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Possible Increase In Bonus Acres For High Plains

As a result of a complete overhauling of zones by the Texas Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service State Committee the High Plains has a good possibility of receiving a sizable increase in bonus acres in 1963 through release and re-apportionment on the basis of past records, area cotton authorities have estimated that the "bonus" could be 100,000 or more acres for distribution within the 23 counties serviced by the PCG. This would help offset the 244,983 acres lost this year in the base allotments as they now stand.

A law which went into effect in 1960 permits farmers to re-lease unplanted cotton acres to their county ASC committees and retain "history" for future allotments on their own farms. The county committee then re-distributes the released acres to farmers who have made application and who farm within the county in which the acres were released. If enough requests for additional acres have not been filled in the county office to absorb all the acres released within the county, the excess acres go to the state committee to be re-distributed in other counties within the zone in which the acreage was freed.

Since the state received its allotment based on history of the individual farms within the state, when farmers follow this practice of releasing unplanted acres, he retains history for the state as well as his own farm. Conversely, if farmers simply do not plant their full allotments and refuse to release the unplanted acres, both the individuals and the state lose history for allotments in future years. Since cotton is the state's cash crop, these losses adversely affect the economy of the entire state.

Up to this year Texas was divided into five zones for purposes of release and re-apportionment, and this, to some extent, restricted the free flow of unused cotton acres over the state. Under the new arrangement there are only two zones. The High Plains is included in Zone II which covers, approximately the north two thirds of the state.

A survey of the acres now included in Zone II shows that in 1962 there were 182,173 acres released to the state ASC for re-apportionment within the present zone boundaries. Since the High Plains is always on the demand side, requesting more acres, and released acres come from other acres within the zone, the estimate that the High Plains can get one-half, and possibly more, of these released acres is considered to be very realistic.

Indications are that there will be as many acres up for re-apportionment within the area of Zone II in 1963 as there were in 1962, even with the reduction in base allotments. As a result of an intensive educational campaign emphasizing the importance to the entire state, and to individuals, in fully utilizing the cotton allotments in the state, there were 19,843 more acres released for re-apportionment in 1962 than in 1961, even though there was a 2 to 3 percent cut in allotments in 1962.

The 23 counties served by Plains Cotton Growers received 40,000 bonus acres through re-apportionment in 1962 and 23,500 acres in 1961.

To be eligible to receive any of the bonus acres, individual farmers must make application to their county ASC committees before the deadline of March 4. It is important that area farmers remember this deadline date and make application early.

Released acres will be re-apportioned on March 25. Additional acres received through the release and re-apportionment program don't figure in the history of the farm receiving seed acres.

Among those ill with tonsillitis is Andy Ellis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ellis and Frances Faver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Faver.

The Bob Bells, formerly of Plainview, moved Sunday into the Bill Freeman house on Date Street. He is employed at the Earth Elevator. The couple have two children Mike and Debbie. They attend the Church of Christ.

Bumper Crop For Earth And County Farmers

The ten Earth area gins report a grand total of 60,578 bales ginned as of this week with some gins in the final operations of clearing out all cotton. Most gins are reported through. Earth gins took the lead in the area with 20,725, followed by Springlake with 20,078. Rural gins totaled up 19,775 bales.

The Texas Employment office at Littlefield reports a bumper crop for the county with 226,768 bales as of last week, which is the most bales recorded in any one year. Between 25 and 50 more bales may be ginned at late closing gins. Most void tags have been counted.

Bids On School Construction To Be Opened Today

A number of bids on construction of the new Springlake School cafeteria and school plant additions will be opened Thursday, January 24, at 2 p. m. in the school auditorium. All interested persons are invited to attend.

Bill Mann, superintendent of Springlake Schools, reports that construction may start in early February, pending on the contractor and weather.

The campus house occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Dean Foshee was moved from a site west of the Junior High gym to the northeast corner of the campus. This was done to make room for the new cafeteria.

The bonds were sold in December at less than 3% interest which is considered very good.

G. G. Vanderveer of Springlake spent several days last week in the Littlefield Hospital suffering from the flu.



REV. HUGH BLAYLOCK

Earth Methodist Church Revival Begins Sunday

Sunday, January 27, 1963, the Methodist Revival begins at the Church, Rev. Hugh Blaylock, Pastor of First Methodist Church, Dimmitt will be the guest preacher, Rev. Mr. Blaylock was pastor of the Earth Methodist Church several years ago. Mr. Blaylock is District Director of Evangelism in the Plainview District of the Methodist Church.

Our singing will be led by our own Choir and Choir Director, Mrs. Norma Dawson. There will be special numbers in music each night.

Monday morning through Friday morning of the revival week, the Methodist Men of our church will sponsor the Mens Breakfast. We invite each man who desires to come and have breakfast with us. Rev. Blaylock will speak to the men each morning.

The services will begin on Sunday morning, January 27, and will continue until February 2. Morning Services at 10 a. m., Monday through Friday. The week night services probably will begin at 7:00 p. m.

Shelby Bozeman, freshman at L C C was home over the weekend during mid-term exams. He was a guest Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Faver.

Mrs. Elvis Hestand of Portales visited from Wednesday to Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Brockette.

Bill Phillips of Springlake is ill with the flu.

Students Hurt When Cars Collide North Of School Friday Morning

Eight teen-agers narrowly escaped serious injuries Friday morning, at 10:30 a. m., when the two cars in which they were riding, collided, causing minor injuries to three high school girls, occupants of one of the cars.

According to V. L. Smith, Jr., the accident occurred one quarter mile north of Springlake School as a 1961 Ford Station Wagon, driven north by Jim Stockard, accompanied by Loy Jean Hamilton and Richard Green and driven by Richard Green and driven by Loy Jean Hamilton, as she made a turn across the highway into a driveway, attempting to turn the car around.

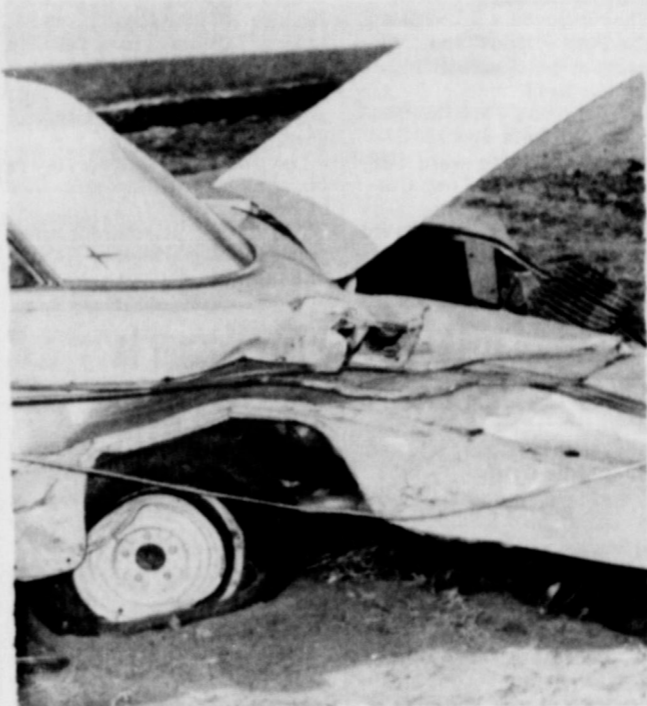
Other occupants in the car were Linda Pat Ussery, Beverly Kelley, Evelyn Peavy, Donna Street and Betty Cody. When the dust of the collision settled, both autos were on the west shoulder of the highway, facing east and parallel to each other about 25 feet apart.

Both cars were estimated to be total losses with damages of approximately \$3,500.

Linda Pat Ussery suffered a laceration on the forehead and was under observation in the Littlefield Hospital for several days. Betty Cody received a knee injury and was taken to her doctor in Muleshoe. Evelyn Peavy received a minor back injury and was taken to Greene Hospital, Muleshoe.

Loy Jean Hamilton was treated for mild shock. All the injured were first taken to Dr. Holt's office for emergency treatment.

Deputy V. L. Smith, Jr. investigated the accident.



THREE STUDENTS INJURED. This 1962 Oldsmobile, driven by Loy Jean Hamilton and owned by Richard Green, was occupied by six Springlake High School girls, three of whom suffered minor injuries when the car was struck by a 1961 Ford, driven by Jim Stockard. Those injured—Linda Pat Ussery, Evelyn Peavy and Betty Cody.



TWO ESCAPE INJURY. Jim Stockard, driver of this 1961 Ford station wagon, and passenger Kenny Kendrick, escaped injury Friday morning when the vehicle was in a collision with a 1962 Oldsmobile, driven by Loy Jean Hamilton. The auto was considered a total loss by Deputy V. L. Smith, Jr., who investigated. The accident occurred north of the Springlake Schools.

Water Lines In City Hit By Cold

The Earth City Hall received a large number of phone calls during the cold weather last week-end.

Residents reported frozen water pipes with the score on Friday with a slight let-up on Saturday. Low temperature reported Saturday was 6 below zero in Earth proper.

Johnny Fruedenrich, water superintendent was kept busy helping residents with their troubles.

Tests Being Run On Rowan - Getty Farm For Oil

BULLETIN

Jack Lent, geologist, reported at noon Wednesday that tests taken at the site of the oil well on the Rowan-Gettys farm showed it to be a dry hole.

A test well drilled 10 years ago on the Rowan-Gettys farm by Anderson-Pritchard Oil Co. is a bee-hive of activity this week as Intex Oil Co. of Midland contracted the facilities of Pioneer Well Service to re-enter the hole for samples of a possible oil showing.

Geologist is Jack Lent and J. Horgenson is engineer, both of Midland.

The drilling by Anderson-Pritchard, at a depth of 4,000 feet showed traces of oil, but samples were never tested, due to the fact of the belief that this was a shallow pool, not worth the financial expense that would be involved. The new entry will be cased off at 4100' and Schlumberger electric logs will be used to determine if oil is present at the depth of the initial showing. Following log test, side wall samples will be obtained by bullets fired into formation. Samples will be tested to indicate presence of oil and if showing is good, casing will be run and perforation and testing will begin. If a successful well comes in, five more will be drilled within a mile in any direction of the present site.

Jim Nance, geologist of Midland, who was present at the operation 10 years ago, is convinced that a producing well can still be drilled at the site.

Deadline For Poll Taxes Is January 31

Rubye Anderson, City Secretary, reports that sale of poll taxes continues at a steady pace with only one week left in which residents can reserve their voting rights.

Mrs. Anderson and Herbert Dunn, County and State Tax Collector, both consider the progress of sales very good for an off-election year.

Due to the fact that there will soon be a school board election and also city elections a large number of taxpayers are expected to pay their voting tax next week.

Deadline is January 31.

County Junior Fat Stock Show Slated February 14 - 16

The Lamb County Junior Fat Stock Show, one of the largest in Texas, will be held February 14-16 at the Lamb County Fair grounds.

A record number of 300 animals is expected to be on the entry list for showing by 4-H Club members and Future Farmers of America.

