground.

Y. O. Busby and Hubert Sawyer saw the flames and rushed to render aid and helped by throwing dirt on the flames and putting it out.

The Earth Fire Department answered the call, but the flames had already been extinguished. Sawyer was rushed to the hospital in Amherst, where he received treatment for burns about the face and released.

Sawyer said damages to the tractor cost about \$65.00.

JC's Installation Banquet To Be Monday, Feb. 7th

An installation service and banquet for the Earth Jaycees, their wives and guests, will be held at 7:30 p.m., Monday, February 6 in the Springlake School Cafeteria.

Bob Polsum, state vice president from Childress, will install the local officers, which are as follows:

President, Ardis Barton; 1st vice president, Rex Angeley; 2nd vice president, Don Atkinson; State Director, Jerrell Haberer; secretary, Leonard Stephens; treasurer, Gene Brown; board of directors, W. L. Barton, Buddy Adrian and Lester Hammons.

Following the banquet and installation, a dance will be held at the Legion Hall.

Star Drive Inn Cafe In Springlake Now Open For Business

Miss Joyce Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Davis of Springlake, has rented the Star Drive Inn Cafe in Springlake and is now open for business. Joyce is a 1955 graduate of the Springlake High School.

She will be open week days at 7:30 a.m., but will be closed on Sundays.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scott of Clovis, New Mexico are the parents of their first child, a son born at 10:20 p.m., Monday, January 30 in the Muleshoe Hospital.

He has been named Marcus Earl and weighed 7 lbs. and 13 oz. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore of Earth. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Scott of Watts, Oklahoma.

Mother's March of Dimes Campaign Nets \$165.00

The Mother's March of Dimes Campaign took place Tuesday night. There were nineteen mothers participating in the drive going out in groups of three.

They met at the Southwestern Public Service office at 6:30 p.m. and called on every home in Earth, netting a total of \$165.00.

On Monday January 23, all coffee money at the Star Cafe was given to the drive, totaling \$29.95. On Monday January 16th all coffee money from the Steak House totaling \$21.75 was given to the drive. All coin containers have not been picked up. A total of all businesses and campaigns will be published in next weeks paper.

Local School Board Adopts New Policies

In a special session the local board by unanimous vote adopted the following policies, effective immediately, that no free lunches be allowed at the School Lunch Room except in cases where the County Welfare Administrator certifies that the school children of the family are eligible to receive lunches without pay. This certification to be made monthly and no lunches are to be delivered without it. This certificate is to be delivered to the school not later than the 5th of each month to cover the current month.

The following requirements are to be met in order to use the school facilities, and buildings, that no gambling, serving of intoxicating beverages, or dancing be allowed and the parties using the facilities be so advised.

AMONG THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Mr. H. N. Seymore was dismissed from the Methodist Hospital at Lubbock, Saturday much improved.

Mr. Seymore is recuperating from a fractured hip and has also spent some time in the Amherst Hospital.

Mrs. Ida Hawkins, mother of Mrs. Fred Clayton, was readmitted to the Muleshoe Hospital Saturday. Mrs. Hawkins condition became worse after being dismissed from the hospital last week.

Mrs. Marvin Ellis is confined to her bed with a virus infection.

Rev. Gene Matthews spent several days in the hospital with the flu last week.

Mrs. Bonnie Haberer was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Thursday, January 26 with bronchial pneumonia. Her condition is reported fair, she is at home now.

Mr. Herb Wendborn was admitted to the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, Monday morning, suffering from an ailment caused by a spot on his lungs. He will be there for three or four days.

Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Britton and family spent the weekend in Perryton visiting his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bryl Hardy, also a brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Britton.

Mrs. T. B. Ginn of Earth had as guests recently, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Strickland of Rotan. Strickland is Mrs. Ginn's nephew.

Mayor Bill Pope attended the Highway 70 meeting in Clovis last week.



## Entertain With Chicken Dinner For Coaches

Mrs. V. T. Tanner, Mrs. Billy Watson and Mrs. Earnest Goforth entertained the coaches of the Springlake School with a fried chicken dinner in the Tanner home last Wednesday evening.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Simmons, Mr. Colie Huffman, Mrs. Bates of Dimmitt, V. T. Tanner, Billy Watson and Earnest Goforth.

## Bridge Club Meets In Jim Sanders Home

Bridge Club met Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sanders. Three tables of bridge were played with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Littleton Jr. winning high score and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Haberer the low score.

Pineapple upside down cake topped with whipped cream and coffee were served to:

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Littleton Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Roger Haberer, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stockard, Mr. and Mrs. Don Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Brock and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sanders.

Blood is essential to life. Since 1948 the Red Cross has collected over 16 million pints of this liquid medicine and countless lives have been saved through its use.

## Duos Played, Awards Presented at 88 Club

The regular meeting of the 88 club was held at 7:00 p.m., Monday January 23 in the dining hall of the First Baptist Church.

The program featured Duo numbers played by pupils of Mrs. Betty Parish.

