





## Speaker Bill Clayton Honored May 26

In a break with tradition, Speaker Bill Clayton has requested all gifts and contributions usually given to the Speaker and his family on his family on Speaker's Day be given to Cal Farley's Boys Ranch and Girlstown, U. S. A. in Whiteface.

During past sessions, House members and friends have honored the leadership of the Speaker during a session by giving presents. This year Speaker's Day activities May 26 were geared toward recognizing the cooperation and work of members and House employees as well as the Speaker.

Clayton said contributions to the charity organizations are still being donated, and he plans to make a formal presentation of the money after the session. He has reiterated his call for contributions, encouraging any persons who still might be interested to contribute.

Five receptions were scheduled on Speaker's Day honoring House members, employees and the

Capitol news media. Included in the day's activities was a House floor ceremony in which Clayton was presented with a scroll signed by House members and two framed batiks from House employees.

Thirteen former Speakers also congregated to honor Clayton. They were seated on the podium behind the Speaker during the formal House ceremony.

Speaking to members and guests, Clayton said that the session had been a success because of the hard work of members and their staffs.

"With one week remaining in the session," he said, "I am proud to say that when the smoke is settled and the gavel is silenced, this Legislature will have written a progressive era in Texas history that will be a long time being told."

"When the session began, I knew there were doubts across the state because of the diverse ideologies and political philosophies in the Legislature. The question was whether we could

accomplish much for Texas. I'm proud to say that we've passed legislation that people thought would be impossible. You've worked together as a team regardless of your ideologies.

"You've worked long and hard. I doubt there's been any Legislature to this point in history that has had the work load this session has had. More than 2,300 House bills alone have been introduced this session, along with the 1,500 Senate bills. I wish the citizens of this state could follow your trail on a couple of legislative days to see how much interest and desire you have to see the people of this great state get a fair shake."

Mr. and Mrs. David Reed of Detroit, Michigan arrived in Earth last Wednesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Pittman and family and to attend the wedding of her brother Barry. The Reed's plan to return to their home (today) Thursday.



FORMER SPEAKERS HONOR SPEAKER CLAYTON-From left to right are: Durwood Manford, Ruben Senterfitt, Waggoner Carr, Byron Tunnell, Ben Barnes, Rayford Price, W. S. Barron, Robert Calvert, Homer Leonard, Bill Clayton, Price Daniel, Sr., and Claud Gilmer.

## Equalization Board Appointed

Earth City officials met Monday evening in a stated meeting at Earth's City Hall. Mostly routine business was conducted.

The meeting was opened with the reading and approval of minutes from the previous meeting.

The aldermen then reviewed current bills and approved them for payment.

They also reviewed and dis-

cussed the planned use of the Revenue Sharing funds.

Before adjourning an equalization board was appointed.

Present for the meeting were Larry Tunnell, Mayor; Donald Runyon, Doug Parish, W. B. McMillan, Raiford Daniel and Glen Bulls, Aldermen; Alvin Pittman, City Marshal; Johnny Enloe, Water Superintendent and Mrs. Richard Bills, secretary.

## Final Rites Held Saturday For Former Resident

Services for Tom Smith, 65, of Chillicothe, were at 10 a. m. Saturday in the Konczak Funeral Home Chapel in Chillicothe. Jerry Brewer, minister of Chillicothe Church of Christ, and the Rev. Doug Hooker, pastor of First Baptist Church in Chillicothe officiated.

Burial was in Earth Cemetery with graveside rites at 5 p. m. Saturday with Konczak Funeral Home handling arrangements.

Smith died 8 a. m. Thursday at his home from a shooting accident. Justice of the Peace T. J. Lankford ruled the death accidental from a gunshot wound.

Smith, a native of Fargo married the former Maudina Taylor on March 22, 1941.

Smith had been a longtime employee of the Texas Agricultural Experimental Station in Chillicothe. He had been a former resident of Earth-Springlake.

Survivors include his wife; three sisters, Mrs. Anna Mae Kimble of Ruidoso, N. M., Mrs. Julia French of California and Dolly Pippin of Acie, Fla.; and four brothers, Arthur of Dallas; John of Rockdale, Woodrow of Missouri and Loyd of California.

## Mr. and Mrs. Jones Host Supper

## Methodist Women Have Salad Supper, Book Review

A salad supper and book review were enjoyed by the United Methodist Women in a joint meeting Monday evening, June 2. The committee that took care of decorating the tables, which were made festive with spring flowers and serving the food and drinks were Mrs. Gladys Parish, Mrs. Kenneth Cowley, Mrs. Adria Welch and Mrs. Grace Hooley.

The business meeting was presided over by Mrs. Sam Cearley, president. Among other items of business, \$100.00 was donated to the Juanelva Rose missionary fund. Miss Rose is a missionary in Taiwan.

The program was introduced by Mrs. Ed Dawson, vice-president.

Mrs. R. S. Axtell gave the book review, the autobiography of Andrae Crouch. The title of the book is "Through It All."

Belew, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Verden, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Slover, Mrs. Jeanette O'Hair, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Surface, band director and the host and hostess.

evening was concluded by the group listening to recordings of two of Andrae's songs, "Oh, I Need Him," and "Through It All."

Those attending were Mrs. Bessie Cearley, Mrs. H. S. Sanders, Mrs. J. A. Littleton Jr., Mrs. Ed Dawson, Mrs. J. I. Coker, Mrs. Beulah Coker, Mrs. Bill Morris, Mrs. William P. Holland Jr., Mrs. Gladys Goodwin, Miss Ruby Jones, Mrs. Ida Allen, Mrs. Grace Hooley and Mrs. Adria Welch.

Also Mrs. Walter White, Mrs. Cecil Curtis, Mrs. Don Curtis, Mrs. R. A. Axtell, Mrs. Gladys Parish, Mrs. Kenneth Cowley, Mrs. Beulah Newton, Mrs. R. T. Hamilton, Mrs. Naomi Burgess, Mrs. Jim Griffin and guests Mrs. Earl Walker and Mrs. John Laing.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Dent of Earth and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sanders and Cliff of Springlake recently were in Austin to attend the 50th wedding anniversary reception of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Dent.

