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PLAINS, TEXAS, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1960

NUMBER 7

Stock show scheduled Friday and Saturday

\$1100 in prizes will be offered to exhibitors

78 4-H boys and girls to compete for honors

According to Bob Loe, secretary of the Yoakum County Livestock and Agriculture Improvement Association, the exhibitors of livestock will receive in the neighborhood of \$1100 this Friday and Saturday in cash and other awards.

The Yoakum County Livestock and Agriculture Improvement Association, the county's biggest annual event, will be staged here Friday and Saturday. Sponsored by the Yoakum County Livestock and Agriculture Improvement Association, the show and the sale which follows will be held in the Livestock Exhibit Building.

Cash awards made by the association will depend on the number of livestock but the estimated amount is over \$700.00. The value of the Hereford heifer, the ewe lamb and the gilt would run the figure up past \$950.00. Showmanship awards and the beef calf gain contest award would send the total to about \$1,020. Then the Yoakum Soil Conservation District is giving \$80 in the commercial beef calf division to get the \$1,100 figure.

Judging begins Friday morning when breeding beef cattle contest begin at 10 o'clock. The fat lamb show is scheduled to begin at 1 p.m. Friday with the barrow show following immediately. Fat calves and commercial steers will be judged Saturday morning, beginning at 9 o'clock.

Cowboys looking for 3rd straight basketball title

Plains meets O'Donnell there Saturday night in a game which will decide the championship of District 5-A. A Cowboy victory would assure Coach Rip Sewell's charges of their third consecutive district crown.

The O'Donnell game is a rescheduled affair. Tuesday's meeting between the two schools was postponed after a power failure at O'Donnell made the game an impossibility.

Sewell said Wednesday that Saturday's game was set for that date because no other date was available. Originally, the game had been tentatively re-scheduled for February 18, but coaches learned Wednesday that the district race must be completed before that date to allow time for a possible playoff should the race end in a tie. February 18 and 19 are the dates set for playoffs and schools are forbidden to plan games for those dates.

Saturday's game will conflict somewhat with the livestock show here this weekend, but Sewell said it was impossible to get around it. The B game will begin at 6:30 p.m. so school officials felt there would be no great conflict with the stock show.

Next Tuesday, the Cowboys close out their district slate, entertaining Sundown here. A win over O'Donnell Saturday would clinch the crown for Plains but if the Cowboys lose they will still need the Sundown victory to nail down the crown, providing O'Donnell beats Sundown Friday night.

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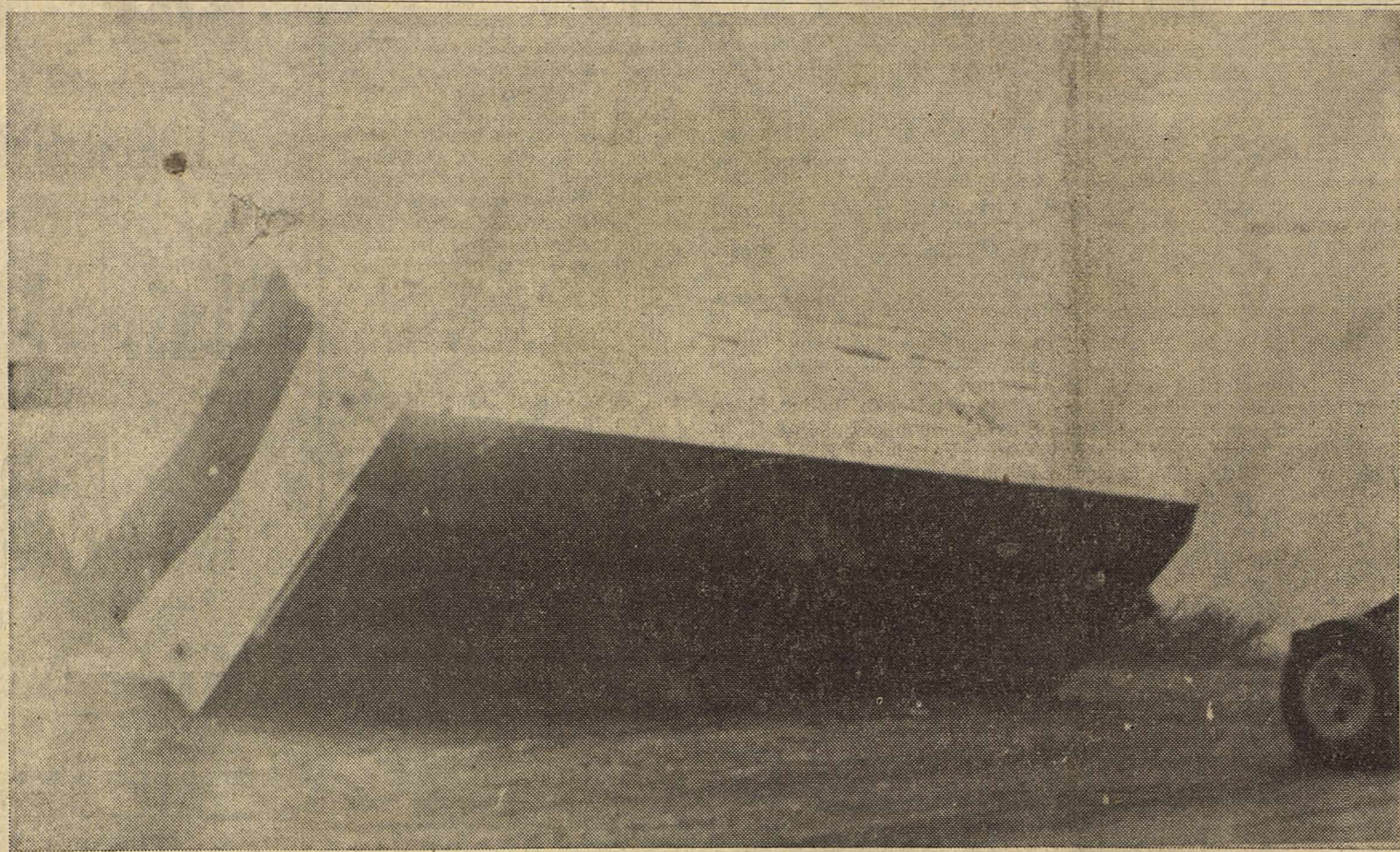
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TUESDAY'S DUST AND WIND STORM toyed with this trailer house for an hour or so before finally tipping it over on its side despite efforts to hold it. The trailer is property of Bill Daniel of Plains

and it was located in the southwest part of town when the storm struck. No estimate of damage was given by the owner who said insurance adjusters were to inspect it later this week. (Review photo)

Tuesday is anniversary of Plains' darkest day

Monday, February 16, 1953, started out just like any other day in Plains. There was nothing in the brisk winter atmosphere to indicate this day would be greatly different from the day before.

Dick McGinty opened his grocery store that morning as usual. Sherm Tingle came to work early at the service station he operated. Duane McDonnell hurried off that morning to a brand new job.

Yes, everything was routine—until 11:45 a.m. when the fire alarm sounded. Firemen and curious onlookers hurried to what appeared to be a rather small fire at a warehouse back of the telephone building.

But, within minutes 200 pounds of dynamite stored in the building exploded, converting this peaceful and peace-loving community into a debris splattered shambles. One lay dying, more than 20 were injured, several of them critically.

Few buildings within a two-block radius of the explosion escaped damage. Cars were overturned, windows smashed all over town and telephone and telegraph services were knocked out. Persons walking on downtown streets were bowled over and some injured by flying debris.

By the miracles of medical science and the good graces of the Supreme Being, all except the one fatally injured are around today. No doubt, they will pause next Tuesday on the seventh anniversary of the blast to re-live that tragic event and to count their blessings.

Killed in the blast was George McNabb, 36, who had started to work for the county as custodian of the courthouse only the week before. Critically injured were McGinty, McDonnell, Tingle and Rev. F. R. Pickens, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Plains.

Others on the injured list included T. J. Miller, E. R. Wagon, J. W. Moore, J. W. St. Roman, C. F. McCargo, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Goble and two sons, Stanley and David, Rommy Dosey, Jerry Dosey, C. W. Brown, Johnny Robertson, T. W. Reed, B. C. Forbes and W. W. Coffman. Many others were treated for injuries and released.

Ambulances were summoned to the explosion scene from Brownfield, Seagraves and Seminole by police radio, the only form of communication left open. Most of the injured were transported to hospitals by cars, however, before the ambulances arrived on the scene.

The blast was heard for miles around. Many persons who heard the blast from distant places came to investigate.

Damage ran into the hundreds of thousands of dollars. But townspeople, despite the injuries and damage, felt thankful the blast occurred when it did. Had

See BLAST, page 4

Area digs out from under dirt

Plains dug out Wednesday morning from under Tuesday's costly and irritating dust storm, worst of the season and one which would compare favorably with most of the great storms of the past. Terrific west winds, estimated up to 80 miles per hour in gusts, toppled television antennas, blew off roofs, broke windows and knocked out power lines while leaving the city under a coat of dirt.

Property damage resulting from the storm would probably run into thousands of dollars. A trailer house belonging to Bill Daniel was toppled over on its side, wind-whipped flames destroyed the farm home of A. E. Newsom before the fire department could get to the scene and the fan atop the Cowboy Grill was blown onto the hood of an automobile. J. C. Hill, operator of the grill, described the wind which ripped his fan and did other damage to the roof as a small twister. Other reports from over the city indicated a small twister must have cut a swath across town.

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Cotton supports are given here

The 1960 official cotton support prices for cotton have been received by the local ASC office, according to W. M. Overton, county office manager. Final price announced is based on midling seven-eighths upland cotton at average locations.

Support prices are 28.97 per pound for choice "A" and a loan price of 23.18 for choice "B" cotton. These levels for choices "A" and "B" cotton are 75 per cent of parity for choice "A" and 60 per cent for choice "B" cotton based on a February parity price of 38.63 cents per pound, Overton explained.

All Yoakum County farm operators are being notified of the support levels. Farmers have until March 16 to request choice "B" allotment. Requests for choice "B" must be filed with the local ASC office on or before the final date and if no choice is filed the farm will have the "A" allotment.

The mother of my favorite five-year-old told of this conversation with her daughter:

Daughter: "How much older is Walt Coffman than I am?"

Mother: "Oh, I guess 12 or 13 years."

