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West Wind

The City commission has been very busy of late trying to meet the stringent requirements of the Highway Department to get 70 four-laned through Earth. We hope we are nearing the end of a difficult job. All I can say is that I'll never drive over a better paved highway through any body's city again without momentarily recalling the gray hairs it must have put on some one's head.

Let's now begin to think how proud we'll be when it is finished; what a valuable asset it will be to our town; what a thrill to say bye-bye to the bar pit slush that has loused up 70 for the last quarter century. Now we are about to witness a miracle in which concrete surgery will be used to cure a hideous defect in our municipal appearance. The contractors on this job will start work within the next few days. We should all try to cooperate in every way possible in order to get the work done as quickly as possible. Property owners along the route should contact the foreman as soon as possible and arrange for traffic gates or breaks to accommodate garage or business entrances.

I am also happy to report that the City commission has approved an approximate 25 per cent reduction in water rates. Taking into consideration the city's present financial condition along with its immediate future obligations, I consider this a very liberal reduction. It should also be remembered that we are reducing water rates at a time when Lubbock, Plainview and Olton are busy increasing their rates. We regret that we could not take action sooner on this problem, but the city books have been in the hands of a Lubbock auditor since the first of April. For that reason we had no figures of prior years upon which to make our calculations.

Besides highway and water problems, the commission disposed of several other long overdue issues in the 7 hours session Monday. These included the establishment of a corporation court for the city of Earth with L. H. Randolph serving as judge. In this court all violations within the city limits shall be processed and all such fines diverted into the city treasury. (State and Federal offenses excepted).

In a years time this arrangement should save Earth several hundred dollars which have hitherto gone to the county treasury. This fund will help pay the cost of local municipal law enforcement.

The commission also voted to buy material and employ labor to fence the city dump ground as per agreement with Pat McCord from whom the property was purchased. Joe Gilmore and Clyde Cearley began this work Wednesday. As soon as it is finished, the dump ground will be opened one day each week to farmers of the trade area.

At this meeting it was also decided to furnish members of the fire department a \$300 minimum credit on each month's water bill as a token of appreciation for their services as volunteer firemen. In my opinion, this is not enough but it does show that we have a commission that is trying to get in the groove.

When I was elected I promised to keep you informed about your city administration and that is what I intend to do. I believe that information and knowledge is the only basis for mutual understanding.

In this article I may have overlooked something you are particularly interested in and if that is true, then you are always welcome to come to my office and discuss any subject you may desire.

I am sure I can truthfully say that every commission member is fully aware that he is serving your interests and each one wants you to feel at perfect liberty to discuss any problem with him that would help build a better town.

Fishing at Buffalo Lake over Tuesday night were Rev. Eugene Matthews, Ross Brock and Don Atkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Patterson visited in Dimmitt Sunday afternoon.

Local Water Rates Lowered 25%

O. E. LUMSDEN RESIGNS AS SCHOOL HEAD

The following letter was received at the Sun Office Monday morning:

Springlake School
May 6, 1956

Local School Board
Springlake ISD
Earth, Texas

This is your notice of my resignation as your superintendent effective August 1, 1956. I came to this school as your superintendent August 1, 1953. My resignation as of the above date will give me three full years of service.

To the members of this Board who have been loyal, I am very grateful. Your loyalty and cooperation has made it possible for me to leave a much better school than I found.

Thanking you I remain

Sincerely yours,
O. E. Lumsden
Supt. Springlake ISD

Final Rites Read Sunday For Mrs. W. W. Aldridge, 76

Funeral services for Mrs. M. W. Aldridge, 76, mother of Mrs. R. W. Kimbell of Earth, were held Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Hobert, Okla.

Mrs. Aldridge died last Friday afternoon following an extended illness.

She is survived by two sons and one daughter, Mrs. Kirbell.

Interment was in the Hobert Cemetery.

Tanner Speaks To Earth Jaycees

V. T. Tanner of Springlake spoke to Earth Jaycees Monday at noon to outline plans for Lamb County Development and Improvements Organization and also the plans to purchase water rights in the sandhills for future development in Lamb County.

During the meeting a family party was planned for Thursday night to be held at the sandhills at 7 p.m.

Twelve members and two visitors, Tanner and Doug Lewis, were present.

Installation Of P-TA Officers Slated For May 17

Installation ceremonies for the slate of new P-TA officers for 1956-57 will be held Thursday May 17, 4 p.m. in the auditorium. On Monday May 14, Mrs. Marvin Sanders, reprint president will be host to the executive council meeting in her home. The new officers will be special guests of the outgoing officers at this meeting.

The new officers are to be well entertained at the May 17 meeting in the auditorium. Miss Anita Messer will give a reading "Hats" and Billy Robnett will offer violin selections. Also Mrs. Leonard Stevens will sing. This entertainment will be preceded by the installation services. Highlight of the afternoon will be the announcement of the person who is to be honored by receiving the Life Membership awarded by the local P-TA until this program will officially close the P-TA year. The officers for the new school year will be headed by Mrs. E. E. Watkins as president.

NOTICE

A bridal shower, honoring Miss Barbara Brock, bride-elect of Richard McCaskill, will be held Friday, May 18, 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. H. A. McClanahan, located six miles north and one half mile east of Springlake. Everyone is invited.

Mrs. Beedie Welch Is Elected To School Board



MRS. BEEDIE WELCH
School Trustee

Mrs. Beedie Welch of Earth has been added to the Springlake school board as a result of a second election held at the school Saturday.

Roy L. Byers, Jr., of Springlake was nosed at of the race by 74 votes. Mrs. Welch received 416 votes while Byers was favored by 342. Three of the 761 ballots were nullified according to Election Judge Jan Adams. Assisting in the election were Mrs. A. C. Barton, Je Watson, Irvin Ott and L. T. Smith.

The second election was called after a tie between Welch and Byers in the regular school board elections. Approximately 200 more ballots were cast Saturday than in the previous election. Guy Francis Kelley by a plurality of votes was elected to a place on the Springlake School Board on April 3rd. He took the oath of office immediately thereafter.

In a board meeting held at the school Monday night Pat McCord was elected president of the organization, A. E. Wheatley vice president, Mrs. Beedie Welch secretary and Guy Kelley assistant secretary.

The resignations of teachers Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Jordan and Mrs. J. J. Jordan were accepted.

NOTICE

All property owners along Highway 70 within the proposed paving limits are requested to contact the paving foreman and arrange for traffic breaks in the curbing in front of their property.

