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COUNCIL NOTES:

CITY COUNCIL REMOVES OBSTACLES HINDERING THE SECURING OF EASEMENTS FOR HIGHWAY PROJECT

John Welch and Clarence Kelley were sworn in by Mayor Pope at the meeting of the City Council Monday night in the City Hall. The City Council passed an ordinance who have lots bordering or abutting upon U. S. Highway 70, the cost of curbing guttering, which amounts to about \$2.00 a running foot. (Further details on ordinance will be found on page 6)

CITY TO MOVE EARTH OIL PUMPS AND GIVE LEASE FOR EASEMENT

The council also voted to move the Earth Oil Co. gasoline pumps from their present location on Main street to the east side of the building, making the driveway front first street. This must be done in order for Phillips Petroleum Company to give a lien release to the Earth Oil Company on that part of the property, allowing them to give their right of way to the Highway Department.

CITY TO PURCHASE 750 FEET OF NEW HOSE FOR FIRE DEPT.

The City accepted the bid to purchase 500 feet of 2 1/2 inch hose and 250 feet of 1 1/2 inch hose for the Earth Fire Department. They also will purchase a new valve which will cost \$50 and repair another old valve on the Fire Truck.

Three Business Buildings, Warehouse and Homes Under Construction, New Cafe Opened Wednesday In Earth

Three new business buildings are now under construction here in Earth, also a new grain storage warehouse, and several new houses including two red brick homes in the north part of the Taylor Addition. A new cafe also opened in Earth Wednesday.

Dee's Cafe Opens Wed., Formal Opening Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wasson, owners of Dee's Cafe, which is located in the former Taylor's Real Estate Building, opened for business Wednesday. Dee's Cafe has been redecoreated inside and out, and equipped with the latest, most modern equipment.

Fire Destroys Shelton Home

A fire completely destroyed the four room home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shelton on the Carl Eastwood farm, 2 miles east of Flaggin, Sunday night, February 19. The Sheltons had just moved here from Foreman, Arkansas and were attending church services at the time of the fire.

Olin Graham Manager of Southwestern Public in Earth, Vogt To Abernathy

Olin B. Graham will become Earth manager for the Southwestern Public Service Company today (March 1) it has been announced by J. M. Collins, division manager for the electric light and power company.

Business Building Purchased By A. D. Taylor

A. D. Taylor, owner of Taylor Real Estate in Earth has purchased the former McCaskill building from the Littlefield building and Loan Co.



Margaret Meadow Wins S. L. School Spelling Bee

Margaret Meadow, 7th grade student at the Springlake School was named winner over 12 entries in the Junior spelling bee Wednesday morning. Margaret is the daughter of Rev and Mrs. Cecil Meadows of Earth. Margaret spelled 90 words correctly, having twisted the letters in her 91st word.

Mrs. E. Jones Taken By Death

Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, 77, died at 1:35 a.m. Thursday, February 23, at the Amherst Hospital. She suffered an extended illness. The late W. O. Jones, who preceded her in death, January 18, 1951, moved on a farm northeast of Earth in 1930, having moved here from Vinson, Oklahoma.

City Election To Be Held April 3 To Elect Mayor and Aldermen

High Plains Water Protection Association Organized Tuesday

Farmers and Business men in this area met in Muleshoe, Tuesday night and organized the High Plains Water Protection Association. This organization was organized to help protect our irrigation water supply from being piped to Lubbock for consumption there. A petition is being circulated to keep the City of Lubbock from taking five million gallons of water a day from this area. This petition must be completed and presented to the Highway Department by Friday. This amount of water would cover five or six thousand acres of irrigated land.

Saturday Last Day For Candidates to File

There will be a City Election on Tuesday April 3, to elect a Mayor and five aldermen to serve full terms. The filing period for candidates seeking office will end this Saturday, 12 noon. Mayor made this announcement to the News Wednesday. He explained that with the change in our City Government the terms of officials serving under the old commission type of government terminated by virtue of the State Election Laws Governing the forming of new City governments. Therefore making it necessary to elect new City Councilmen, on the State designated regular City election date of the 1st Tuesday of April.

Texas Public Schools Had It's Beginning Back In 1854

The Constitution of the Republic of Texas, adopted March 2, 1836, declared, "It shall be the duty of Congress, as soon as circumstances will permit, to provide by law, a general system of education." In 1854 the School Law provided for the first State Public School system in Texas. The State Constitution declares, "A general diffusion of knowledge being essential to the preservation of the liberties and rights of the people; it shall be the duty of the Legislature of the State to establish and make suitable provisions for the support and maintenance of an efficient system of free public schools."

EDITORIAL Times and Conditions May Change, But The Need For Public Schools Never Does

The need for the public school never changes, but times and conditions may change or require to be changed methods and practices of public education. This is inherent with anything that grows, for growth is the result of change. Our Texas public schools were created 102 years ago, in 1854 the first law passed establishing the public school. It is a healthy thing in our democratic way of life to have intelligent understanding of the important functions of our basic institutions. This is especially true of the schools. The initiative and responsibility and the wisdom and leadership that our schools are inculcating in the youth of today are the answer of the problems of citizenship in the years ahead. Yes, bring the men to match my mountains. That is the need of our times and must come from the public schools — schools that are strong in virtues required for building strong men and women. We can be assured of this and do our part in understanding and helping the public schools to fulfill their great obligation to our times by being a participant in the annual Public Schools Week, March 5 through 10. Schools will hold open house; accept their hospitality, and you will enjoy the experience of going back to school — if but for a day.