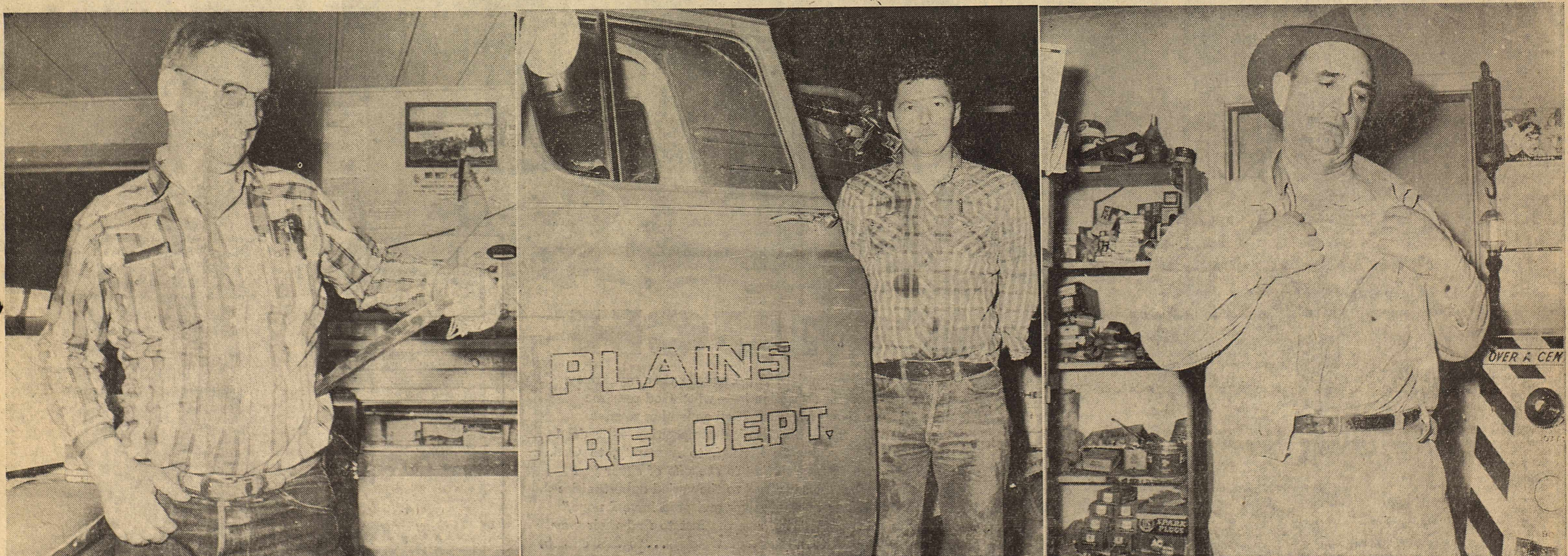
Daughter: "How old will he be when I'm 13?"

Mother: "Still too old."

Daughter: "What about Harmon Meixner?"

I knew it was going to happen sooner or later. Some prankster has marked through the name Craig on one of E. W. Craig's candidate cards and has written in Presley. The rest of his name reads: E. W. "Elvis".

Jerry Hall of the Avalanche Journal in Lubbock was in town Wednesday to get a first-hand story of the new Memorial Museum which opened here Sunday under the sponsorship of the Tsa Mo Ga. The whole town owes these women a debt of gratitude for this remarkable museum which is taking its place as one of the city's real show places.



THREE OF THE PRIME SUBJECTS in the explosion which rocked Plains seven years ago next Tuesday lead normal lives today. At left, Dick McGinty, local grocer, shows how a 13-inch stick buried five inches into his side below his ribs. The stick

is now a souvenir and hangs in his grocery store. Duane McDonnell, center, is now fire chief of the Plains Volunteer Fire Department. McDonnell suffered a serious head and face injuries and remained on the critical list for days. The photo at right shows

Sherm Tingle as he looks at the scar on his chest. A hole big enough to place both fists was blown in the chest and a 20-penny nail was driven into his shoulder. All suffered numerous other injuries. (Review photos)

The YOAKUM COUNTY REVIEW

WENDELL FAUGHT, Managing Editor

Entered as second class matter at the postoffice in Plains, Texas, under the Act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

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LEGAL NOTICE
THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF YOAKUM TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF YOAKUM COUNTY, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID COUNTY, AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE

SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 20th day of February, 1960, in Yoakum County, Texas, in obedience to an ELECTION ORDER entered by the Commissioners' Court of Yoakum County, Texas, on the 25th day of January, 1960, and which Order is as follows, to-wit:

ORDER FOR BOND ELECTION THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF YOAKUM

ON THIS the 25th day of January, 1960, the County Commissioners' Court of Yoakum County, Texas, convened in Special Session at the regular meeting place thereof in the Courthouse at Plains, Texas, the following members of the Court, to-wit:

DON HANCOCK, County Judge, Presiding; and, VANCE W. BROWN, Commissioner, Precinct No. 1; H. C. COTTON, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2; GENE PAYNE, Commissioner, Precinct No. 3; PAUL LOE, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4; being present, and among other proceedings had by said Court, were the following:

The County Judge submitted to the Court the following Order:

WHEREAS, the Commissioners' Court of Yoakum County, Texas, deems it advisable to submit to the resident qualified taxpaying electors of said County, who own taxable property in said County, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, propositions for the issuance of bonds of said County for the purposes hereinafter stated; therefore,

BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF YOAKUM COUNTY, TEXAS:

That an election be held in said County on the 20th day of February, 1960, which date is not less than fifteen (15) nor more than thirty (30) days from the date of the adoption of this Order, at which election the fol-

lowing propositions shall be submitted to the qualified taxpaying electors who own taxable property in said County, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, for their action thereupon:

PROPOSITION NUMBER 1

"SHALL the Commissioners' Court of Yoakum County, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of said County in the principal sum of not exceeding FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$50,000.00), to mature serially at such times as may be deemed most expedient by the Commissioners' Court of said County, not later than ten (10) years from the date thereof, to bear interest at a rate not to exceed FOUR PER CENTUM (4%) per annum, payable annually or semi-annually, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal thereof at maturity, for the purpose of constructing and purchasing and/or improving lands for county parks, pursuant to authority conferred by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, particularly Section 9, Article 8, of the Constitution, Chapter 1, Title 22, and Article 6081e, Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes as Amended?"

That said election shall be held under the provisions of the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, particularly Chapter 1, Title 22, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended, and all persons who are legal voters of said Yoakum County, Texas, and who are resident property taxpayers of said County, and who have duly rendered their property for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the ballots for said election shall be prepared in sufficient number and in conformity with Chapter 6, V.A.T.C.S. Election Code, as amended, and that

printed on such ballots shall appear the following:

PROPOSITION NUMBER 1

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF \$50,000.00 PARK BONDS AND THE LEVY OF TAXES IN PAYMENT THEREOF" "AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF \$50,000.00 PARK BONDS AND THE LEVY OF TAXES IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

AS TO each of the foregoing propositions, each voter shall mark out with pen or pencil one of such expressions, thus leaving on the respective propositions.

THE POLLING PLACES and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively, as follows:

Precinct No. 1; Polling Place, Office of County Clerk, Courthouse, Plains, Texas; Presiding Judge, Roy Fitzgerald.

Precinct Number, 2; Commissioners' Court Room, Courthouse, Plains, Texas; Presiding Judge, Mrs. J. P. Robertson.

Precinct No. 3; Polling Place, Sheriff's Office, Courthouse, Plains, Texas; Presiding Judge, Sherm Henard.

Precinct No. 4; Tax Assessor's Office, Courthouse, Plains, Texas; Presiding Judge, Roy Stockstill.

Precinct No. 5; Polling Place, C. G. & S. Gin, one mile North and 2 miles West of old Tennessee Camp; Presiding Judge, Carl Lowrey.

Precinct No. 6; Polling Place, Sligo Community Building, Sligo, Texas; Presiding Judge, Harold Rummage.

Precinct No. 7; Polling Place, Elementary School, Denver City, Texas; Presiding Judge, Mrs. Maureen Wehrend.

Precinct No. 8; Polling Place, City Hall, Denver City, Texas; Presiding Judge, Ross Shook.

Precinct No. 9; Polling Place, Recreation Hall, Shell Oil Co. Plant No. 1; Presiding Judge; W. L. Boyd.

SPECIAL CANVASSING BOARD
W. M. Overton — Sandra Ellison

Mrs. C. C. Copeland, Sr.

THE MANNER OF HOLDING said election shall be governed by the General Laws of the State of Texas regulating general elections, except as modified by the provisions of Chapter 1 of Title 22, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended.

A COPY OF THIS ORDER, signed by the County Judge of said County, and certified by the County Clerk of said County, shall serve as proper and sufficient notice of such election.

NOTICE of said election shall be given by posting and publication of a copy of this Order, at the top of which shall appear the words "NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS." Said Notice shall be posted in each of the election precincts of the County of Yoakum, and at the County Courthouse door, not less than fourteen (14) full days prior to the date on which said election is to be held, and be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Yoakum, the first of said publications to be not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date set for said election.

The above and foregoing Order having been read in full, it was moved by Commissioner Loe and seconded by Commissioner Cotton that the same do pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the Court voted "AYE": Commissioners Brown, Cotton, Payne and Loe; and none voted "NO".

PASSED AND APPROVED, This the 25th day of January, 1960.

Don Hancock, County Judge, Yoakum County, Texas
Vance W. Brown, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1
H. C. Cotton, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2
Gene Payne,

Commissioner of Precinct No. 3

Paul Loe, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto signed my name officially and affixed the seal of the Commissioners' Court of Yoakum County, Texas, this the 25th day of January, 1960, pursuant to the authority given by law and the above Order of the Commissioners' Court of said County.

Don Hancock, County Judge, Yoakum County, Texas

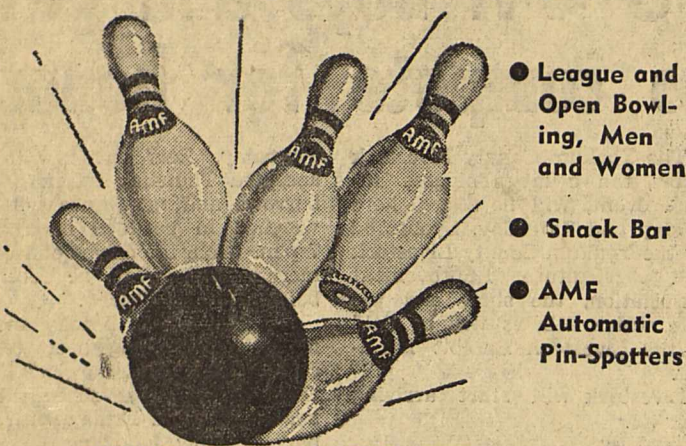
ATTEST:
J. W. O. Alldredge

County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Yoakum County, Texas
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Box supper, politics planned at Sligo

A box supper and candidate speaking will be held Saturday evening, February 20 in the Sligo Community Building under the sponsorship of the Busy B. Sewing Club.
The public is invited to attend. All candidates for county political offices are especially invited.

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HOW MUCH

— Am I Really Worth? Exactly what do I weigh? Am I heavier than my money, or, is it getting the best of me? The all-important question is— when God puts me on the balances — will the weight hand deceive Him? If all a man has to offer the world is his body created in God's image — his chemical composition — his dead weight... then that man is of little value to himself, to humanity, to God. Mister, don't try to analyze your worth by pointing to the pile of silver you control. No one grows bigger when he says "no" to the varied opportunities he has to serve God. Far better to say, "silver and gold have I none," if I am given to serving God, helping the lost to find their way to a place of worship... to His church.

You In The Church
The Church In You
— form a combination for good. Every man, woman and child needs the influence of the church. So, come let us go into the house of the Lord. Let us support her program of service to humanity, be a faithful worker, a daily bible reader and attend services regularly.



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JOHNNIE MOORE, Pastor

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

METHODIST CHURCH

R. H. MEIXNER, Pastor

Sunday Services

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

BAPTIST CHURCH

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.
Evening 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

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 9:30 a.m.

