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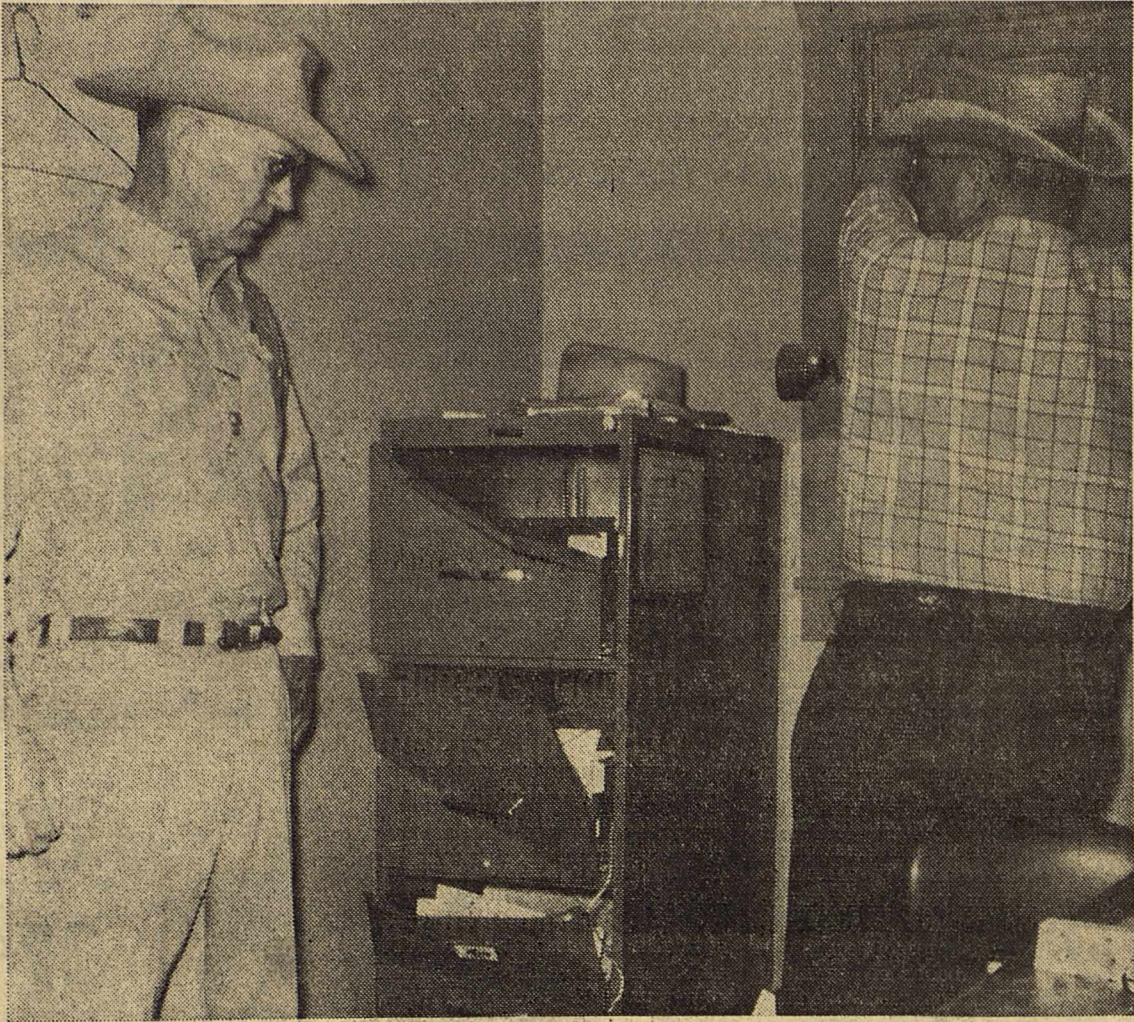
# The YOAKUM COUNTY REVIEW

THE WEATHER		
	Max.	Min.
May 13	85	57
May 14	73	52
May 15	61	53
May 16	81	58
May 17	91	56
May 18	89	53
May 19	89	56
Rainfall — .50 inch		

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INSPECTING THE FILING CABINET which was broken into by vandals who entered the office of the Goodpasture Grain and Milling Company

Monday night is Deputy Sheriff Olan Heath. About \$19 was taken from one of the drawers of the cabinet, and other items from the office.

## Commencement is scheduled Friday at auditorium

Commencement exercises for Plains High School seniors will be Friday night, May 22, in the school auditorium.

The program will be opened with the processional being followed by Miss Gienda King, followed by the invocation by Rev. R. H. Meixner. The salutatory address will be delivered by Jo Ann Bailey. Judy Lowe will give the class history. "Ave Maria," a piano solo, will be presented by Jeanine St. Romain. The valedictory speech will be delivered by Brenda Sudderth.

The American Legion Award will be presented by Dick McGinty. Mrs. R. B. Jones will present the Girls' State Award. A vocal selection will be rendered by Claude Lee. G. D. Kennedy will recognize the honor students.

Twenty-two diplomas will be awarded by D. N. Taylor and Ty Field. The benediction will be given by P. J. Burns, pastor of The First Christian Church. The recessional will be played by Miss King.

## Opening exists for Bronco postmaster

An examination for fourth-class postmaster for the post office at Bronco, at a salary of \$2539 a year, will be open for acceptance of applications until May 26, the commission announced today.

Applicants must actually reside within the territory supplied by the above-mentioned office and they must have reached their 18th birthday on the closing date for acceptance of application. There is no maximum age limit. However, persons who have passed the age of 70 may be considered only for temporary renewable appointments of one year.

Complete information about the examination requirements and instructions for filing applications may be obtained at the post office at Bronco. Application forms must be filed with the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., and must be received or postmarked not later than the closing date.

## Grand jury will convene Monday morning at Plains

Five cases are to go before the grand jury for consideration next Monday morning, it was learned today.

These include John L. Higginbotham, charged with murder without malice; Hobert Carlisle, charged with murder by a motor vehicle and theft, on two separate counts; Pete Corndo, charged with child desertion; Gene Stephens, charged with theft of a motor vehicle, and Donald Shaver, Gerald Stover and a 16-year-old juvenile, charged with robbery.

Called for possible grand jury duty have been 16 residents from which 12 will be selected to serve.

These include J. L. Hays, Denver City; Robert Henard, Plains; Mrs. L. B. Hughes, Denver City; H. H. Addison, Denver City; Johnnie Fitzgerald Plains; Phillip Williams, Tokio; Everett Puckett, Denver City; B. F. Bartlett, Plains; Perry Anthony, Plains; Homer Sudderth, Tokio; A. B. Carpenter, Plains; Wayne Trent, Denver City; Mrs. Robert Young, Plains; R. M. McSwain, Seagraves; Mrs. Gail Reasoner, Denver City and Mrs. Melvin Moore, Denver City.

## Rabbit hunt is set for Saturday

A rabbit hunt will be held Saturday morning, May 23, starting at 9 a. m. in front of the Honolulu Oil Camp on Farm to Market Road 435. Each hunter will furnish his own shells, with No. 4's being recommended. Shotguns only will be allowed. Lunch will be furnished, and the owners of the land assume no responsibilities for accidents.

# Two wildcats staked as drilling activity up

McAlester Fuel Company No. 1-A Anita Field is to be drilled as a 12,250-foot wildcat 11 miles northeast of Bronco in northwest Yoakum County.

Location is 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east line of section 44, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

Shell Oil Company staked site, for a 7,000-foot test in the Ownby (upper Clear Fork) field,

eight miles east of Plains in east Yoakum County.

It is No. 1-C Mary L. Hammer, 1,980 feet from south and 467 feet from west lines of section 490, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

J. E. Jones Drilling Company of Midland completed No. 1-A E. H. Jones Estate, northwest Gaines County explorer as a one-mile east extender to the Tex-Pac (Clear Fork) field.

On a 24-hour potential test, it flowed 192 barrels of 36 gravity oil, and no water, through a 28/64-inch choke.

The production is from perforated zones between 7,910 and 8,182 feet. The pay had been treated with 20,000 gallons of acid and fractured with 42,000 gallons oil mixed with 112,000 pounds of sand.

Gas-oil ratio was 600-1. The well is 13 miles southwest of Denver City and 1,980 feet from south and 660 from east lines of section 24, block A-7, ps1 survey.

Ashmun & Hilliard No. 1 Viola Bain, northwest Gaines County wildcat, 12 miles southwest of Denver City, was preparing to set 5 1/2-inch casing for completion attempt in the Devonian.

Bottomed at 11,813 feet, the project was to set casing at total depth.

The Devonian discovery prospect developed oil on several drillstem tests when hole was being drilled.

Location is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 280, blk. G, WTRR survey.

Syamore Corporation of Midland No. 1 Frost is a stepout from production in the new Spivey (San Andres) field in Central Yoakum County.

