

School Board Passes Resolution Relative to School Financing

The Springlake-Earth school board met Friday night and discussed at length the restructure of the basic school program and proposals that will be presented to legislature when it convenes this month. There are three bills effecting school programs. The parts of each of the proposed bills that is of much interest to the tax payer is the proposed financing of the schools.

The local board voiced their opinion that rural West Texas would be in trouble, tax wise, if the proposed bills pass. With this in mind, the local board adopted a resolution, to serve as a statement of their position relative to restructuring the school program by the legislature.

The resolution is as follows: Much has been said by many groups concerning restructuring Texas Public Schools Financing, especially since the U. S. Supreme Court overturned a U. S. District Court decision and wrote on March 21, 1973:

"The need is apparent for reform in tax systems which may well have relied too long and too heavily on the local property tax.

But the ultimate solution must come from the lawmakers and from the democratic pressures of those who elect them."

This decision states in clear language that a source of funds other than the property tax should be used to finance public schools. The sales tax and state income tax offer such sources. A combination of the two would be fair, equitable and feasible. One of the major inequities of most plans is the reliance on 100% market value of taxable property, without recognizing the existence of taxable intangible property and failure to provide a method of taxing such intangibles properties. In order for equity and fairness to prevail, all properties tangible and intangible should be equally taxed or all taxes should be based on the State level utilizing such methods as a sales tax, income tax or a combination of the two.

Supt. Bill Mann said he expected other schools in this legislative District to adopt similar resolutions.

The board reviewed the current enrollment figure which totals 779. This figure compared with the same date in December shows the school has gained 9 students. At present there are 353 elementary students, 198 students in junior high, 195 in high school and 33 in special education classes.

James Sanderson was appointed to the equalization board to serve with the holdover members of the present board. They are A. Hollingsworth, Perry Martin, L. J. Welch, Leon Dent and Orville Cleavinger.

The board reviewed the school lunchroom financial report and studied the budget progress report. They found the lunchroom to be still operating in the black. The progress report on the school budget was running quite close to its designated form.

After discussing the junior high heating system the board agreed to withhold the final one-third payment until minor adjustments were made by the installing company.

The board voted to extend the contract of Superintendent Bill Mann for an additional year. This yearly extension keeps Mann's contract advanced three years.

The group adopted a resolution to congratulate Coach Tom Phelps on being named Class "A" South Plains Coach of the Year.

The trustees also approved minutes of the last meeting and approved payment of the current bills.

Men Make Plans for Nail Suppression

Thirty area men were present Thursday night at a meeting in the Springlake-Earth school cafeteria, to discuss the nail suppression program for another year. The meeting had been called by officers of the Better Weather Inc., who invited everyone in the area, whether for or against the program to attend and discuss their view points.

James Welch, who resides between Lazbuddie and Dimmitt, was elected president of the group for Better Weather Inc. Les Watson, Springlake, retained the position as vice-president, for another year and Dale Stanley was re-elected to his former position as secretary-treasurer.

The Springlake-Earth group also voted to retain all their present community directors to serve again this year in the same capacity.

There are approximately 20 to 25 directors in Lamb and Castro County working in the interest of the Nail Suppression Program. This group have acquainted themselves with the facts concerning the Nail Suppression Program and are convinced of its power to help save the crops from hail damage.

The group voted to formulate a letter and send it out to area people to gather a general idea as to whether people wanted the program or not, and if so, to find out if they were willing to get behind it.

The price per acre was raised from \$.90 cents to \$1.00 this year. The group also decided to have a three-plane operation and keep it located in Littlefield.

They also decided to retain the services of Tom Henderson of Atmospheric's Incorporated of Fresno, California, if the program was to be continued this year.

There were three men present who were against the program. They were invited to speak and give their view points, but declined to do so.

The group made plans to meet again in the near future in the Earth community building to formulate the letter that is to be mailed out to area residence.

Plans were made to meet with a group in Olton within the near future. Olton area is in need of directors to work in that area.

Tom Henderson of Atmospheric's Incorporated is expected to be in the area in mid-February to conduct several meetings. He is expected to remain here for about a week.

Men Make Plans for Nail Suppression

Pentecostal Church Under Construction Here

A 30' x 60' church building is under construction in the south part of town. Rev. Rudy Rincon, pastor, says he hopes the building will be completed by June.

The Pentecostal Church construction is located two blocks south of the local bank. Rev. Rincon said he moved here a year ago, after holding a revival here. At the time of his arrival there were no Pentecostal church members here. The church presently has 20 active members.

Until the church is finished Rev. Rincon said, he found it necessary to rent the community building during real cold Sundays as the present building was too cold.

Rev. Rincon is presently preaching in Olton every Friday night. He has been preaching about 2 1/2 years, preaching at Beeville, Muleshoe, Earth and Olton.

Rev. Rincon resides across the street from the City Hall. He



REV. RUDY RINCON

has a wife, Alejandra, four sons, Ronald 18, Ramiro 13, Randy 12 and Rudy 11. The couple have one daughter Diana 16 who is in her second year of work at Bethel Bible Institute at Kennedy, Texas where she will graduate in May.

Rev. Rincon invites everyone to come and worship with them.

Deposits Down At County Banks

Deposits were down at all six banks in Lamb County at the close of business on December 31. The total deposits were \$93,864,401 down \$6,682,606 from this same date last year when deposits stood at \$100,527,007. The amounts above account for deposits in all six Lamb County banks, Littlefield Federal Savings and Loan and Citizens State Bank in Anton.

While deposits are off, loans are up at all eight places of business. Loans at the eight totaled \$38,011,338 last year. Loans have increased up to \$48,514,861 for the end of the year.

Littlefield Federal Savings and Loans is the only business showing an increase in deposits.

F.F.A. Boys to Show in Amarillo

Four local F.F.A. boys will exhibit animals Friday morning in the Amarillo Livestock Show, with Melvin Chisum local Ag instructor accompanying the foursome to the show.

The four showing animals will be Brad Bridges, who has two calves entered in the show.

Terry Lively, Allen Been and Brent Been each have one calf to show.

Chisum said if the calves did not place good in the Amarillo show they would be brought home and would show in the Lamb County Show slated for this week-end.

Break-in at S-E School Saturday Morning

The Springlake-Earth school was broken into Saturday morning, sometime between 1 a. m. and daylight. The thieves tried real hard to get to the money in the safe in the tax office, as well as attempting to open the vault in the secretaries office, they failed at both.

According to Deputy Sheriff Elmer Hall, who investigated the break-in, the would be thief entered the high school building by prying open the front door with a bar. They then pried open the doors to the office of Mrs. Marvin Sanders, school secretary, whose office adjoins the superintendents office. They also pried open the tax office door.

Entering Mrs. Sanders office they knocked off the handle of the big walk-in vault, located in her office. After breaking off the handle it was impossible to open. So little damage was done there. They, however took a few dollars in change from Mrs. Sanders desk.

The tax office safe took a real beating. They tore off a corner of the top of the safe and attempted to peel off the door. They worked hard to tear away the door and found it impossible. The men apparently used a coat hanger in their attempt to fish out the money bag, this effort also failed.

The thieves left empty handed except for the few dollars they took from Mrs. Sanders desk. Other items such as typewriters, radios and other things of value were left unharmed.

It was surmized that the break-in took place around 2:35 a. m. as a clock on one of the safes was unplugged and stopped at that time.

