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WITH POLLY

Hope these Questionnaires the Chamber of Commerce mailed out will create some thought within the people of the area who are asked to answer these and mail them back, to help the Chamber of Commerce to plan Earth's growth.

I hope too, it aids the Earth businessmen to realize WE must put forth some effort too, in order to get, and hold, the area trade.

Several merchants agree we definitely need some kind of a monthly City - Wide Promotion, in order to stimulate trade. However, in order to have any kind of a promotion, WE must first have UNITY AMONG THE MERCHANTS.

Each merchant must decide with himself to go along with some sort of a town promotion (other town do) and not take so much pride in holding the town back because he doesn't want to go along with it. That sort of thing has been prominent in Earth for such a long time, each divided against the other. Or either one or two merchants are afraid they will not be Top Man on the Earth Totem Pole, if he doesn't create a reason for not going along regardless if his reason holds water or not, at least it will show he has some opinion.

Our town is a lot like the people who open the businesses, if they are sluggish and ambitious, if they are town sorta takes on that look. But if the town's business places are manned by enthusiastic people, whose ambition is to interest and please each customer, then the town will take on that sort of a gleam.

Our town is dirty, our businesses are not kept as clean as they should be, and we have sit down rather than get busy and clean-up and arouse enough interest to create business. Then take care of each customer 100 per cent.

But not us, we have given up, and set down, to gird up our belts and cut down expenses and to try to sit it out so speak, until things get better. That's fine, and commendable on our part, but with that outlook, do we want a better living than we are willing to work for ? ? ?

It's high time to look the situation over, think positive thoughts, and put power behind our thinking.

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Can't help but observe one of the little faults among the town's businessmen, and certainly with the Earth News. Is the fact that we ourselves, take up all the available parking spaces in the City for our own automobiles, which set parked all day on the street.

No wonder we lose customers, when there isn't a parking place in the town for customers to park and dash into our firms without walking several blocks.

This is not only a thoughtless act, it's an insult to customers to see businessmen's auto's parked at long lengths on the streets or parked for the day in front of their business or that of their neighbor.

It certainly is not inviting customers to trade with us. (It's daring them to trade with us, if they can).

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I'm not saying all the fault with Earth merchants not having more business, is their own fault. It sometimes is a result of giving the area people extended credit, so that they can use their money to pay cash when they go out of town. Sometimes that what happens. Earth merchants are endlessly and staggering under the load of extended credit. When people make a payment they think it is doing the merchants a favor. It is not a favor if one makes a purchase, he is obligated to pay for it. Certainly if the merchant is kind enough to give credit, the customer should be conscientious enough to meet his obligations at the date specified.

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WHOOPEE! And all those other well chosen words used to denote a glorious celebration. At last, Ross. (The High Command here at the office) has someone who can relieve him on the Linotype.

Mrs. Abe (Alene) Griffin, has proven what all women have always known, THAT A WOMAN CAN DO ANYTHING SHE SETS HER MIND TO. (especially if someone tells her she can't do it).

Alene is now manning the Linotype, leaving Ross to do a thousand and other chores that should be done daily. Alene started learning the keyboard and practicing at odd hours on the Linotype in late December.

Last week she began working on the paper, and this week she had done a great job, she has worked

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## Poynor Brothers Purchase White Auto Store, Face Lifting Underway

### Edwin O'Hair New Manager Of Earth Cleaners

Edwin moved with his parents, Cleaners took over management of the business Monday, from former lessee and Manager Eldon Trotter.

Prices for cleaning will remain the same except for a reduction in cleaning children's clothes. The business will be open from 7 a.m. until 6 p.m. except Saturday when closing time will be 7 p.m.

There will be a pick-up and delivery service in the City limits only, also all types of alterations will be done.

Edwin moved with his parents, to Earth in 1944 and served two years in the Navy. He has been engaged in farming in Castro County since 1946.

The O'Hairs have three children, Brenda, 10 who is in the fifth grade, Danny 6 and in the first grade and Billy 2 years old.

Edwin and his wife Jeanette are members of the First Baptist Church.

The Trotters will move to Littlefield where Mr. Trotter will be employed for the Littlefield Steam Laundry, as a linen service route man.

Trotter took over management of the cleaners a year ago, moving here from Littlefield.

## Four Candidates File For Alderman At Springlake

Sandy Sanderson, owner and manager of the Farm Chemical Co. in Springlake filed as a candidate this week for City Alderman.

Already on the ballot for the City Election, to be held in April for Aldermen, is A. M. McGowan, Jerry Borden, and W. B. Hucks.

To date no applicants have filed for the mayor's race.

Deadline for filing as a candidate in the election, is Thursday, February 25 at 4 p.m.

Citizens residing in the Town of Springlake for six months are eligible to file as candidates in the coming election.

Anyone desiring to run can file their applications at the City Hall in Springlake anytime before the deadline.

Election judges will be Willis assisted by Mrs. Hershell Sanders and Mrs. James Washington, as clerks.

## Neice of Local Man Dies In Lubbock

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday for Mrs. Ed Stevenson, 67, of 3305 Avenue, N. Lubbock, who died at 2 p.m. Thursday in Methodist Hospital following a brief illness.

Last rites were held in Ford Memorial Chapel with Dr. Ralph Grant, pastor of the First Baptist Church officiating, assisted by the Rev. J. T. Bolding, assistant pastor.

Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park under direction of Sanders Funeral Home.

Survivors include the husband, two daughters, Mrs. Preston Weaks, Crosbyton, and Mrs. Doris Weaks, 1514 26th St. Lubbock, three brothers, Bill Carrell, Hood River, Ore; Frank Carrell, Olustee, Okla. and Thomas Carrell, Muleshoe, four sisters, Mrs. Alma Reeder, Mc Kinney, Mrs. Etta Francis, Quanah, Mrs. Steve Waldon, Chicago, and Mrs. Cora West, Dimmitt, her step mother, Mrs. W. L. Carrell, Olustee, Okla. one granddaughter and two uncles; L. S. Griffin, Earth and Jim Griffin, Springlake.

The Griffins attended funeral services.

The Poynor Brothers of Lubbock have purchased White Auto Store from Phil Cannon and took over management of the business Monday.

A major face lifting will be given the store. Merchandise will be rearranged. The firm will be restocked storewide with a full line of tires, batteries and seat covers.

Items including, Ranges, Refrigerators, Freezers, Washers and Dryers.

A tool department will also be added to the store which will stock a complete line of tools.

The Poynor Brothers are well experienced in White Auto Stores as they are owners of Whites Stores in Slaton and Portales, New Mexico. Two of the Brothers will be in the Earth Store and will move their families to Earth in the near future.

Grand opening date will be announced later. In the meantime they invite everyone to drop by and get acquainted with them.