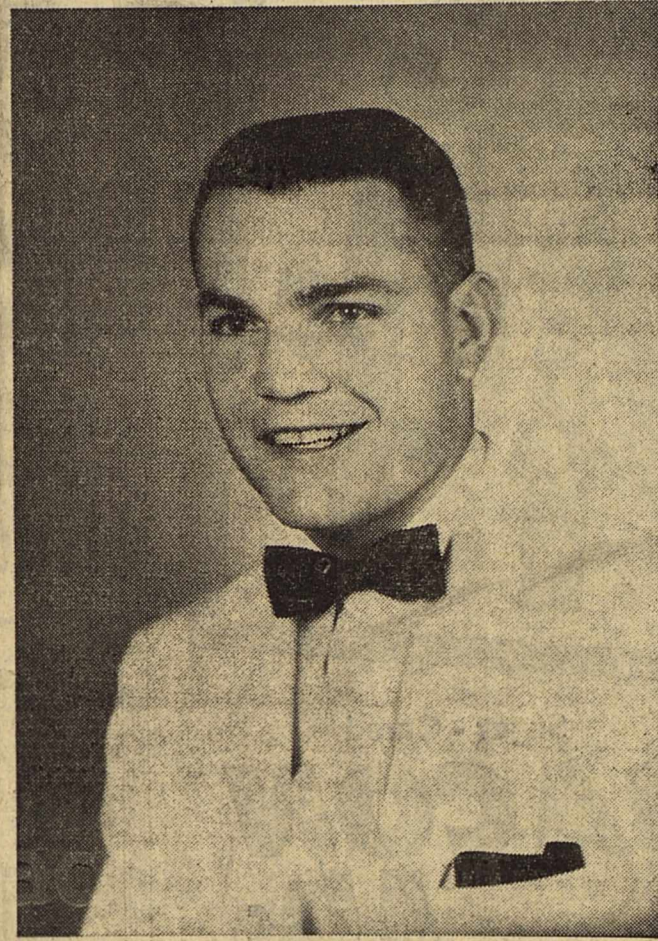
Stated for a 5,400-foot bottom, the project will be drilled 660 feet from south and west lines of section 333, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

Heath & Humbar of Midland No. 1 Ford is a 5,343-foot wildcat failure in central Yoakum County, seven miles southwest of Plains.

Location was 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 471, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

Continental Oil Company No. 6-D-51 Wesson has been completed in the Wesson (6,600) field in North Gaines County, in-

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EUAL DEAN STRICKLAND

## Eual D. Strickland earns degree at West Texas State

Eual Dean Strickland will receive a Bachelor's Degree in Business Education from West Texas State College, Canyon, May 24 at 5:00 p. m. in the Physical Education Auditorium.

He is a member of the Baptist Student Union and Chi Gamma Iota.

A 1954 graduate of Plains High School, he was active in F. F. A. in school plays, on the Student Council and served as class officer in his junior and senior years. He was named class Favorite and "Who's Who" in the school annual. Eual Dean was a member of the Cowboy Basketball and Football teams while attending the local school.

His parents are Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Strickland, formerly of Plains, now pastor of the Fellowship Baptist Church in Levelland, Texas.

He and his wife, the former Norma Harvey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Harvey of Plains, have two sons, Randy and Rickey. Both plan to teach following her graduation next January from W.T.S.T.

## Winners in art contest reported

The winners in the annual art contest sponsored by the Tsa Mo Ga Club were announced this week by Roy Stockstill, Junior High School principal.

Billy Stewart, a 6th grade student received first prize, a loving cup. Second place winner was Dana Bryson, a 7th grade student, who received a water color set. Oneta Meixner, a 8th grade student, was winner of the third place prize, an oil paint set. The three winners were among the fifteen entries in the contest. All 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students were eligible for the contest.

Judges were Mrs. Bill Loyd, Mrs. Foye Cokburn and Mrs. Bert Bartlett.

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## Contributions to cotton class office reported at \$2925

Several contributions have been made this week to the Tri-County Cotton Classing office, bringing the total to \$2925.00. Work on the office, which will be located at Brownfield, will begin in the very near future according to Rod Duff, Yoakum County director in the association.

Mr. Duff stated that more donations are needed. They will be printed as received.

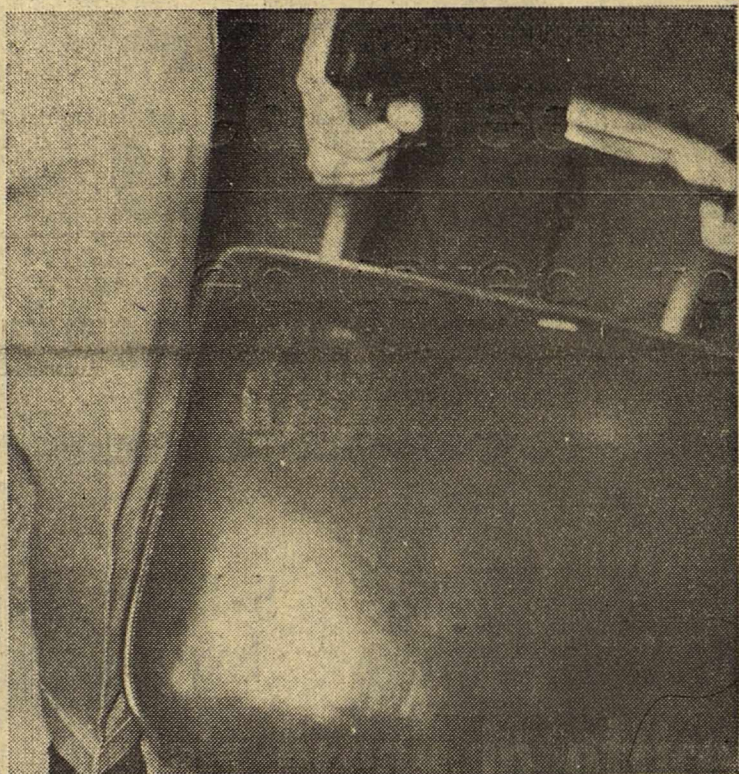
A complete list of donors and donations to date follows:

Joseph Ancinec, \$35; J. W. O. Alldredge, \$15; Alma's Restaurant, \$5; Brown's Conoco Service, \$10; Donald Bookout, \$15; E. T. Beadles, \$5; Thomas Bearden, \$100; Earl Bryson, \$25; Cogburn-Young, \$10; Clyde's Garage, \$10; Cotton Grower's Delinting, \$100; Paul Cobb, \$150; Duff and Taunton Farms, \$100.

Mrs. Nell Duff, \$40; R. S. Faulkenberry, \$100; R. G. Hartman, \$25; Johnny Grace, \$25; Hawkins Grocery, \$5; Robert M. Jones, \$50; K. O. Hendricks, \$10; Morris Lowe, \$100; Moore & Oden, \$25; D. C. Newsom, \$300; Bill Harris Powell, \$25.

Foye Powell, \$65; Plains State Bank, \$100; Roger Dept. Store, \$5; Charles Roseberry, \$50; R. D. Romans, \$200; H. G. Smith,

See CONTRIBUTIONS on Page 8



ABOUT THE ONLY CLUE in the burglary of the Goodpasture Grain and Milling Company office Monday night is this footprint, outlined in the dust of the chair. It is assumed that the burglar stepped onto the chair as he gained entry into the office.

## Vandals break in office of Goodpasture Monday

Local officers are continuing to investigate the break-in at Goodpasture Grain and Milling Co. which occurred sometime Monday night, with the vandals stealing an adding machine valued at about \$400. They took approximately \$7.00 from the Coke machine after prying the door open. Each drawer on the filing cabinet was pruned open and about \$19 was taken from one of the drawers.

Another adding machine was left behind, as well as several other articles which are valued quite highly.

The burglar gained entry by tearing a screen loose and pry-

ing the window up, evidently using the wrecking bar that he used to pry open the file drawers and Coke machine, according to investigating officer, Olan Heath.

## C. of C. discusses needs of curb and gutter project

The Plains Chamber of Commerce met in regular session, Thursday noon, May 14 with a good attendance, as reported by president D. N. Taylor.

Buford Duff, City secretary, presented papers and contracts for the "Curb and Gutter Project" which are necessary for the widening of the highway through Plains.

Since the Highway Department will be here very soon to start this work, signatures of landowners are needed on these contracts at once, Mr. Taylor emphasized. They must have 95 per cent of these landowners signatures before the work can progress, he added.

The owners cost will be \$2.00 per foot while the City of Plains will take care of the alleys at a cost of approximately \$6000 if the landowner does not have the cash now, Plains State Bank has offered to loan this amount. If all

## Livestock survey to be made here

Postmaster Watson announced today that he will begin distributing June 1 Livestock Survey Cards at the Post Office on May 21. These cards will be given to patrons owning livestock or poultry; also, carrier Oxford will leave some with patrons along his route.

This mid-year livestock survey is the first of three which your Post Office and U. S. Agriculture Departments cooperatively make each year. The June 1 Survey provides basic information to the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service in Austin for estimating the 1959 calf crop; what the spring pig crop actually numbered and a preview of farrowing intentions for the fall season.

Also poultrymen will receive information on number of chickens raised during the spring. Those chickens will be the coming fall and winter's laying flock.

To be sure our community is well represented in this survey, Postmaster Watson urges each patron receiving a card to fill it out and return.

## Farmers Union meets Thursday

Yoakum County Farmer's Union held a regular meeting Thursday evening, May 14 in the County Clubroom with President H. W. Taunton presiding. Sixteen members were present.

The union voted to attend a meeting in Hale Center, Monday evening, May 25 with a barbecue to be served at 6:00 p. m. followed by an address by Charles F. Brannan, ex-secretary of Agriculture of the U. S. President Taunton urges every Union member to attend if at all possible.



WINNERS IN THE ART CONTEST sponsored by the Tsa Mo Ga Club are shown above with their entries. From left are Oneta Meixner, who won third Dana Bryson, second; and Billy Stewart, who took first place.

# This issue dedicated to 1959 graduates of Plains High School



Mother knows! we give her

# FOOD SAVINGS

every day!

**FLA-VOR-AID** ALL FLAVORS 6 PKGS. 19¢

RATH'S ALL MEAT

## FRANKS

lb. **49¢**

INSTANT

## COFFEE

Kimbell's 6-oz.

