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With Polly

Mosquitoes by the Millions Expected To Invade Earth Saturday - Sunday

The school bells rang out Monday and across the Springlake-Earth area, Mamas were up and at 'em bright and early getting their youngsters off to school, and into a regular routine after a long, hot summer. As the school buses passed along the way, the streets seemed somewhat deserted and quiet, so were the homes along the route, for the gay playful youths had departed for school, leaving only the real young and the adults to await their return.

As we consider the time spent at school as compared to the waking hours spent in the home, we realize the importance of a good school, the importance of teachers who are interested, not only in educating children, but in molding good citizens.

The parents, the school and the church working together for the betterment of our youngsters is needed today, more perhaps, than any other time in the history of our nation. . . Because today is a trying day for youth. . .

Television has cut into the family togetherness, and now instead of discussing ideas and making plans and becoming acquainted in general with each member of the family, we sit in hushed silence around the T. V. screen. In most cases, the T. V. shows have little or no educational value and in most cases are lacking in good morals.

Likewise so many of our movies today have become tainted and shy of good morals.

So today as we watch the school bus gather up these young leaders of tomorrow's world, we wonder what the future holds for these our beloved growing up in this world of confusion and turmoil, our world of today.

Mosquitos by the millions are expected to swarm in on Earth Saturday and Sunday, September 3 and 4, according to the State Health Department in Lubbock who issued a warning to area West Texas towns of the approaching infestation of millions and millions of mosquitos.

Earth mayor, E. C. Kelley, made a plea for the cooperation of city residents during this invasion of mosquitos. He asked that city dwellers and area folks alike to help themselves by spraying a good liquid insecticide down the plumbing vents in their homes and affix a screen wire over the top of the vent. This, he said, would kill the eggs laid by these virus carrying mosquitos, that is said to be the cause of encephalitis.

He also asked for cooperation from area mothers in keeping their small children inside day and night as much as possible during this time.

Kelley went on to explain that although the city is now spraying three nights a week and has been throughout the summer months, having already spent over two thousand five hundred dollars on insecticides this year, they were still planning to guard the health of the citizens of Earth as much as possible by stepping up the mosquito control program by securing a plane to spray the city, if at all possible.

He said the cost would be high, but if they could prevent one person in the area from sickness or death, the cost would be considerably small in comparison.

The State Health Department has given out facts and figures indicating that most virus carrying mosquitos are those hatched in dirty places, such as in sewer vents and the like, rather than the long time belief that they come from lakes and ponds.

The Lubbock Health Department has asked that area people become aware of the many things they can do to help themselves in combating this deadly mosquito. Their number one item of prevention was to spray sewer vents in their homes to help combat the mosquito invasion.



THE DRAW between Earth and Dimmitt on Farm to Market Road 1055 became a surging river when Sunday night's rain dumped water into the draw adding to the 7 inches of rainfall received only a few days before, causing water to rise several feet high closing the road to through traffic.

935 Enrolled In Local Schools

Total enrollment for Springlake-Earth School on the first day of school was set at 935 students. This figure is a little under the total enrollment figure for this time last year, which was 1006.

Breaking the above figure down, the high school enrollment reached 225, while the two Junior High grades registered 161 students. These 522 enrolled in the elementary grades and 27 in the special education classes.

Of the 225 students registered in high school, there are 56 seniors, the largest senior class in the history of Springlake-Earth School. The junior class is the smallest class, with only 31 students. The sophomore class has 60 enrolled, while the freshman class is the largest class in high school, with 78 students.

Wolverine Band Enrollment Reaches 92, Junior High 70

Ninety-two students have enrolled in the Wolverine Band this year according to Dean Foshee, local band director. Foshee is pleased with the prospects and anticipates a good year for the band. "Perhaps," he said, "one of the best band years, as we have veteran members this year with more experience than in previous years."

The Junior High Band has a total of 70 members enrolled, with a keen interest in music quite noticeable among the

group. Foshee will teach all fifth grade students general music until November or December before forming a beginner band.

When the beginner band is formed, and the sixth grade intermediate band begins, Foshee expects to have approximately 220 Band Students. The large enrollment in Band indicates a greater interest in music and perhaps in school spirit.

Local Bank Shows Increase in Deposits

Deposits in the local bank show substantial gain over same period in 1965 as of August 28, 1966. Deposits showed a gain of \$430,117.43, increase over the same date in 1965.

Joe B. Temple, president of the bank, said this reflects a good economic stability of our area. Higher interest rates, raising of the prime rate of 6% by the New York bank and in other financial centers such as Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston, and even Lubbock has not as yet had a great impact on country banks such as ours. However, during any period of "tight money" means caution to the country banker.

We have excellent crops in the area, with a few exceptions where there has been hail damage. Citizen State Bank of Earth will celebrate its 15th year December 10, 1966. Temple stated that they were looking for an all time high in resources at that time.

Lance Davis Home After Mild Case of Encephalitis

Lance Davis of Dimmitt, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Smith of Earth, was admitted to the Medical Arts Hospital in Littlefield recently with a mild case of encephalitis.

He was hospitalized for eleven days, before returning to his home in Dimmitt Saturday, August 27.

He is reported to be in fair condition at present.

Wolverine Drive In To Sponsor Weekly Football Contest

John Hall, manager of the Wolverine Drive In will sponsor a "pick your winner" football contest each week during the football season, with two lucky winners receiving free prizes each week.

First place winner will receive a free Sunday dinner for four. Second place winner will receive a free dinner for two.

The first Wolverine Drive In ad, with the contest appearing in it, will begin this week. The ad can be found on page 4. These ads will appear weekly during the entire season.

The official entry form should be turned in at the Wolverine Drive In before 4 p. m. each Friday. Just clip the weekly ad and pick the winners.

There will be ten games listed each week, players of the game are to select the winning team, and as a tie-breaker, those playing the game, are asked to guess the score of the local Wolverine game.

No members of the Wolverine personnel or their families are eligible to participate in the game.

Weekend Opening at Pounds Pharmacy Draws Large Crowd

One of the largest formal opening celebrations staged in Earth in recent years was the two-day opening celebration at Pounds Rexall Pharmacy on Friday and Saturday.

Approximately 600 persons registered for the free gifts that were given away at 5 p. m. Saturday, and had coffee and doughnuts as they visited and looked over the firm in its new location.

Winners for the twelve free gifts were as follows, Mrs. H. H. Hamilton, who won the first place prize of a free exerciser bicycle. Other winners in their respective places were as follows: Kenneth Boone, Beverly Reynolds, Mrs. Calvin Wood, Ronnie Thomas, Mrs. Gene Chaney, Mrs. Kenneth Cowley, Mrs. E. E. Cantrell, Kim Haydon, Mrs. Forrest Simmons, Mrs. Minnie Price, and Mrs. Norman Hinchliffe.

