

PROUD MERCHANT -- Dick McGinty, owner and operator of Plains Frozen Food was awarded a \$150.00 check by the Bell Dairies for far-exceeding his quota during their Sella-bration contest during the months of April, May and June.

Yoakum SCD News

New Conservation plans on Wayne Buzan, F. M. Middleton, J. A. Pehsworth, two plans, Dick Ham, W. G. Gray, J. D. Jones and revised plans on Helen McClure, Virginia Moore and Mrs. J. K. Burns are being delivered this week. The Jones, Gray and Middleton plans are also Great Plains Conservation program contracts.

Grass planting on Foye Powell, Sherm Tingle, Hayden Box and host of others looks real good. This past week Leo White Co. Agent and I added up the number of acres that has been planted in the District and found that 1040 acres of Bermuda had been planted, several more acres are being planted and will be completed soon. C. A. Stewart has a real nice patch of switch. We took a picture this last week of a cow nursing four calves on this irrigated pasture. Blue Panic and Weeping Love grass are being planted on dry land pasture. Mrs. Paul Loe planted 60 acres of Blue Panic and Bill Gray has about 170 acres of Love grass planted.

The J. W. Watkins plan is being made current by Ralph McSwain and Wilson Duke, as operator and S.C.S. technician. Maps for a Conservation plan on the W. C. Patman place West of Plains operated by Alton Tidwell have been ordered and a program will be worked out next week.

C. C. Copeland reports he has installed 2500' of under-ground high pressure pipe line. C. C. also is planting 20 acres of Bermuda grass.

Danial Nelson, Sherm Tingle, Hayden Box and several others are planting Bermuda this week. Tommy Holyfield will replant 17 acres of Bermuda due to wind erosion. Tommy planted early, April 25 but got several sand storms that destroyed the stand.

Bayne Bacon son of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Bacon of Bronco was honored Friday afternoon on his fourth birthday by his mother in the park. Games were played and favors given. Sandwiches, cake and punch were enjoyed by Misses LaVonda Billings, LeBeth Box, and Dayne and Tammy Bacon, Tommy Guy Box, Terry Darnell, Grady Billings, Arthur and Henry Garcia and Hortense Garcia.

Most of our comforts grow up between our crosses. —Anonymous

The Plains Record

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We wish to take this opportunity and means to express our undying thanks for the many wonderful things done by our friends and neighbors during the past several days during Willie's surgery and stay in the hospital. So many of you have gone out of your way and have done so much, it will long be remembered by us all. For your kindnesses, your prayers and your thoughtfulness we say "Thank You" from the bottoms of our hearts.

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Report of Condition of PLAINS STATE BANK

of Plains, Yoakum County, Texas,
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State Bank No. 1859

Federal Reserve District No. 11

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, cash items in process of collection	\$ 543,558.25
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	610,829.83
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	172,296.65
Loans and discounts (including \$10,446.84 overdrafts)	1,064,575.46
Bank premises owned \$64,000.00 furniture and fixtures \$23,278.60	87,278.60
Other assets	8,406.33
TOTAL ASSETS	2,486,945.12

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,159,410.33
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	486,819.75
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	31,297.04
Deposits of States and Political subdivisions	560,657.10
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	14,031.50
TOTAL DEPOSITS	2,252,315.72
Total Demand Deposits	1,710,395.97
Total Time and Savings Deposits	541,919.75
Other Liabilities	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	2,252,315.72

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital: Common stock, total par value \$75,000.00	75,000.00
Surplus certified \$100,000.00	100,000.00
Undivided profits	59,629.40
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	234,629.40
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	2,486,945.12

I, J.D. Brown, Vice President & Cashier, of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ J. D. Brown

Correct--Attest:
Roy Fitzgerald
B. E. Loyd
M. W. Luna, Directors.

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF YOAKUM as:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th. Day of July, 1962, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

/s/ Winnie M. Story
Notary Public

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 Worship 11:00
 Evening 7:15
 Baptist Spanish Services 2:00

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 Evening 8:00
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 Choir Practice - Wed. Nite

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MISS JUDY POOL

Mr. and Mrs. Harvie D. Pool of 1210 Ave. A Levelland, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Judy Dee to Ray Rutledge of Odessa, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manford H. Rutledge of 2103-7th Lubbock. Friends of the couple are invited to the wedding set for 6:00 p.m. Friday, August 24 in the First Baptist Church of Levelland. Reverend Bill Cook will officiate the ceremony.

