

# Fire Departments Busy Wednesday

A rash of fires broke out in the Earth area Wednesday afternoon with the Earth Fire Department answering two calls and the Springlake Department receiving two.

The first call received by the Earth Department was at approximately 1:00 p.m. from the Flagg Community. It was reported that the burr pile at the Flagg Gin Company had caught on fire. At press time, the fire was reported to be under control but still burning. Answering the call along with the Earth Department was the Dimmitt Fire Department.

The second fire call received was at approximately 2:30 p.m. The fire was a trash fire at a hired hands home just north of Ed Halesy on the Springlake-Earth School road. The fire

was soon brought under control by the Earth Department. Answering the call with the Earth Department was the Springlake Fire Department, however, their assistance was not needed.

At approximately 2:45 p.m., while traveling to the fire on the Haley property, Jimmy Fulenwider driver of the Springlake fire truck was informed by Harold Britton that their assistance was needed at Nickels Gin six miles west of Earth. Grass just south of the gin was on fire and it was feared it would spread to pasture land. The Springlake Department, upon reaching the scene, found the fire to be under control, but wet the grass down as a safety measure. Answering the call with the Springlake Department was the Muleshoe Fire Department.

## Christmas Concert Slated Set For December 18

One-hundred and fifty band students will be making music as they usher in the Christmas Holidays with a special Christmas Carol Concert on Thursday night, December 18, in the Springlake-Earth High School Auditorium. The 7 p.m. program will include the four local bands from grades 6 through 12.

The sixth grade intermediate band will open the program with "Marching To Paretoria" and "We Three Kings." The Jr. High Band will follow with three numbers including Roger Miller's "King of The Road."

The high school, "Pride of the Wolverine's Band," will open its part of the program with a rousing concert march, "Thunder Creast," by Osterling. "Greenleaves," "What Child Is This?" Bert Kempser's "Wonderland

By Night," and "Jingle Bell Fantasy" will follow. The Stage Band, will present the concluding numbers using three swing selections including Petulia Clark's "Call Me" and the roaring rock "Back To The Jungle."

Jerry Starke, Band Director said, the concert will be fifty to sixty minutes of popular and Christmas musical selections and promises to be one of the highlights of the Christmas season.

The concert will be admission free, so make your plans to attend.

Mrs. V. J. Sigman, Band Booster President, has announced that their will be a Band Booster's Meeting immediately following the concert.

## Don't Delay; Write Santa

Hey Kids, it's only two more weeks until Christmas, and the date Saint Nick will be visiting boys and girls around the world bringing a sleigh full of surprises. Write your Santa Claus letters now so he will know what to bring you.

Send your letters to the Earth News-Sun and we will see that Santa Claus receives them in time to bring your gifts. Don't delay-write Santa today.

## December Bookmobile Schedule

Larene Sooter, High Plains Bookmobile Librarian, has announced that the High Plains Bookmobile will provide library service in our local area December 18 and 19.

The Bookmobile will follow this schedule:  
**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 18,**  
 Amherst I-9:15-9:45  
 Amherst II-9:45-10:15  
 Springlake I-11:00-11:45  
 Springlake II-12:00-1:00  
 Earth-1:15-3:45

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19**  
 Pleasant Valley 10:00-11:00

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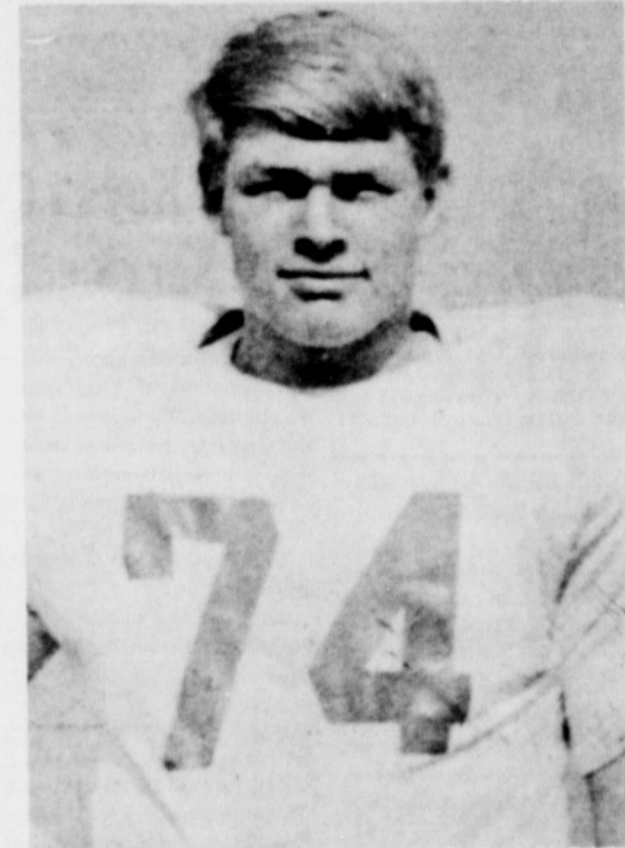
## Three Wolverines Named To All-District Team

Three members of the Springlake - Earth Wolverine team were named to the All-District squad Wednesday, December 3, at the Springlake-Earth School when District 3-A coaches, principals and superintendents met to select the All-District Football Team and to schedule spring University Interscholastic League events.

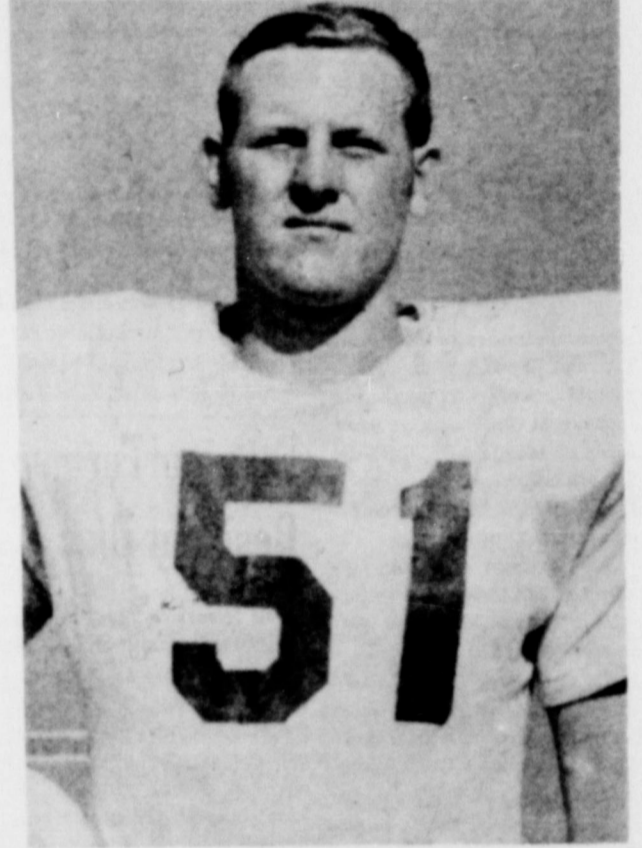
Named to the offensive squad was senior tackle Terry Ott. Named to the defensive team were Terry Ott, tackle; Danny Parish senior noseman; and Jerry Barden junior linebacker. Four members of the Wolverine team received Honorable Mention from the district coaches. They are Danny Parish, senior guard; Terry Bridge, senior back; George Nance, defensive tackle, and Willy Wilburn, half back.

Conducting the meeting were superintendent Bill Mann, district basketball chairman; W. M. Roberts of Farwell, district football chairman; and principal Cecil Slover, spring meet chairman. The district includes Kress, Sudan, Farwell, Bovina, and Springlake-Earth.

As the coaches were making their selections for the All-District football team, the principals University Interscholastic League events, with the following results:



TERRY OTT



DANNY PARISH

April 10-District literary meet Springlake-Earth  
 April 11-District track meet, Kress.  
 Literary events held at Springlake-Earth April 10 will include Debate, Informative speaking

Persuasive speaking, Poetry interpretation, Prose reading, Oral reading, Number sense, Ready writing, Science, Slide rule, Typewriting, Picture memory, spelling, Story telling and Shorthand.

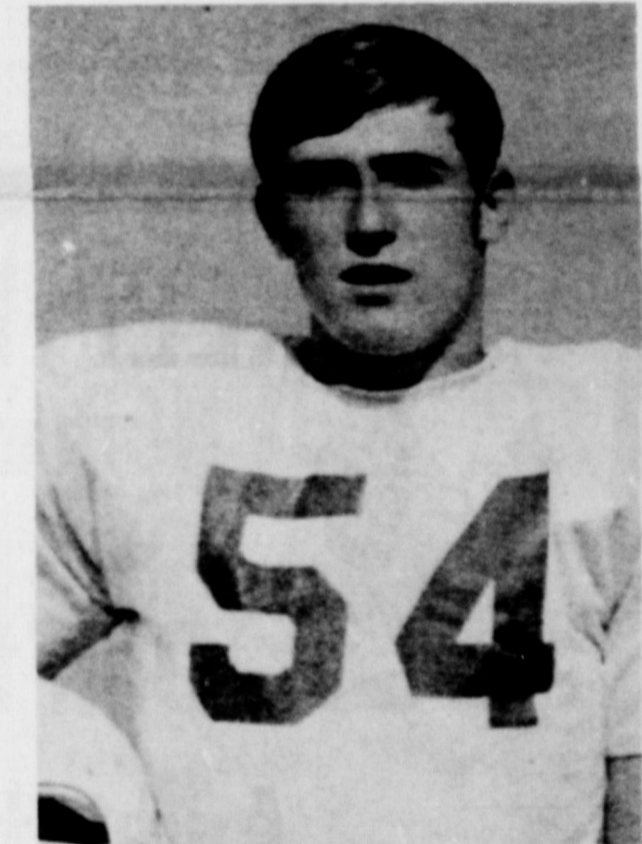
## S-E Basketball Teams To Host Annual Invitational Tournament

The Springlake-Earth varsity boys and girls basketball teams will host the Springlake-Earth Annual Invitational Basketball Tournament December 11, 12, and 13.

