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ALAYNE SLOVER

District Thru A All District Team

Coaches from District 3-A met to choose girls to be on the All-District team for 1978. Those chosen from Earth were as follows:
Most Valuable Guard-Alayne Slover
All District Forward-Christie Pittman
All District Guard-Kim Denham
Honorable Mention Forwards
Susan Clayton
Rosa Rivas
Honorable Mention Guard
Ranae Winder
Alayne Slover, Susan Clayton, Rosa Rivas and Ranae Winder are Seniors. Christie Pittman is a Junior and Kim Denham is a Sophomore.

Most Valuable Guard

Alayne Slover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Slover, was chosen most valuable guard for District 3-A by the coaches from this district. She has earned in basketball this year All-tournament in the Anton tournament, S-E tournament and the Muleshoe tournament. She averaged about five rebounds and four steals per game.

Notice

People interested in writing cards or signing a petition to "save our canal", are asked to drop by the Citizens State Bank Community Room, Thursday, March 30 between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.

NOTICE

Thursday, April 30 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Francis Watson will be at the Citizens State Bank with registration forms for the Association of W's and also to sign persons up for the local chapter.



MONARAE CUMMINGS



LINDA HILL



KENNETH HILL



MAISIE McDONALD

Teachers Attend State Meetings

Four teachers from Springlake-Earth attended State Conventions in Dallas, March 16-18. Kenneth Hill and Maisie McDonald were voting delegates from Lamb County to the State Convention of the Texas State Teachers Association. Linda Hill attended the TSTA Convention. She is the Instructional Services Committee Chairperson from our district this year and Human Relations next year. Monarae Cummings and Linda Hill attended the Texas Business Education Association Convention in Dallas. Monarae Cummings is presently on the State Legislative Committee of TBEA. Much work and business were accomplished during these meetings.

Citizens Of The Week

Jenniter Kellar is the 14 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kellar. She is 5 feet 2 inches tall and weighs 105 lbs. Her eyes are brown and her hair is brownish-blond.

Her favorite food is pizza. Her favorite TV show is "Love Boat." Her favorite song is "The Way I Feel Tonight" and the Bay City Rollers are her favorite rock group. Her favorite subject is sports, and her favorite teacher is Mrs. Crawford.

In the future she wishes to be a secretary. Jeff Hamilton is the 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Hamilton. He is 5 feet 1 inch tall and weighs 110 1/4 lbs.

His favorite food is Mexican food. His favorite sport is basketball and his favorite TV show is "Chips". Red is his favorite color and Andy Gibbs is his favorite singer. His favorite song is "Stayin Alive." His future is undecided.



BILL CLAYTON

Clayton Announces For Re-election

State Rep. Bill Clayton is again seeking election as the District 74 representative to the Texas House of Representatives. In announcing for re-election, Clayton said:

"I wish to take this opportunity to thank the citizens of the 74th District for the privilege of serving as their State Representative.

"Without the full support of the District's voters throughout the years, I would never have been able to assume the responsibility of Speaker of the House and a leadership role in the State.

"Having had two terms in this leadership position and in the process of running for a third Speakership term, I believe I have been better able to serve the District.

"In the largest sense, what is good for Texas is good for our counties. I will continue to hold that notion, but since my first day in office I have attempted to be responsive to the folks who sent me to Austin in the first place.

"I have under taken the broader duties of Speaker, but I will never forget my allegiance to this District.

"In the 1979 session of the Legislature, we will again be faced with many challenges both at the district level and those problems that cut across all lines and affect all Texans.

"I want to assure you that whether the issue is school finance, tax reform, energy, crime, our farm situation or how to budget the state's money, I will be working diligently to represent the majority feelings in

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Vandalism And Burglary

Friday night, thief or thieves were at the C.C. Goodwin farm, 1 mile west and 3/4 miles north of Earth, where a battery was stolen and ignition wires torn off of an irrigation motor. Damage was estimated at \$60. A clue and footprints were left behind and is now under investigation.

Ground Breaking Ceremony

The St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church of Earth will hold ground breaking ceremonies, Sunday April 2 at 3 p.m. with Father Timothy Schwertner officiating. The church is building a hall which will include 5 new classrooms. Everyone is invited to attend.

Wolverines Relays Open Friday

The annual Wolverine relays begin at 11:00 Friday, March 31 with the finals to be held at 11:00 Saturday, April 1.

This year's relays will feature some outstanding performers such as hometown Ronnie James in the 100 yard dash, 220 yard dash and long jump. Ricky Smith will also be featured in the 100 and long jump.

Gaylon Conners and Jim Gonzales will be favorites in the 440 yard dash as will Hoby Matlock and Johnny Samiego in the 880.

Jaime Soto, Pepper Smith and Melvin James will be strong in the hurdles.

Lupe Avila, Lupe Duran and Billy Pyle make up a strong set of milers. Pole vaulters Ray Van Banks and James Herriage will be favored.

The weight men such as Tim May, Keith Clayton, Byron Vaughn, Loren Taylor, Lexie Fennell and Pat Fulfer will participate. Also the spring relay will be expected to be outstanding.

According to Coach Crawford there will be 12 boys teams from Kress, LCHS, River Road, Morton, Sudan, Amherst, Farwell, Dimmitt, Littlefield, Hale Center and Hartley.

There will also be 10 girls teams entered. The following is a schedule of the two day track extravaganza.

RUNNING EVENTS		Friday March (Prelims)	Saturday April 1 (Finals)
1:00	440 yard relay (boys)		1:00
1:30	440 yard relay (girls)		1:15
No Prelims	880 yard dash (boys)		1:30
No Prelims	880 yard dash (girls)		1:45
2:00	120 yard high hurdles (boys)		2:00
2:30	440 yard dash (girls)		2:15
3:00	100 yard dash (boys)		2:30
3:30	220 yard dash (girls)		2:45
4:00	440 yard dash (boys)		3:00
4:30	80 yard hurdles (girls)		3:15
5:00	330 yard intermediate hurdles (boys)		3:30
5:30	880 yard relay (girls)		3:45
6:00	220 yard dash (boys)		4:00
6:30	100 yard dash (girls)		4:15
No Prelims	1 mile run (boys)		4:30
No Prelims	1 mile run (girls)		4:45
7:00	1 mile relay (boys)		5:00
7:30	1 mile relay (girls)		5:15

FIELD EVENTS
Friday at 11:00: Boys shot, girls long jump, girls discus, boys high jump, boys pole vault
Saturday at 11:00: Boys long jump, boys discus, girls shot, girls triple jump

Texas Girls Basketball Association

An organizational meeting of the Girls State Dribblers was held Monday, March 27 at Springlake Earth Band Hall.

The group voted to change the name to Texas Girls Basketball Association.

An election of officers was held. Elected were President, Melvin Kinnison; Vice President, Bill Garner; Secretary-Treasurer, Carolyn Curtis; Board of Directors, Doug Parish, Calvin Wood, Kenny Hamilton and Jerry Bean.

Deadline for application is Friday, March 31. Fee is \$7.50. Age limit is Minor league, 9-10 years old, Major league, 11-12 years old.

The group also discussed chairman and workers for the concession stand.

Enrollment fee goes for shirts, traveling money and insurance.

Next meeting concerning coaches and parents, will be Monday April 3 at the Springlake-Earth cafeteria.

Local W's Meet

The Local Chapter of the W's met in the school cafeteria Monday night, March 27.

Becky Nickel presided and played a tape by Dorothy Edmonson giving a report on the E.R.A. Movement.

Local dues were discussed and set at \$5.00 for one person to \$7.00 a couple. These are necessary as well as money making projects to pay for literature and the expenses of outside speakers.

These are not the same as the dues paid into the National Chapter of the W's.

The third Monday of each month has been set as the regular meeting date. The next meeting will be on April 17, at 8:00 p.m.

In closing Mrs. Nickel read a scripture passage and led in prayer.

Francis Watson was in charge of refreshments.



PICTURED ABOVE is Michael Earl Smith perfecting his high jump form at off season track practice. Photo by Steve Shepard

Don't Forget To Vote Saturday Polls Open 7 AM To 7 PM

Letter To The Editor

To the Editor:

Contrary to the belief or information received by some citizens of Earth, the policy of the City Council has been to review and consider all recommendations and complaints of the citizens of Earth regarding the operations of the City. Necessary and proper action was taken after considering the interest and safety of the majority of the citizens of Earth and the continuing operation of the city in a manner that would maintain a sound financial condition in order to furnish necessary services to all citizens.

W.B. McMillan

Dear Mr. Editor:

You asked me to write a letter if I had anything to say. I love our town and all our people, and I have some questions.

The candidate said he had two or three things started he would like to get finished but he did not say what it was. Would it be another surprise? Do all our candidates own property in our town? Would they protect the ones on fixed incomes? Did they help build our churches and schools? Yes, I really know about the sweat and blood and so did my mother and dad and two brothers and their wives.

I have also seen it in bad and good times. Our town can still be the best town to raise our children, love our people and live like God in Heaven wants us to live.

Let's all get together and pull together, not to make gain for our own person, but just to keep our town together again.

I remain,
Mrs. Beulah Danforth

Texas Industrial Week

Greetings:

By resolution of the Texas Legislature in 1951, the week of April 1-7 is observed each year as Texas Industrial Week.

It is especially fitting at this time to honor Texas business and industry because of their contributions to both the state and local economies have made Texas' business climate number one in the Nation.