County Agent Bill Kimbrough estimated 50 to 70 fat lamb entries, 175 to 200 swine, 50 to 60 fat steers and 25 Shetland ponies. A beef cattle breeding heifer class will also be held.

Money for prizes and show operations is being raised by the Young Farmers Association headed by Eldon Gohlke.

Doyle Turner of Pleasant Valley is director of the show. Floyd Burgess, Earth, will head the swine division, assisted by Walter Hill, Jr. and Travis Spencer of the Young Farmers group.

Finis Branham, Littlefield, is superintendent of the sheep division. Steer superintendent is Douglas Walden, Littlefield. Luther Uxton, Amberst, is in charge of the Shetland pony division. Show managers are Marshall Howard, Jerry Sanders and Jim Black.

Judges will be Euel Limer, Lubbock, J. C. Lane, Amarillo, and Coleman Cowan, Lubbock. Livestock will be moved into the show area on Thursday, February 14 with judging to begin the next morning.

More interest than ever before is being shown by officials exhibitors and the county in general. This is expected to be an outstanding show, setting a pattern for future years.

About 25 entries are expected from the Springlake FFA Chapter.

FFA Members To Enter Four Shows During February

E. G. Gaston, Springlake FFA instructor, reports chapter members will be participating in four livestock shows during the month of February.

The Earth Fat Stock Show will be held Friday and Saturday, February 8 and 9, where 45 head of swine will be shown. Five calves will also be entered.

The San Antonio show will begin February 11, followed by the Lamb County Fat Stock Show February 14 to 16.

C of C Directors Meet January 18

The Earth Chamber of Commerce board of directors met January 18 for a regular meeting.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The group voted to pay the bills. Those present were Marshall Kelley, Phil Baught, Edwin O'Hair, Ross Middleton and Mrs. Zou Wilson, Chamber secretary.



DR. EARL COLLISTER

Dr. Earl Collister To Speak Tuesday At Lion Meeting

Dr. Earl H. Collister of the High Plains Research Foundation will be guest speaker at the noon meeting Tuesday, January 29, of the Earth Lions Club, which is sponsoring a Farmers' Day luncheon.

Farmers will be invited to attend by local club members.

Dr. Collister, chief agronomist and director of the Foundation, grew up on a farm in Illinois. Upon graduation from high school in 1941, he entered the University of Illinois and decided to join the U.S. Marine Corps reserve. He left his studies in 1943 when called to active service where he became a private and was discharged 32 months later as a 2nd Lieutenant. He then entered Purdue University where he later received his B.S., M.S., and Ph.D. degrees.

In 1959, Dr. Collister joined the staff at Halfway, becoming director in 1962. He is known world-wide for producing the first sesame that could be machine harvested and as a result of his efforts in this crop, there are now over 1200 varieties of sesame in the Foundation collection. These were obtained from 72 scientists in 32 countries.

He is married and has three sons. He is a former member of the Plainview Lions Club.

Also attending the occasion, will be the representative for Northern Lamb County, Jarvis Angeley, a member of the Earth Lions Club and a member of the Board of Trustees at the High Plains Research Foundation.

Booster Club Meeting Called

A meeting of all Wolverine Boosters has been called by the president, Fred Clayton, Thursday (tonight) January 24 at 7:30 p. m. in the newly constructed field house.

Problems will be discussed by Clayton and an up-to-date athletic report will be given by the coaches. Coffee will be served.

It is urgently requested that all members attend this important meeting.

Eight Litter Boxes Installed Here Recently

Litter Maid of America, Inc. has installed 8 litter boxes in convenient locations in the business section of Earth.

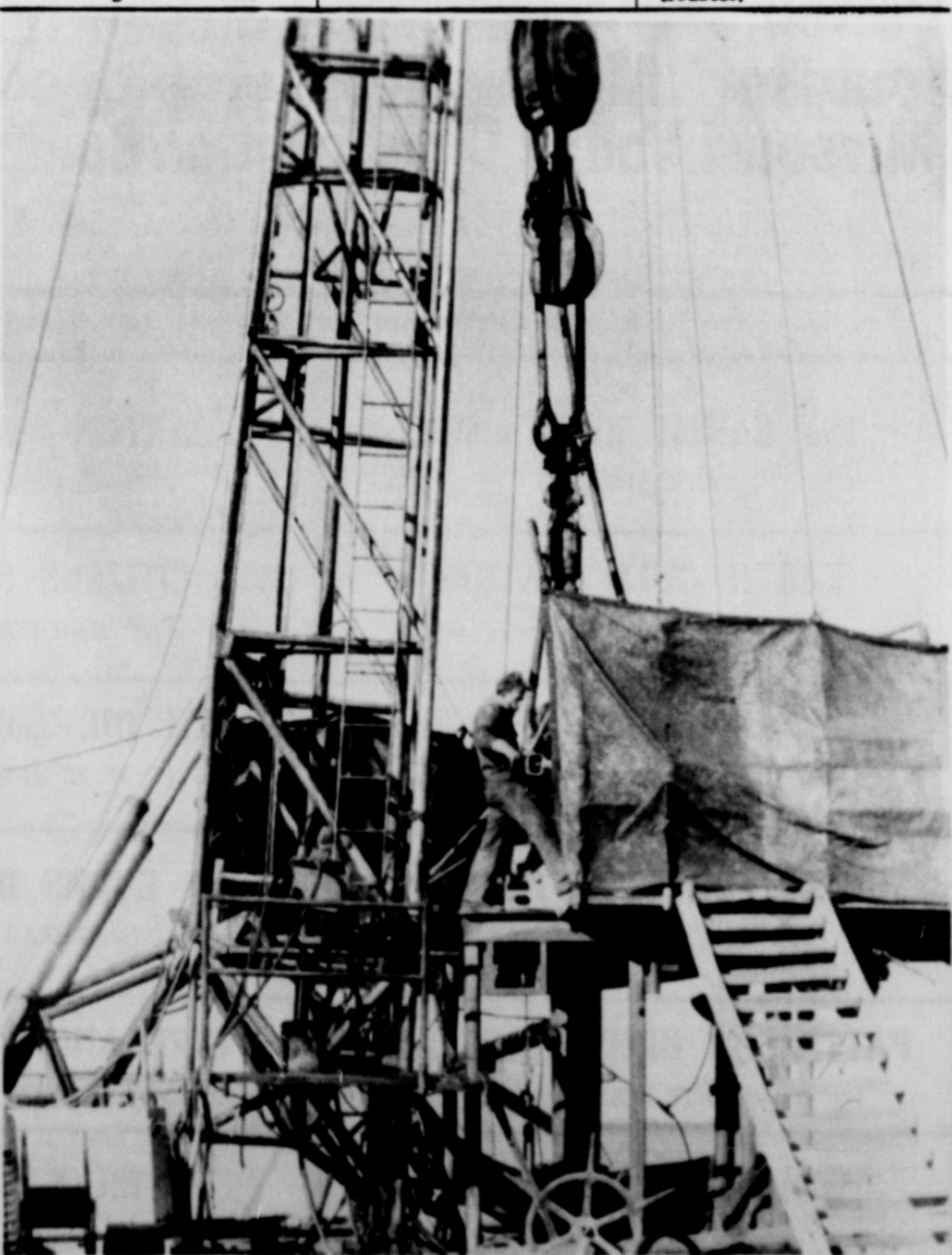
The project is being sponsored by the Earth Lions Club and various merchants have purchased advertising space on the attractive white receptacles.

Employees of Litter Maid installing the boxes were Bill Duffer and Herb Moses both of Hereford.

Emptying of the containers will be done by the City department.



LITTER BOXES INSTALLED. This is one of eight boxes installed here last week by Litter Maid of America, Inc. Shown left to right are company employees, Bill Duffer, and Herb Moses, both of Hereford. The project is sponsored by the Earth Lions Club.



A DRY HOLE IS REPORTED. Jack Lent, geologist, informed the Earth News-Sun Wednesday noon that tests showed a dry well on the Rowan-Gettys farm in the second attempt to locate a paying oil pool. This Pioneer Well Service Rig will tear down due to the failure.

Lazbuddie News.

by Mrs. C. A. WATSON

Mrs. Don Davidson had surgery last Thursday in the Hereford Hospital. Mrs. Davidson is said to be doing well and is expected to be home some time this week.

The First Methodist Church had family night Wednesday night of last week in the church's Fellowship Hall.

A revival will begin at the Methodist Church Sunday morning January 27 and continue through the next Sunday. Rev. Don Davidson will do the preaching and Rev. and Mrs. Smith of Cotton Center will have charge of the singing and music. The public is invited to attend.

Larry Treider and his band will leave in a few days for several weeks engagement in Hobbs. Larry is visiting his parents, the Jewel Treiders at present. Treider and the band have been in Fairbanks, Alaska the past several weeks.

Sunday dinner guests in the Leon Smith home were Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Sigman and daughter of Earth, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Dykes and Butch, Sudan, Elder Donald Day and children, of Canyon, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Bolen, Hub and Belva Lorraine from Bovina.

The WMU of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday of last week in the church for Royal Service. Mrs. Sam Bradley had charge of the study.

George Graham of Hardin-Simmons was guest speaker at the First Baptist Church Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Graham taught school in Lazbuddie several years ago. He also spoke at the Sunday evening services.

The monthly singing of the Farmer County Churches of Christ was held at Lazbuddie Sunday afternoon. Local talent does the leading and the singing was very good according to Mrs. Shanks Ivy.

Jane and Jerry Bruns were Saturday night guests in the home of the Howard Watsons in Muleshoe. Jane and Jerry are Mrs. Watson's sister and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Jennings of Lubbock were visiting the J. B. Jennings and the James Robinson families Sunday.

Several young people entered livestock in the Hereford Junior Livestock Show. The following Lazbuddie students won:

Berkshire: Rickey Hassell won 1st and 2nd; Duroc: Heavy, Charlotte Seaton; 2nd; Lloyd Bradshaw; 4th, Max Eubanks; 7th, Nester Yrugas; 9th Lloyd Bradshaw. Chester- whites

Richard Gordon 1st and Darrell Mason 9th; Champion of the breed; Charlotte Seaton; Reserve Champion, Theresa Seaton. Hampshire: Light, Charlotte Seaton 1st, Theresa Seaton 2nd, Mack Holt 3rd, Lewis Seaton, 4th; Larry Eubanks, 8th and Gary Eubanks 10th.

Poland: Bobby Gleason 1st; Linda Gleason; 2nd; Darrell Mason 3rd and Buddy Embry 7th. Champion of Breed: Bobby Gleason; Reserve Champion of Breed: Linda Gleason.

Crossbreed: Heavy, Linda Gleason, 5th. Light, Gary Eubanks, 3rd; Bobby Gleason 5th; Ronald Ashford, 7th; and Theresa Seaton, 9th.

Grand Champion of Show: Charlotte Seaton on Duroc and Reserve Champion on Hampshire.

Fine Wool Lamb: Darrell Mason, 5th; Richard Gordon 10; Royce Barnes 11th; and Sammy Harlin 12th.

