



The Plains Record



OUR 36TH YEAR

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Santa Plans Trip To Plains Dec. 16

Santa Claus is coming to Plains this Saturday, December 16, according to a report from one of his helpers.

In honor of this event, Saturday has been proclaimed "Santa Day", with a Santa parade scheduled at 10:30 a.m.

Santa will fly over Plains in an airplane, land at the airport and ride into the community on a fire truck.

He will give sacks of candy to each and every child who comes out to greet him. He will be on the East side of the courthouse at the conclusion of the parade.

Over 30 prizes will be given away during the day's festivities according to a merchant committee report. The gifts have been donated by Plains merchants and include gift certificates, household items, and food.

The gifts will be given at 11 a. m., 2-30 p. m. and 4-30 p. m. In order to be eligible for a free gift, you must be present at the respective times during the day.

Anyone wishing to make a contribution to the Santa Day fund should contact Mrs. Bill Loyd.

Water Dist. Election Scheduled January 9

The Board of Directors of the South Plains Underground Water District, announced that an election will be held on the 9th day of January, 1968, for the purpose of electing Directors for the District. Directors will be elected from all five district precincts.

Candidates for the position of Director are now being accepted. A candidate for Director must own taxable property within the precinct in which he seeks office, and be a resident of the Office of Texas.

Anyone wishing to have his name placed on the ballot should submit a request bearing the names of five qualified voters in his precinct to John J. Kendrick, President of the Board of Directors of the South Plains Underground Water District, at the First National Bank, Brownfield, Texas, no later than noon on December 18, 1967.

The boundary line of each precinct is generally as follows:

#1 That portion of the District located in Cochran and Yoakum Counties.

#2 That portion of the District located in Terry County & North of Highway #380, including all of the City of Brownfield.

#3 That portion of the District located in Terry County, South of Highway 380.

#4 That portion of Gaines County, located East of Highway 385, and including all of the City of Seagraves.

#5 That portion of the District located in Gaines County, and west of Highway #385.

The present members of the Board of Directors are Bob Loe, Plains; John J. Kendrick, Brownfield; Doyle Moss, Route 5, Brownfield; Claude Hearne, Seagraves; and Joe Anderson of Seminole, Texas.

Operation Xmas Card Gets Underway Here

"Operation Christmas Card", annually sponsored by the Plains Dirt Gardeners Garden Club, for improvements at the Plains Cemetery, gives everyone an opportunity to wish each and every resident of Plains a "Merry Christmas" each and every day all year long.

be published in a Community Christmas Card in the December 21st issue of the Plains Record. All money above the expense of the publishing will be used for improvements of the Plains Cemetery.

Over \$1,000 has been netted since the organization of the project. The money is used to help purchase evergreen plants at the Cemetery entrance.

Money may be mailed or given to Mrs. Bill Overton, Mrs. Leon Lewis, Mrs. Neil Parks or Mrs. C.H. Stewart of the project commission, Mrs. Robert Young, president or any member of the Garden Club.



DEMONSTRATION LAMB- The hampshire lamb, shown above, owned by Morris Rushing, is one of the animals being prepared for the Plains and El Paso livestock shows. The above boys are in Vocational Agriculture II, under the instruction of Mr. Lehnberg, who recently demonstrated the process of drenching lambs. Front row, left to right, are Billy Taylor, Jackie McDonnell, Joe Pierce, Morris Rushing, John R. (Bit) Robertson and back row: Hershel Smith, Jimmy Gray, Mike Hughes, Mike Wilkins, Larry Felts, Gregg Jones and Stephen Simpson.

Junior High Basketball Schedule Is Announced

The 1967-68 Plains Junior High Basketball schedule has been released, as follows:

December 14, 1967---Seminole (H) 4:30
(H) 5:00
December 18, 1967---Denver City (T) 4:30
January 8, 1968---Denver City (H) 4:30
January 18, 1968---Morton (T) 5:30
January 19-20-----Seagraves Tourney
January 29, 1968---Brownfield (T) 4:00
February 1, 1968---Seminole (H) 4:30
February 5, 1968---Seagraves (T) 4:30
February 10, 1968---Plains Jr. High Tourney
February 15, 1968---Tatum (H) 5:00
February 19, 1968---Denver City (T) 5:00
February 22, 23, 24---Denver City Tourney

The eighth grade basketball roster is as follows:
Tommy Neal

Charles Fisher
Robby Brantley
Kandy Fitzhugh
Andrew Ruiz
Shelley Simpson
Kevin Guetersloh
Ricky Hanna
James Stewart
Pete DeVries
David Barnett
Ronnie Rains
Arthur Tagle

The seventh grade basketball roster includes:
J. L. Neal
Tony Chandler
Joey Lowe
David Sewell
Bruce Lester
Tony Winn
Lloyd Trout
Jerry Parrish
James Lewis
Mike McRae
Neal Newsom
Randy Tidwell
Robert Barbosa
Garry Haines
Brian Ashburn
Robert Wauson
Gene Wauson
James Stowe
Lee Murph

Tsa Mo Ga Members Host Husbands Dec. 9

The Tsa Mo Ga Club members were host to their husbands at the annual Christmas dinner held December 9, 1967 in the club house at the County Park. Club members who planned and presented the dinner were Mrs. J. M. Tippett, C. C. Perkins, Robert Chambliss, Bill Loyd, F. W. Graham, J. P. Robertson and Ruth Oneal.