Amherst P. T. A. To Sponsor Style Show March 9th

A Style Show will be held, Monday, March 9 at 8:00 p.m. at the Amherst High School Auditorium, sponsored by the Amherst P. T. A. Commentator will be Jim Black of Lubbock. Littlefield and Earth will participate in the Style Show. Those from Earth will be the Earth Style Shop and Rutherford and Company. Models for Earth Style Show will be Charlene Hamilton, Sports clothes; Mrs. Edward Jones and Mrs. Dwayne Louder, Suits, Coats and dress clothes; Barbara McCaskill, sports clothes and casuals; Ginger Dent, Beverly and Barbara Burrow of Springlake, children's clothing.

Official Proclamation by J. O. POPE, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF EARTH

GREETINGS: The Public School System of the combined efforts of all persons of this community in providing public education to all. The Governor of the State of Texas and all officials of the state government endorse and promote the betterment of the Public School Systems of Texas at all times, and the community of Earth has always been foremost in such support. Our present school system is continually being improved so that public education will keep abreast of changing times. The encouragement of this continual improvement can only be brought about by the wholehearted support of the people of this community. All persons of the community, not just parents, should visit our schools and become familiar with our local problems, so that the continued growth of the Schools of the Earth Community will be assured.

THE CHALLENGE OF THE CROSS TO BE PRESENTED SUNDAY, MARCH 4th

A religious drama entitled "The Challenge of the Cross" will be presented at 7:30 p.m. Sunday in the First Baptist Church under the direction of Mrs. Cecel Meadows. This play was to have been presented February 5 but was postponed due to weather conditions. The cast includes: Eldon Davis, Evangel, others are Mesdames E. A. Upchurch, Tommy Gattis, Gene Reynolds, Mary Sanders, Paul Wood and Traylor Scott. A quartet will furnish background music.

NOSIN..... WITH POLLY

Friday was a pretty exciting day with the big dust storm raging. Mrs. Harold Brittain got pretty excited when she saw cans flying through the air. She decided it was so bad that their house would be going mostly any minute.

George Carpenter said Friday evening during the Duster, his trailer blew over, but Saturday morning when they looked out the trailer was sitting upright again.

The Dents were all sitting huddled around watching TV Friday night when the wind blew their antenna down. As it fell the wires jerked the TV set clear across the room and almost out the window.

It seems Phil Cann wanted to do something nice for his father in law whose chicken house burned and killed his 100 baby chicks, so he dashed down to pay Carroll Blackwell of the Earth Elevator for the chicks.

Blackwell who would not be out, done on doing good deeds, made this agreement with Phil, that he could pay for one half the cost of the chickens, and he himself would pay the other half providing they both who are on call 24 hours a day. (Our Volunteer Firemen.) So that's where the checks went to those much deserving Firemen.

Receiving Treatment At Dimmitt Hospital

Donna Beth Street, 8 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Street was admitted to the Dimmitt Hospital, Friday.

GATTIS BATTERY AND ELECTRIC BUILDING UNDERWAY

Tommy Gattis, owner of Gattis Battery and Electric Shop, has a new 25x50' building underway. Contractor for the building is Norman Sulser. The building will be a frame stucco. It is located directly across the street in front of the Earth Elevator.

STEPHENS HARDWARE BUILDING SHOP

A new 22'x42' building is now under construction in the south part of town on the Amherst Highway in the former location of the Earth Lumber Company.

NEW GULF STATION TO OPEN SOON

The modern new Gulf Service Station, located on the Muleshoe Highway just immediately west of Dent Farm Supply will be completed in a couple of weeks.

EARTH ELEVATOR TO BUILD NEW WAREHOUSE

Construction will begin soon on the 100'x200' sheet metal building, with a grain capacity of 26,000 bushels. This will be completed and in readiness for grain harvest this year.

TWO BRICK HOMES BEING BUILT

Calvin and J. B. Martin are building two new 2-bedroom brick homes on adjoining lots in the Taylor Addition.

BROTHER INJURED IN TRUCK ACCIDENT

Roy Black of Big Springs, Texas, brother of Douglas Black received injuries in a truck accident near Snyder, Monday night. Black is in a Snyder hospital, his condition is reported to be fair.

Girl Scouts Plant Bulbs

Planting bulbs in bowls with rocks and hemming cup towels was the home makers project of the Girl Scouts, Troop 23, when they met at 4:00 p.m., Wednesday February 22.

Refreshments of cookies and bananas was served by LaDon Messer.

Leaders and scouts present were Mrs. Kenneth Cowley, Mrs. Pat McCord, Judy Jones, Wanda Jenkins, Lana Gay Axtell, Dixie Parish, Jane McCord, Janis Cowley, Jennifer Miller, LaDon Messer and one guest, Quina Grimes.

DON'T BREATHE A WORD BUT —

By Viola Hall

Well another week has passed and a lot of kids have kept it pretty busy, among them were Kenneth Lowe and Sue Neal. They were together Thursday, Saturday and Sunday. I'm not sure just where they were, but they usually stay in and around Earth.

Here is a couple that has slowed down a lot in the past week. They are Marilyn McGeath and James Cooper. James took her home from church Sunday night. That is what I call really slowing down.

By the way Bobby Angeley, who was riding around with you Sunday afternoon?

Our steadies, Norma Jean Jones and Otis Ray King, were together at play practice Monday and Thursday. Saturday they were in Earth, and at the theatre in Olton Sunday.

Something new! Jerry Jones finally decided to catch up with some of the other guys. He was with Henrian Rudd Tuesday and Saturday nights.

This girl Sharon Hay really gets around. She was with Gene Tunnell Sunday in Earth.