Potted plants, bouquets and artificial arrangements lined the walls of the store as well wishers sent flowers to express their hopes for continued success for the firm.

Pounds came to Earth on April 20, 1964, after having purchased the Casey Jones Pharmacy, then located in the back department of the City Drug. On July 15 of that same year, the firm was moved into the small building across the street where he remained until his business had increased, requiring a larger building to accommodate a large stock of prescription drugs and to display all the new lines of merchandise Pounds had obtained.

Earth-Springlake Lions To Sell Stadium Tickets

Members of the Earth and Springlake Lions Clubs have taken on the project of selling reserve seats at the Springlake-Earth stadium.

Ticket sales will begin at 8 a. m. on Saturday at the City Drug in Earth and at the Springlake Elevator in Springlake, with members of both clubs working until 4 p. m. in their attempt to sell the remainder of the reserve seats available.

Anyone wishing to reserve a seat in the local stadium for the five home games is asked to drop by one of the above mentioned places for your tickets. Reserve tickets are selling for \$10 per person.

Rep. Bill Clayton Works On West Texas Water Problems

State Representative Bill Clayton of Springlake spent the week of August 15 through 20 in Portland, Maine, attending the Council of State Governments on suggested State Legislation and working on West Texas water problems.

While in Washington, several meetings were attended by Rep. Clayton, Speaker of House Ben Barnes, Rep. Ralph Wayne, S. B. Whittenburgh, and K. B. Watson with Texas Congressmen in trying to work out some of the problems involving the importation of water to West Texas.

Rep. Clayton, currently a member of the Conservation and Reclamation Committee and a House Interim Water Study Council, and a member of the Steering Committee of the West Texas Chamber Water Resources Committee, said that many problems are involved in working out water problems for West Texas. However, he was encouraged by the receptiveness of the Texas Congressman, Clayton said he believed the meetings stimulated enough interest among the Congressmen to make them actively push for passage of the Colorado River Basin Study Bill, which is now in the Rules Committee.

This Bill provides and authorizes for preliminary studies to be made for developing water supplies from the Colorado River Basin for eleven western states. This Bill includes West Texas and would also provide a vehicle for additional studies of importation of Mississippi and Missouri River water into Texas. Clayton said that if Congress does pass the Colorado River Basin Bill this session, then the Texas Legislature could take whatever action was necessary when they convene in January to implement any portion of the Bill that might require state action.

Clayton said that House Speaker Ben Barnes will be very instrumental in helping West Texas meet its water needs through its influence and untiring ability to get things done. Clayton suggests that all people interested in water for West Texas should watch for the announcement date of the public meeting in Lubbock to be held by the Texas Water Development Board.

Area Receives More Rain Sunday, Tuesday

Farmers are looking forward to hot, humid weather, since the rains received late Sunday and again Tuesday.

On the Pete O'Hair farm, located one and 3/4 miles North of Earth, 2.3 inches of rain were received, in addition to last week's approximately six inches.

Two and one half inches were reported to have been received at Springlake, according to employees at Springlake Elevator.

At Lazbuddie, 3 3/4 inches of rain were received, accompanied by high winds.

Thurlo Branscum reported that he received 1.7 inch of rain on his farm, 5 miles North and 6 miles West of Earth.

Booster Club Views Film Monday Night

The Springlake-Earth Booster Club met Monday night and viewed the film of the scrimmage game at Olton on Saturday.

Pete O'Hair and Eldon Parish were appointed to stripe the football field for the forthcoming season.

The members present voted to put more effort forth to push the sell of memberships. This year's goal was set at 300.

Coach Danny Smith and Terrell Bell were on hand to introduce the new basketball coach Dallas Clynn.

Mrs. L. T. Smith, Mrs. Roney Smith and Terri Carol were in Dimmitt Sunday to visit Lance Davis who was dismissed from the Medical Arts Hospital in Littlefield on Saturday after having a mild case of encephalitis.

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The Soviets report partial success in experiments to teach English to sleeping students. Our teachers report partial success, too.

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We wives do so pity the poor bachelor, for we well know he is indeed in sad shape, since he has no one but the government to blame for all his problems.

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Parting thought: Freedom gives us the right to use our judgments, but it also carries with it the obligation to live with the consequences.



"Heels quickly wear out a welcome mat."



WOLVERINE FOOTBALL CAPTAINS named by the local squad are pictured around the floating all-sports trophy, Springlake-Earth got to keep again this year by a slight margin. Captains are Logan Armstrong, Terry Parish, and Jose Triana.

Former Resident Injured In Auto Accident

John Nolen, father of Mrs. Ruby Anderson, was injured in an automobile accident Thursday, August 25, at Hope, Arkansas.

Mrs. Anderson theorized that the driver of the other car apparently fell asleep and pulled into Nolen's lane, causing the two autos to collide head on.

Nolen was taken to a Hope Hospital, where he was treated for several broken ribs, and was transferred to St. Michael's Hospital in Texarkana on Sunday.

Nolen's condition is reported much improved.

Roney Smith and Doug Shelby of Earth and Dr. G. T. Stewart of Littlefield flew to Arkansas where they fished during the weekend.



"It has reached a point where taxes are a form of capital punishment."



TALENTED TWIRLERS in their new uniforms are ready for action with the Wolverine Band. Their first big performance will be at half time at the first game of the season on September 9 with Amherst. Pictured left to right are Diane Avery, Vicki Sanders, Kathie Clayton, and Cynthia Busby.

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Lazbuddie News...

By Mrs. C. A. Watson

The complete faculty and auxiliary personnel of the Lazbuddie Public Schools was announced this week.

Board members are as follows: E. A. Parham, President; W. G. Harlan, vice president; Alton Morris, secretary; Fred Burch, Ben Foster, Jr., Roy Miller, and A. E. Redwine, members.

The secondary faculty includes Sam P. Barnes, Superintendent; Gene Riddle, High School Principal, Everett Max-

well, Business and English; Scotty Windham, agriculture; Eva Dean Ivy, home economics; Margaret Durben, English; Bob Coleman, coach and math; Eddie Wilt, coach, math, and social studies; Roy Thurmond, math, and junior high P. E.; Rex Miller, science, and high school P. E.; and Frances Clarke, counselor.

The elementary faculty consists of Fred Wilbanks, elementary principal, Ruth Williams and Judy Bruns, first;

Junia Ketchum and Nancy Coleman, second; Vigil Wilbanks, third; Hester Barnes, fourth; E. C. Ketchum, fifth; Ruth Carter, sixth; Jimmie Frank Briggs, special reading; Ruth Wilson, elementary music; and Emily Riddle, Librarian.

