

Famed TV, Radio and Recording Artists Booked For Free Show

One of the most outstanding shows in the country, consisting of outstanding recording artists, TV performers, famed Barbershop Quartet, and noted vocalists are scheduled to bring the program at the Annual Earth - Springlake Lions Clubs banquet and program honoring Springlake School faculty and board members, has been scheduled for Thursday, September 3, in the Springlake School Cafeteria at 7:30 p.m.

The annual banquet honors the Springlake Schools faculty and board members. Lions and their wives and guests will be present. Immediately following the banquet at the school cafeteria. This outstanding Free Show will begin about 8:45 p.m. in the school auditorium. The show is Free to everyone in the Earth and Springlake area to show the appreciation for the support given to both the clubs in the past.

Ronnie Chandler, is 21 years old and a recording artist of Veta Records. He is noted for his versatility. The tall, good-looking vocalist has been singing since he was eight years old. He has appeared both on radio and television during the past two years in the Southwest area. Last year he starred in both musical comedy and musical variety shows. Red Stockings and From Bach to Blues.

Appearing on the program will be Ronnie Chandler, Hope Griffith, The Caprookers, Slim Corbin, George Atwood and the Commodores and Charles Stewart.

Hope Griffith, is not a new face in the area, no musical revue would be complete without this young lady, the singing sensation of the West exas area. Her latest recording, "Harboring The Blues," was an instant hit in the Southwest area. Hope has appeared on network TV. . . . most recent appearance was out of Kansas City on a Country Music Show.

Caprookers, Originally formed as a barbershop quartet, and were twice selected as the outstanding barbershop vocal group to represent the South Plains in regional singing meets. The four young men have been singing together for approximately four years. Specializing in popular and inspirational songs.

Slim Corbin, Co-owner and program director, is noted for his own record show, The Mad House, over KLLL radio in Lubbock. Slim has been in radio and the show business field for approximately five years. He first started in the music business in Hobbs, N. M. later went to Nashville, Tenn. to sing and play with national artists and has the last two years been in Lubbock when he and his brother purchased KLLL radio in Lub-

bock. Slim also is a co-owner of a recording studio in Lubbock, where he arranges and records discs for the various South Plains recording artists.

George Atwood and the Commodores, are noted for their unusual arrangements of current popular and old standard music. Atwood has appeared on both the East and the West coast where he was associated with Gene Kupa and his orchestra. The versatility of this band is only one of the many reasons for its continued success in the Southwest market.

Charles Stewart, has a varied background in show business. A vocalist and recording artist, he also has a rare talent for musical arrangements and has arranged the instrumental and vocal backgrounds for some of the top selling records in the country music field. His versatility goes beyond the music field, as a public speaker he has carried off trophies in area and regional meets. He is an active member of the Lubbock Little Theatre . . . now in rehearsal for the opening LLT production this year, Inherit The Wind. The last role he performed for Lubbock audiences was Heathcliff in Wuthering Heights.

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Superintendent Reports Everything Ready For Students

C. L. Berry Is Junior High School Principal



C. L. BERRY

C. L. Berry, has accepted the position as junior high school principal of Springlake Schools.

Berry received his bachelor of science degree from West Texas State College in Canyon, and his master of education degree at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

Prior to accepting his position with the Springlake faculty, he served as high school principal in the Amherst Schools last year. He also was Junior High principal at Crosbyton for four and one half years.

Berry is a member of the Texas State Teacher's Assoc., The National Educational Assoc., and Texas Secondary School Principals' Assoc.

Mr. Berry received his high school education at Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry have two children, Mike 7 years and a second grade student, Cindy is five. They reside in the O. B. Whitford house on first street and are members of the Methodist Church.



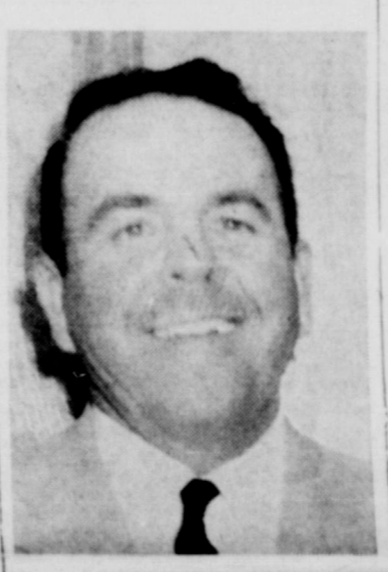
MRS. WANDA MARIE HABERER

Mrs. Haberer Will Teach Fifth Grade

Mrs. Wanda Marie Haberer, has been secured as a faculty member in the Springlake Schools. She will teach the fifth grade.

Mrs. Haberer, graduated last Friday from West Texas State College at Canyon, with a bachelor of science degree. She majored in secondary education in the English teaching field.

Mrs. Haberer has had two years of teaching experience as a fifth grade teacher in the Springlake School. Mrs. Haberer was reared in Earth and received her high school education in the Springlake school. She has two sons, Arthur Ray and J. Lee. They reside at 700 N. E. 3rd St. in Earth.



ELDON DAVIS

Eldon Davis Named Junior High Coach

Eldon Davis has accepted a contract as junior high school coach in the Springlake Schools.

Mr. Davis is a graduate of Vernon High School in Vernon. He received his degree at West Texas State College at Canyon where he majored in physical education and education.

Mr. Davis is married and has three children, Susann, a junior in Springlake High School; David, in the 4th grade and Jennifer, age 4.

Mr. Davis served in the Air Force for 12 years and at the time of his discharge, he held the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. He is also a member of the Air Force Reserve.

Mr. Davis has resided in this area for the past five years and is engaged in farming.

He and his family are members of the First Baptist Church in Earth.

NOTICE

The Earth First Baptist Church Brotherhood will be hosts to the Associational Brotherhood meeting on Tuesday, September 1 at 7:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church.

Dinner will be served at the church by the Brotherhood.

Newcomers

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Trotter and Rickie formerly of Littlefield have moved into the C. P. Parish house on North Amherst Road. Mr. Trotter is Owner of the Earth Cleaners.



MISS ANITA WRIGHT

Miss Anita Wright Commercial Teacher for High School

Miss Anita Wright, has been secured by the Springlake School Board as commercial teacher in the local High School.

Miss Wright graduated from Aolene Christian College this year, and received her bachelor of arts degree. She majored in mathematics.

Miss Wright graduated from the Polytechnic High School in Los Angeles.

She is residing at the Cecil Parish home west of Earth. She is a member of the Church of Christ.

Slim Oden Purchases Jack's Garage In Springlake

Slim Oden of Earth announces the purchase of Jack's Garage in Springlake from the former owner, Jack Sanders.

The garage will be managed by Oden and will be known as Slim's Garage.

Oden has had 16 years experience in general repairs and has been employed as a mechanic for the past 5 years at Busby Motor Co.

The shop is equipped and qualified to do all general repairs on all types of motors.

Mr. and Mrs. Oden and family have been residents of Earth for three years.

Slim's Garage is located on the Dimmitt Highway next door to Watson Bros. Butane. The garage will stock batteries, irrigation supplies, generators and strater repair parts.

Last Rites Held Friday For Kin Of Local Woman

Joan Milton, six of Weatherford, Texas died of leukemia in the Weatherford Hospital following a long illness.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 2:30 p.m. in Weatherford and interment was in the Weatherford Memorial Cemetery.

She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Milton and the niece of Mrs. Marvin Ellis of Earth.

Supt. Bill Mann reported the Springlake Schools faculty to be complete and ready for school to open Monday.

The school faculty, football schedule and school calendar dates are announced for the benefit of the parents and students of the Springlake School district.

HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY

Principal, John Lawrence; social studies, C. L. Hamilton; math, Ernest Covey; commercial art, Miss Anita Wright; science, Mrs. Gladys McCaskill; English I and II, Mrs. Travis Jaquess; English III and IV, Mrs. John Lawrence; coach, Don Townsend; assistant coach and driver's ed., David Allen; home economics, Mrs. Marie Slover; vocational agriculture, E. G. Gaston; band, Norman Hemphill; school nurse, Mrs. Wanda Shelby.

JUNIOR HIGH

Principal, C. L. Berry; 5th grade, Orville Moore, Harris Ray, and Mrs. Wanda Marie Haberer.

Department teachers: math, Mrs. Opal Davis; language arts, Mrs. Don Atkinson and Cecil Slover; social studies, C. E. Fox; junior high coach and social science, Eldon Davis; science, Clinton Fry.

ELEMENTARY

Principal, J. J. Davis.

Teachers in grades 1 through 4 are Mrs. Carra Morgan, Mrs. Cecil Meadows, Mrs. E. G. Gaston, Mrs. C. E. Fox, Mrs. A. M. Camp, Mrs. D. J. Barnett, Mrs. John Achee, Sr., Mrs. Bill Morris, Mrs. Harris Ray, Mrs. Grace Hooley, Mrs. Orville Moore, Mrs. C. P. Parish and Mrs. Pat McCord.

COLORED SCHOOL

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Osborne.

The Negro School students will register Monday, August 31 and classes will begin that day.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

August 31 — School Begins
September 28 — Holiday, South Plains Fair
November 25 - 27 — Thanksgiving Holidays
December 22 — Christmas Holidays begin
January 4 — Classes to Resume
February 29 through March 4 — Texas Public Schools Week
March 4 — Holiday, District Teachers Meeting
April 15 — (Monday) Easter Holiday
May 19 — Junior High Graduation Exercises
May 20 — High School Graduation Exercises

1969 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

September 4 — Portales — Here
September 11 — Idalou — Here
September 18 — New Deal — There
September 25 — Muleshoe — Here
October 2 — Seagraves — There
October 9 — Amherst — Here
October 16 — Sudan — Here
October 23 — Kress — There
October 30 — Anton — Here
November 6 — Open
November 13 — Farwell — There

Two Faculty Members Complete Tech Courses

Two Springlake faculty members, Mrs. Cecil Meadows and Cecil Slover, each finished courses in education at Texas Tech last week. They took their exams on Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Meadows finished two courses in Elementary Education. Mr. Slover finished a course in Junior High Education.