Nelda Roach has taken a lik-



Pictured above is Joe Campbell, Jerry Tunnell, Rex Loftis, Kenneth Lowe and Max Neal. These boys all had rear seat speakers installed in their automobiles for use at the Sunset Drive-In. Loftis is shown pointing to the small jack on the cowl of the car, which is about an inch long and a fourth of an inch wide where the cord can be plugged into the car, the other end of the cord is also equipped with a jack to plug into the sound pole

ing to a certain boy by the name of Doyle Wooley. They were together Wednesday night after church.

Joe Edd Wheat and Sharon Hay were together Friday and Saturday. I understand Joe Edd takes her home after school. I'll bet it's better than riding the bus isn't it Sharon.

Jimmy Herring and Elaine Riley, a familiar couple were together Thursday and Sunday in Earth.

Noretta Bollinger! What were you doing taking pictures in front of the Ford house without any shoes on? I only wish I had a picture of that.

Don (Randy) Randolph and Francis Phipps were together Thursday night in Earth. What was that about pigs?

Francis (Tanze) Cole and Claude were together Thursday night. They were together Saturday, Sunday afternoon and night.

Thursday night was a busy night especially since Bobby Murrell was having a party. One couple was Jerle Taylor and Gay Watson.

Unice Jenkins and Richard Bills were together Saturday night at the show. Two girls and one boy? They were also together Sunday.

Henrian Rudd is another one of those girls that really gets around. She was with Gene Tunnell Thursday night. I can see Gene isn't doing so bad either.

Here is a couple we don't see very much of. Clifford Cook took Beverly Provence home from work Friday night. Kind of a bad night wasn't it?

Saturday and Sunday Bobby Angeley was with Gay Watson. Gay doesn't waste time either.

Those Angeley boys just go and go. Tracy Angeley and Jean LaRue were together Saturday night.

Sandra Wasson and John Blackwell, A. L. Cody and Sherrill Wasson were two couples that were seen this week.

It seems Jacky Stark made it home from San Antonio, where he was stationed. He and Virginia Roberson were at the show in Earth Wednesday night. He took her home from work Thursday and Friday night. Saturday night they

were in Amherst and Sunday in Earth.

Max Neal and Kay Wheat were at the senior party together. Something else new.

Friday, Saturday and Sunday found Robert Riley and Charlene Hamilton on the go.

A familiar couple who are Melvyn Lewis and Evelyn Clayton were

together Wednesday night at church, Friday at the show and Sunday afternoon and night.

Barbara Fay Brock went to Denver City, Texas with Barbara Lynn McCaskill and Doug Lewis. Barbara Fay was with Richard McCaskill Saturday and Sunday.

Doug Parish and June Gregory were together practically every night. June had dinner in the Par-

ish home Sunday. How was the salad June?

What happened to your rings Rex and Bud? When did Carol and Beverly become seiors?

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Byers spent Wednesday in Lubbock on business.

Miss Joyce Davis spent Saturday in Lubbock, transacting business.

Mrs. Jim Dickson of Vernon is visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Orin Dickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert O'Hair visited in Houston last week.

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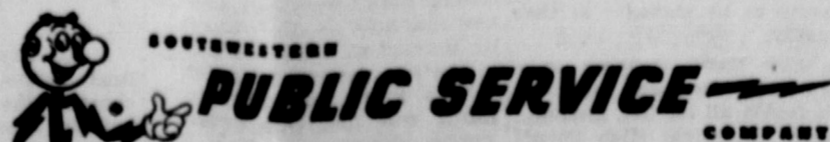
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By Mrs. W. T. Clayton

ALVIN HATTER R. A. CHAPTER HAVE MISSION STUDY, ARE GUESTS IN THREE HOMES

The Alvin Hatter R. A. Chapter met at 4:30 p.m. Thursday at the Baptist Church. The group went to the home of Mrs. Robert Huckabee to begin their mission study book, "Beyond the Desert," by Harold E. Baer. The program was opened with a prayer and the R. A. sang "The Kingdom is Coming." Mrs. Robert Huckabee re-

viewed chapters one and two "Morning and Lost Sheep," after this a congealed salad and crackers were served to the boys. The next stop was at the home of Mrs. John T. Williams. Mrs. Williams reviewed "Tallman Goes Away," "The Missionaries Come," and "New things to learn."

After the prayer and "Thanks," there the menu consisted of fried chicken, brown beans, potato salad and ice tea, was served to the boys.

The boys then made their last

stop which was the Leslie Watson home. Mrs. Leslie Watson reviewed "The Ceremony" and "Into the Future." The watch word and pledge were given and the boys were served chocolate pie. Prayer closed the mission study.

Those attending were Don Sanders, Jimmy Stone, Noble Miller, Darwin Sanders, Phil Bearden, Ronnie Miller, David Fisher, Dale Miller, Ronnie Huckabee, Mrs. F. W. Bearden, Mrs. John T. Williams and Mrs. Leslie Watson.

Billy Jean Watson spent Sunday with Genevieve Brock.

Mrs. Ernest Baker visited with Mrs. Gus Parish Sunday evening.

SEVERAL ATTEND WEST PLAINS BAPTIST ASSOC. WORKEDS CONFERENCE

The West Plains Baptist Association Workers Conference met with the First Baptist Church in Amherst Monday night at 5:00. The program began with the board meeting and dinner was served at 6:00, song service followed by conference periods on Royal Ambassadors, Y. W. A. G. A., and Sunday school.

Rev. F. E. Swanner brought the missionary message. Several from Springlake attended. Among those attending were Rev. and Mrs. John T. Williams.

The Springlake Lions Club met for their regular meeting at the community hall Thursday with 25 present. The Lions were given tickets to sell for the basketball game scheduled Friday, March 2. An automatic electric fry pan will be given away at half time of the game. Mrs. Leslie Watson and Mrs. Robert Huckabee.

