

## Red Cross Drive To Be Completed Saturday

Bill Scott and Wilton McDonald, Co-Chairmen for the Red Cross drive in the Earth area said the drive was expected to be completed this week. Scott said \$250.00 of the \$800.00 goal had been collected to date, but workers are expected to concentrate heavily on canvassing the area and completing the drive by Saturday. Workers in the area are Mrs. Frank Butter, Mrs. Bill Lee,

Mrs. Lottie Orteg, Mrs. Naomi Burgess, Mrs. Lena Hite, Scott and McDonald. In the Springlake area, Les Watson is Chairman. Already some funds have been collected and Thursday, members of the Springlake Lions Club is expected to complete the drive. Their goal is set at \$500.00. In the Pleasant Valley area, Mrs. Bonnie Haber has charge of the fund drive.

## Malcolm McCool Rites Held Wednesday In Muleshoe

Funeral services for Malcolm McCool, 56, Muleshoe, formerly of Earth, were held at 2 o'clock Wednesday in the Church of Christ in Muleshoe. Burial was in the Earth Cemetery. McCool died at 9:30 P. M. Sunday of an apparent heart attack at his home. McCool lived in Earth for

approximately 20 years, having moved here with his family in the early 20's. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Kay Harmon of Clovis and Mrs. James D. Truelock of Denison, his mother, Mrs. Corlie McCool, Muleshoe, one brother, Donald McCool, of Los Angeles, California, and four grandchildren.

## 4-H Contest Time Is Here Again

Thousands of 4-H Club members across Texas are busy once again preparing for county and district contests with the hope of winning a trip to 4-H Round-up at Texas A&M University June 4-5. The county contests will be held April 23 at the Lamb County Courthouse to determine which 4-Hers will enter district competition May 4 at Lubbock, Texas. In Lamb County, about 33 boys and girls have been studying and practicing for judging contests and team and individual demonstrations, reports Assistant County Extension Agent Jim Kuykendall.

First and second place winners in the senior division (age 14 and over) in the district contests will qualify for the state competition. According to Kuykendall, the annual contests provide learning experiences for 4-H members and furnish opportunities for them to gain knowledge in their field of participation. Also, state winners in several of the educational events will qualify for national competition with expense-paid trips and scholarships as their rewards.

The internationally known youth organization of 4-H is designed as a practical and informal program for all youth, rural and urban alike, between the ages of 9 and 19, notes Kuykendall. Local adult and junior 4-H leaders provide much of the local leadership for training the enrolled youth. The agent invites parents and interested youth who are not participating in 4-H to explore the training and "learning by doing" aspects of the organization.

"One of the best ways to find out about 4-H is to ask your friends and neighbors who are actively involved in the program," suggests Kuykendall. "We also have information on all phases of the 4-H Club program at the County Extension office."

## Requirements For Primary Votes Of New Residents

The 1974-75 edition of the Texas Election Code does not reflect the latest order of the Federal Court issued in the case of Whitley V. Clark which enjoins the enforcement of durational residency requirements in excess of 30 days.

This means that persons who have resided in the state and locality for 30 days and have been registered for 30 days prior to the election in which they wish to vote are eligible to vote in state and local elections. Persons entering the state may register to vote immediately upon their arrival.

The cutoff deadline for registration for those who wish to vote in the May 4 Primary Election is the close of business on April 3.

Persons who have any change of residency question concerning moving within the precinct, from precinct to precinct, or from county to county, should contact personnel in the county tax assessor-collector's or county clerk's offices.

## Permanent Disability Certificates Available For Absentee Voting

Permanent disability certificates for absentee voting can be obtained by registered voters who are sick or permanently disabled. Completion of these certificates and returning the signed forms to the tax assessor-collector's office allows these persons to vote in all elections without having to go through the filing of a form prior to every election.

These blank certificates can be obtained from Herbert Dunn, Lamb County tax assessor, or any county tax office.

A duly licensed physician, chiropractor, or accredited Christian Science practitioner then certifies to the voter's sickness or physical disability by signing a certificate for this purpose.

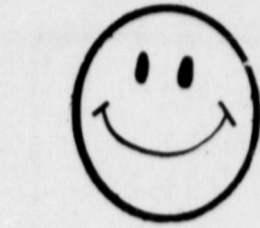
These certificates are for voters who have ailments or physical disabilities of a continuing nature which makes them unable to appear at the polling place for voting. Disability certificates can be filed also for those with continuous residence in a licensed nursing or custodial home.

These certificates should be filed with the tax assessor 30 days prior to the election for a ballot. For further information, contact the tax office.

## Mrs. Pate Improved Following Stroke

Mrs. Minnie Pate is in the Medical Arts Hospital in Littlefield after having a stroke in her right side Monday morning. Her condition Wednesday was said to be slightly improved.

Mrs. Pate was discovered Monday by a friend, Mrs. Truelock, whom she was to dine with at noon hour. Mrs. Truelock waited for the arrival of Mrs. Pate, and after several attempts at calling her and receiving no answer, she went to the Pate home and discovered her slumped over in the backyard with the water hose. She was middy, wet and cold. The local ambulance rushed her to the hospital.



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## The Gloryland Two Presents Concert Sunday

The Gloryland Two will present special music at the Sunday morning worship hour at the First Baptist Church in Earth. Rev. David Hartman made the announcement this week. During the noon hour luncheon will be served in the Fellowship Hall. Everyone is invited to bring a sack lunch and dine together.

A concert by the Gloryland Two will begin at 1:30 P. M., Sunday afternoon in the Church auditorium. Nila and O. A. Kinnison, the Gloryland Two,

were scheduled for a concert at the Church on March 9. Due to illness the concert had to be postponed until this Sunday afternoon. Everyone is invited to attend the Worship Services and also to attend the concert.

## Deadline April 8 For Money For Hail Suppression Program

Atmospherics, Inc. were issued a cloud seeding permit for another year of weather modification in Lamb County and adjoining counties in a meet with the Texas Water Development Board at Port Isabel, March 19. Cloud seeding operations are to begin May 1 and continue through October 31 if enough money is raised to support the operation.

The Board of Directors has set April 8 as the deadline for a decision as to whether the Hail Suppression Program will be in effect this year or not. Money or pledges must be in by that date in order to get the program set up.

Cost of the operation is set at 90¢ per cultivated acre. President of Better Weather Inc., Orville Cleavinger, said a third plane had been added to give better coverage at crucial times. He indicated that no more than 200 square miles more land had been added to the target area of last year. Rain stimulation will also be added to the services rendered this year by Atmospherics, Inc.

Money can be left at Citizens State Bank in Earth, O'Neil State Bank in Olton, or First State Bank in Dimmitt or with any member of the Board of Directors.

The permit was granted in the Port Isabel meeting last Tuesday on a 4-1 vote of the TWDB with one member abstaining.

Two chartered planes left Littlefield Monday noon carrying 12 local and area men who support the cloud seeding operations. Three Littlefield men who oppose the program traveled to Port Isabel in an effort to keep the TWDB from issuing a 1974 permit or to alter the permit to keep planes from flying over their property.

Those supporting the program who attended the coastal meeting included Jackie Clark of Sunnyside, Elmer Lewis of Olton, Les Watson of Springlake, Duane Gray and Johnnie Richardson of Spade, Melvin Bock of Earth, Orville Cleavinger of Springlake, Clayton Graef of Dimmitt, Jeff Willey, Dale Stanley and Attorney Jerry Kirby of Littlefield, and Tom Henderson, president of Atmospherics, Inc., the contracting firm for the cloud seeding program.

Billy Smith, Dean Elms, and Lumsden were representatives for the opposition group. Members of the TWDB maintained that the board could not alter the permit, but must issue it or deny the permit.

## CLASSES RESUME TUESDAY AFTER SPRING BREAK

Classes will resume Monday at the regular time, following a week-long Spring break. This week students and their parents are, for the most part, taking trips to visit relatives elsewhere, or on fishing trips.

## LITTLE DRIBBLER GIRLS ORGANIZED

The girls Little Dribblers League was organized Tuesday night with seven teams selected.

There are three minor league teams for 9 and 10 year old girls. Four major league teams were selected. Members of the major league teams are 11 and 12 years of age.

Mrs. Earl Jordan and children went to Carlsbad, New Mexico Saturday. They toured the Caverus and enjoyed a brief vacation before returning home early this week.

## Absentee Voting Deadline Tuesday

Deadline for absentee voting in the three forthcoming elections is set for 5 o'clock, Tuesday, April 2. The absentee voting period opened March 18.

Very little action is expected to take place in the City Elections for both Earth and Springlake, as candidates in the two cities are unopposed.

In the Springlake-Earth School Trustee election there is expected to be a larger number of voters go to the polls, as four candidates are filing for the two vacancies on the board. Incumbent Ed Dawson is seeking re-election. The three other candidates seeking election are Kenny Hamilton, Eddie Hayden and Mrs. Wilson Lewis.

## Horsemanship Clinic In Lubbock March 29-30

Horsemen of all ages and experience will get a rare opportunity to develop their skills in a horsemanship clinic in Lubbock March 29 and 30.