Auxiliary personnel are as follows: Carolyn McGuire, administrative secretary and bookkeeper; Sue Windham, instructional secretary, elementary and secondary; Delbert Martin, Transportation Mechanic; Bert Bergstrom, Jr., Custodian, high schools, and Dick Allen, custodian, elementary schools.

The workers for the cafeteria are Nola Trieder, manager, Nola Ivy and Billie Harvey, cooks.

Bus drivers are Mrs. Delbert Martin, Roy Haven, Rex Miller, Charleta Trieder, and Roy Thurmond.

The Lazbuddie Longhorns football schedule for 1966 is: Sept. 9, Wilson, there, 8 Sept. 16, Whiteface, here, 8 Sept. 23, Booker T. Washington, here, 8

Sept. 30, Claude, there, 8 Oct. 7, open Oct. 14, Vega, there, 7:30 Oct. 21, Nazareth, there, 7:30 Oct. 28, Happy, there, 7:30 Nov. 4, Texline, here, 7:30 Nov. 11, Hart, there, 7:30

* Denotes conference games

Funeral services for Pee Wee Williams, 64, (colored) were held at the Baptist Church in Lazbuddie Monday. Williams died in his home in Lazbuddie Saturday morning, after suffering a heart attack. He is survived by his wife, Lavena of the home and married children living in East Texas. He had worked for J. D. Carpenter of Lazbuddie the past 8 years.

Masonic services were held in Worthman, on Wednesday, August 31.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carpenter left Tuesday for the services at Worthman then plan to go on to Houston to return their grandson Danny Howard to his home. Danny has been helping the Carpenters farm this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hamblin former pastor of the Lazbuddie Church of Christ was honored with a farewell party. The Hamblins moved to Seagoville where he will pastor the church there. Friends presented the couple with a nice gift after the evening of visiting and enjoying refreshments of home made ice cream and cake.

The T. D. Vaughns have as guests this week, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Shraeder from Bakersfield, Mrs. Shraeder and Mrs. Vaughn are sisters.

The Lazbuddie School personnel was honored with a luncheon at the cafeteria Friday, August 26. Frank Ellis of Muleshoe was guest speaker. The event was sponsored by the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce.

Torrie Smith spent the weekend in Spearman with the T. O. Lesley family.

Among those attending the Primitive Baptist Church from Lazbuddie were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Parham and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Watson, Benny, and Leon, and Joe and Katie Collins.

Benny Watson left Anton Saturday evening for Fort Ord, California, where he will be on duty in the U. S. Army. He left with Elder and Mrs. Troy McCarty for Borger to be in the Sunday morning church services where Elder McCarty was guest speaker. The group left Borger for the Western States Sunday afternoon where they plan to make various stops for church services before going on to Fort Ord.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Watson and Leon attended the commission exercises Wednesday night of last week in the Student Union Building in Canyon, to see Don Watson commissioned as 2nd Lt. Mr. and Mrs. Watson were privileged to pin the bars on their son's uniform during the ceremony. Lt. Watson left early Thursday morning for Ft. Benning, Ga., where he had received orders to report for duty. Due to short notice and limited time, Don did not get to be at the graduation services in Canyon of which he was a member, but his diploma bearing his BS degree was mailed to him Friday. Don called home Sunday from Ft. Benning saying he had arrived on time.

Mrs. Jerle Taylor Enrolled For Beauty Course In Lubbock

Mrs. Jerle Taylor enrolled August 18 for a six month beautician course, at Isabel School of Beauty in Lubbock. She will complete the course in mid-February and take the State Board examination. Mrs. Terry Green, of Lubbock, a former resident of Earth, is also enrolled in the school. She and Mrs. Taylor are studying together.

Advertising Pays If It Is In The Earth News-Sun

LABOR DAY RESOLUTION



Local Church Scene Of Workers Conference

A large attendance was present at the First Baptist Church in Earth Monday night for the monthly Llanos Altos Association Worker's Conference.

The emphasis of the conference was Training Union, and the new Training Union manuals were discussed in the various departmental conferences. Walter Buice, Associational Training Union Director, from the First Baptist Church at Muleshoe, was in charge of the program.

All conference leaders had previously attended the Gloria conference in June, where the new manuals were taught for the first time.

A delicious meal was served by the women of the local church in the fellowship hall.

Peace Corps To Test On September 10

Lamb County area residents interested in putting their skills to use in developing nations around the world are invited to take the Peace Corps

placement test at 9 a. m. on Saturday, September 10, at Littlefield Post Office.

The Peace Corps uses the placement test to determine how an applicant can best be utilized overseas. The test measures general aptitude and the ability to learn a language not education or achievement.

(Test scores indicate a limited language-learning ability, for example, the Peace Corps tries to place the applicant in an English-speaking country.) The placement test requires no preparation and is non-competitive--an applicant can neither pass nor fail.

The application form, not the placement test, is the most important factor in the selection of Volunteers. Persons interested in serving in the Peace Corps must fill out an application, if they have not already done so, and present it to the tester before taking the test. Applications may be obtained from local post offices or from the Peace Corps, Washington, D. C. 20525.

The placement test takes about an hour and a half.

Dinner guests Sunday in the Claude Ellis home were Mr. and Mrs. Houston Stephens and Mrs. John Garrett and Carolyn.

PARTY LINE

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Taylor flew to Fort Worth Friday where they visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Taylor, and welcomed a new grandson to the family, while in Fort

Worth, the Taylors visited Mr. and Mrs. Alton Phillips. They were accompanied home Sunday night by Mrs. Don Hastings of Eules who is spending a few days with the Taylors before going to Lubbock to visit friends and relatives there.

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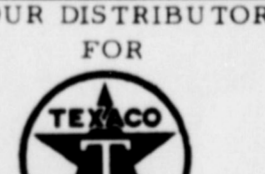
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GROWN IN EARTH, TEXAS, BY TEXANS. This beautiful jumbo size peach in the hand of Mrs. H. S. Sanders weighed one pound, 2 ounces and measured 13 inches around. Not only was it big, it was also pretty, having not a blemish to mar its beauty. The peach on the desk weighed 14 ounces and measured 12 inches around. These peaches were grown on the H. S. Sanders property in Earth as a project of their daughter, Aurelia. The Sanders' are unable to explain just why this tree produces two crops of peaches each year, but it does. The tree was set out four years ago, and has produced fruit for the past three years, yielding two crops each year. (The conclusion of this story is, anything growable any place else can be grown bigger and better in Earth, Texas.)