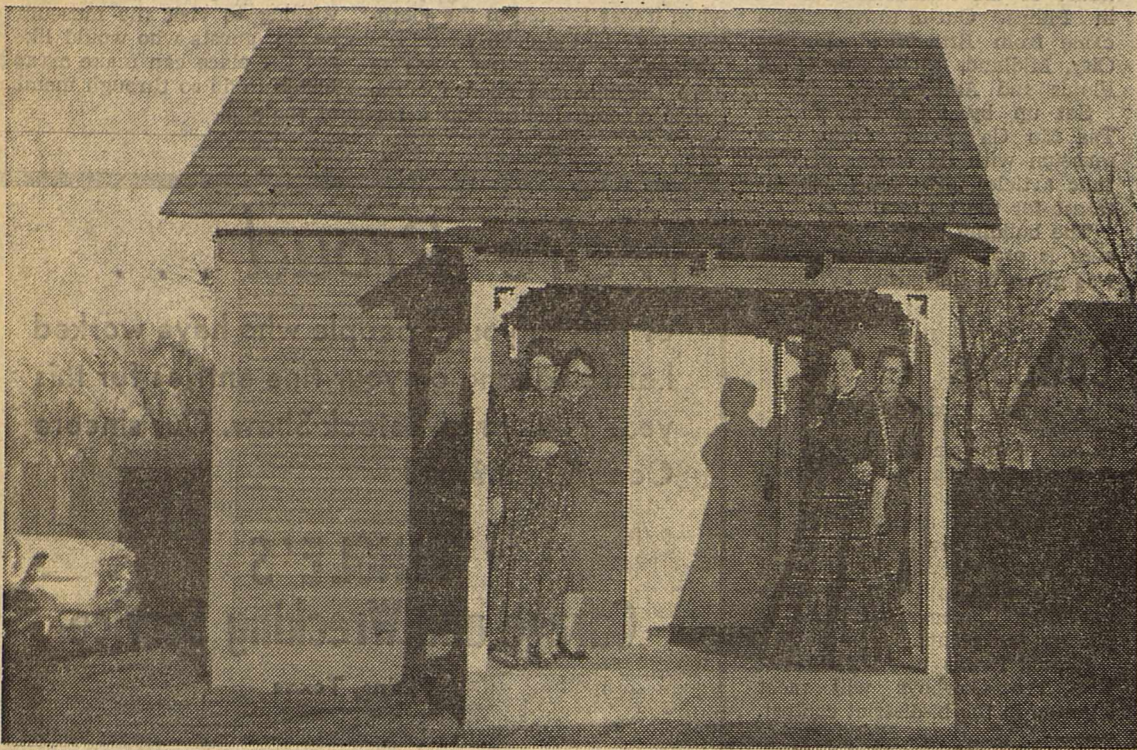
Church of Christ

2 Blocks South of Courthouse

Sunday Services

Worship Service 10:30 a.m.

PICTORIAL HIGHLIGHTS OF MUSEUM OPENING



Awaiting the formal opening of the Memorial Museum in Plains Sunday afternoon are left to right, Mrs. M. W. Luna, Mrs. H. G. Bedford, Mrs. R. B. Jones and Mrs. P. W. St. Romain. All are members of the Tsa Mo Ga Club.



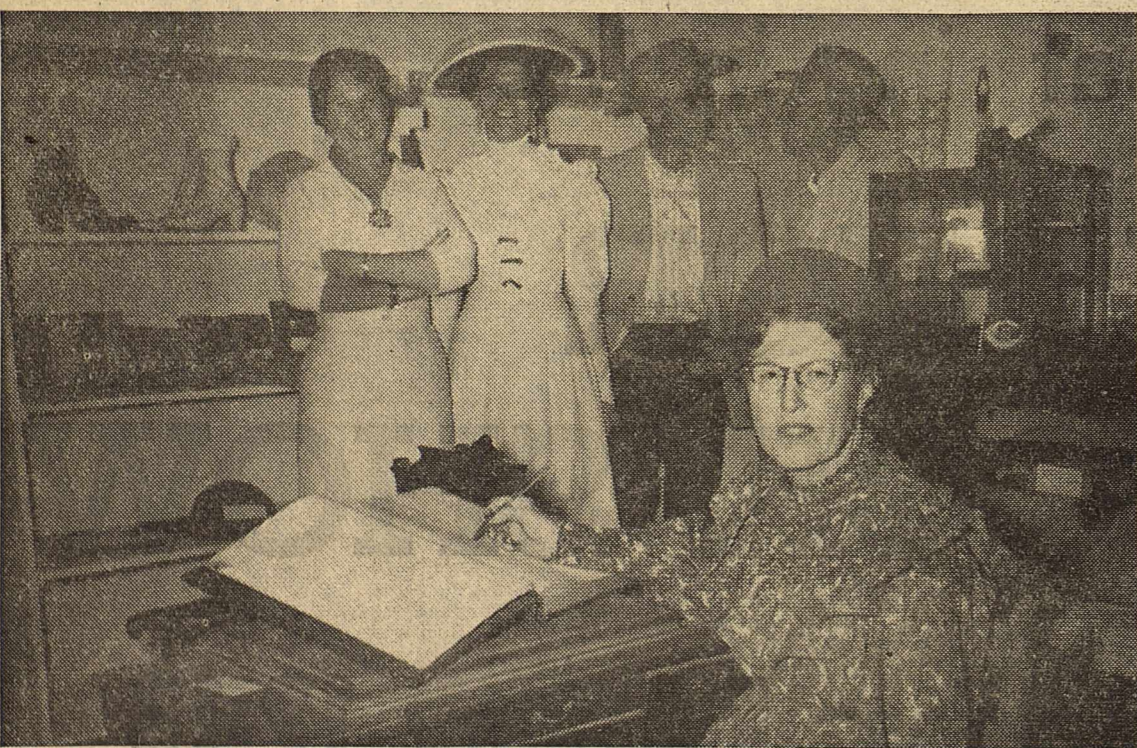
Mrs. C. F. McCargo, president of the Tsa Mo Ga Club practices a lost art, that of placing "cow chips" into the ancient stove which is located in the back room of the Memorial Museum.



Four old timers of this area visit the Tsa Mo Ga Club House Sunday afternoon which was open for visitors to the opening of the adjoining Memorial Museum. Pictured are Marion McGinty, Tom Keenan, Casey Jones and M. W. Luna.



Hostesses of the opening of the Tsa Mo Ga Memorial Museum in Plains Sunday included, top row, left to right, Mrs. Marion McGinty, Mrs. C. F. McCargo, Mrs. R. K. Field, Mrs. R. B. Jones, Mrs. Bill H. Powell, Mrs. M. W. Luna, Mrs. P. W. St. Romain, Mrs. Wayne Chadwick, Mrs. H. G. Bedford and Mrs. C. B. Poindexter. Seated are visitors, C. F. McCargo, Casey Jones, M. W. Luna and Tom Keenan.



Mrs. M. W. Luna registered guests Sunday at the opening of the Memorial Museum in an old "intent to wed book" which was given to the Tsa Mo Ga Club by the county. In the background are Mrs. Bill H. Powell Mrs. R. K. Field, R. K. Field, and C. F. McCargo.



Hostesses to the opening of the Memorial Museum in Plains Sunday were these members of the Tsa Mo Ga Club. They are, left to right, Mrs. Wayne Chadwick, Mrs. P. W. St. Romain, Mrs. H. G. Bedford, Mrs. M. W. Luna, Mrs. R. B. Jones, Mrs. R. K. Field, Mrs. C. F. McCargo, Mrs. Marion McGinty, Mrs. Bill H. Powell and Mrs. C. B. Poindexter.



Serving at the attractive refreshment table at the Tsa Mo Ga Club House Sunday were Mrs. Bill H. Powell, Mrs. C. B. Poindexter and Mrs. Wayne Chadwick.



An interesting visitor to the opening of the Memorial Museum was Tom Keenan who came to Yellow House XIT in 1891 and to Yoakum County in 1902. Keenan signed the petition to organize Yoakum County and attended the first picnic after organization of the county.

This Page Sponsored by Tsa Mo Ga Club

Cowboys scoring at 53.7 average

Plains' Cowboy basketball team has scored 1,022 points this year for a 53.7 points per game average, according to figures released Wednesday by Coach Rip Sewell. The Cowboys have held their opponents to 869 points or a 45.7 average while compiling a record of 13 wins and six losses.

As a team, the Cowboys have attempted 1,026 field goals and connected on 362 of them for a 35.28 per cent average.

Individual statistics show that Donald Todd and Walt Coffman are leading the team in rebounds.

Todd has collected 223 defensive rebounds and 170 offensive rebounds. Coffman has 221 defensive and 165 offensive rebounds. Joe Don Marrow has snared 100 from those of the Cowboys. Jack Meixner is next in line with 82 and 68 totals for defensive and offensive backboards. Harmon Meixner has figures of 69 and 60.

Three players are closely bunched in the scoring parade. Coffman's 246 points is tops with Harmon Meixner closely behind with 231. Todd has 213 points. Percentages of field goal efficiency were not released by Sewell.

Jack Meixner is the team's fourth leading scorer with 148 points. He is followed by Marrow with 67, Mike Culwell with 43, Dick Cooke with 38, Ray Faught with 19 and James Alberding with 14.

Stock show

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ure, he said, since some may be left out because of weight.

Biggest increase is expected in the barrow division where the weight limits have been changed since last year. All pigs in the show must weigh at least 180 pounds and not more than 240 pounds. Many pigs on feed will be unable to meet these requirements, White believes.

Dr. W. L. Stangel, former dean of agriculture at Texas Tech, will judge the entire show and Hank Matthews of Anton will again be the auctioneer.

Aaron (Big A) Morris is resting at the home of his mother, Mrs. J. H. Morris after spending several days last week in a Lubbock hospital. His home is in Brownfield.

New books

The Yoakum County Library in Plains announced they have received several new books this week. There are Fiction and Non-Fiction, both for young readers and adult readers. We have some basketball stories for the boys, and books for the girls entitled Hidey Hole and Pink Dress. We have received a Dictionary on the Civil War which we think will help some of the school children with their studies and themes, also 2 books on East and Southern Africa.

There are 2 good mysteries which everyone seems to be reading and a humorous novel entitled "If It Moves, Salute It". Some of the other Best Sellers are "Your Happiest Years", "No Room in the Ark", "Never So Few", "Jealousy" and several others. Some of our Non-Fiction books are "Needlework", "A Guide to Stereo Sound", "Is There Intelligent Life On Earth", "Questions People Ask About Religion", a Vincent Peale Book entitled "The Amazing Results of Positive Thinking", and a few others. We think there is a new book which might be of interest to several people. Come in and look over our new selection.

We also are appreciative to the Kendrick Memorial Library in Terry County for the donation of books which they gave us. There were several copies of these books in their library and they had no use for these books and were generous enough to let us have the benefit of this. We certainly do appreciate these books and there are several good books which the people of Yoakum County will enjoy.

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Blast

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it been just a little later, they reasoned, a greater crowd would have undoubtedly gathered at the scene, including school children who would have been dismissed a short time later.