Mrs. Meadows will teach the first grade and Mr. Slover will teach language arts in junior high.

NOSIN.....
WITH POLLY

Tuffy Dent, enjoyed the Pioneer Club meeting for Old Settlers so well Tuesday that he kept trying to find a fast way to become eligible for membership. Finally, he said to one of the pioneer members, "Looks like anyone who could remember getting up early in the morning and getting out on to your truly was hard to explain, you see we used wood in the hills of Oklahoma." However, I agree Tuffy should be admitted to the club on those remembrances.

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CATALOGUES DIDN'T USED TO SERVE IN THAT CATEGORY. Gee! Times have changed. I was brought up to believe that the encyclopedia had a place in each home, and the Sears and Roebuck catalogue too, perhaps, but never should they rank the same in importance to the family.

In other words they were definitely segregated.

However, this week I found cause to look at the catalogue through a different light.

Betty Matlock called to place a Want Ad in the paper, she had a dog for sale. She didn't know how to spell the breed of dog she had, and I was limited on advice as to how to spell the kind of pup, as I had never heard of it before. Being a brave little soul, (who loves to eat and advertisements do help pay the grocery bill), I took the Want Ad.

I whipped out the trusty old encyclopedia, spotted the pages on dogs, but much to my alarm they didn't have anything similar to the way she pronounced the breed.

Lois Rudd came to the rescue, she found it, of all places in the Sears and Roebuck catalogue. (The dog is a Weimaraner).

EARTH ANGEL

Glenda Williamson made friends with a little fellow in California while on vacation. He was in the mood of returning home with her until she told him she lived in Earth. He immediately looked up to the skies and said, you mean you live up there.

J. N. Ashley Leases Mac's Welding Shop In Springlake

J. N. Ashley, formerly of Albuquerque, N. M. leased and took over the management of Mac's Welding and Machine Shop in Springlake last week.

Mr. Ashley has had 20 years experience as a welder. Prior to moving to Springlake he was employed for the past four years at Contractors Welding Service in Albuquerque.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashley have four boys, Ronny, 6 years, Roger 4, Danny 3 and Jimmy who is two years of age.

The Ashley's are members of the Church of Christ. Mrs. Ashley is a niece of Mrs. Grant Lott, former owner of the welding shop.

Mr. (Mac) McGowan retained ownership and management of the Hardware Store adjoining the welding shop.

Davis Reports First Open Cotton Bole In Earth Area

The season's first open cotton boles were discovered Sunday by R. C. Davis of Earth in his field, located north of Earth.

Davis said he had 11 acres of fine cotton. Several boles in the field were cracked ready to open. He said he planted Gregg seed on April 21 and had no hail on his crop and he figured this was the earliest open cotton he had ever had in many years. This cotton was raised on the Bill Lee farm.

Davis, laughingly said, he was so concerned about his cotton, he wanted to see the story of his fine cotton in the paper to show his banker, along with the open bole, just as a persuader to help in borrowing money.

Springlake Pastor Receives BA Degree

Rev. Clifford Jester, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Springlake received his bachelor of arts degree from Wayland College at commencement exercises Thursday, at 7:30 p.m. in the College Heights Baptist Church in Plainview.

Hooper Dilday, State Training Union director addressed the twenty-five students who received degrees.

It Is Nip and Tuck With Earth - Springlake Elevators For First Grain

It was nip and tuck with the Springlake and Earth Elevators in receiving their first load of grain for the season. Springlake roared in first by receiving their load Monday evening. Earth's came in Tuesday.

Springlake reported their grain to be grown by Victor Nienast,

Final Rites Held Friday For Father Of Local Resident

Funeral services were held Friday in Red Cloud, Nebraska for Frank E. Watkins, 71, father of S. M. Watkins of Earth.

Mr. Watkins died Tuesday, August 18 of a heart attack. He had been in ill health for several years.

Survivors include the wife and four sons, Raymond, Howard, Melvin, Charles and S. M. of Earth; five daughters, Mrs. Norma Whittever, Mrs. Chuck Pirillor, Mrs. Marvina Schirmer, Mrs. Wyyerne Cline and Mrs. Bart Baker; 23 grandchildren and one great grand child.

Mr. Watkins had been a resident of Red Cloud all his life. Interment was in the Red Cloud Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Watkins of Earth attended the services.

Rev. Cecil Meadows Conducting Revival

Rev. Cecil Meadows, pastor of the First Baptist Church is conducting a revival meeting this week at the Baptist Church in Progress.

Services are being held twice daily at 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The meeting closes Sunday night. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Water Pageant Called Off

The Water Pageant scheduled for Friday night has been cancelled, according to swimming pool officials, who stated that conflicting dates with other activities had resulted in the decision to cancel the water show . . .

The new pool hours are as follows:
Thursday ----- 5:30 - 10 p.m.
Friday ----- 5:30 - 10:00 p.m.
Saturday ----- 1:30 - 10 p.m.
Sunday ----- 1:30 - 6:30 p.m.
Closed Monday and Tuesday.

three miles northeast of Springlake. The load weighed between five and six thousand pounds and had moisture content of 20.2. The grain was an early maturing variety of DeKalb C44. Earth's maize was grown by L. Z. Angila, on his farm northeast of Earth.

Springlake News -

by BETTY MATLOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crawford of Los Angeles, Calif. visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Price, the first part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rowan are visiting in Dallas with their son and family and they will also go on to Austin for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlan Bibby and Kathy and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Griffin left Friday to spend a few days in Ruidosa, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Boone, Dwala, and Danny were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boone Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Nolan and children of Sudan visited with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Dodson and Frances Ann Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hicks of Muleshoe spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Davis and Claude.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Huckabee and family returned home Sunday, after having spent last week vacationing in Colorado.

Bruce Bridges spent Sunday with Sammie Matlock.

Butch McGeath returned home Sunday night from Las Vegas, Nev., where he had spent part of the summer working.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Green, Mr. and Mrs. John Bridges and Brad and Mrs. Lula Brock enjoyed dinner in Plainview Sunday.

Mrs. Eleanor Watson is taking treatments at Lubbock daily.

Mrs. Ashley Davis was in Hereford Monday on business.

Enjoying a steak supper Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Goforth were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Murrell, Miss Sue Neal and Richard Green.

ATTENDS REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Price and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crawford and Floydell attended the Crawford reunion in Childress, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Sixty-six persons attended.

Rev. Clifford Jester is conducting a revival at the Parkview Baptist Church in Littlefield this week.

Visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McGowan, are Mrs. Vernell Reed and children.

Roselee, Mary Ruth, Jo and Kenneth, of Portales, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hedges, Jan, Joan and Brenda Gay spent Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Hestand.

Mrs. Ilo Sanders spent the weekend near Hereford with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Borden.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Perkins, Sandy, Judy and Miley returned Saturday night from a vacation to California.

Mrs. John Hall, Cindy and Mike of Las Vegas, Nev. arrived Saturday night to spend three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen McGeath.

Mike and Pat Hedges are visiting in Elida, N. M. with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Seymour.

Mrs. Kenneth Boone was in Lubbock on business Friday.

Max Lynn Brown, a senior student at Baylor University filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Price visited a few days last week in Mangum, Okla. and then attended a family reunion at Snyder, Okla. over the weekend.

Mrs. A. M. McGowan and her daughter, Mrs. Vernell Reed and family of Portales, N. M. visited with another daughter, Mrs. Ava Mae Johnson in Lockney Thursday.

Mrs. Eddie Curtsinger, David and Buddy of Lubbock came Sunday to spend a few days in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen McGeath.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Covey who live on the school campus, were called to the bedside of his father at Bangs, Texas Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dawson and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cleavinger attended the wedding of Miss Ann Alexander and David Miller at the Presbyterian Church at Amarillo, Saturday night. David, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wendy Miller, is a cousin of Mrs. Dawson and Mr. Cleavinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McClanahan and family of Littlefield spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. James, Jearl Wayne, Jeanette, Linda and Renee left Thursday to vacation in Ruidosa and other places of interest in New Mexico.

Mrs. Wayne Davis was hostess to a Stanley party Thursday afternoon.

Several ladies were present.

Miss Brenda Kate Swanner, daughter of Bro. and Mrs. Franklyn Swanner of Pleasant Valley was among the visitors at the Baptist Church Sunday. She will marry Max Lynn Brown Friday night at Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Richards of Memphis, parents of Mrs. Clifford Jester, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Phillips of Memphis and Mrs. Loyd Widener of Lockney attended Commencement exercises in Pleasant Valley Thursday night for Clifford Jester, Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. Widener are sisters of Mrs. Jester.

The sextet of the Baptist Church sang at the Parkview Baptist Church in Littlefield Tuesday night. They were Mesdames Gayle Jon-

Bigger and Better



WE TEXANS DON'T BRAG — WE JUST TELL THE PLAIN TRUTH — And the above picture is proof of same. (We can't seem to grow just ordinary one family size vegetables). Our vegetables in West Texas grow large enough to feed a whole neighborhood. Pictured holding the 10 pounds squash is Annette Hodge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Homer Hodge, who grew the squash two and one half miles north of Earth. Mrs. Hodge said she picked 13 squash, each weighing around ten pounds. She said the average size squash was about one and one half pounds as compared to the ten pounder. Last year Mrs. Hodge said she grew onions 16 inches in diameter.



