

Plains, Texas **THE WEATHER**

	Max.	Min.
May 27	89	61
May 28	90	67
May 29	93	59
May 30	97	66
May 31	93	58
June 1	81	55
June 2	76	56

Rain June 2-3 — 1.96 in.

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BAPTIST BIBLE school children, in the three-year-old group, are asked the question "Do you say a thank you before you eat each meal?" by Mrs. Elbert Hinkle as she teaches the group to pray and tells them their daily Bible story. Other workers in this department are Mrs. Duane Fannin and Mrs. O. G. Lewis.



THE ENTIRE group of children attending Daily Vacation Bible School at the Methodist Church are shown in the above picture during the recreation period just before refreshments were served at one of the daily sessions this week.

Gophers post 12-10 win over Seagrave in Pony League tilt

In the second game of the season for the Plains Gophers on their home field Monday night the Gophers won over the Seagraves Giants 12-10.

Bob Parker was the winning pitcher. Losing pitcher was James Petty. The Gophers collected eight hits to their five. Leading hitter was Bob Parker with 2 hits for 3 times at bat.

In the opening game of the season played at Denver City last week the Denver City Transporters defeated the Gophers 10-0.

Losing pitcher, Glen Boyd, was relieved in the 5th inning by Olan Smith. Winning pitcher was Delbert Coats.

The 1959 schedule of the Plains Gophers in the Denver City Pony League is as follows:

Thurs. June 4, 7:30 p.m. Transporters vs Gophers at Plains
Tues. June 9, 6:00 p.m. Oilers vs. Gophers at Denver City
Fri. June 12, 7:30 p.m. Gophers vs. Giants at Seagraves

Tues. June 16, 6:00 p.m. Transporters vs. Gophers at Denver City
Thurs. June 18, 7:30 p.m. Oilers vs. Gophers at Plains

Mon. June 22, 7:30 p.m. Gophers vs. Giants at Plains
Thurs. June 25, 7:30 p.m. Transporters vs. Gophers at Plains

Tues. June 30, 6:00 p.m. Oilers vs. Gophers at Denver City
Fri. July 3, 7:30 p.m. Giants vs. Gophers at Seagraves

Roping Club starts summer activities

The Yoakum County Roping Club began their summer roping activities last week according to Rusty McGinty, president.

Calves and steers have been bought by the club. They plan to rope the calves each Tuesday night and calves and steers every Saturday night at the Plains roping club arena.

Other officers for the Roping Club in addition to Mr. McGinty are Pat Henard, vice president, Gene Bennett, secretary and directors, Billy Winn, Kenneth Burns, and Dick McGinty.

Four teams active participants in Little League play

In Little League play Tuesday night the Giants defeated the Indians 8-5 with J. E. Todd, winning pitcher.

Losing pitcher Larry Coffman was relieved in the 4th inning by Harold Swann.

The Giants got 4 hits with Jack Lowe hitting a home run in the 2nd. J. E. Todd had 2 hits, 1 single and 1 triple, David Lusk got 1 single in the 3rd.

The Indians chalked up 5 hits with 2 of them made by Larry Coffman. Jimmy Massey singled in the 2nd. Butch Gayle doubled in the 3rd.

In Monday nights game the Yanks defeated the Cubs 5-0 with Ralph Meixner as winning pitcher. Losing pitcher, Jimmy Smith was relieved in the 4th by Calvin Smith.

The Yanks had 4 hits with Tennie Lowe and Mark Sinclair each making a single. Danny Sinclair hit 1 single and also a home run in the 3rd.

In last Thursday nights game the Yanks defeated the Giants 11-4.

Friday night the Cubs walked the Indians 18-10.

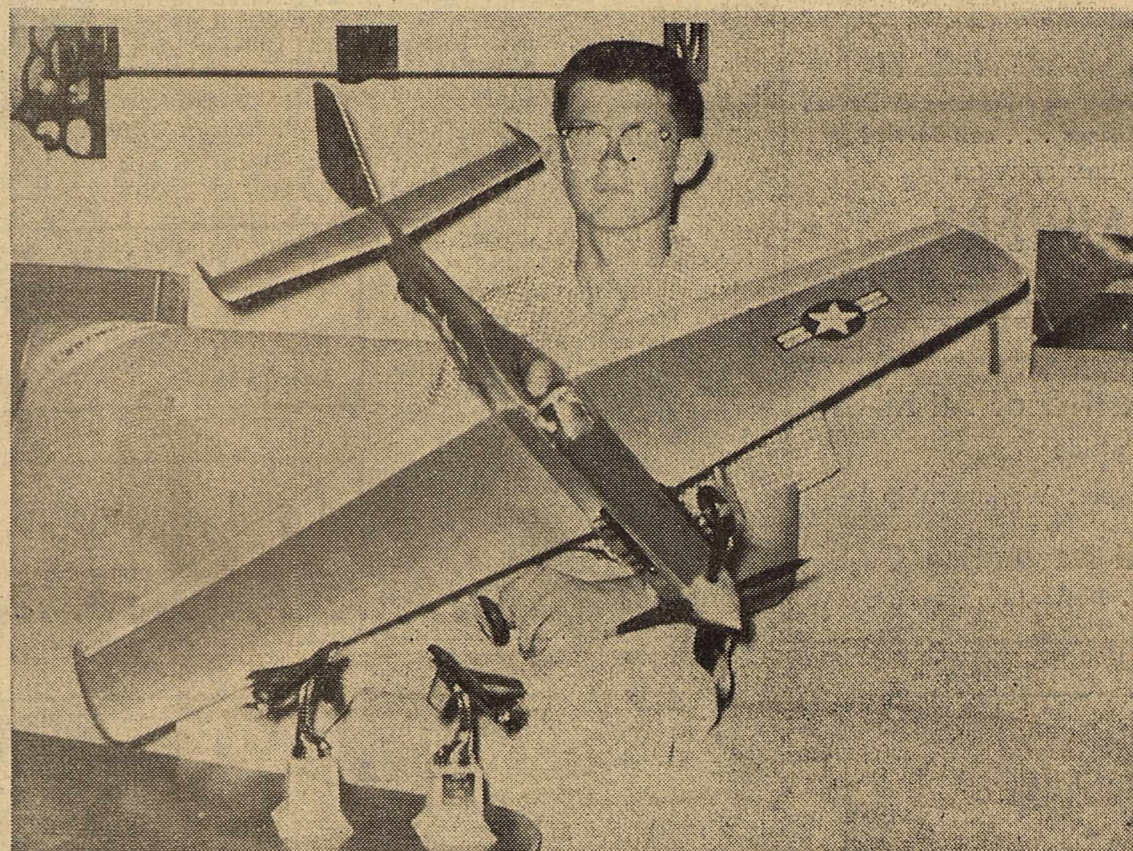
Little League Standing

	Wins	Losses
Yanks	2	1
Indians	2	1
Giants	2	1
Cubs	1	2

CONGRATULATIONS

Birthday and anniversary congratulations to Donnie Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Billingsley, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Ward, and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Van Liew, June 7; Harvey Romans, and Ronald Carson, June 8; Mr. and Mrs. Amos Shifflett and Mr. and Mrs. Duane Anderson, June 9; Mrs. Bruce Hill and Peggy Autry, June 10; Ronnie Stockstill, Mrs. Kenneth Blount, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. O'Neal and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Blount, June 11; Cleve Loy Kerby, Susan Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Rusty McGinty, J. D. Campbell and Mrs. M. C. Walter, June 12.

Appeals court upholds judgment for Paul Loe



JAMES COGBURN is shown above with the trophy on the table in the Brownfield Model Plane Tournament last Sunday afternoon.

James Cogburn honored at model plane tourney

James Cogburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Foy Cogburn, who holds a license from the Academy of Model Aeronautics and is one of Plains top Model-Plane enthusiasts, was awarded two 1st place trophies Sunday afternoon at the Brownfield Model Plane Tournament.