Welda Barton Wins "All-Around" Trophy Buckle in Junior Rodeo

Welda Barton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Barton was awarded the "all around" trophy buckle before approximately 200 spectators who attended the Earth Junior Rodeo Saturday night in the local arena. Miss Barton racked up a total of twelve points to win high point individual in the show.

All first place winners in each event and age group were presented trophy buckles, with ribbons being presented to second, third and fourth place winners.

There were 82 contestants from Earth, Muleshoe, Farwell, Enochs, Amarillo, Hart, Sudan, Amherst, Olton, Clovis, and Oklahoma City, who participated in the rodeo events.

From the 82 contestants in the rodeo, there were 190 entries in the ten available events. Placings in these events were as follows:

1. Barrel racing--12 year olds and under:
 1. Welda Barton, Earth;
 2. Jimmie Fields, Sudan;
 3. Terry Tomlinson, Amarillo;
 4. James McLain, Hart.
2. Thirteen to eighteen year olds:
 1. Janey Randolph, Earth
 2. Connie Stout, Amarillo
 3. Craig Barton, Earth
 4. Brenda Williams, Amarillo.
3. Flag Race--12 year olds and under:
 1. Welda Barton, Earth
 2. Derrick Gardner, Farwell
 3. James McLain, Hart
 4. Robert Woods.
4. Thirteen to eighteen year olds:
 1. C. L. Myers, Muleshoe
 2. Milton Walling, Farwell
 3. Jackie Marchman, Enochs
 4. Pat Torbett, Muleshoe
5. Pole bending--12 year olds and under:
 1. Welda Barton, Earth
 2. Derrick Gardner, Farwell
 3. James McLain, Hart
 4. Dana McLain, Hart
6. Thirteen to eighteen year olds:
 1. Tom Stout, Amarillo
 2. Jerry Light, Amarillo
 3. Bruce Bridges, Earth
 4. Kent Lewis, Earth
 5. Cow riding--13 to 15 year olds:
 1. Donnie Burreas, Hart
 2. Johnnie Eagle, Earth
 3. Ronnie Hedges, Amherst
 4. Larry Kitchens, Muleshoe
 7. Sixteen to eighteen year olds:
 1. Steve Sharp, Clovis
 2. Weldon Stubblefield, Oklahoma City, Okla.
 8. Bob Crick, Clovis
 9. Gary Doshier, Farwell

VI. Rescue race--13 to 15 year olds:

1. Glenda Light, Amarillo
2. Milton Walling, Farwell
3. Glenn Spiller, Amarillo
4. Gary Doshier, Farwell

VII. Ribbon roping--boy and girl 12 to 15 years old:

1. Glenda Light, Amarillo
2. Jackie Marchman, Enochs
3. Jimmy Brazile, Amarillo
4. Floyd Flow, Amarillo.

VIII. Break away roping--12 years and under:

1. Rusty Waide, Earth
2. Tie down calf roping--13 to 15 years:
 1. Jerry Light, Amarillo
 2. Jerry Fowlesend, Earth
 3. Craig Barton, Earth
 4. Milton Walling, Farwell
 5. Jack pot calf roping--16 to 18 years old:
 1. Jerry Light, Amarillo
 2. Jackie Marchman, Enochs
 3. Jimmie Brazile, Amarillo.

The rodeo was sponsored by the Earth Roping Club, which considered the rodeo a big success.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

August 29, 1966

Dear Boss:

Our boys are using nearly all their free time to polish their boots and spurs for this coming Sunday and Monday, when they will present their Labor Day rodeo to the largest audience ever.

Last year, nearly ten thousand visitors watched them perform, and the boys are really hoping to break that record.

Thank you for all you are doing to help them, and if you can use the enclosed story, it will mean so much to all 346 Ranchers.

Yours truly,

Cal Farley

Department of Public Safety is seeking a \$51,000,000 budget for 1968-69. Director Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., says Texas should have 2,200 highway patrolmen, instead of present 901, to meet federal standards.

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Marilyn (Coker) Burgess, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Coker, will attend night school at the University of Maryland.

Vickie Coker, son of Mrs. V. D. Coker, will continue his education at Texas Tech.

Dale Dent, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Dent, will return to Abilene Christian College, where he is a senior student.

Jerry Been, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. "Dutch" Been will attend East Central State College in Ada, Okla.

Phil Bearden, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bearden, will attend South Plains College in Levelland, where he is a sophomore student.

Jane McCord, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat McCord is enrolled as a senior at Baylor University at Waco.

Bobby Borum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Borum, is a student at Texas Tech.

Charles Axtell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Axtell, will return to Texas Tech where he is a senior student.

Janice Blackburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Blackburn, will attend Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

Ronnie Dent will return to Abilene Christian College, as a senior student.

Jim Stockard, son of Mrs. Bill Stockard, will attend West Texas State at Canyon.

Lonnie English, son of Mrs. Bernice English, plans to attend Texas Tech.

Thomas Gregory, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gregory, will attend East Central State College, Ada, Okla.

Pruda Sanders, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sanders, will continue her college career at Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene.

Ross Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morris, is a senior student at Texas Tech College.

Denny Parish, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Parish will attend Fresno State in Fresno, Calif., as a junior student.

Beth Dent is a sophomore at Abilene Christian College.

Vicki Clayton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Clayton, plans to attend Hardin-Simmons University.

Joan Sanderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Sanderson, will attend Hardin-Simmons University.

John Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Patterson, will continue his college career at Eastern New Mexico College in Portales, N. M.

Danny Byers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Byers, will be a 1966-67 University of Texas sophomore in Austin.

Alice Jaquess, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Jaquess, will attend Wayland Baptist College again this year.

Lynn Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Hamilton will

return to New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell, where he will be a freshman student.

Among those beginning their college careers this year will be the following:

Diana Gregory, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gregory, will attend South Plains College at Levelland.

Pete Glasscock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Glasscock, will be a freshman student at South Plains College in Levelland.

Kenny Kendricks, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kendricks, plans to attend South Plains College.

Floyd Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sykes, plans to enter South Plains College as a freshman.

Jill McCord, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat McCord will attend Baylor University at Waco.

Ed Dawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dawson, will enter Texas Tech as a freshman.

Lonnie Adrian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Adrian will be a student at South Plains College at Levelland.

Bob Coker, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Coker, will be a 1966-67 freshman at Texas Tech.

Carolyn Kelley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Kelley, will attend South Plains College as a freshman.

Kathie Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Adrian, will attend Wayland Baptist College.

Alicia Galloway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Slim Galloway, plans to attend Wayland Baptist College.

Freddie Kelley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kelley will attend Wayland.

Buddie Robnett is enrolled in South Plains College.

Jerry Don Sanders, son of Mrs. Dimples Sanders, will enter Texas Tech College.

