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THE WEATHER

John Hague, Local Observer

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AUG. 1 (R. 50)	90	64
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AUG. 3	86	65
AUG. 4	92	63
AUG. 5	96	63
AUG. 6	95	60
AUG. 7	96	63

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AL Beauty Show Draws 31 Entries

JOHNNY MYERS

Highlighting another big week-end in Plains will be the American Legion's annual bathing beauty contest and water pageant. The program is scheduled to get underway at 8:00 p.m. at the county swimming pool in Stanford Park.

Thirty-one girls are entered, five of them representing Denver City firms. There will be a rehearsal Friday (Aug. 10) at 5 p.m. at the pool.

Vernon Townes will be master of ceremonies for the contest and pageant. The Legion has not yet named judges of the contest but spokesmen say they will be out of county people.

There are three divisions of competition in the beauty contest. A Miss Yoakum County will be named from contestants 14 and over, a Junior Miss Yoakum County in the age group 10-14 and a Little Miss Yoakum County nine and under.

Each winner will be crowned and trophies will be presented immediately following the judging. In addition, Mrs. Harold Watson of Denver City will present each winner with a corsage.

Legionnaires have planned a diving exhibition and other entertainment to accompany the beauty contest. Members announced the pool would be closed all day Saturday in order to decorate the pool for the contest.

Contestants, ages and sponsoring firms are listed below, in that order:

Lynna Sisco, 16, and Becky East, 17, Yucca Drive In; D' Lynn McGinty, 10, Been's Laundry; Helen Green, 16, Tingle Service and Garage; Brenda Suddreth, 15, Jeanette Jones, 13, and Beverly Jones, 6, Bianche's Beauty Shop; Judy Lowe, 15, and Carolyn Murphy, 12, Plains Swimming Pool; Joyce Martin, 17, The Denver City Press; Willie Mae Addison, 16, The Yoakum County Review; Jan Hutchins, 16, and Jackie Hawkins, 9, Hawkins Food Market.

Elizabeth Edwards, 11, Edwards Feed Store, Denver City; D'Lois McGinty, 15, Carolyn Warren, 11, and Frieda Copper, 9, the American Legion, Becky Tanner, 15, and Marsha White, 12, and Sylvia McGinty, 9, Plains Frozen Foods; Mylonne Patterson, 18, Curry Insurance Agency; Jana Warren, 9, and Joyce Warren, 5, Plains Oil Co.

Mary Kay Dyer, 17, and Laura Ann Townes, 7, Wells-Nelson Pharmacy, Denver City; Kay Smith, 16, and Pamela McDonnell, Conoco Super Service; Jan Sims, 16, and Kathy Curry, 4, Plains Courts; Gwynette Pharr, 16, Precinct 4; Sharon Kidd, 16, W. L. Kidd Oil Service, Denver City; Susan St. Romain, 7, Romain Telephone Co. and Billie Rushing, 16, Plains Shell Service.

City Delegation Talks Water Tank In Odessa Meeting

JOHNNY MYERS

A delegation from the Plains City Council was in Odessa Saturday discussing possibility of purchasing a 100,000 gallon water storage tank from a firm in that city.

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Dismantling the tank was scheduled to begin Monday and City Engineer Cecil Hawk of Lubbock told councilmen he would go to Odessa to inspect the tank.

If the tank is in as good shape as Mr. Gorbitt claims then councilmen are expected to advertise for bids on a tank (a requirement of state law for any purchase exceeding \$2,000) and enter into negotiations with Mr. Gorbitt.

The present water storage tank has a capacity of 10,500 gallons which is not sufficient storage for the town and the tank is losing great amounts of water through leakage.

Attending the session were Mayor Roger Curry, Aldermen Amos Smith, M. C. Brian, Johnnie Fitzgerald and City Secretary J. H. Ashenbeck.

San Andres Pay Tested

JOHNNY MYERS

Eight miles west and slightly north of Denver City, Shell Oil Company No. 15 Dora Roberts has been completed as a discovery from the Wichita-Albany zone.

