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Jack Lacy To Address Springlake Graduates

Jack Lacy Sr., manager of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce will address the Springlake High School seniors at the Commencement exercises at 8:00 p.m. Friday night May 20 in the Springlake School auditorium.

Twenty six seniors are candidates for diplomas.

Travis Jaquess will give the Invocation.
Linda Kay Lawrence will give the Valedictory address and the Salutatory address will be given by Ronnie Spies.

The Wolverine Band, under the direction of Norman Hemphill, will play the precessional and Pomp and Chivalry.

The class will be presented by Jenna V. Brock and Sharon Wheatley will read the class prophecy.

Presentation of awards will be by John H. Lawrence.
W. L. Mann and Guy F. Kelley Jr. will present diplomas to the graduating class.

The Baccalaureate Service for Springlake High School Seniors was held May 15 in the school auditorium, with approximately 500 people in attendance.

Rev. Cecil Meadows, pastor of Earth First Baptist Church gave the scripture reading.

Clifford Jester, pastor of the Springlake Baptist Church, delivered the address "Quest for the Best."

H. M. Secord, pastor for the Earth Methodist Church gave the Benediction.

Eighth Graders Get Dipomlas Tonight

Jaycees Continue Improvements On City Park

At the regular meeting of the Earth Jaycees, Monday, May 16, nineteen members and one guest, A. P. Latham was present.

Gene Templeton, president, presided over the meeting.

Carroll McDonald gave a report on the Legion Baseball.

The team will begin practice Monday, May 23 at 6 a.m.

Ardis Barton Jaycee's representative who is a member of the city park board reported on recent work done on the city park.

The Jaycees decided to haul dirt to cover the city park.

Earth's next Go-Cart races, sponsored by the Jaycees, will be held Sunday, May 29, at the track located six miles west of Earth.

Approximately 47 students will receive their diplomas at the Eighth Grade promotion Exercises to be held at 8:00 p.m. tonight (Thursday) in the Springlake School auditorium.

Bobby Borum will give the invocation. The Salutatory address will be given by Dianna Glasscock and the Valedictory address by Janice Blackburn.

C. L. Berry will present special awards and diplomas will be presented by Superintendent W. L. Mann.

Class will be read by Betty Cody. Judy Dutton will give the class picture.

Benediction will be given by Denny Parish.

Baseball Begins Monday



HONORARY MEMBERS OF THE F. F. A. — These fellows who have done so much to help the local F. F. A. Chapter were presented honorary membership certificates at the F. F. A. banquet Saturday night in the school cafeteria by Ronnie Johnson, president of the chapter. Left to right is Ronnie Johnson, Jack Hadaway, L. H. Dent, E. C. Hudson, Gardner Sanderson and Carroll Blackwell.

The Earth Community Little League program got underway Saturday morning at 9 o'clock when boys 9 thru 12 years old met at the ball park to be selected for the four Little League teams by the coaches.

The four Little League teams are as follows: Giants, sponsored by Rutherford and Co. and Kimbell Gin, coached by Marcus Messer and Jimmy Banks, Red Sox, sponsored by Earth Oil and Gas Co. and Paul Super Market, coached by Pete O'Hair and Clarence Kelley, Cardinals, sponsored by Adrian Gro. and Campbell Gin both of Dodd community, coached by Buddy Adrian, Guy F. Kelley and J. W. Dear, Yankee's sponsored by Earth News-Sun and Broad and White, coached by Shorty Kelley and Howard Cummings.

A meeting of the Baseball association was held Tuesday night at 8 p.m. to draw up the rules and schedule for the season.

The group voted to abide by the rules and regulations in the Little League book.

Eldon Parish, fund raising chairman reported at the meeting that approximately \$300.00 has been received so far by the fund raising committee.

The Earth Community Baseball association expresses their sincere thanks and appreciation to each and everyone who donated money and had a part in anyway to help the association make the baseball program possible for this year.

Each team will play 18 games each with the first game to be played Monday, May 23, at 5:30 p.m. between the Yankees and the Cardinals.

First Week Schedule
May 23 — Yankees — Cardinals
May 24 — Giants — Red Sox
May 25 — Cardinals — Giants
May 26 — Red Sox — Yankees

Fred Clayton chairman of umpires have the following men to umpire for the season. Week of May 22, Tuffy Dent behind the plate, Wendell Clayton third base and Weldon Barton first base.
Week of May 29, Perk Lee behind the plate, Babe Prather third base, Carl Jones third base.
Week of June 5, Bill Stockard behind the plate, Charlie Dunn third base and L. G. Henderson, Jr. first base.
Week of June 12, Eldon Parish behind the plate, Bob Armstrong first base and Calvin Wood third base.
These men will umpire one week and off three weeks and then start over again.
If it is impossible for these men to be at the games on their scheduled nights, they will be responsible for getting some one to umpire in their place.

Melvin Barton Injured In Traffic Accident Saturday

Melvin Barton son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barton was seriously injured Saturday in a pickup-truck accident.
The accident occurred about 2 p.m. one mile west of Dimmitt as Barton attempted to pass a wench truck. The truck made a turn down a turnout into a field and due to the signal lights being covered with dirt Barton failed to see the turn signal.
Barton sustained a broken right arm, broken left jaw, a neck injury also a number of cuts and bruises.
He was taken to Castro County Hospital in Dimmitt where a specialist was called from Amarillo to set his jaw.
Ellis Maybury (colored) a passenger in the Barton pickup was also injured and is in the Castro County Hospital.

Baptist Vacation Bible School To Begin Monday

The Earth First Baptist Church Vacation Bible School will begin Monday, May 23 according to Rev. Cecil Meadows.
The school will continue through Wednesday, June 1.
Classes for ages 3 to 12 will be conducted daily from 8:00 to 11 a.m.
Superintendents appointed for these groups are: Mrs. Charlie Waide, nursery 1; Mrs. Ted Haber, nursery 2; Mrs. Herman Gallowsay, beginner 1; Mrs. T. C. Martin, beginner 2; Mrs. R. S. Cole, primary; Mrs. Price Hamilton, Junior 1; Mrs. Thurlio Branscum, Junior 2.
Mrs. Alma Stockstill is chairman of the refreshments committee and her assistants will be Mmes. Roger Haber and Dora Terry.
All children are urged to attend these Bible School classes.

NOTICE

All boys 13 and 14 years of age wishing to play ball on the Pony League are asked to be at the ball park Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock to practice.

All boys six years old and over that want to play ball on the Pee Wee's, be at the ball park Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

The Lamb County Unit of American Cancer Society will hold a meeting of the Board of Directors, May 23 at 8 p.m. in the Lamb County Court room.

Terrell Ott Dismissed From Hospital After Treatment

Terrell Ott, 6 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Ott of the Big Square community was dismissed from Castro County Hospital, Dimmitt after several days treatment for a broken collar bone and bruises sustained last Thursday morning about 9:30. Terrell fell under the wheels of a 4-row tractor and water trailer on the family farm.
The boy was riding on the hood of a tractor driven by his father and pulling a trailer containing a water tank. When Mr. Ott turned at a corner the youngster fell off and under the wheels of the tractor. Both the tractor wheels and the trailer wheels ran squarely over the boy.

Earth Pony League Schedule Announced

Earth's Pony baseball team will get underway today, (Thursday) at 5 p.m. when the boys will meet with their coaches, Dutch Been, Pete Parish and Dunk Williamson at the ball field to get organized.
Pony ball is for boys 13 to 14 years of age, and the Earth team is composed of such boys from Springlake School district. The local team is being sponsored by Citizens State Bank and Earth Motor Co.
Earth is playing in the National Pony League Organization, having entered two years ago in the Littlefield District franchise.
He has had several years experience as a barber and was employed at Westside Barbr Shop in Haskell, prior to moving to Earth.
The couple moved Monday into the Richard Green house one half mile east of Earth.
They are members of the Baptist Church. Floyd is a member of the Oddfellow Lodge and is also a Jaycee.
Mrs. Houston is a member of the Rebecca Lodge.
The couple has two married children Mrs. Don Lang Clovis, N. M. and Lee Roy Houston, San Diego, California.
They also have three grandchildren.

Earth Swimming Pool To Open Saturday

The Earth Swimming Pool will open for the season Saturday, May 21, at 1 p.m. according to the manager Billie Robnett.
The pool has been completely cleaned and repaired in readiness for the summer season.
The new heating system that was installed the middle of August last year will be in operation throughout the season and will keep the water at the same temperature at all times.
A capable lifeguard will be on duty during pool hours.
Swimming lessons for all ages will be taught in the mornings. The exact time and date for these lessons will be announced later.
According to park officials the pool will be open each day from 1 till 10 p.m.
Latin Americans will only be allowed in the pool on Saturdays and Wednesdays from 6 till 10 p.m.
No children under six years of age will be admitted to the pool unless accompanied by an adult.
Admission charge will be 25 cents for children through Junior High School age, and 50 cents for High School students and adults.

Earth Barber Shop Has New Owner

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Houston of Haskell have purchased the Earth Barber Shop and took over management Monday, May 16.

Newcomers

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Stine moved Saturday to their new home on north Elm St.
The Stines have lived on a farm north west of Earth for the past seventeen years.
Mr. Stine will continue to farm.

Springlake Pep Squad Decides On Uniforms

The Springlake pep club members met Friday, May 13 at the Springlake School and discussed their uniforms for the school year 1960-61.
The group decided on green pleated skirts with white blouses or sweaters.
The club also voted to purchase megaphones and shakers for the pep club.

