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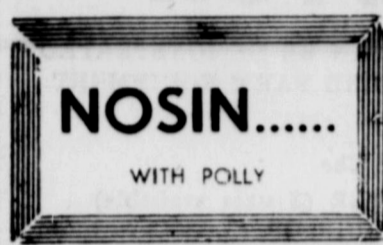
# The Earth News - Sun

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## Lions Clubs Queen To Be Named Tonight



We learned Tuesday that the Springlake Lions Goat, had not been a guest of Ernest Baker last week, but had spent the week with Ernest Green. That's what happens when a community is over-run with Ernests, we seem to pick on the wrong one.

The goat is a guest of Ronald Cleavinger this week.

One of the boys at the Earth Motor said he thought it was high time I stop writing about those new Chevrolets in my columns and 'fess up to the fact that we all wish we had bought NEW FORDS

I can say I know some well satisfied drivers of new Fords. However Mr. Hudson just never fully realized we were without resistance on Thursdays and never suggested that we buy a new Ford.

Will Rogers once said, "All I know is what I read in the papers." A similar statement came from a shut-in who has been ill at her home the past two months. Mrs. R. C. Hagen. When asked what she knew, she answered, "All I know is what I read in the Earth News." (We appreciate all of the lovely readers of the Earth News. Seems they are the kindest, most considerate people in the world. Thanks Mrs. Hooten, those words were music to our ears.

Found the following comments in the Panhandle Publishers Magazine last week - Thought I'd pass them on.

**WHAT IS AN AMERICAN**  
He yells murder because we spend a billion on education, then goes out and spends \$3 billion on cigarettes.

He curses his government, then gets mad if some "foreigner" does it.

He yells for speed laws and won't buy a car unless it can do 100 miles an hour.

An American knows the lineup of baseball teams and about half the words of the Star Spangled Banner.

He works hard on the farm so he can make money to move to town to make more money so he can move back to the farm.

He will spend hours looking for pills to make him live longer, then drive 90 miles an hour to make up for the time he lost.

An American has more food to eat than a man of any other country, and more diets to keep him from eating it.

He whips an enemy nation and then gives it the shirt off his back.

An American expects hotel service at home and then gets mad if he doesn't get the comforts of home at a hotel.

An American is mighty nice folks - and he's lucky to be an American.

## 36th Division Assoc. Needs Roster Of Former Members

The 36th Division Association is compiling a roster on the current address of all men who have ever served with the 36th Infantry Division in time of war and peace.

Douglas N. Boyd, Waco, Texas, President of the Association, estimates some 100,000 men have worn the world-famous T-Patch of the 36th Division.

He urges all T-Patchers in this area to send their name and mailing address to the 36th Division Association, Box 5068, West Austin Station, Austin 31, Texas.

The Springlake - Earth Lion Clubs annual Queen Contest will be held at 8 p.m. tonight (Thursday), at the Springlake School auditorium.

A queen will be selected to represent the Springlake and Earth Lion Clubs at the District 2 - T. Lions International Convention in Plainview, April 24-25-26-27.

Twenty six contestants are entered in the contest. They are Suzanne Davis, Sharon Hay, Doris Barlow, Linda Elmore, Faye Spies, Kay McCord, Judy Kay Wood, Judy Ehrlerke, Norma Hamilton, Yvonne Louder, Patsy Chance, Polly Jeanne Middleton, Linda Lawrence, Angelita Gauna, Barbara Lay, Linda Beasley, Linda Sanderson, Minnie Wheat, Eleanor Riley, Pat McLeod, Billy Jean Watson, Sandra Henxon, Peggy Davis, Darlyna Morris, Jenna V. Brock, and Mary Jane Shirey.

There were forty three sponsors for the contest at press time Wednesday night, several other names are expected to be turned in later.

They are Springlake Elevator, Springlake Gin Co., Paymaster Gin, Watson Bros. Butane, Farm Chemical, Ralph Rudd Texaco, Elroy's 66 Service Station, Billy Wayne Clayton, Farmers Coop Assoc., Mac's Welding and Hardware, K. B. Parish, J. J. Coker.

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Three competent out of town judges will judge the contestants on beauty, poise, and personality.

Entertainment for the evening will be several numbers by Jerry Hatter and His High Hatters. A panel show will also be chosen from the audience.

Admission will be adults 50 cents and school children 25 cents.

Proceeds will be used to purchase a wardrobe for the winning candidate to enter the District Queen Contest in Plainview.

Irvine and sons, Stanley and Jerry left immediately for San Antonio to attend funeral services for Mrs. Mildred Ellerman, mother of Mrs. Irvine.

## Minister Returns From Meetings In Northwestern States

Bud Irvine, minister of the Earth Church of Christ returned Saturday from the Northwestern States, where he conducted three gospel meetings, supported by the Earth Church of Christ.

Irvine and sons, Stanley and Jerry left immediately for San Antonio to attend funeral services for Mrs. Mildred Ellerman, mother of Mrs. Irvine.

## Youth Completes Rifel Training At Fort Chaffee

Batch Vandiver serving with the National Guard at Fort Chaffee, Ark. has completed rifle range training with a 206 average.

Vandiver, a former Earth resident enlisted in the National Guard February 22 and reported to Fort Chaffee and will later report to Fort Bliss.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Vandiver of Muleshoe visited him during the holidays.

## Earth - Littlefield Jaycee Joint Banquet And Installation Saturday, April 4

### Couple Injured In Auto Accident During Holidays

An Earth couple received minor injuries and one was hospitalized in a two car accident between Hereford and Canyon near Umbarger at 3:30 p.m. Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Danforth were enroute to Amarillo to spend the Easter holidays when the accident occurred.

Danforth was passing a car when the driver made a left hand turn off the highway onto an unpaved farm road.

Mrs. Danforth received treatment for shock and bruises at the Northwest Texas Hospital and released Monday in satisfactory condition. Danforth was treated for bruises and released.

Mrs. Danforth is dietician at the Springlake School cafeteria.

## Wolverine Band Candy Sale To Begin April 9

The members of the Springlake Wolverine Band will begin a sale on personalized chocolates, beginning Thursday, April 9.

The pure milk chocolates filled with roasted almonds are retailing for 50 cents and consequently no donations are involved and all purchasers get full value.

You may help by taking these world's finest chocolate bars to your office, club meetings or anywhere people gather. Most people will recognize these fine chocolates and seeing they are personalized for your band, will help speed sales with repeat orders. Parents may help by transporting their child from house to house that he may sell his product.

The band is in the process of outfitting themselves in new uniforms and are raising their own money through a new and sensational fund raising medium. The community will be proud of the band when they appear in these new uniforms.

Your support will be appreciated by members of the Wolverine Band.

The Earth and Littlefield Jaycees joint installation service and banquet will be held Saturday at 7:30 p.m. in the Littlefield Community Building.

New officers for the Earth Jaycees include Golden Ferguson, president; Glenn Yanning, first vice - president; Dwain Wheat, second vice - president; Ardis Barton, secretary; Eugene Lee, treasurer; Carroll McDonald, state director; E. C. Kelley, Emmett Myers, Melvin Parish, Ted Haberger, and W. L. Barton, directors.

