

# Wolverine Players Of The Week



LEXIE FENNEL



MIKE McCARTY



RUDY DeLEON

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### How It Looks From Here

By Ray Freedman

This week we have something to cheer about, even though in a losing effort. The Springlake-Earth Wolverines lost to Amherst last week, but it was not due to lack of effort on any one of the team. In fact each and every one of the players made an all-out effort to bring home the victory that they expected. Seems like the real problem was that there was a lack of joint effort.

But the most important thing, we feel, is that there were more folks in the stands from Springlake-Earth than at any of the home games last year. If we keep this up this year, the boys will have a lot more incentive than they have had in the past. Again we must say, win-lose or draw, these boys deserve support and encouragement.

Another bright spot in an otherwise dismal week, we almost completed a call using (one plus) dialing. Our phone system is a sad state of affairs, more often than not, when one tries this system of dialing, he either gets a wrong number or no number at all. We listen to the propaganda from the phone company about direct dialing and direct dialing for credit cards and collect calls. All this system does is eliminate the operator for the dialing portion, they are still required to take the information and the call is not a penny cheaper because of the direct dialing. Seems to us like two years of (one plus) dialing should be enough to iron out the bugs (we of all people should know about bugs, from the last several months of trying to exterminate them in our press) which brings up another point, hopefully we are from now on going to print newspapers that are acceptable not only to the subscribers, but to us as well. It has been pure agony for us this past several months.

Seems like maybe we should have stuck with the old system of trash pickup. At least with Margarito Ramon, we had regular pickups and it didn't cost quite as much.

We hear thru the grapevine that the city law enforcement officer is starting a crack-down on drivers with no license and under age drivers also. Watch out MM.

### New Employees At Dent Farm Supply

Dent Farm Supply is now co-owner of the John Deere Company in Muleshoe and Tuffy Dent will be working there; but he is leaving the local store in good hands.

Assuming duties at the Farm Supply in Earth will be Ronnie Dent, brother of Tuffy, who graduated from Springlake-Earth in 1962 and Eddie Moudy, a Happy product of 1964.

For the past eight years, Ronnie has been the general manager of a bread company in Amarillo. He will assume bookkeeping duties at Dent Farm Supply. He is married to the former Peggy Stansell, an Earth girl, and they have two children, son Monty, age 12, and daughter Michelle, 6.

### For The People

The Earth City Council met in regular session Monday night, September 4 with Mayor W.B. McMillan, Aldermen, Jerry Been, Jimmy Huckaby, Bill Freeman, Raiford Daniel and Glenn Bulls in attendance. Others were City Attorney, Andy Storebel, Water Superintendent Johnny Enloe, Assistant Water Superintendent Seldo Ramon and City Secretary, Betty McAlpine.

The 1 cent city sales tax on utilities was discussed and the council adopted an ordinance to keep the sales tax. Bill Garner, representative of Pioneer Natural Gas, met with the council to explain their rate increase. The council adopted a resolution suspending the request for a rate increase for 120 days. Jim Allen, with Water Tower Services met with the council and agreed to set up a date to inspect the tanks. A 3 way joint purchase of Sewer rodder machine with the City of Springlake, Springlake-Earth School and City of Earth was discussed. The council agreed to contract to the cemetery association the sale of water for a period of 5 years. Danny Byers and Davey Haberer met with the council to discuss housing for the ambulance in the event an ambulance is purchased.

Bills for August were reviewed and council voted to pay bills.

Meeting adjourned.

### Athletic Booster Club

The Springlake-Earth Athletic Booster Club met Tuesday evening at 8:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria with 20 members and the coaching staff of the school present.

Meeting was called to order by Macky McCarty. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

New business - Pictures of Players of the Week will be displayed in different businesses in town. This week's players are Rudy DeLeon, Lexie Fennell and Mike McCarty.

A film on the game between Amherst and Wolverines was shown and Coach Taylor commented on the film. Next game will be Friday against Sudan at Sudan. Come out and support the SLEW CREW.

### SLEW Starts Slow

The Wolverines went to Amherst and kicked off the 1978 football season and recovered a fumble the first play of the game and then scored from 48 yards out on a Jimmy Don Randolph to Ronnie James pass. The snap was poor and it was 6-0.

Then Amherst came back and was able to get the ball into the end zone to make it 6-6. The Wolverines stopped the 1st of 4-2 point tries. The two teams played back and forth and then late in the 2nd quarter, Amherst got the ball after a poor punt and moved into scoring again. At half time it was 12-6 Amherst. The second half kick gave the Wolverines good field position but with several penalties, the drive stalled late in the 3rd quarter the Amherst Bulldogs scored again. It was now 18-6. Late in the fourth quarter, Amherst scored again to make it 24-6.

The penalty incurred by the Wolverines hurt badly. The break down of Conner support on defense and an inability to produce a good punting caused the defense to play with poor field position.

The passing game was able to pick up some yards and the power running was at times very tough.

The Wolverines had several people play well offensively, Lexie Fennell, Bryon Vaughn, Rudy DeLeon, Rex Fennell, Ronnie James, all graded out well; Defensively, Rudy DeLeon, Ricky Smith, Steve Monreal, Kevin Riley and Lexie Fennell.

We had too many mistakes and we will correct confusion that went on. We're a much better team than what we showed Friday night.

We want to thank the many fans who traveled to Amherst to help us and we do appreciate it very much.

Players of the week are on display around town. They are selected by film grade. This week they are Offensive, Lexie Fennell, offensive tackle play; Defensive, Rudy DeLeon, playing as a linebacker and Bit Hit, Mike McCarty, for hits on kick off return.

### SLEW JV Starts With Bang

The Wolverine JV started the 1978 season off Thursday night with a 20-6 win over the visiting Amherst Bulldogs.

The game was a tremendous start for the JV and its goal this year of winning and being the greatest help they can be to varsity team.

The JV scored on runs by Kenny Wright and Poncho DeLeon offensively and a run back of an interception, also by Kenny Wright.

Many outstanding players showed themselves to be emerging into tremendous football players. Outstanding jobs were by Raymond Olvera, Kenneth James, Mike Ramirez and Joe Longoria. Others too numerous to mention also did a great job.

The JV will play this Thursday at home following the Jr. High ball games.

### School Board Meeting

The Springlake-Earth Board of Trustees met in regular session, Monday, September 11 at 8:00 p.m. in the high school building with all members present.

The first order of business was approval of minutes and payment of bills.

The board reviewed enrollment figures which showed a total enrollment of 718, which was up 6 over the same period a year ago. Enrollment figures showed an enrollment of 328 in Elementary, 181 in Junior High and 209 in High School.

The board reviewed information from the school tax assessment practices board which showed a market value of property assigned to the Springlake-Earth District as been \$131,624,626.00. This was up from a previous figure used this past year of \$79,688,480.00.

