

NOSIN..... WITH POLLY

Tommy Gattis has a different way of advertising. He walks in extends his hand and instead of saying "Good Morning" he says "DELCO." (Now can you guess what kind of Batteries he sells.)
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Even though it was announced in the City Council that Earth's Highway project had missed the June bidding, it is now rumored that there is a possibility that it might somehow get put in the June Bidding. (LETS HOPE.)
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Prof Shelby really held his audience when he spoke Tuesday. It was one of the most natural down to Earth talks I've heard in a long time, and in it he mentioned an old "Oakie" Frank Streetman, Mayor of Sasakawa. Which is about 15 mi. from our hometown. Profs talk reminded me of Franks way of speaking. Shelby said as he got up that he was speaking under extreme hardship, as E. K. Angeley HAD WRITTEN HIS SPEECH and Harry Engleking had just given him 4 MINUTES TO DELIVER IT. (He said no-one could talk that fast.)
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Marvin Ellis and Ross was explaining to the rest of the Earth Lions Tuesday that the reason they brought their wives, was because they just couldn't get off without them. Dora Belle Angeley said Jarvis did get off without me, but I came on anyway. Delma McCarty stepped up and said "That's exactly the reason I sold my pony."
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I sure thought we were going to have a special solo Tuesday when Jimmy Grey and his Earth Play Boys sent for Delma McCarty to come to the front. He said as he went up there, "Guess they want me to sing a solo." (But they didn't.)

Lets give Delma that opportunity sometime soon. (Who knows maybe he has a hidden talent.)
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Pleasant Valley farmers banded together Wednesday and planted all of George Wuerflein's crop. George is hospitalized at this time and his neighbors refused to let him down at home. This is just one other instance where West Texas people group together and "Do for a neighbor, as they would appreciate a neighbor doing for them." As long as they do these things for each other, and are thankful for prosperity, it is no wonder they prosper.

(May this hurried life we live not keep us to busy to aid one another as we travel along.)

A. M. Armstrong Of Hart Purchases Preston Cleaners

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Armstrong of Hart purchased Preston Cleaners, Tuesday and took over management of the plant that day.

Prior to coming to Earth the Armstrongs were owners of the Olton Cleaners for 3 years. After leaving Olton they operated the Hart Cleaners in Hart for approximately six months.

The Cleaners will now be known as Armstrong Cleaners.

Mrs. O. J. Parish, who was employed at Preston Cleaners retains her job with the cleaners.

Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong plan to move to Earth this weekend. Their granddaughter, Danna, 6 years old makes her home with them.

Mr. Preston will resume his duties as manager of his plant in Sudan.

Leonhart Receives Head Injury Saturday

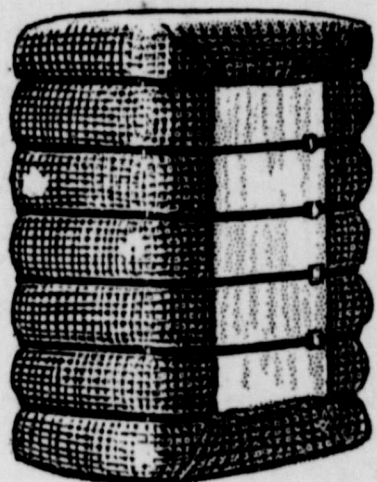
Kenneth Leonhart, co-owner of D and C Garage received injuries Saturday while loading the City's trash.

Leonhart handed a barrel to his son, Keith to empty and stooped to pickup some loose trash, when Keith dropped the barrel back in place, not seeing his father in time to avoid hitting him.

Leonhart was rushed to the Faust Clinic and Laboratory, where he received treatment for a laceration on the head and was then released.

Cotton Week May 14 - 19

Wear More COTTON



Boundaries Set For Water Rights Project

LITTLE LEAGUE TEAMS SELECTED

Last Saturday morning coaches representing the four Little League teams of Earth met and select their respective teams. Sixty boys were chosen to compose the four "major" teams of Earth, with each of the teams having 15 boys on the roster. Lynn Glasscock, player agent, auctioned off the boys with the coaches using 36,000 points with which to buy their teams. There are three twelve year olds, five eleven year olds, four ten, two nine and one eight year old on each team.

Those who were not among those selected are registered with Lynn Glasscock, and they will be formed into a "minor" team which will play other towns near by and will gain experience which will enable them to graduate to the majors next year. It will be possible for some of these to go up to the "majors" this year, as a boy drops out of the "majors" his coach will go to Mr. Glasscock and ask for a boy of the same age to bring his club back to full strength. If any boy between eight and twelve would like to sign up for Little League play and has not done so as yet, please contact Mr. Irvine or Mr. Glasscock and he will be given an application form. He will then be registered with Mr. Glasscock and will play on the "minor" team until such time he can move up to the "majors."

Each team had workouts this week in preparation for the seasons opener a week from Saturday night, May 26. There will be a double header with all four teams playing, beginning at 5:30 p.m. All four teams will have workouts Saturday at separate times, and also through next week.

Following is a complete roster of the four teams:

THE CARDINALS, sponsored by Dent Farm Supply and Earth Motors, and coached by Chubby and Mike Dent: John Anderson, Darrow Barlow, Don Layman, Troy

Layman, Bob Phipps, Jim Stockard, Boyd Clayton, Joe McGeath, Julia Cortez, Johnny Ray Robertson, Bobby Borum, Richard Huckabee, Gerry Cowley, Ronnie Williamson and Jerry Anderson.

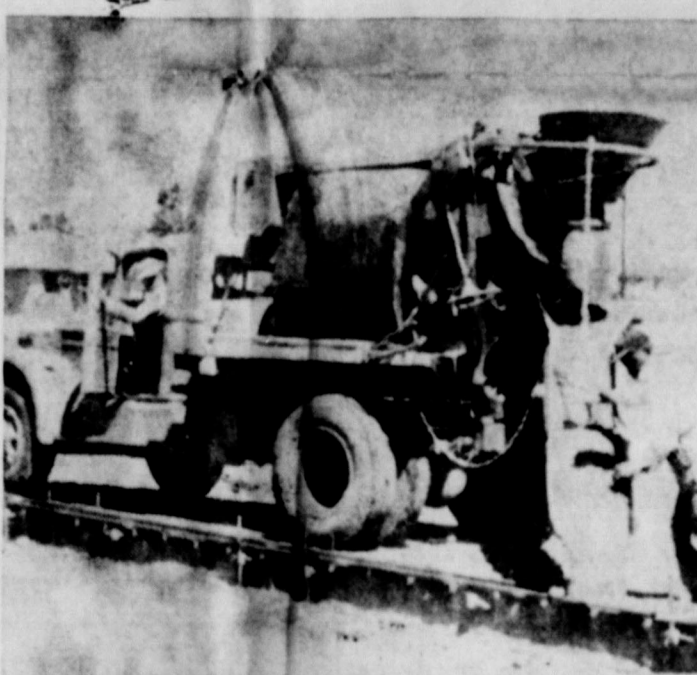
THE RED SOCKS, sponsored by Clarence Kelley and W. C. Max-Bros. Butane and coached by Leonard Stephens and C. E. Layman: Jerry Taylor, Tommy Kellar, Ronald Spies, Robert O'Hair, Leslie Lewis, Gary Kelley, Mike Acevedo, Carol Cole, Dickie Woodring, Donnie Johnson, Dennis Parish, Tommy Bryant, Ben Creighton, John Patterson, Randy Kelley.

THE YANKEES, sponsored by The Earth News and Brownd and White Equipment Co., and coached by Clarence elley and W. C. Max-coy: Shelby Bozeman, Ronald Dent Bobby Sloan, Jerry Jones, Dale Dent, Roberto Orasco, Walley Kimbell, Wade Carroll, Connie Eagle, Harold Powell, Victor Coker, George Foreman, Larry Joe Watson, Jerry Irvine and Philip Middleton.

THE GIANTS, sponsored by Kimbell Gin and Rutherford and Co., and coached by W. E. Irvine and Marcus Messer: Hal Hudson, Johnny Garrett, Raymond Jenkins, James Garrett, Ollie Garza, Ray Hooley, Kenneth Williams, Bill Shirey, Mike Bartlett, Dwayne Parish, Jerry Been, Joseph Gilmore, Gayle Sawyer, Rocky Cain, and Larry Joe Parish.

These are the boys who make up the "major" Little League teams of Earth community. They can be seen in action for the first time in new baseball suits Saturday, May 26, beginning 5:30 p.m. Give your support to these boys and the Earth Community Recreation Association as you have in the past.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Creighton and son, Donald were in Clovis Monday on business.



Work begin Monday on Earth's Curb and Gutter. Workmen are busy pouring concrete in the forms for our curbing. The work seems to be moving along swiftly. Completion of curbing should take about two weeks according to authorities.
(NEWS STAFF PHOTO)

CURB AND GUTTER UNDERWAY

Kerr - Middleton Construction Co. began work in Earth Monday on the curb and gutter.

Light poles and telephone poles have been set back in order not to delay the construction work.

All curb and gutter will be completed in approximately 15 days.

NOTICE

The dump ground was opened today, May 17, to the public, with hours from 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon and from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. and will be opened ONLY ON THURSDAYS OF EACH WEEK.

Those who wish to dispose of trash are asked to go four blocks east of stop light and turn south to the gate, where a man will be on duty to direct the dumping. The public is asked not to dump CONCRETE BLOCKS, TREES or TREE LIMBS at the dump. Your cooperation will be appreciated.

BULLETIN

First practice period for the Earth Women's Softball Team will be Monday 6:00 p.m. Anyone interested in playing is invited to come to the new ball park to practice. (Only 13 have signed up to play.)

