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33 Seniors Expected To Receive Diplomas at Commencement Exercises Monday

Thirty-three seniors are expected to receive their diplomas during Commencement exercises for the 1966 graduating class of Springlake-Earth School, scheduled for Monday, May 23, at 8 p. m. in the school auditorium.

Dr. Emmitt D. Smith, professor of Education at West Texas State University, will be guest speaker at the exercises.

Don Larkin, minister of the First Baptist Church of Springlake, will present the invocation.

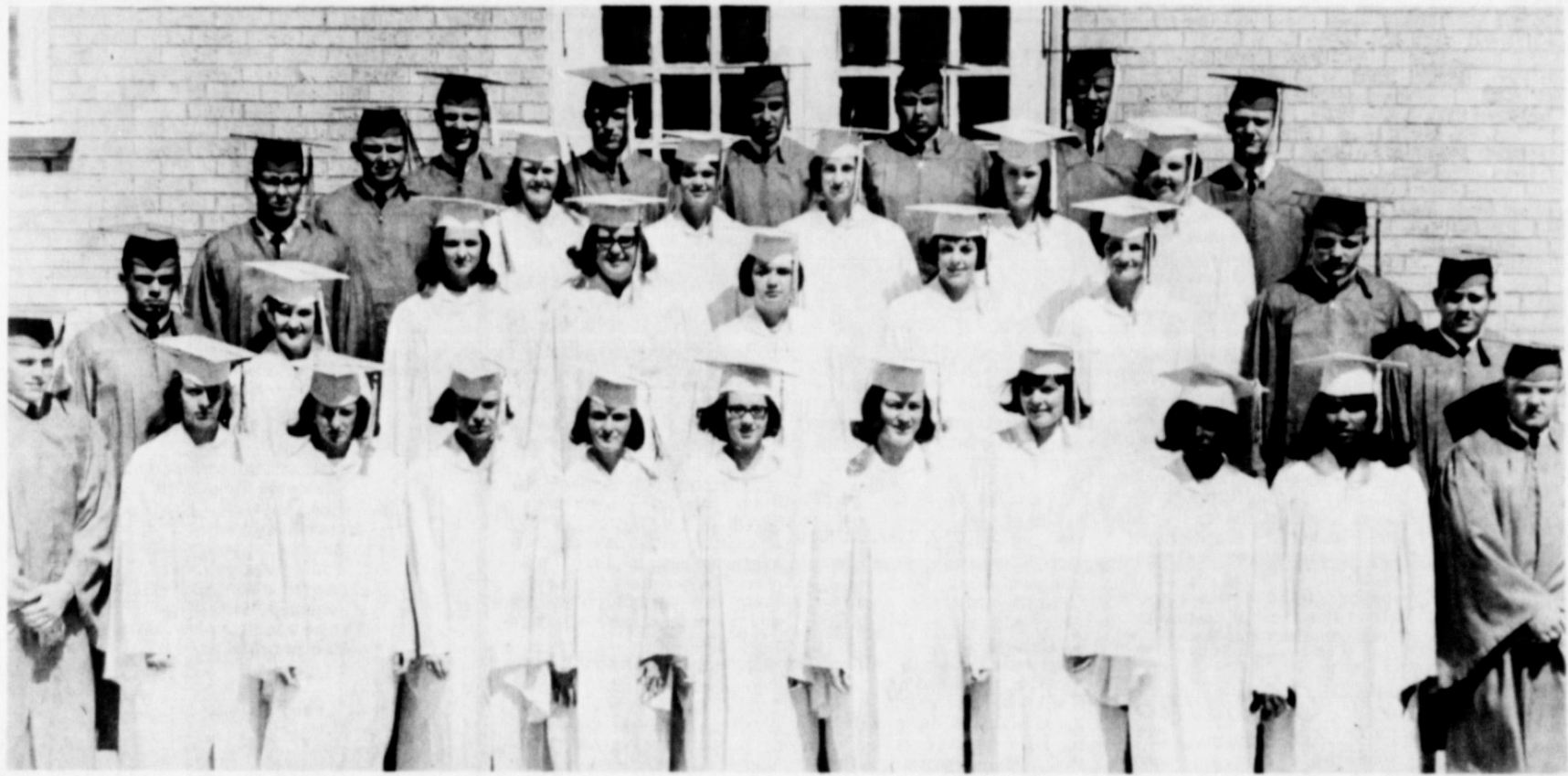
Salutatory address will be given by Bob Coker, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Coker.

Jill McCord, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat McCord, will deliver the Valedictorian address.

Presentation of awards will be made by D. H. Koening, principal of Springlake-Earth High School.

"You'll Never Walk Alone" will be special music sung by Freddy Kelley, Alicia Galloway, Kathy Richardson, and Ken Dawson.

Mr. Koening will introduce the graduates, followed by James Busby, president of the Springlake-Earth School



SENIOR CLASS OF 1966- Boys pictured left to right, Bobby Coker, Larry Glasscock, Ken Dawson, Kenny Kendrick, Davey Haberer, Floyd Bennett, Freddy Kelley, Rudolph Ortiz, Lonnie Adrian, Buddie Robnett, Gene Jones, Jimmy Shirey, and Jerry Don Sanders. Girls front row left to right, Janey Randolph, Diane Jackson, Kay Phipps, Carolyn Kelley, Donna Street, Jill McCord, Jacqueline Parish, Virginia Sanders, Mary Lou Acevedo. Second row, Alicia Washington, Alicia Galloway, Kathy Richardson, Peggy Kelley, Donna Gover, Dwala Boone. Third row, Patti Robbins, Helen Phillips, Marian Crisp, Diane Gregory and Nancy Alair.

Board, presenting the diplomas.

The Class Song, "Climb Every Mountain" will precede the benediction, which will be given by Ed Orr, minister of the Church of Christ of Springlake.

Ushers will be Joan Dawson, Debbie Barton, Vickie Sanders, Logan Armstrong, Steve Larkin, and Lonnie Whitford.

The 1966 senior class has chosen red and white roses as their class flowers.

Their motto, as well as their song, is "Climb Every Mountain."

Members of the class are as follows: Mary Lou Acevedo, Lonnie Adrian, Nancy Alair, Floyd Bennett, Dwala Boone, Bobby Coker, Marian Crisp, Ken Dawson, Alicia Galloway, Larry Glasscock, Donna Ruth Gover, Diane Gregory, Davey Haberer, Diane Jackson, Gene Jones, Carolyn Kelley, Freddy Kelley, Peggy Kelley, Kenny Kendrick, Jill McCord, Rudolph Ortiz, Jackie Parish, Helen Phillips, Kay Phipps, Janey Randolph, Kathy Richardson, Patti Robbins, Buddie Robnett, Jerry Don Sanders, Virginia Sanders, Jimmy Shirey, Donna Street, and Alicia Washington.

Albert Lindley To Bring Address At Baccalaureate

The 1966 Baccalaureate services are scheduled for Sunday, May 22, at 8 p. m. in the school auditorium, with Albert Lindley, pastor of the First Methodist Church, bringing the special address.

The processional and recessional will be played by Joan Dawson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dawson.

The invocation will be given by M. B. Baldwin, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Earth.

"This Is My Father's World"

will be sung by the congregation.

Jerry Don Sanders will read the scripture taken from Psalms 19, followed by Duane Harris presenting special music entitled, "My Task."

M. R. Phillips, pastor of the Church of Christ, Earth, will deliver the benediction.

Ushers for the occasion will be Diana McNamara, Diane Avery, Cynthia Busby, Richard Ruby, Steve Mann, and Danny Haberer.

Eighth Grade Commencement Slated for Saturday

Graduation exercises for the 1966 eighth grade class of Springlake-Earth Junior High School will be held in the school auditorium on Saturday, May 21, at 8 p. m.

Caron Koening will play the processional. The invocation will be given by Jimmy Goodwin.

The Salutatory address will be

presented by Jimmy Littleton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Littleton, Jr.

Steve Sanderson, will present the Class Will, followed by musical selections given by a group of eighth grade students.

A presentation of awards will be made by Cecil Slover, principal.

Pam Avery and Steve Busby will give the Class History.

The Class Poem will be read by DeAnne Brock.

The valedictory address will be given by Kathy Lee, daughter of Mrs. LaMoyn Lee.

Superintendent W. L. Mann will make the presentation of diplomas.

"Moments to Remember," the class Song, will follow.

Terry Bridge will give the Benediction, preceding the

Recessional by Jan Cleavinger.

Presenting Programs to the guests will be Kathy Bibby and Camille Haberer.

Ushers will be Tony Barton, Glenn Lacky, Butch Hamilton, and Jerry Oden, seventh grade students.

Class sponsors are Bob Bunker, Earl McKinley, and Mrs. Pete Parish.

High School Awards Assembly Held Tuesday

Alicia Galloway and Bob Coker were awarded Citizenship awards Tuesday at the Springlake-Earth High School awards assembly, held in the school auditorium.

Medals for the various subjects were given on the basis of scholarship, participation, attitude, and progress in subject matter, and were presented by the teacher of each department.

The following students received awards in English: Cynthia Busby, Joan Dawson, Donna Street, Bob Coker, Elaine Parker, Deborah Curtis, and Beverly Miller.

The Spanish I award was presented to Alice Acevedo; and Spanish II to Jill McCord.

Patti Robbins was awarded the Government I medal, with the World History award being presented to Debra Curtis.

The outstanding Math award went to Joe Reyes; with Algebra I going to Marsha Dawson; and Speech to Arta Simmons.

The boys athletic awards went to Ken Dawson and Doug Messer; and the two Girls Athletic awards were presented to Susan Brittain and Diana Gregory.

Gary Kelley received the health award; Joan Dawson and Logan Armstrong; Algebra II; Bob Coker, Physics; Becky Rylant, science; Gary Kelley, Biology; and Joan Dawson, Chemistry.

The geometry awards were presented to Gary Kelley and Beverly Miller; homemaking, Mira Smith, Susan Ruby, Joan Dawson, Marsha Dawson, and Debra Curtis; and history, Cynthia Busby and Joan Dawson.

Typing I, Melody Brock; typing II, Donna Street; Book-keeping and Shorthand, Patti Robbins; and vocational agriculture, Randy Washington, Lonnie Dear, and Bob Phipps.

John Phillips Sousa Band award was given to Jill McCord.

Jesse Cole received the Industrial Arts medal; Judy Gover and Steve Larkin, Sportsmanship; Jerry Don Sanders and Marian Crisp, Activities; Ken Dawson, Leadership; and Bob Coker, Fighting Heart.

Football awards went to Jerry Don Sanders; Basketball, Doug Messer; Track, Floyd Bennett; and Top Wolverine, Ken Dawson.

Other awards included ten scholastic sweaters, which were presented to Cynthia Busby, Lonnie Whitford, Linda Starkey, Janita Blackburn, Judy Gover, Diana McNamara,

Alene Meeks, Karen Jones, Joan Dawson, and Debbie Barton.

The Betty Crocker Homemaking award was awarded to Jill McCord.

Cheerleader awards were presented to Helen Phillips, Linda Jordan, Linda Packard, Brenda Clayton, Donna Ruth Gover, and Pansy Bean.

Perfect attendance awards were presented to Seniors, Marian Crisp, Carolyn Kelley, Peggy Kelley, Jackie Parish, Kay Phipps, Janey Randolph, Kathy Richardson, Bob Coker, Larry Glasscock, Davey Haberer, Freddy Kelley, Rudolph Ortiz, Larry Parish and Buddy Robnett.

Juniors receiving Perfect Attendance awards were Jimmy Stockstill, Jose Tralana, Alice Acevedo, Debbie Barton, Kathy Brown, Judy Gover, Carolyn Hicks, Karen Jones, Sherian McAlpine, Alene Meeks, Brenda Oden, Lupe Ureite, Linda Jordan, Logan Armstrong, Jesse Cole, Harlan Galloway, Randy Kelley, Terry Parish, Bob Phipps, and Richard Ruby.

Those receiving Perfect attendance certificates in the Sophomore class were Cheryl Blackwell, Susan Brittain, Mary Brown, Irene Hansen, Billie Kelley, Linda Packard,

Betty Padillo, Debra Parish, Charlotte Sawyer, Gary Bills, Rody Clayton, Mike Cowley, Boggy Earnest, Bill Gover, David Jaquess, and Jerry Townsend.

Freshmen with Perfect Attendance were Anita Avila, Shelia Blackwell, Naomi Carr, Brenda Clayton, Carolyn Garrett, Sandra Lee, Katrina Mullins, Donna Roberson, Susan Ruby, Carolyn Smith, Mary Ureite, James Hood, Willie Hood, Jimmy Alair, Neil Armstrong, Ricky Byen, Manuel Garza, Eddie Sam Jones, Kelley O'Hair, Perry Don O'Hair, Joe Reyes, and Lupe Acevedo.

City Dads To Enforce Livestock Ordinance

In a stated meeting Monday night in the city hall, Earth city officials transacted several urgent items of business, including the reviewing of ordinances and making preparations for the opening of the City Swim Pool. Also the moving of some fire plugs, and addition of new fire plugs, to give better fire protection for the City Earth.

The city commission instructed the mayor to proceed in enforcing the livestock ordinance by writing letters to owners of livestock within the city limits, and informing them of the contents of the ordinance and the penalties involved for failing to comply with same.

All owners of livestock currently being kept within the city limits are urged to comply with the ordinance, without penalty. However City Dads agree that something must be done to correct this health hazard before hot weather arrives.

The commission also voted to make repairs on the swimming pool in readiness for the opening. Among the repairs given the okay signal were, painting the pool, roofing the two dressing rooms, repairing benches and other minor repairs. The group are also studying the cost of erecting a solid fence on the south side of the pool, with some type of attractive material.

The commission also set the prices for swimming at 30 cents for children 6 to 12 years of age. All over 12 years of age will be permitted to swim for 50 cents.

Season tickets were set at \$10 for ages 6 through 12. All over that age will be \$15.

All swimmers will be required to present a health certificate before being admitted to the pool.

Pre-Schoolage children will be admitted free when accompanied by an adult.

Cleaning of the pool began Wednesday morning with tents, showers, trucks and pickups for a Work Day.

Individuals as well as families are expected to pitch in to clean up the town as well as to get their own premises looking their very best. Every one working together will doubtless achieve a notable improvement in our fine city and each and everyone will benefit from the results.

Local business firms will remain open Saturday. However, businessmen and their personnel will also be performing clean up duties on their own premises, in order to see a complete city-wide clean-up job.

Several Clean-up captains have been named, and others will be contacted and assigned duties before the Big Clean up campaign begins Saturday. These captains will be responsible for their own property clean-up, as well as the designated locality assigned them. Anyone wishing to volunteer as clean-up captains, are asked to contact Phil Raught, or Mayor Kelley before Saturday.

Phil Raught has been named general clean-up captain, and has selected the following captains to be responsible for getting in shape.

Dutch Been is responsible for the entire downtown section clean-up.

Norman Sulser has been assigned clean up captain for Highlight Homes Addition. Roger Haberer is clean up captain for the Burkett Addition, everything west of Farm to Market Road 1055.

Bob Belew and Mayor Kelley are clean up captains for the south part of town, everything

east of Farm to Market Road 1055 and north to the business district on Highway 70.

L. K. Anderson is captain of an area bordering Birch street on the west and everything northwest of 1st street and reaching to the Farm to Market Road 1055 on the East, Ross Middleton and Eldon Trotter are captains for an area from Elm Street west to Birch Street and north from First Street to the last Street

in the North part of town.

Norman Hitchcliff has been assigned captain of an area from Elm street east to the City Park.

Henry Lewis, County Commissioner, has consented to fill any and all of the cess pools in Earth free of charge, Saturday, if people having these health hazards will call him before Saturday, so he can bring his equipment in and line up his work. He will haul rocks and dirt and fill

up the cess pools as his part in the clean-up day campaign.

These free services have been lined up for Saturday, as well as trash hauling services which will also be free to anyone wishing to take advantage of this clean-up day campaign.

Jarvis Angeley and L. K. Anderson have donated trucks, and a days work to aid in cleaning up Earth. Dutch Been will have a pick-up available for hauling off trash. The city crews will also be running their tractor and trailer in an all-out effort to pick up free of charge all the debris that is placed neatly in the alley by city dwellers who will be cleaning up their premises on that day.

Residents with heavy items to large to handle are asked to call the city hall or Phil Raught before Saturday. So they can make arrangements to remove those items for area residents.

The city dump will be open all day so trash can be dumped without delay.

Jack Rylant and Eldon Parish will be in charge of burning off lots. That can be burned without danger. Anyone needing this service are asked to call either of the two men in advance of the clean-up day.

Boy Scouts will be out cleaning, loading, raking and carrying off trash, to make this a better town to live in.

Mrs. Jack Rylant is in charge of preparing sandwiches for the workers at noon Saturday in the community room at the city hall. The three grocery stores in Earth will donate sandwich material for the noon day meal.

People in town are becoming enthusiastic about the clean up day. However more workers are needed. If you are interested in your town, we'll see you Saturday at Clean-Up Day.

Saturday Is Clean Up Earth Day

Mayor E. C. "Shorty" Kelley has proclaimed Saturday as "Clean-up Earth" day. Progressive alert citizens of the area are expected to gather at the City Hall at 7:30 a. m. on this day, with hoses, rakes, shovels, trucks and pickups for a Work Day.

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roads, you'll find the pitfalls can be avoided, and obstacles will be overcome.

So arm yourself, and go forth unafraid into this world of challenge. It awaits your coming. The world needs new leaders, new ideas, new inventions, and a new zest for living. It needs the graduates from Springlake-Earth High.

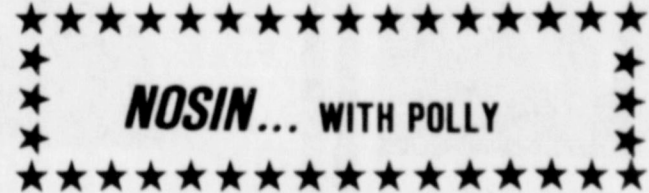
As you go, we of this community bid you a fond farewell with a prayer in our hearts that you will "Climb 'til your dreams come true."

With this in mind, may I pass this poem on to you.

"Climb 'Til Your Dreams Come True", by Helen Steiner Rice:

Often your tasks will be many,
And more than you think you can do,
Often the road will be rugged
And the hills insurmountable,
Too...

But always remember,
The Hills ahead are never as steep
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SCHOOL TO DISMISS EARLY TODAY, FRIDAY

Superintendent, Bill Mann, reported this week that school will dismiss at 2:30 p. m. Thursday (today) and Friday, due to students taking final examinations. Students who are exempted from their tests, are not required to attend school on exam days.

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New Course Offered At Wayland Baptist College

Plainview, --An addition to the summer school schedule previously announced at Wayland Baptist College is Biology 214, Natural History of Invertebrates.

Scheduled for the second session, July 12- August 19, the course will involve mostly field work, emphasizes Prof. Ed Kajihiro. A week's trip to Padre Island is planned for study of marine life in the natural habitat.

Class members also spend a day at Crystal Clear Lake in New Mexico.

"Not only will college students find the course helpful," Kajihiro says, "But elementary and secondary teachers will be able to study and collect specimens which can be used as teaching aids."

Persons interested in the course are asked to contact Kajihiro at Wayland College. Other courses available in summer school range from art to physical education. In both the first summer session, May 31- July 5, and the second, classes will be offered for public school teachers who wish to brush up or who need additional work for complete certification.

But the entering freshman, many of whom want a head-start in college, will find that basic required work is offered in both six-week sessions. Complete schedules may be obtained by writing the Wayland Registrar's Office.

You Can Overcome Tension

College Station, What causes tension?

Tension is a rather uncomfortable complaint that most everyone suffers at one time or another.

"A little tension is a good thing, because it keeps us on our toes," says Mrs. Patsy R. Yates, Extension family life specialist at Texas A&M University, "but too much can be dangerous." Tension that persists over a period of time can set its victim up for a serious breakdown.

There are many ways that tension can be relieved. Mrs. Yates recommends some of the following solutions based on certain basic rules for handling tension which have been developed by mental health experts:

(1) Tired of the same old routine week after week? Live a little, the experts say vary your routine. Go to a good book.

(2) When the children have been noisy and impossible all day, and you've had all you can take, try to refrain from lashing out at them. Instead, release that pent-up energy in some physical activity like scrubbing an already clean



JUNIORS COLLECT NUMEROUS AWARDS at the awards assembly Tuesday in the school auditorium. Pictured left to right, front row: Alice Aceveda, Becky Ryan, Linda Jordan, Patsy Been, Aline Meece and Linda Starkey. Second row: Carolyn Huck, Janita Blackburn, Kathy Brown, Brenda Oden, Debbie Barton, and Judy Gover. Third row: Arta Simmons, Diana McNamara, Cynthia Busby, Karen Jones, and Joan Dawson. Fourth row: Logan Armstrong, Harley Galloway, Danny Haberer, Steve Mann, Jesse Cole, and Jimmy Stockard. Back row: Steve Larkin, Bob Phipps, Terry Parish, and Doug Messer.

floor.

(3) Preparing in advance for common emergencies such as unexpected guests for dinner is a great tension-reducer. Coping with minor crises without fuss conditions you to face bigger ones calmly.

(4) When you have several important things-to-do, by all means get the worst done first. Putting things off--especially if you dislike doing them--builds up stress; having something pleasant to look forward to reduces it.

(5) After dinner, your husband often spends an hour or so putting around in the garage. Should you go see what he's doing and perhaps help him? No, say the experts. Companionship is important for a happy marriage, but in today's families, there's often too much "togetherness." Everyone needs some time to himself, to think, to dream maybe just to unwind emotionally without fear of getting on someone else's nerves.