The room and tables were beautifully decorated with greenery, snowmen and tall candles.

The State line Home Demonstration Club prepared and served the delicious meal of truck and dressing, fruit salad green beans and water chestnuts, scalloped potatoes and assorted relishes. Pecan pie and pumpkin pie were served with coffee for dessert.

Dinner music was furnished by Robert Field, Judy Albright

Suzhan St. Romain and Cathy Anderson sang a medley of Christmas songs. A very special presentation was made by Mrs. Terry Bacon as she sang "The Christmas Song". She was accompanied by Robert Field at the piano.

Robert Field dressed as Santa Claus and Judy Albright dressed as Mrs. and Mrs. Santa Claus distributed the gifts from a beautiful tree. Their assistants were Suzhan and Cathy dressed as elves.

Special guest were Mrs. B. Johnson and Mrs. Fauche of Denver City; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. P. Smith, Mrs. Alma McGinty, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blankenship, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bozeiman, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Bacon and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Powell.

Also Miss Linda Robertson & Kenneth Hale, Beth Ann, Karen, Robbie and Kendra.

Lt. K. Brooks To Train At U.S. Naval Station

Marine Reserve Second Lieutenant Kenneth E. Brooks Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth E. Brooks of Perryton, husband of the former Miss Loretta A. Taylor of Tokio has reported for advanced instrument flight training with Training Squadron-six at the U. S. Naval Air Station in Pensacola, Fla.

While with the squadron he will be instructed in the Navy's T-28B "Trojan" aircraft, gaining knowledge that will enable him to fly modern, complex military aircraft in all kinds of weather conditions.

He will also be able to fly his aircraft from take-off to destination by the use of navigational instruments and without visual reference to the ground.

Upon completion of his training with Training Squadron-six he will be qualified as a Naval instrument pilot.

Cowboy's Coach Praises Team For "Fine Work"

Plains High School coach John Richey this week praised the Cowboys for their efforts during the opening games of basketball season.

"We are proud of our boys work so far this year. We feel that we have played a real tough schedule so far, but it will help us down the line. Right now we feel that the boys are well ahead of last year's progress even though we have won only two games. As we said everyone is working hard and we want to be ready for the district run with Tahoka, last year's champs, Seagraves and Coahoma," Coach Richey stated.

There are 32 boys out for basketball according to the local school official.

We are playing in the Denver City Tournament this week, opening with Lamesa at 7 p. m. Thursday night.

Coach Richey also listed the varsity, B-team and freshman team roster and schedules, as follows:

Plains 59 Elida 64
Plains 91 Tatum 28
Plains 81 Tatum 46

In varsity play the Cowboys had three overtimes.

The B-team--Bobby Haines, John Lowe, Jimmy Taylor, Larry Massey, Mike Nugent, Dennis Looney, Mike Hughes, Venicetes Torres, Larry Felts, Hershel Smith, Mike Wilkins, Jerry Heald

Their record is 2-4 having

played Denver City, Tatum, and Morton.

The freshmen team--Lynn Cox, Mike Duke, Remedios Flores, Eddie Moore, Wayne Harris, Clevy Kerby, Gary Lesay, Jimmy Recer, Mike Loe, Gary Randal, David Guetersloh and Jan Kennedy.

Their record is 2-3 having played Tatum, Seminole, Morton and Brownfield.

Bad Weather Halts Area Cotton Harvest

The South Plains cotton harvest was at a peak until halted by the adverse weather this week, according to W.K. Palmer, in charge of the Lubbock Cotton Classing Office of the USDA.

Samples received at Lubbock, Brownfield and Lamesa had reached a seasonal high of 40 to 45 thousand daily when the rain, sleet and snow interrupted the harvest.

The three South Plains Offices classed 238,000 samples during the week ending Wednesday, November 29th. The Lubbock Office classed 194,000 of this total, the Brownfield Office-28,000 and the Lamesa Office-16,000.

Through Wednesday, November 29th the Lubbock Office had classed 388,000 samples of this year's crop, the Brownfield Office 85,000 and the Lamesa Office 33,000. This brought the total for the season for the three offices to 506,000. The three offices had 157,000 unclassified samples on hand on Wednesday. This brought the total classed and received by the three offices to 663,000.