Specifications provide for 15 feet breaks for dwellings and 30 feet breaks for business houses

Local Democratic Convention Backs Senator Johnson

At the Democratic Precinct Convention held at the community building in Earth Saturday afternoon, acting chairman, Roy Neal, was named permanent chairman and Mrs. G. C. Green was elected secretary.

Twenty-three qualified Democratic voters were present from which four delegates to the county convention were elected. They were D. E. McCarty, Paul Martin, Elton Schaefer, and W. O. Wood. Alternates are Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Littleton, Bruce Higgins and Paul Wood.

The convention went on record for Lyndon Johnson by adopting the following resolution: Be It Resolved: That this convention go on record as favoring:

First: A delegation to Chicago pledged to support the Democratic Nominee; and

Second: Sam Rayburn proposed that Senator Lyndon Johnson be made Chairman of the Texas Delegation and favorite son of Texas for the nomination of President of the United States.

The unit rule was also adopted after which the convention adjourned.

Three Students Elected To National Society

A. H. Burton announced that three students of Springlake High School were elected to the Quill and Scroll National Honorary Society. They were Jan Jones, June Gregory and Joe Lee Campbell.

The Quill and Scroll is publication organization.

Mrs. Joe Ebeling underwent surgery in Littlefield Wednesday.

Band Boosters Make \$500 From Calendar Sales

The Band Boosters organization met Thursday night, May 3, at 8 p.m., in the band room at the school.

Birthday calendars, sold by the Boosters, were discussed and it was reported that a total of \$500 was made from the sale of these.

The Boosters discussed a candidate speaking rally and banquet to be held about July 1st.

Everyone is invited to attend the Boosters meeting tonight (Thursday) at 8 p.m. in the hall.

Mrs. Buford Price and Mrs. Wix Price returned home Tuesday from a week end visit in Oklahoma.

Mrs. George Winkley of Springlake is visiting in Ft. Smith, Arkansas, with relatives this week.



BERNIE SARRADET
Local Manager

Bernie Sarradet New Employee Of Thompson Chevrolet

Bernie Sarradet, formerly employed by the C & H Chevrolet Co. of Muleshoe, is now local manager of the Thompson Chevrolet Co. of Earth and Olton. Mr. Sarradet assumed his new duties last week at the sales location of the company just east of Pope's Parts Place on the north side of Highway 70.

Elsewhere in this issue appears one of Chevrolet's national advertisements under the sponsorship of Thompson Chevrolet as they will appear regularly in the future.

Earth has been the home of Mr. Sarradet for the past three years. Mrs. Sarradet is employed as a teacher in the Springlake school.

Lt. Kenneth Burgess arrived back at his regular base in Roswell, N. M., last Friday after being stationed in England for the past three months.

Burgess, a son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Burgess of Earth, is a jet pilot. His wife and five months old son also live in Roswell.

The City Commission met in regular session Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock with all members present.

WATER RATES REDUCED 25%

Beginning with the May 15th reading, city water users will receive an approximate 25% reduction in rates. The new rates scheduled is as follows:

First 3000 gal. \$3.00
Next 7000 gal. (a) .25 per m
Next 10000 gal. (a) .20 per m
Next 1000 gal. (a) .15 per m
All over 30,000 (a) .10 per m

Accordingly 30,000 gallons would cost \$8.25 and 60,000 gallons would cost \$11.25. The above rates have been set on a five months basis.

An agreement was made to furnish water to a private line serving residents living on the south side of Highway 70 beginning at the east city limits. The said agreement is subject to the rules and regulations of the City Water Department. It was also agreed to allow the members of the Fire Department \$3. on their water bill.

L. H. (Shorty) Randolph was appointed Judge of Corporation Court of the City of Earth. Under this appointment Judge Randolph agrees to process all violations occurring in the City of Earth except those which are legally required to be transferred to State or Federal courts.

During the evening four ordinances between the city and state highway were passed.



MISS JOAN KELLEY
Waco Favorite

LOCAL GIRL NAMED "MISS JAYCEE", WACO

Miss Joan Kelley, a petite and pretty eighteen-year-old Baylor University freshman from Earth, was selected "Miss Jaycee" at the recent luncheon meeting of the Waco Junior Chamber of Commerce at the Roosevelt Hotel.

A winner out of a field of six, the charming Miss was to represent the Jaycees in the Heart O' Texas Lions Miss Universe on Tuesday, May 8. Results of this contest were not available at press time.

Miss Kelley, a 1955 graduate of Springlake High School, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kelley of Earth.

LITTLE LEAGUERS AND PONIES HAVE 1st TRY-OUT SESSIONS

Approximately 70 Little Leaguers and 15 Pony Leaguers were present Saturday for the first scheduled tryouts summer baseball season.

Different age groups held tryouts as follows:

12 yrs.	9:00 - 10:30 A. M.
11 yrs.	10:30 - 12:00 P. M.
13 - 14 - 15	12:00 - 2:00 P. M.
10 yrs.	2:00 - 3:30 P. M.
8-9 yrs.	3:30 - 5:00 P. M.

A final tryout session will be held Saturday at 9:00 A. M. for ages 8 through 12 and 5:00 P. M. for boys in the 13-14 - 15 year age group. Boys will be selected

to their teams in the Little League during the morning session. At the present time managers of the four LL teams are expected to select three boys each from the 12 year group, three from the 11 year group, three from the 10 year group and five from the groups of eight and nine year old boys.

Boys who fail to be selected in the first go-around will be placed with the "minor" league, which will have a complete schedule of games and workouts. Those in the "minors" may be called to the "majors" if a coach loses a player from his roster at any time during the summer.

The new playing field, located just east of O. C. McBride & Sons Gin in Earth, is near completion and the first scheduled game for the little league is scheduled for May 26.

The Pony League will be sponsored by "Brighten the Corner" Furniture Mart and the four little league teams will be sponsored by Earth Motor Co. and Dent Farm Supply, Rutherford & Co. and Kimbell Gin, Brown-White Equipment Co. and The Earth News, Layman Bros. Butane and The Earth Sun.

Several guests gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. White Griffiths Sunday to celebrate an early Mother's Day and also the birthday of Mrs. G. Griffiths son, Homer of Happy.

Present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Kinsey, Debra Lesley of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. George Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Flex Leggart, John Leggart and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Williams, all of Littlefield.

Calling in the afternoon were Troy Davis and son, Puz and Mrs. L. H. Dent and Beth. Refreshments of ice cream and birthday cake were served at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

NOTICE

A call meeting of the Band Boosters has been scheduled for tonight (Thursday) at 8 p.m. in the Band Hall.