Over the past 10 years, the number of corporations headquartered in Texas has increased 79 percent. While the number of corporate headquarters increased less than 15 percent nationwide, the number of corporations was up 118 percent in Houston, 78 percent in Fort Worth, 67 percent in Dallas and 59 percent in San Antonio.

In 1977, plans were made for more than 177 new and 196 expanding manufacturing firms in Texas.

The result of these new and expanding firms is the creation of thousands of additional jobs, a higher standard of living and a greater appreciation of the free enterprise system for all Texans.

Because of the amount of time and capital invested in our present and future industrial expansion, it is essential that every Texan continue to work for a favorable atmosphere in which new and established business and industry may invest in the economic well-being of our industrious citizens.

Sponsored by the Texas Association of Business, Texas Industrial Week gives each of us the opportunity to show appreciation to Texas business and industry through the promotion, display and purchase of products manufactured in this State.

THEREFORE, I, as Governor of Texas, do hereby designate the period of April 1-7, 1978 as TEXAS INDUSTRIAL WEEK in this state, and urge all citizens to give due recognition to business and industry in Texas and to demonstrate our support for the free enterprise system.

In official recognition whereof, I hereby affix my signature this 17th day of January 1978

Dolph Briscoe
Governor of Texas

Track Notes

Track in Springlake-Earth for the next two weekends will begin with our High School Invitational this Friday and Saturday. The meet will feature area 2AA & B teams. Our own Slew girls and boys will compete.

The mothers of our athletes will be running our concession stand and we urge everyone to come and enjoy track.

We will start each day at 11:00 with field events and 1:00 each day with running events.

There will be a 50 cents adults and 25 cents children charge at the gate.

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Bill Clayton (cont. from page 1)

this District, to do what I hold to be right for our people, and to see that Texas and all Texans are provided the opportunities to which all are entitled.

"To assist you with any problem please contact either my Austin office number 512/475-3311 or my district number in Hereford 806/364-7041. Thanks again for your support."

Pd. Pol. Adv.

SPAG Semi Annual Meeting

The SPAG's semi-annual meeting, will be held Tuesday, April 11, 1978 at 12 noon at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center.

Luncheon guests for the Semi-Annual Meeting will be all the candidates for the State Senate and House of Representatives from the SPAG region. Those seeking contested positions will be allowed five minutes each to address key issues of concern to our region.

Registration fee is \$4.00 per person.

Lone Star Chapter Cystic Fibrosis

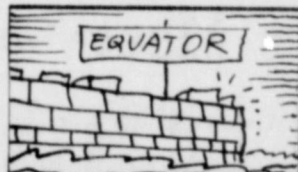
Mrs. Harlon Watson has accepted the chairmanship of the Annual Spring Event on behalf of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. She will be recruiting volunteers within the Community to plan a Bike-A-Thon to take place this Spring. The purpose of this Special Event will be to provide the Community with information about Cystic Fibrosis and to raise funds to support research, education and care programs for children affected by cystic fibrosis, and other lung-damaging diseases like severe asthma, chronic bronchitis, and bronchiectasis.

Cystic Fibrosis is the number one genetic killer of children. Approximately one in every twenty Americans is a symptomless carrier of the recessive CF gene. Cystic Fibrosis is inherited when both parents carry the recessive gene. At the present time, no cure for Cystic Fibrosis is known.

Physical Fitness Workshop

A.A. "Sonny" Rooker, of the Governor's Committee on Physical Fitness will conduct a workshop to train people who can create a physical fitness program for older persons in their community. The workshop will be on April 13, in the C.L. Kay Christian Development Center on the Lubbock Christian College Campus. Parking space is available south of the building. Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. with a charge of \$2.50 to cover cost of materials. Pre-registration will insure materials being available. The training session will conclude 4:30 p.m.

The workshop is open to all interested persons. For further information contact the Office on Aging, South Plains Association of Governments, 762-8721.



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Five Star General Honored

Department of Texas AMVETS Commander, Daryl I. Hazel, traveled to Fort Bliss, Texas recently to present General of the Army Omar N. Bradley, with a plaque honoring the only living five-star general "as a distinguished resident of the State of Texas".

The veterans service organization cited the general for his life long devotion to America and her defense. "No one deserves this award better than the General," said Department Commander Hazel after making the presentation.

Accompanying Commander Hazel on the trip was Department of Texas Pro/Editor, Don E. Peavy, who presented the General with an autographed copy of his recently published book, "Brotherhood of the Battlefield".



Brazos River Authority

The Brazos River Authority has recently prepared and distributed Interim Report I, Alternate Water Quality Management Plans as part of the 208 Water Quality Management plan now being developed for the Brazos Basin and adjacent coastal areas. This report contains technical and management subplans being developed to improve or create needed sewerage systems for eighty-two (82) incorporated or non-incorporated urbanized areas within the Brazos Basin.

Copies of the report are available for public reading at the Texas Department of Water Resources, Austin, Texas, the Brazos River Authority, Waco, Texas, the Brazos Valley Development Council, Bryan, Texas, the Capital

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Area Planning Council, Austin, Texas, the Central Texas Council of Governments, Belton, Texas, the Heart of Texas Council of Governments, Waco, Texas, the Houston-Galveston Area Council of Governments, Houston, Texas, the Nortex Regional Planning Commission,

Wichita Falls, Texas, the North Central Texas Council of Governments, Arlington, Texas, the South Plains Association of Governments, Abilene, Texas.

Public meetings to discuss this report will be held at 1:30 p.m., April 5, 1978 at the Waco Convention Center, Waco, Texas, April 7, at Freeport Convention Center, Freeport, Texas, April 12, at Abilene Civic Center, Abilene, Texas.

All interested persons are cordially invited to attend any or all of the meetings.

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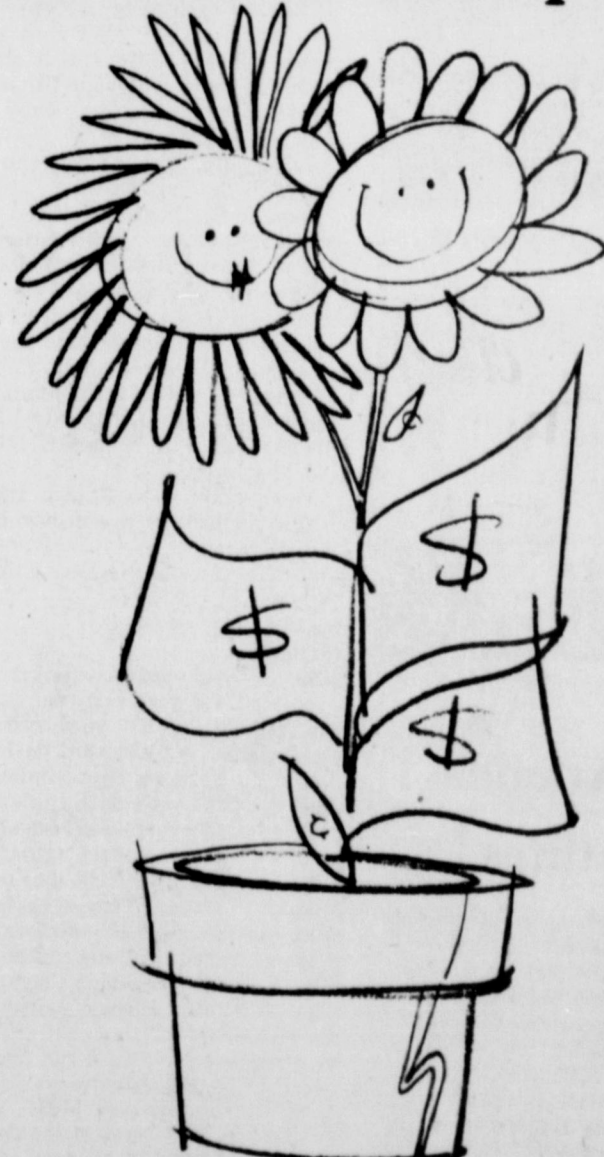
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GOVERNMENTAL ODDITIES

Entertaining Curiosities And Blunders That Have Affected Millions

The price you'll pay for the fuel you need to run your car, heat your home and a variety of other things depends on the government's avoiding a mistake in its energy policies, say the experts.

It had been suggested to the government that it keep our oil companies from branching out into other energy fields.

The energy outlook for the United States indicates great needs for alternative energy sources. In the next 10 years, experts say, coal production must nearly double, and more uranium production and processing will be needed, as well. In the long term, the United States will need energy from oil shale, tar sands, synthetic fuel and geothermal and solar sources.

For increased production of these energy sources, considerable research and



OUR GOVERNMENT can still avoid forcing energy

development are essential. For that we need large, experienced, companies with sufficient investment capital that can be tied up for a long time, and our oil companies fit these requirements.

If they find fuel in areas other than oil and gas, they can be in a much better bargaining position in relation to other oil-producing

nations. What's more, entering those energy fields increases the competition those fields and among companies. And, as economists point out, increased competition helps avoid increased prices.

If the government refrains from interfering, American citizens might be able to refrain from paying more for fuel.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to extend our appreciation for the many kindnesses shown to our Mother and Grandmother during her lengthy illness. Especially for the numerous visits, cards, and letters that she treasured. Also your thoughtfulness for the flowers, food, and memorials.

TED AND IRENE HABERER
JOHN AND LINDA AND FAMILY
DON AND SUE

We wish to thank all our friends for the thoughtfulness they expressed in prayers, cards, flowers, and food during the loss of our loved one.

