#### **OUR COMMENT**

The first three months of the year we have had 1.46 inches of rain. Lets hope we are as lucky the next three months.

# BE A BOOSTER . . . HELP PLAINS GROW AND GROW! The YOAKUM COUNTY REVIEW

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#### **VOLUME 27**

PLAINS, YOAKUM COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MARCH 21, 1957

# clearing the scratchpad By ROSA LEE MYERS

Daisies Won't BUT NEWSPAPERS WILL TELL YOU . . .

What to wear and where to buy, Whether prices are low or high,

What to eat and what to drink, What to use in the kitchen sink ...

Who married-who was born. Who got pinched for honking

horn, Where to bank and where to

borrow, What stores are having sales tomorrow . . .

Where to go for a restful cruise, What to rub on Johnny's

bruise, What to put on the bedroom

floor, Where to buy that new screen door . . .

Where to rent or buy a home, What it costs to get to Rome,

What books to read, shows to see. What to view on the new

TV ... How to sew and darn and knit, And what's the latest movie

hit, Where to pray and who will preach,

What parents ought to learn and teach . . .

Why to buy that brand new car, How to drop your score to par, Whether stocks went up or down,

When the circus will come to town . . .

And so it goes-the list is legion In every market, in every region . .

That's why people young or gray,

Enjoy the newspaper every day.

-scratchpad-

The ladies of the Eastern Star will have a bake sale Tuesday, April 2, in the court house. The purpose of the sale is to make enough money to finish paying for the carpet in the lodge hall.

-scratchpad-Robert Henard and Leo White attended the Gaines County Livestock Show Friday. Mr. Henard was the judge for the showmanship awards and Mr. white judged the dairy cattle and swine. Seen for April 2



THE BASKETBALL girls of Plains were presented with their letter jackets in assembly last Monday. Girls receiving jackets were Joyce Riggs, Glenda Bearden, Jan Sims, Kay Smith, Ynez Agness, Jeanie St. Romain, Carol McRay, Pat Smith, Barbara Meil and Judy Palmer. Mrs. Williams, the P.E. teacher, is also shown in the picture.

### **Plains Needs Youth Center**

A few weeks ago, a very pertinent article was published in The Review, which was written by the Rev. James Todd, suggesting a Youth Center for the Young people of Plains and nearby areas.

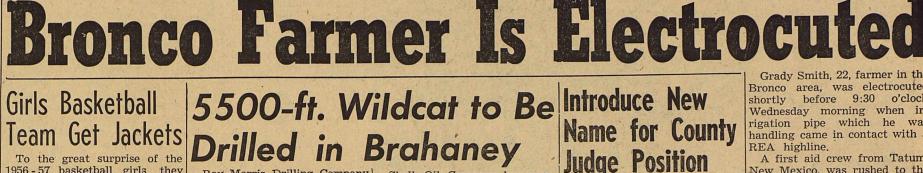
Seemingly, the suggestion fell on deaf ears, or at least we have failed to hear of any action takenor even any ideas on such a Center, either pro or con.

Although the new Club Room in the court house is now open for use it still fails to fill the need for the boys and girls, who should have a place to call their own. Such a Center could have a board made up of teen-age members, plus adult sponsors, and of course, all activities would be properly supervised by interested parents.

Plains is growing, more and more families are calling our town home. And as it grows, there will be more and more children with no place to go for an outlet to their energies. If some provision is not made to provide recreation facilities, the juvenile mischief which has become more and more prevalent in past weeks will continue to increase.

We all know there aren't any "bad" children here, but teen-agers-as well as the younger boys and girls-who don't have an outlet for their natural energies often turn to pranks and malicious mischief.

If there are enough parents and citizens interested in doing something constructive for the young people of Plains, a date could be set for a public meeting for the discussion of a Youth Center. We urge you to not wait until it is too late-or succumb to the "let George do it" feeling. Make your desires on the proposal known. It may take a little effort, but our youth should be worth that much-and considerably more.



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vey.

1956 - 57 basketball girls, they were awarded their letter jackets before an all school ed as a 5,500-foot wildcat three assembly last Monday morning, in the Jr. High Autorium.

Ten girls received the solid black jackets, a white strip down the sleeve, and a black and gold letter "P" on the front. The B team received little gold asketballs to be worn on a chain for their efforts in the City Council Hires past season.

Girls receiving jackets were: Glenda Bearden, Jan Sims, Joyce **Engineers; Votes to** Jeanine St. Romain, Carol Mc-Rae, Pat Smith (captain), Bar-Pay Tower Bill Riggs, Kay Smith, Ynez Agness,

para Meil, and Judy Palmer. In a meeting held Friday Girls making up the "B" team night, the City council decided were: Carol Anderson, Judy to pay Mr. Garbitt for the con-Lowe, Sallie Yarbrough, Darlene struction of the water tower Snodgrass, Billie Rushing, Karen less 10% with the remainder as Manager. has been performed to the sat-

Griffin, engineers out of Lubbock, Mom and Pop whom the city has hired. The council also agreed to hire the firm of Parkill, Smith and were no shows of oil or gas. **Barbecue Given** Cooper as consultant engineers on a job fee basis and to accept by FHA, FFA a flat rate of \$700.00 for engineering a new city water well. Mr. Carl C. Cox of Amarillo

Sixty-eight members of the F.H.A. and F.F.A. honored their parents and friends last week, with the 4th annual Mom and Pop Barbeque.

Approximately two hundred guests attended and were served a delicious dinner of barbequed beef, potato salad, beans, pickles, onions, radishes and etc.

Toastmaster for the occasion the new system. If feasible at was Dallas Powell, president of that time, Cox will further suthe F.F.A. Club. The invocation pervise the letting of a contract was given by Jimmy Warren and construction. and Frances Payne gave the wel-

was given by Mrs. Mary Jo St. State Line H.D. coming address. The response Romain, Carol Anderson sang a song and Jeanine St. Romain played the piano. A review was

The State Line Home Dem-onstration club met last Thurs- Naomi Maynard given on Willie Mae Addison by Frances Payne. Dallas Powell, toastmaster, day in the home of Mrs. Grady presented Miss Jeanine St. Ro- Smith.