G. S. Armstrong Receives Broken Rib

G. S. Armstrong received a broken rib while digging up a tree at his home the latter part of last week.
After digging around the tree Armstrong struck the shovel in the ground and attempted to pull the tree out. In doing so he knocked the shovel down. One end of the shovel struck a fence and the other end hit him in the side breaking a rib.
Armstrong was taken to West Plains Hospital in Muleshoe where he was treated and released, but remains under the Doctors care.
He is reported to be doing nicely.

L. B. J. Forces Take Control Of County Democratic Convention

A slate of five delegates instructed to go, "All the way with LBJ," were elected at the Lamb County Democratic Convention Saturday afternoon in Littlefield.
Pat Boone, Sr. was Democratic executive committee chief for the past few years until a new group of political faces took over.
Billy Wayne Clayton of Springlake was quickly elected to fill the spot by a voice vote.
Delegates elected to the State Convention, which convenes on June 14 were Truitt Sides of Olton, Jim Melton of Sod House, Mrs. Sam Williams of Littlefield and Kenneth Burgess of Sudan.
Alternates are Mrs. Kenneth Burgess, Ray Keeling and W. H. Carter of Littlefield, Lewis Faver and Polly Middleton of Earth and Troy Martin of Olton.
Four precinct delegations, Pleasant Valley, North Sudan, Fieldton, and Beck Gin — were missing at the convention, but they had only five of the 61 delegate votes.
After Boone called the meeting to order and appointed a temporary credentials committee and secretary, the convention rapidly went into full swing.
An organized group quickly nominated Clayton as permanent chairman, seconded the motion and made motion the nominations cease. Boone called for discussion but there was none and the question passed easily on a voice vote.
The group gave Boone a hand of appreciation for the work he had done in the past, as he left the chairman's spot.
Resolutions adopted by the convention included:
1. An indorsement of Johnson, with instructions of delegates to work for his nomination as the Democratic Party standard bearer.
2. The unit rule, requiring delegates to the state convention to vote as a unit.
3. An endorsement of Governor Price Daniel, supporting him as the Democratic nominee for governor.
4. Support of Mrs. Max Brook as the National committeewoman from Texas on the National Democratic executive committee.
The resolutions drew 57-0 vote of approval.
Troy Martin of Olton served as permanent secretary of the convention and Faver of Earth was Sergeant-at-Arms.

Work Underway On City Water - Sewer Expansion

Work began in Earth last week on the \$20,000 water and sewer improvement project, with several hundred feet of the line, already laid.
The work began in the Burckett Addition with 1700 feet of six inch water line to be laid between the Main and Southwest First Sts. including two fire hydrants and 300 feet of two inch line.
Also in the Burckett Addition 400 feet of sewer line is to be laid.
In the north part of town between Northeast First and Highway 70, there will be 650 feet of six inch water line to be laid, including one fire hydrant.
On Amherst Road, north 700 feet

Area Residents Attend Baptist A. S. S. Meeting

The following group attended the associational Sunday School meeting held at the First Baptist Church in Littlefield Monday night May 16.
Cecil Meadows, pastor of Earth First Baptist Church, Paul Wood, Emmert Rose, Lillie Wuertlin, Roy Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kelley, Mmes: que burgers, potato chips, pickles, Mrs. Marvin Sanders.

Earth Hotel Under New Management

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Hurt of Holdenville, Oklahoma have purchased the Earth Hotel and took over management May 1.
The Hurts traded their Rainbow Ranch in Rogers Arkansas to Joe Simpson for the Hotel.
The Hurts are experienced in this business having owned and operated a Motel in Memphis, Texas in 1957.
Prior to coming to Earth, they were in the grocery and service station business.
The Hurts have two married children, George Hurt, Topeka, Kansas and Mrs. John Tucker, who is with her parents at the present time.
They also have four grandchildren.
The Hurts are members of the First Baptist Church.

Springlake News -

By BETTY MATLOCK

The XIT Study Club met Tuesday, May 10th at 8:00 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Ernest Baker.

Mrs. Edwin Jones reviewed the life author of Louisa Grace Erdman. Then Mrs. J. J. Coker led a group discussion about the book "Years of the Locusts" by Erdman. The club members had read the book during the year. Erdman is a teacher at West Texas State College, Canyon. Next Mrs. Kenneth Holloway told of the place, in history that this book and other books of Erdman had been written.

A short business meeting followed the program, at which Mrs. Tommy Alair, Vice-President presided.

Chocolate pie and coffee was served to the following members, Mesdames Jones, Jimmy Winder, Donald Kelley, W. T. Clayton, Donnie Clayton, Coker Ken Parish, Baker, Alair and Holloway.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis White attended the annual Old Settlers Reunion at Plainview Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Watson, and Mr. and Mrs. Harlon Watson and Monty were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Watson Sr. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ray of Abilene and grandson Gary Don Ray of Seminole visited with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Padon Monday. They were enroute to California.

Mrs. Dorothy Washington, Randy

Cretia, Brent and Jeffery visited with her sister Ann and new nephew Monday afternoon at Muleshoe.

The Choir of the Baptist Church attended the Golden Gate Seminary performance at the Earth Baptist Church Thursday night.

Mrs. Billy Wayne Clayton's grandmother and aunt from Odessa visited with her Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Drake and daughter Betty of Almo, Texas flew to Littlefield Sunday morning to visit another daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Clayton and Susan Marie. They flew back Sunday afternoon.

Lloyd Skinner of Dumas visited with his parents over the weekend.

Mrs. Welch of Dickens spent from Wednesday until Saturday with her daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Owens, Mrs. Owens took her home Saturday.

Eddie Alair was honored with a party on his 6th birthday Sunday with a dinner. Those present were Bruce Bridges and Marlon Dawson. Other dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Watson, Donna and Buster, and Alicia Washington and the Alair family.

Mrs. Payne, mother of Mrs. Roy Dobbs of Lubbock and grandmother of Mrs. Koa Parish passed away Saturday at Amarillo. Funeral services were held in Wellington at 3:00 p.m. Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Ken Parish attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse G. Watson returned this week from a 2 week

My Neighbors



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fishing trip to Lake Whitney and back by Possum Kingdom.

Approximately 20 women attended the Dresden Painting Party Wednesday at the community building Mrs. Jean Byers was hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harlon Watson Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Alair and children attended a private music recital at the home of Harold Dean Carson Friday night, for Mike Riley, Barry Prestridge and Mike Hitt.

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Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rudd went to Ft. Worth last Thursday to be at the bedside of his sister Mrs. R. D. Thommarson who underwent major surgery Friday morning in a Ft. Worth Hospital. She is reported to be doing fine. The Rudds returned home Sunday.

Delores, Donna Kay, Elbert and Delbert Rudd spent the weekend with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Thommarson.

Mr. and Mrs. Cochran and S. C. Furlow spent Sunday at Lake Conchos.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Faver and girls visited Sunday in Brownfield with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Winn, Mrs. Bill Black and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Gooch, Mr. and Mrs. Guy F. Kelley and children visited in Plainview Sunday afternoon with J. W. Gooch and also with the M. C. Gooch's.

Pleasant Valley News

By MRS. JOHN WEST

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Pough were in Portales, N. M. Friday on business.

A. F. West of Berger, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Walker of Amarillo were recent house guests of the John W. Wests.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Haberer entertained with a breakfast Friday, for their house guests, Al Tucker of El Paso and Milton Martin of Morton. Others attending were Mrs. Bonnie Haberer and her house guests Barbara Chiles of Stillwater, Oklahoma and Pearl Maesta, of Honolulu, Hawaii. The young visitors were members of the Golden Gate Seminary Choir, now touring Midwest and Southwest U. S.

The Kings Daughters Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe met Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the home of Kathryn West. Their teacher Mrs. Mary Taber led the opening prayer and Diane Hoybook gave the devotional. After the meeting was dismissed the girls remained for a weiner roast and pajama party, games and records were played until late bedtime. Those attending were Diane Hoybook, Linda Timmons, Carolyn Brock, Terry Lynn Bryant.

The Pleasant Valley Social Club met Wednesday morning May 11th, at the Community Center with Mrs. Hattie Bickle as hostess. After a short business meeting, refreshments of strawberry short cake and coffee were served to the twelve members present. Mrs. Jack Henderson joined the club.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Green were in Lubbock on business Tuesday.

Party Line.....

Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence, San Jon, N. M. were Saturday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Armstrong.

Mrs. Lawrence and Mrs. Armstrong were schoolmates.

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Nichols, Cross Plains visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Anzeley.

Sunday night supper guests in the G. S. Armstrong home were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Redwine of Muleshoe.

The Old Timer



"One thing that keeps America on the move is the lack of parking space."

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown, Hale Center, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Brown and children visited in Sudan Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brown.

Party Line.....

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Adams, Amarillo, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sloan and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hooten.

Mrs. Dalton Lightfoot and boys, Colorado City, Mrs. Earl Lightfoot, Lubbock were Sunday visitors in the E. O. Lightfoot home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Rogers were in Littlefield Monday.

Butch Hooten, Lubbock, spent the weekend with Bobby Sloan.

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contracts is chiefly the result of two factors: conservation practices are being established more economically than in the past and per-acre annual payment rates under 1960 contracts are lower than anticipated.