Genevieve Brock spent the night with Billy Jean Watson Friday night.

Mrs. A. C. Loftis and Mrs. W. B. Hucks visited Mrs. Gus Parish Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Harlon Watson were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Watson.

Visitors in the Springlake Baptist Church Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Waide, Mrs. John Bridge and son, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stansell and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Art McPatter, little twins and Terry.

Barbara Brock and Barbara McCaskill visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Herring of Denver City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Clayton visited in the Almon Whitford home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Watson called at the Ernest Baker home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baker returned home from Persla, Iowa Friday, where they attended the funeral of a friend, Mrs. P. T. Stamps.

The Sunbeams and Junior G. A.'s met at 4:30 p.m. Monday at the Baptist Church with their sponsors, Mrs. Jimmy Banks, Mrs. Billy Clayton and Mrs. McClanahan.

BLACKBURN IN CHARGE OF SONG SERVICES SUNDAY

Troy Blackburn was in charge of the music Sunday at the Baptist Church in the absence of Ken Bush the educational director. Ken is a member of the International Choral Society of Wayland College. The International Choral Society is now on tour in New Mexico, the choir will sing in the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe this Sunday morning and the First Church of Plainview for the Sunday night service, completing the engagements of their tour.

SPRINGLAKE IS WELL REPRESENTED AT DISTRICT NINE CONVENTION

Those attending the District 9 Convention at Lubbock Calvary Baptist Church last Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Miller and Harvey, Mrs. Robert Huckabee, Mrs. Leslie Watson, Mrs. W. T. Clayton and Mrs. Troy Blackburn. The principal speakers for the day were Dr. J. Woodrow Fuller and Mrs. Clem Hardy a missionary.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Blackburn had as Sunday dinner guests, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Watson and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Clayton were in Lubbock Monday.

Mr. Jack Hinson, A. C. Barton and Charlie Jones visited with W. T. Clayton Thursday night.

ATTEND FUNERAL OF UNCLE

Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Padon left Saturday for Burnett, Texas to attend the funeral of Mr. Dave Walters, uncle of B. V. Padon and Mrs. Almon. "Uncle Dave," as he was known to everyone, was a former resident of Springlake. Uncle Dave died at his home in Burnett Friday night from a heart attack.

Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Watkins, Linda and Ernie spent Friday night and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. John Craig, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Turner and Mrs. J. W. Watkins, in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Huley and Mrs. Johnnie Alexander and Teresa are visiting Mrs. Huley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Farmer in Santa Rita, New Mexico.

Party Line.....

Sharon Ann Wheatley spent Sunday with Mary Lou Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kelley have purchased a house from Mr. J. E. Livingston in the west part of town.

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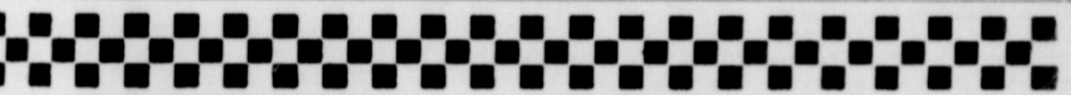
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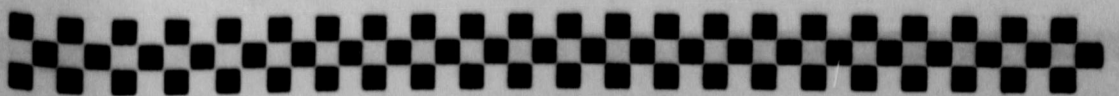


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"Farewell My General" Reviewed At Study Club

Mrs. Roy Byers and Mrs. Dale Chitwood were co-hostesses to the XIT Study Club which met, Tuesday night, February 28 in the Springlake community building.

The guest speaker, Mrs. J. O. Bass Jr. of Edmonson was introduced by Mrs. Roy Byers. Mrs. Bass brought a book review on "Farewell My General" by Shirley Seaforth.

Mrs. Bill Burrow presided over the business meeting. The club voted to donate \$50.00 for landscaping the school grounds, also \$5.00 will be sent to the Federated

Club buildings. The president appointed Mrs. Billy Clayton, Mrs. Kenneth Boone and Mrs. Arnold Washington as a committee to discuss and plan the clubs day at school during Public School week.

Refreshments of dainty decorated cakes, coffee and mints was served from a lovely lace covered table.

Members present were: Mesdames Billy Wayne Clayton, James Sanderson, Bill Burrow, Edwin Jones, Donald Kelley, Kenneth Parish, Arnold Washington, Jess Watson, W. T. Clayton, Jimmy Banks, Roy Byers and Dale Chitwood.

Guests were Mrs. Neil Young of Sunnyside, Mrs. Jimmy Winder, Mrs. Adams Plainview, Mrs. Charlotte Wilmeth, and Mrs. J. O. Bass Jr. of Edmonson.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Byers were expected to arrive home Wednesday from a week's vacation and fishing trip at Del Rio, Texas.



Wednesday was the opening day for Dee's Cafe. Pictured behind the counter as he greets his customers is owner Joe Wasson, standing near in waitress uniform is Mrs. C. W. Mick and Mrs. Minnie Pate. Sitting at the counter nearest the camera is A. D. Taylor, Cecil Lemmons, Mrs. Ross Middleton and Mrs. David Johnson. (NEWS STAFF PHOTO)

Springlake Junior High Assembly Thursday, March 8

The Springlake Junior High Assembly will meet at 10:00 a.m., Thursday March 8 in the new auditorium. The following program will be presented under the direction of Mr. A. M. Ferrill.

