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March 20	68	44
March 21	54	40
March 22	66	---
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March 24	---	---
March 25	57	29
March 26	71	35

OUR COMMENT

Don't forget to go to the polls and vote Tuesday, April 6, in the city and state elections, and the county road bond election.

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clearing the scratchpad

By ROSA LEE MYERS

Newcomers to Plains this week are Mr. and Mrs. David Levens, formerly of Earth, Texas. David and his wife, Pat, have been associated with the Citizens State Bank in Earth, Texas, for the past six months. David will be the new cashier of the Plains State Bank, and Pat will be the bookkeeper.

We are indeed proud to have them as citizens of Plains, and hope they will remain so for a long time.

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Life is a mirror: if you frown at it, it frowns back; if you smile, it returns the greeting.

—scratchpad—

We would like to thank Mr. Murphy Luna for helping us identify the places of business in the picture we're printing this week of Plains in the year 1922.

—scratchpad—

You won't find many success rules that work unless you do.

—scratchpad—

Tuesday was the last day for the 20 cent bounty on jackrabbit ears, and it is probably true that O. D. Smith, who counted all the ears, Sandra Ellison, who wrote out all the checks, and Bill Moorhead who had to sign the checks, are really glad that the deadline finally arrived.

The bounty, of twenty cents, was set February 21 and since that time 19,244 jackrabbit ears and 4,866 cottontail ears have been brought in by the farmers, ranchers and citizens of the county. Also since the first of the year, there have been a total of 536 coyote ears turned in. The county paid out \$3,848.80 for jackrabbit ears, \$243.30 for cottontail ears and \$1,608.00 for coyote ears. This makes a grand total of \$5,700.10 for all the ears turned in.

It should be a fact now, that the commissioners cannot complain about having too many rabbits in the county.

—scratchpad—

Birthday and anniversary congratulations this week to: Pamela Gayle Randolph, March 28; Opal McNabb and Wanda Shifflett, March 30; Mr. and Mrs. John Shaw and Onetha Jo Meixner, March 31; Charles Trout and Merle Todd, April 1; Eddie Neal Hickman, April 2; Joan Fisher and Cynthia Ann Jones, April 3; Dale McNabb, April 4.

Miss Fitzgerald on College Staff for Opera Production

Margaret Ann Fitzgerald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fitzgerald, former residents of Plains, is a member of the production staff of Arizona Playmakers for the performances scheduled Thursday and Friday, March 28 and 29, at Arizona State College at Flagstaff, of Mozart's opera "Cosi fan tutte."

A 1955 graduate of Plains High School and class valedictorian, Miss Fitzgerald is now a sophomore taking pre-medical work at Arizona State College at Flagstaff, and is treasurer of the sophomore class. She is a member of the Playmakers, campus play production group, and is one of the committee in charge of properties for the March production.

Her parents now reside at Pinta Ranch, Navajo, Arizona.

Parents of Baby Son

Lt. and Mrs. Wilford D. Light, Jr., of Denver, Colo., are parents of a son, David Bryan weighing 5 pounds 15 ounces, born Friday, March 22, in Denver where Lt. Light is stationed at the Lowry Air Force Base. Mrs. Light is the former Elsie Carpenter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carpenter of Plains, and a 1954 Tech graduate. Lt. Light received a degree in chemical engineering from Texas Tech in 1955, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilford D. Light, Sr., 1502 39th St., Lubbock, former residents of Plains.



IN THE PHOTO above are Mrs. Dorothy Lowe and Mrs. Pete St. Romain who will head the Red Cross drive Friday afternoon in Plains. Mrs. Lowe will be in charge of the business area and Mrs. Romain the residential section.

Red Cross Drive To Be Held Here Friday, March 29

The Red Cross Drive is set for Plains on Friday, March 29, with Mrs. P. W. St. Romain as chairman, assisted by the Iota Pi Sorority and Tsa Mo Ga Study Club memberships.

Members of the clubs will meet at 5:00 p.m., to canvass the residential area. Mrs. Morris Lowe will contact the businesses; Mrs. Bob Myers the court house, and Mrs. Bill Powell and Mrs. John Shaw will be in charge of the Plains Schools.

"Remember your Red Cross is always on the job — when it counts and where it counts", the chairman said. "Plains, let us do our part. The Red Cross is busy working in the storm area that was so hard hit over the weekend in Texas and adjoining states. Let us all give generously, for 'You are the Red Cross', the chairman urged.

Spanish Class Started in Turner

A class of instruction in conversational Spanish has been organized in the Turner Community, with the first lesson being held Tuesday night at the C.G.&S. Gin.

Charles R. Dyer is the instructor of the class, which will meet twice a week for an initial five weeks. The instruction may be extended at that time for an additional five weeks. About 25 have enrolled.

The class has been organized in answer to the request of farmers and others in the area interested in learning to speak Spanish to enable them to communicate more easily with the Spanish workers.



MRS. DANIEL LYNN

Plains Is Winner in District Tennis Meet

The District Tennis Meet was held in Plains Wednesday, March 27, at the high school tennis courts.

Plains was again the winner, taking all first places except the girls' singles, in which they placed second.

Winners were as follows: Boys singles, Gerald Anderson, Plains, 1st; Jack Prestridge, Seagraves, 2nd. Girls singles, Sue Stevenson, Seagraves, 1st; Beth Allison, Plains, 2nd. Boys' doubles, Dannie McClellan and Vaughn Culwell Plains, who defeated the Seagraves duo. The Plains girls also won the doubles, defeating the Seagraves girls.

O'Donnell was the third team entered, but due to a misunderstanding of the eligibility rules, failed to place.

Regional playoffs are set for April 13 at Texas Tech in Lubbock. Plains should prove to be strong competition at the Regional, especially in the boys' doubles division.

Congratulations to the entire team and their coach — and good luck on your trip to the regional in April.

Mrs. Lynn passed away Thursday, March 21, in the Treadway Daniel Hospital at Brownfield, after an illness of several years. She moved to Yoakum County with her husband, the late James H. Lynn, in 1916, and had been a resident here for the past 41 years.

Mrs. Lynn was born in Harrison County Texas, February 9, 1873 and married James H. Lynn on October 27, 1889. There was born into this union six daughters. Mr. Lynn and three daughters preceded her in death. Mrs. Lynn passed away January 28, 1942 at the age of 73.

She had been a member of the Methodist church since she was a young girl and until she took ill was active in church work.

Mrs. Lynn is survived by three daughters, Mrs. E. M. McLaren, Lubbock; Mrs. Sally Forrest, Plains; Mrs. Isum Futch, Lamesa; 14 grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren and 4 great great grandchildren.

Burial was in the Plains cemetery under the direction of Brownfield Funeral Home.

Yoakum County Pioneer Called by Death March 21

Services were held Friday afternoon at 3 p.m. for Mrs. Lida (Daniel) Lynn, 84, in the First Methodist church at Plains with the Rev. R. H. Meixner officiating and the Rev. C. J. Coffman of the First Baptist Church assisting.

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Cox Re-Applies For Appointment Of County Judge

Commissioner's court met Monday in a special session, with Clyde Trout acting as presiding judge.

Olan Cox of Denver City met with the court, and asked that he be considered for the appointment for county judge. Cox explained that although he had previously requested the commissioners to withdraw his name from the list of candidates, he had, after further consideration, decided to re-apply for the appointment, and that if so named he would dispose of his holdings in the Yoakum County State Bank.

The disposition of his holdings would be necessary should he be appointed as county judge, since the bank is depository for county funds.

Commissioner Trout moved that Cox be appointed as judge, and action was seconded by Commissioner Gene Payne, but the two conceded to a request by Commissioner H. C. Cotton that the motion not be brought to a vote at that time. It is expected that it will be discussed further at a meeting next Monday. Commissioner Vance Brown expressed his view that he was still in favor of a "straw vote" election to determine the preference of the public.

Only major item of business transacted was the authorization to pay the special judge named



R. C. WATSON

Watson Begins Duties As Acting Postmaster

Mr. R. C. Watson of Plains was sworn into office as acting postmaster on Friday, March 22, by A. L. Slingerland, postal inspector, of Lubbock.

Watson replaces Mrs. Verda Lee Robertson, who had been acting postmaster for the past year.

A resident of Plains for nine years, Mr. Watson moved here from Lubbock. Until his appointment as acting postmaster, he had been engaged in farming in the north part of the county.

Mr. Watson is a disabled veteran, having served in the European theatre of war for fifteen months during World War II.

Home Ec Girls Are Hosts at Supper

The Home Economics III girls entertained their boy friends last Monday night, with an informal buffet supper.

The girls prepared the supper, which consisted of fried chicken, green beans, mashed potatoes, vegetable salad, chocolate and coconut pies.

Following supper, everyone drew names to determine who would wash and dry dishes, and clean up the home economics room. Games were played by the group, and a good time enjoyed.