Littlefield Jaycee officers to be installed are R. B. Chandler, president; Jimmy McCain, first vice-president; Earl Pierce, second vice - president; Bobby Pell, secretary; Ernest Mills, treasurer; Donald Hill, state director; Larry Messer, Denny Bussanamas, J. C. Davis, and Elmo Jones, directors.

Principal speaker of the evening will be Fred Helet Ardis Barton of Earth will be master of ceremonies, and Hugo Byer installing officer.

### ALFORD GROVES SPEAKS TO JAYCEES MONDAY

Alford Groves of Levelland was guest speaker at the regular weekly meeting of the Jaycees, Monday in the community building.

Groves spoke on Scouting and showed a film, "Explorer Scouting."

Nineteen members and six guests attended the meeting.

### Rites Held In San Antonio For Mother Of Mrs. W. E. Irvine

Funeral services for Mrs. Mildred Ellerman 62 of San Antonio were held at 10 a.m. Monday at the Highland Blvd. Church of Christ with Mr. Maurice Barnett officiating.

Mrs. Ellerman died at 4:30 a.m. Saturday, March 28 in a San Antonio hospital. She had been in ill health for several months.

Mrs. Ellerman had been a member of the Church of Christ since early childhood. She moved with her family to San Antonio in 1919. She had been employed in the bookkeeping department at United Service Automobile Association the past 25 years.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Wm. E. Irvine; two sisters, Terena Whitacre and Mrs. C. T. Maeleod, both of San Antonio; one brother, Dr. J. A. Whitacre of Stephenville, Texas; and three grandchildren, Stanley, Jerry and Nancy Irvine.

Burial was in a San Antonio cemetery under the direction of Roy Akers Funeral Home.

## Trustee Election Saturday, April 4; City Voting Tuesday, April 7

### Third Annual Springlake Talent Show Set For Thursday, April 16, 8 P. M.

The third annual PTA Talent Show is scheduled for 8 p.m. Thursday, April 16 in the Springlake School auditorium. This annual show is sponsored by the Springlake PTA. Prizes will be donated by Northern Star Seed Co. of O'Brien, Texas.

First prize will be \$40, second prize \$20, and third \$15. All entries must be turned in to Mrs. Marvin Sanders at the Superintendent's office by 6 p.m. April 16.

All local talent and any talent in this area or surrounding schools are invited to enter this talent show. An evening of fun and entertainment will be enjoyed by all the family.

There will be an admission charge of 25 cents and 50 cents.

### No Injuries Reported In Traffic Accidents Sunday And Monday

Two traffic mishaps occurred Sunday and Monday, one in Springlake, the other in Earth with no injuries reported.

In the Springlake accident was Mrs. Noretta Campbell of Springlake and Leatrice Johnson, (colored) of Hereford.

The accident occurred two blocks north of the caution light, when a 1956 Buick driven by Johnson rammed into the rear of the 1959 Chevrolet driven by Mrs. Campbell.

Both were issued tickets, one for no driver's license, and the other for following too closely behind the other vehicle.

Deputy Sheriff V. L. Smith, Jr. investigated the wreck and reported about \$100 worth of damages to both cars.

**TWO CAR WRECK IN EARTH MONDAY**  
A two car accident occurred in the residential section of Earth on First and Elm Streets at 9 a.m. Monday.

Mrs. C. L. Barlow, driver of a 1954 Ford and a 1959 Chevrolet, driven by Mrs. Neil Webb collided. Neither driver saw the other. Both women were uninjured.

An estimated damage of approximately \$500 was reported on both cars, according to Deputy V. L. Smith, Jr. who investigated the accident.

**Sunrise Service And Breakfast Held By MYF**  
An Easter Sunrise Service and breakfast was held at the Sandhills Sunday by the Methodist Youth Fellowship and counselors.

A worship service was conducted with 32 youths present.

Counselors were Rev. H. M. Seccord, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Parish and Mr. and Mrs. Perk Lee.

### Child Injured In Home Accident

A freak accident ended in surgery Saturday morning for John Kelley at the West Plains Hospital in Muleshoe.

Five days earlier John, five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kelley was at play at his parents farm home when he tripped and fell over a board with nail it, which pierced his knee cap.

John was treated and released, but was later admitted to the West Plains Hospital where the accident proved to be serious.

Surgery was performed on the knee cap. He was released from the hospital Monday and is improving.

**Stop Signs Erected At 1st and Elm Sts.**  
Two stop signs were erected on First and Elm Streets Monday afternoon.

The signs were erected for the protection of citizens traveling this much traveled street. A two car accident occurred early in the day Monday at the point where the signs were erected.

Other stop signs were erected following completion of the street paving project in October 1955.

Two election are scheduled in the next few days: the Springlake School Trustee Election, Saturday, April 4 and the City Alderman Election, Tuesday, April 7.

The school trustee election will be held at the High School building. The polls will open at 8 a.m. and close at 7 p.m.

Election judges will be Roy Byers, Jr., Hershel Sanders, Jess Goode and alternate George Richards.

Two posts will be filled at this election, by the vacancies created by Mrs. Beattie Welch and Guy Francis Kelley.

Candidates seeking the posts are Kenneth Boone of Springlake, Clarence Kelley and Guy F. Kelley, incumbent, both of Earth.

### CITY ELECTION TUESDAY, APRIL 7

Voters will go to the polls Tuesday, April 7 to select Aldermen in the City Election.

Names of candidates on the ballot will be Abe Griffin, Weldon Barton, Paul Wood, Bernie Sarra-diet, and James Grey.

The election judges will be Carroll McDonald, assisted by Mrs. Leonard Stephens, and Mrs. Lynn Glascock.

The polls will open at 7 a.m. at the Community Building and close at 7 p.m.

Citizens are urged to go to the polls and vote in the trustee election and Earth citizens are urged to vote in the City Election.

## Former Graduate Honor Student At Electronic School

A former Springlake graduate, Keith Leonhart of Fort Gordon, Georgia was named an honor roll student in the U. S. Army School of Electronics recently.

Leonhart also received a promotion to Pfc.

Leonhart received his basic training at Fort Carson, Colo. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Leonhart.

## Funeral Service Held For Dr. Gettys, Local Land Owner

Funeral services for Dr. A. C. Gettys 72, of Vernon, well known landowner of this area, were held at the First Baptist Church in Vernon Monday.

Dr. Gettys died Friday following a short illness.

He taught the Bible in the Mary-Hardin-Baylor College at Belton for 20 years.

Dr. Gettys is well known in the Springlake and Earth area. He was owner of a number of irrigated farms in this area and surrounding communities.

Dr. Gettys was a brother-in-law of R. O. Dickson of Earth.