This meeting is to help promote one of the biggest projects ever undertaken in this community. Officials in the club state that the project will pay off with only a minimum of effort if everyone gets acquainted with the idea and helps to promote it. All band parents are urged to attend this meeting.

It was reported that the sale of band birthday calendars netted approximately \$500. This proposed project is estimated to top the previous one.

Final Report Given In County Red Cross Drive

The Red Cross Drive for Lamb County was officially closed at a meeting of the Executive Board last week although the quota for the County was still short of its goal.

Final receipts on the fund campaign were announced as follows: Earth, \$388.65; Springlake, \$959.93; Pleasant Valley, \$185.01; Sudan, \$685.00; Olton, \$1473.00; Amherst, \$634.20; Field ton, \$82.45; Spade, \$575.99; and Littlefield, \$3,209.75. Towns exceeding their quotas were Pleasant Valley, Springlake, Spade and Olton.

Mrs. Larry Price is visiting her parents at Tucumcari, N. M. this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Watson have moved to the O. B. Whitford home.

Northwest Corner News

By Mrs. C. B. Landers

The Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration club met Thursday May 3rd at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Doyle Turner with 11 members present.

Mrs. Allan Hayley, presided over the business session, after which Mrs. W. T. Stewart, who attended the council meeting gave a report on the topic "A child's share".

Refreshments were served to 1 visitor Mrs. Evans, and the following members: Mmes. O. E. Green, Earl Moore, Alton Taylor, Haley, Stewart, Seaborn Moore, George Wuerlein, Roy Taylor, W. I. Meeks, C. B. Landers and the hostess, Mrs. Turner.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Earl Moore on Thursday May 17 at 2:30.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Green visited last Sunday in Roswell, N. M., with their daughter and son in law Mr. and Mrs. Carl Day

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Taylor took their little daughter Gayle to a doctor in Lubbock last Friday to begin her shots.

Mrs. Doris Hess and Mrs. Ruth Manning of Amarillo spent the

day last Wed. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Landers. They are a sister and a cousin of Mrs. Landers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stewart and two sons were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Steinbock of Lasbuddy last Sunday.

Mr. George Wuerlein who has never completely recovered from an operation he had several months ago will go to Dallas next week where he has an appointment with a specialist there next Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Harper left last Wednesday morning to spend the rest of the week fishing and to visit his sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Bob Estes of Pecos, Texas.

They also plan to visit relatives in Odessa on the way back home.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Scott and baby in Clovis last Sunday.

Relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gregory Sunday afternoon to celebrate the birthday of Carl Gregory, Donald Killough and Mrs. Francis Truelock.

The three birthday cakes with

home made ice cream and punch were served to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gregory and Bobbie Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Granville Pellham and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Killough and family, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Killough and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Hilbert Wissian, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Hulsey and Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Truelock and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Landers and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gregory and family.

Mrs. V. D. Coker and Vicky spent last week end in Dumas, visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hill and boys.

She was accompanied by her sister in law Mrs. Tarr, who has a son there and she stayed for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Landers received a telephone call last Thursday night that their son, Vernon of Long Beach, Calif., had had a heart attack.

His wife advised them not to go out there until the tests, X Rays etc were completed and by that time he was feeling much better, so they don't plan to go now unless he becomes worse.

He is in the Veterans Hospital in Long Beach and will be there two or three weeks if he does good.

Methodist Hold Annual Fourth Quarterly Conference

A covered dish supper in the Earth Methodist Church basement Monday evening at 7:30 p. m. preceded the Annual Fourth Quarterly Conference of the Church.

Dr. Luther Kirk of Plainview, District Superintendent, presided over the conference and spoke to the group on "What It Means To Be A Good Steward."

Nominations of the nominating committee for officers for the next year were read and approved.

Five new Stewards were appointed to the Board. They are Don Atkinson, J. J. Coker, C. P. Parish, Irvin Ott, and Ray Taylor. Retiring Stewards were Elroy Wislan Oliver Tunnell and Melvin Bock. Those remaining on the Board are Ray Axtell, Jim Gregory, B. T. Hamilton, Lynn Grasscock, Ross Brock, R. H. Belew, Robert Duke, W. O. Jones and Jack Angeley.

A number of other officers and committees were named.

Frank Bozeman attended to business in Abilene Tuesday.

Lightning was more frequent than with time held every free-style swim Monday morning for a few days at rain is likely Johnnie Weissmuller at one Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Drake left stay in Fort Worth.

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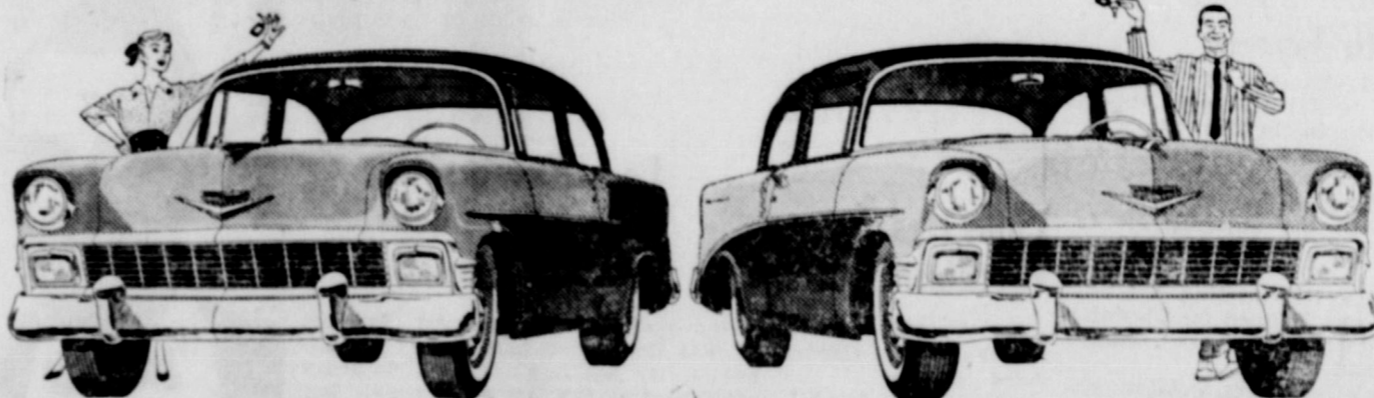