Report was given on the school breakfast program relative to number of students participating and menus served. Records indicated an approximate average of 180 students per day eating breakfast.

The board heard a request by Vic Coker to consider way of shortening the school day.

The board discussed the progress made on the school building and renovation program and noted that it would be several days yet before completion.

Meeting adjourned.



MELVIN KINNISON, manager of SPS presents Ann Hamilton the plaque for her retirement.

### Ann Hamilton Retires

On August 31 at 2:00 p.m. Ann Hamilton was honored with a retirement tea in the Hospitality Room of the Citizens State Bank.

Ann was presented her retirement booklet from Southwestern Public Service by Nelen Swaim, personnel manager of Lubbock. Ann was also presented a money tree and a plaque from her fellow employees at SPS. Ann's loyalty and dedication was sighted during the presentation.

Serving refreshments were Xie Codins of Lubbock, Molly Griffin of Friona and Agnes Lewis of Earth registered the guests.

Refreshments included a white cake trimmed in yellow with the theme "KXG 407 Mother Earth Clear." The theme was taken from call numbers, Earth's SPS base radio and Mother Earth being Ann's nickname. The cake was made by Mrs. Griffin of Friona.

Special guests present were Bryle and Brian Hamilton of Earth.

### Hamburger Supper

The Sudan Young Homemakers are having a hamburger supper, Friday, September 15 from 5:30 to 7:30 in the Sudan school cafeteria, prior to the Sudan-Wolverine football game.

Tickets are \$2.00 each and does include iced tea. Everyone is invited to come eat with them before attending the game.

### Rocky Lunsford Wins First

The annual football contest, sponsored by the Earth News-Sun got underway this week with great success. This week's contest was very close with the tie-breaker deciding the winners.

With 10 games correct, the tie-breaker gave Rocky Lunsford, 1st place and Richard E. Moore, 2nd place. In a 7-way tie, with 9 games correct, the tie-breaker gave Lupe Flores, 3rd place.

Others with 9 games correct were Tom Sanders, Ronnie Dent, B.J. Angeley, Larry Cole, James Hanson and John Messer.

Having 8 games correct were Allen Moore, Vickie Kelley, David White, Norman Clayton, Larry Price, Lonnie Neinst, Rodney Geissler, Bill Weldon, Doug Jones, Mike West, Lexie Fennell, Cliff Sanders and Edna Sanders.

Others with 7 games correct were Christy Clark, Dave Clevinger, Danny Randolph, Mary Fuller, E.C. Hudson, William P. Holland, Jr., Kevin Anderson, Glenn Branscum, Jason Hinchliffe, and Jo Eddy Riley.

Having 6 games correct were Shawndi Geissler, Lupe Duran, LaVerne Fennell and Kevin Riley.

Jodie Riley had 5 games correct. There is still time to enter, you may be the grand prize winner. Don't delay, mail or bring your entry forms to the News office.



RONNIE DENT, "CHUBBY" DENT and EDDIE MOUDY



SENIOR CLASS FAVORITES are Petra Lewis and James Herriage



SUSIE DURAN

## Susie Duran September Queen

For the past several months, Susie Duran and Racheal Monreal have been competing for the title of September 16th Queen.

The girls and their sponsors have held raffles, sold food and had different projects to raise money for the new hall of the St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church. The winner was determined by who raised the most money.

Winning was Susie Duran with a total of \$3017.22 for the new hall.

Susie will be crowned Queen on Saturday, September 16 at 9:00 p.m. at the new hall of the church. Everyone is invited to attend.

Sponsoring Susie were Manuela Gonzales, Carrie Sanchez, Amelia Bosquez, Sulema Gauna, Juana Ortiz and Josie Sanchez.

Following is a list of raffles and winners sponsored by Susie:

- May 28  
2 piece candy compote & nut bowl-Mrs. Juanita Castillo
- June 4  
Thermos, Javier Sanchez, Feathered Flowers, Diana Duran
- June 18  
Thermos-Javier Sanchez, Fire Extinguisher, Joe Garza
- July 2  
Camera, Robert Fuentes, Green Bed Cover, Mrs. Koite
- July 16  
Photo Locker, Javier Lopez
- July 23  
Blanket, Arty Posadas
- July 20  
Blanket, Javier Lopez
- August 6  
Watch, Lupe Duran
- August 13  
32 piece Bakeware set, Libby Sanchez
- August 27  
Knit Blanket, Mike Reyes
- September 3  
Blanket, Fannie Sisneros, Musk for Men, Amy Gonzales and Dishes, 16 pieces, James Shepard.

## Services Held For J.O. Vaughn

Services for J.O. Vaughn, 86, of Earth, were at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday in Earth Church of Christ with Wilburn Dennis, Littlefield minister, officiating and Jim Eckman, minister of Earth Church of Christ, assisting.

Burial was in Earth Cemetery under direction of Parsons-Ellis-Singleton Funeral Home of Earth.

Vaughn died at 5:20 a.m. Monday in Plains Memorial Hospital at Dimmitt after a long illness.

The farmer moved from Vinson, Oklahoma to Earth in 1952. He was born in Ellis County. Vaughn married Essie Darrow on November 22, 1914 in Reed, Oklahoma. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Ruey McKinney of Dimmitt and Joye Breedlove of Littlefield; two sons, Loyd of Dimmitt and LaVerne of Earth; two sisters, Ethel Penley of Mangum, Oklahoma and Maggie Watson of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; three brothers, Tom, Jack and Claude, all of Mangum, Oklahoma; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Pallbearers were his grandsons.



TWILA SAWYER

## New Employee

Twila Sawyer is the new bookkeeper-receptionist for Southwestern Public Service. Twila has worked in this area for several years including 6 years for Western Ammonia in Dimmitt and the past three for Springlake Grain and Grain Handlers, Inc.

She is married to Darrell Sawyer who is a farmer and the couple has one son, Gary, who is a Senior in Springlake-Earth High School. The Sawyers are members of the Baptist Church.

## Party Lines

Visitors in the Gladys Parish home over the weekend were her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Bulls of Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. William Bulls of Wheelless, Oklahoma. An afternoon caller was Mrs. Loyd Vaughn of Dimmitt, they were all former school friends.

Mrs. Gladys Parish and Mrs. Bud Matlock were in Lubbock Saturday visiting the Jack Wests. Mrs. Georgia Bulls returned to Earth with them following a short stay in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Matlock, Sarah and Judson of Kress were weekend visitors in the Earth area.

## Waldens Hosts Dinner

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Walden Sunday, September 17 will be her brother, Rev. and Mrs. Rolan Swanner of Freeport, Texas. Rev. Swanner will be guest speaker at the Sunday morning services at the Springlake First Baptist Church, then will show slides of the Seaman Center located at Freeport where he serves as chaplain.