Superintendent Bill Mann said, "the tax office safe was totaled and could not be repaired. The vault however, was not damaged to a great extent."

He estimated the damage to be at least \$1500.00 to replace the safe in the tax office if the Board decided to buy a new one. Supt. Mann said he figured they would try to get a used one to replace it.

Supt. Mann discovered the break-in about 10:30 a. m. Sunday morning and reported it to local law officials.

Mann said the school board meeting had adjourned about 1 a. m. Sunday morning and the break-in happened sometime after that. Mann indicated that whoever broke in the school wanted money and knew exactly where it was kept, as they never entered or loitered any other offices or rooms in the building.

Dr. Roy McClung to Preach Here Sunday Night

Dr. Roy McClung, president of Wayland Baptist College in Plainview will deliver the Sunday night Worship Service at First Baptist Church in Earth.

Rev. David Burum, local pastor, will be in Denver City Sunday night where he will begin teaching a four day Bible Study on the Book of Acts.

Rev. Burum will return home Thursday following completion of the study.



SUPERINTENDENT BILL MANN is shown examining the safe in the tax office at school that burglars had tried to open with a bar Saturday morning.

Jimmy Huckabey is Lumber Company Manager

Jimmy Huckabey, of Littlefield has been named manager of Higginbotham Bartlett Lumber Company of Earth. He and his family have moved into the house formerly occupied by T. F. Koonce, who managed the firm for the past 40 years.



JIMMY HUCKABEY

the firm. He plans also to make new services available for area people.

Huckabey and his wife Linda are affiliated with the Baptist Church. They have two daughters Lisa 9 and Kelli 7 years of age.

Mr. Huckabey invites area people to drop in and get acquainted. He is anxious to meet all the folks in the area.

Mr. Koonce is now retired and is making his home with his daughter, Mrs. George Valkovich in San Antonio.

County Farmers Eligible For Disaster Loans

Congressman George Mahon's office notified the Earth News-Sun Friday that Lamb County had been designated by the USDA as a disaster area for the purpose of making available emergency loans for farmers whose crops have been destroyed or damaged by natural disasters.

The Secretary of Agriculture Earl Butz signed the authorization January 10.

Farmers may borrow up to the amount equal to their loss which was caused by drought or flood. The money is loaned to farmers at the rate of five percent and must be paid back over a five-year period.

Loans must be secured by equipment and crops, and there is no principal and interest forgiveness.

Any loan over \$25,000 must be secured by real estate over and above the borrower's home-stead.

The purpose of the loans is to allow producers to pay out short-term operating expenses incurred during the 1974 crop year. The loans, officials point out, are not designed to provide funds for starting a new crop.

As many as 1,000 farmers and ranchers in the county may be eligible for disaster emergency loans.

Farmers will have to go through the FHA office to qualify. Those with a physical loss will have 60 days for filing their applications, and those with production losses will have 9 months to apply.

Farmers who didn't plant a crop because of the drought and have collected disaster payments from the ASCS will have those payments deducted from their loss.

For farmers who planted, fer-

tilized and irrigated and still come out with a profit loss, there will be a comparison of cost losses and a loan will be made for the lesser of the two. All loans will be processed through the FHA office.

Local Students Exhibit Animals in Lamb County Show

The lamb division of the show will be judged at 5 o'clock Friday. The barrow judging will begin at 8 a. m. on Saturday and calves will be judged Saturday afternoon.

The local group will exhibit 29 fine animals. Those showing are Brad Bridges, Terry

Lively, Allen Been, Brent Been, Randy Bills, Teresa Lively, Elaine Bills, Kirk O'Hair, Marvin Washington, Glen Washington and Timmy Thomas.

Also Petra Lewis, Christie Barlow, Liz Pyle, Jodie Conner, Ardis Conner, Rena Guana, Larry Dear and Jeff Washington.

22,768 Bales Ginned in the E-S Area

Ginners in the Earth, Springlake, Pleasant Valley and Dodd communities indicated Wednesday that most of the cotton crop in the area was already in, with the exception of approximately 1275 bales. They indicated that if the weather continued to be pretty, they would be through by the end of next week.

To date, the three Gins in Earth have ginned a total of 8,246 bales. They estimated approximately 375 bales yet

left in the fields. In Springlake the two Gins have ginned 6,400 bales and have approximately 300 bales yet left in the fields.

In the Dodd and Pleasant Valley community, the three Gins have ginned 5,122 bales and say approximately 600 is yet in the fields.

OPEN DATING of perishable food doesn't guarantee quality or wholesomeness, only proper handling and storage from the processor to the dinner table will do that.



ALL-REGION BAND MEMBERS—selected Saturday at regional band tryouts were Cindy McAlpine, clarinet; Ben Johnson, tuba; Joe Herrera, cornet; Billy O'Hair, percussion and Cindy Robinson, clarinet.

Jeanette O'Hair Injures Knee

Mrs. Jeanette O'Hair received a badly bruised knee when she fell Saturday morning about 10 o'clock at her home. The painful injury required three days of hospitalization in the Littlefield Hospital. She was dismissed Tuesday morning. The accident occurred as Mrs. O'Hair was rushing around, returning from the beauty shop, and racing in the house from the garage to call her friends to

tell them she was ready to go to Lubbock to be with a friend whose husband was in the hospital. In her haste she somehow missed the bottom step of her garage and fell. Instead of visiting a friend Mrs. O'Hair was herself taken to the hospital.

THE BIBLE IS
A ROAD MAP.
READ IT.....

Men Attend Evangelism at Ft. Worth

Four men from the First Baptist Church in Earth left early Monday morning to attend the annual Evangelism Conference, held in the Convention Center at Ft. Worth.

Those attending from here were Rev. David Burum, Bill Anderson, Hershel Hulcy and A. E. "Pete" O'Hair.

The annual conference was noted for its spiritual enlightening of God's Word.

The annual conference began at noon Monday. Rev. Billy Graham delivered the Monday night message at the conference.

Daily sessions began at 10 o'clock each morning and continued throughout the day. At night various speakers delivered wonderful messages to the attendance. The group returned Wednesday evening.

PRAYER IS
THE KEY,
KEEP PRAYING



SELECTED AS ALTERNATES-to the All-Region band Saturday were Dawn Branscum, bass clarinet; Deanne Marriot, flute and Kim Jones, clarinet.

Man Arrested Saturday Night in Springlake

Deputy Sheriff Elmer Hall arrested a Springlake man Saturday night on charges of being drunk and disturbing the peace. Deputy Hall took the Latin American to Littlefield and jailed him. Hall said he received a call from a family and drove over to Springlake. The man had already left the house and was

driving down the highway. Hall said there was a tremendous increase in people prowling around homes in Earth lately. One man was said to be watching T.V. a few nights ago when an unshaven man walked in on him. He started to get up from his chair, his dog started barking and the man ran.