On 24-hour potential test, the strike pumped 221.7 barrels of 41 gravity oil, plus 4.42 barrels of water, through perforations from 8,448 to 8,483 feet.

The discovery is in the Wason (San Andres) field, 2,310 feet from north and 1,650 feet from east lines of section 793, block D, John H. Gibson survey.

J. D. Hancock Oil Company, Ltd. (formerly Bosworth & Schreiner) No. 1 Jadar, Central Yoakum County wildcat, was preparing to set 5 1/2-inch casing for completion attempt in the San Andres.

Operator cored the section from 5,284 to 5,360 feet and recovered 45 feet of effective pay.

The project is bottomed at 5,360 feet. The casing will be set on bottom and perforated for completion.

Location is 660 feet from north and east lines of section 573, block D, J. H. Gibson survey, five miles south of Plains, 2 1/2 miles southeast of the Branahney field.

Lario Oil & Gas Company No. 1 Jones, one mile north and slightly west of the field discovery, is shut-in, waiting on railroad commission potential test.

San Andres Perforations are from 5,223-31 feet.

Location is one mile north of Plains, 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 391, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

Cities Service Oil Company No. 9 Procter, Northwest Gaines County wildcat, found water in the Devonian on drillstem test from 11,278 to 11,330 feet.

The prospective discovery tested the section two hours and 45 minutes. Recovery was 1,000 feet of oil, gas and sulphur water-cut blanket, 1,460 feet of mud, oil and gas-cut sulphur water, and 300 feet of oil, gas and sulphur water-cut mud.

Previous drillstem test, from 11,222 to 11,280 feet, open three hours, recovered 90 feet of gas, 7,010 feet of mud-cut oil, and 1,000-foot water blanket. Recovery from below the sub was 240 feet of mud-cut oil.

The project also showed for Devonian production on drillstem tests from 11,130 to 11,172 feet, and from 11,167 to 11,224 feet. Mississippi shows developed to test from 10,770 to 10,808 feet.

Location is 2,040 feet from north and 1,880 feet from west lines of section 253, block G, CCSD&RGNG survey, 18 miles southwest of Denver City.

Send Uninstructed Delegation To State Demo Convention

JOHNNY MYERS

Yoakum County Democrats Saturday named an uninstructed delegation to the state convention September 11. Claude Freeman Jr. was named chairman of the delegation.

Yoakum County has two votes in the convention and four delegates were named with one-half vote each. Two alternate delegates were also named.

Yoakum County's votes are to be cast as a unit.

Delegates to the Dallas convention are Freeman, J. W. O. Alldredge, County Judge H. K. Benton, and John Derryberry. Alternates are Ray Parker and Dr. Bruce Boyd.

The session Saturday was a short one, lasting only about one hour. Business transacted was more or less a repetition of that conducted at the county convention in May.

In attendance were: County Democratic Chairman A. S. Carpenter, County Chairmen R. B. (Woody) Woodward, Mrs. Claude Freeman, W. R. Shook, Elias Ivey, and all the delegates to the state convention except Judge Benton, who was in the hospital at the time.

County 4-H Club Plans Style Show And Dress Revue

JOHNNY MYERS

There will be a dress review and style show Friday, August 10, in the Plains High School auditorium at 8:30 p.m. Participants will be girls of the County Wide 4-H Club who will model garments they have made themselves.

There will be four divisions in competition: skirts, blouses, casuals and dresses. Girls will be judged on the construction of the garment, how well it looks on the girl, and her modeling ability.

Narrator for the show will be Mrs. Johnny L. Fitzgerald. Judges are to be Miss Lila Baker, Hockley County assistant HD agent; Miss Leila Petty, Cochran County HD agent, and Miss Charlene Potts, assistant HD agent for Gaines County.

Miss La Rue Gilmore, Yoakum County home demonstration agent and sponsor of the show, said there would be an entry prize for each contestant. Also, the girl with the highest score in the review will receive a dress review pin.

Judging will also be conducted on records. These are the records the girls keep on 4-H projects and activities.

The girl, 14 years old or older, with the highest score will enter district competition September 8 on the campus of Texas Tech in Lubbock.