"The only people with whom you should try to be even are those who have helped you."

Annual Quarter Horse Show Scheduled

The Earth Roping Club Quarter Horse Show will be held Saturday, May 21, at the Earth Rodeo Grounds. There will be no admission charge.

Halter class entry fees will be \$5. Performance class fees are set at \$10; cutting horse class fees \$27.50; and all youth activities fees are set at \$2 per class. Additional information may be obtained from Lexie Branscum or any Roping Club member.

The show begins with Halter events at 10 a.m. Followed by performances which are slated to start at 2:30 p.m.; and youth activities at 6 p.m. Trophies will be given for Grand Champion and Reserve Champion.

In the youth activity, a trophy will be presented along with 6 ribbons. A ribbon will be given to the winner of each of the following six events, Stallion, Mare, Gelding, Pony (under 54"); Showmanship; Barrel Racing; Western Pleasure; and Pole Bending.

More than 150 entries are expected. These will be judged by Doyle Saut of Plainview, a well-known Quarter Horse judge. Youth activity is an addition to the show having made its debut here last year. The purpose of the youth activity is to allow youths 18 years or younger to participate in the show. They may own the horse they show, or it may be owned by a relative (father, sister, brother, or grandfather,) any kind of horse may be shown.

The all-around horse in the regular show will receive a \$50 trophy; the youth activity will also have an all-around trophy.

Registration requirements for Halter classes are: Stallions, Mares, or Geldings in the old or new appendix are eligible to participate in the approved halter classes through their two year old, stallions and mares must have a registered number.

Stallions and mares must have a registered number. Any horse may show an appendix, national, tentative, or permanent register papers. Horses do not have to show at Halter to enter performance classes.

A person may enter as many horses as he desires in any class, but a rider may ride only one horse in each class. Trophies were donated by the following: Mares Foaled 1966, Western Ammonia; Mares Foaled 1965, Earth Farm Supply; Mares Foaled 1964, Taylor Furniture; Mares Foaled 1963, Dodd Fertilizer; Aged Mares, Farm Chemical Co.; Grand Champion Mare, Chas. G. "Bud" Nace D. V. M.; Reserve Champion Mare, Dent Farm Supply; Stallions Foaled 1966, Gerald and Bills Barber; Stallions Foaled 1965, Quicksail Pryor Co.; Stallions Foaled 1964, Earth News-Sun; Stallions Foaled 1963, Pounds Pharmacy; Aged Stallions, Floyds Barber Shop; Grand Champion Stallion, Barton Bros. Gin; Reserve Champion Stallion, Earth Auto Sales; Gelding Foaled 1964 and after, Layman Bros. Butane; Gelding Foaled 1962-63, Service Seed and Delinting; Gelding foaled 1961 and before, Brown-Jordan Imp.; Grand Champion

Gelding, Citizens State Bank; Reserve Champion Gelding, Whites Auto; Mare and 1966 foal, Springlake Elevator; Junior Reining 1962 after, Earth Co-op Gins; Senior reining 1961 before, Earth Tire and Supply; Western Pleasure "all ages", Earth Service Supply; Barrel Racing "All ages", Earth Oil and Gas; Roping "all ages", Earth Lions Club; Pole Bending "all ages", Springlake Lions Club; Senior Cutting, Earth Elevator; Junior Cutting, Campell Gins Inc.; and All Around Trophy, Shawnee Trophy Co.

Youth Activities trophies will be donated by Stallions, American Quarter Horse Association, Mares, American Quarter Horse Association Geldings,

American Quarter Horse Association, Roping, Wolverine Drive In, Showmanship, Southwestern Public Service; Reining, Starkeys Steak House; Barrel Racing, Muleshoe Animal Clinic; Western Pleasure, Pioneer Seed, Co.; Pole Bending, Taylor Market Basket; and all around Trophy, American Quarter Horse Association.

"A wise husband buys his wife such fine china that she won't trust him to wash the dishes."



The Future is in Your Hands

Class of

may your years be filled with happiness.

KENNY KENDRICK

Parents---Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kendrick
Years att'd Springlake-Earth Schools---12
Organizations and activities involving student in school--- FFA, 3 years.
Honors received and offices held during school career--- Vice president of FFA
Post graduation plans---Attend South Plains College
Future ambitions---Marriage and farming

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OUR BEST WISHES

TO THE SENIOR

GRADS OF 1966

LARRY "PETE" GLASSCOCK

Parents---Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Glasscock
Years att'd Springlake-Earth School---12
Organizations and activities involving students in school--- Letterman's Club; President of Freshman Class; Student Council; and Junior and Senior play cast.
Honors received and offices held during school career--- All-District Football; All-District Basketball; FFA reporter; Football King; and Basketball King Candidate.
Post graduation plans---Work this summer and attend South Plains College
Future ambitions---undecided
Hobbies---Water skiing and just shooting the breeze.

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We share the joy your family must feel and wish you well on this occasion.

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YESTERDAY'S SMALL FRY TOMORROW'S FUTURE...

JIMMY SHIREY

Parents---Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Shirey
Years att'd Springlake-Earth Schools---12
Organizations and activities involving student in school--- FFA, 3 years; football, 1 year; and track, 1.
Honors received and offices held during school career--- Senior vice president
Post graduation plans---Attend South Plains College
Future ambition---Farmer
Hobby---Playing guitar

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Mrs. Myrtle Clayton Hosts Picnic, Rock Collection Tour

Brownie troop no. 308, accompanied by their leaders Mrs. Norman Hinchliffe, Mrs. Albert Lindley, Mrs. Jay Winders and Mrs. Norman Sulser, visited with Mrs. Myrtle Clayton in her home Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Clayton prepared a picnic lunch for the girls, which consisted of sandwiches, potato chips, cookies, candy, and punch.

She also showed the group, her valuable rock collection, explaining to them the various ways to start a rock collection. She gave a short history of several of the rocks that are among her collection.

The Brownies presented Mrs. Clayton with a gift of appreciation, for a wonderful afternoon, prior to their departure.

Attending the meeting were Kathlene Anderson, Alice Faye Adrian, Lucinda Aguirre, Melissa Been, Fonda Goodwin, Kletta Haberer, Judy Herriage, Camille Hinchliffe, Karen Kemper, Pamela Lindley, Cynthia Robinson, La'Anna Sulser, Kathy Winders, and Debbie Bell.

Arta Simmons To Sing In Choral Recital

Mrs. Joe Kelley, will present her 30 voice students in a recital Saturday, May 21, at the Lubbock Garden and Arts Center, beginning at 3:30 p. m.

Arta Simmons, student of the above, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Simmons, will sing three numbers: "Caro mio ben," "Le Violette," and "The Answer."

The public is cordially invited to attend this choral recital.

Girl Scouts Honored With SandHills Party

The Girl Scouts were honored with a party in the sand hills Thursday afternoon.

Sandwiches, cookies, potato chips, candy, and Cokes were served by Mrs. Richard Stockstill, Mrs. Marcus Messer, and Mrs. Guy Kelley to the 14 girl scouts present.

Several games were played by the girls.

Attending the party were Debra Well, Debra Schellar, Frances Faver, Kim Stockstill, Gay Ellis, Darlene Sulser, Lajuana Marshall, Renee and Lakintha Clark, Kim Kelley, Nacola Conner, Marilyn Eagle, Terri Inglis, and Mariann Messer.

Former Local Girl Completes Beauty Course

Dorothy Marie Becks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Becks of Earth, recently completed an eight hour beauty course from Hicks Beauty School in San Antonio.

Miss Becks is presently serving as a manicurist and hair stylist at Frost Brothers Beauty Salon in San Antonio.

She is a 1965 graduate of Bohner High School.

Mrs. Lewis Faver was a dinner guest Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Waddell, Lazbuddie.

Seniors Honored With Hobo Party

The Senior Class of Springlake-Earth School was honored with a hobo party Tuesday night in the Community Building.

The serving table was covered with newspaper, adorned by tin cans, which served as their crystal and dinnerware. To further carry out the hobo motif, burlap sacks and garbage cans were used throughout the room.

The Robert Nellside Band, composed of Randy Kelley, Jimmy Stockstill, Jerry Anderson, and Neil Armstrong, entertained the group. Freddy Kelley, accompanied the group as vocalist.

The group were sent on a scavenger hunt. Among the articles they were asked to find were: a red sock, an old valentine card, a flag, a black hose, combred with a needle in it, Mr. Slover's and Mrs. Jaques' signature, a red comb, a firecracker, a May 5 issue of any paper, a calling card from any past senior graduate, and an old shoe.

Lonnie Adrian and Kathy Richardson were selected as the best dressed hobos. They each received a hobo pouch filled with bread, onions, a can of beans, and other similar goodies.

Several games were played, and refreshments of hot dogs, brownies, potato chips, and Cokes were served.

Mothers sponsoring the party were Mrs. Buddy Adrian, Mrs. Chester Kelley, Mrs. Ed Dawson, Mrs. James Jones, Mrs. Dimples Sanders, Mrs. P. A. Washington, Mrs. Clarence Kelley, Mrs. Oran Parish, Mrs. Shorty Kelley, Mrs. Carl Gregory, Mrs. Roger Haberer, Mrs. Bamey Glasscock, and Mrs. Lewis Sykes.

Postmaster To Distribute Survey Cards

Postmaster Harold D. Miller reminds rural patrons of the Earth Post Office to be on the lookout for **live stock** survey cards. Next week survey cards will be placed in a sample of boxes belonging to farmers and ranchmen.

"USDA bases livestock and poultry estimates on replies to this survey," Miller explains. "It is important for everyone who gets a card to fill it out and return it to the letterdrop. This way, USDA gets a true sample of the area's livestock and poultry holdings."

Survey cards will be forwarded to Cary D. Palmer, State Agricultural Statistician in Austin. After adding and analyzing these cards, USDA statisticians are able to estimate the State's milk production, calf and pig crops, lamb and wool crops, and the number of hens and pullets.

"Information from this survey will guide livestock and poultry producers in making important business decisions," Miller concludes.

PARTY LINE

Wiley Kimbell, student at South Plains College, visited friends in Earth over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Bearden visited in Springlake Sunday afternoon in the homes of Mrs. G. C. Bearden and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. James.



EIGHTH GRADE STUDENTS RECEIVE AWARDS during the awards assembly Tuesday. They are, front row, left to right: Vicki Gregory, Debbie Martin, Jan Hedges, Jan Blackburn, DeAnne Brock. Second row, Kirby Kelley, Rickey Welch, Terry Bridge, Steve Sanderson, Jimmy Littleton. Third row, Thomas San Miguel, Mike Wages, Pam Avery, Kathy Lee, Mary Lou Cerda, Dioncia Rodriguez.

Mrs. Rutherford Installed As President of Study Club

Mrs. Wayne Rutherford was installed as president when members of the local Town and Country Study Club met Thursday night in the lovely home of Mrs. John Laing, Sr. for Installation Service.

Other officers installed to assist Mrs. Rutherford were Mrs. M. E. Kelley, vice president; Mrs. Marie Ross, secretary; Mrs. B. Campbell, treasurer; and Mrs. H. S. Sanders, Federation Counselor.

Installing officer was Mrs.

N. Ray Kelley.

The roll call was answered by facts concerning the "Knowledge gained from the various study club meetings held this past year."

Mrs. L. Z. Anglin led the group in repeating the Club Collect.

Mrs. John Laing, Mrs. B. T. Hamilton, and Mrs. C. L. Hamilton served various kinds of salads, wonder cake, tea and coffee to foursomes seated

at card tables, covered with pink cloths and centered with rose buds.

Members present were Mrs. M. E. Kelley, Lena Hite, Mrs. Roy Neal, Mrs. L. Z. Anglin, Mrs. C. T. Richardson, Mrs. Marie Ross, Mrs. H. S. Sanders, Mrs. W. E. Gill, Mrs. Carra Morgan, Mrs. Jane Beavers, Mrs. L. K. Anderson, Mrs. B. Campbell, Mrs. N. Ray Kelley, and Mrs. Wayne Rutherford.

PARTY LINE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Anderson, Sacramento, Calif., visited several days this week with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anderson.

Bobby Borum, student at Texas Tech College, Lubbock, visited Friday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Borum.

Mrs. Nyla Rogers and Brody, Whittharral, were guests Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Blackwell.

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The EARTH NEWS-SUN Women's Page

Joan Dawson, Diana Gregory Win In Local Bake-Off

Joan Dawson and Diana Gregory were winners in the local bake-off sale held Thursday and Friday in the Homemaking Department of Springlake-Earth School.

Twenty girls competed in the contest. They were each asked to choose a recipe and prepare it. Judges were Mrs. Evelyn Maxcey and Mrs. Marie Slover.

Joan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dawson, prepared a German chocolate pound cake with chocolate sauce. Diana, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gregory, baked a lemon flavored pound cake, and iced it with lemon glaze.

The cakes were judged on texture, flavor, and appearance. The local two-some are now eligible for state competition, which will be held in Dallas later next month. From the many girls selected from the local schools in Texas, only fifty finalists will be chosen to participate in the state Bake-off.

The recipes the girls used in the local bake-off were sent to Austin by homemaking instructor, Mrs. Marie Slover, with comments concerning the texture, appearance, and flavor of the foods, with hopes that the two will be chosen among those 50 who will be allowed to participate in state.

Grand prize for the winning student in the State competition and the sponsoring teacher is a 6-day all-expense paid dream trip to Hawaii. They will travel via America's leading air-American Airlines, route of the Astrojets, to Los Angeles, and then by way of Pan American World Airways, the World's most experienced airlines, to Hawaii. They will stay at the Hawaiian Village Hotel.

And, after touring Hawaii, these two great airlines team up to bring the winner home from a never-to-be-forgotten educational and pleasure trip.

Second prize, for the student only, is a \$500 scholarship to any university of college choice. There will be 10 area winners of 20 Philco electric ranges, a range for the winning student, a range for the sponsoring teacher. Philco features the exclusive Tilt-Top, life-off-oven doors, for the easiest ranges to clean on the market.

There will be 100 winners of gift packs of the 33 items of Adams products, such as extracts, flavorings, food colors, cake decorators, and trims.

Each of the 50 teenage finalist will receive: Travel expense and one night's lodging free at the Statler-Hilton Hotel,

three tickets to "West Side Story," presented by the Dallas Summer Musicals, five tickets to Interstate Theatres, Dallas, gift pack of Adams products, and a \$25 Philco gift certificate, good on any major Philco product.

An awards dinner will be held Tuesday evening, June 28, in the Junior Ballroom of the Statler-Hilton Hotel. Special orchids will be flown in from Hawaii for this exceptional dinner.

Judges in the state contest will be Dr. Wathena Temple, Dean of Home Economics Department, East Texas State University; Mrs. Barbara Jean Zeches, Assistant Professor of Food and Nutrition, Texas Technological College; Mrs. LaRue Allison, Area Consultant, Homemaking Division, Texas Education Agency in Austin; Mrs. Leonora Masterson, Home Services Director, Gulf States Utilities, Beaumont; and Betty Adams, Home Services Director, Adams Extract Company, Austin.

Teachers are welcome to accompany students to Dallas at their own expense if they desire, although it is not necessary. Ten students will bake in the morning session, 8 a. m. - 12 noon, June 27. Twenty students will bake in the afternoon session between 1 p. m. and 5 p. m., June 27. Twenty students will bake in the third session, 8 p. m. - 12 noon, June 28. The judging and recipe testing will be done Tuesday afternoon with the banquet being held Tuesday at 6:30 p. m. Winner's attendance at the banquet is not required.

Careful score sheets will be kept, and students will be judged on originality of the recipe, their proficiency, and appearance and taste of products. This program is designed not to interfere with school teaching in any way, but to enhance it by encouraging even more student interest and participation in homemaking programs.

PARTY LINE
Sheryl Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Powell of Sunnyside is spending a few days this week visiting her grandparents the W. W. Powell's of Earth.

Mrs. D. M. Allen returned recently from a four weeks visit in Rockwell and Quinlan, where she has been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bazel Glascock, David, and Diana, and Linda Allen are presently visiting Mrs. D. M. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Glascock,



BEAUTIES WITH BAKING KNOW-HOW. This talented twosome won the "Bake-off" contest last week among contestants of the local FHA Chapter. The two, Diana Gregory and Joan Dawson, are now eligible for selection in state competition scheduled in Dallas in late June.

Bridal Shower Honors Alice Jaquess

Alice Jaquess, bride elect of John Patterson, was honored with a bridal shower Saturday in the lovely home of Mrs. M. E. Kelley.

Miss Jaquess' chosen colors of yellow and white were carried out throughout the entire house, using lovely yellow floral arrangements in each room. The serving table was laid with an imported organdy and linen tablecloth, over yellow. A kissing ball made of white net, dotted with yellow rose buds, flanked on either side by yellow crystal candle holders, holding short tapers, graced the table. A bridal couple standing beneath a large yellow wedding bell, completed the table decorations.

Mrs. Bill Chaney, Marilyn Coker, Jill McCord, Alicia Galloway, and Norma Kelley served individual white cake squares, decorated with yellow wedding bells, yellow punch, and nuts to the approximately 45 guests attending.

Guests were registered in a lovely white bridal book by Judy Jaquess and Ida Nell Key, student at Wayland Baptist College.

Beautiful yellow rose corsages were presented to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Travis Jaquess, the groom's mother, Mrs. Everett Patterson, and the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Margie White. Kathy Richardson and Julie Swafford, student at Wayland Baptist College, assisted Miss Jaquess in opening and displaying her many lovely and useful gifts.

Background music was presented by Kathy Clayton and Joan Dawson.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. M. E. Kelley, Mrs. Paul Wood, Mrs. W. G. Sanderson, Mrs. J. J. Coker, Mrs. Eldon Davis, Mrs. Pat McCord, Mrs. Ray Kelley, Mrs. Elmer

Prather, Mrs. Bill Mann, Mrs. Billie Robnett, Mrs. Bill Anderson, Mrs. Clarence Kelley, Mrs. V. T. Goach, Mrs. Homer Starkey, Mrs. L. G. Layman, Mrs. M. G. Keller, Mrs. Marvin Sanders, Mrs. V. D. Coker, Mrs. John Laing, and Mrs. Truman Lowe.

Mrs. Rogers Meets With Local Tops Club

"Happy Losers" was the name selected for the newly organized Tops Club, that met Thursday night in the home of Mrs. W. B. Hucks.

Mrs. Helen Rogers, County Captain, from Lubbock, was present at the meeting to assist the group in organizing, and explaining the duties of the various officers.

Mrs. Rogers explained, "The purpose of the Tops Club is primarily to aid people who are overweight, and who are sincerely interested in losing pounds, to do so sensibly."

Mrs. W. B. Hucks was appointed leader, Mrs. Edwin O'Hair, Co-leader, Mrs. Gerald Inglis, secretary, and Mrs. Elizabeth Packard, treasurer.

The group voted to meet each Thursday night at 8 p. m. in the Springlake-Earth School cafeteria. The next meeting will be Thursday, May 26. Twenty-three members and five guests were present.

Anyone interested in joining the Happy Losers Tops Club, may call Mrs. W. B. Hucks at 986-2221.

Rainbow Girls Honor Brenda O'Hair

Brenda O'Hair, outgoing Worthy Advisor, was honored Monday night at a regular meeting of the Rainbow girls.

Each officer presented Brenda with a flower, representing the various colors of the rainbow.

During the business meeting, the group voted to collect coat hangers as a money making project to complete the funds to send the girls to the Grand Assembly in Corpus Christi in late June. Anyone having coat hangers they would like to donate, are asked to call Mrs. Jerry Kelley, Mrs. M. H. "Dutch" Been, or any member of the Rainbow Girls.

Following the meeting, the girls rehearsed for their installation service, which will be held on Friday 7:30 p. m. in the Masonic Lodge Hall. Norma Kelley will be installed as Worthy Advisor.

Refreshments of cake and punch were served by Caron Koeninger, Camille Haberer, Brenda O'Hair and Norma Kelley to Susie Adrian, Fanny Been, Brenda Brock, Kathy Brown, Sharla Haberer, Linda Jordan, Anita, Connie and Donita Kelley, Becky Littleton, Sherian McAlpine, Beverly Prather, Susie Ruby, Sharon Clark, Karen Hinchliffe, Janis Carter, Mrs. Jerry Kelley and guests, Mrs. Edwin O'Hair, Mrs. M. H. "Dutch" Been, and Mrs. Pete O'Hair.

Helen Phillips Feted With Going-Away Party

Helen Phillips was honored with a surprise going-away party Monday in the home of Mrs. Leon Dent.

Refreshments of Cokes, cake, nuts, cheese dips, sandwiches, ice cream, and relish dishes were served. The 25 girls present enjoyed visiting and telling jokes. Helen plans to enroll in Abilene Christian College for a summer session beginning in June. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Phillips, plan to move to Farr, where he will be minister of the Church of Christ there.

Attending the party were Debbie Barton, Alicia Wash-

ington, Carolyn Hucks, Vicki and Becky Sanders, Dalpha Banks, Dwala Boone, Peggy Kelley, Diana McNamara, Anita O'Hair, Judy Gover, Susan Britton, Beverly Prather, Ginger Dent, Linda Jordan, Beverly and Janice Miller, Debbie Martin, Pansy Been, Diana and Linda Gregory, Alicia Galloway, and Kathy Clayton.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Leon Dent and Ginger and Mrs. Johnny K. Martin.

Helen received many lovely gifts.

PARTY LINE

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Anderson, Johnny, Jerry, and Jay visited in Dimmitt Sunday with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hardy, and her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ethan Hokit, who are visiting the Hardys from Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Robinson, Hale Center, Karen Barton, and Janis Holt were Sunday afternoon guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Townsend.