A special thanks to Bro. Glenn Smith of Springlake and Bro. Bill Watson of Earth.

J.O. Crawford Family
Doug Ruby Family
Ben & Elmer Crawford Family

J & C Study Club

The Town and Country Study Club met Thursday, March 23 in the home of Lillian Hamilton.

The group studied about the newest state, Hawaii. The seven members present enjoyed a paper sack luncheon.

Party Lines

Mrs. Leta Kelley visited Sunday in Plainview with her sister, Mrs. Winnie Huff.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cheeves from Dumas spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Brown. Also visiting is Les Brown from California.

Dickie Brown has been home from South Plains College in Levelland during spring break.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cheeves and Les Brown spent Sunday in Cotton Center, visiting their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Axtell visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Fanning.

Last Wednesday, March 22, Mrs. R.W. Fanning was hostess to a get together of 6 ladies who played "84". Those present were Mrs. Beula Coker, Mrs. Ada Welch, Mrs. Velma Jones, Ruby Jones and Beatrice Shirey. Refreshments of sandwiches, pie, nuts and coffee were served.

Mrs. Marie Ross was admitted to the South Plains Hospital in Amherst last Wednesday, March 22.

Mrs. Garner Ball and Debra of Hart visited her mother, Mrs. Beulah Newton Sunday.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mrs. Lena Grace Griffin were Mr. and Mrs. Toby Walker of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Stephenson and Crystal of Shallowater, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Woodin and Pete of Muleshoe, Mrs. Terry Rios and Craig of Beeville and Mrs. Lenora Schafer of Olton.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sanders, Jeff and DeLynn Sanders from Katie, Texas spent from Thursday through Thursday of last week visiting friends in Huntsville, Arkansas and Oklahoma.

Among those out of town people attending the funeral of Lottie Orteg were Mrs. Bessie Wood, Mr. Merle Wood, Mrs. Faith Myatt, Mrs. Zoe Accosta, all from California; Mr. and Mrs. Royce Roberts, Mrs. Blanche Kirkendel, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Miller, all from Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Haberer and Mrs. Thelma Cupp of Plainview; Mrs. Gene Whitfield and children from Silverton and Mrs. Ethel Cupp of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kelley spent Easter holidays with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Green, Kelley and Steve of Mansford, Oklahoma.

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DAVID CARR and KATHY WINTERS Photo: Linda James

Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Sanders of Earth announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kathy, to David Carr, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Carr of Springlake. The wedding is set for June 3, in the First Baptist Church of Earth at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to

attend. Graduate of Springlake Earth High School, the bride-elect is a junior, majoring in Elementary Education at Texas Tech. Carr, a graduate of Springlake-Earth High School attended South Plains College, and is currently employed at Springlake Farm Chemical.

Muleshoe Art Association

The Muleshoe Art Association's Annual Spring Exhibit will be held Saturday, April 8 through Saturday April 15 at the Art Loft, 1529 W. American Blvd., Muleshoe, Texas. Entries should be hand delivered to the Art Loft between 10:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. Thursday April 6 and will remain on view until Saturday April 15th. Cash and merchandise awards totaling \$1,480.00 will be awarded. Presentation of awards will be at 5 p.m. Saturday April 15th. Entries must be original and done without supervision. Each entry must have a card attached to the back stating the name and address of the artist, media, title, and price. Also, if the work is not available for Purchase Award it should be so designated. While reasonable care will be taken with work submitted, neither The Art Association nor The Art Loft will be responsible for any damage to the entries. NO WET PAINT PLEASE!

Juror for the show will be Gerald Roberts of South Plains College, Levelland Texas.

Awards and Citations are: Best of show-\$150 Muleshoe State Bank Purchase Award-\$200, Mackey McCarty Purchase Award, and Poor Boy Purchase Award-\$200. Oils: First-\$75, Second-\$50, Third-\$25. Watercolor: First-\$75, Second-\$50, Third-\$25. Sculpture, Graphics, Photography etc.: First-\$50, Second and Third-Ribbons.

Merchants Awards: Art Loft Framing Award-\$40 Higginbotham-Bartlett Framing Award-\$25, St. Clair's-\$15, Cobb's-\$20, Williams Bros-\$15.00, First National Bank-\$35, Bobo Insurance public opinion award-\$10. For further information contact Jerry Wheatley, 965-2448, or Cara Juan Schuster, 946-3626.

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Hello World

Mr. and Mrs. David Templeton of Earth are the proud parents of a son born Monday, March 20 at 8:15 a.m. at the Littlefield Hospital.

The little lad weighed in at 8 lbs. 5 oz. and measured 21 inches long. He has been named Matthew Axtell.

Matthew has an older sister, and brother, Hope, 5 years and Dan 2 1/2 years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cleavinger and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Templeton.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ussery, Lloyd Crosby of Littlefield and Mr. J.L. Templeton of Amherst.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Jones of Ozark, Arkansas are the proud parents of a son born Wednesday, March 29 at 4:30 a.m.

The little lad weighed in at 6 lbs. 2 oz. and has been named Justin O'Neal.

Justin has an older brother, Brady, 4 years old.

Grandparents are Ralph and Elizabeth Nelson of Ozark, Arkansas and Ed and Gayle Jones of Earth.

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MRS. LOTTIE ORTEG in 1974.

"Making Earth Tracks"

By: Carolyn Hamilton

Mrs. Orteg (Lottie): A courageous, gentle, refined Christian woman (recently deceased) tells of her pioneering in the Earth community.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Orteg, The Ortegs bought land and moved to the Earth community from Mayfield, Oklahoma in 1924. "Ben Orteg (deceased) and Lloyd

Cupp worked together to put up the first house in Earth. The house belonged to Mr. Cupp, who also once owned the land that the city of Earth stands on today." (Quoting Earth News Sun)

"Mr. Orteg traveled from Oklahoma by covered wagon for five days bringing plows and tools



HABERER FAMILY GET TOGETHER-left to right, Don Haberer, Mrs. Don Haberer, John O. Haberer, Steve Haberer, Ted Haberer, Mrs. Ted Haberer, Mrs. Gene Whitfill, Gene Whitfill, Mrs. Lottie Orteg, Standing Russell Haberer and Mrs. Bonnie Haberer.

until they reached their home-site which was three miles north and one mile west of what is now Earth. Cleve Hamilton was Land Agent."

An interview with Mrs. Orteg in 1974 reveals: "At first there was no Earth here. Mr. Halsell was rounding up stray cattle. When the sun went down it was the darkest place I had ever seen. No stars, no moon, no irrigation wells. A Mr. McCarty of Eric, Oklahoma got stuck in the lake in his truck out here, and they had to unload the cattle knee-deep in mud. My nephew came and worked for Halsell Ranch in '27 and '28. There was prairie grass, no farms with the exception of Mr. Linville. There were plenty of jack rabbits. It was much wilder here than in western Oklahoma, where we were also pioneers and farmers, but we both liked pioneer life.

My brother Ed lived here first. My mother, Mrs. M.E. Johnson, bought land a mile from Springlake in 1925, and her brother, Ed, and Dick Brock from Tulsa moved out here.

"Did you know Mr. Halsell, Mrs. Orteg?" I asked.

"Yes, I knew Mr. Halsell, but Ben, my husband, knew him better. His stray cattle that first winter were so poor they didn't shed 'till that next

spring. You couldn't read the brands 'till they shed their hair. And it didn't rain that year (1924-'25) 'till June...The kaffir corn was planted... J.W. Kelley

was trying to sell Oklahoma land and would show our place as an example.

We both donated to the different churches and to all Earth's civic organizations. Ben was a World War I veteran, belonging to the American Legion. We were Nazarenes, but worshipped with all denominations."

Mrs. Orteg's hobbies have been farm life, in general, family, piecing quilts, church, Sunday School, embroidery, club work, Red Cross (ever since World War I), Home Demonstration work, Study Club, and community welfare projects.

Her idea of qualities for a pioneer woman are: Courage needed for hardships, endurance, and standing for what is right.

"A funny incident happened on a Sunday afternoon," she mentioned. "The family had intended going to church, but we got to the Bomar's place and a terrible sandstorm came up with a dark cloud in the north. We went to the cellar. When we started home, the cloud hit. The wind blew so hard, we couldn't see in front of the car. Quail-size chickens were blown up against their chicken wire (1935), and were still there days later. It was a wild, wild day!"

Mrs. Orteg explained: "We always tried to lead a Christian life, and did you know, we have never had a complete failure on this farm. (1927-1974)."

"I have lived alone for the last seventeen years. I am not afraid; the Lord protects me. I give Him all the praise. It has been lonely though."

She continued: "In 1928 the Lord blessed our home with Joyce Irene Orteg (now Mrs. Ted Haberer). We also kept Mary Hamby for eleven years in our home. She now lives in San Francisco. Mr. and Mrs. Orteg's parents lived with the Ben Ortegs. We always believed in taking care of the lonely.

The Orteg's child Mattie Marie Orteg, born in Oklahoma, died in 1927. "Our grandchildren are the greatest in the world. They are John O. Haberer and Donnie Haberer (the Ted Haberers)".

My favorite Bible verses are Psalms 27, 37, and 42. "I have been most blessed."

Mrs. Orteg told what it meant to live on the plains

in a small town, Earth. "It has been wonderful to see the change come. I think God that He has let me live to see it. Earth was settled by some of the best people...We had good schools, beautiful churches, and good homes, and love (in the community) with people who were always ready to lend a helping hand."