Approximately 80 per cent of the farmers placing new land in the program for 1960 elected to come in on a "whole farm" basis, that is, to place all their eligible cropland under contract. This is of maximum effectiveness in checking surplus production, since the entire farm is withdrawn from crops and usually from livestock production as well.

Under a whole farm contract, the family may continue to live on the farm, and recent field studies indicate that most of them are doing so. In some instances farmers who would have sold and moved off their farms are retiring and continuing to live on them. Some who have shifted to non-farm work and are continuing to live on their farms said they would have moved to towns or cities if they had not had the opportunity to obtain a reasonable return from their farm property.

Participation in the program will be particularly heavy in the wheat-producing areas. The five leading states in new acreage, accounting for more than a third of total, are Texas, Kansas, North Dakota, Oklahoma, and South Dakota.

Under the Conservation Reserve Program farmers voluntarily sign contracts with the government to retire cropland from production and devote it to conservation uses, such as grass and tree cover and wildlife shelter. The contracts provide that the government will make an annual rental payment to the contract signer and will assist in establishing the conservation use on the land.

Contracts may be for three to 10 years, depending upon the conservation use to be established and the wishes of the farmer.



SCHOOL SPIRIT — Pictured is Joe Neal Ellis and Jenna V. Brock who were chosen as School Spirit for 1960. Both students are Seniors. Joe Neal is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Ellis, and Jenna V. Brock is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Almon Whitford. Jenna V. and Joe Neal both plan to get married in May.

Monthly Accidents Reported For Lamb

A total of ten rural traffic accidents were investigated by the Highway patrol service of the Texas Department of Public Safety in Lamb County during the month of April, according to Sergeant D. S. Lawson.

In making this announcement, the sergeant reported five property damage, five injuries, and no fatal accidents. These wrecks caused a total property damage of \$7,959.00 with eight persons injured and none killed. This brings the total for the year in this county to, two killed, fourteen injured, and property damage of \$17,135.00.

Every driver should remember that when he or she takes a chance and violates a traffic law, they are also taking a chance with injury or death in a traffic accident for themselves, as well as the ones riding with them.

"Our patrolmen are on the highways every day and every night, trying to apprehend the traffic law violator before an accident happens," the sergeant said, "but we can not do the job without the support of the traveling public." When more drivers start obeying the law, accidents will decrease and in turn your chances of being killed or injured in an accident will decrease.

An Accident Can Aid Farm Profits

College Station — There isn't any profit in farm accidents, says the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council. The Council goes on to say that it is difficult to place a dollar value on the cost of a many indirect as well as direct farm accident because there are costs which must be taken into account.

The costs of farm work accidents like an iceberg are large hidden, small portion of the iceberg above the water line can represent the direct costs which in case of a farm accident will be largely medical.

The large portion of the iceberg below the water line represents the indirect or hidden costs. Some of these indirect costs are: time lost by the injured worker, cost of hired help to do the necessary farm work, possible loss of farm crops due to delay in harvesting, and damage to farm equipment.

In addition to these monetary costs, the small portion of the iceberg above the water line can represent the indirect, discomfort and inconvenience associated with every major accident.

The Council hastens to remind farm families that farm and home

Planned Decisions Aid Farm Profits

College Station. — The margin of potential profits from present day farming and ranching is narrow. Sometimes small savings are of tremendous importance. With the trend toward larger volume of business, there are increased risks from lower prices or higher costs.

For example, a few cents less per hundredweight on 200 steers marketed means a reduction of thousands of dollars in returns. Similar variation on prices for a cotton or grain crop will influence profits materially. Not all risks can be avoided, but careful planning may help reduce their impact on profits.

Individual operators may benefit more from planning by concentrating on their "recurring" and high-cost items. This emphasizes the reduction of per unit costs.

On crop enterprises, the aim should be to minimize labor costs through the economic use of machinery. Often adverse weather causes costs to increase for weed control, combating insects and for certain harvesting operations. Methods of handling these practices under adverse conditions.

Timeliness of many operations often means the difference between a fair crop and a larger one, higher with a reduced yield such

accidents are preventable. Farm profits, they add, can be increased by reducing the number of accidents on the farm.

as often results from poorly timed. Also, the unit cost of products is insect control measures, for example.

For the livestock producer, economical gains or lower unit costs are important. Here again the well planned operation must reduce labor needs. Full use should be made of mechanical feeding and automatic devices which reduce costs.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Haydon, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bell spent Sunday at Umbarger.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hulcy visited in Plainview Sunday afternoon in the Claud Gary home.

Party Line.....

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hawkins visited in Amarillo over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thompson. Mr. Hawkins' sister, Mr. and

Mrs. Payne Hurst, Fredrick, Oklahoma, were also visiting in Amarillo.

Aurelia Sanders arrived last week from Phoenix, Arizona and is visiting her father H. S. Sanders. She plans to return home this week.

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Cash on Hand and in Banks	98,202.95	Drafts Outstanding	73,100.00
Bonds and Interest	1,609,269.98	Accounts Payable	5,485.82
Land and Buildings	226,894.69	Provision for Federal Income Taxes	2,113.60
Stock in Intermediate Credit Bank Houston	110,520.00	Federal and State Taxes Withheld and Accrued	39.53
Automobiles	13,085.11	Unpresented Checks	52
Furniture and Fixtures	34,639.38	Reserve for Loan Losses	435,457.39
Prepaid Expenses	1,616.56	Class A Stock	768,730.00
Accounts Receivable	2.49	Class B Stock	1,269,260.00
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Anita Messer Is Bride Of Donald Lea In Church Wedding

Wedding vows were solemnized for Miss Anita Messer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Messer, Earth, and Donald Lea, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Stone, Midland, on May 14th at 8:00 o'clock p.m. in Bowman Memorial Chapel of First Methodist Church in Lubbock, Texas.

Dr. J. Chess Lovern, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Lubbock, read the double ring ceremony.

Mrs. Mary Kate Belew, of Earth, organist, presented traditional wedding selections and accompanied Mrs. Gene Stephens, Lubbock, who sang "Whither Thou Goest" and "The Wedding Prayer" by Glasgow Dunlap.

The altar was decorated with baskets of white chrysanthemums and gladiolas nestled in lemon leaves sprayed with gaud and sprinkled with silver flanked by white candelabrum holding long white tapers.

Miss LaDon Messer of Earth served her sister as Maid of Honor.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Barbara Wheat of Midland and Miss Carroll Stone, sister of the groom, of Midland. The attendants wore identical street length dresses, fashioned of solid white nylon organdy. The slightly scooped necks plumed to a v in the back. Two bows of the same fabric decorated the neckline and waist of the back of the dresses. The ensemble was further complemented by white flower headbands, white knit gloves, and white shoes. They carried one white mum set in white lemon leaves on net and sprinkled with silver.

White streaming satin ribbon completed the nosegays.

The flower girl, Marianne Messer, sister of the bride, was attired in a floor length dress of white tulle over taffeta. A dainty row of white flowers complimented the neckline. She carried a basket decorated with white lace and ribbons as she dropped white rose petals preceding the bride.

Best man was Al Cole of Midland. The groomsmen were John Foster and Sonny Ritchie, both of Midland. Ushers were Tom and Doug Messer, brothers of the bride.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a bridal gown fashioned of chantilly lace and imported tulle. The fitted lace bodice had a scoop neckline and long tapered sleeves, ending in a point over the hands. The very bouffant skirt was composed of several layers of tulle over taffeta. A wide band of chantilly lace was applied on the bottom layer of tulle, giving a frosted lace look to the skirt. A slight train completed the bridal ensemble.

The tiered fingertip length veil of imported tulle, fell from a queen's crown of chantilly lace highlighted with sequins and seed pearls. She carried a white orchid with waxy stephanotis forest on her white Rainbow Bible. Separate clusters of stephanotis were placed on a gentle cascade of satin ribbon.

As something new the bride had a string of pearls given her by her father. For something old she carried her Rainbow Bible. Something borrowed was a white linen hanky from her mother, for something

Women's Page



MRS. DONALD LEA (Formerly Anita Messer)

blue she wore a blue garter and the traditional sixpense in her shoe.

Mrs. Messer, mother of the bride, wore a pink embroidered sheath dress with pink and white accessories. The mother of the groom, Mrs. Stone, wore a rayon silk sheath of orchid with orchid and white accessories. Both wore a corsage of white mums.

A reception in the church parlor immediately followed the ceremony. Guests were registered by Mrs. LaNell Ivy of Earth. Miss

Reba Foster and Miss Francene Smith, both of Midland, served the wedding cake and punch.

The bridal table was covered with a white net cloth laid over white satin.

A large white wedding bell of net and satin ribbon, with the satin streamers of "Nita and Bud" written in silver glitter, extended to the hands of a bride doll dressed in formal affair. The attendants bouquets completed the center piece.

For the wedding trip to Colorado the bride wore a white, embroidered suit, accented with a sprinkling of rhinestones. The dipped neckline was decorated with a large white satin rose. To complete the ensemble, the bride chose white accessories. Following the wedding trip the

couple will be at home at 209 Montgomery, Midland.

The bride is a graduate of Springlake High School and Draughn's Business College of Lubbock. She is presently employed as secretary for the City Attorney in Midland; and is a member of the American Business Womens Association.

The groom is a graduate of Midland High School and Hardin-Simmons University. Presently he is employed by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

NOTICE

A shower honoring Keane Ray infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Walker (LaRue Glasscock) will be held Saturday, May 21, from 5 to 7 p.m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby D. Green. Everyone is invited to attend.