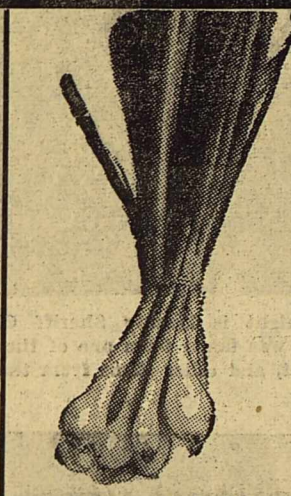
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Fresh and Lean, All Meat  
**GROUND BEEF**, lb. . . . . 49¢  
 Jumbo Breaded  
**SHRIMP**, 2 lb. box . . . 2.89  
 Lean Boneless  
**STEW MEAT**, lb. . . . . 69¢

Sugar - Cured  
**BACON**  
 lb. **49¢**

**SQUASH** LB. 5¢  
**LETTUCE** . . . . . 2 lbs. 19¢

**TOMATOES**  
 CARTON  
**15¢**



**GREEN ONIONS**  
 or **RADISHES**  
 Bunch  
**5¢**

Shunshine  
**CRACKERS** LB. 27¢

Hydrox 12-oz. Pkg.  
**COOKIES** - 37¢

**BISCUITS**  
 3 KIMBELL'S cans **25¢**

Kimbell's  
**SALAD OIL** PINT 29¢

Kimbell's **MILK** TALL CANS 2 FOR 25¢

**PICKLES** SOUR or DILL - QUART **29¢**

**SPAGHETTI** Diamond 2 FOR 25¢

# SUGAR

5-lb. bag **47¢**

**Salad Dressing** BEST MAID QT. **33¢**

**SALAD OLIVES** Kimbell's 10-oz. JAR **35¢**

Kimbell's  
**Blackeye Peas**  
 300 Cans  
 2 FOR **25¢**

Kalex  
**BLEACH**  
 Quart  
**15¢**

Charmin' Color  
**NAPKINS**  
 60 Count  
 2 FOR **25¢**

Rose Croix No. 2 1/2 Can  
**PEACHES**  
 In Heavy Syrup  
**27¢**

Del Monte  
**Sweet PEAS**  
 Can  
**19¢**

Kimbell's  
**DETERGENT**  
 Large Size  
**27¢**

# EGGS

doz. **29¢**

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# WAX PAPER

Roll **19¢**



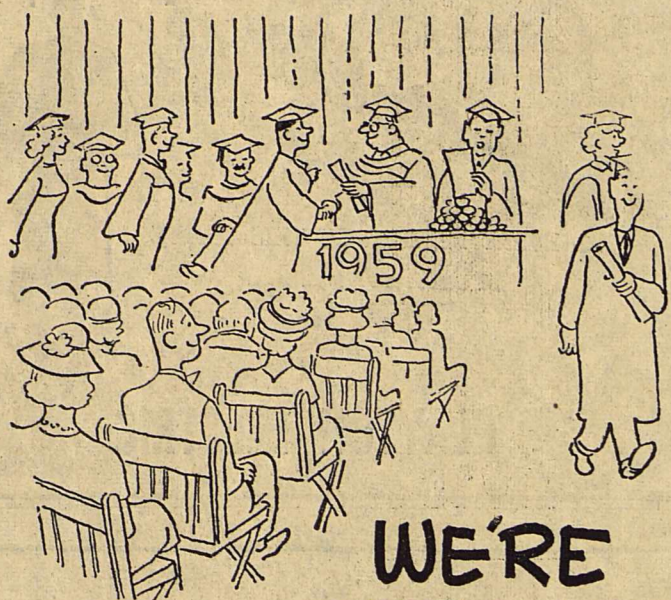
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We Reserve the Right to Limit Quantities

Members of the Senior Class at Plains High School



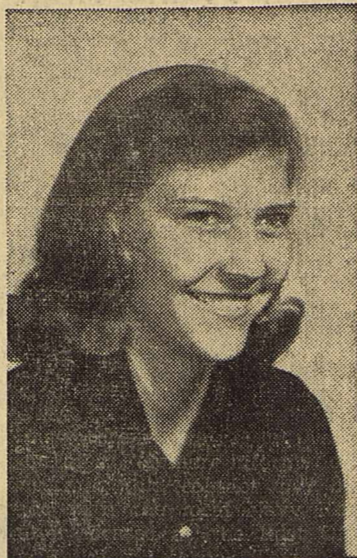
**WE'RE PROUD**

May you use your knowledge wisely, realizing that one never stops learning. Good luck to you and your class.

**Plains Chemical Co.**



Jo Ann Bailey



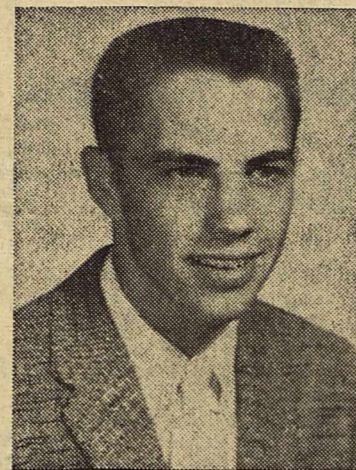
Margaret Koncaba



James Anderson



Jeanine St. Romain



Cordell Huddleston

**Dirt Gardeners meet Thursday to hear guest speaker, Wyatt Lipscomb**

Plains Dirt Gardeners met Thursday, May 14 at 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria with thirty-two members present for the final meeting of the club year.

Mrs. Thelma Ellis, program chairman, spoke on "Wild Flowers in Your Garden."

Mr. Wyatt Lipscomb, guest speaker, brought interesting information on identifying wild flowers and grasses. He displayed a number of these, labeled and divided into groups of poisonous and non-poisonous.

Mrs. Joe Cheek spoke on poisonous wild plants and gave symptoms of affected animals.

Mrs. Mollie Courtney, Mrs. G. P. Beane and Mrs. A. H. Bacon displayed arrangements of wild flowers.

New officers installed were presented corsages of colors symbolic of duties to be performed. These officers are: Mrs. C. L.

Anderson, president; Mrs. G. D. Kennedy, Rec.-Sec. Mrs. Bill Dittmore, corres.-sec.; and Mrs. Bob Loe, Treasurer.

Fifteen members of Plains Dirt Gardeners Club were guests of the Denver City Garden Culture Club, Tuesday, May 19 for a Salad Supper and Plant Exchange. Plains members enjoying the evening were Mesdames A. H. Bacon, Wilson Duke, L. O. Smith, Bob Loe, Bill Dittmore, W. M. Overton, Duane McDonnell, Robert Young, Foye Cogburn, G. W. Cleveland, C. L. Anderson, Buster Kennedy, Roy Stockstill, John Fitzgerald and Mrs. Thelma Ellis.



Claude Lee

**Raymond Palmers honored Sunday**

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Palmer and family were honored with a farewell picnic at the Stanford Park Sunday by members of the Hillside Church of Christ and other friends.

The Palmers recently moved to Sundown; however, Mr. Palmer stated that their plans are indefinite at present.

They were presented with an electric fry pan.

**WANT ADS**

**FOR SALE**—Lankart 611 and 57 cottonseed. First year from certified, state tested, delinted and treated, Germination 90 per cent. Call Truett Jones, Tokio, Texas, phone Wheatley 3313. 1913c

**FOR SALE**—240 acres farm land twelve miles Northeast of Plains, Texas. 185 acres in cultivation, all good farm land. If interested, write Jim Robinson, P. O. Box 1471, Wichita Falls, Texas. 2012c

**FOR SALE**—2nd year Von Rohder cotton seed. Call J. L. Taylor at GL 6-8985. 2012c

**NOTICE**

**MATTRESS MAKING**

Old mattresses renovated, all kinds of new mattresses. Box springs, foam rubber. Big grade-in-f-y-u-r old mattresses. Call Mrs. W. B. Simon, Plains agent for American Mattress Co. of Lubbock.

Dial GL 6-3932

**FINISH HIGH SCHOOL OR GRADE SCHOOL** at home, spare time. Books furnished. Diplomas awarded. Start where you left school. Write Columbia School, Box 5061, Lubbock, Tex

**FOR SALE**—Hybrid - Certified maize seed, Texas 620; tagged and sacked at \$6.00 cwt. Contact E. A. Smyer at Harvest Queen Mills Farms, 12 miles west of Plains on old Lovington Hwy. 21-12c

**To Sell or Lease Your Minerals**

Contact C. R. Hutcheson, Rte. 2, Box 66, Lubbock, Tex.

**Hospital petition presented Monday to commissioners**

Petition calling for a \$600,000 bond election to finance the proposed enlargement and remodeling of Yoakum County Hospital was presented to the commissioner's court Monday during a special session of that body.

Names on the petition will be checked as soon as a list of qualified voters in the county is prepared by the tax assessor's office, it was understood. Should there be the necessary 10 per cent of such qualified voters carried on the petition, it is expected that the court will order the election as requested.

Other business before the court was of a routine nature. An order, which is provided for by law, was drawn providing that county court shall convene on the first Monday of each month for the transaction of civil, criminal and probate matters. The order was signed as of the date of its passage, when the first term to begin Monday, June 1.

The court also approved the expense in the amount of \$26.55 for Commissioner H. C. Cotton for transporting Mary Elizabeth Phillip to the Clinic at Houston for medical care, and \$65.25 to Sheriff Robert Chambliss for expenses incurred in attending the recent convention at Mineral Wells.