James took first place honors in both contests he entered, Junior stunt-flying patterns and Junior Scale-model flying. A Mr. Wooten of Lubbock took most of the Senior honors. One of the most interesting events of the afternoon was the "Rat-Race."

Church of Christ begins building

Three new class rooms are being added to the Hillside Church of Christ with J. L. Taylor as contractor.

The foundation was laid last week for the 21 ft. by 33 ft. addition.

The work is to be completed within the next six weeks and is being added to the south side joining one of the original classrooms and a part of the auditorium.

The opera-type chairs, which were purchased by the Church, from the Plains Independent Schools were moved into the church last week.

The Seventh District Court of Appeals in Amarillo has affirmed the Yoakum County District Court in granting a summary judgment to Paul Loe in his contest of the election of Clyde Trout as County Commissioner from Precinct Four.

In affirming the Yoakum court decision, the Appellate Court opinion holds that four ballots under consideration are "illegal" for the office of County Commissioner; and also that parol (oral) evidence in question, given after the ballots were counted, is not admissible in evidence.

The next step in the legal chain on such a case may be the filing of a motion for a re-hearing of the case in the appeal court by Trout. This must be accomplished within 10 days, after which he will have an additional period of 15 days in which to file a second motion for re-hearing should the first be denied by the appeals court. If both motions for re-hearing of the case are denied in appeals court, Trout may then appeal his case to the State Supreme Court in an application for a writ of error.

The contest arose following last November's general election when Trout was apparently successful in a write-in campaign and beat out Loe by a margin of 11 votes for County Commissioner. Loe had been victor in the primary election race for the post and had been confident of victory in the general election.

Shortly after tabulation of the votes in the general election, Loe filed a protest of the election outcome in District Court. He claimed that the write-in campaign conducted by Trout had been conducted in an underhanded manner, that the election site was changed so as to keep some of his backers from voting, and that a number of the write-ins were not legal and that he should ultimately be elected the County Commissioner.

A pre-trial hearing on the contest was held in District Court, with the then District Judge Louis Reed presiding and through stipulation many of the ballots which had originally been counted.

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County oil news

Permian well completed

Permian Oil Company (formerly Jack Norris and Jack Blair) No. 1 Haley has been completed as a one-half-mile north outpost to production in the south side of the Reeves (San Andres) field in Southwest Yoakum County.

On 24-hour potential, it pumped 12 barrels of 32 gravity oil, plus 75 per cent water, through perforations in casing from 5,582 to 5,628 feet.

Location is 330 feet from north and west lines of south half of section 880, block D, John H. Gibson survey.

Jack Blair, John Norris and others No. 1 Bedford is a 5,300-foot wildcat 12 miles northwest of Plains in Northwest Yoakum County.

Site is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 127, block D, J. H. Gibson.

Shell Oil Company No. 1 Mrs. Lou A. Miller and others is to be drilled as a south offset to Shell No. 1 Mrs. Viola Bain, prospective Devonian discovery in northwest Gaines County.

The new test, slated for a 13,000-foot bottom, is 660 feet from north and east lines of section 281, block G, WTRR survey, 12 miles southwest of Denver City.

No. 1 Bain was preparing to perforate additional section in the Devonian and test.

The project swabbed 336 barrels of fluid during the last 24 hours of testing, through perforations from 11,756 to 11,766 feet.

The fluid was 15 per cent basic sediment, 30 per cent water

and the rest new oil. Ashmun & Hilliard No. 2 Ltd., of Midland, will drill No. 3 G. W. Peck as a north offset to the discovery well of the two-well West Seminole (Devonian FB-2) field in Northwest Gaines County.

Location is 1,650 feet from south and 330 feet from west lines of section 372, block G, CCSD&RGNG survey and slated for a 10,800-foot bottom.

El Cinco Production Company No. 1-A E. H. Jones, project in the Tex-Pac field in Northwest Gaines County, has been plugged.

Bottomed at 8,444 feet, the failure is 660 feet from south and

1,980 feet from east lines of section 18, block A-7, psl survey and 12 miles southwest of Denver City.

Continental Oil Company No. 3-D Wasson (52) is a new oiler in the Wasson (6,600) field in North Gaines County, just south of Denver City.

Operator potentialized the well for a daily pumping gauge of 294 barrels of 33.4 gravity oil, plus 20 per cent water, through perforations in casing from 6,560 to 6,781 feet.

Wellsite is 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 52, block Ax, psl survey.

Clobbered in Lubbock

Red Checks drub locals

The Plains American Legion Ball team traveled to Lubbock Tuesday night to play the Bell Red Checks for their opening game of the season. The Plains boys were trampled by the Red Checks 26-0.

Leadoff batter Billy Hampton singled in the fourth and sixth innings for the only hits off pitcher, Donnie Bumpus, and the other base runner for Plains was Mike Cuiwell, who was nicked by a Bumpus pitch in the seventh.

The Red Checks banged out 17 hits off three Plains hurlers and took advantage of seven walks and 10 errors by the Cowboys.

Ronnie Hendricks, losing pitcher, was relieved in the fifth

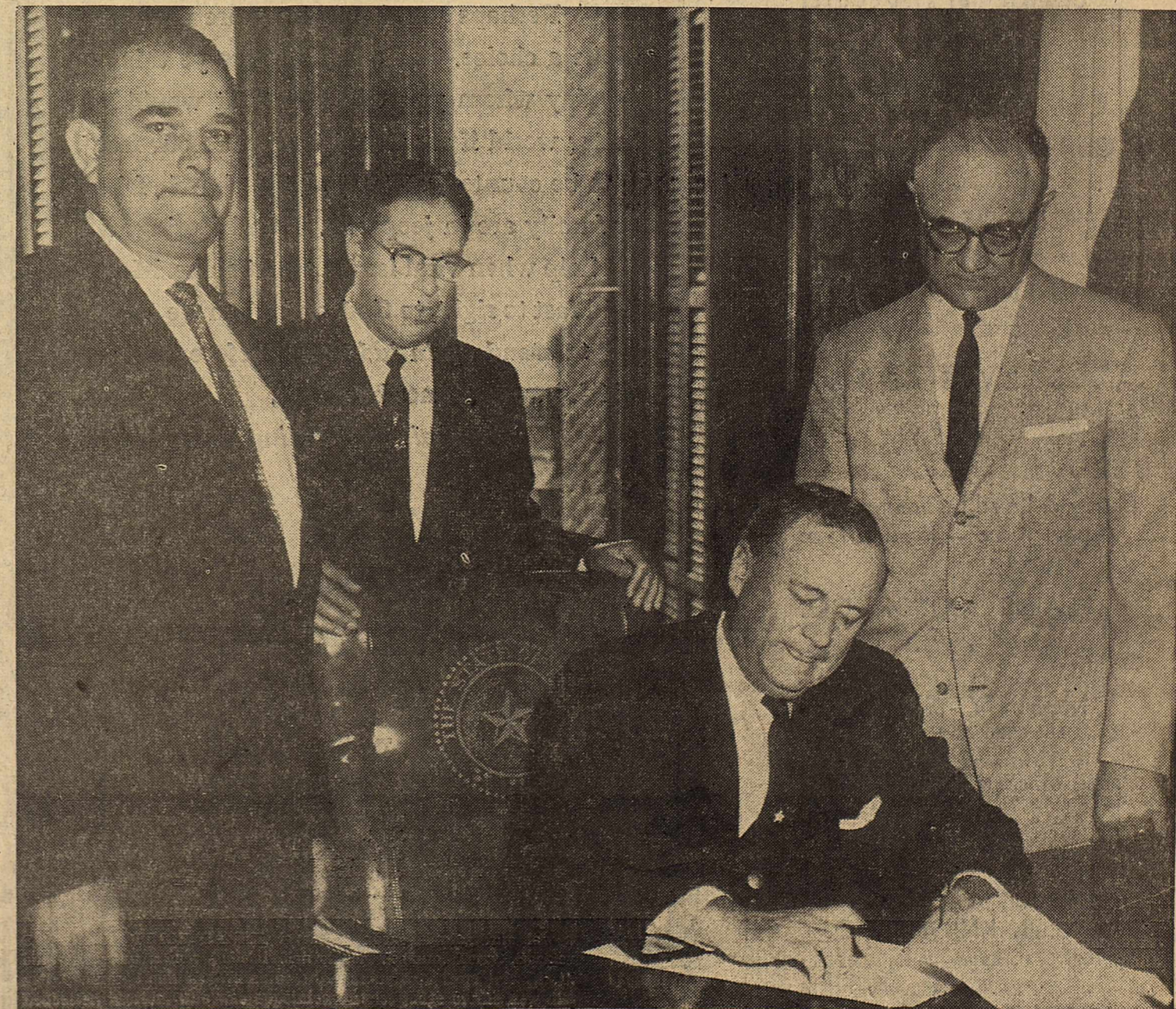
inning by Walter Coffman. Coffman was relieved in the sixth by Mike Culwell.