The fifteen people attending were as follows: Kay Smith and James Overton, Joyce Riggs and Jimmy Williams, Jan Sims and Dwain Rowland, Pat Smith and Jere Sink, Darlene Snodgrass and Jimmy Roy Robertson, Laurene Marrow and Richard Meil, Billie Rushing and Borden Starley, and the sponsor, Mrs. Jo Brown.

Vote on City Officials, Road Bond Issue April 2

Qualified voters in the county will receive two ballots next Tuesday, April 2, when they go to the polls at the nine precincts.

On one ballot, they will be able to cast their vote for or

against the \$715,000 bond issue to finance the proposed improvement program for county roads.

The other will carry the names of the 22 candidates for United States Senator to fill the unex-

pired term of Price Daniel, who resigned to take office as Governor.

The proposed paving project for the improvement of certain roads in the county includes 14 miles in Precinct 1; 16 miles in Precinct 4; 29 miles of State Line road, and approximately two miles within the city limits of Plains and Denver City combined. Attention is called to a page map of the county, showing locations of the proposed improvements, which may be found on an inside page, and readers are urged to look at the map on which the roads scheduled for paving are marked by a dotted line. To make the locations as clear as possible, arrows have been placed pointing to the planned paving.

Qualified voters in Plains will cast their votes for city election at the city hall the polls will be open from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. The candidates are, James Warren, Starks Wagley and W. B. Scott for aldermen. In the special election, Pete Sampson and George Burke are running, while the city marshall position is sought by Billy Kennedy and city judge by E. B. Teague.

Mexico Missionary to Speak Friday Night at First Christian Church

Miss Hallie Lemon, returned missionary of the Disciples of Christ from Mexico, who is making a two and one-half week tour of Christian Churches in the Lubbock area, will speak at the First Christian Church in Plains Friday, March 29, at 8:00 p.m. She will also speak at the junior high school at 10:00 a.m. on March 29.

Miss Lemon is a recognized specialist in educational evangelism among children of Latin American culture. Upon going to Mexico in 1920, she was assigned to educational evangelism at Aguascalientes, Mexico, and later to the kindergarten at Colegio Morelos, where she directed the church school.

During later assignments to Puerto Rico and Argentina and Paraguay, South America, Miss Lemon not only worked with

children but also developed a program for parents in Christian education and family life. Having been reared in the parsonage, the daughter of a mini-



ster, she early became interested in the work which she has been engaged in for 28 years.

Following her graduation from Cotner College, Lincoln, Nebraska, Miss Lemon did additional study in National Kindergarten and Elementary College, Chicago; College of Missions, Indianapolis, Ind.; and the University of Nebraska, later receiving her from American University, at Washington, D.C.

A fellowship hour will be given in honor of Miss Lemon by the members of the congregation following her address at 8:00 o'clock, to which the general public is invited. The address will be accompanied by pictures. No offering will be accepted.

Be sure to vote Tuesday, April 2, in both the City Election and the County Road Bond Election. Remember . . . your vote DOES count.

High Winds Hit Area; Damages Some Buildings

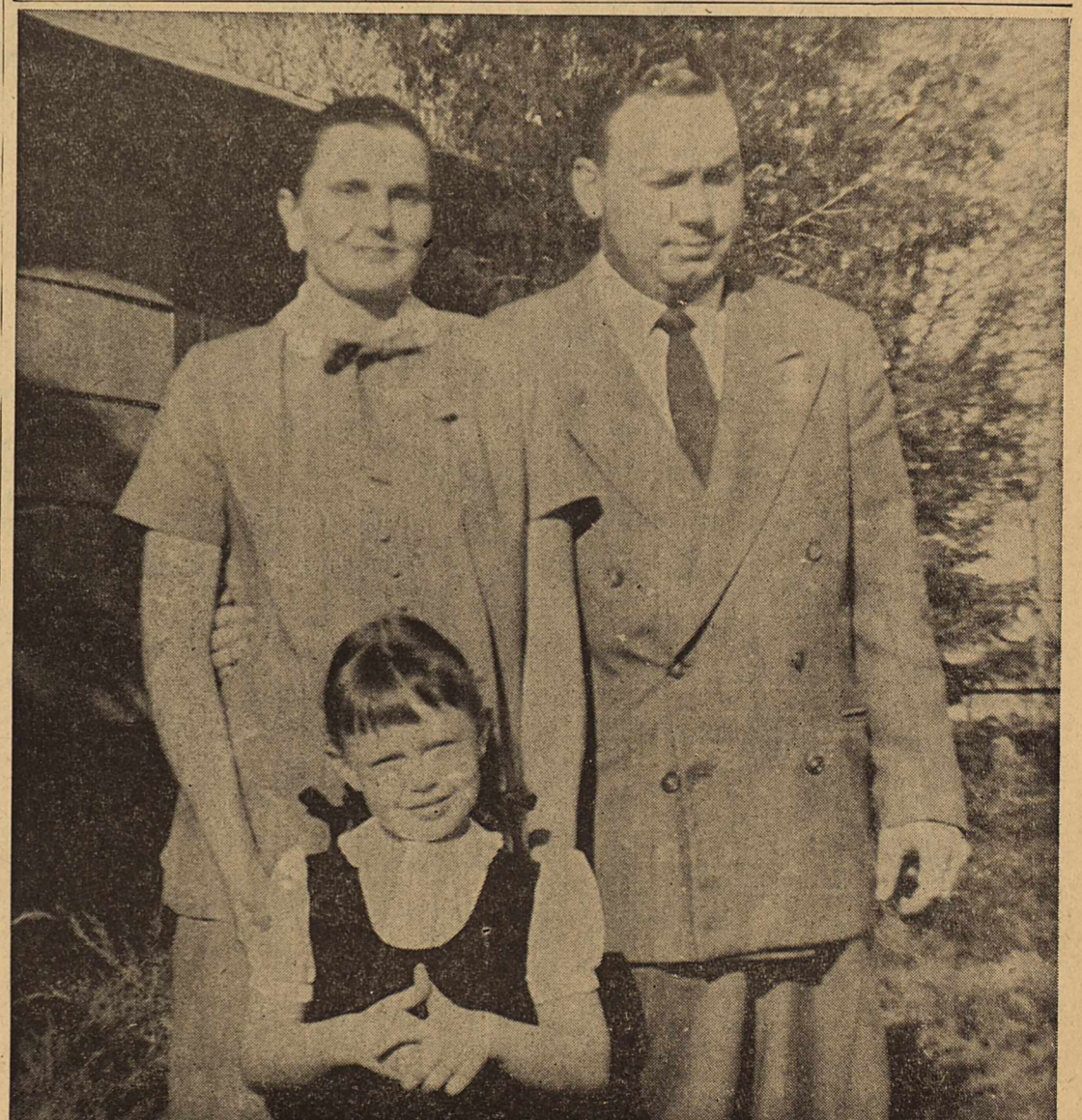
The worst storm of the year hit Plains last week-end, with sleet, snow, sand and gusts of wind up to 70 miles an hour.

The highway department was busy all day Sunday and Monday, scraping sand off the highway between Plains and Brownfield.

Worst damage in town was to the structure that Joe Curry is building, which was blown down Saturday night by the high winds. Mr. Curry said that damage amounted to around \$1,500, and that the work would have to start again from the ground up.

The roof on the high school gym was also damaged by the strong winds, but an estimate has not yet been made of the amount of damage. From forty to fifty phones were reported to be out of order, and as late as Tuesday part of the town was still without phone service.

Sleet and snow didn't last long, melting almost as fast as it hit the ground.



MR. AND MRS. BILL LOYD and daughter are new residents of Plains moving here from Roby, Texas. Mr. Loyd will assume duties as president of the new Plains State Bank, as well as be a partner in the Curry & Loyd Insurance Agency, formerly owned by W. R. Curry.