Red Cross headquarters for disaster relief were opened in the county treasurer's office. A Red Cross nurse and a disaster representative were assigned here.

Plains recovered from that tragic event. God must have been awfully busy listening to the prayers of hundreds of people here. But He heard them and He responded. Today, McGinty still runs his grocery store, McDonnell continues to work for the same company which hired him that day. Tingle operates an auto parts store here. All lead perfectly-normal lives, but all carry physical and mental scars of that tragic event seven years ago.

Mrs. C. J. Coffman and son Larry are among those who are expected to be able to be out this week. Mrs. Coffman had flu and a blood-pressure condition while Larry had a round with the flu followed by a case of measles.

Dust

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The Cowboy basketball team which was scheduled to play O'Donnell in a showdown battle there Tuesday night had its game postponed. The Cowboys went to O'Donnell only to find that town in darkness due to power line damage. Telephone service was also out there and school officials had no way of informing Coach Rip Sewell of the impossibility of the game.

Plains was not alone in feeling Tuesday's storm. The storm cut a 600-mile path across Texas, resulting in high damage and three deaths in the state. Barometer readings at a number of area cities where official records are kept dropped to their lowest levels in history.

Winds had subsided by Wednesday morning and the sun which had been blackened out all day Tuesday made its welcome appearance.

The ancient Romans honored Janus, the god of gates and doors and of beginnings and endings, on the first day of the year. World Book Encyclopedia reports that Janus, for whom the month of January was named, was pictured with two faces, and looked both ahead and backward.

200 attend museum opening

Some 200 guests registered Sunday afternoon during opening of the Memorial Museum in Plains. Out-of-town guests came from Brownfield, Denver City, Midland, Littlefield, Cross Plains and Andrews.

Set up by members of the Tsa Mo Ga Study Club, the museum with its dozens of old-time articles, afforded much interest for the visitors.

The building housing the museum is property of the club. It was given to the group by mem-

bers of the Mrs. Annie Miller family. The Miller family lived in the house for many years when it was located in the southwest part of the county.

Plans are now being made to keep the museum open for the public during specific hours. De-

tails will have to be worked out, however. In the meantime, club members pointed out anyone wishing to visit the museum or having guests who would like to see the place can make arrangements to do so through members of the club.

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Cowboys

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in one of the year's biggest upsets, were no match for the cool Cowboys. Harmon Meixner fueled the Plains attack with 32 points, top individual output of the year. Reserves played most of the second half, but the slick-operating Cowboys continued to pile up the points.

Should Plains win the district title, the Cowboys will meet Stanton in the bi-district contest.

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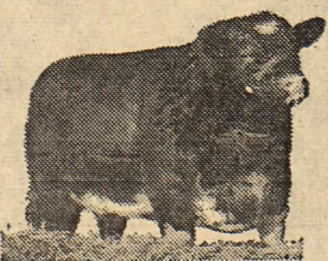
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County gins 32,030 bales of cotton in 1959

Yoakum County gins processed 32,030 bales of cotton through January 15, according to figures released this week by the U. S. Department of Commerce. This represents a new all-time record for the county, surpassing the 1958 high of 30,464 ginned from the 1958 crop.

Gin totals do not give an accurate picture of production within the county since some cotton produced outside the county is ginned here. At the same time, however, some locally-produced cotton is processed at out-of-county gins.

It was a bumper year for Texas and most other states. Texas gins handled 4,487,197 bales of cotton, compared to 4,226,991 the previous year. Thus, the Lone Star state held its healthy lead as the country's foremost cotton-producing state. Second place California ginned less than half as much, 1,937,551 bales. Mississippi and Arkansas were the only other states to gin more than one million bales. Each had a little over 1 1/2 million.

All neighboring counties reported healthy increases over 1958. Terry County ginned 132,313 bales compared to 124,453 last year. Cochran County ginnings were up to 63,240 against 56,872 a year ago. Gaines County ginned 48,691 bales of cotton compared to 38,663 from the 1958 crop. In neighboring New

Mexico, Lea County ginnings were up to 43,597 from 36,371. Lea County showed the second biggest increase of any county in New Mexico.

Mrs. Smith hostess to Turner H-D club

Mrs. I. L. Smith was hostess to Turner Home Demonstration Club in her home Wednesday, February 3, with fifteen members present.

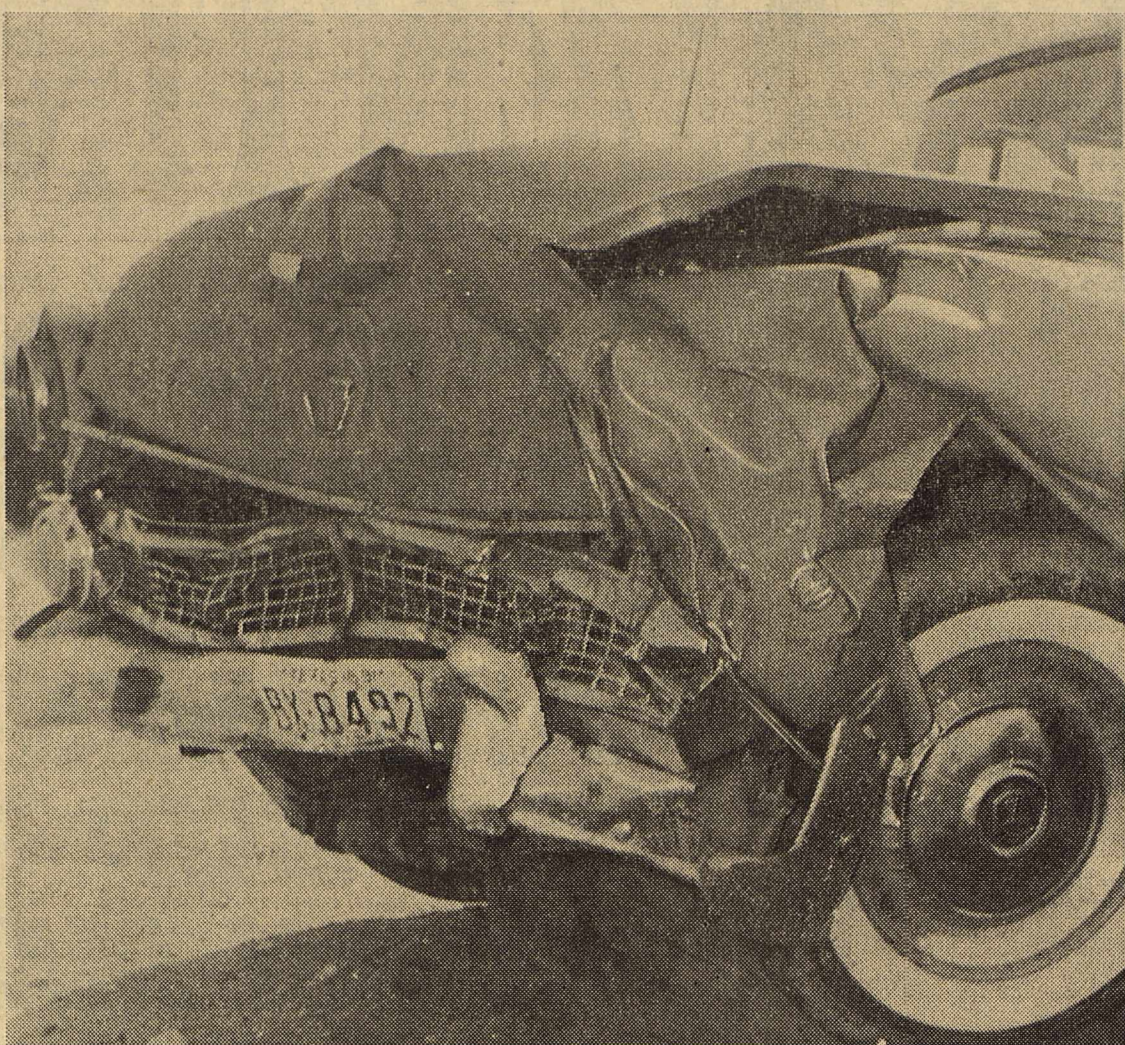
President Mrs. Reg Martin presided for the business meeting. The 1960 recommendations were read and approved. A discussion was held and plans were made for the club to have a concession stand at the Junior Fat Stock Show to be held in Plains this weekend.

It was voted to donate \$10 to the New March of Dimes.

Mrs. Bobby White, agent, spoke to the group on "How to Make a Public Address or Speech."

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Carl Lowery, William Worsham, Howard Mauk, Loyd Yowell, Reg Martin, E. Forehand, Hugh and J. H. Snodgrass, Ray Jones, Alton Elmore, Homer Sudderth, Weldon Spencer, Earl Bryson and Allen Rolins by the hostess.

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THIS IS THE CAR which was driven by Wallace Taylor Saturday night when it collided with one driven by Phil Candler near the park in

Plains. Taylor was seriously injured and is in a Denver City hospital with a punctured lung and other internal injuries. (Review photo)

Mrs. McGinty hosts Iota Pi members

Iota Pi Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha met Tuesday evening, February 2 in the Clubroom with Mrs. Dick McGinty as hostess.

President Mrs. Garland Swann asked that her appreciation be conveyed to the public for their attendance at the Mexican Supper sponsored by the Iota Pi and for the members and friends who assisted with the preparation and serving of the supper.

A pledge pin service was held for Mrs. Roy Edwards, newest club pledge, preceding the program.

Mrs. Jack Hayes, program director, spoke on "The Truth About Cancer." Mrs. Carl Stroup's timely topic was "Cancer Danger Signals." The club recently helped sponsor a lecture and showing of films on this dreaded disease.

Refreshments of hot coffee and tea, cold drinks and strawberry shortcake were served to Mesdames Casey Brown, Leon Lewis, Morris Lowe, Wendell Faight, Roy Edwards, Jack Hayes, Garland Swann, Carl Stroup and Ann Green by the hostess.

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Raymond Bookout announces candidacy for county commissioner of precinct 3

Raymond Bookout has formally announced his candidacy for commissioner of Precinct 3.

A resident of Precinct 3 for the past 29 years, Bookout has been employed in that precinct for 15 years. He has worked for the past three commissioners of that area.

In making his formal announcement, Bookout said he felt his experience over the past 15 years had given him an insight of many of the problems faced by the Commissioners' Court and at the same time acquainted him with many of the duties expect-

ed of a commissioner. "I am fully aware that serving as county commissioner is a full-time job. If elected, I will devote full time to the job and will be available at all times to serve the public to the best of my ability."

Bookout was born and reared in Swisher County. He lived there until 1930 when he moved to Yoakum County. He is married to the former Annie Laura Sanders of Kess. Mr. and Mrs. Bookout are the parents of three children, Susie, a sophomore in Plains high school. Two married sons live in California. Pd. Pol. Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Bryan of Lubbock were guests of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Anthony over the weekend. Joining them on Sunday for a delightful day of visiting were Mrs. Anthony's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Bryan of Ralls, her sisters, Mrs. Fairy Strickland and daughters Linda and Vickie of Ralls and Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Robertson of Levelland, and her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Redman of Ropes.

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City to file liens for delinquent taxes

City officials took steps this week to file property liens against delinquent taxpayers. City Secretary Bob Loe said the liens would probably be filed this week.

