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Supervisor Named For Swimming Pool

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WITH POLLY

Our new Heidelberg press came in Wednesday. It stirred up the personnel for awhile, chiefly because it had to be unloaded from the freight truck with a winch truck and after the hustle and bustle, we didn't have time to uncrate it, we had to go on with getting the paper out.

Ross wanted a Heidelberg letter press for so many years, that he finally forked out that first \$1,000 down about three weeks ago at the Press meeting and ordered it. Strangely enough the fact that we'll be making payments for the next three years, dulls the glamour of it somewhat for me, but for Ross who thinks only in terms of its printing automatically without someone feeding paper into it and the fact that he has to push a button and it cleans itself up, plus the automatic numbering apparatus that has always taken us hours to do it with a hand machine, can add hours to our ability to turn out the work speedier and without so much stress and strain.

If there was ever a question in my mind as to which Ross had rather have me or a new Heidelberg, there's definitely no doubt left in my mind now, he even bows and smiles to that huge crate in the back shop, and sometimes mutters something (and he never bows to me - sometimes he does mutter something, however I'm not positive that I should put forth much effort to hear what he says-it might give me a complex.)

Now, all we have to wait for is for the man from Denver, Colorado to install it for us, and we can swing into action. We hope we can keep it busy producing all your Commercial Printing.

--- nosin' ---

The Springlake Band looked like a flat million dollars wearing their new BAND UNIFORMS Tuesday night at the Concert.

They not only looked like a million, they also played like a million. Hours of hard work had gone into making them into the kind of Band they are today.

Hemphill has done a remarkable job, almost an unbelievable improvement marks our Band today. The kids are eager to please him, and in so doing they have gained pride in themselves, their ability to perform, their behavior, and appearance. (In other words, they're plain good because they have a TOP KNOTCH INSTRUCTOR who has made it important to each member to do their best at all times). GOOD LUCK FRIDAY at the Plainview Contest.

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I can't help but become concerned over our Swimming Pool. The pool has been at its present stage of installation for over six weeks now, with nothing more being done to it. The kids are beginning to chew their nails in concern that nothing is being done to complete it, and school will be out soon.

I feel absolutely certain that work will be resumed on the pool soon in order to have it in readiness for the season ahead. (I hope).

Young People Attend Meeting

A group of young people of the First Baptist attended an informal fellowship meeting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wood, Sunday night after church services.

Honored guest was Dr. James G. Harris of Fort Worth. The song was led by Jim Bortoff.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Jarvis Angeley, and Mrs. Clarence Kelley.

Norman Hemphill assisted by Mrs. Hemphill were named supervisors of the city swimming pool by the Swimming Pool Governing Board of the City Park at a meeting held Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hemphill accepted the position and will be in charge of the newly erected swimming pool during the summer months. Hemphill is the Springlake Wolverine Band director.

Date of opening of the pool will be announced later, along with admission charge and regulations on the pool.

Those attending were the following directors, Bill Bryant, Dutch Been, Ardis Barton, and Mayor Marcus Messer and Mrs. Rubye Anderson.

New Sewer Line

Two blocks of new sewer line is being laid in the J. A. Parish Southside Addition.

The construction is being done by Moore Pipeline Co. of Lubbock.

Building Permits Issued

Two building permits have been issued recently to C. P. Parish and Bob Ussery.

Parish is constructing a 4 bedroom, 3 bath and 4 car garage home in the J. A. Parish Southside Addition.

Ussery, local contractor was issued a permit to erect a 3 bedroom, stucco and brick house in the Doughty Addition.

New Program Introduced At Lions Meeting

A Lions Cultural Development program was introduced at Earth the Lions Club Tuesday noon by Bill Mann, Lion boss.

The five questions were printed and passed out to members. The two scoring the highest point in contest were K. D. Pittman, minister of the Springlake Church of Christ and Tuffy Dent. The cultural development questions will continue at the next meetings.

Club members voted to give a donation to the PTA school project, which is to construct a cement slab on the Springlake school play grounds.

The Lions annual broom and light bulb sale is scheduled for May 26. All proceeds are to be used for various worthy projects of the Earth Lions Club.

Former Area Resident Dies At Stratford

Harvey David Smith, 51, of Stratford, Tex., former resident of this area, died Thursday, April 22 of a heart attack enroute to a hospital.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in the First Methodist church in Dimmitt.

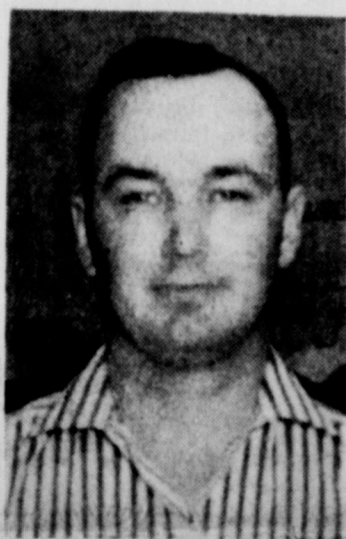
Burial was in the Dimmitt Cemetery under the direction of Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home of Stratford.

Smith moved from Dimmitt to Stratford four years ago as an employee of the Texas Highway Department.

Survivors include his wife, Ocie; four sons, Jimmy of Dalhart; Harvey Jr. of Oklahoma City; Jackie of Lawton, Okla. and Homer of Fletcher, Okla.; two daughters, Miss Cathy Smith of Stratford and Mrs. Barbara Rother of Oklahoma City; three stepsons, Raymond Fulenwider of Earth; Jimmy Fulenwider of Cleburne; four brothers, four sisters and two grandchildren.



FRESHMEN FFA STUDENTS — Proudly display their banners, ribbons and awards for their winnings in the Grain judging contest at Texas Tech Saturday. Pictured left to right, Shelby Bozeman, Jerry Jones, Ross Morris and Bobby Sloan.