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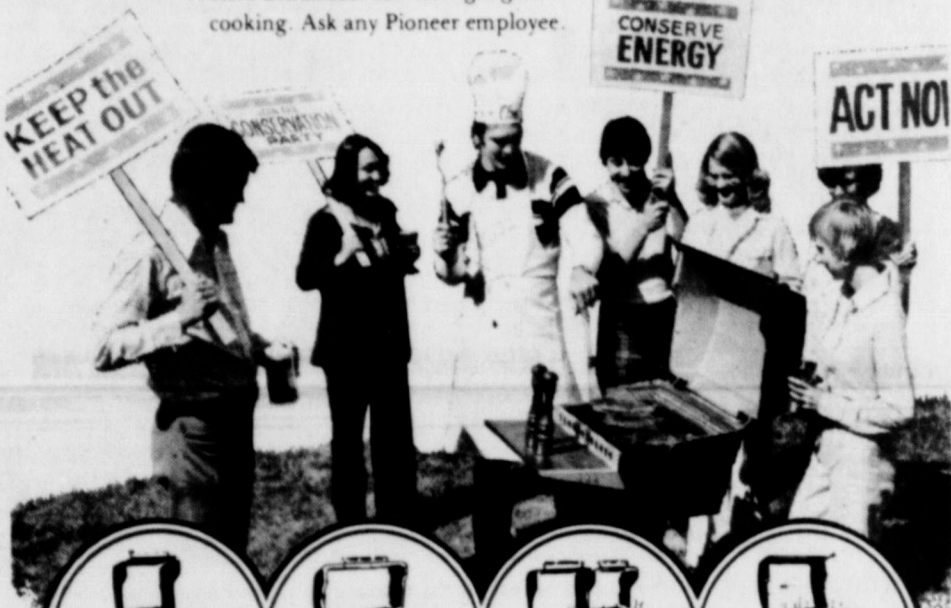
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## Mahon Reports To Farmers And Others Interest In Agriculture

Dear Friend:  
Over a period of several weeks various friends from Texas have communicated with me in regard to legislation relating to the difficult problems which now confront the agricultural sector of our economy. I thought a brief report on the present status of these legislative efforts might be of some interest. This week the House of Representatives voted to sustain

the President's veto of the Emergency Agriculture Act of 1975. I actively supported the effort to override, feeling that while there were two sides to the issue, enactment of the legislation would tend to introduce some stability into agricultural markets and promote greater availability of credit for farmers. In addition, I felt passage of the measure would serve to increase production, which would bene-

fit both consumers and our national balance of trade. However, our efforts to override the veto fell short of the needed votes. Secretary Butz, who urged the veto of the bill by the President, has now come forward with a statement seeking to assure farmers that the USDA would seek to be helpful should there be such a requirement due to failing commodity markets.

For many weeks I have been seeking to secure passage of legislation which would provide additional Farmers Home Administration operating loan funds. Additional loan funds are included in the Emergency Employment Appropriation Act, which I introduced as Chairman of the House Appropriations Committee. This measure has passed both the House and the Senate, but final approval by the Congress is still pending, and there is the threat of a Presidential veto. Operating loan funds for the FmHA have also been included in a Supplemental Appropriations bill which will soon be considered by the House and Senate. However, it is unclear just when the additional funds will be made available, but I can say with complete confidence that they will be provided. The USDA has asked the Office of Management and Budget to make a request of Congress for an additional \$110 million, but the Administration has failed to accept the recommendation of USDA in this matter. Nevertheless, we will find some way to provide FmHA loan money.

Many of our people are interested in the livestock situation. Last week the House passed legislation amending the Emergency Livestock Credit Act of 1974. This measure would increase the present loan guarantee from 80 to 90 percent, guarantee a "line of credit" instead of the one-time loan, and increase the repayment period to seven years. I supported this bill, although I do not believe the legislation goes far enough in helping the cattle-feeding industry. However, the mem-

bers of the House Agriculture Committee felt that the provisions of the measure were as adequate as they could make them under all the circumstances. As you know, the consumer groups are very powerful, and they seem not to understand all of the implications of the deterioration of the beef industry. The bill is now in conference so that the differences between the House and Senate versions may be worked out. It is not possible to tell at this time what the ultimate outcome will be.

In addition to this legislative initiative to assist the livestock industry, we have been successful in our efforts to convince officials of the Small Business Administration and the Farmers Home Administration to revise regulations and increase the availability of credit to feedlots. The SBA has published this week in the Federal Register revisions in their size standard for cattle feedlots; and I received notification yesterday from Farmers Home Administration officials that they are planning to compose new regulations which would enable feedlots to be eligible for assistance under the Rural Development Act. These changes may be of some assistance to feedlots in our areas.

I am most concerned about the present agricultural situation, and I want to be of maximum assistance here. You may be sure of my continued best efforts to seek workable programs of assistance to farmers in order that they might weather this period of rising costs of production and unstable agricultural prices. Let me hear from you at any time. Best wishes.

Sincerely,  
George Mahon



## Hello World

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Byers and two year old son Brannon proudly announce the birth of their daughter and baby sister.

Amy Brook was born at 6:55 p. m. Monday, June 2 in Central Plains Hospital in Plainview. The little lass weighed 7 pounds and 2 1/2 ounces and was 20 inches tall.

Byers is manager for Sunnyside Grain Company. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Been of Earth, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Byers, Jr., of Springlake.

Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Perkins, and Mrs. Roy Byers Sr., all of Littlefield.

Maternal great-grandparents are Mrs. Millie Been of Sparta, Illinois and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Miles of Coulterville, Illinois.

## PARTY LINE

Mrs. Lillian Hamilton will leave Thursday for Fayetteville, Arkansas to visit her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Nelson and their children and families.

Mrs. Dorothy Farr and son Richard of San Diego, Calif. New Robison of Los Angeles, Calif., and H. O. Murrell of New Mexico are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Murrell.



"You look ill, honey. Is it something we ate?"

## Rainbow Girls Make Plans To Attend Grand Assemblies

Earth Rainbow Girls held their regular meeting Monday at 4:30 p. m. with Christy Barlow as Worthy Advisor and Mrs. Ann Kelley, Mother Advisor.

After reading the minutes of the previous meeting, several girls were installed, those who were unable to attend installation services Saturday night.

Grand Assembly in Portales, N. M., was discussed by the group and several girls made plans to attend. They plan to leave about 3:00 on Thursday, June 12 and attend the formal meeting that night. Also attend the activities and the talent show the following day. The group is looking forward to attending an out of state Grand Assembly.