The center serves boys from all over the world who came to participate at

Freeport. Bibles in all languages are also available there.

Joining the Waldens and Swanners for lunch in the Walden home will be another of Mrs. Walden's brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Swanner of Plainview, the Walden's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Kennemer, Rickey and Karen of Muleshoe, their granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Vaughn and great-granddaughter, Kimberly of Lazbuddie and Mr. and Mrs. Delvin Walden, Kelly and Richard.



JUNIOR CLASS FAVORITES are Tamera Jones and Kenny Wright.

## Party Lines

Following a business trip to Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. John Bridges visited in Alba, Texas with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Matlock.

Mr. W.R. Stockard has recently moved to the Cactus Hotel, Room 308, in San Angelo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Shirey, Tyson and Angie and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Brown were in Ruidoso

over the Labor Day weekend. They visited with Les Brown, Gene's brother, who operates the Trail's End Restaurant.

Miss Aurelia Sanders and Mrs. Jessie Sanders made a business trip to Roswell, New Mexico over the weekend.

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## Wilson Infant Rites He

Graveside services for Scott Alan Wilson, one-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Wilson of Muleshoe, were at 3 p.m. Saturday in Bailey County Memorial Park Cemetery with Rev. J.E. Meeks, pastor of First Baptist Church of Muleshoe officiating. The infant died at 5:20 a.m. Friday in Health Sciences Center Hospital

in Lubbock. Survivors include brother, Wayne at home; and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Wilson and Mrs. R.G. Wilson of Muleshoe, Mrs. Kirklen and Mrs. Hamilton, both of Stephenville, Mrs. Wilson of Earth and Lindley of Littlefield.

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Jerry Gutheinz, president and managing officer of Frontier Savings Association in Plainview, has been elected to serve on the Board of Directors for the Texas Savings and Loan League. The selection was made during the trade association's annual convention which was recently held in Houston for its 320 member insured savings and loan associations in Texas as well as numerous real estate financing related associate members.

Gutheinz took his position at Frontier Savings three years ago at the age of 27 and now also serves as chairman of the board. Prior to that he had done consulting work with savings and loans and began his savings and loan career with Briercroft Savings in Lubbock.

He has been an active supporter of League programs and has raised more money for the Savings and Loan Political Action Committee than any other single person in the last two years. He is also one of the leading contributors to the Texas Real Estate Political Action Committee and heads up all contributors from the Plainview area.

He is a 1969 B.B.A. graduate of Texas Tech University and attended graduate school at the University of Texas at Austin.

He and his wife Diana have two children.

Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Mimms from Arlington, Virginia have been in Lazbuddie visiting friends and relatives.

The Lazbuddie Cheerleaders had a watermelon bust last Tuesday honoring the Longhorn football team.

The Primary, Kindergarten and Pre-school Sunday School classes from the Lazbuddie Church of Christ went skating last Tuesday at the Farwell rink. After skating they had a picnic at the park. Those attending were Joyce, Lisa, Amy and Kevin McGehee, Janice and Casey Bradshaw, Tracy and Christy Collum, Paula and Amy Daniel, Jan, Jami and Jana Rogers, Billie and Sheldon Mason, Betty Joyce, Rhonda and Chad Waddell. Guests attending were Jonessa Jennings, Scotty Mitchell, Beth Windham and Susan Redwine.



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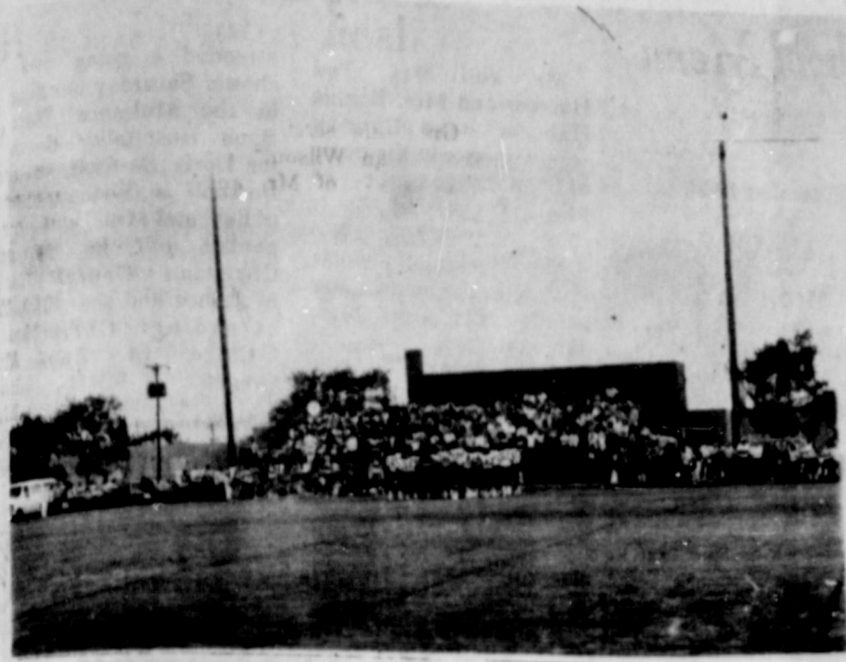
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LARGEST CROWD ever to show up for the Wolverine opener between Springlake-Earth and Amherst last Friday night.

## Band Sells Magazines

It's that time of year again! Band members are busy selling magazines and records this year to help us meet equipment and instrument expenses. Our magazine/record program is the nationally acclaimed Reader's Digest QSP Program, featuring over 250 different magazines, many at special prices. All of our money raised in magazines will go directly for the purchase of new instruments and equipment, as well as for UIL and other festival fees.

The record program this year features over 200 albums, 8-track tapes, and cassettes in all areas of entertainment: Country, Pop/Rock/Disco, Easy Listening, Soundtracks, Classics, Children's, Sacred, and Christmas, as well as a special 17 album selection of Elvis Presley recordings. All record money goes toward the spring tour.

Also this year, band members are selling boxes of famous brands candy. All candy sells for \$1.50 per box, with payment due upon delivery (Around the first week of October.) Our sales feature: Schrafft's Peanut Butter Cups (better than Reese's); Heath Toffee-ettes and Mint Truffles (always the first to go); and Stuckey's Almond Clusters (like pecan millionaires) and Pecan Log Roll (great anytime, especially holidays.) All of our candy sales go toward our spring tour.

All records and magazines should be received before Christmas so they would make great gifts. We are buying new shirts for the band this year with some of the profit, and there is a special cash prize for the top salesman. So, when the band members come by, please let them show you what they've got. We thank you for your support, and hope you enjoy our products.

## Students Enroll In Ranch Program

Two Earth residents are among 35 young ranchers who have enrolled this fall for Texas Christian University's intensive nine-month Ranch Management Program. The 32 men and three women come from four states, three foreign countries and 22 different cities in Texas.