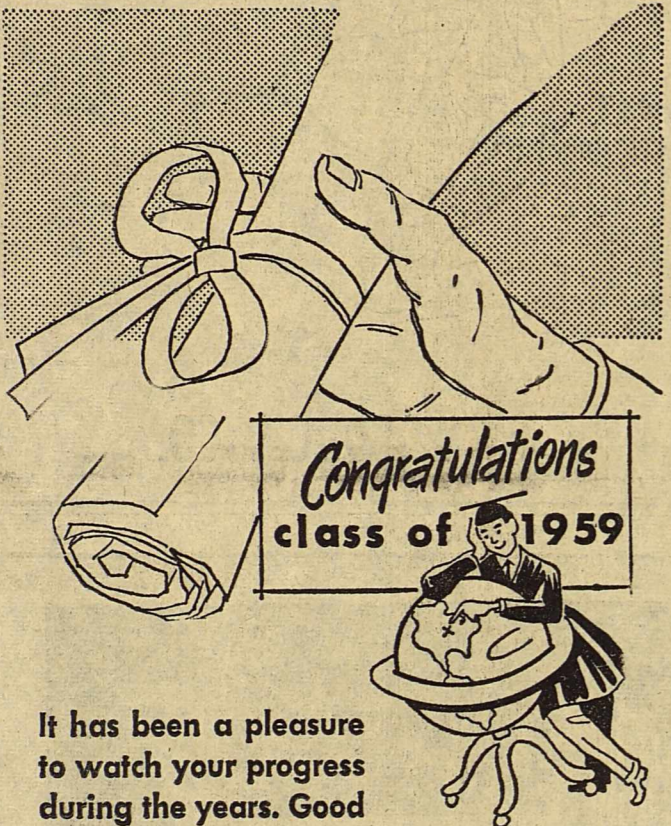
Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Trout of Montague visited his mother, Mrs. Nona Trout and brothers, Royce, Charles and Joe Trout and families from Saturday to Monday evening.

**Navy announces new opportunities for re-enlistment**

The navy department has just announced that applicants who have served in services other than the navy may now be enlisted in the navy in pay grade E-4 if they at the time of discharge held a rate in pay grade of E-5, 6 or 7, and no more than twelve months has elapsed and experience gained in the service is closely related to one of the Navy's open rates.

Also regardless if applicant was discharged with a rate higher than E-3 he can enlist in pay grade E-3. Applicants of a service other than the navy that were not discharged under a rate higher than E-3 can enlist in the navy in that discharged pay grade providing he can pass the requirements of the mental and physical exam.

All ex-navy men who have not exceeded more than two years since discharged may reenlist in the rate held at time of discharge if they were in one of the many open rates. For more information concerning this, contact may be made with the local Navy Recruiter located at the Post Office Building, Lubbock, Texas.

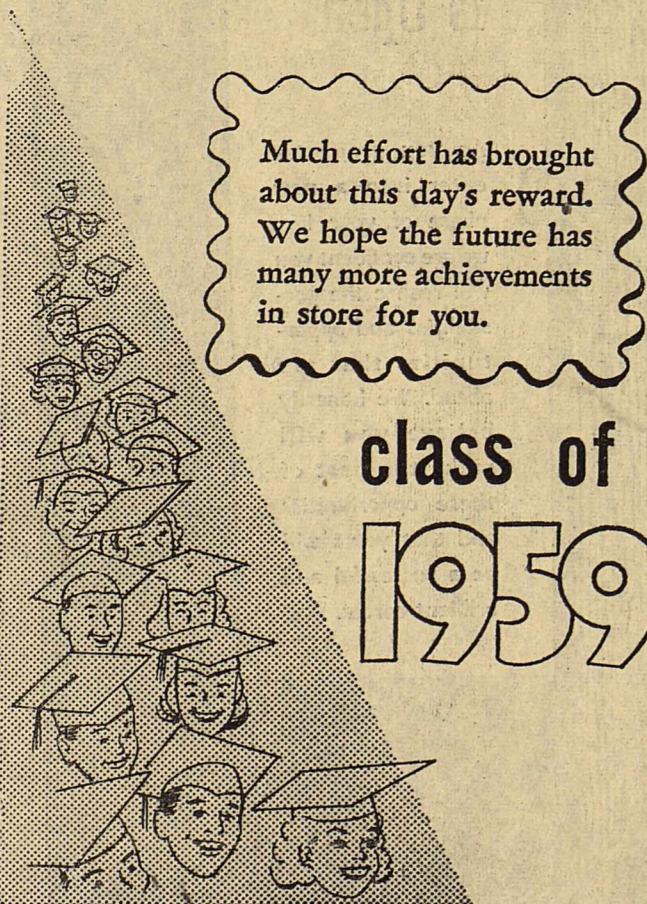


It has been a pleasure to watch your progress during the years. Good luck to all of you.

**Plains Motor Co.**

Much effort has brought about this day's reward. We hope the future has many more achievements in store for you.

class of **1959**



**Brown's Conoco Service**

**SUCCESS GRADS**

You have demonstrated your ability to succeed. Here's to your continued success.

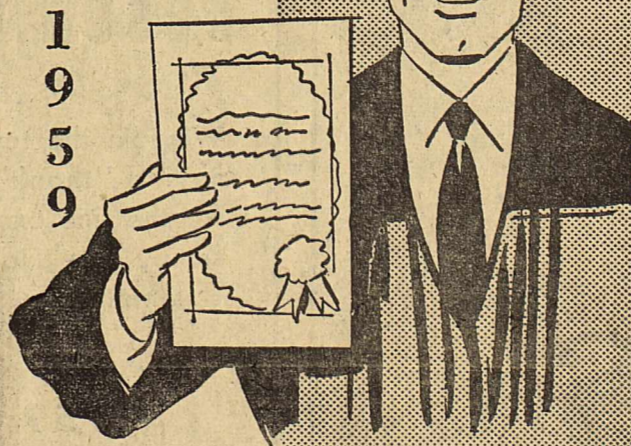


**STOP & WASH**

**Greetings**

The world today is in great need of your time and effort. The very best of luck in the years ahead.

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**GOODPASTURE GRAIN and MILLING CO.**

**KNOWLEDGE**

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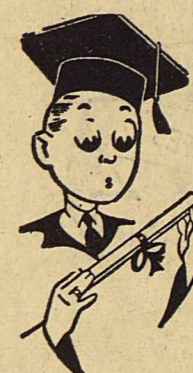


AS YOU CONTINUE YOUR SEARCH FOR ACHIEVEMENT WE TRUST YOU WILL ALWAYS HOLD THE KEY TO SUCCESS...KNOWLEDGE, BEST WISHES, GRADUATES!

**Buddy's Auto Parts**

Buddy and Lee Hanna

**SCHOOL'S OUT!**

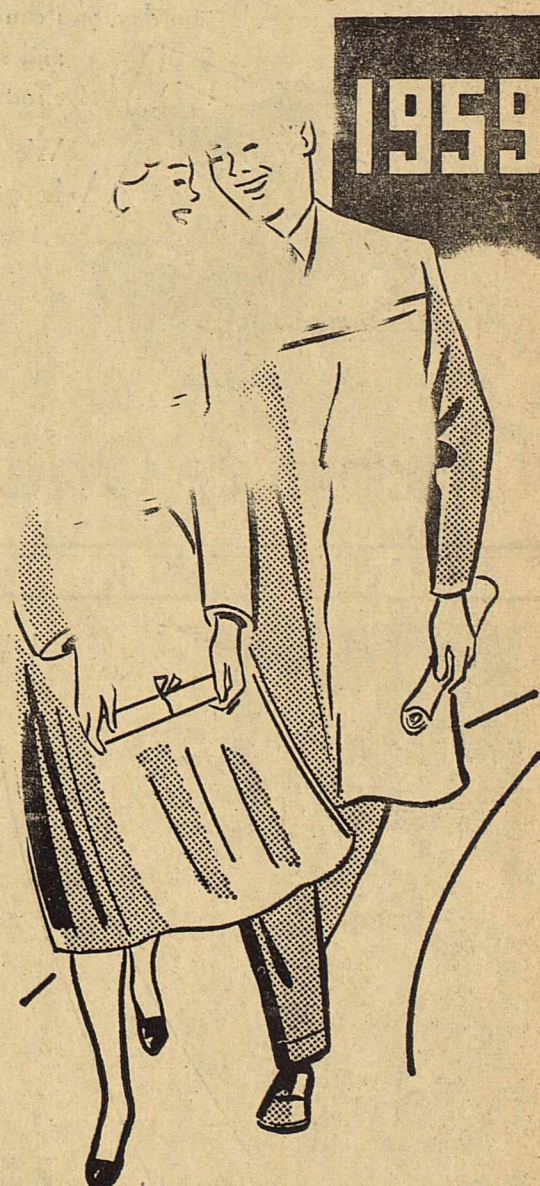


And to the graduates, this has a terrific significance. It means that you have finished a very important part of your schooling. Not all, perhaps, but each of you have something now that no one can take from you.

You may not realize it, but in the years to come you will look back on these days as the happiest, most carefree of them all. Treasure them, remember them, and your classmates.

Congratulations!

**JUDGE BEANE COURTS**



**a job well done**

deserves our most sincere congratulations. Entire community joins with us in saying "well done" and best of luck to you.




**Phillips 66 Service**

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Plains, Texas...

Members of the Class of 59 at Plains High School



**BEST WISHES GRADUATES**  
For Continued Success

**BONE'S LAUNDRY**



Don Edwards



Judy Lowe




Bill Lattimore



Glenda Bearden

**Congratulations**  
TO EVERY MEMBER OF THIS YEAR'S GRADUATING CLASS



**CLAYTON ELECTRIC**

*Best Wishes*



**MAC THEATRE**



MRS. R. B. JONES presents L. T. Sewell, PHS faculty member, with a copy of the book on Coronado's Travels for the school library.