**County Winner** It was an all day meeting main to the attending group as the 1956-57 F.F.A. Sweetheart. with each member bringing A committee report was given sandwiches for lunch. The host- In Spelling Bee Merle Todd and Royce Ran-less served coffee and cake to dall gave a review of the stock each guest.

Name for County **Judge Position** Ray Morris Drilling Company | Shell Oil Company has com-No. 2 N.E. Dupree is to be drill- pleted No. 16 Dora Roberts as Members of the commissioners'

a new producer in the Wasson court were still unable to agree (Wolfcamp) field of South Yoa- on any action regarding the appointment of a county judge at On the potential test, the well a meeting held Tuesday afterpumped 185.50 barrel of 41 grav- noon, although the name of one ity oil, plus 40 per cent water new candidate was presented. Commissioner Clyde Trout Production was from perfor-ations at 8,594-8,613 feet; 8,577-Bennett, well known county Production was from perfor-

85 feet and at 8,577-60 feet, af- rancher, and some discussion ter 3,000 gallons of acid. Gas-oil followed but no motion was made of wind, and one of the sprinkler or vote taken. The well is 14 miles northwest Business transacted by the

of Denver City and 1,980 feet court included the purchase of from south and 2,500 feet from a copying machine for the county west lines of section 793, block auditor's office at the cost of D, John H. Gibson survey. \$309, and approval of payment J. S. Abercrombie and others of fees to Attorneys Don Han-No. 1 J. C. Rogers, Southeast cock and John Saleh for defend-Yoakum County wildcat, 16 mil- ing court cases in instances Randolph, and Laurene Marrow, to be paid when the agreed work es southeast of Plains, recovered where the defendants could not a 2,800-foot water blanket and afford to hire a lawyer.

The court also issued a reisfaction of Mr. Reeves and Mr. 8,950 feet of sulphur water in minder to the public that any-That zone was tested 40 min- one caught hunting, stealing, utes at 13,475-561 feet. There or damaging property at the county airport would be prose-

The wildcat logged a show of cuted to the fullest extent of the law. oil in a drillstem test of the San Andres at 5,534-74 feet, and

found oil and water at 5,574-Gwen Short Is It will plug back, set casing **ESA** Candidate and test that formation in an attempt to develop production. Location is 1,980 feet from south State Queen and west lines of section 751, block D, John H. Gibson survey. Iota Pi Chapter of Epsilon Three miles south of Denver Sigma Alpha met in the Com-

City in the Wasson 72 area, munity Room of the old court-Continental Oil Company No. house, Tuesday, March 19, at 1-D-53 A. L. Wasson has been 7:30 p.m. for a short business completed as a flowing well. meeting and social meeting.

gravity oil, through a one-inch well made 320 barrels of 35 choke and perforations from 7,420 to 7,450 feet, after 2,000 gallons of acid.

On 24-hour potential test, the During the business meeting conducted by Mary Jo St. Romain, president, motions were made and carried to donate \$50.00 to the Heart Fund and \$50.00 to the Epsilon Sigma chapter elected Gwen Short as

Bronco area, was electrocuted shortly before 9:30 o'clock Wednesday morning when irrigation pipe which he was handling came in contact with a REA highline. A first aid crew from Tatum,

New Mexico, was rushed to the scene, and worked for two hours over Smith with oxygen and artifical respiration. He was pronounced dead at 10:45 a.m. According to county officials investigating the tragic accident, Smith and a hired hand were loading aluminum irrigation pipe on a trailer, preparatory to taking the pipe to a field. The pipe was partically upright when it was caught by a strong gust arms caught over the 7200 volt

Grady Smith 22 farmer in th

highline Both Smith and the hired man were knocked down, but the worker, whose name was not immediately available, and who was wearing rubber boots, was thrown a short distance. Smith fell face down, with the end of the pipe lying across the back

of his shoulders. Dunk Brian, a neighbor who lives some 200 yards across the road, told officers that Smith had just left his (Brian's) house in a pickup to drive to his own place, Minutes later, Brian noted the lights dimming momentarily, went outside and saw what had

happened. Officers reported that Smith's hired man, after several attempts, managed to kick the pipe off Smith's body so that he could be reached.

Smith and his wife, JoAnn, had resided on the farm two miles south and a mile east of Bronco for more than a year. moving there from Slaton where his parents reside.

Funeral services will be held at Slaton and are pending the arrival of two brothers, J. C. and Elton Smith, both of Slaton who were enroute to Sugar Lake, Mexico, on a fishing trip. Custom officials at Roma, Texas, international bridge halted the two brothers and notified them Alpha, state project fund. The of the accident.

Smith is survived by his wife their canidate for Epsilon Sigma and 13 months old son, Grady Alpha queen to be entered in the Lamar; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. state contest and presented at Judge Smith, a sister, Mrs. the state convention at Odessa in May. Pictures of candidates J. C. and Elton, all of Slaton. will be sent in and judged by

was also hired by the city at a fee of \$100.00 per day to draw up new plans and specification for the existing distribution system with notations of changeouts necessary to conform to the National Safety Code. An estimate will than be submitted to the council for engineering and construction to complete

#### -scratchpad-

The District volleyball meet is scheduled to be held in O'-Donnell Tuesday March 26, in the O'Donnell gym. The Plains girls will be entered, but we do not know the exact time which they will play.

-scratchpad-

Birthday and anniversary conelection. gratulations this week to: Mrs. G. R. Todd, Harmon Meixner, Pete Sampson and George Burke Jr., Phil Chandler, Alice Stewrunning for the spot left vacant art and Dean Rippletoe, March 21; Linda Free and Neil E. by Rod Duff. Hickman March 23; John E. Fitzgerald and Elaine Mauk, Teague, and there is but one March 24; Elmer Cross, March candidate for city marshall, 25; Rickie Elmore, Richard Meil Billy Kennedy.

The road bond election will and Mrs. D. N. Taylor, March 26; Bobby G. Williams, March also be held Saturday, April El Paso last Friday to be with 27; Paula Gale Randolph, March 2, along with the election of her husband, who is stationed a State Senator.