The Local Angle

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lewis and Cheryl of Hamlin visited with her brother Ray Jones and family for a few days. All were guests for dinner Monday at the Charley Jo Jones home. Mrs. Lewis, the former Elaine Jones, was honor guest for a birthday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore left Tuesday afternoon for Lake Thomas where they plan to do some fishing and recuperate from their sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Flood and family spent the week-end in Odessa visiting Foy's parents The J. N. Floods.

Oma McCargo spent last week in San Angelo visiting Granny Harris who is not feeling well. Dollie Raymond from Roswell is visiting her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Morris.

Visiting in the Homer Aldredge home are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Todd of Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hanna were honored with a house warming Saturday night. Hostesses were the Bill Loyd's Bob Blundells, Alf Carpenters, and Johnnie Fitzgeralds. 35-40 guests called between the hours of 7-9. Many lovely gifts were received.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dorham and Jimmy of Ardmore, Oklahoma spent Wednesday night with the John Andersons. Mr. Donham and John were school mates in 1918.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Rowland and Treta left Sunday morning for Durant, Oklahoma to visit his father who is quite ill.

The Buddy Hanna's, Paul Cobbs, Bill Loyd's and Alf Carpenter's are in Cloudcroft this week enjoying golfing and playing bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitlock and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pierce are attending market in Wichita Falls this week. They are to buy for Christmas.

State Line Home Demonstration Club met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. R. G. Hartman with Mrs. Lee Roy Box presiding.

Mrs. Tom Box told of the International Peace Garden on the Canadian Border north of Rugby, North Dakota. There are over 2,000 acres of flowers and trees maintained by funds from Manitoba, Canada, North Dakota clubs and individuals. The national Home Demonstration Association maintains a part in the Peace Panel. The Texas Home Demonstration Association donates annually. Thousands of visitors enjoy the year

S/Sgt. and Mrs. Teddy Bowman, Donald and Kay have been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Jones of Tokio. They also visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Henson of Denver City. Roy Jay returned with them to Midwest City, Oklahoma, for a visit. Marilyn Jones had spent a month in their home before Bowman's leave. He is stationed at Tinker Air Force Base.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mason of Bronco have returned from a 2 weeks vacation. Bob reports fishing was fine at Pagosa Springs, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fitzgerald are home after an extended vacation to points in New Mexico, Arizona, Oregon, and Washington. While in Washington they attended the World's Fair.

Miss Linda Jones, a student at McMurry was home for the week-end to see her sister and other relatives.

Mrs. Flossie Tidwell Randy and Lyndyl are visiting in Lubbock this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Box and Tommy Guy, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Box and Lebeth and Mrs. Guy Hughes visited Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hughes and children in Andrews Sunday. The three children returned home with them to visit.

Judy Brown of Seminole is

round beauty and the pledge of friendship the garden promotes. The garden is located on the main highway and longest highway in the world, from Canada to Panama, when completed.

Because of the rodeo parade, July 26, the club will meet Wednesday afternoon July 25 in the home of Mrs. Roy Perkins. Mrs. Frank Spencer and 4-H girls are to model their sewing. Visitors are welcome.

Mrs. Box led the recreation. Delicious cupcakes and Cokes were served to Mrs. Guy Hughes, a visitor and Mrs. Roy Perkins, Tom Box, Hayden Box, Lee Roy Box, W. P. Turner, C.

A. Stewart, T. B. Farquhar, and hostess, Mrs. R. G. Hartman.

Bridal Shower Honors Miss Ruth Hinkle

EVERYONE is cordially invited to a bridal shower honoring Miss Ruth Hinkle, daughter of Mrs. Vicie Hinkle of Plains, Texas, and bride elect of Mr. Larry Murphree, on Saturday, July 28th, from 3 to 6 p.m., in the home of Mrs. Robert Chambliss, 705 E. 2nd Street, Plains, Texas.

spending the week with Billie Kay Robertson.

Mrs. R. P. Johnson of Lubbock is visiting in the Tom Box home.

Mrs. John E. Fitzgerald visited her niece and family Mr. and Mrs. Joe Borton and Mr. and Mrs. Don Riddle in Pampa last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Moore and family spent several days visiting friends and relatives in Amarillo, Claude and Muleshoe.