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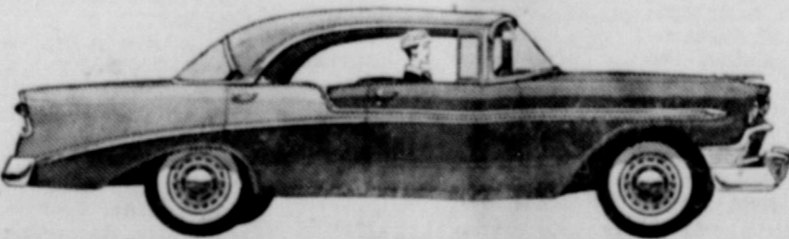
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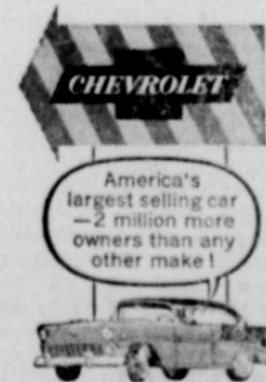
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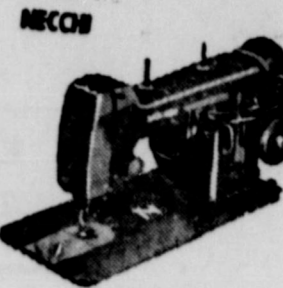


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HOWARD DUFF

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Sunday and Monday

EDMUND GWENN
JOHN FORSYTHE

The Troble
With Harry

Tuesday

AUDIE MURPHY

World In

My Corner

Wednesday

BONUS NITE

SPENCER TRACY
IRENE DUNNE

A Guy Named Joe

EARTH

Friday and Saturday

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He was immediately rushed to West Plains Hospital at Muleshoe for treatment where he was much better at last report.

Mr. and Mrs. John Laing visited in the Vern Steffys' home in Olton Sunday.

Those playing '84' in the R. L. Drake home Friday night, were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hinson and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barton.

Mrs. Charles Packard and three daughters of Hereford visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Welch, last week end.

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Cub Scouts Hold Regular Meetings During Week

Cub Scouts of Earth held their regular meeting this past week in the usual manner with the three Dens becoming rapidly organized.

Den No. 1

Den No. 1 met in the home of the Den mother, Mrs. W. E. Irvine on Friday afternoon.

The ceremony was opened with the pledge to the flag and afterwards, the boys were instructed in how to fold the flag and its care.

The theme for the next month was discussed and several games were played.

Present for the meeting were Jerry Irvine, Donnie Johnson, Tom Bryant, Phil Middleton, Rodney Kellogg and Jerry Anderson.

Den No. 2

The boys of Den No. 2 met at the regular place, the home of Mrs. D. E. Parish, Friday afternoon at 4:30.

Work was done of the boys gifts to their mothers on Mothers Day and a discussion was held on plans for the Ho-Bo month.

Those present were Kenneth Kendrick, Larry Parish, Peddie Kelley, Terry Parish, Randy Kelley, Wayne Chastean, Mike Cannon & Den Mothers, Mrs. Oran Parish and Mrs. Keith Chastean.

Den No. 3

Boys in Den No. 3 met Monday afternoon at 4:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. E. T. Borum.

This will be the regular meeting of the troop each week.

The gifts for Mothers Day were completed after which the boys discussed fire hazards and looked at picture pertaining to fires.

Present were Bobby Borum, Mikey Bartlett, John Patterson, Denny Parish Gary Cowley, Mrs. Borum and Den Mother, Mrs. W. R. Bartlett.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cearley and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cearley visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Roberts in Houston, Texas, last week end and also attended the Old Settlers Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Borum attended a movie Exhibitors meeting in Abernathy last Wednesday.

Mrs. Jerry Kelley and Mrs. A. E. O'Hair visited in Lubbock Monday.

PRICE SUPPORT LEVELS SET FOR 1956 UPLAND AND EXTRA LONG STAPLE

TEEN TALK

by Marilyn McGeath

Jean Jones and Otis King were together Thursday night, Saturday night and Sunday night.

Kay Haberer and Ronald Sander were together Sun. afternoon

Jerry Alexander and Joe Ann Elmore went to Buffalo Lake Sunday afternoon. Did you two have fun?

Rita Crawford and Butch Foreman were together at the show in Earth Sun. and Thur. nights. Rita, who came to see you Mon. night? Could it have been Charles Moore?

Gerald Pelham and Zelma Sloan were together Saturday night. Did you two get stuck. Good luck to a cute couple.

Barbara Lott and A. C. Lewis were together Tuesday night.

Lloyd Champion and Peggy Ussery were together in Littlefield Sat. night.

Jimmy Herring and Elaine Riley were together Tue. and Sun. nights. Is this the only time you were together?

Joe Pierson and Doris Dickson had dinner at Adams' home Saturday evening. Later they were seen together at the show.

Eunice Jenkins and Richard Bills were together at church Wed. night in Dimmitt Sat. night and rode around at Sunny side Sun. afternoon.

Rex Loftis and Carol Hamilton were together Sat. and Sun. nights. Are these the only two nights you two were together?

Donald Sanderson, who were you with Sun. night?

Melvin Lewis and Evelyn Clayton were together Sunday afternoon.

Lois Lewis and Donald Sander were together Sun. night. I'm sure this isn't the only night you two were together.

Shirley Chaney, what happened to the ring and jacket you were wearing last week. Is Doyle still going steady.

Henrian Rudd and Harold Butler were together last Wed. night at the show in Olton. Harold had to leave early Thur. night.

Some of the 8th graders are doing better than some of us here in high school. For example Sharon Lott and Ronnie Haberer Carmelita Webb and Tom Messer are going steady.

Jerry James and Jerry Jaquess, who did you two ride around with Sunday night in Earth.

PRICE SUPPORT LEVELS SET FOR 1956 UPLAND AND EXTRA LONG STAPLE COTTON

The U.S. Department of Agriculture April 17 announced the minimum level of price support for 1956-crop upland and extra-long staple cotton. The minimum level of support for upland cotton, basis Middling 7/8-inch will be 28.85 cents per pound, gross weight at average location. The minimum level of support for 1956-crop extra long staple cotton will average 55.65 cents per pound, net weight.

These levels reflect 82% and 75 per cent, respectively, of the current parity prices of 34.37 and 74.2 cents per pound for upland and extra long staple cotton. In the event that 82% per cent of the parity price for upland cotton or 75 per cent of the parity price for extra long staple cotton on August 1, 1956 (the beginning of the 1956 market year) is higher than the level announced April 17, the level of price support for that kind of cotton will be increased accordingly.