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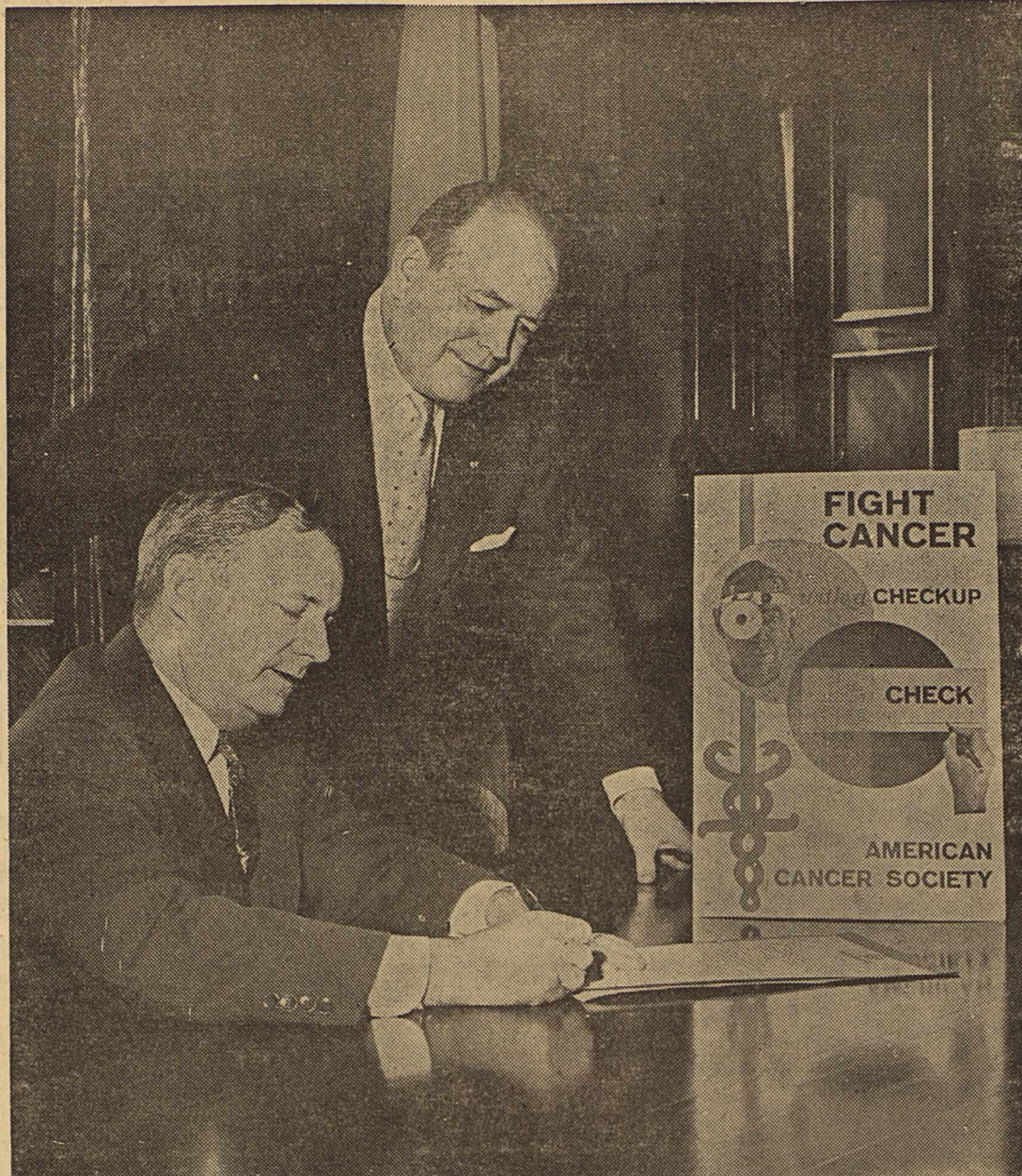
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JIM LINDSEY

Chairman,
State Democratic
Executive Committee

Paid Political Adv. by Yoakum County Democratic Chairman



TEXAS CANCER CONTROL MONTH—Governor Price Daniel is shown above as he signed a proclamation designating April as Cancer Control Month in Texas while Travis T. Wallace of Dallas, State Crusade Chairman for the American Cancer Society's April crusade, looks on. The governor noted in his proclamation that more than 10,000 Texans are expected to die from cancer during 1957 and called on each citizen "to join in the crusade to control this disease" by heeding the message of the Society to have regular health checkups. The governor also designated Tuesday, April 9 as Cancer Control Day in Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore were in Plainview last Thursday to be with their son, Bub, who underwent surgery in the Plainview Clinic.

Mrs. Joe Curry and Mrs. Pank Culwell were Seminole visitors one day last week.

Mrs. J. W. Moore went to Plainview Tuesday to bring her son, Bub, home to recuperate from his recent operation.

A guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Free is his father, Mr. B. E. Free, of Knott, Texas.

Guests in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. C. J. Coffman this week are their son, Rev. Bill Coffman and Roy Karmegar both of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Stotts and son Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Stotts, Jr., and family of Lubbock were Paducah and Matador visitors Saturday. In Matador, they visited in the John Stotts home.

Study Given at W.S.C.S. Meeting

The WSCS met Wednesday, March 20, in the home of Mrs. James Warren.

Mrs. Glenn Cleveland gave the devotional, using "Prayer" as her topic. Mrs. Charles Williams gave the study, "Paradise Regained", from the book "South East Asia".

The nominating committee presented the names of the officers nominated for the coming year, and election of officers will be held at the next meeting.

Coffee and ginger bread topped with whipped cream were served to Mmes. Leo White, Glenn Cleveland, Charles Williams, Guy Harrod, Jessie Hale, L. O. Smith, Norel Sloan, Kenneth Hale, R. H. Meixner, and James Warren.

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Mrs. Pete St. Romain and Mrs. Virgil Short were in Brownfield Tuesday taking care of some business for the Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Johnson and family were Mrs. Dudley Johnson of Fort Worth, and Mrs. B. B. Westbrook of Temple.

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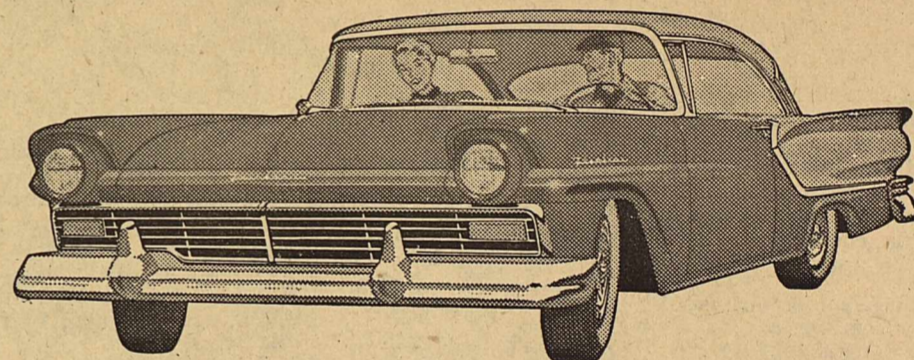
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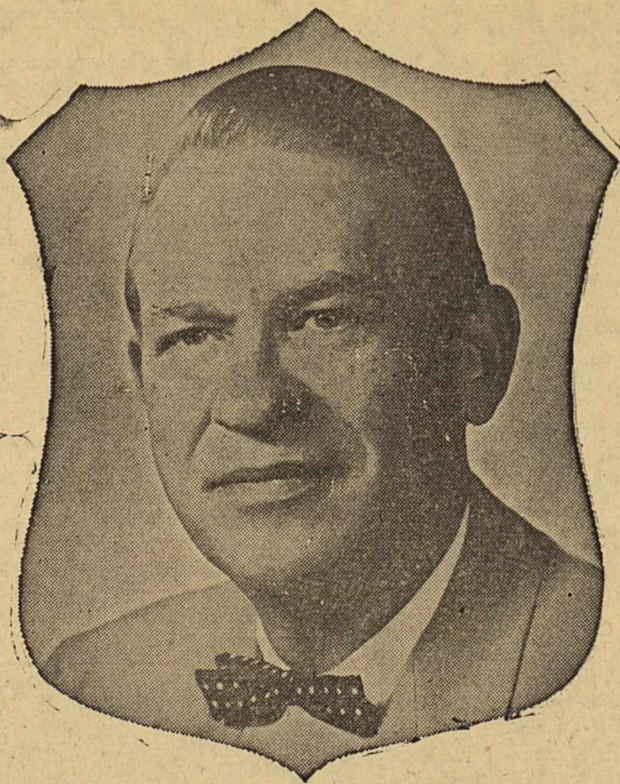
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Car Registrations
Roy Stockstill, Plains, 1957 Chevrolet station wagon, Lloyd Allsup Chevrolet Co.
Colleen Leithauer, Plains, '57 Buick 2-door sedan, Tudor Sales Co., Brownfield.
Gene H. Bennett, 1957 Ford Fairlane 4-door.
Bob L. Essary, Denver City, 1957 Chevrolet 4-door sedan, Lloyd Allsup Chevrolet Co.
Lavon A. Attaway, Denver City, 1957 Chevrolet 4-door sedan, Lloyd Allsup Chevrolet Co.
W. A. Andrews Denver City, 1957 Chevrolet 4-door, Lloyd Allsup Chevrolet Co.

R. L. Singleton Denver City, 1957 Chevrolet 2-door Lloyd Allsup Chevrolet Co.

District Court
D. C. Allen vs. Western Drilling Co., et al, damages, filed March 5.

County Criminal
State vs. Jack Harbour swindling.
State vs. Huey P. Lytle, DWI.
State vs. V. L. Snyder, DWI.
State vs. Tony Quintonillo, concealing mortgaged property.

County Civil
A. E. McCinty dba Plains Frozen Foods vs. Roy McCravey.

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By Vern Sanford
Texas Press Association

Austin, Tex.—Legislative digging into the affairs of ICT Insurance Co. has reached the pick-and-shovel stage.

Previous sensation-a-day pace could hardly be maintained. In prospect now is an exhaustive turning over of every detail of the bankrupt company's financial history. Goal is to discover if crash was due to any violations of law or lack of adequate laws or enforcement.