Up to February 1, Loe said the city showed something like \$4,000 in delinquent taxes. Taxes for 1959 which were not paid by the first of the month are now delinquent.

Mrs. Joe Cheek, an employee in the County Clerk's office, has been confined to her bed at home since January 30 with a severe case of the flu. Her daughter, Mrs. Arvel Snodgrass of Lehman, and her granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Roulain and baby of Whiteface, visited her Sunday. They also visited Amos Smith, who returned home Sunday from Yoakum

County Hospital where he had been a patient since January 10.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Sides, who have been visiting here in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Hendrick, the past three weeks from their home in Brazos have been confined with severe cases of flu. They are reported recovering satisfactorily.

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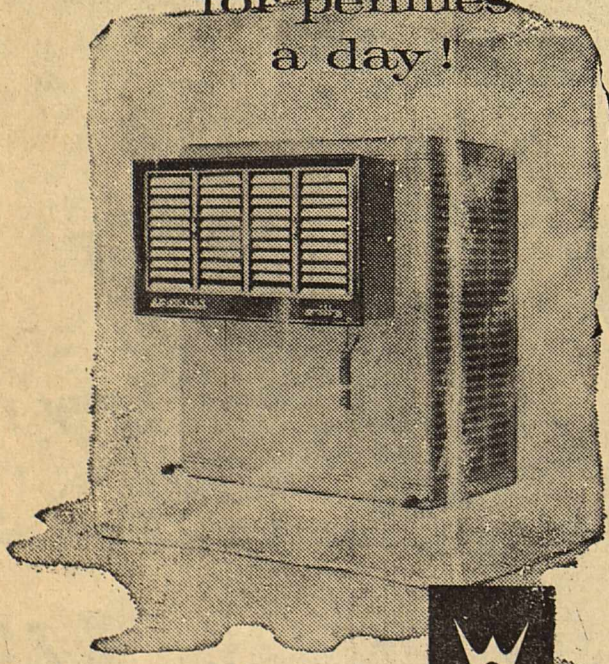
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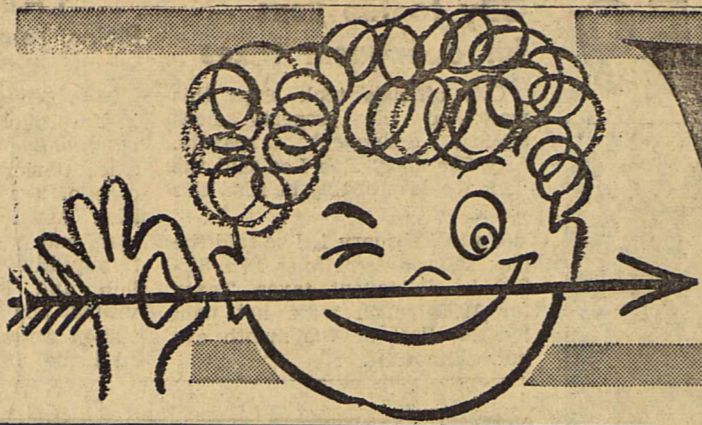
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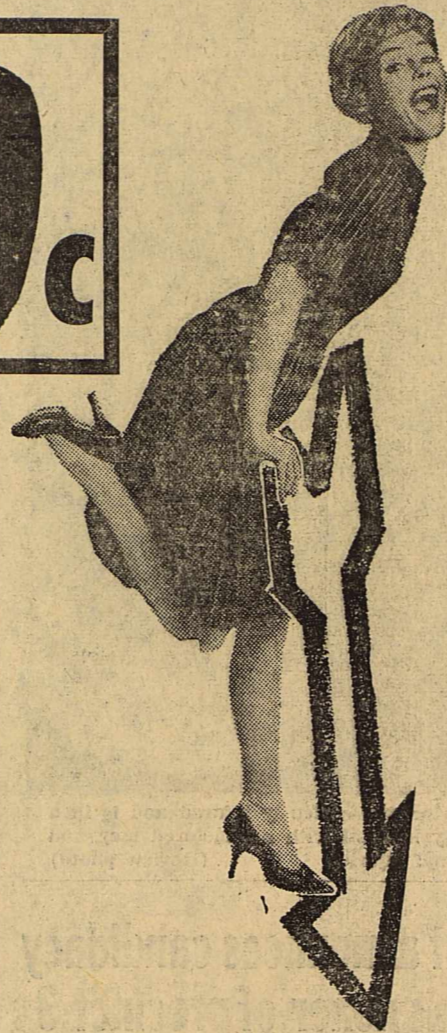
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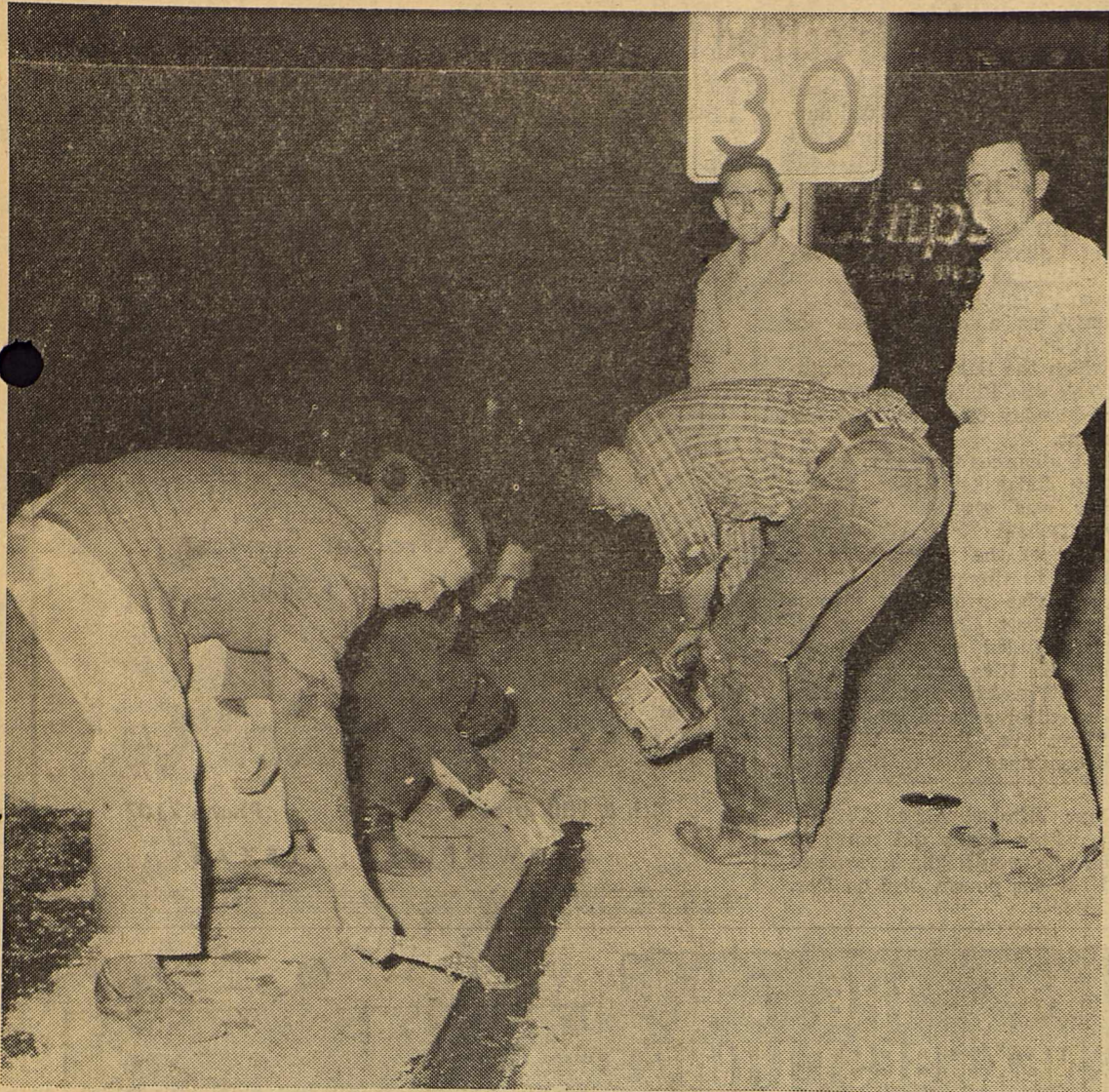
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Highlights
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AUSTIN, Tex. — Here we go again!

It seems as if a segment of Texas history is repeating itself as the state and numerous gas companies go to court to decide the constitutionality of a new gas tax.

Some 80 gas companies have filed suit asking the court to declare invalid the natural gas severance beneficiary tax passed by the Legislature last summer. Six of the suits are set for trial beginning Feb. 15.

They will be tried in the same Austin district court in which the contest over the old gas gathering tax was begun. This tax law was passed by the Legislature in 1951 and eventually declared unconstitutional by the U. S. Supreme Court.

Gas companies are attacking the new severance beneficiary tax on much the same grounds they did the gathering tax. They contend it is in violation of interstate commerce laws.

Passage of the severance tax came after one of the hardest battles of the stormy six month session. It places a 1.5 per cent levy on the pipelines on the grounds that they benefit from the taking out of the gas.

Revenue-wise, the gas tax represents a rather modest portion of the overall tax program passed in 1959. It was estimated it would bring in about \$15,000,000 of an overall \$185,000,000.

SHORT BALLOT — In the 12 races for statewide office this year, there will be only 22 candidates.

Six state officials are seeking re-election unopposed.

Some years ago, there were almost as many candidates in the governor's race alone as there are now for all the statewide offices. In those days the filling fee was only \$100. Today's price is killing off the competition.

Filing fees today are 5 per cent of annual salary, which runs \$1,250 for governor, \$1,125 for U. S. senator, \$600 for lieutenant governor, etc.

WATCH THAT "FLU" — If you're one of those lucky Texans who hasn't yet been hit by influenza, State Health Commissioner J. E. Peavy has advice for you:

"Don't take any chances." In several cities the flu has reached epidemic proportions. Dallas reported the highest flu-caused death toll since the 1918 siege.

Dr. Peavy said flu ordinarily lasts only three to five days but must be taken seriously because of the possibility of complications such as pneumonia.

He advised against self-treatment and urged victims to go to bed and call a doctor at the outset.

P-TA ENDORSES SESSION — Some 85 per cent of local P-TA leaders in Texas favor a special session to raise teachers' salaries, according to a report made to Gov. Price Daniel.

Mrs. T. W. Whaley of Kosse, president of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, told the governor that executive committee members of 563 local P-TA units were polled.

She said 8,155 favored a special session, 847 were undecided and 563 were against it. There were no suggestions as to how to pay the bill.

Governor Daniel has held off calling a special session pending the development of enough public and legislative support to carry it through to success.

POLL TAX ASSAILED — Next Texas Legislature may be called upon to vote on whether the U. S. Constitution should be amended to outlaw the poll tax.

U. S. Senate has voted out a proposed amendment to void the tax. It goes next to the House, which has passed such a measure five times before.

If the House passes it, it will then have to be ratified within seven years by the legislatures of three-fourths of the states.

Texas is one of five states which still have a poll tax. Others are Virginia, Mississippi, Alabama and Arkansas.