The numbers played on the first part of the program were "Sandoodle Dance" by Karen Barton and Deanna Adrian.

Reindeer Trot by Terry Glasscock and Randy Kelley.

The Guitar by Darylanna Morris and Norma Hamilton.

The Guitar by Barta Haley and Darylanna Morris.

Tommy's New Drum by Vicky Coker and Larry Glasscock.

Carnival by Margaret Meadows and Judy Wood.

Following these numbers, Mrs. Parish presented awards to Vicky Coker, Becky Parish, Bobby and Marilyn Coker. These awards were earned at an audition, Sunday, January 15 in the J. J. Coker home.

The numbers played on the last part of the program and those playing were:

Sandoodle by Alice Jaques and Carolyn Kelley.

Roses and Butterflies by Kay Jones and Evelyn Meadows.

Oh Suzanna by Linda Kelley and Carol Hamilton.

Swiss Clock by Becky and Jacqueline Parish.

Tommy's New Drum by Julia Varner Jones and Kenneth Schaefer.

Cotton Blossom Time by Pruda Kay Sanders and Joan Sanderson.

Refreshments of Cake, coffee and punch was served by Mrs. Bud Jones and Mrs. Buddy Adrian.

## Entertain Visitor From Scotland

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Miller of Springlake entertained in their home Saturday night. Mr. Charlie Timmins and children, of Hart Camp and Mr. and Mrs. Dekunick of Whitarral and Mrs. Margaret C. Caldwell of Greenock, Scotland. Mrs. Caldwell is a sister in law of Mrs. Charlie Timmins and Mrs. Caldwell had never met any of her husband's family until she arrived at Hart Camp Tuesday a week ago. She told of her voyage on the Luernia which was making its maiden voyage to New York. Mrs. Caldwell is an active member of the Eastern Star and does not hesitate to tell you that Scotland is the mother country of the Masonic Order and Eastern Star.

The Fellowship and home makers Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met Friday night for a social. 42 was the entertainment of the evening. Refreshment of sandwiches, potatoe chips, cookies, Cokes and coffee were served to the following:

## Party Line...

Mrs. Laverne Bibby of Springlake, was hostess to a "Slumber and Tellethon" party in her home Saturday night. Those attending were Linda Kelley, Wayne Ruth, Erford, Francis Cole, Henrian Rudd, Carol Hamilton, Sue Neal, Noretta Bolinger, Minnie Bell and Pat Armstrong and Larue Glasscock.

Mrs. Bud Irvine, Nancy, Jerry and Stanley were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Murrell and Joan attended the Fat Stock Show in Ft. Worth last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. James Glasscock and girls of Morton spent Sunday with the Ray Glasscock family.

## Ladies of Baptist Church Presented With Indian Book

The mission book "The Tribes Go Up," by Frank Belvin, was presented at the Springlake Baptist Church Tuesday evening. Mrs. John T. Williams, mission chairman was in charge of the program. The women came dressed in squaw dresses, moccasins and jewelry and sat in Indian fashion in a circle on the floor during the program. "Dwellers Among the Leaves," was given by Mrs. James Sanderson. A solo, "Never Alone," was rendered by Mrs. Ernest Baker.

"Children of the Plains," was given by Mrs. Thelma McClanahan. An accordion solo, "How Long by Mrs. Bill Burrow.

"The Pueblo People," was given by Mrs. Troy Blackburn.

"The Shepherd of the Hills," by Mrs. Robert Huckabee.

"Sons of the Desert," by Mrs. John T. Williams and the closing prayer by Mrs. W. T. Clayton.

Refreshments of corn candy, pop corn and Cokes were served to Mesdames James Sanderson, Jimmy Banks, Thelma McClanahan, Earnest Green, G. H. Miller, Lula Brock, Jim Stone, Troy Blackburn, B. V. Padon, Robert Huckabee, Bud Matlock, Bill Burrow, Ernest Baker and Mrs. Tom Stansell.

## Party Line.....

Luncheon guests in the home of Mrs. Cullen Hay Tuesday, were Mesdames Bill Beasley, Perry Martin, Johnnie Keith, Martin, Houston Stevens, Albert Taylor, Harvey Evans, Edward Jones and Bud Irvine.

Mrs. R. S. Cole honored her father in law, Mr. J. G. Cole of Olton, with a birthday dinner in her home Sunday, others present were Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cole and girls, of Olton, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bills, Mr. T. C. Martin and the R. S. Cole family.

Brother and Mrs. H. O. Lee and family, pastor of the Missionary Baptist Church in Grand Saline, Texas were Tuesday night guests in the J. B. Inglis home. The Lees are former residents of Earth and Springlake.

## Pupils Presented In Private Recital

Mrs. Norma McCarty presented Cheryl, Lana and Etwilla Axtell and Jane and Jill McCord in a private recital Friday, January 27, with Margene Miller as special guest.

The program was as follows: County Gardens, Saar; Prelude, Bach; Melody of Love, Glazer — Jane McCord.