One possibility for fresh sensations would be the return of BenJack Cage former manager of the company. Cage is in South America. He said he would be glad to talk with the committee, but was busy right now and couldn't get away.

Cage's successors at ICT have accused him of squandering the company's funds in numerous bizarre promotional schemes.

Recent disclosures from testimony:

(1) Former Insurance Commission Chairman J. Byron Saunders received some \$7,000 from ICT Discount Corp. in monthly checks. Saunders said it was in payment for his interest in Wood County oil wells. Atty. Gen. Will Wilson questioned Saunders closely as to why the money was listed on his income tax return as legal fees rather than money from a property sale.

(2) Two former Insurance Commission examiners were asked to explain if they were the same men whose names appeared on checks from a BenJack Cage interest. A doctor certified the two, L. W. Blanchard and Robert Butler, were too ill to testify. Both had been discharged from the commission for alleged connections with another company that went broke.

(3) Renne Allred, Jr. court-appointed liquidator for ICT charged the company was organized with borrowed money a procedure contrary to state law. He also said year-end statements were fattened by short-term loans.

(4) Several legislators and former legislators testified concerning fees from ICT. Most were small in amount and received some time ago.

COKE'S CO. IN TROUBLE—Physicians Life Insurance Co. of Dallas is to appear before the Insurance Commission Thursday (March 28) to show cause why it should not lose its license.

This is only one of the difficulties faced by the company headed by Former Gov. Coke Stevenson.

It is one of several Dallas-based insurance companies that are to be investigated by a special Dallas County grand jury. Governor Stevenson said the

original founders of the company sold some of their stock through the company at a tremendous profit and retained the money themselves. None of these people is in authority now he said, and the firm has sued for recovery of the money. "It will go a long way to get things straightened out," he said.

Stevenson also told stockholders the company's future solvency requires it to get loose from a commitment to take over assets of American Atlas Ins. Co. from the state receiver. Federal tax liens against American Atlas were discovered after the deal was made.

Another Insurance Commission order gives Legal Security Life of Dallas until April 15 to clear up charges it falsified its books to show assets in excess of their true value.

CONFUSED HISTORY—House bribery investigators are having slow going with the Texas Naturopathic Association.

Efforts to uncover details of the TNA's past legislative activities have been repeatedly balked by faulty memories and lack of records.

On the committee's recommendation the House formally censured ex-Rep. James E. Cox of Conroe. Cox has been indicted on charges of agreeing to accept a bribe from the TNA.

Panel then turned its attention to reports of a fund raised by the Naturopaths to "educate" the Legislature in 1955. Fund was variously estimated from \$8,000 to \$59,000.

But only hazy and conflicting testimony was received. No records were kept, said a former office secretary.

Irked by it all, the committee prepared contempt charges against a Dallas naturopath, Dr. Robert Spears, for refusing to answer questions about his background.

OIL DOWN AGAIN—Texas' big gush of oil production was short-lived. Europe couldn't use it after all.

Texas Railroad Commission cut the April allowable by 224,710 barrels a day. It is to be at 3,564,665 barrels a day on a 16-day producing pattern. This puts things back about as they were in February before the big jump to 18 producing days in March.

Major oil companies had strongly urged increased production on the commission. But after three weeks under the higher pattern, they were unanimous in asking a cutback.

News of the lower allowable brought uneasiness to legislators. They had been counting on high oil production to bring in the increased revenue to put over their record spending program without new taxes.

State Comptroller Robert S. Calvert had forecast an extra \$100,000,000 for the next biennium. After the Railroad Commission order, Calvert said he was not changing that forecast yet. It included some leeway for fluctuation in oil revenue, he said.

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March 20, 1957
Admitted: Mrs. Vernon Towne, medical; Mrs. Evelyn Rash, medical.

March 21, 1957
Admitted: Jerry Webb, medical; Mrs. J. C. Sinclair, medical; Mrs. S. E. Williams, surgery; Glenda Hice, medical; Albert Myers, medical; Bobby Jones, medical; Mrs. John Norwood, maternity; Rev. Jeff Meek, medical.

Dismissed: Mrs. Vernon Towne, Mrs. Evelyn Rash.

March 22, 1957
Admitted: Robert Barker, medical; Roy Guetersloh, acci-

dent; Mrs. O. J. Lamberth, surgery; C. R. Hatfield, medical; Beverly Pharr, medical.

March 23, 1957
Admitted: Mrs. L. L. Schrader, maternity.
Dismissed: Mrs. J. C. Sinclair, Mrs. S. E. Williams, Glenda Hice.

March 24, 1957
Admitted: Mrs. R. J. Rasco, surgery.

March 25, 1957
Admitted: Doy Leon Cross, medical; Mrs. Melvin Moore, medical; Mrs. Peggy Kelly, medical; Ray Hardin, surgery; Mrs. B. R. Vaughn, medical.

Dismissed: Jerry Webb, Bobby Jones, Rev. Jeff Meek, Roy Guetersloh.

March 26, 1957
Admitted: E. L. Hill, medical; C. W. Trice, surgery.

Dismissed: Mrs. John Norwood, Beverly Pharr, Mrs. Melvin Moore, Mrs. B. R. Vaughn.

March 27, 1957
Admitted: Mrs. Lee Kidd, maternity; Mrs. Mac Bradley, maternity.

Dismissed: Robert Barker, Mrs. L. L. Schrader, Mrs. Peggy Kelly.

Yoakum County Buys \$12,264 In Savings Bonds

Texas invested over \$14 million dollars in Series E and H United States Savings Bonds during the month of February, D. P. Moorhead, County Savings Bond Chairman said today. Total purchases of \$14,458,082 for the month were recorded.

During the first two months of 1957, Texans bought \$32,065,275 in E and H Savings Bonds. This amounts to 16.6 percent of the 1957 state goal of \$193,100,000.

Here in Yoakum County, purchases through February totaled \$12,264 for 22.2 per cent of the 1957 goal of \$55,206.00.

Primary emphasis during the spring months is on Payroll Savings Moorhead said. Hundreds of firms throughout the state are installing the Payroll Savings Plan which will offer their employees a plan by which they can save systematically. Over eight and a half million Americans and 250 thousand Texans are now taking advantage of this method of regular saving.



Vote for Ralph Yarborough

for
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Special Election Tuesday April 2

JUDGE RALPH YARBOROUGH has carried Yoakum County in every election in which he has been a candidate.

IT WAS YARBOROUGH who predicted in 1952 that there was corruption in Austin... and the Insurance scandal of the past year proved him right, four long years after his prediction. If elected U. S. Senator, RALPH YARBOROUGH WILL FIGHT CORRUPTION IN WASHINGTON.

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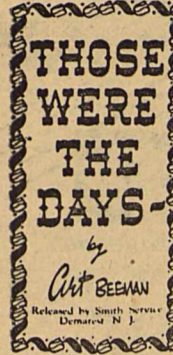
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THOSE WERE THE DAYS



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BUT, POPPA—I ONLY TOOK—

RAISING A FAMILY USED TO BE SO SIMPLE

But now—WOW!

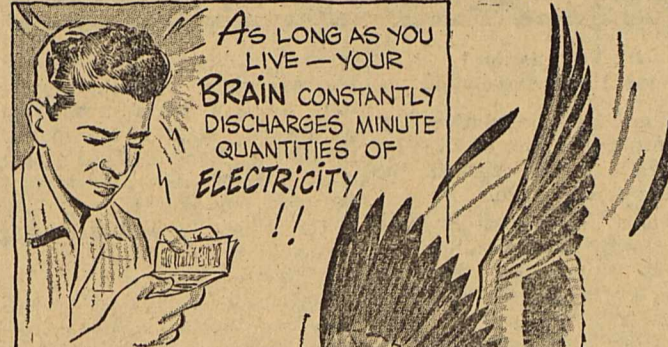
MAYBE HE'S RIGHT!

IT'S THE NEW WAY TO RAISE US, KIDS—LET ME DO AS I PLEASE! DO YOU WANT ME TO BE EMOTIONALLY DISTURBED?

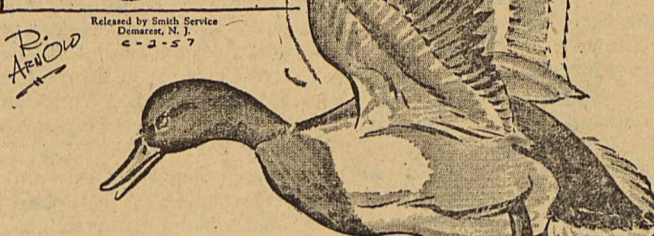
EVERYTHING COMES FROM A CAN OR A BOOK!

By ART BEEMAN

NOTHING BUT THE TRUTH By Arnold



AS LONG AS YOU LIVE—YOUR BRAIN CONSTANTLY DISCHARGES MINUTE QUANTITIES OF ELECTRICITY.