A three-man team of horse specialists, noted for their teaching skills and horsemanship abilities, will demonstrate everything from grooming and discipline to performance maneuvers and basic horsemanship, says County Extension Agent Buddy C. Logsdon.

The men are B. F. Yeates, Gary Potter, and Doug Householder, all Extension specialists with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at College Station.

The event gets underway in the Fair Park Coliseum at the Panhandle South Plains Fairgrounds at 4:30 p.m., Friday, March 29, and will continue through the evening until about 9:30. Convening again on Saturday at 9 a.m., the clinic will last most of the day, adjourning at 4:30.

Registration for adults (18 and over) is \$7.50. For youths from ages 9 to 17, the fee is \$4.50, and for children under 8 years, \$2.75. These registration fees include a barbecue luncheon.

The event, Logsdon emphasizes, is open to people of all ages. People living in or outside a residential area who have horses will especially be interested in improving their horsemanship abilities, he adds. Specific skills to be taught include grooming and discipline, basic western horsemanship such as control of feet, hands and legs and proper posture, performance maneuvers such as driving, stopping, turnabout and leading, and skills in barrels, poles, reining and hunt seat.

The South Plains Development Program of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service is sponsoring the clinic. The Lubbock Chamber of Commerce is co-sponsor.

## Registration Deadline April 1

The last day for registering Texas motor vehicles is Monday, April 1, according to R. W. Townsley, Director of the Motor Vehicle Division of the Texas Highway Department. Townsley noted that owners of motor vehicles must display 1974 license plates by 12:01 a.m. Tuesday, April 2 to avoid penalty.

"Unfortunately, many owners choose to wait until the last minute when the lines are longer," said Townsley. "When in fact, county tax offices and substations have been open for registration since February 1."

Townsley encouraged vehicle owners already possessing new plates to put them on. It's the best advertising we can get in reminding owners that the registration deadline is fast approaching.

For those not registered, nothing is changed in the registration procedure from last year. The renewal form and payment are all the vehicle owner must present at the time of registration.

If the registration form has been misplaced, the owner will be required to bring his certificate of title and last year's license receipt.

Townsley reminded that beginning in 1975, Texas will change over to the 5-year license plate. "We're already manufacturing the '75 plates. That's how much leadtime we have to give ourselves."

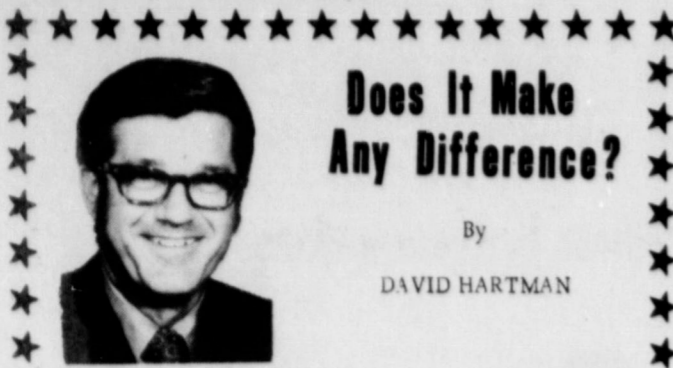
In 1976, instead of buying a new license plate, motorists



EARTH'S VOLUNTEER FIREMEN - Got an early start Tuesday morning as they answered a call to the Busby Farms west of Earth where a well-house was on fire. In the afternoon they answered a call to the Bill Freeman residence in the north part of town.

## BULLETIN

Mrs. R. B. Dawson, Sr., 72, of Tula, died about noon Wednesday at home on a farm 10 miles East of Tula, of an apparent heart attack. She was the mother of Ed Dawson of this community.



## Does It Make Any Difference?

By  
DAVID HARTMAN

Does Christianity in our town really make any difference? We have five churches and two missions representing four

ence does that make in our town and surrounding area? Are we any more honest than in those areas where there is no representative of Christianity? Because of our Christian heritage does that make our families any happier than those who have no such heritage? Are Christians in this community any better adjusted to life than non-Christians in other places?

Are our moral values any higher here than in other places? Does our Christian background make us love each other any more intensely than those where there are few if any representatives of Christ?

Would you want to live here if there were no churches at all?

Jesus told his disciples in the Sermon on the Mount, "You are the world's seasoning, to make it tolerable. If you lose your flavor, what will happen to the world? and you yourselves will be thrown out and trampled underfoot as worthless. You are the world's light—a city on a hill, glowing in the night for all to see. Don't hide your light! Let it shine for all; let your good deeds glow for all to see, so that they will praise your heavenly Father."

(Matthew 5:13-16, Living Bible) Seasoning gives itself where it is in order to be effective. The same is true of Christians regardless of what label they wear.

If Christianity doesn't make a difference in our town it is because someone has suffered flavor loss. If it does make a difference it is because someone is practicing his Christianity.

Personally I think Christianity does make a difference here. I would certainly hate to see the day it didn't exist. Wouldn't you?

### Know Safety Rules Before Plunging In

With spring fever just around the corner, the Texas Safety Association urges that eager swimmers review basic safety rules before taking the first plunge of the season.

No matter how elated the adventurous swimmer is at the prospect of mixing sunshine and water after a long winter, it is still foolish to swing from trees into water, dive from cliffs or jagged rocks or swim in swift-moving waters or near waterfalls.

Swim only in protected areas, obey safety rules enforced by lifeguards, and stay out of the water altogether during thunderstorms

## WTSU Approaching 75th Anniversary, Looks Good

U.S. consumption of natural rubber in 1974 is expected to rise 3.5 per cent to a total of 1.62 billion pounds.

For an institution approaching its 75th anniversary, West Texas State University looks mighty new these days.

The new masonry and spirit invigorating the campus at Canyon belie the age of the oldest state-assisted institution of higher learning in the West Texas region.

Just this spring, WTSU opened a \$3 million library, capable of housing a million volumes, and a three-story University Science Center, constructed at the same cost.

The buildings, which provide much needed enlargements of the university's science and library facilities, also symbolize the progressive attitude that WTSU supporters feel has emerged more strongly than ever in the past year.

Two important events in 1973 ushered in the new spirit at WTSU. The school marked its 10th year with university status and Dr. Lloyd Watkins arrived

to take over the reins as university president.

Almost as soon as he arrived on campus, the new president began stirring up a new excitement among all segments of the University and its supporters.

Watkins has been associated with a number of fine Universities in the Midwest, so everyone respected him as something of an authority in such matters. His enthusiasm for this part of the country, its people and especially, WTSU was contagious. Soon everybody concerned began thinking about the future and seeing WTSU, not as a good University for this area as it has been for many years, but as a significant university... significant beyond this part of Texas or even beyond the Southwest... a significant University... one that will attract outstanding faculty and students from all over the country, even the world.

The new enthusiasm has already begun to show itself in a number of areas such as the concept that the University is operating to serve students. That concept is manifested in a broad range of practical applications, from simplified registration procedures that have shortened those traditional lines at the start of each semester to a faculty-student ratio of 1-20, which means that no WTSU

student ever becomes just a numbered seat in an auditorium. West Texas State's six schools—the School of Agriculture, the School of Business, the College of Education, the School of Fine Arts and the Graduate School—offer a total of 16 different bachelor's and master's degrees with over a hundred majors and areas of emphasis. Expansions of the curriculum in recent years have taken diverse forms. Five new degree programs and courses in social work and criminal justice administration have appeared, Latin has reappeared, and horsemanship is now offered for either physical education or agriculture credit. WTSU students, within the past year, have found themselves engaged in projects ranging from digging for archeological material threatened by a new dam to mapping Mars from photos gathered by the Mariner spacecraft.

Just as WTSU recognizes that all students cannot attend classes at the same hours, the university also knows that all students have time when they are not attending classes. There are 61 organizations on the WTSU campus, from fraternities and sororities to societies for special interests, to provide for those hours not spent in classes.

The hub of the cultural and social scene at WTSU is the Activities Center, a complex of bowling alleys, pool tables, handball and paddleball courts, a weight training room, four basketball courts, an Olympic-size swimming pool, and rooms for reading, music and films.

Students arriving at WTSU now can take advantage of a remarkable growth program of the past five years, which added eight new buildings, and a 2,400 acre ranch to the university's facilities.

The unique spirit of WTSU is also captured in its efforts to help students with the financial aspects of attending college. In addition to the conventional loan, scholarship and student employment programs, WTSU has the special Opportunity Plan, Inc., a non-profit organization which offers individualized financial assistance and counseling along with part-time job opportunities.

WTSU is in a land of contrasts. Because it is in the Amarillo metropolitan area, students have easy access to the cultural

activities in Texas' largest city, yet it still has a good bit of the romance of the Old West. Spectacular, rugged Palo Duro Canyon state park is West Texas State University's backyard.

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### A Message to the High School and College Age Students of Earth... (and those who love them) From the President of West Texas State University

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There is a new excitement on our campus. Everyone associated with the University tells me they feel it, students, faculty, alumni and our many boosters throughout the Panhandle.