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Honors received and offices held during school career---Twirler, 2 years; Band Sweetheart senior year; basketball queen candidate senior year, track queen candidate, and basketball captain
Post graduation plans---Attend Commercial College in Lubbock
Future ambition---get married
Hobbies---Swimming, horseback riding.

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Honors received and offices held during school career---Cheerleader, 2 years; head cheerleader, 1 year; scholarships; Miss SHS, Miss School Spirit; Football Queen; All-District guard; and basketball queen candidate, sophomore year.
Post graduation plans---Attend ACC this summer
Future ambitions---Become a teacher and get married.
Hobbies---tennis, reading, swimming.

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Organizations and activities involving student in school---FHA, 4 years; Band, 4 years; Basketball, 4 years; Student Council, 1 year; Honor Society, 3 years; Basketball Captain, senior year; Junior play stage manager.
Honors received and offices held during school career---Freshman and Junior Class Favorite, President of band senior year, Student Council representative of senior class, Basketball queen, made All-District basketball team junior and senior year, and made All-State basketball team senior year.
Post graduation plans---Attend South Plains College
Future Ambition---Home Economics teacher or P. E. instructor
Hobbies---Horseback riding, swimming, reading, and sewing.

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Engagement Announced...

Mr. and Mrs. Alford E. Crisp announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Marian Carol, to Ronnie Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivy C. Miller of Huff, Arkansas.

A tentative date has been set for the wedding in July, at the Sunnyside Baptist Church. Marian is presently a senior at Springlake-Earth High and will graduate this May. Ronnie graduated in 1964 and is now an Airman Second Class in the Air Force and is stationed in Okinawa at this time.



MARIAN CAROL CRISP

Kim, Kreg Stockstill Honored With Party

Mrs. Richard Stockstill honored her two children with a joint party Saturday from 2 p. m. until 5 p. m. in the Sand Hills. The occasion was celebrating Kim's tenth birthday, and Kreg's eighth birthday.

The lovely birthday cake depicted an open book, with yellow lettering which read "Happy Birthday Kim and Kreg." Yellow roses and a green bookmark completed the cake decor.

Games of touch football, foot races, and building sand castles were enjoyed by the 36 children present.

Following refreshments of birthday cake and punch, the group proceeded to the Stockstill home, where Kim and Kreg open their many lovely gifts.

Adults accompanying the group to the sand hills were Mrs. Stockstill, Mrs. L. D. Henderson, Mrs. Tommy Bills, Mrs. Jerry Wheatley, and Mrs. Bobby D. Green.

Rainbow Girls Net \$200 From Salad Dinner

Approximately \$200 was derived from the salad dinner, served Sunday at noon in the Earth Community Building by the local Rainbow girls.

The girls charged \$1.25 for each adult plate and 75 cents for the children. To add to their proceeds several pies were sold at \$1.00 each following the meal.

Proceeds from the dinner will be used to help in financing a trip to the Grand assembly in Corpus Christi on June 20-22. Several of the local girls are planning to attend this annual meeting. The group may plan an additional fund raising project at a later date, to complete the amount needed to finance the trip.

Mrs. Jerry Kelley is presently serving as Mother Advisor of the local group.

Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Brock were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brock, Lubbock.

WMU Studies The American Jew

The WMU of the Earth First Baptist Church met Tuesday for an all day meeting, for a study of the book entitled, "Meet the American Jew."

Each chapter of the book was discussed, telling of the customs of the American Jew, the problems that have been forced upon the American Jew throughout the years, their adjustments that they have made to American life, and their educational and social standing.

A covered dish luncheon was enjoyed at noon.

Attending the meeting were Mrs. R. S. Cole, Mrs. Lillie Wuerflein, Mrs. Frank Wuerflein, Mrs. Pete O'Hair, Mrs. Leon Foster, Mrs. Alice Martin, Mrs. Roy Taylor, Mrs. Elton Schafer, Mrs. Gerald Inglis, Mrs. Robert Geisler, Mrs. Guy F. Kelley, Mrs. Hershel Martin, and Mrs. Price Hamilton.

Brownies Honored With Weiner Roast

Brownie troop no. 398 met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Wilson Lewis, Tuesday for a weiner roast.

Games were played by the girls, and several Brownie songs were sung.

This was the last meeting until school resumes in September.

Attending the weiner roast were Debbie Wilson, Kelley Hayden, Teri Harper, Joy Fayer, Jennifer Templeton, Ruth and Margaret Street, Quincy and Nesha Lewis, Cindy McAlpine, Terri Smith, Linda Barela, Dolores Gutierrez, Mary Marshall, JoAnn Hedges, Kim Barnett, Dawn, Carrie, and Jil Barden, Mrs. Sam Barden, and Mrs. Lewis.

Hostesses for the coffee were Mrs. Cullen Hay, Mrs. Neil Pounds, Mrs. L. H. Dent, Mrs. C. L. Houchin, Mrs. Lexie Branscum, Mrs. M. R. Phillips, Mrs. Hershel Patterson, Mrs. Wayland Schellar, Mrs. Robert O'Hair, Mrs. Perry Martin, Mrs. Truman Stine, Mrs. R. C. Dickson, Mrs. Bill Mann, Mrs. Johnny Martin, Mrs. Houston Stephens, and Mrs. Lewis Faver.

\$23 Netted In Centre Saturday

Approximately \$23 was taken in at the Good Will Centre Saturday by members of the Eastern Star Assembly who took over management of the center for the day.

Mrs. Melvin Bock reported that children's clothing, dishes, and silverware, along with pots and pans accounted for the major sales for the day.

Additional dishes are needed, as well as small children's shoes.

Those working in the Centre Saturday were Mrs. Bock, Mrs. George Runyon, Mrs. Gene Brown, Mrs. Donald Runyon, and Mrs. Clifford Hopping.

PARTY LINE

Mrs. Roney Smith attended a Pink and Blue Shower for her brother and wife on Tuesday afternoon 2:00 p. m., in the home of Mrs. "Chunk" Smith, Lazbuddie.



SEVENTH GRADE GROUP RECEIVES AWARDS during the assembly Tuesday in the school auditorium. Front row, left to right: Brenda Brock, Sandra Henderson, Janice Townsend, Caron Koeninger. Second row: Karen Armstrong, Susie Parish, Kathy Bibby, Roberta Gaston, Jan Cleavinger. Third row: Jerry Barden, Kent Parish, Johnny Kelley, Pablo Sanchez.

Democratic Women To Meet Here Today

The Earth Democratic League of Women Voters will host a regular monthly meeting of the Democratic women on Thursday (today) at 2 p. m. in the Earth Community Building.

Area representatives of the

League who recently attended the National Convention in Washington, D. C., will report to the group on the happenings at the convention.

Guests from Sudan, Olton, and Littlefield are expected to attend this meeting.

Refreshments will be served by the local group. The public is most cordially invited to attend this meeting.

ADVERTISING PAYS

Showboat Troup To Appear In Muleshoe May 21

The Show Boat troupe, a talented group that presented the program at the 8th grade banquet held recently at the Springlake-Earth School Cafeteria, will present their program in the Muleshoe High School auditorium on May 21 at 8 p. m., at the Family A-Go-Go, a talent show case.

Everyone is invited to attend this show.

This troupe under the direction of Mrs. Russell Haberer, features Jimmy Littleton, JoAnne Coker, Jill McCord, Irvin St. Clair, Leslie Haberer, Mrs. Yvonne Jones, Tisa Haberer, The Kelley Trio, the High-School Sextet and Mr. Dean Foshie's Jr. High Stage Band. Soloists for the show are Arta Simmons and Alicia Gallo-way, with Marsha Dawson as announcer, and Joan Dawson, Janita Blackburn, and Karen Jones as accompanists.

According to the United States Forest Service, many well-built frame structures have withstood dozens of hurricanes with winds exceeding 125 miles per hour.

NOTICE

The public is most cordially invited to attend a farewell party honoring Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hazlett Friday night, May 20 at 8 p. m. in the Earth Community building. A money tree will be presented to the family. They will be moving to Baytown, Texas, on or around May 25.

The O. E. S. will meet Monday, May 23, at 8:30 p. m. in the lodge hall for their final meeting this year.

Peggy Upchurch will be honored with a come-and-go-bridal shower Saturday, May 21, from 10 a. m. to 11:30 a. m. in the home of Mrs. Thurman Lewis, located 2 1/2 miles N. of Earth. Miss Upchurch has selected her dinnerware at Whites Store.

All Girl Scouts who plan to attend Day Camp are asked to send in their applications and dues as soon as possible. The deadline is July 10. Anyone who registers and will, for some reason, be unable to attend Day Camp, will be refunded their money.

Ascension Thursday, May 19, is a Holy Day for Catholic people and will be celebrated with a 6 p. m. Mass in the Earth Theatre for area Catholics.

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Organizations and activities involving student in school---Band, 4 years; basketball, 2 years; Rainbows, 4 years; Cheerleader, 2 years; and FHA, 4 years.
Honors received and offices held during school career---FHA Flower Girl, Junior year; Track Queen, Junior year; Miss Flame Candidate, Junior year; Football Queen Candidate, Junior year; Band favorite, senior year; and Perfect attendance, 3 years.
Post graduation plans---Attend South Plains College
Future Ambitions---Attend College
Hobbies---Cooking and swimming.



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Couple United In Early Morning Wedding In Waco Park

Cameron Park, in Waco, became a wooded cathedral Saturday at 8:30 a. m. when Miss Margaretta Joy Meadows and William Autry Sprinkle Jr. repeated their wedding vows in a grassy clearing across from Kendall Gardens.

The bride's father, Cecil E. Meadows of Grand Prairie officiated at the ceremony with Charles Henry, missionary to Mexico, assisting.

Mrs. Gene Dalton played a portable Lesman organ--accordion and Ted Bolton was soloist for the wedding music.

The brides' traditional white wedding gown of satin was designed with a chapel train. Chantilly lace covered the bodice and fingertip sleeves. A pearl tiara held her illusion waist length veil. Her bridal bouquet was arranged with a cascade of white carnations centered by a large white orchid, and tied with streamers of white satin ribbon.

Miss Evelyn Meadows of Abilene was her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Marite Zidermanis of Dallas and Miss Darcy Dwiggins of Abilene. They wore pastel taffeta dresses. Miss Meadows was attired in a taffeta dress complimented with a blue lace-covered bodice. White velveteen bows and blue tulle were their headpieces. Each carried a cascade of blue carnations.

Charles Sprinkle of Brown-

wood was his brother's best man, Sam Webb and Skipper Hill served as groomsmen, James Sprinkle of Pecos another brother, ushered. Lolly Pierce was flower girl.

Mrs. Martin Wisenbaker, Mrs. Aueidus Zidermanis and Mrs. Gordon Kenney were in the house party to serve traditional wedding refreshments at a nearby park pavilion.

Mrs. Sprinkle is a graduate of Springlake High School in Earth. She has attended Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene and Texas Woman's University in Denton. For nearly two years she has lived in Waco where she has been employed as a secretary in the honors program at Baylor University and as temporary secretarial employe at several Waco firms.

Mr. Sprinkle graduated from Pecos High School and attended Hardin-Simmons University. He is a minister of the gospel and serves in the U. S. Army. The couple will take a wedding trip to Virginia where they will make their home.

Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. Cecil E. Meadows of Grand Prairie and Mr. and Mrs. William A. Sprinkle of Pecos.



MRS. WILLIAM AUTRY SPRINKLE JR. (formerly Margaretta Meadows)

GA's To Have Swim Party

The Daisy Lane GA's met Tuesday at the Earth First Baptist Church.

The GA Hymn, "We've a Story to Tell," was led by Connie Kelley, followed by the GA Allegiance.

Mrs. Edwin O'Hair presented the scripture verse, taken from 2 Timothy 2:15.

They also voted to meet every two weeks while school is out. Their meetings are tentatively being planned for Wednesday evenings, at 6:30 p. m.

Attending the meeting were Sharon Clark, Linda Robbins, Regina Cole, Ruby Coon, Lanita Lansford, and Mary Nell Walker.

Refreshments of Baby Ruth candy bars were served to the six girls present by Linda Robbins.

PARTY LINE

Fishing at Diversion Lake and Kickapoo Lake last week were L. T. Smith, Pete O'Hair, Roney Smith and Leroy Wilkerson. L. T. and Pete returned on Tuesday and Roney and Leroy stayed until Wednesday.

Mrs. L. T. Smith and Mrs. Roney Smith and Terri Carol spent Monday night with Mrs. Billye Davis and children in Dimmitt.



ANDREA RITCHIE

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ritchie announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Andrea, to Arboth Rylant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rylant. The wedding date has been set for 7:30 p. m. on June 24 in the First Baptist Church of Sudan. All friends of the couple are invited to attend. Rylant, a 1964 graduate of Springlake-Earth, is a sophomore at WTSU in Canyon. He is majoring in Physical Education and is a member of the Phi Epsilon Kappa fraternity. Andrea is a 1965 graduate of Sudan High School and is presently employed at the Sudan Beacon-News office.

SENIOR CLASS WILL 1966

As the last failing notices fade from view and silence reigns supreme in the hallowed halls of dear old Springlake High, our senior class of 1966 is suddenly jolted into the realization that soon we will be launching out into a new phase of life for the second time.

We were launched first at junior high graduation. And now as our brow is christened with a diploma on May 23, we will hit the skids again.

It is with deep sorrow and regret that we leave behind; tests, regulations, rules, cafeteria delicacies, lost exemptions, holding our teachers by the hand on the way to lunch each day--all of these and many more too touchy to mention.

But with graduation must come departure from our Alma Mater. Soon we will be known as "Exes"! As we prepare to take leave and relinquish our exalted positions as seniors of Springlake High School (oops, pardon us, Earth--we mean Springlake-Earth High School), we do hereby submit our last will and testament. With due legality the following document has been carefully prepared.

To Springlake-Earth High School is left our class memorial, the Wolverine flag. May

it ever wave over victorious teams on the field or court and always be an inspiration to all who seek an education here.

To the entire student body we leave the space occupied by us in the classrooms, the cafeteria and on the campus.

To the class of '67 is left fond memories which to them are yet to be realities--center front assembly seats, distinguished looks, scholarship and dignity, and the many privileges that accompany the senior year--

To all the graduation classes that must succeed us we leave the traditions of honor, sportsmanship, loyalty and pride which characterize the Wolverines.

And whereas all bequests cannot be left by the class as a whole, the following individuals have amended the class will with special bequests.

Donna Ruth Gover wills her subdued manner of dress to Linda Byers and Brenda O'Hair. Nancy Alair wills her shyness to Aline Meeks.

Kathy Richardson wills her ability to chew gum without getting caught to Ginger Dent. Helen Phillips wills her secret desire to do the Watusi to Beverly Prather.

Jerry Don Sanders wills his achievement in sports to Lonnie Whitford.

Bob Coker wills his way with women to Randy Kelley.

Carolyn Kelley wills her cooking skill to Judy Gover.

Buddy Robnett wills his height to Rafael Rodriguez.

Dwala Boone wills her bashfulness with the boys to Pansy Been.

Diana Gregory wills her basketball success to Kathy Clayton.

Diana Jackson wills her seat in the Honor Society to Linda Starkey.

Peggy Kelley wills her friendship with Mr. Hamilton to Chris McClure.

Kenney Kendrick wills his gift of gab to Danny Haberer.

Ken Dawson wills his eating capacity to Karen Jones.

Daye Haberer wills his grace at typing and sewing to Debbie Barton.

Jimmy Shirey wills his spelling excellence to Joan Dawson.

Mary Lou Acevedo wills her Spanish vocabulary to Wayne Stockard.

Rudolph Ortiz wills his loud voice to Harley Galloway.

Jimmy Stockstill, Dalpha Banks and Ruby Buckner.

Virgin Sanders wills her subversive literature--a book of Baptist Doctrines, the book Mormon and The Articles of Religion to Steve Mann.

Floyd Bennett wills his ability to understand Mr. Anderson's instructions to Doug Messer.

Lonnie Adrian wills his long distance running record to Jesse Cole.

Pete Glasscock wills his having one girl not to tie him down to Terry Parish and his "plan of operations on a date" to Arta Simmons.

Kay Phipps wills \$1.75 for a hair cut at Gerald's Barber-shop to Pam Jordan.

Freddy Kelley wills his "Irresistible" way to Mr. Koeninger and his mirror to Jerry Anderson.

Gene Jones wills his good grades to Logan Armstrong.

Janey Randolph wills her boots, tight britches and riding ability to Miss Womble.

Donna Street leaves her library work and her interest in

Two Local Study Club Members Attend Women's Convention

"Our American Legacy was the topic used by guest speaker, Delbert Downing for his lecture at the "Reflection of Freedom" luncheon at the Koko Palace Wednesday, during the Annual Convention of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

He emphasized the great progress that Americans have made during the atomic age, but also discussed fallacies that exist in our thinking concerning the progress of our country.

Downing remarked that he was pleased to note that the Federation presented awards in Art and Literature instead of awards which emphasize only the physical sciences.

Following Downing's speech, Miss Marian Ross, of New York City, addressed the group.

Miss Ross, Associate Community Relations Director for the Motion picture association of America, chose "Movies and You" as her topic.

She pointed out that persons should participate in the movie industry, and become better informed on various movies, stating that persons can do something about the various types of movies shown in a

community if their interest is great enough. She went on to say, that the movies we watch

are a reflection of our own social status. Attending the luncheon from

the local study club were Mrs. John Laing, Sr., and Mrs. Roy Neal.



DIANE JACKSON

Congratulations

to All the

SENIORS



To you, who are Seniors, may we say we're happy and proud of your accomplishments. May you continue to seek knowledge that you may more ably make your contribution to this world.

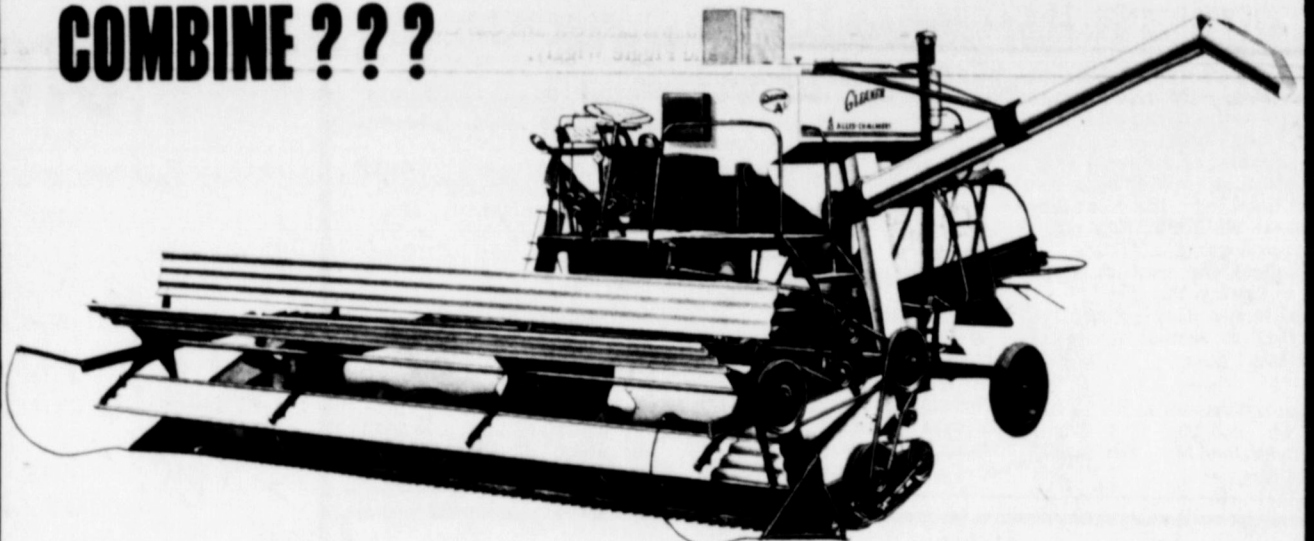


Parents---Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jackson
Years att'd Springlake-Earth Schools---5
Organizations and activities involving student in school--- FHA, 3 years; Pep Club, 4 years; Honor Society, 3 years; Annual Staff, 1 year; and Basketball, 2 years.
Honors received and offices held during school career--- President of Pep Club
Post graduation plans---Attend Commercial Art School and College at a later date
Future Ambitions---Commercial Artist
Hobbies---Art, sports of all kinds, horseback riding, and swimming

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MARIAN CRISP

Parents---Mr. and Mrs. Alford E. Crisp
Years att'd Springlake-Earth Schools---7
Organizations and activities involving student in school--- FHA, 3 years; PTA, 3 years; Pep Club, 4 years; Annual Staff, 2 years; Powderpuff football game, sophomore, Honors received and offices held during school career--- Secretary of PTA
Post graduation plans---Attend Draught's in Lubbock
Future ambition---Homemaker
Hobbies---Sewing and cooking

WAYNE RUTHERFORD 66 STATION

PHONE 257-3492 EARTH

Local Girl Receives TT Music Scholarship

Arta Simmons was presented a Scholarship to the Texas Tech Music Camp scheduled for June 20 through 24 in Lubbock.

Presentation of the scholarship was made Saturday in Lubbock, following a contest in which Miss Simmons won a first place in song, a first in theory, and a first place in sightreading and conducting choral contest. She competed with eight other area contestants.

Miss Simmons sang "Caro mio ben" before the judge, Charles Post, a member of the Texas Tech Music Department of the college, with Mrs. Gene Kenney, head of the Texas Tech choral Department, as instructor.

Seniors Enjoy Fun-Filled Day Friday

Thirty-three seniors, their two sponsors Bill Anderson and Mrs. Gladys McCaskill, along with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Alair attended Senior Day in Lubbock on Friday.