Absentee Balloting In August Primary Off to Slow Start

JOHNNY MYERS

Absentee balloting for the August 25 Democratic Primary (run-off) election began Monday. By late Wednesday Vance Brown of Precinct 6 had voted and absentee applications had been mailed to Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Jordan who vote in Precinct 8.

The ballot is considerably shorter for this election. Three races are contested on the state level.

U.S. Senator Price Daniel, who polled 606,877 votes in the July 28 election and Ralph Yarborough, Austin attorney, are sparking the run-off campaign for the governor's office. Yarborough, a repeated candidate for that office, got 450,979 votes in the first primary.

There was to be a contest for the lieutenant governorship, but State Senator A. M. Alkin Jr., who ran a good second to Ben Ramsey two weeks ago, has announced he would be unable to make the race this time because of ill health. He was hospitalized near the end of the first primary and has withdrawn from the race on doctor's orders. Ramsey's name, however, appears on the ballot.

Also contested is the attorney general's race. Will Wilson, Dallas attorney and recent member of the Texas Supreme Court, and

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Pete Bowens, Buddy Brantleys Have Girls

JOHNNY MYERS

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Bowen of Mineral Wells are announcing the arrival of a daughter born July 21 in a Mineral Wells Hospital. She weighed three pounds and 14 ounces and has been named Kathy Renae. Mrs. Bowen is the former Gayle Bandy of Plains. Mr. Bowen is employed as an electrician for the Crazy Water Hotel in Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Brantley are announcing the arrival of a daughter born August 2 at 12:56 p.m. in the Yoakum County Hospital in Denver City. She weighed seven pounds and eight ounces and has been named Rhonda Denise. Mr. Brantley is employed by Wilford Ham.

School Opens Sept. 3

JOHNNY MYERS

Supt. of Schools G. D. Kennedy announced this week that school will open September 3. He advised The Review that complete registration and enrollment details would be available for next week's issue.

Scratchpad

Stanford Park is one of the things that could ever to this part of Yoakum. Drive through there any daylight hour during and you will see that of this area also feel. In most towns of this isn't a park. If there people hardly ever go and only brag about their beauty when talking to or visiting out of town. Stanford Park is

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BEAUTY CONTESTANTS — From top to bottom starting at left: Judy Lowe, Annette Suddreth, D'Lois McGinty, Jackie Hawkins, Jeanette Jones. Second row: Frieda Copper, Jan Sims, Beverly Jones, Jan Hutchins. Third row: Pam McDonnell, 2-years-old and the youngest contestant, and Kay Smith. Fourth row: Becky Tanner, Kathy Curry, D'Lynn McGinty, Joyce Martin. Fifth row: Mylonne Patterson, 18 (large picture) oldest girl entered and second place winner last year above her, left to right, Helen Green and Carolyn Murphy. Sixth row: Brenda Suddreth, Willie Mae Addison, Sylvia McGinty, Mary Kay Dyer. Seventh row: Billie Rushing, Gwynette Pharr, Sharon Kidd, Elizabeth Edwards, Laura Ann Townes. Marsha White is in the center of the group in the lower right between Mary Kay Dyer and Elizabeth Edwards.

—Review Photos

LYNTEGAR ELECTRIC CO-OP TO HOLD ANNUAL MEETING AT TAHOKA AUG. 14

The annual membership meeting of the Lyntegar Electric Co-op, Inc. will be held Tuesday, August 14, at the football stadium in Tahoka, it was announced this week.

Registration will begin at 6 p. m. with a barbecue to follow at 6:30 o'clock.

Guest speaker will be Boyce House, who has written more than 13 books about Texas, including "I Give You Texas" and "Tall Talk About Texas", Nos. 1 and 2 on the all-time Texas best seller list. He was referred to as "Texas No. 1 Booster" by Life Magazine in an article of which he was the subject, and has made hundreds of speeches from California to Florida.

Clint Walker will serve as master of ceremonies for the program, which will be called to order at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. Robert Clements will give the invocation and Dr. K. R. Durham will offer the welcome. Truett Smith will introduce visitors and the speaker.