New Grain Storage Warehouse For Springlake Elev.

Groundwork for a new grain storage warehouse was begun Tuesday in Springlake according to Roy Byers, Jr. The storage capacity of the warehouse will be approximately 260,000 bushels.

Byers said this past harvest had convinced him of the need for more storage space, and that he intended to be ready for this next harvest.

The building will be constructed of steel and wood and will be completed in about a month. He said this added warehouse space would double the storage capacity of last fall.

Hinsons To Arrive In States May 29

Pfc and Mrs. James K. Hinson of Heidelberg, Germany will leave by plane for the United States, May 27 and arrive in New York City, May 29.

The Hinsons have been stationed with the U. S. Army in Germany the past 17 months.

The Hinson's car will arrive in New York City, May 29. They plan to drive to their home at Springlake and do some sight seeing on their way home.

Mrs. Hinson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Watson of Springlake. Mr. Hinson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hinson of near Springlake.

SCHEDULE FOR LAST WEEK OF SCHOOL

MAY 20:
Baccalaureate Service 8:30 p.m.
MAY 21:
Announce Exemptions in each class (Required 92 average, Seniors 85)
MAY 22 & 23:
Final Exams
MAY 23:
Buses will run at 2:00 p.m. Last day luncheon will be open for service.
MAY 24:
Jr. Hi. Commencement Exercise, 8:00 p.m.
MAY 25:
High School Commencement Exercise 8:30 p.m. Teachers are to be at school until all work is completed. Report cards that are not picked up by Friday will be mailed to parents.

V. T. Tanner of Springlake, chairman of the Lamb County Water Association, was moderator for a discussion on a move to purchase water rights for Lamb County at a meeting held in Littlefield Monday night.

Boundaries for the proposed Water control were set at the meeting Monday night.

The east boundary begins at the south county line and extends due north through Fieldton, continuing north past Fieldton for 4 miles and 2 miles east then approximately due north to the Castro County line and extends westward to take in most of the county, with the exception of the dry land district in the extreme southwest part of the county.

The purchase will include approximately 23,000 acres at \$31.00 per acre and will be an outright purchase and not a lease.

The petition will go to the County Commissioners Court to be signed and to see if they will grant an election to be held in order to vote bonds for the purchase of the rights.

JAYCEES APPROVE PURCHASE OF LAMB COUNTY WATER

At the regular meeting of the Earth Jaycees, Monday, V. T. Tanner addressed the group and his subject was, water rights.

The Jaycees went on record as unanimously favoring the purchase of the Water Rights in Lamb County.

The Jaycees offered their assistance in any way toward helping the purchase of the water rights.

AMONG THOSE WHO ARE ILL

C. C. Goodwin underwent surgery Tuesday morning at the Littlefield Hospital and Clinic. His condition is reported to be good.

Mr. George Wuerflein underwent surgery, Monday at Baylor Hospital in Dallas.

Mrs. Wuerflein reported to relatives and friends, Wednesday that Mr. Wuerflein was steadily improving.

Mr. W. H. Parish is reported to be in good condition after having major surgery at the Muleshoe Hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. Guy Kelley, Sr. has returned to her home from Temple, Texas and is much improved.

Charlotte Sawyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sawyer is confined to her home, suffering from chicken pox.

Memorial Clean - up Day at Earth Cemetery Wednesday, May 30

It has been announced that there will be a Memorial Day Clean - Up at the Earth Cemetery beginning at 7:30 A. M., Wednesday, May 30.

The American Legion will be in charge of the program.

Everyone is urged to come and bring their own equipment to help beautify the local Cemetery. Those having gasoline power mowers are asked to bring them.

Mrs. Cletis Clayton Presents Pupils In Piano Recital

A recital was presented by the piano students of Mrs. Cletis Clayton at 8:00 p.m., Tuesday, May 15 at the Springlake High School Auditorium.

The program was as follows:

Dorita Kelley - March of Spades
Patrol by Richter
Beverly Miller - The Man in The Moon by Thompson and A Little Waltz by Brahms
Peggy Kelley - Swans on The Lake by Thompson
Beverly Burrow - Sitting Pretty by Glover
Annita Kelley - Tony's March by Quail
Norma Kelley - Come, Little Bluebird and Happy Farmer by Schumann
Nancy Kelley - To A Wild Rose by MacDowell
Betty Cody - Willow Trees by McHale
Lynda Jones - Little Spring Song by Thompson and Hungarian Rhapsodie by Liszt
Accordian Solo - Country Gardens - Floydell Crawford, Student of Mrs. Bill Burrow
Beverly Kelley - Star Dreams by King
Linda Murrell - Indian Summer



Mrs. Cletis Clayton and her piano students are pictured above at the recital held Tuesday night in the School Auditorium. (NEWS STAFF PHOTO)

Mrs. F. Simmons Installed As Club President

Mrs. Forrest Simmons was installed as president of the Good Earth Garden Club, Tuesday night.

Other officers installed were Mrs. Marvin Sanders, vice-president; Mrs. E. R. Hawkins, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. C. O. Taylor, secretary; Mrs. John Welch, treasurer; Mrs. W. H. Braden, corresponding secretary; Mrs. H. F. Vandiver, parliamentarian; Mrs. R. Bartow, Federation Counsellor; Mrs. Clarence Elley, reporter.

Standing committee chairmen were also installed.

The family night and installation services were held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Podie Welch, with each family bringing a sack lunch.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Braden, Mrs. Marie Bock, Mrs. B. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hodge, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stockard and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Welch, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Littleton, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Shelby, Mrs. Lena Hite, Mrs. Everett Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Taylor and Mrs. Mrs. Welch, and the guests, Mr. and Mrs. Golden Golden Green.

This is the last meeting of the Garden Club until September.



These new officers were installed at the Garden Club meeting Tuesday night. From left to right they are Mrs. Bill Braden, corresponding secretary; Mrs. E. R. Hawkins, second vice-president; Mrs. Forrest Simmons, president; Mrs. C. O. Taylor, secretary; Mrs. Marvin Sanders, vice-president was unable to attend. (NEWS STAFF PHOTO)

NOTICE

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church is sponsoring an annual get acquainted party for the ladies of the church at 8:00 p.m., Tuesday, May 22 in the home of N. S. W. O. Jones.

Auxiliary Attends Piano Recital

Mrs. Cith Chasteen was hostess to the Firemen's Auxiliary in her home Tuesday evening.

The group attended Mrs. Cletis Clayton's Piano Recital at the High School Auditorium and returned to Mrs. Chasteen's where dainty refreshments of sandwiches, chantly sponge cake, punch and coffee was served.

Members attending were Mesdames Harold Britton, Gene Templeon, Ervin Anderson, Harold Miller, Jerry Kelley and Ray Glasscock.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Lyn Glasscock, June 5 at which time secret pals will exchange gifts.

Girl Scout Troop Has Discussion

The Girl Scouts, Troop 23, met at 4:00 p.m., Wednesday, May 9 at the school.

The program was a discussion on "Growing Up and Liking It." Soft drinks and cookies was served to:

Lana Gay Axtell, Jennifer Miller, Wanda Jenkins, Jane McCord, Janis, Cowley, Mrs. Harry Axtell, Mrs. Pat McCord and Mrs. Kenneth Cowley.

Let Us Reason Together

WHY THE BIBLE IS MISUNDERSTOOD
By W. E. IRVINE

Many times we hear folk say, "We can't all understand the Bible alike." With this statement men condone that which was condemned by our Lord in his prayer to God as recorded in John 17th chapter, if we can't understand the Bible alike, and if this condition is pleasing to God's sight as those who make the statement suppose, then Jesus prayed a prayer impossible to be answered. He prayed that all people who believed in Him might be one. Not understanding the Bible alike brings division, not unity for which Christ prayed. The Bible says 1 Cor. 1:10, "Now I beseech you, brethren, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that ye all speak the same thing, and that there be no divisions among you, but that ye be perfectly joined together in the same mind and in the same judgement." It is God's will we be united in religion, and unity is brought about by all "speaking the same thing," and in this which we are to speak is the gospel of Christ. (Gal. 1:8.)

The Bible says in Eph. 5:17, "Wherefore be ye not unwise, but understanding what the will of the Lord is." It is foolish not to understand the Bible.

Why is it misunderstood? One reason is, people allow previous teachings of beliefs to influence them in their reading of God's book, not realizing it is possible to learn we have been wrong in the past and need to change to the will of God. Another reason is, people show little respect for the complete authority of God as compared to how they may "feel" regarding religion. We can all understand alike such stories as Noah and the Ark, Abraham and Isaac, that we must believe in Christ! then why is it we can not understand or accept such simple statements as "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved . . . Mark 16:16" or "Buried with him in baptism . . . Col. 2:12?"

Let us dismiss from our minds all outside influences as we read God's word, knowing it not only is possible to understand alike those things pertaining to our salvation, but necessary to bring salvation to ourselves and to fulfill the prayer of Jesus when He prayed we might all be one in Him and God.

SUNDAY

10:00 A. M. — Bible School
10:30 A. M. — Morning Preaching and Communion
7:00 P. M. — Evening Worship

WEEK DAYS

Monday 8:00 P. M. — Men's Training Class
Tuesday 10:00 A. M. — Ladies Bible Study
Wednesday 8:00 P. M. — Preaching Service

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Sanders Circle Met Tuesday

The Sanders Circle of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. E. E. Watkins, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Earl Miller brought the devotional on the book of Samuel. There was a discussion on missionary work.

Members present were Mrs. T. S. Alair, Mrs. Earl Miller and Mrs. Watkins.

Feted On Birthday Pruda Kay Entertains Friends With Party

Pruda Kay Sanders entertained several friends with a slumber party Friday night in her home.