**Mrs. R. B. Jones reviews book for history class**

"Coronado's Route Across the Staked Plains," by W. C. Holden, noted historian and author of Lubbock, was reviewed for the Texas History Class of Plains High School, by Mrs. R. B. Jones. "Seventy-nine years before the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth Rock, Coronado left the present town of Bernalillo on the Rio Grande River in the spring of 1541. Having heard from the Turk, an Indian slave, the fabulous stories of The Kingdom of Quivira, Coronado determined to go in search of the place. With his army, 1,000 horses, 500 cattle, 5,00 sheep, 1,500 friendly Indians and servants, he went first to Cicuye pueblo, two miles south of Pecos New Mexico, then over Glorieta Pass. From that point to Anton Chico, Old Fort Sumner, Taiban Spring, to a spring five or six miles southwest of Melrose, following Black Water draw, they reached Portales Spring, near the present town of Portales, and entered Texas west of Muleshoe. From there to the Palo Duro Canyon. While the army rested in the ravine, Coronado and a party explored the country and found another settlement, the camps of the Teya Indians. (The first recorded account of a civilization in Texas). The place, believed to be on the Blanco, was called Coma. It was from these Teya Indians that Coronado learned that Quivira was far to the north. Returning to the ravine the general took council with his officers, and it was decided that he would go north with thirty picked horsemen and six foot soldiers, and the army, after resting a few days, returned to New Mexico. Coronado, with his party headed north, passed thru what is now Borger, on thru the Panhandle of Oklahoma, to the Arkansas River in Kansas and followed this River into central Kansas to The Kingdom of Quivira," Mrs. Jones told the students.

**Third graders enjoy picnic**

Mrs. Roy McQuarters of Littlefield, Chairman of The Texas Heritage Department of Seventh District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs has interested the Club Women of Seventh District in obtaining markers to be placed in this historic trail. Mrs. McQuarters, aided by Dr. Holden and the Southwestern Public Service Company, has placed the pamphlet, "Coronado's Route Across The Staked Plains," in every library and club in the Panhandle of Texas. Mrs. R. B. Jones and Mrs. C. F. McCargo, members of the Tsa Mo Ga Club of Plains, presented the book to the Plains High School Library.

*Congratulations Grads*  
You have made us proud. Good luck.

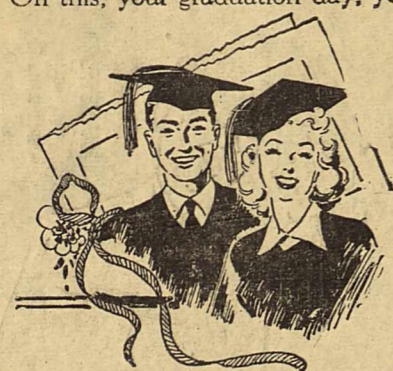


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**WOOD OIL CO.**

**We're Happy Because You're Happy**

It's good to see each of you graduates so happy and you have every right to be. On this, your graduation day, you can look back on many days of hard work and see the results that come from directed efforts.



We sincerely hope that you may enjoy such happiness and satisfaction for years to come.

**Moore & Oden Dry Goods**

**Tsa Mo Ga Club to meet on Monday**

"As a Woman Thinketh, So Is She". Thinketh thee upon this: For we shall stand before the judgment seat of Christ. So then everyone of us shall give account of himself to God. —Romans 14: 10-12.

Each member will bring a covered dish for the buffet dinner to be served at the regular meeting of the Tsa Mo Ga Club Monday, May 25, in the clubhouse.

Installation of officers will be conducted by Mrs. R. B. Jones. Committee reports will be heard and final business for the year will be completed.

**NOTICE**

The annual Memorial Day services for the Yoakum County Cemetery, sponsored by the Fine Arts Club, American Legion and has been set for Monday, May 25, Auxilliary, and Tsa Mo Ga Club, with the opening program to begin at 8:00 a.m.

A Basket-lunch will be served in Stanford Park at the lunch hour.

Everyone is invited to bring lunches, rakes, hoes, etc. and help make our cemetery one of the most attractive in this area.



**Best Wishes**



We join the town in saying "thank you" for the fine example set by you and your classmates.

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**CLYDE'S GARAGE**



we all say

**BEST WISHES**

**Cotton Growers Delinting Co.**

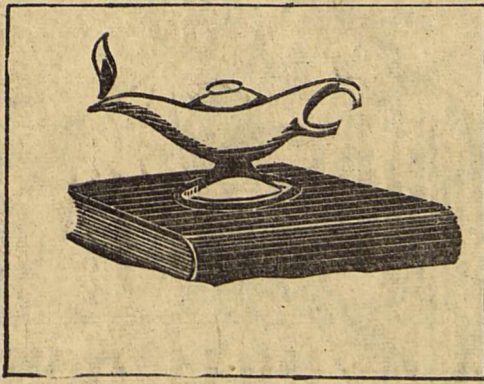
**The Door of the FUTURE is Open**

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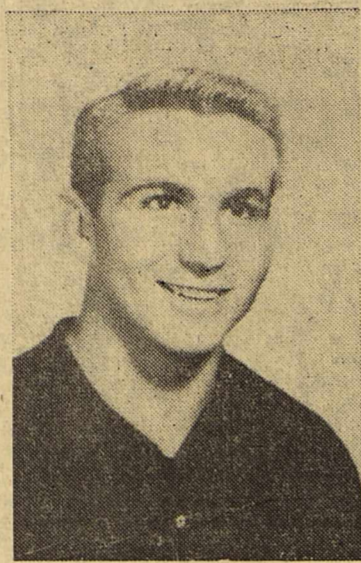
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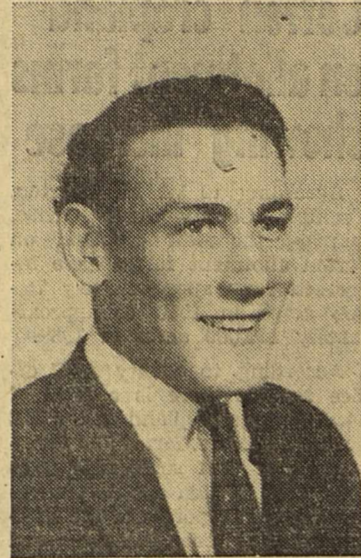
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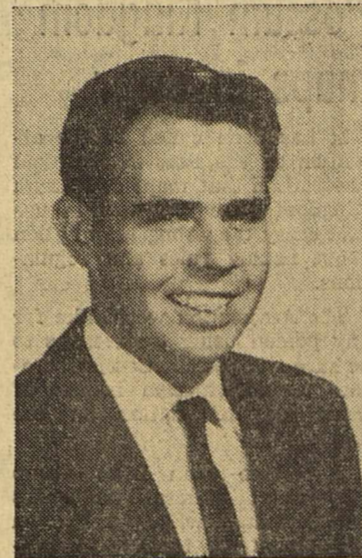
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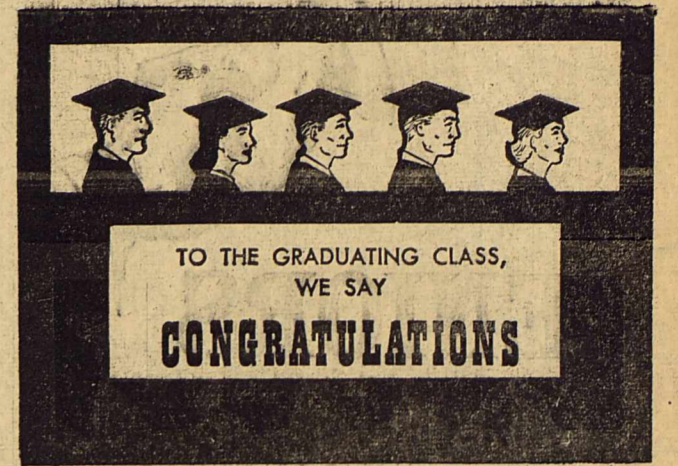
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It is a pleasure and a privilege to express our sincere best wishes to the members of the graduating class. Every one of you deserves a pat on the back for your efforts and we, as part of this community, are proud of you.

GLOVER'S CLEANERS

Installation held for new officers of Methodist WSCS

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met in Fellowship Hall of the church Wednesday, May 13 at 7:30 p.m.

A salad supper was served followed by the business meeting conducted by President Mrs. L. O. Smith. Since this was the last meeting of the year, the president graciously thanked all officers for their cooperation in the work accomplished.

Rev. R. H. Meixner conducted the installation of the following officers for the new year: President, Mrs. L. O. Smith; Vice-President, Mrs. Wayne Chadwick; Secretary, Mrs. Leo White; Treasurer, Mrs. Joe Cheek; Sec. of Promotion, Mrs. James Warren; Sec. of Missionary Education and Service, Mrs. Kenneth Hale; Sec. of Christian Social Relations and Church Activities, Mrs. Jesse Hale; Student Work, Mrs. Glenn Cleveland; Youth Work, Mrs. Chick Lee; Children's Work, Mrs. Foy Flood; Sec. of Spiritual Life, Mrs. Donald Lackey; Sec. of Literature & Publications, Mrs. Charles Williams; Sec. of Supply Work, Mrs. H. F. Barnes; Sec. of Status of Women, Mrs. G. W. White; Reporter, Dr. May Gainer.