Layette shower honoring Mrs. Bob Wingo (the former Doris Barlow) will be held to-day Thursday, May 19 at 2:00 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Shorty Barlow, four blocks north on Elm Street in Earth. Everyone is invited to attend.

Miss Billy Jean Watson Honored With Shower

Miss Billy Jean Watson, bride-elect of Arden Fields was the honoree at a come and go bridal shower, Tuesday, May 10th from 5 to 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Jimmy Banks.

The serving table was covered with a lovely red cloth and red and white flowers formed the centerpiece. Mrs. Max Goforth served the punch and Miss Rhonda Sanders served the white iced cake squares with "Bille and Arden" in red on each one.

Miss Donna Watson registered the guests.

Miss Watson, Mrs. Earl Watson and Mrs. Fields were presented peppermint carnation corsages to carry out the red and white theme.

Hostesses for the occasion were, Mesd. Janie Way, Leon Sanders, Troy Blackburn, Tom McGill, B. V. Padon, Almon Whitford, Max Goforth, James Packard, W. T. Clayton, Arnold Washington, Ernest Green, and Jimmy Banks.

Party Line.....

B. V. Maples and Kenneth Sawyer were in Dell City, near El Paso, over the weekend on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Daryle Cleavenger, Hart visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Keith Martin Sunday.

HELLO WORLD!



State Highway Department. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Brown, Earth and Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Nowlin, San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Walker, Lubbock, are the proud parents of a baby boy born at 4:11 a.m. Sunday, May 15, in West Texas Hospital.

The little boy weighed 6 lbs. 10 ozs. and has been named Kenny Ray.

He was born on his mother's 19th birthday. The father is employed by Shook Tire Company.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Glasscock, Earth and Mrs. Francis Walker, Lamesa.

Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Glasscock, Earth and Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Williams, Archer City.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cook, of Orange, proudly announce the arrival of a baby girl born May 17.

The little miss weighed 5 lbs. 13 oz. and has been named Dea Ann.

The Cooks have one son, Butch, 17 years of age.

The father owns and operates a laundry and dry cleaning business.

Mrs. Cook will be remembered in Earth as Beatrice Falkner. Grandparents are, T. W. Cook, Earth and Mrs. B. E. Falkner, Socorro, N. M.

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Mrs. Lee Presents Book Review At Altrui Study Club Meeting

The Altrui Junior Study Club met Tuesday, May 10, in the home of Mrs. Bob Belew, with Mrs. Carroll McDonald and Mrs. Doug Lewis as co-hostesses.

After a short business meeting Mrs. Eugene Lee reviewed the book "A Man Called Peter."

Members of the club honored their mothers or special guests.

Refreshments of dainty ham and cheese sandwiches, crispy squares, nuts, tea and coffee were served.

The serving table was laid with a lace cloth and centered with a bouquet of red roses. Crystal service was used.

Members and guests present were: Meses. Bob Belew, R. H. Belew, Jerry Devenport, O. B. Whitford, Lynn Glascock, Bruce Higgins, George Laing, John Laing, Eugene Lee, Crill Bulls, Doug Lewis, Bob McCaskill, Carroll McDonald, Norman Sulser, Doug Parish, Paul Poyner, Tommy Wheatley, Calvin Wood, and Ruel Ranning.

Out of town guests were Meses. Mary McDerman, Terico; Loucille Foster, Friona and Tommy Gattis, Muleshoe.

The next meeting will be at

Carolyn Parish Honored With Bridal Shower

Miss Carolyn Joyce Parish, bride-elect of Paul Gibson, was honored with a come and go bridal shower, Friday from 6 to 9 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Roy Byers Jr.

The serving table in the dining room was covered with a white satin cloth and net over it. The centerpiece was a pink umbrella on a styrofoam base trimmed with lace and ribbon. Pink candles completed the decoration.

Milk glass complimented the serving table. Mesdames, Jerry Tunnell of Littlefield, and A. J. Phillips of Muleshoe served the pink punch and Mesdames, Robert Riley and Eddie Haydon served pink iced cake squares decorated with tiny wedding bells. Tiny rolling pins were favors.

Spring flowers decorated other rooms. Gifts were displayed in the bedrooms.

Miss Jenna V. Brock registered approximately 55 guests.

A corsage of decorated measuring spoons was presented to Miss Parish and a decorated chore girl corsage to Mrs. Gus Parish.

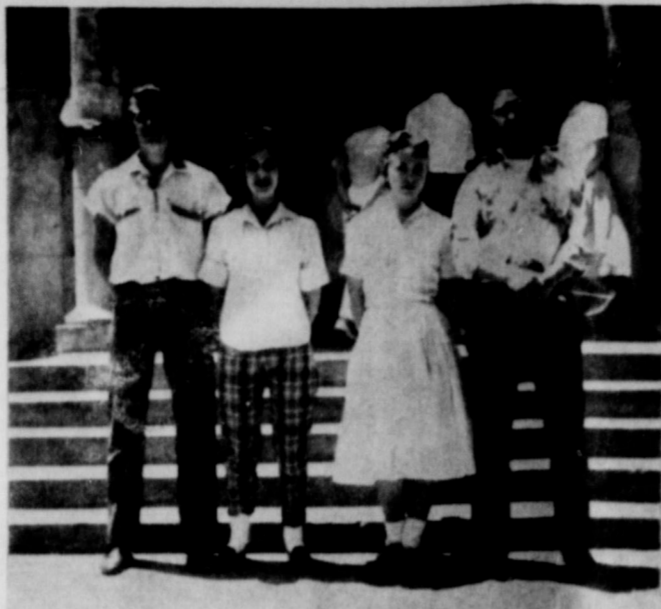
Hostess for the occasion were, Mesdames: Billy Wayne Clayton, Donnie Clayton, W. T. Clayton, Donald Kelley, Jack Loftis, W. B. Hucks, Bud Matock, Ashley Davis, J. T. Gibson, Ernest Baker, Tommy Alair, Ernest Green, Roy Byers Jr., Orlan Bibby, Almond Whitford, and F. W. Bearden.

Party Line.....

Mrs. Lena Hite visited Sunday in Plainview with Granny Hite who is ill.

Mrs. R. I. Doughty, Martha, Oklahoma is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cowley and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cearley.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clayton and Norman were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Enos Harper.



SOPHOMORE MEDAL AWARD WINNERS — These four sophomores have proven superior in their field and were presented these coveted medals at an assembly Monday. Left to right is Jerry Jones who received his medal in vocational Ag II as Chapter Star Farmer, Mrs. Carmelita Murrell, biology; Norma Hamilton, English II; and Jerry Taylor, Ag II.

Mrs. Bonnie Haberer Hostess To Cotton John European Tour Group

Mrs. Bonnie Haberer entertained Sunday, in her home in Pleasant Valley, with a breakfast, the occasion being the second annual reunion of the Cotton John European Tour group of 1959.

Two long white covered tables were centered with crystal bowls of vari-colored iris, and iris, roses and pot plants were used throughout the house.

A group of young colored men, "Freedom Gospel Singers" of Amarillo, gave several numbers. Guests were Mr. Art Buckley, Mr. and Mrs. Garland (Cotton John) Smith and daughter all of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. William Caswell, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Motley, all of Hollis, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Claire Bowe, of Tucumcari, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Homer Newton, Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Moody Womble, Morse, Mr. and Mrs. William Cox and Mrs. Lewis Redman of Tulsa, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wheeler Edmonson, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Terrell, Plainview, Mrs. Lenora Greenhall, Memphis, Mrs. Pearl Sheffy, Dimmitt.

Assisting with hospitalities were Mrs. Johnnie Haberer, Russell and Ted Haberer.

Mrs. W. F. Williamson, Glenda and Ronnie and Linda Wade were in Lubbock Saturday.

Mrs. Kelley - Terry Appointed To New Committee

Mrs. M. E. Kelley and Mrs. Dora Terry have been appointed, by Pat Boone Jr. to serve on the committee for the ageing and met with the group May 9.

The meeting was held in the Court House room of the Littlefield Court house. Pat Boone Jr. is Chairman of the Lamb County Committee.

The Committee is for the purpose of studying and making a survey of the problems of the ageing of this territory.

Price Daniels, Governor of the State of Texas, is having this survey made over the entire state.

Springlake Coaches Honored With Barbecue Supper

The Springlake High School coaches were honored with a barbecue supper and all the trimmings, Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clayton.

Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Don Townsend and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Allen and family and the Fred Clayton family.

Earth Rebeccas Hold Meeting May 12

The regular meeting of the Earth Rebecca Lodge 139 was held Thursday, May 12, at the Odd Fellow Hall.

Members present were Meses: H. J. Gilmore, Hershel Hulcy, Dennis Simmons, Orbie Armstrong, Clyde Parish and Bobette Marshall.

The regular meeting time for the Rebecca's is each second and fourth Thursday night of each month.

CARD OF THANKS

We are deeply grateful to each and everyone throughout the area for their gifts, money, and for the kind words of sympathy when our home was destroyed in the Sunnyside community tornado.

Words are inadequate to fully describe our feeling of appreciation to you.

May God bless each of you. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry James and Family



JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS — Were elected Monday for the 1960-61 term. These lovely lassies are Pamela Beasley and Peggy Upchurch of the eighth grade class, Jill McCord and Carolyn Kelley, seventh grade students and Pansy Been a sixth grader.