The team is managed by Don Weed, assistant manager is Punk Culwell.

The team is composed of James Hooper, Walter Coffman, Ronnie Hendricks, Mike Sink, Jerry Warren, Mike Culwell, Dick Cooke, Ray Faught, Billy Hampton, Eldridge Tidwell James Alberding, Steve McGinty, Sam St. Romain, Ronnie Stockstill, Joe Don Morrow and Don Todd.

Manager Weed, assistant mgr. Culwell and the members of the team express their appreciation to the following business who are

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GOVERNOR PRICE DANIEL is shown above signing into law a bill setting up a new judicial district for Yoakum, Terry, Hockley and Cochran Counties. Watching the signing are, from left, M. C. Ledbetter, Morton, who was appointed district judge of the new district; A. B. Allison, Levelland, legislative chairman for the four-county bar association which backed the bill; and Sen. Preston Smith, sponsor of the measure.

Party Line . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy McDonnell, Deanie, Darlene and Jackie, returned Sunday from a ten-day vacation. They visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Le-wallen and other relatives at Santa Anna and Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Dierke Wall and baby of Andrews spent Thursday and Friday here with her parents, The Howard Borlands. Guests of the Borlands on Sunday were her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Glass and Kay from Whitharral.

Mrs. J. A. Parks visited Sunday in Brownfield in the home of long-time friends, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Winn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Tingle of Borrego Springs, Calif. and Mrs. W. D. McDonald of Big Springs were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sherm Tingle and sons over the weekend.

Linda and Mike Harbour have been visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Harbour at Medicine Mound, N. Mex. the past two weeks.

We are glad to notice Mrs. Elmer Cross is able to be out, or at least to ride around, after being confined to her bed since sustaining a fractured hip-joint in a fall about the middle of March. Mrs. Cross is supervisor and dietician at the Plains school cafeteria.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Walser and sons of Amarillo were guests of their parents, The W. F. Walsers, during the weekend. The boys remained to spend the summer with their grandparents and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Randolph and girls spent the weekend visiting relatives in Brownfield, Wilson and Lubbock. Miss Charlotte Mears of Wilson returned home with them.

Mrs. Seth Brown and son Joe, a 1956 graduate of Plains High School, who received his diploma from Lubbock Christian College last weekend, have returned to their home at 1206 Ave. J in Plains. Mrs. Brown taught in the Meadow schools last year as she had for a number of years, following several years on the Brownfield faculty. We are very happy to have them back in Plains.

Mrs. T. E. Coke, Corky Coke, Mrs. Preston Murphy and daughters accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Arlin Coke and family of Tatum, N. M. to Truth or Consequences, N. M. where they are vacationing this week.

Rev. and Mrs. Earl Robertson Sr. and John have moved to the Forrester community south of Brownfield where the Baptist Church there has recently completed a new parsonage. Rev. Robertson has been pastor of the Forrester church for quite some time and has been driving there for church services.

Guests in the Doc McCargo home last weekend were their daughters and families, Major and Mrs. H. H. Copeland of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Craig Mayes of Odessa. The Copeland's daughter, Laura Lou, who is attending college at El Paso flew in earlier and was met at Plains Airport by her grandmother. Others calling in the McCargo home Saturday evening were Mrs. J. M. (Granny) Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Bill H. Powell and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Harris.

Grain sorghum loan rate for '59 announced by ASC

According to W. M. Overton, Office Manager the 1959 grain sorghum loan rate for Yoakum County and adjoining Texas Counties has been set at \$1.48 per 100 pounds grading No. 2 or better grain sorghum. This compares with a 1958 grain sorghum loan rate of \$1.75 per 100. Loans will be available to producers at the local ASC Office from time of harvest through January 31, 1960. Under the 1958 loan program Yoakum County farmers obtained 300 loans on 1958 produced grain sorghum. Under the 1957 grain loan program Yoakum County farmers obtained 819 loans, the 1957 loan rate was \$1.76 and the 1956 rate was \$1.88. The 1959 wheat loan rate for Yoakum County has been set at \$1.82 per Bu. this compares with a loan rate of \$1.83 under the 1958 loan program and \$2.01 per Bu. under the 1957 program. Loans and purchase agreements will be available at the local ASC Office from time of harvest through January 31, 1960.

The above price is based on

County youngsters to participate in "Texas Reading Roundup" program

Youngsters in Yoakum County will join with thousands of young Texans in 22 other counties as they begin participating June 1 in the "Texas Reading Roundup," the largest reading club of its

kind in the nation, according to State Librarian Witt B. Harwell. The second annual vacation reading club, sponsored by the Texas State Library, will be open to all school-age children and teen-agers in the four multi-county demonstration areas of the Rural Library Service.

The Demonstrations are a part of a State-wide program under the Library Services Act to provide groups of counties, at the requests of their County Commissioners Courts, a one-year demonstration of first-class rural library service. At the end of the one year period, the Demonstration is moved to another group of counties that have asked for the service.

From June 1 to August 31, the youngsters will be reading books brought to them by the Texas State Library Bookmobiles in addition to using the facilities of the Public Libraries in the Demonstration areas. As they register for the reading club they will be given individual log sheets upon which they will record the books they read. All who complete reading logs will be awarded Texas State Library Reading Certificates.

"New and attractive books are available for children and young people of all ages," Harwell said, "and have been selected to meet their various interests whether they are reading for recreation, information or inspiration."

Boys and girls may register at their public libraries participating in the program or at the Texas State Library Bookmobile as it makes stops in their locality.

Marsha White spent last week with her grandfather, E. S. Nelson, and her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Nelson, near Shallowater and enjoyed riding horseback.

Final rites for resident's brother held on Saturday

Funeral services were conducted for Charles E. Berry of Denver City, father of Mrs. J. R. Robertson of this city, at 11:00 a.m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church of Denver City. Rev. F. C. Bradley, pastor, officiated for the service and conducted rites for interment in Dilbert Cemetery near Weatherford at 7:30 p.m. Burial was under the direction of Singleton Funeral Home, Seminole.

Mr. Berry, an employee of Atlantic Pipe Line Co., had been a resident of Denver City for 18 years. He died in Gaines Clinic Hospital in Seminole, Thursday following a three weeks illness of a heart condition.