Jaqueline Parish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parish, plans to attend South Plains College.

Note: If any student's name has been omitted, please call the Earth News-Sun office and give us this information.

LCC Associates Plan Programs For Year

Members of the Lubbock Christian College Associates of Earth met in a regular meeting Monday morning in the home of Mrs. Claude Ellis.

The group mapped out programs for the forthcoming year. Coffee and doughnuts were served to the fifteen members present.

The next meeting, which will be a workshop, is slated for September 8 from 10 a. m.



MOTHERS, SOMETIMES FIND PARTING A TRIFLE HARD TOO. Mrs. James Smith of Springlake is pictured as she paused and waved a last good-bye to her son, Lloyd, who had embarked upon new and exciting life of pursuing an education for himself. The first day of school seemed to be less painful for Lloyd than it was for his Mama.

Dr. Murray To Speak At Plainview Women's Club Program

Plainview--Dr. Grover E. Murray, newly elected President of Texas Technological College in Lubbock, will be the keynote speaker at the Plainview Women's Club initial fall program, Tuesday evening, September 6 at 8 p. m.

Dr. Murray will address several hundred area educators on the subject "Arid and Semiarid Lands." The Tech president is a leading proponent in research and study for the development of water study so important to this area.

A large delegation of educators from Earth is expected to attend the Tuesday evening meeting in the Women's Clubhouse in Plainview.

R. D. Hatchett of Earth was admitted to the University Hospital in Lubbock this week, suffering from pneumonia.

The meeting will allow members the time to work on their projects for the gift fair

Two Tops Members Receive Lapel Pins

The Happy Losers Tops Club met in the Springlake-Earth High School at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, August 25.

Members were weighed in by Mrs. A. W. Gover. The meeting was called to order at 8 p. m. by leader, Mrs. W. B. Huels.

Roll call was answered by the number of pounds lost and gained. Two members received Lapel Pins for losing 10 pounds.

Linda Byers was named queen of the week for losing the largest amount of weight during the week.

Eight members who gained weight had to sing "We're In the Pig Pen."

Mrs. Pete O'Hair gave a short program. Mrs. Carolyn Thomas received the door prize.

Twenty members and three visitors were present.

Hello World



Mr. and Mrs. Granvil Lee Oden of Lovington, New Mexico announce the birth of a son at 3 p. m. Tuesday, August 22 in the Lovington General Hospital.

Brian Landon, as the lad has been named, weighed 6 pounds and 11 ounces and measured 20 inches in height.

This is the couple's first child.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Houston Oden of Earth, and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hendon of Muleshoe.

Great grandparents on the paternal side are Mr. Cleve Thompson, Petersburg and Mrs. Wynna Oden of Plainview.

Maternal great grandparents are Mr. W. T. Hendon, Welch, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Waller of O'Donnell and great great grandmother Mrs. J. D. Crawford also of O'Donnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Taylor of Fort Worth announce the birth of a son born at 2:58 p. m. on August 22 in the Harris Hospital in Fort Worth.

The young lad, who weighed 10 pounds and 10 ounces and measured 21 1/2 inches in height, has been named Eric Ty.

The couple have one other son, Howard Tripp, who is 15 months old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Taylor, Earth, and Mrs. B. M. Howard of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy McGuire of Earth are the proud parents of a son born at 11 a. m. Wednesday, August 24, in the West Texas Hospital in Lubbock.

The lad weighed 7 pounds and has been named Stewart Randall.

The McGuires have one other child, Sammy Roy, age 9. Mr. McGuire is Water Superintendent for the City of Earth.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. N. R. McGuire, Denison, Mrs. Lucille Thompson, Plainview, and A. J. Gardner, also of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Griffin of Abemathy are the proud parents of a son born at 11 a. m. Wednesday, August 24, in the West Texas Hospital in Lubbock.

The son, who has been named Micah Lee weighed 7 pounds and 7 ounces at birth.

The Griffins have one other child, a daughter Sharla Kay, 3.

Griffin is a pharmacist at Pinson Drug Store.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Griffin of Earth and Mrs. Florene Moore of Canyon.

PARTY LINE

Mrs. Lucille Henderson and Mrs. Leland Henderson and family returned from Santa Rosa, California, Friday, where they had been visiting several days with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Henderson and family.

Bookmobile To Be In Earth-Springlake September 8

The Texas State Library High Plains Bookmobile will be in Earth-Springlake on Thursday September 8.

Community Building from 10 to 11 Friday morning.

The bookmobile will begin its Thursday morning run with a stop at Amherst. It is slated to arrive in the town of Springlake at 11 a. m., where it will remain for 45 minutes, before driving out to Springlake-Earth School where it will stay during the noon hour, allowing students the opportunity to select books.

At 1:15 p. m. it is due to arrive in Earth where it will remain until 3:45 p. m.

On Friday, the bookmobile is slated to begin the day with a stop at the Pleasant Valley

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Ellis Home Scene of Bible Class Party

The lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ellis was the setting for a party Thursday afternoon honoring the Wednesday evening Bible Class of the Earth Church of Christ, taught by Mrs. Ellis.

Twelve children were present and enjoyed games. Among the games played was a Bible quiz prepared by Mrs. Ellis. White testaments were presented to three members of the class for their faithfulness in

bringing food gifts to be distributed to the less fortunate, and for their attendance at class. The three receiving testaments were Strela Faver, Greg Bills and Andy Ellis. The serving table was covered with a white linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of the three pigs, from which ice cream, punch, and cookies were served.

Favors of party hats and balloons were given to the twelve class members attending.

PARTY LINE

Mrs. Charles Baldwin and Lisa of Lubbock have been visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Baldwin.

Mrs. Melvin Henson of Sea-

NOTICE

Tentative date for the annual teachers reception, sponsored by the Earth-Springlake Lions Clubs has been set for Tuesday, September 13, at 8 p. m. in the school cafeteria.

The Ladies Booster Club will meet at 7:30 Tuesday, September 6 in the study hall of the high school building. Everyone interested in sports is invited to attend.

graves arrived Saturday to spend several days visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ellis.



SOME FIND IT HARD TO GROW UP and say a cheerful "Adios" to Mama on that first day of school. Randy Arresolo, Jr., is finding that good-byes come a bit tearful as he attempts to say, so long for the day to his mother, Mrs. Andrea De Leon as his teacher, Mrs. Foshee, patiently tries to be helpful.

Card Of Thanks

Words cannot express our heart felt appreciation to everyone during the loss of our darling baby, Brandon Trent.

We would like to thank each one who sent cards, food, and floral tributes, to those who contributed to the love offerings, to those who made phone calls, and for the many prayers they were offered during my stay in the hospital and at Lubbock.