ELDON TROTTER

Littlefield Man Purchases Earth Dry Cleaners

Eldon Trotter of Littlefield has announced the purchase of the Earth Dry Cleaners.

Trotter assumed management of the new business Monday. He has had eight years of experience in the dry cleaning business and prior to the purchase of the Earth Cleaners, he had been employed at the Littlefield Steam Laundry. Trotter said, the same personnel would remain and the name would remain the same.

Trotter plans to move his wife and 5 years old son, Rickie Lynn here as soon as housing is available.

The Trotters are members of the Emanuel Lutheran Church.

Trotter invites everyone to come by and get acquainted. Prompt, courteous service will be given at all times, and also S and H Green stamps.

FFA Seed And Livestock Teams Place In Contests At Texas Tech

Two FFA chapter judging teams won fourth and seventh in seed livestock judging contest held at Texas Tech, Saturday.

The crop contest team included Shelby Bozeman, Jerry Jones and Ross Morris. Bobby Sloan was an alternate.

The team won fourth in the entire contest out of 35 teams. They won first on grain grading and second in judging seed. Shelby Bozeman won third in individual judging in the contest and was presented a medal. He was first in grading out of 195 boys. Jerry Jones was ninth in the entire con-

test and fifth in judging out of 195 boys. The team placed third out of 18 teams in Area I.

The phases in which the boys competed were seed judging, grain grading, and seed identification.

The Livestock Judging team won seventh in the top ten and qualified for state.

E. G. Gaston, vocational agriculture instructor and the livestock judging team which is composed of Jerrell Hatway, Carl Sanderson and Ronnie Johnson left today (Thursday) to enter the state contest at Texas A. & M. College.

Springlake Firemen Attend Three Day School In Lubbock

Springlake Fire Chief Jess Watson and Springlake firemen attended a 3-day West Texas Conference Fire School in Lubbock.

Firemen were instructed and drilled in regard to fighting liquid petroleum fires. Instructors were from Texas A. & M. Fire Fighting School.

Two firemen accompanied Watson to Springlake, Tuesday night, they were W. H. (Chaplie) Lumpkin, engineer of Central Fire Station in Dallas and O. C. Martin, master mechanic, also of Dallas.

Open House For Fire Truck A Success

Jess Watson, Springlake fire chief, reported a good turnout at the Open House held last Saturday, displaying Springlake's new fire truck. Fire chief Dunnington of Littlefield along with other firemen from Littlefield attended the opening and participated in a fire drill with the Springlake volunteer firemen.

Sharon Hay To Enter West Texas Press Association Scholarship Contest

(Editor's note — Sharon Hay, Springlake Senior student will enter the West Texas Press Association Journalism contest. Sharon has written a column, "Dateline," reporting the high school activities and students' social happenings in the 1958-59 school term. Sharon hopes to become a journalist.)

WORK, WORK, WORK

By Sharon Hay

As you read this, you will be in the last six weeks of the school year. During the past thirty weeks most of us have been working hard trying to maintain good grades and scholarship, but a few of us have slipped down into the D's and failed.

Most people feel that the first six weeks period is the most important one, but we do not agree with this thought.



FORMAL OPENING — Earth Auto Parts held their formal opening, Saturday at their new store in Earth. Pictured are Mrs. Polly Middleton, co-publisher of the Earth News-Sun; Mr. Chandler of Anton; Ostell Chandler of Littlefield, co-owner and Edd Trimmer, manager.

Soil Stewardship Week May 3 - 9

Funeral Services Held For Father Of Chester Elmore

Funeral services were held Friday for Frank Elmore, 81, of Haskell, Texas.

Elmore, a retired farmer died following an illness of several years.

Elmore moved from Missouri to Texas at the age of 10. He lived with his family at Post for several years before moving to the Center Point Community. He farmed at Paint Creek from 1923 to 1956. Following retirement he and his wife moved to Haskell.

He is a member of the First Baptist Church.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Friday in the First Methodist with Rev. H. G. Hammer, pastor of the Roberts Community Baptist church officiating, assisted by Rev. Oscar Brace, church pastor.

Burial was in the Willow Cemetery under the direction of Holden's Funeral Home.

Survivors include the wife; five sons, Chester of Earth, Otis of Haskell, J. W. of Gilmer, Doyle of Ozona, and E. L. of Rule; 1 brother, R. P. Elmore of Haskell; 1 sister, Mrs. Fannie Briden of Breckenridge and 10 grandchildren.

Funeral Services Held For Father Of Chester Elmore

The approach of Soil Stewardship Week, May 3rd thru the 9th, sponsored by National Association of Soil Conservation Districts and National Church Organizations again focuses attention on the kinship between a man's spiritual beliefs and the soil resources on which his life depends.

The Lamb County Soil Conservation District has for many years taken part in this gratifying commemoration. To commemorate Soil Stewardship week this year, the Lamb County SCD has planned a program to acquaint local ministers in the Lamb Co. SCD with the first hand happenings in Soil and Water Conservation. This will be done in the form of a field tour following early morning breakfast on May 5. The breakfast will be in Littlefield, followed by a tour of farms in the vicinity observing conservation on the ground.

To conclude the days activities the Littlefield Lions Club will make their annual Outstanding Conservationist award presentation at their noon luncheon. This year's recipient is Euel C. Jones of Olton. J. E. Johnson of Littlefield will receive a like award as last year's outstanding conservationist.

Indications are that 15 to 20 churches in the Lamb County SCD will observe Soil Stewardship Services either May 3rd or the 10th.

An Eleventh Commandment

SOIL STEWARDSHIP

"Thou shall inherit the Holy Earth as a faithful steward, conserving its resources and productivity from generation to generation. Thou shall safeguard thy fields from soil erosion, thy living waters from drying up, thy forest from desolation, and protect thy hills from overgrazing by thy herds, that thy descendants may have abundance forever. If any fails in this stewardship of the land, thy fruitful fields shall become sterile, stony ground and wasting gullies, and thy descendants shall decrease and live in poverty or perish from off the face of the earth." Dr. Walter Clay Lowdermilk.