The Department stated that appropriate differentials will be in effect between Middling 7/8-inch and all other qualities of cotton of the 1956 crop, and that these differentials will be announced at the time the Department announces its Schedule of Premiums and Discounts. Rates for American-Egyptian, Sea-land, and Sea Island cotton will be announced at the same time.

1956 WHEAT ACREAGE

REMEMBER!!! May 15, 1956 is the last day to dispose of your excess wheat acreage. If you have wheat planted and do not have an allotment, and you plan to harvest this wheat, please notify your ASC Office as to the amount you have planted. If it is 15.0 acres or less, you are not subject to a penalty. However, if it is over 15.0 acres, there will be a penalty adjustment unless an acreage adjustment is made.

NEW GROWER WHEAT ALLOTMENTS

The final date for filing requests for 1957 New Grower Wheat Allotments is July 15, 1956. Wheat allotments will be established for old wheat farms in the summer of 1956, probably in July.


Any farmer with an old wheat farm allotment who wants an adjustment in the wheat base for his farm should make his request to the county committee in writing.

RELEASE & REAPPORTIONMENT OF 1956 COTTON ACREAGE ALLOTMENTS

Any producer who does not intend to plant a part or all of his cotton allotment may release this acreage not later than May 29, 1956. Any acreage released will be reapportioned to other farms in the county.

EMERGENCY WIND EROSION

Some funds have been received and allocated to farms for wind erosion. This practice is the same as E-3 (b) practice under the regular ACP program which is listing and chiseling. We have a request in for additional funds so if you have some land that is blowing and need to list or chisel to stop the blowing, you may make application at the ASC Office. When the additional allocation is received, you application will be subject for approval. IMPORTANT! If you have already done the work, we cannot offer assistance. Application must be made before the work is begun.



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Earth W.M.U. met at the Baptist Church Tuesday afternoon at 3:15 for the Missionary program with Mrs. R. S. Cole in charge. The program was called "Onward Christian Soldiers." Others taking part on the program were Mrs. Gene Reynolds, Mrs. Travis Scott, and Mrs. Reed Yandel.

Those present were Mesdames Roy Taylor, Cecil Meadows, Carlis Bills, Elton Vaughn, Yandel, Reynolds, Scott, Cole, Eldon Schaefer and T. S. Alair.

One person out of every 12 is left-handed.

Approximately 300 Attend Old - Time Singing Sunday

Earth Assembly of God Church was host to an old-time singing Sunday afternoon beginning at 2 o'clock where approximately three hundred persons were present.

Churches from Plainview, Sudan, Dimmitt, Muleshoe, Hart and Littlefield were represented. Also present to provide music included a quartet from Dimmitt High School, a Colored quartet from Clovis, N. M., and a Spanish trio from Springlake.

Young children and older people seldom become seasick.

Shower Honors Mrs. Ernest Stephens Saturday

Mrs. Ernest Stephens was honored with a pink and blue shower Saturday afternoon at 2 p. m. in the home of Mrs. J. H. Carley.

About fifteen guests were registered. Refreshments of angel food cake and punch were served. Table decorations were pots of ivy and geraniums. Co-hostesses included Mrs. C. L. Diamond and Mrs. Houston Stephens.

Joan of Arc was convicted for heresy.

Methodist Men Officers To Be Installed Tuesday

An installation of officers banquet for the Methodist Mens organization has been scheduled for Tuesday evening, May 15, at 8:00 p.m.

The banquet will be held in the church basement and a guest speaker will be present. All Methodist men and their wives are invited to attend. The new president of the organization is Ross Brock.

A casus belli is a cause justifying war.

Guild Completes Lesson Studies

The Wesleyan Service Guild met at the home of Mrs. Earl Moore Tuesday night.

Mrs. B. T. Hamilton gave the last lesson of the study on "Indian-American." Refreshments of Flower Garden Cake and coffee were served to Mesdames Jack Angeley, Jim Gregory, Hamilton, J. A. Littleton, Jr., Eugene Matthews, Oliver Tunnell and the hostess.

There are more suicides on Wednesday than on any other day.

Five thousand different words are used in the Bible.

Sunday guests in the Rev. Eugene Matthews home were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Criswell and Donna and Mrs. Lee Schoolcraft and Gertrude, all of Lubbock.

Visitors in the O. I. Anderson home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brooks and Mrs. H. B. Gilmore all of Plainview.

Mrs. Bill Morgan and children of Garland, Texas, are spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Wendborn.

Truman Stine accompanied his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stine of Amherst to Ft. Worth last week to be with a relative who is seriously ill.

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NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE

By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of Bailey County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 6th day of January, 1956, in favor of Charles L. Lenau, Dba Charles L. Lenau Lumber Company and against the said Denton Talbert, in the case of Charles L. Lenau, Dba Charles L. Lenau Lumber Company against Denton Talbert, No. 1965, in such court, I did on the 2nd day of May, 1956, at 11:45 o'clock A. M., levy upon the following described lot, tract or parcel of land situate in the county of Lamb, State of Texas, as the property of Denton Talbert, to wit: Being a tract of land 115 feet by 190 feet out of the NE/4 of Section No. 67, in Block No. 2 W. E. Halsell Subdivision in Lamb County, Texas, according to the map or plat of said subdivision recorded in Volume 3, page 554, Lamb County Deed Records, and known as the Denton Talbert building in Earth, Texas,

and on the 5th day of June, 1956 being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Denton Talbert in and to said property. Dated at Littlefield, Texas this 2nd day of May, 1956.
Dick Dyer
Sheriff of Lamb County, Texas

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NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP DISSOLUTION
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership between WAYNE BROWND, HARMON WHITE and EUGENE BROWND, under the firm name of "BROWND-WHITE EQUIPMENT COMPANY" at Earth, Texas, was dissolved on the 1st day of May, 1956. All debts due to said partnership are to be paid and those due from the same discharged at Earth, Texas, where the business will be continued by the said Harmon White and Eugene Brownd under the firm name of "BROWND - WHITE EQUIPMENT COMPANY" in Earth, Texas.

WITNESS OUR HANDS this 1st day of May, 1956.
Wayne Brownd
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Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Littleten and grandson, Jimmy, spent Sunday visiting in Portales, N. M.

Americans send some 680,000 telegrams every day.

Garden Club Ladies Tour Lubbock Homes

Eight persons representing the Good Earth Garden Club made a garden tour at four homes in Lubbock Sunday.