Those enjoying the occasion were Karen Barton, Carolyn Kelley, Peggy Marie Upchurch, Bee Goe McBride, Marilyn Coker, Beverly Sue Kelley, Given Tension, Laura Ann Jones, Joan Sanderson, Aline Powell, Shirley Kay Phipps, Cheryl Foster, Pamela Beasley, and Pruda Kay Sanders.

'Kim' New Daughter Of Richard Stockstills

Mrs. Richard Stockstill is the mother of a daughter, born Wednesday, 12:35 a.m. in the Littlefield Hospital. The baby weighed 7 lbs and two and one-half oz, and has been named, Kimberley Ann. She is the couple's only child. Stockstill is employed as book keeper for Barton Bros. Butane.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Faye Stovall of Oklahoma City. "Kim" is a great granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Barton of Earth, and Mrs. R. L. Drake.

Faye Stovall arrived last Friday to visit with her daughter and family for a couple of weeks.

Party Line.....

Mrs. John Hnotek and Leslie of Houston spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Martin.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ira Wimberley spent Sunday fishing at Red Lake near Portales, New Mexico.

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Two Local Men Purchase C and B Service Station

James Wages and James E. Grey have purchased the C and B Service Station. This transaction took place this weekend and Wages and Grey took over management immediately.

This service station will be known as James' Service Station and is a Phillips 66 station. The station was purchased from Carlis Bills and Bob Ussery, who had purchased the station five and one-half months ago from Lester Hammons.

Wages was employed at Earth Oil and Gas Co. for one and one-half years prior to the purchasing of James' Service Station where he assumed the duties of manager of the station. Grey also an employee at the Earth Oil and Gas Co. the past five and one-half years will continue driving the fuel truck for the Earth Oil and Gas Co. and will assist Wages in the station.

Bills will devote his time to Electrical work. Ussery will spend some time at Galveston fishing before making any definite plans.



Standing by their pumps in front of James' Service Station are the two new owners, James E. Grey and James Wages. They took over management of the Station Sunday after purchasing it from Bob Ussery and Carlis Bills.

(NEWS STAFF PHOTO)

Party Line... Springlake News

by Mrs. W. T. Clayton

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Ellis and son, Wilber Dee of Monette, Missouri visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gallioher and his father, Mr. M. W. Ellis of Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Davis had as their guests Sunday, Mr. Day, Is's mother and sisters, Mrs. Mary Davis and Mrs. Winnie Logan of Littlefield and Mrs. John Porter of Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clayton, Saturday evening.

Elmer Truelock of Denver spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Truelock.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Davis and son Buzzy attended the Health Clinic in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Carroll and family visited relatives in Dimmit, Sunday.

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Mrs. Wes Duckett of Ropesville, visited in the home of Mrs. A. C. Loftis Friday.

Mrs. Ernest Baker visited Mrs. Gus Parish Thursday.

Mrs. Marvin Sanders of Earth visited Mrs. W. T. Clayton, Thursday.

Mr. Rube Carruthers was taken to the Medical Arts Clinic in Littlefield Wednesday and was released Friday to return home.

Mrs. W. B. Hucks and Mrs. Ernest Baker attended a bridal shower at Hart, Friday evening for Peggy Kittrell.

Peggy was a student at a Plainview Business College until recently when she married. The shower was a "Come and Go" affair in home of Mrs. Wall at Hart.

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ATTEND BOARD MEETING AT BEEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Clayton and Rev. and Mrs. John T. Williams left early Tuesday morning to attend the annual Board Meeting of the South Texas Children's Home. The home is an agency of the Baptist General Convention of Texas. W. T. Clayton is member of the Board of Trustees of the home. Rev. and Mrs. Williams were guests of the Claytons at the barbecue served for the Board members and their guests.

The group returned home by way of Buckners Boy's Ranch at Burnett, Texas. The Claytons and Williams enjoyed the noon meal in the dining room of the Boy's Ranch with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Taylor, Superintendent of the Ranch, and the staff. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Laymon who are fishing and relaxing near Boy's Ranch. The herd of buffalo on the ranch have recently been sold and plans were made to buy goats to put on the ranch. W. T. Clayton helped to buy the buffalo for the ranch several years back.

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The month of May is designated for the Springlake W. M. S. to send suggested articles as cosmetics, clothing, comb, brushes, etc.

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Mrs. A. C. Loftis and Mrs. W. B. Hucks shopped in Lubbock Monday.

SUNBBAMS MAKE INDIAN POSTERS

The Sunbeam Band met at the Baptist Church, May 7th at 4:30 p. m. for a program. In handwork this quarter, the children are making "Indian Posters". A period of recreation was enjoyed, and Mrs. Ernest Baker served refreshments to Donna Kay Watson, Linda Packard, Brenda Clayton, Mary Hucks, Jenna Lou and Jenma Sue Banks, and their sponsors, Mrs. Billy Wayne Clayton and Mrs. Jimmy Banks.

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G A'S HAVE PROGRAM

The Junior G. A. Girls met Monday at 4:30 p. m. to work on their presentation program, in which they will have completed their "Maiden Steps."

Those present were Judy Jones, Janice Blackburn, Jerry Matlock, Janette James and their sponsors, Mrs. H. A. McClanahan and Mrs. Ernest Green. Mrs. McClanahan served refreshments to the group.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baker shopped in Littlefield Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Almon Whitford visited Thursday morning with Mrs. Walter King, who is a patient in the Muleshoe Hospital. Mrs. King is improving.

A former Springlake student, Miss Beverly Bearden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bearden of Olton will be honored with a Bridal Shower, May 17 in the home of Mrs. Emmett Harper three and one-half miles east of Olton at 2:30 p. m. Beverly is the bride-elect of Elmo Hasha.

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R A'S MEET THURSDAY

The Royal Ambassadors of the First Baptist Church met Thursday at 4:00 p. m. with Mrs. Jim Stone in charge of the program. Mrs. W. T. Clayton served refreshments to the following boys, Dale Miller, Mike McClure, Don Sanders, Noble Miller, Jimmy Stone,

to be sent to the South Texas Children's Home at Beeville. It has been emphasized that dress lengths be sent, as the girls will be taught sewing this summer. Another project will be canning for the girls.

Uncle Johnny King, who has been a patient for some time in the Methodist Hospital at Lubbock is now suffering a kidney infection and will be in the hospital for sometime. Uncle Johnny is 83 years old and is a member of the Hopewell Baptist Church.

Lynn Huckabee, Airman Apprentice, left Tuesday for Guam. Lynn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Huckabee of the Circle community near Springlake. Lynn will be stationed in Guam about 18 months.

LaQueta Huckabee, member of the Springlake Baptist Church and Young Peoples Class, is among the students of Mr. Harold Carson to be presented in a piano recital this week. Mr. Carson divided the recital into four programs in order that each presented program would not last more than one hour and would feature honors won in the National Piano Playing auditions. LaQueta will appear in the Monday night program at 8:00 p. m. in the Olton High School Auditorium.

Miss Kay Granberry of Olton who is a niece of Mrs. J. T. Gibson of Springlake, was featured in a piano recital Thursday at 8:00 p. m. in the Olton High School auditorium.

Mrs. Willis Goodman, and Twyla, Mrs. Davie Hudgones and Darrell spent Friday night with their sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Smith.

—SL—

Mrs. H. A. McClure shopped in Littlefield Saturday.

Mr. Jack Howell of Lubbock and former manager of the Paymaster Oil of Springlake was in Springlake on business Saturday.

Mrs. G. R. Smith, Mrs. Willie Goodman and Mrs. Dovie Hudgones visited in the home of their brother, W. T. Clayton Saturday morning.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Clayton shopped in Littlefield Saturday.

Mrs. Jess Matlock visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. Bearden Sunday.

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Aunt Mandy Kelley of Bovina, spent the weekend in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Kelley and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Davis of Earth visited in the W. T. Clayton home Sunday evening.

Aunt Mandy Kelley was a visitor in the Springlake Baptist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Kelley and daughters and Aunt Mandy Kelley were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sanders of Earth.

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G A'S PRESENT PROGRAM SUNDAY NIGHT AT CHURCH

The Baptist Church was beautifully decorated with candles and flowers against a white background Sunday night as the G. A. girls were presented before the church in the Presentation Program. The girls were dressed in green skirts, white blouses and yellow ties. LaQueta Huckabee sang "I'm A Child of the King" as the girls took their places on the platform. Mrs. H. A. McClanahan gave a brief sketch of their work

and Mrs. Robert Huckabee gave the charge. The girls quoted scriptures and sang "We're a Story to Tell To The Nations, and Rev. John Williams led the closing prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hinson were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Watson.

—SL—

LaQueta Huckabee and Ken Bush furnished special music at the Baptist Church Sunday night.

Mrs. Orlan Bibby was in Littlefield at the Medical Arts Clinic Saturday for a checkup.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baker were Sunday guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith, Jr. of Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jones of Tell, Texas, parents of Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Baker were guests also. The Bakers returned home by way of Plainview, where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Grisham. The Grishams are former residents of Springlake. Mrs. Grisham underwent major surgery three weeks ago at a Plainview hospital. She is much improved.

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Springlake Church Of Christ V. B. S. May 28 - June 2

The Vacation Bible School of the Springlake Church of Christ will begin Monday May 28 until June 2 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

The general theme of the school will be "Traveling with Jesus."

Classes and teachers include pre school ages 2 and 3 years - Mrs. Eldon Hestand and Mrs. Grant Lott, 4-6 years - Mrs. Alton Hollinsworth and Mrs. Carl Perkins, Grades 2, 3, and 4 - Mrs. Frank Bozeman and Mrs. J. W. Dear, Grades 5 and 6 Mrs. George Winkley, Grade 7 and 8 Mr. Joe Sponaugle, Grades 9 to 12, Mr. Don Williams and Mr. E. R. Higgins of Olton.