The excitement started ten years ago when we achieved University status. We began getting many new facilities including a new library, science building, research center, classroom and administration buildings and a new Student Activities Center which is second to none in the United States. We have new programs of a dozen different kinds... even one for horsemanship.

Much of the money for these programs and facilities has come from individual citizens, companies and foundations. These benefactors say, in effect, that our area should be the site of a significant university... a university with facilities and programs which attract outstanding faculty and students from all over the nation, even the world.

WTSU is growing but it is not so big but that our teachers can take a personal interest in each student and relate to him as the individual he is. Though we have a higher percentage of Ph.D.'s on our faculty than most universities, (over 50%), our classes average fewer students than most, (under 20).

Our students are very much a part of making things happen at WTSU. They are interested, involved and excited. Their learning experience is bigger than the classroom... it is as big as life itself.

Tell us which of these areas of study interests you and we will tell you more about that program at WTSU. Clip this coupon and mail it to me personally. I'll see that you get the whole exciting story without obligating you in any way.



Lloyd Q. Watkins  
Dr. Lloyd Watkins, President  
West Texas State University

P. S. Don't let financial considerations keep you from exploring the idea of coming to WTSU this summer or fall. Scholarships and other financial assistance are readily available.

(Ad paid for from private funds)

Here are some of the areas in which you'll find the excitement of learning at WTSU.

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## Tips On Cotton Disease Control

Cotton farmers can reduce disease losses and increase profits by purchasing high quality seed and planting early, notes Buddy C. Logsdon, Lamb county agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Five of the nine major cotton diseases in Texas are seed-borne. These include Anthracnose, Ascochyta or wet weather blight, bacterial blight, boll rot and the seedling diseases. The fungi and bacteria causing these diseases can be elim-

inated or reduced by using high-quality, acid-delinted seed that has also been treated with a fungicide, points out Logsdon. The acid delinting process eliminates or reduces disease-causing organisms on the seed surface while the fungicide provides protection for the seed and seedling in the soil.

Since cotton root rot organisms require soil temperatures above 80 degrees to grow, early planting can reduce root rot losses and maximize product-



KITE FLYING TIME - Is family fun time for this group who were taking advantage of the wind Tuesday afternoon. Weather has been good for kite flying recently.

ion, continues the agent. The earliness complex-maturity within 120 days of planting---can be accomplished by using high quality seed that will insure a good stand with the first planting. Early maturing cotton varieties are also available.

According to Logsdon, the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station has developed several strains with an earliness factor that allows earlier planting to achieve a good stand under adverse conditions. These strains, TAMCOT SP-21, 23 and 37, will achieve their maximum potential if planted seven to ten days earlier than standard varieties. They are both storm

resistant and multiple disease resistant. Additional information on these new cottons can be ob-

tained from the county Extension office. Some have been grown in test demonstration tests in the county, notes Logsdon.

## Funeral Facts One Should Know

Funeral expenses vary widely, so consider several factors when planning one, a home management specialist advises.

"For one, ask a friend or clergyman to help with arrangements. He will probably be more willing to question prices or services, Lillian Cochran with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A & M University System, pointed out.

"As another precaution, ask for prices on the casket, funeral service and other charges before disclosing insurance, pension or government death benefits due the family."

"Also find out what a 'one price includes everything' package deal includes. Ask whether extra charges are levied on certain services or goods, the specialist emphasized.

"When considering a casket with a long-term warranty, decide whether it's worth the extra cost. After all, who will check the casket 30 years from now to see if it's still whole.

"Before purchasing a cemetery plot or space in a mausoleum, ask specific questions concerning maintenance costs and any charges for opening and closing the grave or vault."

Mrs. Cochran reminded families that certain death benefits are

available to them.

One may be a Social Security benefit, and others involve retirement plans.

"If the deceased qualifies by an adequate wage-earning record, certain death, funeral and survivor benefits are available.

"Or, depending on the deceased's service record, the Veterans' Administration may help pay burial costs."

Sometimes union or employer pension funds help defray funeral costs and may provide survivor pension, the specialist added.

"Families also should check life, health and accident insurance policies for benefits.

"Also notify any fraternal orders or professional groups. Some times they have funds available.

"In addition, if the cause of death is related to the deceased's employment, certain benefits may be available from Workmen's Compensation."

## New Synthetic Suede Takes 'Hassle' Out Of Sewing

New synthetic suedes today take the problems out of sewing and wearing natural suede, one authority reported here this week.

"This new fabric feels like suede and looks like it but will not crack, peel, fray, wrinkle, water spot or stiffen--and it's completely machine washable and dryable," Mrs. Vivian Simmons, clothing specialist said.

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A & M University System, specialist described synthetic suede as a non-woven fabric, made of 60 per cent polyester and 40 per cent non-fibrous polyurethane.

Admitting it's expensive, she said it averages about \$19 per yard for 36-inch widths.

"Offsetting price, though is minimal upkeep," she added. Turning to sewing techniques, Mrs. Simmons said sewing synthetic suede is much like sewing suede---"only easier."

She advised selecting a simple pattern with few pieces.

"Also, the fabric has a nap direction, which should be kept in mind. Keep the fabric rolled until ready to use---to prevent creasing. When cutting it, don't fold the cloth. Lay the pattern on a single thickness."

In addition, the specialist

suggested several other guidelines in sewing synthetic suede. They are as follows:

- use polyester or silk thread
- stitch at moderate speed
- tie thread ends, because back stitching can make holes too large

- use paper clips to hold seam edges together
- seams should be finger pressed open and seam allowances fused down with heat-set fusibles

- make hems two inches or less; chalk mark hem on wrong side and secure with glue or fusible fabric

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## Smith-Haberer Vows Exchanged In Lubbock, Saturday

In a double ring ceremony at 4:30 P. M., Saturday, March 23 in the Cumberland Presbyterian Church of Lubbock, Miss Carol Sue Smith of Muleshoe, became the wife of Don H. Haberer of Earth, Rev. David Hartman, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Earth, officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith of 3404 60th Street in Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Haberer of Earth.

Organist, Mrs. Donald Smith, Lubbock, presented wedding selections and accompanied soloist, Wayne Anderson of Earth.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was lovely in a wedding gown fashioned of polyester organza over taffeta. The embroidered organza bodice was designed with a high neckline enhanced with a self-ruffle and Venice lace threaded with white satin ribbon. The short puff sleeves were edged with the matching self-ruffle, and Venice lace and satin ribbon trim. The full skirt was designed of taffeta with lovely polyester organza overskirt enhanced with wide double ruffles. Around the hemline, the top of the ruffles was sewn with Venice lace. The full skirt swept into a train in the back and was designed with a large satin bow at the waistline. The bride carried a beautiful colonial bouquet of orchids, stephanotis and white roses with long yellow and green streamers tied in love knots.

Judy Smith, Plainview, sister of the bride, served as maid of honor, Brenda Bullard, Earth served as bridesmaid. The two attendants wore long satin bridesmaids dresses, designed with empire bodice, high neckline and sleeveless. Their skirts were plain in front with unpressed pleats at the side and back. A large self-bow enhanced the back waistline. They carried colonial bouquets of yellow daisies and green carnations intermingled with babies breath and long streamers of yellow and green satin ribbons.



MRS. DON HABERER  
(nee carol sue smith)

## Vitamins Aren't Pep Pills

Contrary to popular opinion, vitamins aren't pep pills, one nutritionist emphasizes. She's Sally Springer, foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"According to a recent Food and Drug Administration study,

most people believe that extra vitamins provide pep and energy—a false impression.

"Instead, vitamins 'make things happen,' the specialist explained.

"They don't become energy or structure for the body.

"Necessary in only very small amounts, vitamins work mainly as enzymes—and sometimes like enzyme helpers or coenzymes.

"Without enzymes, certain

chemical reactions—like breaking protein into amino acids during digestion—wouldn't take place.

"Vitamins are usually combined with other nutrients—especially protein, carbohydrates and fat—in foods that supply calories. But alone, in pill form, they don't furnish calories, Miss Springer said.

There are two types—fat-soluble vitamins and water-soluble vitamins.

"A person's body stores fat-soluble ones—such as vitamins A, D, E and K. However, excesses can present problems. For example, excessive vitamin A can cause increased pressure inside the skull," she continued.

"Excess water-soluble vitamins, in contrast, are excreted in urine. The vitamins—including the B-vitamins and vitamin C—are not stored to any large extent in the body.

"Vitamins appear in a wide variety of foods. As a result, the average healthy person can get all he needs from foods in a balanced diet.

"Supplemental vitamins should be taken only under a physician's directions, when there's increased body needs," she added.



HELLO WORLD  
Mr. and Mrs. Louis D. Clark, Azle, Texas are the parents of a daughter born March 9th in Harris Hospital in Ft. Worth.

The little lass has been named Melissa Elaine. She weighed 9 pounds 1 ounce at birth. She has a sister, Shelly Dawn, age 3 to take care of her.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. R. McAlpine, Earth, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis F. Clark, Olton.

Great Grandparents are Mrs. Ava Wages, Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. McAlpine of Bandera and Mrs. Henry Clark of O'Brien.