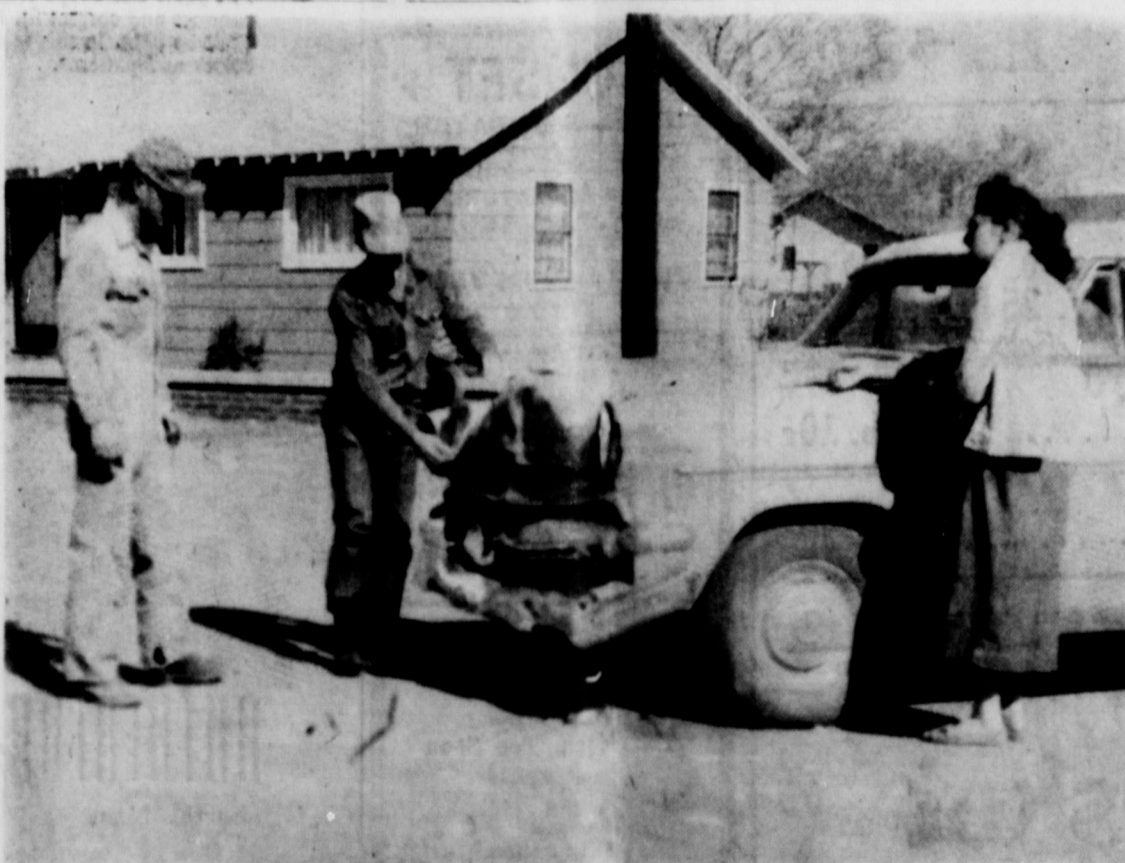
Survivors include his wife and three brothers.

## Springlake Student Joins U. S. Navy

DeWitt Kelley enlisted in the United States Navy Tuesday, March 24.

Kelley arrived at the San Diego Training Center Thursday, where he is undergoing basic training. He will be stationed there for the next nine weeks.

Kelley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kelley and attended



**TWO CAR SMASH - UP** - Two cars ran together at an intersection on First and Elm Streets Monday morning. Damages were estimated at approximately \$500 to both cars. Both drivers failed to see the other. No one was injured.

## Party Line...

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Laing during the holidays were her mother, Mrs. James L. Stewart of Savannah, Ga. and Virginia Sue Marshall, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John Marshall of Lake Jackson, Texas.

PL—  
Mrs. David Johnson and Ronnie visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thaxton in Plainview, Friday and attended the Plainview Fat Stock Show.

PL—  
Mrs. Lottie Orteg spent the weekend in Muleshoe with Rev. and Mrs. Jess Rains.

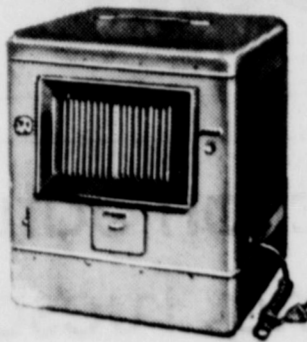
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### Open House Honors Couple On Golden Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Parish were honored on their fiftieth wedding anniversary with open house from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday in the home of a son, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Parish on East Main Street.

Mrs. Earl Parish, pianist furnished background music during the calling hours. Jacqueline Parish, granddaughter of the couple registered 97 guests.

The serving table was laid with a white outwork linen cloth, centered with an arrangement of yellow daffodils before a background of candelabra. A three tiered white wedding cake decorated in gold, highlighted the table.

Children of the couple assisted in hospitalities during the afternoon, which included Mr. and Mrs. Phil Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Parish, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parish, and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Parish. The honorees received many beautiful and useful gifts.

### Pupils Presented In Piano Recital

A piano recital was presented Sunday afternoon in the Springlake school auditorium by piano pupils of Mrs. Tom Samsell.

Pupils played the following numbers: "Estrill Antena" — Ann Bearden; "Jesus Loves Me" — Paula Etheridge; "Much Ado" — David Foster; "Easter Parade" — Jennifer Angeley; "Tummy" — Kita Struve; "Little Orphan Waltz" — Patricia Richburg; "Camptown Races" — Elizabeth Goode; "March of the Dwarfs" — Mickey Montgomery; "Little Brown Jug" and "The Country Fiddler" — Gary Bills; "Oh Susanna" — Dale Schellar; "Two Little Chipmunks" — Ricky Adkins; "Jukebox Boogie" — Donald Huff.

"Tribal Dance Duet" — Anita and Donita Kelley; "Little Spring Song" — Susan Britton; "Yankee Doodle" — Kirby Kelley; "In the Lion's Den" — Janice Miller; "My Pony" — Debbie Mallock; "Silver Skates" — Nona Reid; "Cross Hands Etude" — Billy Kaye Kelley; "At The Ball" — Beverly Britton; "Little Bo Peep" — Joyce Starkey; "Vocal Solo" — Janice and Beverly Miller; "Gertrude's Dream Waltz" — Beverly Miller; "Spinning Song" — Diana McNamara; "Swing High Swing Low" — Chris Dent; "Tummy" — Ginger Dent.

"In A Goldfish Bowl" — Beverly Kelley; "Soldiers On Parade" — Lonnie Adrian; "A Wee Little Waltz" — Martha Ann Adkins; "Toreador Song" — Norma Kelley; "To A Skeraper" — Devala Boone; "Swans On The Lake" — Harlyn Galloway; "Over The Waves" — Jane Randolph; "Starlight Waltz" — Alicia Galloway; "The Shipbuilders" and "Black Pirates" — Randy Kelley; "Here Comes Peter Cottontail" — Kathy Brown; "Bless Be The Tie" —

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### DRESS REVIEW

The Home Demonstration Clubs of Lamb County will present the Annual Dress Review at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 8 in the Littlefield Community Center.

The public is invited to attend. There will be no admission charge.

## PAYNE FUNERAL HOME

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### SENIOR GIRLS

High school senior girls and their mothers interested in obtaining information about sororities and Rush Week are invited to an information party at 2:30 p.m., April 12, in the Texas Tech Union ballroom.

Sponsored by the Lubbock and Tech Panhellenic, the party is for girls who plan to attend any college, not just Texas Tech. No reservations are needed.