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SHOWN ABOVE is the Wolverine track team which recently won the Floydada track meet and outdistanced the field by almost 20 points.

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Boys Take Whirlwind Title

The Wolverine track team traveled to Floydada and came home a winner as they outdistanced the field by almost 20 points. The team composed basically of underclassmen scored 103 points to their nearest competitors 84.

The results were as follows:
Sprint Relay 45.8-2nd
Ricky James
Ricky Smith
Jim Gonzales

Mike (Pepper) Smith
Shuttle Hurdle Relay 1st-47.1
Gaylon Conner
Jaime Soto
Melvin James
Pepper Smith
Mile Relay 3rd-3:40.1
Gaylon Conner
Jaime Soto
Hoby Matlock
Jim Gonzales
880 yard relay 3rd-1:36.4
Jaime Soto

Ricky Smith
Ronnie James
Jim Gonzales
100 yard dash 10.21-2nd
Ronnie James
120 yard high hurdles 16.9-4th
Pepper Smith
Long Jump
Ronnie James-1st-20 ft. 2
1/2 inches
Ricky Smith-4th-19 ft. 7
1/4 inches.
Pole Vault
Ray Van Banks-1st-11 ft. 6

James Herrington-10 ft. 6 inches
Ronnie James received high point individual with 25 points.
Others participating at the meet were: Melvin James, Lupe Avilla, Johnny Samiego, Lupe Duran, Steve Monreal, Byron Vaughn, Tim May, Allen Moore, Keith Clayton, Loren Taylor, and Lexie Fennell.

Bentsen Seeks Clamp Down

Senator Lloyd Bentsen on Wednesday introduced a bill to cut down on the illegal manufacture and sale of "PCP," which he described as "the most dangerous illicit drug in use today."

In a Senate speech accompanying the legislation Bentsen revealed previously unpublished statistics from the Drug Enforcement Administration showing that confiscated dosage units of "PCP," originally developed as a tranquilizer for elephants and other large animals, more than doubled between 1976 and 1977, rising from 1.7 million to 3.5 million.

"The widespread use of phenethylamine, 'PCP,' 'Angel Dust' or 'Hog' is a plague on the youth of America. The drug can kill or cripple a mind. For the price of a school lunch, an eighth grade student can literally blow his mind, possibly forever," Bentsen said.

"The files of the Los Angeles Police Department tell of a young man under the influence of 'PCP' who pulled out his own teeth with pliers; another who gouged his eyes from their sockets to avoid seeing grotesque visions; and a third young person who drank rat poison to kill the

rodents he believed had infested his body."
"In one recent incident, a teenager murdered his mother and father with a high-powered rifle while suffering 'PCP' hallucinations."

Senator Bentsen cited a recent survey by the National Institute for Drug Abuse which found over 1 million young people under age 18 who admitted using "PCP," and a report by DEA of an average age of only 15 years for persons admitted to hospital emergency rooms suffering from the effects of "PCP."

The Bentsen bill seeks to reduce the availability of the drug by requiring persons purchasing piperidine, a key ingredient, to show positive identification. The major legitimate use of piperidine is in curing rubber. The chemical is produced in small amounts.
The bill would also increase the maximum

penalty for trafficking in "PCP" from five years in prison and a \$15,000 fine on first offense to 10 years and a \$100,000 fine.

"Any person with a few hundred dollars and perverse instincts can manufacture 'Angel Dust' at home or even in the back of a van. He runs a risk of slowing himself up in the process, but this does not deter these entrepreneurs of derangement," Bentsen said.

"My legislation would give law enforcement authorities important

information on purchasers of piperidine, deter the casual entrepreneur from obtaining this essential raw material of 'PCP' and give law enforcement officials an added weapon to use in prosecuting illegal manufacturers," Senator Bentsen said.

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J.O. CRAWFORD

Crawford Rites Held

J.O. Crawford, 87, retired farmer and well driller and former longtime resident of Muleshoe and resident of Earth since 1969, was dead on arrival at South Plains Hospital at Amherst Friday after an apparent heart attack.

A native of Nashville, Tennessee, Crawford resided in Muleshoe from 1917 until 1969 when he and his wife moved to Earth. He was a member of Hollene, New Mexico, First Baptist Church.

Services were at 4:30 p.m. Saturday in Singleton-Ellis Funeral Home Chapel of the Chimes in Muleshoe with burial in Bailey County Memorial Park Cemetery in Muleshoe under direction of Singleton Ellis Funeral Home there.

Survivors include his wife, Dilla, of the home; three sons, Ben of Littlefield, Elmer of Cartwright Oklahoma, and Hudson of Fort Worth; two daughters, Mrs. Doug Ruby of Earth, and Mrs. Agnes Frye of Sherman; 12 grandchildren; and 28 great grandchildren.

Air Pollution Strategy

A recent report prepared for the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Corvallis Environmental Research Laboratory (CERL) helps substantiate that EPA has been using a proper approach for improving air quality throughout the country.

The study finds that it is important to consider the individual pollution problems of each air quality control region in determining the control strategy to apply. Imposing the same pollution control strategy in all urban areas is economically inefficient.

A control policy that takes account of the natural differences between urban areas could yield substantial benefits in reduced regulatory costs.

As the debate over air pollution standards continues, more information is needed on the dollar benefits and costs of various controls and their impact on air quality. This report describes a computer simulation model that estimates the impact of alternative control strategies on mobile source air pollution. The impacts are estimated for both the effect on air quality and the associated benefits and costs.

MATHAIR, the model developed under an EPA contract to Mathtech, Inc. of Princeton, New Jersey, was used to evaluate several control strategies for Los Angeles, New York, Chicago and Washington, D.C. The designers felt that these areas provided a spectrum of the air quality problems found in large urban areas.

To facilitate comparisons, MATHAIR states all costs and benefits in dollars. Calculations are made relative to a baseline (zero control) strategy. In each strategy, benefits are estimated for health, vegetation, and materials.

Dr. John Jaksch, CERL economist, was project officer for the Mathtech contract. He said that "With the MATHAIR model, the user can design and evaluate control strategies by regions. The beauty of the model is its flexibility and its potential use as a policy analysis tool. However, one of the major problems which plagued the study was the lack of adequate data bases for analyses. It is becoming increasingly clear that, although we have tools to conduct effective policy analysis, there is a definite shortage of appropriate data bases."

Mathtech calculates the effect of a pollution control strategy by first projecting the emission sources and the level associated with each source in a defined region. From this, the impact of the control strategy on the emission level from each source is determined. Then an air quality model relates the projected changes in emission levels to changes in ambient air.

In this model, primary attention is focused on controlling emissions of carbon monoxide, hydrocarbons, and nitrogen oxides. Automobiles are considered the major emission source. Simulated strategies include:

- Measures to install pollution control devices directly on the pollutant source (for example, installation of catalytic converters on autos built after 1975 and carbon absorbers on dry cleaning plants).

- Inducements to change transportation patterns such as increasing gas taxes and improving bus service.

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Costs and benefits resulting from reduced damages are also calculated. Damage caused by air pollution is quantified in dollar terms for each strategy. The benefit is then determined by subtracting those damages from the damages associated with the baseline strategy.

Copies of the report are available at a cost of \$7.50 each through the National Technical Information Service, 5285 Port Royal Road, Springfield, Virginia

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New Lamb County Director Elected

During a breakfast meeting at the Chaparral Restaurant at Littlefield on Monday, March 27th, Guy H. Walden, Chairman and President of the First National Bank of Sudan, was elected the Lamb County Businessman Director to Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Board of Directors. He will serve for the years 1978 and 1979. Walden will serve with J.D. Smith as the Producer Director. There are 25 surrounding counties served by this Board.

In accepting the appointment, Walden said he considered it to be an honor to be elected by the fine farmers and businessmen of Lamb County and will do anything possible to better the price structure of our farmers, upon whom all Lamb County businessmen depend. The prosperity of all of us no better than that of the farmer. He must have a substantial increase in the price of the food and fiber he raises and sells to feed himself and the world. Any suggestion from any of our farmers and businessmen will be appreciated.



BUTTON, BUTTON who's got the button is what it appears as everyone scrabbles for the football in off

season practice.

Photo by Steve Shepard.

Leper Colony

By Mrs. Tom Stansell
Miss Nita Clegg discussed the Leper Settlement near Mbabane, Swaziland, South Africa, Friday evening in the Olton Church of the Nazarene. Miss Clegg has served that colony as a missionary in Swaziland for a period of twenty one years with the last four being supervisor at the Mbuli (Good Hope) Health Centre. Miss Clegg describes the settlement in these words: "It has over 1900 acres with beautiful hills and a lovely river with waterfalls which sound like the roar of the ocean. It has large rocks over the rolling green hillsides as well as some fernland and a beautiful forest of pine trees planted by the patients here when the colony opened in 1948. Throughout the year flowers in trees and shrubs are out in bloom." These flowers include lilies and poinsettias. Some 35-40 leprosy cases are treated annually with some 26 being released each year as having reached the stage of no longer having infectious leprosy. About 4500 out patient leprosy are treated at the Good Hope Health Center.