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**WEDNESDAY**  
Pinto beans with ham  
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**THURSDAY**  
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Stewed apricots  
Hot rolls-butter and milk

**FRIDAY**  
Stew  
Chicken salad sandwiches  
Lettuce-carrot sticks  
Cinnamon rolls  
Corn chips and crackers

## Hobby Show 4pm Today In Center

Members of the Town and Country Study Club will host a Hobby Show in the Community room in Earth, Thursday (today) March 28, at 4 P. M.

Mrs. A. T. Cocaough, Lubbock, will present a teaching demonstration of making bread-dough flowers. Her talents are unlimited, and her arrangements

are beautiful. Everyone is invited to share in this Hobby Show by bringing their collections, whether pieces of crafts, art, needlework, culinary goodies, rocks, stamps, etc. Share your hobbies with others, and learn a new art. Much happiness is derived from having an interesting hobby.

## TOPS Club Installs New Officers

In an impressive ceremony, by candlelight, Mrs. T. V. Murrell was installed leader of the local TOPS CLUB. Mrs. W. B. Hucks served as installing officer for the event, which was held in the Community Building in Sprinkle Thursday night.

Others installed included, Mrs. Fred Clayton as Co-Leader, Mrs. M. H. Been, Treasurer, with Mrs. Bob Robinson as Secretary, and Mrs. A. W. Gover, Weight Recorder.

The group weighed in and

their weight was recorded by Mrs. Gover.

Refreshments of healthful raw vegetables were served. Included were green onions, carrots, and celery sticks, and coffee.

Those attending were Mrs. Fred Clayton, Mrs. A. W. Gover, Mrs. Murrell, Mrs. Ralph Rudd, Mrs. Alma Ott, Mrs. Floyd Crawford, Mrs. Hucks, Mrs. Gera Id Inglis, Mrs. Bob Robinson and one guest, Mrs. C. L. Houchin.



CHRISTINE FULLINWIDER

## Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. Dean A. Fullinwider of Abilene, announce the engagement of their daughter, Christine, to Samuel M. Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Lewis of Earth.

Miss Fullinwider is a 1973 graduate of Abilene Cooper High School and is currently enrolled

at West Texas State University in Canyon. A Pre-Vet major, Saul is a Junior at W. T. S. U., majoring in Industrial distribution.

Wedding vows will be exchanged on May 25, at 7 P. M. in Abilene Church of Christ located on 16th and Vine Street.

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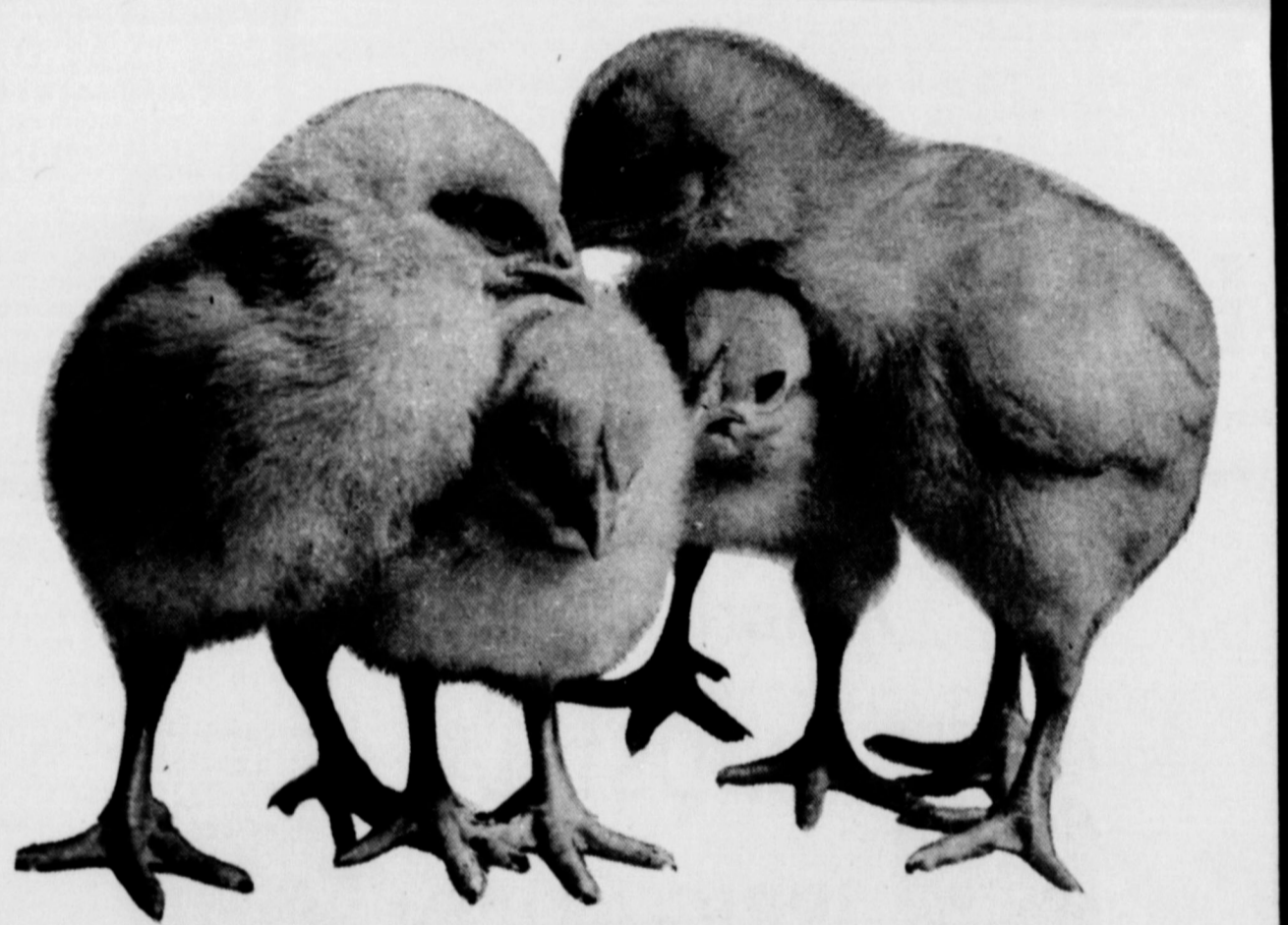


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## Mr. and Mrs. L.H. Dent To Be Honored On 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. "Chubby" Dent will be honored with a reception celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, March 31 from 1:30 to 5:00 P. M. at the Church of Christ Fellowship Hall in Earth.

The former Miss Pansy Banks and "Chubby" were married on February 29, 1924 at Altus, Oklahoma. They have lived in the Earth-Springlake area for 49 years. They own Dent Farm Supply, Inc. in Earth.

The Dents are parents of six children, T. L. "Mike" of Clovis, New Mexico; Leon "Tuffy" of Earth; Mrs. Jenelle Price, Northridge, California; Bonnie, Amarillo; Dale of Fort Worth and Mrs. Beth Moudy of Lubbock. The children and grandchildren will be hosts for the reception and invite all of the couple's friends to attend and help celebrate their anniversary.



L. H. "Chubby" Dent and Miss Pansy Banks (Shortly before they were married)



MR. and MRS. L. H. DENT.

## La Gore - Haberer Wedding Tuesday

### LOCAL PEOPLE ATTEND RALLY IN DIMMITT

A bus load of people from Earth attended the James Robison Evangelistic Rally in Dimmitt high school auditorium, Monday night.

Bill Anderson was driver of the bus. The auditorium was filled to capacity for the one-night rally.

### Party Line

Mrs. Essie Whittington, Olton, mother of Mrs. Phil Neimast of Springlake, is in the Methodist Hospital, where she is undergoing chemo-therapy and x-ray treatments.

John O. Haberer and Linda La Gore both of Ocala, Florida were married 5 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon, March 26 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Haberer. Rev. David Hartman, Pastor of Earth First Baptist Church officiated.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held. Sue Haberer and Mrs. Tisa (Haberer) Whitfill served wedding cake and punch from

a beautiful appointed table. Following a short wedding trip to New Mexico, the couple will return to their home in Florida.

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## Eastern Star Honors Past Patrons & Matrons

Earth Chapter Order of the Eastern Star honored the Past Matrons and Patrons at the regular meeting, Monday, March 25 at the Masonic Hall. Mrs. Doug Lewis, Worthy Matron, Presided at the meeting.

The altar was draped and a tribute was given in memory of Mr. Hershel F. Harrington, Past Grand Patron of Dallas.

An inspiring Easter message from the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Thelma Joyce Alsop, of Houston, was read to the group. Mrs. Lewis presented the following Past Matrons and Patrons: Mrs. Johnny Marrell, Mrs. Forrest Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Whitford, Mrs. Jerry Kelley, Mrs. Bob Armstrong, Mrs. E. R. Hawkins, Mrs. Sam Cearley, Mrs. John Laing, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Howell and Mrs. C. P. Parish.