HOW DO YOU LIKE YOURS — REGULAR, KING OR GIANT SIZE ? ? ? West Texans grow vegetables according to the people they want to feed. If they have guests from a foreign state, they always bring in the smaller type, so as not to appear as a braggin Texan. Pictured holding the cantaloupe is Mrs. Phelps Murrell, who grew the cantaloupes on their farm near Earth. The King size cantaloupe weighs 1 1/2 pounds, while the giant size weighs 10 pounds. The regular size has no particular bearing on the picture except to indicate the sizes grown in most of the other 49 States.

son will leave Lubbock Friday by plane for Philadelphia to visit with relatives. Mrs. Thompson is the mother of Mrs. F. B. Faust and has spent the past six weeks visiting here with Dr. and Mrs. F. B. Faust.

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HAVE SWIMMING PARTY

The Intermediate and Junior II A boys enjoyed a swimming party

at the Earth Pool Monday afternoon. Those enjoying the swim were Paul Bearden and Noble Miller, Ray Tom Packard, Jimmy Stone, Rindy Washington, and Jerry Don Sanders. Sponsors going were Mrs. F. W. Bearden and Mrs. Jim Stone, Ann Bearden and Crella Washington visited.

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Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stovall and family from Newberry, Calif. arrived Sunday for several days visit with his mother, Mrs. R. L. Drake.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitehead, Randy and Alisa, from Farmington, N. M. spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Marnie Pate.

Mrs. Gerald Inglis, Toni and Teri spent Monday in Friona.

Visitors in the home of the W. F. Williamsons Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lindsey and children from Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Trotter from Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Griffin of Littlefield spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Inglis and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Maxcey have as their guests this week, her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mason from Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Goodwin, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Goodwin and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Williams from Wellington, all spent several days last week in Ruidosa. They returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Weems and girls of Clovis spent the weekend with Mrs. Ada Rudd.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Chavez and son of Albuquerque spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wade, Vickie and Brent are spending this week in Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Williamson, Glenda and Ronnie returned home Saturday from a ten days vacation in California, where they visited his mother, Mrs. Alice Williamson and other relatives. They also went to Disneyland and Knots Berry Farm and toured Grand Canyon

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SPRINGLAKE

Sue Neal Miss Summer Campus Candidate

Sue Neal, sparkling blonde of Earth, has been nominated for the title of Miss Summer Campus at Southern Methodist University in Dallas. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neal.

The blue-eyed beauty is a sophomore in the School of Music at SMU. This summer she studied piano, string instruments and English. She has recently returned to Earth until the fall term begins.

Nineteen-year old Sue is a member of Delta Gamma sorority. The 5 ft. 3 in. candidate for beauty honor, says she plans to live in the sorority house next fall.

The Miss Summer Campus contest is sponsored every summer by The SMU Campus, student newspaper. Sue is the fourth girl nominated for the crown. Several other beauties will be chosen before the winner is announced in the final summer issue in August.

HELLO WORLD!



Mr. and Mrs. Larry Price proudly announce the birth of a son, born Sunday night, August 23 at the Muleshoe Hospital and Clinic. He tipped the scales at 6 lbs. and 12 ozs. and was named Max Lyle. He has two brothers, Monty and Micky Lynn.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Green of Tucumcari, N. M. and Mrs. Wix Price of Earth.

Party Line...

Bobby D. Green will return home Sunday from two weeks training in the 8th Army Reserve at Camp Polk, La.

PL—
Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson, Ronnie and Don, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Hay and children are vacationing this week in Blue Haven, N. M.

+ EARTH +
THEATRE

—SATURDAY—

Double Feature
LINDA DARNELL
DAKOTA INCIDENT

—plus—
CONNIE STEVENS
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—SUNDAY MATINEE ONLY—

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MARGARET LEIGHTON

—in—
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—FRIDAY—

PEPITO Y TITINA
CARMEN MONTEJO

—plus—
LE PEQUENA ENIGMA

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—with—
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MISS SUE NEAL

Reunion - Birthday Dinner Held In Dinuba, California

A family reunion and combined birthday party honoring Mrs. Alice Williamson on her 72nd birthday was held in the Municipal Park in Dinuba, Calif., Saturday, August 15.

The serving table was centered with a lovely birthday cake decorated by Mrs. Williamson's grandson, Lee Roy Arnold of Dinuba, Calif.

Eight of Mrs. Williamson's children were present at the reunion-birthday party.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. (Dink) Williamson, Glenda and Ronnie of Earth; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williamson of Pinehurst, Idaho; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Williamson and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Trotter, all of Littlefield; Mrs. John Shaw of Springfield, Ore.; Mrs. R. C. Smith of Portersville, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. James Greer, Oleta and Melvin and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whittaker, Gerald and Doyle, all of Woodlake Calif.

Mrs. Williamson's two children who were unable to attend the celebration are Jack Williamson of Hollister, Calif. and D. M. of Littlefield.

Other grandchildren and great-grandchildren attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Arnold and Terry of Dinuba; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sage, Michael and Loretta of Eugene, Oregon; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rogers and Debra of Kingsburg, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Childress of Woodlake, Calif.; Mrs. Tony Rogers, David and Kenneth of Portersville and Linda and Nora Newberry of Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kelley, Wanda Marie Haberer, Arthur Ray and J. Lee are vacationing in Ruidosa this week.

NOTICE

COME AND GO COFFEE

A "Come and Go" coffee honoring Mrs. Cleve Shelby will be held Friday, August 28 from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. in the L. Z. Anglin home in Earth.

BRIDAL SHOWER!

Mrs. Robert Ivy, the former LaNell Boyles, will be honored with a Bridal Shower Monday, August 31 at 3 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Elvis Clayton. Everyone is invited to attend.

Local MYF Members Tour Methodist Hosp.

Members of the MYF from the Methodist Church in Earth went to Lubbock Sunday afternoon and toured the Methodist Hospital.

The chaplain of the hospital Wayne Cook served as guide for the group. They toured the first and seventh floors.

Those making the trip were Bartha Jo Haley, Linda Elmore, Larry Tunnell, Verdona Curtis and Ralph Wisian and their sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Glasscock. The group also enjoyed bowling before returning home.

Party Line.....

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Griffin spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Teal Loftis of Kress. They all attended the Pioneer Natural Gas Co. picnic in Lubbock Sunday.

Susan Hickman Feted With Theatre Party Saturday Afternoon

Mr. H. S. Hickman entertained her granddaughter, Susan Gail Hickman of Lolita, Tex. with a theatre party Saturday afternoon at the Earth Theatre.

Those attending were Linda and Joyce Starkey, Jill McCord, Ginger Dent and the honoree.

After the show they were feted to watermelon at Mrs. Hickman's home. A good time was enjoyed by all.

Party Line.....

Mr. and Mrs. Pete O'Hair and children returned home Sunday from Colorado Springs, Colo. where they spent several days vacationing and sightseeing.

PL—
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kelley and children and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth

Mrs. Slover Feted With Afternoon Tea Tuesday

Mrs. Bill Mann was hostess at an afternoon layette tea honoring Mrs. Cecil Slover, Tuesday, 4 p. m.

The house was decorated throughout with seasonal flowers. The serving table was laid with a pink linen cloth, centered with an arrangement of pink roses, accented by a November doll nestled in pink feathers.

Individual cakes and punch were served by Mrs. David Allen and Mrs. Don Townsend.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Marvin Sanders, Mrs. C. O. Taylor, Mrs. Don Townsend, Mrs. David Allen and Mrs. Mann.

Guests attending were Mrs. John Lawrence, Mrs. Ernest Covey, Mrs. Paul Wood, Mrs. Guy F. Kelley, Jr. several gifts were sent by those unable to attend.

ATTEND WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kelley and Mrs. Lura Kelley attended the wedding of Mary Lynn Hendrix to William Chester Lankford at the First Baptist Church in Dimmitt on Saturday, August 22 at 8 p.m. Mary Lynn is the granddaughter of O. B. Kelley of Tulsa.

Mr. Kelley is a brother of the late J. F. Kelley of Earth.

Joe Campbell and Ernie Watkins left Tuesday morning for Livingston, Texas where they will be in the wedding of their college friend, Roger Wilson, who will be married Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raby Kellogg and children attended the wedding of his niece Daisy Jean Smith of Amberst to Charles Earl Hensley of Guthrie, Tex. Saturday, at 7:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church in Amberst. Their twin daughters, Rhonda and Wanda served as flower girls, and Mrs. Kellogg served the wedding cake immediately following the wedding in the church parlor.

ATTEND WEDDING SHOWER

Mrs. G. C. Green, Mrs. C. W. Terry and Mrs. L. L. Boyles from Aspermont, attended a wedding shower honoring Mrs. Robert Ivy, the former LaNell Boyles in the E. H. Hall home in Lazbuddie Monday afternoon.

Burgess and children spent the weekend at Lake Kemp boating and fishing.

PL—
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kelley, Freddie and Kent and Mrs. Bobby D. Green and Stevie spent several days in Ruidosa last week.

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Mrs. Hal Nicholson Feted With Bridal Shower Last Saturday

A bridal shower, honoring Mrs. Hal Nicholson, formerly Kay Wheat was held Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morris.

The party rooms were decorated throughout with the bride's chosen colors of pink and white.

The serving table was laid with white organza over a pink linen cloth, and centered with a lovely arrangement of pink and white dahlias in a pink vase.

The guest of honor was presented with a corsage of pink carnations. Mrs. Wheat received a white carnation corsage.

Individual cakes frosted in white topped with pink wedding bells, and pink and white mints shaped

as wedding bells with pink punch were served to guests by Misses Minnie Wheat, Jenna V. Brock, Barbara and Gail Nicholson, Linda Murrell, Norma Hamilton and Susanne Davis.