The Wolverine varsity girls are scheduled to meet the Olton girls team at 7:20 p.m. Thursday, December 11, and the boys team is to enter the competition at 8:40 p.m. the same day.

The play off game for girls first place is slated for 7:00 Saturday, followed by the boys' play off game at 8:40 p.m. Saturday.

Teams represented in the Springlake - Earth Invitational Tournament will be Lockney, Quitaque, Sudan, Hart, Olton, Amherst, Three Way, Floydada, Farwell and Springlake-Earth. Time schedules and play off games for the representing teams are shown in the following brackets.



JERRY BARDEN

## Lighting Contest Entries Coming In Slow

Perry Martin, Chamber of Commerce, president has reported that entries in the Chamber sponsored Home Lighting Contest are coming in slowly.

Persons wishing to participate in the residence contest are asked to contact the Chamber of Commerce Office by December 12.

All persons living within the Earth city limits, and those living in the local rural area are eligible to enter the contest.

Three prizes, totaling \$65, will be awarded to the three most beautifully lighted homes. First place winner in the contest will receive \$35; second place, \$20; and \$10 for the third place.

## Red Cross Sends Money To VA Hospital

The Lamb County Chapter of American Red Cross met in a regular session Friday afternoon, Mrs. Bonnie Haberer, Chairman-Pleasant Valley, presided. The Executive Secretary reported the following cases served through the month of November 21, Service-To-Military, 67 veterans, 23 civilians.

It was voted to donate \$25.00 to the Christmas fund at the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo, for veterans hospitalized at Christmas.

Those attending the meeting were: Mmes. Bonnie Haberer, Ray Smith, N.N. Frey, D.R. Leonard, Lester Lagrange, J.D. Dodgen, Roy Wade, Judge G. T. Sides, and Rev. C. P. McMastere.

## Auto Plates Receive New Look

The traditional black and white Texas automobile license plates, which have carried these colors for the past twelve years will have a new look for the 1970 year.

The new plates will again be reflectorized and will have high visibility blue letters and numerals on a white background.

It is reported that the change to blue resulted because of reflectorization in 1964 and since a black background would not be very reflective, the new letter and numeral color was chosen by the Texas Highway Department.

The reflectorized material, which is purchased from Minnesota Mining and manufacturing by the highway department does not work in a black background.

A spokesman for the Texas Highway Department said the blue letters and numerals could

be changed to some other color perhaps red, in 1971, or changed back to black.

The highway department believes that reflectorized license plates have been a factor in preventing serious accidents.

Among some of the safety factors included in avoiding accidents include: abandoned automobiles on the highways with reflectorized plates can be seen at a distance in the dark when headlights strike the plates, and in cases where one headlight is out on an auto, the reflectorized plate reveals the vehicle is an auto rather than a motorcycle. Reflectorized plates cost 42 cents a pair, while those that are not reflectorized cost 12.4 cents a pair.

The plates are made by convicts at the state prison in Huntsville and saves the state thousand of dollars for labor costs.

## Jerry Starke Attends Band Clinic in Lubbock

Jerry Starke, Springlake - Earth Band Director, was among area band directors who attended a New Music Band Clinic for Stage Bands, from 9 a.m. -12 (noon) Saturday in the Music Building on the Texas Tech Campus in Lubbock.

The purpose of the clinic was to aid directors in purchasing new music for their stage bands. The directors were able to view and also play the newly released popular and rock tunes designed for stage bands.

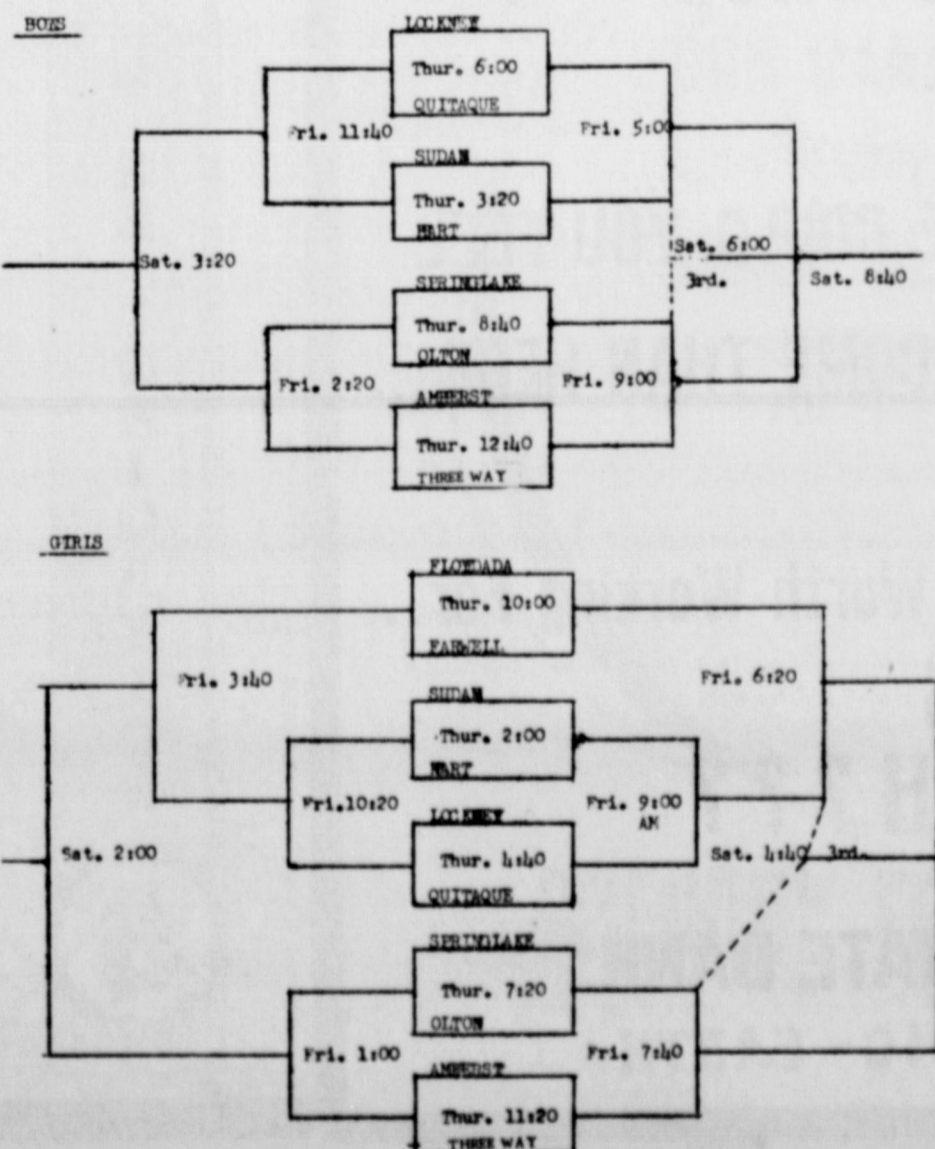
In charge of the clinic, was Paul Mazacano, Texas Tech Stage Band director.

## The Old Timer



"You're not too old to learn unless you're a teen-ager."

### SPRINGLAKE-EARTH INVITATIONAL TOURNAMENT DECEMBER 10-11-12



## School Board Holds Monthly Meeting

Members of the Springlake-Earth School Board met Monday, December 8, for their regular monthly meeting.

Following the reading and approval of minutes and current bills, the board studied the month's enrollment figures.

In the Elementary School 448 students are enrolled, 141 in Junior High, 236 in High School, and 34 in Special Education Classes.

Average daily attendance for the first six-weeks period was 791 and 787 for the second period. These figures compare to 820 for the first six-weeks period last year and 837 for the second reporting period.

Bill Mann, superintendent, reported that this indicated decrease in enrollment can cost the district the salary of two teachers if present trends continue. Mann also stated that attendance should be kept as high as possible.

The board appointed a text book committee to consider the adoption of text books to be used in the school system for the

1970-71 period. Fifteen teachers of elementary, junior high, and high school will serve on the committee.

In other business considered, the board reviewed a delinquent tax report and appointed a twelve man equalization board to start equalizing the tax value throughout the district in January.

The board also studied a proposed liability insurance program for school vehicles.

Present for the meeting were: Bill Mann, superintendent; Norman Hinchliffe, president; W.L. Barton, secretary; John Bridge, Gene Templeton; and K. B. Parish.

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EARTH GINS	3,202 Bales
SPRINGLAKE GINS	4,629 Bales
RURAL GINS	7,551 Bales
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>20,382</b>



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## Services Held Tuesday For Local Resident

Funeral services for Mrs. Bella Zamora, 28, of the Flagg Community were held Tuesday morning at 10:00 a.m. in Saint Mary's Magdalene Catholic Church in Earth. Father Robert O'Leary of the Muleshoe Catholic Church, officiated.