The Banjo Picker, Grotton; My Gift, Dittenever; Chinese Dragon Dance, Krevit — Etwilla Axtell.

Sonatina—Op 36 No. 2, Vivace — Clementi — Cheryl Axtell.

Bells of Normandy, King; Caissons Song, Gruber (play and sing) — Drifting Cowboy, Gillock — Jill McCord.

Sonatina OP 36 No. 1, Vivace — Clementi, Wonderful Words, Hymn — Lana Axtell.

Duet — Moss Covered Church, Hopkins — Jill and Etwilla.

Solfeggetto, Bach — Cheryl.

Waltz of Flowers, Tchaikovsky; Rustic Dance, Howell — Jane.

Ensemble — Carnival, Mowery — Cheryl and Margene Miller.

Dance of Snowflakes, Lamartor; Keep in Step, Kern; Thanksgiving Hymn, Moore — Etwilla.

Pirate Chief, Kroeger; Echoes of the Ball, Gillett — Lana.

Wong Ho, Vandevere; Dog Red, Foster (play and sing); Minuet in C, Moderato and Trio, Pleyel; Minuet, Bach — Jill.

Ensemble, The Guitar, Gaynor — Lana and Jane.

Warriors' Song, Heller—Cheryl Sonatina in G — Bethoven — Allegro, Rhapsodie, Eckstein — Jane.

Duet — Norwegian Dance, Grieg — Lana and Cheryl.

You, You, Moore; Till I Waltz Again (play and sing) — Etwilla (play and sing) — Etwilla.

Sonatina in D-Op 36 No. 6, Clementi, Allegro, Rondo — Lana.

## Party Line.....

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Martin and Fay of Muleshoe, visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Kasinger Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Sladek and Sandra of Spade and Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Chisolm of Littlefield visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Lewis.

## BIG SQUARE H. D. CLUB NEWS

by Mrs. Forrest Collins

The Big Square Home Demonstration club met January 27 in the home of Mrs. Omie Mick.

Mrs. Paul Chance, president, presided over the meeting.

Mrs. Andy Behrend, gave a program on "Safety First in driving".

Names were drawn for secret pals for the coming year. A new member, Mrs. Bert Andrews joined the club.

Refreshments of strawberry shortcake and punch was served to Mesdames Edwin O'Hair, Andy Behrend, Irvin Ott, Bob Knight, Paul Chance and Forrest Collins.

## Party Line.....

Mrs. R. V. Tarter from Quanah, Texas is visiting this week in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady McHargue from the Dodd community were luncheon guests in the Carroll Blackwell home Wednesday.

## W. M. U. Has Mission Study

The Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. for the study of "Home Missions."

Mrs. George Wuerlein taught the book on Indians, "The Tribes Go UP." A covered dish luncheon was served in the parsonage at 12 noon.

After lunch a film entitled "Missionary Diary" was enjoyed by all.

There were fifteen members and one visitor present, Mesdames Elton Schaeffer, R. S. Cole, Tommy Gattis, Clifford Bills, Emert Roge, Elton Vaughn, Roy Taylor, W. G. Sanderson, D. E. McCarty, Cecil Meadows, J. H. Angeley, Earl Miller, T. S. Alair, George Wuerlein, Travis Scott and visitor, Mrs. Horace Castleberry of Brownfield, Texas.

Sunday evening guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Brown were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Scarborough and daughters of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hollum, and daughters.