LICENSE PLATES ON SALE — Texas drivers have from now until midnight, April 1, to get new license plates for their cars.

State Highway Engineer DeWitt C. Greer predicts that nearly 5,000,000 cars will be registered this year. This adds up to some long lines April 1 unless a lot of people buy early.

Greer emphasized the importance of each vehicle owner's registering his car or truck in his home county. When he goes to register, each owner should take his certificate of title and last year registration receipt.

Penalty for an improper registration is \$200.

This year's license plates are black with white letters.

67 lost driving rights during '59 in Yoakum County

A total of 67 Yoakum County residents either lost driving privileges through suspension or were denied driving privileges by the Texas Department of Public Safety during 1959.

This information is contained in reports on suspensions issued today by the Department showing suspensions by county and the reasons for such suspensions.

More than half of the total in Yoakum County lost driving privileges through failure to comply with provisions of the state's financial responsibility law. The

department suspended 36 licenses in Yoakum for this reason, 30 through convictions and the other half-dozen because of accidents.

The balance of the actions came as a result of five other offenses and included 13 who were denied driving privileges while 18 had privileges suspended for varying periods during the year.

Leading cause of suspension of privileges was driving while intoxicated, with nine being refused permission to drive for this reason and 16 having licenses suspended for the same reason.

Two other persons in the county were denied the right to drive

because of aggravated assault with a motor vehicle, one was denied for driving while license suspended and one was denied for committing an automatic suspension offense without a conviction.

The other two suspensions in the county during the 12-month period lost the right to drive because of an automatic suspension offense in another state.

The drydock Dewey departed Solomon's Island, Maryland, Dec. 28, 1959, for a trip halfway around the world to the Philippines where it became the first U. S. Navy drydock in use for the Asiatic Fleet.

Fire destroys Newsom home

Fire, caused by defective wiring, destroyed the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Newsom, on the state line west of Plains, about 1:30 p.m. Tuesday during the severe sandstorm and extreme high winds.

Mrs. Newsom was confined at home after being released from Yoakum County Hospital Sunday following surgery a week earlier. She, her husband and his mother, who was visiting them from Artesia, were at home when they smelled smoke or an off-odor.

When he went upstairs to investigate, he was met by a searing flame as he opened the bedroom door. He rushed downstairs, called the fire department and carried an armload of cloth-

ing outside. He also saved a Hi-Fi received by their daughter Judy for Christmas, but was forced back by flames on the next attempt to save anything.

The house and entire contents, as well as clothing of the older Mrs. Newsom, were burned to ashes within minutes, actually before Plains Volunteer Firemen could drive there to render aid. Water was sprayed on a pump-house and other outside structures to prevent them burning.

Mrs. Newsom was rushed to Denver City and put under sedation for shock. Other members of the family, the 15 year old daughter Judy, 11 year old son Joe and Mr. Newsom's mother spent Tuesday night with relatives in Denver City.

It was not learned immediately whether the rented house was insured, however, the Newsoms did hold insurance on it's contents.

Donations are being received to assist the Newsom family in this unfortunate disaster. If you wish to donate money or other gifts contact Rev. Ronald Rich, pastor of State Line Baptist Church, at GL 6-3257.

Also a miscellaneous shower is planned for Monday evening, February 15, in the Smith Brothers house, 1 mile east and 2 miles south of Bronco, where the Newsom family will live for the time being. Everyone is invited and urged to attend.

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The YOAKUM COUNTY REVIEW

Four cases filed in district court

Two damage suits, one for collection of debt and one divorce case were filed in district court during the past week.

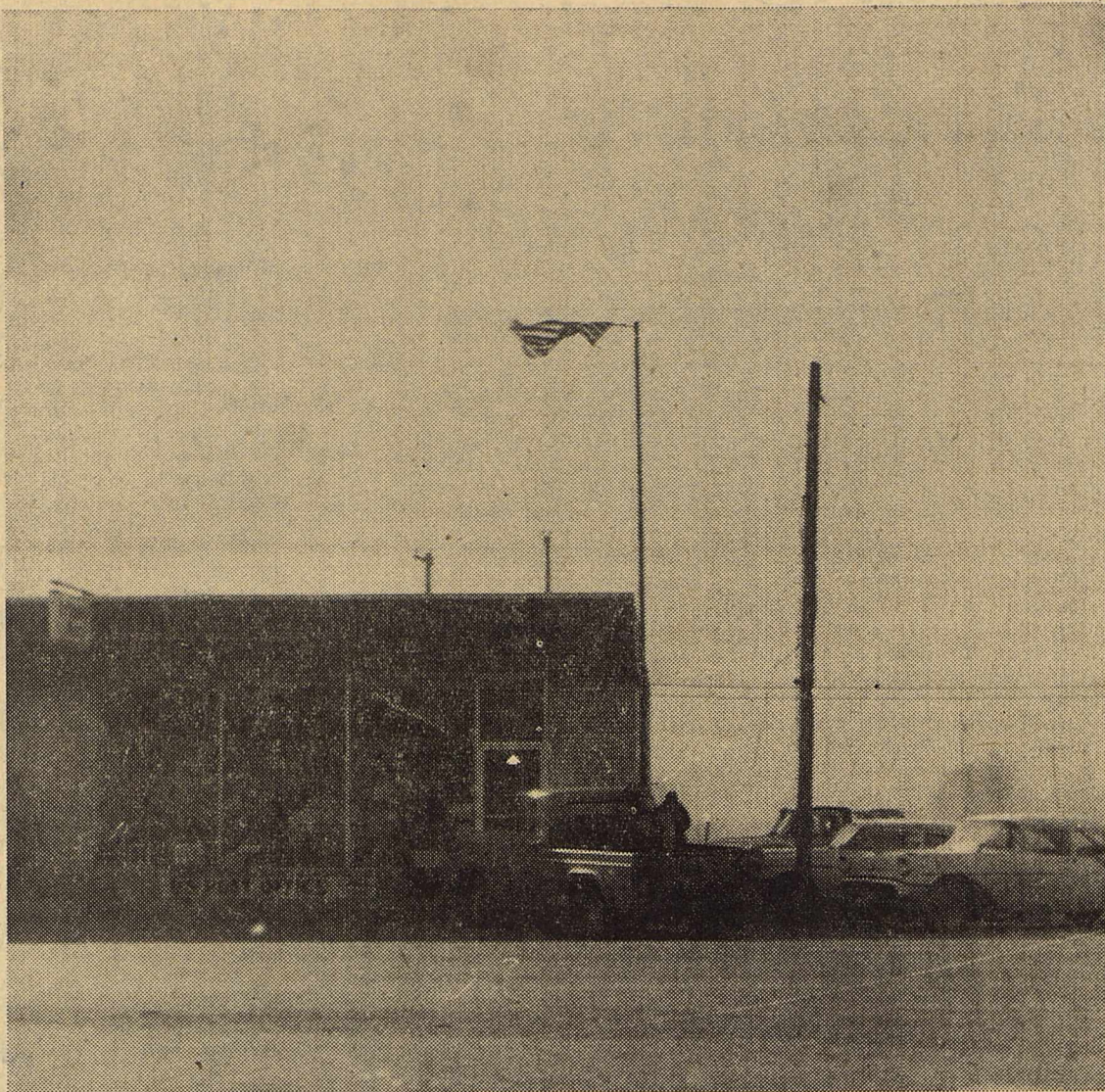
A suit for \$15,000 in damages was filed on behalf of Jerry Brantley of Plains against Carpenter & Toler Trucking Co. of Odessa.

Suit stems from a vehicular accident August 7, 1957, near Tokio, in which Brantley was injured. The plaintiff charges negligence of the part of Milam Gray, driver of the truck owned by Carpenter & Toler, which it is alleged was responsible for the accident in which Brantley was "seriously and permanently injured."

The other damage suit was filed by Bowers liquefied Gas Co., Inc., of Brownfield, against Leo Brooks of Bronco. The plaintiff charges that he sold materials to the defendant in the amount of \$1677, on which the defendant has only paid \$100 and refuses to pay the remainder. The plaintiff asks the amount due, plus \$160 attorney fees, and interest.

Plains State Bank is seeking collection of an alleged debt against Alvin Shamback of Lubbock. The suit sets forth that the defendant executed a promissory note with the bank in August, 1959, for \$3750, with interest at 6 per cent per annum and an additional 10 per cent of principal and interest if placed in an attorney's hands for collection. It charges that the defendant has made no payments on the note and asks for \$3750 principal, \$93.75 interest and \$384.38 in attorney's fees.

Edward Bagwell of Yoakum County is plaintiff in a divorce suit against Alva Lee Bagwell, now a resident of Winkler County, with charges of excessive and cruel treatment being made. The plaintiff asks for proper division of property, that the defendant be awarded custody of the three minor children for nine months of the year, and the plaintiff for three months. The plaintiff also offers to pay \$75 per month for child support during the time the minors are in custody of the defendant.



OLD GLORY ATOP THE Plains post office was waving with all its fury during the dust storm

Tuesday. Seconds before this picture was snapped, the rope supporting the bottom portion of the flag gave way to the wind. (Review photo)



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4-H CLUB BOYS and GIRLS

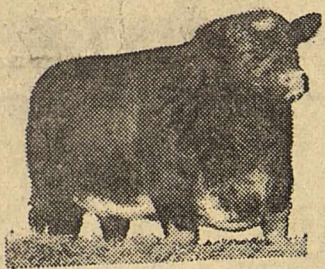
and the

YOAKUM COUNTY LIVESTOCK and
AGRICULTURE IMPROVEMENT Ass'n.

on the

Junior Livestock Show

FRIDAY and SATURDAY



T. W. CADENHEAD

SERVIS GAS

ACROSS THE Cattle Guard

by LEO W. WHITE
County Agent

How many head of livestock would we need in Yoakum County to consume all the grain sorghum we produce? That question cannot be answered right now for two or three reasons. First, we do not know how much grain we can produce on the average. Then we do not know the exact number of livestock we already have. Still further, we do not know how much more land is going to be put into cultivation.

We do know about how much grain sorghum was sold as a cash crop in 1959. Just two weeks ago we did some figuring and found that it would take 36,000 head of hogs to eat up the grain that was sold on the market in 1959 if it were all used to feed young pigs. That means there was enough grain sold in 1959 to feed 36,000 head of weaner pigs up to market weight. It takes about one sixth as much feed to keep a brood sow for a year as it does to feed out her two litters of pigs.

Then if we had 2,000 head of brood sows and each sow raised 15 pigs in her two litters we would have 30,000 head of hogs to go to market each year from these additional breeding animals. These 32,000 animals plus about 60 breeding males would eat all the extra grain we produced last year. Under our up-to-date farrowing systems, one man is full time employed when he takes care of 100 brood sows.

Positive control of 'skitos, flies planned in county

A positive, bonded fly-mosquito control program will be in effect in Yoakum County during the coming summer months as the result of action taken by County Commissioners on Monday.

The program is being promoted by the Republic Chemical Company of Dallas and will provide almost "fool-proof" protection against summer time insects in the county.

Vance Brown, commissioner, said the county has agreed to accept the program this year. Main feature of the program is direction of insect-fighting by an entomology professor from Texas Tech and two specialists who supervise all spraying.