Sealed Bids To Be Received On Lions Club Lots

The Earth Lions Club will accept sealed bids on a 109 x 140 ft. lots located on East Main Street across the street from the Earth "66" Service.

Bids may be turned into Carroll McDonald or Phil Raught.

The Lions Club has the right to refuse any or all bids.

Deadline date for the sealed bids will be at 7 p.m. Thursday, May 7.

NOTICE

SCHOOL NEEDS GRASS

The Springlake School campus is being soddled with African Burmuda grass. Anyone having this kind of grass, and would like to donate it to help beautify the campus, are asked to call the school.

BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE

The Young People of the Earth Baptist church will attend Foreign Missions of the Baptist Assembly at Grisetta, N. M., August 13-29.

Any information or reservations can be made by contacting Jarvis Angeley, sponsor.

SPRINGLAKE FIREMEN

The Springlake Volunteer Department will meet at 8 p. m. Thursday at the Fire Hall.

Anyone interested in being a volunteer fireman are urged to attend this meeting.

Baptist Vacation Church School Set For June 1-10

The First Baptist Church Vacation Bible School has been announced to be held June 1-10 according to the pastor, Rev. Cecil Meadows.

Classes and teachers of each department will be announced at a later date.

Approximately 200 enrolled in the church school last year. All parents and children are urged to attend.

"Veto" comes from the Latin meaning "I forbid."

Sunnyside News -

by TEENY BOWDEN

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Looney and family from Amarillo were weekend guests of Mrs. T. M. Sweeney and Bill last weekend.

A. S. Bahn, Bill Bahn, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bahn and family from Amarillo visited with Mrs. F. M. Sweeney and Bill and Mr. and Mrs. Irving King last Sunday.

Mrs. Sonny Adams was admitted

to the Castro County Hospital in Dimmitt last Saturday night and dismissed Monday for the birth of a 7 lb. 5 oz. boy, Sonny Bill. They were dismissed Thursday.

Richard Jenkins was admitted to the Castro County Hospital Monday for tests. Tests this week revealed rheumatic fever.

Mrs. Dave Patterson from Sumnerfield stayed this week with

Twila and Tommie Lilley while their parents were in El Paso.

The revival Evangelist Rev. Clyde Pittman from Menard, Texas, the Song Leader, Frank Tseng from Wayland and the Pastor, Rev. Murlie Rogers and family were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Weidon Bradley and family Monday night.

The Young Married Couples' Sunday School Class was recognized Monday night in the revival service for the largest attendance. Their enrollment is 14. Ten were present. Mrs. Raymond Lilley is their teacher.

Myles Sadler, Mike McRee, Carl Bradley, and Buddy Cummings attended Band practice at Dimmitt Monday night. They participated in the Concert Contest in Canyon Thursday. The Dimmitt Band won first in their division.

The sewing class enjoyed learning to make covers for throw pillows in the home of Mrs. Marlin Power Tuesday afternoon. Seven ladies attended.

The Evangelist and Pastor and wife were dinner and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. McRee Tuesday. The singer and Butch were also supper guests.

Paula Jean Luddler, Elaine Stovall and Lee Bradley were in the opera of "Sleeping Beauty" presented to the PTA in Dimmitt Tuesday night. Lee was sick and didn't take part.

Verdena Curtis was one of two Springlake seniors awarded as outstanding student this year. The awards were presented at the 4th annual Earth Chamber of Commerce Banquet at the School Cafeteria last Friday night.

Jane Ogletree and Ivey Carr were among those on the Springlake Junior High School Honor Roll the last six weeks.

Conard Riddles was a motel in the Style Show at Hart High School Tuesday night.

Several visitors were in the revival services Tuesday night as a result of "Guest and Neighbor Night."

Verdena Curtis was in the Senior Play at Springlake school Tuesday night and again at school Wednesday.

Tom Shtler from Olton moved into the community Wednesday. He is employed at Bradley Butane and Fertilizer.

Mrs. James Powell and Randy Dwayne visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Powell of Earth.

Mrs. E. R. Sadler and Mrs. L. B. Bowden made the Cancer Crusade Drive in the east part of the Community Wednesday.

Rev. Clyde and Rev. and Mrs. Rogers were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelan Wednesday. They and Frank Tseng and Butch Rogers were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Stillwell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hart and

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Davis of Hart were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howand Bridges Wednesday night.

"Pack a Pew" night drew an unusually large attendance for the services Wednesday night.

Raymond Jenkins was admitted to the Castro County Hospital in Dimmitt Wednesday with a sore throat. He was released Saturday.

Mrs. Buck Moke was admitted to the Plainview Hospital and Clinic Foundation Thursday afternoon. She underwent major surgery Friday morning. Mrs. C. J. Johnson was with Mrs. Moke and Colleen during the surgery.

Rev. Clyde Pittman, and Rev. and Mrs. Murlie Rogers were dinner and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haydon Thursday. Frank Tseng and Butch Rogers were also supper guests.

Dean Lilley was recognized in the services Thursday night, "Car night," for both the oldest car, a 1941 panel truck and the most passengers, 15. A. O. Oldham and Rex Jenkins were recognized for having the newest cars, a Plymouth station wagon and a Chevrolet less than two months old.

Mrs. James Powell and son and David Sadler left Friday to spend the weekend with their parents and other relatives at Wingate, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fowkes arrived from Port Isabel, Texas Friday for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. E. R. Sadler, her family and friends here and in Dimmitt.

The Evangelist, Pastor and Mrs. Rogers were dinner and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan Friday. Butch and Frank Tseng were also supper guests.

Mrs. Lloyd Davis and Lonnie from Hart and Mrs. Alene Lilley from Dimmitt were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lilley and family Wednesday night.