Mrs. Lewis expressed appreciation of their work and endurance during the year since the Chapter was instituted in 1943, and each was given a carnation of the Star

colors. The speech Department of Springlake-Earth High School, under the direction of Mrs. Wilton McDonald, gave an outstanding performance of the Recognition Scene from "Anastasia." Kathy Wright and Ruth Street were the superb actresses. They were assisted by the capable stage hand, Mr. Wilton McDonald. Doughnuts and coffee were served by Mrs. Bob Armstrong and Mrs. Doug Lewis in the dining room during fellowship hour.

### Party Line

Mrs. Ava Wages of Littlefield and her daughter, Mrs. E. R. McAlpine of Earth recently visited the Louis Clark family in Azle. They went down to see their new granddaughter and great-granddaughter.

Mrs. Doug Parish, underwent foot surgery Tuesday morning in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. She was reported to be doing fine Wednesday and is expected to come home Friday.

## Experiences Effect Child Development

Day-to-day experiences influence a child's physical, emotional, social and mental development, one authority noted recently.

She's Jane Fleischer, specialist in family life education with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"All experiences from birth affect and determine what a person will become, and parents play a large role in these experiences.

"Each person is unique, and must be himself. He needs to feel good, confident and able, about himself. Children grow strongest, happiest and healthiest this way," she said.

"Wise parents grow and learn with their children. They learn to relax and let a child be himself, to grow in his own way, time and fashion."

However, parents, and other adults, should keep in mind the following facts concerning individual growth and development, the specialist continued. No two children are alike, each differs in growth rate and pattern. Although uneven, growth is continuous and follows an orderly sequence or pattern.

Each phase or stage of development has certain characteristics common to that particular stage of growth.

As an infant develops a new power or capacity, he also develops an impulse to use that new power.

"For example, after learning to walk, 12-16-month-old babies usually walk all over the place," Miss Fleischer added.

Children at all ages and stages, behave the way they do for a reason.

Heredity and environment also affect a child's development and behavior.

"For instance, a person's adult height depends on race, sex and family characteristics--as well as how he's cared for, what he eats and whether he's happy or not," the specialist concluded.



DEBRA PARISH

## Parish-Weaver Engagement Told

The engagement and approach-marriage of Debra Ann, daughter of Mrs. Vivian Parish and the late Oren Parish, to Steven Carson Weaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Weaver of Petersburg, was made this week.

The bride elect is a graduate of Springlake-Earth High School and is currently employed in

the Medical department of the Lubbock State School.

The prospective groom is a graduate of Petersburg High School and is a May candidate for graduation from Texas Tech.

June 8th has been chosen by the couple as the date to exchange vows in the First Methodist Church of Earth.

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### NOTICE

Miss Pat Cleavinger, bride-elect of Tommie Clements, will be honored with a shower on Saturday, April 6 from 3 to 4:30 P. M. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. "Buzzy" Jones.

Selections have been made at Howell's 216 Floral, Earth Dry Goods, Bee Hive Mall, and Sanders Lumber in Earth, also Higginbotham in Muleshoe.

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### Party Line

Mrs. Ruthie Welch of Alexandria, Louisiana, Miss Jo Ann Hite of Vernon, and Mrs. Ethel Bryant of Plainview, spent the week-end as guests of Mrs. Lena Hite.

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## Farmland And Canadians Join Forces To Build Giant Fertilizer Complex

In a "hands-across-the-border" transaction that should eventually ease, if not eliminate, the fertilizer squeeze facing Midwestern farmers, Farmland Industries, Inc., and Canadian officials today announced tentative agreement on an anhydrous ammonia project that will ultimately produce some 1.5 million tons of nitrogen fertilizer products annually.

Announced plans were being made to build four ammonia plants in the province of Alberta, Canada. The first two plants are to be on streams in 1976. Each plant will produce 1,250 tons a day and the product will be channeled by pipeline into position to serve farmers and ranchers in 15 Midwest states.

When completed, the complex will be the largest fertilizer manufacturing facility in the world.

Farmland officials headed by President Ernest T. Lindsey and representatives of Alberta Ammonia, Ltd., announced the agreement in Calgary, Alberta, Canada, today.

"By undertaking this action," said Lindsey, "we hope to provide American farmers a timely and economically competitive source of fertilizer to increase food production which, in turn, will help alleviate the predicted food shortage throughout the world."

"This project also will create new jobs and more favorable economic conditions in both countries and will utilize Canadian and American equipment," Lindsey continued.

Estimated investment in the facilities, including working capital, will be about \$325 million. This includes the four 1,250-mile ammonia pipeline.

The pipeline will extend from the plant site in southern Alberta to a tie-in with existing pipeline facilities in north-central Iowa.

Alberta Ammonia will own and finance the facilities in cooperation with Canadian and American banks. Farmland will be retained by Alberta Ammonia to build and operate the plants.

Lindsey said Farmland has agreed to market the output of the

plants and to provide the downstream storage and facilities to handle the ammonia on an "as produced" basis.

Farmland will construct eight new 30,000-ton storage facilities at locations along the pipeline route. In addition, Farmland will commit some \$75 million to finance construction of urea, nitrogen solution and ammonium nitrate production facilities along the pipeline. These plants will be planned to come on stream as the pipeline is completed.

Natural gas producers headed by Great Basin Petroleum, Ltd., Sulpetro, Ltd., and Canadian Western Natural Gas Ltd., will be responsible for the development of natural gas reserves, gathering systems and transmission pipelines to the plant site. Some 200 million cubic feet of gas will be needed to

operate the four nitrogen plants each day.

Since natural gas supplies for such industrial purposes as nitrogen plants are on the wane in the United States, fertilizer production using Canadian gas is logical and beneficial, the Farmland executive said. "Our joint venture with Canada will free US gas for such vital jobs as home heating, even as we produce more fertilizer for our farmers," Lindsey added.

Farmland Industries, headquartered in Kansas City, Mo., is owned by 2,100 local farmer cooperatives in 15 Midwest states. It is a major supplier of fertilizer, petroleum, feed and farm supplies to some 500,000 farmers and ranchers.

The above information was received recently by Eudell Baucum, manager of Farmers Cooperative Association of Springlake.

## Rabies Still A Health Threat

Fewer and fewer dogs are infected with rabies each year, but the disease is still a major threat to our health, notes Dr. James Armstrong, veterinarian for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Now the threat comes mainly from wildlife. Over 80 per cent of the rabies cases reported in the United States during July and August 1973 involved wildlife. And the disease is most prevalent in hot, summer weather.

Of 261 rabies cases confirmed by the Texas State Department of Health in 1973, 200 involved wildlife. Skunks were the animals most frequently found infected with the disease. Bats, foxes, raccoons, ringtails and coyotes accounted for most of the other wildlife cases.

"All warm-blooded animals can be infected with the virus disease," says Armstrong. "The Texas Health Department confirmed 15 cases in horses, one in sheep and 23 in cattle last year as well as five in dogs and 17 in cats," says Armstrong.

The disease is usually transmitted by the bite or lick of a rabid animal since the virus is

carried in the infected animal's saliva, explains the veterinarian. Once in the body, the virus infiltrates the nerve fibers and attacks the nervous system, resulting in death if no treatment is given.

"When infected with rabies, wildlife are a threat in areas of human habitation as well as in their native habitat," continues Armstrong. "An infected wild animal may suddenly become tame and approach people and their environment in a friendly way. Thus children should be warned to stay away from such seemingly tame wildlife as dying animals."

When a human is bitten by a wild animal, do not hold the animal for observation. Instead, kill it humanely and have it examined by a health department official for evidence of rabies infection.

The signs of rabies vary in wild animals and the duration of the virus excretion before clinical rabies develops may be longer than in cats and dogs. The 10-day observation period still applies for dogs and cats.

Give immediate attention to any wound involving possible exposure to rabies, advises Armstrong. Wash the wounded area and flush with soap and water, detergent or water alone. Then apply either 40-70 per cent alcohol, tincture or aqueous solutions of iodine or 0.1 per cent quaternary ammonium compounds.

Obtain a physician's treatment as soon as possible. This includes application of an anti-rabies serum and possible precautions against tetanus.

Vaccine treatments are usually started at this time also, notes Armstrong. If the animal is found negative for rabies by laboratory examination of its brain, the treatment can be stopped. If tests show the animal was rabid, serum is administered and the course of vaccination is completed.



DeANNE BROCK

## Brock - Hagood Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. Ross J. Brock announce the engagement of their daughter Hope DeAnne to Edward Mark Hagood of Dallas. DeAnne is a 1973 graduate of Texas Tech University and is employed by the Dallas Public Schools. Mark graduated from

Texas Tech University in 1972 and is employed by National Auto Parts.

The couple will be married on June 22, 1974 at 7:30 P. M. in the Earth United Methodist Church.

Party Line

## Where Does Red Cross Money Go?

by PAT BOONE, JR.

If you're like me, you sometimes wonder where all that money goes.....

I'm referring to those vast sums collected each year throughout the United States by the many charities, social welfare groups, and religious organizations. Obviously, many millions of dollars are raised annually in the names of humanitarian services and scientific research.

Every month, another worthy group comes calling: In December, we receive Christmas seals; in January, we support the March of Dimes; February brings volunteers from the Heart fund. And now it's March again.....Red Cross month. Local workers are ready to start knocking on our doors, asking our membership and support for the Lamb County Chapter of The American Red Cross.