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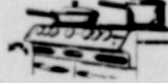
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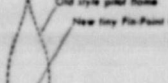
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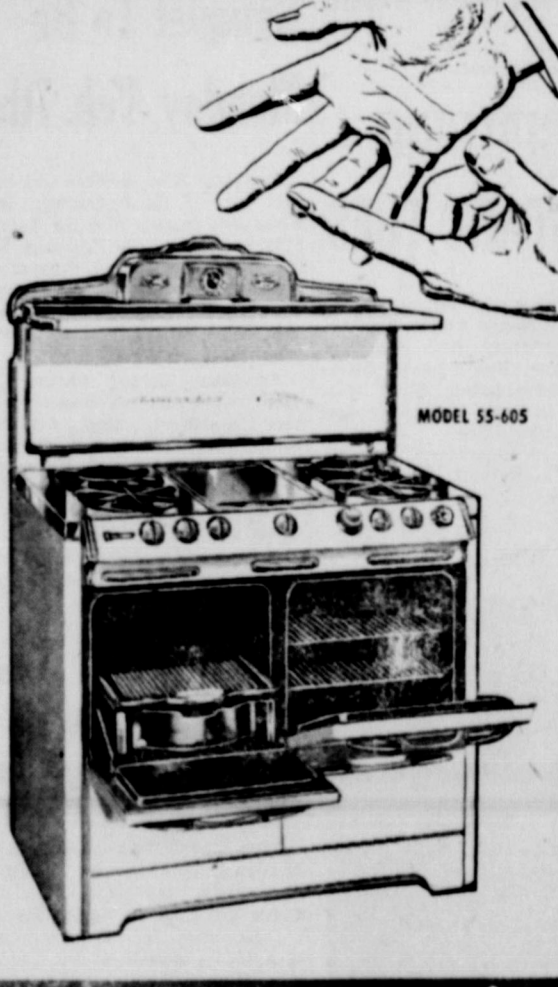
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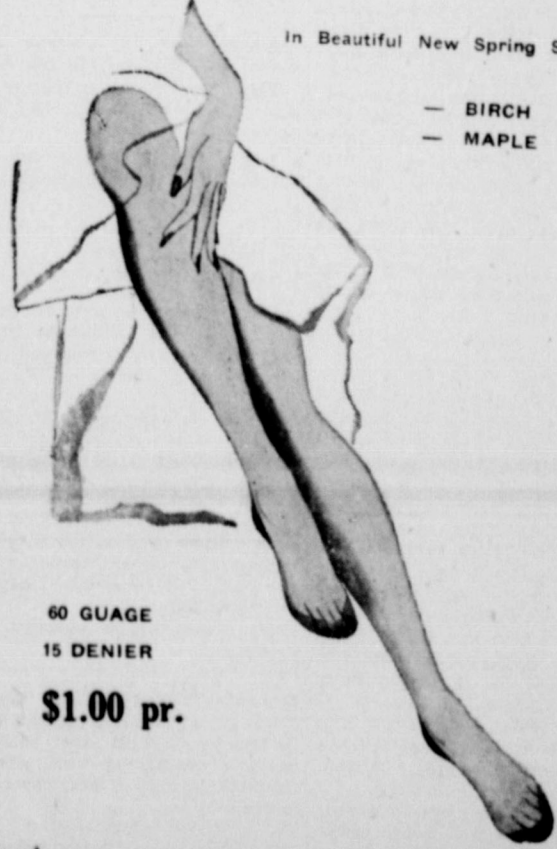


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# Scenes From School Dedication Services



This group of youngsters from grades 1 through 5th, entertained the large audience with group singing led by Mrs. Axtell



A one act play entitled "The Little Blue Tea Pot," was presented by this cast of four, at the dedication of the new auditorium, Monday night. The cast included A. J. Phillips, Peggy Ussery, Sue Curtsinger and Doug Parish.



Pictured above are nine of the ten Student Council members, who were hosts at the dedication services Monday night. Front row from left to right is Barbara McCaskill, Carolyn Parish, Laverne Bibby, Charlene Hamilton and Sharon Hay. Back row left to right is Kenneth Lowe, Ronald Sandel, Melvin Lewis and Eldon Upchurch.



The Junior High School Chorus entertained the audience with songs Monday night accompanied by band leader, Mr. Freshner.



### Marshall Kent Kelley Honored on Birthday

Marshall Kent Kelley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kelley was honored on his 4th birthday, Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p.m. with a little party at his home.

After a recreation period, birthday cake and ice cream were served to Janabeth Scott, Tim Sanders, Arthur Ray and Jerrel Lee Haberer, Pruda Kay and Sandy Sanders, Norma Charlene and Kirby Kelley, Freddy Kelley, Jennie Angley and the honoree Kent Kelley.

### Church of Christ Ladies Study II Kings

The ladies Bible Study of the Church of Christ met at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday in the church.

Mrs. Perry Martin taught the study on the first thirteen chapters of II Kings.

Following the study a noon day luncheon was held at the home of Mrs. Cullen Hay.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Earth, News  
Earth, Texas

Dear Friends:

We have enjoyed your paper so much. Last December our "sub" was out (having been sent to us as a gift the year before) and we did not see how we could do without it, neither could we renew. Well someone did, for we note a new date. We would like to be able to thank the one or ones, so would you or could you supply us with the name. In 1954 you sent a card telling who sent it to us but we did not receive any notice this time.

Your paper is so good and interesting. To us it is a letter from "HOME." We enjoyed living in Earth so very much and feel that even though we haven't met you, you are our friends, along with so many more.

Best Wishes

Mrs. E. M. Borden Jr.



"I'm commuting by train until Elsie can remember where she parked the car."



AUSTIN, Tex. — Accusations and denials fill the air as investigators dig into details of how US Trust and Guarantay and other now defunct companies operated.

Rep. Bert McDaniel of Waco, lawyer for US Trust, told house investigators he had no knowledge of payment by any A. B. Shoemaker company to influence legislation.

McDaniel said he sponsored a bill to bring such companies under securities regulation and voted for a similar bill which passed. He said he abstained from voting on HB 240 which would have placed US Trust under the state banking laws.

Former State Sen. R. C. Lanning of Austin also said he knew of no payments by Shoemaker to legislators. Both McDaniel and Lanning, an attorney who resigned from the Board of Control to represent Shoemaker during the legislature, said they had done nothing illegal or unethical.