According to Brown the Tech professor will be notified of the type flies and mosquitoes found in the county and will then reveal the proper type killer to be used for eradication of the pesky insects. The specialists, Brown said, will be working directly with the men making applications of insecticide.

Brown said the program will begin immediately and will include larvae control in addition to spraying for insects which have already been hatched.

Bill Cox, county sanitation officer, said the program will provide a "positive control program" because its success is assured through a bond made with the company.

Mrs. Raymond Bookout left Monday for Chino, California to care for her grandchildren and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Dubbie Bookout, who recently underwent surgery there. She also expects to see another son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bookout at Baldwin Park, California while away.

It would take 20 families to raise the weaner pigs. Then with mechanized feeding equipment, one man can feed out 3,000 head of market hogs a year. There is another 10 men required or 10 more families making a total of 30 families living in our community because we fed the grain to hogs instead of selling it.

We may not need a grain elevator if we had that many additional hogs but we would need a good feed store to handle all the protein supplement needed to feed out that many hogs. We would need fewer truck drivers to haul the hogs to market than was needed to haul the grain to California so it could be fed to hogs out there but the truck drivers would live here because all their work would be here.

Every farmer who produces grain sorghum is not inclined to be a good hog producer. The present farmers could increase the size of their hog operations to take care of about half of the grain. They would have to hire some additional help to handle these hogs along with their other farming operations. We would still need a big hog feeding operation that covered some 400 acres. On this acreage would be 10 farrowing units with 50 farrowing stalls in each unit, 40 sow pastures with 25 sows to the pasture, 20 gilt pastures in each pen, 40 boar pens, 100 growing pens with 50 pigs to each pen and each pen would handle three groups a year, 200 hog sheds giving protection in each pen, grain storage facilities for 10 million pounds of grain, a feed barn with mixing room and living quarters for 15 families to do the work.

It would take in the neighborhood of \$700,000 to put up such a plant and the returns above expenses should be about 10 percent or \$70,000 a year. If all the profits went back to the men who produced the grain they would get \$1.45 a hundred pounds more for their grain than the market value. That is about twice what it sold for in 1959.

This sort of a set-up may be what is needed but I had rather see it go the other way. I would rather see each farmer improve his facilities and hire enough help to make the thing work on individual farms. I talked to one man a few days ago who felt that the big production line system was only four to six years away. He was of the opinion that we would be feeding cattle, hogs and lambs in this area in large commercial feed lots in just a few years.

Damage suit is settled Monday

A \$155,400 damage suit was reportedly settled for \$8,000 during non-jury district court held Monday, with Judge M. C. Ledbetter presiding.

Plaintiffs in the case were Marvin Baker and Angelyn Baker of Lubbock, who were seeking damages against William Howard Teaff, resident of Garza County, as a result of an accident in July, 1959, near Tokio in which the Bakers' two-month-old son was killed. Hearing was held Monday on the agreed settlement.

Four divorces were also granted by Judge Ledbetter. Bonnie Baker was granted a divorce from Donald Kent West, with custody of the minor child awarded to the plaintiff; Claudi Garner was granted a divorce from Robert Garner after defendant failed to appear; and Beller K. Rice was granted a divorce from Margaret Ann Hice.

The divorce case of Henry Williams vs. Pearle Williams was continued due to illness of

the defendant. In the title and possession suit

of Gene Maxwell vs. M. R. Showalter, a judgement was returned by default on behalf of the plaintiff.

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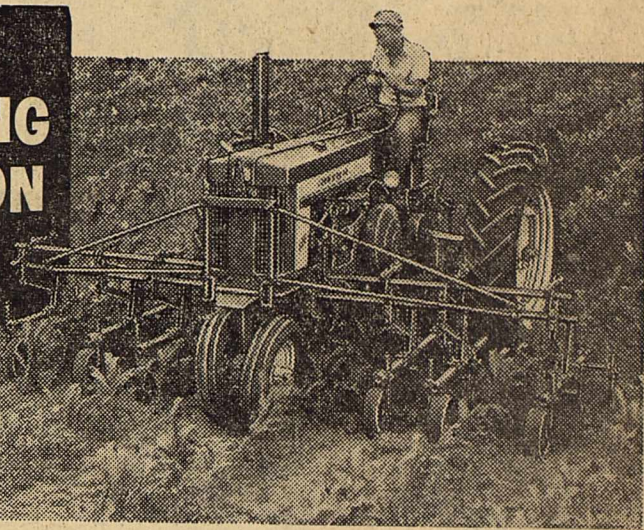
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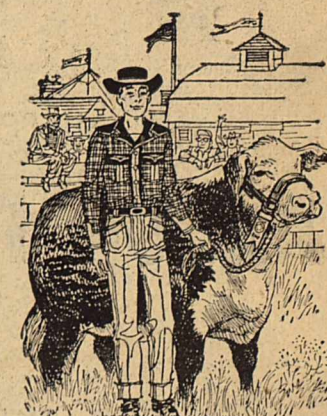
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The Yoakum County Livestock and Agriculture Improvement Association is to be commended on their efforts to promote better agriculture and livestock methods in our county. The annual Livestock Show indicates progress that has been made, and increases interest in a better feeding program.

Attend the Show Friday and Saturday

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are now available at both
Plains Office and Denver City Office and
must be on vehicle by April 1st

Be sure to bring 1959
Registration Receipt and
Certificate of Title

as it is a strict requirement that information from
both be shown on 1960 License Receipt
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Not a single child under four years of age died in the Christmas-New Year's holiday traffic rush in Texas in 1958.

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Sun Oil Co. is drilling Southeast Yoakum 'cat

Sun Oil Company No. 1 Hornaday-State is to be drilled as a 5,500-foot wildcat five miles southeast of Plains in Southeast Yoakum County.
Scheduled for immediate drilling, it is 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of

section 506, block D, John H. Gibson survey.
R. H. Fulton & Company has reported 24-hour potential test of 85.25 barrels of oil and 10 barrels of water for its No. 2 Keller, new well in the Chambliss pool in Southwest Yoakum County.

The well completed through perforations in casing from 5,208 to 5,246 feet after a 10,000-gallon fracture treatment.
In South Yoakum County, Gulf Oil Corporation completed No. 7 C. W. Ory in the Wasson (6,600) field.

Operator reported a daily pumping potential of 28 barrels of 29.4-gravity oil, plus 54 barrels of water, through perforations in casing from 6,613 to 6,843 feet.

Wellsite is 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 891, block D, John H. Gibson survey.

Another new project for Yoakum County is H. Garrett Oil Company of Midland No. 2-B A. L. Moore and others.

Drillsite for the 5,400-foot operation is 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 473, block D, J. H. Gibson survey and in the proven limits of the Brahaney pool.

Another new Wasson (6,600) field well is Texaco, Inc., No. 14 South Yoakum County well finished for a daily pumping gauge of 120 barrels of 32.2 gravity oil, plus three per cent water, through perforations from 6,340 to 7,002 feet.

Location is 585 feet from north and 2,067 feet from west lines of section 892, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

Texaco, Inc., No. 50 Nelson and others has been finished in the Brahaney pool.

On 24-hour potential test it flowed 155 barrels of 32.2-gravity oil, plus seven per cent

Rev. Moore speaks to FHA members

Plains Chapter of Future Homemakers of America held their regular monthly meeting at 7:00 p.m. February 1 in the department's home.

Louise Heald gave the opening exercises and introduced Rev. Johnnie Moore, pastor of First Christian Church, who spoke on "Family Relations." President Annette Sudderth, in behalf of the chapter, presented him with a small gift of appreciation.

Kaye Spencer read the lovely and fitting poem, "Happy Home."

A chapter concession stand for the Fat Stock Show to be held February 12-13 in Yoakum County Livestock Barns was discussed and plans were completed.
The meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sherrill of Pecos were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. McCann and J. W., over the weekend. Mr. McCann is in Yoakum County Hospital with a broken foot and phlebitis.

water, through perforations from 5,293 to 5,307 feet.

Wellsite is 1,650 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 474, block D, John H. Gibson survey.

The Brahaney, West (San Andres) field in Yoakum County gained a new producer with completion of Permian Oil Company No. 4 Clawater.

On 24-hour potential test, the well pumped 45 barrels of 32-gravity oil, plus 18 per cent water, through perforations from 5,218 to 5,271 feet, after a 10,000-gallon fracture treatment.

Shell No. 23-E George Baumgart has been completed in the Wasson (6,600) pool in South Yoakum County.

On 24-hour potential test, it pumped 112 barrels of 32.8-gravity oil, plus a trace of water, through perforations from 6,380 to 6,769 feet.

Location is 1,750 feet from south and 1,050 feet from east lines of section 827, block D, John H. Gibson survey.

Tsa Mo Ga Club meeting Monday

Opportunities — The Cultivation of Charm was the program theme for the regular meeting of Tsa Mo Ga Club at 8:00 p.m. February 8, 1960 in the clubhouse.

Club was called to order by President Mrs. C. F. McCargo. The club collect was given and about twenty members answered roll call.

Mrs. R. B. Jones, quoting from the Dallas Morning News, told the group that there is a move on to remove the Tom Connely Amendment from the resolution making the United Nations a World Court. The Connely amendment kept the U. S. Internal Affairs under our control. She urged we write our Congressman and protest the movement.

Mrs. Norelle Sloan reported the addition of 175 books to the library, a donation of the Terry County Library, and several new ones have been purchased. She noted one of special interest to readers of our area, "Jim and Allen on the Farm", setting for which is Shallowater, Texas.

Mrs. P. W. St. Romain thanked members and others for their help with the Mothers March of Dimes. She reported a record turnout and collection.

Mrs. Eugene Payne Jr. will attend a meeting in the interest of the "Cancer Crusade", February 12 in San Angelo. Plans will be made later for the local spring cancer crusade.

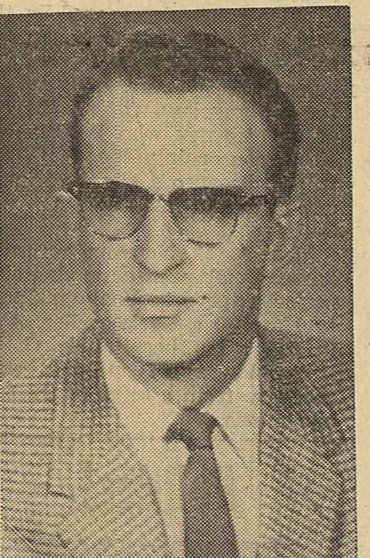
New members, Mrs. Joe Curry and Mrs. Dornon Scott, were welcomed. Musical numbers,

Petty announces his candidacy for legislative post

Olen Ray Petty, 23-year old graduate of Texas Tech and a native of Levelland, is a candidate for nomination as State Representative for the 98th district, subject to the Democratic Primary on May 7.

Petty has been teaching school in Fredricksburg for the past five months. He filed for the office simultaneously in the four counties of the district, Hockley, Cochran, Terry and Yoakum.

Petty, who has maintained his home in Levelland, plans to return to his home district within the next two weeks to begin his



active campaign for the legislative post.