Crossbreed: Steve Foster, 2nd; Darrell Mason, 3rd and 8th.

Hampshire: Marianna Gammon, 1st and also Champion of Breed; Johnny Mitchell, 4th; Timmy Foster, 5th; James Koelzer, 7th; Terry Parham, 8th and Darrell Mason, 16th.

Southdown: Darrell Mason 1st and also Champion of Breed; Darrell Mason 5th and Richard Gordon, 16th.

Birthday greetings to Pablo Echairria, 20th; David Koelzer Jerry Engleking, Leon Burreson Jan Mitchell and Geraldine Richardson, 21st; Connie Harlin 22nd; Delores Castro, 22nd; Connie McDonald, 23rd; Dorothy Ward, 24th; and Eddie Joe Hall the 26th.

The Young Republicans met Tuesday night of last week in the High School auditorium in Lazbuddie. Records of various speeches were played, and business matters discussed.

SCHOOL MENU

January 28-February 1

MONDAY

Hot Tamales
Scalloped Corn
Tossed Salad
Stewed Apricots
Hot Raisin-Butter
Milk

TUESDAY

Ham and Limas

News Of Interest To Women

Primary Sunbeam Class Meets At Church Tuesday

The Primary Sunbeam Class met Tuesday, January 16 at the Earth First Baptist Church with their leader, Mrs. Gerald Inglis.

The children made place mats from construction paper which they will send to the Goodwill Center in Dallas.

They enjoyed a Bible Story, "The Four Friends" and a discussion of the Goodwill Industries was held.

Refreshments were furnished by Mrs. Richard Stockstill.

Those attending were Teri Inglis, Kim Kelly, Leah Galloway, Kenny O'Hair, Guy Davis, Marilyn Eagle, David and Karen Hinchliffe, Marianne Messer, Brenda Williams, Debbie Green, Kim Stockstill II, Patricia Waide, Mrs. Inglis, Alice Jaquess and Ollie Waide.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Inglis and girls visited in Amarillo Sunday with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dempsey and children of Lubbock visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nat Bearden.

Mixed Greens
Jello Mold
Chocolate cake-icing
Cornbread-butter
Milk

WEDNESDAY

Macaroni and Cheese
Black-eye peas
Spoonfed Tomato Salad
Heavenly Hash
Cornbread--butter
Milk

THURSDAY

Pigs in a Blanket
Stewed Potatoes
English Pea Salad
Applesauce Cake
Milk

FRIDAY

Barbeque Beef on Bun
Buttered Corn
Cole Slaw
Cheese Sticks
Cherry Cobbler
Milk

HELLO WORLD!



Mr. and Mrs. Dan W. Lakenmacher of 4523 W. Alabama, Houston, are the proud parents of a son, Bernard William, born January 18 at 1:45 p. m. in St. Luke's Hospital, Houston. He weighed 8 lbs. at birth.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Laing of Earth.

The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Lakenmacher of Houston.

The father is assistant vice-president of the Houston National Bank.

Teri Harper Is Honored With Party Recently

Teri Harper was honored on her fifth birthday January 10 with a party in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Harper.

The cake, iced in yellow and green, was served with ice cream and punch.

Those attending were Stevie and Kelly Green, Grey Bills, Strela Faver, Ronnie Chesney, Johnnie Cleavinger, Eddie Bell, Gaye Harper and the honoree.

PARTY LINE

Mrs. Raemon Cole and children have moved back into their home here after spending six months at Childs where Mr. Cole was employed. He will join the family here in several weeks when his job is completed.

Linda Pat Usery was dismissed Sunday from the Littlefield Hospital and Clinic where she was admitted Friday for injuries received in an auto accident north of the Springlake School.

Kelleys Honored Sunday On 25th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kelley were honored Sunday on their 25th Wedding Anniversary with a reception in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Foster.

White cake squares and punch were served from a table laid with a white cutwork linen cloth, featuring a frosted blue, white, and silver centerpiece, flanked by arrangements of forget-me-nots and chrysanthemums.

The coffee table was laid with a white linen cloth and guests were served coffee from a silver service. The centerpiece was a candle tree.

Kent Kelley registered guests in a white and silver guest book. Mrs. Bobbie Green received guests at the door.

Eighty-five guests were registered. The couple received a number of nice gifts which were displayed.

NOTICE

A Dresden party will be held Tuesday, January 29 at 10 a. m. in the Springlake Community Building. Everyone is invited. Bring a sack lunch.

The Eastern Star Members will have a supper honoring the Masons at the Masonic Hall, Monday, January 28, from 6:30 to 7:30 p. m.

Party Line

Mrs. E. R. Hawkins and Mrs. C. W. Terry had dinner at Muleshoe Sunday.

Brian Hulcy is in the Littlefield Hospital and Clinic with pneumonia. He was admitted Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hulcy, Mrs. Mary Gilmore and Mrs. Hershel Hulcy were in Lubbock Sunday to visit an aunt, Mrs. Herb Gilmore at the Poplar Grove Convalescent Home.

HELLO WORLD!



A woman visited a psychiatrist and p.eaded: "You have to help my husband. He has delusions and thinks he's a horse."

After subjecting the patient to extensive tests, the psychiatrist said to the woman: "I think I can cure your husband madam, but it will cost a lot of money."

"Oh, money is no object," she quickly replied. "He just won the Kentucky Derby."

I saw a hitch hiker standing in the middle of the road with his thumb up to his nose. "You will never get a ride that way," I told him.

"Who cares," he replied. "I'm on my lunch hour."

On her most recent visit to Paris, Jacqueline Kennedy enjoyed a chat with President Charles de Gaulle. "Do you know, General," said Mrs. Kennedy, whose maiden name was Bouvier, "that my family origins are French?"

De Gaulle nodded, replied with a smile, "So are mine."

An elderly, foreign-born gentleman was proudly applying for his U. S. citizenship. He was doing very well until he was questioned about the American flag. "What is it," asked the judge, trying to elicit the correct answer, "that you see flying over the court house?"

The old man thought and thought, then smiled brightly and exclaimed: "Pigeons!"

Welcome to Earth



MR. AND MRS. G. C. POWELL

Welcome to Earth to Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Powell and family who moved here from Amarillo. Mr. Powell is employed by the Missouri Valley Construction Company.

The Powells moved here from Ft. Worth. They are parents of five children. Johnny, 10, a fourth grade student, Paula, 15 a Freshman who will continue her schooling at Ft. Worth and reside with her grandparents. Sharon 18, is attending a Dental Training College at Waco. Two of their children are married. The powells will attend the Catholic Church.

The Following Merchants Extend Their Welcome To All Newcomers . . .

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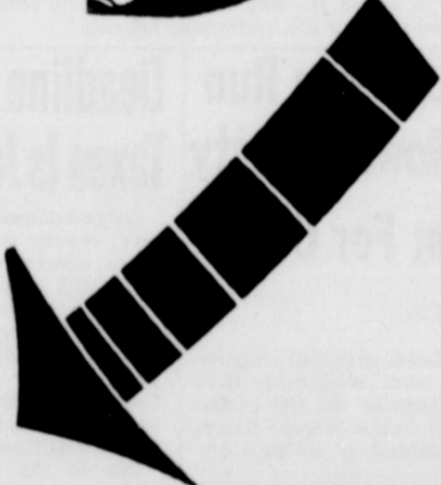
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ATTENTION!!!

ALL Mothers and Grandmothers

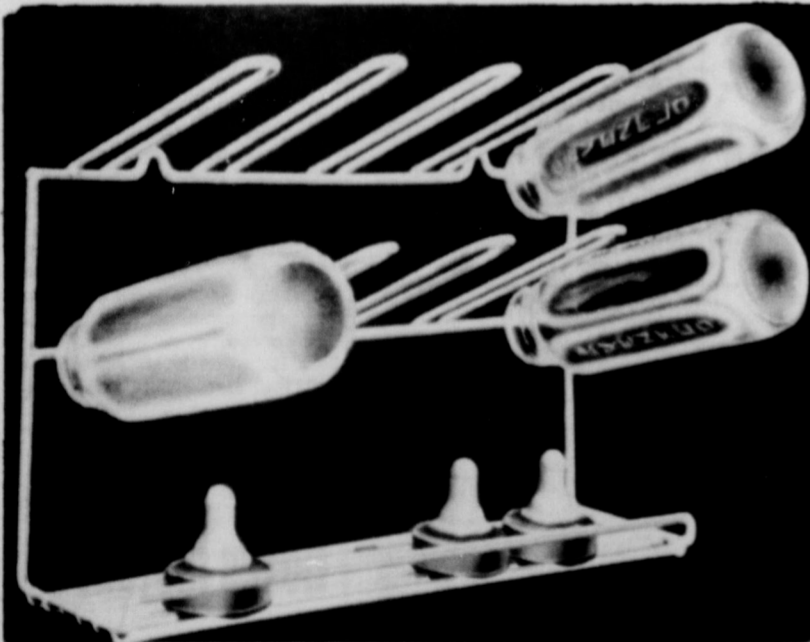
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49c



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1 lb. **39c**

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Fryers
lb. **25c**



SHURFINE WAFFLE
SYRUP
Qt. Jar **49c**

Potatoes
25 lb. Bag **89c**

GARDEN CLUB
Salad Dressing
29c Qt.

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12 Bottle Carton **59c**

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FHA To Present Style Show And Two 1-Act Plays Jan. 28

The FHA girls will present two one-act plays Monday night, January 28, 1963 at 7:30 p.m. in the Springlake School Auditorium.

Also the Homemaking I and III girls will model their garments they made in class this last semester.

The plays to be presented are "Along Came Harriet", starring Linda Oden, Janey Randolph, LaDon Messer, Beverly Sue Kelley, Gwen Smith and Carolyn Gregory.

Drive Will Begin To Annihilate Prairie Dogs

A representative from the State Agriculture Department will be at the County Agent's office Monday afternoon to help farmers, and ranchers reduce the population of prairie dogs in the area.

Everyone interested in the eradication program must make application for service before Monday afternoon as supplies must be ordered and those helping in the program must be notified as to date and time.

Please see Bill Kimbrough at the County Agent's office in Littlefield if you wish this service.

Mrs. Mike Dent and Carolyn Lott were in Lubbock Saturday where Carolyn received treatments.

(Too late to classify) **WANTED**--experienced pump man for regular work. See O. D. Scheller at O. D.'s Pump and Machine.

Cotton Classing Office Reports Receipts Steady But Not Large

W. K. Palmer, Officer-in-Charge of the Lubbock Cotton Classing Office, reported daily receipts to be steady but not large in volume. Classing was current with sample receipts at the end of the week.

The Lubbock Office classed 81,000 samples for the week ending January 18. Total for the year is 1,735,000 samples. This is 134,000 more samples than had been classed at the same time last year.

The Lamesa and Brownfield classing offices were closed on January 18. Through Wednesday, January 16, the Lamesa office had classed 202,000 samples and the Brownfield office had classed 263,000 samples. A total of 2,200,600 samples has been classed for the South Plains this year. One year ago 2,147,000 samples had been classed.