On June 15, a group of the local girls plan to attend the Texas Grand Assembly in Dallas. The girls discussed plans for Family night in July. Their special guests will be the DeMolay club from Muleshoe.

Rainbow girls were reminded to be thinking of ideas for their rodeo float. They plan to start working on decorations by next meeting.

Various activities are being planned for the summer months to keep the Rainbow Girls active in their work.

Fonda Goodwin gave a report on her year's activities as Grand Officer. Fonda traveled 1,124 miles in her travels this year as Grand Officer. She has made many friends in the various assemblies and has attended schools of instruction, installations, initiations as well as socials and teas honoring other Grand Officers. Included in her visits to other assemblies are Littlefield, Muleshoe, Canyon, Lubbock and Plainview. According to the Mother Advisor, Fonda has represented the Rainbow ideals in such a lovely and gracious manner that Earth Assem-

bly is looking forward to seeing Fonda taking part in Grand Assembly in Texas.

Stephanie Parish received a pin for performing efficiently in the office of Musician. Fonda also received her pin for outstanding service this year to Rainbow.

Fonda also reported on a tea Sunday, June 1 in Plainview honoring Mrs. Lois McEachern, Grand Visitor and Freda McEachern, Grand Representative. Those attending the tea from the local area were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Goodwin and Fonda, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kelley and Mrs. Connie Jaques.

Following the closing march, refreshments were served, and the girls went in a group to the city pool for a swim.

## Goodman Reunion Held Sunday

Forty-eight persons attended the ninth annual Goodman reunion Sunday, June 1 in the community hall in Earth.

Host and hostess for the annual get-together were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Parish.

After dinner was served, the group participated in several games. Afterwards they were entertained by Stephanie and Joy Parish on the piano and an accordion solo by Angela Parish.

Those present from Earth were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Parish, Susan and Ronnie; Mrs. Marie Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Parish, Stephanie, Joy and Angela; Mrs. John Cornett, Joey, Ken and Chris; Gus Parish, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Parish, Minnie Parish, Mrs. Annie Runyon, Mrs. Gladys Parish, Mrs. Charles Parish,

## Senior Citizens Have Musical Program

Members of the Senior Citizens Club met Wednesday for a regular monthly noon day luncheon in the community room at Earth.

Mark, Cindy and Kyle.

Out of town guests were Margaret Riddle from Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. George Redinger of Olton; Mrs. Lottie Wilmet of Plainview; Edwin Warwick of Hawthorne, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parish of Lubbock; Mrs. Bobett Tinny of Irvin; Mary Bea Marshall of Irvin; Donna Parish of Lubbock; J. O. Bass III of Olton; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lynn Adams of Tulla; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gibson, Debbie, Brenda and Franklin of Bard, New Mexico; Jerry Burkett of Austin; Parish Lynn Rye, Albuquerque, New Mexico; K. B. Parish of Springlake; Mary Miller Burkett Austin; and Jennifer Warwick, Covina, Calif.

President F. W. Fanning called the meeting to order. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Fanning delivered a poem entitled "The Man that Tears Down."

Kathy Wright, Cliff Wood and Brent Washington entertained the group with several musical numbers using two guitars and a drum.

A delicious meal was enjoyed by the group.

Ted Borum dismissed the meeting with prayer.

Those attending were Mrs. Bonnie Haberer, Mrs. Carra Morgan, Mrs. Lena Grace Griffin, Mrs. Elsie Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Ruel W. Fanning, Mrs. Ruby Hodge and Ted Borum.

Also Mrs. Bessie Cearley, Mrs. Gladys Goodwin, Mrs. Ida Allen, Mrs. Beula Coker, Willis C. White and Mrs. Jack Hinson.

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## Morton-Pittman Wed Sunday In Plainview

In a double ring ceremony Sunday, June 1 at 3 p.m. in the Grace Presbyterian Church in Plainview, Miss Retha Sue Morton became the bride of Barry Morris Pittman of Earth.

The Rev. Thomas Gef was the officiant for the nuptials for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Morton of Plainview and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Pittman of Earth.

The church altar was decorated with a 15-candle arch enlaced with greenery and pink, blue and yellow bows, two seven candle standing candelabras with accenting bows and two white pillars, holding white baskets of spring flowers, were placed on each side of the bride and groom.

Mrs. Ben Thompson, soloist, accompanied by Mrs. Bill Stan-



MRS. BARRY MORRIS PITTMAN (nee Retha Sue Morton)

ford on the organ, provided the traditional wedding selections.

Miss Becki Carpenter, of Lubbock began the wedding ceremony by reading the poem, "I Love You" by Carl Sandburg. The bride presented in marriage by her father, wore a wedding gown of silk faced organza with a natural waist and bodice of chantilace. The standup collar was designed of scalloped lace with satin insertion trimmed with seed pearl clusters. Her Juliet sleeves gathered on to a band trimmed with satin insertion. The lovely full skirt

was fashioned with three flounces each bordered with chantilace that formed a sanctuary train.

Her three-tiered veil of bridal illusion was trimmed in chantilace matching her dress, attached to a chantilace Juliet headpiece with seed pearls taken from her mother's wedding dress.

The bride carried a bouquet of feathered carnations, sweetheart roses and baby's breath on a bible belonging to the matron of honor. For something old she carried a handkerchief made for her when she was a child by her maternal great-grandmother.

Her veil and bible belonging to the matron of honor, was the something borrowed. For something blue, she wore a silk handkerchief attached to her garter made by her paternal great-great grandmother and was carried by her grandmother in her wedding. Something new was a set of pearl earrings given to her by her attendants.

Mrs. Ronnie McCulloch of Plainview, matron of honor wore an empire styled dress of pink dotted Swiss. The sleeves were ruffled butterfly with matching ruffles bordering the hemline of the dress. A wide white satin ribbon accented the waist and formed a large bow in the back with streamers falling to the knees. Pink appliqued roses designed the front of the white ribbon belt.

Miss Linda Warren, maid of honor wore an identical de-

signed dress fashioned in soft pastel blue. The bridesmaid, Miss Deelane Dipprey, also wore an identical dress designed in a soft yellow shade.

Each attendant carried a cascade of English Ivy daisies, roses and baby's breath centered around a crystal voice cup with a lighted candle matching the color of each attendants dress. The bow and loveknots holding their flowers were the color of their dresses. Headpieces were of pink, blue and yellow arrangement of flowers tied with ribbon matching their dresses.