Renne Alfred Jr., former insurance examiner, declared that bank affidavits on insurance company assets cannot always be taken at face value. He cited a case in Commercial Insurance Co. of Houston. It showed a bank deposit of \$250,000. But, said Alfred, this was \$50,000 in cash and a note for \$200,000 with a restriction against draw ins on the account.

Bank officials immediately denied this. They declared they had proven in court that there was no restriction against this account.

Alfred also testified that the Insurance Commission received information in a report in September, 1954, that would have enabled it to close down US Trust then.

Two executives of large legal reserve life companies presented industry views in an appearance before the senate committee. Emphasizing Texas legal reserve life companies' long record of no loss to policyholders, they declared they felt such companies had been unfairly damaged by recent developments.

Present insurance laws are adequate, they said. The problem now is enforcement. Along this line they suggested the possibility of a single commissioner with sole power. This drew quick fire from Gov. Allan Shivers. These companies, he said, had asked his help during the last session of the legislature to set up the present three-man board system.

US Trust operated without a license from May 31, 1955, until put in receivership Dec. 12, an insurance commission attorney told the senate investigating committee. Paul Connor said that all company licenses expired May 31, but by "tacit understanding" they continue operating until the commission takes action to deny a new license.

Quizzing of employees brought only a strengthened conception of US Trust as a "one man business," but shed no light on whether more than \$50,000 in cash withdrawals was used to buy influence. Former staffers told the house committee that money from checks drawn to "cash" went to the president, and they had no knowledge of what he did with it.

Both House and Senate committee chairmen stated they want to question Shoemaker as soon as he is able to appear. He has been in the hospital since Jan. 7 suicide attempt.

Meanwhile, the Insurance Commission began work on a revised plan to hasten the examination of Texas companies. All will be re-

quired to prove solvency by May 31 or lose their licenses.

Also being considered is a requirement that insurance companies publish financial reports such as are demanded of banks and other institutions handling vast sums of money belonging to depositors.

#### REVENUE FUND IN RED

Texas' general revenue fund is \$1,100,000 in the red . . . and it is expected to dip lower.

State Comptroller Robert C. Calvert said the deficit likely will continue until May when income should exceed expenses again. Meanwhile, the shortage may hit ten million dollars. Nobody will lose, said Calvert, since banks have agreed to cash warrants without discount.

A similar state deficit developed last year and continued until the spring payment of corporation franchise taxes replenished the general fund.

#### FOUR ELECTIONS IN 1956

There will be an extra election in 1956 as the result of a legislative boner. The error will cost the state and some counties \$200,000.

Nine Constitutional amendments will be voted on in November. Eight were drawn properly. One, however, calls for a vote on the second Tuesday in the month. General election day is Nov. 6 — the

first Tuesday. Therefore the state must call an election the following week in order that the ninth amendment may be legally voted upon. That will be Nov. 13.

The troublesome amendment would permit the state to spend up to \$1,500,000 a year in aid to dependent persons over 18 years of age who are mentally or physically totally disabled.

#### SUPPORTERS WRITE SHEPPERD

Rumors that Attorney General John Ben Shepperd planned a quiet retirement to private life following this term in office have sparked a drive by his friends to keep him in public office. Not only has Shepperd been besieged by that he stay in Texas government, but reports have it that supporters have raised a campaign chest ample for any contended race.

#### EVIDENCE WITHHELD

An accusation of hampering the investigation of a murder case has been made against Ronnie Dugger, editor of the Texa Observer, a political tabloid published in Austin. District Attorney Ralph Prince leveled the charges from Longview. He said Dugger would be called before the grand jury there to explain why he had failed to turn over "important evidence" (a bullet) which Dugger found at the scene of a shooting. Turning over of such evidence is required by law. Prince pointed out. The grand jury is investigating the death of a Gregg Co. Negro youth. Dugger denied a statement by Prince that he was trying to "create racial unrest" in the area.

SHORT SNORTS: Mrs. Margaret Allen, who served with U. S. Senator Price Daniel when he was Attorney General of Texas, will join the Senator's staff in Washington, D. C. early in February. At present she is a receptionist for Attorney General Shepperd . . . State revenue from interest has been increased from \$156,620 to \$1,160,273 in the past five years by placing additional money on "time" deposit, according to state Auditor C. H. Cavness . . . Women who have refrained from paying poll taxes to avoid jury service have sacrificed their vote in vain, say county officials. In all counties except Jefferson, names of all persons paying any sort of county tax are put in the jury wheel.

Sunday dinner guests in the Carroll Blackwell home were Mr. and Mrs. George Heard and Rhonda from Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Rafe Rodgers from Whitharral.



"Now, you mind your own business, Officer!"

### Party Line...

Mrs. Travis Scott and girls and Mrs. Travis Jaquess and children visited Bro. and Mrs. Bruce Giles in Lubbock Saturday. The afternoon was spent shopping. Mrs. Jaquess received medical treatment Saturday morning.

Mrs. Floyd Bills and Mrs. H. W. Kendrick were in Farwell, Saturday.