Skating, picnicing at Mackenzie Park, playing miniature golf, dining at the Koko Korner, and attending a movie, "A Patch of Blue" provided a busy and exciting day in the lives of the 1966 seniors!



JUNIOR HIGH HONOR SOCIETY receives awards at the annual awards assembly Tuesday in the school auditorium. Pictured left to right, front row, Jan Hedges, Jan Blackburn, Dianne Brock, Kathy Lee. Second row, Kirby Kelley, Rickey Welch, Steve Sanderson, Jimmy Littleton, and Steve Busby.

Several Attend VBS Workers Clinic at Baptist Church

The Vacation Bible School Worker's Clinic was held at the First Baptist Church, Earth, Thursday, with 23 workers present.

The various superintendents of each department, met with their co-workers to plan the programs and crafts to be used during the Bible School.

M. B. Baldwin, principal of the School, reviewed the activities program, and distributed among the workers various materials they will be using in their crafts program.

Mrs. George Laing will serve as pianist for the school, with Kathy Clayton as music director.

The Vacation Bible School will begin on May 23 and continue through June 1, with classes scheduled daily from 8:30 a. m. until 11:30 a. m.

Chairman of the refreshment committee will be Mrs. G. L. Adrian, and secretary for the school will be Mrs. Richard Stockstill.

Farmers, according to the Texas Forestry Association, own 21 per cent of the commercial timberland in East Texas.

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Baseball Teams Selected Saturday

Baseball teams for the forthcoming baseball season were formed at the ball park on Saturday morning.

Members chosen for the Mets team are Ernest Flores, Hoyt Glasscock, Mike Bell, Brian Sanderson, Junior Herrera, Bobby Angeley, Alford Lewis Sanders, Joe De La Garza, Bernardo Salinez, Hal Wood, David Hinchliffe, and Ronnie Coon. The two sponsors for the Mets are Farm Chemical Company and Earth Gin Co.

Jack Angeley has been named coach for the team.

The Yankees team, includes the following boys: Weldon Eagle, Kent Lewis, Joe Acevedo, Larry Thomas, Greg Slover, Gerald Thomas, Mike Cleavinger, Jerry Chance, Equivel Costello, Donnie Henderson, Donald Marilona, Guy Lynn Holder, and Brian Britton. The Yankees sponsors are Brown-Jordan Equipment Co. and Whites Auto Store.

Orville Cleavinger will serve as Yankee coach.

Boys selected to play on the Red Sox team were: Kenny Keith, Kenny O'Hair, David Kelley, Carl Sulser, Tony Keith, Chris Brock, Jesse Costello, Joe Ortiz, Rudy Monroe, Randy Adrian, Terry Lively and Mike Bosquitz.

Skeeter Brock will coach the Red Sox, and sponsors, for the group is Earth Oil and Gas Co. and Piggie Wiggley.

The Giants team is composed of Steve Hay, Donald Templeton, Nicho Traina, Dale Wheatley, Randy Stephens, Randy Aguirre, Rudy Costilla, Tommy Clayton, Chris Cepinoza, Benny Ortiz, Scott Lee, and Matt Simmons.

Sponsoring the Giants are Watson Bros. Butane of Springlake and E. S. S. Co. of Earth. Les Watson and Tom Sanders will serve as coaches for the Giants.

The Pee Wees will meet Saturday at 9 a. m. for a practice session and team selection. The Earth Volunteer Fire Department will sponsor this group.

The tentative starting date for the season is on Tuesday, May 31 at 5 p. m.

The practice session schedule for the various teams is as follows:

Red Sox, Monday, 4-5 p. m. and Thursday, 4 p. m.
Mets, Tuesday at 4-5 p. m. and Friday, 5 p. m.
Yanks, Monday, 5 p. m. and Wednesday, 4 to 5 p. m.
Giants, Wednesday, 5 p. m. and Friday, 4 to 5 p. m.
Pee Wees will play most of their games on Saturdays at 9 a. m.

Forest industries own about 27 per cent of the commercial timberland in East Texas.

BABE RUTH LEAGUE PLAY BEGINS MAY 21

The Babe Ruth League schedule begins with Jack Straw Gin pitted against Halfway and Parsons Funeral Home against Earth.

Monday, May 23, Earth meets Halfway.

All Pee Wee, Freshman League and Babe Ruth schedules will be published in next week's Earth News-Sun.



The joy of the Lord is your strength. —(Neh 8:10)

As we approach our senior years, we should continue to enjoy the breath in us that God has given, and to live happily and joyously. We too are children of God, and when our minds are filled with the thought of happy life is for living then we refuse to give way to negative opinions or appearances. Through prayer we keep in tune with the healing power of God.



ALICIA GALLOWAY

Parents---Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Galloway

Years at'd Springlake-Earth School---12

Organizations and activities involving student in school---National Honor Society, FHA, PTA, Student Council, Band, Rainbow, Junior and Senior plays, and Outstanding actress at District Speech Play.

Honors received and offices held during school career---Most Congenial; Band Sweetheart; Flaw Girl; Outstanding Senior Girl; Twirler, 4 years; and FHA State Degree winner.

Post graduation plans---Upon graduation, I plan to serve as an invincible worker in Vacation Bible School, and in the fall, I plan to enter Wayland Baptist College.

Future ambitions---To become a Speech Therapist

Hobby---Reading



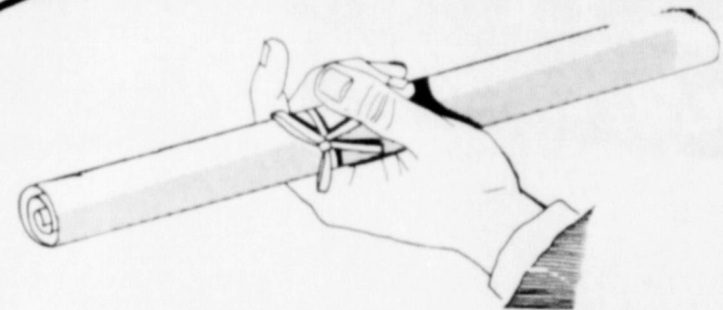
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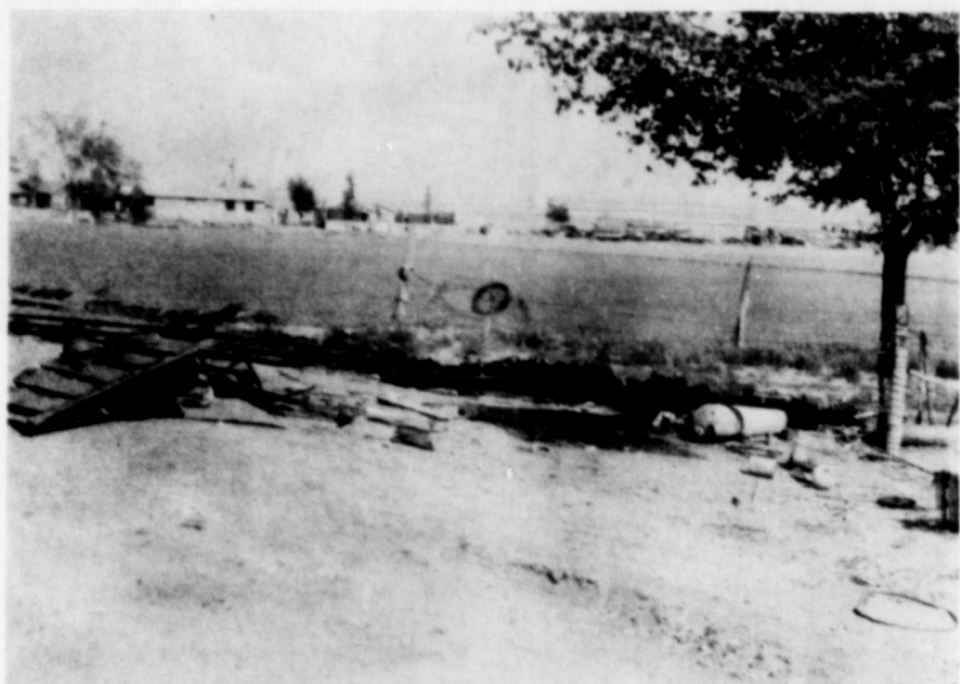
MEMBER F.D.I.C. DIMMITT



WITHIN 3 BLOCKS OF THE CITY HALL, This unsightly scene was spotted and snapped by the News-Sun photographer Tuesday afternoon. This condition is doubtless a Health hazard to the City of Earth. Don't we care??



A REMINDER OF THE PAST, but an eyesore to city residents is left standing on city property creating a fire hazard within the city.



ITS A GREAT BIG WONDERFUL WORLD that we live in, but its an awrul dirty little Earth, that we inhabit. Wouldn't it be more like "Home Sweet Home" if we all pitched in and cleaned up our little patch of Earth.



THESE LIMBS CAN BE HAULED OFF free of charge if area residence will call Phil Raught or Mayor Kelley before Saturday. Its your town and my town, let's all get behind the move to make it a nicer place to live.

FIRES
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WEEDS ARE TAKING OVER the back yards and alleys in several parts of Earth. Lets all get behind the move to do away with this sort of hazard, and enjoy a clean town for a change.

FIRE PREVENTION IS YOUR JOB!



FIRE HAZARD... This is the local Jaycee Building where meetings for local events are frequently held. Looks as though Smokey the Bear should visit Earth, to remind us of the danger of fires.



IS THIS REALLY EARTH, unbelievable but true. These pictures were snapped Tuesday afternoon within the City of Earth, most of these scenes are within four blocks of the city hall.

Glasscock To Be Sent To Viet Nam

Pvt. David Glasscock visited in Earth over the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Glasscock, and Mrs. D. M. Allen, other relatives, and friends. Glasscock is slated to go to Viet Nam on or around June 16.

Pvt. Miller To Take Engineer Training

Pvt. Joe Miller, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Miller, is presently visiting relatives and friends in Earth. Miller entered the service in early March, and received his basic training at Fort Bliss, in El Paso.

One Arrest For Drunkenness Over Weekend

A Negro man was arrested at the ball park in Earth Sunday afternoon for drunkenness and for carrying a prohibited weapon. He was jailed overnight Sunday by City Marshal Troy Coon and was tried Monday in the Corporate Court before City Judge, Mrs. Ruby Anderson. The man was fined \$50 and released after payment of fine.

PARTY LINE

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Powell, Oklahoma City, visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Martens and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Burton were Sunday evening dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Burton, Lubbock.



PVT. DAVID GLASSCOCK

31 Enrolled In Drivers Ed Course

Thirty-one persons have already enrolled in the drivers education course, to be offered this summer, according to Superintendent Bill Mann. Melvin Simmons was appointed to instruct the course at a regular school board meeting last week. Tuition for the course is \$27.50 per person. Thirty hours of class room instruction will be required for completion of the course, in addition to six hours behind the wheel and three hours of observing another driver. The tentative beginning date for the course is June 6. Classes are expected to begin at 1:30 p. m. each day. Anyone wishing to sign up for the course, may do so at Superintendent Mann's office.

192 Take Advantage Of Chest X-Ray

Approximately 192 local persons were x-rayed by the Christmas Seal Mobile Chest X-Ray Unit of the Lubbock-Hale County Tuberculosis Association, which was at the Springlake-Earth School campus Thursday. This was just another service to the community sponsored by the Springlake-Earth P. T. A. The Chest X-ray detects many of the abnormalities of the chest besides tuberculosis, such as cardiovascular, and other respiratory diseases. Mr. Edwards, a student at Texas Tech College, administered the x-rays.

Former Student of Springlake-Earth to Graduate in California

Jerry Don Angeley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Simmons of Poway, California, will be in the 1966 graduating class of Poway High School. Jerry Don is a former student of Springlake-Earth School. He is the grandson of Theron Devenport and Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Angeley, all former residents of Earth, and is the oldest great-grandson of Mrs. J. W. Kelley of Earth. Jerry plans to attend Polomar College in Escondido, California, to major in music.



Local 4-H Group View Film

At a regular 4-H meeting Monday night, Ronnie McNitt, assistant County agent, presented a film to the approximately 30 members, parents, and guests who were present. The film was similar to the program "operation teenager," which was presented recently at the local school. The film showed four inmates in a prison, telling their story of why they were in prison. During the business meeting, which was presided over by Bruce Bridges, the group voted to stage a family picnic. The tentative date was set for July 18, but no definite location for the event was decided upon. Mrs. Clyde Parish served refreshments of Cokes and cookies to Bruce Bridges, Roberta, Shelly, and Page Gaston, Shelia Lewis, Kevin Hinson, Mary and Lajuana Marshall, Hoyt Glasscock, Steve Randolph, Prancee Faver, Welda Barton, assistant County agent, Ronnie McNitt, Lady Clair Phillips, and Buddy Logsdon, along with several parents, and guests.

Fire Department Called To 5-10 Store

The Earth Volunteer Fire Department was called to the former Froehner Variety Store on Main Street in Earth Monday afternoon about 4 p. m. when a transformer in a fluorescent light shorted out and began smoking. However, when the local Fire Department arrived at the scene, the electricity had been cut off and the smoking had stopped. The only damage reported was to the transformer and the light.

Local Church Hosts Breakfast

The First Baptist Church, Earth, was host to an associational Stewardship Breakfast Monday for stewardship chairmen and pastors of the various churches in the association. Don Jones, Stewardship director from Dallas, was guest speaker, outlining future stewardship programs and distributing material to aid the various churches in their stewardship work. Bacon, eggs, hot biscuits, butter, jam, jelly, coffee, orange juice, and milk were prepared by M. B. Baldwin, pastor of the host church. Freddy Kelley, Harley Galloway, Davey Haberer, Lonnie Adrian, and Jessy Cole served the 21 persons attending.

PARTY LINE

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Powell of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Harvey of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. James Powell of the Sunnyside Community were week-end guests in the W. W. Powell Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Clayton and family were Sunday dinner guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Garrett.

Norman Clayton and Ray Eagle entered the bow and arrow shooting contest in Hereford Sunday, where Norman took first place.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bridges were Mr. and Mrs. Phil Langley, Carolyn Reynolds, and Eva Ray Hawkins.

Republican County Convention Adopts 7 Resolutions, Selects State Delegates

The County Convention for the Republican party was held in the Council Room of the City Hall in Littlefield, Saturday. The meeting was called to order by Robert Meinache, temporary chairman, who delivered the invocation. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Pat Meinache, followed by singing the Star Spangled Banner.

Robert Meinache was elected by the Conventioneers to serve as Permanent chairman. Others elected include Mrs. Buddy Hedges who was elected secretary, and Ray Keeling as Sergeant-at-Arms. The group elected delegates and alternates to attend the State Convention to be held in San Antonio September 20. Those elected as delegates were A. B. Brown, Ken Birdwell, Ray Keeling, Jay Winters, W. B. Braden, J. D. Barden, W. E. Thomas Jr. and Robert Meinache.

Alternates elected by the group were Mrs. R. V. Aicom, K. W. Mahaffey, Honey Miller, Robert Monley, Mrs. W. E. Thomas, Dr. J. R. Fain, Mrs. Norma Barden, Mrs. Tommie Fain, Mrs. Pat Meinache, Leonard Huben, and Mrs. Ann Hedges. Six Resolutions from the Littlefield Delegate and one from the Springlake-Earth delegation was read to the convention by Robert Meinache. All seven resolutions were adopted by the group.

The seven resolution to the State were as follows: 1. Commendation to John Tower for his conservative stand in representing the State of Texas, such as with 14B. 2. We recommend that we as a nation, develop a positive stand in regard to Foreign aid Program, give aid where it will help and not simply try to buy friendship.

3. Seek ways of stabilizing our monetary standards to curb inflation. 4. Encourage free enterprise, state rights, as the Constitution and Bill of Rights was originally written. Discourage government sponsored competition with free enterprise. 5. Develop a positive stand on Viet Nam either plan to stay or plan to get out.

6. Encourage people to govern themselves instead of being governed. 7. Resolve State Executive Committee to contest the constitutionality of pledge at top of primary ballot.

Baptist Teenagers To Work At High Plains Training Center

The teenagers of the First Baptist Church, Springlake, plan to leave Saturday at 8:30 a. m. for a work day at High Plains Training Center in Plainview. The group will paint the play-

ground equipment and do other jobs around the Center. Anyone interested in accompanying the group to Plainview are asked to call Don Larkin, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

PARTY LINE
Mrs. Fern West, Nebraska, was an overnight guest Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Drake. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cearley returned last week from Burnet, where they spent the winter months. Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Alexander, Jr. were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Alexander, Sr., Olton.

Teenagers are asked to bring their own paint brushes. The paint will be furnished jointly by the center, and members of the Springlake Church who are donating paint.



Congratulations TO "WHO" ? TO THE SENIORS, of course



DAVEY HABERER

Parents---Mr. and Mrs. Roger Haberer
Years att'd Springlake-Earth schools---12
Organizations and activities involving student in school--- junior play, speech play, senior play, FFA play, 4 years FFA, Letterman's Club, Football 2 years, and track 1 year.
Honors received and offices held during school career--- President of class, class favorite, Mr. FFA, treasurer of FFA, Exchange student in FFA, All-District football team, and FFA Sentinel.
Post graduation plans---Attend South Plains College
Future ambitions---farmer, ranger
Hobbies---Water skiing and guitar playing

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TIME TO STEP FORTH



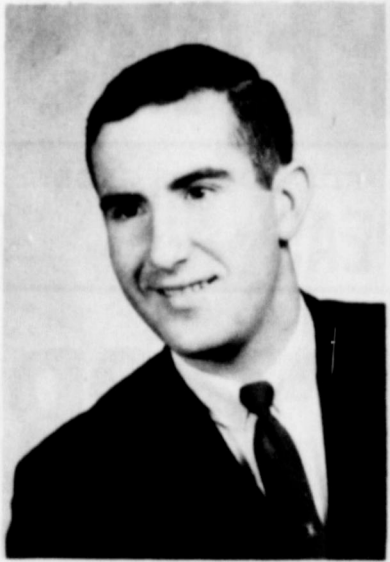
Graduation Day is here! The Seniors receive their diplomas and step forth into a world filled with conflicts . . . opportunities . . . some laughter . . . some tears.

It makes us proud to see these new graduates "step forth" with confidence and determination. We share their confidence in the future and wish each of them the best of everything.

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FREDDY KELLEY

Parents---Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kelley
Years att'd Springlake-Earth Schools---12
Organizations and activities involving student in school--- FFA, 1 year; Band, 4 years; Junior and Senior plays; Stage Band 4 years; and Student Council, 1 year
Honors received and offices held during school career--- Band President; Student Council, 1 year; Band Favorite; vice president of sophomore class; and Mr. Irresistible, 1966
Post graduation plans---Attend Wayland Baptist College
Future ambitions---Undecided
Hobby---Swimming

A World of Good Fortune to the Seniors!



TOWARD NEW HORIZONS

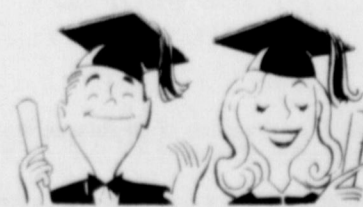
Good luck, Seniors, as you begin your voyage into the future. Those who preceded you have charted much of the wisdom of the world to help you on your way. . . The new horizons which you will discover and explore will mark the way for those who follow you.

With pride and sincerity we wish you: "Good Sailing."



VIRGINIA SANDERS

Parents---William Sanders and Vendell Sanders
Years att'd Springlake-Earth Schools---1
Post graduation plans---Undecided
Future ambitions---To become a beauty operator
Hobbies---Sewing, and reading



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ANNUAL AWARD WINNERS, and members of the Sophomore Class are pictured following presentation of awards Tuesday. Front row, left to right: Irene Hanson, Mary Brown, Beverly Ann Miller, Mira Smith, Melody Britton. Second row, Debra Parish, Becky Parish, and Lynda Packard. Third row: Bill Gover, Lonnie Dear, and Gary Kelley.

Awards Assembly Honors Outstanding Junior Students

Jan Blackburn led the Pledge to the Flag in the opening exercises at the annual Springlake-Earth Junior High School awards assembly Tuesday at 1:45 in the school auditorium. The program began with comments concerning the teachers and the accomplishments during the 65-'66 school year. The various awards given were based on leadership, citizenship, scholarship, and cooperation.

Teresa Glasscock, Lauren Earnest, Vicki Gregory, Carla Herriage, Debbie Martin, Kathy Kelley, John Alair, Gary Biles, Steve Busby, Jimmy Goodwin, Kent Kelley, Tim Oden, Terry Ott, Ken Sanderson, Thomas San Miguel, Mike Wages, Margie Hood.

Those in the 7th grade to receive perfect attendance certificates were: Tony Barton, Danny Boone, Donnie Gallo-way, Johnny Kelley, Kent Parish, Thomas Ruby, Mike West, Karen Armstrong, Mary Arrendondo, Kathy Bibby, Brenda Brock, Julie Cleavinger, Camille Haberer, Elaine Hansen, Sandra Henderson, Carlene Jones, Susan Parish, Brenda Roberson.

Junior High Band Wins Sweepstakes

The Springlake-Earth Junior High Band won sweepstakes in the Elementary Band Festival held at Springlake School, Saturday.

The 70-member band, under the direction of Dean Foshee, won a first in concert and a first in sightreading, which made them eligible for the Sweepstakes rating. Each band was required to play three numbers. The local band selected "Elmira March," "Sarabanda and Gavatta," and "Air and March," as their musical numbers.

Individuals winning first places in the brass solos division from the local school were Sharla Haberer, Steve Sanderson, Richey Welch, Susan Parish, Pam Avery, and Johnny Kelley.

Second place winners were John Alair, and Tommy Ruby. Brenda Brock took a third place in this brass solos division.

