



F. Crawford Elected Mayor of Springlake

Floyd Crawford was elected Mayor of Springlake by writ in with 33 votes out of a possible 39 polled in the Springlake City Election held Tuesday in the community building.

Jess Watson, W. C. White, Billy Watson and Sandy Sanderson all received one vote each for Mayor by writ in.

In the aldermen race five aldermen were elected with James Washington leading with 33 votes, A. M. McGowan second with 32 votes, Jerry Borden, Ernest Goforth and Sandy Sanderson each received 27 votes.

Others in the race for aldermen were: W. B. Hucks, 25 votes and Clifford Hopping 23.

Earl Watson was elected City Marshall receiving 37 votes and Ray Banks got one write in vote for City Marshall.

W. C. White was election Judge and Bill Watson and Ray Banks served as clerks.

Bill Street was present and immediately following the counting of the votes and all the newly elected officers were sworn in except Sandy Sanderson who was not present.

TRUSTEE ELECTION RESULTS

In the Springlake School Trustee Election held at the High School building Saturday, April 2, 82 votes were cast with Bob Armstrong and Price Hamilton being re-elected without opponents.

Hamilton received 79 votes and Armstrong received 71.

Carroll Blackwell was election judge with R. L. Byars Jr., Springlake as alternate. Clerks were H. Campbell, R. H. Belew and R. W. Kimbell as alternate.

Earth Jaycees To Sponsor Go-Cart Races

The Earth Jaycees voted at their regular weekly meeting Monday to sponsor go cart races in Earth during the summer.

Committeemen for building the track for the races are Victor Neinst, Doug Parish, Ted Robins and Mack Templeton.

Dr. Paul Witt of A.C.C. presented the program which was on all types of science.

Frank Bozeman, Springlake introduced the guest speaker.

Eighteen members and the following guests were present for the meeting: Cecil Meadows, Dutch Bee, Rex Clayton, Frank Bozeman, Harvey Evans, Charlie Dunn, Paul Wood, H. C. Ford and Dr. Paul Witt.

In connection with the clean-up campaign, sponsored by the Good Earth Garden Club, the Jaycees burned weeds on the vacant lots in town Monday afternoon.

C. of C. Banquet Set For Friday, April 15



CARROLL McDONALD

Carroll McDonald Named New Earth C. of C. President

Carroll McDonald was named president of the Earth Chamber of Commerce at a meeting held Friday, April 1 in the Chamber of Commerce office.

McDonald replaces Bill Beasley who served as president during 1959.

McDonald is manager of Southwestern Public Service and has been active in civic clubs and projects of the community and served as vice-president of the Chamber of Commerce the past year.

Other new officers are Ardis Barton, vice-president and H. L. Evans, secretary-treasurer. Evans replaces A. D. Taylor who is retiring from the board.

Directors of the Chamber of Commerce for 1960 are H. L. Evans, Carroll McDonald, Phil Raught, Bill Beasley, Ardis Barton, Leon Dent, Bill Bryant and Paul Wood.

NOTICE

Everyone who took the first aid course at Faust Clinic is asked to stop in and get their course certificate.

The Springlake Wolverine Band students will present a concert at the Springlake School auditorium Monday April 11, at 7:30 p.m. under the direction of Norman Hemphill, Band Instructor. The public is invited to attend.

The Earth Methodist Church will present an Easter Cantata Sunday night, April 10 at 6:00 p.m. under the direction of Norman Hemphill. The public is invited to attend.

BAND BOOSTERS MEETING
There will be a Band Boosters meeting tonight (Thursday) April 7, at 7:30 p.m. in the band hall. Everyone interested in band and Band Boosters are urged to attend.

The Fifth Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet is scheduled to be held Friday, April 15 at 8 p.m. in the Springlake School cafeteria.

Guest speaker will be Otha Dent, of Austin, a member of the Texas State Water Commissioner's Board.

Music will be presented by the Bovina Deamettes, composed of Brenda Jones, Janice Leake and Marilyn Brandon with Vernia Estes as pianist.

Awards will be presented to the citizen of the year, outstanding senior boy and senior girl. The boy and girl who wrote the two top themes on "What Improvements Are Needed To Make Earth A Better Place In Which To Live" will also receive recognition.

Tickets are now on sale at the Chamber of Commerce Office and may also be purchased from any member of the C. of C. for \$1.50 each.

Perry Martin New Bookkeeper For Dent Farm Supply

Perry Martin has been hired as book keeper for Dent Farm Supply to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Mrs. H. S. Hickman.

Mr. Martin began his duties Monday morning. Martin has had 20 years experience in bookkeeping, prior to moving to Earth. He was bookkeeper for Southwestern Public Service, Peoples Ice Company and R. E. A. in Tipton, Okla. He has also kept books for Glens in Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin moved to the Earth community in 1949, coming here from Tipton, Oklahoma and have been farming here since that time.

Mrs. H. S. Hickman resigned due to ill health after serving as bookkeeper for the past seven years.

EDITORIAL: Do We Like It?

A new sign has been erected in our back door one half mile from our City Limits, one mile in fact from our Main Street a sign painted in black and white which reads, "28 Miles, For The Best Deal, Trade In Littlefield."

I glory in their enthusiasm, that I think is commendable. However, it seems they have gotten a little too enthusiastic and forgot the neighboring town to the north in their separate attempt to grow. We have long been under the impression that we need signs probably along that same place, reading "Have You Shopped Earth First." However in our neglect, Littlefield has gone to work and in their desire to build their town forgotten all consideration for the neighboring town and erected their signs right under our very noses.

I don't think it was at all sporting, and I fail to see any comedy in such an act. Had they erected it elsewhere, giving us a little breathing space, that would have been a different story, but for any town to almost reach one's City Limits to erect their signs, just leaves a lingering bad taste in one's mouth. We of course want to build our home town and ask that each of you give this thought some consideration:

This is your home, this is where your children go to school, where you attend church, this is where you make your living, where you are raising your family. Does it seem too much to ask that you take an interest in the growth and advancement of your town, become concerned with its development before going elsewhere to shop?

City Election Results In Tie, Run-Off Set April 16

Funeral Services Held For Kin Of Area Resident

Funeral services for Jesse McClanahan 39, were held at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Parkview Baptist Church in Littlefield with the Rev. J. L. Bass, pastor, officiating.

McClanahan, an assistant foreman for the Texas Highway Department died Sunday while visiting a brother, A. O. in Salt Flats. A group climbed a mountain near Salts Flats Sunday afternoon and McClanahan suffered a heart attack and died on the mountain.

He was born March 29, 1929 in Coleman county and had been a resident of Littlefield for 36 years.

Burial was in Littlefield Cemetery under direction of Hammons Funeral Home.

Survivors include the wife, Lois; three daughters, Mrs. Billy Pinkerton, Bovina and Sharon and Phyllis, both of the home; a son, Harvey S. of the home; two brothers, A. O. and Cecil, Santa Maria, California; two sisters, Mrs. Lester Green and Mrs. Frank Walther, both of Fort Worth.

McClanahan was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Doris Sanders and a cousin of Mrs. Bud Matlock and Mrs. Bill Matlock, all of Springlake.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Stine, Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson and Mrs. C. N. Stine, Amherst attended the Lott-Britt wedding in Portales, N. M. Saturday night.

Earth City Officers Run - Off Election will be held Saturday, April 16, to elect a Mayor and one Alderman. This Election became necessary following Tuesday's Voting in which the two Mayor candidates, Marcus Messer and Carroll Blackwell polled tie votes, each receiving 128 votes, out of a possible 257 votes. The odd vote cast was for a write-in candidate naming Harvey Evans as their write-in choice for mayor.

Faust Clinic Closed Friday And Saturday

The Medical Clinic in Earth will be closed Friday and Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. F. B. Faust plan to attend the 93rd. Annual Session of the Texas State Medical Association to be held in Fort Worth.

Dr. Faust will present a paper on "Pre-Season Physical Examination of High School Football players with Electrocardiograms" to the Texas Society of Athletic Team Physicians at the meeting Saturday April 9 at 1 p.m.

Dr. Faust has reported five seasons of examinations, with ages ranging from 14 to 17 years; weights 88 to 260 pounds, heights 50 to 76 inches; blood pressure 88 to 154 m.m. Hg., systolic; 60 to 100 m. Hg., diastolic. Pulse pressure age and diastolic pressure corrected by a new mathematical linear function.

Electrocardiograms reveal variations and relate T-U waves to vigorous youth; 10 W-P-W syndrome, two definite types, mild hypertension distinguish personalities with esprit de corps.

Earth Service Center To Open Here Saturday

The Earth Service Center owned and operated by Phil Cannon and Guy Francis Kelley will open for business Saturday in the building formerly occupied by the Earth Furniture Exchange and Gift Shop.

The new Service Center will specialize in expert repair service on Radios, Televisions, Air conditioners and small appliances.

Plans for future expansion in this new business is to handle a new line of appliances, and also to offer service on major appliances.

Phil Cannon manager of the Earth Service Center formerly owned and operated White Auto Store in Earth, moving here 5 years ago from Louisiana.

He has had several years of experience in repair service. Mr. Kelley co-owner has been farming in the area, having grown up in Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Faver Joy and Estrela were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sloan.

Mrs. Ennice Arthur and Mrs. Ann Stirman, Lubbock visited from Thursday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sloan and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Walker.

The same thing occurred in the Alderman race. A tie now exists between E. C. (Shorty) Kelley and John Welch. Each received 101 votes for the third highest vote in the Alderman race.

In the race for Aldermen Pat McCord (incumbent) a farmer, received 195 votes and M. H. Been (incumbent) owner and operator of Earth Oil and Gas Co., received 192 votes.