Phil Cannon former owner of the firm has announced he will remain in Earth and manage TV and Radio Repair shop in the back of the Whites Store.

## Northern Star Field Day Rescheduled For Thursday, February 4

Everyone in the Earth-Springlake area has been given a special invitation to the big annual Field Day Thursday, Feb. 4th, by the Northern Star Seed Farms in O'Brien, Texas.

The Field Day has been a huge success annually, and was started years ago to acquaint cotton growers with the advantages, improvements and results with Northern Star Seeds.

The program will begin at 10:30 a.m. with a Field Trip to Breeding Block to see two new selections of cotton left in field for observation.

The program will be continued at the High School Auditorium in O'Brien with a Fish Fry.

Everyone is invited to attend. The Annual Field Day was scheduled for Jan. 7, but due to bad weather it was called off and rescheduled for Feb. 4th.

## Annual County Stock Show Scheduled For Littlefield In March

Dates for the annual Lamb County Junior Livestock Show have been set for Friday and Saturday March 11 and 12. 4-H and FFA members in the County will compete for almost \$1,500 in premiums.

The third annual Shetland pony Show is also scheduled for the same dates.

The junior livestock show committee is headed by Jack Barton and other members are Dave Eaton, Ed Elliott, Ross Lumsden and Marshall Howard.

County Agent Bill Kimbrough and Asst. County Agent Herb Helbig will assist with plans and arrangements.

Barton will be manager of the show assisted by Eaton and Lumsden. Don Page Chamber manager will be the show secretary.

Superintendents of the various divisions will be as follows: swine division Floyd Burgess of Earth; sheep, W. W. Hall, Littlefield; steers, Wayne Loman, Littlefield and Doug Walden of Spade.

Skipper Smith will act as finance Chairman.

## Earth Roping Club Elect New Officers

Members of the Earth Roping Club met at 7:30 p.m. January 19 at Layman Brothers Eatery at which time Price Hamilton was re-elected president and Chester Elmore was re-elected as vice-president.

Weldon Barton was named to replace Bud Jones as secretary of the organization.

Plans were made for a steak supper for the members and their wives, to be at the Steak House February 1.

The members also plan to stack feed at the rodeo ground (Thursday) today if the weather permits.



MARLIN POYNOR

## March 5 Set For County Vote On Lamb Weed Control District

### Cottage Prayer Meets For Baptist Revival Begins Monday, Feb. 1

Cottage prayer meetings will be held Feb. 1-4, in preparation for the Revival, beginning at the First Baptist Church, Feb. 7, through 14, with Dr. Harlan Harris conducting the services.

Dates, Homes and Leaders for the services are as follows:

February 1, in home of R. S. Cole, Paul Wood, leader; Emert Rose home, J. H. Angeley, leader; M. E. Kelley home, Travis Jaquess, leader.

Wednesday night, everyone meets at Church.

Feb. 4, Eldon Davis home, Ed O'Hair leader, Cecil Meadows home, Cecil Meadows leader, T. S. Alair home, W. G. Sanderson leader, Feb. 5, Mrs. C. W. Perry, home M. E. Kelley, leader, Travis Jaquess home, J. J. Davis leader, J. H. Angeley home, Eldon Davis leader.

The suggested meeting time is 7:30 p.m. everyone is invited to attend these prayer services.

## NOTICE

Transportation will be furnished for those wishing to attend the Junior High basketball home games on Monday nights. A bus will run 15 to 20 minutes before game time. Meeting place will be across the street from the Drug Store.

THREE DAYS LEFT TO PAY POLL TAXES

Only three days are left to pay Poll Tax. Have you paid YOURS? Poll Tax Receipts can be obtained at Quicksall - Pryor Co. Barton Bros. Butane, Earth Barber Shop and City Hall.

The lock on the Springlake Community building has been changed and anyone wishing to use the building must make reservations one week in advance and call at the City Office for the key. Those using the building will be required to turn off the water and the fires.

OPEN INSTALLATION

Miss Susann Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Davis will be installed at Open Installation as Worthy Advisor of the Earth Rainbow for Girls Assembly Monday, February 1 at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Lodge Hall.

The installation will be open to the public.

The FHA - Home Ex. No. 3 girls style show and Baby contest formerly scheduled to be staged Jan. 28, in the Springlake school auditorium has been postponed until 7:30 p.m. February 4.

## Springlake Lions Will Sell Safety To Farmers In The Area On Friday

The Springlake Lions Club will begin a house to house canvass of the Pleasant Valley, Otton, Springlake, Earth and the rural areas Friday morning for the purpose of selling Irrigation Well Drive Shaft Shields.

Proceeds will go into the Springlake Lions Club fund to be used for various projects, including tennis courts at the school, scholarships and the Lions Crippled Children's Camp at Kerrville.

The shields are a Farm Safety Device to prevent accidents. They are expanded metal shields that cover the drive shaft to prevent anyone from becoming hung in the drive shaft.

The shields will be installed free by members of the Lions Club. This safety device is being sold with a two-fold purpose in mind. It is a much needed farm accident prevention, and too, the proceeds from the sales will be used beneficially for community projects and worthwhile donations.

## Five Area Telephone Cooperative To Hold Annual Meeting February 3

### March Of Dimes Porchlight Drive Nets \$100 In Earth

The mother's March of Dimes Porch Light drive which was staged Thursday, sponsored by the Altrui Study Club netted \$100.63 according to a statement made by Mrs. Carroll Mc Donald.

Those helping with the drive were LaDon Messer, Mesdames Marcus Messer, Dutch Been, Lynn Glascock, Doug Parish, Ronnie Smith, David Cearley, Eugene Lee and Mrs. Carroll Mc Donald.

### CAFES TO DONATE COFFEE MONEY

Earth Cafes will donate one day's coffee money to the March of Dimes.

No certain date has been set for the donation, but each owner will pick the day he would like to donate the coffee money for that day.

The March of Dimes Drive will extend through January. Posters and containers for the benefit of the public in contributing to the Polio fund have been placed in all the business places in Earth and Springlake.

Carroll Mc Donald is chairman of the surrounding area again this year.

## Enlistment Program Now Underway At Methodist Church

The Total Enlistment Program got underway Sunday morning at the Earth Methodist Church with Dr. E. D. Landreth doing the preaching at the morning and evening worship hour. "Living for Jesus" and "Sweet Hour of Prayer" was the special music presented by the Choir.

Breakfast is being served by the Methodist men each morning this week, Monday through Friday at 7 a.m.

Services are held twice daily at 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

A twenty-four hour prayer vigil will begin Friday at 12 o'clock and continue until midnight, Saturday at which time there will be constant prayer at the Church, also the ladies are having cottage prayer meetings.

Make your plans to be a part of the "Total Enlistment Program."