Mrs. Zamora was born December 29, 1940, at Bracketville, Texas, and died December 5 at 7:30 a.m. in Olton Community Hospital following child birth.

Mrs. Zamora had been a resident of the Earth area for the past fourteen years, after moving here from Bracketville. She was a member of the Saint Mary's Magdalene Church in Earth.

She is survived by her husband, Erasmo; four daughters, Debra, Sandra, Cynthia, and Theresa all of the home; two sisters, Mrs. Clara Flores of

Tresno, California, and Mrs. Dolores Ruiz of Earth; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas San Miguel of Earth, and four brothers, Robert San Miguel of Tresno, California, Henry, Paul and Thomas San Miguel, all of Earth.

Interment was in Earth Cemetery under the direction of Parsons-Ellis-Singleton Funeral Home in Earth.

## Father of Former Resident Dies

L.H. Avery of Truth or Consequences, New Mexico, the father of Douglas Avery, former Earth resident, died Tuesday morning at 1:00 a.m. in a Truth or Consequences hospital. Avery had been a patient in the local hospital for some fifteen months.

Avery is survived by his wife, Stella; daughter, Mrs. Wilma Ruth Green of Truth or Consequences; Douglas of Altus, Oklahoma; and three grandchildren. Funeral services will be

## Six Counties To Receive Road Improvements

Austin--A contract for seal coat work on 245.4 miles of highways in the Lubbock district has been awarded by the Texas Highway Commission.

The work will be under the supervision of District Engineer O. L. Crain and includes work in Bailey, Castro, Hale, Lamb, Parmer and Swisher Counties. High Plains Pavers, Inc., of Plainview was awarded the contract on a low bid of \$535,135.90. The work will take an estimated 60 working days to complete. James W. King of Lubbock is the Highway Department engineer in direct charge of the project.

In Bailey County the contracts call for 44.5 miles of seal coat. Beginning on SH 914 at U. S. Highway 84 in Muleshoe and continuing 13.4 miles to FM Road 798 at Needmore. From Needmore, 14.6 miles of seal coating will be required on SH 214 from FM Road 798 to the Cochran County line. The final 16.5 miles of seal coat in Bailey County will improve FM Road 798 from the New Mexico state line to Lamb County line.

In Castro County a total of 46.6 miles is listed for seal coating. This includes 10.2 miles on FM 168 from SH 86 near Nazareth to 0.1 mile north of the north boundary of Hart city limits. Also on FM 168 there will be 14.4 miles of seal

coating from Randall County line to SH 86 near Nazareth. On FM road 1055 there will be a total of 22 miles of re-surfacing. This includes 15.1 miles, beginning at FM road 1057 and running to FM road 1524. The remaining 6.9 miles on 1055 is from Deaf Smith County line to FM road 1957.

In Lamb County a total of 30.7 miles will receive seal coating. This will include 5.3 miles on U. S. Highway 70 from Bailey County line to FM Road 343. There is 1 mile to be re-surfaced on FM 168 from U. S. 79 to Olton 9th Street in Olton. The remaining 24.9 miles will be on FM 168 from 9th Street in Olton to Hockley County line.

The remaining 123.6 miles will be done in Hale, Palmer and Swisher Counties.

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USS COLUMBUS-Chief Warrant Officer Second Class Alvis W. Holmes, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Holmes of Muleshoe, is serving aboard the guided missile cruiser USS Columbus now deployed as part of the U. S. Sixth Fleet in the Mediterranean.

During her five month stay in the Mediterranean, the Norfolk based ship will take part in various Fleet and N. A. T. O. training exercises. Her primary duties will be that of a radar picket ship, forward air observer and air control ship.

The Columbus recently visited Barcelona, Spain where the crew toured Spain's ski and wine making regions.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Parish visited Saturday with their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Dewain Parrish of Lubbock.

### NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Citizens State Bank, Earth, Texas, for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting will be held at the office of said Bank on January 13, 1970, between the hours of 3:30 and 4:30 p.m.

Ann Jones, Cashier  
12/18/1tc  
conducted Thursday (today) in Truth or Consequences, New Mexico.

Mrs. Frances Davis is among the many in the community who have the mumps. Her sons Rod and Gary also have the mumps. Mrs. Richard Moore was admitted to the hospital in Dimmitt, Sunday night.

# Christmas

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## Osborne Family Proud Of Texas Education Heritage

The U. S. Osbornes are proud of their Texas Educational backgrounds and proud that their sons had an opportunity for schooling in Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Osborne have Elementary Education Masters Degrees, while their sons have Bachelor of Science Degrees from Prairie View.

Twenty-five year old Capt. Tommy T. Osborne and Isaac John, their sons, have both received their Second Lieutenant ROTC Commissions along with their B.S. degrees.

Tommy received his commissions from Ft. Gordon, Georgia, where he ranked third in his graduating class. On October 10, 1964, he married his college sweetheart, Emma Kate Elmore, a Prairie View senior

from Goldspring, Texas. Four days later, he left for overseas duty in the Signal Corps stationed in West Germany. In 1965, a son, Tommy II was born to the young Osbornes.

Capt. Osborne's Explorer Achievements, college background in his major of chemistry, and minor in mathematics and other collegiate and inter-collegiate activities helped toward his name being mentioned in "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities" in his junior year. Also in his junior year, he served in such positions as chairman at Prairie View A&M College American Chemical Society and chairman of the District 4 Intercollegiate Texas Student Council. He worked five weeks immediately following his graduation, at Western Electric Company, in the Research Department in Lee's Summit, Missouri. These experiences coupled with his three years in West Germany and a year in Vietnam fitted him for the "Frozen Star" which he received at the end of overseas duty.

On arrival in West Germany he was assigned to Company B Seventh U.S. Signal Corps as supply official maintenance platoon leader. In June 1966, he assumed command of this company's 20 communication sites and seven Electronic maintenance shops which spread over 20 square miles. He was promoted to Captain, February 1, 1967.

In June, 1967, he was assigned plant officer of Phu LAM Signal Corps in Saigon, Vietnam. Here he supervised the operation and maintenance of the multiple telegraphy High Frequency Long Haul, Micro Wave and Satellite Communications Equipment which provided circuits for the Joint Overseas

switchboard.

In June of 1968 he returned to the U. S. and was stationed at Ft. Monmouth, New Jersey Army Career Training School. Osborne graduated from Ft. Monmouth with the highest scores. He received "The U. S. Military Letter of Commendation," and "The Arm Forces Communication Electronics Association Plaque."

Capt. Osborne began his duties as Assistant Professor of Military Science in the Army ROTC Department at Prairie View A&M College, July 1.

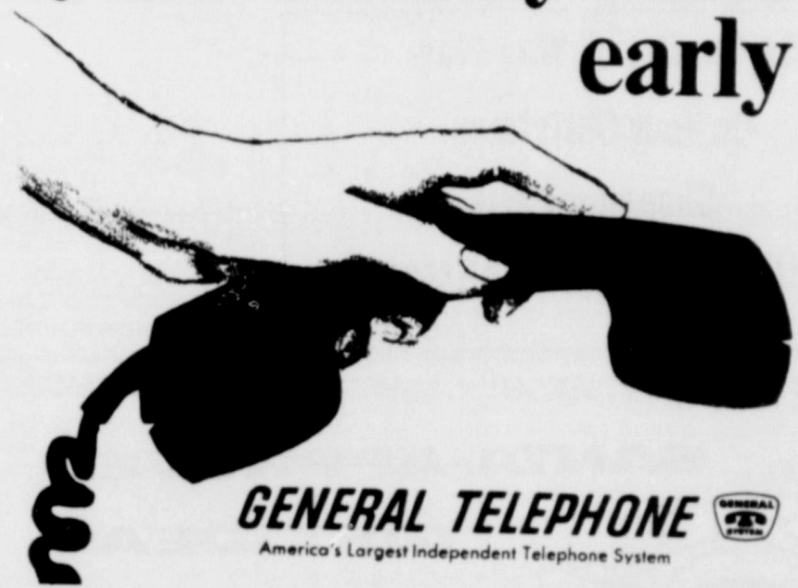
Second Lieutenant Isaac John Osborne graduated from Prairie View in August, 1968, with an Army Medic ROTC Commission of Second Lieutenant and B.S. Degree. Isaac was very active in Advance ROTC socially and as a leader in Military Science and in the Guidance Council Department employing worthy youth to help in the Councils endeavor.

Isaac returned to Washington, D.C. September 5, from Kalamazoo, Michigan, at Up John's Pharmaceutical Company as clinical analyst. He began his sophomore year in Howard University College of Dentistry, September 8.



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### Baptist Youths Attend Rally

Seven members of the Earth First Baptist Church Youth Department attended a Youth Rally Monday night at 8:00 p.m. in the Lazbuddie First Baptist.

The Monday night program consisted of a thought provoking film entitled "Youth Witnessing." The film presented the Baptist Youth's responsibility in missionary and witnessing work to further Christianity.

Representing the Earth First Baptist Church were Kent Kelley, Brian Hulkey, Ken Sanderson, Larry Thomas, Guy Lynn Davis, Bill Wood, Pat Moore, and Edward Wuerflien, adult sponsor.