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	DOLLARS		CTS.	
	1	2		
ASSETS				
1. Cash and due from banks (including \$ 23,894.56 unposted debits)	1	324	624	97
2. (a) U.S. Treasury securities \$ 285,395.70	xxx	xxx	xxx	xx
(b) Obligations of Federal Financing Bank \$ None		285	395	70
3. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations		None		
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions		612	236	17
5. Other securities (including \$ None corporate stocks)		None		
6. Trading account securities		None		
7. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	1	200	000	00
8. Other loans	3	581	281	32
9. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises		29	029	18
10. Real estate owned other than bank premises		None		
11. Investments in subsidiaries not consolidated		None		
12. Customer's liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding		None		
13. Other assets (item 6 of "Other Assets") (including \$ None direct lease financing)		2	781	16
14. TOTAL ASSETS	7	035	348	50
LIABILITIES				
15. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	3	160	031	93
16. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2	711	951	93
17. Deposits of United States Government		59	328	39
18. Deposits of States and political subdivisions		470	949	10
19. Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions		None		
20. Deposits of commercial banks		None		
21. Certified and officers' checks, etc.		51	934	24
22. TOTAL DEPOSITS		\$ 6,454,195.59		
(a) Total demand deposits	xxx	xxx	xxx	xx
(b) Total time and savings deposits	xxx	xxx	xxx	xx
23. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		None		
24. Other liabilities for borrowed money		None		
25. Mortgage indebtedness		None		
26. Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding		None		
27. Other liabilities		29	227	86
28. TOTAL LIABILITIES	6	483	423	45
29. MINORITY INTEREST IN CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES		None		
RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES				
30. Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to Internal Revenue Service rulings)		51	745	34
31. Other reserves on loans		None		
32. Reserves on securities		None		
33. TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES		51	745	34
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS				
34. Capital notes and debentures (specify interest rate and maturity of each issue outstanding)		None		
35. Equity capital, total		500	179	71
36. Preferred stock-total par value (No. shares outstanding - None)		None		
37. Common stock-total par value (No. shares authorized 15,000) (No. shares outstanding 15,000)		150	000	00
38. Surplus		225	000	00
39. Undivided profits		125	179	71
40. Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves		None		
41. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		500	179	71
42. TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	7	035	348	50
MEMORANDA				
1. Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	6	130	607	46
2. Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	4	615	903	09
3. Unearned discount on instalment loans included in total capital accounts		29	227	86
4. Standby letters of credit		None		

I, Billy Moore - Vice President and Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly SWEAR / AFFIRM that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct-Attest: Billy Moore
P. E. McCreedy
Wesley McCreedy
Sheldon St. Clayton } Directors

State of Texas, County of Lamb, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of January, 19 75,
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Cowboy-Homemaker Both Require Talent

Mrs. Earl Kellar, a real help-mate to her husband found out the hard way Thursday about 10:30 a.m. that she could not be dubbed as a real veteran cowgirl.

Earl needed help to get one of his cows, who would have nothing to do with her new calf, out of the pasture and back to the barn.

Jenna V. decided to try to assist him.

The cow however was a bit set in her ways. The twosome got the cow between their two horses and she began showing her temper. She dashed headlong into Jenna V.'s horse and back into Earl's horse, causing both horses to start bucking. Jenna V. found the ground hitting her right in the face as she was thrown off, breaking her right wrist.

Earl tried to get her to the house, and Jenna V. kept fainting. Finally in desperation, Earl had to leave Jenna V. in the pasture and run to get the car to get her to the doctor.

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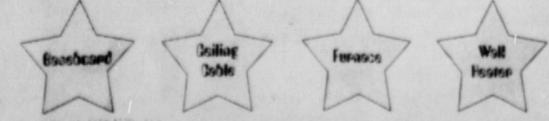
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S-E Junior High Tournament Thursday, Friday, Saturday

The Springlake-Earth Junior High basketball tournament is scheduled for Thursday (today), Friday and Saturday.

The first game is at 10 a. m., this morning, featuring the Kress and Amherst girls.

The Kress and Amherst boys meet at 11:30 a. m.

Lazbuddie and Hart girls 1 p. m., Lazbuddie and Hart boys 2:30 p. m.

Sudan and Farwell girls 4 p. m., Sudan and Farwell boys 4:30 p. m.

Springlake-Earth and Bovina girls 7 p. m.

Springlake-Earth and Bovina boys 8:30 p. m.

Friday's games are scheduled for 10 a. m.; 11:30 a. m.; 1 p. m.; 2:30 p. m.; 4 p. m.; 5:30 p. m.; 7 p. m.; and 8:30 p. m.

Round Robin Tourney Set at S-E Saturday

The sixth grade boys and girls of Springlake-Earth will have a round robin tournament on Saturday, starting at 11:00 a. m. The teams and players are:

BOYS

BUCKS
Rex Fennell, Glen Craft, Billy Pyle, Victor Houston, Teddy Zambreno, Allen Clayton and Cliff Follis.

CELTICS
Melvin Jones, Danny Soto, Shannon Pellham, Dave Ingram, Eloy Fuentes, Sandy Garza.

WOLVERINES
Loren Taylor and Biff Belew.

LAKERS
Kenneth James, Jim Gonzales, Russell Wheatly, Luis Fernandes, Trent Brown, Mike McCarty, Rory Jones and Chester Robinson.

GIRLS

MUSTANGS
Jodie Daniels, Lesa Templeton, JoLetta Shoeburger, Lupe Garza, Mary Jane Monreal, Clarice Everett, Carla Taylor.

WOLVERINES
Debra Hood and Juanita Whitehurst.

RANGERS
Rhonda Weaver, Beverly King, Delma Gonzales, Christella Sanchez, Teresa Ott, Sheila Jordon, Gloria Price, Diane DeLeon and Libby Kellar.

AGGIES
Lupe Saucedo, Hilda Ramos, Angie Marquez, Jeanne Haydon, Stephanie Parish, Stella Ruiz, Cindy Clayton and Jackie Hood.

Saturday's playoff games begin at 1 p. m.; 2:30 p. m.; 4 p. m.; 5:30 p. m.; 7 p. m., and 8:30 p. m.

Cancer Society Sets Goal for Fund Drive

The Lamb County Unit of the American Cancer Society met Monday night, January 6 in Amherst and made plans for the forthcoming fund drive. They also set a goal of \$8,080 for the entire county, this amount is the same as that of last year. Citizens of Lamb County reached an all-time high for donations last year, and most communities exceeded their goals by several hundred dollars. Contributions for last year totaled \$9,923, earning the county the Gold Star Award.

Mrs. Lady Clare Phillips will again serve as county campaign chairman.

Goals for the individual counties include:

Littlefield and rural area \$3,200

Earth, \$1,650

Olton, \$1,650

Amherst, \$850

Sudan, \$550 and

Pep, \$180.

The program, a film on cancer research titled "Investment in Life" was presented by the new field representative, J. R. Warner of Lubbock. Gregory Peck was narrator of the film. Any organization who wishes to view the film may do so by contacting the county president, Joella Lovvorn at the Leader-News, 385-4481, and make arrangements. Other films on various subjects concerning cancer are also available.

In other discussions during the meeting, members of the unit discussed several ideas for special events, heard reports from the officers, and set the next meeting for the unit on Monday, March 3, in the XIT Room of Security State Bank in Littlefield at 7:30 p. m. Work packets for the campaign will be distributed at that time.

Communities represented at the meeting Monday were Littlefield, Earth and the host community of Amherst.

enormous. Adults from Earth attending the show were Mr. and Mrs. Jearl James and Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Lewis.

My Neighbors

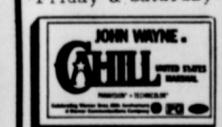


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Wolverines Win Two

The Wolverines win two more district games to make their district standings 3-0.

Friday night they traveled to Bovina for their second district game. They defeated the Mustangs 60-57.

Scores by quarters were, S-E 13-Bovina 15, S-E 31-Bovina 29, S-E 43-Bovina 48, S-E 60-Bovina 57.