In the Woodwind Ensembles division, first place winners include Janis Bridge, Julie Cleavinger, and Roberta Gaston. De Anne Brock won a second place in this same division.

Jan Cleavinger and De Anne Brock were first place winners in the Woodwind solos. Second place winners were Roberta Gaston, Caron Koeninger, Connie Kelley, JoAnne Temple, and Cindy Barton.

Individuals winning in the brass ensembles were Kirby Kelley, Johnny Kelley, Jimmy Littleton, Steve Sanderson, and Sandra Henderson.

First place winner in the twirling contest was Susie Temple, Pam Avery, LaDonna Sigman, and the Sanders trio won second in their division.

The Olton Junior Band and the Hale Center Junior band, as well as Springlake-Earth's Band, won a first in both concert and sightreading.

Other bands participating in the festival were: Vega, who won a first in concert and a second in sightreading; Dimmitt, 6th grade band was first in concert, second in sightreading; Morton's 6th grade band took a first in sightreading and a second in concert.

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No. 2. Resolution of appreciation of the executive committee and convention to the two retiring precinct chairmen, Paul I. Jones and Otto Jones for their long and faithful service to the Democratic Party.

No. 3. The convention went

NOTICE

The regular fire meeting will be postponed Monday night, until Tuesday night at 8 p.m., due to the Senior graduation exercises. No siren will be blown during the meeting.

Students receiving perfect attendance certificates in the 8th grade were: Cindy Barton, Maria Boquez,

TO THE PEOPLE OF LAMB COUNTY:

Thank you for the expression of confidence shown me in the May 7 Democratic Primary.

Your encouragement and support are most appreciated. I want to serve all the people of Lamb County and will welcome your advise and counsel.

Please contact me at Post Office Box 1720, Vernon, or call area 817 Linden 2-2588 when I can be of service to you.

JACK HIGHTOWER
State Senator

239,000 Barrels of Crude Oil Produced in County During '65

As Texas celebrates its 100th anniversary as an oil-producing state, Lamb County shares in the development that made the Lone Star State the No. 1 energy source for a booming American civilization.

In 1866 Lyne T. Barret-- a man most history books forgot-- drilled the first Texas oil well near Nacogdoches at a depth of 106 feet. In the one hundred years that followed, the search for oil and gas spread to every county in Texas, and today Lamb County is one of 210 which produce oil or gas.

Barret and other pioneer Texas oil men left a legacy for Lamb County that can be measured at approximately \$715,000 a year, based on statistics compiled by Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association.

During Texas' first century of oil production (29 billion barrels), Lamb County has contributed approximately 9.1 million barrels, its record dating from 1945.

The latest U. S. Bureau of Mines figures (1964 show Lamb County produced more than 239,000 barrels of crude oil valued at \$707,000; and 65 million cubic feet of natural gas worth about \$8,000. The 1965 output would be approximately the same, preliminary estimates indicate.

Lamb County ranks 16th among the Texas counties producing oil and gas.

Payrolls, distribution of royalty checks to local landowners, new drilling ventures and tax payments are some of the ways by which oil and gas revenues are injected into the Lamb County economy.

One of the most important "crops" harvested by Texas ranchers, farmers and other landowners is the royalty interest from oil and gas operations. These payments are at the rate of approximately \$89,000 a year in Lamb County. Many more thousands a year are paid in lease rentals and bonuses on acreage which operators hope will some day yield oil and gas.

In addition to sharing the tax load for local schools and levels of government, oil and gas producers and royalty owners send some \$33,000 a year to the State Treasury in severance taxes. Oil taxes account for \$32,500 gas \$500. Triggered by the first discovery in 1945, the search for oil in Lamb County is still under way. The Oil and Gas

man, Bruce Cook of Tulia, Gene Gollehon of Hereford, Gerald Smith of Pampa, and Bill Auveshine of Canyon,

Journal reported 17 wells were drilled in the county last year. Ten of these were "wildcats" seeking new fields or production from new strata. Results:

6 oil wells; 11 dry holes. Oil men and other investors risked an estimated \$1.2 million in Lamb County to drill 108,000 feet of hole. Some \$759,000 disappeared forever in dry holes.

The Texas Employment Commission reports an industry payroll of about \$133,000 a year for Lamb Countians who are directly employed by oil and gas firms. This, of course, is only part of the total employment created by petroleum operations for many others work in related service and supply jobs.

Cooking Oil	CRISCO	69¢
38 oz. Bottle		
DETERGENT LOTION	GENTLE PINK	3 \$1
Quart Bottle		
CAKE MIX	DUNCAN HINES ANGEL FOOD	49¢
Box		
DETERGENT	BOLD	69¢
Giant Size Box		
CHERRIES	SHURFINE DARK SWEET	35¢
303 Can		
BEANS	RANCH STYLE	29¢
300 Size Can		
DOG FOOD	ROXEY 15 1/2 oz. Can	13 \$1
Cans		
ASPARAGUS TIPS	SHURFINE CUT GREEN	25¢
300 Size Can		
FLOUR	SHURFINE	10 79¢
Lb. Bag		
CORN	KOUNTY KIST 12 oz. Vacuum Pack Can	35¢
2 Cans		
HOMINY	SHURFINE	25¢
303 Can		
PEARS	SHURFINE BARTLETT	29¢
303 Can		
PEAS	APRIL SHOWERS GREEN	39¢
303 Can		
POTATOES	SHURFINE WHOLE SWEET	\$1
No. 3 Squat Can		
ICE CREAM	CLOVERLAKE	59¢
1/2 Gallon		
AVOCADOS	FRESH	15¢
Each		
CORN	SHURFINE	15¢
2 Ears		
POTATOES	No. 1 RUSSET WHITE	59¢
10 Lb. Bag		
BOLOGNA	SUNRAY ALL MEAT	49¢
1 Lb. Pkg.		
BACON	HICKORY SMOKED RINDLESS SLAB	69¢
Lb.		
HAMBURGER MEAT	FRESH GROUND	\$1
3 Lbs.		

Democrats Elect 17 Delegates To State Convention

The Democratic County Convention convened at 8 p.m. Saturday in the County Courtroom in Littlefield, and elected 17 delegates and 8 alternates to attend the State Convention in Austin on September 20.

The Democrats also adopted a resolution to offer to the state Delegation for adoption.

Delegates elected by the 206 Democrats who attended were Kenneth Cowley, Earth; Orville Cleavinger, Springlake; Glen Batson, Billy Hall, Jerome Kirby, Bobby Nelson, Tommy Tresh, John D. Smith, Paul Carmichele, all of Littlefield, V. M. Peterman of Sod House, Leroy Maxfield, Amherst Glenn Exter, Wilton Botkin, and Don Bryant of Pleasant Valley, and Benny Pickereil of Fieldton.

Alternates elected by the convention were Paul I. Jones, C. Wilkinson, R. W. Wood, Cloise Faust, Mickey Ratliff, all of Littlefield, J. A. Littleton, Jr., Earth, Dick Hoppling, Fieldton, Dale Weaver, Amherst, and V. Diersing of Pep.

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on record for supporting the efforts of Texas Tech in obtaining a medical school there. No. 4. This convention opposes the cutting of farm prices as a means of benefiting consumer prices. We oppose the dumping of farm commodities to weaken prices, or the withholding of purchase of farm commodities as a price depressing technique. We urge the Defense Department and other Governmental Agencies to purchase domestic agricultural products when available.

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As they seem...
And with Faith in your heart
Start upward...
And climb 'til you reach your
Dream...
For nothing in life that is
Worthy is ever too hard to
Achieve...
If you have the courage to
Try it and you have the Faith
To Believe...
For Faith is a force that is
greater than knowledge or power
or skill...
And many defeats turn to
Triumph if you trust in God's
wisdom and will...
For Faith is a mover of mountains--
There's nothing that
God cannot do...
So start out today with Faith
in your heart...
And "Climb 'Til your dreams
Come true!"

My Neighbors

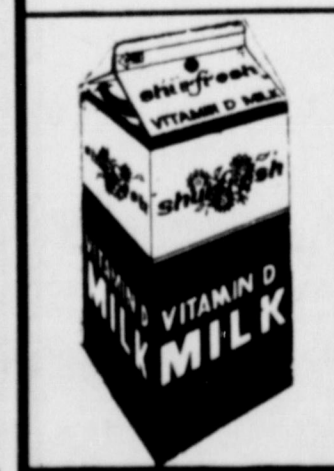
"I remember hitting a ball
—then everything went
blank..."

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1916 Seniors Holds 50th Anniversary Reunion

There was doubtless little need for a physical fitness program way back when 7 senior students took that long mile hike, to and from school on those cool brisk days of long ago, to that small school in Olney, Texas, where they graduated in 1916.

The hearty class of seven still managed to survive the mad rush of today, and have remained healthy, alert, active and useful for low these 50 years, and were privileged to gather for a class reunion on May 1 of this year (The first reunion for this group since graduation day 50 years ago,) in the home of one of the graduating class, Alta Groves, now the wife of Virgil Douglas of Olney.

The seven classmates of the 1916 graduating class are all in good health, and attended the reunion, with the exception of Mrs. Byna (Roach) Sweetman of Wichita Falls, who was unable to get away from her job.

Catching up on events and data throughout the past 50 years was a day of glory for Mrs. Bonnie (Angeley) Haberer of Pleasant Valley, and her sister, Mrs. Virgie (Angeley) Bearden of Salem, Oregon, both members of that class and well known in this area.

Mrs. Haberer laughingly remembered the early morning scramble of fixing lunches for herself and other school students in the Angeley family, and looking for the Kansas City Star, to wrap the lunches in each morning. There were no such thing as a hot lunch program way back in those early school days.

Along with her many memories of school, she recalled the long mile hike each morning to school. This stroll served to wake up tired blood and set the brain in action.

Since there were no school buses in those days, Mrs. Haberer recalled that on those real impossible days when it had rained all night, her father would hitch up his team. All his large family of school children would stand up in the back of the wagon while he drove through the slick red clay soil to the small school, so they would not miss school. Perhaps there was a two-fold purpose in his action. Not only was he interested in furthering the education of his children, but perhaps with a live-wire talkative family, the size of the Angeley family, forced to stay inside his domain on a rainy day, it probably took little courage for him to forgo the rain soaked roads to deliver his crew to school.

The school term in those days were from October through April making a 7 month school year in comparison to the regular 9 month term today. The Angeley family always missed the first 40 days of school, as well as most of their neighbors who were involved in gathering their cotton crops.

In discussing the drop-out problem today, Mrs. Haberer recalled that today's figure is comparatively small in comparison with her class in the long ago days in Texas, when as she recalled approximately 50 students went into high school with her class, and of the 50 only seven graduated with her.

To graduate from high school a student was required to have four years of Math, English, History and Latin. These were "musts" along with other subjects, there were no electives in those days.

Sports were popular in those days, and both Bonnie and her sister Virgie were members of the basketball team. Bonnie said, "Our team was the team in that area in those days. We worked at sports. The basketball attire consisted of long white middie blouses with blue ties worn with pleated skirt made from blue storm serge. To further compliment the attire, long black stockings and meakers were worn, and to prevent their long hair from getting in their way, they wore blue dotted kerchiefs around their heads.



IT'S BEEN A LONG, LONG TIME, and catching up on 50 years since graduation day in May 1961 was delightful. There were seven graduates in the class and six attended the reunion, (one was unable to leave her job). Pictured seated is Virgie (Angeley) Bearden, Salem, Oregon, Alta (Grover) Douglas, Olney, Texas, and Willie (Leberman) Wainright, Olney, Standine; Bonnie (Angeley) Haberer, Ed Foster, Ft. Worth, and Ethie (Wood) Hanna also of Ft. Worth. One Sunday afternoon their gracious host invited the classes of 1913-14-15 and 17-18-19. These special classes included everyone who were in high school during the four years this 1916 class was in high school.

To receive teachers certificates, following graduation, Bonnie and her sister attended "Summer Normal" a six weeks school where all the principals and superintendents from around the area gathered to study and teach for a six weeks period. Following the "Summer Normal" both girls took the State examination and passed, then were given teachers Certificates to begin teaching.

Bonnie came to the Hereford area in 1918 and taught a year, and in 1919 she taught at Big Square and met Herman Haberer. She returned home to Olney for her marriage to Herman Haberer in 1920. Haberer, a native of Nebraska had moved to West Texas in 1910.

Mrs. Virgie (Angeley) Bearden was the first school teacher in the Pleasant Valley district. Her first year there was in 1921.

The only possible question Mrs. Haberer could raise with the reunion that proved to be so exciting, "was how could anyone possible catch up on 50 years of life in a short two days?"

Airman Sanders Visits Parents Over Weekend

Airman Darwin D. Sanders, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack L. Sanders, was home over the weekend visiting his parents, other relatives and friends. He recently was selected for training at Goodfellow Air Force Base, as an Air Force Communications analysis specialist. Sanders completed his basic training at Lackland AFB.

Pvt. Eagle Home On Furlough

Pvt. Konnie Eagle is home on furlough from Ft. Belvoir, Virginia. He is due to return to the base on May 28. Eagle received his basic training at Ft. Bliss, in El Paso. He is presently studying engineering.

Eagle is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Eagle, of Earth. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hinson returned Saturday from a week's visit at Tres Ritas, N. M.

Local Ford Firm Rises To First Place In Sales Contest

John Adrian, manager of the Earth Auto Sales, received notification this week that his firm had moved into first place in the auto sales contest for the week of May 10.

The contest is still in motion and will continue through May 31. An all expense paid trip to Hawaii awaits the winner in each of the twelve divisions of the "Pleasure Island" sales contest.

There are 177 dealers in the state competing in the contest.

Ford Dealers are placed in a division, according to the size of town they represent. Earth is rated in Division 12 which has 41 dealers trying for first place and a trip to Hawaii. In mid-April, the Ford dealership in Earth was in fourth place, but with much effort

on the part of the local personnel the firm rose steadily each week until its present status of first place.

Other Ford dealerships throughout the County competing in the same division with Earth include Olton and Sudan. Olton was in sixteenth place in April. Latest standings show Olton dropped to nineteenth place, while Sudan showing 37th place in April had upped its standing, and is currently in 29th place.

The Littlefield Ford Dealership which is in the fifth Division, showed in April to be in 22 place and at present has slipped to 34th spot in the contest. The fifth Division has 38 dealers competing. Adrian and his personnel invite everyone to drop by anytime.



THIS 1916 GRADUATING CLASS of Olney High School held its 50 Anniversary Reunion on May 1, 1966. Mrs. Bonnie Haberer, is the tall girl standing in the right foreground. The graduating dresses were made of white seed voile and blue ties.

Citizens Urged To Convert Postal Savings Into Bonds

Postmaster Harold D. Miller today urged local citizens who have funds on deposit in the abolished Postal Savings System to convert their holdings into United States Savings Bonds.

"Postmaster General Lawrence F. O'Brien, who is Chairman of the Federal Savings Bonds Campaign, has appealed to the 930,000 Americans who have \$285,000,000 on deposit with the Post Office Department to convert their investments into United States Savings Bonds," Mr. Miller stated.

"I join him in urging local citizens who have Postal Savings Accounts to make that change which will be of great benefit to both themselves and our country. Savings Bonds offer every advantage of convenience and security formerly available through Postal Savings Certificates plus many other advantages unique to



SENIOR CLASS AWARD WINNERS received their various awards at the annual awards assembly Tuesday in the school auditorium. Pictured left to right, front row: Floyd Bennett, Carolyn Kelley, Marian Crisp, Patti Robbins, and Donna Street. Second row: Freddie Kelley, Buddie Robnett, Jill McCord, Nancy Alair, and Diana Gregory. Third row: Alicia Galloway, Ken Dawson, Jerry Don Sanders and Bobbie Coker. (See story for awards won by students).

Savings Bonds." Among those special advantages, the Earth Postmaster said, are Savings Bonds' new, higher interest rate of 4.15 percent and "the great intangible benefit of supporting our country in the fight for freedom in the world and for economic progress and security here at home."

Mr. Miller said details about the procedure for conversion can be obtained from the postmaster of any Postal Savings Depository Post Office (which includes Earth.)

The Postal Savings System, in operation since January 1, 1911, was discontinued April 27, 1966, by Act of Congress. The Post Office Department presently is liquidating its accounts and on July 1, 1967, will transfer all unclaimed assets of the System to the Treasury Department.

The decision to abolish the Postal Savings System was made because of declining interest in it by the general public as a savings and investment medium. Higher interest rates paid by financial institutions and other means of investment had attracted the bulk of funds which formerly went into Postal Savings and the convenience factor was negated by expanded hours of service by banks.

The original purposes of the Postal Savings System were to (1) get money out of hiding, (2) attract the savings of immigrants who were accustomed to saving at post offices in their native countries, (3) provide safe depositories for people who had lost confidence in private banks and (4) provide more convenient depositories for savings of working people who were unable to bank during regular banking hours.

"Those purposes have long since been fulfilled," Postmaster Harold Miller commented.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Martens of Earth were Sunday dinner guests in the W. W. Powell home.

Parents---Mr. and Mrs. James E. Jones
Years attend Springlake-Earth Schools---12
Organizations and activities involving student in school---
FFA, 4 years
Post graduation plans---Navy
Future ambitions---Navy career
Hobby---Raising Hampshire Hogs

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Mobile Lab Tests in Texas For Harmful Farm Chemicals

Austin--Safe food and water supplies for Texans is the goal of a new anti-contamination mobile laboratory now traveling the agricultural areas of the state.

"The public has become so aware of the possibilities of harmful effects from farm chemicals that official assurance work is an absolute necessity," said Agriculture Commissioner John C. White.

"The Texas Department of Agriculture is now a pace-setter for all states in making scientific analysis of all types of crops, food supplies and water sources with this ultra-modern laboratory on wheels."

The mobile lab is equipped to find even minute traces of possibly harmful chemicals in liquids such as milk, drinking water, livestock ponds and streams. Tests are also designed to assure consumers that no dangerous residues are present in food products, White pointed out.

Operated by Texas Department of Agriculture chemists, the 46x10 foot scientific trailer was put into action in March

in the Lower Rio Grande Valley. It will follow the maturing crops northward as the growing season progresses, covering all sections of the state. The mobility of the lab permits fast and accurate examinations of agricultural products and liquids as they become ready for national and international markets.

"Work of the laboratory will serve a two-fold purpose," Commissioner White explained. "Protection of human and animal life and health is the primary consideration. But a second major benefit will be derived from the tests. Crops which are certified as free of any harmful residues will command a better position on the national markets. People and buyers want to be assured of food safety."

The lab puts Texas in the front ranks in pioneering on-the-spot residue testing work. The trailer, already receiving inquiries from other states, is expected to serve as a pilot model for additional labs which may be needed in Texas in the future.



LOCAL VOLLEY BALL TEAM COP TROPHIES GALORE. . . The Earth Farm Chemical Volley Ball team, with Mrs. Donald Runyon as captain, won three first place trophies and two second place awards in the five tournaments the team entered this season. The First Place trophies were won at Muleshoe, Plainview and Olton Tournaments. Second Place trophies came from the Springlake Tourney and again in the Olton Baseball association tourney. Pictured with their trophies are, front row; Mrs. Dale Nance, and Mrs. Glenn Vining. Back; Mrs. Donald Runyon, Mrs. Gayland Stevens and Mrs. Lexie Branscum. (Mrs. Joe Wheat and Mrs. Kenny Hamilton were not available for the photo).

1966 SENIOR CLASS PROPHECY

by Kathie Brown, Diana McNamara, Anita O'Hair, and Pam Jordan

Helen Phillips and Jerry Don Sanders- raising a football team at Texas Tech. Their eleven boys made up the football team.

Janey Randolph- Now starring as Annie Oakley after all these years of its being off the air.

Lonnie Adrian- owner of a wrecking yard for old obsolete space ships.

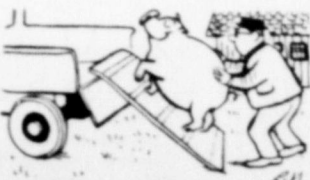
Larry Parish- Still dragging his way to Geometry class every day.

Kenny Kendrick- an old box car bum.

Donna Gover- Works in the Salvation Army.

Nancy Alair- Runs a physical fitness gym for men.

Bobby Coker- president of the Playboy Club.



"It's pretty hard to tell about prosperity. When the hog's the fattest it goes to the butcher."

Ken Dawson-leader of the pygmy tribe over in the deep dark uncles of Africa.

Davey Haberer- Sells lingerie at Saks on Fifth Avenue in New York.

Freddie Kelley- Never did get over getting Mr. Irresistible in High School. Is now the mirror tester for a big plate glass company.

Buddy Robnett- He and his mother are now running a chain of combination grocery stores and libraries.

Virginia Sanders- Came out with the new song hit, "These Boots are Made For Irrigating."

Floyd Bennett, Jimmy Shirey, and Carolyn Kelley- Have their own night club now, called the "Club A-Gone-Gone."

Jimmy plays lead guitar and Floyd the drums and Carolyn is their go-go girl.

Alicia Washington- Teaching twirling at the Gatesville prison.

Jacqueline Parish- ski instructor at Tres Ritas, only takes boys.

Mary Lou Acevedo- is manager of the Hacienda Taco Company and is the inventor of the space taco in a tube. Well- would you believe the enchilada pill??

Marian Crisp- photographer of Mad Magazine.

Patti Robbins- fastest shorthand writer in Viet Nam.

Donna Ruth Street- became an actress and wrote "How to Become a Success in 10 Easy Steps."

Gene Jones- Was Mess Sergeant on a ship. Had a ship wreck and was stranded on this island with all these girls. But Gene didn't mind that cause he was like that, yeah he was!