Candlelighters were Miss Jana Pittman, sister of the groom and Miss Stephanie Morgan, cousin of the bride of Plainview.

Miss Melissa Simpson of Plainview served as flower girl, Jason Goree of Halfway was ring bearer for the couple.

Miss Dawn Watson of Plainview served as registrar for the wedding.

The groom's attendants were Donnie Haberer, Earth, bestman; Bruce Bridges, Hart and Grady Higgins of Plainview, were groomsmen.

Bruce Sisk, Plainview; Brian Sanderson, Earth and Weldon Eagle, Muleshoe served as ushers for the occasion.

The ceremony was concluded by Mrs. Carpenter reading the poem, "Yes" author unknown. Miss Lisa Pittman, sister of the groom registered guests at the reception which followed the wedding ceremony.

Serving the traditional cake and punch were Miss Sherri Burrous of Lubbock and Miss Amy Johnson of Plainview.

The serving table was covered with a white chantilly lace cloth, centered with a basket of spring flowers.

The bride and groom left immediately following the reception on a short wedding trip to Denver, Colorado.

The bride is a 1973 graduate of Plainview High School and graduated in May, 1975 from Commercial College in Lubbock.

The groom a 1973 graduate of Springlake-Earth High School is a member of the Pro-Rodeo Cowboy Association. He is presently employed as a feedlot manager in the Sunnyside community.

Members of the house party were Mrs. Randy Miller, Mrs. Calvin Brown, Mrs. Kenneth McKee and Mrs. Joe Mason.

Rob Shugart, Lovington, N. M. and Tammy Shugart, Plainview handed out rice bags and Sandy Tooney, Plainview distributed scrolls to the guests following the reception.

## 50th Anniversary Observed By The Bob Boones

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boone of Springlake, observed their Golden Anniversary with an open house Sunday in their home.

Hosts for the occasion were children of the couple, Kenneth Boone of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Boone, Springlake and Mr. and Mrs. Woody Jackson of Farmersville.

The dining table was covered with a white lace cloth and centered with a gold candleholder holding seven lighted long gold tapers. The center of the candleholder was enlaced with white tulle and tiny rosebuds. The two tiered cake iced in white and decorated with yellow rose buds, was topped with white wedding bells under an archway.

Cake, punch and mints were served by granddaughters of the couple, Mrs. Dwala May, Austin; Julie Jackson and Susan Jackson of Farmersville and Michelle Boone of Springlake.

## TOPS Meet Thursday

The Texas TOPS 217 met Thursday, May 29 at 5:30 p.m. in the Earth Medical Center.

The meeting was opened with the TOPS Pledge, led by Mrs. W. B. Hucks.

Ten members answered to the roll call.

A report was given on the eight members of the club that went to Amarillo Saturday, May 24 to celebrate the local club's 9th anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. BILLY PITTMAN HOSTS FOR REHEARSAL SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Pittman were hosts for their son's wedding rehearsal supper, Saturday, May 31 at the NuGriddle in Plainview.

The wedding party of 31 persons were served steak, potatoes, salad and apple cake.

The serving area was decorated in pink, yellow and blue, following the bride-elects chosen colors for the wedding.



MR. and MRS. BOB BOONE

Mrs. Bill Struve and sister Kit; Nell Hargrove registered guests. One hundred friends and relatives of the couple were registered.

Bob Boone and the former Miss

May Whitford were married May 20, 1925 in Plainview. They resided in Vernon, Texas and Tucson, Arizona before moving to Springlake in 1952. Mr. Boone has been engaged in farming in the Springlake area.

## PARTY LINE

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Bearden of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kemp of Lubbock spent the week-end here visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bearden.

The meeting was closed with the Serenity Prayer.

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## Meeks-Ferrill Exchange Vows

In an impressive double ring ceremony, Miss Regina Gail Meeks and Richard Allen Ferrill were united in marriage at 4 p. m. Saturday, May 17. The

garden of Mrs. Esther Meeks, Sudan, grandmother of the bride, provided the setting. Sam Stanton, a minister of the San Antonio Olmos Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, performed the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Warren J. Meeks, Muleshoe, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Ferrill of Britton, Michigan.

Decorations in the garden consisted of hanging baskets filled with pink flowers and greenery. The aisle was marked by pink candles and hurricane globes held by black wrought iron standards.

Under a lattice covered alcove guests were registered from a table covered with a pink floor length cloth overlaid with white Spanish lace. Decorations on the table included the guest book and a vase holding pink rose buds. Presiding at the guest table was Mrs. Jack Tiffin, of Earth.

Musical selections, chosen by the bride, were played by Mrs. James Hartline, Earth, pianist for the occasion.

The bride, presented in marriage by her father, was adorned in a white formal length gown of reembroidered cotton designed and fashioned by the bride and her mother. The bodice featured a fitted midriff with a scoop neckline. Accenting the neck the bride wore a single



MRS. RICHARD ALLEN FERRILL  
(nee Regina Gail Meeks)

strand of pearls presented her by the groom's mother. The slightly puffed sleeves were edged with reembroidered lace. The gently gathered skirt fell softly from the bodice ending in a deep flounce ruffle. The bride wore a picture hat designed and fashioned by her grandmother, Mrs. Florence Simmons of Coleman, Texas. The hat, covered in tulle with a waist length veil, featured small embroidered flowers on the crown and brim, matching the flowers on the dress. The bride carried a colonial bouquet of pink and white carnations, pink and white pom-pom mums, baby's breath and white ribbon.

Maid of honor was Miss Sherry Lowery, Earth. She wore a formal length dress of pink dotted Swiss embroidered in deeper pink rose buds and green leaves. The dress was styled with an empire waist, scoop neck, and slightly gathered skirt with a deep ruffle. She wore a pink

garden hat trimmed with pink satin ribbon. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations, pink mums and pink ribbon.

Daniel Torres, Ida, Michigan, served the groom as best man. Ushers were Fred Meeks, brother of the bride, Douglas Lowe, Dundee, Michigan; Fred Martinez, Martin Polanco, Jerry Gonzales all of Littlefield, Zan Moore, Lubbock and Rob Stanton, San Antonio.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Meeks wore a formal length gown of pink polyester with a cowl neckline accented with a matching jacket. A white carnation corsage and white accessories completed her attire.