Rev. Meixner spoke on "The Purpose of W.S.C.S." and the responsibilities of each officer. Its purpose is to live a Christian life of service, to develop and strengthen the spiritual life of the church and to improve civic, community and world conditions. Each officer with prayerful guidance is responsible for the success of this organization, he emphasized.

Present for the meeting and supper were these officers and Rev. and Mrs. Meixner, Mrs. P. M. Williams, and Mrs. Bruce White.

Visitors in the Tom Box home were Mrs. Guy T. Hughes of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hughes and children of Seminole, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Hughes and family of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. Let Roy Box and Lebeth and Mrs. Adell Box and Robert all of Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Hayes of Santa Rosa, N. Mex. arrived Thursday to attend the Junior High School Commencement of which her brother, Tommy Payne is a graduate. They will visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hayes and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Payne for a few days while here.

State Line Club plans meeting on freezer dinners

The State Line Home Demonstration Club met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Tom Box with President Mrs. Alton Billings in charge. Mrs. Box gave the devotional and Mrs. Terry Bacon lead the singing.

An all-day meeting was planned for a program on "Making Freezer Dinners, to be held in the home of Mrs. Hayden Box on July 29. A fund-raising project was postponed until fall. The club voted to have a demonstration on plastic flowers if the other clubs are interested. A "going-away" gift is to be presented to Mrs. Raymond Palmer, who is leaving the club to live at Sundown.

Mrs. Bobby White, agent, spoke on "Cake Decorating." She showed various ways of decorating cakes and distributed recipes for frostings. She showed a cake she had decorated as a summer straw hat which was quite unusual and attractive.

The next meeting, on Salad Making will be held in the home of Mrs. Loren Gayle, Thursday, May 28. All homemakers in the area are invited to attend.

Orange Soda-Pop cake and punch were served to Mesdames Loren Gayle, Hayden Box, Terry Bacon, Lee Roy Box, Alton Billings, Bobby White, Glen Darnell, Jack Stegall, C. A. Stewart, Frank Spencer and the hostess.

NOTICE

L. M. Mize, Cubmaster of Pack 78, announced the postponement of their regular pack meeting scheduled for Monday evening, May 25 which will be held the following Monday, June 1. A more detailed announcement will be printed next week, according to Mize.

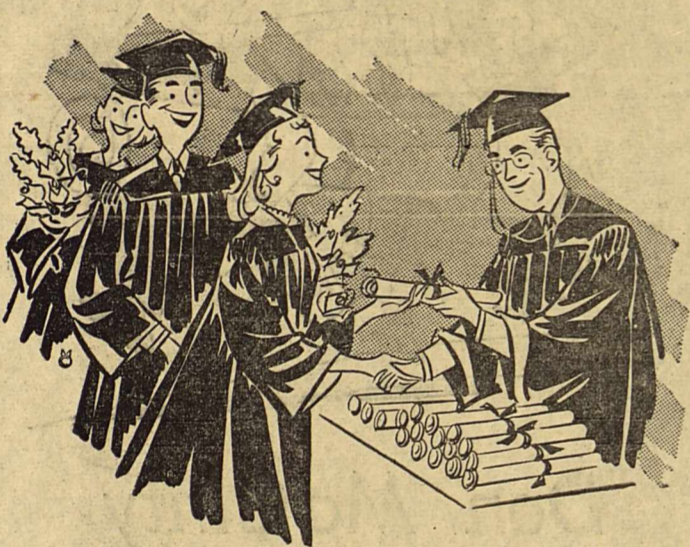
ON TOP OF THE WORLD



Congratulations, graduates. Now that you have finished this part of your education, you can look forward to the career you have chosen for yourself. You're sitting on top of the world and the future, with all its possibilities, lies before you. May you realize the fulfillment of your every ambition in the days to come.

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Best Wishes Grads



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GREETINGS

May we offer our sincere congratulations to each of you as you complete this part of your education. No doubt many times you wondered if you'd make it but we are sure that each of you is glad that you made the necessary effort



We're Proud

You are now a full fledged graduate and as such you are entitled to a word of commendation. You've done a swell job and the entire community is proud of you, individually and collectively.

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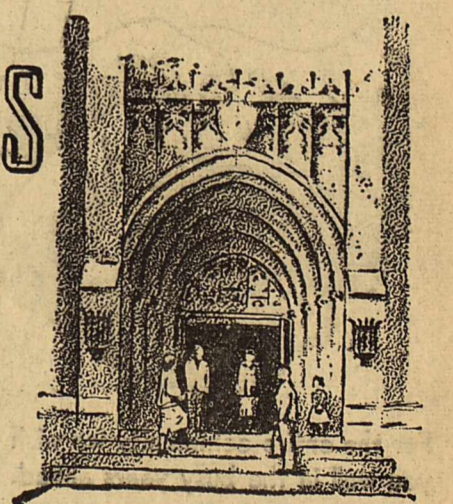
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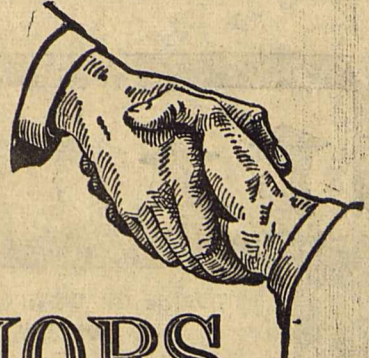
CONTINUED SUCCESS

May each of your dreams and ambitions come true in the days to come.

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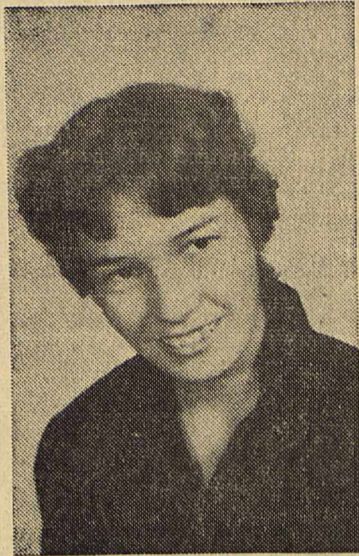
Seniors say goodbye to school days at PHS



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EACH ONE OF YOU

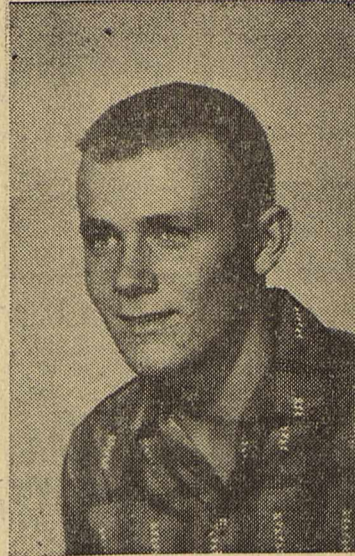
HILL'S GARAGE



Glenda Stewart



Brenda Sudderth



Jim Warren



Glenn Lewis

ACROSS THE  
CATTLE GUARD

by LEO W. WHITE  
County Agent

Another beef calf gain contest got under way last Saturday. Thirty nine calves were weighed over the scales and most of them were trained to lead, dehorned and ready to start gaining. Twenty five boys and girls owned the thirty nine calves. The gain contest will end February 12 when the animals are weighed in at the Yoakum County Junior Fat Stock Show. The owner of the calf that makes the most gain during this 272 day feeding period will receive a silver engraved loving cup from Mr. G. W. Cleveland.

Back in 1955, after there had been one show held in the new Livestock Exhibit Building, we began having monthly weigh-days for the calves in order to give the young feeders additional reason for handling their animals. We also wanted to give them an opportunity to learn to exhibit their animals before a judge and these monthly weigh-days made that thing possible. The monthly weigh-day also gave the young feeder an opportunity to check on the rate of gain of his animals and compare their progress with the other calves on feed. G. W. Cleveland came to several of the weigh-days in 1955 and announced that he would give a prize to the one whose calf made the highest gain during the remainder of that year. The first contest got started in November of 1955 and in February of 1956 D'Lois McGinty had the high gaining calf in a steer that she bought from Marvin Taylor out in the northeast part of Yoakum County.

D'Lynn McGinty was the winner of the 1957 contest with a calf she selected out of her Daddy's herd. The contest ending in 1958 was won by Jimmy Taylor with a calf he bought from Earl Bryson and the contest just ended last February was won by Oscar Henard with one of the

calves he bought from the herd of Sperm Henard and Sons.

The calf feeding program in Yoakum County is indebted to Mr. Cleveland for starting and continuing to support this contest. It has done a great deal to improve the interest of the boys and girls in the calf feeding program. It is interesting to watch and there is a great deal to be learned by observing the progress of the animals.

Following is a list of the young calf feeders and the weights of their animals last Saturday: Oscar Henard, 628, 253 and 245; Marsha White, 524 and 368; Sharon Sprawls, 476; Linda Fitzgerald, 453; Mike Field, 424 and 342; Loretta Taylor, 378 and 374; Douglas Todd, 361; Pharon Pharr, 359 and 356; Mike Loe, 349 and 309; D'Lynn McGinty, 321 and 276; Jack Sprawls, 304; Kenneth McGinty, 293 and 266; Weymon Boyd, 281; D'Lois McGinty, 279; Sylvia McGinty, 266 and 220; Margaret Henard, 265; Alton Earl McGinty, 251; Bruce Bennett, 230; Ty Earl Powell, 223; Jimmy Gray, 222; Frances Henard, 11; Robert Field, 192, 172, and 167; Tom Sprawls, 190; Sarah K. Field, 178 159 and 136; Dianne Fitzgerald, 174.