Strict Low Middling accounted for 17% of the cotton classed and Low Middling, 10%. All other white grades were 2%.

A large volume of the samples continued to be Strict Low Middling Light Spotted. This grade accounted for 40% of the cotton classed. Middling Light Spotted and Low Middling Light Spotted were 10% each. The spotted grades were the same as the week before with 2% Middling Spotted, 4% Strict Low Middling Spotted and 2% Low Middling Spotted. Tinged samples accounted for 2% of the cotton classed. For the week, 8% of the samples were reduced because of bark.

The average staple length was 29.8 thirty-seconds of an inch, the same as the week before. Twenty-nine thirty-seconds of an inch accounted for 23%. The other various staple lengths made up the other 2%.

The micronaire readings were the same as the previous week with 70% of the samples making 3.4 or below and 30% 3.5 or better. However, the percentage of the cotton classed as wasty increased from 15% the previous week to 17% this past week.

H.A. Poteet, Secretary of the

New Telephone Directories Are Being Received

The most widely used book in Earth and Springlake will be delivered this week.

It's the new telephone directory, complete with more names, more Yellow Pages and more information, according to R. E. Saunders of Littlefield, District Manager for General Telephone Company of the Southwest.

Approximately 4,000 directories will be distributed throughout the area. Saunders said that the new classified section of the directory has been expanded to give better identification to the different types and classes of business.

Annual Basketball Tournament For Outsiders Slated

The Springlake Annual Outsiders Basketball Tournament will begin at the Springlake Gym February 4.

This is an annual affair in which the proceeds will be used to pay for the Varsity boys jackets.

Those wishing to enter are asked to contact Danny Smith or Jodie Mahan. There will be no entrance fee.

Trophies will be awarded to the winning teams.

All players and fans will be charged at the door.

New Employees On The Job At Wolverine Drive-In

Mrs. Clarence Hazlett and Mrs. Jack Rylant, Jr. have recently been employed at the Wolverine Drive-in.

Mrs. Hazlett, a former Olton resident and native of Baytown, has two children, Nancy, who is married and lives in Olton and a son, Vaughn 8. Her husband is employed as Earth City Marshal.

Mrs. Rylant is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rudd and her husband is employed at the Earth Elevator.

AMONG THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Mrs. W. K. Britton of Olton, mother of Harold Britton, underwent major surgery Wednesday morning at the Amherst Hospital. She is reported to have come through the operation as well as could be expected.

The first official American flag was displayed on Prospect Hill, Jan. 1, 1776.

Tournament Tilt Will Begin Here January 31

The Springlake Junior High Invitational Basketball Tournament will be held beginning at 2 p.m. Thursday, January 31 when the local 8th grade girls meet the Sudan girls.

Teams are entered from Lubbock, Amherst, Muleshoe, Olton, Farwell and two Springlake teams.

Trophies for 1st and 2nd place and Consolation will be awarded to boys and girls winning teams.

Merchants who have donated the trophies are White's Auto Balco Ford Sales, Citizens State Bank, Quicksail-Pryor, Earth Elevator, Earth Co-op Gin, Earth Oil and Gas, Springlake Elevator and Paymaster Gin, Springlake.

Tickets will go on sale the first of next week. Admission will be 25¢. There will be 20 games in six sessions. Proceeds will be used to pay for athletic equipment for the Junior High School.

PTA Meeting Is Held Thursday

The monthly PTA meeting was held Thursday in the Springlake Auditorium with a large attendance.

J. J. Davis, elementary principal, gave an introductory to the reading program and explained the system of phonics used in the first grade.

Jane McCord related the duties of band twirlers which was followed by a twirling demonstration by Jane and Marilyn Coker.

"Can Johnny Read?" was the program of the evening. Mrs. Mary Gaston illustrated this program by using a panel of six mothers from the audience and text books of the first grade.

Mrs. Lola Sanderson and part of her 5th grade class illustrated SRA which means Scientific Researcher Associates.

Cecil Slover and students Cynthia Busby and Joan Dawson gave a briefing on the reading program in the 8th grade, introducing some of the literature used. Mr. Slover demonstrated the Speed Reader which is used in the 8th grade to help a student improve his reading speed and comprehension. This program is very limited because of lack of needed facilities. Word games and speed readers are needed in grades 3-8.

A brief business meeting was held. The nominating committee will mail out the slate of officers for the new year to every member of the PTA.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerrald Earl Peavy and children were Sunday dinner guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Earl Peavy, Evelyn and Gayla.

Pleasant Valley

By SHERYL STEVENS

Mrs. Bonnie Haberer had a dinner party at her home, Thursday honoring Mrs. Lawrence Folger of Fowler, Col. and Jim Folger of the U.S. Navy. Other guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Angeley, Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Angeley and Ilene, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Angeley, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Angeley and daughter, Gina Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Haberer and Tub Angeley.

Renay Berry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Berry of Olton, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Flatt Sunday afternoon.

A "42" Tournament was started Friday night for anyone in the Pleasant Valley Community that likes to play. They plan to play every Friday night in the Pleasant Valley Community Building and everyone is invited to come.

Mrs. J. B. Simmons, Lubbock, is spending a few weeks in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Meeks, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Galyon left Saturday for Borger where they are going to visit with his uncle, Claude Galyon and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stevens, Dimmitt, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Stevens Monday.

Visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Allison and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Allison over the weekend were: Mrs. Kenneth Osborn and children of Lovington, N.M., Mrs. Leroy

Barnett and her twin daughter from Okmulgee, Oklahoma, Mrs. Jim McKinstry and Mrs. and Mrs. B. J. West and Mrs. Opal West all of Hagerman, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Flatt attended the funeral services for Ellery Jones of Brownfield. Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Angeley had a family reunion in their home Sunday. Guests were: Mrs. Lawrence Folger of Fowler, Colorado, Jim Folger of the U.S. Navy, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Angeley, Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Angeley and children of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Angeley and Don of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Angeley and Tub and Patsy and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Haley and Sandra of Muleshoe visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stevens, Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lackey and Miss Gladys Hackett of Morton visited in the home of the W. D. Lackeys Wednesday and Thursday. Miss Hackett is the aunt of Mr. Lackey.

Mrs. E. E. Frost left for her home in Lawton, Oklahoma Tuesday after spending Christmas and visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lackey.

Walter Lackey left Monday to return to duty on the USS Firedrake which will be supplying the 7th Fleet. They will be going to Hawaii, Subic Bay, Philippine I., Yokosuka, Sasebo, Japan, Buskner Bay, Okinawa and Hong Kong before returning in July.

PARTYLING

Sandy Sanders will enroll Monday at ENMU at Portales. He and Mrs. Sanders moved Tuesday. He graduated in 1961 from Springlake and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sanders Pruda Kay and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Francis Kelley, John, Gary and Kim were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat McCord, Last Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Sanders and Pruda Kay and Mr. and Mrs. Kelley had dinner in Clovis.

Mrs. Helen Hulcy and Mrs. Mary Gilmore visited Mrs. Herb Gilmore Sunday at the Poplar Grove Convalescent Home in Lubbock.



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SPORTS



By POLLY JEAN MIDDLETON

Springlake Wolverettes Take Farwell Friday 48-32

Hurray! The Great Springlake Girls Basketball Team won over the Farwell Steers January 18. The girls have won two district games and lost one. They downed the Hale Center Owls and the Farwell Steers but they lost to the Sudan Homets by two points.

The Wolverines, having been downed by the Homets, went into this game determined to fight and win.

Springlake leaped ahead of Farwell in the first quarter by a 14 to 8 lead. Dale, Kaltwasser, and Mills made the Steers 8 points. The Springlake forwards, Carolyn Gregory and Bethie Dent made the 14 points for Springlake.

In the second quarter, Springlake let up on their attack a little. The Steers out-shot the Wolverines by 1 point, but this wasn't enough to get the lead.

At the end of the first half the score was Springlake 21 and Farwell 16.

Carolyn Gregory (41) Julia Jones (33) and Bethie Dent (21)

made 18 points to put a good lead on the Steers. Farwell made 6 points in this period of play, making the score Wolverines 39 and the Farwell Steers 22 points.

In the final period of play Springlake again slowed down and Farwell out-shot them by one point. Haseloff and Herrington fouled out in the 4th quarter. Jones and Dent made the points for Springlake and Farwell--Kaltwasser and Lovelace hit for points.

The score at the end of the game, Springlake 48 and Farwell 32.

High point girl for Springlake was Carolyn Gregory with 23, Julia Jones, 6 and Bethie Dent hit for 19 points.

For Farwell, Kaltwasser was high point girl with 20 points, Dale made 4, Mills, 2 and Lovelace had 6.

I knew you could do it. Keep up the good work. You'll win District yet, if you keep your attacks up and don't underestimate the enemy.



CAROLYN TRIES BUT MISSES, all are waiting anxiously to get their hands on the ball and try, try again. However, Springlake wins the game 48-32 against Farwell Friday night.

Steers Edge By Wolverines 46-43

It seems when one Springlake team wins, the other just can't quite make it, but we almost made it Friday when the boys played the Farwell Steers. Springlake lost 46 to 43, but they have nothing to be ashamed of, it was an exciting, thrilling, hard fought game.

In the first quarter, it looked as though Springlake might keep ahead for the rest of the game. Springlake was ahead by 3 points. Thanks to Cain, Dent, Gregory and Stephens. The score was Springlake 9 to Farwell's 6.

At the half, Farwell really pulled out with 20 points. It looked as though the Wolverines were out of the game. At the end of the first half, Springlake 17 and Farwell 26.

The Springlake Wolverines came alive in the 2nd half. They made 15 hard-fought points. Cain made 2, Been 3,

Dent 4 and Gregory 6.

Farwell made only 8 points, making the score Springlake 32 and Farwell 34.

The final period of play went back and forth between the two teams. The Wolverines tried very hard to beat out the Steers, but the Steers finally won. The score at the end of the game, Springlake 43 and Farwell 46.

High point man for Springlake was Dale Dent with 13 points, Gregory had 11, Stephens, 5, Been 7 and Cain, 7 points.

For the Farwell Steers, Roberts was high point man with 17 Lovelace, 14, Lindop 2, Actkinson, 3 and Childs made 10 points.

The Wolverines have played Farwell once before this year. The score was Farwell 59 and Springlake 48.

Boys, keep hitting hard like you did this game and you'll make it. Good luck with Kress.



WAITING FOR THE REBOUND, each hoping to retrieve the ball. Shown in the foreground is Rocky Cain and Jerry Been in the Farwell game Friday night. The score was 46-43.

Springlake Girls Lose To Kress Tuesday 52-47

Tuesday night, the Springlake Wolverettes lost to the Kress Kangaroos 52 to 47.

In the first quarter Springlake was not hitting. Gregory had 2 points and Dent 4. Kress jumped ahead with 12 points. Mahagan and Saul made the points for the Kangaroos.