Roger Kuehn and Gayle Crowe students at ACC spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sockstill and children of Hereford spent the weekend with the R. E. Bartons.

Roger Kuehn and Mrs. C. D. Rogers were callers in the H. N. Seymour home Sunday afternoon.

Aaron and Elvin Truelock, Albuquerque, N. M. spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Truelock.

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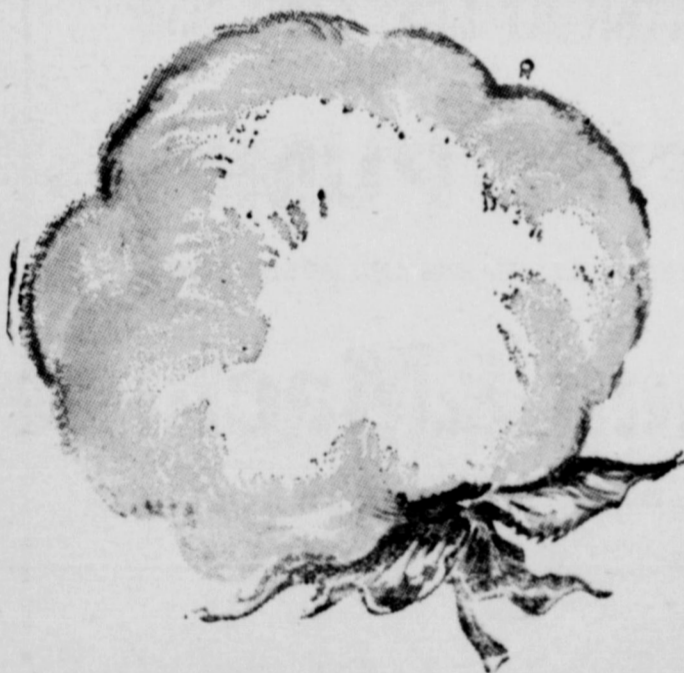
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visited in Lubbock Monday with Mrs. T. R. Hogan. She is staying in Stardust Motel, but plans to buy a home in Lubbock. She mentioned nothing of her plans for her property here.

Mrs. C. J. Johnson and Mrs. Ronald Henderson set with Mrs. Earl Phelan Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Story from Electra came Monday to visit with their daughter, Mrs. Murle Rogers and her family but missed her. They brought several nice gifts for their new home under construction.

Jimmy Waggoner and Butch Rogers joined the Dimmitt Little League Baseball Team last Saturday and practiced several times this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry James moved into their new home last Saturday. Several attended the Spanish Story Hour at the community building Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Murle Rogers and Mrs. E. R. Sadler set with Mrs. Earl Phelan Tuesday.

Brother and Mrs. Murle Rogers



For Thou, Lord, will bless the righteous; with favor wilt Thou compass him as with a shield.—(Psalm 5:12)

Those who love God and obey Him, who worship and glorify Him in all their thoughts and acts, are overflowing filled with His love and His guidance; they know abundant joy and strength beyond all mortal compare—because the Almighty is with and within them.

went to Plainview Tuesday night. Brother Rogers attended the Brotherhood Service in honor of Mr. J. B. Kidd who was killed in the tornado here. Mrs. Rogers visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Powers and family.

The local Brotherhood met at the community building Tuesday night with eight present.

Mrs. Tom McGill and Mrs. O. A. Oldham set with Mrs. Earl Phelan Wednesday.

The W.M.S. met Wednesday night at the community building for the General Missionary Program. Mrs. Roy Phelan had charge of the program. The Sunbeams also met and the Jr. G.A.'s met at the home of Mrs. Rex Jenkins their counselor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Byrd moved this week into a house on the Lloyd Blanton farm. He works for Hubert Lilley.

Miss Ometa Bradley was honored Thursday afternoon with a bridal shower in Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist church in Dimmitt. The May Pole Theme was carried out in all the decorations. Hostesses from Sunnyside were Mrs. Tex Conard, Mrs. Robert Paschal, Mrs. Charles Hedrick, Mrs. J. T. Holcomb, Mrs. E. R. Sadler, Mrs. Alton Louder, Mrs. Ezell Sadler and Mrs. L. B. Bowden. Eight Dimmitt women were also hostesses. Several Sunnyside women attended.

Mrs. J. C. Holbrooks and Mrs. Rex Jenkins set with Mrs. Earl Phelan Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner received word Thursday evening that his father had suffered a heart attack. They left Friday evening for Corpus Christi to be with him. Jimmy and Mickey are staying with Brother and Mrs. Rogers and Butch and relatives in Muleshoe.

The W.M.S. Day Circle met Friday afternoon at the community building with five members present. Mrs. Raymond Lilley is the circle chairman. Mrs. Roy Phelan presented the General Missionary Program.

Mr. Howard Bridges was readmitted to Castro County Hospital Friday with phlebitis in his injured leg. Clots had been carried by the blood vessels to the lungs; and at first it was believed to be pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Linnarty, Mike and Linda visited this week with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Blackburn

and family enroute from San Pedro, California to Virginia.

Debbie Curtis entertained several friends with a slumber party Friday night in her home. Those present were Terry Crisp, Diane Phelan, Cathy Deat, Donita and Anita Kelley, Vickie Lowery, Jane Branscum, Marsha Dalton and Jenny Angeley of Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Williams and family of Amarillo spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Power.

Donnie Lilley, Johnnie Wayne Holbrooks, and Eddie Waggoner attended the Junior-Senior Banquet in Dimmitt Saturday night.

Debbie Curtis participated in a music recital Saturday night at the Springlake School. She was presented a pin and certificate by the National Piano Guild. Mrs. Betty Parish is her music teacher.

Mr. Cecil Curtis and Don and Charles Axtel attended the PFA Parent and Son Banquet at Springlake Saturday night.

Ometa Bradley and Vernon Scott of Plainview were married in a double ring ceremony at Dennis Chapel in Dimmitt Saturday night.

Brother Murle Rogers performed the ceremony before a beautiful array of lighted candles and bouquets. Mrs. Janalynn Jones served as Matron of Honor, Bob Shields of Floydada served as Best Man. The reception was held at Fellowship Hall in the First Baptist Church. The rehearsal was held Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bradley of Tucuman, New Mexico spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Curtis and Debbie visited Sunday in Petersburg with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stephens and Mrs. Lillian Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hobbs from Amarillo visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Power.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Anthony of Big Square, Mr. and Mrs. Ercel Keeler of Hale Cener and Mrs. Pearl Sadler, Mrs. Willie Waggoner, Mrs. Maggie Boren and Mrs. Faye Holland of Dimmitt visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sadler and Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler.

Mr. Bob Burns and Bertha Bacon from Compton, California, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Woodward and family of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Godfrey and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conard of Hart visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Tex Conard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dean of Halfway, Mr. and Mrs. Howell Morris and Vida Grace of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Morris of Tulia visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan.

Gene Johnson was among the Hart Seniors who attended the Baccalaureate Services in Hart Sunday night.

Ninety one attended Sunday School with 59 in Training Union Sunday. The W.M.S. presented Bibles to the graduating Seniors. Donnie Lilley, Johnnie Wayne Holbrooks and Gene Johnson in the morning service.

Baptismal Services were held in the Springlake First Baptist Church Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Townsend, Eddie, Brenda, and Jerry Townsend, Mr. Frank White, Lee Bradley, Bobby Cummings, Janie Paschal, Delbert Cooper, Terry Crisp and Mrs. Richard Bills were baptized.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Armstrong and Johnny Sherman all of Lubbock visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cooper and family and attended the baptismal services.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler spent Sunday night in Wingate with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Christian.

Mrs. Ed Townsend and Mrs. Roy

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Lilley stayed with Mrs. Earl Phelan Friday. Mrs. R. V. Bills and Mrs. Raymond Lilley Saturday and Mrs. E. R. Little and Mrs. Tracy Phelan Sunday. She can walk now with little assistance and can manage with difficulty to feed herself and is improving daily.

Party Line.....

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Taylor met two of his sisters, Mrs. G. W. Johnson and Mrs. Ora LAMON of Oklahoma City, in Lubbock Monday of last week and they all went on to El Paso where they visited with another sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Trowell. The brother-in-law is ill.

They returned to Earth Thursday. Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. LAMON returned to their homes in Oklahoma City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson, and children Lovington, N. M. and Gould, Oklahoma spent the weekend with their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Carl Taylor. Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Armstrong visited in Dimmitt Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Kirby.