A program will be presented by each class at the close of the school on Saturday, June 2.

The public is invited to attend these classes.

Bruce Faust Member Of Marching Band

Bruce Faust, son of Dr. and Mrs. F. B. Faust of Earth, is a member of the marching military band at Kemper Military School, Boonville, Mo., which was a featured attraction at the 31st annual ROTC Circus recently in Kansas City, Mo. The 45-piece Kemper band, under the direction of Lt. A. D. Morris, performed before an audience of some 6,000.

In its performance, the band formed an extended file, and out of the extended file went into an extended band formation. With the use of the counter march, the band returned to closed band and rendered two marches, "Freedom City" and "Peacemaker." The band used column movements, two counter marches, a unique delayed to the rear in place and accepted military movements. The band members wore white buck shoes and scarfs in place of the regulation shoes and ties.

7 - A Class Has Skating Party

The 7-A Class was entertained with a skating party at Priboths Skating Rink at Muleshoe, Monday evening by their home room teacher, Mrs. J. J. Davis and Parents.

Refreshments of soft drinks and candy was served.

Parents attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beasley, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Spies, Mrs. Edith Haley, Mrs. Gardner Sanderson, Mrs. David Johnson, Mrs. Grant Lott, Mrs. Frank Roberson, Mrs. Chester Elmore and Mr. Borlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maddox spent the weekend in Trenton and Bonham, Texas visiting with relatives.



This picture was snapped as Mrs. Marvin Ellis was busy pinning corsages (compliments of the Ellis Jewelry and Floral of Earth) on the speakers on the program in Pleasant Valley Tuesday. From left to right is Mrs. Oscar Allison, Mrs. Ellen Halley, Mr. Jerry Allison, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Jerry Allison, Young Allison and Ms. Bonnie Haberer. Other speakers on the program were Harold Allison Billy Free, Mrs. E. K. Angeley, Mrs. Harold Allison, Prof. Shelby, Mrs. Johnny West, Mrs. LeRoy Hicks and Mr. Harold Engleking.



Pleasant Valley is well known for its ability to improve living conditions. Proof for this has been shown in their being in the state judging. But Earth Lions and all those who had dinner at the community building says absolutely no improvement can be made in their cooking. (It's plain wonderful.)

W. S. C. S. OFFICERS P. T. A. Executive Give Report at Meet Meeting Monday

Officers of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church gave their quarterly reports at the meeting, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Ray Axtell gave the devotional.

Members present were Mesdames Gene Matthews, V. D. Coker, R. C. White, Milton Ott, J. L. Hinson, C. L. Roberts, Norman Sulser, Kenneth Cowley, Ray Axtell, M. O. Carter, Sam Cearley and Hilbert Wislan.

The P. T. A. Executive Committee met, Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. E. E. Watkins.

Mrs. Marvin Sanders presided over the meeting. There was a discussion on landscaping the school grounds and questions and answers by new officers.

Those present were Mrs. Bud Jones, retiring secretary, Mrs. W. O. Jones, Jr., Mrs. Phillip Haberer, Mrs. James Packard, Mrs. E. W. Harper, Mrs. Watkins and Mrs. Sanders.

Mrs. E. W. Harper resigned as health chairman.

Word has been received, that will be of interest to former residents of Tipton, Oklahoma, that Mr. Jim. Hooten suffered a fatal heart attack just after the noon meal Sunday.

15,000 Turkeys Due June 1st For New Industry in Springlake and Area

NOTICE!
A Turkey Growers meeting will be held (Today) Thursday, 8:00 p.m. in the Springlake community bldg. There will be films shown on Turkey raising, their feeding problems, and general information needed by all turkey raisers. Everyone is invited to attend.

A new industry is being born in Springlake, this time in the form of Turkey raising on a large scale. Some 15,000 turkeys are due beginning arriving about June 1. Turkey growers are busy building high fences & getting the turkey farms in readiness for the 8 week old broad breasted bronze turkeys when they arrive.

The largest of the five turkey farms will be located on the Philip Jones farm north of Springlake. This farm will cover a large number of acres and will have 10,000 turkeys. This will be a partnership between Bill Burrow, Sandy Sanderson and Jones.

Harry Axtell will put 2,000 turkeys on his farm. Edd Dawson, Ronald and Orville Cleavinger each receiving 1,000 turkeys.

Interest was aroused last fall when Farm Chemical personnel called several meetings together to discuss the turkey growing industry.

People interested in raising turkeys will now have to wait until next fall before they can order turkeys and become a part of this new industry. Springlake has become highly interested in caged layers, and have found it to be a successful venture.

State Gives S. O. S. Call For More Guards

AUSTIN, Tex. — May — (Special) — O. B. Ellis, general manager of the Texas Prison System, has asked the Texas Press Association for help in locating 40 urgently needed guards.

"Mounted guards for the Texas Prison System are desperately needed," said Ellis. "At this time of the year, when prisoners should be in the field at work, we only have 609 guards available. Our regular staff totals 649."

"The Texas press can render a wonderful service to the State by publicizing our needs — and our problem is serious," Ellis emphasized.

size. "No previous guard experience is necessary as we train our own men. Therefore we will be happy to interview all physically sound men who are interested in joining our staff."

Men with good names and who want to work are especially desired. Preferred age is 40. But men from 21 to 55 are acceptable. Room, board, laundry and uniforms are furnished, along with \$2,700 annual salary.

"There is not a unit in the Texas Prison System that is not short of guards at the present time," said Ellis.

Greatest need at the moment is primarily at the farm units. Here all guards ride horseback.

Review Continues For Ladies Bible Study

The Review was continued at the Ladies Bible Study of the Church of Christ at 10:00 a.m., Tuesday.

Jacob and Joseph was studied. The next study will be on Moses. Mrs. Johnny K. Martin led the opening prayer and Mrs. Mike Dent led the closing prayer.

There were 57 present. Everyone is invited to attend this review.

Party Line.....

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Walker had as their guests Sunday, their children Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Walker of Lubbock, Angenell Walker of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Walker and children and Mr. Carl J. Rutland of Dallas.

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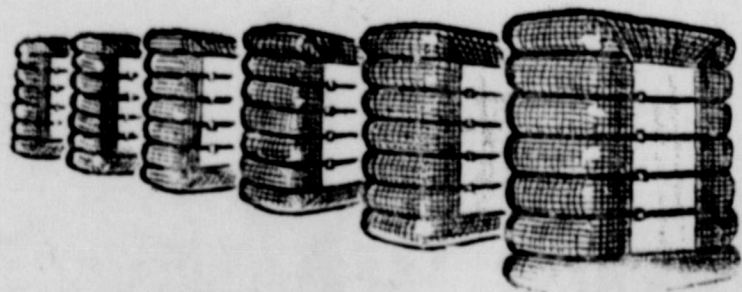
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New Methodist Men officers were installed at the Installation Banquet Tuesday night at the Methodist Church. Pictured above is Rev Gene Matthews, pastor and installing officer; Ross J. Brock, president; Melvin Bock, vice-president; Jack Angeley, secretary; Donald Atkinson, treasurer; Ray Axtell, reporter.

SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



OUR SOIL ★ OUR STRENGTH

LITTLEFIELD FARMER FINDS PLANNING PAYS

Norman Enfinger, who operates a 650 acre farm four miles south of Littlefield, is one Lamb County farmer who believes in using each acre of his land according to its capability for production.

In 1952 he took over the management of the farm, owned by his father, Mr. J. W. Enfinger, and soon discovered that operating a farm that is part dry and part irrigated presented a wide variety of conservation problems. Prior to 1946, the farm was a dryland unit, and with the aid of technicians of the Civilian Conservation Corps, it had been completely terraced, farmed on the contour, and even had one of the first and most suc-

cessful spreader systems of terraces to utilize excess run-off water.

Irrigation, which started with a single well in 1946, required almost complete reorganization of the farming operation. By 1951, three additional wells had been drilled and several thousand feet of concrete pipe installed. Many of the terraces had been removed to facilitate irrigation, and this gave rise to erosion and flooding problems during periods of heavy rainfall. To further complicate matters, production did not come up to expectations, even with irrigation, and the farm was so divided that it was simpler to irrigate areas of sloping shallow soils than it was to apply the wat-

er to better soils that were dry farmed.

After carefully considering the farm as a whole, Norman came to the conclusion that what he needed first of all was a conservation plan followed by an irrigation plan, rather than the other way around. By this time he had, also, discovered that irrigation was not a cure-all for soil fertility and erosion problems. Trial and experimentation had sold him well on the fact that soil fertility, not soil moisture, was the major limiting factor in the production of crops.

In January of 1955, Norman contacted the local office of the Soil Conservation Service for assistance with his problems and signed up as a cooperator with the Lamb County Soil Conservation District. Following a preliminary analysis of his farming operations, conditions began to change on the Enfinger farm.

Step number one, a survey was made by technicians of the Soil Conservation Service of the various soils on the farm. These were classified according to type, depth and texture. The degree of slope, extent of erosion, and drainage were, also, noted; and all of these factors were recorded on a soil capability map. This information was used to determine the maximum productive use that could be made of each acre of land without deterioration or damage to the soil.

Next, accompanied by Bryson Kiser, Soil Conservationist with

plant 75 different varieties of grasses on test plots on his farm.

Norman realizes that he still has a long way to go before he completes his conservation plan for the entire farm. He, also, realizes that he is following a systematic plan that in the long run will prevent many costly errors and eventually result in a properly managed, efficient, and highly productive farm.