Miss Clegg showed by slides the loss of the leper's fingers and toes when the disease is untreated. She explained the danger of burns as result of nerve destruction. Examples were given of the patients' loyalty to each other. Twice each month Miss Clegg and the Hospital staff go to the Milk Day Clinic at Malandela, 17 miles beyond the outskirts of Leper Settlement. Two hundred children and 50-70 mothers attend this clinic. The Milk Day Clinic can be reached at times only by landrover because of muddy roads. The south African Leprosy Mission recently gave a 10-12 seat 4 cylinder 4 wheel drive landrover to Good Hope Hospital. Swaziland Electricity Board has supplied electricity to the hospital and homes of patients and staff with Department of Health sponsoring the wiring. Prior to this service, Good Hope facilities were lighted only a few hours some evenings by an old engine generator. Milk and meat are supplied to the Leper Settlement by a Demonstration Farm under direction of Bob Morin Jr of U.S. Peace Corps. Churches of the Nazarene have been established in the Leper Settlement area at Malandela. Swaziland, bordered on the east by Natal Province and Portuguese East Africa,

SPAG Workshop

The office of Community Development Planning, South Plains Association of Governments (SPAG), has scheduled a workshop to coordinate and update the Texas Outdoor Recreation Plan. The meeting will be held on March 31, 1978, at the Garden and Arts Center in Lubbock Texas from 9 a.m. to noon.

procedures outlined in the plan will be reviewed and evaluated, examining directives and requirements which it contains.

For more information, interested persons should contact Mr. Crider at 762-8721, or come by the SPAG offices, 1611 Avenue M in Lubbock.

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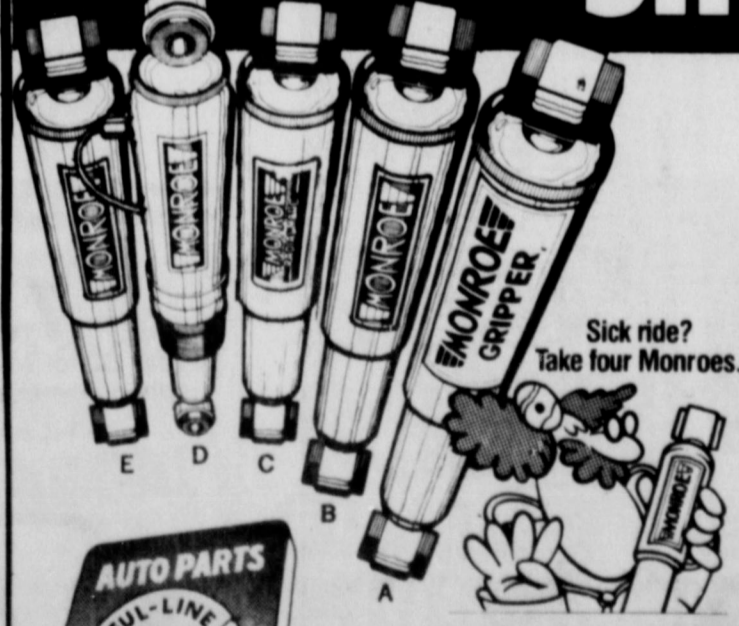
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Rites Held For Cleo Connell

DIMMITT (Special)—Services for Cleo Connell, 62, of Dimmitt were at 3 p.m. Monday in First Baptist Church here with the Rev. Ronnie Travis, pastor of Lee Street Baptist Church here, officiating and the Rev. Charles Harris of First Baptist Church in Stinett assisting.

Burial was in Castro Memorial Gardens under direction of Dennis Funeral Home.

Connell died at 8:35 p.m. Saturday in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital.

The Anson native had lived in Dimmitt since 1969. He was a farmer.

Survivors include his wife, Jewell; a son, Richard of Dimmitt; two daughters, Mrs. Bernice Durton of Earth and Mrs. Geneva Pearce of Odessa; a brother, W.J. of Dallas; and seven grandchildren.



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Jeanette is the daughter of Mrs. Helen Alvarado of San Antonio. She is 6 years old, and a victim of spina bifida. Jeanette has been served by the Easter Seal program in San Antonio since October of 1973. She is in Early Childhood Program at Jose' Cardenas.

Presenting the seals on behalf of the 13,166 handicapped children and adults served statewide by Easter Seals, Jeanette represents the needs of the year-round program of direct patient services; information, referral and follow-up; community and professional education; and, transportation.

The campaign, which began March 1 will continue through April 2 with the Seventh Annual Easter Seal Telethon, is led by Kent McIlyar, Jr., of Dallas, Senior

Vice President of the First National Bank of Dallas, and the 1978 Texas Easter Seal Appeal Chairman, who joins 234 local Easter Seal volunteer Presidents, Chairmen, and Representatives in leading 32,000 volunteers statewide. The services of the Society, offered in Texas since 1929, are available to the handicapped regardless of disability.

In addition to medically authorized orthopedic equipment purchase, including wheelchairs, braces and crutches, the campaign permits the Society and its affiliates to provide appropriate therapies, medical, psychological and audiological evaluations, and transportation.

The campaign also helps fund the "Easter Seal Action Line", the toll-free number 1-800-492-5555 which permits potential patients or their families, or handicapped persons in need of information about the appropriate agency for their needs to call 24 hours per day to receive assistance and/or information.

Services Held For Wilmer McGrew

ANTON (Special)—Wilmer Gordon McGrew, 67, a native of Mount Ida, Arkansas and a resident of Anton since 1931, died at 9 a.m. Friday at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock.

McGrew, an employee of Hockley County Pct. 4, at Anton, was a member of Bethel Baptist Church of Anton.

Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday at Bethel Baptist Church of Anton with the Rev. Billy Glenn, pastor of Mount Olive Baptist Church in Lubbock, officiating.

Burial was in Anton Cemetery under direction of Hammons Funeral Home of Littlefield.

Survivors include his wife, Ruby; four sons, Floyd of Lubbock, Marion of Austin, Oren of Abilene and Keith of Littlefield; four daughters, Della Oakley of Shallowater, and Doris Moore, Beverly Hardin and Brenda McGrew, all of Anton; two brothers, Farrell of Corpus Christi and Tarvin of Anton; a sister, Callie Pendergrass of Anton; 16 grandchildren and a great grandchild.

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Dimmitt Locals

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Jose L. Romero of Amarillo, infant grand-son of Mr. and Mrs. Guadalupe Espinoza of Dimmitt passed away last Saturday, (March 25). Burial services were held Sunday afternoon at the Cemetery in Amarillo with the Rev. and Pastor, pastor of Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, officiating. Burial was under the direction of the Rev. Martin Chapin.

Survivors other than her husband are her parents, 2 sisters and a grandmother of Amarillo.

Funeral Mass for 64 year old Mrs. Jeanette Shacker, was conducted last Friday morning (March 17) in the Holy Family Catholic Church in Nazareth. Rev. Stanley Crocchiola, pastor, officiated.

Burial was in the Holy Family Cemetery under the direction of Dennis Funeral Home.

She is survived by her husband, George; four daughters, Marian Ehlly of Nazareth, Louise Russell of Dilon, Clara Cowell of Amarillo and Grace Holley of Plainview; two sons Gregory of Nazareth and Steve of South St. Paul, Minnesota; a brother, Francis Woelfle of Amarillo and 12 grandchildren.

Funeral services for Luz Moreno, 64, of Dalhart, father of Arthur Moreno of Dimmitt, were held Wednesday afternoon in St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Dalhart with burial in the Memorial Park Cemetery there.

A native of Mexico, Mr. Moreno was a retired employee of a Dalhart hospital. He is survived by his wife, four daughters and eight sons.

Patients in the hospital are Rebecca Abrego, Leora Calhoun, Faye Cline, J.A. Coughran, Myrna Cowser, Alma Frazier, Pearl Gass, Beatrice Hahn, Beatrice Hawkins, Blanche Johnson, Edwin Johnson, Wanda Jovett, Eva Lozoya, Earl Lust, Dorothy Manning, Rosa Montemayor, Debbie Schumacker, Edwardo Silva, Minnie Simpkins, J.O. Spencer, and Jennie Stator.

Patients dismissed from the hospital are Thomas Sanders, Felicitas Dominguez, Monette Montgomery, Jane Butler, Woodrow Nelson, Ruby Coke, Ronald Matthew, Otilia Ramirez, Gerlene Marshall, Dorothy Magness, Mary Fulfer, Howard Smithson, Hattie Webb and Cleo Connell.

WHO'S NEW?
Mr. and Mrs. Edwardo Dominguez of Hereford are parents of a boy, Joaquin, born March 15 weighing 7 pounds, 7 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Schumacker of Dimmitt are parents of a boy, Cash Tucker, born March 15 weighing 5 pounds 10 1/2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Tomie Maples are parents of a son, James Garrett. Born

March 8 in the Deaf Smith General Hospital in Hereford, he weighed in at 7 pounds 15 1/2 ounces. Maternal grandparents are C.H. and Peggy James of Clovis and paternal grandparents are C.G. and Zonell Maples of Dimmitt.

Happy birthday to the following people:
March 23-Julie Reeves, Ronda Pevehouse, Kerry Broderson, Carolyn Thompson, Julie Huseman, Laura Klemm, Amy Schmucker.

March 24-Cheryl Pevehouse, Royce Schulte, Earl Brock, Jim Birdwell, Gregg Cluck, Agnes Brockman, Bud Kern.

March 25-Jo Hyman, Jean Lunsford, Gerald Thomas, Moss Howell, Max Moore, Audrey Brockman, Alvina Jones, Floyd Schulte.

March 26-Karen Henderson, Kim Howell, Kippi Cleavinger, Kevin Reed, Mike Bell, Olan Moore, Tommy Persons, Marthe Huseman.