The program will be as follows: Prayer and Devotional — Rev. Gene Matthews

Pledge to the Flag — Led by Charlotte Jordan

Songs — Student Body

Song — Wanda Jenkins, Guavina Grimes, Nancy Kelley and Jane Roberson

Poem — Faye Spies

Piano Solo — Sharon Wheatley

Cornet Solo — Glenda Williams and Polly Middleton

Baton Twirlers — Elanor Riley and Minnie Wheat

Song — Linda Rose and Jeanne Garrett

Poem — Linda Lewis

Story — Kay Gregory

Song — Camilla Wheatley

Party Line...

Dale Chitwood transacted business in Lubbock Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Moss Parker had as dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Smith and daughter, Diana, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carver and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hamill and family of Levland and Pat Lemmons.

Mrs. A. E. Wheatley, Camilla and Sharon Ann shopped in Plainview, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Parish were in Lubbock Saturday on business.

Joyce Davis was employed this week at Farm Chemical Co.

Mrs. Marie Bibby and Lorene McNamara spent Monday in Lubbock.

Ricky and Hanny Byers, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Byers of Springlake spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Perkins of Littlefield.

Covered Dish Luncheon At Meadows Home

The Elementary Training Union Planning Meeting of the First Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. Cecil Meadows, Tuesday for a covered dish luncheon.

Those attending were Mesdames Travis Scott, Reed Yandell, Delma McCarty, Earl Miller, Frank Roberson, W. G. Sanderson, T. S. Alair, Alton Taylor, Roy Taylor, R. S. Cole and Price Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Jagness and family spent Sunday at Longview Community with Mr. and Mrs. Eld Findley.

Rev. Cecil Meadow officiated at a funeral service in Rochester, Texas today for a friend. The Meadows are former residents of Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Upchurch have purchased the Joe Ussey house in the Taylor addition in the north part of Earth.



"Did I hear someone call for a drink of water?"

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hudson spent Sunday in Abilene and celebrated their daughter, Mrs. Montez Howard's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones and daughters, Mrs. Fred Helf and Johnny, Mrs. Fred Jones and Jerry of Dimmitt attended the wedding of Mrs. Fred Jones's daughter in Stillwater, Oklahoma, Friday night. They returned home Sunday night.

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REVIEW COMMITTEE GIVES COUNTY FARMER TEN ACRE INCREASE IN COTTON ACREAGE ALLOTMENT

The State ASC Committee was overruled by a three man review committee and granted a ten acre increase in 1956 cotton allotment to Wallace Gosden of Rt. 2, Sudan. Gosden is one of the 393 Lamb County farmers who have protested the 9 per cent cut in acreage which they received this year.

Texas acreage was reduced only 2.67 per cent and Gosden's acreage should have been cut no more than that same percentage.

Every County's review committee in the nation will have reaching effects on the acreage control program, if it is allowed to stand. It gives Review Committees the right to increase the total quota on any controlled crop if the committee feel their area is not getting its fair share.

For many years the Secretaries of Agriculture ruled that the review committees can consider only the action of the County ASC Committees. Until recently the review committees had accepted this ruling, but the law passed by Congress did not limit them to County Committee's action only.

Austin Wilson of Austin presented figures to the review committee showing that while Lamb County is being restricted to 52.8 per cent of its planting in the last non-quota year (1953) many counties in the state have quotas more than 100 per cent of the amount they were planting when they were not restricted.

Due to West Texas farmers heavy planting in 1951, 52 and 53 were largely responsible for the fact that Texas acreage was reduced by only 2.67 per cent this year, while nationwide the reduction was 4 per cent. This was told to the committee by Henry Marsh, all statistician for the State ASC Committee.

The West Texas cotton commission has contended that this reduction should have been spread proportionately across the state; instead of increasing quotas on small farms and making larger reductions on larger West Texas

Farms.

By giving extra large hardship adjustments to small East Texas Farmers, in 1956, this gives them a much larger quota this year than last and it forced a 9 per cent reduction in Counties like Lamb.

The other 392 applicants for increased allotments are expected to get the same sort of treatment accorded to Gosden.

Some 2159 Lamb County farmers did not file protests within 15 days allowed, so they cannot expect to get any such increase.

Litigants on both sides are hoping that the whole matter will be expedited by the courts so that farmers will know definitely before planting time whether or not the review committee's action in granting the increases are legal.

Bud Irvin Return To Oregon For Meeting

W. E. (Bud) Irvin, minister of the Earth Church of Christ left Thursday for Cottage Grove, Oregon again where he will do evangelistic work for 10 days.

Enroute to Oregon, Mr. Irvin was delayed two days in Denver due to snow storms and airline flights being canceled.

Mr. Irvin has held a number of Gospel Meetings in Oregon, some have been sponsored by the Earth Church of Christ.

Mr. Tuttle of Muleshoe spoke Sunday morning and Sunday night in the absence of Mr. Irvin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Welch visited from Saturday until Monday in Seminole with Mrs. Welch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ray.

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WANTED: sewing, specialize in children's clothing. Mrs. James Packard, three fourths mile west of Springlake on highway.

Worker's Conference Held at Amherst

The Associational Worker's Conference of the First Baptist Church was held at Amherst Monday night.

The guest speaker was Dr. Franklin Swamer of Plainview, Dr. Franklin's subject was "Young People."

Those attending from Earth were Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Vaughn, Messrs. Paul Wood, W. G. Sanderson, Travis Jaquess, Hershel Hulcy, Cecil Meadows, Mesdames Travis Scott, Raymond Cole, Clifford Bills and Truman Lowe.

Lindel Jaquess, Jimmy Robertson, Don Yandell, Darrell Barlow, Kenneth Oden, Carl Truelock, Truman and Don Laymon. The Amherst ladies served a delicious meal at the close of the meeting.