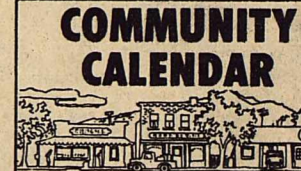
Cotton prices, as reported by the Consumer and Marketing Service of the USDA, declined \$5.00 to \$15.00 this week. Prices ranged from \$2.50 per bale over the loan for high grade, short staple cotton to \$75.00 per bale over the loan for high grade cotton having staple length of 1-3/32 & longer.

Demand continued strongest for cotton having micronaire of 9.3 and better, and this cotton was selling at a greater premium over the loan. Cotton in the other micronaire categories was generally selling at \$5.00 to \$15.00 per bale over the loan.

Average prices paid for the most predominant qualities in the 3.5 to 4.9 micronaire ranges were: Middling 15/16-20.95; Middling 31/32-24.05; Middling 1-inch-26.60; Strict Low Middling 31/32-22.

35; Strict Low Middling 1-inch-24.60; Middling Light Spotted 15/16-20.10; Middling Light Spotted 31/32-22.60 & Middling Light Spotted 1-inch-24.65.

Cottonseed prices ranged from \$52 to \$70 per ton



The annual Christmas concert will be presented Sunday, December 17 at 3 p. m. in the Plains High School Auditorium.

The 50-minute program will include traditional Christmas songs played by the Plains High School, 7th grade and beginners' bands.

No admission will be charged and school officials have extended an invitation to everyone to attend.

The "Child Jesus" will be presented at the First Baptist Church at 7:00 p. m. December 17th.

This presentation will be made by the combined youth and adult choirs under the direction of Miss Judy Albright.

Everyone is invited to attend the Christmas music program.

The Yoakum County Commissioners Court will meet January 8, 1968 for the purpose of setting the salaries of the officials and employees for the year, 1968, according to a report this week from County Judge Gene H. Bennett.

The Plains Chamber of Commerce will meet at 7:30 p. m. tonight in the upstairs of the old courthouse. Any interested persons are urged to attend this session.

Farmers OK Quotas With 410-20

The varsity--Calvin Smith, Dan Field, Billy Taylor, Mike DeVries, Gregg Jones, Billy Kennedy, Jimmy Massey, Billy Spencer, Joe Beal and Joe Pierce.

Their record is as follows:
Plains 48 Morton 52
Plains 43 D. C. 45
Plains 60 Morton 65
Plains 45 Dora 53

YOUTH GROUPS ENJOY DINNER AT JACK PALMERS

The Plains young homemakers and young farmers enjoyed the annual Thanksgiving dinner at the Jack Palmers on November 13 at 7:30 p. m.

Attending were the Vennum Fitzgeralds, Jack Palmers, Roy McGehee, Alex Crosses, Jerome Heads, Kent Welchs, Bo Stephens, and Inez Chambliss, Jo Ann Barron, Linda Huddleston, Randy Lehmborg. Guests were Mrs. John Fitzgerald and the Leo Whites.

The homeakers attended the Tsa Mo Ga bazaar while the young farmers enjoyed a program presented by Leo White.

The young homemakers met again Monday, December 11 in the home. ec. department and brought cakes, cookies, and candy.

The food was then taken to the convalescent home.

Further plans were made for the Christmas dinner Tuesday, December 12 which was served by the Plains FHA members.

Demo Club Tour Homes Near Plains

Yoakum County Home Demonstration Club's second meeting in November was tours of homes. The fiveclubs met at the home of Ozella Hunt in Denver City November 28 at 9 a. m.

They toured Miss Hunt's home, two new houses, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McKee's remodeled home, Judge and Mrs. Gene Bennett's new home in Denver City, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hartman's home, looked at some furniture Mrs. Hartman had redone, saw Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Field's ranch home at Bronco, Mr. and Mrs. Reg Martin's remodeled home and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Pippin's new home.

The ladies attending the tour were: Mmes. Reg Martin, Carl Lowrey from the Turner Club; Robert Chambliss, Charles Williams, P. M. Williams, Jack Palmer from the Stanford Valley Club; R. G. Hartman from the State Line Club; C. A. Prewitt, Hollis Hughes, Carl Short, from the Denver City Club; Mmes. Robert Rucker, Grady Warren, H. L. Walsler, Claude Bowers, of the Pleasant Hill Club, and H. D. agent Mrs. Joe H. Thompson, Mrs. Gene Bennett, and Miss Ozella Hunt.

Lighting Contest

Anyone wishing to enter the Christmas lighting contest sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce is asked to call the chamber for information. Judging will be held between December 16 and 20.

Finances and small membership will not permit the Young Farmers to sponsor the Rural lighting contest as they have in the past according to a YF spokesman.

Runoff Election Saturday!

No 450

SPECIAL RUN-OFF ELECTION
December 16, 1967
Yoakum County, Texas
NOTE: Voter's signature to be affixed on the reverse side.

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 75 (Unexpired Term)

INSTRUCTION NOTE: Place an "X" in the square beside the candidate for whom you wish to vote.