Making the trip were Mrs. Melton Welch, Mrs. Bill Stockard, Mrs. W. R. Stockard, Mrs. C. O. Taylor, Mrs. Arnold Shelby, Mrs. B. Campbell, and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Simmons.

Yards visited were at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Arrington for design; Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Maxey, center of interest swimming pool; Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Wasser, new yard just being landscaped; and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Williams, horticulture viewing.

The Club is required to make one Pilgrimage each year.

Cotton Congress In Lubbock Set For Near Future

Area cotton producers will hear leaders in virtually every phase of the cotton industry, from planting through marketing, when they attend the 17th Annual American Cotton Congress to be held in Lubbock May 31, June 1-2.

Committees in the Lubbock area will provide a western-style barbecue on Thursday, May 31, and a luncheon and a dinner during the Congress. A tour of Texas Tech and bus tours will be provided.

Main headquarters will be the Caprock and Lubbock Hotels, and rooms may be reserved also at other hotels and motels. Reservations may be made by writing direct to W. J. Reidy, Caprock Hotel, Lubbock. All rooms are air-conditioned.

Several Visit In Jaquess Home

Guests in the Curtis Jaquess home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall and family, Mrs. Davle Colman and sons, all of Cotton Center, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hall and sons of Olton; Mrs. Lester McDermitt and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Nub Calhoun and children all of Dimmitt.

Also present was Pfc Jimmy Colman who has just recently returned home from being stationed in Germany. He is Mrs. Jaquess nephew.

S. Sgt. and Mrs. Margaret Hurst of San Marcos, Texas, spent last Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Lena Hurst and Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Anderson.

Sunday dinner guests in the Edward Jones home were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Beasley and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stansel and Mrs. Truman Stine.



Mr. and Mrs. Alton Louder of Sunnyside are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Genevieve, to Lowell Westmoreland, son of Mrs. Bertha Westmoreland of Whittarrel. Nuptials are planned for May 26 in Clovis, N. M.

Cheerleaders Named By Pep - Squad

Cheerleaders and officers in the Pep Squad were elected Thursday at a meeting for the school year of 1956-57.

Viola Hall will preside as president of the organization. Other officers named were Sue Curtissinger, vice-president; Wayne Rutherford, secretary and Sharon Hay, treasurer.

Sherry Stine was selected as head cheerleader for the group. Girls named for each class were Mary Pichardo, senior; Pat Armstrong, junior; Janis Prather, sophomore; and Billy Jean Watson, freshman.

The cheerleaders will attend a Cheer Leaders school in Wichita Falls from July 1 to July 6.

First Graders Enjoy Train Ride, Picnic

The first grade class, taught by Mrs. Iris Montgomery, was feted with a picnic and train ride Tuesday.

The group rode the train from Muleshoe to Clovis then boarded a diesel engine where they were shown around the Santa Fe Round House and the power room. Following this, the group journeyed to the City park for a picnic.

Approximately forty-five made the trip including the following mothers, Mesdames Weldon Barton, Jerry Kelley, Phillip Haberer, E. R. McAlpine, Gene Brownd, Leon H. Dent, Ray Kelley, O. B. Whitford, A. W. Gover, Aguirra, and R. G. Wilson.

While on the picnic, Lonnie Whitford was accidentally struck in the mouth with a baseball bat and was rushed to the hospital for treatment where stitches were taken.

MAHON AUTHORS \$33 MILLION BILL FOR UNITED STATES DEFENSE IN 1956

Washington, May 10—Congress passed on Thursday of this week the \$33 billion military appropriation bill, the largest money bill in many ways the most important piece of legislation of the entire year.

The bill, authored by Rep. George Mahon of the 19th District of Texas, who is Chairman of the House of Subcommittee on Military Appropriations, provides the funds for defense of the United States in the fiscal year which begins July 1. Mahon has presided over continuous hearings on the defense budget since January 23. The testimony gathered from top Defense Department officials and others runs over 6,500 pages.

In the debate on the bill on the Floor of the House of Representatives Wednesday, Mahon said, "By reason of the fast-growing, long range Russian heavy jet bomber fleet and other factors, this country is subject to the greatest peril that it has ever been subjected to in its history."

He told the Congress the United States is standing on the threshold of a desperately important decision. "What we must decide in the next few months is whether we are to engage in a greatly expanded all-out arms race with Russia or are we to permit the Soviets to overhaul and surpass us in military might. If we do not step up our present program, Soviet Russia will overtake and pass us in the next two or three years."

The storm surrounding the Defense appropriations bill this

year centers on the giant B-52 jet bomber program and the development of the deadly intercontinental Ballistic Missile. The ICBM, as the missile is known, when perfected, would be capable of delivering an atomic war head within a 5,000 mile range in a matter of minutes. Defense against it is questionable.

Mahon told the Congress there is at least a 50-50 chance the Russians will beat us to the draw in producing the first ICBM; however, the military bill provides all the money the Defense Department can properly spend on the missile program in the forthcoming year.

"While Russia may produce the first such missile, neither country will probably be able to perfect, develop and produce the ICBM in quantity within five years," Mahon said.

Air Force Secretary Donald Quarles told the Subcommittee during the course of the hearings that the U. S. has the know-how and the skill to produce the ICBM and that success is largely a matter of time.

A total of \$5 billion, which includes funds previously appropriated has been provided for the B-52 program which has been the subject of a great deal of recent controversy. Mahon pointed out the Boeing Aircraft Co., which makes the planes, now has some \$2 billion in backlog orders, and he did not favor funds in addition to those carried in the bill at this time.

Concerning the bill, Mahon said, "It is vital that we must

Girls Troop 23 Holds Meeting

Earth Girl Scout Troop No. 23 met at the Springlake Elementary school Wednesday afternoon, May 2, for the regular Troop meeting.

The girls hiked part of the way to the Springlake park where refreshments of cold drinks and cookies were served. Those present were Lana Gay Axtell, Jennifer Miller, Wanda Jenkins, Judy Jones, Dixie Parish, La Don Messer, Jane McCord, Janis Cowley and leaders, Mrs. Kenneth Cowley, Mrs. Pat McCord and Mrs. C. P. Parish.

Guests included Denny Parish, Gary Cowley, Jill McCord, and Mrs. W. D. Jones and Joyce.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Jaquess made a business trip to Hobbs, N. M., Saturday.

stay ahead of any potential enemy in quality." He indicated it was his feeling that the U. S. is slightly ahead, but he agreed the Soviets are ahead of America in ground forces and are in the process of surpassing us in the number of planes on hand. The 400 Russian submarines pose no small threat to the U. S., he added.