Beside Mrs. Robertson he is survived by the wife and a son, Charles of the home; two other daughters, Mrs. Charlene Kendall and Mrs. Maxine Skotnicki of Dallas; three brothers, Elmer of Weatherford, Henry of Denver City and Claude of Hedrick, Okla.; two sisters, Mrs. Thelma Stephens of Weatherford and Mrs. Inez Bruton of Peaster; his mother, Mrs. Janie Berry also of Peaster; and eight grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Kennedy and Jan, and Mrs. Jessie Kennedy attended the graduation exercises at Arlington High School last Friday night. Their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Gerald Kennedy, was a member of the graduating class. They also visited relatives at Fort Worth before returning home Sunday. Mrs. Jessie Kennedy remained in Fort Worth for an extended visit.

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It is quite a different thing when we ask a friend, a neighbor to vote an issue.

Perhaps we should be more anxious to make a choice. God said, "Choose ye this day whom you will serve." It would be a better world if we would bounce to our feet to be counted, when God, the church, friends or family are in jeopardy. Sound footing will help when vital issues are at stake. May we hold fast to right, to God, and when we come to stand up in judgment, before the "book of life" we shall not be afraid.

We shall be standing for something.

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Worship Service . . . 11:00 a. m.
Youth Group 6:00 p. m.
Bible Study 7:00 p. m.

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Sunday Services
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching Service . . 11:00 a. m.
Sunday Night 8:00 p. m.

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C. J. COFFMAN, Pastor

Sunday Services
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Worship Service . . . 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 7:15 p. m.
Preaching Service . . 8:30 p. m.
Wednesday Nights
Teachers' Meeting . . 7:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting 8:30 p. m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
W. C. WALTER, Pastor

Sunday Services
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Worship Service . . . 11:00 a. m.
Evangelist Service . . 8:00 p. m.

Wednesday Nights
Prayer Meeting 8:00 p. m.

Saturday Nights
Young People - C. A. 8:00 p. m.

HILLSIDE Church of Christ
TRAVIS BOYD, Minister

Sunday Services
Bible Study 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship . . . 10:50 a. m.
Evening Worship . . . 7:00 p. m.
Mid-Week Service . . 8:00 p. m.

Tuesdays
Ladies' Bible Class 2:00 p. m.

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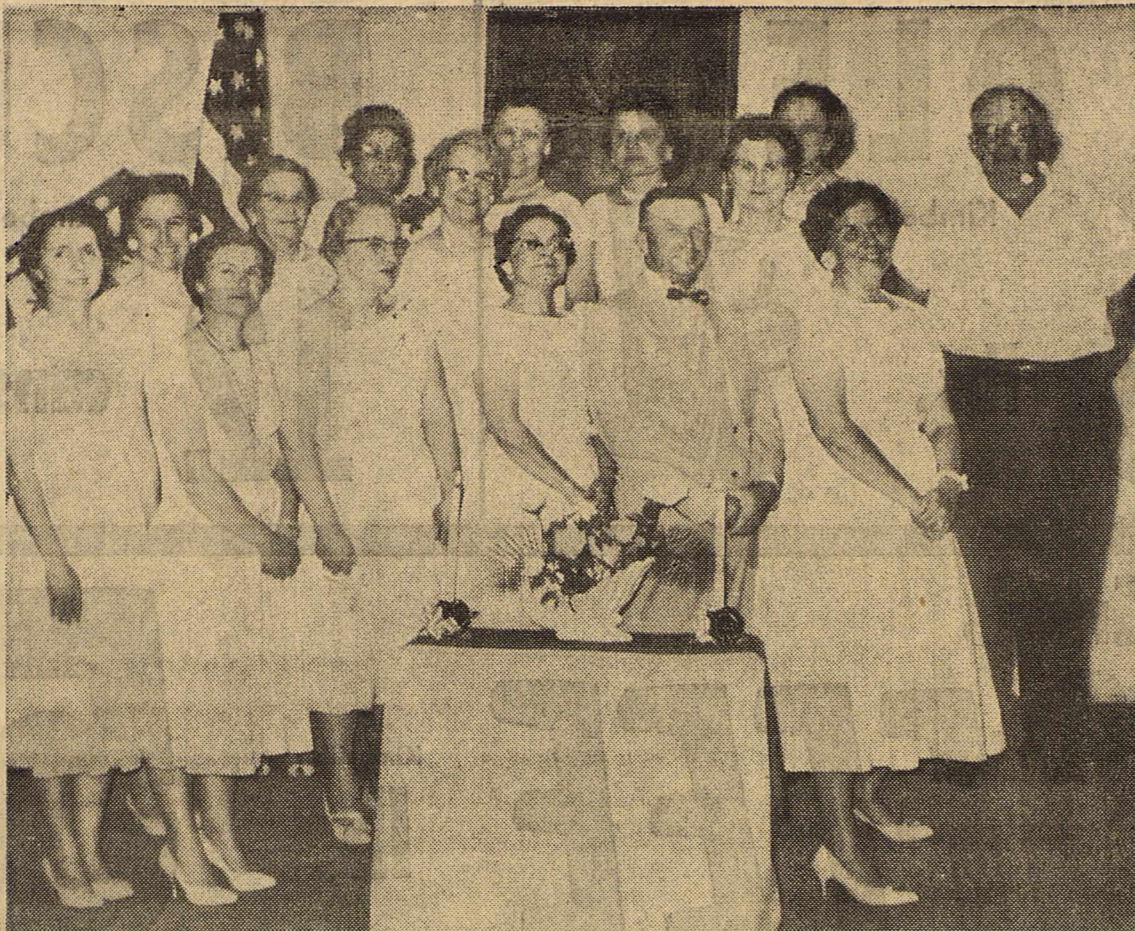
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NEW OFFICERS installed at the OES installation in Plains on Monday were: back row, left to right, Louise Cobb, Shirley Sudderth, Romalee Elmore and Mabel Camp; second row, left to

right, Rita Mae Snodgrass, Ruth O'Neal, Lucretia Cheek, Elsie Nordyke; front row, left to right, Mary Lou Parks, Lois McGinty, Norelle Sloan, Jesse Hale, Viva Hale, Janet Bryson, Earl Bryson.

Plains hosts MYF district meeting

The Wesleyan Sub-division of the Brownfield District of the Methodist Youth Fellowship organization met in the Plains Methodist Church at 7:30 p.m. June 1st for the election of officers.

A fine program was rendered by the Youth of the local church. The following program was given: Congregational singing followed by a hearty welcome by Jimmy Warren; The Lord's Prayer, a vocal number by Claude Lee; A variation of Onward Christian Soldiers, a piano solo, by Marsha White; "I Believe," a vocal solo by Sheila Smith and background music by Marsha, who accompanied all vocal selections.

The program was followed by a business session in which new officers were elected.

Refreshments were served on the lawn of the church, followed by the installation service conducted by Rev. Harold Rucker for the new officers.

45 summoned for jury duty; docket set for Monday

Forty-five residents of the county have been called to appear next Monday, June 8, for possible duty as veniremen for district court jury.

They include: Mrs. S. R. Birdwell, Wayland M. Whisenant, William W. Glick, Gerald Hale, Mrs. N. C. Maynard, O. C. Motley, H. T. Nelson, A. A. Ferguson, Oscar Wynn, J. K. Pevehouse, David Coats, Mrs. Harold Ramage, Mrs. Golden Johnson, David Wilbanks, all of Denver City;

Johnnie H. Robertson, H. G. Smith, S. T. McDonnell, Louis Eubanks, Sisto Sanchez, Olan Edwards, Luther Hinkle, Mrs. R. B. Jones, G. W. Cleveland, Henry G. Williams, Ralph McClellan, Lonny Kerrick, R. E. Myers, Jr., A. C. Stewart, T. J. Miller, J. W. Moore Jr., Mrs. O. D. Smith, Gus Roush, R. D. Romans, Vance Glover, Robert Jones, Kenneth Hale, Howard Borland, Bob Loe, Lloyd Coke, Sam Price, Rachel Duff and A. E. Newsom, all of Plains;

Also Charles Trout, W. O. Spencer and Otto Sisco of Tokio. Eight jury cases have been set for trial, according to the docket prepared by District Judge Truett Smith, who will preside on the bench.