## Officers Of County Teachers Met Friday

The executive-committee of the Lamb County Teachers met in Sudan Friday, January 22, at 2 p.m.

Officers present were: President Mrs. Maxine Nichols, Sudan, 1st. Vice president Jim Caley, Otton, 2nd Vice president, Mr. H. A. Carter, Amherst; Secretary Mrs. Gladys Parish, Springlake, and past president, James Pirky of Littlefield.

Nominating committee was selected, books were audited, and annual report prepared.

Plans were made for the next general teacher's meeting at Otton February 15 at which time the guest speaker will be Delbert Dowling of Midland, Texas.

The annual meeting of the Five Area Telephone Cooperative will be held February 3, at 2 p.m., in the District Courtroom, Bailey County Courthouse, Muleshoe, Texas. The members will be given a financial report, progress report, elect four directors, appoint nominating committee for 1961, and take action on any other matters that might come before the meeting.

Coy McDougald, representative of REA will address the group. More than \$400 in prize will be given away.

Nominees for directors are: W. B. Harlan, B.H. Black, District I, O. M. Jennings, L. M. Hardage, District II, J. H. Angeley, Oliver Tunnell District III, and W. R. Damron, T. L. Harper, District IV.

The nominating committee appointed at the annual meeting in 1959 consisting of F. A. Grimsley, Willie Steinbock, Jack Hinson, and W. E. Goforth made three nominations on January 12, 1960.

## Last Rites Held Saturday For Jim Billingsley

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Saturday at the First Christian Church at Lamesa for James Andrew (Jim) Billingsley who died at 5 p.m. Wednesday in Houston following a heart attack.

Higgonbatham Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

Billingsley had made his home in Houston since December and was a livestock buyer. He was a member of a well-known Dawson County family, having been a native of Lamesa. He graduated from Lamesa High School where he was a member of the football and basketball teams.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Amy 5 and Emily 1, Lamesa; and six sisters, Mrs. Hack Goodloe, Mrs. Lester Neimeyer, Mrs. C. J. Stewart, Mrs. Vernon Bratcher, all of Lamesa; Mrs. George Gable Dimmitt, and Mrs. Bill Mc Bride, Biglake, who formerly lived at Earth.

## Community Basketball Tournament Scheduled Feb. 4-5-6

Plans are being made for the Community Basketball Tournament to be held each night of Feb. 4, 5, and 6th at the Springlake High School Gym.

There will be eight mens teams and four ladies teams, with two mens and one womens game each night of the tournament.

The eight mens' teams and their Captains have already been chosen with seven men on each team. Marcus Messer is in charge of the teams and asked that anyone wishing to play or have a womens' team, to please contact him as soon as possible so that arrangements can be completed.

Visitors over the week-end in the home of Mrs. J. S. Henderson and her sister Mrs. Bertha Chancellor were: Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Nelson, Uvalde, Mr. and Mrs. S.T. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Flinn, Clovis, N.M. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carter, Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. S.R. Chancellor of Littlefield.

# Sunnyside News -

by TEENY BOWDEN

Eldon Lilley was admitted to the Deaf Smith County Hospital in Heford last Sunday with the flu. He was dismissed Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. McRee left Wednesday for a three week vacation in Florida.

A birthday dinner honoring Mrs. Alton Loudder was enjoyed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ott last Friday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Ott and boys of Big Square, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mitchell and family of Springlake, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Loudder, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ott of Heford and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ott of Dimmitt.

The W.M.S. met Wednesday night for the General Missionary Program with Mrs. Roy Phelan in charge.

Mark Loudder of Clayton, visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Loudder, Leslie and Alton Loudder.

Alonso Ferguson of Truth or Consequences, N. M. visited in the community Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Herriage and Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Taylor returned from their trip to Arizona Thursday.

Mrs. Cecil Curtis conducted the first lesson of the basic dressmaking course in her home Thursday afternoon. Those present were: Mrs. Weldon Bradley, Mrs. Tex Conard, Mrs. Robert Paschal, Mrs. Alford Crisp, Mrs. Houston Carson.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley and family visited in Plainview Tuesday night with Omata Bradley and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tex Conard, Mr.

and Mrs. Ezell Sadler and David, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley, Ed Duke and Robert Duke attended the Wheat Growers meeting in Dimmitt Thursday night. The film on the Alaskan tour was shown.

Johnna Hastings of Dimmitt spent Thursday night with Molley Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bridges and boys of Earth visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dent Bradley and family of Dimmitt Saturday. Molley stayed with Kay for the weekend. Ray Bradley returned to spend the week-end with Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnsey Little and family from Phoenix, Arizona moved into the community this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Morris in Halfway Friday.

Mrs. A. L. Aven of Hart visited Hart visited Thursday through Saturday through Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Houston Carson.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmer McMillian and family of Muleshoe spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waagener and family. Mr. and Mrs. Garner Ball and family of Olton visited with them Sunday afternoon.

W. E. Loudder and Alton Loudder visited in Plainview Sunday morning with Bill McWilliams.

Mrs. J. T. Holcomb was admitted to West Texas Hospital in Lubbock Sunday afternoon with severe headaches.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelan and family and Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Phelan and family visited in Halfway Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Morris.

Sixty-nine attended Sunday School with 45 in Training Union Sunday.

A few are still sick with the flu and colds, but the majority are better.

## Plant Disease Of The Week Crown Gall of Ornamentals

Crown gall disease occurs in all areas of Texas, but is of a problem in areas of limited rainfall. Many people discover the disease on dead shrubs or trees when replanting. Galls up to the size of walnuts or larger are present on roots or the stem at the ground line. Affected plants lack vigor and may die during a period of several months or years. A die-back condition of limbs may be present before the trees or shrubs die.

The disease is caused by a certain species of bacterium. The disease occurs frequently on apple, blackberry, camellia, catalpa, cottonwood, euonymus, gardenia, hibiscus, ligustrum, peach, poplar, rose and many others.

Chemical and cultural practices are used to cure or prevent crown gall. County extension agents can supply additional information on the disease.

Now is the time for ALL good Citizens to pay their POLL TAX!



# Pleasant Valley News

By MRS. JOHN WEST

The Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration Club met Jan. 21 at 2:30 in the Community Center with 13 members and 2 visitors present. Bertha Daniels led the opening exercise game. Glynn Burham was elected treasurer. Our Home Demonstration agent, Mrs. Phillips had a very interesting and helpful program on color, line and fabric in clothing. The hostesses Bertha Daniels and Gladys Moore served refreshments to: Glynn Burham, Dolores Duncan, Mildred Kendrick, Mildred Stewart, Betty Wislan, Ethel Frye, Lena Taylor, Elsie Detwiler, Glenda Haley, Alma Turner, Sena Stevens, and our visitors Hazel West and Clara Phillips.