Finally, the order of application of practices was agreed upon and dates were set to start the technical assistance needed in carrying out the farm plan.

Using the farm plan as a guide, Norma has made good progress toward a complete conservation plan. He has done the following: Installed an additional 2600 feet of concrete pipe; bench leveled 23 acres of cropland; maintained terraces and contour farming on 200 acres of dryland; constructed two waterways; constructed 1500 feet of detention terraces; and planted 23 acres of alfalfa, 15 acres of weeping lovegrass, 9 acres of Indiangrass, and 4 acres of sidecats grama and blue grama grass. Technical assistance with all of these permanent practices was furnished by the SCS cooperating with the Lamb County SCD, and an additional assistance will be furnished as he proceeds with his conservation plan.

Many of the simpler conservation practices do not require technical assistance, and Norman handles this part of the plan by himself. For example, he plants cover crops of rye and vetch and adjusts his cash crop as circumstances require. Last year he substituted cabbage, tomatoes, peppers, beans, and millet as a catch crop where his cotton was hulled out. He is a firm believer in soil fertility and uses cotton burrs and sorghum stubble for soil improvement. This is shredded and 70 pounds of anhydrous ammonia per acre is added. The residue is worked in with a tandem disc followed by breaking 9 to 10 inches deep and mixing the litter through the top layer of soil. A systematic plan is being followed which will eventually improve the fertility of every acre on the farm. He has found that cover crops plus crop residue management and fertilizing make the soil more mellow, easier to plow and cultivate, and causes less crusting. In addition, it provides better moisture distribution in the soil which means less trouble with his irrigation.

At present, he is conducting an experiment in cooperation with Texas A & M College and will

MRS. TARPLEY SUFFERS

BONE SEPARATION IN FALL
Mrs. J. E. Tarpley is suffering from a fall she received while redecorating a room in her home at 4:00 p.m. Monday.

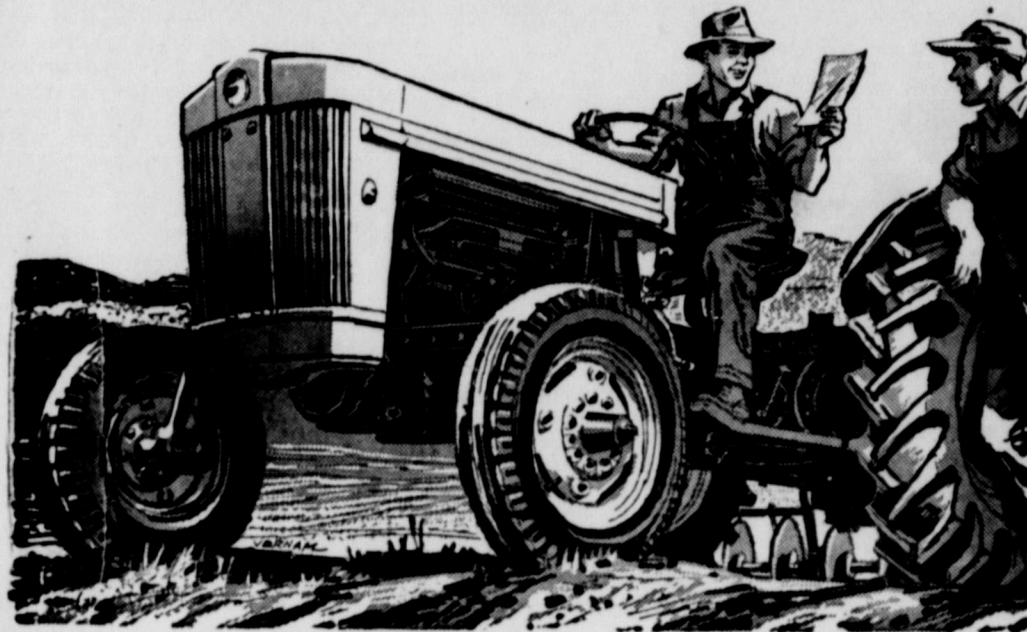
The decorating was almost done when Mrs. Tarpley stepped from a kitchen stool and stepping back into a can and lost her balance,

falling on one leg and arm.

She received emergency treatment for a separation of bones in her arm and placed in cast.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn Cearley and children of Lovington, New Mexico spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cearley and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hudson.

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**News from—
Springlake**

Ken Bush, Sherry Scott and Beverly Bush were Sunday dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. John T. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Clayton called at the J. J. Coker home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Billy Watson shopped in Littlefield Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Parish visited with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Riddle and son of Brownfield, Sunday. Mr. & Mrs. Riddle of Plainview, parents of James Riddle were also guests. Clure and Bobby.

Mrs. Ralph Rudd honored Mr. Rudd with a special dinner Sunday, those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Buster and children of Hale Center, Mr. and Mrs. H. Q. Neeley of Hereford, Grandmother Griggs of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Snodgrass of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cain of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Snodgrass and children of Portales. The evening was spent in visiting and eating all through the afternoon.

Mrs. Billy Rudd spent Sunday in Lubbock with her mother.

Mrs. Ralph Rudd, Mrs. Glen Faris and Mrs. Billy Dean Rudd shopped in Littlefield Tuesday.

**HONORED WITH
LAYETTE SHOWER**

A Layette shower honoring Mrs. Leon Sanders, May 11, at the community building with Mrs. Grant Lott, Mrs. Arnold Washington, Mrs. Billy Dean Rudd and Mrs. James Washington as hostesses. Table arrangement consisted of a stork as a centerpiece on a lace covered cloth with blue under cloth. Approximately 40 guests registered. Refreshments were pink cake topped with cherries with a frosted drink.

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went to the McKenzie Park Sunday for a picnic and outing. Each family carried a basket of food. Mrs. Ralph Rudd and Henriette

**Pleasant
Valley
Community**

by Mrs. Leroy Hicks

**PLEASANT VALLEY SOCIAL
MEETS IN McCALMAN HOME**

The Pleasant Valley Social Club met in the home of Mrs. Billy McCAlman with Sammy Allison co-hostess on Wednesday, May 9.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Alice Angeley the president.

Mrs. John West acted as secretary in the absence of Mrs. Lillie Wuertlen.

The club has received the two tables that were sent for, they are to be used in the community building.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following members and visitors present: Mrs. Claude Hendricks was the visitor; member present were Mesdames Judy Green, Ruth Lacky, Jean Allison, Doris Hammett, Leona Hicks, Katie Roubinek, Glenda Hutton, Margaret Reeves, Pete Hodges, Ethel Allison, Alice Angeley, Hazel West and the hostesses.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. John West hostess and Mrs. Kirk Pitts as co-hostess.

**SPECIAL CALLED MEETING
HELD SATURDAY NIGHT**

A special community meeting was held Saturday night, May 12 at the P. V. community center. Harry Engleking, presiding officer was in charge of the business meeting.

Two letters of congratulations on the community's progress were read; a letter from Fry and Cox Bros. of Muleshoe and one from the P. A. Andreas family of Ft. Sumner, New Mexico.

Gil Lamb and the Cash Way Store are donating cold drinks for the community tour on May 15.

Doyle Turner, Alice Angeley and Gerald Allison were appointed to map out the tour of the neighborhood.

The meeting was adjourned.

Paul Hammett went to Dallas on Thursday for observation and medical attention.

Harry Engleking and F. L. Shelby were visiting in the Back Community on Monday.

The willing workers class of the First Baptist Church met Thursday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Byrd McAlman.

Mr. and Mrs. John West and family attended he car races in Roswell last Sunday.

Last weeked guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thulo Branscum was Mr. and Mrs. Lexie Branscum of Farwell.

Pvt. 1st Class Claude Hendricks Jr. was a recent guest of his family Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hendricks Sr.

Bonnie Haberer, Leroy Hicks, John West attended the Farm Bureau meeting in Littlefield last Thursday night.

Mrs. E. T. Angeley and Patsy

went to Morton Wednesday afternoon to meet Mrs. Angeley's mother, Mrs. Crowe of Truth or Consequences, New Mexico. Mrs. Crowe is spending a few days visiting in the Angeley home.

**News from—
Big Square
Community**

by Mrs. Forrest Collins

**MRS. SYBIL STRINGER
DEMONSTRATES MEAT
ROILING FRIDAY, MAY 11**

Big Square H. D. Club met Friday, May 11, in the home of Mrs. Irvin Ott. The program was on broiling meat. The demonstration was given by Mrs. Sybil Stringer, H. D. Agent. The meeting was a luncheon at 12:00 o'clock noon. Those present for the meeting were:

Mesdames Wes Anthony, Andy Behrends, Bert Andrews, Bob Knight, Paul Chance, Eugene Morton and the hostess, Mrs. Irvin Ott and agent, Mrs. Sybil Stringer. The menu was creamed whole potatoes, stuffed olive, hot rolls, Green Beans, Apple pie and ice tea. Our next meeting will be at Mrs. Joe Hastings at 3:30. The program will be given by 4-H Club girls on electric appliances.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kellar Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Myers from Earth, Mr. and Mrs. John Simons and son from Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Praul and daughter from Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Monds from Posa, Oklahoma, spent the weekend in the home of Mrs. Monds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond White.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gable from Platte visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kellar Saturday night.

Mr. Melvin Collins and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Collins and children visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Langford at Remero, Texas Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Edge are moving to Dalhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Mick Powell from Tulia visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond White Sunday.

Mrs. R. F. Meeks visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond White Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Scheller visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Chance Sunday night.

Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kelley attended a Postmaster's Convention in Lubbock from Sunday until Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Staggs, Julie and Janie of Memphis, Texas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hooten and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sloan.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Dent accompanied by Beth Dent spent from Friday until Sunday in Safford, Arizona.