### Panel Presents Program At Study Club Meeting

The subject, National Bible Week and a program discussion on different religions were presented at the meeting of the Town and Country Study club in the home of Mrs. Beryl Hamilton, Thursday evening, March 26.

Those on the panel discussion were Mrs. M. E. Kelley, Mrs. H. M. Secord, Mrs. Bonnie Green and Mrs. B. Campbell.

Dainty refreshments of parfait, almond tarts, salted nuts, and coffee was served.

Members attending were Mesdames Ted Haberer, James A. Littleton, Jr., C. W. Terry, Bonnie Green, James Winders, H. M. Secord, John Laing, B. Campbell, Sam Cearley, Roy Neal, H. F. Hodges, Clarence Hamilton, M. H. Been, M. E. Kelley, H. S. Sanders, and the hostess.

H. J. Gilmore spent the weekend in Las Cruces, N. M. and visited with their son, Verlin Gilmore who is in the William Beaumont Hospital in El Paso. He is reported to be improving.

Peggy Kelley; "Fairest Lord Jesus" — Carolyn Hucks; "Jesus Lover of My Soul" — Linda Stark; "Christ Arose" — Carolyn Cowley; and "How Great Thou Art" — Janita Blackburn.

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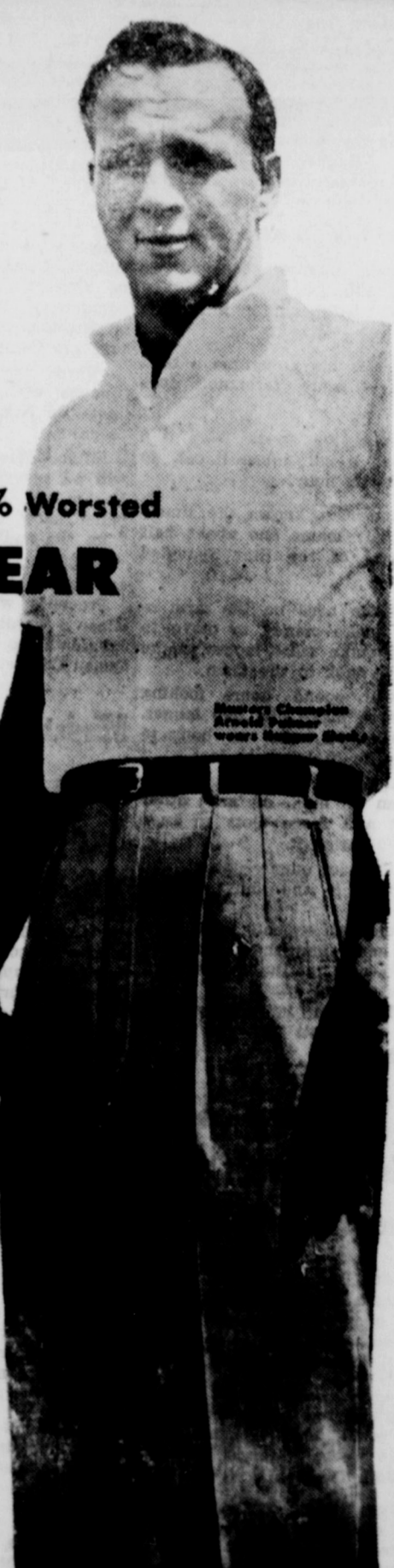
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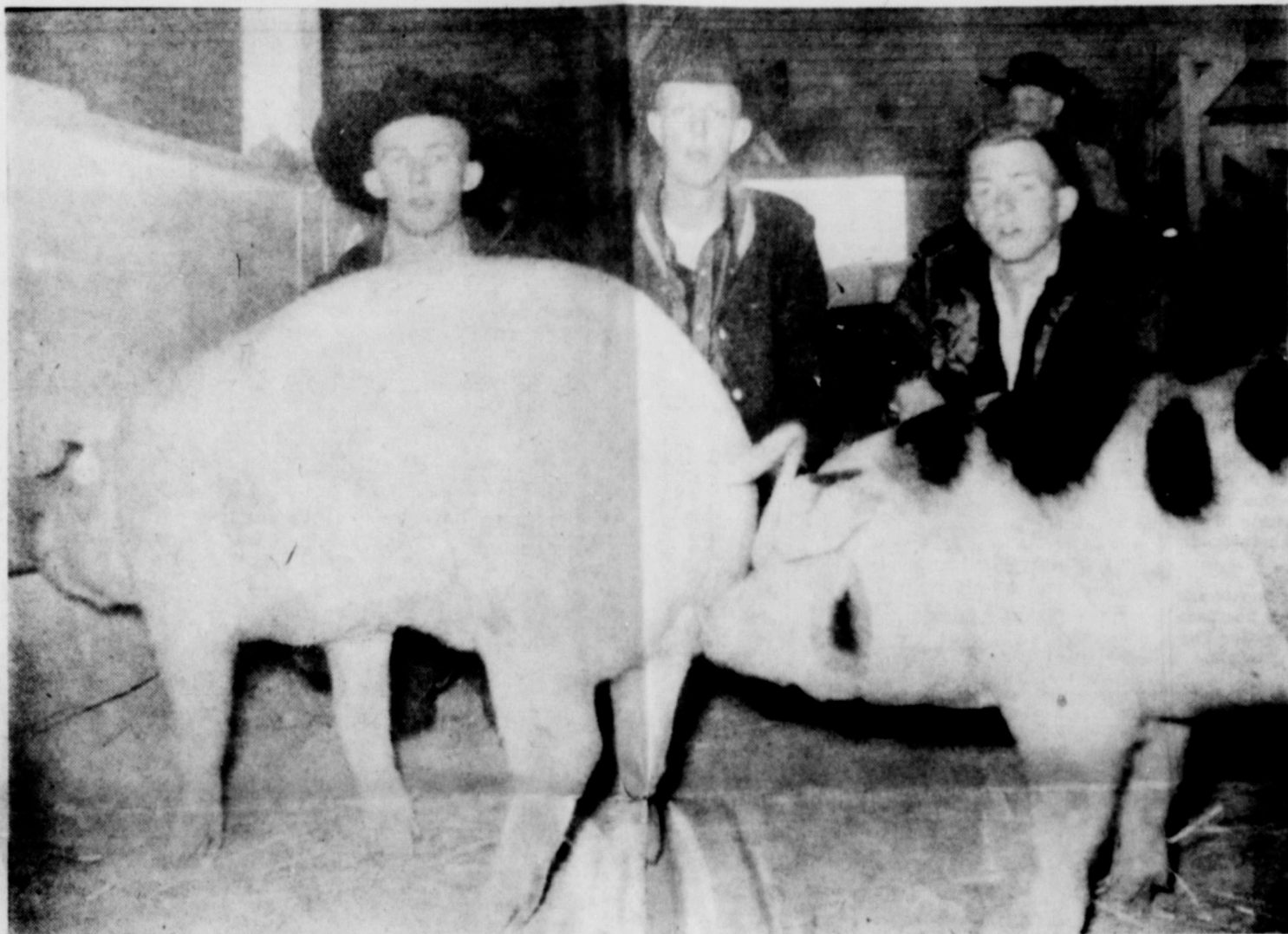
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**A GIFT TO THE FFA CHAPTER** — Sooner Queen, a Poland China gilt was purchased by the Earth Elevator as an award to Tracy Angeley and the Springlake FFA Chapter. E. G. Gaston and Tracy Angeley selected and purchased the gilt at the National Poland China Spotlight Show in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Sooner Queen is the daughter of Life Boy, sire of many Grand Champions. Pictured left to right E. G. Gaston, Carroll Blackwell, manager of Earth Elevator and Tracy Angeley.