### The Old Timer



"Nothing makes small print more legible than knowing a few lawyers."



SUSAN BRITTON

### Local WBC Students Elected Favorites

Susan Britton and Alicia (Galloway) Nemecek, students at Wayland Baptist College and former Earth residents, were recognized Monday at the annual Wayland Baptist Christmas Banquet at Slaughter Memorial Center in Plainview.

There were more than 150 students, faculty members and administrative members on hand for the event. The theme for the banquet was "Let There Be Peace On Earth and Let It Begin With Me."

Chosen as Senior Class Favorites were Alicia Nemecek, and James "Corky" Johnston of Lubbock.

In an unusual balloting, Susan Britton and Debra Martin of Altus, Oklahoma, tied for the Sophomore Class Favorite in the Women's division. In addition to serving as class favorite, Susan is serving on the student senate, and is reigning basketball queen having been selected by the Wayland Pioneers.

The favorites, who were elected from each class, were chosen by student ballot and were presented gifts by SGA President, David Howard.

In connection with the banquet, the Concert Choir presented its Christmas concert at Haral Memorial Auditorium.



ALICIA NEMECEK

### Alynn Jones Feted With Shower

A bridal shower honoring Miss Alynn Jones, bride-elect of Danny Dial of Olton was held from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Busby of Springlake, Saturday, December 6.

The honoree, her mother, Mrs. James E. Jones, and Mrs. Florence Daniel, aunt of the groom were presented lovely orchid corsages.

The bride's table was covered with a beautiful white lace floor length table cloth, centered with a lovely bridal arrangement.

Individually decorated cake squares, punch, blue bell-shaped mints, and nuts were served by Myrna Dear and Jennifer Angeley from crystal appointments.

Mrs. Don Curtis of Earth registered the many guests attending. Hostesses for the occasion were: Mrs. James Busby, Mrs. Donnie Clayton, Mrs. R. L. Byers, Mrs. James Sanderson, Mrs. F. W. Bearden, Mrs. W. B. Hucks, Mrs. V. O. Busby,

Mrs. Les Watson, Mrs. Harlon Watson, Mrs. Ernest Baker, Mrs. Elroy Wisian, Mrs. Marvel Caruthers, Mrs. Myrtle Clayton, Mrs. Bill Clayton, Mrs. J. J. Coker, Mrs. E. L. Dawson, Mrs. Clifford Hopping, Mrs. Howard Cummings, Mrs. John Bridges, Mrs. Jim Stephens, Mrs. James Washington, Mrs. James Packard, Mrs. E. H. Green, Mrs. Hollis Cain, Mrs. J. T. Gibson, Mrs. Jim Winder, Mrs. Thomas Alair, Mrs. P. A. Washington, Mrs. Kenneth Hinson, Mrs. B. V. Padon, Mrs. J. R. Banks, Mrs. Dimples Sanders, Mrs. Donald Kelley, Mrs. Bill Perkins, Mrs. K. B. Parish, Mrs. N. O. Drake, Mrs. Dallas Clynech, and Mrs. Jack Angeley.

It is pretty easy to be misguided, especially if you are swayed by your own arguments.—A. J. Hudson, The Olustee (Okla.) Chieftain.

Marriage was the first union to defy management.—Jack Moffitt, The Laurens County (Ga.) News.

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### Local LCC Associates Attend Annual Gift Fair

"Galaxy of Gifts," the 10th Annual Gift Fair of the Lubbock Christian College Associates was held Thursday and Friday in the former Fairmart Building in Monterey Shopping Center in Lubbock.

Items included in this year's Fair were tote and decoupage items, decorated clip boards, lap boards, and handmade items donated by the Earth LCC Associates.

Proceeds from the sales will be used to retire the indebtedness on the Home Economics Building which has been the primary project of the Associates for the past three years. The balance owed on the building is \$3,000.

The Fair has grown considerably each year from its beginning in 1960, when proceeds from such handsewn items as aprons and tablecloths amounted to \$700. The proceeds from last year's sale were \$6,136.47. The goal set for this year was \$7,000.

The home economics building, begun by the Associates in 1966, is valued at \$90,000.

which includes the building, furnishings and equipment. Other project of the Associates are providing scholarships and assisting with the Student Loan Fund.

The Associates have now donated more than \$275,000 to meet various needs of the col-

Freeman, Mrs. Norman Ellis, Mrs. Dale Ward, and Mrs. Perry Martin.

Assisting with the sales from the local LCC Associates were Mrs. Fred Clayton, Mrs. Bill Mann, Mrs. Cullen Hay, Mrs. Ronald Cleavinger, Mrs. Bill

### S-E Homemaking Classes Have Field Trip

Approximately eighty members of the local Springlake-Earth Homemaking I, II, III, and IV Classes went to Plainview Thursday, December 4, for a Homemaking Field Trip.

The group departed from the Springlake - Earth Campus at 11:00 a.m. by bus. Arriving in Plainview, the group enjoyed the noon lunch at the Congress Inn.

The group visited Southwest-

ideas by a representative of the company. The girls were presented copies of the recipes that were demonstrated and well as other delicious treats.

Accompanying the classes were Mrs. Cecil Slover, Miss Kim Hailey and Mrs. Donald Runyon.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to thank each and everyone for the many, many prayers, cards, and thoughts during the long illness and death of our beloved son, John W. Williams.

May God Bless each and everyone of you in our prayer.

Mrs. John W. Williams  
 Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams  
 Mr. and Mrs. Lee Williams & family  
 Mr. and Mrs. John R. Williams & Family

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## Bickles To Celebrate 40th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Bickel will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary December 25. Friends of the couple will host a reception Sunday, December 14 from 2:30 to 5:00 p.m. in the YL Methodist Fellowship Hall.

The former Miss Lottie Huke and John Bickel were married December 25, 1929, in Clovis at the Methodist Parsonage. The couple then moved to Pleasant Valley Community where they still reside. Bickel is still actively engaged in farming.



## "Homemaker of the Month"

Mrs. Hollis (Charlotte) Cain was recently named "Homemaker of the Month" for December by the members of the Springlake-Earth Young Homemakers.

Mrs. Cain and her husband, Hollis, have been long-time residents of the Springlake area. The Cains have two daughters, Connie, 21, and Cathy, 3. She is an active member of the Springlake First Baptist Church, and the primary leader of the Sunbeam organization. In addition to being a busy homemaker, Mrs. Cain works at the Springlake Gin Company



MR. and MRS. ALVIE WOLFE

## Father of Local Resident Honored on 80th Birthday

Alvie Wolfe of Woodson, was honored by members of the Woodson Church of Christ with a surprise birthday dinner in the Woodson Community Building, Sunday, December 7.

Mr. Wolfe was eighty years of age Sunday.

The group enjoyed a delicious dinner served from a table covered with a white cloth and centered with lovely arrangement of yellow and white mums.

Following the dinner, Wolfe was presented the traditional birthday cake. The cake was a large white sheet cake decorated with green coconut and red cherries representing the Christmas season. Wolfe was also presented \$80. dollars representing each year of his life, by his daughters Mrs. A. P. Latham of Earth and Mrs. John Earl Mailey of Fort Worth.

Approximately thirty-five friends and relatives attended the Birthday Celebration.

Wolfe was born December 7, 1889, in Hamilton, Texas. In

1924 he moved with his family to Woodson, where he and his wife have resided for the past 45 years.

Wolfe, has two daughters, Mrs. A. P. Latham of Earth and Mrs. John Earl Mailey of Fort Worth; six grandchildren, and five great grandchildren.

Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Latham and Randy of Earth and Rev. and Mrs. Ray White of the Graham Church of Christ.

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Three representatives from Earth Assembly No. 156, Order of the Rainbow for Girls visited at a regular business meeting of the Muleshoe Rainbow Assembly Monday night.

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the "Pig" is in the possession of each assembly, the girls make donations to it. The funds obtained from the Assemblies in the district will be used for the Rainbow "Let's Be Thankful Fund," for various charitable projects. Making the presentation on behalf of the Earth Assembly was Connie Kelley, Worthy Advisor.

Those visiting the Muleshoe Assembly were, Connie Kelley, Worthy Advisor, Mrs. J. A. Littleton, Mother Advisor, and Mrs. Donald Kelley.

## Scouts Work On Projects

The Jr. Girl Scouts of Springlake met Monday afternoon at 4:30 p.m. at the Springlake Community Building for their weekly meeting.

The Flag Ceremony was conducted by all Scouts attending the meeting.

The group enjoyed an activity period working on Christmas gifts to be presented to their parents and friends on Christmas Day. Assisting the girls with their projects were Mrs. Sam Barden and Mrs. Wayne Davis, Jr. Leader.

Refreshments of cookies were served by Mrs. Davis to Dina Jo Hamilton, Jill Barden, Connie Dear, Tammy Davis, Kay Howell, Ranae Winder, Kathy King and Pam Eagle.

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### MYF Holds Weekly Meeting

The Jr. High MYF of the Earth United Methodist Church met Sunday afternoon at 5:00 p.m. for their weekly meeting.

The Advent Wreath was lit for the second Sunday in this Advent Session.

The remainder of the time was spent in games and enjoying refreshments of Kool-Aid and fudge provided by Darlene Sulser. In charge of organizing the games was Donna Daniels.