Junior Saucedo was high point man for the Wolverines with 26 points. Kyle Jones scored 26 for the Mustangs.

Jacob Miller added 26 rebounds to his total.

S-E 70---KRESS 50

Tuesday night the Kress Kangaroos lost to the Wolverines 70 to 50.

Scores by quarters were S-E 15-Kress 14, S-E 32-Kress 26, S-E 50-Kress 35, S-E 70-Kress 50.

High point men for the game were Jacob Miller for S-E with 20 and for Kress, Barry Street 17. Miller added another 23 rebounds to his total.

The Wolverines standings for the season stand at 17-5 and 3-0 for the district.

WOLVERETTES WIN ONE-LOSE ONE

The Wolverettes downed the Bovina Fillies Friday night 50-32.

Scores by quarters were S-E 10-

Bovina 7, S-E 21-Bovina 16, S-E 34-Bovina 21, S-E 50-Bovina 32.

High point girls for the Wolverettes were Melissa Been 23, Susan Clayton 12, Kim Dent 11 and L'Anna Sulser 4.

WOLVERETTES 41 KRESS 47

Scores by quarters, S-E 14-Kress 8, S-E 23-Kress 23, S-E 30-Kress 29, S-E 41-Kress 47.

Scoring for the Wolverettes were Melissa Been 25, Kim Dent 10, L'Anna Sulser 4 and Susan Clayton 2.

Petra Lewis' Animals Place in Odessa Show

Three local 4-H Club members exhibited lambs in the Odessa Stock Show last Wednesday, January 8. The three exhibiting lambs were Petra Lewis, Loretta and Clifford James.

Petra Lewis, who exhibited two lambs placed 9th in heavy-weight lambs and 13th place in fine wool lambs. The two animals shown by Loretta and Clifford James failed to place. The entries in the show were

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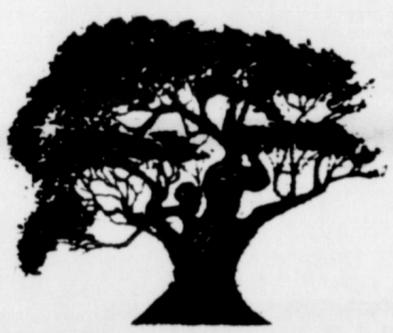
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\$1500	-0-	\$1500	\$80.84
\$2000	-0-	\$2000	\$107.79
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\$10,000	-0-	\$10,000	\$538.96

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Modean Clayton Honored Sunday Night

Approximately 90 people attended a salad supper Sunday night in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church honoring Mrs. Modean Clayton. The event took place immediately following worship services.

The tables were covered with white cloth and various salads, coffee and tea were served buffet style.

Mrs. Marvin Sanders welcomed the group and read a poem she had written for the honoree. The poem is as follows:

"LIFE IS A BOOK"

Life is a book in volumes three; The past, the present, the yet to be.

The past is written and layed away;

The present we're writing day by day.

The last and best is volume three;

Is locked from sight, only God keeps the key.

had been the happiest years of her life. Her deceased husband had found the Lord while living here in Earth.

The event was closed by singing one of her late husband's favorite songs "Sweet Sweet Spirit."

Mrs. Clayton sold her home here and moved recently to Lubbock.

Notice

There will be a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Roger Williams, (Dawn Barden) Saturday, January 18 from 2:30 to 3:30 p. m. in the Church of Christ fellowship hall.

If you care to be hostess call Emily Clayton 257-3396 or Wylene Cleavinger 986-2684.

Selections have been made at Howells 216 Floral, Bee Hive Mall and Earth Dry Goods.

Party Line

She then presented Mrs. Clayton with a "money sack."

Mrs. Clayton responded with a brief thank you to the church saying the past 14 years here,

Lil, Ricky Ballesteros, son of Yolanda Ballesteros celebrated

his 2nd birthday Tuesday night in the home of his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Garland Stovall.



MRS. LONNIE WILSON
(nee Renee Jones)

Jones-Wilson Pledge Vows

In a beautiful candle lighted ceremony at 7:30 p. m. on Friday, January 10 in the Sunnyside Baptist Church at Sunnyside, Miss Renee Jones became the wife of Lonnie Wilson, Rev. M. D. Durham, former pastor of the church, now pastoring a church in Lubbock, officiated the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson, both of the Sunnyside Community. Mrs. Jimmy Craft, organist presented the wedding music.

She also accompanied soloist, Wanda Collins on the piano as she sang "The Wedding Song." Soloist Donna Bird sang "The Lord's Prayer" with Mrs. Craft at the piano.

The couple were united in a double ring ceremony, as they stood before an altar decorated with two spiral candelabras, each holding twelve long white lighted tapers. The beautiful archway was enhanced with blue carnations entangled with greenery. Two lovely baskets on tall pedestals, filled with gorgeous white mums and blue carnations flanked the archway completing the decoration.

Given in marriage by her father the bride was adorned in a stunning white satin wedding gown fashioned with a bodice of sheer nylon over satin. The bodice featured a lovely V-shaped front bordered with lace, enhanced by a high lace neckline and long sheer nylon sleeves with lace cuffs. The skirt of white satin was fashioned in princess style with a lovely sheer nylon train that fell loosely from the back waist. The train was bordered with a wide sheer nylon flounce edged in lace. The front of the skirt was designed with a matching wide nylon flounce and lace that came to a point about midway of the skirt. A white satin bow enhanced with seed pearls held

her lovely two tiered silk illusion veil in place. The veil was edged in crocheted lace, made by the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Charley Jones of Olton. The bride carried a white Bible topped with a cascading bouquet designed of white step-

anotis, white miniature essence and white sweetheart roses, surrounding a blue orchid, accented with white emerald loops and white satin streamers tied in loveknots, entwined within the bouquet was a lace handkerchief belonging to her grandmother.

Attendants were Mrs. Tisa Whitfield, Silverton, Miss Connie Cooley, Levelland and Miss Debbie Wilson, Sunnyside, sister of the groom. The attendants were dressed in identical baby blue floor length gowns designed of double knit, fashioned with full skirts.

Best man was Danny Cornileus, Levelland, Brad Freeman, Earth and Randy Ferguson, cousin of the groom, were groomsmen.

Candlelighters were Darla Hicks, Dimmitt, cousin of the bride and DeNean Wilson, Sunnyside, sister of the groom. Flower girl was Tracy Wilson, Ropesville. The candlelighters and flower girl wore dresses identical to those worn by the attendants.

Ring bearer was Kyle Bradley of Sunnyside.

Ushers were Rodney Wilson, cousin of the groom, Rory Jones, Sunnyside, nephew of the bride, Doug Freeman, Earth and Lee Brown, Sunnyside.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held in the home of the bride's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jones of Sunnyside.

For a wedding trip the couple left for Ruidoso, New Mexico. She chose a blue pant suit for the trip.

The couple are now at home at Levelland where the bride is a sophomore student at South Plains College and employed at the Levelland Hospital. The groom is a freshman at South Plains College and employed at Furr's in Levelland. The couple plan to continue their classes at South Plains College.

GROUND ALL ELECTRIC appliances except the ones with exposed heating elements, like toasters.