AMONG THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Mrs. John Adams was admitted to the Muleshoe Hospital Thursday, suffering from food poisoning. She returned home Saturday. Mrs. Adams teaches in the Springlake School.

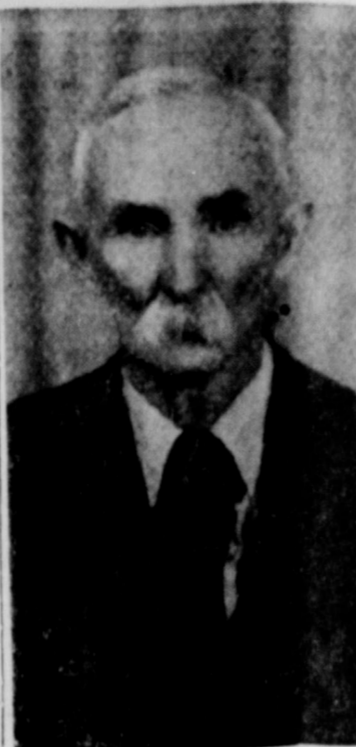
W. H. Parish suffered a light heart attack Friday night, but is able to be up and about this week.

Mrs. George Wesley Clark spent Thursday until Sunday in the Orlton Memorial Hospital for treatment.

Marshall Kent Kelley son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kelley has been ill this past week with a severe sore throat.

There has been reported very little change in the condition of Arlie Roberson, who is in the Amherst Hospital. His condition is still critical.

Roberson was hit by a car, Sunday night, February 19, 4 miles north of Earth.



JOHN KELLEY

John F. Kelley Dies At Eldorado

John F. Kelley, 84, retired Eldorado, Oklahoma farmer died at 9:30 p. m., Tuesday, February 21, at a Quanah Hospital. After suffering a heart ailment four days.

Mr. Kelley had been a resident of Jackson County, Oklahoma, 65 years.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m., Thursday in the Eldorado Baptist Church of which he was a member. Rev. Robert Webb, pastor officiated.

Survivors include his wife of Eldorado, five sons, Clarence, Chester, Elmer and Francis all of Earth, Alvin of Maywood, California,

two daughters, Mrs. Claude Eagle of Levelland and Mrs. Roy Etill of Quanah, and three brothers Albert L. Kelley of Earth; Lon Kelley of Harbour City, California; and W. O. Kelley of Eldorado. 25 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Wodey Farley, Lonzo Bynum, Charlie Bynum, Lee Curry and H. C. Curry.

Burial was in the Eldorado Cemetery under the direction of Merritt Washburn Funeral Home.

Those from Earth attending were Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hodge, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Littleton, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy A. Brian, Jerry Kelley and Pete O'Hair.

"Kings of Judah" Subject at Ladies Bible Study

The "Kings of Judah" was the subject at the Ladies Bible at the Church of Christ, Tuesday morning at 1:00 a. m.

Mrs. Perry Martin, gave a report taken from a report of Dr. Norval Young of Lubbock.

Mrs. Pat Montgomery led the opening prayer and Mrs. Cullen Hay the closing prayer.

Twenty five were present.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 3:00 p. m. for Narvel Brown, 52, of Lawton, Oklahoma, who died suddenly Sunday night.

Survivors are his wife, two children and one brother, Marvin Brown of Earth.

Those from Earth attending the services were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Brown and children, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hallums and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Lewis Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wood will leave Wednesday for Truth or Consequences, where they plan to spend a couple of weeks.

March 6 Date For Junior Class Play

The Junior Class will present their class play, entitled "No More Homework" at 8:00 p. m., Tuesday, March 6 in the new auditorium.

Cast includes:

Shallmar Ames — Carolyn Sanderson
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Mr. Lundquist — Eldon Upchurch
Miss Goodin — Sue Curtisinger
Mrs. Clendenen — Viola Hall
Tic Toc — Kenneth Lowe
Mrs. Hatchet — Betty O'Hair
Miss Oglvie — Shirley Chaney
Pamela Jones — Kay Haberer
Buzzy Bailey — Jerry Tunnell
Ronaki Sassoon — Jimmy Herrington
Mario Role — Otis King
Midge Murphy — Carolyn Parish
Miss Dill — Marilyn McGeath
Jeff Fisher — Melvin McClure
Tullah Ploetz — Sherry Stine

The play is under the direction of Mrs. John Adams and Mrs. LaVerne Sarraudet.

Admission will be 25 cents for children, 50 cents for adults. The public is invited to attend.

Mrs. Burton Brings Devotional At W. M. U. Tuesday

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met at 2:00 p. m., Tuesday in the church.

Following a business meeting, Mrs. A. H. Burton brought the devotional.

Members present were Mesdames Price Hamilton, Paul Wood, R. S. Cole, Clifford Bills, Elton Vaughn, Eldon Davis, Roy Taylor, T. S. Alair, Cecil Meadows, Emert Rose, W. S. Sanderson, T. C. Martin, Frank Roberson, Earl Miller, A. H. Burton, Travis Scott, Bob O'Hair and Jean Ross.

Mrs. Joe Wasson Breaks Arm Saturday

Mrs. Joe Wasson suffered a broken arm in two places, Saturday when she accidentally slipped and fell in the Post Office.

Mrs. Wasson was rushed to the Medical Arts Clinic in Littlefield, where she remained several days. Mr. and Mrs. Wasson are the owners of Dee's Cafe that opened this week.

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Party Line...

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Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stout spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Goodwin and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wood were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Goodwin, who honored Jimmie Craig on his 4th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Bell and Carolyn of Littlefield visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Kasinger Sunday afternoon.

Camilla Wheatley spent Sunday

with Susanne Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Lightfoot and family of Littlefield spent Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Lightfoot.