Just another plea to help another "Good Cause"? I don't think so.

Red Cross means something very special to me. For more than 25 years I've been proud to be on the Board of Directors of the Lamb County Red Cross.

I've worked with my fellow volunteers in helping to bring needed services to our neighbors in so many meaningful ways.

When people need help, the good neighbor is there: aiding veterans to readjust to civilian life; maintaining communica-

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thomas and family are in Oklahoma this week, visiting relatives, near Durant, Oklahoma, and looking for a suitable residence. They plan to move to Oklahoma at the close of the school term.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Robinson of Springlake had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Parrish of Post, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Parrish and family of County Line and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Robinson of Levelland.

## USDA Lifts Cattle Scabies Quarantines In Panhandle

Quarantines for psoroptic cattle scabies were removed March 22 from portions of five Texas Panhandle counties by the U. S. Department of Agriculture (USDA).

Officials of USDA's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) said the areas include parts of Lamb, Parmer, Hockley and Lubbock counties where quarantines had been placed on Feb. 19, and on part of Hansford county. Portions of this latter quarantined area--which was imposed on Nov. 21, 1973--had already been lifted Feb. 5.

Before lifting the quarantines, the cattle were treated with a pesticide permitted by USDA. Inspection following treatment showed that the cattle were free of the mites that cause the disease.

These tiny parasitic mites puncture the skin of cattle and feed on the body fluids released through the wounds. Cattle with scabies lick, rub and scratch

to relieve the intense itching caused by the mites. Heavy infestations result in the formation of "scabs" on the skin--hence the name "scabies."

Although scabies does not affect the animal's meat, the skin irritation can cause loss of weight and decreased feed efficiency.

USDA and the states have been working to halt scabies outbreaks and eliminate the disease. Disease eradication measures include area quarantines by state and federal animal health officials and the inspection and treatment of infected and exposed cattle within the quarantined areas.

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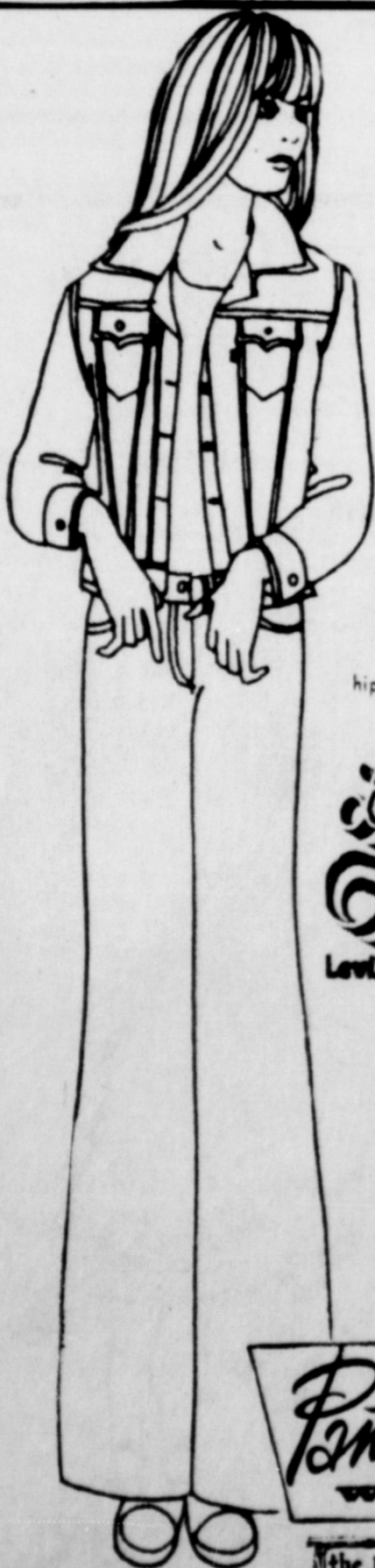
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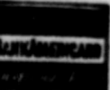
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## Tips On Fertilizing Home Gardens

"Feeding garden vegetables is important, and the quickest and most efficient way is by adding a commercial fertilizer to the soil," according to Buddy Logsdon county agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"But before using fertilizer, be sure you are familiar with the material you plan to apply," he cautions.

Commercial fertilizers are labeled to show the percentage of nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium in that order. Common fertilizer labels are 5-10-10, 12-12-12 and 12-24-12.

"It's always best to have your soil tested before applying fertilizer," advises Logsdon. "This takes the guesswork out of using fertilizer. But, in lieu of a soil test recommendation, apply two to three pounds of a fertilizer such as 12-12-12 per 100 square feet of area. Then mix it thoroughly with the soil before planting."

Once plants are growing, they will benefit from a side-dressing of fertilizer at the rate of one or two pounds per linear foot of row, applied six to eight inches from the plant. Always work the fertilizer into the soil and then water.

Use care with all fertilizers, adds Logsdon, as too much fertilizer is more harmful than not using any at all.

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## Gardening Season Now Underway

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"Home gardening is definitely booming, and in Texas gardeners can produce tasty, nutritious vegetables the year round," says Sam Cotner, vegetable specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

To have a successful home garden, a number of important factors enter into the picture, notes the Texas A&M University System specialist. First of all, a site that has well-drained, fertile soil is best. However, homeowners often have little choice on the garden location. The location should also receive plenty of sunlight, but certain crops can be grown in partially shaded areas.

Cotner lists the selection of proper varieties of crops as a key item in successful gardens. Different varieties are suited to different areas of the state, so county Extension offices should be contacted concerning which crops are best adapted to specific locations.

"Proper seedbed preparation is another important element for a good garden," points out Cotner. "If the garden site has heavy, tight clay soil, add one to two inches of sand and two to three inches of organic matter and then work these materials into the soil. Gypsum at the rate of six to eight pounds per 100 square feet also helps im-



## High School Honor Roll Released

Principal Ward Cooksey released the names of students on the Springlake-Earth high school honor roll for the past nine weeks.

They are as follows: Scott Cooksey, Craig Holland, Jerald Head, Pat Cleavinger, Karen Smith, Quency Lewis, Kathleen Anderson, Terri Smith, Debbie Green, Becky Smith,

Bill O'Hair and Kim Kelley.

Also Scott Lee, Sheila Lewis, Nesha Lewis, Donna Green, Isabel Sauseda, Augustina Castillo, Sharla Lowery and Lee Brown.

Others include Evan Hamilton, Margaret Street, Grace Sauseda, Toni Inglis, JoAnn Coker, Peggy McGowen, Brent Bean and Jim Coker.

prove tight clay soils." Before planting, apply a complete fertilizer such as 12-12-12 at the rate of two to three pounds per 100 square feet. Work the fertilizer into the soil and then form the beds for planting.

"Use transplants whenever possible to get a crop off to a head start," advises the specialist.

Once crops are up, water them sufficiently and regularly so that the water penetrates the soil to a depth of at least six inches. Light sandy soils may require more frequent watering. Cotner suggests watering in the morning or at least not later than mid-afternoon so that plants will dry before night. This helps prevent foliage diseases.

Use of a long-handled hoe is still the best means for controlling weeds. However, adding a mulch of straw, leaves, grass, bark, gin trash, sawdust, peat moss or other organic material around plants helps control weeds and also reduces soil temperatures and moisture losses.

"Keep a close check on your crops once they begin to approach maturity," advises the specialist. "Be sure to harvest them only at full maturity because that's when vegetables have their maximum flavor and nutritional content."

"Growing your own vegetables can be fun and it helps reduce the grocery bill," contends Cotner.

"So, Happy Gardening."

## Communication Skills Key To Learning

Communication skills are the key to learning, and a child handicapped by deficient vision or hearing suffers a real loss in ability to cope with the demands of classroom work.

The Texas State Department of Health is helping to identify children with vision or hearing problems by training school personnel throughout the state to conduct vision and hearing tests. In 1971-72, the last school year for which figures have been reported, more than two and a quarter million schoolchildren were screened for either visual or hearing problems in Texas schools. Over 51,000 of these children later received remedial treatment for problems found during the screening tests.

According to reliable estimates, one out of every four school-age children needs professional eye care to correct or to prevent vision impairments. School authorities say that poor vision often leads to poor classroom behavior, failure to learn, dropping out, and lack of attainment in life. These drastic consequences can be avoided if vision problems are discovered and corrected early enough.

THE EARTH NEWS-SUN, THURSDAY MARCH 28, 1974 - PAGE 7 available without cost on a limited basis. Most of the larger school districts provide their own equipment, but no school, however small or poor, has to go without these crucial tests for lack of essential equipment.

What happens when a child is found to have a hearing or vision problem? Generally, the school nurse or local health department can arrange for further testing to determine the exact nature of the problem and the possible need for treatment. In some communities, local civic clubs provide glasses for children whose parents can't afford them. The State Health Department also may have some funds to provide hearing aids to needy children.

Hearing loss is an equally serious problem which too often receives little or no attention. One authority calls hearing loss a "hidden handicap." Children with poor hearing get little sympathy from others. Instead, they are treated with impatience for their failure to respond to instructions. These children often are regarded as slow, inattentive, and even retarded.