JOHN J. KENDRICK
Terry County

EDDIE PAXTON
Hockley County

Cowboy Corral

In the Cowboy gym last Tuesday night the Cowboys played a victorious game against Tatum. The boys had an ending score of 81-46. The B-game also proved to be a victory when the Cowboys won with 43-40 points. The next game will be played against Levelland at the D. C. Tournament. This tournament will be December 14th-16th. Again Monday, December 11 the Cowboys played Levelland. This game began at 6:30. GO COWBOYS!!!

The A-team football boys were rewarded for all their hard work they put out last season. They have received black leather jackets.

December 15th the State volleyball girls will start working out for their hard season ahead. Their first game will be after the New Year when the girls will start a winning streak all the way to State. "Be NO 1!!!!!!"

The Young Homemakers banquet was on December 12th at the Country Club.

The F. H. A. girls prepared and served the food for them. Then in turn the Young Homemakers will prepare and serve at the F. H. A. Banquet December 21st. This banquet will be in the First Baptist Fellowship Hall. The theme the girls have chosen is "Christmas Fantasy".

Decoration and food committees are hard at work planning & preparing for this oncoming occasion. The chapter has decided the "Bess-Bow" occasion will be formal. This should be one of the great school events of the year.

The F. F. A. boys have been working hard earning money. They have been selling F. F. A. oranges and grapefruits. Everyone seems to be in the mood for Christmas and a badly needed holiday.

The Band plans to have a Christmas Concert Sunday afternoon, December 17th in the High School Auditorium. Everyone is invited.

The Drama Club plan to have a Christmas play. It will be December 21st. Members of the club have been practicing hard in order to present to you "Monsieur La Santa Claus". If you refuse to face trouble you may doubt it.

Tokio News

By Ferne Lowrey

Mr. and Mrs. James Fred Turner, Kathy, Debbie, Mr. and Mrs. James Earl Sherrin, Derrell, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Lowrey, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Grey, Georgia, and Vicki ate Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Sherrin.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Lowrey were their son and family Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lowrey, and Jerry, their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gray, Georgia, Vicki, their granddaughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Sherrin, B. F. Brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lowrey.

Mr. and Mrs. William Worsham and Edith spent Thanksgiving Day with Mrs. Worsham parents Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Waldrop and her sister Mrs. Lucille Palmer in Seminole.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Anderson Sunday afternoon were J. T.'s brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson from Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Braddock visited their son and family Mr. and Mrs. Jackie D. Braddock in Lubbock for the Thanksgiving weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Trout visited Mrs. Trout's mother Mrs. Annie Wesley at Lawn over the weekend.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bearden and family Sunday night and Monday were Bro. Clarence Wainscott from Plainview. Bro. Wainscott is a former pastor of Tokio Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bearden, Rickey, and Rhonda ate Thanksgiving dinner with Mrs. Bearden mother and family Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Perkins and N. C. They visited Ray's parents Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Bearden in Denver City that afternoon. They attended the Three Way and Welch football game at Lamesa to watch Ray nephew Ronnie Bearden play. They visited the Homer Beardens after the game.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Alexander, James, Billy, and Jackie for Thanksgiving were Mrs. Alexander mother's Mrs. Reams from Crosbyton.

Visiting Preacher Sunday at the Tokio Baptist church were Bro. and Mrs. Mac Turner from Lockett.

Bro. and Mrs. Mac Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bearden and family were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Waters and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Avis Kelley from California is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kelley. They visited the Tokio Baptist Church Sunday for both services.

Dr. S. B. Thompson from McMurry College Abilene visited his brother Maurice Thompson and friends in Tokio Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Spencer and family were Thanksgiving dinner guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal Spencer. Also guests of the Spencer from Tokio were Maurice Thompson and James Webb.

Cyndy Lester went with her grandmother Mrs. Vaden Lester to visit in Sweetwater and Hamlin Thanksgiving day. She spent the weekend with her other grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Rogers in New Moore. Bruce Lester spent the Holiday weekend with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Rogers.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Dale Curtis and family for Thanksgiving weekend were Mrs. Curtis Aunt and family Mrs. Wayne Biggs and children from Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dale Curtis and family, Mrs. Wayne Biggs and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Curtis parents Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Smith. The Curtis visited John Dale's mother Mrs. Annie Curtis in Denver City Sunday night.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truett Jones and family Thanksgiving were Truett parents Mr. and Mrs. Glen Jones, his grandmother Mrs. Julia Futrell, Mrs. Jones' parents Mr. and Mrs. U. R. Middleton all of Lamesa, and their daughter Beverly a student at Hardin Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Pippin, Sherri and grandsons Pepper and Timmy Pippin ate Thanksgiving dinner with O. A. sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Odell Head in Lubbock. They visited their daughter-in-law Mrs. Johnny Pippin in Slaton before returning home.

F. N. Mike Pippin will be home on leave December 13 or 14. He will be here until 29th of December. He is serving board the Coral Sea.