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NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS

The average person does not often use the term "negotiable instruments" in his everyday conversation, and the words may not mean much to him. Actually, it is just a mouth filling term used in law to describe certain important pieces of paper that we normally call simpler names.

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words, we deal with negotiable instruments all the time. Every check we write to pay the gas bill is a negotiable instrument, and so is your paycheck or pension check. Do you note you sign to buy a new car, the money order you purchase at the bank or post office, or the traveler's checks you take with you on a trip instead of cash, all are negotiable instruments.

It was all started by merchants who had to send large sums of gold or currency between cities or nations. They worked out a way to exchange money, or the value of money, by written messages, much of the time through a third party like a broker or bank. But when you deal in pieces of negotiable paper instead of hard money, there have to be certain standards and safeguards or the paper could lose its value.

Consequently, there developed a whole system of laws within nations and between nations, upon which our business rests. Through the courts, if necessary, the owners of negotiable instruments may enforce the terms written on the paper.

In the United States things used to be confusing some times because of different state laws, but by 1924 all 48 states had adopted a Uniform Negotiable Instrument Law which sets up the same rules nationwide.

Since so called negotiable instruments are so important, since they are ordinarily just like money in many ways, since they often are used like money, or are sold to other persons or companies, and since there are special laws defining the ins and outs of negotiable instruments which we wouldn't ordinarily have any reason to know about, there are one or two simple rules we should follow.

We should make certain we read what's on the paper, that we know what the words mean, and what penalties and dangers name.

Remember: You are the only person in the world with that signature, and the courts, as a rule, must take your signed promises at their face value.

LEGAL NOTICE

ORDINANCE NO. 25
ORDINANCE SETTING DATE FOR PUBLIC HEARING AND ORDERING NOTICE THEREOF GIVEN ON THE QUESTION OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS ON U. S. HIGHWAY No. 70 WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF EARTH, AND ON THE QUESTION OF ASSESSING THE COST OF SUCH IMPROVEMENT AGAINST THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY ABUTTING THEREON.

WHEREAS, U. S. Highway No. 70, as same passes through the City of Earth, in Lamb County, Texas, extending from the East city limits to the west city limits, which is commonly known as Main Street in said town, does not have proper drainage and has no curbs or gutters, and the parking area of such street frequently becomes difficult for use by traffic or for parking vehicles during rainy weather, and a large por-

tion of the business houses of the town are located on such street, and same presents a grave situation from the standpoint of use by the customers of such business houses and the traveling public generally.

WHEREAS, the population of the City of Earth has increased during recent years and additional business houses have been built to such an extent that there is a large amount of traffic in such street, and same in its present state of improvement is entirely inadequate to care for the needs of the traveling public;

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the City Council the abutting property and abutting property owners will benefit by the proposed improvement, and notice should be given to such property owners as required by law and a hearing should be had and a reasonable opportunity given to such property owners to be heard, and that at said hearing said owners, lien-holders and other interested parties should have the right to contest in writing said assessments, the special benefits, irregularities or invalidities thereof, or any prerequisite thereto, and to produce testimony in support of said contests, and the governing body, after such hearing, to determine the amounts, if any,

to be assessed.
THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EARTH, LAMB COUNTY, TEXAS:

1. THAT it is proposed to assess all those tracts, lots or parcels of land lying and being located within the City Limits of the City of Earth, in Lamb County, Texas, bordering or abutting upon U. S. Highway No. 70 as same extends through the said City, from the East City Limits to the West City Limits, for the purpose of improvement, known as Main Street of said town, by providing adequate drainage therefor, and by installing curbs and gutters therein, and widening the paved portion thereof.

2. That Friday evening, at seven (7) o'clock p.m. on March 16th, 1956, at the City Hall in the said City of Earth, in Lamb County, Texas, is hereby set and designated as the time and place when and where the owners of such abutting or bordering property and lien-holders, if any, and others interested shall meet before and with this City Council, and that such parties shall then and there be given a reasonable opportunity to be heard and shall have the

right to contest in writing said assessments, the special benefits, irregularities or invalidities thereof, or any prerequisite thereto, and to produce testimony in support of said contests, and this body determining the amounts, if any, to be assessed.

3. That such meeting shall be continued until such full opportunity to be heard has been given to all such parties.

4. That such hearing be conducted in strict conformity to the laws of the State of Texas and the revised civil statutes of the State of Texas, with special deference to articles Numbers 1211 and 1212 thereof.

5. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately from and after its passage and adoption.

6. That notice of such hearing and of this ordinance shall be given for all purposes by causing one copy of this ordinance to be published in a newspaper of general circulation in this city, for three times prior to the date set for said hearing.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this 27th day of February, A. D. 1956.