Children who shout to hear themselves may be regarded as serious discipline problems. Every child should have his vision and hearing tested at least once a year. In a society where human resources need to be fully developed, the Texas State Department of Health is proud to join hands with Texas school systems in this vital effort.

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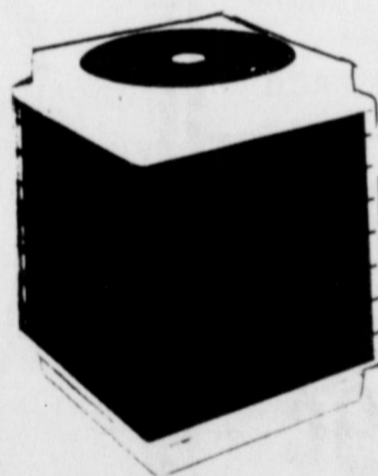
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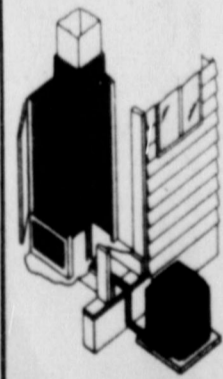
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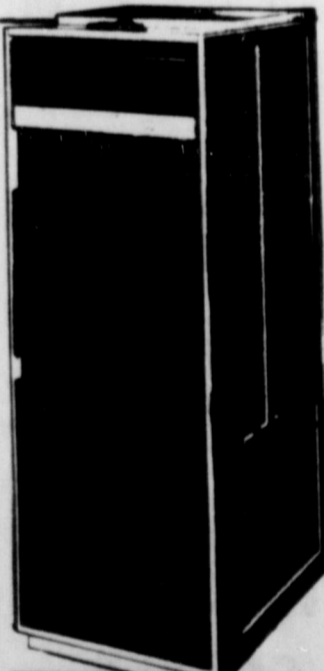


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## Jan Cleavinger President Of AHEA At Tech

Jan Cleavinger has been elected president of the Texas Tech Section of the American Home Economics Association for the coming year. AHEA is open to all Home Economics Majors and Professional Home Economists. It serves as a uniting organization of all professions under the broad title of Home Economics.

The Tech Chapter of the AHEA is the largest in Texas and the College of Home Economics at Texas Tech ranks in the top five in the United States.

Jan is a member of the singing group at the Wesley Foundation, a member of Phi Upsilon Omicron, National Home Economics Honorary Fraternity and serves on the Christian Social Concerns Commission at St. John's United Methodist Church.

Jan has been named to the Dean's List every semester since entering Tech. She is a 1971 graduate of Springlake-Earth high school and will be a senior at Tech following this term. Jan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Cleavinger of Springlake.



JAN CLEAVINGER

### Our Boys In Service

San Diego March - Navy Gunner's Mate First Class Ben F. Whipkey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mary F. Whipkey of Hart, Tex., returned to his hometown here aboard the amphibious transport dock ship USS Denver after a six-month training deployment in the Western Pacific. While deployed he visited the ports of Sasebo, Japan, Inchon, Korea and Subic Bay, Republic of the Philippines. A graduate of Erick High School Erick, Okla., he joined the Navy in January 1955.

FT. SAM HOUSTON, TEX. - Sergeant First Class Billy E.

Bryant, son of Mrs. Virginia Bryant, Olton, completed the Army Medical Department (AMEDD) non commissioned officer course at the Academy of Health Sciences of the U. S. Army, Ft. Sam Houston, Texas.

The 15-week course provides non commissioned officers with a working knowledge of the missions, organization and functions of AMEDD staff sections, organizations, and activities at all levels of command.

Sgt. Bryant's wife, Charlotte, lives at 2625 Richmond Hill Road, Augusta, GA.

Ft. Polk, La. --Dec. --Army Private Reynaldo Costilla, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Costilla, of Muleshoe, completed eight weeks of basic training at the U. S. Army Training Center, Infantry, Ft. Polk, La.

He received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons map reading, combat tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and army history and traditions.

Long Beach, Calif. Nov. 29- Navy Seaman Lyndale D. Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Campbell of Olton, Tex., returned to his hometown here on board the destroyer escort ship USS Cook after a six-month deployment to the Western Pacific. He participated in bi-nation fleet training exercises in the Far East, and on the way home helped host more than 13,000 visitors to the ship during goodwill stops in Australia and New Zealand. A 1966 graduate of Olton High School, he joined the Navy in September 1971.

He is also the husband of the former Miss Ollie P. Vice of Hart, Texas.

# IN THE NEWS!

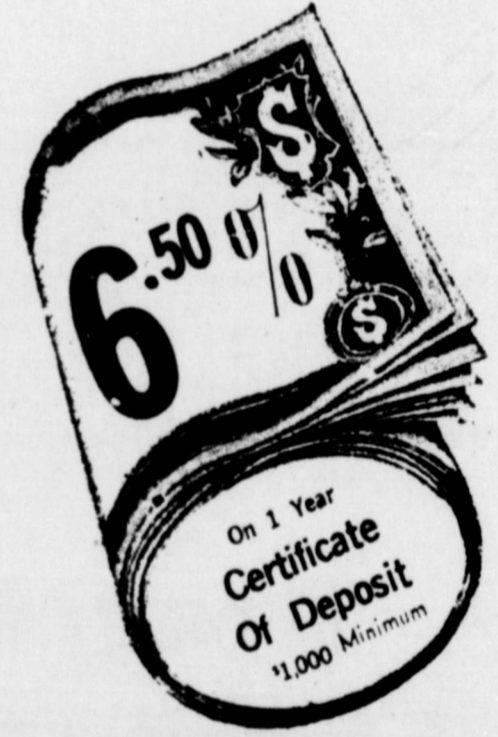
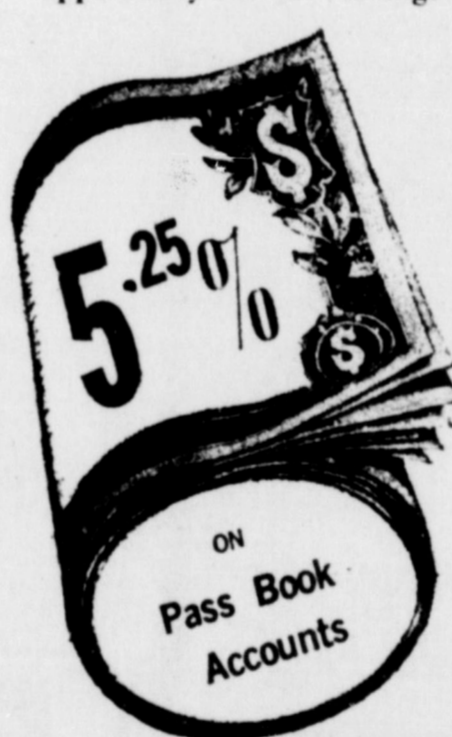
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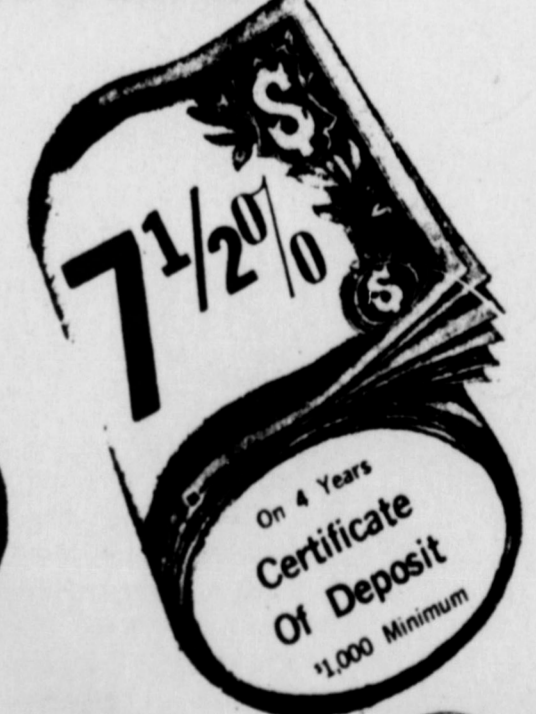
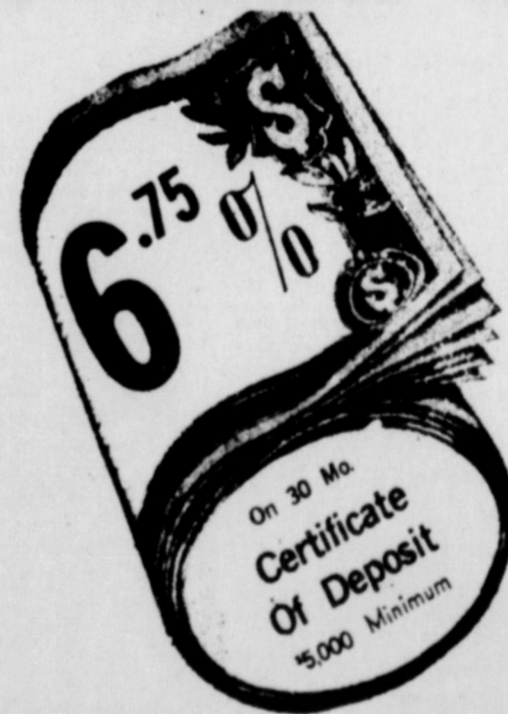
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## SUNNYSIDE NEWS

By TENEY BOWDEN



Jackie Clark represented the community as a group of directors of the hail suppression program flew to Padre Island Monday for a meeting with the Water Board Tuesday. As a result of the meeting, the Texas Water Board approved the permit for Better Weather, Inc. to continue the program. A meeting of the local directors was held in Springlake Thursday night to hear a report from those who want and to make plans for collecting the 90¢ an acre

for land in cultivation, Jackie Clark, Gerald Graham and L. B. Bowden attended this meeting.