**Quiet City Election** MEET SCHEDULED HERE NEXT WEEK With the city election only a week away, not many people The 1957 District Tennis Meet have filed for office. For the two The weather will determine what alderman spots, only three have filed, James Warren, Starks Wagley and W. B. Scott. Mr. There will be five schools com-

peting. They are; Seagraves, Scott is now in office and is Ropes, Sundown, O'Donnell, and running for re-election. Bud Plains. Actually the number of Brian, other alderman whose teams to compete is not definite, term expires, did not seek resince some schools do not have a tennis team. The special election finds

Plains is a strong contender for the championship, being the

**DISTRICT TENNIS** 

1956 title holder, from this district. 1 Only one name was filed for The winner of this meet will city judge, that being E. B. go directly to regional at Texas Tech in Lubbock, April 13th.

> Girl Cast. Mr. Leon Cheatman went to at Fort Bliss.

show. The Homemaking I, II and Mrs. Amos Newsom led the III gave a style show, reviewing program which was the art on the garments they had made in hat making. Eight hats were made by the members present. class as projects.

The barbecue was enjoyed by The next meeting will be held everyone and was a big success. March 28. The program will be Everyone is looking forward to on Civil Defense with Mrs. the next banquet next year. Frank Spencer as hostess.



Plains won first place Tuesday night at Frenship in the District victim of the wreck, and the City. girl realizes what has happened-One Act Play Contest. Harold Smith was selected on there has been a terrible acthe All Star Cast and Frances cident, and that they both are Payne was selected on the All dead. The faces of the victims

are different, however, because each has tried to be something The name of the play was

Afterwards" by Geraldine Mc- he wasn't in real life. Not until now-after death-Gaughan. It was a serious drama has either really known the about a terrible car wreck. The other. Too late, of course, they two people were killed and as ghosts they found their real both realize how much happier they would have been as their natural selves.

A superb job of acting was to Miss Colleen Lithouser, the lirector, for a marvelous job. The rest of the cast, also turn-

effects for the play.

ffects for the play. "Afterwards" takes place the Legion Hall Saturday night,

late at night when Ben Harrison, played by Harold Smith, and Tommy Aldrich, portrayed by Frances Payne, discover that they are alone in a meadow. iliary. About twenty people at-Neither of the two victims can tended, with games of forty-two remember who he is, but feel and dominoes played. Refreshthey resemble someone they once ments of coffee and cake were knew. As the boy starts for served the guest.

help, he finds the wrecked car The American Legion Post and one of the victims. The has been in Plains since 1947 boy feels he looks something like the victim and he feels he should recognize, and finally does, the wrist watch and ten-who was killed while serving nis shoes the other is wearing. in the armed forces.

The final judging of the Yoa-After the adjournment of the kum County spelling bee, was business meeting, bridge and held Friday afternoon in the dominos were played and re- of Methodist Church district court room.

awrence Welk.

Mr. Roy Stockstill, principal table centered with the sorority of the Plains junior high and flower, the yellow janquil and Bob Conger, principal of Denver blue candles. The chapter theme City junior high, were judges for this year, Western Living, for the event. Mrs. Myrtle Pat-terson, teacher at Plains, pro-nounced the words for the child-table covered in blue.

table covered in blue.

Naomi Maynard, 12 year old Cookies, candy and nuts, cokes Marsha White, Butch Hawkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. and coffee were served by host-Jack Meixner, Jerry Warren. Maynard of Plains was the coun-ty winner. Naomi is in the 8th grade at Plains junior high. Al-terate winner was Emily Beck-ett 13 year old daughter of Mr. Denthy Laws Europe Moore Stockstill Mothers attending

ett, 13 year old daughter of Mr. Dorothy Lowe, Eunice Moore, Stockstill. Mothers attending The boy also finds the other and Mrs. Beckett of Denver Elsie Nordyke, Ann Green, Jo were Mrs. Rusty McGinty, Mrs. City. Brown, Martha Shaw, Doris Ford Hawkins and Mrs. J. E. The district spelling bee will Hawkins, Lois McGinty, Mary Cooke. The afternoon was spent

be held in Lubbock March 30 Lee Swann, Mamie Robertson, playing baseball and was climaxat O. L. Slaton Junior High. and Fern Miskeska.

Intermediate Class freshments were served from a Hosted at Picnic

> Mrs. James Warren entertained the Methodist Intermediate Sunday School Class with a picnic in the park Saturday

Those attending were Nita Jo Meixner, Tonya Randolph, Datenut and chocolate chip D'Lynn McGinty, Sue Bookout,

ed with a weiner roast.



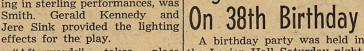
MRS. DICK McGINITY, Mrs. James Warren, Ann Green, and Mr. James Warren are shown in the picture above as they enjoyed a game of dominoes Saturday night at the American Legion Birthday Party.



PICTURED ABOVE are Deputy Sheriff Ole n Heath, Mrs. Gene Payne, Elsie Nordyke, Oma McCargo and Mary Jo St. Romain, who is poin ting to the sign, "Driver Education, Key to Highway Safety", sponsored by the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. It is hoped that driver education will be taught in the Plains schools soon. **REVIEW** Photo

The regional One Act Play done by both Harold Smith and Contest will be held in Littlefield, Frances Payne. Our congradu-on April 5th. Plain wsill be comlations go to them both and also peting against the other winners in this region.

Overton, Joe Cobb and Shiela ing in sterling performances, was





MR. AND MRS, SHORTY COKE and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy McDowell attended the party at the Legion Hall Saturday night. And from the smiles on the men's faces, they must have been winning.

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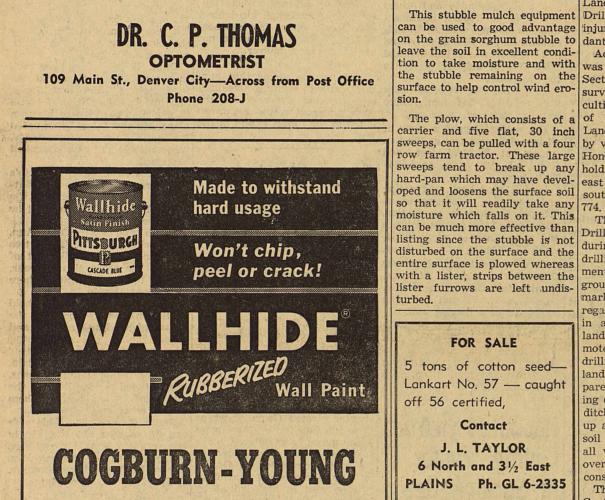
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**Equipment Here** 

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Try reading the above line at a distance of 20 feet. If you can't see it clearly, possibly you need glasses.