Martha Wuerflein and Berry Morgan spent Friday with Mrs. Lillie Wuerflein and sons.

F. A. Andreas of Ft. Sumner, N. M. visited in the community last Friday.

Mrs. Bonnie Haberer taught temporarily last week in Springlake School for Miss. Wright who resigned as Business teacher.

There was a good attendance at the second session of the 42 Tournament Sat. night. The second session will be Feb. 13.

Mrs. Bonnie Haberer appeared on the KGNC Farm and Home Program preceding a luncheon and the premier of the film "The Artistic Adventure" she was accompanied to Amarillo by her son Ted.

Mrs. Lillie Wuerflein took her son Frank to Lubbock Monday for medical treatment.

Mrs. T. E. Bills spent Monday in Odessa.

Nearly every family in the community has had at least one case of the flu.

Sandie Dunham of Kermit is visiting with her grandparents the B. H. Bickles.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Lackey and children of Mirton were Sunday guests of the D. W. Lackeys.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor went to Brownfield Sunday to a surprise birthday party honoring Mrs. Taylor's sister Mrs. Vashti Castleberry.

Nan Allison has gone back to year. Nan has recently been in WTS to finish her Sophomore titled into Upsilon Veta Chapter of Chi Omega Fraternity a nation.

## Texas Cotton Growers Cut Costs With Machines - Chemicals

COLLEGE STATION — Texas cotton producers saved an estimated \$55.5 million by harvesting about half of their crop with machines. Another \$13.9 million was saved by using machines and chemicals for controlling grass and weeds in their fields, reports Fred C. Elliott, extension cotton specialist.

While these savings were being made, they also posted the State's second highest yield of lint per acre, 337 pounds. The 7-Step Cotton Program, initiated 14 years ago by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, has been a major factor in the progress made by the growers of the State's most important crop, believes Elliott.

The program brought together on the county and state basis committees representing every segment of the cotton industry and all have worked for its improvement. Since 1946, the average lint yield per harvested acre has increased from 134 pounds to the 1959 yield of 337 pounds.

Last year county agents in 205 counties assisted producers with various phases of the 7-Step Program. Emphasis was placed on the use of cotton burs for soil improvement and to reduce gin fires. Burs

ally known organization. The ceremony was held in Cousins Hall on January 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Turner of Lubbock visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Briscoe and other relatives in the community over the weekend.

were spread on 8,323 farms in 138 counties. A few years ago most of the burs were burned as waste, Elliott noted.

There was a marked increase in the use of defoliants and desiccants and machine harvesting in 1959 over 1958. Harvest aid chemicals were used on 58,236 farms in 167 counties as compared to 37,885 farms in 162 counties in 1958.

In posting the \$69 million plus savings in labor, producers used 29,236 stripper harvesters and 3,280 spindle pickers in 143 and 100 counties, respectively. The weed and grass control savings were made through the use of 43,378 rotary hoe equipped tractors in 166 counties, the use of oiling of Johnson grass on 150,834 acres in 155 counties, and the spot spraying of Johnson grass with water carried chemicals on 50,532 acres in 125 counties. Lateral oiling with post emergence chemicals for weed control was in 56 counties.

Full credit, says the specialist, goes to the county 7-Step Committees and the county agents of Texas for the achievements made under the program. Their contributions concludes Elliott, to this cooperative effort have materially strengthened the economy of Texas.

Mrs. Naomi Welch of Portales, N.M. and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Stepp of Lubbock were in Earth last Friday.

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## Party Line...

Mrs. David Staggs, Junie and Janie and Mrs. Jim Bitner of Borger were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hooten and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sloan from Friday until Sunday.

Now is the time for ALL good Citizens to pay their POLL TAX!

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kellogg, Wanda and Rhonda were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Clark.

Martha Elmore spent Saturday night and Sunday in Plainview with her brother Mr. and Mrs. Bud Elmore.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Sigman and La Donna visited over the weekend in Luvanna with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Waddell.

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# Edwin O'Hair

TOOK OVER MANAGEMENT MONDAY OF THE

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# ANNOUNCING

A Complete New Face Lifting For  
**WHITE AUTO STORE**



MARLIN POYNOR

The Firm Was  
**PURCHASED SATURDAY**

By The  
**POYNOR BROTHERS**

Of Lubbock, Who Took Over Management Of The Store Monday . . .

Storewide, The Firm Will Be Rearranged and Restocked With  
**Tires - Batteries - Seat Covers**

Also New '60 Model Appliances  
Ranges - Refrigerators - Freezers - Washers - Dryers

WE ARE SETTING UP A COMPLETE NEW  
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OUR BIG FORMAL OPENING DATE WILL BE ANNOUNCED LATER, AFTER THE STORE IS MADE READY . . . We  
Invite You To Drop In And Get Acquainted . . .

# **PAY YOUR POLL TAX**

**And Exercise**

**Your Right To Vote**

# Women's Page

PHONE 4871

## XIT Study Club To Furnish Substitute Teachers While Faculty Visit Schools

The regular meeting of the XIT Study Club was held Tuesday at 2 p.m. in the Springlake School auditorium with eight members present.

The program scheduled for that time was cancelled due to the High School girls attending the FHA Style Show which was held in Lubbock on that day.

During a short business meeting the members discussed the "Teacher of the year award." They also voted to pay \$150.00 on the tennis courts, which cleared the clubs indebtedness on the project.

Beginning this week, Wednesday, three elementary teachers visited school in Tulia and Littlefield.

Mr. Ray, Mr. Moore and Mrs.

Sandy Sanderson, fifth grade teachers were the visiting teacher for this week, while local parents, Mrs. Gayle Jones, Mrs. Babe Watson and Mrs. Ann Kelley were substitute teachers for this venture.

This has been practiced by the local schools to a limited extent for the past three years and serves a two-fold purpose in that:

1. It gives teachers a chance to learn new and different teaching methods that are presently being used.

2. It gives parents the opportunity to observe the problems being encountered daily by the teachers.

A person does not have to be a college graduate to render service as a substitute teacher. Anyone



MRS. LOLA SLOAN — Is the new Society Editor for the Earth News-Sun. She took over duties as reporter in early January. Mrs. Sloan's voice will become familiar to area residents, as she will be calling for news. She invites anyone who has news to report to please call in, if she fails to call each of you weekly. Mrs. Sloan has been a resident of Earth for 26 years. Her husband is engaged in carpentry work.

Interested in serving as a substitute teacher for a day may call 3459 as more parents are needed for this service.

This practice will continue until all teachers who are interested, has the opportunity to visit other schools.

### HELLO WORLD!



Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Loudder are the parents of a baby boy born at 9:17 p.m. Monday in the Littlefield Hospital. The baby weighed 7 lbs. 5oz.