McCord and Been being the two highest men were officially elected in the Tuesday election. However these two men were the only concrete results of the voting Tuesday.

Others in the race for aldermen were Carlis Hills, 97; Bill Bryant, 93; Herb Wendborn, 79; H. S. Hickman, 68; and O. B. Whitford, 13.

The election was held in the usual polling place which is the Earth community building.

The election judge was Carroll McDonald and clerks were Mrs. Minnie Pate and Mrs. J. D. Newton.

In the April 16 Election citizens will vote for a choice of mayor and an alderman.

The new ballot for the run-off election will have only the four names appearing on the ballot.

This is the very first time in the history of Earth that two such ties existed in a City Election.

CITY OFFICIALS HOLD CALLED MEETING WEDNESDAY NIGHT

City officials met Wednesday in a called meeting and officially accepted the count of the Tuesday's Election Results and set the above date for the officer's run-off election.

The group voted to have the City Books audited this week, and a financial report of the City of Earth will appear in next week's issue of the Earth News-Sun.

City officials made the decision to buy a tractor and a special trailer to be used for pickup and hauling city trash. The tractor will also be used to keep vacant lots clean and maintain the City Park.

A discussion was also held in connection with hiring a pool superintendent to run the swimming pool for the approaching season. However, no decision was reached.

A motion was passed to repair the east wall of the pool that was blown down during a recent dust storm. This was agreed and work will begin shortly on the repair job.

City officials also voted to have Carroll McDonald be election judge in the coming election.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Huley visited over the weekend in Santa Rita, N. M. with her father, Otto Farmer who is ill.

Also visiting there was her brother Jim Farmer and a niece Mrs. Leroy Nix from Albuquerque whom Mrs. Huley had not seen in five years.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kellogg, Rhonda, Wanda and Rodney visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith in Amherst Sunday afternoon then attended church services at Littlefield Drive Church of Christ Sunday night.

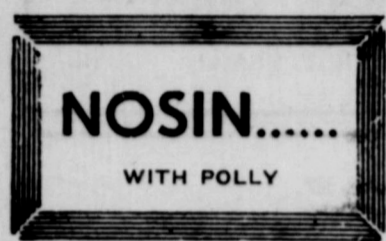
Do You Know Of A Handicapped Child In Springlake Schools District?

Applications for a summer full of fun for handicapped children in the Earth area are now being accepted by members of the Earth Lions Club.

The unique Texas Lions Camp for Crippled Children at Kerrville will open its first two-weeks session Sunday, June 5. Five such sessions will be held this summer for youngsters between 7 and 16.

The Camp is free to any eligible blind, deaf, mute or crippled child. Transportation to and from the camp is supplied by the local Lions.

All requests for summer camp are handled locally by Lions. For more detailed information about the camp, you are urged to contact J. H. Angeley of the Earth Lions Club.



Never underestimate the importance of YOUR ONE VOTE IN AN ELECTION. Earth City residents received a jolting realization of what one vote could do Tuesday, when the two mayor candidates were tied 128 votes each, (yet 257 votes had been cast), enough to have made the difference, except this one ballot had a write-in candidate, leaving the two candidates in a tie.

We have always heard this expression: "MY VOTE WON'T MAKE ANY DIFFERENCE ANYWAY." This statement is of course untrue, and we in the City of Earth NOW know the importance of ALL VOTES.

We are truly proud of the turnout of Voters. We are always glad to see people interested in City Government. It makes for better citizens, they will in turn be more interested in County, State and National government.

We in the Dale Carnegie class will graduate Thursday night. This being the last session of the 14 week course. It is with regret that I, a member of the class, will cease to be weekly among my fine classmates taking the course.

I was much too busy to take the course and get the most from it. However, I was never too busy to find a new friend, and in such a class one finds themselves among lovely people whom they learn to love and appreciate.

I class many of my classmates as my very dear friends and find it hard to see the curtain be drawn upon this course.

OUR CLAN HAS GROWN. This latest addition to the family is "Chester," our little Screw Tail Bulldog.

We thought no boy should grow up without a dog to love, so in a weak moment, Phil gave us a final clinching pep talk about how fast he was growing up, and without a dog too. So, we weakened and seriously decided to get the dog.

Now our problem is Chester doesn't like anything to eat as well as he likes Vienna sausage. We may all look a little thinner in the near future trying to buy the dog just what he likes to eat, but according to Phil, we've took the little dog away from his family and we can't give him a complex or allow him to develop that insecure feeling this early in life it would ruin his healthy outlook on life. (So, I guess we'll continue to buy viennas at least for a little while longer and keep him happy.)

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Randolph and children, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Griffin and children, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Jones and Jerry visited in Amherst Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hedges.

Mrs. V. J. Sigmam, Mrs. Leon Dent, Mrs. E. C. Clayton and Mrs. L. H. Dent were in Lubbock Monday.

Springlake Wins In Solo And Ensemble Interscholastic Contest

Springlake School was well represented in the Solo and Ensemble Interscholastic League contest which was held Saturday April 2 in Levelland.

Students participating in the different events were as follows: First place winners in solos: David Cameron, Baritone; Jane McCord, Flute; Raymond Jenkins, Bass; and Polly Middleton, Cornet.

Winning first place in Ensembles were: Brass quartet composed of Charles Axtell and Arnold Williams, Cornet; Vickie Coker, Trombone and David Cameron, Baritone.

Bress Sextet, first place winners were: Glenda Williamson and Janette Ray, Cornet; Ralph Wislan, French Horn; Charlie Jones, Trombone; Camilla Wheatley, Baritone and Raymond Jenkins, Bass.

Placing second in the contest of solos were: Ralph Wislan and

Shelby Bozeman, French Horn; Arnold Williams, Cornet.

Second in the solo Twirlers were: Jane McCord, Vickie Prather and Patti Mann.

Participating in the Cornet quartet and winning second place were: Janette Ray, Glenda Williamson, Linda Rose and Polly Middleton.

Third place Solo Twirlers: Pruda Sanders, and Mary Jane Shirey. Third place Woodwind Trio, Jane McCord, flute, Sharon Been and Jim Stockard, Clarinet.

Third place winners in the quartet winners Ensemble were: Mary Jane Shirey, Jane McCord, Vickie Prather and Patti Mann.

Springlake contestants won six first places; eight second places and six third places.

First place winners were awarded bronze medals.



CLEANUP TIME IN EARTH — Earth Jaycees have taken as a project something that every civic minded citizen of our fair city should take a part in. The Jaycees shown here, were busy Monday afternoon cleaning up and burning off vacant lots in Earth. Pictured left to right are Mack Templeton, Carroll McDonald, Victor Neinst, Golden Furgerson, Doug Parish, Glenn Vining and Gene Templeton.

Women's Page

Mrs. Mid McKnight Will Speak To L. C. C. Associates April 12

Ladies of the area are invited to hear a talk on "Helping children Lead the Christian Life" to be given by Mrs. La Voise McKnight at the April 12 meeting of the L. C. C. Associates of Lubbock Christian College. Meeting time has been set at 2 p.m. at the Springlake Community building. Earth ladies will serve as hostesses.

Mrs. McKnight, a busy homemaker, Bible School teacher and wife of Mid McKnight, minister of the 10th and Utica Church of Christ, Plainview is well qualified to speak on the chosen topic.

Arthur Horne of Gilliland Texas spent Monday night and Tuesday visiting his niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Glasscock.

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MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED—These two outstanding Seniors were selected by classmates as the most likely to succeed and attain their goal. They are Ronnie Spies, son of Mrs. Rena Spies and Linda Kay Lawrence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence.

Mrs. McLelland Shower Honoree

Mrs. Arthur McClelland, the former Faye Spies was honored with a come and go bridal shower Saturday, April 2, in the dining room of the Earth First Baptist Church.

Peggy Davis, greeted and registered the guests. The serving table was laid with a white linen cloth and centered with a beautiful arrangement of pink roses.

Dainty sandwiches and cookies were served by Linda Elmore and JoAnn Hulle poured pink banana punch. Others assisting with hospitalities were Twila Whitford, Kay McCord, Eleanor Riley and Minnie Wheat.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames: Price Hamilton, Jack McCord, O. B. Whitford, H. N. Ellis, Edd Wheat, Tommy Wheatley, Paul Wood, Chester Emore and M. E. Kelley.

H. N. Seymour Honored On Birthday

H. N. Seymour who was ninety years old Tuesday, April 5 was honored with a birthday dinner Sunday at the Earth Community building. All his children were present for the occasion.

The birthday cake, in the shape of an open Bible was iced in white and decorated in blue with the inscription "Joy to the World. Happy birthday Dad, 90 yrs."

Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Seymour, Carl Burton; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rogers and children, Elida, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fox and children, Sam Jon, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Hestand and children, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hedges and children Springlake; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cook, Tommy, Elonda and Belinda Hipkins, Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Evans, Quata Sue, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny K. Martin and Debbie, Mrs. Will Evans, Patti Mann and Mary Jane Shirey.

Two grandsons, Dick Evans Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Evans New Haven, Conn., were unable to attend.

Mrs. Ben Porcher and Devon of Odessa have spent the past two weeks here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Webb. Mr. Porcher visited them last weekend. Devon has had the measles.

H. D. Club Meets In Gabehart Home

The Springlake Home Demonstration Club met Friday April 1, in the home of Mrs. Albert Gabehart with Mrs. Gabehart giving the opening exercise.

Mrs. James Packard, vice president had charge of the business meeting and the members made plans for a coffee to be held Wednesday April 6 in the home of Mrs. Robert Akin.

Mrs. Hilbert Wisian presented the program, insects and diseases of plants and flowers, since she had attended the Leadership training meeting at Littlefield March 30 for this program.