Mrs. Ferrill chose a formal length gown of soft pink and white lace with a slightly flared skirt and short sleeves. She wore a white carnation corsage and white accessories. Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held in the enclosed patio.

The bride's table featured a table runner of white Spanish lace over pink. Five Mexican candles in wooden holders made up the centerpiece. Other focal points were the two-tiered square wedding cake decorated with varying shades of pink chrysanthemums and pink punch were served from a crystal punch bowl.

A variety of dainty sandwiches

## Clayton-Partain Vows Exchanged Friday

Miss Lisa Lynne Clayton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Clayton of Earth became the bride of Ricky Eugene Partain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Reigh of Gainesville Friday, May 30 in a double ring ceremony.

The home of the bride's parents was the setting for the wedding ceremony and reception.

The couple were married by Paul Poyner, deacon of the Church of Christ of Muleshoe. Sue Reigh, pianist, sister of the groom played the traditional wedding march. Miss Kelley Haydon and Miss Karen Smith sang "For All We Know."

The marriage vows were exchanged in front of the fireplace. The fireplace was decorated with two large baskets of yellow daisies and spring flowers with a candelabra on the hearth with greenery in the center. Smaller flower arrangements in the same colors surrounded with greenery were placed on the mantel.

The bride presented in marriage by her father, wore a full length Princess style gown of candlelight peau de soie, with a fingertip veil. The yoke and long pointed sleeves were reembroidered lace.

She carried a cascade bouquet of spring flowers.

Miss Rene Partain, sister of the groom and Miss Kim Clayton, sister of the bride served the bride as bridesmaids.

Miss Kathy Winder, maid of honor, wore a yellow crepe princess style dress with eyelet yoke and puffed sleeves. She carried a bouquet of yellow chiffon roses in net and lace with yellow and white streamers. Steve Boone, of Gainesville, served the groom as best man. Groomsman were Darryl and Tommy Evans.

Ushers were Allen Clayton, brother of the bride and Michael Reigh, brother of the groom.

Following the wedding ceremony a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. The serving table was covered

with an iridescent tablecloth, centered with a 3-tiered wedding cake, topped with white doves. The cake was surrounded with clusters of grapes, wedding bells, doves and yellow roses. Cake, punch, nuts and mints were served to those attending.

Miss DeAnne Clayton registered guests. For travel the couple left on their wedding trip wearing matching Navy blue pant suits with light blue shirt jackets. The bride is a 1975 graduate of Springlake-Earth High School and was an active member of the FHA and the Wolverine Band.

Members of the house party were Becky Campbell, Littlefield, cousin of the bride, Sharla Lowery, Littlefield, Stacey Stanton, San Antonio, Patricia Mills, Lubbock and Lori Hartline, Brenda Tandy, Sherry Tyler, and Michelle Graves all of Muleshoe.

For travel the bride chose a pink crepe sleeveless dress accented by a pink eyelet waist length jacket. White accessories, a pink hat, and a corsage of white carnations completed the ensemble.

The bride is a 1972 graduate of Springlake-Earth High School. The groom is a 1970 graduate of Dundee High School in Michigan. He is presently employed by Mighty Distributing System of West Texas in Littlefield.

After a wedding trip to San Antonio the couple will be home at 1319 W. 3rd St. in Littlefield.



MRS. RICKY EUGENE PARTAIN  
(nee Lisa Lynne Clayton)

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The groom is a graduate of Gainesville High School and is active in the roping club and rodeo.

The couple will be at home at 1309 Witherspoon in Gainesville.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clayton, Bovina; Mr. and Mrs. John Clayton, Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Caraway and Mrs. Edna Peal, Arhens; Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Evans, Valley View; Mr. and Mrs. David Porter and Dale Baugh, Gainesville and Mrs. Modean Clayton, Lubbock.

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## Smith-Carpenter Vows Read

In a beautiful and impressive candle lighted ceremony in the First Baptist Church of Springlake at 8 o'clock Friday evening, May 30, Miss Ginger Ann Smith of Earth became the bride of David Lynn Carpenter of Wofforth. Rev. Glen Smith, pastor officiated the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. James R. Smith of Earth. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Donnie R. Carpenter of Three-Way.

The ceremony took place before an altar decorated with lovely candelabra holding 26 long blue tapers enhanced by baskets of large white mums intermingled with blue mums, ranging in varying shades of blue and touched with greenery. The family pews were marked with large blue satin bows.

Debbie Wilson, pianist, played music from "Love Story" as the parents were being seated. As the candles were lighted she presented the song entitled "Cherish." Soloist, Mrs. Cecil Slover accompanied by Miss

Wilson on the piano, sang the "Wedding Prayer" and "All I Know."

The lovely bride, given in marriage by her father, paused as she walked down the aisle approaching her mother she lifted a long stem red rose from her bouquet and presented it to her mother. The bride was adorned in a beautiful wedding gown designed in white satin and bridal lace accented with appliqued roses and seed pearls. Made by her mother, the gown was designed on empire lines. The bodice of lace was appliqued with roses centered with tiny seed pearls. The high neckline was delicately pleated and enhanced with embroidered lace and seed pearls. The sleeves were short puffed bordered with the matching lace as that of the neckline. The skirt was designed to fall into a ruffled train in the back.

The elbow length veil of silk illusion was bordered along the hemline with lace matching that of her dress, and was held in place by a gorgeous white



MRS. DAVID LYNN CARPENTER  
(nee Ginger Ann Smith)

orchid fashioned in matching silk illusion lace and pearls. She carried a white Bible topped by a bouquet of white mums intermingled with baby's breath and centered with a blue orchid.

The bride carried out the traditional something old, something new, borrowed and blue. For something old, she carried her mother's wedding ring, something new was her gown, her veil was borrowed and she wore a blue garter made by her grandmother, Mrs. Mildred Nail. She also carried two pennies in her shoe, minted in the years of the bride and groom birth date.

Donna Smith, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Jennifer Templeton and Susy Carpenter. The three were dressed in floor length dresses of blue and white dotted Swiss. The bodice was designed with a white lace overlay and accented with full puff sleeves. The skirt was designed with a full ruffle bordering the hemline. They wore

large white hats and carried long stemmed white mums, touched with blue and graced by long blue streamers.