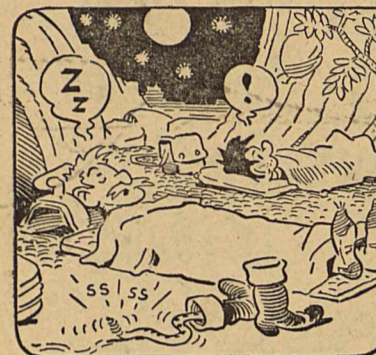


WHEN MOST BIRDS MOULT, THE IDENTICAL FEATHERS DROP OFF FROM EACH WING AT THE SAME TIME SO THE BIRD WON'T LOSE ITS BALANCE!

ALBERT SCHULZ, of New Haven, Conn., AGED 101, FELL OUT OF BED AND WAS HOSPITALIZED FOR THE FIRST TIME IN HIS LIFE!

Life's Darkest Moment A WEBSTER CLASSIC

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FRED!—I HEERED A RATTLER...BETTER PUT ON YORE BOOTS!

—UH? OKAY!



YU! LEETLE STINKER!—I MIGHT UV GOT ME KILT!

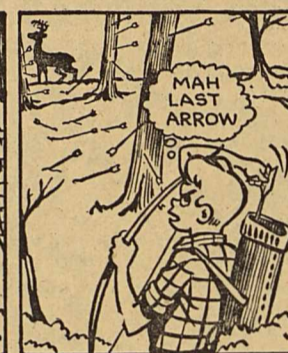
HONEST, FRED, I DIDN'T KNOW!

By FRANK THOMAS

SONNY SOUTH



BOY! A PERFECT SHOT!



MAH LAST ARROW!

By AL SONDBERS

RURAL DELIVERY



JULIE, I JUST PAINTED MY CAR! WHAT COLOR?

I PAINTED THE LEFT SIDE RED AND THE RIGHT SIDE VIOLET!

SOUNDS SILLY!

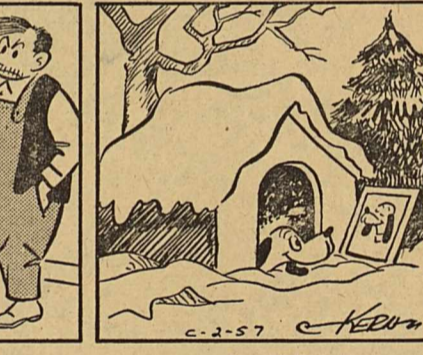
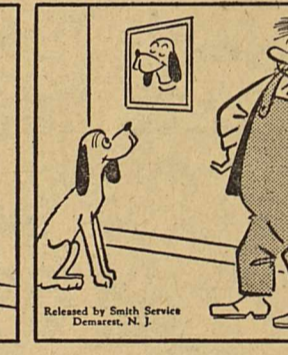
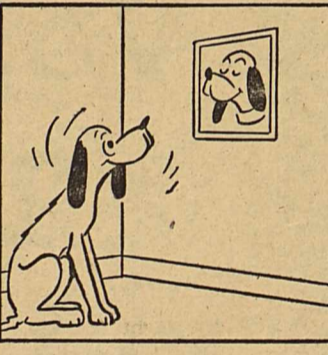
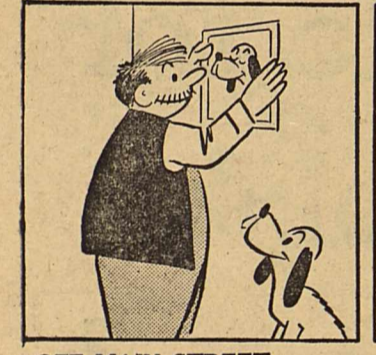


IT LOOKS SILLY, TOO! BUT IF I EVER GET INTO AN ACCIDENT—

THE WITNESSES WILL GO NUTS CONTRADICTING THEMSELVES!

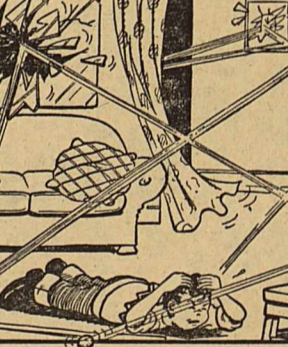
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LITTLE FARMER



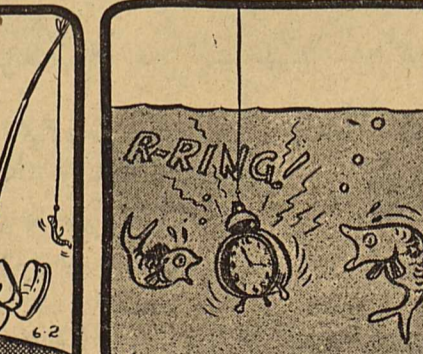
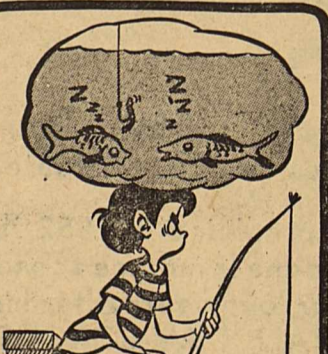
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OFF MAIN STREET



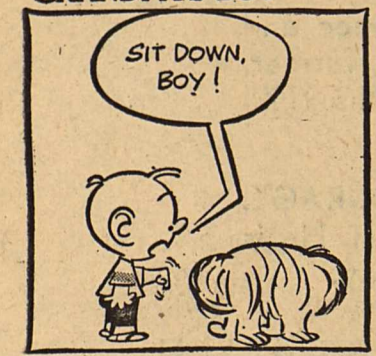
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DEEMS



By TOM OKA

GRANDPA'S BOY



By BRAD ANDERSON

Uncle CHARLEY'S "EpiGrins"

Tubby Tyler is too proud to fight and too fat to run, so he's a mess.

Fellers who stand still seldom move up.

Zol Klinger is feelin' good, yesterday his wife bragged on him.

Tobe Hinch got fired three times, and now his wife is huntin' fire insurance.

It's harder to fill another man's shoes than to wear his hat.

The way to heaven; turn right, keep straight.

Meaty scandals are always made from scraps.

The more you flare up the sooner you butt out.

If some fellers can't reign they act like a big drip.

Jr. Hinch thinks an eagle scout is a feller a huntin' birds.

If some folks don't like you, start workin' on folks that will.

Wonder how much a cloud weighs with its silver lining?

—REV. CHARLEY GRANT C-2-57

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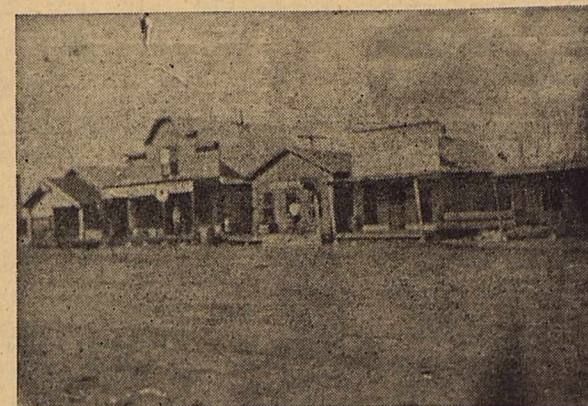
1. A number
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3. Allow
4. Rub out
5. Kill
6. Networks
7. Country in Asia
8. Mine
9. Things in law
10. Belonging to us
11. River in Germany
12. Charmed milk
13. Complains
14. Make happy
15. African antelope
16. Egg dish
17. Analyze a sentence
18. Prickly plant
19. Flows off
20. Isaac's ship
21. Footless animal
22. Drink slowly
23. Relate
24. Goddess of peace
25. Type of horse
26. More pleasant
27. Slitch
28. Worm
29. Entrance in fence

DOWN

1. Rid
2. Cereal grain
3. Employ
4. Echoed
5. Stings
6. Handbag
7. Limb
8. Loan
9. Great lake
10. Former Russian ruler
11. Make a mistake
12. River in Scotland
13. American Indians
14. Storage compartments
15. Recalling
16. Corded fabric
17. Highest note
18. Equal
19. Smaller amount
20. High
21. Telephone (abbr.)
22. Summer (Fr.)
23. Mid-west state
24. Small candles
25. Grades
26. Insects
27. Uncommon
28. Enlarge
29. Worthless part
30. Denomination
31. Arrow poison
32. By
33. Consumed
34. Narrow inlet

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The picture above, which was the west side of the square of Plains, was taken in July, 1922. From left to right, the first structure was a drug store owned by Preston McGinty, who passed away in 1925 and before that, it was The Stockman Exchange Bank. The second building was the Clawwater Grocery run by L. N. Clayton, who is now deceased, but whose son is now a doctor in Tyler Texas. Mr. J. W. Moore lived up over the building and part of the lumber from the building is now in his home here in Plains. The third building was a real estate office run by the late J. J. Kendrick, father of John J. Kendrick of Brownfield. The fourth building was a General Store and we were unable to find any information on the owner or manager. Only a part of the fifth building is shown, but it was the old Post Office. The Postmaster at that time was Mrs. Betty Criswell who is now deceased.