Misses Linda Latham and Mrs. Karen Kendrick received guests. Miss Darlyna Morris and Judy Upchurch received the gifts.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Truman Lowe, Mrs. E. E. Watkins, Mrs. Earl Moore, Mrs. Edd Williams, Mrs. Alfred Dutton, Mrs. Austin Latham, Mrs. John Laine, Mrs. Bud Jones, Mrs. Price Hamilton, Mrs. Phelps Murrell, Mrs. W. F. Williamson and Mrs. Morris.

Wanda Marie Haberer Feted With Graduation Party Wednesday

A lovely salad dinner honoring Mrs. Wanda Marie Haberer was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Felley Wednesday evening from 5 to 7 p.m. The event was staged in honor of Mrs. Haberer's graduation from West Texas State Teachers College.

Mrs. Bonnie Haberer, Mrs. Bill Morris and Mrs. Jerry Kelley assisted Mrs. Felley with hostess duties.

The lovely Kelley home was decorated throughout, and carried out the graduation motif. The coffee table in the living room was centered

with a doll wearing a graduation cap and gown, holding her diploma, surrounded by pictures of Mrs. Haberer arranged from infancy to the present time, portraying her entire life.

The dining table was centered with a white kitty attired in graduation apparel, seated on a mirror with a card bearing the message, "I am a graduation citty."

Dainty plate favors were miniature books topped with a miniature diploma. Several people throughout the area attended the graduation party.

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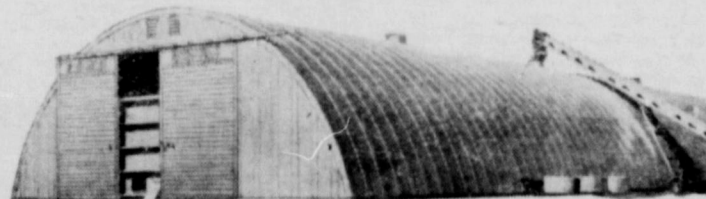
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Springlake Wolverines Scrimmage Olton Tuesday

by BUD IRVINE

The Springlake Wolverines took on Olton in an informal scrimmage Tuesday night under the lights at Wolverine Stadium. Coach Townsend has said that all men interested, could ride the player's bus Friday night to Hale Center. It will leave the school at 5 p.m. Scrimmage will begin at 7 or 7:30 p.m.

Springlake at least held its own with Olton, and probably was a bit ahead of the double A team if it had been a real game. Coach Townsend seemed pleased with the overall play of the boys.

There were a lot of rough points that will have to be smoothed out, but the defense looked fairly good and the passing attack was working well against Olton.

Fans can expect to see Springlake do quite a bit of passing this year with Joe Neal Ellis, Hal Hudson and Robert Cortez all throwing the ball well. The team has an outstanding receiver in Tom Messer.

Remember, men who would like to ride the bus to Hale Center Friday for the scrimmage, meet at the school at 5 p.m.

FOOTBALL BOYS EXAMINED
All the football boys of the Springlake High School were examined by Dr. F. B. Faust at the Faust Clinic Monday.

AMONG THOSE WHO ARE ILL!

Faye Spies had her tonsils removed Friday morning at the Mule-shoe Clinic and Hospital in Mule-shoe. Faye is the daughter of Mrs. Rena Spies.

Mrs. W. H. Cooper of Littlefield underwent surgery Friday morning in the Littlefield Hospital. Mrs. Cooper is the mother of Mrs. George Wesley Clark.

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GETTING IN SHAPE — For their first game, September 4, with Portales at the Wolverine Stadium. Workouts began Monday. Pictured back row left to right, Joe Ellis, Hal Hudson, Norman Clay-

ton and Mike Stockard. Front row left to right Tom Messer, Rayburn Ott, Carl Sanderson, Sandy Sanders, Bill Starkey, Dale Montgomery and Glenn Bulls.



ANTICIPATING A LOT OF WINS — These Wolverines are getting in shape to play Portales, September 4, the first game of the season. Back row left to right Ronnie Haberer, Robert Cortez, Ron-

nie Johnson and Larry Tunnell. Front row left to right Bobby Sloan, Jackie Schellie, Ronnie Miller, Stanley Irvine, Jerry Taylor and not pictured is

Wolverine Booster Club Has First Meeting Of Year Tuesday

by BUD IRVINE

The Wolverine Booster Club met for the first time of the 1959 season Tuesday night after the Olton scrimmage, and spirits were high after watching the Springlake boys do well in the contest.

Outgoing president Buzzy Jones presided at the meeting until new president Carrol McDonald was elected for the 1959 season. E. C. Hudson was elected secretary-treasurer succeeding Harvey Evans of last year.

The Booster Club will again film all of the Springlake games as it has done for the past several years. This film is quite valuable to the coaches, for they can point out the mistakes to the boys by sight.

Also the films are enjoyed by the Boosters who will view them each Monday night at 8 p.m. That will be their regular meeting date as in the past.

Also among the activities of the club for the year will be the purchase of equipment necessary to the development and safety of the players. There will also be outings for the team members sponsored by the Boosters.

If you would like to have a part in this program, join the Wolverine Booster Club NOW. Membership fee is \$5. You may purchase your membership card from Carrol McDonald, E. C. Hudson or any member.

At the meeting Tuesday night Coach Townsend introduced the two new coaches, David Allen, up from junior high coach who will be Townsend's assistant, and Eldon Davis, his first year at Springlake and coaching junior high and freshmen and assisting with the varsity.

The next Booster Club meeting will be Monday, Sept. 7, 8 p.m.

Hog Situation Analyzed

COLLEGE STATION—In view of prospective supplies, prices of hogs in the winter of 1959 and early 1960 can be expected to be lower than a year earlier, said John G. McHane, extension economist and T. D. Tanksley, Jr., extension animal husbandman. Production, they say, started upward last year, and may continue upward this fall and well into 1960. For this reason there is little room for optimism for hog prices in 1960.

According to the June Pig Crop Report released by the Agricultural Marketing Service, the 1959 spring pig crop totaled nearly 50 million head. This is 12 percent more than was produced in the spring of 1958 and is the largest spring pig crop since 1951, said McHane and Tanksley. This means that we are going to have more hogs on the market in the fall of 1959. If producers fail to narrow intentions materialize, the 1959 fall pig crop will also be large and will probably be exceeded only by the fall pig crop of 1943.

On June 5, 1958, the farmers of Texas received an average price of \$20.70 per 100 pounds compared to \$15.30 on June 15, 1959. This year's prices are expected to remain considerably below those of last year.

This outlook information does not warrant the dispersing of commercial breeding herds as has been done in the past by many Texas producers facing similar price situations, they stated. But, it does mean that Texas hog producers should re-examine their individual hog production program for the possibility of improving the efficiency of their operation. The inefficient hog producer will be the one hardest hit as prices decline.

Producers should consider these points, say the specialists: Make sure that they can either produce or obtain the needed grain at reasonable prices, in view of the price outlook, sell market hogs at lighter weights (around 200 pounds as soon as they reach market top); cull down to the most productive sows and gilts. (But retain sufficient numbers to make most efficient use of equipment and labor); consider selling heavy sows and keep young gilts; and hog producers should examine their feeding program to be certain that the largest possible number of pigs per litter are being raised and the most efficient feed lot gains.

An Application Of Nitrogen Advised For Maize Stubble

COLLEGE STATION — An application of nitrogen to grain sorghum stubble prior to plowing it under will prevent a nitrogen shortage for the crop which follows, says W. F. Bennett, soil chemist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The chemist suggests that stalks be shredded as soon after harvest as possible. An application of 20 pounds of nitrogen for each ton of residue to be turned under should be made just prior to the plowing. Where nitrogen is not applied, and stubble is left in the field until late in the year, the decomposition process will tie up the available nitrogen in the soil and often cause a nitrogen shortage for the following crop.

By using nitrogen and early shredding and plowing of stubble, this condition can be eliminated, says Bennett. Too, the nitrogen in the soil will be available for use by the crop which follows the grain sorghum.

Bennett cautions against the use of more nitrogen than the crop which is to follow can use. In no case, he adds, should more than 60 pounds of nitrogen be applied per acre. Generally, he says, about 30 pounds of nitrogen per acre will adequately take care of the residue to be plowed under on most Texas farms.

Local county agents can supply additional information on the subject.

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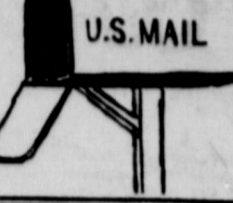
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Dear Mr. Middleton,

This year the boys are going to put on their fifteenth annual Boys Ranch rodeo, and I am sending along a little story and a mat about it.

The boys have been working their heads off to make this year's rodeo the best that we have ever had. As you know, there are no outsiders in any of the events, and the boys do all of these themselves. This is the reason they take such interest in it, because it is the one time of the year when they really get to strut their stuff. Another thing, they feel they will have a big crowd this year, because last year's was so big, and this of course was due to the fine publicity your paper and others around over the area gave us.

If you are able to use the story, it sure will give our kids a boost. I want you to consider this, too, as my personal invitation for you to attend the rodeo as my guest, and you will find enclosed your complimentary tickets.

Thanks again for all the help you have given us, and with all good wishes to you, I am

Sincerely yours,
CAL FARLEY

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By Vern Sanford

Catfish is a democratic outdoors sport.

A catfish doesn't care whether you use a drop line, trotline cane pole or casting rod, just so there is something to eat at the end of the line. And he doesn't care a fin-wiggle what that something is.