Several of the club members wore comical hats they had designed themselves. Mrs. Robert Akin placed first with her hat.

The winner from each club in Lamb County will model her hat at the next council meeting.

Refreshments of cookies, coffee and punch were served to the following Mesdames: Mrs. J. A. Stiles and Mrs. Ray Gabehart guests and members E. W. Fanning, Robert Akin, James Packard, Hilbert Wisian, and the hostess.

The next meeting will be April 15 with Mrs. James Packard and the program will be on clothing and accessories given by the H. D. agent.

Everyone interested is invited to attend.

Party Line.....

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Barlow and family of Amarillo visited Sunday with her grandmother Mrs. John Kelley and uncle Alvin Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Nyer of Tulla and Mrs. E. O. Nyer of Lamesa spent Saturday night with their daughter and grand daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Don Randolph spent Sunday in Tulla.

Affiliated Food Stores Set Up Special Scholarship Program

College Scholarship Program Announced by Affiliated Food Stores.

Young men working in the more than 190 Affiliated Food Stores in this area now have the opportunity of applying for a special college scholarship in food distribution according to Mr. Charles McBoath, General Manager of Panhandle Associated Grocers, Inc., in Amarillo, Texas.

The two-and-one-half year fully accredited scholarship to the Food Distribution Curriculum at Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, Michigan, is known as the

Shurfine Scholarship Grant and is intended to provide recognition & encouragement for careers in food retailing for young men working in stores where Shurfine Foods are sold.

The Shurfine scholarship grant will be administered by the Registrar of the University.

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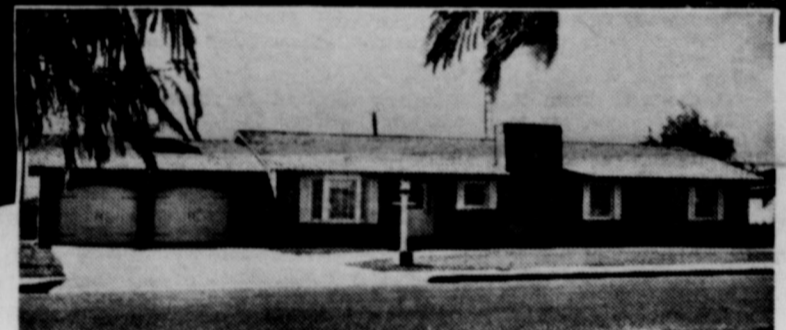
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Lazbuddie News -

By MRS. C. A. WATSON

The Edd Hartleys family from Muleshoe was Sunday visitors in the Ira Wimberley home.

Mrs. J. E. Williams and Jeannine Wimberley were dollar day shoppers in Lubbock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crain were in Waco last week visiting Mrs. Crains mother Mrs. J. O. Webb. Mrs. Webb returned with them for several days visit with the Crains and the James Robertsons. Mrs. Robertson is also a daughter of Mrs. Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stone and daughters from Lovington, N. M. visited with her parents the J. B. Wrights Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Harrison from Hale Center were weekend guests in the Clyde Monk home. Also guests in the Monk home

were her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carter and her sister Mrs. Boone McCracken from Quitaque.

Mrs. Clyde Monk was dismissed from a Lubbock hospital Saturday where she had been for two weeks medical care. We are glad to report she is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harris Jr. from Abq., N. M. visited his parents J. R. Harris last weekend.

Hazel Gay Lesley has been out of school a few days with a cold. Eld. E. J. Norman from Childress

was dinner guest Wednesday in the Charlie Watson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bynard Fox from Abq., N. M. are visiting their son and family the G. Fox's this week.

Mrs. S. P. Tipton of Bovina was visiting friends here one day last week. She reports Mr. Tipton who was hurt in the car-tractor accident last summer is able to be in the wheelchair now.

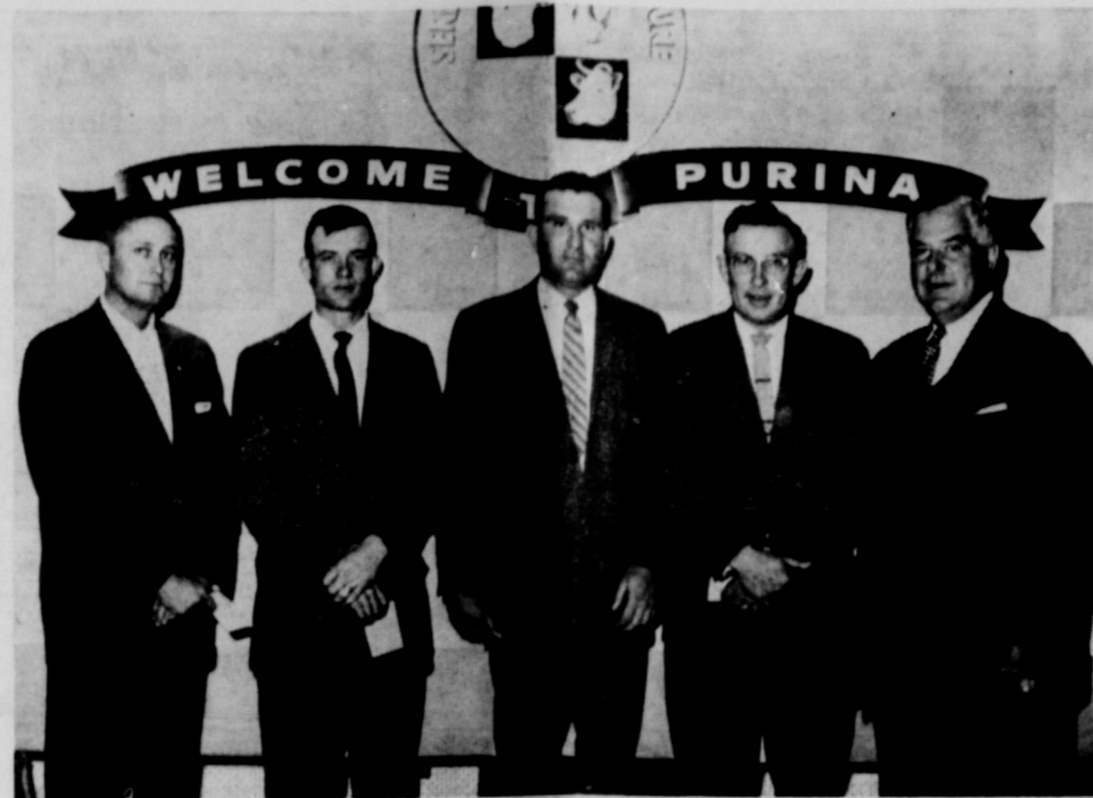
Mrs. W. S. Menefee accompanied by the Bud Minors from Hereford attended the funeral of her cousin

Elan Money in Hamlin Tuesday. Mr. Money age 61 passed away in Hamlin Hospital Sunday evening. Bro. Leonard Hartley pastor of the Baptist Church in Hamlin officiated with the Hamlin Funeral Home in charge. He was laid to rest in the Hamlin Memorial Cemetery. He was survived by his wife and four sons.

Mr. Money farmed with Mr. Menefee in this area the year of 1929 and 30.

Word was received here Sunday that Keith Menefee grandson of Mrs. Lena Menefee was improving after several days of illness. He will have to be in bed for some time yet however, Keith is at home at Corpus.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Smith Jr. left Monday to take their daughter Debra to a specialist in Galveston. They were accompanied by Mrs. Leon Smith Sr. and the mother of



Earth area residents recently returned from a tour of the Purina Research Farm at Gray Summit, Missouri. Pictured above, from left to right are: John Shaw, Plainview; Gene Tunnell, Lewis S. Faver, and Bob Bell, all of Earth and K. E. Rowland, president of the Ralston Purina Co.

Mrs. Smith Jr., Mrs. Loyd Davenport.

Happy Birthday this week to: Timmie Foster, Wyle Bullock April 3rd, Donna Precure, 4th, Gale Hargrove, 7th, Harrold Wilson, Cynatha Harvey, 8th, John Edwards Jones, Penny Grusendorf 9th, Coy Mason 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Golden celebrated their anniversary Monday April 4th and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith celebrated their birthday April 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Bewley visited her brother Luther Alexander in Olton Sunday.

The Methodist entertained in Fellowship Hall at Lazbuddie with celebrating birthdays of members who had birthdays in April, Wednesday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Greafe are in Independence, Mo., this week attending a conference meeting of their Faith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Paul from Hereford visited with her mother Mrs. May Green yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Young, Cooper and Steve visited the A. G. McCrays in Lamesa last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence King from Slaton were Sunday guests with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Grady King.

Mrs. Demp Foster honored their son Timmie with a birthday Sunday. Games were played and after packages were open refreshments were served to Terry Parhams, Mike and John Ward, Mike and Frankie Hinkson, and Daryl and Gary Mathews.

Congratulations to Lazbuddie track and field team for winning 2nd. place in the meet at Hale Center Saturday.

Lazbuddie school pupils are taking their last six weeks tests for this semester. The highlight of this week in the school is the School annuals that are here at last.

"What Improvements Are Needed To Make Earth A Better Place In Which To Live"

BY CARMELITA MURRELL.

There must first be a desire to improve one's home town before any activities can possibly be launched. This desire must first begin in the home, then spread throughout the entire community. Once this has been accomplished, many improvements can be made.