Mark Corkery of Three-Way served as best man. Groomsman were Tracy Lee of Lubbock and Danny Grover of Wichita Falls.

Candlelighters were Cindy and Connie Wakefield of Dimmitt, cousins of the groom.

Ushers were Jimmy and Floyd Smith, brothers of the bride. Guests were registered by Debbie Nail, of Loop, aunt of the bride.

As the ceremony ended and the bride walked up the aisle on the arm of her husband, she paused and presented her new mother-in-law a long stemmed red rose from her bridal bouquet. Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church.

The bride's table was laid with lace over white satin. The three-tiered wedding cake was decorated in white and accented with a blue candle stairway topped with a bride and groom. Punch, cake, nuts and mints were served from crystal and silver appointments by Jason Schellar and Bonnie Parker.

The groom's table was laid with a white linen cloth centered with a chocolate sheet cake iced in white and decorated with Cinderella's coach on top. Coffee and cake were served by Susy Carpenter, sister of the groom.

For a short wedding trip to points of interest in New Mexico the bride chose a blue three piece pant suit.

The bride is a 1975 graduate of Springlake-Earth High School and plans to attend college at Texas Tech this fall. He is a 1974 graduate of Three-Way High School and is attending Tech.

The couple are now at home in Wofforth.



## Miss Christy Barlow Installed As Worthy Advisor Rainbow

Miss Christy Barlow was installed as Worthy Advisor of the Rainbow for Girls, Chapter in Earth, Saturday, May 31 at 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Ann Kelley, Mother Advisor welcomed the guests and stated: "This is a happy occasion for Christy as she assumes the station of Worthy Advisor and we are glad you are here tonight to share this service with her."

"What is Rainbow?" It is an organization for girls 12-20, Founded in 1922, by Mark Sexson a Master Mason.

"What does Rainbow teach?" As you know the rainbow we see in the sky after a rain has seven lovely colors. To the Rainbow Girls, these different colors hold lovely teachings, Lessons of love, forgiveness, being faithful to the church of her choice, remembering to enjoy God's lovely nature all around her, being true and faithful to her friends, loyal

and obedient to her parents, gracious and kind to all and being of service to everyone and to love and to protect her country. The Rainbow girl has a special bond in patriotism for, of the 56 men who signed the Declaration of Independence, 53 were Masons. In Rainbow we are trying to teach these young women the true meaning of womanhood, Not only outward beauty, but inward beauty.

Next the Mother Advisor introduced the following installing officers as they assumed their stations. They were Kelly Wheatley, installing officer, Fonda Goodwin, installing marshal, Gina Wisian, installing chaplain, Kleta Haberer, installing recorder and Mrs. Juanita Smith, aunt of the incoming Worthy Advisor as installing musician.

Installed as Worthy Advisor was Christy Barlow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. (Shorty) Barlow of Earth.

Other Rainbow Girls installed were Pam Eagle, Rosie Lewis, Kelly Wheatley, Stephanie

Tunnell, Gina Wisian, Kleta Haberer and Stephanie Parish.

The Worthy Advisor's scripture was read by Miss Teresa Lively and her song "How Great Thou Art" was sung by Miss Liz Pyle. Her chosen colors are purple and green. Her flower the carnation and her theme "Rainbows happen wherever love grows."

Miss Barlow had her parents presented to the East and presented them with flowers. Next she recognized her relatives that were there. Her sponsor Mrs. Cecilia Wood was introduced, Mrs. Madell Simmons, her other sponsor was out of town. Next her little Rainbow Sister Kathy Pyle was presented to the East, and presented a gift and hearty cheer.

Fonda Goodwin, the Grand Officer was presented to the East.

A beautiful program followed honoring Kelly Wheatley, Junior Past Worthy Advisor. She was presented a rainbow of bracelets in the seven colors of the rainbow and placed to form a rainbow on a styrofoam vase filled

with greenery, as she was presented to the color stations, they added lovely flowers in front of each bracelet. Next she was presented to the East where Christy read a lovely poem to her and the Mother Advisor presented her with the Past Worthy Advisor's pin. Kelly presented Christy with the traveling Rainbow necklace.

The lodge hall was decorated in the Worthy Advisor's chosen colors of purple and green. The East pedestal was draped in purple velvet with a large terrarium of lovely plants placed at the base of the pedestal.

On the piano was an arrangement of purple flowers in a white milk glass container. Fresh white carnations edged in purple were placed on the recorders desk and registrar's table.

The benediction was given by R. W. Fanning. Following the beautiful retiring march, refreshments of cake and punch were served to approximately 35 guests and Rainbow Girls.



To each of you who so graciously and lovingly helped out during Lena Hite's illness, we offer our most sincere thanks. May God bless each and every one of you.

Lena Hite  
Lowell and Kenneth Hite  
and Hazel Ricketts

To our friends, neighbors and relatives. Just a few words to say thanks to all of you for being so kind and thoughtful during Melvin's first and last stay in the Methodist Hospital. Thanks for the flowers, visits and many cards and prayers.

We would like to give our special thanks to those that helped us financially. We can't thank you each in person, although that's what we'd like to do. But we can say "Thanks A Million" to each and all of you! May God bless you all.

Mrs. Melvin James and family

### Notice

Miss Faith Belinda Free, bride-elect of Cameron Morgan of Muleshoe and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Free of near Earth, will be honored with a bridal shower on Saturday, June 14 in the home of Mrs. Ed Nickels, 1715 W. Avenue I in Muleshoe.

Hours are from 3:00 to 4:30 p. m.

A come and go Layette shower honoring Mrs. Gary Cowley is scheduled Tuesday, June 10 from 2 to 4 p. m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Higgins.

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# SUNNYSIDE NEWS

BY TEENY BOWDEN



Ray Joe Riley, president of the Springlake-Earth board of trustees, presented diplomas to the 40 seniors in graduation exercises Tuesday night. He also presented valedictory and salutatory trophies. Rev. Raymond Jones gave the invocation, Grace Sauseda was an usher. Seniors receiving diplomas were Deborah Wilson, Terry Blanton, David Carr, Edwin Fulfer, Steve

Morgan, Junior Sauseda, and Keith Kniffen. The senior band including Lee Brown, Kelley Haydon, Dina Jo Hampton, Joe Fulfer, Tommy Graham, Clint Dawson, Daneen Wilson, Baldomoro and Deanna Merriott participated in the exercises.