DALLAS WOMAN SENDS PHOTO OF EARLY DAY PLAINS, TAKEN IN 1922

The following letter and accompanying photograph was received recently from Mrs. J. C. Oehler of Dallas, and was addressed to the Mayor, Plains, Texas.

Mrs. Oehler took the picture of the west side of the square in Plains in July, 1922, when she and her husband were passing through on a trip west. She ran across the picture recently, and thinking it might be of interest to many people here, mailed it on to Plains.

The letter follows:

"While cleaning out a closet recently, I found this picture of your town, made in July, 1922. I had lived in Texas only two years at the time, and was on my first trip west, destination—Grand Canyon—with my husband in a Ford (Model T) touring car. He had just served his two weeks as a reserve captain at Fort Sam Houston, and with all that fabulous wealth we bought two army cots and hit the road. This picture was taken for my kid brother back in New Jersey, who was disappointed that there were no Indians and cowboys in the foreground. I dare say that thirty-five years brought many changes to Plains, as to us. The captain is now a retired colonel, veteran of a second war. From coaching in Taylor, he has gone to a high school principals job in Dallas. Me... I've gone from 106 pounds to 146 (with great effort I'm trying to maintain that).

We camped out on a ranch west of Plains, when we were given a large pitcher of the most delicious milk I've ever drunk, and then the rancher's Scotch collie volunteered to guard us all night. Those wonderful days in the west are gone, but I'm sure your spirit of hospitality remains the same".

The research attack against cancer is mounting. In 1945 only about a million dollars was appropriated annually for cancer research. This year, there will be more than \$50,000,000 available, the American Cancer Society says.

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Billie Rushing to Become Bride

Miss Billie Rushing and Bobby L. Moore, both of Plains, will be married April 19, in the home

of Mr. and Mrs. Polly Rushing of Tokio, Texas, at 2:00 p.m.

The future bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rushing of Plains. Mr. Moore is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore Jr., also of Plains.

Miss Rushing is a student at Plains high school. Mr. Moore, a Plains high school graduate, is now employed by the General Telephone Co. in Littlefield, where the couple plan to make their future home.

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PHOTO: PAUL HAY BY TEXAS COUNTY CITIZENS FOR YARBOROUGH, BILL PAUL CHAIRMAN



THE PHOTO above is of the building Joe Curry is constructing. Work on it had to be started all over this week after high winds blew it down Saturday.

POSSIBLE PRODUCTION IN STRAWN INDICATED IN DRILLSTEM TEST

Nine miles southeast of Denver City in extreme North Gaines County, Chambers & Kennedy and Zapata Petroleum Corporation, both of Midland, No. 1 First National Bank of Fort Worth, has indicated possible production in the Strawn.

Drillstem test from 11,411 to 11,481 feet, open one hour, surfaced gas in 37 minutes. No fluid came to the top while tool was open.

Recovery was 335 feet of very heavily oil and gas-cut mud, from 40 to 50 per cent oil, and 10 feet of salty drilling fluid.

Flowing pressure was from 140 to 210 pounds, and shutin pressure in 30 minutes was 1,430 pounds.

The Strawn was topped at 11,410 feet, derrick floor elevation 3,457 feet. Drilling continued below 11,523 feet.

Location is 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 23, block C-35, psi survey.

Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation No. 1 Holt, scheduled 13,350-foot Devonian wildcat 11 miles east of Denver City, was drilling below 5,080 feet in lime and shale on last report.

Location is 660 feet from east and 1,980 feet from north lines of section 875, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

J. S. Abercrombie and others No. 1 Rogers, Southeast Yoakum County Wildcat which failed to find commercial production in the Devonian, has been plugged back for tests in the San Andres formation.

Operator has perforated seven-inch casing from 5,544 to 5,574 feet and acidized with 750 gallons of mud acid. Load was being swabbed on last report.

Location is 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 751, block D, John H. Gibson survey.

Lario Oil & Gas Company No. 6 Jones is to be drilled as a 5,500-foot project in the Brahaney field of Central Yoakum County.

Drillsite is 1,980 feet from north and west lines of section 391, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

D&D Oil Company and E. J. Dunigan, No. 4 Alice Henard, is a new well in the Brahaney field.

On 24-hour potential test, the well pumped 95.12 barrels of 32 gravity oil, plus 10 per cent water, through perforations from 5,210 to 5,250 feet.

Location is 660 feet from west and 1,980 feet from north lines of section 392, block D, John H. Gibson survey.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this mean of expressing our gratitude to the people of Plains for the kindness extended us during our recent sorrow in the death of our mother, Mrs. Lydia Lynn. We are grateful for the food that was brought, the beautiful floral offerings, for every service rendered and each kind word spoken.

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SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



OUR SOIL ★ OUR STRENGTH

This is National Wildlife Week and in observance of this week, Wyatt Lipscomb, Work Unit Conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service stationed at Plains attended the regular meeting of the Denver City Sportsmens Club on Wednesday night brought out the value of conservation of the soil and water resources in relation to the conservation of our wildlife.

Many new irrigation wells are being drilled and the flow meter which we have at the SCS office in Plains has been used in gallons per minute and can be of great assistance in determining how big a pump to install a new well can contact the SCS technicians and they will give him this information.

There is a lot of interest in the seeding of grasses for seed production and grazing this year. Anyone who is interested in this and needs information on the kind of grass to seed, sources of seed or other information can contact the Soil Conservation Service technicians at Plains.

The Yoakum Soil Conservation District has grass seeders available to seed any type of grass either in rows or in drilled rows. This equipment is available at a small rental charge to anyone in the District who is interested in seeding grass.

VISITING WITH OUR NEIGHBORS

The total market for U.S. cotton can dwindle to 8 million bales or grow to 16 million bales in four or five years. Facts supporting this statement will be discussed at a special meeting of cotton industry members at Abernathy High School Auditorium on March 22, 8 p.m.

For the first time in the history of the school, the Andrews High School all-girl choir won sweepstakes honors at the regional Interscholastic League contest in Midland Saturday. The Andrews group placed first in the open division, consisting of singing three songs on the approved league list and also first in sight reading at the meet, which was attended by 39 choirs in the area.

Farmers Co-op Gin will hold its annual stockholder's meeting Saturday, March 30, at 2:00 p.m. at the gin, at which time cash dividends amounting to approximately \$29,000 will be distributed. The new manager, S. W. (Dick) Dickerson, will be present. He was formerly manager of the Littlefield Farmers Co-op Gin.

Ropesville plastered a 56-42 defeat on Midway of Waco at Austin Thursday night in a first round game in the Class A division of the state girls' basketball tournament and shot right into the finals as a result.

Three new candidates were

filed in the Seagraves school board election this week, J. D. Thrailkill, school board secretary, has announced. Jack Minor filed his name by letter Tuesday. Petitions were received Wednesday filing the names of Dr. John H. McCulloch and Doyle R. Taylor. Two present board members whose terms expire this year, M. W. Mosely and J. F. Singleton, both had previously filed for re-election.

If last year's show is any yardstick to use for comparison, the Cochran County 4-H and FFA Fat Stock Show held here last week-end brought terrific prices for the boys, among the highest ever seen here, according to County Agent Homer Thompson. This year's show found club boys getting a \$5,149 premium above the market or resale price for their 97 animals, as compared to a total premium of \$3,870 from last year's show.

Brownfield Jaycees will install their 1957-58 officers and directors Friday night in ceremonies at the Party House. Here for the event will be the president of the Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce, F. E. (Red) Hightower of San Angelo.

The Bailey County Grand Jury, meeting Monday for the spring term of 64th District Court, E. A. Bills presiding, returned nine indictments. Six of the indictments were on the charge of forgery and knowingly passing a forged instrument, two of the charges against one individual. There was one charge of theft, felony, one charge of attempting to fondle a minor, and one charge of removing mortgaged property.

The Muleshoe Journal

Damage Case Filed In District Court

Only one case, and that was for damages, has been filed the past week in district court.

D. C. Allen has filed suit for total damages of \$13,600 against Western Drilling, Cities Service Oil Co., Hal Bogle and Bogle Farms, Inc., for reimbursement of alleged damage done to property he owns in Yoakum County.

The plaintiff, owner of 320 acres in Section 671, charges that in 1955 Western Drilling went in on the land to drill and explore for oil, and asserts that they made unreasonable use of the surface of the land by building roads, drain ditches and in drilling 11 or more wells used a larger part of the surface than was necessary. He further charges that the defendants sprayed and spilled oil over a large part of the surface so that crops will not now grow on the land.

The plaintiff alleges that the market value of the land before the exploration was \$65 per acre, and that it is now no more than \$7.50 per acre, and that the reduction attributable to a reasonable use of the surface was no more than \$15 per acre.