These include: Sinclair Oil & Gas Co., vs. W. F. Huffaker, Jr., et al, injunction; Frank Silhon et ux vs. Gaines Wiley Schultz, et al, damages; Clarence Edwin Kibble vs. Texas Employers Insurance Association, compensation; W. S. Box vs. Standard Insurance Company, compensation; Pedro Calvillo vs. Harvest Queen Mill & Elevator Company, damages; Scott McCray vs. G.H.B. Superior Well Service, Inc., et al, cancellation of transfer; Violet M. O'Keeffe vs. Higginbotham Land and Cattle Co., et al, damages; M. E. Elms vs. Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, compensation.

In the case of Stanley Smith vs. Houston Fire and Casualty Insurance Company, included on the docket, a judgment was returned May 23 for \$3250 in favor of the plaintiff. The case was for compensation resulting from injuries incurred by the plaintiff June 23, 1958, while in the employ of S&G Trucks.

Melroy Borland to report to Academy

Melroy Borland, Airman First-Class, arrived in Plains Thursday of last week for a several weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Borland, Donna and Mike and other relatives in this area.

Having completed extensive training in Officer's Candidate School, Melroy has received an appointment to the Air Force Academy near Colorado Springs, Colorado and will report there June 25.

A 1956 Plains High School graduate, he has served in the Air Force in Korea and Japan.

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Glenda Stewart to be honored at shower

A bridal shower honoring Miss Glenda Stewart, bride-elect of Deryl Hobbs, will be given in the Community Clubroom Tuesday, June 9 from 4 to 6 p.m.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend by the hostesses.

Wedding vows will be exchanged Friday evening, June 12 in the home of Miss Stewart's parents.

Delegates to 4-H Leaders Camp at Lubbock named

The Leadership Camp for 4-H Club members was held in Lubbock this week with three boys and four girls attending from this county. Those attending the District Camp this year are: Karen Shobert, Jewel Hicks, Donna Campbell, La Juana Jones, Kenneth McGinty, Melvin Lowrey and Tommy Elmore.

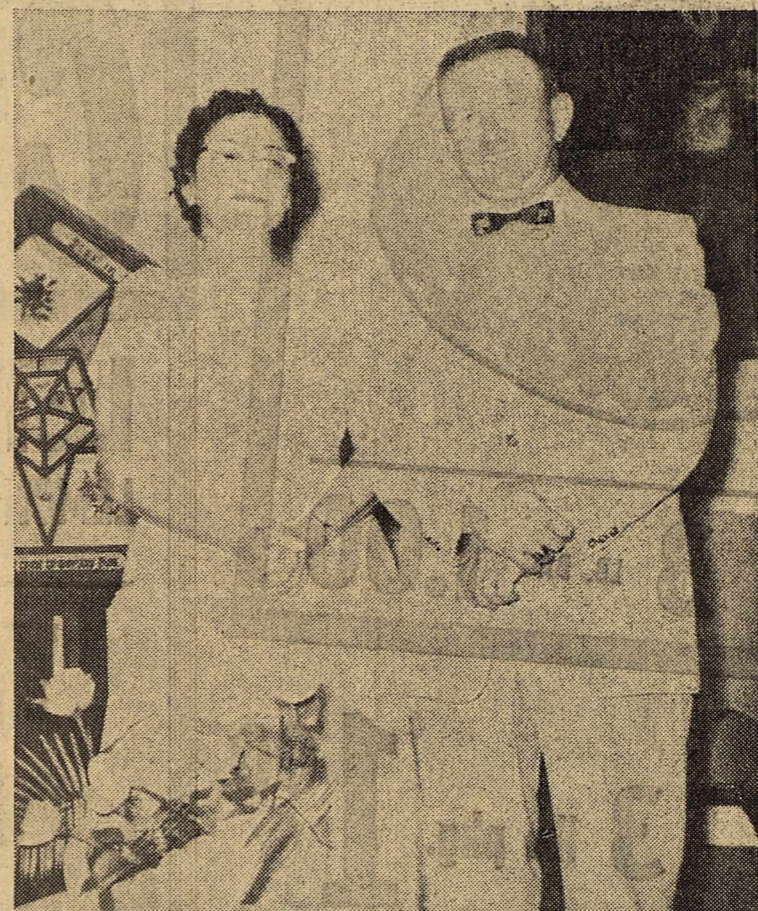
Attending with the 4-H members are Home Demonstration Agent Myrna M. White and County Agent Leo L. White. Over two hundred people were at the camp from over the 20 county district. The main purpose of the camp is to develop leadership among the older 4-H Club members so that they can help build stronger clubs on a local level. The camp opened Tuesday, June 2 and ended Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Snodgrass of Lehman visited their cousins, The Bob Alberdings, Sunday.

Order of Eastern Star installs officers in ceremony on Monday

The Masonic Hall was a scene of beauty Monday evening when the officers of the Order of the Eastern Star were installed in a beautiful candlelight ceremony. The hall was decorated throughout with pink, blue and brown, the Worthy Matron's colors for the year, and her flower, the pink rose.

Officers installed for the year were: Viva Hale, Worthy Matron; Jesse Hale, Worthy Patron; Janet Bryson, Associate Matron; Earl Bryson, Associate Patron; Shirley Sudderth, Secretary; Rita Mae Snodgrass, Treasurer; Louise Cobb, Conductress; Mary Lou Parks, Associate Conductress; Norelle Sloan, Chaplain; Ruth O'Neal, Marshall; Lois McGinty, Organist; Blanche Spencer, Adah; Elsie Nordyke, Ruth; Lucretia Cheek, Esther; Romalee Elmore, Martha; Celes Anthony, Electa; Mabel Camp, Warden; and Lota Copeland, Sentinel.



WORTHY MATRON and Worthy Patron Viva and Jesse Hale of the Plains Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, are shown just after the installation ceremonies on Monday night.

Bible School at Methodist church

The Vacation Church School of the First Methodist Church began Monday, June 1 at 8:30 a.m. under the direction of Mrs. Glenn Claveland.

"The beauty of God's creation" is the theme of the school with Mrs. Foye Flood and Mrs. Kenneth Hale in charge of the kindergarten; Mrs. Donald Ray Lackey and Mrs. R. H. Meixner directed the primary department; Mrs. Lee White taught the juniors; and Mrs. James Warren led the intermediates.

Each session began with a wor-

ship period in the sanctuary with all classes participating.

The closing program will be held in the church Sunday evening at 7:30. All parents and friends are cordially invited to attend by the pastor, Rev. R. H. Meixner.

Resident's brother killed in wreck

Mrs. James Barnett received word last week of the death of her brother, Harold Brock of Asperment who was fatally injured in a one-car accident near Graham. Mr. Brock and two companions, who were both killed instantly, were enroute to their home from a fishing trip to Possum Kingdom.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnett and children, David and Penny left immediately upon receiving the message and returned to Plains Saturday.

Bill Hennington underwent an appendectomy at the Yoakum County Hospital last Friday.