If these calves follow the same pattern set during the preceding years, some of them will gain about 700 pounds during the feeding period and others will gain less than 500 pounds. Some of the slow gaining calves will probably be sold before show time and some of the fast gaining animals will be given an additional push in order to get them to win. The calf that usually wins is the one that continues to gain

Possum Kingdom  
maps in error

It has been called to the attention of the Possum Kingdom Association that maps of Possum Kingdom Lake are now in use that carry the wrong information about fishing rules and regulations.

The Association would like for any person using these maps to be sure and consult Camp Operators for information instead of using the information on the maps.

A service man from Camp Walters at Mineral Wells was recently fined while on Possum Kingdom Lake because of misinformation on the maps. The Association dislikes very much to see anyone get into trouble while fishing on the lake.

well all through the feeding period and puts on an additional surge during the last couple of months. We have never yet had the same calf to win the gain contest that was the grand champion of the show. That is one of the things we are looking forward to. We want to find a relationship between the two characteristics. We want to get type, quality, degree of finish and gaining ability all wrapped up in one animal. We would like for this animal to put on 100 pounds of gain with less than 800 pounds of feed and we would like for at least half of that feed to be roughage.

Cotton cropland  
on allotment farms  
showing increase

According to W. M. Overton, Yoakum County ASC Office, manager the total cropland on cotton allotment farms have increased from approximately 75,000 acres in 1950 to approximately 150,000 acres in 1959.

According to county ASC office records there is a total of 149,747 acres cropland on the 372 cotton allotment farms and Overton states that some few acres have been broken out that farmers have not reported or the acreage have not been measured and listed on the county ASC records.

Office manager (ASC) states that county office records show 33 farms listed with cropland that do not have cotton allotments, this includes ranches with small cropland acreage and new farm that have been broken out in late years. According to ASC records approx. 1/4 of the 372 cotton allotment farms have one or more irrigation wells and it is expected that approx. 1/4 of the 34,370 acre cotton allotment for 1959 will be irrigated.

CONGRATULATIONS

Birthday and anniversary congratulations this week to: D. C. Newsom, Sr., Carolyn Warren, Mrs. Shorty Coke and Peggy McNabb, May 24; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Holbert, Mrs. H. W. Randall, Danny Ward, Johnny Pippin, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brown and Mrs. Ronnie Ward, May 25; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Heald, Kenneth Blount and Carl Garland Carnley, May 26; Cynthia Burke, Milton Romans, Johnnie L. Fitzgerald and J. W. McCan, May 27; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomas, May 28; Rodney Trout, Jo Chapman, T. J. Murphy, Kenneth Hale and Glen Joseph Jones, May 29; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Quелlette, May 30.

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grads!*

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Pete and Frances Sampson

**keep going,**  
You're on the right road to success. Best of luck.

**1959**

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For the entire community we wish you well in the busy years ahead.

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BLACKSMITH and WELDING**  
Alfred Dennis

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As you receive congratulations from your friends everywhere, we wish to take this means of adding our very best wishes to the chorus. Well done!

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HUMBLE PRODUCTS

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POINT TOWARD**

To each of you who are members of this year's graduating class we extend our sincere congratulations. You have just completed an important phase of your life's work and we have every confidence that you will continue your progress.

Best wishes to each of you.

**The Yoakum County  
REVIEW**

**GRADUATES OF 1959**  
Congratulations

**Best Wishes**

The direction in which education starts a man will determine his future life.  
—Plato

**Tingle's Garage & Wrecking Service**

**GRADUATES OF 1959**

This is the first rung of the ladder, but as Huxley said, "the rung of a ladder was never meant to rest upon".

**Don McGinty**  
Abstracts — Insurance

**WELL DONE**  
*Seniors*

Since we consider ourselves your friends, we deem it particularly appropriate to express our congratulations to each of you graduates and to tell you we think you've done a swell job. We are proud of you and wish for you every success your hearts desire.

**BEST REGARDS TO YOU GRADUATES**

**Mize's Texaco Service**



**GREETINGS**  
*graduates*

All good wishes to each of you  
for a career of successful  
achievements.

**Plains Floral**

Mrs. J. P. Robertson



**CONGRATULATIONS**

The "golden years" are ahead. We hope they fill your dreams and expectations.



**PLAINS OIL COMPANY**

James Warren



Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snow

**Sallie Yarbrough becomes bride of Roy Snow in rites Saturday**

Miss Sallie Yarbrough became the bride of Roy Snow at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, May 16 in Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church, Plains. Rev. C. J. Coffman, pastor, read the double-ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mrs. C. H. Ragsdale of Plains, Mr. D. M. Yarbrough of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Snow of Brownfield.

Mrs. Dwain Rowland, soloist, sang "Whither Thou Goest," accompanied by Mrs. Faye Lusk at the piano.

Jackie Bass served as best man. Given in marriage by her great uncle John Hague, the bride chose for her wedding a white street-length dress of embroidered cotton with white accessories and carried a bouquet of white roses with an orchid in a nest of net sprinkled with pearls atop a white Bible.

Kay Smith, maid of honor, wore a white lace dress with deep square neckline over blue taffeta with white accessories. Both carried nosegays of pink and blue with tiny white roses.

Misses Lana Oden and Dixie Ruth McClellan, cousins of the bride, served the lime sherbet and three-tiered wedding cake to the thirty-five guests registered by Miss Cecelia Lovelace, cousin of the bride.

Special wedding guests were: Mrs. Sallie Hague, grandmother of the bride, with out-of-town guests; aunts of the bride, Mrs.

Margaret Reeb of Dallas and Mrs. H. D. Oden and Lana of Abilene; cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Lovelace of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Bryant of Portales, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lusk of Midland; the groom's parents, and his sisters and their husbands; Joan Towell, Gene James and Dickie Stephens of Seagraves and Joyce Riggs of Brownfield.

Mrs. Snow is a senior in Plains High School while the groom, a Brownfield graduate, is employed by The Brownfield News.

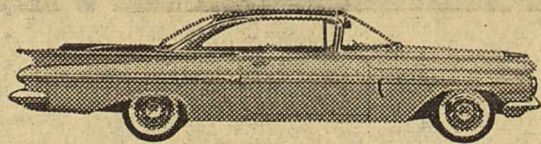
After a short wedding trip into New Mexico, they are at home in Brownfield.

Mrs. Hayden Box, David and Wayne and Mrs. Dale Mills, Linda and Mark spent the weekend with Mrs. Box's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Walton in Coleman.

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**D. L. Blevins, Sr., called by death**

Word was received here during the weekend of the passing of Mr. D. L. Blevins, Sr. in Delhi, Calif. His son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Blevins of Plains and a daughter, Mrs. Lynn Hobbs of Carrizo Springs have been at his bedside for quite some time. He, with Mrs. Blevins who has been confined to her home for a number of months, lived with their family near Tokio in the late 1920s and 30s. A daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thurlow Worsham and family moved to Delhi about six years ago from Tokio when the elder Blevins' health failed. Dave reports that he and wife expect to remain there for an indefinite time.

A grandson William Worsham and family reside northwest of Tokio.

**Kitty Armstrong to receive degree at Howard Payne**

Kittie Parks Armstrong of Plains is a candidate for a Bachelor of Science degree, to be awarded at the Howard Payne College commencement exercises on May 29.

She has majored in Secretarial Training with a minor in English. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Parks, Box 418, Plains and is a 1955 graduate of Plains High School.



The Rev. Rauben P. Ward, pastor of the Woodridge Baptist Church of Houston, will be the speaker for the baccalaureate service on the morning of May 29. J. Brown Cutbirth, Houston independent oil operator, will deliver the commencement address that evening. Both programs will be held in Mims Auditorium on the Howard Payne campus.

The traditional president's reception will honor the seniors and their parents on the afternoon of Commencement Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Payne and Tommy visited their daughter, and little son in Lubbock Saturday and Mrs. Jim Fortenberry day night and Sunday.

**Pupils to present recital on Sunday**

Piano pupils of Mrs. Odis Lusk will be presented in a recital, Saturday, May 23 at 4:00 p.m. in the Plains School Auditorium. Pupils being presented are Marsha White, Susie Cooke, Ruth Hinkle, Sue Bookout and D'Lynn McGinty.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

**ARE PARENTS**

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Roulain of Whiteface on the arrival of a son, Sterling Ross, weighing 6 lbs. 5 ozs. on May 17 in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock. His mother, the former Zona Gayle Snodgrass, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Snodgrass. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leo Roulain of Friona. Great-grandparents living here are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cheek and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Snodgrass.

**Texas Cotton Statistics**

The U.S.D.A. has placed the 1958 national cotton crop at 11,581,000 bales. Texas will account for approximately 4,350,000 bales or 37% of this total, a significantly larger portion than the average for the last decade. As big as 1958's total Texas cotton crop is (4,350,000 as compared to 1957's 3,632,000 bales), the big production news in 1958 is acre yield. The indicated yield per acre for 1958 of 387 pounds of lint (4,350,000 bales raised on 5,400,000 acres) far ex-

ceeds the previous record of 325 pounds per acre (359,000 bales harvested from 490,000 acres) set 92 years ago in 1866, and is 31% above last year's 295 pound per acre yield (3,632,000 bales harvested from 5,905,999 acres), which had been second highest in history.

What has happened to acre-yields during this 92-year period makes an interesting study in cotton production economics and gives a factual foundation for speculation on the future of Texas cotton.