But don't get the idea that Old Whiskers is a dumb fish. He isn't. It takes experience to become a good catfisherman. It helps too, if you know something about the catfish eating and living habits.

For instance, the catfish is a bottom feeder. So, if you want to land a cat, let your bait sink down near where he is.

Also it's good to know the peculiarities of the various species of catfish. So let's divide the catfish tribe into three broad families and discuss how best to take each of the species.

CHANNEL CAT: Probably the most sporting of the catfish.

The channel cat, however, is no more choosy a feeder than his cousins. He is available to fishermen using the usual catfish bait. This includes insects, crayfish, worms, frogs, various fishes such as perch, minnows, etc. Also "stink bait," commercially prepared, or made from the most evil-smelling concoction you can invent.

Here's a popular stink bait formula: Place cut-up shad or sunfish in a jar of water and forget about it until it becomes nice and ripe. Mix this with some adhesive "body" such as dough or cotton, then mold into balls and place on the hook.

Channel cats are generally found around fast-flowing water. However, many factors enter into their choice of lurking places. As an old-timer put it, "You gotta fish in the place where fish are at."

During the day, channel cats are more often found in deep water, near logs or underbrush. Knowledge of their probable whereabouts can come only from experience. Time of year and time of day often determine their location, and this varies in different localities.

Angling for this tasty-meated fish is an art in itself. Daylight fishing especially requires shrewd figuring on the fish's hiding place, whether you are casting or pole fishing.

On your rod, of pole, use 30-lb. test line and be sure your rod or pole is stout. Attach a sinker just above a 1 1/2 inch hook (catfish have big mouths) for a weighted bait carried along the bottom appears more natural to a channel cat than bait hanging from a float.

Rod and pole angling can be done from bridges, piers or banks. But best results came from wading or walking the shorelines, plunking your offering toward any spot that looks likely, such as logs, brush, holes, pilings, etc.

Channel cats are caught on trotlines occasionally, but the trotline method is more often used for the blue and yellow cats.

Drop lines are more effective for channel cat. To fix a good drop line, take the necessary length of trotline, tie to an overhanging tree branch and attach your weighted hook and bait to the lower end. Let the line dangle several feet under water so that the movement of the branch will move line and bait up and down.

For bait, use small live perch, shrimp or stink bait.

BLUE CAT. The largest of the Texas catfish, with a maximum weight of 150 pounds. Blue cats are found all over Texas in various sub-species. Mostly they inhabit large lakes and streams. Usually they are taken by trotline fishermen using whole shad, sunfish, suckers, carp, or bait cut from these fishes. However, smaller blues often are caught with rod and reel, cane poles, and drop lines.

If you intend to use a trotline, be sure it complies with local regulations.

An average trotline has from ten to thirty hooks, set three or four feet apart, attached to the main line by stagings, or leaders, each about two or three feet long. Where possible, stagings should be attached to the trotline by swivels, to prevent the fish from twisting off.

Use a 75-lb. to 100-lb. test for your main line, and also for the leaders, or stagings. Weight your stagings and attach to each a 1 1/2" to 2" hook. Allow ten or more feet free of staging at each end of the trotline.

Tie one end of the trotline to a tree or stake on shore. Tie the other end to a snag, rock, or stake, out to whatever distance you de-

termine best for your particular body of water. Weight the main line in the middle with rocks or iron. Bait the hooks with your predetermined lure, then attach a "key bell" to the shore end of the line.

Now all you have to do is sit back and wait for the ringing bell to tell you that there is a fish somewhere out yonder on your line.

YELLOW CAT: Also known as mail cat, flathead, etc. Maximum size over 100 pounds, sometimes over 5 feet in length. This catfish lives and feeds on the bottom, so set your trotline low to get results. Yellows hide under cutbanks, rocks and hollow logs. Bait your hooks with three or four inch sunfish, or a good stink bait. Otherwise proceed as you do with blues, only be sure your stagings drag the bottom.

Catfishing takes savvy, just as do all other forms of fishing. But if you'll use these tips and plain "hoss sense," before long you'll be catching catfish as large as are caught by the old-timers in the next boat.

Underground Water Waste Important To High Plains Farmers

LUBBOCK Tex.—Waste of underground water should be a matter of utmost importance to each individual making his home in the Texas High Plains.

There is a great quantity of water in storage beneath the southern High Plains. However, the fresh water-bearing formations underground receive only a negligible amount of recharge. Because this is true and factual the water pumped from these formations is mined in a similar manner to oil or gas.

By law, underground water in Texas is private property. Recognizing this fact, one would think that water users throughout the state would feel a great personal responsibility to conserve water. Generally, this is true. Unfortunately, however, we in the High Plains have our share of those who hold no regard for the future but think only in terms of the present—and not much about it.

The Board of Directors and County Committees of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District are urging irrigators who have irrigation waste water problems to face these problems realistically.

The irrigator should ask himself how much longer will the citizens in other sections of Texas stand idly by while High Plains' underground water runs down bar-ditches in near navigable streams to wet-weather lakes from which it mostly evaporates or is used by weeds. How much longer before they band together in such force that they will become capable of changing the law so that underground water becomes public property rather than individual property? If the law were changed, then where would we be? Probably standing in line waiting for a permit to pump sufficient water with which to irrigate about one-fourth of our land.

High Plains' irrigators do not want this kind of thing to befall them, and yet many will not take hold of the problem as individuals and solve it.

There are some farms where complete control of irrigation water at all times would be next to impossible, but they are few. Most cases of irrigation water waste with which the High Plains Water District is confronted are by no means in this category. There are few farms where simple and inexpensive conservation methods could not be employed to save water.

Of course, each farm is somewhat different from the next, consequently, each must vary the conservation methods used according to the problems encountered on that particular farm. Things like the slope of the land, the quantity of irrigation water available and soil texture must be taken into consideration. On some farms a combination of conservation procedures should be used.

For the most part, however, simple measures should be considered for conserving water—things like shortening lengths of irrigation runs, use of smaller siphon tubes, pulling up borders at the lower end of rows, or planting a crop at the lower end of the field perpendicular to the rows coming down the slope.

In more extreme cases, where the farm land has a greater slope,

USDA Announce 1960 Conservation Reserve Program

COLLEGE STATION — Texas farmers will receive a basic rate of \$12 an acre under announced plans for the Conservation Reserve of the Soil Bank for the 1960 crop season by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. A tentative goal of 452,000 additional acres was also announced for the State. Principal changes listed for the

methods such as "bench-levelling" might be considered. Or perhaps, the use of a re-circulating pump in a sump located at the lowest point of the farm could prove successful in preventing the escape from the land of irrigation water.

These things would admittedly require an immediate outlay of cash, but they would in most cases pay for themselves through water savings in a few years.

The High Plains Water District urges that you assume your responsibility as a High Plains irrigator. At present, you own the water stored beneath your land. Do your part to maintain private ownership. Conserve your water — its your future.

1950 Conservation Reserve in the USDA announcement include regulations relating to publicly owned land, tenure of ownership, method of setting payment rates and the determination of priorities when more applications are received than can be accepted.

Land owned by a state, county town or local government will be ineligible for the program. This rule is already in effect on federally owned land. Land which has changed ownership (except through inheritance, since December 31, 1954) is ineligible to enter the program in 1960.

If land under a 1960 Conservation Reserve contract is sold, the contract generally may be assumed by the purchaser only after it has been in effect for three years.

The priority system of accepting applications has been modified to assure first consideration to farmers who were unable to participate in the 1959 program because of lack of funds.

Detailed information as to the application of these and other changes to individual farm situations will not be available in county ASC offices until mid-August, stated the USDA announcement.

This will be the fifth year of the Conservation Reserve program. If farmers contract for the expected 5 million additional acres in 1960,

Danger Of Bites From Moths On Trees In Summer

We don't know how you feel about it, but we're watching out this year for those nasty Megalopaeyer opercularis. For those of you who don't have an entomology textbook—that's a moth, commonly called "asp" or "puss caterpillar," in the larval stage.

These brown or grey semi-crescent shaped larvae may become extremely abundant, feeding on the foliage of a variety of trees and shrubs.

Schools have experienced difficulty in the past as a result of the prevalence of the insects on school yard trees. They represent a very real problem to householders during warmer months.

The large number of requests for information concerning the "puss caterpillars" now being received by Texas State Department

of Health entomologists indicates a population peak of these insects. Everyone should familiarize themselves with the appearance and medical importance of these stinging caterpillars. Children, in particular, should be warned to avoid them.

Individual reaction to the stings varies greatly, dependent upon many factors such as age, sensitivity status, size of caterpillar, area of skin involved, and the amount of pressure on contact.

A mature larva dropping from a tree into a person's skirt or blouse and mashed against the skin in several places before being retrieved would cause a much more painful condition than the simple act of brushing an exposed arm or leg against a small specimen.

A burning pain is felt almost immediately on contact. Small, raised, whitish spots appear, later becoming red. The inflamed area, may spread for several inches, accompanied by swelling.

The resulting skin reaction frequently lasts for several days. Further systemic symptoms may arise of an allergic nature.

If illness develops a physician should be promptly consulted. For localized reactions a sodium bicarbonate soak or one of the many soothing lotions and ointments may help to relieve the itching.

If you need to kill them out, a spray made up of lead arsenate (two tablespoons per gallon of water) or 50 percent wettable DDT (two teaspoons per gallon of water) will probably prove successful.

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Lazbuddie News -

by MRS. C. A. WATSON

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pendergrass and Susan together with Mr. Pendergrass' sister, Stella Pendergrass returned Sunday from a weeks vacation touring parts of Colorado, Wyoming, Utah and New Mexico. They report being at Yellowstone

Park soon after the earthquake near there. Mrs. Pendergrass said the trembles were still bad and that they sounded like the growling of a bear. The Pendergrass family visited in Esten Park, Salt Lake City and saw the Mormon Temple.