The objects of prime importance, in my opinion, are the streets and houses. The homes of every individual should definitely be numbered. It is almost impossible for a visitor in our town to find a certain residence without having to first stop and inquire. The unpaved streets are almost always in poor condition throughout the winter months, nearly impassable. Every effort should first be exhausted before giving up the idea of having every street in our town paved. Also, most of our business buildings are badly in need of improvement, both inside and outside. A greatly publicized "Clean Up and Fix Up Week" would be a great idea, and if the citizens really had a desire to improve the conditions of our town, it would be a big success. We also need many new recreational facilities, for example, a Youth Center. Many leisure hours could be spent playing ping-pong, snooker, or dominoes in a social club such as this.

A worthwhile contribution to the public schools would be a kindergarten. The children attending would be better prepared for their first year of school, and the results would be well worth the effort.

Although Earth is in need of improvements, it is the intimate day to day, winter and summer, that makes "Our Settlement" of special value to its citizens. It is primarily through the efforts of every single citizen in Earth to clean up and make "Our Settlement" into an attractive, generous, and understanding town, the way that we want it to be.

BY BILLY TAYLOR

Earth is one of the most prosperous towns on the South Plains, yet we are losing a very big percent of our customers to surrounding towns. We need some ways to interest people in staying home to do their business, and

AMONG THOSE WHO ARE ILL!

Mrs. James A. Littleton was in Littlefield Hospital Monday where she received minor surgery for a foot ailment.

George Kasinger was dismissed from Medical Arts Hospital Clinic, Littlefield last Friday where he had been a medical patient for several days. His condition is reported to be improving.

J. W. Kelley was dismissed from West Plains Hospital, Muleshoe Saturday after spending several days there for a check-up.

with many trees, picnic tables, and playground equipment.

There are many improvements that could be made in Earth, and today is not too soon to start working, each and all, to make Earth a better place in which to shop and live.

Melvin Lewis, student at Abilene Christian College was at home with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lewis from Thursday until Tuesday.

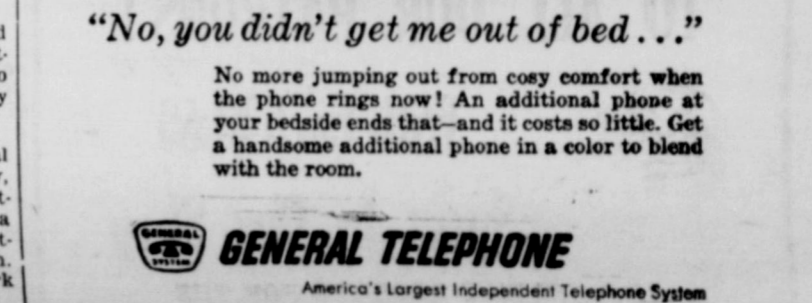
Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. Bob O'Hair and Mrs. Jean Ross were Mr. and Mrs. Ed O'Hair and Mrs. Dwayne Jones and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kelley were supper guests Saturday night of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Burgess of Sudan.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Berry Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sulser and Marian Dawson.

Cecil Meadows, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kelley and Mrs. Lillie Wuerflein returned Friday from Fort Worth where they attended the nation wide Sunday School Convention sponsored by the Southern Baptist Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. McCool Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. V. L. McCool, Hereford visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hickman.



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What Does The Bible Say About How Do You Know?

By LOYD E. ASH

Reading Time: 4 Minutes
Let's go back to the Bible! It is good to see so many people wanting to get back to the Bible for true Christianity. One of the healthy signs of our times is that you often hear people ask: "How do you know that is right? Where do you find it in the Bible? Where do you get the authority for that?"

Investigation and sincere study always lead to the Truth.

A story goes that an old gentleman told his congregation that once every six months God let every one that was in heaven look over the edge and see all those who were to come during the next six months. Asked about it the next day he readily admitted that he had made such a statement. "But," said the friend, "where do you get your authority for saying that? Where in the Bible do you find such a statement?" The old man replied, "Why, the Lord bless you, brother, I don't have the authority at all. I just know it—that's all—I just know it."

This attitude is the one that gets so many people into very serious trouble in the spiritual realm now. They don't have authority for many things they do in the name of religion—they cannot put their finger on a "thus saith the Lord," but they don't worry any about their lack of proof. They just "know that it is so. They just know it." How do they know it? Well, they say they just know it.

Now do you want to entrust your immortal souls to such reasoning, or lack of reasoning as that? Do you think it is all right for a person to just suppose that a thing is acceptable to God if he wants to believe badly enough? This attitude sets aside positive divine law, and renders God's divine word just so much foolishness! If not, why not? If man can walk by what he thinks to be right, then why have the Bible at all? Are men's thoughts as high as God's thoughts? Are his ways as high as God's ways? Isa. 55:8-9 tells us differently. Yet he has the audacity to step forward and say, "I know that they are right. I just know."

God has revealed to us all things that pertain "unto life and Godliness" (2 Pet. 1:3). Is there anything that pertains to these

that has not been revealed? The text says there is not! Then if man "just knows" that something is right, yet it cannot be found in the Word of God, how can he assume that it pertains to "life and Godliness?" If it did, it could be found on the pages of the holy writ. (2 Tim. 3:16-17).

The Scriptures were written that we might know the certainty of these things (Luke 1:4). They were written that we might believe in Christ for eternal life (John 20:30-31). Faith plus obedience equals salvation (Mark 16:15-16; Romans 6:17).

When we put "I just know" above the Bible, we are giving men prominence over that which is written, a thing we are forbidden to do (1 Cor. 4:5). The Bereans searched the Scriptures daily to see if they were hearing the truth (Acts 17:11). Only when we continue in the Word, can we expect to know the truth and be made free (John 8:31-32). "And hereby we do know that we know him, if we keep his commandments. He that saith, I know Him, and keepeth not his commandments, is a liar, and the truth is not in him. But whoso keepeth HIS WORD, in him verily is the love of God perfected, and hereby know we that we are in Him" (1 John 2:3-5).

We may say regarding certain things we want to believe, "I just know they are right." Well how do we know? "Oh, I just know." Oh no we don't! Not for one minute! In the realm of that which is absolutely right, we only know according to what has been revealed. "Faith comes by hearing and hearing by the word of God" (Rom. 10:17). We can walk by God's divine rule or we walk on our own. Which will it be? Let us accept the Word of God and not put our thinking against it.

The message is plain. We need no special interpretation in order to understand it. We can open the book up, and read and understand. No person can say, "I just know it is right" unless he can put his finger upon the passage or passages that teach that thing.

Let us "prove all things; hold fast that which is good" (1 Thess. 5:21). Will you be one of the many today who are going back to the Bible for all things? (Paid Advertisement)

Party Line.....

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sulser visited Sunday afternoon in Bovina with her parents.

Evelyn Clayton, L.C.C. student spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Clayton.

Mrs. Floyd Bills visited with Mrs. R. C. Kooten Friday afternoon.



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Springlake FFA Judging Team Takes Second Place At Plainview

In the Invitational Livestock Judging contest at the Plainview Livestock Show March 31 the Springlake FFA team was named second place winner out of forty five teams.

The Springlake team composed of Jerry Jones, Shelby Bozeman and Dale Dent placed first in the judging of cattle, also first in the judging of sheep.

The team judged cattle, sheep and swine and won second place in the entire judging contest and was presented a banner, also they received a banner for second place in the Littlefield district.

In the showing of the livestock Gerald Hadaway placed second in the heavyweight Angus steer division and Ronnie Johnson placed third in the heavyweight swine division with his Poland China barrow.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our lovely friends and neighbors, for their cards, flowers, gifts and words of encouragement during my hospitalization.

May God bless each of you.
Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hickman.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our good friends for the flowers, food and cards which meant so much to us in our time of sorrow, also to those who so willingly prepared our land, we are deeply grateful.

Elmer King.
Mr. and Mrs. Otis Ray King.
Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bell.
Mr and Mrs. J. W. King.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Leonhart are moving to Lawton, Oklahoma where he will be employed by the school.

Earth Furniture Exchange Now In New Location

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dick McNeil, owner and operators of Earth Furniture Exchange and the Flower and Gift Shop have combined the two business and moved to their new location south of the caution light on the Amherst road.

The store building with larger quarters has been completely re-modeled and a complete line of new and used furniture has been added along with all types of gift items perfumes, artificial flowers and greeting cards.

A complete line of new dress materials and simplicity patterns have also been added.

Mr. and Mrs. McNeil have been in the Furniture business in Earth for the past eight years, coming here from Oregon where Mr. McNeil was in the Real Estate business.

Mr. and Mrs. McNeil wish to invite everyone to stop by and look over their new line of merchandise.

Party Line.....

Mrs. Bud Elmore and L. E. Sloan were in Muleshoe Tuesday morning on business.

PL—
Mrs. L. S. Griffin, Mrs. W. F. Williamson and Ronnie were in Lubbock Saturday.



JUDGING TEAM SECOND PLACE WINNER — The Springlake FFA Judging Team composed of Dale Dent, Shelby Bozeman and Jerry Jones, all sophomores, competing with forty five other teams,

won second place in the judging contest at the Plainview Fat Stock Show. They also took second place in the Littlefield district.

Daughter Of Local Doctor Has Poem Published In 'Voice Of Young America'

Faith Helen Faust, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F. B. Faust was recently informed of the publication of one of her poems written while in Highschool.

The poem was published by the National Poetry Association of Los Angeles, California in a bound volume edited by Dennis Houtmar, called "Voice of Young America."

The Editor indicated this was the third time he had presented a line collection of poetry by high school authorites. These, he said, "were considered worthy of publication in a Bound Volume. Many of the young Authors have now left school to establish a place in the world for themselves."

"However, it is the hope of this editor, to give the participants breath that will satisfy their Poetic Souls.

STARS

by Faith Helen Faust

Stars stand sentinel across the sky,
High above the sombre pines,
Watching the earth go by.