The Loudders have another son, Lance, who is 3 years old. Mr. Loudder farms north of Earth.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Loudder and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kirkwood of Canyon proudly announce the arrival of a baby girl, born Monday, Jan. 18.

The little girl weighed 8 lbs. and 10ozs. and was named Lissia Kay.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kirkwood of Stratford and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Sanderson of Earth.

## WMU Studies Mission Work In Cuba

Members of the WMU met at the Baptist Church Tuesday afternoon at 2:30, their program being "What Hast Thou Given" involving Mission work in Cuba.

The devotional was by Mrs. R. S. Cole, her topic for discussion was Gods Storehouse.

"The Church as a Storehouse" was discussed by Mrs. Guy F. Kelley and Mrs. Lillie Wuertlein's discussion was "The Baptist Temple a Cuban Storehouse."

"Witnesses from the Storehouse" was given by Mrs. T. S. Alair; "Tithes and Gifts" by Mrs. Elton Schaeffer.

"Products from the Storehouse" was discussed by Mrs. Price Hamilton and "What Hast Thou Given" was by Mrs. R. S. Cole.

Mrs. Roy Taylor was also present. The ladies had a brief business meeting at the close of the program.

## Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Huff and Donald visited Sunday in Andrews with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Warden.

Golfing businessmen often feel that if they shoot above par they are neglecting their golf; and if they shoot below par they are neglecting their business.

### NOTICE

A pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Robert Riley will be held Tuesday, Feb. 2, from 3 to 5 (come and stay) in the home of Mrs. J. T. Gibson, two and one half miles east of Springlake on highway 70. Everyone is invited.

## Verna Martin Is Bride Of R. C. Davis, Jr.

Miss Verna Martin and R. C. Davis Jr. exchanged wedding vows at 9:30 a.m. Monday, January 25, in the First Baptist parsonage in Muleshoe. Rev. J. M. Moore, pastor of the Baptist Church, Muleshoe read the vows.

The bride wore a street length, black and white dress, with velvet collar. Bride attendants were Glennas Lowe, La Vonne Giles and Elizabeth McGuire, sister of the bride.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest E. Martin of Muleshoe and attended school in Muleshoe.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Davis Sr. of Earth and attended Springlake school and is now engaged in farming.

The couple will reside on north Fir Street in Earth.

## Shower Monday, Honors Mrs. R. C. Davis

A bridal shower honoring Mrs. R. C. Davis Jr. was held Monday, January 25, from 4 to 6 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Bruce Higgins.

The serving table was laid with a white cut-work linen cloth centered with a miniature bride underneath an archway flanked with stephanotis and white candles.

Presiding at the serving table were Peggy Davis, Peggy Stansell and Eleanor Riley, who served red punch and angle food cake topped with red roses. Tiny mints were served from a crystal bowl entwined with white satin ribbon with the couples names, Verna and R. C. imprinted with red letters.

Hostesses were medames: Arnold Shelby, R. H. Belew, Bill Stockard, Bill Lee, Eldon Davis, J. B. Thomas, J. D. Cochran, R. S. Cole, Firch Riley, Neal Webb, Chester Elmore, Melton Welch and Mrs. Bruce Higgins.

Cullen Hay visited Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Seymour Thursday afternoon.

## Party Line...

Mrs. James Martin and children of Brownwood visited Monday, with her sister-in-law Mrs. R. S. Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Griffin visited the L. E. Sloans Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Gene Howard and children of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Cearley and sons of Lovington N.M. were week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Carter visited Mrs. J. S. Henderson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hyde, Mrs. Jack Hinson and Mrs. Floyd Bills were visitors of Mrs. J. S. Henderson Monday.

The Baptist Training union members met Tuesday, Jan. 26, at 7: p.m. in the home of Mrs. Travis Jaquess. Mrs. Jaquess and Harris Ray planned the program for union 2, of the adult Baptist Training Union, for the month of Feb.

Harriet and Catherine Ray and Alice Jaquess planned the program for the junior class for February and March.

## Richard Moore Participates In Germany Drills

Army PFC Richard E. Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Moore, Route 1, Muleshoe is participating in a six week field training in Grafenwohr, Germany. The exercise is scheduled to be concluded February 10.

The training which will be climaxed by a mock war pitting armored, artillery, aircraft and infantry units against realistic aggressor forces, is designed to test the combat readiness of the 3rd. Armored Division, a major part of the NATO shield of defense in Europe.

Moore, a driver in Company C of the division's 36th Infantry, entered the Army in October 1958, completed basic training at Fort Carson, Colo. and arrived overseas last May.

The 19 year old soldier graduated from Springlake High School in 1958 and was engaged in farming before entering the Army.

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## Cotton Situation A Look At Cotton Situation

COLLEGE STATION — The cotton supply in the United States during the current season, August 1, 1959 to July 1, 1960, is estimated at 23.7 million bales, about 3.4 million over that of 1958-59.

One reason for the increase in supply, said John McHaney, extension economist, is that the 1959 crop was about 3.3 million bales over 1958 because of larger acreage and a record yield of 474 pounds per acre. The larger acreage was due to the ending of the acreage reserve program which took five million acres of cotton and out of production in 1958. The Choice B support program also increased the supply in that it added about one million acres to 1959 allotment.

Of the 15 million bale disappearance expected to be about 5.6 million bales, double that of last season. One reason for this increase in exports is a decline in foreign free world production. The economist said even though the foreign production decline is estimated to be only two percent of 1958-59 production, such a decline alone could mean an increase in U. S. exports of about 14 percent over last year. This, he emphasized, illustrates what happens in the long run if U. S. prices are maintained at relatively low levels. Other reasons for the export increase are an increase in cotton consumption and relatively low cotton stocks in the foreign free world.

Domestic consumption of cotton during 1959-60 is expected to be about 9 million bales compared to 8.7 million a year earlier due to a higher level of economic activity and the replenishment of the low level stock of textiles. The economist pointed out that the lower cotton prices may have also stimulated consumption to some extent. However, the effect of prices on cotton consumption is usually a long-term factor. He noted also that the minimum prices stipulated by the current price support program should help the future competitive position of cotton. Research and promotion, however, will have to continue their part in the future, along with lower prices at domestic mills for cotton. McHaney added that competition from man-made fibers continues strong and could be stronger if cotton prices were higher.

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## Conservation Work In State Made Real Progress In 1959

A year-end summary of conservation educational activities carried out during 1959 in Texas shows that real progress was made, says Jack H. Barton, extension soil and water conservation specialist. The summary was compiled by Barton from the 1959 annual reports of the State's county agricultural agents.