Since 1956 TCU has been training the combination accountant-veterinarian-farmer-broker-salesman-executive-laborers who are today's ranchers. Program director John Merrill calls it "a firm foundation in the basic principles of soil, water and grass, livestock selection, nutrition, health and marketing, with a strong dose of records, finances and business management."

From September to May the program combines intensive academic study with week-long visits to see the textbooks in operation on farms, ranches, feedlots, marketing and packing facilities and research centers in Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas. Class participants come into contact with some 130 professionals in class and on the road.

The Earth residents are Hoyt Glasscock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Glasscock, and Barry M. Pittman, who is married to Retha Pittman.



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## Lazbuddie News

By Pam McDonald

The officers of Lazbuddie FHA had a meeting last Friday at the homemaking department to discuss the upcoming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Henry and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Henry and Gayle of Canyon visited last Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mason and grandchildren, Sean, Shane and Sheldon went on a camping and fishing trip to Pecos, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Clark and Terri recently returned from a trip to Holyake, Colorado Springs and Lake City, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hinkson are in Nebraska visiting relatives.

Joe Dan and Vandl Tarter, Andy and Jana Rogers, and Pam McDonald attended the first annual Teen Christian Conference at the Nazareth Church of Christ last Saturday.

Tamra and Edwardo Gonzales Ortega and children, Tania and David from McAllen visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bates Jennings last weekend.

The Methodist Church will be having a reception for all the faculty members of the Lazbuddie School Sunday the 10th at 8 o'clock. Everyone is welcome to come and get acquainted with the teachers.

The brothers and sisters of Mrs. Joe Bates

Jennings had a family get together last Sunday.

The following 1978 graduates of Lazbuddie High school will be extending their education at the college of their choice this fall. Elaine Cargile, West Texas State University; Judy Lust, South Plains College; Gina Elliott, Amarillo College; Candy Moore, Mike Windham, Hayburn Wenner, and Tammie Smith, Texas Tech University; Mark Mimms, Lubbock Christian College and Randy Smith, Amarillo College.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Houston recently returned from a trip to Oklahoma, Arkansas and Missouri.

The Lazbuddie Cheerleaders held an ice cream supper for their winning team last Thursday after defeating the Nazareth Swifts.

Approximately 80 people from the Lazbuddie community spent Labor Day weekend at Ute Lake water skiing.

The young couples Sunday School class at the Lazbuddie Church of Christ had a cookout Friday, August 26 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tarter. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ivy, Lori and Stacey; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ray Daniel, Todd and Amy; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Coker, Scotty and Jeffrey; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Collum, Tracey, Christy and Britton; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McGehee, Lisa, Amy and Kevin; Mr. and Mrs. Clay Mimms; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Don Rector; Mr. and

Mrs. Darrell Mason, Sean, Shane and Sheldon; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mimms; Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Birch, Jessica and Keith; Mr. and Mrs. Skip Magby and Dawnda; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rogers, Andy, Jana and Jamie; Tracey Mimms; Michael Mimms; and Garvin Thorn.

## Longhorn Schedule

September 8-Happy, there, 8:00 p.m.  
September 14-Muleshoe JV, Here, 8:00 p.m.  
September 22-Open September 29-Silverton, here, 8:00 p.m.  
October 6-Bovina, there, 8:00 p.m.  
October 13-Sudan\*\*, here, 7:30 p.m.  
October 20-Sundown\*, there, 7:30 p.m.  
October 27-Amherst\*, here, 7:30 p.m.  
November 3-Whiteface\*, there, 7:30 p.m.  
November 10-Smyer\*, here, 7:30 p.m.  
\*District Games  
\*\*Homecoming

## Flower Cart Sidewalk Sale Thursday & Friday Only

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### Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ratliff of Olton wish to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Sharon, to Bryon Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Taylor of Earth.

The couple has set the wedding date for Saturday, October 7 at 7:30 p.m. at the Victory Baptist Church in Olton. Friends and relatives are invited.

### Bykota SS Class News

The Bykota Sunday School Class of the Earth First Baptist Church met Tuesday night for their regular monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. Ruby Shelby.

A delicious salad supper was held and plans were made for the annual ladies banquet to be held Tuesday, October 24 at the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church.

Present for the meeting were Dene Wendborn, Alene Griffin, Ida Kellar, Bennie Pfatner, Lillian Hamilton, Clota Belle Kelley, Juanita Blackburn, Matt Patterson, Ruth Schaefer, Connie Sanderson, Louise Galloway, Monarae Cummings and hostess Ruby Shelby.

### Party Lines

V.M. Peterman attended the Texas Tech University Foundation meeting in the Coronado Room of The University Center on September 5th. Peterman of Littlefield has been a member of the Foundation Board for the past 7 years. He is chairman of the University Library Board.

V.M. Pete Peterman, well known livestock judge judged the Dairy Cattle Classes at the Curry County Fair in Clovis, N.M. on September 7th. Peterman has been on the approved judges list of the American Cattle Club since 1946 and has judged some of the top fairs of the nation.

Visiting in the Wayne Rutherford home Saturday were their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fuller from Albuquerque, New Mexico, Mrs. Dwayne Louder, of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Luke Wilson and Kyle from Amarillo.

### UMW Meet

A general meeting of the United Methodist Women was held Monday night at 7:00 at the fellowship hall of the church.

The group enjoyed a salad supper and installation of officers for the coming year.

Lillian Holland called the meeting to order and the minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary. These were approved as were the minutes of the executive meeting.

The members who attended the School of Missions at Lubbock gave a short report of the study groups that they attended. The report from the nominating committee was given by LaMoyné Matlock.

District Hospitality Chairman Mary Brownlow of Amherst was the installing officer for the local officers. She used scriptures from the books of Jeremiah and Romans to present a very inspirational service. She presented the thought of thinking of yourself as an earthen vessel, empty and waiting to be filled. As the officers were installed, each one was presented a small earthen pot and was instructed to fill it with various things as wisdom, love, humor and love.

Installed as president was Lillian Holland, vice president, Lena Grace Griffin, secretary, Norman Dawson, treasurer, Gladys Parish, Program Resources, Beulah Newton, Mission Coordinator, Norma Dawson, Social Involvement, Beedie Welch, Christian Global Concerns, Mattie Axtell, Supportive Community, Carolyn Coker, who was absent and was represented by LaMoyné Matlock.

In addition to these, the following ladies were present: Gladys Goodwin, Jessie Sanders, Adria Welch, Blanche Ramseur, Beulah Coker, Ruby Jones, Bessie Cearley, Otilie Wisian, and guests from Amherst, Mary Brownlow, Margie Harmon and Alma Holland.