Xan Marie Nole niece of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Whitaker has been visiting them this week. Her family is in the process of moving from Washington to Tucson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Henson and Sharla Kay of Odessa visited her parents the Archie Whitaker's last week.

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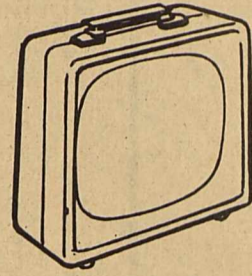
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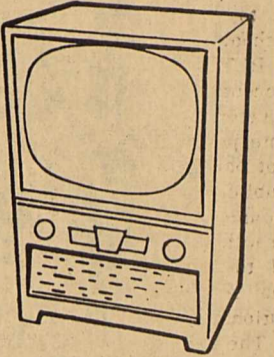
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The Wright Slant On Washington

A STORM of controversy has arisen in the Congress over the Supreme Court's ruling which invalidated the use in New York schools of a prayer which had been recommended by the State Board of Regents.

Nobody seems quite certain as to exactly how far the ruling goes.

Justice Black, speaking for the court, referred repeatedly to the use of an "official prayer." His opinion, carefully worded, would seem merely to prohibit any state from writing an "official" prayer and requiring it to be said in all the public schools.

BUT Justice Douglas, in a concurring opinion, went much further. His statement could be interpreted to mean that we cannot have prayers of any sort in public schools. That of course would disrupt long-standing practices in almost every state of the union . . . not only in our schools but in every institution of our public life.

The Congress begins its daily sessions with prayer in both House and Senate. The Supreme Court itself, since the days of John Marshall, has opened each day's deliberations with the supplication, "God save the United States and this Honorable Court." Our very coinage carries the words, "In God We Trust." The President takes his oath of office with his hand upon the Holy Bible. The oaths taken

by naturalized citizens, by public officials, and by witnesses in our courts, end with the words, "So help me God."

Apparently speaking of these practices, Justice Douglas expressed his opinion that "It is an unconstitutional undertaking whatever form it takes." I think Justice Douglas is wrong in his interpretation of the Constitution, and so I believe do most of my colleagues. So, I earnestly hope and trust, do most of his colleagues on the Supreme Court.

To make sure that we protect the rights of children to have voluntary prayers in their schools, some of the best legal minds in Congress are drafting a constitutional amendment to settle this question once and for all.

THIS controversy goes to the very heart of one of the most fundamental of our national doctrines . . . the separation of Church and State as guaranteed in the First Amendment to the Constitution.

One of my colleagues once facetiously remarked that he not only believes in the separation of Church and State, but practices it. "Since I've been in Congress, I haven't been to church," he explained. That, of course, is not what is meant by the doctrine of separation. The First Amendment directs that: "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment

of religion or prohibiting the free exercise thereof."

WHAT THIS means is that Congress and state legislatures are prohibited from establishing a State Church. In other words, so far as Government is concerned, there is to be no single "official" church or creed.

There is to be no religious examination as a prerequisite for citizenship, for voting or for holding office. Protestant, Catholic, Jew, Hindu, Moslem, Buddhist, atheist . . . all are equally entitled under the law to their individual beliefs and to the equal protection of our laws.

It was not always thus, even in our own country. In Thomas Jefferson's Virginia, the ecclesiastical laws were those that had existed in England. Bishops were appointed by the Crown. The church by civil law was supported by tithes or rents. Other colonies had been set up as sanctuaries for members of particular communions, and in the various colonies there had been semi-official State Churches.

But largely through the influence of Jefferson and Madison, all this was erased. The First Amendment put an end to it. If many had come to this country to avoid religious persecution in other lands, then wasn't this all the more reason why we should guarantee that none should ever be persecuted in our midst? The First Amendment did not

mean, however, that there is to be no religion, or no religious prayer or expression in public places. Jefferson and Madison fought for freedom of religion, not for prohibition of religion. Lincoln spoke of "this nation under God." The very first sentence in our Declaration of Independence speaks of "Nature's God." The last sentence asserts a "firm reliance on the protection of Divine Providence." So our charter document begins and ends. And upon this our nation was founded.

While we must forever respect and assiduously protect the rights of all who disagree and must never require the minority to embrace the opinion of the majority, the fact remains that this nation in solemn truth does believe in God. While the majority must respect the rights of the minority, the minority must also respect the rights of the majority.