Mrs. J. J. Williams of Muleshoe is visiting for a few weeks with her daughter Mrs. Eulless Waggoner and her family.

Bill Cooper was dismissed from the Castro County Hospital in Dimmitt Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lewis and family from Olton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lilley Friday night and attended "Family Night" revival services with them. They were the only visitors in the service.

Rita Holcomb was home from Tech for the weekend.

Charles Sweatt from West Texas State visited with Mr. and Mrs. V. H. McRee and Mike over the weekend.

The Evangelist, and Pastor and family were in the Robert Paschal home Saturday for dinner and supper. Frank Tseng was a supper guest.

About 20 Young People attended "Young People's Night" at the revival Saturday night. They enjoyed Fellowship at the Community Building after the service.

Nona Beth Phelan, Harold and Ann Spencer and Butch Rogers were recognized in the Saturday night service as the only Boosters who attended Booster Band every night and learned a new scripture each night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sadler and Myles and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fowkes visited in Lubbock Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. Sadler and Denise and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Fowkes. They visited Tech Saturday to see the Engineering Exhibits displayed. Gale and two other boys exhibited a model cement plant they had designed and built. Denise observed her first birthday Sunday with a party.

Mrs. J. T. Holcomb took the following G. A. girls to Dimmitt Saturday to see the show "The Ten Commandments," Sharon Conrad.

USED FARM EQUIPMENT

Ford 8N stationary engine, dozers for 8N tractor, Continental 4 cylinder stationary engine, Ford 3-disc breaking plow, Ford hydraulic 14 - inch rollover moldboard plow; Ferguson two bottom 16-inch moldboard, drag type ditcher, AC combine, Allis Chalmers silage cutters, 2-two row cultivators compete, new style Ford side delivery hay rake, John Deere hay baler, three point 2-row lister and planter complete, 4 - section harrow, 3 point, 8-row sprayer, late '53 Ford tractor, Industrial Leader, (2) Myers V Ditchers (with rubber tires), Ferguson side delivery hay rake.

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Jane Ogletree, Carol Johnson, Carolyn Holcomb, Nona Beth Phelan, Brenda Townsend, Johnnie Holcomb, Juanelle Conrad, Molly Bradley, Paula Jean and Nancy Luddler, Rita and Butch Holcomb also went.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lilley and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Lilley returned from El Paso Friday. Mr. Waggoner and Eldon Lilley returned as 32nd degree Masons and as Shriners.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holbrooks and family attended the District Spelling Bee Awards in Amarillo Saturday. Betty Sue Holbrooks received a trophy as the first place winner in the Junior division for Castro County.

Several have been in bed this week or out of school a day or more with sore throats and other illness.

Miss Thelma Haydon from Weatherford visited with Mr. and Mrs. Buford Haydon and other relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lilley and family attended the funeral services for Johnny Cox in Lorenzo Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Cox is a former resident, Claudia Marlar.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lilley and family spent Saturday night in Lovington, New Mexico with Mr. and Mrs. Deward Armstrong and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hughes and family from Hart visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Jones and Mr. and Mrs. John Bridges and boys of Earth.

Frank Tseng left after dinner Sunday to join the Wayland International choir which left on a tour Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Rogers and Butch and Rev. Clyde Pittman were dinner and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Spencer and family Sunday. Frank Tseng was a dinner guest.

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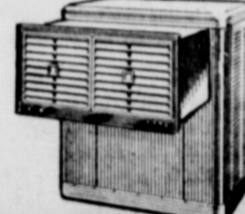
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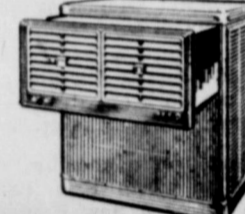
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— Dr. Walter Clay Lowdermilk

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Donald

Springlake - News

by BETTY MATLOCK

Steve Sanderson had a tonsillectomy Saturday morning at Lubbock. He returned home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. James Sanderson spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell while in Lubbock.

Mrs. Thelma McClanahan spent last Tuesday night with her brothers and family. Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Dodson of Olton and also attended the band concert. Her niece, Frances Ann played in the band.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Byers and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Farison spent from Thursday until Sunday in Ft. Worth and Dallas where they attended the Grain Convention.

Ann and Phil Bearlen have been ill with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ogletree and boys of Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Neely of Amherst visited Sunday in the home of Mr.

and Mrs. Ralph Rudd.

The Frank McNamara's have been on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baker, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clayton ate dinner in Olton and then visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schrier and viewed their beautiful rock garden.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Borden of Hereford visited with her mother, Mrs. Flo Sanders, Sunday.

Floyd Chitwood of Lefors visited his sister, Mrs. Bill Clayton Friday.

Mrs. Lorene Perkins, Mrs. Juanita White, and Mrs. Edna McClure were in Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hopping of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hopping dined in Clovis Wednesday night.

Jeardean Matlock has been on



Residents of this area who are pictured above in the Ralston Purina Company offices in St. Louis were among approximately 300 farmers from this section who visited the Purina Research Farm at Gray Summit, Missouri, last Monday, and spent the following day seeing the company's research laboratories and general office. Thousands of farmers from all sections of the United States and many foreign countries visit the Purina farm each

year to see results of experiments conducted in livestock and poultry feeding and management. The 778 acre farm is devoted entirely to farm research projects. Pictured above, from left to right are: 1st row: Stanley Irvine, Earth; Mrs. Jewel Baker, Earth; Mrs. Carroll Blackwell, Earth; Carroll Blackwell, Earth; and R. E. Rowland, Purina President. 2nd row: Ronnie Johnson, Earth; E. H. Shores, Amarillo; Tracy Angeley, Earth

the sick list. Mesdames, Dorothy Washington, Patsy Jester, and Lois Rudd shopped in Littlefield Saturday afternoon and also viewed the Shriners Parade.

Bryan Sanderson spent from Wednesday until Sunday in Tullia visiting with relative.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Clayton were dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hinson Sunday.