### Birthday & Anniversary

Local people celebrating their birthday or anniversary from September 14 thru September 20 are as follows:

#### BIRTHDAY

September 14  
Tami Field  
Leo Park  
Larry Hausmann  
Lonnie Wilson

September 15  
Dixie Cornett  
Shana Coker

September 16  
Debby Weldon

September 17  
Domic Stovall  
Kyle Jones  
Karen Hinchliffe

September 18  
Sam Lewis

September 19  
Delores Gover  
George W. Gaudin  
Todd Lovely  
Mary Miller  
Mary Butter

September 20  
Maude Stout  
Mary Kate Belew  
T.H. Lewis

#### ANNIVERSARY

September 15  
W.B. & Elsie McMillan  
Harold & Faye Miller

September 28  
Robert & Juanita O'Hair

September 20  
Skeeter & Lucy Brock

### Young Homemakers Week

The week of September 17 through 23 will be observed by local and state Young Homemakers as Young Homemaker Week.

This week will be observed in various ways, one way will be to provide flowers for each Church some time during this week to stress the importance of religion in the home, another way will be placing posters in various business places to inform the public of their goals. Other ways will be the presentation of a gift to

the local Homemaking Department and also to honor their advisor with the club flower, red carnations.

Some of the goals that this organization have set include:

- 1. To become better leaders and members of their community.
- 2. To become better homemakers and mothers.
- 3. To provide good homes for their husbands and children.
- 4. To grow individually mentally and spiritually.
- 5. To help the needy.

### Young Homemakers

The Young Homemakers met for their annual Get Acquainted Tea Monday afternoon at 4:00 in the Community Room at the Citizens State Bank.

The purpose of this tea is to acquaint the public and interested persons in their organization. 2 new chairpersons were elected. Jan Watson will be in charge of Programs and Linda Duckworth will be in charge of projects.

Refreshments were served from a watermelon rind bowl which held fresh fruit with punch and cookies to approximately 35 members and prospective members.

Officers for the coming year areas follows: President, Jenna Banks; 1st Vice President, Jan Watson; 2nd Vice President, Linda Duckworth; 3rd Vice President, Sue Haberer; Secretary-Treasurer, Betty Parish and Advisor, Cassandra Cargile.

If you are under 35 years of age, this organization will be happy for you to meet with them and join in on all of the worthwhile projects as well as the fellowship and fun.

### DKG Meet

Epsilon Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma International met in Littlefield Saturday, September 9th. The meeting was held at K. Bob's with the executive meeting being held at 11:00.

The meeting was presided over by the president, Nan Ellen Largent. Approximately 60 ladies attended the 1:00 luncheon.

Those from the Springlake-Earth area attending were Mrs. Gladys Parish, Mrs. Nancy Baucum, Mrs. Monarae Cummings and Miss Georgia Bahlman. The luncheon was followed by a program in the afternoon.

### Card Of Thanks

Our heartfelt thanks to all who expressed comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the beautiful floral offerings, loving sympathy cards, memorial gifts and other kindnesses, we are deeply grateful.

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### J & C Study Club

For the first meeting of the Town and Country Study Club, fourteen members met Tuesday, September 12th for a 7:00 breakfast at the Wolverine Cafe.

The theme of the program was Service and Understanding. A devotional "Where shall Wisdom be Found?" was given by Mrs. Blanche Ramseur as she read from the 28th Chapter of Job.

Mrs. Lillian Hamilton, president, presented the New Year books and Mrs. Faye Queen, Program Chairman, gave a preview of the years program.

Grace was said by Mrs. Bessie Cearley.

Mrs. Hamilton presided over a short business session. Mrs. Jessie Sanders, Project Chairman, gave a report on the peacan project. The club voted to order a shipment of pecans immediately and to sell them for \$3.50 per pound.

The next meeting will be September 28th in the home of Mrs. Ray Kelley.

Those present for the meeting were Mrs. Vernie Bearden, Mrs. Mary Butter, Mrs. Bessie Cearley, Mrs. Ola Fanning, Mrs. Lillian Hamilton, Mrs. Helen Kelley, Mrs. Carra Morgan, Mrs. Faye Queen, Mrs. Blanche Ramseur, Mrs. Marie Ross, Mrs. Zella Mae Rutherford, Miss Aurelia Sanders, Mrs. Jessie Sanders and Mrs. Beatrice Shirey.

### Card of Thanks

Susie Duran and her sponsors wish to give thanks to all the people that cooperated with her, in the raffles, foods and other things she sold. She is happy to say thanks to everybody for helping her win Queen.

Thank You Again  
Susie Duran  
and Sponsors

### School Menu

September 18-22

#### LUNCH

MONDAY  
Hamburgers  
Lettuce, Onions  
Tomatoes & Pickles  
French Fries

Catsup  
Banana Pudding  
Milk

#### TUESDAY

Chicken Fried Steak & Gravy  
Creamed Potatoes  
Buttered English Peas  
Fruited Jello  
Cookies  
Hot Rolls & Butter  
Milk

#### WEDNESDAY

Meat Loaf-Catsup  
Creamed Corn  
Fried Okra  
Cherry Cobbler  
Cornbread & Butter  
Milk

#### THURSDAY

Tacos  
Pinto Beans  
Spoonend Tomato Salad  
Pineapple Upside Down  
Cake  
Cronbread & Butter  
Milk

#### FRIDAY

Roast & Gravy  
AuGratin Potatoes  
Tossed Salad  
Fruit  
Gingerbread  
Hot Rolls & Butter  
Milk

#### BREAKFAST

MONDAY  
Scrambled Eggs  
Toast  
Juice-Milk

#### TUESDAY

Dry Cereal  
Juice-Milk

#### WEDNESDAY

Sausage Rolls  
Juice-Milk

#### THURSDAY

Sweet Rolls 1/2 Apple  
Milk

#### FRIDAY

Cheese Toast  
Orange Juice  
Milk

### Party Lines

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Haberer and Mrs. Bonnie Haberer were Sunday supper guests in the home of J.O. Haberer of Pleasant Valley.

Mrs. Sheila Johnson is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Lewis.

Mrs. Bonnie Haberer

attended a going away shower Saturday morning in the Muleshoe State Bank Hospitality Room for Doris Bartholf, Miss Bartholf is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Bartholf, pastor of the First Christian Church in Muleshoe and she will be attending Christian College in Eugene, Oregon.

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The teams that are playing this week are listed side by side in the official entry blank on this page.

Use the entry blank and mark out the teams you predict to lose. Print the scores you predict in the tie-breaker game in the space provided.

Each week's entry must be turned in or mailed to the Earth News-Sun office. Contestants are given a week to prepare and turn in their entries.

Entries must be in by 4:30 p.m. Friday or postmarked on that date. All late entries will be discarded.

In case of tie, the winner will be determined by a toss of a coin.