If you or I should move to France, we might have conscientious objections to speaking the French language; but we certainly could not expect Frenchmen to stop speaking French just to accommodate our consciences. And neither should those who do not want any prayers or supplication of deity in our schools or other public places expect the great majority of us to abandon these long-established practices simply to accommodate them. For a belief in God was the view of the universe upon which as a matter of historical fact this nation was founded.

And He Whom many of us proclaim to be the Son of God said: "Suffer the little children to come unto me, and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."

Our religious faith is, in fact, the most important single factor that sets our way of life apart from that of the Communist worlds. Russian cosmonaut Gherman Titov orbited the earth and then loudly proclaimed that there is no God because he had not seen Him. Our own John Glenn said simply, "I know there is a God."

So here we have the difference. The Russian government, officially, at least, does not believe in God.

And we, as a nation, do. Drive so your driver's license expires before you do.



DORMAN SCOTT FARM -- Pasture Midland Bermuda Grass planter shown above sprigging grass on the Scott farm belongs to Mr. Rollin McCord of Plains and is being operated by C. R. and M. A. Thompson.

Farm Safety Week Dramatizes Need For Year 'Round Safety Practices

A special week to alert rural residents to the hazards of farm life has been set by the President and the Governor, and an intensive campaign is being conducted in Texas to call public attention to this serious problem, according to Sherman Clark of Houston, president of the Texas Farm & Ranch Safety Council.

The week of July 22-28 has been designated "National Farm Safety Week" by President Kennedy and "Texas Farm

Safety Week" by Governor Daniel. Many county judges over the state will issue proclamations calling for countywide observance of the week. Theme of this year's observance is "Family Safety--At Work and Play."

Clark said the observance is coordinated on the national level by the National Safety Council and the U. S. Department of Agriculture and on the state level by the Texas Farm & Ranch Safety Council, the Texas Farm Bureau, and the Extension Service.

Kennedy, in his proclamation, calls for all persons and organizations allied with agriculture to "join together in a strong effort to reduce the number of farm, home and highway accidents."

In proclaiming the state observance, Daniel said, "Texas cannot afford the loss in human life, the misery of human injury, nor the economic costs resulting from farm accidents and others involving farm families."

Daniel noted that traffic crashes involving Texas farm families in 1961 resulted in more than 170 deaths, more than 600 injuries and more than 1,600 non-injury mishaps. He urged

all Texas farm families to "acquaint themselves with the hazards of their specialized occupation, and encourage all interested Texans and Texas organizations to take an active part in this campaign for greater farm safety."

Each day of the special week will have a different theme emphasized, Clark said. Beginning Sunday, July 22, they are: Reverence for Life; Safety Begins at Home; Agricultural Chemicals; Prevent Falls; Highway Safety; Farm Machinery, and Recreation Safety.

Clark pointed out that in one year, accidents of all types kill about 11,300 rural residents and injure about a million. Nearly half of the deaths are caused by traffic mishaps.

Court Report

Yoakum County Commissioners' Court met in regular session last Monday morning in the Courthouse in Plains and discussed routine business, which included the paying of all bills presented to the court.

Also included in the business session the hiring of Mr. Allen Rollins by Commissioner Mrs. Paul Loe, to work in her precinct.

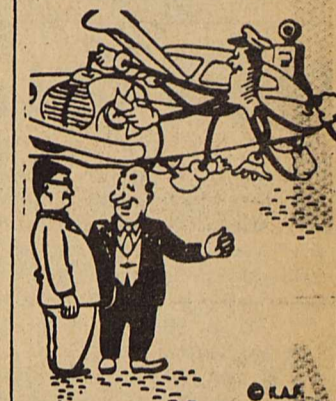
In other news from the courthouse it was learned that August 1, has been set as the date for a session of District Court.

This will be the "Called Docket" session of the civil cases to be heard.

There will be no published docket for this session but the various lawyers having cases they wish to be tried before Judge Ledbetter will come forward at that time.