"We are moving toward a greater reliance on the quality of our weapons rather than on the matter of matching the Soviets in the matter of number," Mahon said.

The Congressman, who has a major role in controlling the purse strings of our armed forces, pointed out in the House debate that funds in the bill were not adequate to guarantee that the Soviets would not sur-

Beverly Per is Honored Birthday

Beverly Per is the honoree at a party at home last Wednesday, May 2, in celebration of her sixth birthday.

Favors of dolls, doll books, bubble gum and candy were given to the little girl. A blue and white birthday cake was served with fruit punch and ice cream.

Those present were Debra Parish, Pam and Kisinger, Norman and Kirk Kelley, Beverly and Suzie Per, Janis Chastee, Nancy Beth Jones, Linda Starkey, Elizabeth Price, Janis Miller and Beverly.

J. B. Inglis and Buford Price are fishing at Summit Kingdom this week.

pass us in arms race. He said Defense officials insist that unless even larger sums are appropriated next year for the Defense Department, we will lag behind the Russians.

"We have to make up our minds in the next months whether we want to concentrate on a smaller and better force and permit the Russians to surpass us in numbers of planes," he said.

"The appropriation bill is on the list of legislation which Congress passes each year. In other words, it is 'fast' legislation. Its next step will be to the Senate where modifications and amendments will be made and then it will be taken up by a joint House and Senate Committee before it goes to the White House.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Bob O'Hair Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ed O'Hair, Mr. and Mrs. Robert O'Hair and family, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Woodson of Farwell, Mrs. Leonard Parks and Mrs. Lois Tomlin, both of Houston, and Mrs. Roy O'Hair and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Campbell, all of Lubbock.

Mrs. Gerald Inglis spent last week end with her parents in Paducah.

Mrs. Bob O'Hair received a message Sunday night that her niece, Vera Stone of Stephenville, had passed away.

Attending the funeral services Wednesday were Mrs. O'Hair, Mr. and Mrs. Ed O'Hair and Mr. and Mrs. Robert O'Hair.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bozeman of Amherst were Sunday dinner guests in the F. F. Bozeman home in Springlake.

Tim has a boiling point of 2,270 degrees.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. McAlpine and children and Mrs. C. O. McAlpine of Westville, Okla., attended the funeral services of Mrs. John McAlpine Sunday in Altus, Okla.

Mrs. McAlpine, the aunt of E. R., died last Thursday.

The group journeyed to Hollis, Okla., and Dumas also and visited relatives. Okla., and Dumas also and visiting here in the home of her son.

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- Baptist Brotherhood every Monday Night at 7:30 p. m.
- W. S. C. S. Each Monday at 2:30 p. m.
- Farmers Union - Second Tuesday nights.
- Town and Country Study Club - Second and fourth Thursday nights
- Rainbow for Girls - First and Third Monday nights.
- I.O.O.F. Lodge - Each Monday.
- Rebekah Lodge - Each Thursday.
- Junior Chamber of Commerce - Monday noon
- Lions Club - Tuesday noon
- Farm Bureau - Second Tuesday nights
- Methodist Men's Organization - First and third Tuesday nights in 3rd Thursday.
- Eastern Star - Second and fourth Monday nights
- Earth Woodman Circle Group 2275 - Each third Tuesday at 4 p. m.
- Girl Scouts to meet on Friday at 4:30 p. m.
- P.T.A. - Each third Thursday
- Wesleyan Service Guild Second and fourth Tuesday nights
- Masonic Lodge - Second Thursday nights

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Mr. R. A. GREEN

COUNTY ATTORNEY
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Returning last Thursday from a brief stay in Wilcox, Arizona, were Carlis Bill, Fred Helf and Edward Jones.

The insanity ratio among Americans is 20 times better than in the U. S.

In their home Friday night, May 6, Mr. and Mrs. Denton Talbert entertained with a surprise party in honor of the "Ivory" anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Parish.

Mrs. C. P. Parish and Mrs. W. D. Bulls were called to Calif. this week due to the illness of Mrs. Bull's son in law, Dixie and Denny accompanied them by train.

Piano students of Mrs. C. P. Parish will be presented in a recital at the First Methodist Church Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. R. C. Hooten, who recently moved here from Monte Vista, Colo., was honored on Mothers' Day when her children gathered in the Lawrence Sloan home Sunday.

Joe Simpson has completed a new strip of sidewalk in front of Lucille's Beauty Shop. It will be greatly appreciated by local puddle hoppers.

Melvin Parish placed seventh in the 880 yard dash at the State meet in Austin last week end.

Springlake Grammar School honor students have been chosen. They are: Valedictorian, Ray Joe Riley and Salutatorian, Dolan Fennel.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hawkins spent the past week end in Amarillo in the W. S. Thompson home.

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Leonard Sachs in Title Role of film "JOHN WESLEY"

"John Wesley" To Be Shown By Methodists

The motion picture "JOHN WESLEY" is coming to Earth, and will be shown at the First Methodist Church on Saturday, May 19 at 8 p.m., according to the pastor, Rev. Eugene Matthews.

The feature-length film is in Eastman color and was produced by the Radio and Film Commission of The Methodist Church in cooperation with J. Arthur Rank.

It brings to the screen for the first time the dynamic and colorful 18th century evangelist and educator.

John Wesley's miraculous rescue from a burning house at the age of five, at the beginning of the film, forecasts the dramatic and eventful life which unfolds in this story of a man of slight stature but of impelling influence upon his contemporaries and upon history.

The English clergyman thought his venture in America as a missionary to the Indians in the Georgia colony was a failure, but it was the kind of failure which opened the door to the discovery of a religious certainty he had been seeking.

Furthermore, this discovery, in which John Wesley felt his "heart strangely warmed", led him to face mobs unafraid, and to ride 250,000 miles on horseback, changing the masses of English people from a low state of moral degradation to sturdy and happy uprightness.

His "enthusiasm" was frowned upon by the lethargic leaders of the Church of England of that day, but it was this new-found enthusiasm which enabled him to influence so many phases of the life of English-speaking peoples.

His appeal to the common man, his establishment of schools, clinics, lay preaching and societies—finally his sending of supervisors for the movement in the new world after the American Revolution—all these make the film one which will be long remembered.

Rev. Matthews explained that while the film is being released only to Methodist churches during the initial period, the public is invited to see the picture.