Springlake seemed to hit a lot better in the 2nd quarter with 14 more points, but the Kangaroos still held the lead 30 to 20. Bethie Dent was making points left and right. She hit 8 out of 9 free shots.

The Wolverines just couldn't seem to get ahead of the Kress Kangaroos. Score at the end of the 3rd quarter was 41 to 28 in favor of Kress. Carolyn Gregory hit 6 and Jones made 2. Mahagan made 6 points and Saul had 5.

Springlake again tries desperately to win in the 4th quarter. They out-shot Kress by 8 points, but this couldn't pull them out of the dark.

Springlake's Carolyn Gregory made 11 points, Julia Jones, 4 and Bethie Dent made 4. Kress' 11 points were made by Mahagan and Saul. The score at the end of this game, Springlake 47 and Kress 52.

Carolyn Gregory was high point girl for the Wolverines with 25 points, Bethie Dent made 16, making 11 free throws and only missing 1. Julia Jones hit 6 points. Barbara Barlow and Dwal Boone fouled out in the final period.

High point girl for Kress was Saul with 27, Mahagan 20 and Campbell made 5 points.

Well, girls, better luck next time. Let's see you winning again.

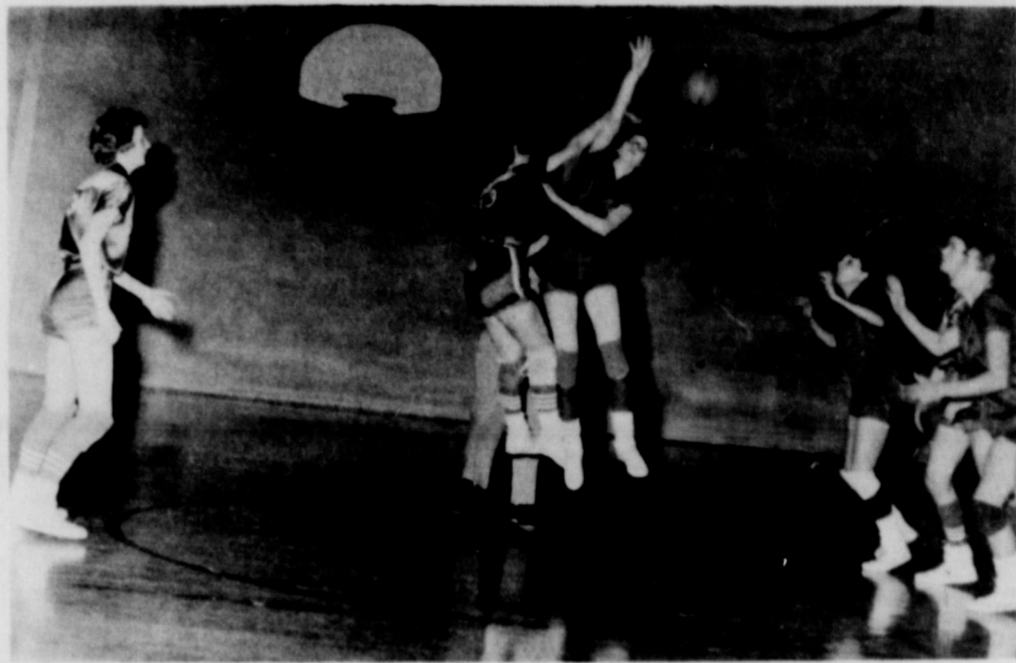
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PHILLIPS AND DALE JUMP OFF A TIE. Shown in the background attempting to regain the ball is Peggy Upchurch. The girls played with great skill and won their game Friday night.



CAIN AND FOSTER are shown jumping off a tie, in the Kress game Tuesday night. The Wolverines played their heart out but Kress won 55-51.

Junior High Teams Win Two Games At Muleshoe

The Springlake Junior High 7th grade girls defeated the Muleshoe 7th grade Monday night at the Muleshoe Junior High gym by a safe margin of 33-20. Outstanding scorer for Springlake was Susan Britton with 23 points. Emby and Puckett each scored 5 points for the opposing team. Linda Packard and Becky Parish did an excellent job of guarding for Springlake.

The 8th grade Springlake girls were left by the wayside as Muleshoe raced on to a 35 to 30 victory. Joan Dawson was high scorer for Springlake. Anita O'Hair was outstanding in the guard position for Springlake.

The seventh grade Springlake boys halted the Muleshoe 38-16.

Outsiders Lose One, Win One In Games Here

The Springlake Outsiders team, sponsored by Earth Pump and Machine, last week, in a fast-action operation, took Amherst by storm with a score of 86-39.

Carroll McDonald led the scoring for Earth with 29 points followed by Jim Castleberry, with 16. Glyn Brandtall was high point man for Amherst with 13 points. The game was played on the hardwood at Springlake.

In a game played here Monday evening, the local team went down in defeat as Cotton Center dribbled past Earth in a score of 68-44.

Carroll McDonald led the Earth Pump Team, scoring 17 points. Buddy Tremere was high for Cotton Center with 12.

Production expense of U. S. farmers in 1960 were 25.4 billion dollars--nearly four times as much as in 1940.



DID WE MAKE IT? Waiting breathlessly as the ball flies to the goal are Jones and Gregory and others of the Kress team Tuesday night at Kress. The score was 47-52 in favor of Kress.

Wolverines Defeated By Kress Kangaroos 55-51

Well, it seems my prediction that when one Springlake team doesn't win, the other one does, didn't turn out like that Tuesday night with the Kress Kangaroos.

It looked like that in the first three quarters Springlake might win, but Fate was against us. Kress won 55 to 51.

In the first quarter, Springlake leaped ahead 11 to 9. For Springlake, points were made by Cain, 3; Dent 6; and Gregory had 2 points. The Kress points were made by Fields, Freeman, Foster and Glenn.

The end of the first half still saw Springlake ahead 22 to 21. The Wolverines fought hard to keep the lead, Been, Dent and Gregory made points for the

team. For Kress, Fields, Freeman and Foster made baskets. Springlake was still ahead in the 3rd quarter with the score 37 to 36.

In the last period, Kress took over. Springlake tried desperately to stay ahead but just couldn't quite make it. Kress took the game 55 to 51.

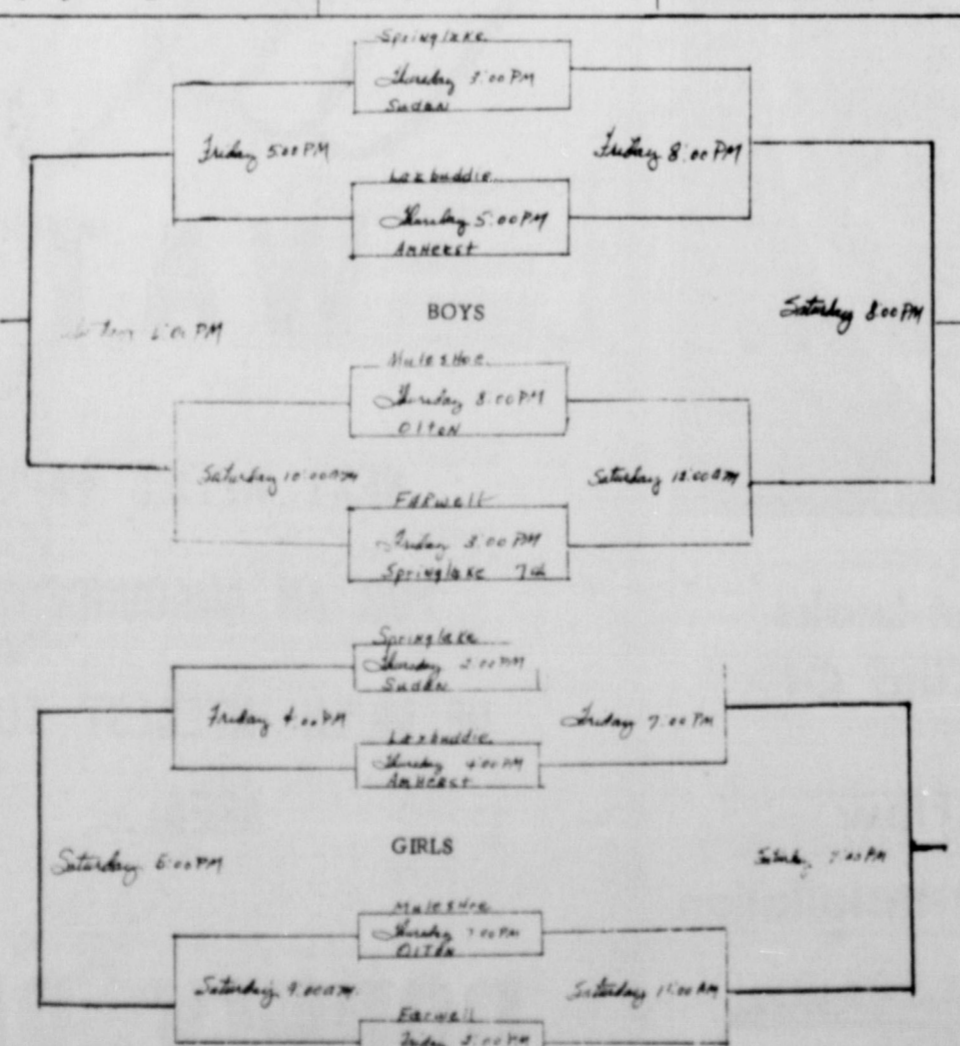
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For Kress, Freeman was high with 19, Foster, 14, Fields, 11 Tye and Glenn 2.

Boys, you played a very good hard-fought game. We're very proud of you. Just keep up the good playing.

Samuel Colt invented the revolver in 1835.

The human sprinter has a foot on the ground about half of the time.



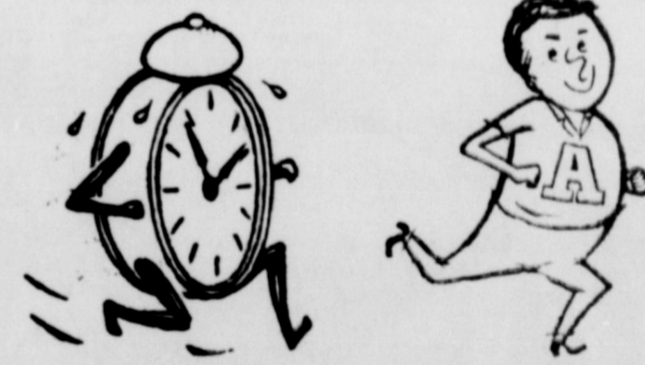
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—Rabbi Samuel M. Silver

The first zoo in America was at Philadelphia in 1874.