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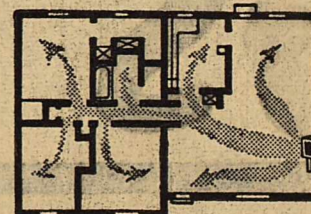
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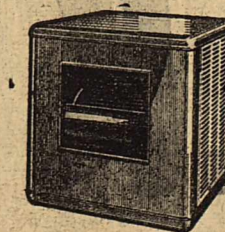


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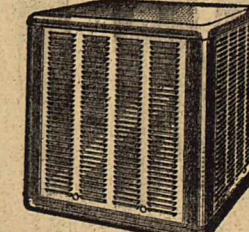
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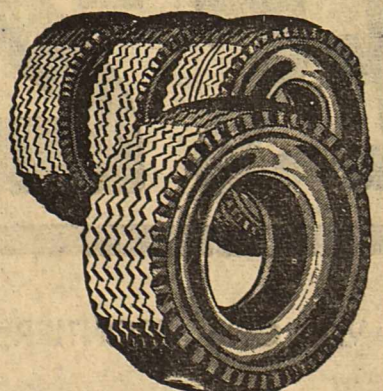
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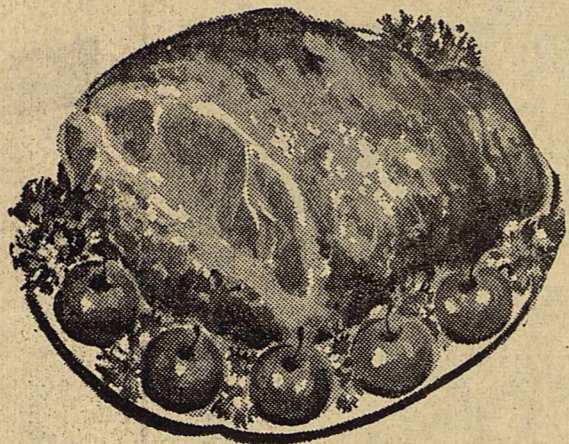
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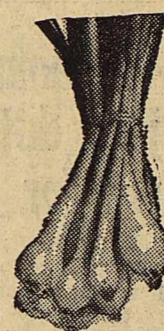
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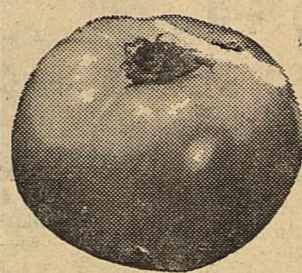
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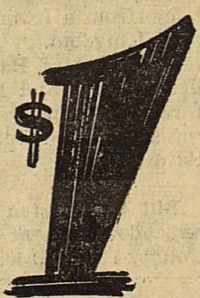
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Dixie Lee McCan becomes bride of Lawrence Sherrill on Saturday

Miss Dixie Lee McCan, Plains, and Lawrence A. Sherrill Jr., Pecos, repeated marriage vows at 3:30 Saturday in the Plains Hillside Church of Christ, before an archway of greenery of lemon leaves and fern with baskets of white stock.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. O. C. McCan, Plains, and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Sherrill of Pecos.

Cecil Allen, minister of the Idalou Church of Christ, officiated at the impressive double-ring ceremony. Wedding music was vocal selections by a quartet from Lubbock Christian College. The quartet was composed of Martha Burselon, Tucson, Ariz., Aleta Blevins, Littlefield, Billy White, Johannesburg, South Africa and Truman Harris, Morton.

The petite bride, given in marriage by her brother, James W. McCan, was radiant in a floor-length gown of nylon lace over satin and taffeta. The elongated

bodice came to a point in the front and featured a scalloped neckline. The long sleeves tapered to points over the hands. She carried a bouquet of white carnations and a butterfly orchid nestled in satin streamers and pearls atop a white satin Bible. She had the traditional something old, new, borrowed, and blue. Her dress was new, something old, borrowed and blue was an heirloom necklace belonging to Mrs. M. E. Graves. She carried a penny in her shoe for luck.

The maid of honor, Iris Nell Nowell, and the bridesmaid, Iva Dell Nowell, both of Plainview, wore dresses styled identical to the brides. They were baby blue street length brocade taffeta. Their headpieces and gloves were white and they carried blue carnation and red rose bouquets.

Don Stence of Idalou, was best man. Groomsman was Freddie Barns of Acuff.

A reception was held in the McCan home following the rites.

Miss Rufus Elaine Patterson of Seminole and Miss Betty Sullivan of Morton, presided at the serving table, which was covered with blue net over white and centered with a bride and groom doll standing before an arch of greenery and white flowers.

Other out of town guests for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Kendrick and daughters of Pecos, Mrs. Weaver Paterson



Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sherrill

and son, Seminole; Mrs. M. E. Horner and Willie Horner both of Seagraves.

The young couple left on a wedding trip to points in New Mexico, the bride changing to a light blue linen suit with white accessories.

The bride is a 1957 graduate of Plains High School. She and her husband both graduated with the first sophomore class at Lubbock Christian Junior College. He is a pre-med student.

The couple will be at home at Pecos, where he will be employed at the Sherrill's furniture store during the summer months. They plan to move to Abilene at the beginning of the new college term this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Fitzgerald and family of Portales, N. Mex., spent Friday night in the John E. Fitzgerald home and helped with the branding chores at the ranch Saturday. Mrs. Bob Lee and sons returned home with them for a few days visit. Mr. Loe plans to join them there this week.

Gordon Ray Miller of Brownfield spent last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sudduth. Sunday guests in the Sudduth home were Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Sudduth and family of Carlsbad, N. Mex., Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Burt and boys of Tokio and Mrs. Earl Robertson Jr. and babies of Plains.

Jack Pierce to chemistry institute at Texas Tech

Jack Pierce, Plains High School science teacher, is among the science teachers from the state and throughout the nation who have been invited to participate in the Chemistry Teachers Institute June 8 to July 18 at Texas Tech.

Pierce, a graduate of Texas State College, teaches chemistry, biology and physics in Plains High School, in addition to his duties as Head-football Coach and assistant basketball coach.

The institute, sponsored by Tech and the National Science Foundation, will be directed by Dr. Wesley R. Wendlandt, research chemist at Tech.

The program is designed to help high school science teachers get additional education in chemistry and to improve the quality of science teaching in secondary schools. Included will be lectures each morning by leaders in each of the fields of inorganic, organic, analytical nuclear and bio-chemistry with afternoon lab sessions.

The teachers will earn six-credit hours in chemistry at Tech and their living expenses will be paid during the institute.

Among the out-of-state schools expected to be represented are: Bode, Iowa; Canal Point, Florida; Bastrop, Louisiana; Andover, Kansas; Cowley, Wyoming and Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin. Others are Franklin Park, Illinois; French Lick, Indiana; Green Bay, Wisconsin; Livonia, Michigan; Maquoketa, Iowa; Nevada, Oklahoma; Wellman and Milford, Iowa; and numerous schools in New Mexico.

Joe Cobb is home for the summer from his studies at Howard Payne College, Brownfield. He will assist his father in the operation of their farms.

C. M. McCan hurt in oil field accident

C. B. McCan received painful face injuries last Sunday morning when he was hit in the mouth with the tongs, while working on an oil rig two miles east of Plains.

Members of the family report that several teeth were knocked out at the time of the accident and several more had to be removed. He also suffered a broken jaw bone.

He was carried to Gaines County Hospital at Seminole where he is receiving medical treatment.

Fine Arts Club committees for new year listed

Standing committees for the 1960 club year for the Fine Arts Club were announced this week by President Mrs. Wallace Randolph as follows:

Program: Mrs. Pat Henard, Mrs. Johnnie L. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Rod Duff and Mrs. Lee Roy McCravy.

Yearbook: Mrs. Gus Malmsten, Mrs. Odus Walser and Mrs. Faye Lusk.

Finance: Mrs. Neil Parks, Mrs. A. H. Bacon and Mrs. W. G. Latimore.

Social: Mrs. Jack Hayes, Mrs. Foye Flood and Mrs. Jesse Hale. Courtesy and Flowers: Mrs. J. P. Robertson and Mrs. H. F. Barnes.

Guests last weekend of the Paul Loes and Mrs. W. P. Murphy were their sister and daughter, Mrs. Irving Loe and family and two little grandsons of Spur. Mrs. L. R. Barrett, a long-time friend of Spur, accompanied the Loes. Also visiting in the Loe home were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Williams of Brownfield. The Williams' little daughter, Jo, remained for a visit this week.