Junior Hi Class at Methodist Church Has Special Day

Following church school and worship services Sunday, the Junior High class had a sack lunch in the Fellowship Hall. They surprised their teacher Mrs. E. C. Hudson with a beautifully decorated cake, wheeled in on a tea cart, with a banner bearing the names of each member of the class. They also presented

Mrs. Hudson with money to purchase charms (a Bible and a Mustard Seed) for her charm bracelet.

Those attending were Carrie Been, Michael Graham, Tam Jones, Sue Jones, Doniece Taylor, Elaine Bills, Laurinda Bulls, and Rosie Lewis.

SS Class Meets in Hamilton Home for Salad Supper

The Bykota Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met Monday night in the home of Mrs. Lillian Hamilton, with Mrs. Shanks Ivy as co-hostess. The group gathered for a regular monthly business meeting and salad supper.

Games were played by the group, led by Mrs. Marvin Sanders.

A beautiful devotion on "Friendship" was presented by Mrs. L. H. Galloway.

Those present were Mrs. Zeph Robnett, Mrs. Marvin Sanders,

Mrs. W. M. Detwiler, Mrs. Clarence Kelley, Mrs. L. H. Galloway, Mrs. Everett Patterson, Mrs. Bennie Prather, Mrs. Shanks Ivy and Mrs. John West.

Also Mrs. Howard Cummings, teacher of the class, Mrs. Bud Jones, Mrs. W. G. Sanderson, Mrs. M. G. Kellar, Mrs. Leon Foster, Mrs. Paul Wood and the hostess Mrs. Lillian Hamilton.

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I am desperate for FUNNY, INTERESTING bits of news about your lives as pioneers (regardless of the year). Search your scrapbooks, your cookbooks (for a favorite West Texas recipe) your memory. Let yourself go, and tell the reader bits of interesting events of your life. What was your favorite hobby back in the old days? What did you do to prepare for Christmas? How did the weather affect you? Did you have neighbors, and did you visit? What's the funniest thing you remember about Earth? Did you know Mr. Halsell personally? Etc. Etc.

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Reg. \$3.29 - \$3.98--YD. **\$1¹⁹**
Reg. \$4.49 - \$4.98--YD. **\$1⁹⁸**
Reg. \$6.49 - \$7.98--YD. **\$2⁴⁹**
Reg. \$8.49 - \$9.98--YD. **\$3⁹⁸**

Ware's

in LITTLEFIELD

Notice

You are invited to a bridal shower honoring Cindy Goodwyn, bride-elect of Thomas Mann, Saturday, January 25th from 2:30 to 3:30 p. m. in the Church of Christ Fellowship Hall.

If you would like to be a hostess call Emily Clayton at 257-3396 or Oleta Sanders at 257-3965 or 257-3310.

Selections have been made at Howells 216 Floral, Bee Hive Mall, Earth Dry Goods and White Auto Store.
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A wedding shower honoring, Annita Kelley, bride-elect of Doug Taylor of Amarillo, is set for Saturday, February 1 in the Phil Haberer residence of Earth. Hours are from 3:30 to 5 p. m.

Anyone wishing to be a hostess may contact Mrs. Jerry Kelley at 257-3313 or Mrs. Milton Welch at 986-2771 in Springlake.

When your child and a neighbor's have a serious quarrel, remember that the neighbor also thinks his child is right.

IT'S NOT NECESSARY to change hem length every time fashion writers predict a change. An important rule to remember is that what looks best on the body is the proper length.

MANY SPOUSES OPERATE in a tit-for-tat system whereby if the wife performs and behaves in a manner desired by her husband, then the husband behaves to please the wife. This system



MRS. JOHNNY DALE LEWIS
(nee Shirley Denise Temple)

implies a vengeful motivation and is detrimental to good relations.

**Temple-Lewis Wed
in Plainview**

In a beautiful candle lit ceremony in the chapel of the First United Methodist Church in Plainview at 8 o'clock Thursday evening January 9, Miss Shirley Denise Temple became the bride of Johnny Dale Lewis.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Wale of 2609 W. 17th Street in Plainview. The grooms parents are Mr. and Mrs. Johnny A. Lewis of Petersburg.

Rev. Raymond Dyess, pastor of the First United Methodist Church at Kress, read the vows as the couple stood before an altar enhanced with two beautiful candelabras holding long white tapers flanked by large baskets of daisy mums intermingled with greenery. Other altar decorations included lovely arrangements of gladiolas and mums.

Organist Bill Webb, Plainview

accompanied by soloist Joe Berry, also of Plainview, provided the wedding music.

Given in marriage by her stepfather, Haskell Wale, the bride was lovely in a traditional style gown designed of white velvet accented in white seed pearls. The bodice was fashioned with a classic crescent waistline delicately outlined with a narrow band of seed pearl beading and featured a wedding band neckline and long fitted sleeves coming to a point over the hand. The A-line skirt swept to a chapel length train. She wore a cluster of flowers which held her tiered finger tip length veil of silk illusion in place. The lovely veil was etched in a single row of seed pearl beading. She carried a cascade of white babyroses and pixie carnations.

Miss Suzy Temple, Lubbock, sister of the bride, served as maid of honor. She wore a long frock of emerald green velvet trimmed with white lace and wore a cluster of flowers in her hair. Completing the ensemble she carried a nosegay of pixie carnations and daisy mums.

Best man was Jerry Don Lewis, Amarillo, brother of the groom. Candlelighter was Mrs. Michael McCarty, Plainview, sister of the bride.

Ushers were Jimmy Jackson and David Haney, both of Plainview. Immediately following the wedding, a reception was held in the parlor of the church. The brides table was decorated with a floral arrangement of white carnations, intermingled with baby breath and mums. A lovely tiered wedding cake and delicious punch was served by Miss Linda Warren, Miss Retha Morton, Mrs. Robert Tilson and Mrs. Charlene Kamp.

Miss Judy Walker registered guests for the wedding and reception.

The couple left for a wedding trip to Taos, New Mexico. Following their return the couple

Local Ladies Attend Seminar In San Antonio

Mrs. Alma Ott and Mrs. James Packard returned last Tuesday from a five day painting seminar in San Antonio.

The annual event is to acquaint sales personnel with new products and to present awards for outstanding sales as well as outstanding talent created on canvass.

will be at home at 910 W. 28th Apartment 45 in Plainview. The bride is a former student of Springlake-Earth, before moving to Plainview. She is a graduate of Draughon's Business College in Amarillo. The groom is a student at Southwest Business College in Plainview, majoring in Court Reporting. REHERSAL DINNER AT K-BOBS

A delicious rehearsal dinner for members of the wedding party was held Wednesday night at K-Bobs Cafe in Plainview. The event was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Johnny A. Lewis, parents of the groom.

Mrs. Ott was presented several awards for her work.

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REAL ESTATE OWNED AND IN JUDGEMENT	41,366.86
LOANS AND CONTRACTS MADE TO FACILITATE SALE OF REAL ESTATE	133,120.36
CASH ON HAND AND IN BANKS	143,860.23
INVESTMENTS AND SECURITIES	5,070,204.22
FIXED ASSETS LESS DEPRECIATION	86,416.92
DEFERRED CHARGES AND OTHER ASSETS	212,044.56
TOTAL ASSETS	24,070,331.90

LIABILITIES & NET WORTH

SAVINGS ACCOUNTS	22,218,821.30
ADVANCES FROM FEDERAL HOME LOAN BANKS	None
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SPECIFIC RESERVES	15,000.64
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Study Club Sees Film on Children's Hospital in Dallas

Mrs. C. P. Parish was hostess for members of the Town and Country Study Club when they met Thursday, January 9 in her home.