## **DIVORCE CASE, SUIT FOR DAMAGES** FILED HERE IN DISTRICT COURT

Two cases have been filed in rig and equipment to a site district court, one for divorce selected by Landa, and com and the other for damages. menced to drill a well and Suit has been filed by Rose remained on the site until the Murphy, asking for a divorce well was drilled, and used six acres of land that was to be from Glen Murphy. The couple planted in cotton, when only two was married in Pitcher, Okla., acres or less was necessary to in 1941, and separated February drill a well. That the defendant 9, 1957. The plaintiff asserts that the defendant has been made pits, excavations and use of guilty of unkind, harsh and cruel the area away from well site and treatment, and that he threat- in a larger area than was necened to take her life and on num- essary.

erous occasions struck and That the plaintiff on January abused her, that he continually 2, 1956, sold Section 774 and but drank to exess and failed to for the damaged six acres caused support her. The plaintiff fur- by using more land than was ther asserts that at the time of necessary, would have received their separation in February, \$150 per acre for the section, but the defendant did strike the with damage done and knowing plaintiff, causing contusions and the six acres would never proacerations and breaking a duce cotton or any money ooth. making crops, the plaintiff re-

.The suit sets forth that the ceived only \$140 per acre. That couple are parents of a son, now such action was the sole and residing with the plaintiff in proximate cause of damages Denver City, and that she is able suffered, amounting to \$6400. to rear the child and provide for The plaintiff was further damhis needs. The plaintiff asserts aged in that but for these negthat the defendent is an able ligent acts and using by de bodied man, capable of earning fendant of more than necessary at least \$400 per month, and that land to drill a well, Section 774

he ought to be able to pay \$50 had in past years and would per month as child support. The plaintiff also asked for a per acre, and plaintiff would

annually. lesting her in any way.

That plaintiff during 1955 In the other suit, G. C. Mc

on the grain sorghum stubble to dants drilled an oil well. was denied the ust of six acres According to the plaintiff, he not only for planting, etc., but tion to take moisture and with was owner of surface estate of was denied the use of six acres

surface to help control wind ero-survey, in Yoakum County and result the plaintiff suffered ad- Miami, the Roswell basin of New cultivating the section in March ditional damages in the amount Mexico; parts of Minnesota The plow, which consists of a of 1955; that the defendant, of \$900, the reasonable value of Wisoonin, Illinois and Iowa, un

carrier and five flat, 30 inch Landa Oil Company acquired cotton that could have been sweeps, can be pulled with a four by virtue of an assignment from harvested from the six acres. row farm tractor. These large Honolulu Oil Company, leasesweeps tend to break up any hold interest in and to the south-Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Simpson

east quarter and east half of the of Channing spent the weekend oped and loosens the surface soil southwest quarter of Section visiting in the home of their daughter and her family, Mr.

That the defendant, Coats and Mrs. A. E. McGinty. Mr. and Mrs. Marion McGinty Drilling, moved in on said section, were Brownfield visitors Monduring March, 1955, an oil well drilling rig and necessary equip-Mrs. Sid Mayfield underwent

ment and deposited on the surgery in the Treadway-Danlister furrows are left undis- grounds at site staked and iel Hospital Tuesday morning. marked by Landa, wholly dis-

regarding the plaintiff's rights in and on the surface of said land; and Coats by trucks and Smyer. moter vehicles moved and carried drilling equipment across and on

land when said section was prepared for a cotton crop, knocking down and breaking irrigation ditches, cutting up and tearing up and causing ruts in and upon soil and killing and destroying all vegetation trampled and run over by vehicles all without the consent of the plaintiff.

The suit further declares that Coats Drilling carried and moved



The above picture shows Mrs. Verden Brown and a group of FHA girls getting ready to clean up the cafeteria after the banquet.

# EXPERT WARNS OF WATER SHORTAGE have to be abandoned in areas had in past years and would IN SOUTH PLAINS AREA OF TEXAS

temporary restraining order to prevent the defendant from mo-lostine water is depleted." said this week, but some areas must be reckoned with, and also there is not enough of it, he

The greatest danger is in the may have periods of 50 or 100 severe drouth country recently Bride of Waco is asking a total planted cotton and because of South Plains of Texas and New years or more". of \$7300 in damages against damaged six acres which were Mexico where increased well In the South Plains, sinking hower. Importation of water Landa Oil Company and Coats portion of section which yielded drilling is draining an under- of irrigation wells "has accel- from more humid areas he des-This stubble mulch equipment Drilling Co., Inc. for alleged the larger quantity and better ground supply which won't be erated at a rate unmatched injury to land when the defen- quality of cotton, the plaintiff replaced for centuries, said elsewhere in the nation", said replaced for centuries, said elsewhere in the nation", said future as is conversion of what-Albert G. Fielder.

Real problems also exist or in use and quantity of water the stubble remaining on the Section 774, block D, John Gibson for growing any crop, and as threaten, he said, in Long Island, pumped." He said most of this has been in Texas. Because the area was cut off derlain by artesian sandstone: Mountains, insofar as underand the Yazoo Delta of northground movement of water is western Mississippi.

concerned, large scale pumpage "We have no reason at this in the area "is to mine it out Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Field and time to fear that our nation for good". He said precipitation family, Mrs. Ty Field and Mrs. or our planet is gradually drying is light, evaporation high, and R. B. Jones spent Thursday and up", declared Fielder, who is the subsoil tight, with the result Friday in Amarillo. Mrs. Payne, assistant chief of the U. S. only a fraction of an inch of Mrs. Ty Field, Mrs. Bobby Field Geological Surgey's grand water moisture per year penetrates. and Mrs. Jones attended the supply branch. His paper was prepared for the American this region is going to meet the eration of Women's Clubs of the Society of Civil Engineers.

problem of depletion of stored Seventh District. "Our national water supply is ground water", he said. "If Mr. and Mrs. Gene Philips at-H. S. and Wayne Smyer of not diminishing, so far as we can events are allowed to run their tended the rodeo in Seagraves Old Mexico City are visiting ascertain, but is remaining about course, irrigation from wells will Saturday night.

their parents Mr. and Mrs. E. A. the same over the long term. There are wet and dry cycles



that will begin at centers of heavy pumping and will grow outward from those centers as the water is depleted.'

must act to prevent shortages. definite wet and dry trends which said. The area is part of the inspected by President Eisen-

cribed as "still a dream of the Fielder. Each year a new record ever saline water may be preis set in the numbers of wells sent."