Across their face a curtain of clouds may go,
Through the rifts in long slashing lines,
The stars undaunted glow.

Never a sound do they make,
Yet each has a voice all its own;
Together the silence they break.

Man has made many things,
From his hands towers have grown,
The sound of his industry sings.

He with his intelligent telescope pines,
Yet even man must stand in awe,
At the glory of the star swept skies.

—1953

Mrs. David Johnson and Ronnie visited in Littlefield Sunday afternoon with Mrs. C. L. Johnson.

Three Win Prizes At Beauty Shop

First prize winner for the monthly drawing held at Lucille's Beauty Shop April 2 was Mrs. J. W. Kelley who won a free permanent.

Second prize, a hair cut, shampoo and set was won by Mrs. Ada Lee Gray.

Mrs. Arthur Miller won third prize and received a can of hair spray.

All patrons at Lucille's Beauty Shop are eligible to register for each \$1.50 spent in her shop. These prizes will be given at the end of each month.

Registration for these prizes began the first week in March and will continue for six months from that time.

At the first drawing held April 2, Fonda Goodwin, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Goodwin drew the names from the box.

Sale Of Cattle Subject To Income Tax

The sale of cattle is subject to income tax, no matter what use the proceeds are put to, according to Ellis Campbell, Jr., Dallas District Director of Internal Revenue Service.

Numerous questions at farm tax schools have pointed up misunderstanding on the part of some farmers. The sale of cattle, land, and other farm capital assets are taxable no matter whether the proceeds are reinvested in similar property or not.

There is one exception in the case of condemnation proceedings or other involuntary conversion. Farmers having a problem in this area were advised to get a free copy of the "Farmers Tax Guide" from their County Agent or the Internal Revenue Service.

Area Home Broken Into Sunday, Cash Taken, No Suspects

The W. C. Stout residence near Earth was robbed Sunday morning about 11 a.m. of \$2700 in cash, according to Sheriff Dick Dyer.

The money was taken from a shelf in the master bedroom.

The robbery occurred while Mrs. Stout was attending church services at the Earth Baptist Church, and Mr. Stout had left the premises where he had been irrigating to get a cup of coffee at a Cafe in Earth.

Stout reported the robbery to Deputy Sheriff V. L. Smith when he returned to his home seeing a screen torn from the window.

County officers also arrived and made casts of the ladies shoe prints left outside the window where entrance had been made.

Sheriff Dick Dyer reported Tuesday they had no suspects to the robbery.

AMONG THOSE WHO ARE ILL!

Gene Brown who has been ill for quite some time is able to be up and around now.

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LAMB COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS

Lamb County SCD has completed two years of application of the Great Plains Conservation program. Some 87 GPCP contracts have been developed on farms and ranches in the district covering over 40,000 acres with Federal Cost share being provided to the extent of over \$250,000.00 for contract periods of from 3 to 10 years. There are 10 states in which the Great Plains Conservation Program is in effect and the State of Texas has taken the lead in getting the program in operations. From the last count Lamb County was the leading county in the State of some 78 designated counties in Texas, from the standpoint of total number of contracts. When these facts are all into consideration, it is indicated that the program is meeting with approval and filling definite need in the Lamb County Soil Conservation District.

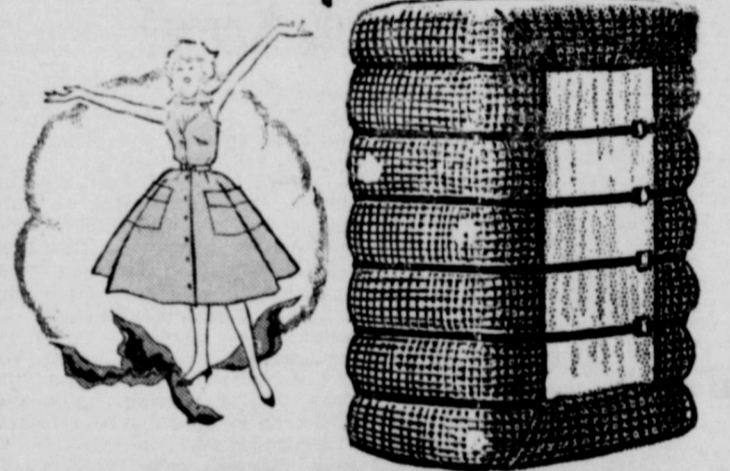
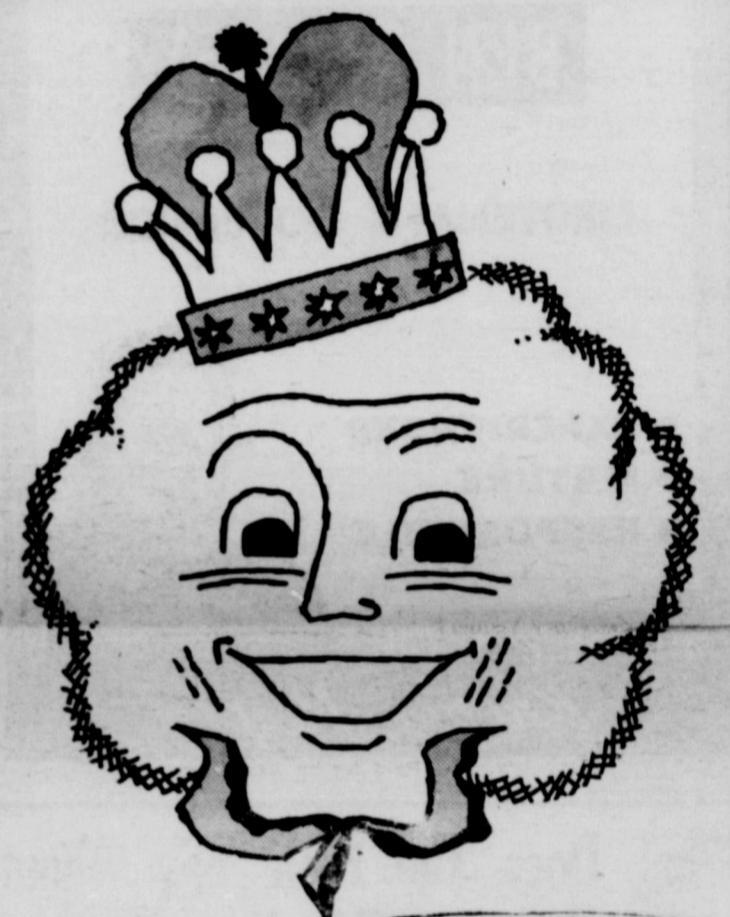
terracing is another practice which has come to the front in the Lamb Co. SCD since the GPCP came in to being. Over 200 miles of terraces have been constructed in the district this winter which represents an increase over last year. Last year there were more terraces constructed than in the seven prior years all put together. Cost share rates vary from 50% of the average cost to 80% of the average cost.

The Great Plains Conservation Program is based on a complete Conservation Plan over a period of years. A contract is drawn which obligates a producer to carry out his agreement and the secretary of agriculture to supply funds agreed upon. It is possible to amend the original plan to take care of changing conditions, and there has been a great deal of activity in making such modifications.

For further information concerning the Great Plains Conservation Program and how it may assist in individual farm or ranch operations, Land owners and operators are urged to contact the local Soil Conservation Service office, assisting the Lamb County Soil Conservation District, offices located in the basement of the Courthouse, Littlefield, Texas.

Party Line.....

Fred Dobbs, Altus, Oklahoma visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Griffin and Dene Woodring.



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District Interscholastic League Meet At Plainview Friday, April 9

Springlake High School will be represented at the District Interscholastic League meet which is scheduled to be held in Plainview Saturday, April 9.

Preliminaries will begin at 9 a. m. with eighteen Springlake boys participating in nine running events and field events.

Finals will begin at 1 p. m. The Springlake boys participated in the relays in Amarillo Friday, April 1, with no wins and no placings.

A total of 1340 contestants were entered in the relays.

Services Held For Mrs. Elmer King Thursday, March 31

Funeral services for Mrs. Elmer King 45, Springlake were conducted Thursday at 2:30 p. m. in the Springlaks Baptist Church.

The Rev. James Flippo, Amarillo, and Rev. Clifford Jester, pastor officiated. Burial was in Littlefield Memorial Park under direction of Singleton Funeral Home, Muleshoe.

County moved to Lamb County in 1925 from Ralls and was a member of the Hopewell Missionary Mrs. King, a native of Crosby Baptist Church.

She died at 8:15 p. m. Tuesday in West Plains Hospital, Muleshoe.

Survivors include the husband; a son, Otis Ray King; Springlake; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bell, Earth; three sisters, Mrs. J. O. Phillips, Baileyboro; Mrs. O. F. Phillips, Muleshoe; Mrs. I. S. Collier, Lovington, N. M. and one grand child.

Party Line...

Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Seymour were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cook and Tommy of Clyde, Elmda and Belinda Hipkins of Ellis Kansas.

Mrs. Pete O'Hair, Kelley Earl and Kenny, Mrs. Jerry Kelley, Norma and Kirby were in Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gilmore and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gregory visited with Mr. and Mrs. Morris Kello of Muleshoe Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. David Staggs, Junie and Janie of Borger were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hooten. Calling in the afternoon was Mrs. Adeline Newton.

Baptist Vacation Bible School Set May 23 - June 1

The First Baptist Church vacation Bible School will be held May 23 through June 1, according to the pastor, Rev. Cecil Meadows.

There will be a meeting each Tuesday at 1:30 for the workers in the Vacation Bible School, approximately 170 enrolled in the school last year with an average attendance of 125.

All parents and children are urged to attend.

The First Baptist Church will be host to the Associational Vacation Bible School clinic, Friday April 15.