Mrs. Lena Hite Returns From Mission Work

Mrs. Lena Hite arrived here at her home Tuesday night after several months of mission work with the people in the swamps of Louisiana. Most of her work centered around Glenmora and Calcasieu, La.

This makes the second winter for Mrs. Hite to spend her time at such work.

It's A Grandson For Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Blackwell

Mr. and Mrs. Rafe Rogers of Whitharrel are the parents of a baby boy, born Sunday, May 6 at 12:30 p.m. in the Littlefield Hospital and Clinic.

He was named Brody Cameron and weighed 8 lbs.

The Rogers' have two other sons, Terry and Monty.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Blackwell of Earth.

FHA Girls Have Slumber Party

Forty-seven girls were present for the F.H.A. Slumber party Friday night at the American Legion Hall.

During the evening refreshments were served and a talent show entertained the group.

Sponsors present were Mrs. La Verne Sarradet, Mrs. Ray Glasscock, Mrs. Barney Glasscock, Mrs. Art McFatter and Mrs. Lynn Glasscock.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kisinger and Paul of Farris, Okla., spent last week in the Bill Kisinger and A. E. Patterson homes.

Mrs. Jerrel Haberer Is Party Honoree

Mrs. Jerrel Haberer was complemented with a housewarming party Tuesday evening when ladies of the Bykota, Ruth and Lydia Sunday School classes of the First Baptist Church came to her home bringing many useful and beautiful gifts. The date was the regular monthly business and social meeting for this group.

Mrs. Matt Patterson presented a devotional based on a reading from Psalm 27, followed by a prayer by Mrs. Opal Lowe. Mrs. Oletta Sanders directed games during the social hour.

Centering the lace covered serving table was an elaborate fan shaped arrangement of lavender, gold, and pink iris. Mrs. Opal Lowe poured pink fruit punch from a crystal service Mrs. Vernie Rose served white cake baked in the shape of an open Bible centered with lettering of a scripture from Ephesians reading "The House of the righteous shall stand", and decorated with pink rose buds. Complementing the cake was a gathered arrangement of pink cutwork paper lace. Other table appointments were of crystal.

Assisting with hospitalities were the co-hostesses Mrs. Opal Lowe, Opal McCarty, Vernie Rose and Matt Patterson. Guests present were Jonell Layman, Wilma Watking, Jean Haberer, Geraldine Yandell, Jenny Kealey, Vena Taylor, Joy Haberer, LuJuana O'Hair, Dorothy Wood, Kathleen Cole, Oletta Sanders, Willie Huff Frank Eagle Pruda Sanders Dale Scott Wiola Hadaway Dera Belle Angeley, Lillian Hamilton, Bonnie Green, Lucite Watson, Arlene Welch Elaine Davis, Cloia Belle Kelley, Ida Mae Haberer, Loretta Bliss, Millicent Meadows, Beth Kelley and Cleary Layman. Those not attending but sending gifts were: Mrs. Wynooah Angeley Fay Waide, Mary Jones Opal Cannon, Irene Haberer, Jane Kelley, Ann Kelley, Eddy Sanders, Imogene Kisinger, Helen Kelley, Mary Foster, Connie Sanderson, Lula Kelley and L. V. Ethridge.

Twenty-Four Enjoy Bridge Friday Night

Bridge tables for twenty-four were set in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Atkinson last Friday evening when the two Earth Bridge Clubs met for a supper and a joint bridge session.

Hosts and hostesses for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Haberer, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stockard.

Guests included, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cleavinger, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parish, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Precure of Muleshoe.

A delicious meal of baked ham, candied yams, corn, tossed salad, jello salad, potato salad, deviled eggs, english peas, hot rolls, ice tea, coffee and Cokes was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Rogers of Chester, California, announce the birth of a daughter, La Donna Sue, April 29 at 12:32 a.m. She weighed 7 lbs. and 4 ozs.

This is the couple's first child. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rogers of Keene, Texas, and Mrs. R. C. Davis of Ocala, Florida.

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Mrs. Clyde Knight is taking a week's vacation from her work at Southwestern Public Service this week.

Chichen Itza is the name of an ancient Mayan city in Yucatan

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Brockette spent today in the Elvis West-end home in Portales, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cowley visited with relatives in Mangum, Okla., last week end.

Mrs. Guy Kelley underwent major surgery at Scott-White Clinic at Temple last Wednesday.

At press time, her condition was reported to be much improved.

Attending a Shriners Convention in Amarillo last week end were Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hodge and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse O. Good.

Robert Owen organized the 1st model factory system.

Mr. and Mrs. George Heard of Dimmitt were Sunday visitors in the J. C. Blackwell home.

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- Gladiola Flour 10 lb. bag 95c
- Libby Halves Bartlett Pears no. 303 27c
- Shurfine 4 sv. Cut Blue Lake Green Beans no. 303 19c
- Niblets Whole Kernal Corn 12 oz. 17c
- Morton House Brown Gravy & Beef 10 1/2 oz. ... 25c
- Kool-Aid pkgs 6 for 25c

Shurfine Coffee lb. 79c

- Kellogg Variety 12's 33c
- Betty Crocker Date Bar Mix 14 oz. 37c
- Cane Sugar 5 lb. bag 49c
- Spry 3 lb. can 89c
- Skinner's Macaroni 14 oz 25c
- Hi-C Orange Drink 46 oz. 25c
- Bruce's Cleaning Wax quart 99c
- Maryland Club Coffee pound 99c

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- Pablum Cereal 8 oz box 21c
- Clorox quart 15c
- Breeze giant 75c
- Lifebuoy Soap regular 3 for 25c
- Lifebuoy Soap bath 2 for 25c
- Lux Toilet Soap regt 3 for 25c
- Lux Toilet Soap bath 2 for 25
- Lux Liquid Detergent giant 65c
- Blue Rinso Detergent giant 71c
- Surf large 31c
- Babo regular 11c
- Babo giant 17c
- Ritz Crackers pound box 33c
- Krispy Crackers pound box 25c
- Hydrox Cookies pound 33c
- Wesson Oil quart 59c
- Heinz White Distilled Vinegar quart 29c
- Dude Ranch Strawberry Preserves 20 oz. 39c
- Brach's Assorted Toffee 8 3-4 oz. 39c
- Dyanshine Shoe Paste can 15c
- Jet Oil Shoe Polish 15c
- Eversharp Hydro-Magic Blades 24's 79c
- B C Headache Tablets 25c
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