Rudolph Ortiz- Is chief caretaker at the Earth Cemetery. Got "Mortician of the Year."

Diane Jackson- Is still fixing greasy hamburgers at the local drive-in.

Diane Gregory- Mayor of the thriving metropolis of Dodd.

Dwala Boone- After so many years of being a nut, she finally cracked! She's at Wichita Falls conducting guided tours inside in her little Bug.

Kathy Richardson- head nurse at the Humane Society.

Jill McCord- The dietician at The Res-well Military Institute.

Need for Air Force Personnel Results in Enlistment Changes

Staff Sergeant Clifton W. Harr, local Air Force Recruiter, announced today that the increased need of personnel in the Air Force has resulted in many changes both in the prior service and regular enlistment programs. In an effort to build up the Air Force, Technically trained personnel strength, the new recruiting policy has been established which enables a person to reenlist without a loss of Grade if reenlistment is within two years of date of last separation. This change of policy

applies to persons from all services if their technical skill is one that can be utilized by the Air Force. Adjustments in Grade will be made for persons who have been separated longer than two years.

Another change in the recruiting policies permit non-high school graduates to enlist in the Air Force for a limited period. Persons are needed for immediate enlistment in the mechanical fields. Sgt. Harr stated that the waiting list that delayed some personnel from enlisting during recent

months has been canceled and that persons can enlist without delay.

Interested persons should contact Sgt. Harr at 1006 13th Street, Lubbock call Porter 5-8541, Extension 210 Collect.

PARTY LINE

Sunday dinner guests in the R. S. Cole home were Mrs. Alice Martin and Mrs. Claude Davis and boys.

Sunday afternoon guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Wood were Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Fanning.

Mrs. R. S. Cole and Regina. Mrs. Claude Davis and boys, and Mrs. Alice Martin shopped in Plainview Saturday

Alice Jaquess To Tour States With Wayland Choir

Plainview--Alice Jaquess of Earth member of the traveling International Choir at Wayland Baptist College, leaves May 24 for a concert tour of Oklahoma, Missouri, Illinois, Michigan and Ontario, Canada.

Miss Jaquess, a freshman psychology major and sociology minor, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis W. Jaquess.

She is a 1965 graduate of Springlake High School, where she was graduated as salutatorian. She also held offices in National Honor Society, Future Teachers of America and Future Homemakers of America.

Highlight of the trip is a concert before the concluding session of the 1966 Southern Baptist Convention meeting in Detroit, Mich.

Graduating seniors in the choir will miss fifty-fifth Commencement exercises at Wayland since the choir is not scheduled to return to Plainview until June 1. Commencement is May 28.

BOY SCOUTS TO HELP WITH CLEAN UP

The Boy Scouts met Tuesday night at the Earth Cemetery, along with the Cub Scouts, to practice for the Memorial Day services.

The boys voted to help with the clean-up day Saturday. Meeting with the 25 boys were Travis Jaquess, Jack Rylant, and Jerry Hawthorne.

A total of \$5,000 will be paid by the Texas Forestry Association in 1966 for information resulting in the felony conviction in District Court of any person or persons responsible for committing a felony by willfully starting a forest fire in East Texas.



KEN DAWSON

Parents---Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Dawson

Years att'd Springlake-Earth Schools---12

Organizations and activities involving student in school--- Student Council, 4 years; FFA, 4 years; National Honor Society, 3 years; Football, 4 years; Basketball, 4 years; Track, 4 years; Junior and Senior plays; and Band, 5 years.

Honors received and offices held during school career--- Junior class president, FFA president and vice president; student council president; Most Congenial, 1965; and Most Likely to Succeed, 1965-66.

Post graduation plans---Attend Texas Tech College

Future ambition---Agriculture

Hobbies---Snow skiing, water skiing, fishing, hunting, and tennis.



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JACQUELINE PARISH

Parents---Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Parish

Years att'd Springlake-Earth Schools---12

Organizations and activities involving student at school--- Band, 4 years; FFA, 4 years; Annual staff, 1 year; Student Council Representative; and FFA Historian

Post graduation plans---Attend South Plains College in Levelland

Future ambition---Undecided

Hobbies---Sewing, dancing, and snow skiing



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Producing Cotton With Less Water Possible In Future

Producing high quality cotton with less water will be possible in the future with the use of a growth regulator in the form of a hormone. Dr. Arthur F. Gohlke, Senior Soil Scientist and Administrative Assistant of the Foundation and at Michigan State University.

Cotton yields under limited rainfall and light irrigation conditions can be increased 15 to 50% over the non-treated cotton. This has been shown by the use of a growth regulator hormone. The application of this principle may also favorably in-

fluence production in other crops.

This research study has been underway at the Foundation in the laboratory, greenhouse and field. This growth regulator hormone is still highly experimental for general use by the Federal Food and Drug Agency. The research will be continued at the Foundation on the effect of cotton and other crops including grasses.

The yield of the cotton treated with 1/2 pound of the hormone per acre was 676 pounds, while the non-treated cotton produced

only 504 pounds of lint per acre under the same limited water application. The efficiency of soaking seed and applying hormone to the soil at planting is also being investigated.

The Paymaster 111 variety of cotton was seeded in 20-inch rows at 72 pounds of acid delinted seed per acre on May 8, 1965. The hormone was sprayed with three rates on July 31. The irrigation during the season consisted of a pre-plant and one very light irrigation on August 5th. All plots were fertilized uniformly with an 80-60-0 rate from 11-48-0 (Ammonium phosphate and anhydrous ammonia). The height on the hormone sprayed cotton was 8.5



TOWN AND COUNTRY STUDY CLUB PRESIDENT, Mrs. Wayne Rutherford accepts the gavel from outgoing President Mrs. John Laing Sr., following an Installation Service Thursday night in the Laing home.

inches and the untreated 16.5 inches.

The study disclosed that water uptake and needs for growth could be reduced without any apparent harmful effect on the plants. A stronger plant with more efficient water utilization has been the result. Leaves on the cotton plant were 30% thicker, thereby more efficient in the use of water and plant food, ninety-nine per cent of the water taken up by the cotton plant evaporates from the leaves.

Dr. Earl Collister, Executive Vice-President of the Foundation, stated that the research with chemical hormone and growth regulators is being expanded in the Foundation's program for 1966.

Child Benefits From Parent-Teacher Relations

COLLEGE STATION, --Today's children are fortunate when parents and teachers work together as a team for their best personal development, says Mrs. Patsy Yates, Texas A&M University Extension specialist in family life education.

A teacher, to be really effective, must know something about the student's parents and home. The more she knows about the

values, the problems, and the interests within that home, the more helpful she can be as a teacher.

When parents visit their child's classroom, it serves two purposes. It pleases the child, and enables the parents to see the teacher in action and learn something of what is expected of their child in school. They also learn something about the routine of the school and the other pupils.

Much more can be done for the child's welfare when teachers and parents have more understanding of each other and the child.

You and the teacher can reduce pressure when this seems best. You can challenge the child to do his best and help him feel that he is achieving to match his abilities," Mrs. Yates says.



This is the victory... even our faith. —(John 5:4)

If the good in our own life is not visible to our eyes we need to center our faith in God, and remember that we are His children. We must stand firm in our faith. We shall not go down in defeat or discouragement when we hold firm to the Truth. God is with us, and His Good is at work in our life and affairs.

Vacation Readers Go Everywhere!

The Texas State Library will again sponsor the Texas Reading Club this summer. Last year over 40,000 boys and girls joined this vacation reading program to make it the largest in the world! The program is designed to encourage reading among young people. You may participate in the Reading Club through the High Plains Library Bookmobile, so start making your plans ahead of time. Listed below is additional information concerning the Texas Reading Club:

1. The program dates are June 1 to August 31, 1966.
2. Children who join this summer Reading Club and read 12 books of their choice and reading level will receive a certificate from the Texas State Library.
3. A list of the titles read for this program will be kept on a reading log furnished by the State Library. Each reader should fill in his own reading log. Just ask your Bookmobile Librarian for a reading log!

Plan on making this a more interesting summer through books!

PARTY LINE

Mrs. Janey Doughty, Martha, Oklahoma, is visiting in the homes of her daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cearley and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cowley.

Mrs. M. E. Clayton and Mrs. Josie Rich returned recently from a two weeks visit in Dalhart with Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Clayton.

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Honors received and offices held during school career---Football captain, Mr. SHS, Mr. School Spirit, PHA Dream Boy, Football candidate, Band Favorite, Class Favorite, Secretary of Letterman's Club, and FFA Buddy Post graduation plans---Go on to College
Future ambitions---music
Hobby---Playing in band



to the Seniors

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Honors received and offices held during school career---Senior class treasurer, National Honor Society treasurer, PHA historian, and scholarship sweater.
Post graduation plans---Attend college
Future ambitions---Undecided
Hobbies---Swimming and drawing.



MARY LOU ACEVEDO

Parents---Mr. and Mrs. Miguel Acevedo
Years att'd Springlake-Earth Schools---12
Organizations and activities involving students in school---Basketball, 1 year; PHA, 1 year; and Pep Club, 3 years.
Post graduation plans---Attend Draught's Business College
Future ambitions---Become a typist
Hobby---Volleyball

Best Wishes CLASS OF 1966

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23 Plains Counties Have Third Largest Cotton Crop on Record

LUBBOCK, The final tabulation of cotton production from the 23 Texas High Plains counties represented by Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., came to 2,205,097 running bales in 1965. This is the third largest crop on record for the area and is over 300,000 bales above the 1,899,351 bale total for 1964.

The figures were compiled by PCG from the U. S. Bureau of Census report on state and county ginnings for the 1965 crop. The last 1965 estimate of High Plains Production, issued jointly by the Lubbock Cotton Exchange and Plains Cotton Growers last December 1, was 2,273,000 bales -- slightly over three percent above actual production. The 1965 output on the Plains was exceeded only in 1961 and 1962, when totals were 2,344,808 and 2,328,293 bales respectively. And it again enables the Plains to boast higher production than any other entire state excepting Texas itself. This was not true in 1964, when the state of Mississippi turned out 2,223,221 bales, about 200,000 bales above High Plains production for that year. But Mississippi dropped to just over 2,010,000 bales in 1965, and no other state has even been close in recent years.

The prolific High Plains area accounted for 14.79 percent or about one-seventh of the 14,912,461 bale total U.S. production, and 47.62 percent, almost one-half, of the 4,630,181 bales grown in Texas. Lubbock County again lead all High Plains counties with 271,943 bales, and was the fifth largest producer in the nation behind California's Fresno and Kern counties, each with over 400,000 bales, and Maricopa and Pinal counties in Arizona, with 304,753 and 277,141 bales respectively. Other High Plains counties ranking in the nation's top ten were Hale, eighth, and Hockley, tenth.

Joining Lubbock County to lead all Texas counties in cotton production were Hale (216,475),

Hockley (199,288), Lamb (193,141) and Lynn (185,619). These were followed in Texas by Hidalgo County which turned out 169,739 bales.

The air is rife with speculation as to how much production will drop in the nation and on the High Plains under the new cotton law effective this year. This law calls for a mandatory acreage cut of 12 1/2 percent on all farms and gives farmers the option of reducing cotton plantings by 25 or 35 percent with strong payment incentives offered those electing the larger cuts.

Friday, April 1 was the last day for farmers to "sign-up" with county ASCS officers to indicate their planting intentions, and the extent of acreage reduction on the Plains won't be known for some time after that. But preliminary reports show a high percentage of farmers, both on the Plains and elsewhere, taking the maximum 35 percent reduction.

So it is probably safe to say that this area has seen its last 2 million bale crop, at least for the four years of this program.

Total 1965 cotton production, with 1964 figures for comparison is shown below for three of the 23 High Plains counties.

Bailey County, 1965, 93,916, 1964, 83,733, Castro County, 1965, 54,868, 1964, 64,572, and Lamb County, 1965, 193,141, and 1964, 180,046.

Seeks Help For Asthma Attacks

Asthma is a chronic illness in which the victim has difficulty in breathing. It is not contagious and, fortunately, most attacks of asthma are relatively mild, but if neglected, it increases in severity, and endangers health as time goes on. A majority of asthma attacks are triggered by an allergen. It could be almost anything-- foods, furs, feathers, pollens,



SPACE TRAVELER STOPS IN EARTH WEDNESDAY. Like the soldier home from the hills, De Von Smith, world wide hitch hiker dropped in for a visit in Earth last Wednesday, wearing his bright red suit, dotted with Decals and emblems, representing the many places the Professional Hitch Hiker has toured. Smith has made many hiking treks throughout the Nation, plus a tour into Europe and one into Latin America, since his interplanetary tour which ended in Earth on July 19, 1958. In which Earth participated in the Caper by setting up a "down to Earth celebration" for the good will champion. Area Newspapersmen, Radio Station Personnel, and television cameramen from Lubbock and Amarillo were here to photograph the event. The News-Sun published an "Extra" which Smith seems always to carry along in his lone suitcase, along with his citizenship papers to Earth. Shown holding a copy of the "Extra" edition is news gal, Polly Middleton and De Von Smith. The Hitch Hiker is planning "a space trip," which is expected to include Earth. This trip, he says will take place during the month of July.

that starts the flare-up. Sometimes a bacterial infection of the throat, nose or sinuses can touch off an asthma attack. Nervous tension sometimes is a factor.

In a severe attack, the victim appears to be suffocating. He becomes pale and turns bluish, perspires heavily. He is using all his strength to breathe. Fortunately, these attacks can be relieved by appropriate medical treatment.

Finding the allergen is the first step in dealing with chronic asthma. Occasionally, it is obvious, but most often a series of tests are required.

The important thing is to seek medical advice and counsel if you suspect that you have an asthmatic condition. Self-diagnosis is almost impossible. Only a physician can make an accurate diagnosis. If the allergen is something you can avoid, such as a dog or cat, your problem can be solved with relative simplicity. If it should be pollen in the air or

dust particles, the case is more difficult. But it still can be kept under control, with proper medical direction. Occasionally, an asthma patient will be helped by a change of climate, but doctors advise that you proceed with caution in making a cross-country move. You may develop a new allergy to things in the new climate which you haven't encountered before. If you must move, try to arrange an extended visit to the proposed new home to find out for yourself whether you feel better.

Asthma can be controlled in most cases. In almost all cases, a doctor can provide relief from asthmatic attacks, and by careful management reduce the frequency and severity of attacks.

Forests contribute to the regularity of stream flow by reducing the rate and amount of runoff, and allowing rain water to soak into the ground.

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Will A Bride Use College Degree?

COLLEGE STATION--There is a practical value to sending a girl through college, say Extension Home Management Specialists Mrs. Doris Myers and Mrs. Elsie Short of Texas A&M University.

This is demonstrated later in life, when the children are less dependent on their mothers. Many women then discover that the demands of the home do not use up all of their energies.

Mary Dublin Keyserling, director of the Women's Bureau of the U. S. Department of Labor, pointed out recently that women are marrying earlier these days. As a consequence, one out of two will be sending their last child off to school by the time they are 35. It is at this time that many women begin to feel restless and need an outlet for their talents and skills.

Surveys reveal that women want

to spend this time in as constructive a manner as possible, thus they seek employment. Since 1940, the number of women between the ages of 35 and 44 with jobs has more than doubled and the number between 45 and 54 has tripled.

A woman whose family responsibilities have tapered off will learn that her college degree may not immediately guarantee her a responsible position. Many women have found that they must up-date old skills and knowledge. Former training makes this brush-up period not

only shorter but easier. Many women go back to school to update their education and add confidence to their approach before seeking employment. One job survey found that women were unsure of themselves if they had not held a job before, or if their last job dated back ten years.

If they look to the generation of women who immediately preceded them, today's women will find that a college education greatly improves the chances of securing a job. Among college educated women 45 to

54 years old, seven out of ten now hold jobs and the chances improve with a year or more of schooling beyond college.

The Old Timer

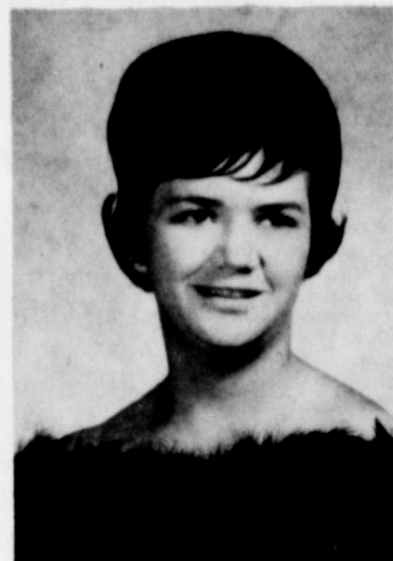


"Some men marry poor girls to settle down, and others marry rich ones to settle up."

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Honors received and offices held during school career--Band awards, 3 years
Post graduation plans--marriage
Future ambitions--Getting married and raising a family
Hobbies--Swimming and volleyball



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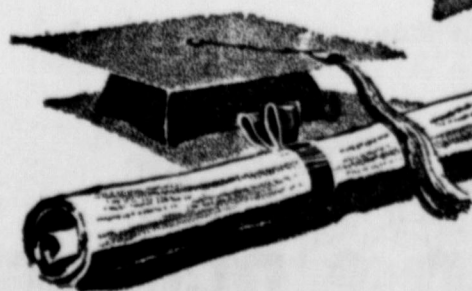
The lady standing at the entrance of the harbor is a symbol of the freedom generations of Americans have enjoyed.

Part of that freedom is the quest for knowledge and the forthcoming commencement is a symbol of that freedom.

This is a freedom valuable beyond price . . . for it is the key to the future.

So much lies ahead . . . waiting for those who want it.

We wish all graduates every success for the future and hope for their continued growth in freedom and knowledge.



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Inflation Has Effect On County

What has been the dollars and cents effect of inflation on the average Lamb County family in the past year?
How much has the rising cost of living reduced purchasing power locally?
On the strength of recent economic studies, it appears that local families had a loss in the year, attributable to inflation, of about \$11 on the average.
That is the amount of additional goods and services they would have been able to buy had prices remained the same as they were in 1964.

The estimate is based on data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics and on figures presented before the Joint Economic Committee of Congress.

They show that the consumer dollar was worth about 2 cents less last year than in 1964. That was the average amount of erosion. With respect to some goods and services, the change was less than that and, as to other items, more.

The major change was in the cost of food, which rose over 4.5 percent in the year. Transportation costs went up 4 percent and services, 2.5 percent.

The \$11 loss per family in Lamb County represents 2 percent of the net income locally, based on the latest figures from Sales Management, which show an average income per household of \$5,530, after taxes.

In other families, the loss in purchasing power was more or less than this average, in pro-

Water Toll Adds 13 To Match 1965

Austin, --Water recreational fatalities increased the last two weeks by 13 to a season's total of 29 as reported to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Six of the latest victims were bathing, three were fishing and four were involved in boating accidents. In fact, the three fishermen perished when they either fell out of fishing boats or when the boat overturned.

A spokesman for the Department which reports water hazards as a safety gesture, said the fatalities were running about the same as last year when an even 200 persons died in Texas water recreational accidents.

Several children were among the latest casualties listed. An eight-year-old Van Lad drowned in a stock tank. A 10-year-old Corpus Christi boy drowned when he fell from a paddle boat in Lake Corpus

Christi.

A 4-year-old Beaumont boy drowned while wading in Village Creek.

Stock tank swimming took the lives of a 15-year-old Bogate boy and a 17-year-old Corpus Christi youth.

The fishing victims were from Henrietta, Longview and Corpus Christi. The last listed drowned when a boat overturned in Lake Corpus Christi. The others fell out of boats.

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A 21-year-old man drowned in White Rock Lake in a sailboat mishap.

A 17-year-old Irving youth drowned in Lake Dallas while pulling his disabled boat.

A San Antonio youth drowned after a high dive into the Comal River at New Braunfels.



STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS FOR THE '66-'67 school year were named Friday, May 6, during a meeting of the local Student Council membership. They are, left to right, Joan Dawson, secretary-treasurer, Randy Washington, vice-president and Logan Armstrong, president.

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Two Local Students To Receive Degrees From WTSU

Canyon, - Two Earth students, Gaylord Latham and Florence Gover, are among more than 400 candidates who expect to receive degrees at the May 22 convocation at West Texas State University.

Activities for graduating students open May 21 with a reception by President and Mrs. James P. Comette, and the convocation at 5 p. m. May

22. Final examinations for regular students are May 23 through 26.

Latham, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Latham, is a candidate for the Bachelor of Science degree. His major is mathematics.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gover, Miss Gover is a candidate for the Bachelor of Business Administration.

Sgt. Johnson Cited For Operational Training Mission Performance

Pussa, Japan--Staff Sergeant L. J. Johnson Jr., son of Mrs. Muriel A. Johnson of San Antonio, is a member of the Outstanding Armament Load Crew of the Quarter in his Pacific Air Forces (PACAF) unit at Yokota AB, Japan.

Sergeant Johnson and other crewmen were cited for their performance during operational

and training missions.

He is a weapons mechanic in PACAF which provides air offensive and defensive units in Southeast Asia, the Far East and Pacific.

The sergeant attended Benjamin (Tex.) High School. His wife, Rowena, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Helms of Olton Texas.

new sites for soybeans.

Miears said soybeans are grown principally for their seed which is used to produce soybean oil and meal. Most of the meal is used in livestock feed while the oil is used in shortening, margarine and salad oil. Some oil is also used for industrial purposes.

They do best on well-drained mellow, fertile loams and

Soybeans can be grown successfully in most irrigated sections of Texas, says Miears. They are adapted to the same general soil and climatic conditions in Texas as corn and cotton and require about the same cultural practices.