Each week the number of games correctly predicted will count toward each contestant's season total. The person predicting the most games correctly for the entire season will receive the grand prize. In the event of a tie on the season total, the winner will again be determined by a toss of the coin.

The weekly prizes will be given to the persons picking the most number of games correct for that week. The tie-breaker will count as one of the games picked, and the predicted score will be used to determine the top three places in that week's contest, if necessary.

Only one entry per person will be accepted.

Entry Deadline 4:30 P.M. Sept. 22

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September 22-23-24

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PHIOMORF CLASS FAVORITES are Carla Taylor and Danny Soto.



FRESHMAN CLASS FAVORITES are Elma Gaunce and Dusty Stovall

## Our Men In Service

Staff Sgt. Phillip D. Provence, son of Mrs. Anna M. Provence, of Muleshoe, recently was assigned as a maintenance supervisor with the U.S. Logistics Group, Detach-

ment 169 in Sinop, Turkey.

Provence entered the Army in February 1957. The sergeant attended Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

Tuncer and Pat Uysal, son-in-law and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O.M. Cleavinger moved last week to Seattle, Washington where he is employed with Boeing Aircraft. The Uysals had been living in Lubbock. Before leaving for Seattle they stayed a week with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. T.C. Kennedy stayed during the weekend with their daughters, Misses Karin and Connie Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Dear were in Clarendon Friday night and Saturday with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Slover.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Loyd of Austin spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Miller.

Mrs. W.R. Boone and Kenneth were in Farmersville from Sunday until Tuesday with her daughter and family, Rev. and Mrs. Woody Jackson and Jeffery. Also visiting there were the Jackson's son Andy of Dallas and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Danewood of Plano.

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Carr recently visited her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carr of Mt. Vernon. They were guests of Mrs. Carr's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bridges who live in Arkansas near Texarkana. Mr. and Mrs. Carr visited at Sherman with his mother, Mrs. Rosie Sumers and her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Newman and children.

Mike Jones of Farmington, N.M. spent the weekend with his parents and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Jones, Sharon and Karen.

Randall and Jau Leonhard of Crane were

here from Friday until Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O.M. Cleavinger.

Mrs. Carl Bradley and Kyle of Lubbock stayed Saturday night with her mother, Mrs. J.C. Matlock who had as other dinner guests Saturday evening her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Adams of Circle.

Mrs. Larry Murrell attended the christening service for her granddaughter Sunday morning at the Emmanuel Lutheran Church in Littlefield. Mickala is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Murrell Jr. residents of Littlefield.

Visiting Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer King were her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Elvoy King accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Larry Hedrick, and Mrs. King's sister-in-law, Mrs. Ann Phillely, all of Amarillo.

Mrs. James Sanderson was in Amarillo Sunday with her sister, Miss Mamie Burrow, and their brother-in-law and sister, Rev. and Mrs. Travis LaDuke.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Sanderson visited Saturday and Sunday

with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Smith of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. E.G. Gardner of Morton were Sunday evening visitors of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Winder.

Mrs. A.G. Huguley and Mrs. A.W. Kersh, both of Olton attended the Clovis Fair Friday and Saturday. Mrs. Huguley visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Galloway, Heath and Dandi. Mrs. Kersh was guest of her sisters, Mrs. Corene Vaughan and Mrs. Ola Curry.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rudd attended her family get-together held Saturday and Sunday in the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Neeley of Mountainair, N.M. Present were the Neeley's twin daughters, Dorothy Ogg of Denver, Colorado and Barbara Caster of Albuquerque, N.M., a daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Betty Janway and Lori of El Paso, Mrs. Janway's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Moreland and two children of Albuquerque, N.M., Mrs. Rudd's sisters, Mrs. Gracie Snodgrass of Portales, N.M. and Mrs. Opal Cain of Clovis, N.M., a sister-in-law, Mrs. Cledia Neeley and her friend Mrs. Odis Floyd, both of Amherst.

Jim Winder came home Friday from Washington, D.C. where for some three weeks he attended a school for postal service retail managers.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles

Hedrick of Amarillo visited Friday with her mother, Mrs. J.C. Matlock.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Williams of Muleshoe were Friday evening dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Barden.

Acteons of Springlake First Baptist Church met Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Kent Parish as leader.

Officers elected were Kelley Walden, president; Cathy Cain, Mission Action leader; Cindy Parish, prayer calendar leader. Others present were Jennifer Pellham and Janie Morree.

The organization will meet next Monday at the church immediately following school hours.

Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Gray were in Grand Junction, Colorado recently with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Colton, Traci, Terry and Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Gray of Olton came home recently after staying some two weeks with their daughter and family, the Johnnie Durhams of Buffalo, Mo. Mr. and Mrs. Gray visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H.N. Gray of Midwest City, Oklahoma and with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Palmer of Burkburnett, formerly of Olton.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Barden were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harrington of Greeley, Colorado who were returning from Abilene where their daughter

Kathy is attending Abilene Christian College.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wood accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Reeves of Cotton Center were at South Fork, Colorado several days recently. The Wood's son Josh stayed with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wood of Cotton Center.

Coming Friday to stay until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Duckworth were his mother, Mrs. Sammie Thompson and her daughter-in-law and grandson, Mrs. Sammie Lee Duckworth and Shelby, all of Amarillo. Sammie Lee Duckworth and Fred Farley, both of Amarillo were guests of the Sonny Duckworths Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T.C. Kennedy were Sunday afternoon callers of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Kennedy of Hart.

Mrs. Bernice Watson stayed Friday night with her uncle Lonnie Hill who is a patient in Lubbock

Methodist Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hinson have as house guest her mother, Mrs. Estelle Watson Willbanks of Whitney.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer King and Mr. and Mrs. E.V. Padon returned last week from several days at Hubbard Lake.

Wednesday Mrs. J.C. Matlock was honored with a birthday dinner in Clovis, N.M. by her niece, Mrs. Sonny Duckworth, who had as another guest her mother, Mrs. J.B. James.

Visiting from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B.L. Skinner were her nephew, Howard Smith of Liberal, Ks. and his daughter Janie Brown, also of Liberal.

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Hinson of Amarillo were here last weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hinson and Mrs. Dwain Jones.

Saturday afternoon visitors of Mrs. J.C. Matlock were her

(Cont. on page 12)

## Springlake-Olton

By: Mrs. Tom Stansell

Mrs. Gerene McGowan and Tommy left Monday for Galveston where he will receive treatment in a hospital there.

Mrs. Orville Drake was admitted Sunday evening to the Highland Hospital in Lubbock. It is thought she will be a patient there eight or ten days.

Mrs. Mike Hale and Davis of Sonora came Saturday to stay several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clent Kniffen and their daughter Wendy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baker attended revival services Thursday evening at the First Baptist Church in Amherst.