The program will begin at 10 a. m. and departmental conferences will be held both morning and evening.

Bill Stephens Take Part In Amphibious Landing In Formosa

FORMOSA (FHTNC) — Billy J. Stephens, electrician's mate third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Stephens of Earth, took part in a huge amphibious landing exercise, March 22, on Formosa's southern coast while serving aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Bon Homme Richard.

The exercise, termed "Operation Blue Star," called for participating units to assemble in the area on March 20, along with Marine units based in the Far East and U. S. Republic of China navy, marine and aid force elements.

Purpose of the operation, which comprised over 18,000 Marines and 70 Navy ships, was to promote closer working relations between U. S. and Republic of China forces in practicing the conventional and vertical assault type amphibious landings.

"Blue Star" was one of the largest amphibious operations since D-Day in 1945.

Party Line...

LaDonna Sigman spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hooten.



Miss Judy Chester is shown here accepting a bouquet from Lions Club President George Redinger. Miss Chester was named Olton Lions Club Queen.

Judith Chester Chosen Olton Lions Queen

Miss Judith Ann Chester, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Chester, Olton was chosen as the Olton Lions Club Queen for 1960. Judges selected Miss Chester as possessor of the fairest face and form from among the three dozen lovelies.

The original field of thirty-six contestants was narrowed to seven and at request of judges was finally reduced to three.

The winner was presented a plaque at the Lions Banquet and is eligible to compete in District Lions queen contest.

Winning contests is nothing new with queen Judith, who is an honor student in the senior class and was selected Miss O.R.C. last summer. She has won numerous interscholastic declamation contests and was selected as an outstanding actress of District 2 drama competition.

Miss Chester is the granddaughter of Mrs. M. M. Morris, Earth and a niece of Mrs. E. C. Hudson, Earth. Judith is a former Springlake student.

Insecticides Unsafe If Rules Not Followed

College Station. — One way to safeguard against excessive insecticide residues on harvested crops and protect those who handle the materials is to follow the recommendations of the manufacturer.

C. F. Garner, associate extension entomologist, says the labeling of all insecticides shipped intrastate must be registered with the U. S. Department of Agriculture. All applications for registration or labeling are thoroughly examined to remove or modify any directions for use on particular crops which do not seem to meet the requirements of the law.

Among other things, the USDA determines whether any treatment is likely to leave excessive chemical residues on the harvested raw agricultural commodities.

Garner suggests that the following rules be closely followed. Use an insecticide only on the crops for which it is recommended and in the amounts specified on the label. Applications of the insecticide should also be made in accordance with the label directions.

If a crop is not named on the label of a particular insecticide, it may mean that no residue of that pesticide is permitted on that crop; and hence the treated crop could not be shipped if it contains a residue of that chemical.

Growers who follow the recommended time and rate of application can be assured the insecticide will not contaminate the edible part of fruit or vegetable, or will have been removed or decreased enough by weather, decomposition, or other process so that the residue will not be excessive at harvest time.

If custom applicators, including those using airplanes, are employed, be sure they too follow the rules or directions listed by the manufacturer of the insecticide used, emphasizes Garner.

HELLO WORLD!



Mr. and Mrs. Don Townsend are the proud parents of a baby girl born Friday, April 1, at the Littlefield Hospital Clinic.

The little girl weighed 9 lb. 3oz. and has been named Bonnie Robin. The Townsends have three other children Kelley, Donny and Tracy.

Mr. Townsend is coach at Springlake High School. Grandparents are: W. M. Townsend, Fredrick, Oklahoma and J. H. Barrick, Burneyville, Okla.

Farmers - Ranchers Defense To Be Studied Through Extension

If nuclear bombs struck several of Texas' larger cities, would people still be safe "down on the farm"?

Answers to this and many other questions will be studied this year by Texas farm and ranch families in special programs on the rural resident's key role in the nation's civil defense.

The CD study will be incorporated into the Extension Service work conducted by the hundreds of county agents over the state.

Need for farm and ranch defense is based on recognition that the answer to the above

question is "no." Research on fallout could drift in death-dealing quantities to even the most isolated areas.

Since all-out war would destroy, contaminate or cut off many normal food supplies, protection of the means of producing more food would be of crucial importance to the nation's recovery.

Programs, to be conducted by the county agents in cooperation with county civil defense officials, will give latest information on what the rural resident can do to protect himself, his livestock and his crops.

The State Division of Defense and Disaster Relief and the Texas A & M College Extension Service are joint sponsors of the effort.

Nearly 600 rural civil defense kits have been mailed to the county agents, according to State Defense Coordinator James H.

Garner. Kits include information on such down-to-earth questions as these:

1. How should the family be protected?
2. How can the cattle be economically sheltered?
3. Could the farmer leave his own shelter long enough to feed and milk the cows?
4. Would the well water be safe?
5. Would feed stored in a silo be safe?
6. When would the pasture be safe for grazing again?

Films, information and discussion materials for four meetings plus maps, exhibits and how-to-do-it brochures are included in the kits.

Garner said county civil defense directors over the state had

been contacted and alerted to assist county agents in presenting the CD programs to farm and ranch groups.

"We feel most fortunate," said Garner, "in Extension Service Director John E. Hutchison's decision to include rural civil defense in the extension service program for this year. The Extension Service has one of the best trained and most extensive staffs of any agency in the state, with an enviable reputation for leadership and service."

"Though Texas has become more urbanized in the last two decades, we have an estimated two and one half million people living in unincorporated areas. In the event of nuclear attack, they could well become just about the most important people in Texas."

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Sunnyside News -

by TEENY BOWDEN

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cox flew down from Canada Friday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cox Friday and Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. McRee moved from the community to Odessa, Monday.

The second class of the G. A. Leadership course was conducted at the church Monday afternoon with eight members attending.

The Deacons of the church met Monday night for their regular monthly meeting.

The survey of the community was continued Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Howard Bridges entertained in her home with a Stanley party Tuesday afternoon.

The Intermediate G. A.'s met at the home of their counselor, Mrs. Weldon Bradley Tuesday afternoon for the study of their Home Mission Study Book "Deepest R. P. D." Mrs. Roy Phelan taught the book to five G. A. girls, Mrs. J. T. Holcomb, director and Mrs. Bradley served supper to the group.

The Bradley Eutaw team participated in the volleyball tournament at the Springlake High School this week. They won their game Tuesday night over Hanson Grocery and lost in their game over Shelby Voters Friday night.

Mrs. Milton Ott was honored with a birthday party in her home

Wednesday afternoon. Those attending were Mrs. Howard Bridges, Mrs. J. E. Shirley, Mrs. T. D. Dyer, Mrs. Ray Axtell, Mrs. Cecil Curtis, and Mrs. Roy Phelan.

The W. M. S. met for Bible study Wednesday night. Mrs. Rex Jenkins is their counselor.

A birthday party honoring Alton Louder, Lance Louder, and Lori Westmoreland was given in the home of Mrs. Ezell Sadler Thursday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alton Louder, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Louder and family, Mrs. Ezell Sadler and boys, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bowden, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Louder and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Westmoreland and Lori.

Raymond Jenkins and Mary Jane Shirley participated in the Wolverine Band Assembly at the Springlake High School auditorium Friday. Raymond presented a solo on the French horn and participated in a brass sextette ensemble. Mary Jane presented a solo on the clarinet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Christian of Wingate visited Thursday through Saturday night with their daughter, Mrs. Robert Paschal and family.

Mrs. Raymond Lilley attended her granddaughter's class school program at Olton Friday afternoon. Marlin Power was dismissed from the Castro County Hospital Friday.

Word was received Saturday of the death of Owen Redwine in a

plane crash Friday. He and two other men were killed in his private plane as they returned home from work. He was a former resident of the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Herriage attended the funeral services for his aunt in East Texas this week.

Mrs. Noah Spencer left Tuesday to be with her mother during her grandmother's critical illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Henderson and family spent last weekend in Clovis with friends.

Mrs. Houston Carson and children attended a surprise birthday party honoring Mrs. J. L. Carson in Olton last Saturday night.

Houston Carson went fishing last week with John Moore and Furchie Riley instead out with relatives as reported last week.

Earl Phelan was honored with a birthday steak supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holbrooks last Saturday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holbrooks and family, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Spencer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelan and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Phelan and family.

Wayne Holbrooks and Donnie Lilley attended the Bimmitt Senior Class Ice Skating party in Amarillo last Saturday night.

The El Paso Gas Plant's Women's Volleyball Team lost their games in the Springlake Tournament to the Springlake Faculty Monday night and to the Goofers Thursday night.

The El Paso Gas Plant's Men's Volleyball Team won their first game Tuesday night over the Earth Jaycees and lost their game Friday night to the Earth Pumper Uppers.

Molly Bradley, Gene Carson, Johnnie Ruth Holcomb and Evelyn Waggoner attended the Dimmitt 6th grade tour of the West Texas Museum in Canyon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelan visited in Halfway Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Morris, Mrs. Lula Phelan and Mrs. T. M. Kyser. Mr. and Mrs. Phelan returned home with them.

Ezell Sadler and E. R. Sadler returned Saturday from their fishing trip to Sugar Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Holcomb, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lilley, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holbrooks and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Axtell attended the P.C.A. dinner for Stockholders in Plainview Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tex Conard and family visited in Hart Sat. with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conard, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Godfrey and Donny and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Woodward and family of Amarillo. Larry Woodward came home with them to spend Saturday night and Sunday with Junell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Graff of Odessa moved into the community this week. They bought the V. H. McRee place.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Waggoner arrived from the coast Saturday to visit with relatives. The report that they arrived here two weeks ago was an error.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Westmoreland and Lori spent Saturday night in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hays. Lowell left Sunday for Fort Sill, Oklahoma for two weeks of Reserve Training. Mrs. Westmoreland and Lori remained with the Hays through Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lilley, Sharon and Louise Carson visited in Hart Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Cody Marlar of Lorenzo, Alene Lilley of Amarillo and other relatives.