Fielder said the solution will 'involve means that have never been used before because a problem of this kind and on this centuries ago from the Rocky scale has never been faced before."

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Payne, "No one knows exactly how District Convention of the Fed-

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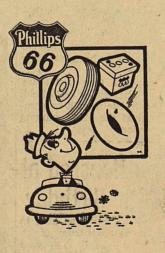
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**Brownfield**, Texas

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Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carpenter spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Lackey. They also attended the annual Texas Tech all College Recognition service in which Mrs. Lackey was recognized for scholorship.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Dyer and Dana spent the weekend as guests in the Walter Spence home in Odessa.

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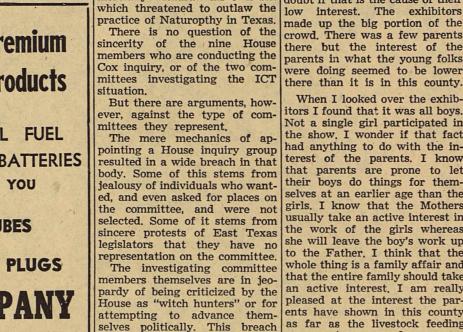


The Yoakum County Review **Senator Preston Smith** Plains, Texas

Dear Friends, all the other favors which the Review extended us before and

during the recent livestock show and sale. We believe our program is a great help in preventing juvenile with many one-shot investigating delinquency, because everyone knows a busy boy or girl is a godo boy or girl, and that is the kind who grow up to be depend-able citizens and the kind that we can be proud of. Again we say thank you.

G. W. Cleveland, Secretary

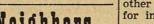


committees appointed in the

louse and Senate.

affair could very well have some effect on the legislative program. These and other current events have influenced support for the Governor's law enforcement commission to replace many singleshot investigating groups.

Because of the stepped-up fight against cancer, led by the American Cancer Society, one in every three cancer patients is being saved. This compares with one in every four saved few years ago.



My Neighbors for improvement.

#### **County Livestock** ACROSS THE Cattle Guard **Group Has Annual** By LEO W. WHITE **Meeting Monday**

Visitors in the home of Mr.

and Mrs. R. B. Jones on Sunday

were, Mr. and Mrs. Howard of

Quannah and Mr. and Mrs.Tim

The annual membership meet-It is good for a person to get ing of the Yoakum County Liveout and visit his neighbors once stock and Agriculture Associatin a while. He can find out what is going on outside the bounds of ion was held Monday night in

his own place. He can see how the district court room at Plains. About 70 persons were pre-With three separate investigathe compares to his neighbors in bers of the board of directors The directors of the Yoakum ing committees funtioning in the various phases of his work. County Livestock and Agricul-Austin, more arguments appear This is true with organizations sent for the session. Five memture Improvement Association daily in favor of Gov. Price as well as individuals. I was were re-elected for a two year term, including Johnnie Fitzwould like to express their thanks for the free publicity and uthorize a law enforcement County Junior Fat Stock Show gerald, Harvey Stotts, G. W. leveland and Pat Henard.

**County Agent** 

commission for Texas. was exceptionally good this year The foundation for such a comand I more sure than ever after visiting two neighboring shows mission would be grand jurors selected from the 11 state judilast week. cial districts. This would do away

In

Gene Bennett, Tom Warren, I was over at the Gaines Rusty McGinty, Gene Payne County Show on Friday of last and Bill Powell, all of whom week and I tried to make a comparison of their show with ours. term of office.

At present, two such investi For some reason, they do not Motion films of all previous ating committees, one from the have as much interest in live-Junior Livestock shows were House and the other from the stock shows in that country as shown, and Wyatt Lipscomb of Senate, are looking into the ICT there is in Yoakum County. The the Soil Conservation office, crowd attending the show was pretty slim. Of course, their winners in the essay contest or Insurance situation while a third committee is delving into the winners in the essay contest on alleged offer of Rep. Cox to comfacilities are not like ours but I doubt if that is the cause of their held recently. He also presented "Soil Conservation", which was mercially withdraw his own bill low interest. The exhibitors made up the big portion of the Bronco. first place winner in Bronco, first place winner in crowd. There was a few parents the competition.

there but the interest of the parents in what the young folks were doing seemed to be lower there than it is in this county.

When I looked over the exhibitors I found that it was all boys. Stoveall of Lubbock. Other Not a single girl participated in guests on Monday were, Frank the show, I wonder if that fact Jones and Guy Weeks of had anything to do with the in- Lamesa.

terest of the parents. I know Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Newsom were Mr. that parents are prone to let their boys do things for themand Mrs. George Fulton of Donselves at an earlier age than the ie, Texas. Mrs. Fulton remained girls. I know that the Mothers in Plains for a few days visit usually take an active interest in with the Newsoms. the work of the girls whereas she will leave the boy's work up to the Father. I think that the whole thing is a family affair and that the entire family should take

pleased at the interest the parents have shown in this county as far as the livestock feeding program is concerned. in the House caused by the Cox

The Gaines County Show is handled a little different from ours and there was a difference in the quality of their animals. They have ruled out milk-fed calves and mutton type lambs in their show so that it looked

ike we had better animals in those two divisions than they did. They had some barrows that compared favorably with ours if you take the group as a whole. The top individuals in their pig show seemed to be better than

ours so we learn from visiting other shows that we have room

Rusty McGinty, Pat Henard and I went up to Morton last Saturday and visited their sale. The show had been held the day before and they started the sale on Saturday morning. We thought that we had a good sale and we did have a good one but Cochran County had a good sale too. They sold 18 lambs, 65 hogs and 11 calves in about three hours time and they averaged a little higher than ours all the vay through. They sold two calves for 27c a pound and everything else sold for more than 30c a pound. Several pigs sold for 35c a pound but none of them vent below that figure. When you visit with your neighbors you sometimes find that you are real proud of the way things are going at home and you sometimes find that you need to come back and set your sights a little higher. **PLAINS** Electric



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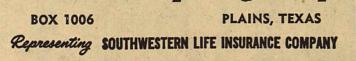
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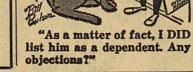






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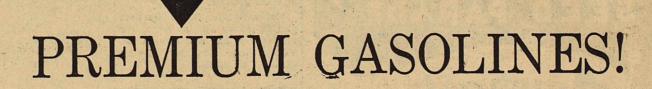
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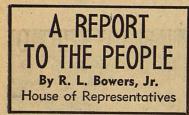
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## THELMA



Yeah - My Name's Elvis - Elvis Picklehoffer."