Mr. and Mrs. Derooy Anderson and family Thanksgiving dinner guests were Mrs. Anderson parents Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fuquay of Stanton, her sisters and family Mr. and Mrs. Gene Butler and boys of Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Burchett and boys of Big Spring, Derooy parents Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Anderson.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Martin and family Thanksgiving were Mrs. Martin's brothers and family Mr. and Mrs. Tex Lee of Los Angeles, California, Puny Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Chick Lee and Joe Bob of Brownfield, her sisters and family Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Park of Roby, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cooper of Taler, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Flanagan of Lubbock, a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Flanagan of Lubbock, a niece and family Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cooper of Odessa, their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hart and Serena of Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Waters and family attended Mrs. Waters family the D. A. Wilson Thanksgiving dinner in Lubbock. All but one of the ten children and Mrs. Wilson were there.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Waters and family Friday night and Saturday were Mrs. Waters sister and family Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Stanton of Stephenville. The Lewis Waters visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kelley with Rev. and Mrs. Avis Kelley after church Sunday night.

Mrs. Billy Yeatts and two boys have been sick with the flu for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowe Stephens Brent, and Lee Ann ate Thanksgiving dinner with Rowe parents Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stephens of Rt. 4, Brownfield. Other guests were their daughters and family Mr. and Mrs. Don Hickey and Jay of Lawton, Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Goldston, Vic, Lyn, and Meg of Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowe Stephens attended the funeral of Rowe grandmother Mrs. Lee Hulse in Brownfield Sunday afternoon. She was 76 years old.

Those attending the wedding of Miss Roberta Snodgrass and Bob Patterson Thursday in Midland were Roberta's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Snodgrass, her sister Rita Jo, her brother Carton, her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Snodgrass, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jones, Gregg, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Todd Snodgrass, Olen and Gray Joe Smith.

Mary Clanahan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Clanahan and Mary's roommate, Calvina Furnace, having completed their nursing training at NTSU left Wednesday, November 29 for Guam. The girls visited in Los Angeles for a few days &

then continued their journey to Honolulu, Hawaii on Dec. 3. They both took their board examinations for their nursing license and from there they continue on to Guam where they will reside with Calvina's parents Col. and Mrs. Earl Furnace for the next year.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Davis visited their son and family Mr. and Mrs. Donald Davis and Scooty and their daughter & family Mr. and Mrs. John Williamson in Ulvalde for the Thanksgiving holiday. Scooty had just been dismissed for the hospital. A check on his heart report were good.

Mrs. Carl Lowrey was honored on her birthday Thursday Nov. 30 at the Holiday House in Brownfield by her sons and family - Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lowrey and Toni, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lowrey and Tracy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dearing & boys, Mrs. and Mr. Claude Addison and family, Mrs. A. N. Addison, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cheathan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Engle attended the Wilson family reunion in Snyder recently. Six of the seven children of Mrs. A. N. Addison attended the reunion.

Mrs. Melvin Waldrop was admitted to the hospital in Seminole Dec. 1. She is the

mother of Mrs. William Worsham. Mr. and Mrs. Waldrop live in the Turner community serval years before moving to Seminole. Her condition is still about the same.

Edith Worsham spent Saturday night and Sunday with her grandfather Melvin Waldrop and her Aunt Lucille Palmer in Seminole.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bearden visited C. C. Perkins in the Denver City hospital Sunday. Mr. Perkins was admitted Sat. night. Reports way he is feeling fine.

Mrs. Roy Lowrey and Toni attended Mrs. Lorey's niece Cindy Moore's eighth birthday party Sunday in Brownfield.

Jerry Lowrey, N. C. Clanahan, and Rickey Elmore spent the weekend in Canyon visiting Jerry's brother Coy.

Mrs. Howard Rucker and daughter Kathy returned home Sunday after visiting her daughter and family for over the past month. Mr. Rucker came after them Friday and visited his new granddaughter Shannon Elmore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Anderson & their son and his wife Mr. & Mrs. Duane Anderson left Monday on a fishing trip to Lake Falcon. They plan to be gone a week and will visit some with J. T.'s sister and

family Mr. and Mrs. Stub Sherrin.

Weekend guests of Becky Waters were Becca Brown of Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Waters, Becky, Glenn and Becca Brown ate supper with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bearden, Rickey and Rhonda Friday night.

Mrs. Lewis Waters, Becky, and Glenn visited Mrs. Water's mother, Mrs. DA Wilson in Lubbock Sunday. They attended church at the Calvary Baptist Church in Lubbock.

Visiting the Ray Beardens Tuesday through Thursday were Ray's parents Mr. and Mrs. Rubin Bearden of Denver City.

Mrs. Ray Bearden and Mrs. Lewis Waters were in Lubbock Monday on business and Christmas shopping.

Bill Gray was admitted to the V. A. hospital in Big Spring Wednesday. Tests were run on him and he was able to come home for the weekend. He returned Monday for more tests and to wait for surgery on his back.