In a short business meeting following the activity period, the MYF group decided to go Christmas Caroling December 23. The group will meet at 6:00 p.m. at the United Methodist Church, go caroling in Earth, and then return to the church for refreshments.

MYF members present for the meeting were Darlene Sulser, Jo Ann Coker, Donna Daniels, Jimmy Coker, Kevin Alexander, Brad Haley, Scott Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Matlock, adult sponsors.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Chaney visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hucks of Springlake, Sunday.

### Bridal Shower Honored Nancy Nix

A bridal shower honoring Miss Nancy Nix, bride elect of Ken Dawson, was held from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Littleton Jr., Saturday, December 6.

Red velvet cake, assorted nuts and pink punch were served by Jan, Julie, and Pat Cleavinger and Jo Anne Coker from white milk glass appointments.

The lovely serving table was covered with a white satin cloth. A center piece composed of a miniature bride, groom, and wedding bells encircled with pink and white flowers, completed the table arrangement.

Approximately fifty guests were registered by Marian Dawson.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Edd Jones, Mrs. C. C. Goodwin, Mrs. Wallace O. Jones, Mrs. Roger Haberer, Mrs. A. E. O'Hair, Mrs. Duane Jones, Mrs. F. W. Bearden, Mrs. W. B. Hucks, Mrs. Odie Wood, Mrs. Eldon Parish, Mrs. R. L. Byers, Mrs. K. B. Parish, Mrs. Hilbert Wisian, Mrs. Jack Angeley, Mrs. Norman Sulser, Mrs. Crill Bulls, Mrs. Irvin Ott, Mrs. Norman Hinchliffe, Mrs. Bob Armstrong, Mrs. Dean Jones, Mrs. Ed Haley, Mrs. Naomi Burgess, Mrs. Gladys

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### Linda James Honored With Birthday Party

A surprise birthday party honoring Linda James on her eighteenth birthday was hosted by Debbie Matlock, Friday night in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Thelma McClanahan, of Springlake.

A delicious dinner of Cokes, fudge, chips, dip, and homemade stew was served to the group by Mrs. McClanahan. The traditional birthday cake, baked by Mrs. Cecil Slover, was in the shape of a piano com-

plete with benches, legs, and keys. The cake was iced with blue and white.

Those attending the party were Lauren Kay Ernest, Gloria Stephens, Jan Hedges, Kathy Kelley, Vicki Gregory, Linda James, honoree, and Debbie Matlock, hostess.

### Jr. GA's Visit Rest Home

Members of the Jr. GA's of the Earth First Baptist Church enjoyed a Mission Action trip to the Muleshoe Rest Home Tuesday afternoon.

The group met at 4:30 p.m. at the Earth Baptist Church. While traveling to Muleshoe, the group enjoyed ice cream cones and reading letters from Foreign Missionary Children.

While at the Rest Home, the group presented friends in the home with delicious homemade jelly and entertained them with Christmas Carols.

Jr. GA's making the trip were Kareen Hulcy, Joyce Ingram, Christi Thomas, Juanita De Leon, and Mrs. Lillie Wuerflien, director.

### Eastern Star Holds Regular Business Meeting

Members of the local Eastern Star met Monday at 7:30 p.m. at the Earth Masonic Lodge Hall for a regular stated business meeting with Mrs. Marvin Sanders, Worthy Matron, presiding.

Mrs. Melvin Bock, secretary for the Star gave several reports concerning the organization. She also read some of the changes that have been made in the constitution and by-laws of the organization and the current correspondence from the state office. The report from Mrs. Bobby Marshall, Eastern Star Deputy Grand Matron, of Hale Center, following her visit to the local chapter November 24 was presented to the group. Mrs. Marshall complimented the chapter highly on their work and projects.

In elections held, Mrs. Forrest Simmons was chosen to be a representative to the Earth Goodwill Centre Board for the coming year. Mrs. Pete O'Hair, Mrs. Forrest Simmons, and Mrs. J. A. Littleton Sr. were chosen to take charge of Eastern Star welfare boxes for under privileged families.

### Mrs. Fryar Honored With Shower

Mrs. Dewane Fryar was honored with a layette shower at 4:00 p.m. Tuesday in the Springlake-Earth Home Economics Cottage on the school campus.

The lovely serving table was covered with an off-white cut work lace cloth. A center piece composed of a miniature pink feather stork encircled with baby blue net at the base completed the table decorations.

Cookies, mints, nuts, and punch were served by Mrs. Smythie Lawrence from crystal appointments.

Approximately twenty-five guests signed the registration book.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Guy Kelley, Mrs. Bill Anderson, Mrs. Earl Kellar, Mrs. J. J. Davis, Mrs. W. G. Sanderson, Mrs. Jim Winder, Mrs. Paul Wood, Mrs. E. G. Gaston, Mrs. Gladys Parish, Mrs. Pat McCord, Mrs. Ed Haley, Mrs. Marvin Sanders, Mrs. R. W. Bearden, Miss Kay Caudle, Mrs. Harold Fields, Mrs. Smythie Lawrence, Mrs. Lois Moore, Mrs. Cecil Slover, and Mrs. Gerald Inglis.

### GA's Observe Week of Prayer

The GA's of the Springlake First Baptist Church met Wednesday, December 3, with eight members present.

The Prayer Calendar and prayer were conducted by Mrs. Delvin Walden, director.

In observance of the "Week of Prayer for Foreign Mission," the group had a "read-a-round" on the subject "If I Were A Missionary Child."

In an activity period, the girls constructed a bulletin board to tell in their own work, "What 'The Lottie Moon Christmas Offering Is?"

Refreshments of cookies and Kool-aid were served by Mrs. Billie Walden to Ranae Winder, Tammy Davis, Denise Williams, Bobbie and Robbie Mosely, Jaton Schellar, Gail Miller, and Susan Clayton.

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### Brownies Make Christmas Gifts

Earth Brownie Troop 101 met Monday afternoon at 4:30 p.m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Price for their weekly meeting.

The meeting was open with the group participating in the Brownie Ring and roll call.

The girls spent the allotted time making various gifts to be presented to their parents on Christmas. Assisting the girls with the project were Mrs. Price and Mrs. Joe Camarillo, leaders.

Refreshments of Jumbo Pies were served by Mona Price to Lisa Pittman, Elaine Bills, Kim Holder, Beth Pound, Rosie Lewis, Petra Lewis, Donice Taylor, De Ann Clayton, Cheryl Riggs, Lisa Camarillo, Sylvia Gozalas, Jodie Daniels, and Mana True-lock.

### Mrs. Hay TOPS Queen

Mrs. Cullen Hay was named Queen of the Happy Losers TOPS Club Thursday night at their regular weekly meeting held at the Goodwill Centre. Mrs. Hay showed a loss of 3 pounds. Mrs. Ralph Rudd was runner-up with a 2 1/4 pound weight loss.

TOPS Queen for the month of November was announced to be Mrs. Ralph Rudd, showing a total weight loss of 6 pounds. Mrs. M. H. Been was runner-up with a 3 pound loss for the month of November.

The twenty members attending weighed in to show a total weight loss of 9 3/4 pounds.

Each member took part in the program designed to give other members hints and ideas on how to lose weight and keep it off. The Happy Losers TOPS Club will meet Thursday (tonight) at 5:00 p.m. to be weighed in at the Goodwill Centre. They will travel to Furr's Cafeteria in Lubbock where they will have their Christmas Party.

### GA's Have Mission Program

Members of the intermediate and junior GA groups of the Sunnyside and Springlake Baptist Churches met Friday night at the Sunnyside Baptist Church to take part in their Mission Action Program.

The group enjoyed various supervised games and a "Middle East Supper" furnished by the Sunnyside Women's Missionary Union and served by Mrs. Retha Wilson, Mrs. Barbara Epperson, Mrs. Matt Turner, and Mrs. Bill Morgan.

Following the activity period and delicious supper, Mrs. Delvin Walden, director of the Springlake GA's, presented a study on the Foreign Mission Book, "Lalia of Lebonon," by Nancy Wings. Mrs. Walden told of a girl named Lalia, of Lebonon. She explained her customs and how they were alike in many cases and different in others, from the customs of this country. The missionary work the Baptists are doing in that country was also explained.

Springlake GA's attending were Ranae Winder, Tammy Davis, Denise Williams, Bobbie and Robbie Mosely, Gail Miller, Susan Clayton, and Mrs. Delvin Walden, director.

Sunnyside junior and intermediate GA's attending were Cindy Sadler, Daneen Wilson, Renee Jones, Debbie Wilson, Lesa Morgan, Tonya De Busk, Mrs. Retha Wilson, Mrs. Barbara Epperson, and Mrs. Bill Morgan, GA director.

Guests at the supper were Rev. and Mrs. Matt Turner of the Sunnyside Baptist Church.