The specialist said that team work and understanding between the supervisors of the Soil Conservation Districts and the county agents of Texas were largely responsible for the progress made in educational activities. These activities included meetings, tours and contests, educational exhibits and demonstrations, preparation of newspaper and magazine stories, presentation of radio and television programs, distribution of printed material, and meetings involving SCD supervisors and county agents.

All educational activities showed good increases, Barton said. Outstanding increases were noted in the use of educational exhibits and demonstrations, printed materials for futher conservation work, he noted.

Barton pointed out that the 177 soil conservation districts of Texas now cover approximately 98 percent of the farm and ranch lands and that the districts are the medium through which local residents can promote their own soil, water and plant conservation program.

Each of the districts, he added, is a self-governed, State subdivision established by the district residents through popular vote. They concentrate the authority in the local community and exercise it by democratic methods. A local district is supervised by a five-man board, and are elected public officials of a subdivision of the State government.

The Texas Legislature in 1940 authorized the creation of Soil Conservation Districts as an aid to carrying out the State Constitution as it relates to the conservation of soil and water resources, and to promote and protect the health, safety, and general welfare of the people of Texas.

## Pork and Oranges Head USDA's Plentiful Foods

Abundant supplies of pork, oranges and orange products are in prospect for February.

These are the featured items on the U. S. Department of Agriculture's list of plentiful foods this month, according to the Texts Agricultural Extension Service, College Station.

Also plentiful in February will be broiler-fryers, lamb, lard, eggs and peanuts and peanut products. Other fruits and vegetables on the list are cabbage, carrots, sweetpotatoes, onions, grapefruit, cranberry products and raisins. This is the season when many fresh fruits and vegetables are being harvested in Texas orchards and gardens. The state's orange crop is the best since the big freeze of nine years ago—36 percent larger than last year, according to estimates of the Agricultural Marketing Service.

USDA's list of plentiful foods



JUNIOR CLASS FAVORITES — Posing as excellent snooker players, these two Junior Students were chosen recently as favorites of their class. They are Sandy Sanders, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sanders, and Linda Sanderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Sanderson.

## Recharge Well Proving To Be Very Successful

Approximately 26,081,600 gallons of water, which amounted to 80 acre feet, were recharged during a seven month period in 1959 at the High Plains Research Foundation at Halfway. This water flowed by gravity from the Playa Lake into the underground sand through an irrigation well with a pipe inlet from the lake. There were 26 acre feet pumped from this well for irrigation during this period which amounted to one third of the amount recharged. This means that 54 acre feet are available for irrigation in the next pumping period, James Valliant, water engineer for the Foundation reported today.

"There are many benefits to be realized from the establishment of a recharge well," Mr. Jim Valliant said. "In actual dollars, based on \$65.00 an acre foot applied to cotton, the water is valued at \$5,290.00. However, this does not start to tell the complete value of recharging. The land which is drained can be put into cultivation in most years, the water level in the sands in the immediate area is built up and the pump does not have to be lowered because of an over-pumped formation. The life of the water in the formation is prolonged due to this abundance of recharged water added to the underground supply.

Recharge of water into the underground sand presents the problem of silting the formation. Pumping of the well one hour in each 24 hours of recharge activity is the procedure practiced at Halfway. Plans for a filter study to reduce silt and tests of flocculating materials are included in the 1960 program.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hooten and L. E. Sloan spent Friday in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Hooten.

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is prepared each month by AMS food distribution workers, in cooperation with growers and members of the food trade. The list includes items that are in larger-than-normal supply.

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## Plains Cotton Growers Plan Tour of Mill

Eight reservations have already been made for the Plains Cotton Growers Textile Mill Tour to the Winston Salem, N. C. area March 1-4, PCG officials announced today.

The tour is being sponsored by the PCG in cooperation with the American Cotton Manufacturers Institute. Plans call for the group to leave Lubbock at 8 A.M. on March 1 by chartered airliner and fly to Winston Salem. The group will be met there by officials of ACMI and representatives of textile mills in the area. They will

Hale, Hockley, Howard, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Martin, Mitchell, Terry and Yoakum.

Taking the 1960 census. Nationally will require the services of 160,000 enumerators, 10,000 crew leaders and 400 district supervisors all temporary workers. The district supervisors, working under the general direction of the permanent regional field directors, are responsible for all phases of the census in their district. Duties of the district supervisor include the recruiting of the crew leaders, obtaining space for crew leader training, recruiting and training a small office staff, reviewing the completed questionnaires, and direct supervision of the field canvass which begins April 1.

Prior to the start of the census, all households will receive in the mail an advance Census Report Form, which is a new census-taking device, designed to speed up the field canvass and provide more accurate statistics. Distribution of this form, which contains the basic population and housing questions, gives the family a chance to assemble information about each member in advance of the Census takers visit.

## Dry or Liquid Fertilizers Good Sources of Plant Food

The use of liquid fertilizers is becoming wide spread and they are proving to be a good source of plant nutrients. But, says W. F. Bennett, extension soil chemist, liquid and dry fertilizers are generally of equal value for improving crop yields.

A summary of 27 experiments in spend March 2 and 3 visiting mills in that vicinity and leave Winston Salem at 8 A.M. March 4 for a return flight to Lubbock.

The tour is open to any farmer or allied cotton businessman or woman. Several reservations for farmers and their wives have already been made.

Total cost of the tour is not expected to exceed \$200. A definite cost figure will be announced as complete arrangements for an airplane are made. A \$50 deposit should accompany each reservation and checks should be made out to Plains Cotton Growers Mill Tour. All reservations can be made at the PCG office, 1726 Avenue M, Lubbock, phone PORTER 2-0553.

Reservations will be accepted on a first-come basis and only as many people as the airplane will hold can be accommodated. It is now estimated approximately 50 people will make the trip.

which liquid and solid fertilizers were compared showed little difference. The experiments covered a wide area and the same methods of application were used. In only three instances liquid fertilizers produced greater yields than did the solid or dry plant food. In one instance, greater yields resulted from the use of solid or dry fertilizers. In these cases, Bennett said, differences in yields were small and were not apparent on the same soil type in succeeding years.

The main considerations for making a determination of which type of plant food to use are cost and ease of handling and application. In some areas the costs are comparable, but in others, buyers will find price differences. A little shipping will show these differences, adds the chemist.

Generally, liquid fertilizers are easier to handle and apply, provided proper equipment is available. On the other hand, points out Bennett, storage tanks and special applicators required with liquids are not required when dry fertilizers are used.

From the standpoint of increased crop yields, either type of plant food, if used in the correct amounts and properly applied, should give equal results, Bennett said.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Loftis and Mr. and Mrs. Barnhart of Kress were callers in the R. C. Hooten home Sunday afternoon.