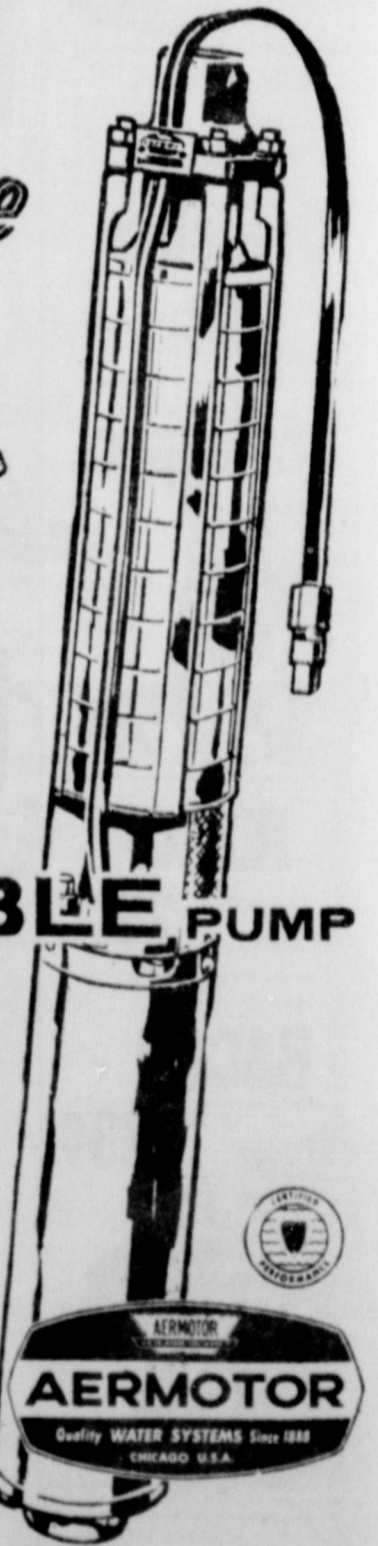
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Press Names Dan Blocker 1963 Texan Of The Year

Dan Blocker, a really "big" man, will be the recipient of the Texas Press Association's 1963 "Texan-of-the-Year" award.

Announcement of his selection has been made by George Baker, president of the newspaper association and publisher of the Fort Stockton Pioneer.

The presentation to Dan Blocker, 300-pound co-star of the NBC-TV show Bonanza, will be made at TPA's Mid-Winter Meeting at the El Tropicano Hotel in San Antonio on Saturday evening, Jan. 26.

Blocker, known on TV as Hoss Cartwright, was born in Bowie County, Texas, on December 10, 1929. He grew up in the Texas Panhandle and received his education in Texas.

Weighing 14 pounds at birth, he pulled the scales to 105 lbs. by the time he entered grade school. He became known among his friends, as "The Big'n". At age 10 he worked alongside grown men at grain elevators and could whip any of the local toughs, regardless of their age.

Despite his extraordinary strength, Dan Blocker had other ideas than pushing his weight around as a strong man. When 12 years old, he enrolled in the Texas Military Institute at San Antonio. At that time he weighed 200 lbs. and stood six feet tall.

From the military institute he went to Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene for a semester, then to Sul Ross State College at Alpine, on a football scholarship, to major in physical education.

He changed his major to drama before he was graduated in 1950.

From Alpine he went to Boston for summer stock. Then, as did most young men of his time, Dan Blocker received greetings from the President and went overseas for a whirl at Korea.

When he finished his army hitch, he came home with the stripes of a first sergeant, to further impress Dolphia Parker, his college sweetheart. They were married on August 25, 1952. They now have four children, twin girls and two boys.

Blocker returned to Sul Ross shortly after his marriage to work on his master's degree. He left classes for one year to teach in the high school at Sonora. Upon receiving his Master's degree in drama and English, he taught school at Carlsbad, New, Mexico.



DAN BLOCKER

In 1956, he went to Los Angeles, for graduate work at UCLA. Almost immediately he was chosen for a feature role in a Gunsmoke episode, where he made more money in four days than in a month of teaching.

Since that time his rise to stardom has been rapid. He has played in many significant TV roles and today has top billing with Bonanza.

The Texas Press Association, on behalf of its 76 member dailies and 432 weeklies, has presented "Top Texan" awards on two previous occasions. In 1961 the honor went to Paul Richards of baseball fame, a native of Waxahatchie, who at the time was manager of the top-ranking Baltimore Orioles. Last year, the "Texan of the Year" award went to Van Cliburn, world renowned pianist from Kilgore, Texas.

Selection of the "Texan of the Year" is made from nominations by Texas editors and publishers. Nominees must be well known Texans, outside the field of politics, now residing beyond the borders of the state, but bringing fame to the state by outstanding accomplishments in their chosen fields of endeavor.

PARTY LINE

Mr. and Mrs. O. I. Anderson and Joe Gilmore were called to Lubbock Saturday night due to the critical condition of Mrs. H. B. Gilmore of the Popular Grove Convalescent Home. Also present Sunday were Mrs. Gilmore's children, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gilmore and a daughter, Mrs. Jewel Ballo of Big Springs.

Benefits Of Running Water Draw:

1. Fifty thousand acres of water conserved or held back on the land and in retention pools. This water would normally be wasted down the draw in one big swirling muddy mass of flood water. It is different to place a value on underground recharge but there would definitely be some. If this amount of water would sink into the water table, it would irrigate two hundred thousand acres with a three-inch application. Irrigation from sediment pools and from the draw itself could amount to several thousand dollars worth of water each year.

Conservation measures applied to land in the watershed could increase the in-soak and hold up an equal amount of water pumped from the underground water storage. Any reduction to the production cost means more net income to the producer plus a more stable economy for the District.

2. From the recreation standpoint these lakes would be of great value. How often have we heard, "Fishing is two hundred miles away, in any direction"? Also we do not have facilities for our children to go on school, church or club outings within safe driving distance. The growing demand for outdoor recreation has increased 8 to 10 percent a year.

3. Flooding of the bottomlands along the draw occur every year to some extent, more in wet years and less in dry years. The full productive potential of the land will never be realized until the danger of flood has been removed. Conservation measures on these acres are short lived as each flood destroys all effects of land leveling, irrigation systems, crops, fences, roads and the fertility of the soil itself. Whole farms are washed out as deep as the plow has run. Silt bars are deposited making irrigation almost impossible for that crop year, then costly smoothing or leveling operations must be employed before this land can be replanted. These destructive floods can be controlled.

4. An economic boost to the entire area, who can put a value on the water conserved by recharge, irrigation and improved production efficiency. The dollar and cents value of recreation and fishing are widely recognized, not to mention the value of human employment. Money spent for boats, motors, fishing equipment, skis and camping equipment could stay in this area. More intensive use of cropland along the draw with

higher productive crops will mean thousands of dollars to the economy each year. Soil conserved from erosion and more productive conservation measures applied such as land leveling, irrigation pipelines, and soil improving crops will mean a more productive soil and more stable economy.

The construction cost for the entire project will be about 2 1/2 million dollars, paid by the Federal Government. Economists tell us that money circulates or passes hands seven times before it finds its resting place.

6. Some of these structures could be multi-purpose, in order that they may serve the greatest community good and yield the maximum benefits for federal, local, or other money invested in them. All studies, State, Federal and private, point to the next 10 to 15 years as being crucial in the development of the States water resources to meet our needs. The future of our area will depend on what is done about water in this next decade.

Research Shows Higher Yield In Safflower Crop

Six varieties of safflower were tested at the High Plains Research Foundation in 1962. The high yield was 1,070 lbs. per acre. This was higher than in previous years but lower than would be required to make safflower a suitable crop for this area. A date of planting test will be included in the 1963 research program for safflower to determine if this factor would affect the yield.

The six varieties were planted April 4 and harvested August 18. All plots received a 2 inch preplant irrigation on February 20 and received no further irrigation throughout the growing season. 15.45 inches of rainfall was received between planting date and the date of harvest. The varieties received a 60 lb. application of anhydrous ammonia per acre.

Foundation Report No. 51 on Safflower by Barry Love and Paul M. Belcher included data on Early Vigor, Bloom Date, Rust Damage, Plant Height, Plants per foot of Double Row, Seeds per Head, Weight of Seeds, and Yield in Pounds Per Acre.

Auto Accidents Total 144 In County For 1962

The Highway Patrol investigated 12 rural accidents in Lamb County during the month of December, according to Sgt. D. S. Lawson, Patrol Supervisor of this area.

These wrecks accounted for 8 persons injured and an estimated property damage of \$10,020.00. The rural traffic accident summary for Lamb County from January through December of 1962 shows a total of 144 crashes resulting in 5 persons killed and 96 injured. The estimated property damage amounted to \$11,355.00.

When the final reports are tabulated in March of 1963, it is estimated the death count will be approximately 4% above the 234 killed in 1961. This increase should be a challenge for every individual to put forth his best defensive efforts to prevent accidents for the new year.

The Veteran Patrol Supervisor cautions all motorists to beware of icy patches at bridges, underpasses and in shadows. Reduce speed before you reach the slippery area.

District Directors Committeemen Elected January 8

Residents of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District have elected 3 District Directors and 13 County Committeemen for the District.

In the District-wide election held January 8th, voters in Lubbock and Lynn Counties elected Russell Bean of Lubbock to succeed Elmer Blankenship of Wilson as a member of the Board of Directors. Bean was running unopposed.

John Gammon of Lazbuddie was re-elected as member of the Board. He represents Bailey, Castro and Farmer Counties. He also ran unopposed.

Earl Holt of Hereford won his race against incumbent T. L. Sparkman, Jr., also of Hereford. Holt will represent Armstrong, Deaf Smith, Porter and Randall Counties on the District's Board of Directors.

One Committeeman was

March of Dimes Helps Save Boy



Here's Johnny at age one after first operation . . . and today, leading a normal life at age four.

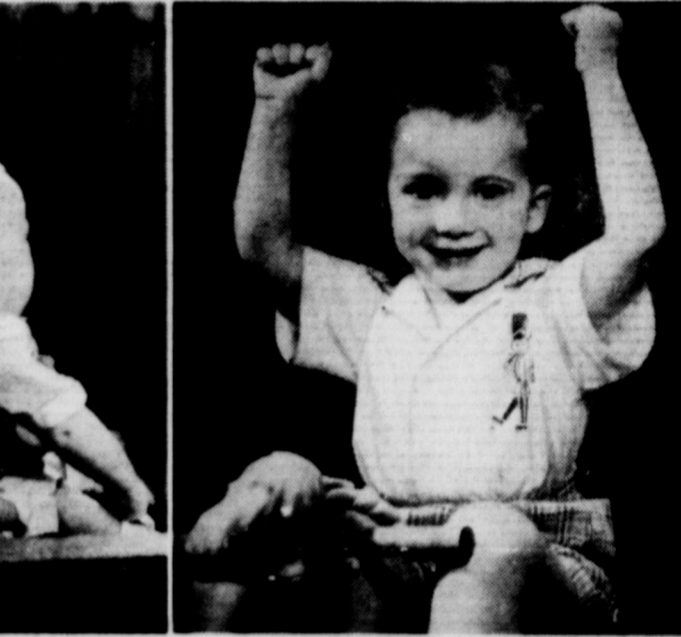
At his fourth birthday party, Johnny Wilson's big blue eyes sparkled as his mother carried in the most magnificent cake he had ever seen.