John Gilbreath, president of the Dimmitt school board, gave out diplomas to the 88 graduates

week in Central Plains General Hospital, and in Hart since she was dismissed Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pruitt of Lamesa visited last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ivey. Mrs. Ivey visited recently with her grandchildren in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Waggoner and Jason flew to their home in Houston Monday after a visit here with relatives.

Mrs. Robert Duke attended the reception in Dimmitt last Wednesday night in honor of Mrs. Alice Cowen. She also helped with hostess duties.

Larry Duke and some friends left Saturday for a few days vacation in Ruidosa.

Mrs. Gerald Elkins spent Friday night and Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lawson and granddaughter to help out while Mrs. Lawson was ill.

Mrs. Jimmy Herring and children of Little Rock, Arkansas arrived last week to spend several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Furcher Riley.

Mrs. Ray Reis of Tullia visited Sunday with Mrs. Ila Haydon.

Mrs. Fred Weller of Sunray and Mrs. Artie Greenhill of Plainview spent the day Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Duke. They are sisters of Mrs. Duke.

Billy King brought his mother, Mrs. Lillie King, home from Monument, N.M. Thursday after a visit there.

Jeannie and Kim Haydon were among the 27 Springlake-Earth students receiving the President's physical fitness award last week.

Terry Blanton and Lee Brown attended the FFA banquet for parents at Springlake-Earth last Thursday night. Cliff Brown and Lynn, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Joe Riley and Kevin attended. Mr. Riley spoke to the group.

The Baptist Women's Council met Wednesday night for the regular monthly meeting with Mrs. Thomas Parson in charge.

The Springlake-Earth High School band and their families had an ice cream supper together in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Jones Friday night. Most of those from the community in the band attended.

A trace of rain was received in the community Thursday and again Sunday night.

Susan Sadler, Matt Gilbreath and David Montiel went with the other members of the Dimmitt Jr. High band members to Amarillo to a movie Saturday.

Mrs. Marjorie Harrison of Odessa visited Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler.

Resa Carson and Susan Sadler attended the Dimmitt FFA swimming party Thursday.

Delores Waggoner returned home Thursday from a trip with her mother, Mrs. Eules Waggoner. They went to Sulphur Springs first for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gamblin and family, and then on to De Ridder, La. for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Norman and family. They vacationed at Saint Francis, La. where they crossed the Mississippi River on a ferry and visited the Rosa Down Plantation. They also visited there with Dr. and Mrs. Robert Lindsey before going on to Nimrod, Arkansas for a visit with Eules Waggoner on his farm and ranch there. Mrs. Waggoner stayed for a few weeks visit with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Epperson, Mrs. Wanda Collins and Sheri, and Mrs. Bonnie Ferguson and children all of Ropesville visited with the Hershel Wilsons and attended the Springlake-Earth graduation exercises Tuesday night to see Deborah Wilson graduate. Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Wilson of Levelland also came for the exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson and Daneen and Mr. and Mrs. Holland Pitcock of Lubbock were in Lakin, Kansas for a pre-mission Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan fished at Clarendon Lake Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Morris of Tullia.

Mrs. Velma Jones had eye surgery Monday in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock. She is reported to be doing fine.

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Friday night, Larry Duke was one of the graduates. Cindy Sadler was an usher. Larry will work on the farm with his father this summer and enter Angelo State University this fall.

Mrs. Ida Mae Sanders and Mrs. Alice Thraikill of Duncanville came for Larry Duke's graduation exercises and spent the week-end with their sister and sister-in-law, Mrs. Robert Duke, Mr. Duke, Bob and Larry, Sandra Duke and Cindy Shumacher of Amarillo came for the graduation exercises. They and Jan Nobles of Dimmitt moved to Canyon Saturday to work this summer. They will enter WTSU next fall. Mrs. R. E. Duke was also able to attend the exercises and the baccalaureate services last Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown, Lee and Lynn and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Swinney and Dawn of Lubbock visited in Roswell last Saturday and spent the night with an aunt and uncle and their family. They went on to Ruidosa to vacation Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler and Mrs. Pearl Sadler of Dimmitt came in from Breckenridge Lake from a successful fishing trip Wednesday night. Larry and David Sadler came in Tuesday night.

M. H. Fowlkes of Lubbock suffered a mild heart attack Friday and remains in the intensive care unit of University Hospital in Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler and Steve Fowlkes visited with him Saturday.

Mrs. J. C. Holbrooks had the stitches removed from her hand Wednesday and found she had an infection in it.

Mrs. Vernon Orr has been with her mother in Dublin this week and part of last week. Her mother suffered another apparent stroke last week. Mr. Orr took her down last week and went back for her this week.

Mrs. Noah Spencer has been with her mother, Mrs. V. E. Bearden of Hart, much of the

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**TEXAS TALK**  
By CALVIN WOOD EARL JORDAN  
Thickening the spread thins the profit. "Spread" is the farm-retail spread, i.e., the difference in what consumers pay and farmers receive for agricultural products. "Thickening" is the unusual increase the "spread" has gone through in the past year. In January of 1974, farmers received 46 cents of a market basket dollar... by December their share was down to 41... this year the figure could be less than 40. Growth of the "spread" is causing officials to launch specific investigations into agricultural marketing and distribution systems. Suggestions are being made to locate processing plants closer to the producer, to increase efficiency in food transportation, to locate major supermarkets in central-city areas and to take a second look at effects of labor unions. Success in shrinking the "spread" will work well for everyone. The producer will get a larger share of the money spent and the consumer will receive more product for his food dollar.  
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SUNNYSIDE

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan and Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson attended the wedding of a friend in Pampa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Blanton of Wellington and Mr. and Mrs. Randall Blanton, Chris and Mary of Happy attended the graduation exercises Tuesday night to see Terry graduate from high school. They also spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Blanton and Terry.

Vacation Bible School will be held June 16-20 from 2:00-4:30 p. m. this year. All children in the community are invited to attend.

Sunday night services will be at 7:00 for Training Union and 8:00 for the worship hour during the summer. Wednesday night Baptist Women will meet at 7:30. Prayer Service 8:30.

Party Line

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Middleton spent the week-end in Midland visiting their son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Phil Middleton and daughter Keri Dec.

Friday night they attended a baseball game in which their son played short-stop.