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

PARTY HELD IN PITTMAN HOME

A social was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Pittman Friday night. Refreshments were served and games were enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bowman and Shelby, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Roach, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crawford, and Floyd, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Perkins,

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dear and children, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hodges, Joan and Pat, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Rudd, Ricky and Pam, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Hestand, Gary and Janis, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hollingsworth, Kent, Dale, and Judy, and the host and hostess.

Andrew Davis has been sick. Donna Jester spent Sunday with Debbie Matlock.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Sanderson last week were five of Mrs. Sanderson's sisters. They were Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Miller, Rev. Mamie Lee Burrow, all of Tullia, and Rev. and Mrs.

Travis La Duke of Midland. Also her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Burrows, of Tullia and her brother, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burrow of Tullia.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Borden of Hereford and Mrs. Flo Sanders were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Borden of Sunnyside.

Mesdames Doris Winder, Pauline Hucks, and Rosa Loftis shopped in Littlefield last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hedrick of Andrews visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Matlock and Mrs. G. C. Bearden Sr. late Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bess Matlock and Sammie

and Mrs. Thelma McClanahan ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Doug Avery of Muleshoe Thursday.

Denny Barnett has been ill with the flu.

FIREMEN TO MEET

The next Firemen's meeting will be Thursday at 8:00 p.m. in the Fire Hall. All volunteer firemen and others interested are urged to be present.

Kerry Struve spent Sunday with Jimmy Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlon Watson and Monty were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ledford Enloe of Amherst visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rudd Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Adams and children of Whitbarrett spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Matlock.

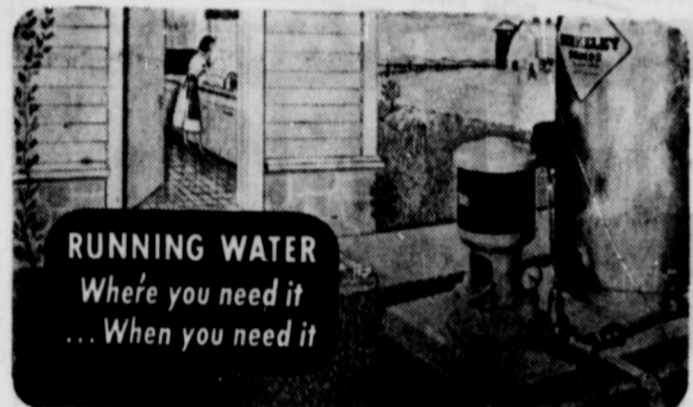
from— Sunnyside

Ninety-five attended Sunday School with 78 in Training Union Sunday.

Rev. Pittman left for his home in Menard, Texas early Monday morning.

Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wingfield of Buckeye, Ariz. are visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Par Montgomery and to be at the bedside of their daughter, Mrs. Andy Davis at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.



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The Junior High School 4-H Club girls met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Wilson Lewis. Club members made Tuna Fish sandwiches and peanut butter cookies with recipes taken from 4-H Club Foods and Nutrition booklet.

The regular meeting at school will be held on Thursday, May 7. The May meeting will be on clothing.

Those attending were Jackie Brown, Donna Davis, Diana Gregory, Donna Ruth Gover, Dianne Hodge and June Propes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hinson spent the weekend in Amarillo.

NOTICE

LAYETTE SHOWER
A Come and Go Layette Shower will be held from 3 to 5 p.m., Friday, May 8 in the home of Mrs. J. L. Hinson, honoring Mrs. Dewain Jones. Everyone has an invitation to attend.

BRIDAL SHOWER
A Come and Go Bridal Shower honoring Miss Judy Kay Wood, bride-elect of Tracy Angeley will be held from 7 to 9 p.m., Thursday, May 7 in the home of Mrs. M. E. Kelley. Everyone is invited to attend.

Bill Freeman, Gerald Inglis and Buford Price fished at Conchoas Lake near Tularosa, N. M. over the weekend.

Mrs. Gerald Inglis and girls, and Mr. and Mrs. James Dempsey and daughter of Lubbock spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Natt Bearden at Paducah.



MISS NANCY MAUK

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Navek of Dimmitt announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Nancy, to Arvel English, son of Mrs. Bernice English and the late Otis English of Earth. Vows will be exchanged June 12 at 7:30 in the Dimmitt Baptist Church.

All friends and relatives of the couple are invited.

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Honored With Birthday Party

Mrs. Donald Kelley honored her daughter, Connie Jo on her sixth

birthday with a party in her home, Friday, April 25.

Color books were presented to guests as favors.

Decorated birthday cake, ice cream and punch was served to the following little guests, Annette Hodge, Susie Adrian, Camille Haberer, Carlene Jones, Terri Carol Smith, Kenny Burgess, John Kelley, Debbie Martin, Judy Jacques, Kenny O'Hair, Jenny and Bobby Angeley, Brenda and Tommy Clayton, Gary Johnny and Kim Kelley, Beverly and Jana Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clayton, Floy Chitwood and Bobby Bivins called later in the evening. Mr. Clayton was also honored on his birthday along with Connie Jo.

C. R. Stockstill and Jimmy Lynn fished at Lake Buchanan four days last week.

Club Kidnap Breakfast Held In Parish Home

A Kidnap Breakfast was held at 5:30 a.m. Monday in the home of Mrs. Doug Parish, by Altru Study Club members.

Hostesses were Mrs. David Cearley, Mrs. Donald Runyon, and Mrs. Doug Parish.

Each guest paid 50 cents for not having hair combed, or not being fully dressed. The money will be applied to the newly proposed school project.

The breakfast consisted of orange juice, waffles, bacon and coffee.

Those present were Mesdames Carroll McDonald, Jerry Devenport, Calvin Wood, Eugene Lee, Clinton Green, Norman Sulser, Tommy Wheatley, Roney Smith, Dewain Wheat and the hostesses.