## Boosters Purchase FFA Chapter Pigs At Plainview Fat Stock Show

Thirteen members of the Springlake FFA Chapter exhibited swine and calves at the 24th annual Plainview Fat Stock Show last week.

Those placing in the judging held Wednesday were Tracy Angeley, second and 4th, Poland China; Ronnie Johnson, second, chester white; Robert Taylor fifth, chesterwhite and Charles Cowley 15th.

Several Earth businessmen attended the livestock sale, Friday and purchased the Springlake FFA Chapter's hogs. The Earth FFA Booster club purchased Robert Taylor's and Ronnie Johnson's hogs for 35 cents a pound. E. C. Hudson purchased one of Tracy Angeley's for 38 cents a pound and E. K. Hufstедler of Lubbock purchased the other for 37 cents a pound.

Other FFA members exhibiting were Jerry Jones, Neil Martin, Darrell Barlow, Donald Stephens, Jerry Taylor, Donald Gover, Larry

Tunnell, Johnny Collins and Sandy Sanders exhibited two Hereford calves.

### JUDGING TEAM RATES 3rd and 1st IN DISTRICT

A judging team composed of Carl Sanderson, Jearl James and Ronnie Johnson won third place of 33 teams in the contest.

The team won first place in their district, second high team in steers and third high in sheep, and was awarded two banners for the chapter.

Ronnie Johnson won second high in individual in beef cattle; Carl Sanderson won fourth in individual on sheep and also won a three way tie for third high in individual in contest.

Mrs. W. R. Sanders and children of El Paso spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. M. Secord.



**LAKE VIEW RAVIN, \$1000 WORTH OF HOG—PROUDLY POSES FOR THIS PICTURE** — This Reserve Champion boar was purchased at the National Poland China Spotlight Show in Cedar Rapids, Iowa for the Springlake FFA Chapter. This boar was exhibited along with 90 boars by 30 outstanding breeders of the nation. The boar was selected by E. G. Gaston, Vocational Agriculture instructor of the Springlake Chapter. Tracy Angeley is pictured with the boar.

## Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Martin spent the weekend in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Martin.

John Laing, Jr. of Kemper Military Academy spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Laing.

A large group of children enjoyed an Easter egg hunt at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Dent, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Inglis and girls spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Bearden in Paducah.

Mrs. Bill Rudd spent Saturday and Sunday in Clovis with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Weems and family.

Dutch Been, Don Atkinson and Bill Stockard left Tuesday to fish near Austin. They will return home Saturday.

## Gilt And Boar Purchased For FFA Chapter at National Hog Show

Sooner Queen, a Poland China gilt was purchased at the National Poland China Spotlight Show and Sale in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, March 21, by the Earth Elevator.

The gilt, a daughter of Life Boy, sire of many Grand Champions was purchased from Harvey Richardson, who has shown many top bogs in open shows.

The gilt was selected and purchased for \$425 by E. G. Gaston, vocational agriculture department instructor.

The gilt was awarded to Tracy Angeley who recently exhibited the Grand Champion Poland China barrow at the Houston Fat Stock Show.

Tracy, in a signed agreement with Earth Elevator will give one gilt of each litter to the Earth Elevator, who in turn gives the gilt to vocational instructor, E. G. Gaston. The gilt will be placed in the hands of an FFA member, who shows an interest in his other projects and by his merits in vocational agriculture as determined by the instructor. Each member will be given a gilt in the same manner.

Tracy accompanied Gaston to the Poland China Sale in Cedar Rapids.

### RESERVE CHAMPION BOAR PURCHASED FOR FFA

A Reserve Champion boar was also purchased at the National Poland China Spotlight for the Springlake FFA Chapter.

The 7 1/2 months old boar, named Lake View Ravin was purchased for \$1,000 at the sale. He was selected by E. G. Gaston.

Lake View Ravin was one of the 90 boars exhibited by 30 outstanding breeders throughout the nation at the show.

The boar was bred by Caldwell of Illinois. The boar is out of the Royal Banker bloodline, which is a very popular bloodline in the Corn Belt. He weighs approximately 275 lbs.

He will be placed in one of the pens at the FFA Chapter hog barn on the acreage donated by Gus Parrish, back of the Rodeo grounds.

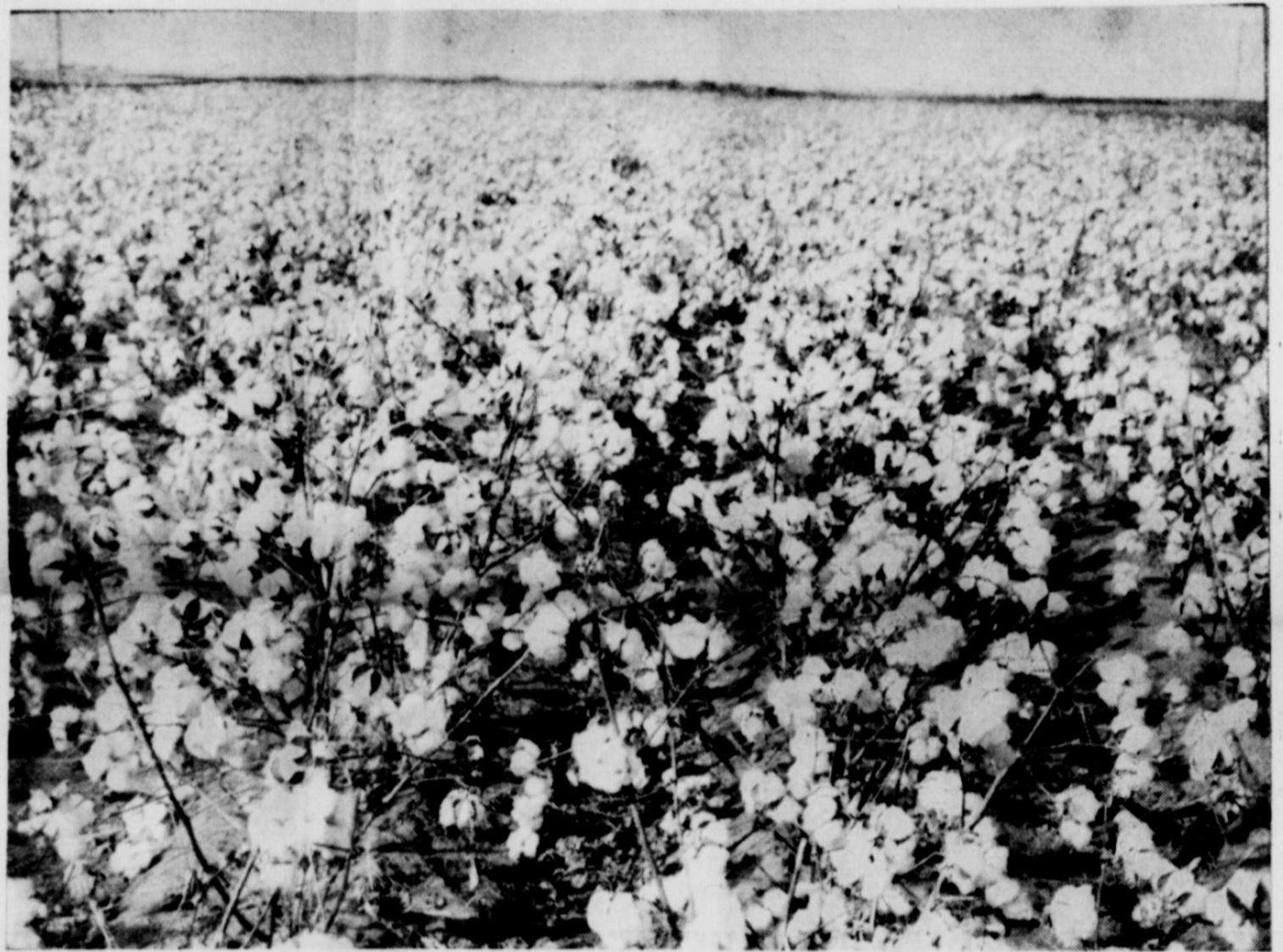
## Party Line...