The Investigation Committees have continued their work this week. The work of the Committee investigating the I.C.T. Insurance Company grows larger and larger. We should have a next week.

The biggest news this week is that the House approved a record two billion dollar major appropriation bill after fourteen hours of almost continuous debate



#### This was accomplished by staying in session until ten minutes to one Friday morning. The bill passed substantially as it came out of the committee. There were three amendments adopted which added to the two-year spending budget proposed by the House Approprations Committee. They were \$2,154,497 for expanded county agriculture extension

services; \$35,750 for a cotton marketing research at the University of Texas; and approximately one million dollars to add 200 beds to the operation of report from the Cox Committee John Sealy Hospital at Galveston. The Comptroller estimates that

> forty million dollars in the State Hale. Treasury. We are looking forward to getting on to the remainder of the bills now that the Appro-

of the long session on the Appropriation Bill, the calendar is quite crowded, and we are anticipating a lot of work in the next few weeks.

Sincerely, R L. Bowers, Jr.

Bobby Chambliss was home ed force sin Greenland.

nome. Mrs. C. A. Witt and Mrs. Garland Huffman attended a mis-sionary convention in Andrews

**Fuesday**. Mr. and Mrs. James Warren had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baumgardner and family of Brownfield.

Mrs. Thelma Ellis spent the weekend in Seagraves as guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Rushing and son Mike.

Ronnie Edwards of Ralls was guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Phillips Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Smith visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sudduth Sunday. L. B. Hobbs and W. F. Upton attended a State Grand Lodge

I.O.O.F. meeting in San Antonio over the weekend. Mrs. Sallie Forrest and Mrs. F. J. Miller went to Itasca Monday to attend the funeral of their mother-in-law and grandmother, Mrs. Cora Forest, Mrs. Forrest and Mrs Millere were accompanied by Mrs. Imogene Glover of Odessa. The funeral services were held Wednesday, Mrs. Harvey Stotts spent Saturday in Lubbock visiting in

the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ray Stotts and family. Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Newsom

and Mrs. George Fulton were Roswell, Artesia and Lovington, New Mexico visitors Sunday. Fred Lewis Powell, infant son

of Don Powell, who has been seriously ill for the past week is scheduled to undergo surgery in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock today.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Roush had as guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. as guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Martin of Denver City. Mrs. Faye Nordyke, Joe Weems and George Reed of Hobbs, New Mexico were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Proctor.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bartlett were in Brownfield Sunday night visiting his mother, Mrs. Cora Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hale and family spent the weekend in Lamesa visiting his brother

Red Tudor, Nevel Lowe and Jack Hart of Brownfield were business visitors in Plains last week.

Mrs. Harvey Stotts and Miss Fern Mekiska attended the Tech Little Theare in Lubbock Monday night.

Mrs. James Earl Sherrin is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Spears, while Mr. Sherrin is serving with the arm-

were in Seagraves Saturday night visiting their son and hi family, Mr. and Mrs. James medical treatment in the Tread-Rushing and son Mike. They way-Daniel Hospital. also attended the Seagraves Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Curry rodeo. and family of Seminole visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pierce were her par-Curry and Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Blount, Sunday. ents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitlock of Plainview. Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Smyer and sons, Wayne and H. S. Smy-Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Story Sunday were Leslie Mc-Claren of Roswell, N.M. and Mr. er attended the funeral of O. B. Lindsey in Plainview Monday. and Mrs. Olan Cox of Denver City. Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Hale visted in Lamesa Sunday with his brotoheor and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hale. PARADE. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bartlett had as guests Sunday her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Vernon and daughter Martha Caroline of Ralls.

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pastors may help control his beat. Here he is passing on to interested youngsters the wisdom of going straight. It is better to be in the hands of Him than to be in the handcuffs of the law. Let the church help you keep your life clean and your direction straight. Attend regularly.

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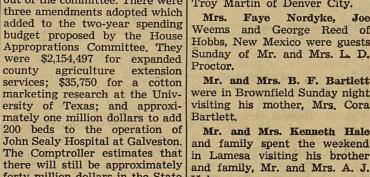
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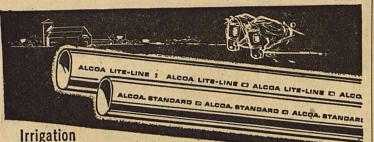
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# TSA MO GA CLUB CONDUCTS PANEL **DISCUSSION ON TEXAS MARCH 18th**

The Tsa Mo Ga Club held a processing the minerals produced panel discussion on Texas for in the state," she continued. Mrs. Robertson's paper was on its annual Texas Day Program, at the club house on March 18th. religion, homecrafts and cult-The panel consisted of Mrs. ural development of Texas. Raymond Bookout, Mrs. James Mrs. Glenn Cleveland acted as Warren, Mrs. Ruth O'Neal, and moderator of the panel and Mrs. J. R. Robertson. Mrs. program director for the even-Bookout talked on Music in ing. She introduced the honored Texas. She stated that Texas guests, Mrs. Jo Verden Brown, held second place in the nation Instructor of Home Economics in professional symphony orch- in the local High School, and estras. Amarillo, Austin, Dallas, Miss Willie Mae Addison, Texas' El Paso and Houston all have Betty Crocker Homemaker of ymphony orchestras. Tomorrow winner. Mrs. Cleve-

Mrs. Warren spoke on the land paid a special tribute to importance of gas and oil in Mrs. Brown on her many ac-Texas. She also stated that complishments in her field of Texas was changing from a endeaver. Miss Addison, in her farm and ranch country to an charming manner, told the club industrial state. Black gold has members how she became the contributed to the educational, state winner.

industrial and cultural growth Mrs. R. K. Field, club delegate to the District Convention held f Texas Mrs. O'Neal spoke on Texas in Amarillo last week, gave a ndustries. "Next to oil, natural report. She was proud to report gas and gasoline, sulphur is the that the Tsa Mo Ga Club won most important mineral pro- first place in the district on the duced in Texas, and in 1946 the three minute report. This report state produced over 77% of the consists of a summary of the sulphur in the Uuited States", years work. Other awards won Mrs. O'Neal said "The most by the club were: in Communiyears work. Other awards won important manufacturing in- cations, third place; Libraries dustries in Texas are devoted to second place; Education, third

**Dance Recital** 

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place; Second place overall winner in the Public Affairs Department; Religion, third place; first place overall winner To Be Presented in the Americanism department and first place winner in the American Shriners Division; Here Friday Night Historical Restoration, first place.