Mrs. Powers Speaks To Good Earth Garden Club

Mrs. John Powers of Lubbock, National Flower Shop judge was guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Good Earth Garden Club at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, April 21.

Mrs. Homer Hodge was hostess to the club, with Mrs. Lena Hite as co-hostess.

Mrs. Powers spoke to members and guests on "Flower Arrangements."

A Spring flower arrangement centered the serving table.

Cake and coffee was served to Mesdames L. Z. Anglin, John Welch, R. E. Barton, Billy Homer Hodge, E. R. Hawkins, B. Campbell, Clarence Kelley, J. A. Littleton, Sr., L. T. Smith, W. H. Braden, Everett Patterson, A. E. Wheatley, Forrest Simmons, Ray Kelley, Bill Stockard, Marvin Sanders, C. O. Taylor, Sam Cearley and five guests, Mrs. H. M. Sanders, Mrs. V. J. Sigman, Mrs. Nancy Mullis of Amherst, Mrs. John V. Powers and Mrs. Sally Frye, both of Lubbock and the hostesses.

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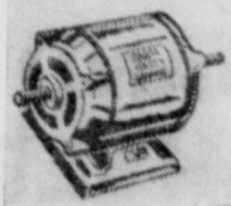
Mrs. Fred Jones, mother of Edward Jones, was returned to Saint Mary's Hospital in Rochester, Minn. after her condition became worse at the home of her daughter.

ter, Mrs. Ben Leverett in Thermopolis, Wyo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones left immediately to be at the bedside of his mother.

Mrs. Bobby D. Green received treatment from Thursday until Monday at the Littlefield Hospital and Clinic.

Mrs. R. C. Hooten continues to improve at her home, after several months illness.



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Mrs. Neal Directs Program At Town And Country Club

Mrs. E. Campbell was hostess to the Town and Country Study Club Thursday evening, April 23 in the home of Mrs. G. C. Green.

Girls of Springlake Senior class were honored guests.

Mrs. Roy Neal directed the program, "Personality and Charm and Every Day Good Living," given by Mrs. Kenneth Burgess. Dainty refreshments and spiced tea was served from a linen cloth cover table centered with an arrangement of spring garden flowers.

Guests attending included Judy Kay Wood, Sharon Hay, Patsy Chance, Doris Akins, Joyce Gray, Helen Gover, Janis Prather, Verdena Curtis, Mary Jane Shirley and Mrs. Floyd Burgess.

Members present were Mesdames Roy Neal, Ted Haberer, C. W. Terry, H. F. Hodge, H. S. Sanders, Sam Cearley, L. Z. Anglin, Carra Morgan, Roy Neal, John Laing, James Winters, Lena Hite, Mrs. G. C. Green and the hostess, Mrs. E. Campbell.

Texas Day Program Presented to Altrui Junior Study Club

A Texas Day program was the theme of the Altrui Junior Study club meeting, held at 7:30 p.m. Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Tommy Wheatley with Mrs. Norman S-lser as co-hostess.

Mrs. Roy McQuatters of Spade, spoke on Old Facts and Missions in Texas and slides and history of each were given by Mrs. C. O. Stone of Littlefield.

A report was given by the Library Committee and School Project Committee.

The club voted to give \$100 to the school project \$50 from the treasury and raise \$50 more.

The club convention to be held in Lubbock was discussed.

Refreshments of strawberry cake and coffee was served from a table laid with a white and red cloth, centered with an arrangement of red tulips and hyacinths.

Members attending were Mesdames Carrol McDonald, Jerry Devenport, Calvin Wood, John Bridges, Clinton Green, Doug Parish, Donald Runyon, David Cearley, Dewayne Louder, Eugene Lee and the guests, Mrs. Roy McQuat-

Sunbeams Has Study of Hawaii

The Sunbeams of the First Baptist Church studied about Hawaii at their weekly meeting held Tuesday at the church.

The project next week will be Mother's Day gifts.

Those present were Bobby Waide, Vicki and Linda Gregory, Timy and Jo Parish, Diane Usery, Kathy Kelley, Rita Welch, John Kelley, Connie Anita and Donita Kelley, Sharon Smith, Mickey Montgomery and Gary Layman.

The sponsors were Mrs. James Parish, Mrs. Eldon Schaeffer, George Wuerfelin, and Mrs. Donald Kelley.

Brownies Make Gifts For Mother's Day

Mother's Day gifts were worked on by the Brownie Scouts, Troop 334 at their regular meeting held Tuesday, April 28 in the Legion Hall.

Mrs. Jess Goode served Koolaid and popcorn to the Brownies.

Those present were Susan Britton, Glenda Contren, Terry Meeks, Vickie Waide, Elizabeth Goode, Melodie Brock, the leader, Mrs. Frank Candren and one visitor, Sherry Ann Brooks.

Party Line...

Children of Mr. and Mrs. Hooten visiting with them last week were Mrs. Rena Williams of Amarillo, Hack Hooten of Borger, Mrs. Irma Lee Goodin of Joplin, Mo., Mrs. David Stages of Borger, Hollis Hooten of Lubbock and two grandchildren, Mrs. Valta Trustey of Pampa and Robert Hooten of Borger.

Mrs. Wayne Rutherford, Mrs. Iris Montgomery and Mickey attended the 8th Annual Texas Symposium of Contemporary Music at Texas Tech, Saturday night. Wayne Mae, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rutherford is a member of the Texas Tech Women's Glee Club.

John Achee and son John returned home Tuesday night after spending 10 days at the bedside of his sister, Mrs. Gene Baker at Mission, Tex., who has been seriously ill.

Among those attending the Texas Angus Association annual sale at Lubbock, Monday were Mrs. Bonnie Haberer, E. G. Gatson, Jack Hadaway, Gardner Sanderson, Jerrell Hadaway, Carl Sanderson and Ronnie Johnson.