J. O. POPE
Mayor, City of Earth, Texas
Attest: ALINE GRIFFIN
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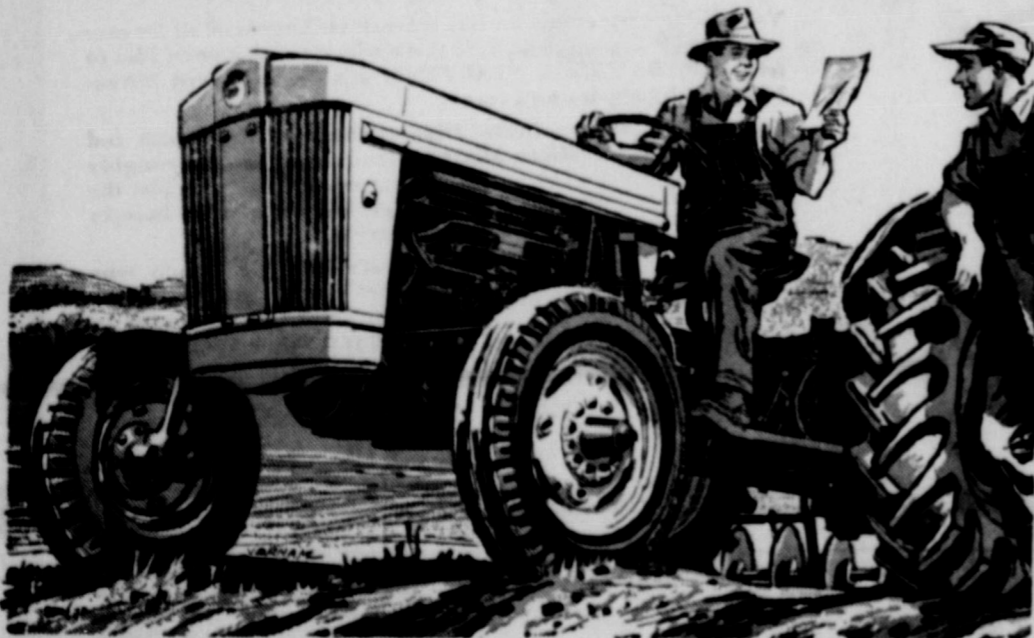
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 For the many beautiful flowers, the food and those who served it, for all who had even a small part in making our burden lighter, we do say thank you from the depth of our hearts.
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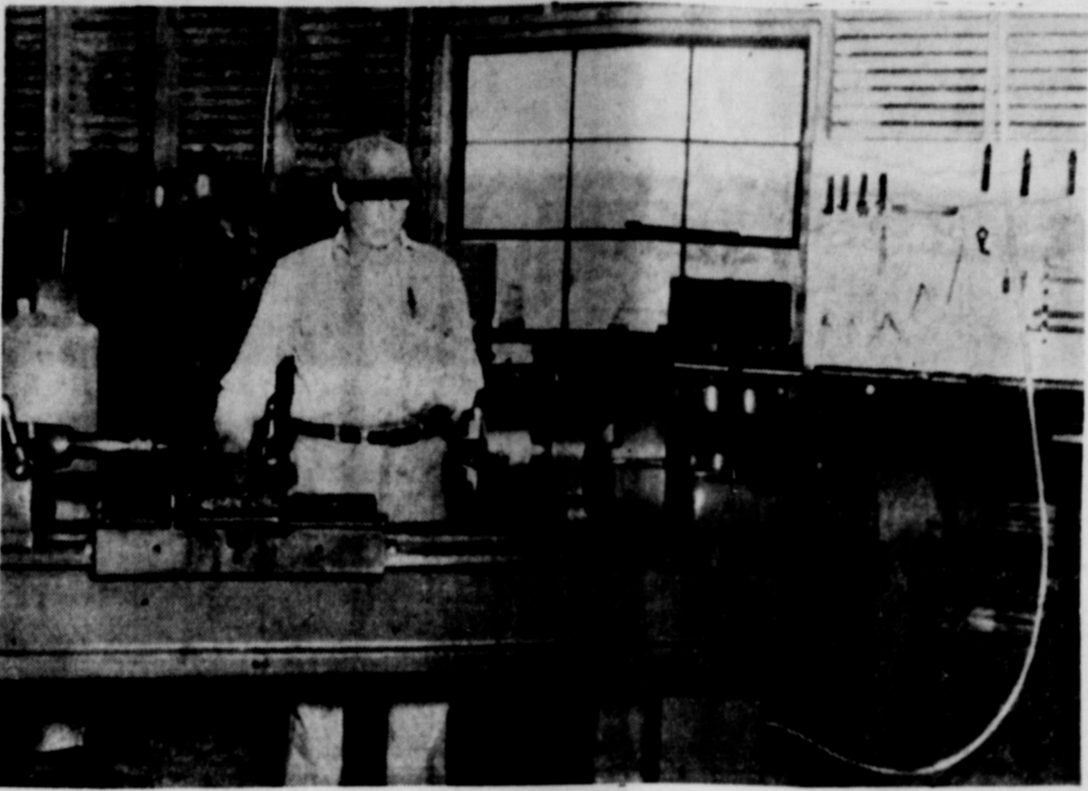
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Our hearts overflow with sincere appreciation for all who expressed their love and sympathy in so many comforting ways during our recent sorrow. We are deeply grateful to all of you.
 The John F. Kelley Family

New Arrivals
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Price are the parents of a new son, born February 20, in the Medical Arts Hospital at Littlefield.
 He has been named Benny Dean and weighed 7 lbs. and 10 ozs.
 The maternal grandparent is Mr. I. V. Hagar of Anton and the paternal grandparent is Mrs. Woodrow Price of Spur, Texas. Mr. Price is employed at Paul's Super Market.

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 Entitled Race Relations Law Reporter, the new magazine will publish six issues a year at a subscription cost of \$2. The publication is sponsored by Vanderbilt University School of Law. Announcement of the first issue was made by Dean John W. Wade.
 "The U. S. Supreme Court's sweeping decisions in the racial segregation cases have already resulted in far reaching legal developments in American life," said Dean Wade, "and our service will present impartial reports of these developments."
 A large part of the reports will cover public school problems. The first issue includes four decisions

present controversy involving the on the cases leading up to the admission of Autherine Lucy at the University of Alabama. It also contains 40 other reports on school segregation legal problems.
 The Race Relations Law Reporter also will cover the fields of rail and bus transportation, parks, golf courses, swimming pools, labor unions, and sports, as well as a number of other fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beasley, Linda and Pam visited in Amarillo, Sunday with Mr. Beasley's sister and mother. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Yount and Mrs. Mae Beasley.

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