Mrs. Carra Morgan presented the devotional.

Mrs. Wayne Rutherford conducted a short business session, at which time Mrs. Grace Hooley was welcomed into the club as a new member.

Mrs. Parish introduced the guest speaker, Mr. R. W. Fanning who is Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas.

Mr. Fanning showed a film strip made in the Scottish Rite Childrens Hospital in Dallas. Following the film he conducted a question and answer session. It was stated there are thirteen of these hospitals in the U. S. The one in Dallas was built in 1921, a new hospital will be completed and ready for use in 1977. 102 children from this area have been treated in this hospital. No one is turned away as a result of the lack of finances. Some of the most prominent doctors in the state donate some of their time and talents to the hospital.

At the close of the meeting Mrs. Parish served delicious ham salad sandwiches, fruit cake and coffee to nine members, the guest speaker and one visitor, Mrs. Dixie Cornett.



THOMAS MANN and CYNTHIA ANN GOODWYN

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Roland C. Goodwyn of Lubbock announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Cynthia Ann to Thomas Lloyd Mann. The groom-to-be is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Mann of Earth.

The wedding is planned for Saturday, February 22 at 7 p. m. in the First Christian Church of Lubbock.

Club Has Program On Crafts

The Springlake Home Demonstration club met Thursday, January 9 in the home of Mrs. Keith Boone.

The meeting was opened with a devotional entitled "Our Father In Heaven," presented by Mrs. Keith Boone.

Mrs. Wisian was the recipient of the hostess gift.

The program was on crafts, with Mrs. Murrell demonstrating the method of making small birds nests from excelsior to be used as decorative ornaments.

Mrs. Keith Boone presented and demonstrated how to decorate snufflers with Artex paints. Present for the meeting were

Mrs. T. V. Murrell, Mrs. Hilbert Wisian, Mrs. Ed Biles, Mrs. A. Hollingsworth, Mrs. Bob Boone, Mrs. Myrtle Steinbock, Mrs. Herman Cooper, one visitor, Mrs. James Smith and the hostess Mrs. Keith Boone.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. James Packard Thursday, January 23.

COLORFUL EXERCISE clothes are being sold in hosiery department for the body conscious, physically fit female. Fashionable tights and leotards "give" with the action of the wearer to conform to any body contortion.

ABE GRIFFIN HEART ATTACK WEDNESDAY A.M.

Abe Griffin was rushed by Ambulance to Central Plains Hospital in Plainview Wednesday about 9:30 a.m. He had suffered a heart attack at his home.

At press time Wednesday he was still in the Cardiac Unit under oxygen and no report on his condition had been made to the family.

WHAT'S COOKING AT SCHOOL

Monday
Fish Portions and Tarter Sauce
Scalloped Potatoes
Slaw (Pepper Relish)
Chocolate No Bake Cookies
Hush Puppies and Butter Milk

Tuesday
Spaghetti and Meat Balls
Blackeyed Peas
Fried Okra
Mixed Fruit Salad
Hot Rolls and Butter
Orange Juice
Milk

Wednesday
Fried Chicken and Gravy
Creamed Potatoes
English Peas
Gingerbread
Hot Rolls and Butter
Milk

Thursday
Bar-B-Que Beef Tips
Potato Salad
Pinto Beans
Pineapple Nut Cake
Cornbread and Butter
Milk

Friday
Beef Stew
Bologna and Cheese Salad
Sandwiches
Potato Chips
Boysenberry Cobbler
Crackers
Milk

★★ Engagement Told ★★

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kelley announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Anita to Doug Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Taylor of Peoria, Arizona, and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor of Earth.

Miss Kelley is a 1969 graduate of Springlake-Earth High School and is a senior at Texas Tech University, majoring in Home Economics Education.

Taylor is a 1969 graduate of Peoria High School and a 1974 graduate of Arizona State Uni-



versity. He is employed by Southwestern Public Service in Amarillo.

The couple will exchange vows at 7 p. m. Saturday, February 22 in the First Baptist Church in Earth.

Everyone is invited to attend.

THE STAGE of ripeness in bananas is indicated by skin color. Best eating quality has been reached when the solid yellow color is speckled with brown. At this time, the flesh is mellow and the flavor is fully developed.

PRAISE THE LORD

NOTICE

I will be at the City Hall of the following towns on the dates indicated for the purpose of collecting State and County taxes:

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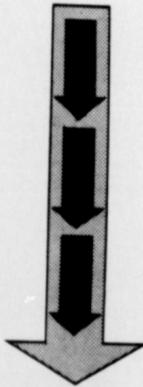
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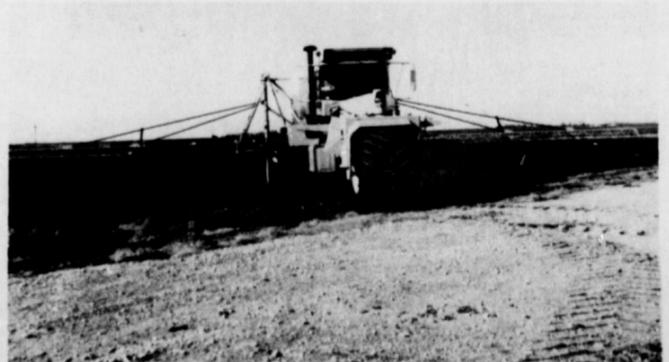


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SUNNYSIDE NEWS

BY TEENY BOWDEN



CORRECTION: Ila Haydon and Mr. and Mrs. John Siever and children did not attend the funeral services for Raymond Haydon as reported last week since they had the flu.

Joel Bradley, seven month old twin son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bradley made little progress this week in his fight against influenza meningitis. He remains in very serious condition in Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview.

Renee Jones and Lonnie Wilson were married in the Sunnyside Baptist Church Friday night. Rev. M. D. Durham of Lubbock performed the double ring ceremony.

Debbie Wilson served as the bride's maid, Daneen Wilson was one of the candlelighters. Rory Jones and Lee Brown were two of the ushers.

The reception following the wedding was held in the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hall Jones six miles south of Sunnyside. Mrs. Cliff Brown, Mrs. Glen Wilson, Mrs. Lynn Cox, Mrs. Doug Louder, Mrs. Larry Sadler and Mrs. Noah Spencer helped with the reception.

After a wedding trip to Ruidoso the couple will make their home in Levelland where they will continue to attend South Plains College and where they both work.

The host of out of town guests included three sets of grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jones of Olton, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Epperson and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wilson of Ropesville.

Mrs. Carl Dean Carson and Deacon were honored with a baby shower in the home of Mrs. Mark Cleavinger in Dimmitt Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler and Mrs. Gale Sadler were among the guests. Mrs. Larry Don Bills was one of the hostesses.

Several in the community saw **QUICKBALL PRYOR CO., INC.** Automobile Parts Supplies & Equip. P.O. Box 567 Earth Texas

the mystery fireball in the southeast sky Thursday night. L. B. Bowden and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thompson were looking south out the window when the giant ball of fire sped to the east across the sky. It was a blue ball of fire several times larger than the moon and more egg shape than round with a blue vapor-like trail. It was throwing off bursts of orange light and then suddenly it seemed to explode and light up the entire sky with a brilliant orange glow lighting up the ground as if it were day. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ross and girls were driving north on their way to Dimmitt to attend the Donkey Ballgame when the sky suddenly lit up. Their first reaction was that a plane had exploded just overhead, then they like the others supposed it was the expected space junk 24 hours earlier than expected. Lloyd Blanton and some more men were on their way home from Abernathy. They saw only the burst of light which would have been bright enough to see by. Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Clark and Jerry Kay were also driving west on their way to Dimmitt to see the Donkey basketball game. They too saw only the burst of the brilliant orange ball of fire. They too thought it was the expected space junk. All thought it too large to have been a meteorite.