Our special thanks to Brother Baldwin and Percy Parsons for their devoted services and never-ending care.

May God abundantly bless and be as near to each of you as he is to us.

Harvey, Karen, Mimsy Suzette and Landon Brent Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kendricks and family Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dutton Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Dutton and Ricky.

PARTY LINE

Weekend guests in the home of Mrs. Clara Kelley were her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Estill, and her grandson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Estill all of Quana, also Mrs. Clara Jane Kelley and Mrs. Melvin Fredrickson, both of Lawton, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Stockstill Is Employed At Hereford Factory

Mrs. Alma Stockstill is recently employed in the Dolly Textile Garment Factory in Hereford where she will be making clothing as soon as her training period is completed. Mrs. Stockstill is commuting back and forth to Hereford. She was employed at Olton prior to joining the crew at the Hereford factory.



Hickmans Attend Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hickman of Earth and son Harvey Hickman, Jr. of Edna, attended the Hickman family reunion at Lake Texoma over the weekend. Forty eight were present from Tyler, Dallas, Fort Worth, Earth, Edna, Oklahoma City, Tulsa, Snyder, Heardrick, and Hilton, Oklahoma.

Descendants of James Harvey and Tennessee Hickman present were three children, six grandchildren, 9 great grandchildren, and 12 great great grandchildren.

Starkeys Return From Vacation In Colorado

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Starkey, Joyce and Linda returned Friday from a six day vacation in Colorado.

They toured the State of Colorado, and saw the Royal Gorge, Monarch Crest, Grand Monarch Crest, Grand Mesa, and Black Canyon. They went trout fishing at the Grand Mesa.

Before returning home, they visited a long time friend of Mr. Starkey, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Conner of Eckert, Colorado.

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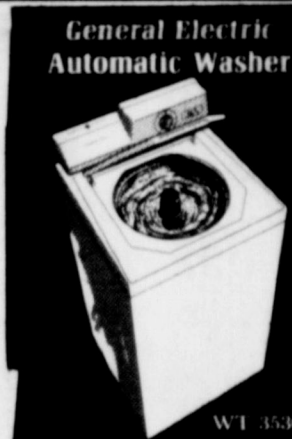
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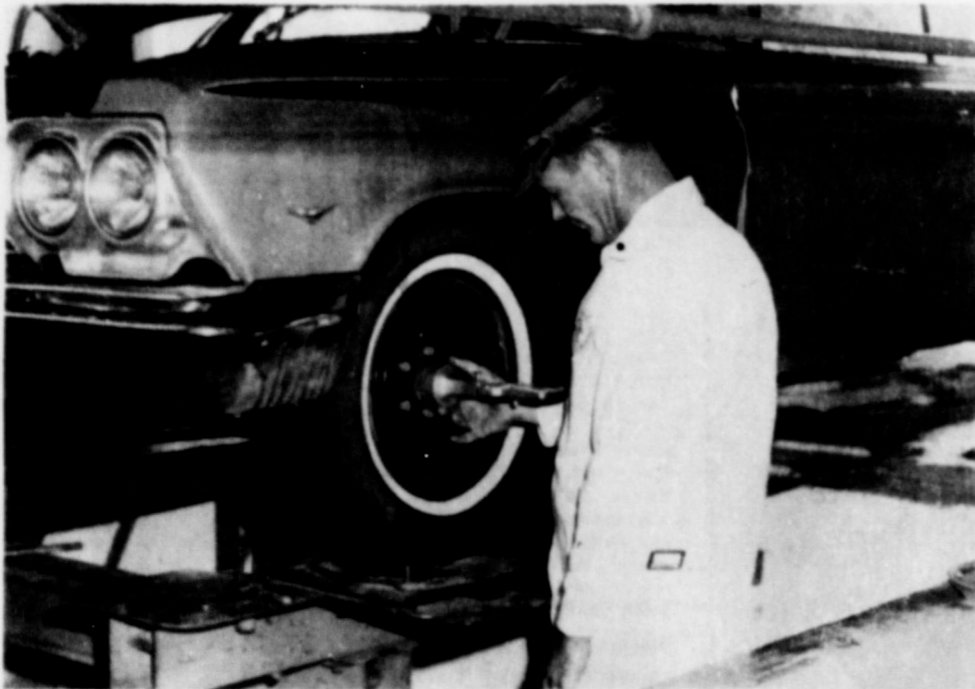
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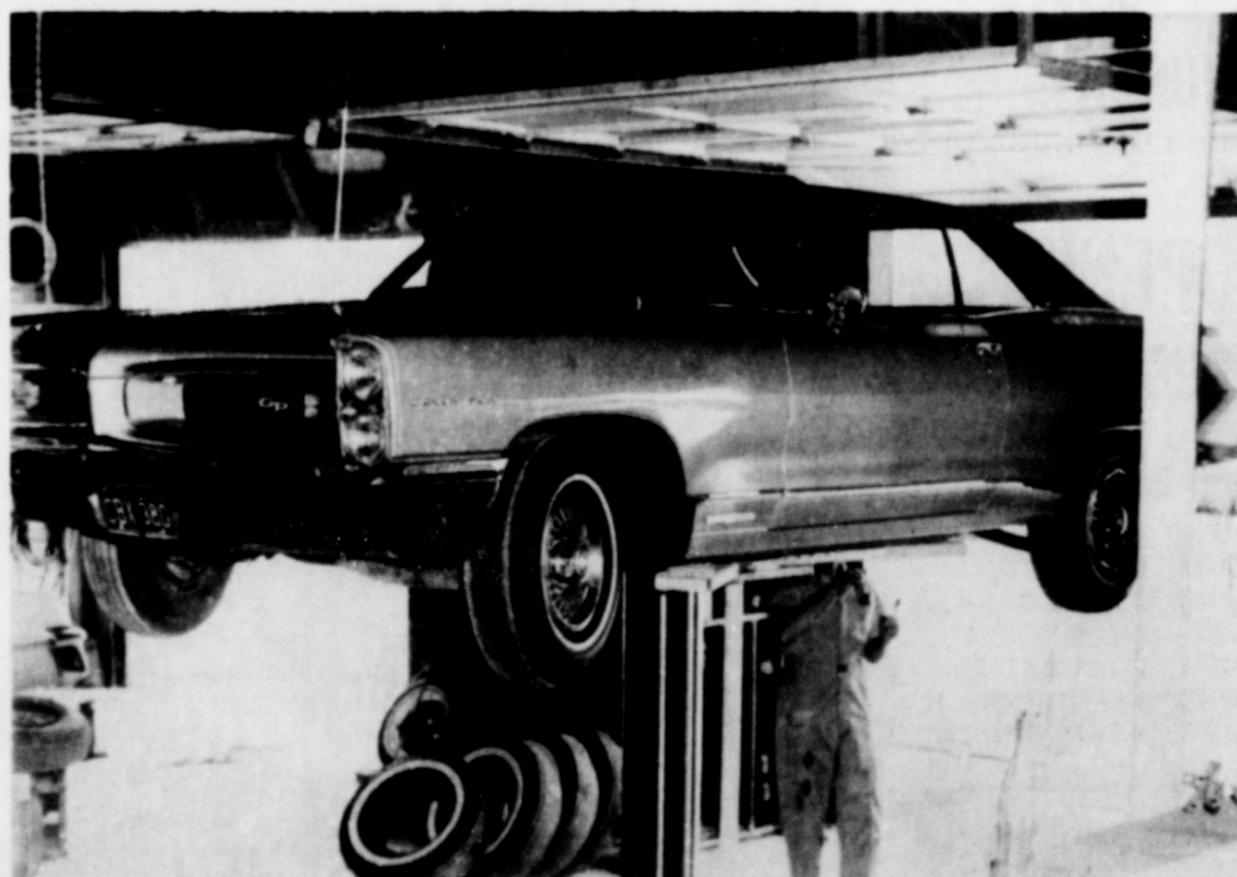
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USDA To "Freeze" 85,000 Acres Of 1967 Texas Cotton Allotment