Mrs. W.B. Hucks, Mrs. Wanda Winnans of Donnell and Mrs. Nova Sunday of Forsan had lunch together Saturday at the Gold Room at Stamphill Wells in Lubbock.

Mrs. Val Dawson of Pampa visited Monday with her stepson and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Dawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilbert Wisian visited Sunday with their grandson and family, Rev. and Mrs. Elroy Wisian Jr., Carla and Joel of Turkey.

## Senior Citizens

The Senior Citizens of Earth met Wednesday, September 6 for a regular luncheon and meeting. Mrs. Roy Taylor led the opening prayer. Each member contributed a covered dish and a lovely meal followed.

A very interesting program was presented by Michael and Tom Graham on their 4-H trip to Washington D.C. Those recognized as having birthdays this month were Mrs. Mary Butter, Mrs. Florence Gover, Mrs. Lena Grace Griffin and Mrs. R.C. Hyde, who is the oldest member at this time.

Those attending were Lena Grace Griffin, Mrs. R.C. Hyde, Florence Gover, Bonnie Haberer, Clady Goodwin, Carra Morgan, Lillie Wuerlein, Beatrice Shirey, Ruby Jones, Elsie Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Fanning, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor, Velma Jones and Joe Lee Truelock and guests Lucille Murrell, Helen Huley, Michael and Tom Graham and Mrs. Gerald Graham.

Mr. Roy Taylor gave the benediction.



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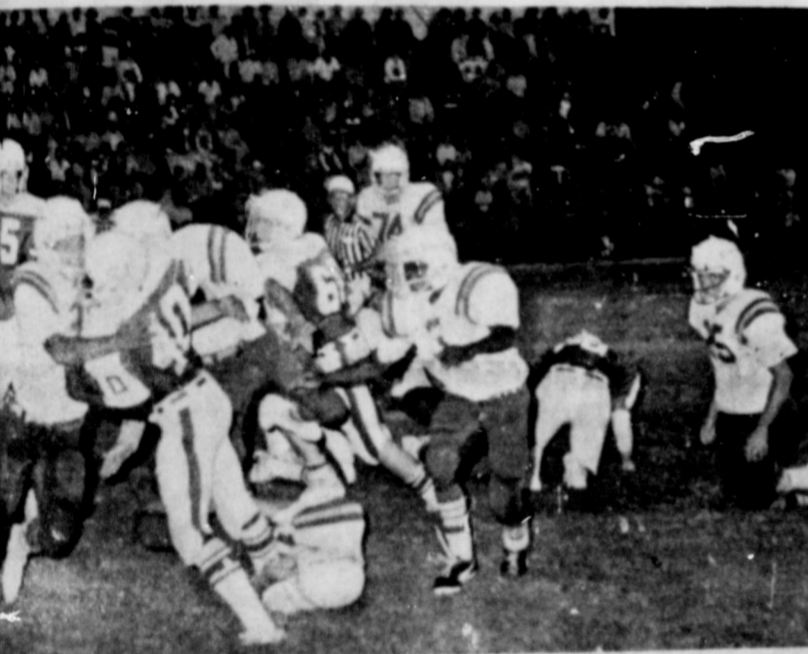
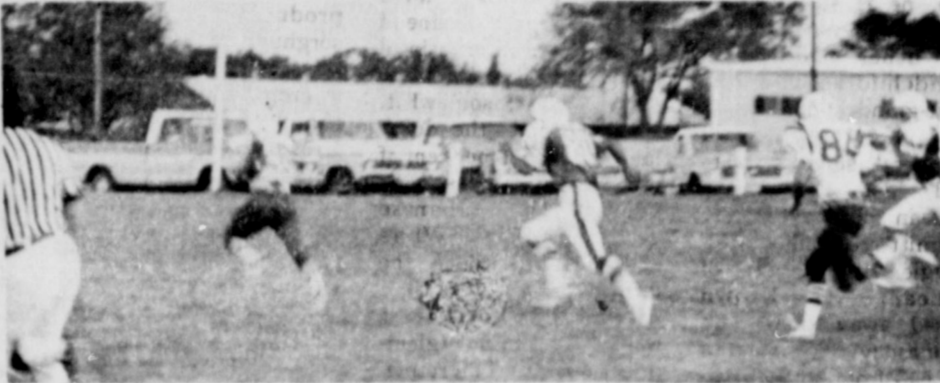
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# Scenes From The Wolverine-Bulldog Game Friday



## Beautiful People

American's newest "diplomatic" position will be filled on September 30 when the new Miss World-America is crowned. Among her prizes is the title "Ambassador Beauty" bestowed as part of a \$10,000 performance contract from Merle Norman Cosmetics, one of the pageant's principal sponsors. As the company's representative, the new ambassador-queen will tour American cities encouraging young women to become independent business women.

"Merle Norman has a long history of promoting women in beauty and business," said Gary Hollister, Merle Norman president, in announcing the pageant's sponsorship. "Our business is self-enhancement, both in physical appearance and mental out-look. About 90 percent of our 2,500 cosmetics studios are owned and operated by women."

The Miss World-America pageant will be held September 24 to 30, at Huntsville, Ala. Fifty-one women, ages 17 to 25, representing the 50 states and the District of Columbia will vie for the crown. Besides the \$10,000 performance contract, the winner receives an array of prizes, including jewelry and a trip to London to compete in the Miss World pageant in November. The pageant will be syndicated nationally as a "Miss World-America television special."

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## Notice

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You may purchase your tickets in advance from any of the following National Honor Society members: Lynn Brown, Jimmy Randolph, Doniece Taylor, LaDonna Fulenwider, Michael Graham, Josie Jalomo, Sue Jones, Tamara Jones, Kevin Riley, Paula Verden, Laurinda Bulls, Sharon Jones, Rosie Lewis, Karen Robinson, Timmy Craft and Lexie Fennell.

Prices for the supper are: Adult \$2.50 children \$1.50, pre-school children free.

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## Auto Insurance Rates

Adjustments to rates charged for auto insurance will be made on policies written November 1, 1978 and thereafter, according to new schedules adopted September 6 by the State Board of Insurance.

Of the forty rating territories in Texas, twenty will receive increases, eighteen will be reduced, and two will not change.

The average passenger car rate for the entire state will be 3.2 percent greater than rates charged during the past two years.

Present rates run from \$226 in the Southeastern territory to \$363 in Harris county. New rates will be \$224 in the Southeastern territory, a \$2.00 reduction, and \$377 in Harris county, a raise of 3.9 percent or \$14.00.

For the purpose of calculating the averages, the risk was assumed to be a 1978 medium priced Ford, Chevrolet or Plymouth, not used in business, but driven to and from work. No male operator under 25 included in the family, and the coverages were assumed to be \$10,000/\$20,000/\$5,000 liability, \$5,000 personal injury protection, \$50 deductible comprehensive, and \$200 deductible collision. Actual rates will vary according to the type of car covered, coverages ordered and the driving records of the individuals buying the insurance.