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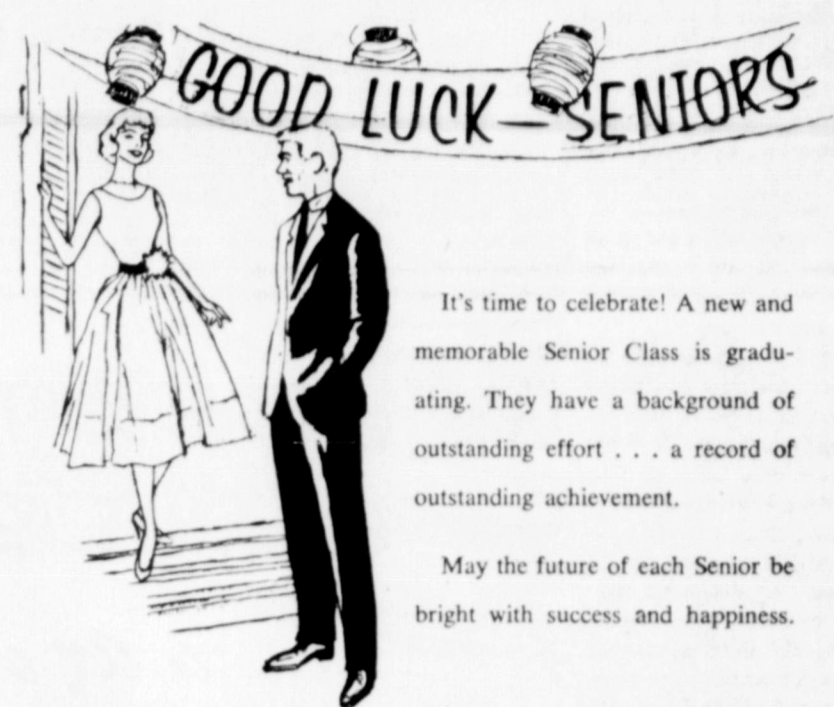
"Claims his name's Merlin --wants to know can we use him..."

sandy loams, but good yields can be obtained on most Texas

Excerpts From Congressional Record

Throughout the Nation and world, chiropractors will hold observance of Chiropractic Day on September 18, 1963, with the fullest understanding that because of the freedoms enjoyed in the Western World, a new profession can gain public acceptance on its merits as has the profession of chiropractic in a short 68 years.

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Soybeans Are Becoming An Important Crop

COLLEGE STATION, Soybeans are rapidly becoming an important cash crop in Texas. Last year some 80,000 acres of soybeans were harvested in Texas, says R. J. Miears, Extension agronomist at Texas A&M University. Production was estimated at 2.3 million bushels; up 30 percent from 1964. The average yield per acre in Texas is 28 bushels, one of the higher in the U. S. Production of soybeans in Texas was formerly centered in the South Plains, according to Miears. But today the acreage is rapidly expanding to other parts of the state, he said. The Gulf Coast area, Red River Valley and the area along the Brazos River are some of the

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Post graduation plans---Attend South Plains College
Hobbies---Slot Car Racing and Sand Surfing.

A new time is here for the Seniors . . . a time of challenge . . . a time of new opportunities . . . a time of greater accomplishment.

We commend the Seniors on the Past . . . we congratulate them on the Present . . . we wish them the best of everything in the New Time which lies ahead. May each ambition be realized.

CONGRATULATIONS CLASS of '66

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Years att'd Springlake-Earth Schools---11
Post graduation plans---Undecided
Future ambitions---Undecided
Hobby---Shooting pool

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The Lamb County Soil Conservation Service will assist producers in selecting grasses best suited for their soils, and provide technical assistance in helping determine seeding rates and depth of planting.

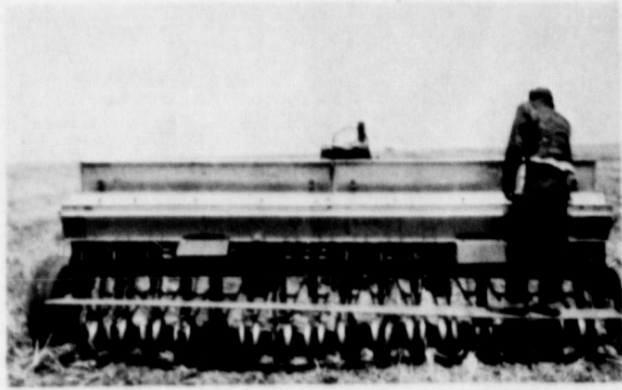
The Lamb County Soil and Water Conservation District has received numerous inquiries as to the availability of a grass drill for planting of these grasses. Action has been taken and a drill will be furnished by the District at a nominal fee to all District farm and ranch

owners and operators, interested in land use conversion and in reseeding of nature pastures. The drill is the property of the Lamb County Soil and Water Conservation District and is a public service provided to you and your neighbors. The Amherst FFA Chapter is to be custodian of one of the drills and more detailed information may be obtained by contacting Raymond Duvall who is the Voc Ag Instructor at the Amherst High School. It is hoped that this drill will be available for use as early as May 2, 1966.

PARTY LINE

Mrs. Bill Chaney visited Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Middleton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kelley left Tuesday for a week's vacation in Marlow, Oklahoma, with her mother, Mrs. J. C. Green.



A GRASS DRILL WILL SOON BE AVAILABLE to area farmers. The drills are being furnished to District Cooperators by the Lamb Co. Soil and Water Conservation District.

USDA-SCS Photo by B. T. Kisner

Specialist Suggests Weed Control Methods in Cotton

College Station--The rotary hoe is still the cheapest and most satisfactory post-emergence practice for controlling weeds and grass in cotton fields, Fred C. Elliott, Extension cotton specialist at Texas A&M University, says

the rotary hoe performs well if it can be operated a few days after a rain while the weeds and grass are small and before their root systems become established.

The rotary hoe is a high speed tool and with multiple units fields can be covered quickly, he adds. He also says that careful attention should be given to cultivation methods. Lateral tilling with herbicidal naphtha is also recommended for post-emergence weed control. Herbicidal oils, says the specialist, should have in aromatic content of 15 to 18 percent and are available from most oil companies.

Lateral tilling is listed by Elliott as another top practice. It is non-toxic, non-corrosive and does not build up chemical residues in the soil, he says. From 5 to 10 gallons per acre should be used and applied in a 10-inch band in the drill area, laterally in cotton two and one-half inches high before bark cracks appear in healthy plants. It should be applied with two fan tip nozzles, staggered and flat with the ground. Second and third applications at weekly intervals are suggested if needed.

Other chemicals which have performed well include DSMA or MSMA plus surfactant or Herban plus DSMA or MSMA plus surfactant. These materials should be applied laterally after the cotton is three or more inches in height and can be used until first blooms appear.

When cotton plants reach the six-inch growth state, Elliott suggests a visit with the local county agent for details on the use of chemicals for weed and grass control and on the needed equipment.



"Say, Pop, shouldn't I be getting a cost-of-living adjustment?"

Skin Graft Work On Chickens May Apply To Humans

Prairie View--Researchers at Texas A&M University's Prairie View Experiment Station here, are using baby chickens to lay important groundwork for skin grafting in humans.

Dr. R. W. Lewis, poultry nutritionist, is using drugs to increase body acceptance of skin grafts between unrelated chickens.

Permanent skin grafts can be made in humans and animals that are genetically identical. But the human and animal body rejects skin from another person or animal, except an identical twin or highly inbred animal.

The drugs Lewis uses are thought to alter the body cells in the chickens, causing them to accept "foreign" skin. The same research may apply to humans--allowing skin grafts between genetically unlike persons.

Lewis is grafting the skin on young chickens, before they are 8 days old. The skin grafts are put on upside down. Then, when the feathers grow out, they are turned the opposite way from the others. This identifies the grafted skin and makes observation easier.

The most recent accomplishment at the A&M station is transplanting skin grafts between 5-day old chicks of two different breeds which were treated with the drug 6-mercaptopurine. Lewis says this is comparable to grafting the skin of two different races of humans.

Meanwhile, medical researchers are following the A&M skin grafting work closely, hoping that before long, a breakthrough will come, allowing them to apply the research to humans.

Austin-- The new trend in trying to help water sports enthusiasts have fun and avert tragedy is reflected in the latest arrest report by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Ten different cases were made for failing to have life jackets for each person in the boat.

A Department spokesman said the operator of a boat is held responsible in such cases. This is a comparatively old infraction that lacked general attention. The new safety code, now being enforced by game wardens and other lawmen, calls for rigid compliance with the life belt provision.

The ten cases made by wardens is the largest reported by Department in a single month.

One person was prosecuted for failing to appear in court as ordered by a game warden in issuing a ticket for the life belt requirement.

The arrest report also noted that 173 persons got tickets for failing to have the regular

\$2.15 individual fishing license. And one person was fined for trying to back date a fishing license.

The old problem of trying to hunt when the hunting is all over or to hunt when they aren't supposed to snagged thirty night hunters, and ten others for killing quail or ducks in the closed season. Heaviest fines were levied against two San Angelo men each of whom were assessed \$200.00 plus costs for hunting out of season. Each forfeited his hunting license for one year.

The total levied in fines and court costs was \$10,482.05 for the month.

PARTY LINE

Mrs. S. H. Chaney was a Sunday night guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Chaney.

Mrs. Ross Middleton and Janis Holt were in Mulshoe Saturday on business.

S/Sgt. Cannon Receives U. S. Joint Service Commendation Medal

Washington, D. C. -- Staff Sergeant Bobby G. Cannon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam W. Cannon of Olton, has been decorated with the U. S. Joint Service Commendation Medal at the Office of the Joint Chiefs of Staff in Washington.

Sergeant Cannon, an administrative supervisor, received the Department of Defense medal for his meritorious service with the combined armed forces staff in Washington.

The sergeant is being assigned for duty in Weisbaden, Germany.

He is a graduate of Olton High School.

The sergeant's wife, Ann, is the daughter of L. A. Mckellett of 314 Prince St., Alexandria, Va.

Mrs. Claude Davis, Rodney, and Gary were weekend guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Cole. Mrs. Davis returned home Monday, and the boys stayed to visit this week.



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Mr. and Mrs. Bert Weil attended the Pioneer Roundup in Plainview Saturday.



NANCY LOUISE ALAIR

Parents---Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Alair
Years att'd Springlake-Earth Schools---12
Organizations and activities involving student in school---Band, 4 years; FHA, 3 years; FTA, 1 year; Stage Band, 2 years; FHA Rose Tones, 1 year; and Speech play.
Honors received and offices held during school career---Fluor in FHA, and FHA member of the State Board.
Post graduation plans---Attend WTSU this summer and North Texas State University this fall.
Future ambitions---Career in business administration, and marriage.
Hobbies---Piano, collecting stamps and skiing.

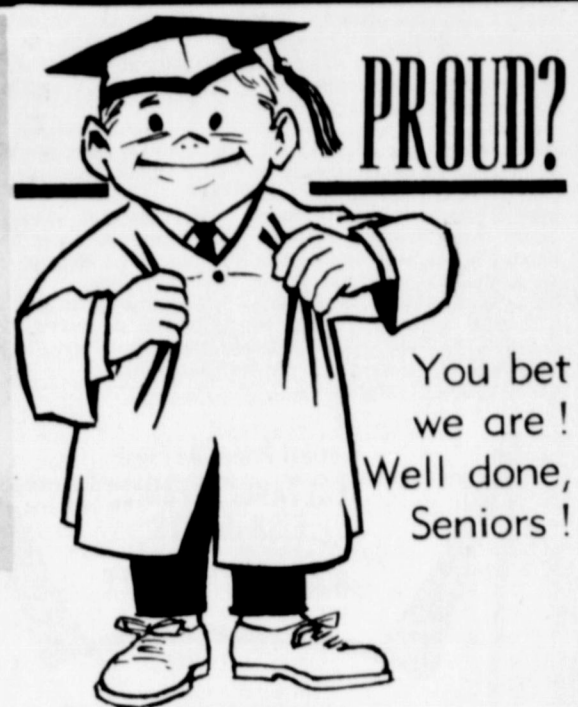
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Organizations and activities involving student in school---National Honor Society, 3 years; FHA, 4 years; FTA, 3 years; basketball, 2 years; Pep Club, 4 years; Annual Staff, 1 1/2 years.
Honors received and offices held during school career---Science a ward; typing award; 1st in district UIL Shorthand contest; 1st in regional UIL Shorthand contest; and participated in State UIL.
Post graduation plans---Work and attend Draught's Business College of the University of Texas this fall.
Future ambition---To become a homemaker.
Hobby---Sewing, cooking, and reading.



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IS GOD DEAD?

by Congressman Walter Rogers

I am sure there are many of you who have been shocked and astounded by recent references in magazines and newspapers to the "God is Dead" controversy raging in theological circles. I know that I have been shocked, angered, and dismayed by the implications of these statements and by the question "Is God Dead?"

God has spoken to Man through the Ages. The Old and The New Testaments of the Bible have related specific instances of His Word to us and have recorded His Word for Eternity. However, as we know, the Bible has been only one of the instruments utilized by our God in revealing Himself to us. He speaks to us every hour and day of our lives through the wondrous beauty and magnificence of nature, the miracle of human birth, and the innumerable unknown of which Man is aware but incapable of understanding.

Man has always worshiped God. He has chosen many different ways of doing so, but his Faith has always been secure and history will attest to the fact that throughout all generations Man has given strong obedience and personal sacrifice to assure God of his abiding Faith and Love. As examples of this devotion one can point to the building of great cathedrals and shrines, the composition of the world's greatest music, and the writing of our best-known and most worthy literature. Certainly it would not be difficult for any of us to compile an unending list of similar deeds and actions.

But then came the man of the Twentieth Century. God had endowed this man with more knowledge and skill than any before him. This man did wonderful things with God's Earth and his achievements went far beyond anything his forefathers could have imagined in their wildest dreams. However, this man became self-centered and egotistical and saw himself as a very clever and wise creature possessing all powers and abilities. Twentieth Century man became in his own mind the creator of all he surveyed. He thought of himself as being completely independent from all outside forces. And thus it happened that in this process he forgot the truth. He hid from any obligations other than those which served his own well-being. He had forgotten God. He had lost his Faith in God. And in return for this abandonment of Faith, his society became for him a shameful and guilt-ridden

spectacle. Of course, this Twentieth Century man is not every man. There are many who do not acknowledge him. There are many of us who wish to destroy him, and destroy him we can. The first step is the acknowledgement that he does exist among us. The next is for those of us who do know our God and who have Faith in His Divine Providence to put ourselves to the demonstrating our Faith as militantly as this new Twentieth Century man has denied his Faith. This will take much endurance and sacrifice but it must be done if Man, as created by our Heavenly Father is to survive.

No, God is not dead. Only the Twentieth Century man's Faith in Him is dead. God is alive. He lives for us. His love is unending and He will never forsake us as many have forsaken Him. He is a forgiving God and will take back into His flock all who are willing to return.

It is now our duty to bring into our lives a dedication never before known in the history of Man so that God may know that Man once again lives for Him.

Be Ready For Poison Snakes

Austin--The fact that only ten persons have died from snakebite in Texas in the last five years compared with the nine who perished from this cause in 1960 alone, has convinced state safety authorities of one thing.

That is, according to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, the genuine effectiveness of an educational program within the last decade.

One of the major factors in that movement was the sponsorship of a "Poisonous Snakes" bulletin by the Department. This has been widely used by news, education and information media and by schools, clubs and various groups.

A vital phase of this approach has been how to treat a snake bite victim. Emphasis has been made on the prompt use of modern transportation facilities to get the victim to medical doctor, contrasting as it does with the earlier years when speed meant only fast horses.

Now safety people stress that, even though a Texas is ordinarily fairly close to proper care, the modern compact



NEW OFFICERS FOR LOCAL STUDY CLUB were installed at a meeting Thursday night in the Laing Residence. Left to Right, Mrs. H. S. Sanders, Federation Counselor; Mrs. B. Campbell, Treasurer; Mrs. Marie Ross, Secretary; Mrs. M. E. Kelley, Vice-President; and Mrs. Wayne Rutherford, President.

snake bite kit should be an indispensable must. In any event, it is advised that the patient not use the affected area, assuming it is a foot or leg. That is, they urge complete immobilization and if possible the patient be carried by litter to transportation.

It is pointed out that even with a minimum of exertion, to spare the victim from stimulating blood circulation, that the venom can be removed by incision and suction only during the first thirty minutes following the bite.

A Department spokesman advises Texans that the best approach to the problem is to be equipped and informed. "Texas by reliable statistics is just another state with snake bite problems," he said. "But with rapidly increasing popularity of our vaunted wide open spaces we simply must be smart and be ready for eventualities."

San Angelo Firm Gets Highway 84 Construction Job

A contract for 6,672 miles of construction on High US 84 in Lamb County has been awarded to a San Angelo firm, it was announced in Austin this week by the State Highway Commission.

Strain Brothers, Inc. submitted the low bid of \$177,416,70 on the project. Asphalt Concrete paving and seal coat is expected to take 90 working days, according to O. L. Crain District Highway Engineer at Lubbock.

Rhea E. Bradley, Resident Engineer at Littlefield will be in active charge of the project while it is under construction.

Lamb County Has Twelve Rural Accidents During April

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated 12 accidents on rural highways in Lamb County during the month of April according to Sergeant Thurman Keffer, Highway Patrol Supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in one person injured and an estimated property damage of \$5,150. The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first four months of

1966 shows a total of 25 accidents resulting in two persons killed, two persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$11,555.00. Higher pay, more opportunities, and a chance to choose the geographical area of the state where they will be assigned are featured items in the Texas Department of Public Safety's bid this month for more than one hundred new

Population In South Shows Rapid Increase

Washington, D. C. - One of the most important crops raised in the South seems to be people. Projections now indicate that an estimated one-third of our future population growth will be found in the southern United States.

According to the April issue of Finance Facts, a monthly newsletter on consumer finan-

cial behavior, population growth in the West is projected to account for somewhat more than one-quarter of the country's total and North Central and the Northeast states each about one-fifth.

The newsletter, published by the National Consumer Finance Association, says however, that the population in this country won't grow as much in the second half of the 1960s as it did in the first half. Population grew by about 14.5 million between 1960 and 1965. It is expected to grow somewhat less than 13 million from 1965 to 1970.

PARTY LINE

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Vaughn and Mr. and Mrs. Glen McKinney visited in Holly, Colorado, over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Vaughn and family.

Mrs. Bill Chaney visited in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Huck, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Simmons and Dennis spent the weekend in Lubbock in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cunningham. Also visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cunningham, Dumas.

PARTY LINE

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Weaver and children plan to leave this weekend for a visit on Elk City, Okla., with her mother, Mrs. Dollie Carr and other relatives.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. L. H. Randolph were Mrs. Fred Randolph, Sundown, and Mrs. Gerald Stover and children, Levelland.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Simmons were Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Walker and son, Lubbock.

Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sawyer were Mrs. Buna Moore and Sue of Amarillo.

Jean Sawyer and Sammy Evans are planning to visit friends in Amarillo over the weekend.

Sunday evening dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Lewis were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gattis and children, Muleshoe.

patrolmen. "The pay during the training has been increased from \$375 to \$400 per month and upon graduation increased to \$463 to \$484, depending upon the branch of service to which the patrolman is assigned," the Sergeant stated. Applications and information can be obtained by contacting any Department of Public Safety patrolman or office. June 6 is the deadline for accepting applications for the examination to qualify men for the August 9 training school.



KAY PHIPPS

Parents--Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Phipps
Years at'd Springlake-Earth Schools--12
Organizations and activities involving student in school--Band, 3 years; FHA, 4 years; and basketball.
Post graduation plans--Attend Airline School this summer.
Future ambitions--Undecided
Hobbies--Sewing, cooking, and swimming.



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Honors received and offices held during school career--Region Band, 1 year; Junior Scholarship sweater; NHS sweater freshman year; Miss FHA, 1965-66; Betty Crocker Homemaker of the year; Junior Class Secretary-Treasurer; Most likely to succeed; and Valedictorian.
Post graduation plans--Attend University of Hawaii this summer and Baylor University this fall
Future ambitions--Bachelor's and Master's Degree; Travel; and marriage
Hobbies--Reading, cooking, and needlework.

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Organizations and activities involving student in school--Sports, 4 years; FFA, 4 years; Honor Society, 3 years; Band 3 years; Letterman's Club, 3 years; MYF, 4 years; and Junior Play and Operetta.
Honors received and offices held during school career--President of FFA, President of Senior Class, President of MYF, Scholarship sweater; and Government in Action Youth Tour to Washington, D. C.
Post graduation plans--Attend Texas Tech College
Future ambition--Undecided
Hobbies--Snow and water skiing, fishing, and football.



High Plains Cotton Farmers To Plant Lowest Acreage in Years

Lubbock--Farmers in the 23 Texas High Plains Counties have signed up the plant 1,451,401 acres of cotton in 1966--28.2 percent or 670,223 acres less than the 2,021,630 final planted acres on the Plains in 1965. This will be by far the lowest planted acreage for the area in many years.

The 1966 planting intentions were given to PCG by the State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service office at College Station. The figures were compiled from county ASCS reports on farmer sign-up in the 1966 cotton program through April 1. The actual sign-up period was extended through April 8, but virtually all Plains farmers who intended to participate in the program had signed up by April 1, so for all practical purposes, the figures are final.

Producers in the area indicated they would divert 704,809 of the 2,156,216 acres that were eligible for the annual program. That comes to 32.7 percent, as compared to the state average diversion of 31.6 percent.

In '65 Lamb County planted 174,998 acres in cotton. This year the intended cotton acreage is 121,386 making a reduction of 53,612 acres or 30.5 percent from the '65 planting. This year there were 184,737 eligible acres in the county and 83,151 acres were diverted causing the percentage of diverted acres in 1966 to be 34.2 percent.