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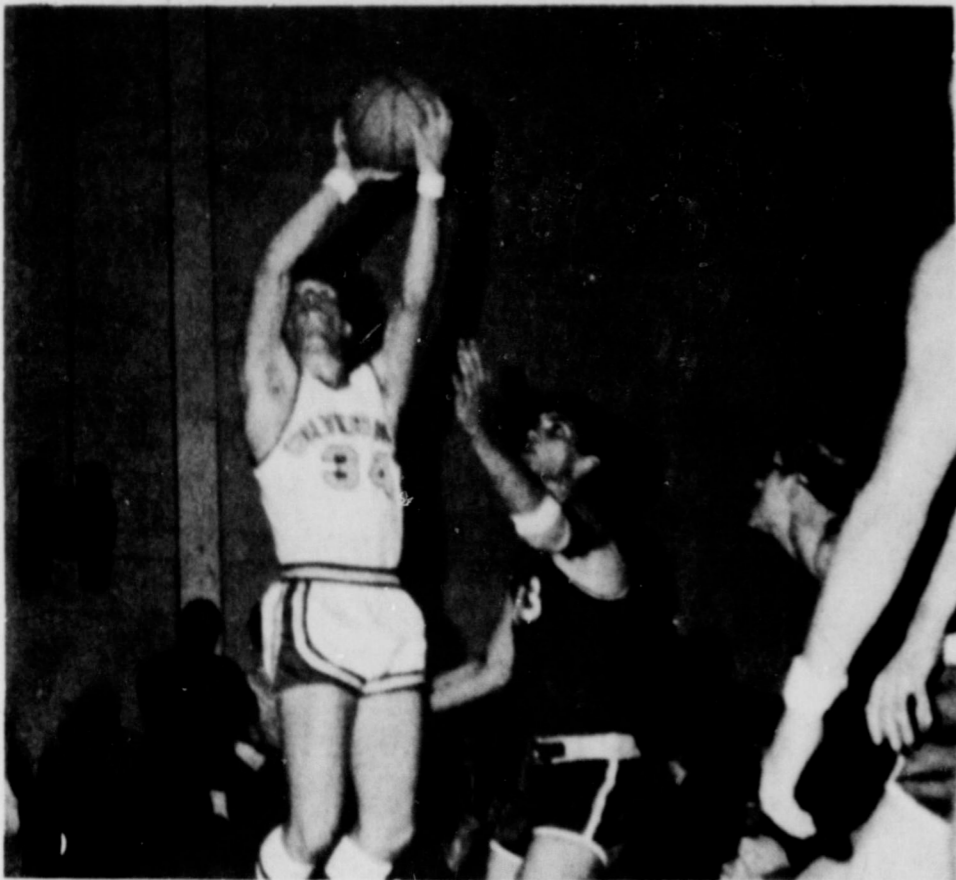
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## Jr. High Basketball Teams Take Three Games From Sudan



UP FOR TWO, Steve Sanderson was up for two points against Amherst in a close 59-56 victory. The Wolverines met Amherst Tuesday night in Wolverine Gym.

The Springlake-Earth seventh and eighth grade boys basketball teams and girls eighth grade team were victorious over the junior high teams of Sudan Monday night in Sudan Gym. The final score for the girls game was an easy 18-10 victory in favor of the Springlake-Earth team. Taking top scoring honors for Springlake-Earth were Jo Anne Coker and Darlene Sulser, with 5 points each. Scoring the remainder of the points, were Gay Ellis, 4 points; and Kim Kellev, Ronda Wright

Houchin was able to make 20 of the 61 points made against Nazareth. Willie Wilburn was second high point man with 13 points. The Wolverines lead throughout the four periods of play, with the final score Wolverines 61, Nazareth 45.

The Friona Consolation Trophy was awarded to Wolverines for their 66-59 victory over Muleshoe. Taking scoring honors for Springlake-Earth were Mike Cleavinger, 22 points; Willie Wilburn, 13 points; Terry Houchin, 12 points; Kent Parish, 9 points; Terry Bridge, 5 points; David Bradley and Hoyt Glasscock, 2 points; and Tony Barton with 1 point. High scorer for Muleshoe was Jim Pertmen with 18 points. The Wolverines were behind three points at the end of the first quarter, but in the second quarter managed to take and maintain the lead through the remainder of the game.

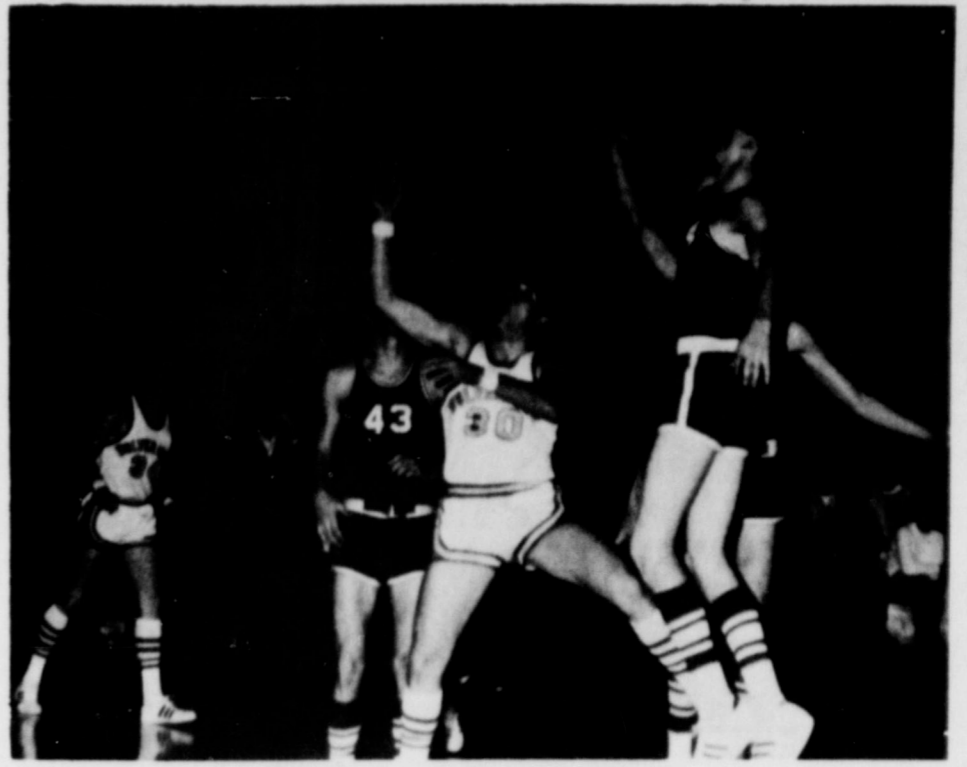
WOLVERINES DEFEATED BY QUITAQUE  
The Wolverines were defeated 73-53 Monday night by Quitaque in Quitaque Gym. Terry Houchin and Willie Wilburn led the team in scoring by hitting the goal for 16 points each. Danny Parish followed with 6 points. The Wolverines lead during the first quarter, but Quitaque poured on the steam during the remainder of the game and walked away with an easy victory.

WOLVERINES TAKE AMHERST 59-56  
The Wolverines showed their true spirit Tuesday night when they defeated Amherst in a close 59-56 victory. High point honors were taken by Willie Wilburn with 14 points, and Terry Houchin close on his team mates heels with 13 points. The Wolverines led the scoring during the first half, but during the third quarter it looked as if Amherst might rally scoring 24 to the Wolverines 13. Scoring 16 to the 9 points by Amherst in the final quarter, the Wolverines were able to make the necessary 3 points to achieve victory.

In boys competition, the same fighting spirit shown by the girls team was demonstrated by the seventh graders, winning a close one, 24-23. Jeff Matlock and Lupe Flores scored 6 points each against the Hornets followed by Doug Jones, 5 points; Dyke Gaston 4 points; and Steve Morgan 3 points.

The final score of the eighth grade boys game showed the same fighting spirit with a 32-16 victory over the eighth grade junior team of Sudan. Mario Solas was top man with a total of 11 points. Tommy Clayton and Hal Wood each scored 7 points for the Wolverines followed with Dickie Bradley, 4 points; and Donnie Henderson, 3 points.

In addition to the competition Thursday (today) at the Friona Eighth Grade Tournament, their will be a seventh grade boys intersquad scrimmage followed by seventh grade girls and eighth grade girls and boys games with the Vega junior teams Monday, December 15 beginning at 4:00 p.m. in the Springlake-Earth Gym.



WILL IT MAKE IT?... Steve Sanderson and Terry Bridge watch apprehensively as an attempt for two points is made. The Wolverines won over Amherst Tuesday night by a narrow 59-56 margin.

## Wolverines Play Five-Win Three

In Wolverine Basketball action during the Friona Invitational Tournament the past week and, games played Monday and Tuesday nights the team was able to build a three win two loss record, and take the Friona

Consolation Trophy. In the first tournament game, the Wolverines met Spearman and lost a close 44-43 heart-breaker. High point man for the Wolverines was Willie Wilburn with 20 points followed by

Terry Bridge with twelve points for second place scoring honors. Springlake-Earth led the scoring up until the last half and Spearman was able to make the extra winning point. In the second game, Terry

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Forage production has been limited on many pastures this fall, and livestock producers should pay close attention to the quality of hay used, advises Neal Pratt, Extension agronomist, Texas A&M University.

Hay can furnish all or most of the nutritive requirements of beef cattle if quality is at acceptable level, and amounts are in adequate supply, says Pratt. Beef cows without calves can obtain their daily requirements from hay of 9 to 10 percent crude protein, if sufficient amounts are available. For cows with calves, a crude protein content of 12 to 14 percent is needed, notes the specialist.