Bill McWilliams of Plainview visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Power and Bobby Jean.

The Adult III Sunday School class enjoyed a class dinner at the

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by BETTY MATLOCK

A large number of boys and girls from the Cherub Choir and the Carol Choir enjoyed skating and a picnic at Plainview last Saturday. They were accompanied by several of the parents.

Among those attending the Sunday School Convention at Ft. Worth were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Alair, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hucks, Rev. Robert Huckabee, Mrs. Troy Blackburn and Mrs. Clifford Jester, Mrs. burn, and Ted Rowan.

Phillip Bearden was honored with a bowling party at Olton Friday afternoon on his birthday. Cake, Coke, and ice cream were served before bowling to Ray Tom Packard, Don and Darwin Sanders, and Phil Bearden, the honoree.

Mesdames Ernest Baker, Bill Cole, W. T. Clayton, Troy Blackburn, and Almon Whitford attended the bridal shower of Miss Gayland Graham, bride-elect of Max McGill, last week at the home of Mrs. Rufus Delberry of Olton.

Mrs. Charlene McFadden and children of Midland visited last week with her parents, the Gus Parish's.

The Homemakers S.S. Class enjoyed a dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Washington Sunday. Those enjoying the delicious meal were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hopping, Cokie and Scottie Mr. and Mrs. Bud Matlock, Debbie and Sammie, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson, Buster, Debbie, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Alair, Eddie, Jimmy and Johnny, Rev. and Mrs. Cliff Jester, Donna, and Jon Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McNamara, Frank Steven, Lyndel, Mr. and Mrs. Denny Barnett, Bart, and Kim, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baker, and Ted Rowan, and the host and hostess.

Miss Charlotte Gibson of Baylor University spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bearden took their Training Union Class

home of Mr. and Mrs. Tex Conard Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Tex Conard and girls and Larry Woodward of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lilley and Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley, Molly, Lee and Ometa, and Vernon Scott of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cummings and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holbrooks and family, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Carson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alford Crisp and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bowden, and Rev. and Mrs. Murie Rogers and Butch.

Marlin Power was rushed back to the hospital in an ambulance Sunday afternoon, and the brain specialist in Oklahoma City contacted again. He will check him Monday. Four men set up with him in relays Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sparkman and Mr. and Mrs. James Gammage of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Waggoner of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Waggoner were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner and boys.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Taylor and Bobby Sid of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Behrends and Mrs. Lester Hankis and children of Lubbock visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges visited in Hart Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hart. They attended the services at the First Baptist church with them.

Seventy Seven attended Sunday School with 55 in Training Union Sunday.

bowling at Olton Saturday afternoon. Later refreshments were served to Jeanette James, Don and Darwin Sanders, Noble Miller, Gene Jones, Ray Tom Packard, Phil Bearden, and the leaders.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Clayton attended the reception honoring Mr. and Mrs. Ira Thomas Shotwell on their 50th wedding anniversary and Dr. and Mrs. Clifford Payne on their 25th wedding anniversary recently at Littlefield.

Thurl Ray arrived here Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Ray. He has been stationed at Barber's Point, Oahu, and is now on his way to Memphis, Tenn., to go to school.

Mrs. Aaron and Mrs. Walden visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Walden Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bridge and Terry and Sissy visited with the Lewis Bolinger's over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Barte, Mrs. Della Drake, and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Clayton were dinner guests of the W. T. Clayton's Friday.

Word was received here late Sunday afternoon of the death of Jesse (Red) McClanahan of Littlefield. He was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Jack Sanders. He was also a cousin of Mrs. Bud Matlock and Mr. Bill Matlock.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hicks spent Wednesday with her parents the Ashley Davis's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Matlock and Jeoridean, and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Adams, Johnny and Sherry were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hedrick of Sunnyside Sunday.

The 6-7 year old Sunbeams met Monday with their new Sunbeam director, Mrs. Marie Bibby and her helper, Mrs. Bonnie Green. Seven children were present to hear the stories about Our New State, Alaska. The group also enjoyed weaving place mats like the Indians in Alaska.

The W.M.U. met Monday for business and Royal Service program. Mrs. Juanita Blackburn, president presided over the business. Mrs. Vernie Bearden had

charge of the program. Those present were Mesd. Velma Baker, Alice Huckabee, Francis Watson, Dorothy Washington, Patsy Jester, Vernie Bearden, Billie Walden, Eleanor Watson and Juanita Blackburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Huckabee and Ronnie spent the weekend in Ft. Worth with their son and his wife, the Malcolm Huckabee's.

Party Line...

Mrs. Charlie Dunn and Mrs. Don Randolph were Littlefield shoppers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Murrell and Joan and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Murrell spent the weekend in Del Rio and attended the Bull Fights in Villa Acuna.

Mr. Henry Randolph, Mrs. L. A. Glasscock and Mrs. Bill Price were in Lubbock Monday.

Party Line...

By MRS. JOHN WEST

Mesdames T. E. Bills, E. K. Angeley and Harold Allison were in Lubbock shopping last Wednesday.

Mesdames C. W. Calhoun, Russell Bryant, C. C. Holt, E. K. Angeley, and John West went to Farwell Friday to help with the sixth grade skating party.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. St. Clair, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Bickle and Harold Allison, Oscar Allison and E. K. Angeley attended the CPA annual barbecue dinner held in Plainview Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lackey of Morton spent Sunday night and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lackey.

Mrs. E. E. Frost is visiting in Morton this week.

Mrs. Elmo Stevens and Mrs. John W. West were in Clovis on business Monday.

Juanita St. Clair spent the weekend in Baileyboro with Geraldine Cooper.

Mrs. Neil Webb, Mrs. Bobby Murrell and Mrs. Clyde Knight visited Mrs. Alvin Webb in Littlefield Monday night.

T. V. Murrell left Tuesday morning for several days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Halsell in San Antonio.

Neal Knight returned to school Tuesday after several months absence due to illness. He is the ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Knight.

Mrs. Henry Randolph and Mrs. L. A. Glasscock were in Littlefield Tuesday.

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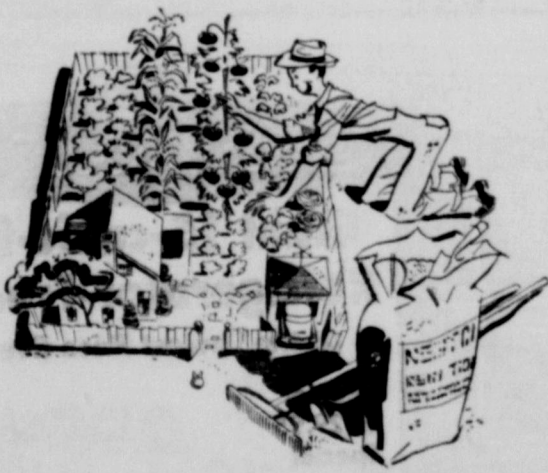
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Clarence Hamilton
Bill Shelby

DISTRICT ATTORNEY:
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Bill Sheehan (Incumbent)

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Loy Dalton

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals for the construction of certain water and sewer system additions, consisting of approximately 7500 feet of 6" water mains, 1800 feet of 3" water mains, 3000 feet of 2" water mains, 11,000 feet of 8" sewer mains, complete with manholes, cleanouts, valves, fittings, fire hydrants, wet connections, and other appurtenances will be received by the Honorable Mayor and City Council of the City of Earth, Texas at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, Earth, Texas, until 2:00 P. M. Central Standard Time of the 8th Day of April, 1960, at which time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud and considered by the City Council. Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened. No bid submitted may be withdrawn before thirty (30) days have elapsed after date of submission.

Copies of the plans, specifications and contract documents are on file at the Office of the City Secretary at Earth, Texas and are open for public inspection. A set of such documents may be obtained from Ralph W. Douglas, Engineer, at 403 LFD Drive, Littlefield, Texas.

A Cashier's or Certified Check payable without recourse to the City of Earth, Texas, or an acceptable Bidder's Bond in the amount of at least 5% of the total amount bid must accompany each bid as a guaranty that, if awarded the contract, the bidder will promptly execute a performance bond and enter into contract on the forms provided. Checks must be issued by a Texas Bank satisfactory to

the City and Bidder's Bond by a reliable Surety Company licensed to do business in the State of Texas.

A performance bond in an amount not less than the amount of the award conditioned upon the faithful performance of the Contract and the payment of all persons supplying labor or furnishing materials or other services will be required from a Surety Company holding a permit from the State of Texas to act as security on bonds of principal.

The City reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids and to waive informalties except that no bid received after the closing hour will be considered.

The Contractor will be paid in cash and bids are to be made accordingly.

The attention of the bidders is called to the special provisions concerning minimum wage rates and hours of employment included in the Specifications and Proposals to insure compliance with House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature and the House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and all Federal Wages and Hours Legislation if such is applicable.

W. M. MESSER
Mayor, City of Earth, Texas
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Party Line.....

Mrs. Thurman Lewis and Mrs. Melvin Bock were in Amarillo Monday.

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Mrs. Ray Glasscock and Rocky were in Mulshoe on business Tuesday morning.

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Friday Declared Bermuda Shorts Day At Springlake School

Last Friday, April 1 was designated as Bermuda Shorts Day, along with April Fool's Day, in the Springlake Schools.

In the Bermuda Shorts Contest, High School winners were Billy Taylor and Sharon Wheatley; second place winners were Jim Stockard and Polly Middleton.