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# Notice of Annual Meeting of Members



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**Wednesday, February 3**  
**2 P. M.**

### TO TAKE ACTION UPON THE FOLLOWING

1. Give members a Financial Report, Progress Report and general condition of the Cooperative.
2. Elect four Directors.
3. Appoint a Nominating Committee for Annual Meeting to be held in 1961.
4. Consider and take action upon any other matters that might be presented or come before the meeting.

In connection with election of four Directors, the following members have been nominated.

District No. 1.	District No. 2	District No. 3	District No. 4
W. B. HARLIN Route 2 Muleshoe, Tex.	O. M. JENNINGS Route 1 Muleshoe, Tex.	J. H. ANGELEY Route 4 Muleshoe, Tex.	W. R. DAMRON Box 44 Circleback, Tex.
B. H. BLACK Route 2, Box 35 Muleshoe, Tex.	L. M. HARDAGE Route 3 Muleshoe, Tex.	Oliver Tunnell Route 4 Muleshoe, Tex.	T. L. HARPER Box 61 Bula, Tex.

Additional nominations for directors may be made at the meeting. Four hundred dollars (\$400) worth of prizes will be given at the meeting.

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Those enjoying the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Abe Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCaskill, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hodge, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Price, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Powell, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Williamson and the host and hostess.

Delicious refreshments of chocolate and pecan pie, nuts and coffee was served to the group. —PL—

Mr. and Mrs. Jos Lee Campbell of Waco visited from Friday until Monday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. B. Campbell. —PL—

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cearley returned home Monday from Martha, Okla., where they visited a week after taking her mother Mrs. R. I. Dougaty home. —PL—

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## Weekly Stock Market Round-Up

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### METALS IN A NEW ERA

Investor interest in 1959 focused on the "space age" primarily through the purchase of electronic stocks, many of which had spectacular runups in market values. In seeking stocks for 1960 a participation in what might prove to be an outstanding scientific year we direct the reader's attention to those companies engaged in research and production of various important metals and alloys. Important characteristics that are required for metals of the future are heat resistance, lightness, hardness and resistance to radiation and we shall endeavor in this study to discuss several companies now engaged in the production of such metals.

The forecasts for 1960 indicate a record business year and most metals should do well notably the steels and non-ferrous metals, such as aluminum and copper. Even demand for lead and zinc is expected to improve somewhat. This letter, however, concerns itself with the lesser-known metals the use of which is still relatively small but could increase considerably in the coming years. In the past, the use of these rare metals has been limited for several reasons: the high cost of production; technical difficulties in obtaining pure metals and creating markets to insure sufficient demand so that large quantities might be produced economically.

Forerunner of the light metals gaining increasing use is magnesium. The belief is that if the cost of this metal could be reduced two to three cents a pound, the demand would increase significantly. Dow Chemical is the principal company in the field, although Calumet & Hecla as a businessman's risk and Brooks & Perkins as a speculation stand to benefit.

### Jehovah's Witnesses Training Program In Lubbock

Lloyd Lowery, presiding minister for Jehovah's Witnesses in Littlefield, said all local meetings at the Kingdom Hall are being cancelled for the three-day training program at Fair Park Coliseum in Lubbock, Jan. 29-31.

They are expecting about 500 witness ministers from Texas Circuit No. 9, which circuit embraces parts of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, according to Lowery.

"Jehovah's Witnesses' organization," Lowery said, "is designed to cultivate and train in 'Doing the Divine Will' which will be the point of discussion at this assembly."

Speaking of Jehovah's Witnesses as being a society of ministers, Lowery explained, "We consider

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## Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Williamson and Ronnie visited Sunday, in Seminola, with his brothers D. M. and R. L. Williamson. They also visited in Hobbs, N. M. —PL—

Mrs. Billy Maples and Mrs. Sarah Clark were in Littlefield Monday afternoon. —PL—

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Cole and family visited in Denver City with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bills. Jennetta Kaye returned home with them to spend a few days. —PL—

Mrs. Clay Beavers was in Amarillo last week visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Beavers. While there she was at the bedside of her grandson David Beavers who received a tonsillectomy Tues. —PL—

Doyle Bills left Tuesday for Houston where he will attend the University of Houston this semester. —PL—

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Glasscock and Rocky visited in Lubbock Sunday with her brother Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Williams and Randy. —PL—

Tommy Powers is visiting his sister Mrs. Clyde Knight. Tommy was discharged from the army about 10 days ago after serving the past 18 months in Germany. —PL—

Carol Hamilton and Deloris Hess both students and room mates at Texas Tech, Lubbock visited friends in Ft. Worth, over the week-end. —PL—

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kelley returned home last Thursday after visiting in Marlow, Okla. with her mother Mrs. J. C. Green and other relatives. —PL—

Mrs. Enos Harper returned home from the Methodist Hospital Thursday of last week. Her condition is reported good, after undergoing surgery. —PL—

### LEGAL NOTICE

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

STATE OF TEXAS: COUNTY OF LAMB:

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Lamb County, Texas will receive bids for purchase of the following described equipment for Precinct No. 2 of Lamb County, Texas, until 10:00 o'clock A. M. on Saturday, January 30, 1960, being the regular January term, 1960, of said court; at which time all bids will be opened and read aloud; said bids for purchase of the equipment described as follows:

One (1) new diesel powered crawler tractor shovel unit weighing not less than 19,500 lbs.; engine to be with four or more cylinders with full pressure lubrication not less than 71 flywheel horsepower, and equipped with push button electric starting controlled from the seat, general purpose, standard, heavy duty bucket of 1 1/2 Cu. Yd. capacity, and hydraulic operated and a lift circuit for raise, lower, hold float controls, and tilt back, hold and dump for bucket controls, bucket to have a digging or break out force of approximately 18,000 lbs. or more.

Payment for above machine will be made in cash. All bids shall be sealed when presented or filed, and will be opened at the above date and time. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

This 11th day of January, 1960.  
PAT BOONE, JR.  
County Judge,  
Lamb County, Texas.  
(Published in the Earth News-Sun, Thursday, January 21, 28, 1960)

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## NOSIN.....

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steady setting galley after galley of type.

Which goes to prove fellows, "That you can't win, when you challenge a woman by bettin her she can't do a job." (Abe you and Frank might as well pay the bet. Abe has learned the Lino-type).

— nosin' —

I'm not quite sure Cheryl Foster will ever quite attain the heights at playing basketball with which her excited parents expect her to. Apparently they were both toponch basketball players during their school days, because they tallied up the plays in which Cheryl could have played a little better. (It just may be though, those right plays may be harder to do on the court than on the side-line).