SCOUT NEWS

DEN I

Den I of Cub Scout met at 4:30 p.m. Friday with their leaders, Mrs. Bud Irvine and Mrs. David Johnson in the home of Mrs. Irvine.

The meeting was held in the back yard, where outdoor furniture was built for "Hobo Month".

The Scouts will have a Hobo Picnic at the Irvine's home Saturday at noon.

Scouts attending were Dewayne Parish, Thomas Bryant, Jerry Irvine, Jerry Anderson, Don Johnson, and Phil Middleton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Whorton of House, New Mexico is spending the week with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Lott of Springlake.

Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Weaver visited with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Noble in Dimmitt, Thursday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bozeman, Sunday were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Faver and daughter of Damas, Mr.

and Mrs. Dee Lott of Portales, New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Dent and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cearley had as their guest, Sunday night, their son-in-law, Lieut. Don Davis of Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. James Martin and family of Hereford spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Martin.



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7.60-15	31.65	15.85	47.50	7.60-15	35.45	17.75	53.20		
8.00-15	34.80	17.40	52.20	8.00-15	39.45	19.75	59.20		
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7.60-15	38.75	19.35	58.10	7.60-15	43.45	21.75	65.20		
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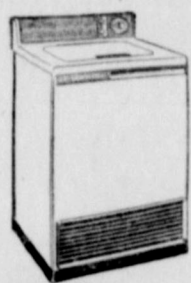
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Business and Industrial Review



Stanford Laundry Has Twelve Maytag Machines to Serve Public

The interior of Stanford's Laundry is shown above. Twelve Maytag washing machines and Hammond Automatic Dryer are used here. Mrs. Stanford and daughter, Lucille operate this firm. —PHOTO BY CLINE STUDIO

One of the best equipped "do it yourself" Laundries is located in Earth. This is the Stanford Laundry, (formerly Mitchell Laundry), located one block south and one-half block east of the Post Office. It is owned and operated by Mrs. Stanford and her daughter, Lucille.

Mrs. Stanford and daughter have lived on a farm near Earth for 13 years, but decided to move into town. Just last week they decided to go into the laundry business.

This laundry is equipped with 12 Maytag washing machines with four tubs to each machine. There is an abundance of hot, soft water and a Hammond Automatic Dryer. This business also operates a pick-up and delivery service and does finish work. It is not necessary for the customer to visit the laundry at all. A phone call will do the trick and the clothes will be washed, dried and finished and returned in two or three days.

Housewives can save money on their laundry by taking it to this laundry and doing the work themselves. There is no need to invest several hundred dollars in an expensive washing machine when one can be rented for a small charge.

There is no upkeep to worry about and no service men to call for repairs. This laundry has everything you need, washing soap, blueing, starch and plenty of hot, soft water. All the customer has to do is bring the clothes.

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Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Martin returned home Sunday after a few days visit in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson of Brewer, Maine arrived Wednesday to visit their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cletis Clayton.

Marion Taylor visited over the weekend with his father, A. M.T. Taylor of Hollis, Oklahoma.

Mr. J. W. Boaz was admitted to the Muleshoe Hospital Sunday. He was thought to be bordering a heart attack. Mr. Boaz is the father of Mrs. O. H. Parish.

MRS. ROBERT J. Zeff Robnett was the lucky winner of \$500 worth of Gunn Bros. Stamps given away at Patterson Bros. Grocery, Saturday at 6:00 p.m. 285 registered for the drawing. This was in celebration of the 25th anniversary of the Gunn Bros. Stamp Store located in Littlefield.

S. O. LLIS — Mr. S. O. Ellis of Monett, Missouri received surgery recently in a Kansas City, Missouri Hospital. He was dismissed from the hospital and returned to his home Sunday. Ellis is a former resident of Earth. He is a brother to Mrs. Harry Maze of Earth. His address is Monette, Missouri, Route 2.

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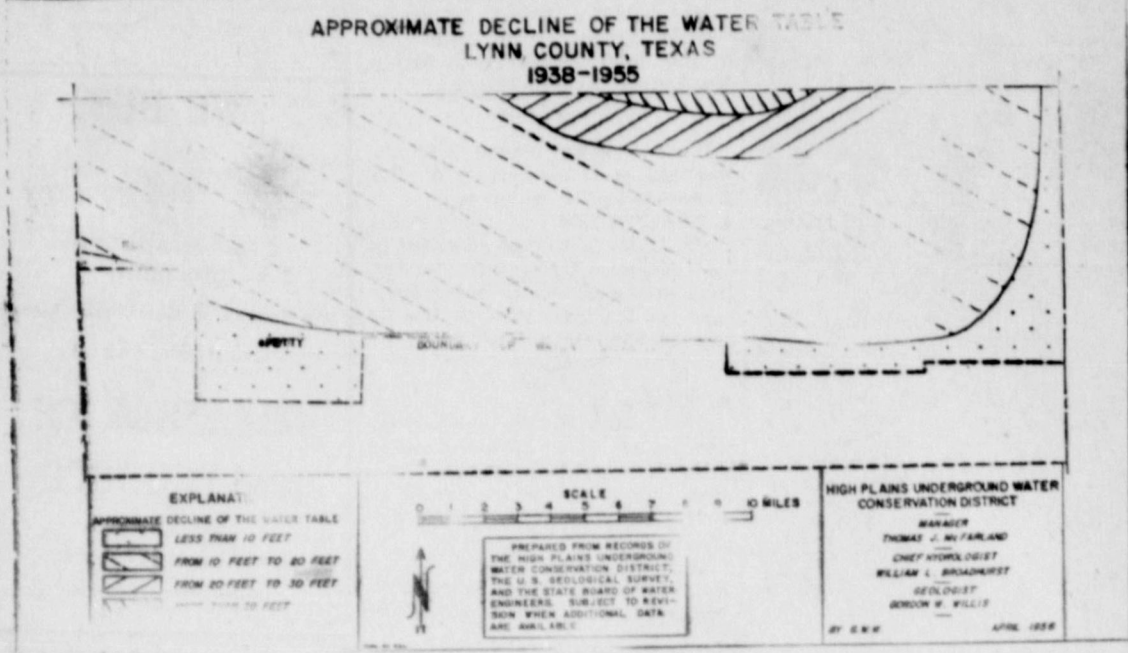
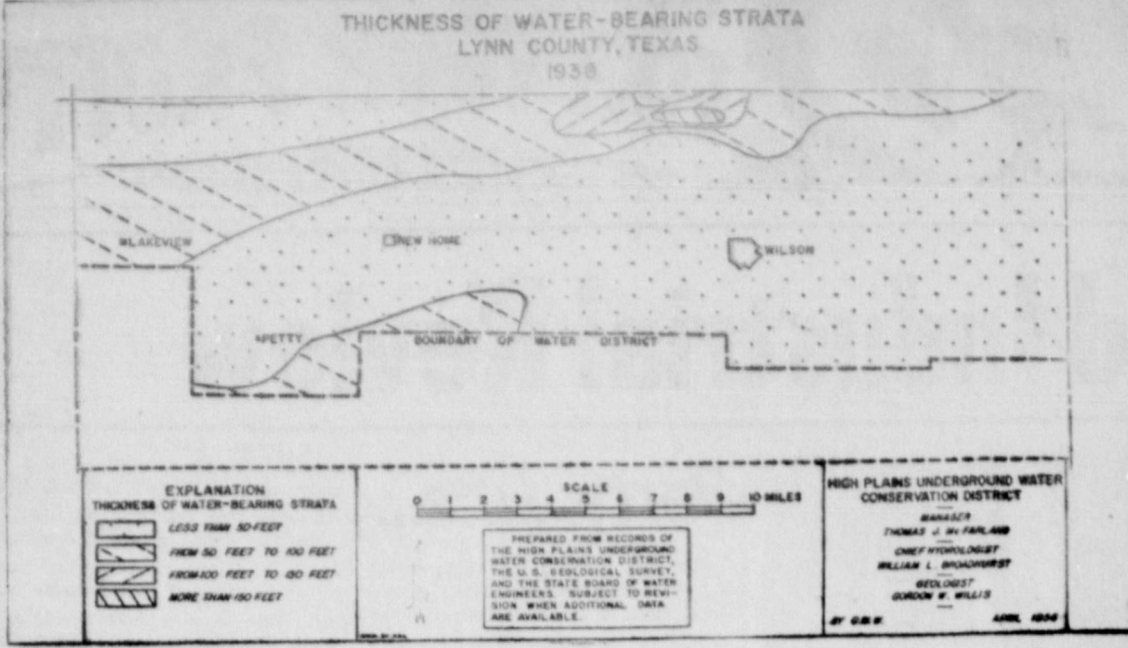
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The portion of Lynn County within the boundary of the High Plains Undergound Water Conservation District No. 7 contained about 780,000 acre-feet of ground water available for pumping in January 1956. This portion of Lynn County contained about 1,140,000 acre feet of ground water available for pumping in 1938, and about 360,000 acre-feet, or 32 per cent of the water was pumped from 1938 to 1955.

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About 156,000 acres of Lynn County are within the boundary of the Water District. The accompanying maps were prepared from data compiled from a study of about 650 logs of water wells and about 200 measurements of water levels in wells.

The map in Plate 1 shows the thickness of the water-bearing strata in the Ogallala formation in 1938 before an appreciable amount of water had been pumped from the reservoir. The map in plate 2 shows the decline of the water table from the spring of 1938 to January 1956.

The volume of water remaining in the underground reservoir was determined by subtracting the volume of material unwatered since 1938 from the total volume of saturated material in 1938 and multiplying the remainder by the storage of 15 per cent.

The approximate quantity of underground water in storage, available for pumping, beneath an individual farm may be determined by multiplying the number of acres in the farm by the thickness of the water bearing strata underlying the farm and then multiplying by the storage coefficient of 15 per cent.