**HOW TEXAS COTTON GROWS\***

- Time to come up—Average 7 to 10 days, range 7 to 30 days.
- Appearance of third leaf (first true leaf) 8 days after emergence.
- Emergence to square—35-40 days.
- Square to white bloom—20-25 days.
- Bloom to open boll—50-65 days.
- Boll full grown 20 to 25 days after bloom.
- Should be ready to harvest in 160 days (25% open in 130 days).
- 120,000—number of seed in one bushel of evarage seed.
- Most effective fruiting period is from June 20 to August 1.
- Approximately 35 to 40 per cent of blooms make bolls.
- August 20 is generally the last date for effective setting of fruit in a normal year.
- Boll period ranges from 45 to 65 days.
- Fiber length laid down first 25 to 30 days.
- Critical period in length of fiber is 16 to 20 days after blooming.
- Strength of fiber is built up in second 25 to 30 days of boll development.
- Moisture is the limiting factor in determining length of lint in a given variety.
- 90 is average number of days to blooming peak.
- 35 is average number of days from first bloom to peak of blooming.
- 40 is average number of days from first bloom to shed peak.
- Average per cent of bloom shed is 60 to 65.
- Average number of blooms per plant is 40 to 45.
- In 65 to 75 days after first white bloom 30% of crop is open.
- In 85 to 95 days after first white bloom 70% of crop is open.
- In 95 to 105 days after first white bloom 85% of crop is open.
- Plant population per acre with 40-inch row width—1 plant per foot of row, 13,068 plants per acre, 2 plants per foot, 26,136 plants per acre.

**TEXAS COTTON, YIELD PER ACRE 1866-1958**

Year	Lint Per Acre (Lbs.)	Year	Lint Per Acre (Lbs.)	Year	Lint Per Acre (Lbs.)	Year	Lint Per Acre (Lbs.)
1866*	325	1890.....	228	1914**	183	1938.....	168
1867*	195	1891.....	231	1915**	147	1939.....	160
1868*	197	1892.....	236	1916**	163	1940.....	184
1869*	195	1893.....	192	1917**	132	1941.....	165
1870*	255	1894.....	277	1918**	109	1942.....	182
1871*	189	1895.....	176	1919**	133	1943.....	174
1872.....	207	1896.....	160	1920**	169	1944.....	183
1873.....	201	1897.....	190	1921**	101	1945.....	149
1874.....	164	1898.....	234	1922**	129	1946.....	134
1875.....	236	1899.....	180	1923**	140	1947.....	198
1876.....	196	1900.....	224	1924**	139	1948.....	176
1877.....	152	1901.....	148	1925**	115	1949**	261
1878.....	240	1902.....	146	1926**	162	1950**	211
1879.....	168	1903.....	149	1927**	133	1951**	165
1880.....	237	1904.....	174	1928**	145	1952**	171
1881.....	153	1905.....	152	1929**	112	1953**	231
1882.....	249	1906.....	216	1930**	150	1954**	245
1883.....	190	1907.....	119	1931**	173	1955**	231
1884.....	163	1908.....	195	1932**	162	1956**	280
1885.....	198	1909.....	122	1933**	192	1957**	295
1886.....	211	1910**	143	1934**	114	1958**	387
1887.....	208	1911**	181	1935**	133		
1888.....	201	1912**	210	1936**	121		
1889.....	179	1913**	153	1937**	197		

Source: U. S. Department of Agriculture  
\*Year during which cotton was raised on less than 1,000,000 acres.  
\*\*Year during which cotton was raised on more than 1,000,000 acres  
\*\*\*Preliminary (Dec. 1 est.)

\*Information from Fred C. Elliott, Texas A&M College

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PLAINS NEWS CHIPS

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Payne Wednesday were her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Custis of Roswell, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Woods and family of Lubbock were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barron Sunday.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Overton Sunday was their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Young and family Midland.

Tom Sims of Bronco is a medical patient in Terry County Hospital. His condition was reported "fair" Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Jesse Hale, who is attending Isobell's Institute of Beauty in Lubbock, visited at home last weekend.

Mrs. Glen Verden and daughters, Sandy and Mrs. Shelby Hight and children returned to their home at Lakeview on Wednesday. They had been guests of their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Casey Brown since Saturday. A fish supper was enjoyed in the Brown's back-yard Monday evening, the fish being caught recently at Lake Kemp by Mr. Verden. Others enjoying the supper were Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Smith, Mrs. Nona Trout and J. B. Brown.

C. B. Hobbs entered the Veteran's Hospital at Big Springs as a medical patient Thursday of last week. He has been suffering for quite some time with a throat irritation.

Mrs. Ira Tidwell had foot surgery in Yoakum County Hospital Saturday and returned Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Smyer, who have been residing in Plains for several years, moved last week to a spacious residence being completed on the Harvest Queens farm west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Culwell and Mike were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Culwell, in Avoca, Texas, last weekend.

Mrs. J. H. Morris and Mrs. John Camp visited their son and brother, A. A. Morris, in the Terry County Hospital at Brownfield Monday, where he had been confined for two weeks with double pneumonia.

Mrs. Joe Wilson returned home Sunday after being confined in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, following surgery two weeks earlier. Many of her friends called during the afternoon to welcome her home and wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Powell and Mr. and Mrs. Duane Powell left Monday for the wheat harvest in Oklahoma, Kansas and north to the U.S.-Canada boundary. They expect to be away until about September.

Mr. W. M. Overton and Mrs. Duane McDonnell of the local Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office attended a district meeting in Lubbock last Friday.

Mrs. T. J. Murphy is recovering satisfactorily in the Yoakum County Hospital in Denver City following major surgery Thursday of last week. She expects to return to her home within the next few days.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. J. H. Morris were her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. John Millwee and Mr. and Mrs. Harve Williams of Lubbock, and her daughters, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Wheeler of Albuquerque and Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Lamance of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Randall spent Sunday afternoon in Lovington in the home of his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Carlisle.

L. O. Free was in Big Spring and Knott on business the first of the week. He has farming interests there.

Junior-Senior party held on Friday night

The school cafeteria was converted into a realistic garden of the Far East when the Plains High School Juniors complimented their upper classmen with an Oriental Garden party, Friday evening, May 8, 1959.

Mothers of the juniors assisted with the hospitalities by preparing the delicious menu of Poppy-seed rolls, cherry-blossoms, Water Buffalo Special, Jade Gems, Lotus Blossom Salad, Fruit-of-the-good-earth, Chopsticks, Empress Delight and Contonese' tea. Those serving the meal, in red candle-glow, were dressed as Chinese with most of the costumes actually being from the Orient. Claude Lee, a senior, asked the Grace.

Harmon Melxner, junior class president, was master-of-ceremonies. Joe Bob Oats extended a welcome to members of the two classes, school faculty members, wives and husbands, and the school board members and wives. Donnie Kissinger, senior class president, gave the response. Others on the program: Brenda Sudderth, (class will); Judy Palmer (prophecy); D. N. Taylor and G.D. Kennedy offered words of wisdom and praise for the graduating class. Odus Walsler and Gene Belk sang "Tea For Two", and Carolyn Murphy closed the program with the lovely Japanese good-bye song "Sayara for the vocal numbers and pre-nara." Marsha White was pianist sented the background music for the evening.

Pat and Kay Smith and Joyce Riggs were guests of Joyce's aunt in Big Spring over the week-end. Together with Darlene Snodgrass they enjoyed Sunday afternoon water-skiing. All are suffering badly sun-burned shoulders this week.

In addition to the lovely home under construction for Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Romans at 1205 E. 15th St., an attractive home was moved in last week for Mr. and Mrs. George Burke at 201 E. 3rd St. to add elegance to our fast-growing city.

Oil

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mediately south of Denver City. On 24-hour potential test, the new oiler pumped 64 barrels of 34.5 gravity oil, plus one per cent water, through perforations from 6,472 to 6,834 feet.

Location is 1,980 feet from west and 660 feet from south lines of section 51, block AX, ps1 survey.

One-half mile south of Denver City in Yoakum County, Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 8 Abilene State Bank will be dug as a 7,900-foot project in the Wasson (6,600 and 7,700) field.

Location is 614 feet from south and 1,185 feet from east lines of section 37, block AX, ps1 survey.

Humble also will dig No. 9 Abilene State Bank in the same field. Location is 714 feet from north and 2,186 feet from east lines of section 37, block AX, ps1 survey. It too will drill to 7,900 feet.

Contributions

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\$50; Garland Swann, \$50; Pete Sampson, \$25; P. W. St. Romain, \$50; E. O. Winkles, \$20; James Warren, \$15; Mack Wilmeth, \$50; Albert Williams, \$35; Tom Warren, \$75; W. C. Wilmeth, \$100; J. Pressley White, \$100; Yoakum County Cotton Growers, \$500; Yoakum County State Bank, \$150.

Cheerleaders for next year named

The student body of the Plains school recently elected their cheer leaders for the 1959-1960 school year.

The girls that will be leading the cheering section come football season next September are Neda Anderson, freshman; Lela Parks, sophomore; Sheron Smith, junior; Linda Fitzgerald; and Barbara Meil, senior.

Three of the girls have served as school cheer leaders before and Lela Parks and Linda Fitzgerald are the two new girls that will work them next season.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Short and sons, formerly of Plains, now of Denver City, were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Les Short and Mr. and Mrs. Vance Glover.

Mrs. James Wilson and children, Karen and Danny, of Leveland and her sister, Zada Snodgrass were guests of their cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Duane McDonnell and other relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Coke and family of Midland visited his mother, Mrs. T. E. Coke, and other relatives here last week-end.

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- GENE PAYNE, Commissioner
- CLYDE TROUT, Commissioner

- VERNON TOWNES, County Attorney
- J.W.O. ALLDREDGE, County Clerk and District Clerk
- BILL MOORHEAD, County Auditor
- H. C. COTTON, Commissioner
- VANCE BROWN, Commissioner