## Wolverines Wearing New Grid Jackets

Letter jackets were presented to 32 members of the Springlake football team Thursday morning during a high school assembly. They were:

First year lettermen: Larry Tunnel, Glenn Bulls, Reuben Estrada, Eddie Townsend, Dale Dent, Leslis Lewis, Ray Hoooley, Boyd Clayton, Freddie Robnett, Dickie Autry, Troy Layman, Cary Latham, Bobby Sloan, Jerry Taylor, Don Sanders, Johnny Anderson, Darrell Bartow and Raymond Jenkins.

Second year lettermen: Hal Hudson, Jack Scheller, Robert Cortez, Stanley Irvine, Ronnie Johnson, Dale Montgomery and Carl Sanderson.

Third year men: Sandy Sanders, Mike Stockard, and Bill Starkey.

Fourth year squadmen includes: Norman Clayton, Joe Ellis, Tom Messer and Rayburn Ott.

Coaches: Townsend, David Allen and Elton Davis and Superintendent, Bill Mann also received jackets.

## Sudan Hosts Saturday To Area Band Session

The Sudan Schools were hosts for a reading band session Saturday. Students from Olton, Muleshoe, Amberst, Sudan and Springlake composed the 96 piece band. The purpose of the session was to familiarize students and directors with contest music in 1 - 2 - 3 and 4.

The numbers played by the reading band were selected from the Interscholastic League prescribed music list to be used at the Interscholastic League concert contests to be held April 29.

Approximately 150 band students and directors attended the event, including Dean Killion, director of the Texas Tech Band.

Twenty students from the Springlake Wolverine Band participated.

## Party Line.....

Mrs. Bud Elmore of Plainview spent Saturday with her mother Mrs. L. E. Sloan.

Now is the time for ALL good Citizens to pay their POLL TAX!

## Pay Your Poll Tax NOW!

January 31 falls on Sunday  
Deadline for Paying Poll Tax is Saturday, January 30.

## Bowling

### STANDINGS

#### EARTH - SPRINGLAKE MEN'S LEAGUE

TEAM	Won	Lost
Farm Chemical	42	18
Paul's Super Mkt.	35	25
Farmers Union	31	29
Watson Bros.	30	30
Earth Machine	29	31
Elroy's 66	26	34
Earth Jaycees	24	36
EarthButane	23	37

### HIGH SCORES

Individual  
Eldon Trotter — 223

3 Game Series  
Eldon Trotter — 601

Team  
Earth Jaycees — 802

Series  
Paul's Super Mkt. — 2392

#### SPRINGLAKE COUPLES LEAGUE

TEAM	Won	Lost
Springlake Beauty	38	22
Springlake Elevator	36	24
Circle Gin	35	25
Thompson Implement	33	27
Watson Bros.	29	31
Olton State Bank	28	32
Mac's and Ashley's	20	40
Paymaster Gin	20	40

### HIGH SCORES

3 Game Series  
Springlake Beauty — 1695

One Game  
Springlake Elevator — 623

### Individual MEN

Albert Gabehart — 201

3 Game Series  
Dwene Jones — 466

### INDIVIDUAL WOMAN

Liz Akin — 163

3 Game Series  
Loisene Perkins — 423

## School Menu

Monday: Bar-B-Que pork, buttered corn, buttered green beans, lettuce wedges, hot rolls and cookies.

Tuesday: Hot turkey sandwiches, creamed potatoes, buttered english peas, pineapple and cheese salad, cobbler pie.

Wednesday: Salisbury steak, macaroni and cheese, chopped greens, jello salad, corn bread and apple short cake.

Thursday: Liver and onions, Spanish rice, buttered spinach, vegetable salad, hot rolls and cookies.

Friday: Hamburges, potatoe chips, cheese sticks, peanut butter and crackers and cake.



MRS. ABE GRIFFIN — Is the new Linotype Operator for the Earth News - Sun. Mrs. Griffin began studying the keyboard and machine in late December. She began work last week as operator. Mrs. Griffin has been a resident of Earth since 1951. She has been employed as bookkeeper for Pioneer Natural Gas Co. and Earth Co-op Gins. Inc. Prior to that she was City Secretary for five years.

## Party Line...

The Sunbeams met at 4 p.m. Tuesday with 13 members and their sponsors, Mrs. R. S. Cole and Mrs. Elton Schaeffer present.

As the girls are studying Cuba they played games that are played in Cuba and sang several Missionary songs.

Mrs. R. S. Cole told the Missionary story about a Cuban girl who surrendered to be a missionary. Cookies were served by Mrs. Elton Schaeffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morris took their daughter, Darilynna, to Canyon Monday where she enrolled in West Texas State College Tues.

Linda Watkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Watkins enrolled Tuesday in Texas Tech, Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miller of Olton visited Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Griffin Tuesday.



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## F. H. A. and Home Making Girls Attend Style Show In Lubbock

The FHA and Homemaking girls of Springlake School attended the Style Show held Tuesday, at 1:30 p.m. in the Municipal Auditorium in Lubbock.

The school bus driven by Mrs. Lois Rudd, with 55 girls aboard, left the school at 10:30 a.m. They were accompanied by Mrs. M. H. Been, Mrs. Truman Lowe, Mrs. Buddy Acrian, Mrs. Carl Perkins and the Home Ec. teacher, Mrs. Marie Slover.

The group ate lunch at Libby's Cafeteria, Lubbock.

## AMONG THOSE WHO ARE ILL!

Mrs. J. D. Scheller underwent major surgery last Thursday in the Plainview Hospital, where she is reported to be doing nicely.

Mrs. John Blair mother of Ed Blair underwent major surgery in the Plainview Hospital, Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Blair who is 88 years old is reported to be in good condition.

The smallest good deed is better than the greatest intention.

Olton, and was in the form of an open Bible decorated with yellow carnations. Alternating the serving of the cake were Mrs. M. E. Kelley and Mrs. C. W. Terry.

Presiding at the silver tea set were Mrs. F. D. Clayton and Mrs. W. C. Stout.

Assisting with hospitalities were: Mrs. J. A. Littleton Jr., Mrs. Bonnie Haberer and Mrs. R. W. Kimbell.

Approximately fifty guests were present including out of town guests from Olton, Lubbock and Muleshoe.

Mrs. Orteg is one of the pioneers of this area, coming here with her late husband, Ben F. Orteg, from Oklahoma.

## Mrs. Lottie Orteg Honored on Birthday

The home of Mrs. Ted Haberer was the scene of a birthday party Sunday afternoon from 3 to 6, honoring her mother, Mrs. Lottie Orteg on her 69th birthday.

As the guests arrived they were greeted by the hostess and her mother.

The table was laid with a cut-work linen cloth and was centered with pale yellow carnations.

The delicious birthday cake was baked by Mrs. Joe Chester of

## Party Line.....

Thirteen members and three guests of the M.Y.F. went bowling in Plainview Thursday night.

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POTATOES ..... 10 lb. bag 69¢

# COFFEE 59¢

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