The J. B. Jennings family are on vacation in the mountains of New Mexico this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Parker from San Diego, Calif. and Mrs. Ruth Tanner from Springdale, Ark. were guests in the Davis Guiley home last week. Mrs. Guiley and Mrs. Parker are sisters.

Attending the Primitive Baptist Association at Portales last weekend were the E. A. Parhams, the T. Hasons, Y. B. Mayfield, the C. A. Watsons and Mrs. Josie Smith. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gustin and Donnie and Jerry Don Glover have gone to Hot Springs, N. M. this week.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Lesley on the birth of a son, August 20. The baby weighed 8 lbs. and 2 ozs. and has been named David Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Heady and Carl, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Hamilton, Donna, Debbie, Rusty and Terry and Jack and Clifford Heady from Lubbock were Sunday guests in the J. R. Harris home.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. John Agee have announced the engagement of their daughter, Rosemary to Ronnie Briggs. The wedding date has been set for September 19.

The bride-elect is a 1959 graduate of Lazbuddie High School. The future groom is also a '59 grad of the Lazbuddie School.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Smith, David and Fannie and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sibert an children together with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Redwine, Clyde, Harold and Carol Redwine are in Colorado for a few days vacation this week.

Mrs. J. R. Harris, president of the bowling association announces a meeting to be held in the Bailey County Courtroom Thursday at 8 p. m. This meeting is to be a very important meeting, as the district representative from Amarillo will be the main speaker. All ladies who are members and wish to bowl are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyle Bullock and Debra attended the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. A. C. Henry, age 87 at Rule Tuesday.

Girls in Farmer County who wish to enter in the Maize Day Celebration are asked to call or get in contact with Eva Miller by September 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clark and Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Ivy and Christy left Friday afternoon for a few days vacation at Ruidosa, N. M.

Members of the Green Thumb Club met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. F. A. Grimsley. The study was on culturing dahlias.

Mrs. Grady King informed the club is open for membership and visitors are welcome.

SCHOOL NEWS

August 26 and 27, 9 a.m. in-service training for teachers. August 28 buses will make regular run 8:30 a.m. registration of all students. 11 a.m. buses will return students home. August 31 regular schedule all day and lunch will be served.

The faculty members are J. G. Ward, Supt.; Jack N. Black, high school principal and science; Purl Tiptie, math and biology; John Bond, social studies in high school; Bobby Crooks, drivers education and social studies in elementary; Deborah Lawrence, hi school English; Scottie Windham, vocational agriculture. Vocational home ec., (vacant).

ELEMENTARY

Fred Wilbanks, principal and math; E. C. Ketchum, sixth grade; Mary Maxwell, fifth grade; fourth grade (vacant); Virgil Wilbanks, third grade; Mildred Tanner, third grade; Laverne Seay, second grade; Mrs. E. C. Ketchum, second grade; Mrs. Effie Tiptie, first grade; first grade no. 2, (vacant) Frederic Byers, music.

Vacancies in grade school are first and fourth grades. If you are qualified to fill above mentioned vacancies and are interested in teaching, Mr. Ward asks that you contact him.

1959 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

- Sept. 4, New Deal — Here
 - Sept. 11, Cooper — there
 - Sept. 18, Farwell — there
 - Sept. 26, Kress — there Sat. 2 p.m.
 - Oct. 2, Wilson — there
 - Oct. 9, New Home — there
 - Oct. 23, Vega — here
 - Oct. 30, Bovina — here
 - Nov. 6, Hart — there
 - Nov. 13, Happy — there
- Coach, John Bond; asst. coach, Bobby Crooks.

Returning lettermen (12) Derrell Jennings, Jerry Koelzer, Roy Max Miller, Jerald McGehee, Earl Ryder, Jerry Weaver, Otis Bradshaw, R. L. Porter, Bill Hardage, Freddie Savage, Norman Brantley, Jerry Glover.

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Sophomores: Jimmie Seaton, Dick Chitwood, Cooper Young, Paul Wilbanks, John Agee, David Koelzer, Jimmie Broadhurst, James Brown and Gary Johnson.

Juniors: Bill Hardage, R. L. Porter, Otis Bradshaw, Freddie Savage, Ronnie Gustin, Norman Brantley, Jerry Glover, Roy Max Miller, Ronald Elliot.

Freshmen: Leroy Cox, Eugene Houston, Calvin Mason, Terry Darling, Carrol Redwine, Harold Redwine and Jerry Engelking.

Mrs. Archie Tarter passed away at a hospital in Hereford, at 6 a. m. Monday, August 24. Two sons, David and Joe, students in the Lazbuddie High School and her husband are survivors.

Farmers, Deadline For Refund On Farm Used Gasoline Is September 30

COLLEGE STATION — Farm operators have until Sept. 30 to claim a refund of the federal gasoline tax on all gasoline used on the farm, according to Tom E. Prater, extension farm management specialist.

The refund applies to the three cents per gallon federal tax on gasoline which was purchased from July 1, 1958 through June 30, 1959. Those who filed a claim for refund in 1958 will receive form 224c through the mail. Others who wish to make a claim should ask the Internal Revenue Service to send them one.

The claim should be sent to the Office of the District Director, Internal Revenue Service, Austin or Dallas, Texas, depending on whether you live in the southern or northern part of Texas. Claims made after Sept. 30 will not be paid and no more than one claim can be filed for the twelve month period, states the economist.

Farmers who file for refund should keep sufficient records to certify the accuracy of the refund claimed. The records should show the purchase dates, the gallons bought and the gallons used on the farm during the twelve month period. Also the gasoline used by custom operators doing custom work for the farmer should be recorded and can be included in the claim for refund, Prater notes.

Excise taxes paid on diesel fuel or special motor fuels for farm purposes can also be recovered. The farmer should ask the dealer to repay the taxes on the fuel. The dealer should be furnished a signed statement, showing the name and address of the purchaser, the date of purchase and gallons purchased, adds Prater.

Farmers To Elect Committeemen Before Sept. 8

Farmers throughout Lamb County will vote by mail sometime before Sept. 8th to elect ASC Community Committeemen, D. C. Terrell, chairman of the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, announced.

The chairman explained that elections are being held to select ASC committeemen and two alternates for each community, who will help administer national farm programs during the coming year.

Nominees will be elected to the position of chairman, vice chairman, regular member, and first and second alternate, respectively, according to the highest number of votes received. The elected chairman will serve also as delegate to the County Convention which will be held later to select the County ASC Committee and two alternates; the vice chairman and regular member will serve as first and second alternates to the convention.

Elections of ASC community committeemen, Mr. Terrell said, will be under the supervision of an election board established for each community, composed of three farmers living in the community who are not now acting as county or community committeemen.

This board has selected a slate of ten (10) eligible persons as nom-

inees for community committeemen. At the election, farmers may vote for committeemen from among the nominees listed on the ballot or they may write in the names of candidates of their own choice. The ballots have already been mailed to the farmers.

Party Line.....

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bulls and Jimmy from Reedy, Calif. visited last week with his mother, Mrs. Dora Bulls and also Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Parish and Mr. and Mrs. Crill Bulls and other relatives and friends here.

Party Line...

Mrs. Clara Purdy of Stillwater, Okla. is visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stansell and Peggy.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Underwood of Dimmitt visited Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Smith Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hill of Hart, visited Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kelley Monday afternoon and to pickup their daughter, Lisa who had stayed with her grandparents while her parents spent the weekend in Ruidosa.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Cramer, Brenda and Jerry Kay Evans from Breckenridge and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cramer, Ruth Ann and Jerry Jr. from Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Carraway, Jr. from

Hale Center were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Brown, Kathy and Dickie.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Dent and Children left Sunday for a few days vacation in Tres Ritos, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Been and children and Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Been, spent several days last week at Eagle Nest, N. M. They also visited the Royal Gorge Bridge in Colorado.

Visitors in the H. S. Hickman home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hickman, Jr. and Susan from Lolita, Texas; Mr. and Mrs.

T. A. Bartrug from Tulsa, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. E. R. McCool, Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. V. L. McCool, Hereford; Mrs. A. C. Barton, Mrs. Pat McCord and Jill and Mrs. Ed Haley and Brad and Mr. and Mrs. Pat McCord and Jill, Mrs. Ed W. A. McCool.

Mrs. Fay Weems and children left today by train for their home in Wilmington, Calif. after several weeks visit with relatives here. Mrs. Weems is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Armstrong and children are vacationing at the Yellowstone National Park.

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Sunnyside News -

by TEENY BOWDEN

Mr. and Mrs. Francis King and family of Amarillo visited last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Irving King. Pat King stayed to visit this week.

Sandy Taylor left by bus Monday for her home in El Paso after a visit here with her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Power.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Taylor and family left Monday for his port of embarkation at Philadelphia, Penn. Mrs. W. E. Loudder and Mrs. James Powell and family visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Daniel and Mrs. Lillie Daniel of Halfway.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shower, Dale and Nancy from Barry, Ill. and her mother, Mrs. Crumley from Tucson, Ariz. visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Duke and family.

Bruce Bridges of Earth visited Monday, Monday night and Tuesday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Fowlkes and family of Fort Worth arrived Monday evening to visit with relatives. They and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fowlkes of Dimmitt were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sadler and family Monday night.

Larry Bills spent Monday night in Hereford with Tommy Martin. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan and Rev. and Mrs. Murl Rogers vacationed Tuesday through Friday in New Mexico.

The International Park Trail Riders were served coffee, milk and donuts at the community building Tuesday morning. Twenty-seven were served. Bruce Bridges and Bob Duke rode the mule drawn wagon from the store to the community building.