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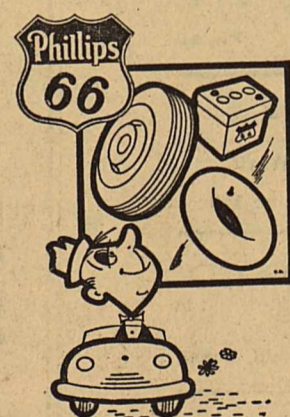
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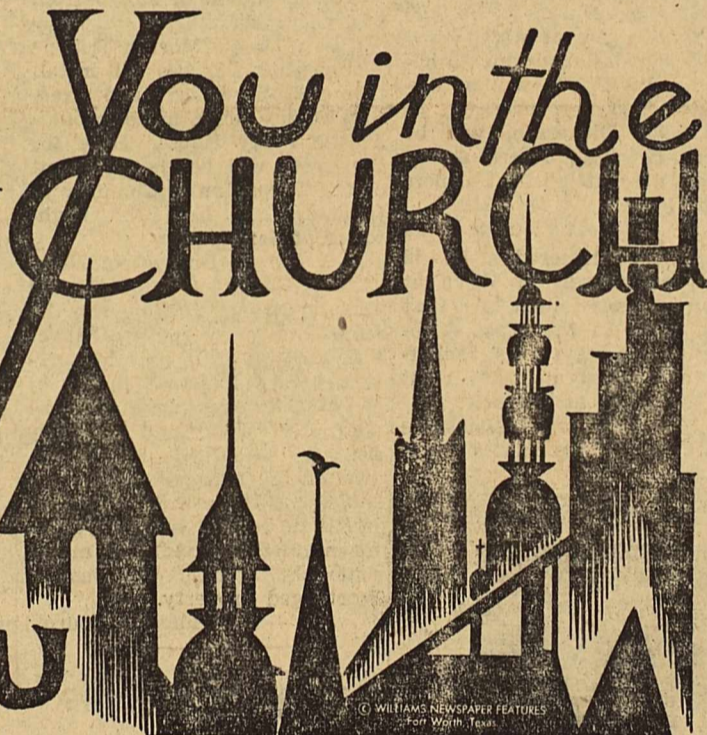
SUNDAY SCHOOL BOYS WIN GLIDER CONTEST



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Help the youngster win all the clean contests in the community, but be sure you help him win a high mark in being a good neighbor, a brave soldier and a faithful citizen. Help him win all the Church School attendance records, too. But help him win the final journey from earth to Heaven. Does your youngster go to Sunday School?

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ACROSS THE Cattle Guard

By LEO W. WHITE
County Agent

Last year at this time there was somewhat of a campaign to get farmers to increase the number of acres of silage crops for 1956. It was probably not because of the talk that was going around last Spring that more silage was produced but the fact remains that Yoakum County did produce more silage last year than in prior years. Even though the acreage was increased in 1956, there was still a feed shortage and a great deal more silage could have been fed than was produced. I hope that during 1957 there will be another increase in the amount of silage crops that are planted.

It seems that the most successful way for a farmer to handle silage is to follow the plan that is being used in other silage producing areas and is working out satisfactorily. Many farmers feel that they can produce the crop and get it in the silo but they are not able to handle the livestock that is required to consume the crop. They would like to grow silage but they want to sell it as a cash crop rather than feeding it. This situation has been partially solved by some farmers who build feed lots on their farm and plan to rent the pens to someone who has the cattle. Their plan has been working successfully for the past few years because there has been plenty of cattle and a shortage of winter feed.

Some farmers are able to buy the livestock and they have time to handle the feeding operations during the winter, while others would rather sell the feed in the silo and let the other man take it out and feed it. In some cases the farmer will make a charge for the use of his pens while there are cases where the pens and water are included in the price of the silage. Some farmers will sell the silage at the customary price and furnish the water with the understanding that they get all the manure. This kind of an agreement is working fine over in the Pecos Valley in New Mexico. They have an alluvial clay soil that gets very hard to work unless organic matter is added in fairly large amounts. Manure is very valuable to that area and it means a lot to a farmer to have it on the farm rather than haul it over a long distance.

In my opinion, the outlook for silage in 1957 is even better than last year. Some Yoakum county ranchers are hauling silage to the pasture to feed to the breeding herd. We hear reports all along about how the cows have increased in milk production soon after they started feeding silage and the calf crop is looking good as a result of the increased milk. It is surprising to note how the young calves will start eating silage along with their mothers at a very early age. It is a good feed for cattle of all ages.

Cattlemen are now approaching the season of the year when it is hazardous to keep cattle on shin oak pastures. It would be good if we had enough silage on hand to take care of the cattle during this period. Farmers who grow silage cannot afford to build pens on their farm and take care of the cattle during the five or six weeks that shinnery pastures are dangerous. They can manage the feeding operation so that the livestock will move out by the first of April and leave the pens vacant. This would allow the use of the pens for a breeding herd and would create a market for any reserve could not consume. The pens

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ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW . . .

Out of town relatives and guests attending the funeral of Mrs. Lydia Lynn were: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Glover and family of Odessa; Sallie Ann Forrest, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Joe McClaren, Amarillo; Billy McClaren, Roswell, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Adams, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Futch, Canadian; J. C. and Donnie Futch of Seminole; Etta Yeiser, Georgia McCullough, Mrs. Mary Frances Lackey, Mr. and Mrs. John Cadenhead, and Mrs. Lucille Thompson, all of Brownfield; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Story, Sundown; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cox, Lovington, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anderson, Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. Grady Story, Seagraves; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Dunn, Meadow; Mr. and Mrs. Isom Futch, Lamesa; Mrs. E. M. McClaren, Lubbock; Jimmy Parsons, Rochester; and Mrs. Harold Watson of Denver City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pierce and son Chris visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitlock, in Plainview over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Newlon Rowland spent the week-end in Olton visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Jones.

Mr. Euell Liner, Area Supervisor for Veterans Education, of Lubbock, was a Plains visitor Monday. He was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henard.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Stapleton and daughters were Lubbock visitors over the week-end. They were guests of his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Burchett.

on a farm is a means of making the silage more attractive silage that the feeder cattle to a prospective buyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Warren were Lubbock visitors Tuesday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Stotts and Ross were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stotts and family of Hobbs, New Mexico.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Fitzgerald Sunday to help him celebrate his birthday were Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Fitzgerald and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Palmer, Mrs. Bob Loe and sons, Vennie Fitzgerald, Linda Fitzgerald, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Palmer and Jim, Joe Bob and Judy.

Bob Loe was a Tatum, New Mexico visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shaw attended a program given by the Navy Band, which is on its annual spring tour, at the Lubbock Coliseum Saturday.

H. C. Cotton, Jr., and Yvonne Overton attended the Auto Show in Lubbock Saturday.

Neil Billingsley and Leland Campsey were home over the week-end from Sul Ross College at Alpine.

Sandra Ellison was on the sick list Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pope of Arteria were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Beane.

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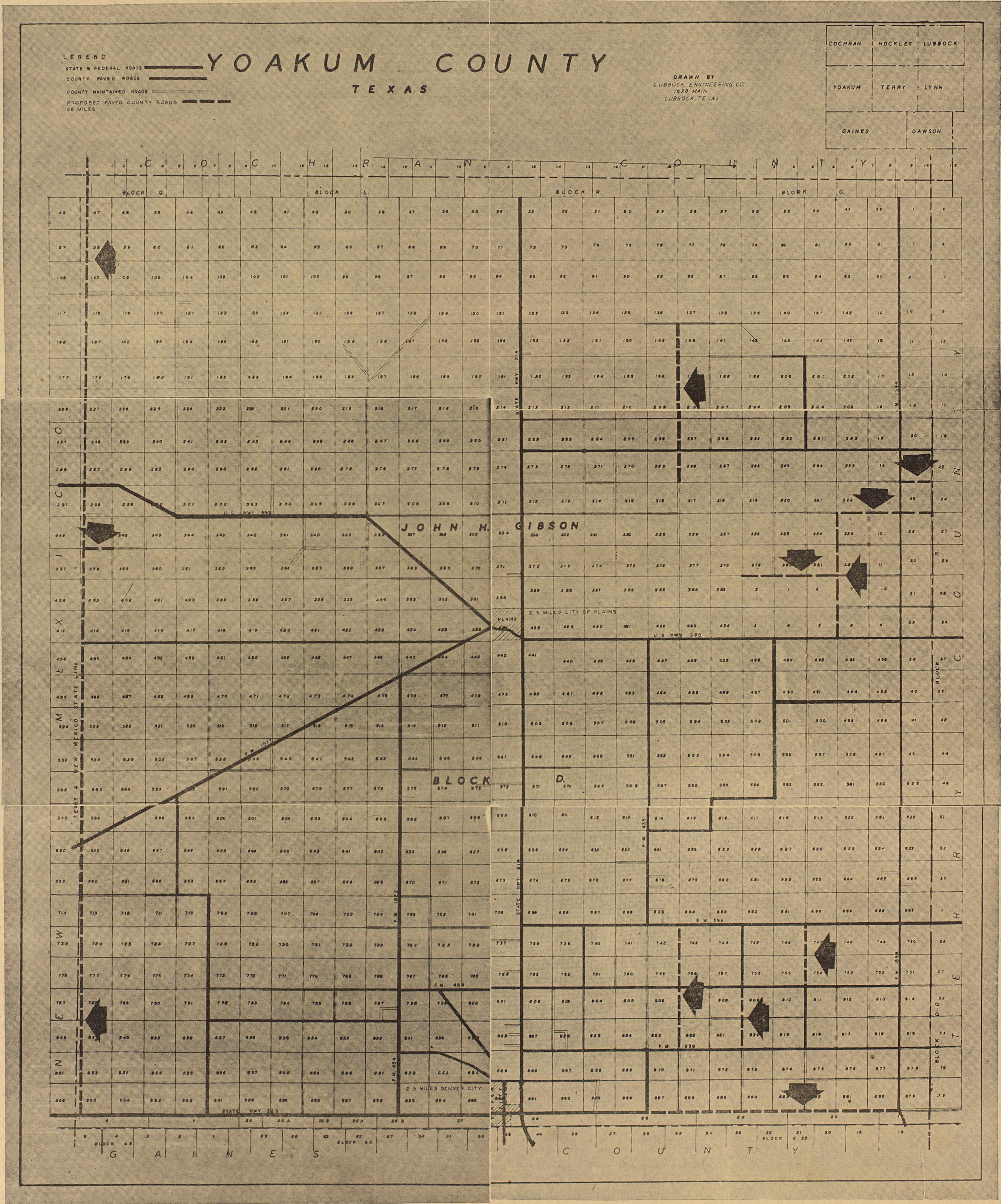
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WEST TEXAS LANDOWNERS CAN GET HELP IN WINDBREAK PLANTING