Following the talk by Boyce House, the business meeting will be called to order, and will include the reports of the president and secretary, the report of the nominating committee, and the election of three directors for three year terms.

A total of \$750 in electrical appliances will be given away during the meeting.

Official Record . . .

Auto Registrations
Waymond Taylor, Denver City, 1956 Ford Victoria, D. C. Motors.
James R. Richards, Denver City, 1956 Ford Country Sedan, D. C. Motors.

County Court
State of Texas vs. Randolph Crow, charged with swindle, August 7.

District Court
Gustavo Ortiz vs. Maria Soto Ortiz, suit for divorce filed August 4.
Jerry Paquin attorney for plaintiff.

R. L. King, Ind., et al vs. L. H. Walker, suit to collect damages, filed July 25.
Elvis R. Wauson vs. Dealers National Insurance Co., suit to collect compensation, filed August 1.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bartlett visited with relatives in Brownfield last Thursday afternoon.

Billy and Sue Stewart were both in the Treadway-Daniel Hospital in Brownfield last week.

Mrs. Robert Chambliss and Jerry Wayne Jackson visited in Brownfield with Mrs. Chambliss' mother, Mrs. Elco Evans, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Box and family visited in Coleman last weekend with Mrs. Box's mother.

Highlights and Sidelights FROM YOUR State CAPITOL

AUSTIN, Tex. — Today's favorite riddle among Capitol seers is: "How will the new legislature go—Conservative or Liberal?"

First primary voting results assured substantial turnovers in both houses. Fifty-four newcomers are certain in the 150-member House. At least seven "freshmen" are assured in the 31-member Senate.

Second primary returns could boost the turnover to 65 in the House, 11 in the Senate.

One astute, non-partisan observer hazarded a guess that the 55th Legislature will be "slightly more liberal". But he emphasized this was only a guess, necessarily based on campaign statements. Many things can happen to change these positions.

Only way to be sure, he commented, is to "watch 'em vote a few times". This is especially true, he pointed out, for the newcomers.

Senate newcomers include three men who defeated incumbents outright. They are Charles F. Her-ning of Austin, who won over Sen. Johnnie B. Rogers; Henry B. Gonzales of San Antonio, who defeated Sen. O. E. Lattimer; and Hubert R. Hudson of Brownsville, victor over Sen. Rogers Kelley.

In the Lubbock area, Ex-Rep. Preston Smith and Rep. Carroll Cobb are in a runoff after both edged out Sen. Kilmer Corbin.

Two other senators are in run-offs. They are Sen. Doyle Willis of Fort Worth, contested by Rep. Joe Pyle; and Sen. William Shireman of Corpus Christi, opposed by Bruce Reagan.

Rep. Floyd Bradshaw of Weatherford won the post of the late Sen. Wayne Wagoner. Two other senators did not run again. Sen. Gus Strauss of Hallettsville will be succeeded by Culp Krueger of El Campo. Sen. Warren McDonald will be replaced by Rep. Bill Wood of Tyler.

Long-range guesses are that the conservative-liberal balance in the Senate will be "about the same as before". But the House is termed "still a jig-saw puzzle". Both conservative and liberal forces in the House will be without some of their staunchest advocates in past sessions.

Forty-three representatives retired. Among them were such liberal leaders as Reps. Dolph Briscoe of Uvalde, Maury Maverick Jr. of San Antonio and D. B. Hardeman of Denison. Twenty-eight men have been elected to fill vacancies; 15 are yet to be decided in the second primary.

Eleven incumbent representatives were voted out in July. Casualties included such known conservatives as Reps. G. O. Gillham of Brownfield, W. G. Kirklin of Odessa and Santon Stone of Freeport. Other conservatives were among the 11 incumbents involved in run-offs.

This year's House turnover is only slightly larger than the average of one-third. Largest in recent history was in 1939, the year W. Lee O'Daniel first became governor and the House got 91 new members.

DANIEL CITES NEGRO VOTES — Block voting in Negro

precincts, dominated by members of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, will be a major issue in the run-off campaign. So stated Sen. Price Daniel in an Austin speech to campaign workers.