Mrs. Rena Williams of Amarillo spent Wednesday and Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hooten.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Martin attended funeral services for Mrs. Mildred Ellerman in San Antonio, Monday.

Ullis Methvin of Roswell, N. M. was in Earth last week attending to business.

W. C. Maxcey, Lewis Paver and Freddie Maxcey attended the track and field meet at Abilene Christian College in Abilene last week.



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# Springlake - News

By MRS. BUD MATLOCK

## BAPTIST BROTHERHOOD FISH AT POSSUM KINGDOM

Several men from the Baptist Brotherhood enjoyed fishing at Possum Kingdom this week. Members going were Billy Watson, Earl Parish, Cliff Jester, H. G. Miller, and also Eldon Parish of Earth.

La Cretia and Brent Washington have been on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Loftis of Canyon visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Loftis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hedricks of Andrews and Johnny Adams of Whitharrell spent the weekend with her parents, the Jess Matlocks.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Perkins, Rhonda and Tanya of Amarillo visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Byers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bridges and Brad visited with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges Sunday.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson over the Easter holidays were their daughter and family of Okla. City.

Visiting in the Les Watson home and Jim Stone home were their brother-in-law and children, Vernon Gunn, Joyce, Jewel, and Franklin, all of Taft, Texas.

Mrs. Thelma McClanahan spent the weekend in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Avery. She also visited with Diane Avery who is a patient in the Clovis Hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. Cliff Jester and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Watson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hinson Easter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shot Sanders and children of Lubbock were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hershall Sanders. They also visited with other friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Winders

# Pleasant Valley News

By MRS. JOHN WEST

## DINNER AND PROGRAM AT COMMUNITY CENTER

The Nickels Gins and the Northern Star Seed Co. were sponsors of a dinner and program by the Stamps Quartet at the Pleasant Valley community and surrounding area. The dinner was cooked and served by the members of the Social Club to approximately 175 people.

Mr. and Mrs. John West and children returned from a visit to Walko, Kansas.

## PARTY HONORS MRS. CROWE ON 88th BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Angeley and children attended a party in honor of Mrs. J. R. Crowe on her 88th birthday. The party was held in the community building at Morton. There were 85 descendants present. Mrs. Angeley was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. Jewel Crowe, her sister and niece, Mrs. Bill Culver, Mrs. Leo Faulkner and Sabrina, all of Truth or Consequences, N. M.

Mrs. Bonnie Haberer has been ill.

Mrs. T. E. Bills and Mrs. John West were guests at a Mother's tea given by Girl Scout Troop 39 in Muleshoe. Brenda Bills and Katherine Sue West were among the girls who received certificates for successfully completing the cooking course given by the Southwestern Public Utilities for Girl Scouts.

Mrs. Gerald Allison and children spent Monday in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Allison. Nan Allison was home for the Easter holidays.

Hicks Monday night. They also plan to be with her Tuesday morning when she undergoes major surgery at Muleshoe.

Miss Carolyn Parish spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Parish. Carolyn is from Portales, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sanderson, Brian and Steve spent the Easter holidays in Glenrose, Texas with his parents.

Mrs. Thelma McClanahan went with Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Dodson to Lubbock Saturday, where F. V. received a medical checkup.

Mrs. Rita Foreman of Hobbs has been visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crawford.

Mrs. W. B. Hucks and boys shopped in Littlefield last Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Buck and sons have returned to their home in Denver, Colo. after spending a week with her parents, the Doyle Turners.

Mrs. W. A. Hardin and daughters are visiting her parents in Lubbock.

Doyce Turner accompanied the McGuire's of Muleshoe to Dallas for the weekend.

Social Club Has Stanley Party and Meeting

The Pleasant Valley Social Club met at the community center for the regular meeting and a Stanley party. Jean Hardin and Eula Calhoun were hostesses. Ruth Briscoe and Vickie Hendrix were elected captains for a contest to be started at the next meeting. A report on the dinner served was given.

The S. L. Jackson family went to Rogers, N. M. for a family Easter egg hunt and dinner. The afternoon was spent playing 42 and visiting.

## AMONG THOSE WHO ARE ILL!

Mrs. Dee Lott was dismissed Saturday from the Littlefield Hospital and Clinic where she underwent surgery last week. She is getting along nicely.

Forrest Simmons was dismissed from the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Friday. Simmons had been a patient at the hospital five weeks, where he underwent major surgery. He is reported to be steadily improving.

Naney Kelley received treatment three days last week at the West Plains Hospital in Muleshoe for a throat infection. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kelley.

Mrs. Fred Jones of Dimmitt underwent surgery at Saint Mary's Hospital in Rochester, Minnesota, Tuesday, March 24 following a week of observation and tests. Her son, Edward C. Jones, formerly of Earth is at the bedside of his mother who expects to be hospitalized for ten days.

Mrs. Bob O'Hair was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital and Clinic, Wednesday suffering from pneumonia. She was dismissed

# Grass Seed May Be Answer To Farmers Cash Crop

Many cooperators with Lamb County Soil Conservation District are asking themselves these days as planting time is approaching: What other cash crop can I plant this year?

Several cooperators are planning to establish grasses for seed production. As many land owners and operators have already found grass growing can be profitable in many ways, not only from the immediate profits from sale of grass seed, but from the long range effect of soil improvement using grasses in rotation with clean tillage crops such as cotton and grain sorghums.

Under irrigation, yields have been increased as much as a bale per acre — cotton following perennial grasses.

Approximately 1200 acres was devoted to grass seed production in the Lamb County Soil Conservation District in 1958, with some 10 species of grasses being grown.