Richard (Red) Spencer who is a student at North Texas State University were home over the weekend visiting his parents Mr. & Mrs. W. O. Spencer.

Ervin in Brownfield Thursday He was the brother of Mrs. Bill Irvin and was well known in our community.

Congratulations to Mr. & Mrs. Tommy Elmore on the arrival of a baby girl born December 5 at the Methodist hospital in Lubbock. Her name is Shannon Serena and she weighed 8pounds-12 ounces at birth.

Mr. & Mrs. Bob Patterson of Midland were guests of her parents Mr. & Mrs. Jesse Snodgrass over the weekend. They also visited her grandparents Mr. & Mrs. Hugh Snodgrass on Sunday.

Visiting Olan Smith last week prior to his induction into the armed services were Mrs. Tom Box and boys from Bledsoe, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. k Smith, Mr. & Mrs. Ray Jones and Gregg, Mrs. and Mrs. Duane McDonnell and family, and Mr. & Mrs. Jesse Snodgrass. Olan left Dec. 5th.

Ira Lovelace has been confined at home for several days but is reported much better.

Mrs. Sidney Hart and baby daughter were guests of her parents the Reg Martins last week.

Friends were shocked to learn of the death of Lewis

Young people of the Tokio Baptist Church accompanied by Mrs. Lewis Waters attended the Youth Rally in Meadow Monday night.

Rev Ray Hattison, ministerial student at Wayland Baptist College, Plainview, filled the pulpit at Tokio Church Sun. He was accompanied by his wife Beverly. They visited in the home of the Alvis Minstead.

Wayne Bagwell's father is reported much improved in the Brownfield hospital following a heart attack.

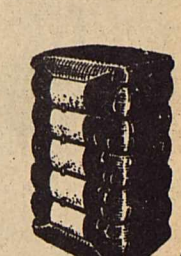
Thurman and Aline Locke, Mr. & Mrs. Wayne Sherrin, and James Sherrin were among those who attended the funeral services Thursday for Mrs. Carl Rains' father at O'Donnell. Mrs. Rains' mother remained in a Midland hospital after a fall recently, resulting in a fractured hip.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonn Dale Curtis, Jimmy, Claudia, Johnny, and Billy Dale visited John dales' mother Mrs. Anne Curtis in Denver City.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowe Stephens and Brent, LeeAnn visited Mrs. Stephens' aunt and family the J. H. Hendleys in Slaton for the weekend.

MR. FARMER...

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W. O. SPENCER

C. G. S. GIN

WHERE IN THE WORLD


will our school students
go to build careers
for themselves?

(WHAT PART CAN YOU PLAY IN)
(ANSWERING THIS QUESTION?)

Right now it's back-to-school for the book-toters of our town. Before you know it, they'll be graduating! Many will go on to higher learning. Ultimately all of them will have a decision to make, as to WHERE they can best build their careers.

You have a definite stake in the future of these young people. Your taxes help pay for their education. The more of them who stay HERE to contribute to the progress of THIS community, the better for all of us!

It takes a GROWING community to provide adequate scope for the rightful ambitions of young people. What can YOU do about this? One very important thing: You can spend MORE of your shopping dollars at home, where they will stimulate local trade and business, spark expansion, help create more employment opportunities, help maintain first class schools and other civic services that will attract new residents and new industries. You help our young people, our town, and YOURSELF, when you...



How many will be able to USE their education where they are getting it... here at HOME?

PARK and SHOP
ONE stop is all it takes.

FREE PARKING
Always lots of space available.

GREATER VARIETY
New merchandise gets here fast.

WIDER PRICE RANGE
Selections to suit all budgets.

BETTER VALUES
All your favorite brands here.

FAMOUS BRANDS
Trade with stores you KNOW!

SHOP with CONFIDENCE
You're a favored customer here!

FRIENDLY SERVICE
Low overhead keeps prices down.

SHOP AT HOME

Plains Oil Company	City OF Plains
Horkey LP Gas & Shell Service	George's Phillips 66 Service
Ross Irrigation	Cogburn-Young True Value Store

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APRONS, LAMPS AND USED
FURNITURE 50¢ AND UP

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THANK YOU!

For your overwhelming support in the Plains area which helped me carry YOAKUM COUNTY. I am deeply grateful for your help and I need your vote again on Saturday, Dec. 16, in the Runoff!

Vote Saturday

December 16 for
Democrat

John Kendrick

State Representative
Runoff

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State Line News

By Margaret Box
Mrs. Tom Box and Mrs. Bill Russell returned home Wednesday afternoon from Salado where Mrs. Box attended a THDA Board meeting. Mrs. Russell visited her sister, Mary, and family in Temple & her parents, Mr. & Mrs. H. G. Taylor, in Little River, Tex.

Friday Mrs. Joe Henry Thompson, Mrs. Leon Thompson, Mrs. Grace Hughes, Mrs. Lee Roy Box, Kimberly Box, and Mrs. Tom Box attended a dinner meeting at Youngblood's for the District past and present THDA chairmen. Mrs. Tom Box reviewed "Hey, Mom" by Mary D. Bowman for the group.