Mrs. C. F. McCargo, club

The pupils of Mrs. Barbara chairman of the Public Affairs Crawford will present a tap recital Friday night, March 22, in Department, made a report of the Junior High Auditorium at programs presented during the year on Public Affairs. She Pupils from Plains who will read all papers sent in for comparticipate in the recital are Jana Joyce and Joe Warren Joyce and Joe Warren, Public Affairs. Divisions of this Carolyn Warren, Robert Field, department are: Citizens, Ind-Sheila Wagley, Sarah Field, Shella Wagley, Saran Fleid, Lidna and Pamela Johnson, Rod-safety, Savings Bonds, Status of In the District, the Tsa Mo Ga

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Tokio, Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Snodgrass and family of Morton, and Mr. and Mrs. Hank Gehry and family. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Smith.

Mrs. G. T. Blount returned to her home Saturday after spending the past week in the Yoakum County Hospital.

#### **Legal Publication**

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF YOAKUM

By virtue of an Execution issued out of the 72nd Judicial District Court of Lubbock County, Texas, on a Judgment rendered in said Court on the 16th day of October, 1956, in favor of Pierce-Wilson, a partnership composed of Leonard S. Pierce and Lewis M. Wilson, in the case of Pierce-Wilson vs. Bill Stewart, No. 27717 in such Court, I did on the 4th day of March, 1957, at 10:30 o'clock a.m. levy upon the following decribed land situated in Yoakum County, Texas, as the property of said Bill Stewart, to-wit:

A 1/16 mineral interest in the Northeast Quarter (NE/4) and the Southwest Quarter (SW/4), all in Section No. 888, Block D, John H. Gibson Survey, Yoakum County, Texas.

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property. Dated at Plains, Texas, this 6th day of March, 1957.

R. H. Chambliss Sheriff,

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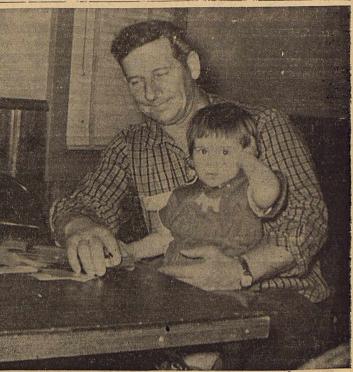
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS Specifications No. 239-57 SEALED PROPOSALS, addressed to David T. Roche, President, Yoakum County Water Control and Improvement District No. 2, near Plains, Texas for the construction of Water System Improvements listed as follows:

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DICK McGINTY looks like he is getting a lot of help with the dominoes from his daughter at the Legion party Saturday night.

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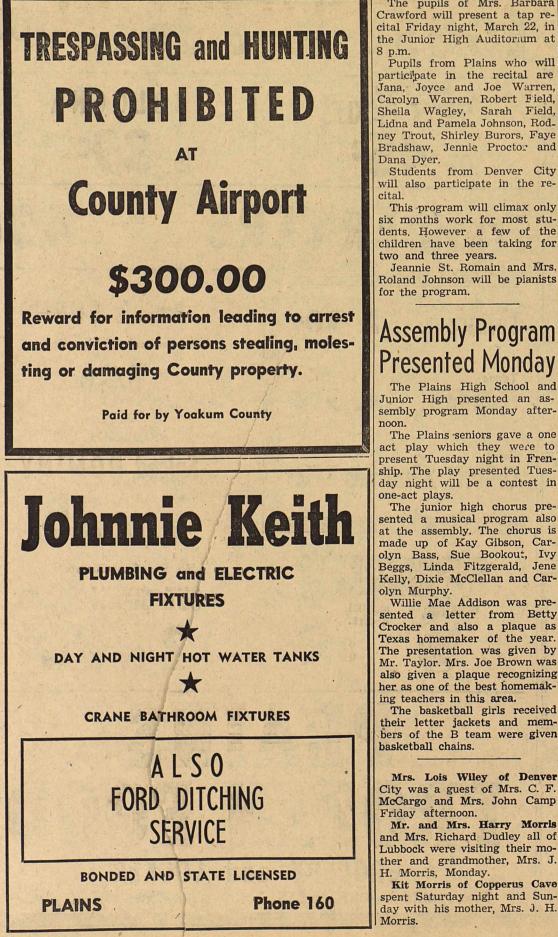
LOST: Huskie Pup, answers to the name of Jerry. Reward, Call Bronco Grocery, Anita Field. Mrs. Charlie Copeland and Mrs. John Camp were shopping in Lubbock, Tuesday.

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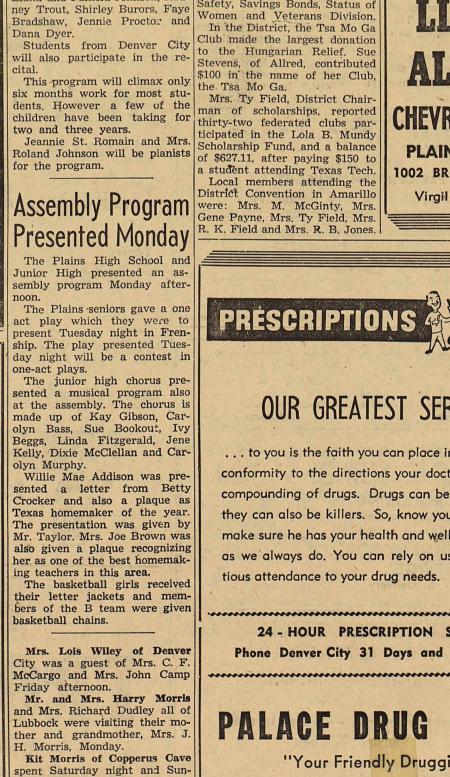
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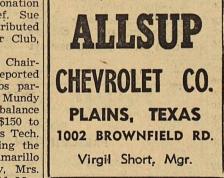
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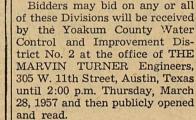


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in the specifications. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids and to waive all techncalities involved therein. No bid may be withdrawn after the scheduled closing for receipt of bids for at least thirty (30) days.