Among the grass seed producers were V. O. Busby, Star Rt. 2, Olton; Alvin Bagwell, and Harley Busamuss of Littlefield; Troy Moss, Star Rt. 1, Littlefield; Cehlas Glover, and Martin Farmer, Star Rt. 1, Littlefield; Walter Gray, Star Rt. 2, Littlefield; Wallace Gosden, Rt. 2, Sudan; O. C. Fox, Star Rt. 2, Littlefield; D. W. Lawson, Littlefield; L. L. LaDuke, Rt. 1, Olton; J. G. Graham, Rt. 1, Olton; Norman Emfinger, Littlefield; Vernon Britton, Star Rt. Earth; C. C. Slaughter, Rt. 1, Amherst; Fred Smith, Rt. 1, Olton; T. E. Johnson, Littlefield, and Cecil M. Johnson, Littlefield.

Grass seeding is expected to increase by several hundred acres this year in the Lamb County Soil Conservation District. Expected yields vary with species and varieties. Indian Grass, given proper management including fertilizing can be expected to produce from 40 to 1000 pounds of seed per acre the second year of growth with an average yield of 500 pounds per acre.

Monday and is reported to be improving.

S. H. Chaney is reported to be slowly improving at Saint Mary's Hospital in Lubbock. Chaney was admitted to the hospital two weeks ago for treatment of an infection.

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Mrs. Bill Stephens and son of Canyon spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Houston Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Marton have returned home after spending the winter months in Houston and Brownwood.

Mrs. Bud Elmore and Martha shopped in Clovis, Friday.

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# Sunnyside News -

by MRS TEENA BOWDEN

Mrs. Dwayne Louder played on the Altru Junior Study Club volleyball team that won second place in the Springlake tournament last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges, Mrs. S. M. Taylor, Mrs. Raymond Haydon and Mrs. Dwayne Louder and Lance attended the housewarming for Mr. and Mrs. John Bridges and family last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haydon visited last Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ott and family of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Ott and family of Big Square.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ott and Mrs. Alton Louder visited with Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Ott

and family last Sunday afternoon.

Gerald Elkins underwent nasal surgery in a Lubbock Hospital Monday. He came home Wednesday.

Six ladies attended the sewing class conducted by Mrs. Cecil Curtis in her home Monday afternoon.

The quarterly executive WMU committee met Monday afternoon to make plans for the next quarter in the home of the president, Mrs. E. R. Sadler.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Paschal, and Keith were dinner guests of Mrs. Pearl Sadler in Dimmitt Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cummings and family were supper guests.

**CORRECTION** — Carolyn Holcomb placed third in the Castro County Spelling Bee in the senior division, instead of first place as reported last week.

Ezell Sadler and E. R. Sadler spent Tuesday night in Hale Center with Erceel Keeler. They left early Wednesday morning to fish at Sugar Lake for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan and Rev. Murie Rogers attended Worker's Conference in Plainview Tuesday night.

The WMS met for business Wednesday night with the president in charge.

The Nursery, Beginner and Primary Sunday School classes en-

joyed an Easter egg hunt at the church Thursday afternoon after school.

The Junior GA's enjoyed an Easter egg hunt and picnic Thursday afternoon at the church.

Mrs. Roy Lilley visited Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Johnnie Armstrong in Hart.

Mrs. J. T. Holcomb was admitted to the Castro County Hospital in Dimmitt Thursday afternoon with strep throat. Several in the community have been in bed a day or more with sore throats the last two weeks.

Mrs. Tommie Armstrong and Scottie visited with her mother in Olton Thursday afternoon.

Patsy Armstrong from Lubbock is visiting again with the Bobby Armstrong family.

The men and women practiced volleyball at Dimmitt Monday and Thursday nights in preparation for the Hart tournament next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelan and family, Rev. and Mrs. Murie Rogers and Butch and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Paschal and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Noah Spencer in the Paschal home Thursday night, honoring them on their 15th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. E. R. Sadler and Mrs. L. B. Bowden attended the Cancer meeting at the community room of the bank in Dimmitt Thursday night. Plans were made for the annual Crusade, April 14th.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ott, Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haydon and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Louder attended a birthday supper honoring Mrs. Milton Ott in the Bill Ott home near Hereford Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dean of Halfway were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan Friday.

Four ladies attended the Missionary Round-table at the church Friday afternoon. Mrs. Milburn Haydon reviewed the book "Where Else But Alaska."

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Louder and Yvonne and Mrs. L. B. Bowden visited in Lubbock Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Westmoreland and Lori Lene. Mrs. Louder and Yvonne stayed to visit a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelan and family left Friday evening for Weatherford to visit with relatives during the Easter holidays. Mrs. Lula Phelan returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. McRee and Mike spent the weekend with relatives in Denton.

Richard Jenkins, Rita Holcomb, and Omota Bradley were home from college for the Easter holidays.

Kay and Ray Bradley from Dimmitt spent Friday night with Molly and Lee Bradley. Their mother came for them Saturday.

Jonalynn Aldridge from Dimmitt visited Saturday with Omota.

Mrs. Tex Conard and Mrs. Roy Lilley left Saturday to go to Altus, Okla. for the Easter pageant there.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Haydon and Kelly from Springlake and Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haydon enjoyed an Easter dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Haydon Saturday.

Albert Shaw from Big Springs

spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Haydon and other relatives.

## HONORED WITH PARTY

Several attended a farewell party at the community building Saturday night for Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Haydon who will move to Weatherford next week. Several gifts were presented to them.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Widner and Jaton visited Sunday in Melrose, N. M. with relatives.

Mrs. E. R. Sadler and Myles and Mrs. Pearl Sadler from Dimmitt visited Sunday in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler and Denise.

Mrs. Cecil Curtis, Mrs. Ray Axtell, Mrs. J. E. Shirey and Mrs. V. H. McRee had cake and coffee with Mrs. Milton Ott on her birthday Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ott were in the Milburn Haydon home Thursday for Mrs. Ott's birthday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Taylor and Bobby Sid from Dimmitt visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Taylor.

Several attended the P. C. A. dinner in Plainview Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley and family visited in Tucumcari, N. M. Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Behrends from Lubbock visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sid Taylor. Mrs. Taylor returned to Lubbock with them Sunday evening to enter the Methodist Hospital for treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Louder and Lance and Alton Louder visited in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Westmoreland and Lori Lene. Yvonne came home with them.

Ronal Stillwell from Abernathy visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Stillwell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gammage from Plainview visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Elkins and Cindy attended the annual Easter egg hunt at Olton Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Howard Bridges received

word Sunday afternoon of the death of her mother in Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Powers and Sherry and Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Russell and Phyllis from Lubbock visited in the church service Sunday morning with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Powers. Mrs. Wayne Powers and Shirley Jo from Plainview attended the evening service.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lilley and Twila visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Patterson of Sumerfield.

Tommie Lilley visited Sunday with Cardia Smith of Hart.

Ninety six attended Sunday School with 67 in Training Union Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving King visited in Amarillo Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Francis King and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clayton and Mr. and Mrs. Enos Harner fished at Lake Walk near Del Rio last week. The Claytons returned home Thursday. The Harpers went to Mission, Texas for a visit with friends.