Some three weeks or more ago Donald A. Johnson, Executive Vice President of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., reported USDA plans were in the mill to "freeze" about 85,000 acres of the 1967 Texas cotton allotment and about 150,000 to 200,000 acres of the national allotment.

Involved are acres not planted in 1966 as a result of the required productivity adjustments transferred by sale or lease from an area of low productivity to areas with high yield histories, Johnson reported that USDA was planning to "freeze" these acres at the state level, depriving producers of the opportunity to plant them.

Now the report has been confirmed. But Johnson still maintains the procedure is outside the law in that it will reduce the national minimum allotment below the minimum 16 million acres set by Congress in 1958.

Under Secretary of Agriculture John A. Schnitker, replying to a question from Congressman George Mahon, has said in a letter that instructions to implement handling of such acreage are now being printed.

Mahon asked: "Will the sale of cotton acreage from low yield to high yield acres hurt our state and affect the state and national allotments?"

In short, Schnitker replied that the state's allotment would be the same as if no acres had been transferred and that no one would be adversely affected by transfers. But in the same paragraph he said the acreage apportioned to counties and to producers from the state allotment would exclude acreage not planted in 1966 because of sale and lease transfers. The state gets the acres, but is not allowed to plant them.

PCG is not willing to drop the matter, and reproduced below is the text of a letter to Mr. Mahon from Johnson, through which Johnson hopes to get additional consideration for his views.

"Reference is made to your recent letter from Under Secretary John Schnitker concerning the effect of relative productivity adjustments under allotment transfer provisions on future State allotments.

"We are in agreement with and fully appreciative of the fact that... the State of Texas will not receive a reduced share of the national acreage allotment for 1967 or any subsequent year because of productivity adjustments.

"But, as we understand them, two other statements later in the same paragraph are difficult to reconcile.

"However, the allotment attributable to the history acreage reduced as a result of the adjustments will be frozen at the State level, that is, it will not be distributed to counties or farms."

"The freezing of allotments in connection with sales, leases and transfers by owners does not adversely affect any person involved in the transactions, either in the first year of the transfer or any subsequent year."

"Texas' share of the 16.2 million acre national allotment in 1967 has been set at 6,841,084 acres. But if something like 85,000 acres of this is to be frozen at the State level and not passed down as acres available to counties for planting, does this not have the effect of reducing the State's cotton allotment by almost 14 per cent? And will not each producer, including those involved in sales and leases, suffer his proportionate share of the lost acres?"

"If our thinking is correct it would appear that the combined total of such frozen acres for all the cotton producing states would reduce the acres available for planting in 1967 and future years below the 16 million acre legal minimum set by Congress in 1958.

"Also, we would like to know what effect the acres regarded as planted to maintain the allotment and history acreage will have on the State's projected yield. Dividing total State production by an acreage higher than that actually planted would tend to reduce the average per acre yield for the State, which in turn would depress projected yield. And under the present program projected yield is synonymous with dollars and cents to our producers.

"These are matters we feel need further clarification from the Department. And if our views prove correct, we would urge that the acres under discussion be made available to producers for planting, giving them the full benefit of the 16 million acre legal minimum allotment and eliminating any detriment to projected yield computations.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chaney were Mrs. Glenn Booser of Lubbock



SUNDAY NIGHT'S RAIN caused flood waters to collect in the draw and flood Farm to Market Road 1055 resulting in closing the road through Sunday night and Monday.

Program for Prevention Of School Dropouts Started in Harris County

COLLEGE STATION-- Preventing school dropouts is a major problem for many communities. The Galena Park School System, in Harris County, is pioneering a program to prevent school dropouts, according to Mrs. Patsy R. Yates, Extension family life education specialist at Texas A&M University.

National recognition has been given to the program which includes all phases of pupil personnel services under one coordinator, F. E. McGahan is director of the Special Service Program. This program aims to prepare pupils to take their place in an ever-changing and complex society.

The results have been dramatic. The dropout rate of 43.7 percent in 1964 has been cut to 18 percent and is expected to go still lower. This is compared to the national rate of 33 percent. Selected groups of pupils have had their dropout rate cut to four percent, says Mrs. Yates.

A preschool clinic begins the early detection program to help identify the child with difficulties. Children who

are in school are placed in classes planned to correct or reduce difficulties. The key to the Galena Park program is emphasis on eliminating language deficiencies. Some 2,300 of the system's 12,000 students will be involved in a language stimulation program this coming year.

A very sensitive instrument called "A Preschool Prediction Inventory," which has been published, identifies children who can be expected to experience difficulty in the learning situation.

The dropout prevention program is not an effort of one department or even school authorities, although they give the special services department enthusiastic support. Parents contribute much time and effort to the preschool clinic. They form a part of the team of nurses, visiting teachers, counselors, a school psychologist, and special educational teachers who are closing the gap of education for the child who has traditionally failed in school, concludes Mrs. Yates.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thames of Amarillo visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Fennell of Earth Sunday.

Mrs. Ross Middleton was in Hereford Saturday on business.

Teenage Groom Advised To Make Friends With Wife

College Station--Although volumes have been written about the teen-age marriage and the teen-age bride, little attention is given to the teen-age groom.

"It takes two to make a marriage, and many young couples discover that there is more to marriage than they had realized," says Mrs. Patsy Yates, Texas A&M University Extension specialist in family life education.