Mrs. Laura Wilson and girls of Lubbock and a friend visited her sister, Mrs. Leon Thompson, and family over the weekend.

Mrs. Roy Perkins and Mrs.

W. P. Turner shopped in Hobbs Thursday.

Mrs. Don Young and Choya Don went to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Wood, in Morton Thursday and stayed until Saturday morning. Her dad got a finger cut off and another finger cut in the gin Tues.

Mr. & Mrs. Ruilien Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Houston and children all of Hobbs spent the weekend with the men's mother, Mrs. Lorena Houston.

Mr. & Mrs. Elmer Houston of Olton spent Friday until Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ira Tidwell, Randy & Lyndyl.

Leora Turner of Hobbs College spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. W. P. Turner, and Louella.

Mrs. Odell Box spent Sunday in the Tom Box home.

Mr. & Mrs. Ronnie Davis of Canyon visited her grandmother, Mrs. Grace Hughes, Sunday afternoon.

A Mexican supper was en-

joyed by Mr. and Mrs. Clark Jones, Mr. & Mrs. Sandy Bonnell, Anita and Hames Carl, Mr. & Mrs. Marvin Frazier & children, Mrs. Grace Hughes, Mrs. Tom Box and Tommy Guy Saturday night at the Gladiola Youth Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Young and Choya Don visited his Uncle and aunt, Mr. & Mrs. Young, in Muleshoe Saturday.

Choya Don Young is ill this week with tonsillitis.

Mr. H. F. Barnes, Mrs. Gene Payne, SR, and Mrs. J. W. Aldridge all of Plains are patients in the Yoakum County Hospital in Denver City. Mrs. Tom Box visited them during the weekend.

Mr. & Mrs. Woody Woods are the proud parents of a 7 pound son born Tuesday in the Yoakum County Hospital. His name is Richard Ray. He will be welcomed home Tuesday by four brothers.

Mrs. White was hostess in the home of Mrs. Garland Brown Monday afternoon for a Stanley party given by Mrs.

Vanita Scoggins of Morton. Punch and cookies were served to Mmes. Lee Jordan, Vada Alexander, Sandra Wages, Jean Cadjev, Marvin Brown, Grace Hughes, Lee Roy Box, Tom Box and hostesses.

Mike Hughes was a guest of Mr. & Mrs. Earl Kreig, Phyllis and Earl Sunday with a trip to Ruidosa.

La Fonda Thompson was on the sick list Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. & Mrs. Lee Roy Box, Lebeth and Kimberly were hosts Sunday to a family dinner. Those attending were: Mr. & Mrs. Randall Hughes, Gayle and Lanny of Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hughes and children of Seminole, Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson of Muleshoe; Mrs. Grace Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Box, Tommy Guy and Mike Hughes.

Mr. & Mrs. C. A. Stewart left Thursday for Oklahoma City where their daughter Mrs. Alice Booe is ill in the hospital.

Mrs. Roy Perkins, Mrs. R. G. Hartman, Mrs. Lee Roy Box, Mrs. Grace Hughes and Mrs. Tom Box attended the Christmas Bread demonstration given by Mrs. Joe Henry Thompson Thursday in the club room. A very attractive array of breads and coffee cakes were baked and eaten by those attending.

TSA MO GA

The annual Christmas dinner of the Tsa Mo Ga members & husbands was held December 9, 1967 in the Club Room at the County Park at 8:00.

Mrs. J. M. Tappett, Mrs. C. C. Perkins, Mrs. Robert Chambliss, Mrs. Bill Loyd, Mrs. F. W. Graham, Mrs. J. P. Robertson and Mrs. Ruth O'Neal were hostesses at the occasion.

A dinner and entertainment was enjoyed by all.

MISS BETTY HAMM FETED WITH SHOWER ON SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3

Miss Betty Hamm, bride-elect of John W. Henly of Lubbock was honored with a bridal shower Sunday, December 3rd at the Tsa Mo Ga Club House. Hostesses for the party were Mmes J. W. Moore, Jr., Henry E. Rushing, C. F. McCargo, Wallace Randolph, P. W. St. Romain, James Warren, Tom Warren, Raymond Bookout, Gene Johnson and Garland Swann.

Guests attending were from Dallas, Canyon, Lubbock, Brownfield, Seminole, Wellman and Plains area, included Mrs. L. D. Hamm, Jr., mother of the honoree, Mrs. Wayne Henly and Mrs. John Bowyer, mother and grandmother of the bride-groom of Lubbock. The serving table was centered with a tiered bouquet of snapdragons and carnations in the honoree's chosen color, pink.

The couple plan to marry December 16th in the Methodist Church in Plains at 7:30 p. m.