March 27-Marie Bowen, Mary Cluck, Wanda Kay Debbie Dennis, Curt Summers, Tyson Garza, Ezekiel Hooper, John Cox, James Welch, Scott Venhaus.

March 28-Jo Beth Shackelford, Sherry Kay Randy Small, Dean Butler Quint Maddox, Bill Sanders, Jerry Kern.

March 29-Joyce Hunter Wanda Derrick, Duann Rettman, Acie Boyd, Karen Ball, Janice Johnson, Bonnie Huseman, Margaret Ann Brockman.

March 30-Teresa Garth, Karen Hutto, Keith Hutto, Lorelea Acker, Annette Schumacker, Carroll Gerber, Larry Ramaeker.

Happy anniversary to the following people:
March 25-Jack and Nell Ingram, David and Karol Rettman.

March 26-Earrest Jr. and Lottie Smith.

March 28-Jack and Clara Patton, Ben and Wanda Derrick, Henry and Melba Howell, Stan and Carolyn Wardlow.

The Paxton Tire and Service was burglarized last Friday night (March 17). When owner Kenny Paxton reported the burglary Saturday morning he learned that the Dimmitt police already had a suspect in jail.

Patrolmen Ronnie Ballew and Steve Vines had taken James Loggins, Jr. 26, of Lubbock, into custody when they discovered him and another man running toward a parked car at 3 a.m. Saturday near the J and P Paint and Body Shop which is located near Paxton Tire and Service. The second man escaped.

They jailed Loggins after a police check showed him being wanted in Bowie on a traffic warrant. They also impounded his car, a 1974 Cadillac.

When Paxton reported that four Goodyear "Tempo" radial tires had been stolen from his place of business during the night, police obtained a search warrant on Loggin's

car and found four new tires in the trunk of his car. Loggins was charged with felony burglary and is in Castro County Jail under \$20,000 bond. Authorities are still looking for the second suspect.

Miss Wanda Jovett of Dimmitt received a broken collar bone and head and face lacerations early Sunday morning when a Chevy Luv pickup she was a passenger, overturned two miles east of Dimmitt on east highway 86. Miss Jovett was dismissed from Plains Memorial Hospital Tuesday. The pickup's owner and driver, Harold Joseph Jones, 24, also of Dimmitt was treated for bruises but was not hospitalized. State Trooper Dyrle Maples said the pickup was eastbound when it ran off the right side of the highway, veered back to the left then went into a broadside skid, overturning when it hit the soft dirt of the bar ditch.

Sheriff Granville Martin returned Samuel D. Villareal, 23, of Houston to the Castro County Jail Sunday to face two burglar charges dating back about a year.

Martin picked the prisoner up at Belton after Villareal had been arrested in Temple on other charges. Bond was set at \$3,500 and at news press time Villareal was still in jail here.

There is not telling at this point what type of farm legislation if any, will be enacted by the Congress in time to give relief to the hard pressed agriculture industry. The Senate apparently included every proposal tossed into the hopper in the farm bill passed by that body Tuesday. The bill goes to a joint committee House and Senate, for refinement. The Committee will have all of the necessary ingredients for a good farm bill if they can get it put together, and passed, in time for this year's crop. Any bill that the Congress passes will meet with the disfavor of the President and agriculture department, and will likely be vetoed by the President when it reaches his desk. However, it is possible that the president will permit the bill to become law without his signature if there is sufficient evidence that a veto would be overridden by Congress.

If a farm bill is enacted into law that will meet with the approval of the American Agriculture Movement, it will be the result of a people's lobby working directly with their elected representatives. Instead of hiring professional lobbyist to promote their cause American Agriculture called on individual farmers to attract the attention of the public and the Congress to their plight. They have attracted attention and they are getting action hopefully in sufficient time to prevent a national, as well as agriculture depression.

Castro County farmers are hopeful the Senate farm relief bill passed Tuesday will emerge from the conference committees and House action in a form to meet their demand for parity prices, and are keeping their fingers crossed against its being watered down to ineffectiveness.

A spokesman for the American Agriculture office here said Wednesday morning, "We're glad the Senate took action quickly on the bill, because we are running out of time on legislation to help us now, but we are worried about compromises that may be made before both houses finally pass a bill."

Carl King, president of the Texas Corn Growers Association, said he is optimistic about chances for prompt passage of a bill that will give farmers fair prices for this year's crops.

The bill went to a conference committee with hope that it would reach an acceptable compromise before Congress begins its Easter recess.

The Senate approved a package of farm bills that opponents said would add \$100 a year to the annual \$100 bill of a family of three. Chief sponsors of the legislation, Senator's Dole and Talmadge, said some of the provisions were contradictory and would not

work in their present form. Talmadge argues that his bill would cut government costs by \$90 million over a two year period while enabling farmers to earn additional billions, critics called the Senate bill a "Christmas tree" election year hoax.

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The "advantages of the reserve program are clear, store now for future profit and receive help with your storage cost. Many farmers have been holding their grain since harvest. Placing it in reserve gives them the opportunity to make a profit when the prices go up. We as farmers need to send a message to the grain traders—we won't sell cheap, he said.

"Not only is it important to isolate surpluses from the market we must prevent a further buildup in supplies. The set-aside program offers each farmer the opportunity to make an individual decision on how much acreage he wishes to plant and how much he wants to hold out for production," while the program is voluntary, only those who participate will

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Springlake-Olton

By: Mrs. Tom Stansell

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lee Henderson have a son, Ryan Blake who weighed seven pounds and twelve and one half ounces at birth Thursday, March 23, in High Plains Hospital of Hale Center.

The little newcomer has two brothers, Mark, 8, and Cory, 2.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Coen of Olton and Mr. and Mrs. Rasty Henderson.

Great grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Crabtree of Olton.

Joe Blythe, 54, of Kansas City Kansas died of an apparent heart attack at 2 a.m. Sunday. He was nephew of M.S. J.T. Gibson and cousin of Mrs. Hollis Cain.

Services were at 10 a.m. Wednesday in Main Street Church of Christ in Olton with burial in Olton Cemetery under direction of Parsons Funeral Home.

Born at Wellington, Blythe lived at Olton a number of years. He was son of the late John and Ann Blythe.

Survivors are his widow, Doris, one son, John Earl of Kansas City, one sister, Mrs. Ruth (Wendell) Green of Plainview and two grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Hucks had with them Easter Sunday their son, Ronnie of the home, and their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Chaney, Justin and Brandon of Olton and Mr. and Mrs. Don Curtis, Kristi and Cynthia of Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Almon Whitford came home Saturday after visiting some ten days with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard McCaskill and Justin of Corpus Christi. The Whitfords saw their granddaughter, Judy McCaskill who was with her family during spring vacation at Texas State University, Austin. Mrs. McCaskill is doing well under chemotherapy treatments at M.D. Anderson Hospital and Clinic of Houston.

Spending Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Winder, Charles and Ranae were Mrs. Winder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.G. Gardner of Morton and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Allen, Joan and Susan of Whiteface. Calling Sunday afternoon in the Winder home were the hostess' cousin and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Hucks, their grandson, Brandon Chaney, of Olton and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Curtis and Kristi of Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy McDaniels, Wesley and Richard were in Higgins during the weekend with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Smith, Stacy and Kensia.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Moree, Lisa, Janie, Holly and Moree's niece, Alberta Pullon were the hostess' parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Stradley and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Conner Ardis and Gaylor. Also the Conner's son-in-law and daughter of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. John Furr.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest

Goforth were in Lubbock last weekend with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore, DeDe and Toni.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Kniffen returned Sunday from Abilene where they met their daughter and grandson, Rita Hale and Davis of Sonora, and their son and family, Spec 4 David Kniffen, his wife Jo Ellen and their daughter, Sarah. Spec 4 Kniffen is stationed at Ft. Hood with the Springlake couple was their daughter Wendy.

Eating lunch Wednesday with Mrs. W.R. Boone were her sister, Mrs. Bill Struve and a granddaughter, Penni Hargrove both of Hereford. A daughter-in-law and her children, Mrs. Kerry Struve and Cami and Kayla of Levelland.

Charles Winder, student of Texas Tech was here Sunday with his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Winder and Ranae. Charles was accompanied by Nick Grant, also of Lubbock.

Mrs. T.V. Murrell visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B.L. Skinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jackson of Palo Alto, California were Saturday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hollingsworth. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Jackson called on Mr. and Mrs. Almon Whitford.

Roy James of Paducah has been here several days with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J.B. James and Jennifer.

Having dinner Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harlon Watson, Monty and Marty were the boy's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Keller of Earth and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Watson.

Mrs. Myrtle Steinbock was a recent guest of her granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Monte Barnes and Becky and Brannon of Bovina. Mrs. Barnes is making satisfactory progress after having surgery.

Visiting Sunday afternoon with Kenneth Boone and his mother, Mrs. Bob Boone were his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Allen, Joan and Susan of Whiteface. Calling Sunday afternoon in the Winder home were the hostess' cousin and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Hucks, their grandson, Brandon Chaney, of Olton and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Curtis and Kristi of Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Watson were Friday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. T.B. Dyer in South Hills Manor Nursing Home of Dimmitt.

Mrs. Harlon Watson and Marty ate luncheon and attended a show in Lubbock Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Glen Smith had as guests during Easter the host couple's daughter and family, Mrs. Sharman Jones, Aimee and Jennie of Irving.