She points out that a West Coast counselor, Professor Ben Ard who teaches at San Francisco State College, advises the teen-age groom: "Now that you have married the girl, try to make friends with her."

Due to the youth of the couple and the speed of courtship, it isn't surprising that many young couples discover shortly after marriage that they love each other but they really don't like each other, Mrs. Yates says.

Friendships don't just happen. They are built over a period of

time. Dr. Erich Fromm insists that mature love is built on respect, understanding, knowledge, and caring for the other person.

"Knowledge and understanding, even of one's self, is difficult. The teen-age groom will do well to begin making friends with his wife by seeking knowledge and understanding of her as a person, Mrs. Yates says.



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Welcome to Earth to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dvorak who moved to the area recently from Stillwater, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Dvorak are both members of the Springlake-Earth Schools faculty.

Prior to moving to Earth, Dvorak served as manager of the Oklahoma State University Chemistry Stourroom for the past 11 years. Mrs. Dvorak taught in the Glenco school. The couple have two sons, Kendal, 10, and Judd, 9. They are enrolled in the fifth and fourth grade classes. They are members of the Free Methodist Church.

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Airman Ronald Blanton Completes Basic Training

San Antonio, Texas--Airman Ronald M. Blanton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd M. Blanton of Sunnyside, has been selected for technical training at Lackland Air Force Base as a US Air Force air policeman.

The airman recently completed basic training at Lackland.

His new school is part of the Air Training Command which conducts hundreds of specialized courses to provide technically trained personnel for the nation's aerospace force.

Airman Blanton was graduated from Springlake-Earth High School, with the class of 1964, and attended South Plains College, Levelland.



RONALD BLANTON

Boys Ranch Rodeo Set For September 4-5

A feature attraction of the 22nd annual Labor Day rodeo at Cal Farley's Boys Ranch Sunday, September 4 and Monday, September 5 will be giant-

size barbecued beef sandwiches prepared and sold by the boys who are learning meat cutting and cooking as their future vocations.

Spectators and visitors who arrive early can buy the sandwiches for a picnic meal for \$1.25. The boys will include potato chips, all the trimmings, and iced tea.

The youngsters in charge of the barbecue are learning their vocations by working in the Ranch's dining hall where

Eleven Weeks in Canada

By Steve Mann

During the eleven weeks that I was in Canada, I learned much about the habits and customs of the Canadian peo-

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Lewis Faver and Curtis Smith were in Del Rio and Eagle Pass over the weekend, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bozeman and also Jimmy Smith of Laughlin Air Force Base at Del Rio. Before returning home, they also visited Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Faver at Sweetwater before returning home.

They feed all 364 boys and staff families daily. The rodeo and other special events during the year give them additional opportunities for practical experience, while at the same time helping to build their home through concession sales.

The rodeo will begin at 2:30 p. m., both Sunday and Monday. Tickets for either performance can be bought in advance from the Boys Ranch office, Box 1890, Amarillo, or at the arena. Reserved box seats are \$2.50, general admission is \$1.50, and childrens and servicemens' tickets are 75 cents.

ple. They have many customs that differ from ours. For example, Canadian Weddings are not emphasized as much as the reception. They usually serve a large dinner, then after toasts they usually dance. Some receptions last past midnight. Another example of their customs is the way they serve their meals. First they bring you a roll. These rolls are usually cold and hard on the outside, but very soft on the inside. Next they serve the main course. The salad is included in the main course. Then they serve dessert and last they serve hot tea. They do not serve a beverage with the meal.

I noticed a big difference in the Canadian way of speaking. They never say "huh", they always say, "pardon me." They call a refrigerator a "frig" and a stove a "rad". They call a couch a "Chesterfield" and a porch a "veranda."

The large church buildings impressed me more than anything. They have Cathedrals that are centuries old. I was impressed with the architectural beauty of the Cathedrals. The main religions in Canada are the United Church, the Catholic Church and the Church of England.

While I was in Canada, I had the privilege of going to Niagara Falls. It was the most beautiful thing that I have ever seen. At night the falls are lighted with many different colors. Half of the Falls is in Canada and the other half is in the USA.

The city I was in was Hamilton Ontario. Hamilton is located by Lake Ontario. It has a population of about 400,000, unlike Lubbock, Hamilton is built very compact. Hamilton is divided by a mountain. Half of it is on the mountain and the other half is at the foot of the mountain.

To me, the Canadian people seemed very warm hearted and kind. It is hard to get to know them at first, but once you win their friendship they are your friend for life.

I enjoyed going to Canada and meeting new people and seeing new and beautiful places, but I was also happy to get home. Although I went through many towns, I didn't see one that was any more outstanding than Earth.

The country around Hamilton is very hilly and there are many orchards. And raise all kinds of fruits. They have never heard of "okra" and would not believe there was such a thing until I looked it up for them in a dictionary.

In Canada they say x, y (zed), we say x, y, (z).

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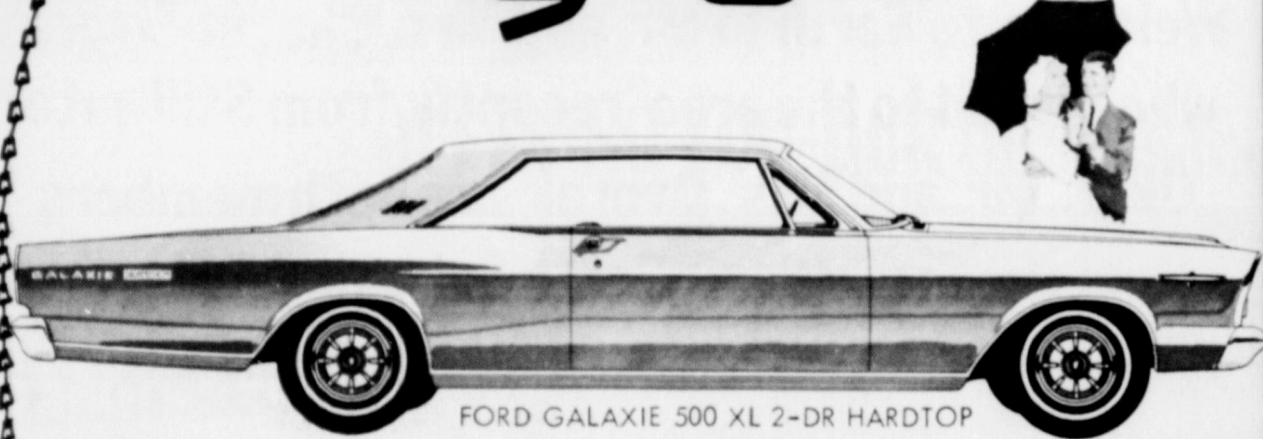
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