Mrs. Howard Bridges was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Bridges and boys of Earth Tuesday.

Up to an inch of rain was received in the northwest part of the community, Tuesday. .30 inch was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Duke and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Duke and family attended the Duke reunion in Amarillo last Sunday.

Dean Lilley and Mickey Waggoner are among the Dimmitt football boys who have been in training twice a day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Armstrong and family moved from the community to Lubbock this week.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. McKee and Mike visited in Sunray Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Dryden. Gary Mac Dryden came home with them and stayed until Saturday. Mike and Charles Sweatt of Sunray left Monday to visit in Orlando, Fla.

Mrs. Jess Herriage and her brother, Hubert Fletcher visited in Lubbock Wednesday with their brother, Buddie Fletcher.

Sharon Lilley spent Wednesday, Wed. night and Thursday at Buffalo Lake with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Davis and Lonnie.

Mrs. James Powell and Randy visited with Mrs. Kenneth Powell and new baby of Earth Wednesday. They visited with Maxine Ballard and baby in Dimmitt Wednesday also.

J. Paul Waggoner and L. B. Bowden set up with John Harris at the Castro County Hospital in Dimmitt Wednesday night.

The W. M. S. met in Circles Wednesday night for Bible study. Mrs. Roy Lilley and Mrs. Howard Cummings had charge of the prayer service in the absence of the pastor.

Mike McMillen of Muleshoe spent the week with Jimmy Waggoner.

Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haydon were in San Antonio Thursday night and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ottmers and family of Big Lake Friday night.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY
Mrs. F. M. Sweeney was honored on her 84th birthday with a luncheon in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Irving King Thursday. Those present were Mrs. Lloyd Blanton and Linda, Mrs. E. R. Sadler and Cindy Denise, Mrs. Ezell Sadler, Mrs. L. B. Bowden, Mrs. Howard Bridges, Mrs. R. E. Duke, Mrs. Tex Conard and Juanelle, Mrs. Roy Lilley, Mrs. Johnny Armstrong of Hart, Mrs. Cecil Curtis, Mrs. V. H. McKee, Mrs. Marlin Power, Pat King of Amarillo, Mrs. King and the honoree.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Widner and Myles Sadler enjoyed skiing at Buffalo Lake Thursday.

Verdena Curtis helped teach a County 4-H club Record Workshop in Dimmitt Thursday afternoon to all the girls in 4-H work.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Curtis and Hoyle, Mrs. Lillian Curtis and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stephens of Petersburg visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Curtis and family.

Mrs. Ben Loudder and Lucy Jo Loudder of Canyon visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Loudder, Mrs. Ezell Sadler and Mrs. James Powell and Randy. Mrs. W. E. Loudder returned with them to visit in Canyon a few days.

Mrs. Dwayne Loudder and Lance are visiting in Cortez, Colo. for several days with her sister, Mrs. Joe Fuller and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner and boys enjoyed an outing at Buffalo Springs near Lubbock with relatives Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Ferguson of Hot Springs, visited with friends in the community. They spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Herriage.

Louise Carson returned from her vacation in Tennessee Thursday.

Mrs. Tex Conard and Juanelle took Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conard of Hart to the Primitive Baptist

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Carl Bradley returned to Plainview with Ometa Bradley Sunday evening for a visit there.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Carson and family left Sunday morning for a few days vacation in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner and boys attended a birthday dinner in Olton Sunday in honor of her father, Bob Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lilley and family left Monday to vacation a few days in Colorado Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lilley left Sunday morning to vacation in Colorado a few days.

A barbeque supper was enjoyed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jones Saturday night by Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Widner and Jaton, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan and Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Power.

Seventy-six attended Sunday School with 48 in Training Union Sunday. The Intermediates and Young People enjoyed Fellowship at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holbrooks after the evening service.

.25 inch of rain was received in the community Sunday morning.

Party Line...

Miss Ruby Mason of Plainview sister of Mrs. Maxey and a niece Kathleen, from Post spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Maxey.

Mr. and Mrs. David Staggs and children from Borger are visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hooten and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hooten and Charlie of Borger visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hooten and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sloan and Bobby.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Huley visited in Lockney Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Huley.

Willie Simmons of Amherst spent the weekend in the home of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Melt-on Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Lewis

and children had as their guests last week her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mann and children from Malone, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Evans of Lubbock left Monday for New Haven, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Prather and children and J. F. Prather of Muleshoe visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Floyd in Floydada Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Fry of the Dodd community returned home Monday after spending the weekend in Bennington, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Harper visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bell Sunday night after church.

Jim Witt and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Witt from Sweetwater, Okla. visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rutherford over the weekend.

Mrs. Bertha Powers went to Dallas Saturday to visit with relatives and attend to business.

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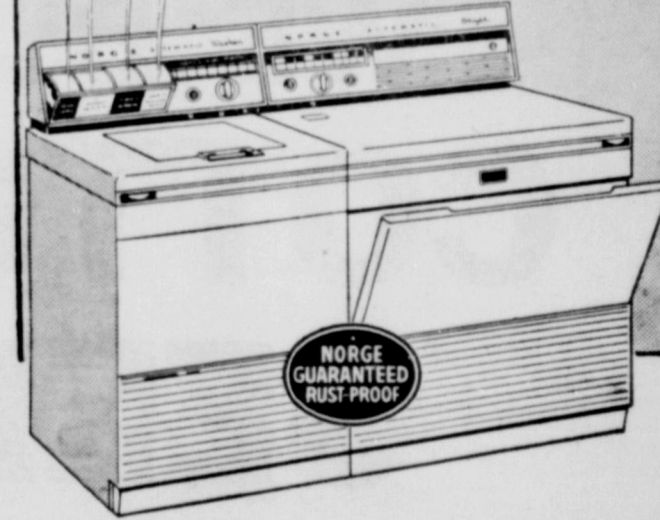
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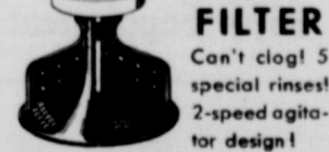
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Editorials . . .

Threats To Future Prosperity

Political opportunists ambitious for greater power over private citizens are seeking to make government responsible for everything from prosperity and full employment to universal old-age pensions and free medical care.

Americans, representing only 6 percent of the world's population, produce 50 percent of the world's goods. This high rate of production, supporting a standard of living undreamed of anywhere else in the world, was created by a free people working under a representative government rigidly held in check by constitutional guarantees of the individual's immunity from political control and persecution.

With the haunting fear of oppression gone after 1776, the creative energies of individuals blossomed under the incentives of private property ownership and free enterprise. They went ahead to develop as never before. The American standard of living is merely one of the benefits to be enjoyed by people alert in their observance of the principles of freedom.

J. E. Corette, President of The Montana Power Company, said recently: "I am seriously concerned about several vitally important threats to our future prosperity. They are: Foreign competition and inflation, which is causing the American dollar and American products to lose their competitive standing in the world markets. Federal and state government becoming too large and too expensive—the government in business, tax-free business.

"As a result of too much government, too many government employees, too much government in business and too many tax-free businesses, the taxes on the tax-paying people may become so large that they adversely affect our prosperity and our standard of living.

"Many people mistakenly believe that population and tax growth go hand in hand or increase proportionately. The fact is that in the last 20 years population has increased 33 percent while the cost of federal, state and local government has increased 600 percent, or 18 times as much."

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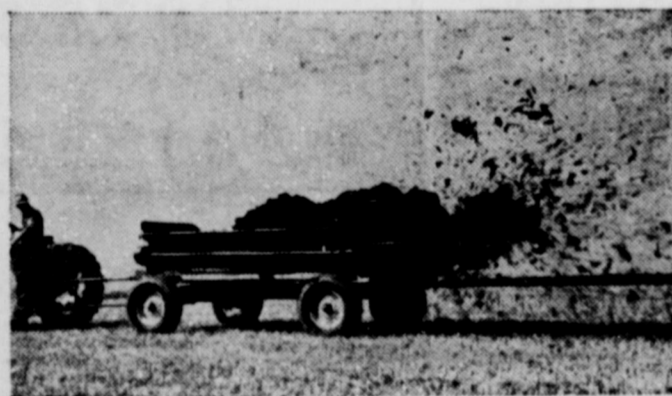
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Pleasant Valley News

By MRS. JOHN WEST

Mr. and Mrs. John West and children returned Thursday night from their vacation in the Rio Grande and Mexico while in the Valley they visited friends they had not seen in 16 years.

The Harold Allison's have returned from their vacation in New Mexico.

Attend Tech Graduation

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Bickle, Mrs. Bill Bickle and sons and Bill Borum attended graduation exercises at Tech Saturday night when Bill Bickle received his Masters Degree.

Mrs. Bonnie Haberer attended funeral services for Jim O'Connor at Levelland last Wednesday. Mr. O'Connor was a former resident of Earth.

RECEIVES BS DEGREE

Jim Allison received his Bachelor of Science Degree at Tech Saturday night. A dinner party was held in Furr's Cafeteria honoring Jim. Those attending were his wife Gloria, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Allison, Winson Larry and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Tunnell, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Allison, Nan, Mick and Sam, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Allison, Veta and Carolyn and Mrs. Bonnie Haberer. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Allison have moved to Seattle, Wash. where he will be employed by Boeing Aircraft.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Angeley and Ibens have returned from Glorietta, N. M.

Mrs. B. H. Bickle entertained with a birthday party for her grandson, Stanley Bickle of Snyder on his 8th birthday. Eleven youngsters were present.

Mrs. Bill Bush and family from Shamrock are visiting this week in the home of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Hardin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Grizzle and daughter of Ft. Sumner, N. M. were visiting in Pleasant Valley on Monday.