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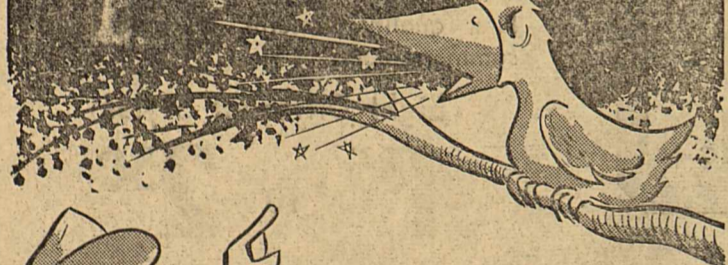
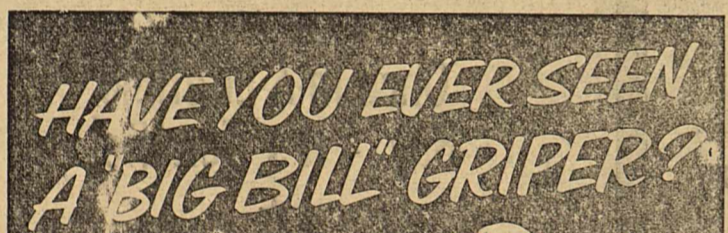
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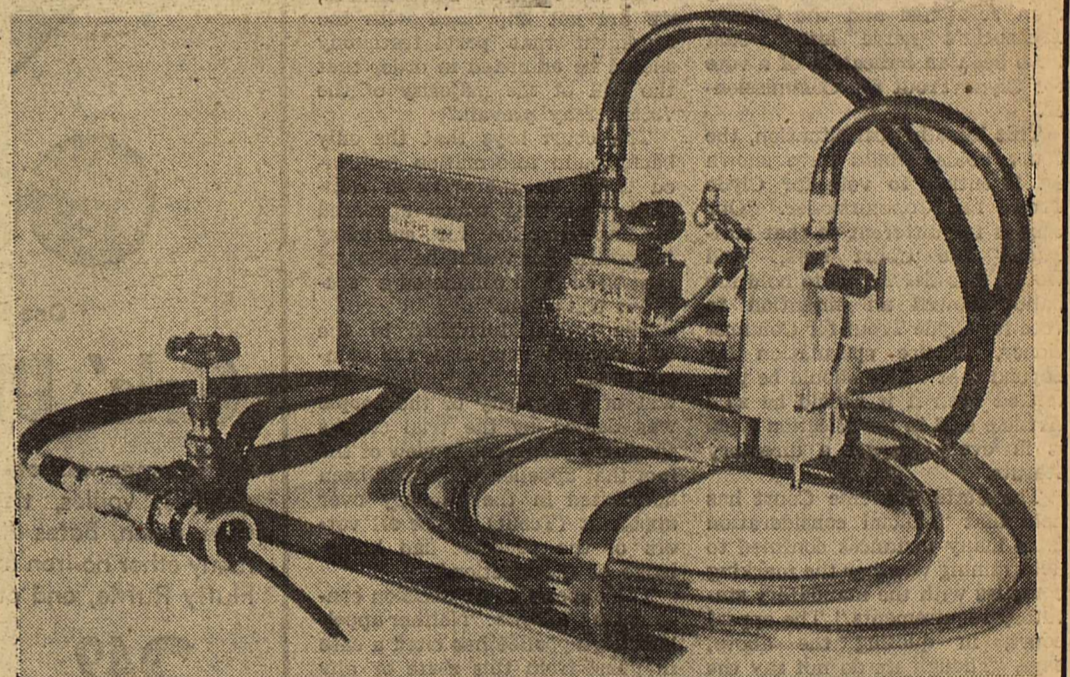
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Judgement

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ed were thrown out and the question was pinned down to four ballots. The result of the pre-trial hearing elimination of ballots would have made Loe the winner of the county post.

Following the pre-trial hearing, Loe filed a motion for a summary judgment on the basis of his lead of four votes. District Judge Truett Smith granted the summary judgment to Loe following a hearing in District Court on January 12 and Trout immediately appealed the case to the Appeals Court in Amarillo.

The four ballots in question were marked so that Loe's name had been crossed out by the voters and Trout's name written in the space provided for Justice of the Peace instead of County Commissioner.

The appellate court, in its opinion, quoted the Election Code in which it is stated that the voter wishing to cast a write-in vote will place the name of the person of his choice "under the appropriate office title" and also referred to an earlier court ruling which also states the necessity for writing the names of a write-in candidate "under the appropriate office title."

A question of intent of the voters then arises, since the appeal court held that the wording in the Election Code is directory and not mandatory "if the intention of the voter is clearly ascertainable." In referring to the question of intention of the voters, the court states:

"It is clear to us that the electors who voted said ballots (the four in question) did not desire to vote for Paul Loe. That fact is evident in their marking through his name. However, there is not any indication in the face of the ballot that they intended to vote for Clyde Trout for Commissioner because they wrote his name in under the office title of Justice of Peace and that is the only office title to which his write-in name is contiguous."

The appeals court decision then goes on to state a purely hypothetical situation in which the voters might have written Trout's name on the ballot between the official title, "For County Treasurer" and "For County Commissioner". The court states that such a situation would have been contiguous to the appropriate office title and "in view of Paul Loe's name having been scratched and the County Treasurer's name left, would have been an indication of a vote for Clyde Trout for Commissioner."

This hypothetical situation, the court holds, would have shown an intention to vote for Clyde Trout for Commissioner. "Our case is far different to that situation," the court says, "and would, in order for us to hold the ballot showed an intention to vote for Clyde Trout for Commissioner, require speculation far beyond that which should be permitted even if it should be said Article 6.06 in the Election Code is in every respect a directory statute."

The State Supreme Court has held that "judicial consideration is in many instances confined to determining whether the marking complies with the mandatory statutory requirements." The appeal court, in quoting the above, says, "Though we do not say the article is mandatory wherein it requires the elector in a general election to write the write-in candidate in the write-in column under the appropriate office title, we do believe it is mandatory to do so in that manner that the clear intent of the elector may be ascertainable from the ballot itself. The four ballots above described were not so voted."

"If either trial or appellate courts should be permitted to speculate on the intention of the electors in the ballots under consideration they might say they

showed such electors did not want to vote for the nominee for Commissioner but wanted to elect Clyde Trout to some office, so voted for him for Justice of the Peace and overlooked scratching the nominee for that office, Or, xxx, the marking of the four ballots may have been 'merely the frivolous exercise of the right to suffrage. . . . In any event, the intention of the voters, as such intentions appear upon the face of the ballots, were to vote for Clyde Trout, Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1."

"The appeals court, in referring to the oral testimony of the electors that they intended to vote for Trout as Commissioner, states, 'We do not consider the ballots here involved were ambiguous such as to permit parol testimony of the electors, made after the election, concerning their intention at the time they voted.'"

so great as when it is known in issuing this opinion, the court quotes an earlier Supreme Court decision in which it is stated, "we think the admission of such testimony would contravene a sound public policy. It would open a door to fraud to permit a voter who may have changed his mind as to his choice of candidates, and who may have become dissatisfied as to the declared result, to affect the determination of a contest by his declarations."

Another Supreme Court decision quoted by the appeals court states, "parol evidence 'may not be received for the purpose of showing that the intention of actual fraud and collusion on the part of the candidates and their political supporters is never the voter was in any way different from what plainly appears on the face of the ballot.'"

The appeals court says, "A clear and convincing statement for the wisdom of denying the admission of oral testimony to change a ballot from what it appears on its face has been made by the Supreme Court of Utah." In this decision, the Utah high court says, "The temptation to precisely how many votes it will take to change the result, and men who are willing to sell their votes before election will quite as readily sell their testimony afterwards. . . ."