Some 35 boys and girls attended an outing and picnic lunch Wednesday in the sand hills on the J.T. Gibson ranch. Hosting the affair were Mrs. Hollis Cain, Cathy, Connie and Suzanne. Assisting were Mrs. Delvin Walden and Mrs. Joe Eddie Riley.

Mrs. Foy Cook of Phoenix, Arizona is here this week visiting her mother, Mrs. Leona Packard in Dimmitt Nursing Home. Mrs. Cook is also visiting her sons and families the Ralph Cooks and the Leslie Cooks.

Rev. and Mrs. Glen Smith and Byron had in their home Sunday the host couple's daughter and families, Mrs. Sharman Jones, Aimee and Jennie of Irving and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bridges, Erin and Robin of Sunnyside, a son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Alair of Springlake, Rev. Smith's mother, Mrs. Willie Smith of Brownfield and her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McCravy, Jan and Greg of Plains, Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Thelma Cupp of Plainview, a former resident of the Earth area.

Monday morning caller of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. James was her brother, F.W. Bearden of Earth.

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Number one location of such offenses is 8th street in front of the U.S. Post Office. Drivers also violate the traffic law at other locations.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baker attended the monthly Gideon Camp meeting at K-Bobs Restaurant in Plainview Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Schaefer visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Harvey of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Russell were in Lubbock Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Matlock of Sunnyside had lunch Sunday with his mother, Mrs. J.C. Matlock, and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Adams of Circle. Sunday afternoon callers were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lively and Brocke of Olton.

Marty Watson stayed from Wednesday until Sunday with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. G. Keller who live near Earth.

Mrs. John Kerbow of Denver, Colorado came Monday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will

Russell.

Mrs. James Packard was in Lubbock Monday for a check up with her physician.

Friday, Mrs. Phil Neinst, Kari and Audra visited in Hale Center Hospital with Mrs. Floyd Lee Henderson and infant son, Ryan Blake. Mrs. Henderson is niece of Mrs. Neinst.

Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Kennedy of Olton, formerly of the Springlake-Earth vicinity had with them at the noon meal Easter their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. James Kennedy and Jimmy of Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kennedy, Vicky and Sheri Kay of Olton and Mr. and Mrs. T.C. Kennedy, Chuck and Connie of the home and Miss Karin Kennedy, a secretary at West Texas State University. The Leslie Kennedy's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Kennedy of Hereford, Allen Donaldson of Canyon and D.F. Roberts Jr. of Olton also visited.

Mr. and Mrs. Delvin Walden gave a birthday party last week for their daughter Kelley who was 12 years old Tuesday and their son, Richard, who was 10 Wednesday. Enjoying the celebration with the family were grandparents, Mrs. Leta Kelley and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Waldea, residents of Earth, the honorees' aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Doggett Perri and Jerri of Lubbock.

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Mrs. Glenn Paterson of Dumas came Sunday to stay a few days with her mother, Mrs. Myrtle McNamara who had another guest Monday, her daughter, Mrs. Ashley Davis of Muleshoe.

Mrs. Esther Bonner and her daughter, Mrs. David Grimsley of Friona visited Sunday afternoon with Grimsley's mother, Mrs. I.O. Grimsley of Olton. With the Friona lady were her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jason Grimsley, and another son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Grimsley, Poppy and Holly, all residents of Friona.



School Menu

April 3-7

MONDAY

Turkey and Dressing
With Gravy
Candied Yams with Marshmallows
Tossed Salad
Lemon Pie
Hot Rolls & Butter Milk

TUESDAY

Pork Chops & Gravy
Steamed Rice
Waldorf Salad
Peanut Butter Cake
Hot Rolls & Butter Milk

WEDNESDAY

Mexican Hot Dog
Tossed Salad

Corn Chips
Chocolate Chip Cookies
Apple Milk

THURSDAY

Chicken Pot Pie
Mixed Greens
Pickle Spears
Pineapple Slice with Cheese
Chocolate Pudding
Hot Rolls & Butter Milk

FRIDAY

Hamburgers
Cheese Slices
Lettuce, Onions
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Apple Cobbler
Ice Cream Milk

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Amherst Manor

Dail Burnett and Roxann Gunn visited Mrs. Pace. Fife visited his Laura Fife. Mrs. Roger Britt with Ray Blessing. J.M. (Willie) played the piano for guests as Mr. and Mrs. Kasten brought Story and visited. Fife White visited. Gaston of Sudan the residents. McCaghren visited. Lynn Blair and Bill Johnson brought Church of Christ services. Gertrude Cowan and Dean Campbell visited all the residents. Fannie Tomes had lunch Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clois Tomes. Zanelle Martin visited her father, Griff Boyles. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Muncy visited Jewell Freeman. Alex Berry visited Susan Lindsey.

Bobbie Blanchard visited the Manor residents. Lessie Messamore and Charlene Blume visited Agnes Phelps. LaRue West and Betty Withrow of Sudan visited Mr. Gunn, Mrs. Fife and Mrs. Doss. Elva Hinds and Vernie Campbell visited Mrs. Phelps and others. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boness from Muleshoe visited Mrs. Doss Friday. Dallas Henderson and children visited the Manor residents. Annie Nuttall visited the residents.

Lone Star State

was the recipient of the One Rating for the Business Climate in United States will pay to business and during the week of April 1-7 by celebrating Texas Industrial Week. Created by a joint resolution of both houses of the Texas Legislature in 1977, plans were made for more than 250 new and 291 expanding manufacturing firms in Texas. The result of these new and expanding firms is the creation of thousands of additional jobs, a higher standard of living and a greater appreciation of the free enterprise system for all Texans.

This year's theme Texas On The Go...Working Today for a Better Tomorrow, is especially fitting at this time. Over the past 10 years, the number of corporation headquarters in Texas has increased 79 percent. In 1977, plans were made for more than 250 new and 291 expanding manufacturing firms in Texas. The result of these new and expanding firms is the creation of thousands of additional jobs, a higher standard of living and a greater appreciation of the free enterprise system for all Texans.

Kicked off by the signing of a proclamation by Governor Dolph Briscoe, Texas Industrial Week will be celebrated across the state in various ways. Chambers of Commerce, community clubs, schools, churches and many other groups have already stepped on the bandwagon by making plans for open houses at plants; luncheon speakers and forum discussions; window, lobby, and billboard displays; school career days; contests; out-of-town tours; and special newspaper editions and radio-television broadcasts. April 1-7 in the celebrator Texas Association of Business, the week's

sponsor, has distributed posters, tent cards, colorful bumper stickers and copies of the Governor's proclamation for display. If you wish to make plans to purchase these items for the 1979 celebration, contact: Alma C. Faulkner, Director of Communications, Texas Association of Business, 11th Floor-The Mair Building, 1212 Main Street, Houston, Texas 77002, (713) 656-1010. Remember to say thank for the job Texas business and industry is doing in our state. Make plans to join us April 1-7 in the celebrator of Texas Industrial Week.

Birthday & Anniversary

Local people celebrating their birthday or anniversary from March 30 through April 5 are as follows:

March 31
Cliff Wood
April 1
Gus Parish
April 2
Danny O'Hair
Jeanne Haydon
Sunnye Randolph
April 3

Harold Britton
Monty Price
April 4
Corey Moore
April 5
Susan Clayton
Debbie Bills
Jimmy Nix

Shorty & Pat Barlow
April 2
Mr. & Mrs. Fred Johnson



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BIRTHDAY
March 30
Nelsen Dent

ANNIVERSARY
April 1
Alvin & Noel Pittman

Hospital Report

March 20
ADM:
Susanna Ceballos
Helen Posey
Ramon Posado
DISM:
Epifanio Salazar
Tom King

Golda Roberts
Lena Humphreys
Linda Trevino
C.P. Price
DISM:
Julio Burciago
Louis Lopez Sr.

March 21
ADM:
None
DISM:
Ray Blessing
Florencio Gonzales

March 25
ADM:
W.O. Parrish
Maxine Fletcher
DISM:
Susanna Ceballos
Golda Roberts

March 22
ADM:
Marie Ross
Claude Jeffrey
Velma Jackson
DISM:
Audelia Lera
Ilyone Hufstader
Fortunato Salazar

March 26
ADM:
Norma Starritt
Robert Gunn
Allen McDonough
Christine Parker
Mary Torres
DISM:
W.O. Parrish

March 23
ADM:
Louis Lopez, Sr.
DISM:
Helen Posey
Ramon Posado

March 27
ADM:
Maxine Nichols
Mary Sierra
Gloria Hernandez
DISM:
James Roberson
Velma Jackson
Flora Davis

March 24
ADM:
Jules Dent



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Sunnyside News

By Teeny Bowden

Twelve agriculture students at Texas Tech, A.I.D. Scholarship recipients and their sponsor Dr. A.W. Young, made a tour of the area Tuesday during their spring break, and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Joe Riley. They toured Estacado Industries, Inc., Lamb Feeding Division, Sunnyside Grain and Supply, and Amstar Corp. in Dimmitt. They represent top notch agriculturists in their countries. They were from Nairobi, Kenya in East Africa; Annan, Jordan; and Tanzania, East Africa. One was a Minister of Long and Short Range Management, one was from the Livestock Research Institute. Some of them are working on their masters degree. Some are married, some single. Some of them were Moslem, all were friendly and well mannered.