Dinner guests in the Jack Hinson home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parish and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Dutch LaRue and family and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Harper were

weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lexie Branscum of Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Starkey and girls visited the Bennie Shipley family in Amberst Sunday night.

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### Party Line... Party Line...

Bill Morris and Gene Brown returned Sunday from Fort Worth, where they attended the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show.

Mrs. Sue Brockman of Quemado, Texas is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Seymore. Mrs. Brockman is a nurse and will assist in nursing Mr. Seymore, who has been dismissed from the Methodist Hospital at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Braden have as their guest, Mrs. Braden's mother, Mrs. C. M. Parkhill of Mission, Texas, who will spend a month or six weeks in the Braden home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Inglis and Mrs. J. B. Inglis were in Lubbock Tuesday.

Tommy Lee Taylor of Wilcox, Arizona spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Skeeter Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McNamara, Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Wiglan, Bob McClure and Pat Cowell attended the March of Dimes Telethon at Lubbock Saturday night.

Mr. Travis Scott, Ag-teacher at Springlake School and Mr. Oliver Tunnell along with a group of F. F. A. Boys left Friday to attend the Fat Stock Show at Ft. Worth. They returned home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Vaughn and family attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Mack Vaughn in Marl, in Texas, Monday.

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## Michael Lewis Honored on Birthday

Michael Lewis was honored on his birthday, Saturday, January 21 in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Lewis.

Little guests were presented with Tiny Tales story books as party favors.

Refreshments of moon shaped sandwiches, cake and ice cream were served to Sue and Kay Hollum, Galen and Kim Bock, Beverly and Janice Miller, Elroy Jr. and David Wisian, Carl Sulger, Pam Gattis, Samul Lewis, Jackie Lou

Brown and the honoree, Mothers attending were Mesdames Clifford Hollum, Melvin Bock, Harold Miller, Elroy Wisian, Norman Sulser and Tommy Gattis.

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## DON'T BREATHE A WORD BUT —

by VIOLA HALL

Ennice Jenkins and Richard Bills were on the go this week. They were at church Wednesday night, at the show in Earth Friday night and were at church again Sunday night.

Myers Ogletree and Irvaleen Ott were at the show in Earth Tuesday and Saturday nights, and at church Sunday night and then to the show.

Norma Jean Jones and Otis Rae King aren't going to let any of the other couples get ahead of them. They were at the show in Earth Tuesday and Saturday nights and at the show in Olton Sunday night.

Evelyn Clayton and Melvin Lewis were at the show in Littlefield Saturday night.

Genevieve Louder has been flashing a lovely engagement ring around the last week. Wednesday night Lowell Westmoreland gave her the ring. They were together in Littlefield and Sunday at the show in Earth.

Laura Mae Northcott and Houston Bartlett were at the ballgame Friday, Saturday at the show in Amarillo and Sunday at Louder's house and then to the show in Amherst. These two really travel.

Joan Elmore and Jerry Alexander were at the show Saturday night in Littlefield. Sunday at the Hi-D-Ho in Lubbock.

Sue Neal and Kenneth Lowe were at the telethon Saturday ni-

ght in Lubbock, and were together Sunday afternoon.

Max Goforth and Wayna Mae Rutherford were at the Telethon in Lubbock Saturday night.

A very new couple is Nelda Roach and Doyal Wooly. They were together Sunday afternoon in Earth.

Kay Haberer and Ronald Sordel were at the ballgame Friday night, Sunday they were at the show in Earth. They were also at the Telethon Saturday.

Seymore Evans must have made it home over the weekend. He was with Sharon Hay Friday night at the ballgame, Saturday night at the Telethon and Sunday at the show in Amherst.

Bud Watson and Beverly Stine were at the dedication Monday night.

A familiar couple, who are Doug Parish and June Gregory were at the ballgame Friday night, Saturday at the show in Earth, and Sunday at June's home.

Lois Lewis and Donald Sander were at the dedication Monday night.

Zelma Sloan and Hubert Trulock were at the show in Earth and Sunday at the show in Amherst.

Claude Davis kept Francis (Tanze) Cole busy for a couple of nights. Sunday they were at church and Monday at the show.

Bob Angeley and Gay Watson were together after the dedication Monday night.

Eldon Upchurch and Johnny Beth Crawford were together Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights. This is so isn't it Eldon?

## Cedric Foster At Abilene March 1-2

ABILENE, (Spl.) — Cedric Foster, national radio news analyst from Boston, will speak March 1-2 at Abilene Christian College. He will address ACC students in chapel March 1 and then speak to delegates of the Texas Inter-collegiate convention the following day, TISA, which will meet at ACC March 1 to 3. It will attract an estimated 300 students from Texas colleges and universities.

## Party Line.....

Those from Earth attending the Monthly Worker's Conference of the Baptist Association, held in Sudan Friday night were: Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Meadows and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Delma McCarty, Mrs. Travis Scott, Mrs. Emert Rose, Mrs. Travis Jaques, Mrs. Mavria Huff and Mrs. Earl Hill.