Rev. Gerald Tidwell of Plainview was guest speaker Sunday in both the morning and evening services. He had been scheduled to speak in the evening services several weeks before the resignation of Rev. Mack Turner and so was persuaded to fill the pulpit for the morning service also. He is the executive director of Frontiers for Baptist Men which operates in the gap between the local church and Pioneer Mission enterprises in the Pacific Northwest. Mission-minded men and women, laymen and preachers from Texas and other southern states go to the Pacific Northwest to hold revivals and strengthen new work or organize new churches as well as give financial support. Archie Sorley of Olton also spoke on this work in the evening service.

MANOR NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Burton and Mrs. Keith James, with a group of children from First Baptist Church Amherst came Sunday morning January 5 and sang for the residents of Amherst Manor. It was enjoyed very much.

Visiting Goldie Drake recently was her daughter, Minnie Parish her son, Garland Stavall and Earnest Green.

Verble Baker visited his father Willie Baker on Friday.

Visiting Lizzie Nicholson this week was Nancy Rice of Littlefield, Judy Nichols of Levelland, Davis Mixson and Verlea Edwards.

Visiting Sara Goyne this week was Tami Smith, Nell Smith and Georgia Goyne.

Mrs. James Dutton of Earth visited Della Dutton recently.

Visiting Homer Hukill recently was his wife and Georgia Goyne.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Mote of Spade visited Mike Mote this week.

home and Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler moved into the Pearl Sadler home in Dimmitt until they complete construction on the remodeling of the rent house to the south of their original home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilson of Amarillo visited Friday through Sunday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan. They all had dinner in Hart Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Garner Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson and Daneen were in Wichita Falls Sunday for a Pre-Mission.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Armstrong attended the 50th anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. John McLain Sunday in their home in Hart.

Lee Brown and Junior Saucedo and the Springlake-Earth Wolverines won their game over Vega Tuesday night. Lynn Brown and Pat Fulfer and the 8th grade team lost their game Monday night.

Visiting Essie Griggs this week was Cecil Griggs, Lois Rudd of Springlake, Ollie Lee Erwin from Portales, New Mexico, Mrs. Bert House, Mrs. Snodgrass of Portales, Opel Cain of Clovis, Mary Rudd and Essie's daughter Cledia Nedey.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Liles visited Jay Liles recently.

Lula Harlon returned to the Manor after several days in the hospital.

Visiting Flora Davis was her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Dickson.

Visiting Ben Pal Wednesday was his daughter-in-law Norma Pal and granddaughter Raylene Pal of Sudan.

Raymond Nix of Sudan visited his brother Everett Nix Wednesday.

Visiting John Butler recently was Steve Butler, Mr. A. D. Lynch, Lee Payne and Loyd Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Ford of Sudan visited Mary Ford and Nannie Ginn Monday.

Maud Bennett is a new resident at Amherst Manor. We welcome her and hope she will be very happy here. Visiting her recently was Janna Stehlik of Littlefield, Irma Clayton of Amarillo and Pauline Vaughner Downing. Pauline also visited Etta Jones.

Visiting Hattie Dos this week was her pastor, Rev. J. W. Ristuedt, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Henderson of Sudan and Stanley Dos of Littlefield.

Mrs. Simon Hay of Sudan visited Hattie Dos and Mary Ford recently.

Bertie Block visited Ora Smith this week.

Alva Strdivant visited Effie Veach and other residents this week.

Visiting Lee Jefferys recently was his brother, Claude Jefferys and Tom Sandy.

PUBLIC NOTICES

BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST KNOW

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF PERPETUAL CARE FUND For Year Ending December 31, 1974

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Use Liquids From Canned Vegetables

Consumers who don't use the liquid from canned vegetables miss about one-third of the nutrition from that canned food, according to Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt.

She's consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"To get the full value of the minerals and vitamins in the vegetable liquid, use it in gravy, soup or in a cream sauce or stew," she suggested.

The drained solids, which usually make up about two-thirds of the can's total contents, also contain about two-thirds of the soluble nutrients, Mrs. Clyatt noted.

She reminded consumers that canned vegetables are already cooked. To serve them with the most flavor and food value, drain off the liquid and boil it down to one-third of its original volume. Add the vegetable to this concentrated liquid and heat, she advised.

Your garage floor may damage your tires if you don't keep it clean, warns the Tire Industry Safety Council. Accumulated oil from parking surfaces can coat tires and cause deterioration.

Others visiting the Manor were: Mary and Kay Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunt of Amarillo and Mrs. Theron Eden of Amarillo.

Perpetual Care Fund, or, if no Trust Company or Bank, names of Trustees holding Perpetual Care Fund: Perry Martin, H. L. Patterson, Johnie Haberer.

2. Filing Fee (Fee must accompany this report). For cemetery serving city with population of 25,000 or less--\$25.00

For cemetery serving city with population of 25,000 or more--\$50.00

3. (a) Detailed sworn statement of Perpetual Care Funds held in Bank or Trust Company or Trustees is attached to and made a part hereof, total of which is: Principal amount \$27,583.47 (b) Total amount of Perpetual Care Fund not yet collected on term sale contracts but allocated for Perpetual Care, now in process of collection and to be paid to Trustee as collected according to trust agreement, \$375.00

Has all money collected on term contracts and allocated to Perpetual Care Trust Fund been paid to Trustee? (Yes)

(c) Total Principal of Perpetual Care Funds (Add "a" and "b") \$28,158.47

4. (a) Subsequent to 3/15/34 to 8/23/63 at 20¢ per sq. ft. 17,250 sq. ft. -----\$3,450.00 Subsequent to 8/23/63 to date of this report of 50¢ per sq. ft. 15,860 sq. ft. -----\$7,930.00

4. (d) Total requirements for sales made under Perpetual Care-----\$11,380.00

Amount placed in Perpetual Fund is Excessive of amount required by Law. Excess-----\$16,778.47

5. Have the requirements of Section 16 of the Cemetery Code pertaining to sign, and statement on certificate of ownership and contract been complied with? (Yes) EARTH MEMORIAL CEMETERY

By: E. H. Green, President THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF LAMB BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared E. H. Green, and Alene Griffin, known to me to be the

President and Secretary, respectively, of Earth Memorial Cemetery and being by me duly sworn, on oath did depose and say, each for himself (or herself) that each of the affiants had read the above and foregoing report of status of Perpetual Care Funds of said Cemetery, that each knows the contents thereof, and that the facts set forth therein are known by each of said affiants to be in all things true and correct.

E. H. GREEN (Affiant) President

ALENE GRIFFIN (Affiant) Secretary

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 8th day of January, 1975 to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.

HELEN V. HULCY Notary Public in and for Lamb County, Texas.