In the Junior High School Diana Glasscock won first place for having the loudest shorts and was awarded an Eversharp Pen.

Jimmy Stone also won an Eversharp Pen for wearing the loudest shirt.

Hi-Plains Hi-Lights

NEWS from the High Plains Research Foundation

Castor bean tests for 1959 at the High Plains Research Foundation disclose that Baker dwarf varieties 292 and 296 continue to be the best in yield of the released varieties with 1866 pounds and 1859 pounds per acre, respectively. Delbert Langford, Assistant Agronomist, stated in commenting on his report released today.

These yields were approximately 400 pounds per acre above the 1958 record and about 700 pounds above the 1957 yield. The Dawn variety made similar gains.

Five of the eight varieties tested were experimental and not yet released. The average yield of all eight was 1,829 pounds per acre. This exceeded the 1958 averages by 194 pounds and 1957 by 653 pounds. One of the experimental varieties was over 300 pounds above the three year yield leaders. Even higher yields may be anticipated in the future.

The eight varieties of castor beans under test at Halfway made a surprising recovery from the June 22 heavy hail damage. Castor beans suffered less than other crops on the research farm at Halfway.

The eight varieties were planted May 15 at the rate of 10 pounds of seed per acre. They received 50 pounds of nitrogen sidedressed on June 19. All

varieties were harvested January 29. Inclement weather delayed the harvest and caused an approximate 10 per cent loss from shattering. Damage from the oleronaria leaf spot was higher in the sections of the field where water from rain and irrigation remained on the ground longer.

Eight varieties of castor beans tested in previous years have been found unsuitable for this area and have been eliminated from the test programs at Halfway.

The Foundation's research program with castor beans has been conducted at the research farm at Halfway for the past three years. This program will be continued as a part of the Foundation's work in developing new crops to strengthen the agricultural and industrial economy of the High Plains. Dr. Earl Collister, Chief Agronomist and Assistant Director, stated today.

Commercial Well Drilling Increased Almost Two - Fold In 1959

High Plains Cotton Growers Harvested Second Largest Crop

LUBBOCK — Despite delayed plantings and other obstacles, Texas High Plains Cotton producers harvested their second biggest cotton crop in history for 1959, according to the latest ginning report figures released by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the Census Bureau.

For 1959 the 23 counties on the Texas High Plains harvested and ginned 1,869,353 bales of cotton. This production is second only to the all-time record crop of 1958 when 2,025,433 bales were produced.

Thus 1959 becomes the fifth time in the last 10 years when Texas High Plains Cotton production topped the one and half million-bale mark. Other top years were 1957 with 1,572,389 bales; 1956 with 1,654,904; 1951 with 1,581,148. Also 1949 saw 1,760,849 bales produced on the Plains.

As to top ranking counties in cotton production, Lamb County in 1959 ranked 12th in the nation.

Below are ginning figures for the following counties are, Bailey 96,744, Castro 33,475, Cochran 63,240, Hale 180,274, Hockley 178,328, Lamb 174,397, Lubbock 209,790, Farmer 40,742.

Chlorosis Common On Texas Lawn Plants

Chlorotic plants are found over all of Texas, but are more prevalent in areas with alkaline, calcareous soils.

Chlorosis or yellowing of plants results when the green coloring matter fails to develop or is destroyed. Affected plants range from light green to yellow to almost white.

The loss of color is most often due to lack of iron in plants. The diseased condition may also be due to viruses, deficiencies of sulfur, manganese or nitrogen, poor drainage or aeration and nematode damage.

Lack of iron is most common in apple, apricot, arbovitae, ash, catalpa, cedar, cherry laurel, Chinese tallow, citrus, grasses, magnolia, oleander, peaches, pecan, pyracantha, rose, strawberry and many other shrubs and flowers. Most soils on which iron chlorosis occurs are well supplied with iron but it is in a form unavailable for plant use.

Iron chlorosis is controlled by adding iron sulfate (coppers) or iron chelates to the soil. These chemicals can also be applied as a foliage spray in late evening when the plants are actively growing. In general, spraying will give quicker results but will not last as long as proper soil application. Applications of large amounts of well rotted compost at regular intervals is also recommended.

For further information, ask your extension agent for a copy of the publication, L-435, "Iron Chlorosis."

Persistence indicates a strong will; obstinance a strong won't.

LUBBOCK — The High Plains Underground Water Conservation District has announced that in 1959, commercial well drilling within the Water District increased almost two - fold over 1958. In 1959, a total of 1518 wells were drilled, as compared to 879 wells in 1958.

Officials of the Water District explain that because of the need for pre-planting irrigation water on crop land in the spring of 1959, the first six months of that year showed a tremendous increase in drilling activity when compared to the first six months of 1958. The latter half of 1959, however, was about equal in number of wells drilled to the last six months period of 1958.

The District reports that very little new land is being placed under irrigation for the first time, even though additional wells are being drilled. Most new wells are drilled to obtain additional water with which decreasing irrigation supplies may be supplemented. Wells in the southern High Plains of Texas are generally decreasing in capacity, consequently, new wells added to an irrigation system are used to regain quantities of water originally pumped from fewer wells.

Another factor which probably had a bearing on increased drilling activity in 1959 is that generally excellent crops were harvested over the southern High Plains area during the fall of 1958. The good harvest not only refilled the area's sagging pocketbook, but it was also instrumental in creating an optimistic feeling within individuals toward making additional capital investments.

Over 98 per cent of the water pumped from wells in the Southern High Plains is pumped for agricultural irrigation purposes.

Below is shown a table that breaks down the compiled statistical data on drilling activity throughout the Water District. The past two years are shown so that comparisons may be made.

Bowling

SPRINGLAKE COUPLES LEAGUE

Club	Won	Lost
Springlake Elev.	25	14
Springlake Beauty	25 1/2	14 1/2
Paymaster Gin	24	16
Circle Gin	20	20
Thompson Impl.	18 1/2	21 1/2
Watson Bros.	16 1/2	23 1/2
Olton State Bank	16	24
Mac's Hardware	13 1/2	26 1/2

HIGH SCORES

Club	Score
Olton State Bank	1701
Olton State Bank	659
Individual	
MEN	
Lenville Hines	199
3 Game Series	
Lenville Hines	496
INDIVIDUAL WOMAN	
Wiona Boone	175
3 Game Series	
Wiona Boone	433

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Walker, Mrs. Ray Faust and girls, Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Walker and Robert of Lubbock were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Simmons Saturday.

LEGAL NOTICE

ORDER FOR CITY OFFICERS RUN - OFF ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS: CITY OF EARTH:

I, M. W. Messer, in my capacity as Mayor of the City of Earth, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held in said City on the 16th day of April, 1960, for the purpose of electing the following officials for said city:

Run - Off Mayor: M. W. Messer, J. C. Blackwell.

Run-Off Alderman: John Welch, E. C. (Shorty) Kelley.

That in accordance with an order adopted by the City Council of said City, said election shall be held at the following place in said City, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election.

In Election Precinct No. 2, at the Community Building, in said City, with Carroll McDonald as Presiding Judge, and necessary Clerks.

That said election shall be held in accordance with the Election Code of this state and only resident qualified voters of said city shall be eligible to vote at said election.

That the City Secretary shall give notice of said election by posting a copy of this order in each of the election precincts of said city.

That immediately after said election is held, the officers holding the same shall make returns of the result thereof to the City Council of this city as required by the Election Code of this state.

A copy of this order shall also serve as a writ of election which shall be delivered to the above presiding Judge, for said election.

M. W. MESSER Mayor

ATTEST: RUBY ANDERSON City Secretary



COTTON MAKES HISTORY — An unusual fashion show tracing the use of cotton in dress from 3,000 B.C. in India down to Dior's New Look of 1947 will go on the road this month and be seen in leading retail stores in the U. S. The three historical costumes shown above represent, left to right, 18th Century America, 17th Century England, and Austria of the 1900's.

February Record Month For Soil Testing

College Station. — Soil samples submitted to the testing laboratory operated by the Agricultural Extension Service during February totaled 3,515. According to Dr. W. F. Bennett, extension soil chemist, this is by far the greatest number of samples received in any one month since the laboratory was established in 1950.

The chemist points out several reasons for the large increase in soil testing. First, he says, agricultural producers have seen and heard of demonstration results where soil test recommendations have formed the basis for adding plant nutrients to the soil for increased as well as more efficient production. Too, he adds, the ever-

tightening cost-price squeeze which farmers have faced for the past several years has caused them to seek ways and means to increase their income.

Bennett also says the effects of the intensified soil fertility program being conducted by the Texas Extension Service in 12 pilot counties in the Gulf Coast, Northeast and South Plains areas of the State are reflected in the number of samples being submitted to the lab. These counties all rank high in the number of samples submitted since the program was started last fall in the Coast Prairie counties.

Despite the heavy run of samples, Bennett says the laboratory has been able to get most of the test results back to the producers in 12 to 14 days. The chemist also reported that other laboratories operating in Texas have also received more samples during this same period than would have normally been expected.

He thinks it is a fine trend and believes the adequate moisture supplies now available in most areas will increase the benefits from fertilizer use this year.

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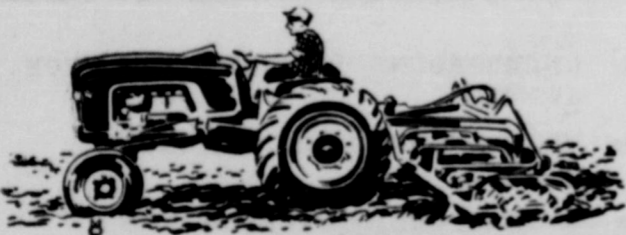
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