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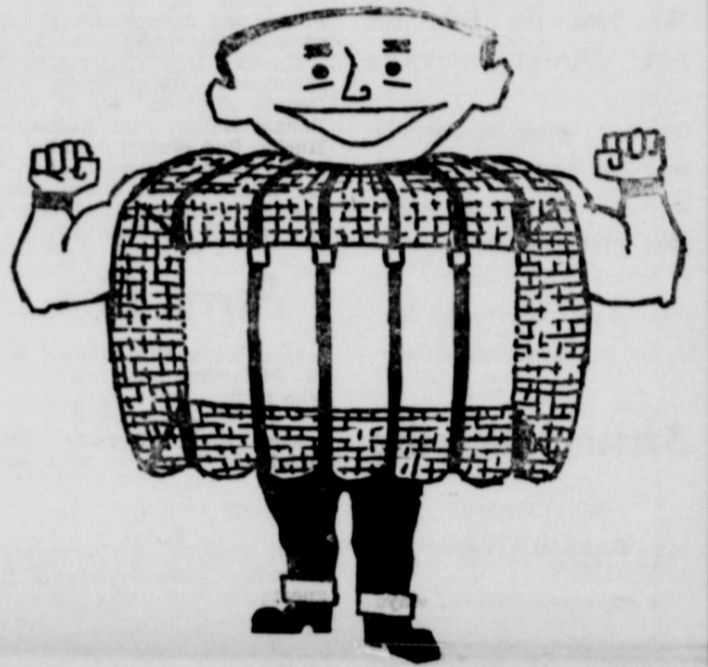
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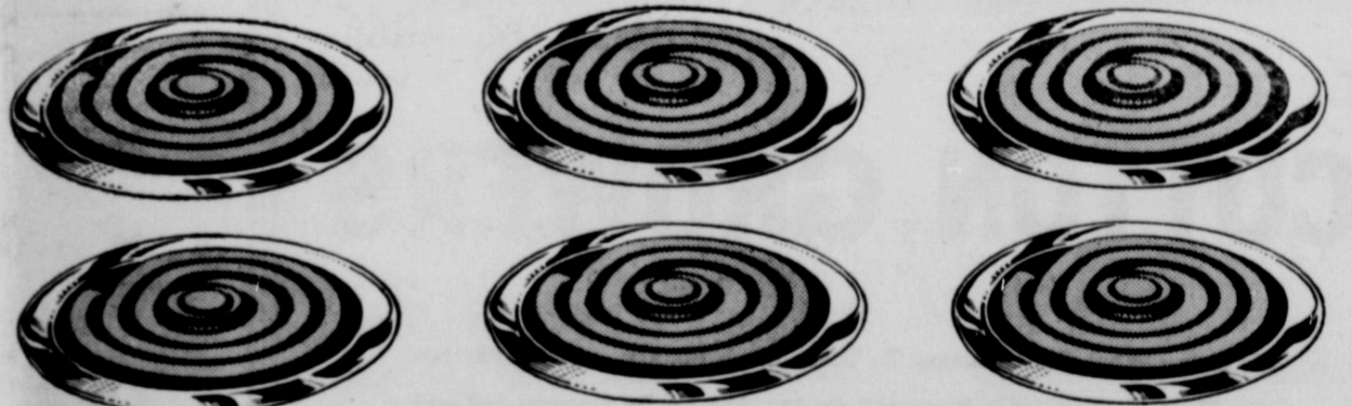
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Town - Country Study Club Install New Officers

Mrs. Sam Cearley was hostess to the Earth Town and Country Study Club Thursday, May 12. New officers were installed.

Mrs. Ted Haberer, past President, served as installing officer. Mrs. H. F. Hodges will serve as president with Mrs. B. Campbell, vice president, Mrs. J. Winders, secretary; Mrs. Ray Kelley, treasurer; Mrs. Carra Morgan, parliamentarian; Mrs. Roy Neal, federation counselor.

Mrs. B. Campbell was selected to head the yearbook committee and Mrs. Dora Terry will have charge of memberships. Mrs. J. L. Benson is chairman of the nominating committee.

Projects for the organization will be directed by Mrs. H. S. Sanders. Heading the health committee is Mrs. Lottie Orteg; Mrs. Lena Hite is the hospitality chair-

man and Mrs. Ted Haberer will have charge of press and publicity matters.

Mrs. John Laing is committee chairman for the extension and department of works and Mrs. Sam Cearley is head of the finance committee.

A buffet luncheon was served from a lace laid table centered with an arrangement of yellow and bronze iris.

Larkspurs were used to further decorate the entertaining rooms.

Present for the meeting were Meses. Jack Hinson, Ray Kelley, C. L. Hamilton, Lottie Orteg, B. Campbell, James Littleton Jr. Dora Terry, Sam Cearley, M. H. Been Sr. Ted Haberer, Beryl Hamilton, J. Winders, Carra Morgan and guests Mrs. Floy Sudberry and Mrs. Larry Price.

Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cearley attended a family reunion in Haskell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Simmons, Mrs. Carolyn Simmons and Mrs. La Nell Ivy spent Saturday night and Sunday at Lake Conchos.



JUNIOR CLASS TOP AWARD WINNERS — Were applauded warmly by fellow classmates as they received medals at the awards presentation assembly. Camilla Wheatley took top honors in typing; Johnny Bob Lawrence in chemistry; Margaret Meadows in math and also in English; Ronnie Johnson, Ag III; Irma Cooper, English III; and Ralph Wisian in band.

Norman Hemphill Honors Senior Band Students With Dinner

Norman Hemphill, Springlake Wolverine Band Director, honored the four senior band students Tuesday night, with a dinner at El Monterey, in Clovis, N. M.

After the dinner the group attended a show and went bowling.

Seniors attending were Linda K. Lawrence, Linda Rose, Polly Jean Middleton and Sharon Wheatley. Other accompanying the group were: Mr. and Mrs. Ross Middleton and Phil Mrs. Norman Hemphill and Norma. Clinton Fry and James Laine of Bovina.

Simpsons Honored With Farwell Party

The home of Mrs. Carra Morgan was the scene of a lovely farwell party recently honoring Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simpson, who left Wednesday for Rogers, Arkansas, where they will make their home on the Rainbow Ranch.

The serving table was laid with a sunny yellow cloth centered with an arrangement of white and gold iris.

Angel punch was served from a crystal bowl, with date and nut cookies.

The honored guests were presented with many beautiful gifts. Hostesses were Meses L. T. Smith, A. E. Wheatley, Carra Morgan and Lena Hite.

Linda K. Lawrence Presents Recital

Linda Kay Lawrence was presented in a senior piano recital Monday, May 16, at 8 p.m. at the Springlake Baptist Church by her music teacher Mrs. Betty Parish.

Miss Lawrence played, Invention No. 1 by Bach, Waltz in A Flat by Brahms, Scars Dance by Schandinodi, Polonnaise by Schopin, Concerto in D Minor by Mendelssohn, Hungarion by Macdowell, Minuet in G by Paderwski, Gollways Cake Walk by Debussy.

Mrs. Betty Parish presented Linda Kay with a High School Diploma in music by the National Guild of Piano teachers.

Linda Kay is a very talented pianist and has been pianist in the Earth Baptist Church for the past three years.

Sharon Ann Wheatley registered the guests.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served in the church dining hall by Sharon and Camilla Wheatley following the recital.

Mrs. A. V. Hicks and J. W. Hicks of Durant, Oklahoma, visited from Thursday until Sunday with the J. B. Thomas family.

Mrs. Marie Slover To Teach Sewing Class This Summer

Mrs. Marie Slover, Springlake Home Making teacher has announced that she will conduct adult sewing classes, during the summer months.

The classes will be held in the Home making department at the Springlake School and will consist of two classes. There will be a class of simple clothing construction and one on tailoring.

Anyone interested may contact Mrs. Slover at the Springlake school by Friday, May 20, after May 20 she may be contacted at her home in Earth, on Amherst road two blocks north of the caution light or write Box 165, Earth.

There will be no charge for these classes and all adults who are interested may take these courses.

Springlake Seniors Honored With Tea

The Springlake School honored the High School Seniors Monday afternoon with a tea which was held in the dining room of the Home Ec. Department.

The cake iced in white and decorated in red had the inscription "Congratulations Seniors of 60" and was baked by Mrs. Beulah Danforth.

Mrs. Marie Slover, Home making instructor, acted as hostess assisted by Judy Etheridge Robnett and Patty McGeath.

C. L. Hamilton was also present. At the noon hour the seniors had lunch in a group, at the cafeteria, also with them were Mrs. Gladys McCaskill and Don Townsend, class sponsors and superintendent Bill Mann and principal, John H. Lawrence.

Party Line.....

Mrs. Letha Bland, San Angelo, spent the weekend at the bedside of her uncle, Crockett Barton who is in West Plains Hospital, Muleshoe.

Gene Stephens was dismissed from a Canyon hospital Monday after undergoing appendectomy last week. He is reported to be doing fine.

Larry Thomas 5 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thomas underwent tonsillectomy at Littlefield Hospital Friday.

He returned home Saturday and is reported to be doing nicely.

Mrs. Joel Montgomery underwent major surgery in the Am-

herst Hospital Friday. Her condition is reported to be fair and steadily improving.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Cole and family spent Saturday and Sunday in Denver City with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bills. Regina remained for several days visit.

What Does The Bible Say About Can We Understand The Bible?

By LOYD E. ASH
Reading Time: 4 Minutes

In light of the fact that the Bible is God's message to man, it is plainly evident that no one man can comprehend the will of God who fails to study and consequently understand the essential information contained in the holy scriptures.

However, we are often told that no one man can understand the Bible as the result of his own private, individual study, but that he must rely for his understanding on the interpretation set forth by the INFALLIBLE voice of an INFALLIBLE church. This view is held by the Roman Catholic Church.

1. We Are Told We Can

Many references in the Bible show that we can understand its teachings by sincere study. Paul said, "Whereby, when ye read, ye may understand my knowledge in the mystery of Christ" (Eph. 3:4). Later in the same writing this inspired apostle said, "Wherefore be ye not unwise, but understanding what the will of the Lord is" (Eph. 5:17). First he tells them they CAN understand, and then he pleads with TO understand. How? "When ye read, ye may understand."

Again, the obligation of men to study the Bible for themselves is emphasized in Acts 17:11, "Now these were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the scriptures daily, whether those things were so." Why were they searching the scriptures if they could not understand?