Mrs. Marcus Messer and mother, Mrs. Painter of Dumas, visited Mrs. George Kasper, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nichols of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sanders were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kelley, Mr. Nichols is brother of Mrs. Sanders and Mrs. Kelley.

Martha Wuerlein and Carolyn Sanderson were Saturday night guests of Hilda Bills.

Mrs. Ray Glasscock and Mrs. Clyde Knight were in Olton last Friday.

Mrs. Henry Randolph, Paty and Jane and Mrs. L. A. Glasscock visited Mrs. Glasscock's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Price Stephenson of Clyde, Texas, last weekend. Mrs. Glasscock remained for a longer visit.

## Dr. Paul J. Schwab To Address Alpha Chi At Convention

ABILENE, (Spl.) — The National president of Alpha Chi, honorary scholarship fraternity, will give the main address at the group's regional meeting February 24 at Abilene Christian College.

The principal speaker is Dr. Paul J. Schwab of Trinity University, San Antonio, who will speak at the Region 1 convention banquet at 7:30 p.m. Friday, February 3.

Approximately 100 delegates to the meeting are expected from 19 Texas chapters, according to Dr. Paul C. Witt, ACC faculty member who is on the Alpha Chi National Executive Council.

First session of the convention will begin at 1:30 p.m. Friday, February 3, with a program featuring musical numbers, original paintings, poems and essays done by student members of Alpha Chi. At 8:30 a.m. Saturday students will read papers on the central theme, "Is the Scholar a Specialist?"

The 10 a.m. meeting will coincide with the regular ACC chapel period, and after the devotional service Dr. Joe Humphreys, dean of McMurry College, Abilene, will speak on "What Sculpture is to Marble, Education is to the Human Soul." The convention will be climaxed with the annual business meeting in which new officers will be chosen.

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# Springlake News

by Mrs. W. T. CLAYTON

Mr. and Mrs. Willis White are beginning the building of their new home in Springlake.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlan Hollingsworth and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Skinner are enjoying the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth, this week.

Mrs. R. L. Chitwood spent Saturday in the home of her son and family Mr. and Mrs. Dale Chitwood.

Mrs. Elmer Gardner of Morton visited Thursday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Winder.

Ken Bush was a supper guest in the home of Rev. and Mrs. John T. Williams Thursday night.

Mrs. Curtis Brasher of Tulsa was the demonstrator at the Tupperware party, given by Mrs. Jimmy Winder Thursday afternoon, January 26. Each lady told what piece of Tupperware she liked best. The hostess served brownies topped with ice cream, to Mesdames Ernest Baker, John T. Williams, Bryant Hucks, A. C. Loftis, Curtis Brasher and Elmer Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Mays and



A 1955 Oldsmobile 2 door hard top was completely demolished in a wreck that occurred Saturday at 3 p.m. one mile east of Earth on U. S. Highway 70. John Hollis Young, Rt. 1 Hale Center who was driving the Oldsmobile had attempted to pass a truck driven by Richard Edward Poole of Clovis, New Mexico. Poole attempted to make a left turn onto a dirt road from U. S. Highway 70.

The Young car hit the left side of the truck, rendering his car a total loss. Damage to the truck amounted to only \$50.00. No one was injured. Highway patrolmen, Bud Taylor and Mort Peterson gave Young a ticket for passing within 100 feet of an intersection and filled on Poole for defective signal lights.

Tommy Lumsden son of Superintendent and Mrs. O. E. Lumsden has enrolled at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

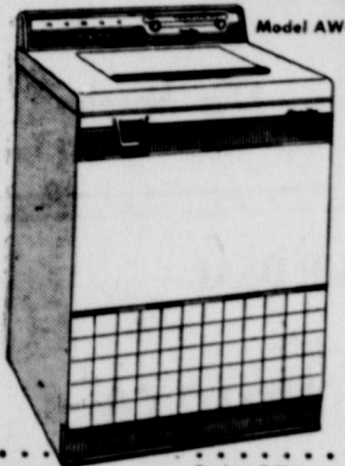
Mrs. W. T. Jones, Joyce and Judy shopped in Littlefield Saturday.

Mrs. Johnny Truelock of Portales, New Mexico is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. L. Green. Mrs. Green is recuperating from a recent illness.