Name and address of Board of Trustees:

PERRY MARTIN, Chairman of Committee, Earth, Texas 79031. H. L. PATTERSON, Earth, Texas 79031

JOHNE HABERER, Rt. 4, Muleshoe, Texas 79347

Name and address of Cemetery:

EARTH MEMORIAL CEMETERY Box 523 Earth, Texas 79031

LEGAL NOTICE II

206 Main St. STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF PERPETUAL AND IRREVOCABLE FUNDS IN TRUST AS OF December 31, 1974

ASSETS	MARKET VALUE
Cash-----	\$783.47
Church Bonds-----	\$9,000.00
Certificate of Deposit-----	\$17,800.00
TOTAL-----	\$27,583.47

I hereby certify that the foregoing statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief:

ALENE GRIFFIN Secretary-Treasurer

JOHNE M. HABERER Trustee

PERRY MARTIN Trustee

H. L. PATTERSON Trustee

Please supply a list in detail of the items that make up the various accounts you have listed above:

Earth First Baptist Church Bonds Earth, Texas-----\$5,500.00

Dimmitt Baptist Church Bonds Dimmitt, Texas-----\$3,500.00

Citizens State Bank Certificate of Deposit Earth, Texas \$17,800.00

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FOR SALE: 3/4" thru 10" PVC Plastic pipe, new and used aluminum pipe and side-rolls. STATE LINE IRRIGATION-Littlefield 385-4487-Muleshoe 272-3450. 11-28-tfc

FOR SALE: 160 acres, \$600, per acre. One mile North, 1/2 mile East of Springlake, Texas. 2% down, remainder within 10 years at 6% interest. Phone 373-7339, L. W. Skyes, Amarillo, Texas. 1-9/3tc

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STUDENTS OF THE MONTH--CHRISTI BARLOW and JEFFERY WASHINGTON

F.T.A. Names Students of the Month

Christi Barlow and Jeffery Washington were elected students of the month at a regular monthly meeting of the Future Teachers of America Association January 6 in the science room at Springlake-Earth high school. The meeting opened with the election of the students of the month.

It was decided that two F. T. A. members would accompany Mr. and Mrs. Beard to the State F. T. A. meeting in Ft. Worth later this year. The group had previously planned to send three.

A party was planned for all F. T. A. members and sponsors to go to Muleshoe or Lubbock to dine and take in a show. No definite plans or date was set.

The group discussed a tea for the retired teachers of the Springlake-Earth community. The event will be held in the Homemaking Cottage on January 20. A skit is being planned as entertainment for the event.

Eleven members were present for the meeting.

THE AVERAGE PERSON lifts all day and may have a backache to prove it. To lift objects, follow these rules, stand close to the item with your feet flat, about 12 inches apart, and keep your back straight. Bend your knees, grasp the item and lift it by straightening your legs, don't pull up with your arms and back. For overhead objects, put one foot forward, then gradually shift your weight to the back as the item comes toward you.

USDA Will Issue New Food Stamp Series in March

The U. S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) will replace the current 50 cent, \$2 and \$5 food stamp series with a \$1, \$5 and \$10 series on March 1.

USDA's Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) said that the larger denominations were prompted by the volume of coupons needed to meet increased food stamp allotments, paper shortages, and increased production and shipping costs.

The new food stamps, brown (\$1), purple (\$5), and blue-green (\$10), use a more sophisticated design to deter counterfeiting. They are incorporated into redesigned, revalued coupon books.

Coupon Book Value	Coupons Inside Book	Color of Ink on Cover
\$2	Two \$1	Green
\$7	One \$5, two \$1	Purple
\$40	Two \$10, three \$5, five \$1	Brown-gold
\$50	Three \$10, three \$5, five \$1	Blue
\$65	Four \$10, four \$5, five \$1	Reddish-brown

All current coupons not issued by February 28 of this year, will be collected and destroyed. FNS said that food stamp recipients must spend their current food stamps by June 30, 1975 since retailers will not accept any old coupons after that date.

Authorized food stamp stores will use the \$1 coupon for making change instead of the current 50 cent coupon and credit slips of 99 cents or less for change under \$1. FNS advised retailers to redeem the current food coupons as soon as possible; banks will continue to accept them for redemption until August 1, 1975.

Junior High Wins Three, Lose One

The Springlake-Earth Junior High teams won three, lost one Monday night.

The 8th grade boys lost 41-28 to Sovina. 7th grade boys, won 18-11. 8th grade girls, won 31-22. 7th grade girls, won 27-22. High point boys for S-E were Randy Furr 12 and Frank Flores 8.

High point girls were Lindsey Fields 12 and Sue Jones 14. Their next games will be against Kress here Monday.

A WOMAN WHO IS PREGNANT, or thinks she might be, should not take any drugs unless absolutely essential. Drugs should be taken only when prescribed by a physician who is aware of the pregnancy.

HABERER AT HOME FOLLOWING A STROKE JAN. 8

Ted Haberer, who suffered a stroke last Wednesday afternoon while at the Springlake Grain Company in Springlake is much improved.

Haberer was rushed to the University Hospital in Lubbock by Norman Hinchliffe owner of the Grain Company. The mad rush to the hospital was a trip long to be remembered, as Haberer lost his ability to speak, Hinchliffe was forced to read signs as best as he could, as to what hospital to take Haberer to.

Following a quite speedy response to medical treatment, Haberer was allowed to come home Tuesday, and is now resting at home.

He has regained his speech, also the use of his right side. His orders are to rest and stay in for the next couple of weeks.

ATTEND CHURCH



PREVIEW for '75

Take one giant step. Then another . . . after awhile, it becomes a habit. That's what we're looking forward to in the year ahead.

Big strides forward—with vision and forethought—into a future bright with promise, growth and prosperity. This is how we feel about 1975. It's a good feeling. Join us.

LIFE IS FULL OF LITTLE SURPRISES!!!

LIFE IS BRACES ON YOUR CHILDREN'S TEETH...

LIFE IS YOUR CAR WHEN A UTILITY POLE JUMPS OUT AND BANGS YOUR FENDER...

LIFE IS A BROKEN WASHER WITH 2 WEEKS LAUNDRY TO DO...

LIFE IS YOUR WIFE KNITTING ONE PAIR OF BOOTIES and HAVING TRIPLETS...

LIFE IS LAST YEAR'S SCHOOL CLOTHES ON THIS YEAR'S SON...

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DOUBLE STAMPS SATURDAY WITH \$7.50 PURCHASE or MORE

GEBHARDT CHILI

No Beans 15 oz. Can

2 Cans \$1

EGGS PAY-N-SAVE Grade A Medium Dozen 65¢

DIAL SOAP Family Size Bar 39¢

COMET CLEANSER 14 oz. Can 19¢

SUPER SUDS DETERGENT Giant Box 59¢

DIXIE DISPENSER CUPS 50-5 ozs. Cups Pkg. 55¢

GEBHARDT TAMALES 15 oz. Can 3 Cans \$1

TRAPPY WHOLE YAMS 22 oz. Can 59¢

TUNA CARNATION Flat Can 49¢

SHURFINE VIENNA SAUSAGE 5 oz. Can 3 Cans \$1

SHURFINE HAMBURGER DINNER MIX 39¢

FRUITS & VEGETABLES

AVOCADOS 2 For 25¢

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TEXAS GREEN CABBAGE Pound 9¢

TEXAS ORANGES Pound 12 1/2¢

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CLUB STEAK Pound \$1.19

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SHURFRESH FRANKS 12 oz. Pkg. 59¢

ARM ROAST Pound \$1.09

MARKET SLICED BOLOGNA Pound 89¢

CHUCK ROAST Pound 99¢

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