2. Epistles Addressed To Members

The fact that many New Testament epistles were directed to members of the church in general, not just to church leaders, is further proof that the word of God can be understood by the individual.

"Paul . . . to all that be in Rome, beloved of God, called to be saints" (Rom. 1:1, 7). "Paul . . . unto the church of God which is at Corinth to them that are sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints, with all that in every place call upon the name of Jesus Christ" (1 Cor. 1:1,2.) See also Eph. 1:1 and Col. 1:1, 2. Why

address these epistles to the members if they could not understand them? If they could understand them then, can not we understand them now?

3. Our Spiritual Welfare

The use of the scriptures in our spiritual welfare demands that we be able to understand the Bible.

"And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free" (John 8:32). "And this is life eternal, that they might know thee the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom thou has sent" (John 17:3). "And many other signs truly did Jesus in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book; but these are written, that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing ye might have life through his name" (John 20:30,31). "But he answered and said, It is written, Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of every mouth of God" (Matt. 4:4).

Thus, the very health and salvation of our souls depend upon our knowledge of God and Jesus Christ through the salvation of the divine record.

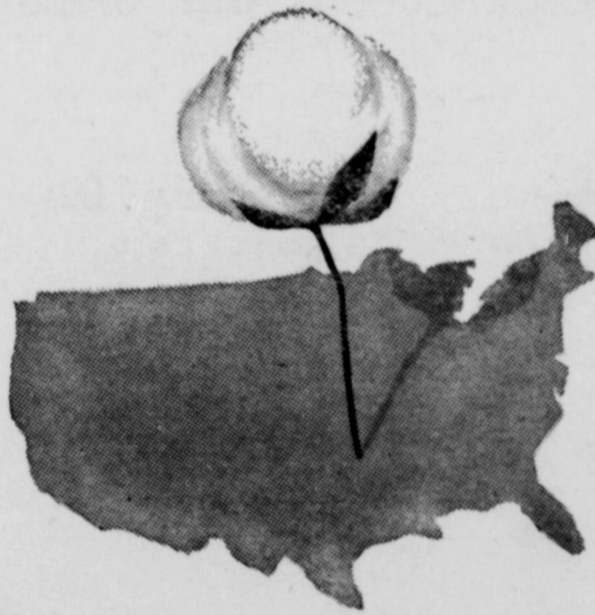
4. Refutation of False Teaching

Every man can distinguish religious truth from false teaching through studying and understanding the Bible. There is no other way you can tell false doctrine. "Preach the word . . . for the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears; and they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables" (2 Tim. 4:2,4). "Beloved, believe not every spirit, but try the spirits whether they are of God; because many false prophets are gone out into the world" (1 John 4:1). How are we to "try" these teachers if not by comparing their teaching with the word of God? "Prove all things; hold fast that which is good" (1 Thess. 5:21).

It should be seen from the foregoing evidence that it is possible for us to understand the Bible. In fact, upon our knowledge of it hinges our eternal destiny. It is imperative that we reverently study the Bible and obey all its commands.

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Barbara Bagget Shower Honoree

A bridal shower honoring Barbara Bagget, bride-elect of Noel Gilmore was held Monday, in the home of Mrs. H. N. Ellis.

Carolyn Gregory and Linda Elmore registered guests as they arrived.

Refreshments of lime punch, cookies and cracker sandwiches were served by Minnie Wheat, Judy Upchurch and Peggy Davis.

The serving table was laid with a white lace cloth over blue and

centered with an arrangement of pink roses.

Hostesses were Mes. E. A. Upchurch, Dutch Been, H. N. Ellis, Chester Elmore, Dennis Simmons, Edd Wheat, Dan Hulcy, W. C. Maxcey and Bobbette Marshall.

Twenty six attended.

Linda Wade Honored With Farewell Party

Linda Wade was the honoree at a farewell party Saturday night May 14, which was held at the W. F. Williamson home.

The group gathered in the backyard and refreshments of barbecue burgers, potato chips, pickles, relish and drinks were served.

The honoree was presented with a shorty pajama set as a gift from the group.

Linda, a Junior at Springlake High School, left Wednesday, May 18, for Rogers, Arkansas where she is to make her home.

Those attending the party were Jeanette Ray, Jean Sawyer, Cam Wheatley, Glenda Williamson and the honoree.

Plainview Production Credit Association Largest in Nation

Recent figures developed by the Farm Credit Administration show the Plainview Production Credit Association was first in the total amount of money loaned for the year 1959 with loans totaling \$27,016,900.

The Plainview Production Credit Association was also in first place in the amount of capital stock owned by its members, and first place in the total net worth of \$2,430,684.

The Plainview Production Credit Association is continuing to make gains in all categories for the year 1960 with its net worth increased to \$2,597,777, with a total capital and reserve exceeding \$3,000,000 and the total amount of money loaned to April 30, 1960, exceeds \$17,900,900.

The officers and directors of the association are:

L. R. Durham, president; Henry Hayes, vice president; Olan Alexander, secretary - treasurer and general manager; Grady Shepard, Don Garrison, D. S. Anderson.

Make More Profits From Fewer Acres

College Station, — Texans take pride in the size of their farming operations. Sometimes they overlook the fact that large operations also may be inefficient — that more profit often can be obtained by more intensive farming methods practiced on fewer acres.

This is particularly true with vegetable crops, says Dr. H. C. Mohr, associate professor of horticulture, Texas A & M College System. For example, cabbage, when grown in twin rows on the bed, gives yields about double those of single rows on the bed. Very little additional fertilizer and irrigation are required. Cultivation is the same and labor for thinning and harvesting is much more efficient than on the single row. Thus the yield is doubled at much less than double the production cost. The difference, Mohr points out, is additional profit.

Failure of more methods (or of improved hybrids or varieties) to make more money for growers has been related to failure to adjust situation. More efficient practice. Vegetables are very re-



MEDAL WINNERS OF THE FRESHMAN CLASS — This group of students showing outstanding achievements were awarded medals at the awards assembly Monday in the school auditorium. They are front row Jane McCord, who received her medal for outstanding achievement in band; Evelyn Meadows, English I; Olivia Lopez, world history; second row Don Sanders, driver's education; De Ann Adrian, algebra I; Sharon Been, cheerleader; Jim Stockard, general science; Ray Hooley, Star Green Hand.

sponsive to the supply-demand he used the new practices (or varieties). When a new practice is undertaken, the grower should try to produce the same quantity of the crop as before, but on fewer acres.

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Mohr emphasizes. In this way the market will not be glutted, and the grower can realize additional profit from his improved efficiency. Of course he will then have to decide how to use the acres he no longer needs for a particular crop.

Party Line.....

Master Sargent and Mrs. Wilson Clayton, San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. John Clayton, Amherst were supper guests last Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Clayton.

MS. and Mrs. Wilson Clayton San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. John Clayton, Amherst, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Clayton and children visited in Bovina, Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clayton.

Party Line... Party Line..

Mrs. H. S. Sanders will be visiting her mother in Bovina for a few weeks.

Mrs. Glen McClesky has been ill since last Saturday suffering from a throat and ear infection.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitehead, Randy and Alisa of Farmington, N. M. visited last week with Mrs. Minnie Pate.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Stevens, Whiteface, visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Murrell.

Dickey Morris, Lubbock, was weekend guest of Ross Morris.

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Weekly Stock Market Round-Up

Prepared by the Investment Research Department of Hemphill, Noyes & Co., 15 Broad Street, New York 5, N. Y. Members of the New York Stock Exchange
May 18, 1960

GROWTH IN THE EQUIPMENT LEASING FIELD


Today equipment leasing is one of the fastest growing service businesses in the country, and indications are that it will continue its present rate of growth and possibly even accelerate it as its benefits are more fully realized and accepted. As the concept of general leasing of any and all types of equipment is relatively new, there are still only two publicly held concerns entirely devoted to it: *Booth Leasing* and *U. S. Leasing*. There are, however, several other organizations that have entered the field as a complementary line to their other activities. The most prominent are *Hertz*, *Ryder Systems*, *Walter E. Heller* and *James Talcott*.

We believe that this industry will receive increased investor attention once its growth prospects are more fully realized. We further feel that this is the type of industry that could easily become a stock market favorite. It is new, definitely growing rapidly, and dominated by companies with relatively small capitalizations, thereby potentially allowing rather significant stock price advances with a limited market activity. For the conservative investor, *Walter E. Heller* has the most appeal. For long term growth, *Hertz* can be purchased. As a speculation, both *Booth Leasing* and *Ryder* offer some very good prospects at present levels with *Ryder* possibly the most intriguing.

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Each of these varieties were planted in four row plots, 100 feet long with four rows to each plot. The tests will be made from the two center rows in each of the four row plots, reports Dr. E. H. Collier, chief agronomist at the Foundation.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown, Hale Center visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Brown and family.

Mrs. Bob Armstrong and children visited Saturday afternoon with the Gene Brown's.

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Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Beavers, Amarillo visited Sunday with his mother Mrs. S. C. Beavers. Their sons David and Paul returned home with them after spending several days with their grandmother.

— PL —
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pearson, Mrs. R. O. Dickson, Mrs. M. E. Clayton and Mrs. Will Evans were supper guests Friday night of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Seymour.

— PL —
Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Barton, Anaheim, California arrived on Wednesday of last week to be with his father Crockett Barton who is a patient in West Plains Hospital, Muleshoe.