Mrs. Harold Allison went to Littlefield Monday to turn in Pleasant Valley 4-H records for the youngsters.

The Weldon Jones home received minor damage when lightning struck a gas line igniting it under the house. The Muleshoe Fire Department and neighbors extinguished the blaze.

The Oscar Allison's are vacationing in Colorado this week.

Mrs. E. K. Angeley and Patsy

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Five years ago this week as taken from the files of The Earth News-Sun.

Among the Lamb County boys who left Wednesday for the induction center in Amarillo are Kenneth Hinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hinson of Springlake, Dudley Roach, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Roach of Springlake, and Mackie McCarty, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. McCarty of Earth.

E. K. Angeley returned from Fort Worth Saturday, and reported that Ken had withstood the operation very well. E. K. was accompanied home by an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wilson of Lipan, who visited here over the weekend.

Earth will probably get a reduction in insurance rates as a result of an inspection made this week by the State Insurance Board.

The inspectors measured the various types of buildings in town, both business and dwelling, if the fire resistant types turn out to be high enough percentage of the total, the basic insurance rates will go down. How much they will go down depends upon how high a percentage of masonry construction, composition roofs, etc. the inspectors found.

Yvonne O'Hair was elected head cheerleader at a called meeting of the pep squad Monday night

in the Springlake school. Yvonne, a senior this year, is also president of the group.

Earth taxpayers voted almost twelve to one Saturday to approve the bond issue which will pay for an enlarged water system and a new sewage collection and disposal system.

In a meeting Monday noon, the local Jaycees transacted a great deal of business, with one of the primary objects being a movement to get the TB X-Ray Mobile Unit to appear in Earth to give free chest X-Rays. Jim Sanders is heading the committee and has written, to find out the date, and other necessary information.

Party Line...

Mrs. L. T. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ray Davis and children of Dimmitt spent the weekend in Carlsbad visiting Mrs. Smith's brother, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Sumner and family. While there they also toured Carlsbad Caverns.

Mrs. Ray Stansell and Peggy and Mrs. Clara Purdy visited in Hereford Friday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Martin. The Martins are former residents of Earth.

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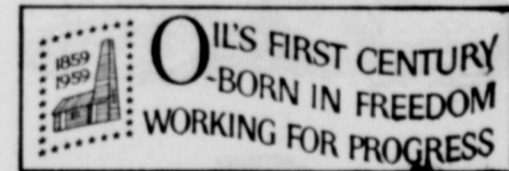
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ALWAYS ONE JUMP AHEAD OF STUDENTS—Is this group of workers in the Superintendents office figuring ways of building a better school and offering students greater educational advantages. Seated at the desk in the foreground is Elementary principal J. J. Davis, and Superintendent Bill Mann; standing is Mrs. Marvin Sanders, superintendent's secretary and telephoning is school secretary, Mrs. C. O. Taylor.

Third Annual Field Day September 24, At High Plains Research Foundation

The Third Annual Field Day of the High Plains Research Foundation will be held Sept. 24, at Halfway, Texas, ten miles east of Olton and 15 miles west of Plainview on Highway 79. Dr. Thomas C. Longnecker, director of the Foundation, announced today.

Guided tours will begin at 1:30. Staff members and scientists from the Extension Service, Soil Conservation Service, Texas Experimental Station and agricultural representatives of commercial companies will be at designated stops to discuss the research being conducted. The tours will cover such experimental research as: cotton fertilization, grain sorghum varieties, and fertilization experiments, irrigation efficiency on cotton, recharge well and bench leveling, cotton skip-row and interplanting, soybean fertilization and rate of seeding and row spacing tests, castor bean variety and fertilizer tests.

The usual Bar-B-Que will be held at 6:30. Dr. Longnecker said everyone is cordially invited to attend this third annual Field Day to observe the research being done to help agriculture maintain its role as the foundation for the continued growth of these Great High Plains of Texas.

Beth Bulls Teacher Of Speech Therapy In Floydada Schools

Beth Bulls, left Tuesday afternoon for Floydada where she will begin the school term on August 31, as teacher of speech therapy in the Floydada Schools.

This is the second year Miss Bulls has taught in the Floydada School. Her students range from the first grade through the 8th grade.

Miss Bulls is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Crill Bulls, and a graduate of West Texas State.

The Jaycee Story, Shown To Local Club Members Monday

A very interesting film, entitled the Jaycee Story, was shown during the regular Monday noon meeting of the local Jaycee club. Sixteen members and one guest, Dean House, manager of the Production and Credit office in Littlefield, was present for the meeting.

Jaycees Attend Convention

Seven members of the Earth Jaycee Club attended the Tri-Regional Convention held in Plainview last weekend.

Rev. Jester Conducts Revival at Littlefield

Rev. Clifford Jester, pastor of the Springlake Baptist Church is conducting a revival this week in the Parkview Baptist Church in Littlefield.

Services are held twice daily. Everyone in the area is cordially invited to attend these services.

SPRINGLAKE SEXTET SINGS AT REVIVAL IN LITTLEFIELD

The Springlake Sextet directed by Ted Rowan delivered a special song service Tuesday night at the Parkview Baptist Church in Littlefield, for the revival services conducted by Rev. Clifford Jester of Springlake.

The sextet is composed of Gayle Jones, Patsy Jester, Mrs. Charlene Riley, Mrs. Lola Sanderson, Mrs. Betty Watson and Mrs. Estelle Watson. Immediately following services the group and their husbands were dinner guests of Mr. Rowan.

Seymour Evans Receives Degree In Engineering

Seymour Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Evans of Earth received his bachelor of science degree in Electrical engineering at commencement exercises Saturday, August 22 at Texas Tech.

There were 450 graduates at the services.

Evans attended school at Springlake and was valedictorian of his class. He graduated with top honors.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Evans, Dick and Quata Sue and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Martin attended the commencement services.

Local Pioneer Gas Personnel Attend Picnic In Lubbock

The annual Pioneer Natural Gas Co. picnic for the West Texas Division was held Sunday in Mackenzie Park at Lubbock.

Barbeque chicken and beef with all the trimmings from Underwoods were served at noon at the picnic grounds.

The afternoon was spent playing bingo. Approximately three hundred were present. Those from Earth attending were Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Raught and children, and Jimmy Foley.



GETTING EVERYTHING IN READINESS—For the School Lunchroom program to begin Monday, are members of the lunchroom staff. Left to right are Mrs. Opal Rudd, Mrs. Lester Richburg, Mrs. Ray

Stansell, Mrs. Francis Britt, Mrs. L. D. Henderson, Mrs. Odell Gray, Mrs. Elvira Upchurch and Mrs. Beulah Danforth.

ATTNEDS REUNION

Those attending the Clark family reunion this weekend in Snyder, Okla. were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hodge, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Price, Mrs. Wix Price, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Price, also Monty and Mickey Price of Earth and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Price and family of Springlake.

Mike Simmons Promoted To Corporal At Fort Knox Station

Mike Simmons, with the U. S. Army was promoted to Corporal last week at Fort Knox, Kentucky where he has been stationed for the past two months.

Simmons is a tank commander of his regiment. He received his tank training at Fort Knox.

Simmons has been in service since March 59. He received his basic training at Camp Chaffee, Ark.

Simmons attended Springlake Schools and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Simmons. Mrs. Simmons is making her home here while her husband is in service.

300 Attend County Pioneer Meeting At Littlefield

More than 300 persons turned out Tuesday afternoon for the 11th annual meeting of the Lamb County Pioneers.

Mrs. J. L. Hinson of Earth, president of the organization, welcomed the pioneers by describing the "unbelievable changes" which have taken place during their lifetime — "from the horse and buggy to the jet age" from cow chips to all-electric homes; from wagon trails to fine paved roads.

Membership rules for the organization were changed when the group agreed that anyone living in Lamb County for the past 30 years was not a newcomer and revised the rules to use that figure as a yardstick. Previously, only persons residing in Lamb County prior to 1927 could join the pioneer group.

Recognition was given to L. S. DeWitt, 99, as the oldest man; oldest woman was Mrs. Neal Douglas, 89; pioneers who traveled the farthest to the meeting, Mr. and Mrs. T. Murrell, Lamont, Calif.; pioneer who came to the county at the earliest date, was Charley Reynolds, Brownwood, 1908. Mrs. Pat McCord presented gifts to the winners in each category.

The memorial service featured a poem composed by Mrs. Beadie Welch, Earth; and Norman Hemphill, Earth, sang "When they Ring Those Golden Bells," accompanied by Mrs. Earl Parish. The service was held before a centerpiece, with Jill McCord lighting candles.

Among those on the entertainment program were the Trail Blazers, Earth quintet.

New officers named by the group are: Mrs. G. M. Shaw, Littlefield, president; Marshall Kelley, Earth, vice president; Mrs. J. D. Dodgen, secretary; Mrs. Lester LaGrange, Amherst, treasurer; and Mrs. W. T. Clayton, Springlake, scrapbook custodian. Directors are Mrs. Hinson, R. V. Armstrong, Littlefield; I. B. Holt, Olton; L. E. Slate, Sugarland; and Ray Blessing, Amherst.

Busby, Lumsden Elected P C G Directors Friday

V. O. Busby, Springlake farmer and Ross Lumsden, Littlefield ginners were elected 1959-60 directors in Lamb County for the Plains Cotton Growers.

The election took place at a Plains Cotton Growers meeting in the Springlake High School Auditorium, Friday.

Conrad Leboefer of the PCG explained the organization's plans for the coming year in a highlight of the program.

Others on the program were County Agent Bill Kimbrough, Asst. Agent Herb Helbig, ASC Office manager Lamar Aten and SCS Technician Bryson Kisner.

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