Hay supplies in many areas of the state have been somewhat limited this fall, due to inadequate rainfall, says the agronomist. Although quality has been favorable the reduced supply should be fed to maximize its use, he adds. In planning next year's hay production, Pratt suggests that livestock producers start early with a soil test and the application of the recommended amounts of fertilizer and limestone for high-quality and high production. He reminds that hay should be harvested before it matures. When hay crops mature, the quality declines very rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wallace of Amarillo spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Littleton.

Franklyn Laing of Tipton, Oklahoma, spent Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Laing. Franklyn Laing is a nephew to the John Laings.

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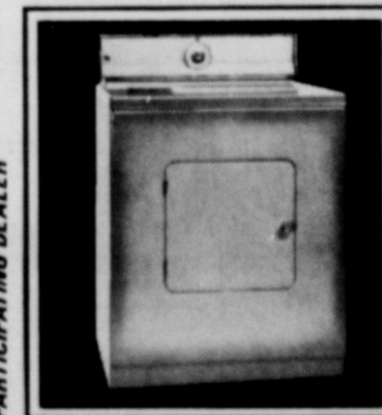


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The Springlake-Earth Wolverettes had a busy schedule, the last few days having played three games in the Friona Invitational Tournament and a game both Monday and Tuesday nights of this week.

In the first game of tournament competition, the Wolverettes lost a heartbreaker to the Tullia Hornets. The team showed fighting spirit but was downed by the narrow margin of 1 point. The final score was 40-39, Tullia.

Vicki Gregory walked away with scoring honors by making 27 points. She was followed by fast pacing Becky Sanders with 6 points and Janet Britton with 5 points.

Tonya Tales was high point girl for Tullia. She racked up 25 points.

In the second tournament game, the Wolverettes walked over Farwell 55-14.

Taking scoring honors for Springlake-Earth were Vicky Gregory, 24 points; Janet Britton, 21 points; Jan Hedges 8 points, and Janis Bridge with 2.

With a 53-39 victory over Muleshoe, the Wolverettes walked off with the Consolation Trophy.

Vicky Gregory was in her usual form as she racked up 29 points for her team. She was followed by easy moving Janet Britton, with 19 points.

Muleshoe Mulettes lead the scoring after the first quarter of play, but during the remainder of the game the Wolverettes



WOLVERETTE CO-CAPTAINS, Cindy Barton and Vicky Gregory proudly display the Consolation Trophy won by defeating Muleshoe in the Friona Invitational Tournament.

took and maintained the lead. High point girl for Muleshoe compiled a total of 24 points against the Wolverettes.

### WOLVERETTES TAKE QUITAQUE 74-64

The Wolverettes defeated Quitaque 74-64 Monday night at Quitaque.

The victory was gained through the determined spirit shown by the entire team.

Vicky Gregory racked up 58 of the 74 points scored by Springlake-Earth. She was followed by Jan Hedges with 10 points, and Janet Britton with 8.

High point girl for Quitaque was Jackie Chester with 36 points.

### WOLVERETTES DOWN AMHERST 71-27

The Wolverettes defeated Amherst 71-27 Monday night in Wolverine Gym.

The victory was an easy victory for the local team with each member showing good teamwork all the way.

Janet Britton led the team in scoring hitting the goal for 23 points. Vicky Gregory followed with 19 points, and Jan Hedges with 16 points.

Alane Weaver led the scoring for Amherst with 12 points.

The Wolverettes lead through the four quarters, and when the final buzzer sounded the Wolverette had another win to add to this seasons record.

## Eighth Grade Basketball Teams Compete in Friona Tournament

The Springlake-Earth boys and girls eighth grade basketball teams will enter tournament competition at the Friona Eighth Grade Basketball Tournament slated for December 11, 12, and 13.

The eighth grade girls are scheduled to meet the Tullia Hor-

nets at 3:20 p.m. Thursday, December 11, and the boys team is to battle, St. Anthony's at 1:00 p.m. the same day.

The play off game for girls first place is slated for 6:30 p.m. Saturday, followed by the boys play off game at 7:45 p.m. Saturday.

## Centre In Need Of Paper Bags

The Earth Goodwill Centre was open Saturday for a regular business day, with members of the local Springlake-Earth PTA assisting with sales.

The Centre took in a total of \$13.25 for the days activities. It is reported that the Centre is receiving demands for large paper bags.

It was also reported, that the Centre has received a large amount of children's clothing, but items such as these are still in demand.

PTA members assisting with sales were Mrs. R. O. Dickson, Mrs. Bill Morgan, Mrs. Elton Schelliar, and Mrs. C. L. Houchin.

The Earth Goodwill Centre will be open Saturday under the direction of members of the Earth United Methodist Church.

### AMONG THOSE WHO ARE ILL

H. S. Hickman was admitted to Medical Arts Hospital Sunday. Hickman will be in the hospital until a series of tests have been made.

Mrs. J. C. Randolph, who entered South Plains Hospital in Amherst during the early part of last week is reported to be in fair condition.

B. Campbell was admitted to Sunday. Campbell will be in test have been made. Lubbock's Methodist Hospital the hospital until a series of



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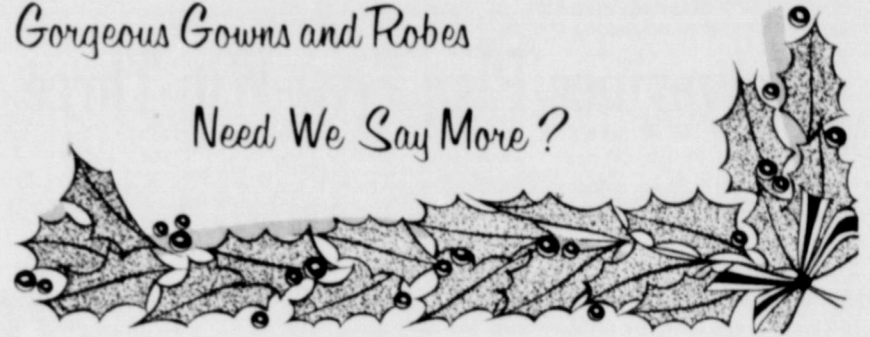
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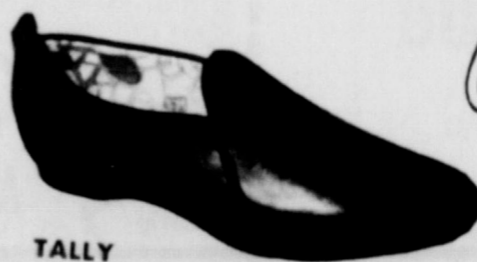
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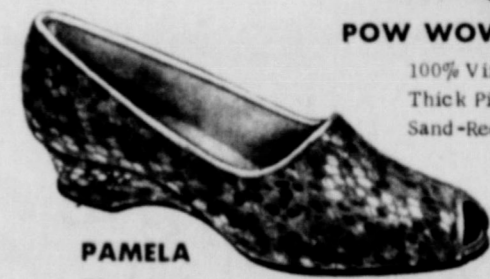
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# Sunnyside News...

By Tenny Bowden.

Pam Avery of Altus, Oklahoma formerly of Earth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Avery was one of the 3 seniors of Altus High School who was selected for Who's Who in America recently. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Thelma McClanahan.

The Foreign Mission Week of Prayer was held at the church this week, Monday, Thursday and Friday mornings with the Tuesday program in the afternoon because of Mr. Taylor's funeral, and the Wednesday night program on Wednesday night with the men taking charge of the program. Average attendance was low because of illness, and several out of the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haydon, Mrs. Alton Louder, Noah Spencer and Mrs. John Spencer attended the funeral services of Sid Taylor in Lubbock Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Stine of Earth had Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Haydon and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Blanton and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Cowley and family of Dimmitt, had Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Blanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Stull and family from Riohito, California and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Duke

and family had Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Duke, last Friday.

Bob Duke and his family attended the 4-H Gold Star banquet in Amarillo recently.

Ken Dawson had Thanksgiving dinner with the Bill Nix family of Sudan.

Mrs. Thelma McClanahan shopped in Littlefield Monday morning. She had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Matlock Wednesday.

The Springlake-Earth Jr. High played Bovina and the boys lost 28-17 and the girls 7th grade lost 13-5. Steve Morgan made 3 points for the 7th grade team.

Marian Dawson was on the sophomore "A" honor roll for Springlake-Earth, Terry Bridge was on the "B" roll for seniors and Lesa Morgan on the "B" roll for freshman.

Rev. Mack Turner taught the book "Letters to Timothy" at the Lazbuddie Baptist Church Tuesday night.

The Sunbeams met at the church after school Tuesday afternoon at the church.

Calvin Lippard and possibly others from the community attended the funeral services for Leon Ruiz in Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Lippard and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lilley fished at Guaymas Old Mexico, leaving Tuesday noon and re-

turning Sunday night. They caught both Red Snapper and Yellow Tails.

W. E. Louder was admitted to Plains Memorial hospital Sunday night.

Sixty - six attended Sunday School with 27 in Training Union. The Lottie Moon Foreign mission offering goal was met Sunday. The offering exceeded the goal.

Thomas Parson attended the Baptist Men's meeting in Muleshoe Monday night.

Rev. and Mrs. Mack Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson attended "M" night in Muleshoe Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sadler and Melody of Lubbock visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sadler and family.

The GA's had a supper at the church Friday afternoon after school in connection with their Foreign Mission Books. After

the supper the Juniors had their book with their supper guests, the Jr. GA's of Springlake. The Intermediate had the study of their book separately.