West Texas landowners can get assistance in planting windbreak trees through the Conservation Reserve portion of the Soil Bank Act, according to Don Young, head, Forest Management Department of the Texas Forest Service. The deadline for entering contracts for the Conservation Reserve in 1957 is April 15.

"Acreage removed from pro-

duction of soil bank base crops can be planted to windbreak trees and landowners can receive \$8 to \$13 per acre in annual rental payments for the 10 year length of contract," Young said. In addition, the federal government will pay up to 80 per cent of the cost of purchasing and planting the trees.

"In the West Texas region, such tree species as Austrian

pine, Chinese elm, honey locust, and red cedar, to name a few, may be planted," Young said.

Conservation Reserve specifications call for a minimum of three rows of trees planted 6 to 12 feet apart with the rows between 8 to 25 feet apart.

"Windbreak species will be available for the planting season commencing in December, 1957, through the Texas Forest Service," Young added.

West Texas land owners interested in establishing farmstead or field windbreaks through the Soil Bank Program are urged to contact the A.S.C. committee in the county in which their lands are located.

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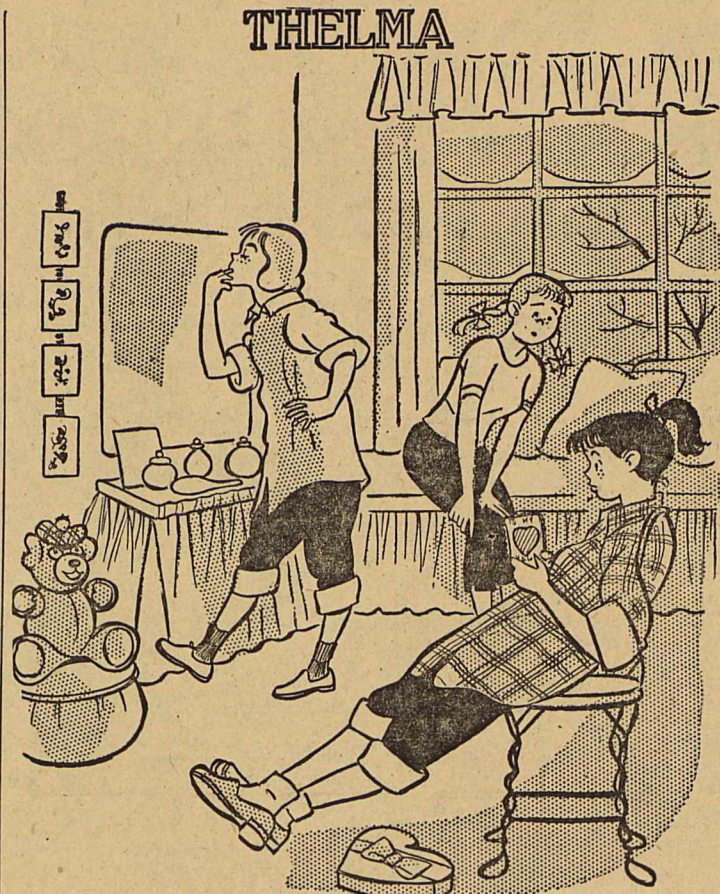
Dry Goods

A REPORT TO THE PEOPLE

By R. L. Bowers, Jr.
House of Representatives

The week commenced with the special "Cox" committee reporting to the House, and the House voting to censure forever Representative James E. Cox for conduct unbecoming a Representative.

"This Committee is continuing its investigation into the matter and several more witnesses appeared during the week. In fact, one reluctant "naturopath" has been threatened with contempt



"Yes, Homer Sent Me A Candy Heart — Filled With Christmas Candy!"



David Levens, of Earth, Texas, will be the cashier for the new Plains State Bank, and will begin his new duties here when the bank opens Saturday, April 6.



Senator Preston Smith

charges for refusing to answer certain questions concerning his background.

Of course, everyone is interested in the progress of H.B. No. 133, the General Appropriations Bill. As I said last week, the State Comptroller estimates a surplus in the State Treasury.

Oil allowables have since been cut, which will decrease crude oil tax income; however, the Comptroller stated this week that there should still be a surplus somewhere near \$20 million.

I would like to mention that the Appropriations Bill was amended, and now includes a \$200,000 appropriation to the Cotton Research Committee. The findings of this committee should prove most beneficial to our state's Cotton Growers—especially those in West Texas.

Both the House and Senate Special Committees are proceeding deeper into the I.C.T. Insurance Case. It looks as though these hearings are revealing some "astounding" information.

These committees will probably investigate much further, and the results should have a decided effect upon the proposed re-organization of the State Insurance Commission.

The Conservation and Reclamation Committee—of which I am a member—has been working overtime conducting hearings relating to Water Conservation, and these bills are progressing favorably.

Speaking of water — I hope that our West Texas areas have received their share of the recent rains.

We have had some severe hail and windstorms in the Austin area this week, but they were accompanied by large amounts of beneficial and welcome rains.

I have heard some good reports of rain fall on the "high plains" and hope that we received our share.

This year more than \$50,000,000 will be devoted to cancer research. Yet little more than one dollar in every \$100 and only one in every 100 scientists are devoted to cancer research, the American Cancer Society says.

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several years ago in favor of the gathering tax, which was annulled by the U.S. Supreme Court. Those who favor the dedication theory say it is a legal and effective way to do the same thing attempted in the gathering tax—to tax the big gas transmission lines on gas exported from the state, to benefit industry in other states at the expense of Texas' industry.

The other big proposed levy is outlined in the bill by Rep. L. C. Terrell of DeKalb. Rep. Terrell suggests raising the oil production levy from 5.6 to 6.2 per cent, not including the administrative cost tax on oil. This would raise the production levy on natural gas from 8 cents to 9 cents. The result would be approximately a 10 per cent increase on oil and a 12½ per cent increase on gas. The gas production tax formerly, for a short time, was 9 cents.

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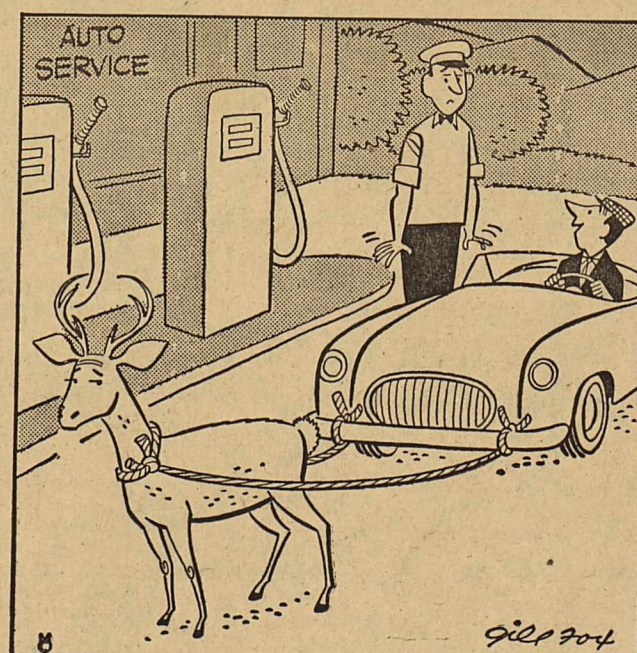
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