Amarillo Girl Named District Lions Queen

An Amarillo girl, Mary Kay Woodall, 18, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. G. R. Woodall of Amarillo was named District Lions Queen at the annual Convention and Governors' Banquet in Plainview Monday night.

Miss Woodall was chosen from 65 other contestants. She was crowned by the 1958 Queen, Miss Sally Shaffer of Amarillo before an audience of 750 people.

Principal speaker at the banquet was Roy Black, Past International Director of Lions International of Nettleton, Miss.

Glen Jones of Anton was elected District Governor of District 272, Tuesday.

Lubbock placed a bid for the 1960 Convention site for District 272.

Miss Linda Sanderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Sanderson represented the Springlake-Earth Lions Club.

Miss Sanderson, along with Springlake-Earth Lions attended the Governor's Banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hickman and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McCool attended funeral services, at Decatur, Tex., for a friend, Ray Cobb, brother of Mrs. V. L. McCool.

Mrs. Doug Parish, Mrs. Eldon Parish and Mrs. H. M. Secord attended a Junior Camp leaders training camp at Ceta Canyon.

Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kellar of Siloan Springs, Arkansas are visiting with relatives and friends here. The Kellars are former residents of this area.

Mrs. Ollie Davis, Mrs. Raymond Purdy and children and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Johnson, all of Littlefield, visited in the David Johnson home Thursday afternoon.

Jaycees Leave Wednesday For State Convention

The Earth Jaycees made final plans for attending the Junior Chamber of Commerce State Convention in Fort Worth from April 29 - May 3.

The local Jaycee Club is in line for an award on community development, and also along with an honor to one of the members, which will be reported at the next meeting.

Those who will attend are Gold-

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We wish to thank each of our many friends whose loving expressions of sympathy helped us so much during the loss of our father, Frank Elmore.

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Party Line.....

Laura, Nancy and Beth Jones are spending this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Mc Kenny while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones are in Rochester, Minn.

Mrs. Henry Randolph was in Lubbock, Tuesday on business.

Mrs. George W. Clark was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital and Clinic, Saturday for treatment. Mrs. Clark underwent minor surgery, Monday.

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Farmers Organize Against Labor Union

A "Lamb County Users Group" was organized by 150 farmers in a fight against unionization of farm labor.

The Lamb County farmers did not get riled, as some others in the area have, but marched to the front at a meeting held Friday night at the Lamb County courthouse and laid down approximately \$1,000 as a starter in a war against U.S. Department of Labor's proposal to organize farm workers.

The funds will be used to help send representatives to the Nation's Capitol to help fight when needed.

Al Muldrow of Brownfield, a member of the 48-man advisory committee for the USDL, warned against "pacific attitude" and said his committee has been at odds with the USDL, continually for the past seven years.

Muldrow has talked with busi-

ness men and farmers all over West Texas and had sent a reply to the USDL proposal, saying that the USDL is "stepping far beyond" itself and usurping its power in making the proposal.

Muldrow said that the Labor Department directive would bring all domestic as well as foreign labor under federal wage and hour law if employment is obtained through a state or federal employment agency.

Farmers using either type of labor will be required to furnish housing approval by the Department, and in many instances furnish transportation from their last place of employment.

The fight against the directive will go into effect May 1, and must be taken up by every farmer in this area, if it is to be successful, and let them know where we stand, Muldrow said.

A three-man committee was named to head the organization, which included Cephus Glover of Littlefield, Kenneth Duncan of Pleasant Valley and Elmer McGill of Olton. The group appointed Jack Wicker, Littlefield banker, as secretary-treasurer. Skipper Smith of Littlefield presided over the meeting.

The total fund was \$975.35, raised in about 15 minutes and farmers said more would be raised later to send representatives to the nation's Capitol.



COUNTY FARMERS DISCUSS FARM LABOR UNIONIZATION — At a Farm Labor Meeting held at the Lamb County Courthouse in Littlefield Friday night. Pictured left to right, W. E. Mitchell of Spade; M. G. Burrows of Olton; Thurlow Bransford of Pleasant Valley and Carl Hooper of Olton.

Party Line...

Beth Bulls, teacher in the Floyd schools, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Glasscock. They accompanied her home Sunday, ate lunch at McKenzie Park and attended the boat races at Buffalo Lakes.

Mrs. Mildred Free has returned home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Joe Fuller in Lubbock and her mother, Mrs. C. V. Harland in Big Springs.

Party Line.....

La Rue Glasscock of Lubbock spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Glasscock. They accompanied her home Sunday, ate lunch at McKenzie Park and attended the boat races at Buffalo Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ussery and Mrs. Jackie Watkins were in Hereford, Saturday.



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Farm Bureau met in regular session April 21, with the president W. A. Hardin presiding over the business session. Kenneth Precure gave a report on the Farm Labor Meeting at San Angelo. The Farm Bureau voted to have a covered dish supper Tuesday, May 5 at 7 p.m. The film of the European trip of members of Farm Bureau will be shown after the supper. Everyone is invited to attend.

Winston Allison spent Saturday night in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Carroll from Amarillo spent Saturday with the Dub Hardins.

Mrs. Wayne Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Seaborn Moore went to Lubbock Saturday to meet Wayne who returned from Germany.

Nan Allison spent the weekend with her parents the Oscar Allisons.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor attend the funeral of Mrs. Sadie Taylor in Midland Sunday. She was a cousin of Roy Taylor.

Mrs. Sam McKinstry of Muleshoe was a dinner guest of the Harold Allisons Sunday.

Mrs. John West and Mrs. J. E. McVickers were in Clovis Thursday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hardin went to the Home Show in Lubbock Monday night.

The Social Club met Thursday

night in the home of Jacqueline Bills with Lenell Blair as co-hostess. After the business meeting bridge was played. Refreshments of tana and cranberry salads, coffee and punch were served to twelve members.

The Leslie Calhouns from Lubbock were weekend guests in the Jack Calhoun home.