A hearing has been set also (Continued on page 1)

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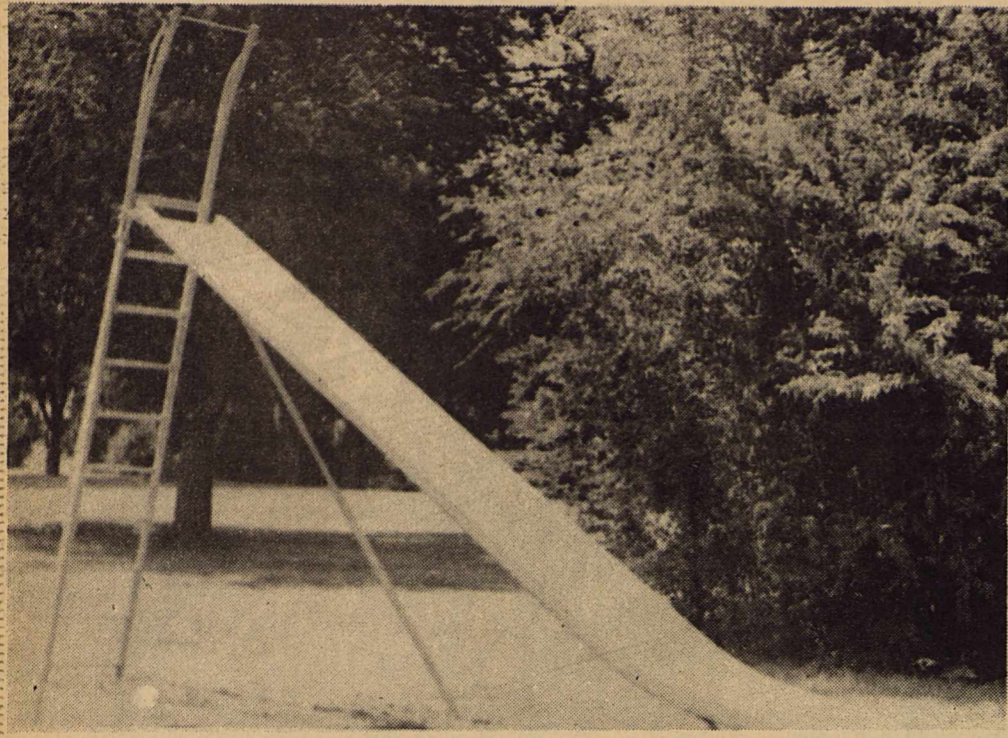
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NEW SLIDE -- Pictured above is the new, smaller version slide purchased for and installed in Yoakum County Park in Plains.

How to Lessen Wage Levies

A workable plan to reduce the chore of employers in handling wage levies against their employees for delinquent federal income taxes, was presented today by Ellis Campbell, Jr., Dallas district director, Internal Revenue Service.

The plan, he said, solves the major cause for wage levies against delinquent workers,

namely, that the amount of tax withheld from wages or salaries is lower in many cases than the amount of tax due at the end of the year.

Campbell said the worker sometimes is unable to pay the additional amount due when he files his income tax return and thus becomes delinquent. This necessitates a wage levy for col-

lection purposes in many cases.

"To solve this problem," Campbell said, "workers have the right under law to eliminate one or more exemptions for tax withholding purposes on Form W-4. This automatically increases the amount withheld by approximately \$120 a year for each exemption dropped."

Campbell continued, "If that doesn't cure the problem, workers may enter into an agreement with their paymasters to increase their withholding further by amending their W-4 form. Convent tax withholding tables, provided by IRS in Circular E, give this computation at a glance."

The IRS official urges area employers to encourage their employees to take advantage of these two devices so as to prevent their becoming delinquent and thereby eliminate wage levies.

"Dropping exemptions for tax withholding purposes," Campbell explained, "doesn't mean that taxpayers lose their exemptions. It's merely a system for increasing the amount of tax withheld."

Water Resource Report Ready

The Texas Water Commission has just issued a Bulletin which adds to the available knowledge of the Southern High Plains water resources.

Bulletin 6207, "Water-Level Measurements Through 1962 in Selected Observation Wells, Southern High Plains, Texas," reports ground-water-level measurements in observation wells in 25 Southern High Plains counties which include the most extensive irrigated farming development in the State. The bulletin may be obtained without cost from the Texas Water Commission, P. O. Box 2311, Capitol Station, Austin.

Yearly water-level measurements on 1,150 observation wells for the entire period of record, and maps showing their location in the 25 counties are contained in the publication. Some of the annual measurements date back as far as the 1930's. These well measurements thoroughly document the major declines of water levels in the areas of heavy irrigation pumpage, such as in parts of Lubbock, Hale and Floyd Counties.