It was shaped like a huge boat plowing its way through mountainous waves of whipped cream and icing. Johnny's winsome smile beamed at friends and he gave out kisses all around.

It was a happy affair. Yet at one time, Johnny's parents had little hope he would live to celebrate even his first birthday. For he was born with the often fatal birth defect of water on the brain, or hydrocephalus.

Surgical treatment saved Johnny's life when he was three months old. At that time, doctors performed what is known as a shunt operation. They inserted in Johnny's head a plastic tube which allowed excess fluid from the brain to be harmlessly absorbed by the youngster's body.

Without the operation, fluid within the brain is prevented from taking its normal course.



and causes the head to swell enormously. This is what had happened to Johnny. (If shunt surgery is not performed in time, mental retardation and blindness may ensue, even death, in certain cases.)

Since 1958, doctors have performed two other shunt operations and have treated Johnny for gastroenteritis and septicemia.

Today, Johnny leads a relatively healthy, happy and care-free life. Like any other little boy who lives on a farm, he loves to hug lambs, chase cows and tease chicks on the family's 100 acres near Columbus, Ohio.

He is a good example of thousands of afflicted children being helped to live nearly normal lives through a unique medical care program financed by The National Foundation-March of Dimes.

Babies with birth defects are born every other minute in the United States, 250,000 of them each year, almost 700 each day. Johnny goes regularly to a special Birth Defects Clinical Study Center at Children's Hospital, Columbus, supported by March of Dimes funds.

It is one of more than 30 similar centers across the na-

tion set up for the study and treatment of birth defects.

At the center, trained specialists work together to help children with many kinds of birth defects. They include a neurosurgeon, orthopedic surgeon, internist, psychiatrist, physical therapist and medical social worker. They have put their skilled hands and minds to work on Johnny's behalf.

Every four months, Johnny's mother drives him to the center for his check-up. A doctor always measures his head to make sure there is no change in size. Since 1959, his head size has remained relatively constant.

Johnny is growing up to be an impish, energetic and friendly little boy who likes to do everything and go everywhere. Especially, he likes to wheedle rides on a pony at the next farm. He'll settle, though, for a tour on the tractor with his mother or father. Julia and John Wilson.

Like Johnny, other afflicted children who receive proper treatment may live to enjoy shooting cap pistols, watching television, singing songs or playing a toy banjo—with the best of four-year-olds.

Party Line . .

Pete Mitchell was moved Monday to the Amherst Hospital, where his condition remains poor. He had been a patient in the Lubbock Methodist Hospital.

Mrs. Elvin Barlow visited recently with her sister, Mrs. Ethel Nobbitt of Temple, Oklahoma and her brother, Hayward Richey at Sunset, Texas.

Mrs. May Moss of Oklahoma City spent the weekend with

her mother, Mrs. Nellie Barton. Mrs. Barton returned home with her daughter for a month's visit.

Mrs. S. C. Beavers returned home Sunday evening after spending twelve days in the home of her son, Billy, in Arriello. She took care of the family while Billy's wife visited her mother.

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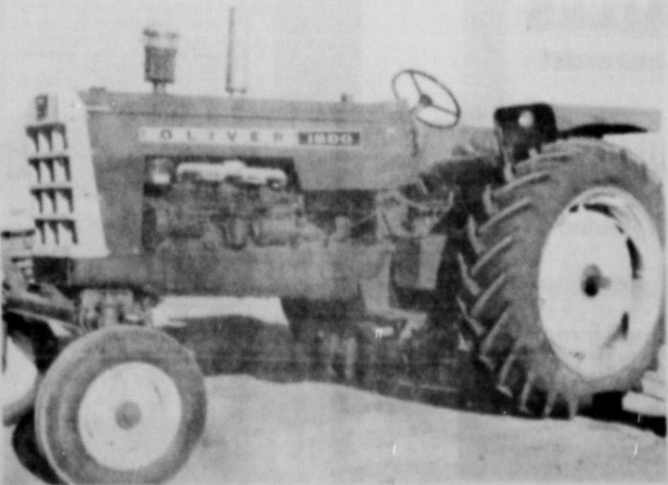
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Springlake News

by BETTY MATLOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baker left Monday morning for the Evangelistic Conference in Dallas. The conference ended Wednesday night at which time Billy Graham spoke.

The pulpit committee of the Baptist Church went to Dallas last Saturday to hear a preacher, Bro. A. R. Stewart in view of a call for the church. They were Leslie Watson, Arnold Washington, Earl Parish, F. W. Bearden and Ernest Green. Mrs. Green accompanied her husband and they remained for the Evangelistic Conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Matlock shopped in Plainview and Lubbock Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Matlock, Hoby and Jeff shopped in Lubbock Monday.

Mrs. Doug Avery of Muleshoe had major surgery last Friday in the Morton Memorial Hospital. Her mother, Mrs. Thelma McClanahan is staying with her. Mrs. Bud Matlock was also with her during surgery.

Mrs. Kenneth Heard of Littlefield had major surgery last Friday in the Medical Arts Hospital. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Miller were with her and have visited several times.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Huckabee recently visited in Alabama with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Huckabee.

Mrs. Mae McGowan had major surgery Tuesday at a Clovis hospital. Mrs. Pete Tiffie and Mrs. Herbert Miller went to Clovis to be with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Matlock visited Friday night with Mrs. Doug Avery, at the Morton Memorial Hospital. They visited again Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Lorene Perkins and Mrs. Edna McClure shopped in Plainview Tuesday.

Eddie Alair had an appendectomy last Friday at the Littlefield Hospital. He returned home Tuesday.

Arnold Washington went to Texline Thursday on business. Andrew Davis and Gaither Vanderveer have been ill with the flu.

Mrs. Thelma McClanahan came home Friday morning after spending the week in Morton with her daughter who had surgery at the hospital there. She and Mrs. Dorothy Matlock visited in Morton Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Doug Avery.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bridge, Terry, Janis and Mark spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Bridge in Lubbock. His mother is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Matlock, Debbie and Sammie visited at the Memorial Hospital in Morton with Mrs. Doug Avery. They came back by the Shot Sanders' and visited a while with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Story and Vera of Idalou spent Sunday with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Matlock. The Bud Matlock's visited with them briefly, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Starkey and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Matlock went to Lubbock Friday to visit with Mrs. Naomi Pepper and daughter, Michelle at the Reese Air Force Hospital. Michelle was admitted to the hospital for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clayton, Brenda and Tommy and Mrs. Elenora Dennis left Saturday morning for Austin to make their home.

Dr. Ivaloy Bishop was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Bridges, Bruce and Brad, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Washington took Jeffery to the doctor in Littlefield Sunday afternoon. He was suffering from asthma.

Janis Bridge was ill Monday. Ray Dennis of Austin spent from Tuesday till Thursday with his sister, Mrs. Delma Clayton, and his mother, Mrs. Elenora Dennis.

Mrs. Ann Hedges and children shopped in Littlefield Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Washington left Friday around noon for Glenrose to return her father, Edgar Morrison to his home in Quitaque. They came

in Saturday night.

Mrs. Norma Duke and boys of Muleshoe visited Sunday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Dorothy Washington.

Jamie Washington spent Friday and Saturday with Sherri McDaniel and Alicia spent the week-end with the Arnold Washington's.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Lott and children moved back last week from Del Rio.

Danny and Ricky Byers spent the week-end in Littlefield with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hopping, Corie, Scottie and Cole spent the week-end in Littlefield with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Davis, Del and Tammy went to Tulia Sunday afternoon.

Bobby and Marilyn Coker are confined at home with the mumps.

The Lions and Lioness' who attended the Lions Club Convention at Plainview Saturday afternoon and Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Byers, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Ken Parish, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Coker and Mr. and Mrs. Hilbert Wisian. This was also a training school for the Lions.

The Springlake Lions are leading the district in attendance at their weekly meetings.

The WMU met Wednesday at 2:30 for their Royal Service program. Billie Walden was in charge. Others present were Mrs. Edna McClure, Hugh Watson, Moena Miller, Myrtle Clayton, Dorothy Washington, Mary Clayton, Betty Matlock and Alice Huckabee.

Mrs. Elma Criswell, Mrs. Myrtle Clayton, Mrs. Marvel Caruthers, Mrs. Edna McNamara and Mrs. Edna McClure dined in Littlefield Sunday and then visited with Mrs. Lula Brock at the Knight Rest Home in Amherst.

Mrs. Ann Kelley and Mrs. Mary Clayton shopped in Littlefield Monday.

Mrs. Myrtle Clayton had as guests Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clayton, Brenda and Tommy and Mrs. Elenora Dennis. Also present during the afternoon were Brenda and Tommy's cousins for a going-away party.

Earl Parish was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Monday, suffering from a virus.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parish entertained in their home Friday



KNOW YOUR CLASSROOM. Miss Lynn Lovett is shown here with her 4th grade class. She is a 1962 graduate of Wayland College, receiving a B. S. degree and this is her first year in the teaching profession. The students are shown left to right, Back row, Susan Parish, Josefine Triana, Nadin e Jarsh, Antonio Martinez, Ester Garcia, Jake Bustos, Joe Ruiz, Ovidio Martinez, Raymond Ortiz, Selo Ramon, Pete Acevedo, Joe Rodriguez, Gary Tigue, Myrtle Perkins, Miss Lovett, 2nd row: Rosaria Ruiz, Wanda Arter, Janie Cortiz, Janice Townsend, Sharon Smith, Ellaine Hanson, Kathy Bibby, Johnny McNamara and Kent Parish. Front row: Wendell Walker, Frank McNamara, Larry Rudd, Danny O'Hair, Jenna Banks, Sandra Henderson, Ronda Clayton, Jana Zambrano and Joe Paul Carson.

night with a bridge party. Those enjoying the evening were: Mr. and Mrs. James Sanderson, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Joe Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Alair Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Holt and the host and hostess.

Mrs. Thelma McClanahan went to Muleshoe Tuesday to stay with the Doug Avery's

while she is recuperating from surgery. She was dismissed from the hospital Tuesday. Bro. A. R. Stewart, of Dallas will fill the pulpit, Sunday morning at the Baptist Church. Dinner in Fellowship Hall will be served afterwards, so that everyone will have a chance to visit him and his family. Bro. Stewart is coming in view of a call.

Party Line.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Berry and children visited in Littlefield Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. W. L. Childix.

Dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bridges were Dr. Ivaloy Bishop of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs.

E. H. Green of Springlake.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Brock and children spent the weekend in Lubbock where her brother, Jimmy Nix is hospitalized. He had major surgery last week and expects to be released this week.

Mrs. Gene Brown, Kathie and Dickie visited in Hale Center Thursday with Mrs.

Jack Brown. On Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Brown and Dickie were in Clovis on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Clayton and children of Dalhart, visited in the Elvis Clayton home over the weekend. Super guests Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Sigman and Donna.