David T. Roche, President Yoakum County Water Control & Improvement District No. 2 ATTEST: C. Willard Houer, Sec'y.

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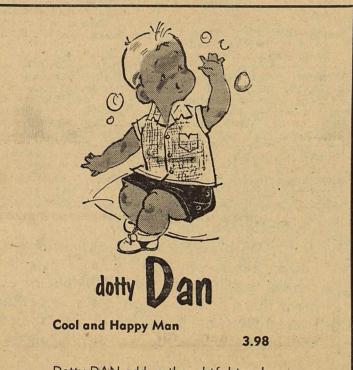
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PAT SMITH is shown above modeling a red formal at the style show. Miss Smith copied the formal from an \$85.00 dress. It is red taffata overlaid with red net. A fine job, Pat.



Dotty DAN adds a thoughtful touch to this Cabana Suit for baby boys, lines the trim little pants with fine white plastic. The sports shirt is meshy Leno, so cool for baby, the pants have gripper snaps, open out flat. All completely washable, too. Brown or navy with white shirts. Small, medium, large, extra-large.

#### ESOIL CONSERVATIONE DISTRICT NEWS



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Irrigation wells are being started up and systems put into operation to apply a preplanting application of water to cropland. Have you made a plan to guide you in applying this and future applications? Do you know how much water to apply without waste or leaching? Do you know how to estimate the moisture in your soil? Do you know whether or not your irrigation system is operating as it should to put out the most water with the least pumping cost? If your answer to the above questions is, "no" or "I am not sure," then the chances are that you will not realize as much profit from your irrigated acres as you should. In many instances a negative answer to one of the above questions could contribute to a loss from farming operations.

You should have a plan to use as a guide in applying irrigation water. The plan should be based on your soil, topography of the land, amount of water available, crops to be grown, and the type of irrigation system to be used

You should include in your irrigation plan when you expect to irrigate and approximately how much water you expect to apply at each irrigation. It should indicate what course will be taken

in case of a pumping plant failure or a substantial decrease in the capacity of your water supply. If your plan of irrigation includes crops that require different amounts of water it should guide you in when and how much

items should be pretty well worked out and written down before the irrigation season is too far along. The plan should be definite, but it must be flexible enough to allow revisions necessitated by weather, insects, unforeseen conditions of crop growth, tillage operations and other factors that might influence farming including market conditions.

More than likely you are getting along with a preplanting irrigation. Are you applying the proper or desired amount of water or are you making too heavy an application? Too much

water will penetrate below a point where it can be recovered by plants. As water goes into tion on irrigation and irrigation the ground is dissolves and car- farming, contact the Soil Conries downward a lot of plant servation Service personnel asneutrants. These neutrants may sisting your Soil Conservation ations Committee, who was the be carried out of reach of plant District. They have a lot of valroots if too much water is ap- uable information and will be ment of Agriculture sell its surplied. At the same time too lit- glad to assist you to develop an plus cotton in world markets tle water applied at that time irrigation plan, determine the at competitive prices, said this may be insufficient to prevent proper rate and amount of irriplants going into stress from lack gation water to apply. They can of good and if continued would relieve some of our problems. ned irrigation. Enough water ture and will help you to eval-



IN THE PICTURE above are Darla Hickerson, Sheila Smith, Sally Yarbrough, Jo Ann Baily, Judy Lowe, Margaret Koncaba, Brenda Sudderth and Glenda Steward, part of the FHA girls who presented a style show of clothes they made as projects, at the Mom and Pop banquet.

The Mississippi Democrat

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The Congressman called for

a complete new look at the agri-

in which a business report on the

PCG was given and a meeting

The three top men named to

reduce world production.

American farmer farm.

world trade

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# MISSISSIPPIAN CALLS FOR "FARM

Rep. Jamie L. Whitten (D. | in an address Monday (March Miss.) called for a farm program 18) in Lubbock before the first that would let farmers farm annual meting of the Plains Cotton Growers, Inc..

again.

sisting the district.

During a recent trip I saw spoke to more than 500 PCG many irrigation systems that members, directors and officers were operating very inefficiently. Some of the sprinkler systems to apply to each. These and many were barely discharging water proposed legislation. with enough velocity to cause the heads to rotate. Many had leaks at joints. Some were over- cultural program of our nation, powered and using more fuel including price supports. His than necessary. Quite a few were talk came after a morning session operating at extremely high pressures or were getting very bad distribution of water on the land. We even found several fields with dry spots. This was especially true where excessive moves of

serve another year include W. O. the sprinkler line were made. Fortenberry, Lubbock. President; Main lines and sprinkler lines of Wilmer Smith, Wilson, Lynn excessive length accounted for County, Vice President; and much of the inefficient operation. A. (Rip) Elms, Jr. Little-M Loss due to friction in long lines field, Secretary-Treasurer. can become very expensive.

A. B. Carpenter and D. P Moorhead are Directors of the If you have any questions or are wanting the latest informa- Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. from Yoakum county. Whitten, Chairman of the powerful Agricultural Approprisales program had done lots

He insisted, though, that there

Roger Curry, Joe Curry and Randall Hughes of Brownfield H. O. Longbrake spent last week and Carol Beth Hughes of Lubfrom Wednesday to Saturday bock. fishing at Granite Shoals Lake

Amarillo visitors last week were Mr.and, Mrs. Gene Payne, near Llano, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Box en-tertained LeRoy Box of Tech and Mrs. R. B. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Field and children

Sarah K. and Robert. with a birthday dinner Sunday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Box and son, Mr. and Mrs.

Adell Box and Robert Box.

Mrs. Johnnie Fitzgerald and daughters visited in the home Dale Mills and daughter, Mrs. of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Starnes in Brownfield, Mon-Tom Box were Mr. and Mrs. day.