Mrs. Lloyd Blanton was admitted to St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock last Sunday and underwent major surgery Monday morning. Her daughter, Mrs. Marvin Comardelle is here from Louisiana to help out during her illness. She was dismissed Sunday evening.

Mrs. R. J. Lefevre was dismissed from Plains Memorial

Hospital in Dimmitt Friday. Martin and Brenda also came in from Tech Friday for the spring holidays.

Noble Armstrong and Mrs. L. B. Bowden and Robert Duke attended the Castro County Democratic Committee meeting in the court house Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. Paul Wiggner entertained in her home Wednesday afternoon with a Sarah Coventry Jewelry party.

Baptist Men met for their regular monthly meeting Tuesday night.

Baptist Women met Wednesday night for the Bible Study group meeting.

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Gale Sadler attended the Agriculture Industries director's meeting in Dimmitt Thursday night. Tommy Alair, a director of the board, gave the welcome address at the annual Junior Livestock Show buyers appreciation barbecue Monday night at Springlake-Earth. Ray Joe Riley was one of the new directors elected to serve in the coming year. Tommy Alair will serve another term.

Mrs. Ila Haydon recently spent two weeks in Weatherford with relatives and friends.

Her niece, Foy Lynn Miller returned home with her and stayed until the 3rd with her.

Mrs. Vivian Davis of Warren, Ohio left Saturday after a two week visit with her sister, Mrs. Floyd Ivey and Mr. Ivey. They visited in Amarillo last week

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and again Thursday with their sister, Mrs. Jewell Barnard and in Lamesa with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pruitt and their granddaughter, Dawn, Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. E. R. Sadler and Mrs. L. B. Bowden worked with auxiliary duties at Plains Memorial Hospital Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. Paul Wiggner entertained in her home Wednesday afternoon with a Sarah Coventry Jewelry party.

Baptist Men met for their regular monthly meeting Tuesday night.

Baptist Women met Wednesday night for the Bible Study group meeting.

Baptist Young Women met

Monday afternoon with the WMU director, Mrs. Thomas Parson in charge.

Rev. Mack Turner taught another chapter of the book, "The Mission Task of the Church in the Wednesday night prayer service.

Marion Dawson was one of the 29 Tech students initiated into the Junior Council Junior Women's Honorary Council recently.

Mrs. Doug Louder received a certificate of appreciation for volunteer service in the Dimmitt Satellite School's annual awards banquet last Friday night.

Larry Duke won 4th place in the 440 hurdles and Daniel Montiel 2nd in pole vault at

the Hale Center Track Meet last Saturday. The Dimmitt track team won the tournament, their second this season, in Class AA.

Lee Brown, Edwin and Joe Fuller, participated in the track meet at Plains Friday with Springlake-Earth high school.

Laura Sadler recently celebrated her 5th birthday with a party in her home.

Dimmitt was host to the UIL Band Contest Tuesday night and Wednesday. Cindy Sadler, Robert Calhoun, and Resa Carson played with the Bobcat band Tuesday night which won a I in concert and a I in sight reading, making them a sweepstakes. Lee Brown, Kelley Haydon, Debbie Wilson Jerald Head, Dina Jo Hampton, Joe Fuller, Roger Howell, and Deanna and Don Marriott played with the Springlake-Earth band Wednesday morning. They won a I in concert and a II in sight reading.

Resa Carson visited in Lubbock Wednesday with Debra Ball. They received minor injuries in a car accident Wednesday afternoon. They both received bruises and Debra received a broken wrist.

J. B. Hensley of Hale Center visited Tuesday and spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler. He visited the Gale Sadler family Tuesday night.

Randy, Tresa, and Cheryl Powell spent Tuesday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler. They and their parents spent the day Saturday.

Mrs. Pearl Sadler of Dimmitt, Randy, Tresa, and Cheryl Powell and Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler visited in Lubbock Wednesday with Dr. Myles Sadler and Mr. and Mrs. David Sadler, Melody and Karla.

Resa Carson participated with the Hazle family of Lubbock in a gospel music program in M.leshoe Sunday and Sunday

night in two different churches. Last Sunday they played in Anton. Mrs. Lillian Carson attended the services there last Sunday night. Resa plays the drum with the group.

Mrs. Lillian Carson visited with relatives in Odessa over the week-end and attended a Mary Kay workshop.

The young people in the youth led revival for the week-end was the song leader, Steve Coulter of Wayland who was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson, Lonnie, Debbie, and Dancan. Ray Franklin of Howard Payne College at Brownwood was also a guest of the Wilsons. His sister, Marilyn Franklin also a student of Howard Payne was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Jones and Renee.

The evangelist, Gary Little of Wayland was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler, Cindy and Susan. Gary Swantz from New Deal was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown, Lee and Lynn. Steve Steward and his sister, Linda, of Lubbock were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morgan and Steve. She was

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**SUNNYSIDE NEWS**

(cont. from page 9) the pianist for the revival. Willie Ray Meyer of Slaton was a guest of M. and Mrs. Nosh Spencer and Lyle Shive. Gary Lillie's girlfriend, Anet Crocker, from Enid, Oklahoma arrived Saturday and was a guest of M. and Mrs. Larry Starnes, Deanna and Donna. There was a fellowship at the Hershel Wilsons home after the Friday evening services, and at the

church after services Saturday night. The evangelist's brother and four other Wayland students visited in the Sunday morning services and stayed for dinner at the church. The Franklins and Anet Crocker stayed for the evening services as did the singer and evangelist. M. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler visited in Hale Center Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ercell Keeler. Noble Armstrong attended the grave-size rites of M. E. Simmons of Pampa, a former

**4-H Projects Provide Something For Everyone**

The 4-H and youth program of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service is aimed at helping young people develop their capabilities to the fullest. "One important phase of the 4-H member's development involves choosing, planning and evaluating projects," points out Yvonne Garcia, Extension 4-H and youth specialist.

"4-H members have more than 40 project areas available to them, including wildlife, farm and ranch management, vegetable gardening, photography, clothing, horse and pony, safety and beef cattle. Projects can also include activities relating to current social issues---con-

servation, ecology, health, career opportunities and interpersonal communications.

Before choosing a project, a member is encouraged to consult with his parents and 4-H leader to decide which project can best meet his interests, needs and family situation, notes Miss Garcia. Then, the member sets his learning goals by identifying what he wants to do and how he wants to do it.

"As learning takes place, 4-H members acquire important skills and information," according to the Texas A&M University System specialist. In addition to learning how to sew a dress, plan a nutritious meal or survey local job opportunities, 4-H members also learn how to make decisions, cope with minor crises, participate in a group, share leadership roles and evaluate their accomplishments.

"There is no better way to prepare young people for the future than to equip them with some of these basic life skills," believes the 4-H and youth specialist.

"As a teaching tool, the 4-H project can be the core of the 4-H member's experience. But it can help young people to develop a better understanding of themselves and their role in society," says Miss Garcia. Youth between the ages of 9 and 19 are encouraged to call or visit their local county Extension agents and ask about the variety of 4-H projects available.

Dimmitt resident, at Castro Memorial Gardens Monday afternoon.

Lynn Brown participated with the Springlake-Earth 7th grade track team in the District Junior High track meet at Springlake-Earth Saturday morning.

Matt Gilbreath and the Dimmitt Major League Longhorn team coached by John Gilbreath and Truman Touchstone, won the Little Drabbler tournament Saturday night. They won the first game with the Owls Thursday night. Matt was also chosen for the all-star team.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis King of Amarillo spent the day Sunday with Mrs. Lillie King.

Belinda Hampton, Arjello Saucedo and Rosario Montiel are members of the Springlake-Earth 7th grade girl team who won 1st in the Kress Track Meet last Saturday.

Theola Hughes returned to her home in Hood River, Oregon after a visit here with her aunt and Uncle, M. and Mrs. Thomas Parson.

Bob Duke came in Friday from Tech for the spring holidays. Bill, Ricky, and Robin Rodgers of Oklahoma City arrived Saturday morning to spend their school vacation week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson. Their mother brought them, but returned home Saturday.

**PARTY LINE**

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gatlin of Marble Falls spent last weekend visiting M. and Mrs. Forrest Simmons of Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rambo, publishers of the Hale Center American visited Mr. and Mrs. Ross Middleton, Tuesday afternoon.



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