PRE-NUPTIAL SHOWER HONORS MISS WILLIAMS ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9

Saturday, December 9, 1967 from 2-4 p. m. found Mrs. Joe B. Price's home in Tatum, the scene of a bridal shower honoring Miss Billie Jane Williams, bride-elect of Marvin Lee Brown. Billie Jane was presented a corsage of light blue carnations and white wedding bells while both Mothers received corsages of white carnations.

As guests arrived, they were registered by Eva Mae Copersmith. Guests were served punch and cake from a white satin covered table by Mrs. Tex Belcher and Mrs. Glen Chapman.

The centerpiece, was a lovely arrangement of white and blue carnations flanked by a pair of white candles on each side. The hostess, ladies of the Tatum Church of Christ, presented the couple with a quilt and other individual gifts.

Gifts are in the bride's home, friends are welcome to come at anytime.



Mr. & Mrs. Billie Trout and children of Denver City spent the weekend with her parents Mr. & Mrs. Willie Sisco.

Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Witt of Seminole; visited his mother Mrs. Charley Newell.

Mrs. Harry Cayce of Seagraves visited Mrs. Gene Phillips one day last week.

John Anderson was in Lubbock last Saturday on business.

Roy Edwards was in Ft. Worth Dec. 1st on business.

Mrs. Joe Curry is home after spending a few days in the hospital last week.

Mrs. S. Kee is better, she suffered a blackout and fell through a glass door. She had several stitches to close cuts she received.

Mr. & Mrs. Skeet Robertson was in the city of Brownfield Saturday where he conducted funeral services for Lewis Fernin. They went on to Winters Okla. where he conducted funeral services for a cousin of Mrs. Robertson.

Mr. & Mrs. John Anderson were shoppers in Lubbock and Brownfield Saturday.

Mrs. C. G. Fitzhugh, Greg, Randy & Charlie Fisher spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Vernon.

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Roy Edward and Dick McGinty along with a pulpist committee from the First Christian Church of Seminole went to Stanton, Texas Sunday to interview a prospective minister to serve the Plains and Seminole Church.

Mrs. Gene Phillips and Mrs. Roy Edwards visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Johnnie Moore in Slaton Monday.

Mrs. Graden Defoar of Ft. Sumner, N. M. spent one night last week with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edwards, & also the two ladies attended a bridal shower in Hobbs for Miss Denise Newman who will marry Mrs. Defoar's son Dennis in late Dec. Dennis is in the National Guard.

Recent visitors in the L. W. Barrett home were her daughter and family the A. C. Stanleys and a son J. D. Riddle all of Seminole and Mr. Barretts brother Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Barrett of Canyon, Texas.

Word was received that Mr. and Mrs. Steve McGinty are the proud parents of a new daughter, born December 4.

Mr. & Mrs. E. W. Craig attended funeral services Sat. in Big Spring for Mrs. Craig's aunt Mrs. Mattie Gilbert.

Mr. & Mrs. A. H. Shefflett spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Malgamar, N. M.

Mr. & Mrs. D. H. Kirby & Cleye Loy spent Thanksgiving in El Paso with their son Jimmie and his wife. Jimmie is in the service there.

Carolyn Sawyer of Lubbock, a niece of Mrs. Adell Kirby, is helping her in the Town & Country Beauty Shop for a while.

Mr. & Mrs. C. L. Strickland and Wayne spent Sunday last with their son Ray and family. Robert Strickland of Whitherall was also there.

Mrs. W. L. McClell and Ralph visited Tinnie Maxey in Odessa Sunday. Margrett Bute, a former resident of Plains visited Mrs. McClellan there. Tinnie Maxey returned home with them for a few days visit.

Mr. & Mrs. Amos Shefflett visited cousins Dec. 1st in Past, Mr. & Mrs. Tom Miller, they spent the night with their son and family Gene Shifflett in Snyder. They went Christmas shopping in Sweetwater Saturday and spent that

night at Lake J. B. Thomas with friends Mr. & Mrs. Hershel Jones.

Bobby Sawyer of Lubbock is visiting this week in the D. H. Kirby home. He is a nephew of Mrs. Kirby.

Mr. & Mrs. Hollis Walfenberger and boys, Marie Gris-ham and Helen spent the weekend with the girls parents Mr. & Mrs. John Anderson.

Ralph and Dixie McClellan spent Saturday night in Canyon with Mr. and Mrs. Steve McGinty and son.

Mr. Arnel Edward, who works for the state and has been ill for sometime, received word from his Dr. he was well enough to return to his job.

Guests for Thanksgiving in the H. R. Stott's home were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Stotts and Alan of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Chris and Paul of Tahlequah Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Stotts, Mike and Mark of Phoenix Arizona and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Stotts and Darci of Midland.

The Rebecca Lodge had their annual Thanksgiving supper last week.

Mrs. Ruth O'Neal spent Thanksgiving with her son and family Jim O'Neal at Bronco, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Price and children of Albuquerque, New Mexico spent Thanksgiving weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitlock.

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