Insurance industry requests for increases were for an average of 8.9 percent on passenger cars, and the total on that basis would have been \$95 million in additional premiums. The amount granted by the Board is a \$35 million increase, about \$60 million less than was sought by the insurance industry.

## High Plains Happenings

**BORDEN CO.** - The Borden Co. Farm Tour will be Thursday, September 14, at 9 a.m. in the Plain Community Center in Borden Co. according to Randall Upshaw, County Extension Agent. Corden Co. cotton producers are urged to attend.

**COTTLE CO.** - The Cottle Co. Crops Tour will be held on Thursday, September 14 at 9 a.m. starting at the Courthouse in Paducah according to L.M. McCarroll, County Extension Agent.

**KENT CO.** - Extension Information Day will be Thursday, September 14, at 10 a.m. in the Kent Co. Community Center according to M.A. Geeslin and Roberta E. Stanaland, County Extension Agents.

**OLDHAM CO.** - The Oldham Co. 4-H Bake Show will be September 14, beginning at 2:30 p.m. at the First State Bank, Vega, according to Louise Walker, County Extension Agent.

**DALLAM CO.** - The Interstate Fair will be held September 14-16 in the Rita Blanca Coliseum in Dalhart according to Robert L. Devin, County Extension Agent.

**OLDHAM CO.** - The Oldham Co. Fair will be held September 15-16 in Vega according to Jimmie Walker and Louise Walker, County Extension Agents.

**BAILEY CO.** - The Bailey Co. 4-H Fair will be Saturday, September 16, beginning at 1 p.m. in Muleshoe at the Bailey Co. Exhibition Center and Coliseum according to Linda Mullin, County Extension Agent.

**MOTLEY CO.** - There will be a AQHA approved horse show on Saturday, September 16, at 9 a.m. in the Old Settlers Arena at Roaring Springs according to W.C. Pallmeyer, County Extension Agent. Roland Moore of Tulia will serve as judge. Contact Dell Bearden, Box 142, Matador, Texas 79244 (806/347-2461) for more information. Sponsored by the Motley Co. 4-H Rodeo association.

**GARZA CO.** - The Garza Co. Health Fair will be Saturday, September 16, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Post Community Center according to Paula Craythorn, County Extension Agent. The general public is invited.

**BORDEN CO.** - There will be a meeting of the Adult Leaders Monday, September 18, at 8 p.m. in the P.C.A. Building in Silvertown according to Earnest C. Kiker, County Extension Agent.

**LYNN CO.** - There will be an Estate Planning Seminar on Monday, September 18, at 8 p.m. in the Lyntegar Meeting Room, Tahoka, according to Stanley M. Young, County Extension Agent. Wills and estate planning will be discussed. All interested persons are encouraged to attend.

## You Ought To Be Locked Up

...or at least your home should be, even when you are in it! Many thefts occur from rooms in front of residences when the occupants are outside on the back patio or deck or are working in the yard. A thief seeing that the family is busy in the yard knocks on the front door and enters when no one answers and pilfers the home while the residents are busy outside. Locking the front of the house while you are out back will normally prevent this type of burglary.

Keeping the doors locked while the family members are in the house, especially if one member is home alone, will reduce the possibility of an intruder entering the residence and committing a crime against whoever is home.

It is a good idea to determine who is knocking on the front door before you open it. An intercom system or a peephole door viewer should be utilized. At the very least look out a window to see who is on the porch before opening the door. Many criminals have used a pretext of being a repairman, policeman, salesman or even a clergyman to gain access to a residence to commit a crime. If you are not certain who it is at the front door, do not open the door and admit that person if you are home alone. Do not admit to anyone that you are home alone. If necessary, call a neighbor and have that neighbor come out on their porch and watch while you open your front door and speak to whoever it is on your doorstep. You, of course, should offer to do the same thing for your neighbor.

Many times one expects to become the victim of crime if they go downtown or go shopping or go on a trip. But all too many times people become victims of crimes when they least expect it, when they open their own front door. Lock on to a good idea, keep your front door locked.

## Annual Ranch Day

A 72-year heritage of ranching and cattle breeding will be shared with participants at the ninth annual Ranch Day beginning at 9 a.m., September 23, at the Ranching Heritage Center of The Museum of Texas Tech University.

Wray Finney, a cattle industry leader and seventh-generation Oklahoma rancher, will speak at the Ranch Day noon luncheon.

Luring people to the chuckwagon-style barbecue lunch will be the tongue-tingling smells of homemade sourdough pancakes, sauerkraut, applesauce and tea cakes.

prepared in the historic houses on the 12-acre site. The Center chronologically traces the development of the West through more than a score of structures originally used by the Southwest's first ranchers.

Center visitors will be able to watch docents in authentic costumes as they prepare epicurean delights from the pioneer days. Best of all, there will be taste tests for everyone.

Vats of handmade lye soap may revive not so fond memories of squirming.

T.J. Nabors-Pearson of Lubbock will also be on hand to demonstrate the art of spinning at the Hedwigs Hill double log cabin.

Square dancers and fiddlers will add to the pioneer atmosphere during the day.

The entertainment will continue during the luncheon, which will be followed by Finney's speech and the annual business meeting and election of officers for the Ranching Heritage Association.

All events, including the luncheon, will be open to the general public. Finney, his son and his father operate the family ranch near Fort Cobb, Oklahoma. The ranch, a cow-calf and yearling cattle operation, was established in 1906. Finney is also a managing partner of the Western Trio Cattle Breeding Fund, a cattle management firm in Guymon, Oklahoma.

Not only has he raised cattle for many years, but Finney has also had a hand in directing the cattle industry for some time. After serving two

years as first vice president of the American National Cattleman's Association (ANCA), he was elected to two terms as president.

He has also served on such committees as the Agriculture Standards Advisory Committee of the U.S. Department of Labor and the Cattle Industry Advisory Committee of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Finney was inducted in 1977 into the American Polled Hereford Association's Hall of Merit for public affairs service to the cattle industry. He has also been a recipient of the "Progressive Farmer" magazine's "Man of the Year in Southwest Agriculture" award.

Tickets for Ranch Day, including the meal, are \$4.50 for adults and \$1.75 for children for members of the Ranching Heritage Association, and \$5.50 adults, and \$2.25 children, for non-members.

Tickets are available from the association, P.O. Box 4499, Lubbock, Texas 79409, 806-742-2498.



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A Statement of Intent to change said rates was filed with each of the cities and towns listed below on or about August 11, 1978, and is available for inspection at the Company's Amarillo office, 301 S. Taylor Street.

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