## Party Line....

and Mrs. Elbert Tommarson of Springlake. —PL—

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sandel and son of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis. —PL—

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rudd Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tommarson and children of Plainview and Mr. W. Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sandel and son of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis. —PL—

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## Stark Murder Trial Postponed Until May, Defense Attorney Has Laryngitis

The murder trial of Joe Stark of Earth has been postponed due to a severe case of laryngitis, suffered by Billy Hall, Littlefield attorney who is representing the defendant. The trial was originally set for the first part of April. Stark is charged with murder with malice in the slaying of Delbert Glenn Jackson, an oilfield worker, September 18, 1958, on the LaDuke farm at Springlake.

Stark, Jackson and Franklin Bowns had been drinking and playing poker until 2 a.m. the morning of the shooting. Stark underwent a lie detector test in Lubbock after telling two different versions of the details leading to the death of Jackson. Hall has been ordered by his doctor not to take part in any trials for the next month or six weeks.

## DATE LINE . . .

by Sharon Hay

Well, this has really been the sort of weekend students, (teachers too, for that matter) dream of every weekend being, hasn't it? I know the senior play cast and directors welcomed it most! But they all started Monday night working hard, again. We just can't hardly wait for April 21, we know everyone is really going to be surprised when they find out who the Tiger really is!!!

### DATE NEWS:

Pat McLeod and Larry Kirk went to Clovis Saturday night. Sunday Pat spent the day with Larry and Sunday night they saw "I Want To Live" at Muleshoe. Monday night Larry came to play practice with Pat. Those two really did take advantage of the big weekend, didn't they???

Burl Branscum and Kay McCord were together Wednesday, Saturday, and Sunday nights. Kay really must have been sleepy Sunday night. She went to sleep at the end of the show!!!

Janice Prather and Gene Stephens weren't together as much as they usually are. Gene spent Sunday night in Amarillo, but they were together Tuesday, Friday, and Saturday nights and all day Sunday. I believe this was almost enough, don't you???

Judy Kay Wood and Tracy Angley were together at play practice several times this past week. We don't know exactly what they did over the weekend, but I bet they had fun.

Peggy (Joan) Stansell really had a busy week. Thursday night she and Kenny Stephens of Muleshoe were riding around in Earth together. Saturday night they went to the show in Earth and Sunday night after they went to church, Peggy and Kenny went to the show in Earth again. Friday night, Peggy was with Elene Martin, another Muleshoe boy. Peggy and Elene went to a show in Clovis. I believe Peggy better slow down and catch her breath!!!

Yvonne Loudder and Tom Messer were together Tuesday and Thursday nights, but Yvonne left Friday morning and didn't get back until Sunday night. But we know she was really glad she came back, because Tom gave her a beautiful box of "Easter" candy!

Lin Beasley and Charley Giles were together Saturday night. Sharon Hay and Dean Jones were

with them and they all went to Olton. Sharon and Dean gave Lin a lovely present (a chocolate Easter egg) and Dean also gave Sharon a present (a white orchid)! Well, these girls were so happy — they dyed Easter eggs all Sunday afternoon!!!

Jimmy Rose made his usual trips to Dimmitt to see Sandra Hodges. And as usual, they stayed in Dimmitt! Jimmy and Sandra were together Friday, Saturday and Monday nights. Jimmy gave Sandra a box of candy.

Billy Jean Watson was another busy little girl this past week. She was with Don Sanderson Friday and Tuesday nights. Then Saturday night she was with A. C. George of Tulla!

Minnie Wheat and Rayburn were together Friday and Sunday nights. Minnie was also with Richard Moore Monday night. J. W. Bittner of Littlefield Sunday night and with A. C. George Thursday night. You better slow down a little, Minnie!!!

Kay Wheat and Hal Nicholson really were on the go this week. Tuesday, Friday, and Saturday nights they were in Earth, riding around and going to the show. Thursday night they were in Olton at Buddy Nicholson's house for Buddy's birthday dinner. Sunday afternoon and night Kay and Hal were in Plainview.

Norma Hamilton and Glenn Bulls were together Friday night. Norma was also with Mike Burgess Saturday night. Did everyone enjoy themselves???

Linda Rose and Bud Hemphill were together Friday night, and then again Sunday night. Sunday they went to church and then to the show.

Darlynna Morris and Buddy Nicholson seem to have everything all settled and are going steady. They were together Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday nights. These two really are going steady, aren't they???

Jenna V. Brock and Delvin Walden were at the show in Earth Thursday night, they watched television Friday and all day Sunday, they were in Littlefield.

Well, everyone, this is all for this week. Hope you didn't get fooled to many times Wednesday! See you next week!!!

### Party Line.....

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hickman, were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Smith and Debbie of Snyder, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos Harper attended funeral services for Mrs. Mildred Ellerman in San Antonio, Monday.

## Burma - Buddhism Program Given At XIT Study Club

Mrs. Rudolph Bloom entertained the XIT Study club in her home Tuesday evening. A program on "Burma and Buddhism" was given by Mrs. Thomas Alair and Mrs. Ernest Baker. The projects committee reported that a piano had been purchased for the community building. Club members voted to pay their part which will be approximately \$75.

An Easter arrangement centered the serving table. Punch and cake was served to members and guests which included Mesdames J. J. Coker, Thomas Alair, Jimmy Winder, Jimmy Banks, Donald Kelley, Bill Clayton, Earl Parish, Ernest Baker, Billy Clayton, Orville Cleavinger, Kenneth Hinson, Ed-

## HELLO WORLD!



IT'S A BOY!

Mr. and Mrs. James Powell proudly announce the arrival of their first child, a son born at 10:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 31 at the Deaf Smith County Hospital in Hereford. He was named Randy Dewayne

win Jones, the hostess and two guests, Mrs. Clifford Hoping and Mrs. Kenneth Holloway.

and weighed 6 lbs., 11 ozs. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler of Sunnyside and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Powell of Earth. The father is stationed in San Diego, Calif. with the U. S. Navy.

## Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Ball, Randy and Debra of Olton and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Davis, Craig, Coy and Cliff of Pecos spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Newton.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Anderson, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hardy of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Don Hardy of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Lena Hite spent the Easter holiday with Mrs. S. E. Hite in Plainview.

## Haberer Home Scene Of Birthday Luncheon

A birthday luncheon honoring Mrs. James A. Littleton, Jr. was held Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Ted Haberer.

The table was laid with a cut-work linen cloth, centered with an Easter tree. The honoree gift was a polished brass wall lamp.

Guests attending included Mesdames Lucy Brock, Georgia Stock and Mary Furgeson, Joy Haberer, Irma Lee Atkinson, Virginia Barton, Millie Armstrong, Russell Haberer, and two out of town guests, Mrs. Montez Howard and Mrs. Colleen Gregory, both of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hinson have returned home after a three weeks stay in Truth or Consequences, N. M. Mrs. Hinson also visited in Phoenix, Ariz.

## Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Higgins and girls of Dallas spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Higgins.

Mrs. Nola Carter of Vernon and Mrs. Edna Worley of Kermit were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Parish.

Among those attending funeral services for Dr. A. C. Gettys in Vernon Monday, were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haley, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Brockett, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Parish, and Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Dickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Floy Burgess and Ruby Jones attended the 28th Annual Alumni banquet at the Vinson High School in Vinson, Okla. Saturday night.

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