Saturday evening the group dined out, then visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mayes.



MATH AWARDS-were presented to Joe Garza, and Santos Garcia and the geometry award to Lee Brown during the S. E. H. S. awards assembly.

The Real Smokey Bear Is Not "Retiring"

The real Smokey Bear, the upright bear with the familiar ranger's hat, Levis and shovel, is alive and well and spearheading his 32nd advertising campaign to protect America's forest from man-caused fires.

Smokey was born in an artist's studio instead of a den in a forest. He was first featured in the forest fire prevention campaign of the state foresters and the

U. S. Forest Service in 1945. Then, in 1950, a game warden in New Mexico rescued a bear cub who had been badly burned in a forest fire and nursed him back to health. Someone got the idea of flying this cub back to the National Zoo in Washington and naming him after the already-famous Smokey Bear. And there this live Smokey has lived for some



Karen Armstrong Receives BS Degree

Karen Armstrong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Armstrong, received a Bachelor of Science degree in education from Texas Tech University.

Graduation exercises were held Friday, May 10. Also the individual departments had their graduation exercises Saturday morning, May 17.

Miss Armstrong majored in Elementary Education and her specialization is physical education.

While attending Texas Tech, Miss Armstrong was a member of the Major-Minor club which is a physical education organization. She was also listed on the Dean's List every semester at Tech.

Miss Armstrong is a 1971 graduate of Springlake-Earth High School. She received her Associate Arts degree from South Plains College in Levelland in May 1973.

Mrs. Hamilton Receives H. M. In Press Competition

Mrs. Clarence (Carolyn) Hamilton, former Earth resident, was one of five winners in the article contest of the Panhandle Press Women recently convened at Travel Lodge West in Amarillo. Mrs. Hamilton received

25 years. During the past year, as it became apparent that live Smokey had become a very old bear and would soon have to be "retired", many people have gotten the impression that the entire Smokey Bear campaign was about to be shelved.

Nothing could be more untrue! The real Smokey Bear will definitely continue to be the national symbol of forest fire prevention for America.

During a brief ceremony at the National Zoo on May 2, the live bear called Smokey since 1950 was officially retired and the title transferred to a younger bear of the same color and size. So for many years to come there will be a live bear called Smokey at the National Zoo.

But remember... the real Smokey bear is the one you see in public service announcements on television and in newspaper and magazine ads and on posters and card cards. Like Little Orphan Annie, he'll never grow old.

honorable mention. She and a pen woman from Groom tied for fourth place.

The article written by Mrs. Hamilton was entitled "How Mama Kept Her Shirt On In A Panty Raid."

Since joining the association Mrs. Hamilton has won several times in three categories. Including are the articles contest, poetry and short stories.

Mrs. Hamilton joined the Nation Pen Womens Association which was organized recently. She is a charter member of the of the N. P. W. A.

Mrs. Hamilton is attempting to complete a book on pioneers of the area and will be in Earth to get final details soon to conclude the story.

Party Line

Mrs. Willie Smith, mother of Rev. Glen Smith of Springlake, is a patient in the Brownfield Hospital. She is 87 and in poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Robinson and family of Springlake spent the week-end in Anton as guests of her mother, Mrs. Jack Oakley and sisters, Linda and Shirley. They also visited her grandmother Mrs. J. F. Sneed.

Tips On Preparing For Vacation Trips

The traditional summer vacation trip of the American family is highly recommended by your doctor. The family needs to get away from home and office chores, forget day-to-day worries for a short time and generally get rejuvenated and ready to face another year.

Whether your vacation is a short trip to a nearby lake or the Gulf Coast, camping out in a national park, a plane trip abroad, or what have you, the Texas Medical Association lists a few things to keep in mind that will avoid having the holiday spoiled by illness.

Depending on where you're going, you may need some vaccination shots. Tetanus, certainly, for anyone who expects to include some out-of-doors activities. Typhoid, if your journey includes areas where the water supply is uncertain. Possibly smallpox, if you're visiting a foreign land where the disease is still present. Ask your doctor about these, and possibly other, immunizations.

Use common sense in regard to your vacation diet. Many a family trip has been spoiled by too many roadside hamburgers and soft drinks. A sound rule while driving cross-country is to eat lightly. Be cautious about heavy, rich meals, particularly if you're not accustomed to such at home.

Know what sort of climate you will encounter at your vacation spot and dress accordingly. It can get cold in the mountains or on the desert at night, even in midsummer. Good walking shoes are important to the wardrobe.

If you wear glasses, take along an extra pair. Or at least a copy of your prescription. If you're taking regular medication, make certain your supply is adequate before leaving.

Finally, don't overdo it. Almost no one other than a trained athlete is ready for 36 holes of golf or five sets of tennis under a broiling sun. Schedule your vacation to allow for daily rest periods. Do most of the driving in the morning hours and stop for the night in early or mid-afternoon.

Your vacation should be a holiday for rest and relaxation. It

should not be a grind that necessitates another vacation to rest up from the vacation.

Power of Attorney Useful

To meet financial obligations on time, power of attorney can be a handy tool, according to Lynn Bourland, family resource management specialist.

"Power of attorney is a simple method of authorizing another person to take care of necessary business matters. A retirement cruise or stay in the hospital are two examples of times when absence may cause a person to miss a bill payment," the specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, said. "This document, as simple or as complex as needs require, details every act the attorney-in-fact is allowed to perform. It should be drawn up by an attorney.

"In granting power of attorney, be careful in describing the powers given. This person becomes agent and attorney-in-fact to lawfully perform specific jobs such as paying all household bills or managing business matters for a limited or unlimited period of time," she explained.

In Texas, powers of attorney are required to be acknowledged before a notary public and are frequently recorded in the general records of the county clerk.

A power of attorney may be specific, authorizing a certain responsibility such as handling a house sale. Or it may be more general and comprehensive.

"A major advantage to Texans who consider giving a power of attorney is that while such powers automatically expire at death, current laws permit the power now given an agent to extend beyond a period of the grantor's physical or mental disability.

"This enables a person to avoid costly and time consuming problems resulting when elderly persons' affairs must be managed in a probate court guardianship. The power of attorney has now become a much more flexible tool for use in personal planning

as one approaches retirement," she said.

Miss Bourland pointed out that an agent's power can be revoked any time by notifying him and everyone with whom he had been authorized to transact business.

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