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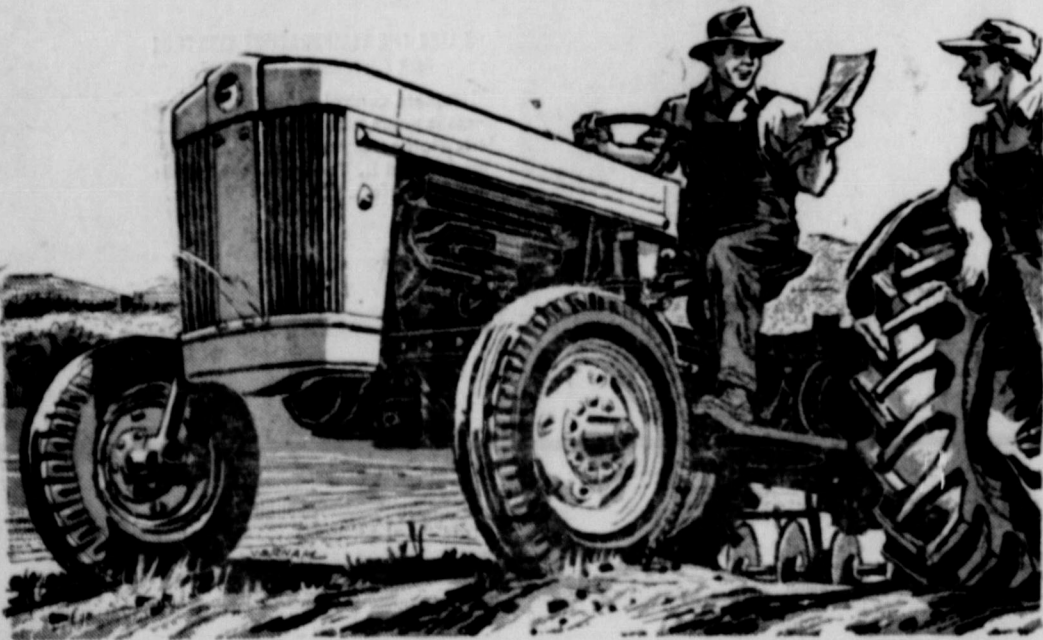
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daughter of Paducah and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lond and daughters of Olton were visitors Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bearden.

Mrs. Bounds of Levelland visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Swanner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hucks, Mrs. Lorene McNamara, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Banks, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones, Mr. and Mrs. James Packard, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burrow and Sanny Sanderson.

Mr. Jess Matlock and sons Bud and Miss Helen Fowler, daughter of Mrs. Fowler, school nurse, has entered the San Marcos Baptist Academy at San Marcos where Nora Carruthers is a student.

Mr. and Mrs. George Choate are visiting with Mrs. Choates' cousin in Plainview.

Rev. John T. Williams and W. Clayton visited with Rube Carruthers in the Medical Arts Clinic in Littlefield Wednesday.

Mrs. Kenneth Boone and Nancy visited friends at Pep, New Mexico Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boone and Mrs. J. A. Boone visited in Lubbock Tuesday with their daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Patsy Jackson.

Mrs. W. B. Huck shopped in Littlefield Thursday.

Billy went to Muskogee to Muskogee, Oklahoma to bring his mother to Springlake for a visit.

Mrs. John T. Williams and Mrs. Hazel Watson shopped in Littlefield Monday.

### JUNIOR GA'S HAVE SLUMBER PARTY

The Junior GA's of the First Baptist Church met in the home of their leader, Mrs. Thelma McClanahan for a slumber party. During the evening they completed their mission study book "Beyond the Desert," and made scrapbooks of Indian pictures to take to a hospital. They were served sandwiches, cookies and Cokes. Present were Joyce and Judy Jones, Gwendolyn Tenison, Jerry Matlock, Janette Jones, Janice Blackburn, Mrs. Ernest Green and Mrs. Thelma McClanahan.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Watson were in Lubbock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baker and Mrs. Dale Chitwood attended the public installation of the Order of Rainbow for Girls, at Olton, Monday night. Miss Betty Jane Bryant was installed as Worthy Advisor of the Olton Assembly and is the niece of Mrs. Dale Chitwood.

Little Kathie, baby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orlan Bibby underwent a tonsillectomy at the Littlefield Hospital.

Mr. Herschel Sanders has returned home from the Littlefield Hospital where he was confined for several days.

Ricky Byers, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Byers has been ill but is much improved at this time.

Mrs. Ray Monroe of Hart Camp visited with her mother, Mrs. Coody Tuesday.

Mrs. W. T. Clayton visited in the home of Mrs. Urtle Banks and Aunt Ann Banks and Mrs. Gus Parish Thursday.

Mr. Bob Chitwood visited with Rube Carruthers at the Medical Arts Clinic in Littlefield Thursday.

The choir of the Baptist Church met Thursday night to plan and practice the music for the Revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Clayton and children left early Friday morning to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dennis at Hillsboro, Texas.

Rev. and Mrs. John T. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baker attended the West Plains Baptist Association Workers Conference Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Chitwood of Lefors visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. W. T. Clayton and family Friday and Saturday.

Mr. Rube Carruthers became ill Saturday morning at San Marcos where he and Mrs. Carruthers were visiting with their daughter, Noreta. Mr. Carruthers was brought to the Medical Arts Clinic in Littlefield Monday where he is a patient.

Mrs. Lorene McNamara shopped in Littlefield Tuesday.

Mrs. Jimmy Winder spent a few days in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gardner of Morton, after she was released from the Northwest Hospital in Lubbock.

Rev. John T. Williams attended the Pastor and Layman's Conference at Wayland College in Plainview Monday.

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**BONUS NIGHT**

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