He has been a highly interested and active student of government, in the summer of 1958 he was doorman for the U. S. House of Representatives, a position arranged for him by Rep. George Mahon so that the youthful candidate could study the activity of the national congress first hand.

The new candidate majored in business administration and minored in government at Tech, receiving his degree last summer. He was active in student union work and was a member of the Tech choir.

Born in Levelland, Petty received all of his schooling there and graduated from Levelland High School in 1955. He is married to the former Karen Schwab of Levelland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Schwab. Her father is a former president of Levelland School Board.

Petty has a twin sister, Gloria Mae, a teacher in Odessa schools, and two brothers, Gyn, a Levelland teacher, and Troy, an employee of Magnolia Oil Company at Big Spring.

His father is a veteran school administrator, who served as Superintendent of Pettit Schools Hockley County and as county superintendent. His father was active in the establishment of South Plains College at Levelland and now serves the college as its tax assessor-collector. His mother is also a former elementary teacher in Levelland.
Pd. Pol. Adv.

January 1 became generally accepted as New Year's Day in the 1500's when the Gregorian calendar was introduced, according to World Book Encyclopedia. But the new year still begins on March 21 in Iran. And the Hindus have a different New Year's Day for each of their many religious groups.

CONGRATULATIONS

Birthday and anniversary congratulations to Brenda Sudderth and Darlene McDonnell on February 14; Mrs. Dwain Rowland on February 15; Rusty McGinty and Mr. and Mrs. Vance Glover on February 16; Ronnie Rains

and Wayne Cooke on February 17; Pamela McDonnell and Mrs. J. W. Beal on February 18; Mrs. R. H. Meixner, Russ Jones, Mrs. Wallace Randolph and Mrs. Luther Hinkle on February 19; Peggy Smith, Mrs. T. E. Coke, Jeanine St. Romain and Odus Walsler on February 20.

HEARTY CONGRATULATIONS

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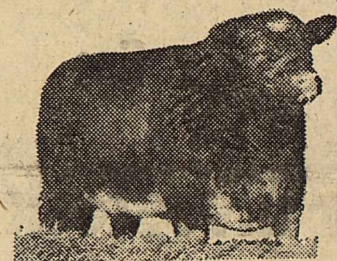
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Mrs. Stewart is hostess to Club

Mrs. C. A. Stewart was hostess to State Line Home Demonstration Club in her home Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Alton Billings, president, conducted the business meeting. The hostess offered the club prayer. Mrs. Tom Box led the recreation hour and gave the Council report.

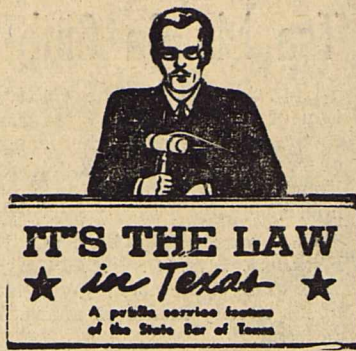
The 1960 recommendations were read, discussed and approved. The by-laws and constitution were discussed, but were left unfinished until the next meeting.

Mrs. Stewart, foods leader, started her demonstration on "Low Calorie Snacks" by having each member read a portion of a "10 calorie diet", which was quite entertaining. The diet, dedicated to those wishing to lose weight or commit suicide, is as follows: Monday — breakfast,

weak tea; dinner, 1 cup thin chicken broth in diluted water; supper, 1 pigeon thigh and 3 oz. prune juice (gargle but do not swallow). Tuesday — breakfast, scraped crumbs from a slice of burned toast; lunch doughnut holes without sugar and 1 cup decaffeinated coffee; dinner, two jelly-fish skins. Wednesday — breakfast, boiled out stains from tablecloth; lunch 1/2 doz. poppy seeds; dinner, bee's knees and mosquito knuckles (boiled). Thursday — breakfast, shredded eggshell skins; lunch, 1 belly-button from navel orange; dinner, two eyes from Irish potato. Friday — breakfast, two lobster antennas; lunch, 1 guppy fin with salt; dinner, fillet of soft shell crab claw. Saturday — breakfast, four chopped banana seeds; lunch, prime ribs of tadpole; dinner, pickled hummingbird tongue. Sunday — breakfast, 1 oz. Kissinger mineral water; lunch, boiled butterfly liver; dinner, a glass of juice made from three peach seeds, tossed paprika and clover leaf.

The first week you lose 20 pounds, the second week 50 pounds and the third week we lose you. . . . Interment in Woodlawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Stewart served tuna spread sandwiches, Reducer's punch, tomato juice, and baked custard, all of which were low calorie snacks, to two new members, Mrs. W. P. Turner and Mrs. T. B. Farquhar, and Messdames Tom Box, Hayden Box, L. R. Box, Loren Gayle, R. G. Hartman, Alton Billings and a visitor, Mrs. Wilson.



LEGAL CHECKUP IS SAFETY MEASURE

Legal trouble is easier and cheaper to prevent than to cure. Most wage earning, childbearing, home-buying, installment paying families don't see much need for a family lawyer.

Often under prodding, one may get a lawyer to write a will. But can you tell a big legal risk from a small one? Can you spot the signs of legal trouble?

Check with your family lawyer when:

1. Your status changes: upon coming of age, marriage, the birth of your children, buying a house, divorce or death. For you may then need to draft or revise your will, change your insurance, or re-figure your taxes.
2. You buy or sell. Look out for flaws in the papers before you go into debt, part with money, or sign anything involving big expenditures or long term obligations.
3. You enter into other contracts. Promises, spoken or written, bind you if they call for a "consideration", something of value in return.
4. Someone threatens your rights. The law exists to defend them, but with some rights you must take action yourself for them to work for you.

Irrigation topic for new bulletin free to farmers

Water is one of the most important factors controlling crop yields in Texas, according to Morris E. Bloodworth, associate professor, Department of Agronomy, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Even though the present irrigated acreage is estimated to be near seven million, the water supplies have been taxed to the limit in some of the irrigated areas and nearly exhausted in other parts of the state. Although more available acreage is well adapted to this type of intensive agriculture, the expansion of irrigation will depend largely on water resources as yet undeveloped, Bloodworth pointed out.

"Some Principles and Practices in the Irrigation of Texas Soils," is a new Texas Agricultural Experiment Station bulletin written by Bloodworth designed to present some basic principles and practices of irrigation that will be helpful to farmers. It should serve as a guide and will require revision as dictated by experience and as additional field data becomes available.

Among the many topics discussed in the bulletin are: importance of the soil structure; salinity; furrow, border and sprinkler irrigation; and frequency of irrigation. Subjects from planning your irrigation system to applying the water are adequately covered.

Another interesting topic is a discussion on the different methods of conveying water to the crop. Unlined ditches, concrete lined ditches and the use of concrete pipe and aluminum pipe are discussed on the different methods of conveying water to the crop.

Copies can be obtained by writing the Agricultural Information Office, College Station. Ask for B-937.

Mrs. A. E. Newsom underwent surgery in Yoakum County Hospital, Denver City, on Monday, City, Monday.

When you can bring your lawyer "live" facts (e. g. unsigned contracts, vexing tax returns you haven't filed), he can do much more for you, and at a smaller cost than when you bring him "cold facts" (mistakes you have made which threaten trouble).

But above all, get both live and cold facts to him at once. For time may run out in many such situations. Your lawyer may be able to do something for you today, which he cannot do tomorrow.

Tell your lawyer what you want. Tell him all the facts, good or bad, & then keep him informed all along. He is sworn to keep what you tell in confidence, and he cannot serve you well without full knowledge.

(This column, prepared by the State Bar of Texas, is written to inform — not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who is fully advised concerning the facts involved, because a slight variance cation of the law.)

Mrs. A. E. Newsom returned home Sunday after undergoing major surgery in Yoakum County Hospital a week earlier. Also in the same hospital is C. L. Billingsley who is making rapid recovery from a seige of flu and pneumonia.

Political announcements

The Yoakum County Review has been authorized to announce the candidacies of the following persons for the positions indicated, subject to the Democratic Primary election of May 7, 1960.

- STATE SENATOR**
Preston Smith
- COUNTY ATTORNEY**
Vernon A. Townes
Claude Freeman
- COMMISSIONER (Prec. 3)**
Rod Duff
Raymond Bookout
Bob Jones
Ty Field
- COMMISSIONER (Prec. 1)**
Vance Brown
- TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR**
E. W. Craig
- COUNTY SHERIFF**
Ollan Heath
Woody Sullivan

ATTENTION Young People!

Got anything to do on Sunday afternoon from 4 to 7?

If you are just driving or loafing around wondering what to do, why not drop by the First Christian Church for recreation.

**Ping-Pong
Table Games
Group Games**

Games and refreshments from 4 til 6:15. Study and Worship Period from 6:15 til 6:50. Come as you are and go as you please. All youth of the community from age 12 thru 20 are most cordially invited.

Mrs. Strickland to receive degree

Mrs. Eual D. Strickland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Harvey, has finished requirements for her B. S. degree from West Texas State College, Canyon, and will graduate with the spring graduating class.

She has a major in speech and is certified by the state to teach



MRS. EUAL D. STRICKLAND

speech-handicapped children, having taught private classes for these youngsters while in college. She was active in the Baptist Student Union having served on the executive council of that organization.

While attending Plains High School of which she is a graduate, she served on the student council and annual staff; was class officer, Halloween princess, president of the band and FHA, and salutatorian of the senior class.

Her husband, also a Plains High School graduate, received his Bachelors Degree in Business education from W.T.S.C. last May. His parents are Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Strickland, formerly of Plains, now residing near Levelland.

Mrs. Strickland is the eighth member of their family to graduate from W.T.S.C. with her husband, her parents, three aunts and an uncle receiving degrees from the fine Canyon institution. She is teaching first grade in the Highland Park School, Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Strickland, who reside at 511 Browning, Amarillo, are parents of three small sons, Rickey Dean, Randy Chris, and Rodney Scot. Mr. Strickland is employed as bookkeeper for American Bakeries in that city.

Driver hurt here in weekend wreck

Wallace Taylor, local truck driver who lives at Tokio, was seriously injured early Saturday night in a head-on collision near the park in Plains. He suffered a punctured lung and other internal injuries and is confined in the Yoakum County Hospital in Denver City.

Slightly injured in the same

Bookmobile sets stops in county

Texas State Library Bookmobile will be in Yoakum County on Thursday, Feb. 18, according to an announcement made today by James B. Greer, multi-county bookmobile librarian.

Stops will include Columbian Carbon Plant 66 from 8:40 to 9:40 a.m., Sligo Community Center from 10:10 to 10:40 a.m.; Denver City Library for book deposits from 11:10 to 12 noon; and Allred Community Center from 1:20 to 2:05 p.m. The bookmobile will also stop at Higginbotham Community Building from 2:35 to 3:15 p.m.

accident was Phil Chandler of Plains, the sole occupant of the second car involved. He was treated for minor bruises and released.

Deputy Sheriff Olan Heath said the two cars met head-on on the street running along the east side of the park. Both cars were badly damaged.

Our Very Best Wishes

for a
Successful Show and Sale

Your fine entries represent many hours of work . . . Congratulations!

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BEST WISHES to each 4-H Boy and Girl participating . . . A BOUQUET to all those responsible for making this worthwhile event each year possible.

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