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EARTH AUTO PARTS

Methodist Church Supper and Roll Call Tuesday P. M.

The Methodist Church Family Supper and Annual Roll Call is scheduled for Tuesday night, May 5.

New members uniting with the church this conference year will be honored along with one of the members who will receive recognition for meritorious service to the church.

Bro. Sam Hilburn, former missionary will be the guest speaker. All members are urged to come and bring a covered dish.

Group To Appear On KGNC-TV Saturday, May 16

E. G. Gaston, vocational agriculture instructor, Tracy Angeley, Clarence Hamilton, history teacher along with other talent will make a personal appearance Saturday, May 16 on the Farm and Home Show on KGNC-TV.

Cotton John of KGNC-TV recently showed the film, "A Tenderfoot in Europe" here with one of the largest turnouts, according to Cotton John.

Second Grades To Go To Plainview

The Second Grade Classes of Mrs. Lovelle Morris and Mrs. Harris Ray will spend their end of year school trip in Plainview, Friday.

The classes have appointments to visit the Plainview Fire Station the daily newspaper, to see the press in operation.

Local Resident Charged With Tax Evasion

Weldon Barton, Earth farmer and businessman, was freed on a \$1,000 bond after an indictment by federal grand jury at Dallas for income tax evasion.

Barton is charged with filing an incorrect income tax return for 1955 from his farming and butane business partnership sales.

Party Line.....

H. B. Weaver is receiving treatment at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. Weaver was admitted to the hospital last week.

PL— Mrs. El Danforth was admitted to the Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, Monday for treatment.

Survey Shows Nine Rural Accidents In County For March

The Highway Patrol of the Texas Department of Public Safety investigated a total of 9 rural accidents in Lamb county during the month of March with the following breakdown: Property damage 4, personal injury 5, and fatal accidents 0.

In making this announcement, Patrol Sergeant D. S. Lawson reported a total property damage of \$4585.00 with 7 persons injured and none killed. This is decrease of 2 accidents for the same period of 1958.

According to the sergeant this brings the total rural traffic accidents in Lamb county for 1959 to 29 as compared to 25 for the first three months of 1958.

The sergeant advised that traffic deaths in Texas are 12% higher than they were at this same time last year.

He stated that we have seen what can be done when we all get together in a statewide crusade and campaign with the determination to stop highway slaughter. This was evidenced in the 8% reduction in our death toll last year. This year, we must do even more if we wish to further reduce this terrible toll.

Eighth Grader Wins Second In Writing Contest

Evelyn Meadow was named second place winner in the Ready Writing Contest held in Sudan recently.

Evelyn was the recipient of a beautiful second place ribbon.

Evelyn is an eighth grade student and is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Meadows.

DATE LINE . . .

by Sharon Ray

GET WELL SOON!!

Mr. C. L. Hamilton, social studies teacher, was ill Monday and Tuesday of this week. We have certainly missed him and hope he will be back soon. We also hope that trip to Canyon didn't get him down!!!

Mr. Norman Hemphill, band director, has injured his foot. When asked what happened he gave a fantastic story, but finally admitted that he stepped off of high (approximately one foot high) porch. Well, anyway, Mr. Hemphill, we'll all be glad to have you back on both of your feet and hope it won't be long.

Students don't forget that the "Wolverine Claw" staff will only

publish two more papers, so be sure to get yours Friday!!!

BAND NEWS:

The Springlake Wolverine Band gave a rehearsal concert last Tuesday night which lasted about forty-five minutes. This was enjoyed by all who attended. Friday, May 1, 1959, another concert is scheduled. The band members have received another shipment of delicious candy that they sold before. If you are interested in buying some, see any band member.

Senior Class Meeting:

The Senior Class met together for a class meeting last week and made some important decisions. They voted to have a sand hill party May 4, 1959, a Senior Day in Lubbock May 11, 1959, and several of the class emblems. The class colors are red and white. The seniors decided on all red caps and the gowns and sent their order off for them. The class flower is carnation and the stage will be decorated with red carnations for commencement and baccalaureate services.

The class of '59 chose "Moment to Remember" as the class song and "One Step At A Time, But Always Forward!" as the class motto. Ushers for Commencement and Baccalaureate Services were also elected and will be announced at a later date.

Senior Class Honored By Methodist Church

Last Wednesday, April 23, 1959, the 1959 Senior Class was honored with a luncheon at the First Methodist Church of Earth. The food was prepared and served by the women of the church. The dining hall was decorated banquet style, with red and white as the colors. A fine uplifting speech was made by Mr. L. L. Crawford of Plainview. The welcome address was made by Mr. H. M. Seord and responses were given by Mr. Bill Mann, superintendent, and Gene Stephens, class president. The seniors certainly enjoyed this luncheon.

"TIGER HOUSE" is A Success: The Senior Play cast presented their 1959 play, "Tiger House" last

Tuesday night, April 21, 1959 as scheduled. Gifts were presented to each of the three hard-working sponsors in appreciation of their patience and long-suffering with each of us. The Senior Class feels that the play was truly a success and wants to thank the community for such a grand turnout!

Party Line.....

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Goodwin attended a commissioners and Judges Convention in Mineral Wells last week.

PL— Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Largent of Lubbock spent the week - end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Mc Clesky.

PL— Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Barton, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barton, Mrs. Minnie Pate and D. C. Barton of Los Angeles, Calif. spent Wednesday with their sister, Mrs. C. A. Monday in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson, Mrs. J. P. Stine and boys at Plainview, Ronnie and Don visited Mr. and view, Sunday.

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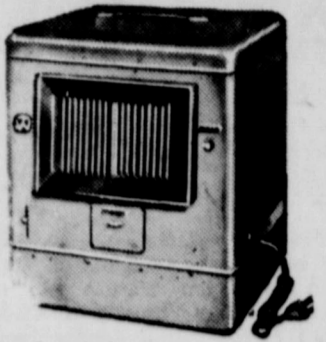
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