The candidate for governor cited election returns to show that big-city Negro precincts, where the NAACP is strongest, gave his opponent, Ralph Yarborough, 87 per cent of the votes, compared with only 5.8 per cent for the Senator.

Typical of the Negro boxes, said Daniel, were Box 157 in Houston, which gave Yarborough 398 votes to only 2 for Daniel.

Others mentioned were Box 68 in Houston, with Yarborough receiving 926 votes to Daniel's 35; Box 120 in Fort Worth, where Yarborough scored 458 to Daniel's 6; Box 59 in Fort Worth; Yarborough 454, Daniel 3; Box 309 in Dallas; Yarborough 436, Daniel 3; Box 226 in Dallas; Yarborough 322, Daniel 8.

POLIO VACCINE FOR ALL—The lid is off on polio vaccinations. State Health Commissioner Henry Holle reports that federal allocation of Salk vaccine had ended. Shots are now available commercially for any person of any age. More-than-adequate supplies make the change-over possible.

For Dr. Holle it was the end of a several months' fight to get shots for persons 20 years of age and more.

Health Department statistics show that 16 per cent of all Texas' paralytic polio cases this year and 29 per cent of polio deaths hit persons over 19.

So far this year Texas has had 668 polio cases, 15 of them fatal. During the same period last year 701 cases were reported. Health officials credit vaccinations for the drop.

STATEWIDE RAIN MAKING BACKED—A statewide rain making effort may be launched to combat Texas' prolonged drought.

Sen. George Parkhouse of Dallas has called a September meeting of the Texas Water Resources Committee to study this possibility.

First to advance the idea publicly was O. G. McClain, Corpus Christi member of the committee. A petroleum geologist, McClain contended that rain making is the "most economical, permanent and equitable way to get more water".

Even "with complete conservation and development", he said, "the water supply still would be terribly inadequate. What we need are some good rains. We cannot legislate them. They are not coming naturally. The only alternative is to work for them."

EMPLOYMENT DOWN AFTER PEAK—Rain and strike settlements are the twin keys to Texas' unstable employment outlook.

Texas jobholders hit an all-time high in June. More than three million, said the Texas Employment Commission. But by July the drought and the steel strike had dragged the figure down.

Whether employment picks up in August hinges on improvement of agricultural conditions and ending of labor disputes. Although the

strike in the steel industry has been settled, two Texas plants are affected by the steel union strike against aluminum manufacturers.

WESTERN SUPER-ROAD — A superhighway to El Paso is being considered under the new federal-state building program.

"We've been looking for a long time for an East-West alternate route to U.S. Highway 80 through far West Texas," says DeWitt Greer, state highway engineer. "And our chances are increased with all of this new federal money for interstate and defense highways."

VETERANS' LAND JUDGMENTS — State recovery of veterans' land funds eventually could total \$3,000,000.

An Austin district court has just awarded the state \$112,742 from a South Texas dealer. This brings the present recovery total to \$1,770,000.

Still pending are suits involving another \$1,130,000.

This recovery program has been a mammoth job. Few people realize how intensive this investigation has been. "Investigations of the Land Office and the Veteran's Land Program," says Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd, "have been the most extensive and thorough in the State's history."

Latest reports from the Attorney General's office show that 35 cases have been filed, 24 have been tried, and the state has won them all.

Mr. Rufus Rush of Hobbs, N. M., was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wauson last Monday.

Miss Martha Victor of Ginty to be a guest of Miss D. Ginty for the coming week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Newsom of Lubbock spent last weekend in Capitol. They attended the pageant which was held there Sunday.

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VISITING WITH OUR NEIGHBORS

QUALIFIED VOTERS who have property listed on the county tax rolls whether or not it has been rendered, will be eligible to vote in the park bond election next Tuesday, according to a ruling by Stephen L. Haley, county attorney. Lists of persons who have property on the tax rolls, both rendered and unrendered, will be supplied to election officials at each voting box, it was reported by county officials Wednesday.