In Bailey County 97,127 acres were planted in cotton in '65. In 1966 there is 63,199 intended acres for cotton planting, reducing acreage 33,928 or a 34.9 percent. Eligible acres for 1966 were 94,901. These were cut 31,702 when 33.4 percent of acreage were signed up to be diverted.

Castro has the smallest amount of diverted acres in the Tri-County area. Castro

farmers signed up 15,857 in diverted acreage or 30.1 percent of their eligible 52,735 acres.

Many observers, including the writer, had previously calculated that the overall 1966 acreage reduction from 1965 would be very close to the 35 percent maximum diversion permitted under the new law. And the drop from the 1965 effective allotment for the area is, in fact, 803,738 acres or a little over 35 percent. But this figure is not too meaningful in view of the fact that 233,615 acres of the area's allotted 2,253,245 acres were not planted in 1965, but were in the old soil bank or were diverted under the 1965 domestic allotment program.

And in all likelihood, all of the acreage that farmers have said they intend to plant in 1966 won't actually be planted. There will be some degree of underplanting by most farmers to avoid the stiff penalties attached to any acreage planted above the producer's signed intentions. This will amount to no more than an acre or two per farmer, however, and final planted acres should still add up to over 1,400,000.

It was necessary this year to include several new factors in the acreage calculations. The original 23-county allotment was 2,122,770 acres. But there were 13,324 of these in the soil bank or in the new cropland adjustment program, leaving only 2,109,446 acres of the base allotment eligible for the annual sign-up.

Still, the total acreage available for the sign-up was reported by the state ASCS office to be 2,156,216 considerably more than was eligible from the base allotment. This fact is presumably accounted for by a net gain of 46,770 acres on the Plains from purchases or leases of allotments or from acreage transfers between farms of the same ownership. Such transactions were



BARBED WIRE FROM YESTERYEAR shown by local Pharmacist Neil Pounds who found the two types of interesting barbed wire Sunday while riding around on the F. O. Masten Ranch north of Adrian. This ranch was at one time a portion of the old XIT Ranch. The wire is almost 1/2 inches in width and has individual spikes (barbs) braided on. In those days, according to Pounds, most folks made their own type of barbed wire. This is in excellent condition, no rust at all on the wire and would doubtless serve for years and years to come.

permitted for the first time this year under the new cotton law.

It had been estimated that the Plains got somewhere between 50,000 and 60,000 acres through purchases and leases, and that estimate is probably about right, even though the "net" gain in acres was only 46,770. This is because virtually all allotment transfers within the area between farms of the same ownership were from low-yield farms to high-yield farms, causing a reduction of the transferred acreage. For example, three High Plains counties actually lost acres by way of owner transfers.

Dickens County's total acreage dropped 1,205. Garza showed a loss of 505 and Motley county went down 219 acres. However in terms of bales produced, there should be no loss because of the higher expected per-acre production from farms to which acres were transferred.

Not included in the acres producers intend planting in 1966 are any that may be planted under the export acreage provisions of the program. But these are not expected to total enough to materially affect the Plains output for 1966. Also to be considered is the fact it isn't too late for allotments to be placed in the cropland adjustment program. But this isn't likely to have any great effect either.

There are some who predict that substantial increases in per-acre yields from the reduced acreage this year will soften the effect on number of bales produced. Others maintain that, with a big portion of their income from direct government payments, producers will cut to the bone costs on planted acreage and per-acre yields may actually go down. Both schools are probably right in some instances and wrong in others.

So, for such an early production estimate, it's probably just as well to assume yields similar to those of 1965 and reduce production by the same per-

centage as the indicated acreage cut--28.2 percent. Production in 1965 came to 2,205,097 bales. So as good a guess as any is that we'll raise 1,583,260 bales in 1966--621,837 less than last year. We can always change our guess if it rains.

The chart below shows, by county, the most interesting acreage figures and percentages related to the Plains cotton crop for 1966.

Bass Crop Seems Top For 1966

Austin, Blackbass are bustin' out all over in south and central Texas fish hatcheries.

A report by Harmon Henderson, veteran chief at the San Marcos state hatchery, that the bass hatch there exceeds anything in his memory, bids fair to be widely duplicated.

A Texas Parks and Wildlife Department spokesman said the same unusually favorable conditions prevailing at the San Marcos installation apparently were commonplace throughout the natural bass areas as well as in the State's chain of incubators.

Henderson said it all happened because just as the pre-mature bass were about to be hatched on their nests for dangerously early spawning,

Machines And Chemicals Aid Cotton Producer

College Station--Texas cotton producers are using more machinery and chemicals than ever to cut production costs and increase yields and income.

Fred C. Elliott, Extension cotton specialist at Texas A&M University, has released figures obtained from county agents in the state's cotton producing counties which show the extent machines and chemicals were used last year.

Machines were used to harvest 94 percent of the 1965 crop compared with only 58 percent in 1960 and 24 percent in 1955. Last year 6,498 spindle pickers and 45,292 machine strippers were used in the harvest, he said.

As for the chemicals, their use began with planting and continued through the growing season and got extensive use in preparing the crop for harvest in 167 counties. Almost a half-million acres were treated with pre-emergence chemicals for grass and weed control and over a half-million acres received post-emergence treatments. These chemicals, Elliott said, plus the use of more than 51,000 rotary hoe equipped tractors, helped farmers replace the fast disappearing hoe hands of yesterday.

Lateral oiling for grass and weed control was used on more than 208,000 acres and Johnsongrass was controlled on 281,000 acres with spot oiling and dalapon, Elliott said. Flame cultivators, 3,876 in 72 counties, were also used for weed control.

In order to speed harvesting, chemical desiccants or defoliant were used on 145,620 farms to remove leaves and stop plant growth. This practice, Elliott said, means earlier machine harvesting and a better grade.

In conducting the educational programs needed to keep cotton a cold norther automatically reversed the pending process. As a result, he said, when the spawning did come it was under the most favorable conditions with a minimum of losses to the baby bass.

The Department spokesman said doubtless the same thing happened in the lakes, streams and ponds.

He noted that this would be two excellent spawning seasons in succession for Texas since the 1965 bass crop was favorable. This, he said, is reflected in the many small fighting blacks now being caught.

farmers informed on latest recommended practices from research, 7-step Cotton Committees were active in 134 different counties, the specialist said. They sponsored in cooperation with county program building committees, meetings, tours, demonstrations and many other activities which brought other producers together.

Elliott said the newspapers, farm magazines and radio and television stations of the state did their usual fine job of passing on timely information to farmers and others interested in the state's most important crop--cotton.

Weekend guests in the Don Randolph home were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Doan, Tulla.

Egg Plant Begets New Game Covey

Tyler--Pheasant hunters may have a new game bird in the distant future, says the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

A cross between the ring-necked and Iranian blackneck is being eyed at the state quail hatchery here.

The first two hatches of pheasant chicks have left the incubator and were promptly replaced with more eggs.

Experimental releases into the wild are being planned for the hybrids.

Since the original pheasants introduced in the United States were known as Chinese pheasants, future sports may ponder between misses what in the Iranian heck is happening to his oriental luck.

PARTY LINE

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Williams vacationed over the weekend at Stanford Lake.

Phil Middleton, student at South Plains College, Levelland, visited over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Middleton.



DWALA BOONE

Parent---Kenneth Boone
Years att'd Springlake-Earth Schools---9
Organizations and activities involving student in school---Basketball, 4 years; Band, 4 years; FHA, 4 years; Senior Play; Student Council; Honor Society, 3 years; Junior Play Stage Manager.
Honors received and offices held during school career---Drum major, senior year; Basketball Captain, Senior year; FHA reporter, Senior year; Sophomore Class reporter; Senior Class favorite; Best-All-Round-Student; Basketball Queen Candidate, Senior year; and attended the Attorney General Youth Conference, Senior Year.
Post graduation plans---Attend college
Future ambitions---Teacher and housewife
Hobby---None

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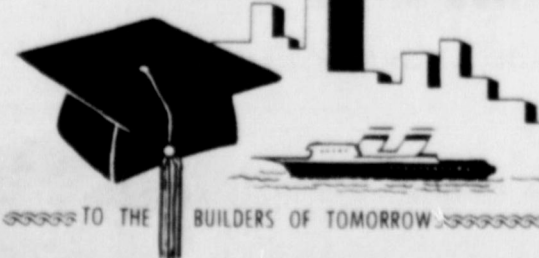
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Years att'd Springlake-Earth Schools---12
Organizations and activities involving student in school---Band, 4 years; Annual staff, 1 year; and FHA, 3 years.
Honors received and offices held during school career---Song leader in FHA, Chapel Choir president, and Rainbow Worthy Advisor.
Post graduate plans---Attend Wayland Baptist College
Future Ambition---To become a registered nurse.
Hobbies---Reading and records



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Sunnyside News...

by Teeny Bowden

Ken Dawson won 4th place in High Hurdles in Austin Friday and Saturday, May 13-14. Jimmy Alair was runner-up in the greenhand division in the district FFA competition in Friona last week, 2nd best in first year FFA.

Mrs. L. B. Bowden attended the canvassing of the ballots in Dimmitt Monday morning following the Democratic Primary election. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ivey received word Monday morning of the death of Mrs. Henry Pruitt, mother-in-law of their daughter. They attended the funeral services in Ballinger Tuesday. She was buried in Norton.

Joan Dawson was elected president of the Springlake-Earth FFA for another year Monday night. Several others from the community attended the meeting.

Mrs. Eddie Haydon attended a Brownie and Girl Scout Training for day camps last Monday in Earth. She will work with 2nd grade Brownies.

Mrs. Alton Louder, Mrs. Milburn Haydon, Mrs. Milton Ott and Mrs. Willis White of Springlake attended the bridal shower of Linda Webb in the home of Mrs. Billy Hodges in Earth Monday night.

Bobby Waide and the Hart dairy judging team placed 7th in the Texas Tech contest Thursday and 3rd in the Area. They placed 11th at A&M out of 99 teams represented.

Jimmy Shirey helped with the Springlake-Earth car wash last Saturday to help make money for senior day in Lubbock this Friday. Marian Crisp and Jimmy Shirey were among the seniors enjoying the day Friday in Lubbock.

A trace of rain was received Tuesday night with about .10 inch right in Sunnyside. The threatening cloud cut the Brotherhood attendance down to four.

The business was taken care of but no program given. Mrs. Calvie Lippard, Mrs. E. R. Sadler, Mrs. I. Paul Waggoner and Mrs. L. B. Bowden attended the Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary meeting at the Methodist Church in Dimmitt Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Lippard and Mrs. Bowden also attended the executive committee meeting an hour preceding the regular business meeting.

The WMS met for the General Missionary Program Wednesday night with Mrs. Roy Phelan in charge of the program.

The YWA had charge of the prayer service Wednesday night with the help of their counselor, Mrs. E. R. Sadler and Lonnie Follis. They conducted a devotional service and show-

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ed the film strip, "If You Love Me."

Mrs. Alton Louder visited in Littlefield Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Westmoreland and children. Marvalynne Durlam was home from Plainview Friday night and Saturday. Dolores Waggoner was honored with a going away party in the home of Marian Murphy in Dimmitt Wednesday after school. Sandy Louder was among the group of girls attending. She and her mother will join Mr. Waggoner at their place near Sulphur Springs when school is out.

Resa Carson and Renee Jones played a duet. Cindy Elkins played in an ensemble and Debbie and Lonnie Wilson played a duet in the piano recital in Olton Friday night for the Harold Dean Carson students. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Epperson, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Elkins and Chris, Mrs. Houston Carson and Mrs. Phillip Jones. Resa Carson got to audition for the Teacher's Guild Society Monday afternoon since she had the measles when the rest of the students auditioned. She and Renee Jones both received certificates and pins.

Sandy Louder spent Thursday night in Dimmitt with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Kirby and son. Mrs. Cecil Curtis, and Debbie, Mrs. Bill Morgan, Mrs. Ed Dawson, Mrs. Ed Townsend, and Mrs. Robert Bridge were among the women helping at the concession stand Saturday for the Elementary Band Festival and Concert held at Springlake-Earth school Saturday. 13 bands were represented. Denise Morgan, Jan Townsend, Terry Bridge, Janis Bridge, Glenn Lackey, and Johnnie Alair all participated with the Springlake bands. Carl Dean Carson participated with the Dimmitt Jr. High Band and Sandy Louder participated with the Dimmitt 6th grade band.

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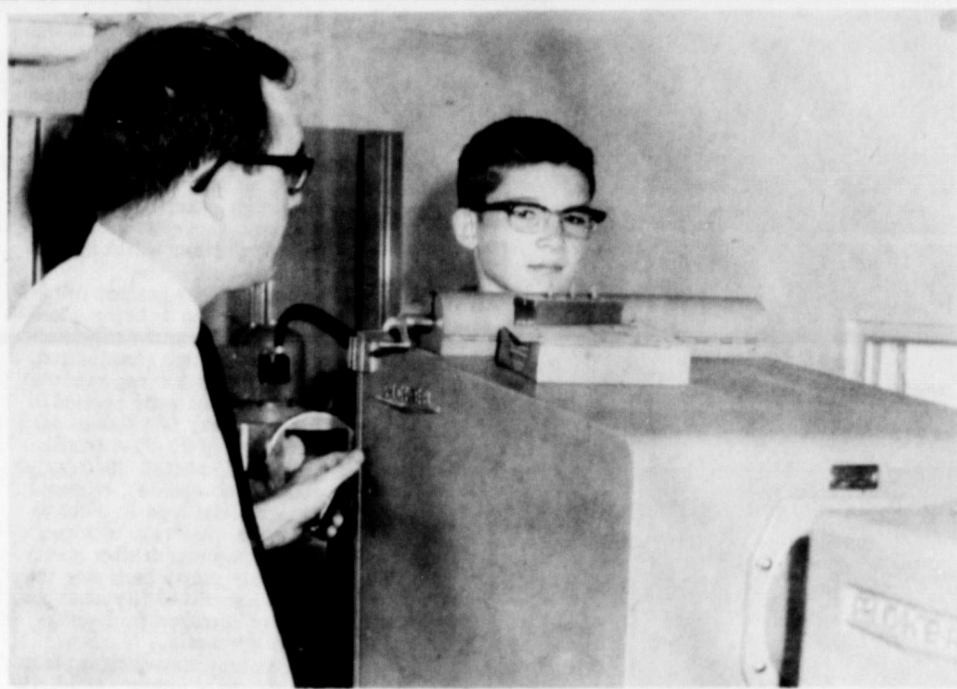
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Grain Warehouses May Not Be Unable To Accept '66 Harvest Under CCC Support Program

Because of a technical situation between the commercial grain warehouse industry and the government's Commodity Credit Corporation, grain producers of Texas are being advised by directors of the Texas Grain and Feed Association that some Texas grain warehousemen, through no fault of their own, may be unable to accept 1966 grain under the CCC support program.

The Kansas City office of CCC-USDA has for some months warned grain warehousemen that it will suspend from its approved list any warehouse which fails within 90 days to comply with orders to load out CCC grain. In the meantime a nation-wide shortage of boxcars has become critical enough to provoke a series of I, C, C, service orders and has made it virtually impossible for some warehousemen to comply fully with the loading orders. Thus it is technically possible that some warehouses may be suspended from the government's approved list at harvest time, in

spite of any efforts the warehouseman may make in the meantime to comply. Seven Texas Grain warehouses are now under this technical suspension.

Directors of the Texas Grain and Feed Association point out that suspension under the above conditions would not necessarily imply any physical, financial or ethical weakness on the part of the warehouseman and should not be considered by his customers as any form of discredit.

The Texas Association's Board of Directors considered a proposal that they consider court action in the case of any Texas warehouse which, at harvest time, is suspended from normal competition by this action of CCC-USDA, and where good faith of the warehouseman has been established. The action was held up pending other representations to be made by the trade group to government officials, in the hope that a reconciliation could be effected well ahead of harvest time.



Picture is of a well protected field of Sudan on diverted acres last year. In the picture below, sandblown from unprotected fields causing the fence row to be buried. Blowing dust is a threat to the safety and health of everyone, in addition to robbing the farmer of fertile topsoil. Both photos were made in the Lamb County SWCD by the Soil Conservation Service.

Photo By USDA Soil Conservation Service

"For Land's Sake-Cover" is the motto for diverted acreage. Imagine the agony of a person forced to stand in the outdoors year round with no coat to protect him from the cold wind, no shade to keep off the hot sun, and no umbrella to shield him from the driving rain.

"A similar fate is forced upon land when it is left bare," says Paul Larson, Soil Conservationist.

This year 172,249 acres will be in diverted acres in the Lamb County Soil and Water Conservation District. This land usually planted to cotton and grain sorghum will be diverted areas under the new farm program. Planted to soil building crops, these acres can be protected and improved. If left bare, they will become a source of choking dust. This is a job that deserves high priority in farmer's plans for this year.

The job of protecting land with plant covers two-fold; first, a crop must be grown

that will leave amounts of residues; second, the residues must be managed in a way that will protect the soil until a new crop covers it.

There are many crops allowed under the program which furnish good land cover. Good summer crops include cane, Sudan, millet, or legumes such as guar, sesbania, and cowpeas. The best winter crop is rye, or legumes such as vetch or winter peas. Wheat is allowed if destroyed before May 1st of the following year.

"All these crops are more effective when drilled or planted in narrow rows," Larson reported. "Cowpeas and guar especially should be in narrow rows or drilled. Blackeye peas should not be used at all, because they just don't make enough vine to cover the land properly. Good types of cowpeas are New Era, Whippoorwill, and Brabham."

If grazing for livestock is needed, rye is an excellent crop. It is more winter hardy than wheat and does not require

Starter Fertilizers Show Promise On Cotton

Halfway, Texas-- Two year research results from the High Plains Research Foundation show that placing nitrogen and phosphate fertilizers in contact with cotton seed at planting reduced plant stand, but increased plant size, boll size, and lint yield, according to Howard Malstrom, Associate Soil Scientist.

Data from many research centers have long indicated that the greatest need for nutrients is in the plant's first three weeks of growth. The major problem in using a starter fertilizer lies in placing it close enough to the seed in sufficient quantities for early uptake, and yet avoid the "burning" effect which reduces germination.

Research has pointed to nitrate-nitrogen as being less toxic than ammonium-nitrogen in inhibiting germination. Howard Malstrom reported that two materials were applied in the 1965 test, 100 pounds per acre each of 20-20-0 (nitric-phosphate) and 16-20-0 (ammonium phosphate), metered in with the seed in order to compare the two nitrogen sources. A month after planting, all plots, including the check, received 70 pounds per acre of nitrogen from anhydrous ammonia.

Agronomic data such as plant stand, plant height, and boll counts were taken throughout the growing season. Little difference was observed between the nitric-phosphate and ammonium-phosphate, although they both varied significantly from the check in many aspects. Germination was reduced, compared to the check, in the case of both fertilizers, but the fertilized plants were larger all season, carried more bolls, and surpassed the check in yield, although not significantly.

Malstrom stated that this technique shows great promise and will be studied in more detail in 1966 at the Foundation. The effect on other crops, including grain sorghum, soybeans, and castors will be determined. Fertilizers include the minor elements, zinc and iron, as well as nitrogen and phosphorus, and will be applied about one inch from the seed in an attempt to overcome reduced germination.

Results of this trial can be plow-up in the spring. Sudan, cane, or millet can be grown and fodder grazed after Nov. 1.

"With wise use, we can improve these diverted acres and made extra income," Larson continued. "Mis-used, they can become a scourge." "A good motto for the farmer might be: 'For Land's sake-Cover,'" Larson said.

observed in more detail in Report Number 181, of the 1965 Annual Research Report of the High Plains Research Foundation.

Paper Furniture, New Concept In Home Furnishing

College Station--One of the new design concepts in home furnishings is paper furniture, says Mrs. Jane Berry, Texas A&M University Extension

housing and home furnishings specialist.

The paper furniture has been developed with the idea to serve a temporary furnishings need--and then be discarded.

Among design currently available are chairs for both adults and children, card-board storage bins for toys and other items and vinyl-processed paper rugs.

Researchers who tested the product interviewed 54 parents who participated in the consumer preference approach to use of paper furniture. The couples were questioned regarding acceptance of a child's

scopeseat made of polyethylene-coated cardboard.

Nearly half the parents agreed that the paper chair looked strong. After handling and testing, more than three-fourths agreed that the chair actually felt strong. More than 70 percent agreed that the design and general appearance of the chair was acceptable.

The parents indicated that the playroom, bedroom and porch were areas where the chair would be used most often.

These new paper furnishings are frequently of a good design and priced low enough that owners do not mind destroying them when they have served their purpose, says Mrs. Berry.

Jaycee Destruction Derby Scheduled for Sunday, May 22

The Muleshoe Jaycees will be hosts at an annual destruction derby in Muleshoe on May 22 at 2 p. m. The derby will take place 3 1/2 miles north-west of Muleshoe.

Prizes for the derby include: first prize, \$100.00 cash; second prize, trophy, most destroyed car, trophy; and car turned over \$10.00 cash.

The following rules and regulations will be required:

1. No extra bracing
2. All glass must be removed
3. Doors must be welded or chained shut
4. Drivers must be 21 or have parents written consent
5. Cars must make starting lap
6. Cars must turn over on its own power for prize.

The entry fee is \$10 per person, and the entry deadline will be Sunday, May 15.

There will be no less than eight cars entered by the deadline date or the derby will not be held. In this case, entry fees will be returned in full. Anyone desiring to enter a

vehicle in this event is asked to list your name, address, age, and type of car and send it to Rocky Gralla, Box 355, Muleshoe. Also include with this information, a \$10 entry fee.

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