Suppose the farm consists of 160 acres and has 150 feet of water bearing strata underlying it, then 160 acres x 150 feet x 0.15 per cent equals 3600 acre feet of water available for pumping. An acre foot of water is the quantity to cover one acre to a depth of one foot and it is also equal to 43,560 cubic feet or 325,829 gallons.

An individual may use this information to determine, within reasonable limits, how long the quantity of underground water in storage beneath his farm will last at an annual rate of withdrawal. This assumes, of course, that his neighbors pump comparable amount of water per acre on their farms.

These maps and studies of this type are parts of the regular hydrological work in progress by the staff of the Water District. Similar maps and information will be prepared as readily as practicable for all the counties within the Water District. Maps of Deaf Smith, Parmer, Castro, Potter, Randall, Armstrong, Floyd, Bailey, Lamb and Lynn Counties are now available.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Simmons went to Nocona, Texas over the weekend to meet Mr. Simmons' mother, Mrs. Corrie Simmons of Magnolia, Arkansas, who plans an extended visit here.

Party Line.....

Guests in the Eldon Hestand home of Springlake over the weekend were Mrs. Hestand's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Beyers of Elda, New Mexico, and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rogers of Portales, New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hedges of Garrettsville, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bozeman, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Roach, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sponaugle all of Springlake and Mrs. Lewis Faver of Dumas attended the Bible Forum at the Municipal Auditorium in Lubbock, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Donald visited over the weekend in Dallas with Mrs. Donald's mother, Mrs. Myrtle Thompson.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sanders, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kelley and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sanders and Tim Mr. and Mrs. Lester Kelley and children and Mrs. Bob Kelley of Bovina.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Sigman and La Donna spent the weekend in Hobbs, New Mexico with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Goodwin.

Mrs. Bernice Hendrix, Thurma and Robert spent Sunday in Amarillo visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Raby Kellog, Rodney, Wanda and Rhonda visited from Thursday until Monday with Mrs. Kellog's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hill at Gotesville, Texas. Mrs. Hill had been ill, but is much improved at this time.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP DISSOLUTION
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership between WAYNE BROWN, HARMON WHITE AND EUGENE BROWN, under the firm name of "BROWN WHITE EQUIPMENT COMPANY" at Earth, Texas, was dissolved on the 1st day of May, 1956. All debts due to said partnership are to be paid and those due from the same discharged at Earth, Texas, where the business will be continued by the said HARMON WHITE and EUGENE BROWN under the firm name of "BROWN WHITE EQUIPMENT COMPANY" in Earth, Texas.
Witness our HANDS this 1st day of May, 1956.
Wayne Brown
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Harmon White

Gerald Inglis, Buford Price and J. B. Inglis fished at Possum Kingdom Dam last week.

MRS. JOE EBELING HAS MAJOR SURGERY WEDNESDAY
Mrs. Joe Ebeling underwent major surgery at the Littlefield Hospital last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beasley, Linda and Pam spent Sunday with Mrs. Mae Beasley at Quanah, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Black and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson, Ronnie and Don and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Montgomery, Dale and Dewayne visited Mrs. Jewel Montgomery in Amherst Sunday, May 14, and Mrs. J. E. Montgomery, La Anna and Leo of Anthony, New Mexico also visited with Mrs. Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Stine and Beverly spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stine of Amherst.

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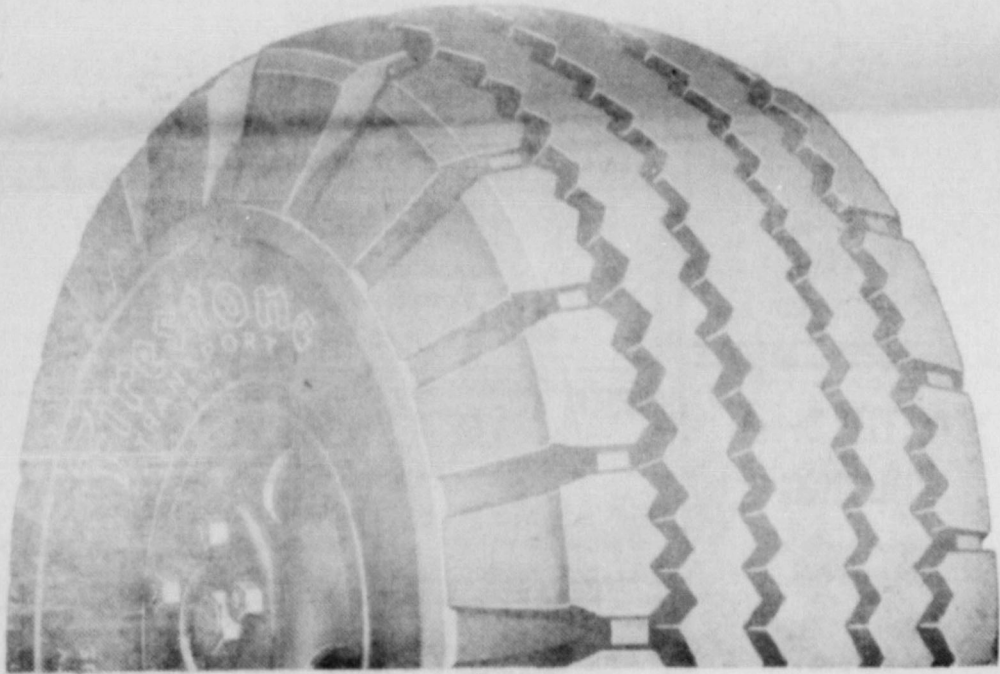
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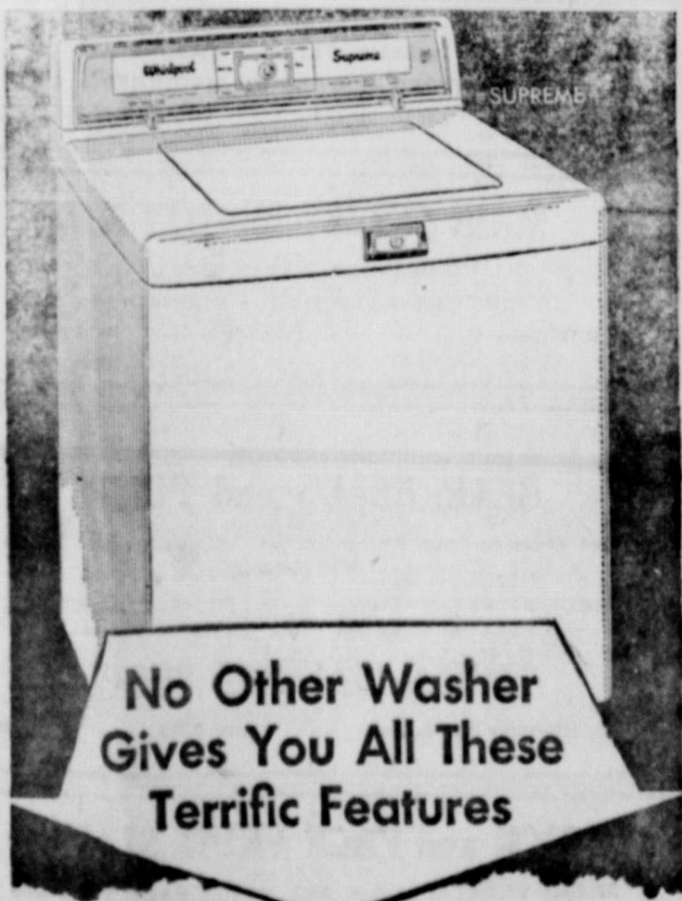
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by VIOLA HALL

This school term is almost completed, and everyone seem to have some kind of plans for the summer. I understand Kay Haberer and her family are going to travel around most of the summer. Best of luck to you.

Loyd Champion and Peggy Usery were together in Littlefield Saturday.

Robert Riley and Charlene Hamilton were together Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday nights.

A. L. Cody and Helen Salsman, John Blackwell and Shirley Green were together at the drive-in in Earth Tuesday and Saturday and in Amherst Sunday. Shirley and John were also together in Amherst Thursday.

Here is a new couple, Kathleen



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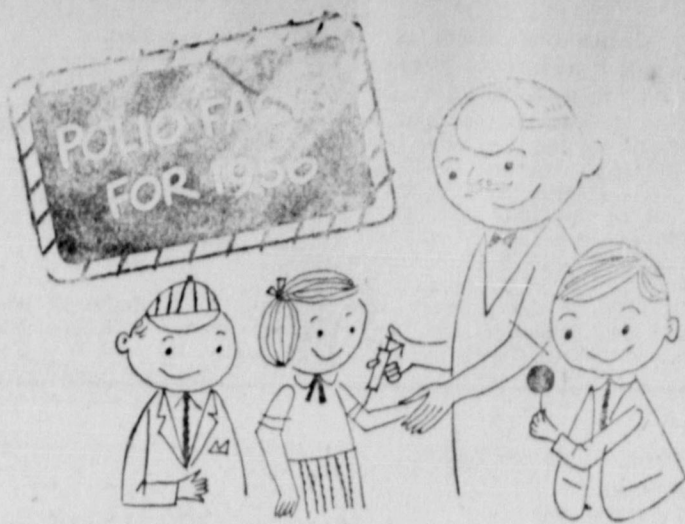
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Wisian and Charles Ray Moore, were together in Earth Sunday night.

It seems there was a little party out at Trice Williams house Friday night. The kids were Punk Parish, Henrian Rudd, Charlene Hamilton, Barbara Brock, Laverne Bibby, Virginia McClesky, Joyce Davis, Donnie Clayton, Ernie Watkins, Franklin Starkey, Richard Green, Darrell Sawyer and Harvey Kendricks. They played records and ate.