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Pleasant Valley News..

by SHERYL STEVENS

(Too late for last week)

A community party was given Friday night in the Pleasant Valley Community Building honoring Mr. and Mrs. Allen Haley, Mr. and Mrs. Dub Hardin and Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bills. John West presented each of the three families

with a gift. Approximately 35 people attended the covered dish supper. The Allen Haley family has moved to Muleshoe; the Hardins are moving to Shallowater, and the T. E. Bills' are moving to Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lackey and Mrs. Martha McGuire from Hollywood N. M. spent Thursday night in the home of the W. D. Lackey family. They were enroute to Appleton, Missouri.

Bonnie Haberer made a business trip to Morton Wednesday. Butch West gave a dance for the Muleshoe Rodeo Club Saturday night in the Pleasant Valley Community Building. Mr. and Mrs. John West and Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bills were chaperones. Approximately 25 attended. Those attending from Pleasant Valley were: Brenda Bills, Veta Allison, Sheryl Stevens, Ilene Flatt, Butch West and Mack Allison.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lackey had as guests in their home Sunday his brother and family Mr. and Mrs. John D. Lackey from Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bills had as guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Barr from Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stevens: Dimmitt, visited Friday and Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Dyer, Littlefield, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John St. Clair Sunday.

The Pleasant Valley Social Club met Thursday morning at 9:30 in the Pleasant Valley City Building with as hostess. Mrs. E. C. Gaylon joined the club as a new member. A short business meeting was conducted by the new president, Mrs. C. E. Wells. A committee consisting of Mrs. S. L. Jackson, Mrs. Kirk Pitts, Mrs. E. C. Gaylon and Mrs. C. E. Wells was appointed to work on the year book. The meeting was then adjourned and refreshments were served. Hazel West will be the hostess for the next meeting.

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"The perils of winter pavement are very much with us at this time," he warned. "Motorists must care for their vehicles and reduce speed on slippery roads, maintain longer distances between vehicles, make gradual rather than sharp maneuvers in braking and turning, and use reinforced tire chains for extra traction if driving during snow and ice conditions," Musick said.

He warned again that faulty driver vision—the inability to see danger in time to avoid an accident causes too many deaths and injuries on Texas roadways in winter.

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He gave motorists these additional driving tips:

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2. Get the "feel" of the road. To avoid unintentional sliding and spinning of your wheels, occasionally try your brakes or gently press your accelerator while driving slowly as traffic and highway conditions permit. The adjust your speed to road and weather conditions.

3. Follow at a safe distance. Keep well back of the vehicle ahead so you have plenty of room to stop. It takes from three to twelve times more distance to stop on snow and ice as it does on dry pavement.

4. Pump your brakes to maintain best steering control when braking on ice or slippery snow. "Pumping" is a fast application and release of the brakes one, two or more times per second. This gives short intervals of maximum braking separated by short intervals of

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Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rea, of Tell, Texas, visited with the Cecil Slovers Friday, January 18th and Saturday the 19th.

Mrs. Claude Davis and Rodney of Lovington, N.M. are visiting her mother, Mrs. Raemon Cole. They were in Lubbock Tuesday where Rodney received a medical checkup.

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Sunnyside News

by TEENY BOWDEN

Betty Sue Holbrooks broke a small bone in her left foot last Friday when she fell at school on the stairs. She will be on crutches about ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Groff of Clarksville, visited last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. John Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley and again Friday with other friends in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sadler visited in Vega last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wolf.

Mr. and Mrs. James Powell and children visited last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Powell and children of Earth, Randy and Denae stayed with them until Thursday when their parents went for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Owsley of Magdalena, N.M. visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holbrooks and family last Saturday and stayed with them this week while they were moving to Dimmitt. He has been employed by Machinery Sales Co. in Dimmitt.

A WMS Enlistment Tea was given at the church Monday morning. Attendance was low because of the cold weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley visited Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Summers of Dimmitt.

Mr. Ezell Sadler left with a group from Dimmitt by plane Tuesday morning to fish for a few days at New Orleans, Louisiana.

24 attended the Spanish Story Hour at the church Tuesday afternoon. The Intermediate G. A. girls had charge of the class.

Mrs. Tom Messer and Bart of Lubbock came home with Mrs. Alton Louder Tuesday to visit a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Louder and Doug. Mr. Messer came for them Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan left Wednesday morning for a few days visit in Weatherford with relatives.

Mr. Milton Ott was dismissed from Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Wanda Newberry and son, James Harry Newberry Jr. came home from Reese Air Force Base of Lubbock Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley visited in Amarillo Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Sweeney and Bill Sweeney.

Steven Scott of Friona visited Wednesday through Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley and family.

The WMS Night circle met Wednesday night for Bible study Mrs. L. B. Bowden had charge of the service.

Mrs. Weldon Bradley had charge of the Wednesday night Prayer Service in the pastor's absence.

Mrs. Rex Jenkins and Mrs. Alford Crisp went to Hereford after the Wednesday night ser-

vice to sit up with Mrs. Mitchell, mother of Mrs. Jack Jackson. She is critically ill in the Deaf Smith County Hospital. Others of the gas plant have taken turns setting up to help the Jackson family.

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

The WMS Day circle and Beginner Sunbeams met at the church Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges left Friday morning to spend two or three weeks in Weatherford with relatives and to repair and remodel a house they bought recently in order to rent it.

A pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Johnny Wayne Holbrooks was given at the community building Friday afternoon. Approximately 25 attended. Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Earl Egan, Mrs. Hershel Wilson, Mr. Charles Hedrick, Mrs. Richard Bills, Mrs. Carl Bradley, Mrs. Raymond Lilley and Mrs. L. B. Bowden.

Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Durham returned from the Evangelism Conference and a visit with relatives in Dallas Friday evening. They came by Wayland College and Marvalynne came home with them for the weekend.

Mr. J. Paul Waggoner and Mickey and Eddy Waggoner left Saturday morning for Corpus Christi on a fishing trip and a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Waggoner.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jenkins and son of Odessa visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Jenkins and Wanda. They attended the Sunday morning Worship Service with them.

The temperature was six below zero Saturday morning with some light snow in the AM.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Akers and Kenny spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Spencer.

The YWA girls enjoyed a dinner in the home of their counselor, Mrs. Noah Spencer, Sunday. Those present were Carolyn Holcomb, Janice Blackburn, and Louise Carson. Others present were Mrs. J. T. Holcomb, Kenny Akers and the Noah Spencer family.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lewis and family of Oton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lilley Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Measles and family of Tulsa visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Blackburn and family and attended Training Union with them Sunday night.

83 attended Sunday School with 54 in Training Union Sunday.

Boy Scout News

Den I met Monday afternoon at the Scout Hut with all boys present and the den chief, Bobby Glasscock. The den mothers assisted the boys in more work on their scrapbook covers they are making. Cut out wolf heads were glued to the covers and varnished at the meeting. The den's part in the pack meeting was practiced.

Den II met Tuesday afternoon at the Scout Hut with 6 members present and the den chief. The boys made three-cornered hats and practiced their Liberty Bell skit for the pack meeting of January 22. Weldon Eagle led the pledge to the flag while Tony Barton and Johnny McNamara served as flag bearers. Jimmy Littleton served refreshments. The reading of the story of the "Star Spangled Banner" followed by the singing of the first stanza closed the meeting.

Den III did not meet Thursday due to PTA.

Den IV met Wednesday afternoon at the Scout Hut with 7 members present, and the Den Chief, Delbert Rudd. The boys made "Pay Your Poll Tax" posters for distribution in town. Dean Scheller led the pledge to the flag. Gary Ballard served refreshments.

Den VI met Tuesday afternoon at the home of their den mother, Mrs. R. E. O'Hair. Seven boys were present for the meeting. Each boy made a 3-cornered hat, and practiced their part in the closing for the pack meeting. Danny O'Hair served refreshments.

Den VII met at the Methodist Church Tuesday afternoon with 2 boys present and Mrs. A. D. Cowley, assistant den mother. The boys worked on flags.

Webelos den did not meet on Monday but attended the Scout cookout on Tuesday night. The boys cooked hamburgers, cherry cobbler, fried potatoes and made hot chocolate to drink. Jim Glasscock,

adult advisor, C. C. Goodwin, Jr. Littleton, C. L. Berry and Jack Rylant attended the cookout with the boys. About 20 scouts attended. Other Scout Leaders attending were Travis Jaquess and Eldon Parish.

Webelos met Monday night at the Scout Hut with 5 members and the den chief present. Jim Glasscock, leader, showed some film that was taken during the year of Scout activities. Webelos requirements were also reviewed.

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

The Brownie Scout Troop of Earth met Wednesday, January 16, at the Earth Community Building at 4:00 p.m.

Becky Rylant, assistant leader, led the group in the salute to the flag, Girl Scout song and Girl Scout Promise.

Karen Armstrong and Camille Haberer put on a program which was enjoyed very much by the group.

The girls then began a Valentine project.

There were 13 members present. Others present were Mrs. Joy Haberer, Mrs. J. A. Littleton, Jr. and Becky Rylant. Refreshments were served by Susie Adrian.

Party Line

Mrs. Ray Glasscock and Rocky spent from Wednesday to Friday of last week at the bedside of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Frank Roberts, who underwent major surgery Thursday morning in an Olney hospital. They also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Williams of Archer City.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Randolph Par and Jane, and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Glasscock visited the James Glasscocks of House NM Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Porcher and girls of Odessa visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Webb over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Walker and Kenny of Lubbock spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Glasscock.

DEL MONTE SUN FEST

Fruit Cocktail
5 for \$1



303 Can

APPLE JUICE
3 for \$1

PINEAPPLE

46 oz. Can



APPLE JUICE
3 for \$1

TOMATO



46 oz. Can

APPLE JUICE
5 for \$1

PINEAPPLE & GRAPEFRUIT



29 oz. Can

Pineapple
3 for \$1

CRUSHED

No. 2 Can



Peas & Carrots
5 for \$1

303 Can



CORN
6 for \$1

CREAM STYLE

303 Can



PEAS
5 for \$1

SWEET

303 Can



Lima Beans 2 for 49¢

GREEN

303 Can



Catsup 5 for \$1

14 oz. Bottle



BEETS 5 for \$1

SLICED

303 Can



JUICE 49¢

ORANGE

46 oz. Can



INSTANT MILK
39¢

NON FAT DRY

8 quart

KIMBELLS

INSTANT COFFEE
\$1.39

MAXWELL HOUSE

10 oz. Jar

TIDE 69¢

GIANT SIZE BOX

SHAMPOO 98¢

SILVIKIN

2 Five oz. Bottles

PRESERVES 79¢

ROYAL STRAWBERRY

44oz. Jar

CRISCO 79¢

3lb. Can

HAIR SPRAY 98¢

AQUA NET

\$2.00 Size



POTATES
49¢

RED

10 lb. Bag

Grapefruit

RUBY RED

13¢

lb.

AVOCADOS
2 for 25¢

BEEF ROAST 53¢

CHUCK OR RIB

VSDA GOOD

lb.

BACON 59¢

CORN KING

lb.

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Gunn Bros. Stamps
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