— PL —
Mr. and Mrs. Nat Bearden visited with Mr. and Mrs. Glen McCleskey after church services Sunday night.

— PL —
Mrs. Sam Barden, Springlake, visited with her mother Mrs. Glen McCleskey.

— PL —
Mrs. Floyd Bills left last Thursday for a visit with relatives in East Texas.

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High School Students Receive Medal And Certificate Awards in Assembly

Medals and certificates of awards were presented to outstanding High School students at the awards assembly held Monday morning high school students at the auditorium.

Those receiving awards are listed as follows: History medals: American History, Linda Kay Lawrence, World History, Olivia Lopez, Civics Tom Messer and Texas History Ronnie Spies. Merit awards, John B. Lawrence, Carl Sanderson, American History, Linda Wade Carmelita Murrell World history, Lynette Dutton, Sharon Wheatley, Civics, Jenna V. Brock, Tom Messer Texas History.

English 111 medals, Irma Cooper and Margaret Meadows, English IV certificates Linda Kay Lawrence, Jenna V. Brock and Tom Messer, English 111 certificates Carmelita Murrell, Bob Lawrence, English 111 certificates, Norma Hamilton, Joan Gover, English 111 certificates, Evelyn Meadows, Dale Dent and Jane McCord, Speech certificates, Jenna V. Brock, and Billy Jean Watson.

Science medals, Jim Stockard, General Science, Carmelita Murrell, Biology, Ralph Wisian and Bob Lawrence, Chemistry.

Merit awards, Gayland Stevens and Troy Layman, General Science, Gay Northcott and Joan Gover, Biology.

Plane Geometry, Margaret Meadows, medals Merit awards, Joan Gover, Ross Morris, Bob Lawrence, Ralph Wisian, Carmelita Murrell, Larry Funnell, Linda Beasley, Linda Sanderson, Mary Jane Shirey and Janette Ray.

Algebra, DeAnn Adrian, Medal, Merit awards, Ray Hooley, Dale Dent, Evelyn Meadows, Jane McCord, David Cameron, Julia Chance, Linda Oden and Leslie Lewis.

Drivers Education, Don Sanders, Athletic awards, Norman Clayton and Billie Jean Watson.

Commercial Medals, Typing 1 medal, Camilla Wheatley, Merit awards, Margaret Meadows.

Typing 11 Merit awards, Linda Wade and Jeanette Ray.

Bookkeeping, Merit award, Lynette Dutton, Ronald Miller and A. M. McGowan.

Homemaking 1, Jane McCord, Olivia Lopez, Glenda Williamson, and Beas Angeley.

Homemaking 11, Joan Gover and Gay Northcott.

Homemaking 111, Sharon Wheatley, Linda Kay Lawrence, Medal, Lynette Dutton.

Music, Merit awards, Polly Jean Middleton, Linda Rose, Linda Kay Lawrence and Linda Rose all seniors.

Ralph Wisian and Jane McCord, Medals for outstanding participation in band.

Medals, David Cameron, Jane McCord, Raymond Jenkins, Polly Middleton, Glenda Williamson, Janette Ray, Ralph Wisian, Vicki Coker, Arnold Williams, Vicki Coker, Charlie Jones, Camella Wheatley.

Agriculture, Star Green hand, runners up, Don Curtis and Dale Dent certificates, Medal Ray Hooley.

Outstanding boy in Agriculture Ray Hooley, Medal.

Agriculture 11 Jerry Jones, medal, outstanding boy, medal, Star farmer, Star farmer in chapter, Medal, Shelby Bozeman Ronnie Dent and Charles Axtell, certificate.

Agriculture 111, Medal, Star farmer Ronnie Johnson, certificate, Jerrell Hadaway.

Leadership, Jerrell Hadaway and Ronnie Johnson certificates.

Large Crowd Attends F. F. A. Banquet May 14

A large crowd attended the parent and son banquet which was held Saturday night May 14, in the Springlake School Cafeteria.

The opening ceremony was given by the F.F.A. officers who are: Ronnie Johnson, president; Carey Latham, acted as vice president in the absence of Bobby Sloan; Hal Hudson, secretary; Shelby Bozeman, treasurer; Jerry Jones, reporter; Dale Montgomery, sentinel; and E. G. Gaston, advisor.

Shelby Bozeman gave the welcome and the invocation was given by Hal Hudson.

After a delicious dinner of fried chicken, salad, cake and ice cream, Jerry Jones introduced special guests.

Faculty guests were: William L. Mann and John Lawrence.

School Board members and their wives present were: Price Hamilton, Guy F. Kelley, Clarence Kelley, and Leon Dent.

F.F.A. Board of Directors, Gardner Sanderson, L. H. Dent, Carrol Blackwell, Jack Hadaway and E. C. Hudson.

Ross Middleton and Mike Dent who have been a great help to the F.F.A. Chapter were also special guests.

Floyd Crawford, Mayor of Springlake was also present.

E. G. Gaston gave an outline of the outstanding accomplishments of the chapter and boys on the various chapter teams were recognized.

Presentation of honorary Chapter farmer degrees, was by Ronnie Johnson, pens and degrees were presented to the FFA Board of Directors.

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SENIOR EMINENCE — These ten seniors seated on the front steps of the old high school building were presented medal awards Monday as classmates cheered at their various honors. Left to right Lynette Dutton, Home Ec; Billy Jean Watson, cheerleader and basketball; Polly Jean Middleton, band; Linda Kay Lawrence, American History and English IV; Jenna V. Brock, cheerleader; Sharon Wheatley, cheerleader; Glenn Bulls, Student Council; Tom Messer, Annual Editor and Student Council; Ronnie Spies, Texas History and Norman Clayton in athletics.

Springlake Junior High School Students Receive Many Awards

Awards were presented to outstanding Junior High School students at the Awards Assembly which was held Monday afternoon in the Springlake School auditorium.

Awards were based on scholarship, leadership, cooperation, industrialization and citizenship.

Students receiving awards in the eighth grade were valedictorian, Janice Blackburn; salutatorian, Diana Glasscock; science, Bobby Borum; cheerleaders, Loy Hamilton, Betty Cody, and Julia Jones; Library, Judy Perkins and Darlene Rudd.

Sports, Bill Shirey, Frances Wheat.

Neither absent nor tardy: Bobby Borum, Gary Cowley, Dennis Parish, Julia Jones, Joan Murrell, Judy Perkins, Jerry Propes, Frances Wheat, Jerry Been, Don Layman, Bob Phipps, Floydell Crawford, Bobby Cunningham and Loy Hamilton.

Award winners in the seventh grade were as follows: math, Peggy Upchurch; English, Alice Jaquess; history, Marie Akins; Science, Pruda Sanders.

Neither absent nor tardy: Ray Packard, Dwayne Parish, Harold Powell, Marilyn Coker, Alice Jaquess, Kathryn Ray, Pruda Sanders, Gweu Smith, Julio Cortez, Leon Green, John Patterson, Kenneth Schaefer, Marie Akins, Sandra Crisp, Beth Dent, Alene Powell, Brenda Townsend, Peggy Upchurch and Linda Ussery.

Those receiving awards in the sixth grade were math, Bobby Coker; English, Jill McCord; history, Alicia Galloway; science reading, Donna Street; music, Bobby Coker.

Neither absent nor tardy: Larry Glasscock, Harriet Ray, Bobby Robnett, Ollie Waide and Richard Mitchell.

Fifth grade award winners were cheerleader Pansy Been.

Music, Joan Dawson.

Neither absent nor tardy: Judy Gover, Bobby Schellar, Pansy Been, Joan Dawson, Patricia Raught, Terry Parish, Lonnie Whitford and Anita O'Hair.

Harold Jordan and children of Olton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jordan.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kelley were Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence and family and Sharon Wheatley.

Large Crowd Attends Choir Program May 12

A large crowd was present for the Golden Gate Baptist Chapel Choir program which was presented Thursday night, May 12 at the Earth First Baptist Church.

The Choir composed of twenty two members, with Dr. Carlyle D. Bennett, of Vevey, Indiana is making a spring tour which began in April and programs will be presented in eleven states.

The Choir was from the Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary which is located at Strawberry Point, Mill Valley, California, near San Francisco.

Supper was served by the church to the Choir members, before the presentation of the program. Mrs. Elaine Davis was in charge of the meal.

Ice cream and cake was served after the program.

Party Line.....

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haley and Brad spent the weekend in Edinburg.

Mrs. E. E. Hobbs, Ennis is visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Barton.

Springlake Final Band Concert Held

The Springlake Music Department of the Springlake Independent School District presented their annual end-of-school concert, Friday night May 13, in the Springlake School auditorium.

The Fourth Grade Band, Cub Band, and Wolverine Band participated in the concert.

The program was directed by Norman Hemphill, head of music department.

The program presented by the Fourth Grade Band consisted of three numbers, "Obide with Me;" "Billy Boy"; and "First Lesson in Harmony."

Cub Band numbers were: "The Challenger March," "Waltz Legato," and "New Honors."

The Wolverine Band program was as follows: Precision, Wake The Town and Tell the People, Adagio Pathetic, Witch Doctor, Desert Song, Old McDonald's Medley, Fanfare, Ta-Ra-Ra-Boom-De-ay, Choose your Partners, Break it Up, Apple Valley, and Star Spangled Banner, arranged and conducted by Norman Hemphill.

Kelley Haydon spent Saturday night in Amherst with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Stine.

She spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Truman Stine.

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