Jerry Jaquess and Jane McGeath have been seeing each other lately. They were together Friday at Olton, Saturday in Earth and Sunday night after church in Earth. The lights are kind of bright out at the camp aren't they kids?

Two swell kids, Doug Parish and

June Gregory were together Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday.

Jenelle Dent was with Bob Price Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Marilyn McGeath and James Cooper are on the go again, and they have really been making up for lost time. They were together Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Rumor is that you are going steady. Is this right?

Kay Wheat and Kenny Hamilton were together in Earth Sunday. Tracy Angeley and Jean LaRue were together Saturday and Sunday.

A familiar couple, Jimmy Herzing and Elaine Riley were together in Littlefield Tuesday, in Mule-

shoe Thursday and in Earth Saturday and Sunday.

You have been holding out on us Carolyn Sanderson. What was the name of that boy from Muleshoe you went with?

Sherrill Wasson has a new guy on the line. She was with Kenneth Barnett of Levelland Saturday afternoon.

Ed Richardson managed to come and see Sandra Wasson Friday night. Got home kind of late again didn't you Sandra?

Here are some kids we seldom hear about. They are Bobby Sanderson and Wanda Truelock, Jo Thompson of Dimmitt and Virgil Vaughn. They were all together Friday night.

Tanze Cole and Claude Davis were together Saturday and Sunday. Thursday night Sue Neal and Ernie Watkins were with them in Lubbock playing golf.

Sue Neal really stay on the go. She was with Kenneth Lowe Saturday and Sunday.

Doug Lewis and Barbara McCaskill were together every night last week. I think they will miss one night this week.

A real cute couple, Janice Prather and Gene Stephens were together Monday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday afternoon and night.

I hear Shirley Chaney and Charlene Ellis have been staying home lately. Well, here is hoping for a brighter future for each of you girls.

Ella Mae Bartlett was with Calvin Stovall Wednesday in Earth and Saturday in Lubbock.

NIT: I don't think you'd better order those seeds. The catalogue says they won't flower until the second summer.

WIT: That's all right. This is last year's catalogue.

Jo Ann Oden and Billy Robnett, Beverly Providence and Lee Oden double-dated Thursday night. Did you kids have fun.

Another pert couple is Molly Ingels and Donald Gover were together Saturday night.

Peggy Stansell and Gene Spies were together at the Drive-In in

Earth Friday night. This is something new.

Evelyn Clayton and Melvin Lewis were together Sunday afternoon and Sunday night. They went to Littlefield. This is really a nice couple.

Judy Upchurch and Gerald Pelham, Edna Truelock and Garry Bulls were all at Plainview Sunday. Was there anyone else with you?

Kenneth Faulkner was on the go last Saturday, but just what he did I don't know. Were you with a girl Kenneth?

Here is hoping we will see more kids within the next week. See you next week.

Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Starkey and girls spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Starkey's mother, Mrs. Georgia Strickland in Matafor.

Guests in the Phelps Murrell home this week are Mrs. Murrell's mother and brother, Mrs. Hicks

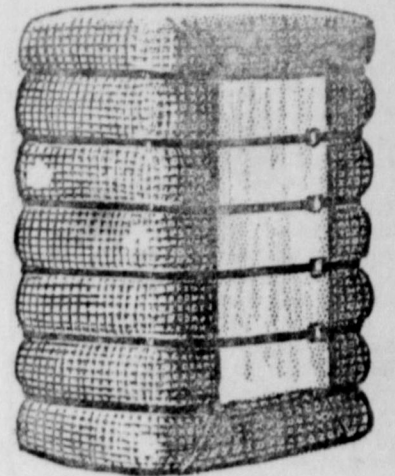
of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Hicks of Waco. All attended the Recital Tuesday night at the High School Auditorium.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wyatt, Judy and Jimmy of Eldorado, Texas, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Glasscock and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Murrell, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sawyer and Johnny Murrell attended funeral services Tuesday for D. J. Dunlap of Avery, Texas, former resident of Amherst. Funeral services were held at Amherst.

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SHORT SNORTS



AUSTIN, Tex. — There is very little suspense left in connection with the State Democratic convention to be held in Dallas next week.

That U. S. Sen. Lyndon Johnson is the new party head was conclusively evidenced after county conventions. Named were at least 1,149 delegates favorable to Johnson and only 66 definitely committed to his rival Gov. Allan Shivers.

Only remaining question is how far the Johnsonites will go in sweeping out Shivers' backers. Almost all members of the State Executive Committee are staunch Shivers supporters.

Ordinarily, new committee members would not be elected until the September conventions. But two factors reflect on the stability of their positions.

First state law merely says the committee member shall hold office "until his successor is elected." Second, in a 1954 contest between party factions the Supreme Court held one convention could set aside the action of a previous convention.

At stake is Ben Ramsey's job as National Committeeman. And perhaps that of Mrs. Hilda Weinert of Seguin, Democratic National Committeewoman.

Also in doubt about how they will be treated on May 22 are members of the Dallas County delegation, one of the groups to go for Shivers. In this case, a rump convention named delegates favorable to Johnson.

Shivers' Dallas supporters expect the like-minded credentials committee to seat them. But they won't be surprised if other delegates vote to give them the heave-ho.

TWO TEXANS HONORED
Two outstanding Texans, who have contributed greatly to the cultural and educational life of Texas, were honored by the Texas Heritage Foundation.

Miss Ina Hogg of Houston received the Texian Woman of the Year award.

Texian Man of the Year honors went to H. H. Coffield of Rockdale.

Awards were presented by Foundation President Paul Wakefield at a banquet where Governor Shivers, honorary chairman of the Foundation, was principal speaker.

Miss Hogg is the daughter of the first native Texan to serve his state as its Chief Executive. Said Wakefield "She has lived and furthered her great family tradition of service to humanity that was passed on to her by her illustrious father."

Of Coffield he said: "After graduating with highest honors from the university of adversity, in the rural area of Milam County, Pete Coffield lingered on the campus at Rockdale to become his native city's first citizen. His genius for multiple affairs and love of people soon spread his horizon to the borders of his state and beyond."

INSURANCE HEARING SET
Ben E. High of Houston has been directed to appear before the Texas Insurance Commission on May 23, to show cause why all his outstanding agents' licenses should not be revoked.

On the following day Canal Insurance Co. of Greenville, S. C. will be asked to show cause why its license to do business in Texas should not be revoked. High is general agent for the company in Texas.

High is charged with "deliberate and flagrant violation of the automobile insurance rate statute."

STOCK FRAUD CHARGED
Two Austin companies are defrauding themselves in district court here against charges of fraudulent stock selling.

A temporary restraining order is sought by the State against American Guaranty Underwriters, Inc. and the Karisch Company, Inc. Calvin C. Huffman, American American Guaranty president, denied the charges. His company was issued 25,000 shares of Karisch stock to cover a \$9,500 loan, he said.

"No stock of the Karisch Co. was sold to the public," said Huffman. "Nor have any of the officers named received any commissions." In its allegations the state accused American Guaranty of collecting "gross and exorbitant commissions" on stock sales.

be decided by the Texas Insurance Commission.
Texas Chemical Fireproofing Co. has asked that insurance credit on chemically fireproofed public buildings be extended from 15 to 25 per cent. Sen. Grady Hazlewood of Amarillo, representing the company, made the application.
A group of casualty companies represented by the Texas Insurance Advisory Association, opposes the change.

One of its biggest annual undertakings, helped some 9,000 high school graduates find jobs, is now under way by the Texas Employment Commission. Last year TEC placed about 52 per cent of the 8,445 graduates . . . Texas' cotton harvest was 281 pounds per acre — the highest since 1866, reports the U. S. Department of Agriculture . . . State recoveries in veterans land suits are approaching the million dollar mark . . . Texas

railroads won another round in battle to by-pass the Texas Railroad Commission. The Third Court of Civil Appeals upheld the railroad's right to negotiate directly with the Federal government in setting rates for intrastate contracts . . . Texas' traffic deaths totaled 2,547 persons in 1955. Major causes of fatal rural accidents were excessive speed, 62 per cent, and drinking, 37 per cent . . . Sen. Price Daniel, now a candidate for governor, has selected Joe

R. Greenhill of Austin as state campaign manager. Greenhill once served as first assistant attorney general under Daniel. Bill Daniel of Liberty, the candidates brother, will head the speakers bureau . . . Maurice R. Bullock, president of the State Bar of Texas, will attend a nation-wide conference on "congestion in the courts" May 21-22 in Washington, D. C. So acute is the situation nationally that numerous cases are not brought to trial until many years

after they are filed.
Mrs. R. S. Cole, Clifford Bills and Mrs. Floyd Bills shopped and attended to business in Lubbock, Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sanford of Pampa spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sawyer.
Mrs. R. E. Smith of Amherst spent Sunday with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sawyer.

—PL—
Mr. and Mrs. W. Angeley of Morton is visiting this week with relatives in the Pleasant Valley community.
—PL—
Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Helf of the Big Square community were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones, Laura, Nancy and Beth, Mrs. Fred Jones and Jerry of Dimmitt and Jerry Sturgis of Tulla.



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LIBBY'S APRICOT NECTAR 12 oz. 3 for 39c

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HYDROX COOKIES lb. 33c
TENDER CRUST BREAD 1 1/2 lb. Loaf 21c
NABISCO 1 lb. Box
PREMIUM CRACKERS 25c
WELCH'S FROZEN GRAPE JUICE 6 oz. 21c
HLC ORANGE JUICE 46 oz. 29c
CRYSTAL WEDDING QUICK OATS Large Size 37c

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