After referring to several "faint line" cases in which lines had been drawn perpendicularly and then erased and drawn horizontally, the appeal decision rules that such cases do not bear upon the question in this case.

The court states, "Furthermore, we are not impressed with the argument that parol testimony should be admitted in order that the will of the majority of the voters may prevail."

The court says that the only background information furnished them on the write-in campaign was that which appeared in Loe's motion for summary judgment in which he charged that Trout had conducted a "secretive campaign."

The record furnished to the court on the campaign, the opinion states, does not "indicate the will of a majority of the people was denied by the trial court's summary judgment in view of the fact that appellee (Loe) had been nominated in the primary over appellant (Trout) where all voters of the precinct had knowledge of the election."

The appeals court decision concludes as follows: "Neither appellant nor appellee has cited a case in point from this state or any other jurisdiction, and we are confident that our search for authorities that our appellate courts of this state have never had a state of facts just like this case before them. The four ballots under consideration having been cast for Clyde Trout for Justice of Peace, Precinct 1 in the write-in column and the nominee for Commissioner, Paul Loe, having been marked out, the ballot is illegal for that office and can not be counted for appellant as a parol evidence. We also hold that parol evidence by the electors who voted the four

Girl Scouts to hold bake sale

The Girl Scouts met Tuesday afternoon, June 2, at the Tsa Mo Ga Club house with fourteen members present.

The girls decided to have another bake sale Saturday, June 6, from 10:00 to 11:30 at the Hawkins Food Store. They will also sell snowcones. It was announced that they made \$24 from their bake sale last week. The proceeds from the sale will be used for a trip later in the summer.

It was announced that the Tsa Mo Ga Club would sponsor the girl who had earned the most badges to a camp. The girl selected was Donna Nugent, who has 36 badges.

Members present for the meeting were, Darlene McDowell, Linda Robertson, McO'Donnell, Barbara Bryant, Mary Kerrick, Dene McDowell, Linda Taunton, Pam Randolph, Dorothy Taunton, Doris Everett, Tonya Randolph, Jana Warren, Sylvia McGinty and leaders Mrs. James Warren and Mrs. Wallace Randolph.

ballots, given after the ballots were voted, are not admissible in evidence.

"Accordingly, the summary judgment granted by trial court is in all things affirmed." The written by Judge Alton B. Chapman.

Bible School at 1st Baptist Church to end Wednesday

A ten-day Vacation Bible School is in progress at the First Baptist Church and will be concluded with commencement exercises Wednesday evening, June 10 at 8:00 p.m. in the church.

The daily average attendance for the first three days was approximately 130.

C. J. Coffman is principal of the school with Mrs. Floyd Ryan as general secretary.

Workers for the departments are: Nursery, Mrs. E. O. Winkles and Mrs. Earnest Carnley; 3 and 4 year olds, Mrs. Elbert Hinkle, Mrs. O. G. Lewis and Mrs. Dwayne Fannin; Beginners, Mrs. G. D. Kennedy, Mrs. Garland Swann, Mrs. Paul Cobb, Janice Powell and Linda Fitzgerald; Primary, Mrs. Neil Parks, Mrs. G. R. Todd, Mrs. Neil Duff, Mrs. Kenneth Pulis, Mrs. Lee Roy McCraeve, Mrs. Carl Stroup, Mrs. L. C. Kissinger, and Mrs. Emory Longbrake; Junior, Mrs. C. L. Anderson, Mrs. Carl Lowrey, Mrs. Rod Duff, and Mrs. J. L. Taylor; Intermediates, Mrs. C. J. Coffman, Mrs. Sherm Tingle and Mrs. Cliff Henson. Mrs. John Camp is in charge of serving refreshments each day with members of the church assisting.

Each department will partici-

pate in the demonstration program on Wednesday evening and all handwork will be displayed. Parents and friends are invited and urged to attend the commencement program, announced the pastor, Rev. C. J. Coffman.

A special phase of the school is a newspaper being made by the intermediates, a copy of which will be mailed to each member. Junior boys are making nameplates for the lawns at their homes.

The Junior girls are making decorative plates, to be presented to their mothers.

Rites held for mother of resident

Last rites were held Thursday, May 28 at 3:00 p.m. in Stanley Funeral Home Chapel, Tahoka, for Mrs. A. T. Beard, mother of Mrs. Starks Wagley of this city.

Mrs. Beard, aged 83, passed away in a Kerrville hospital after a prolonged illness.

Elder V. J. Lawrence of Lubbock read the last rites at the chapel and for interment in the Tahoka Cemetery.

Beside Mrs. Wagley, Mrs. Beard is survived by another daughter, Mrs. J. M. Haley of Post; two sons, Clayton Beard, Tahoka and John Beard, Brownfield; a sister, Mrs. Albert Davis, San Angelo; ten grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Rebekahs plan bake sale June 13

A bake sale will be held Saturday, June 13 in the Community Clubroom beginning at 9:00 a.m. sponsored by the Rebekah Lodge No. 182.

Call by for baked goods or place your order ahead of time by contacting any of these ladies.

The lodge will entertain the District Deputy President, Mrs. Ethel McCain of Seminole at the meeting Tuesday evening, June 9 at 8:00 p.m.

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Weldon Parks arrived home Saturday from Houston where he has been attending Houston University as a dental student.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bearden and daughter, Glenda Taylor visited friends at Hereford over the weekend.

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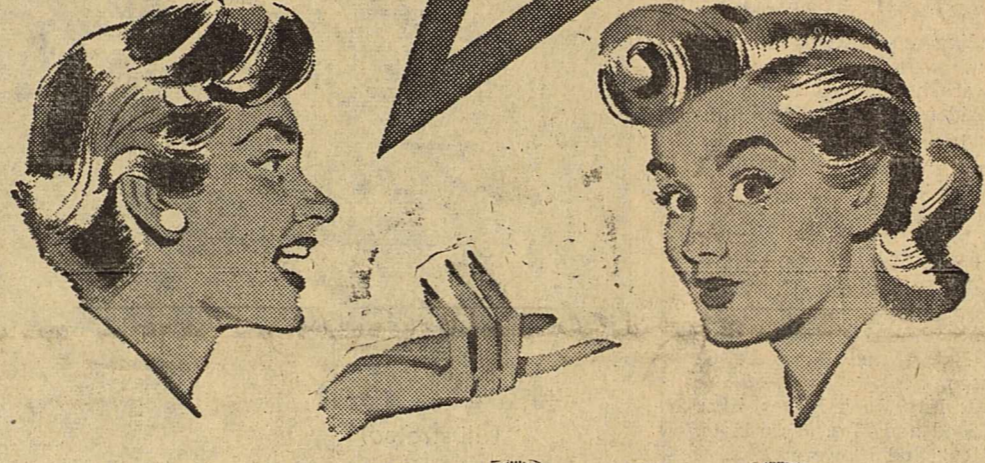
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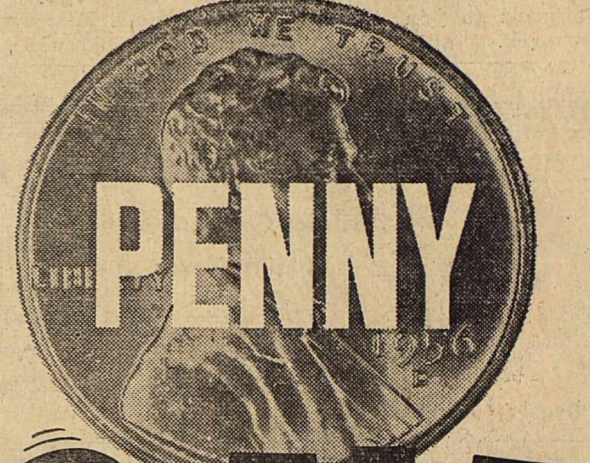
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