David Montiel was elected lieutenant-governor of Division 33 and 7 of the Key Club which covers Tulia, Plainview, Amarillo, Hereford, and Dimmitt, Sunday March 5th at their spring rally. He was in Dallas the 10-12 to attend a board meeting with the present lieutenant governor. The meeting was at the Registry Hotel. He was in Dallas again the 17-19 for a training session at the LaBaren Hotel. Since then he has been busy visiting all the Key Clubs and Kiwanian Clubs in his division making plans for the 29th annual Texas-Oklahoma District Convention which will be held in the Hyatt Regency Hotel and Tower in Dallas May 5th-7th. He showed slides and shared plans with the local Kiwanians Monday

.35 inch of rain was received in the community in showers Friday night.

A group of highway personnel and tree experts met with Rhea Bradley of Littlefield, district supervisor, at the mulberry tree Wednesday to make plans for saving it. Two branches will have to be pruned off the west side of the tree since they would hang over the highway. Next winter they will prune

out all the dead branches, but felt like it was too late in the season to do so this year.

Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Jones left Wednesday morning for Tennyson, Texas where he will preach a revival Wednesday night through Sunday night. This church was his first pastorate. Gale Sadler conducted the Wednesday night services in his absence. Rev. M.A. Pennington of Dimmitt supplied for him Sunday. He showed slides of his mission trip to Chile in the Sunday night services. He and Mrs. Pennington who accompanied him were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haydon. Gerald Elkins sang "Ten Thousand Angels" and Susan sang a melody of three songs based on "The Old Rugged Cross" in the morning service. Naiona Brown and the puppets brought the children's sermon.

Charles Axtell and Mrs. L.B. Bowden attended the Castro County Executive Committee meeting of the Democratic Party in Dimmitt Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson and Danae visited in Jal with Mr. and Mrs. Doug Freeman and Sonya Monday through Tuesday night. They visited Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Epperson, her grandmother Jeffcoat, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Epperson and children in Wolforth.

Mr. and Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler and Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler attended the funeral services for Mrs. Mittie Fowlkes, an aunt, Wednesday afternoon in Littlefield. She was 89 and has lived in Littlefield 39 years. Embree Roy and Gale were pallbearers.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson and children took her mother, Mrs. Ellis Wilson, to her home in Azel Friday and visited through Sunday with relatives there.

Mrs. L.B. Bowden worked with auxiliary

duties at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt Monday afternoon.

Paula Sue and Karen Ivey of Canyon spent last weekend and this week with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ivey. Ivey took them to Lamesa Sunday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pruitt and their granddaughter, Dawn Merriott. They came home Monday.

Lynn Brown visited over the weekend in Lubbock with Lee and Gale Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelan in Fieldton.

Mrs. L.B. Bowden attended the South Hills Manor auxiliary meeting Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Chad Windson and Cory of Waco visited Wednesday through Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sadler, Carrie, Stacy, and Laura and Mr. and Mrs. Tex Conard in Dimmitt. They all had dinner Sunday in Dimmitt with Mr. and Mrs. Tex Conard, Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler, and other Conard kin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lawson and Natalie of Olton spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Elkins and Chris. They were guests in the Sunday morning services.

Mrs. Elsa Marion of Denver City spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Don Ott, Sharon and Misty. She was a guest in the Sunday morning services. Mrs. Ott is her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley of Dimmitt visited Sunday night in the church services.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Dawson of Hereford visited Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. David Sadler, Melody and Karla. The girls went home with them and visited with them and their grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Jake King through Sunday. David and Gay, the Dawsons, and Karl King on furlough from Georgia had dinner Sunday with the Jake Kings in Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Comardelle, Tamara, Tony Tyson, and Tracy of Des

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The Santa Fe Trail was no Interstate Highway, but from 1822 to 1880 it was the next best thing.

There was no 55 mile speed limit, but there were some high speed chases. Indians, soldiers, settlers, traders and bandits took turns as the chasers and the chases at one time or another.

There wasn't a highway patrolman behind every exit ramp, but mile for mile there were probably more law enforcement officers (U.S. Army troops) than you'll find on today's super highway.

Millions of dollars worth of merchandise was carried across the trail from Independence, Mo. to Santa Fe, N.M. with several intermediate stops including Fort Union in New Mexico, Bent's Old Fort in Colorado and Fort Larned in Kansas.

These three stops are now preserved by the National Park Service so that you and future generations of Americans can enjoy some of the flavor of this historic trail that opened the trans-Mississippi west.

The easternmost of the three NPS-managed forts, Fort Larned, now Fort Larned National Historic Site, is in south, central Kansas.

This post, near the confluence of the Pawnee and Arkansas Rivers, was established by the U.S. Army in 1859 and it was first charged with protecting the mail and travelers on the eastern segment of the storied trail.

Fort Larned later served as a base for military operations against the Indians on the central plains and was a center for the peaceful administration of those tribes through the Indian Bureau.

Allemands, Louisiana arrived Thursday to visit with the Lloyd and Terry Blanton family and attend the wedding of Terry Blanton and Marla Winders Friday night in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Winders. Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Blanton of Childress came Friday and went home after the wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Terry Blanton are spending their honeymoon in Old Mexico.

Mrs. Randall Blanton attended the shower for Marla Winders in the community room of the Church of Christ in Earth the 13th. Mrs. Lloyd Blanton attended the shower in the home of Mrs. Dudley Wooten the 18th.

Mrs. Ray Joe Riley, Kevin and Jodie visited and had dinner Sunday with her family in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Scott in Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown, Lynn and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brown of Lubbock had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Brown. They visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bob Swinney, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Derring and Jeremy, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Woodward. The Browns, Woodwards, and the Hylton Browns of Plainview had supper with the E.R. Browns.

Community meeting will be Saturday night at the community building at 7 p.m. Bring your favorite game and a few cookies.

March of Dimes Press Conference

The mandate of the National Foundation-March of Dimes is to seek out the causes of birth defects and to prevent them. As a voluntary health agency, we have been increasingly and generously supported by the American people. And we honor, above all else, that trust and confidence. It enabled us to conquer poliomyelitis some 20 years ago. The American people manifested their trust in us then by not only giving of their time and money but by actually taking part in the testing and use of the Salk vaccine.

That same faith now sustains us in our fight to protect the unborn and the newborn. From the outset of that fight in 1958 we have recognized and acted on the importance of both genetic science and genetic services. As a part of our total research program we are now supporting 150 grants totaling \$4 million in genetic research. And as a part of our medical service program we are now supporting 82 genetic services grants totaling \$2.5 million.

Today, it is to increase genetic services still further that we call for another expression of public trust. The need for and the value of these services is a matter of record. We have been... and continue to be... the major source of funds for the practice of genetic medicine and we are proud of that fact.

Most other funds for genetics, both public and private, are set aside for research only. But research is a means to an end. The knowledge and the techniques found in research only have value in application. And we cannot, in a free society, deny information and help to those who need it and ask for it in accordance with their individual conscience.

Our medical and moral commitment to genetic services remains intact. In fact, we hope that with the help of others our financial support can be multiplied many times over. The need

is much greater than we can or should continue to meet alone.

As a voluntary health agency, with limited resources, and with other programs of equal priority, our role in supporting genetic services has been one of innovation and leadership. We are still fulfilling that obligation and shall continue to do so.

Without genetic services, the hope of healthy birth can be turned into tragic shock. And many parents who are at risk of having a baby with birth defects will be denied the reassurance that their fear or feelings of guilt are needless. In other words, we believe there is an overwhelming need for screening of the high risk patients, diagnosing of chromosome abnormalities or gene malfunction, and providing prenatal evaluation and information for patients and families.

And now a few words about amniocentesis, a relatively new technique for safe and accurate prenatal diagnosis. It should be pointed out that amniocentesis is only one of the many techniques employed in our fight against more than two thousand different genetic birth defects. So, unless the current controversy over amniocentesis is placed in perspective, it can obscure the urgent need to advance our struggle against birth defects and stifle free scientific inquiry.

It is in this spirit of protecting the lives of our children that The National Foundation-March of Dimes reaffirms its support of prenatal diagnosis, including amniocentesis, for those who would benefit from it and who request it. Fully 97 per cent of the high risk women using amniocentesis find that the unborn baby does not have the suspected defect.

Therefore, amniocentesis saves thousands of babies each year. I am referring to those who might never have been born unless their parents can be reassured by an accurate scientific prenatal diagnosis. We cannot compromise our mandate by withholding life-saving techniques. We believe we should not censor scientific knowledge. We believe we must not negotiate with the trust we have given.

The Congress of the United States is considering reneating the National Child Diseases Act. We are making available to you the required to serve children. The volume of the March of Dimes work to mobilize concern and action achieve that goal. proposed restriction genetic services should be debated in the legislative process. We call on all Americans to share our faith and in this vital endeavor then we will do everything possible to continue support.

Don Rains Warns

State Representative Don Rains of San Angelo warned recently spending proposals made by Attorney General John Hill in his forecast for the foreseeable future could result in a national income tax. "Our state cannot operate in the red in the Constitution," he said. Rains means John Hill promises he won't let it means Hill will new taxes or raise taxes in order to those promises."

Rains said that he not believe that the payers of this state be strapped with political deals Hill.

Rains said that the Comptroller has estimated that a \$750 million will be available to the Legislature in January. "However, the comptroller has also estimated that four of Hill promises already at \$1.4 to \$2.2 billion current estimates."

Rains stated that he not surprised at Hill of concern about a state income tax. 1968 Hill was gubernatorial candidate who would not support of a state tax.

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A 1975 graduate of Muleshoe High School, he joined the Navy in June 1975.

Lionel Orozco

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