Declines extended into the 1961-62 period for most of the wells, though in most cases these were small. The average drop in level this year for all wells measured was 0.62 feet.

Personnel from the Texas Water Commission were assisted by the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1, the U. S. Geological Survey, and the Ground Water Conservation District No. 3 South of the Canadian River in making the 1962 field measurements of observation wells.

Systematic measurement of water levels in observation wells is useful as an index in maintaining a current inventory of available water supplies and in making quantitative predictions of the future availability of those supplies.

Counties covered by the publication are Armstrong, Bailey, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Cochran, Crosby, Dawson, Deaf Smith, Donley, Floyd, Gaines, Gray, Hale, Hockley, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Oldham, Parmer, Randall, Roberts, Swisher, Terry and Yoakum.

High School Writing Contest Announced

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars announced today the opening of its 28th annual National High School Writing Contest. The topic will be "What I Can Do For My Country."

The writing contest, first started in 1935, is intended to put before the student some problem of patriotism, citizenship or similar topic about which he must study and learn in order to write the essay.

During the last school year some 40,000 students wrote on the contest topic, "America the Beautiful - How Long Without Clean Water?" The U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare supplied students with free kits of background readings on water and the importance of pollution control, and awarded to each state winner a special certificate. Dr. Albert E. Burke, Cheshire, Conn., an authority on conservation and world affairs, served as chairman of the national judges.

Students in all public, private and parochial high schools are eligible to enter the contest. National prizes are: First, \$1,000 cash; second, \$500; third, \$250; fourth, \$100 and gold medals, and 20 other cash awards for honorable mention. State and local contest winners receive additional Auxiliary awards which vary with the community.

Further information on the

1962-63 contest may be obtained from local Auxiliary units, or by writing to the Contest Department, V. F. W. Auxiliary, 406 West 34th Street, Kansas City 11, Mo.

Auxiliary members annually give more than three million dollars, and more than six million hours, to volunteer service for hospitalized veterans, community service, Americanism programs, assistance to youth groups, civil defense and legislation benefiting veterans and their families. Members are the wives, mothers, sisters, daughters, granddaughters and widows of veterans who have served overseas in the U. S. armed forces, or women who have themselves had overseas service.

Yoakum Oil

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Total depth is 5,345 feet with 5 1/2-inch casing set at total depth.

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Six Flags to Fete 1,000,000th Guest

Friday the 13th may be an unlucky day for some persons, but at SIX FLAGS Over Texas that date is calculated to be a lucky one indeed, as on that date the Park's one millionth guest is expected to walk through the gates.

At 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday evening the gate count had turned to 990,744. If the projected attendance runs true to form, as it has been doing, some 9,000 guests will visit the 110 acre Park on Thursday. The 1,000,000th guest should pass through a turnstile on Friday morning between 10:00 and 10:30 a.m. A SIX FLAGS executive will check the count at the only turnstile that will remain open during that period, and will signal two lovely hostesses from guest relations to bring the person and his family to Angus G. Wynne, Jr., president of Great Southwest Corporation, the creators and developers of SIX FLAGS Over Texas.

Mr. Wynne will make the presentation to the lucky visitor of an engraved gold pass to the Park, an all expense paid weekend at the INN of the Six Flags, a special helicopter ride over the Park, which at 400 feet shows the skylines of Dallas and Fort Worth, plus other gifts for the whole family.

During the millionth visitor's trip through the Park, 16mm movies will be taken of the event, which will later be given to the visitor as a photographic record of the occasion.

Tech Test--

with the results of lateral oiling which is also being used to control weeds in cotton fields.

Researchers are mixing Ipa-zine, Tronetryne, and Ametryne with diesel oil and spraying the mixtures on test plots where the weeds had gained a good start.

Diuron is also being used in the experiments. It is being mixed with water and a wetting agent in one group of tests and with oil in another test series before being applied to the plots.

Dr. Clark Harvey, professor of agronomy at Tech is co-operating with Wiese in the experiments.

Court Report--

for District Court for July 27 which is a divorce action being taken. The case is numbered on the docket as case No. 2072 and is listed as Josie B. Byrd vs. Louis Mac Byrd.

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