Leslie Louder had dinner in Dimmitt Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Odum.

The WMS round table group met at the church for their quarterly meeting Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Cliff Brown, group leader reviewed the book "New Moon Rising." Mrs. Robert Duke attended the

Delta Kappa Gamma teacher's meeting banquet in Hart Saturday night.

Light rain turned to show about dark Friday and covered the ground with large flakes. It melted by Sunday but started again Sunday night.

### PARTY LINE

Mrs. L. V. Steffey of Olton visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Laing. Mrs. Steffey is John Laing's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Qualls of Redwood City, California, visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McClesky. Mrs. Qualls is a sister to Mrs. McClesky.

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The method behind this headless advice, Dr. Rene Cailliet says, is that tired feet are also relaxed, sensitive and slightly broadened by the day's wear and tear. New shoes that feel comfortable under these conditions are almost certain to continue to feel comfortable.

However, the physician is highly skeptical about the fit of all women's shoes that are also acceptable stylistically. Describing the "good standard shoe" as having a reasonably low, broad heel, narrow waist and straight inner border, Dr. Cailliet says these seem to be limited to men's and children's shoe lines.

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With winter weather coming on, motorists will have to be more watchful.

More fatal traffic accidents occur during darkness, especially during the evening from 5 p. m. to 8 p. m. then during the daylight hours, reports the Texas State Department of Health.

This sobering fact should be kept in mind by motorists during winter when the hours of daylight are shorter, streets may be wet or icy, and fog and frost on windows may cloud a motorist's visibility. Better control of the car, reduction of speed and increased alertness are very necessary.

The State Health Department and National Safety Council also advise motorists to drive defensively and to:

1. Pull into traffic more cautiously than in daytime.
2. Pass with care, making sure you have enough passing room.
3. Never trust your judgement in estimating speed of an approaching car by its headlights.
4. Stay well behind the car ahead of you and watch for his signals.
5. Watch for oncoming drivers who may be out of their lanes.
6. Be alert for vehicles stop-

ped on the roadway with poor or no lights.

7. Alert other drivers with flares or lights if your car becomes disabled, and get it off the road.

8. Don't over-drive your headlights. At 60 miles an hour it will take you about 370 feet to stop. Yet, you see only about 200 feet ahead.

9. Put on directional signals well in advance of turning.

10. Don't use parking lights when in motion.

11. Make adjustments for bad weather, which further reduces your vision.

12. Keep your windshield and windows clean, inside and out. In night driving the glare of oncoming headlights diffused against the film may blind you or make you fail to see unlighted objects.

13. If an approaching driver fails to dim his lights, don't keep your bright lights on also. Slow down, dim your lights and keep your eyes on the shoulder of the road or the lane edge to guide you.

By observing these rules of the road, you will have a much better chance of not becoming a traffic statistic, says the State Health Department.

## Springlake Brownies Work On Christmas Projects

Springlake Brownie Troop 308 met December 9, at 4:30 p. m. at the Springlake Community Building.

The opening ceremony, conducted by Carrie Barden, consisted of the Flag Ceremony, Brownie Pledge, "America," and "Brownie Smile Song."

Troop 308 spent the allotted time making velvet covered Christmas balls and Christmas

cards for senior citizens in the community. Assisting the girls with their projects were Mrs. Hampton of Sunnyside, Carleen Jones, and Kathy Bibby, Jr. Assistant Leaders.

Those attending the meeting were Carrie Barden, Lindsey Fields, Belinda Hampton, Kim Haydon, La Cretia James, Treasa Lunsford, and Nellie Palacio.

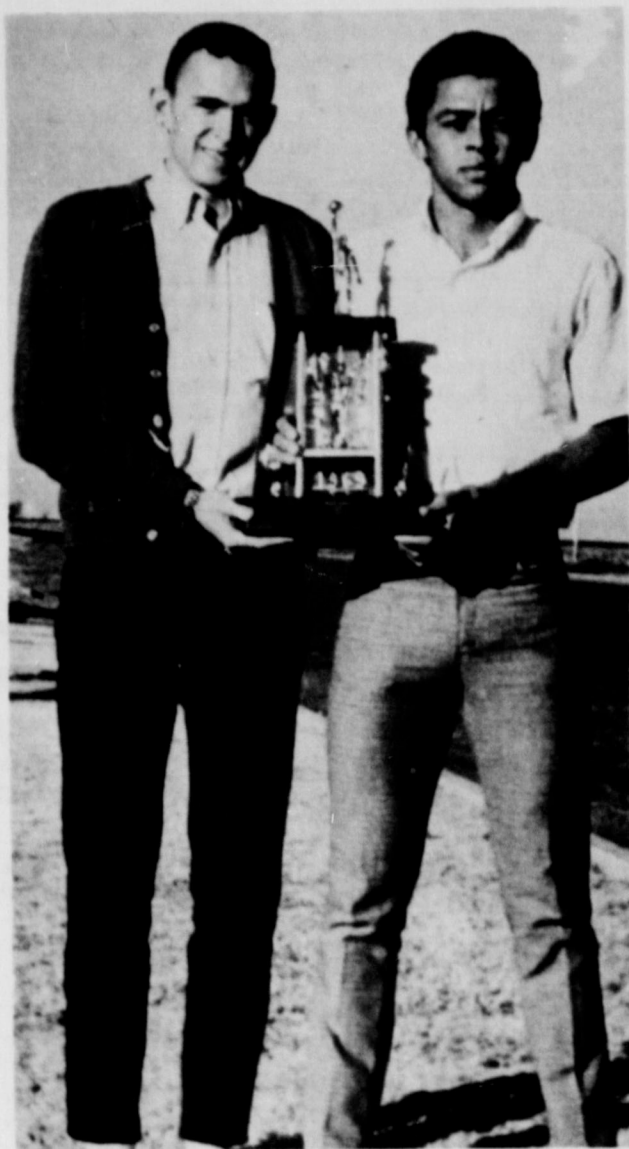
## Springlake Sunbeams Work On Christmas Projects

The beginner and primary groups of the Springlake First Baptist Sunbeams met Wednesday, December 3, at the church for their weekly meeting.

The group, under the direction of Mrs. Bill Lunsford, spent the activity period making gay Christmas cards and ornaments

to decorate their rooms. The boys and girls also discussed donations for the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, which is to aid foreign missions.

Refreshments of cookies and Kool-Aid were served to both groups by members of the Women's Missionary Union of the Springlake First Baptist Church.



WOLVERINE CO-CAPTAINS... Terry Houchin and Willie Wilburn proudly display the Consolation Trophy won at the Friona Invitational Tournament by defeating Muleshoe.

## New Ford Tractor Makes Appearance in Area

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Mrs. Bonnie Haberer, Mrs. Dora Bell Angeley, Mrs. Zou Wilson, and Ida Mae Haberer attended a Music Teachers Guild Concert at Muleshoe High School Auditorium Sunday afternoon.

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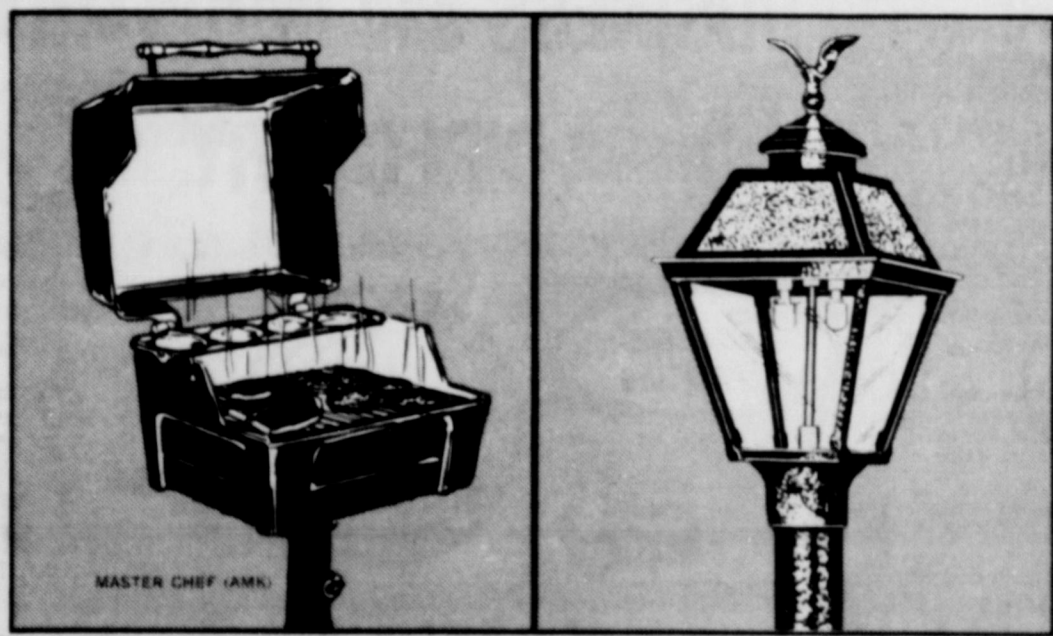
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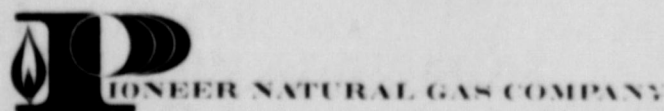


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