A TOTAL of 81 applications were received in Bailey county for soil bank benefits, according to Charles Daniels, ASC office manager in Muleshoe. Daniels said that the deadline Friday for filing placed in the soil bank, 1,296 acres of cotton, mostly dryland, and 2,446 acres of wheat. Payments, if all compliances are met, will amount to about \$36,000, Daniels said.

A PETITION calling for reinstatement of former Chief of Police D. D. Lansford is to be presented to the City Council at their regular meeting Aug. 13. Petitions have been circulating around town for the past two weeks, but it is definite that the petition bearing the signatures of over 250 teenagers will be presented to the council. Lansford resigned three weeks ago over a dispute with the City Council on the current crackdown on traffic violations.

At a special meeting of the Morton City Council Wednesday night, Joe Seagler was named City Secretary of Morton to replace Van Greene who resigned two weeks ago. The announcement was made by Greene who said Seagler will take over as soon as

possible. Seagler, who moved to Morton a year ago, had been in the ginning business at Enochs.

FORMER COACH Win Talley was in Anton Saturday visiting with friends. He is working on his masters degree at Tech this summer. He stated that he has accepted a position on the coaching staff at Colorado City High School. He will be the backfield coach. Colorado City plays AAA football. Talley was head football, basketball and track coach in Anton school for the past two years.

PAUL LEWIS, president of the Lamb County Farm Bureau, announced today that Millard Shivers, Texas Farm Bureau Field Supervisor, will be in Lamb County for a series of meetings in early August, to discuss the structure of Farm Bureau and also the procedure for making polls in Farm Bureau.

COACH HARVEY Tubb of the Ropes schools, announced this week that the Ropes football team would this year play Class A football. Harvey explained the advance by saying that when a school has as many as 120 pupils in high school they automatically go into Class A. According to Harvey, the Ropes schools will open on Sept. 3, but football will open Aug. 27. He stated that the boys who wish to try out for football should report on that day to receive their suits.

MIKE NELSON, 2 1/2 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nelson of Abernathy, was admitted to the Crippled Children Division of the State Department of Health recently. Mike is a two-year victim of polio, having contracted the deadly disease at the early age of six months.

FIRE CAUSED heavy damage during the early morning hours last Thursday to one unit of the recently opened Plaza Motel on

Buster Kennedys Return From Dial School In New York

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Kennedy of New York City where Mr. Kennedy has been entered in a school of dial telephone instruction. He is employed by Romain Telephone and will be using after the change-over to the dial system sometime this fall. The school was sponsored by Stromberg-Carlson, manufacturers of the new equipment to be in use in Plains.

En route to New York, Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy visited in Dallas with relatives. They also visited Niagara Falls and Watkins Glenn in New York State.

The dial instruction lasted six weeks and Mrs. Kennedy worked the first three for the Consolidated Machine and Tool Co., CITY PAYS

City Council met in regular session last Thursday night and paid bills. Councilmen also approved paying \$12,000 to Mid West Construction Co. of Dallas on that firm's final estimate for work on the newly installed sewer system. \$1,708 was withheld from Mid West's estimate to insure completion of certain projects connected with the installation.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our gratitude to the many friends who were so kind in expressions of sympathy during the recent bereavement of our father, following the death of our father and grandfather, A. F. Faulkenberry of Lamesa.

Mrs. L. D. Proctor and Jeanie visited in Lovington, N. M. last Sunday.

The Plains road. Brownfield volunteer firemen answered the call about 2:50 a. m. It is a thought that a defective neon sign was the origin of the blaze. No estimates of damage have been made by owners Bruce Dubose and Dewey Murphy. The Plaza, a completely new project, celebrated its formal opening on July 20 and 21. There were no reports of injuries.

ACROSS THE CATTLE GUARD

The farmers in Texas are not jumping at the chance to put their farm land in the soil bank. A report of participation in the soil bank by Texas farmers as of July 21 shows that over 5.5 million acres of Texas cotton land has been deposited in the bank. The report also showed that Texas farmers would be paid an average of \$18.94 for each acre put in the bank.

If the other cotton growing states reduce their cotton acres on the same scale as Texas, the 1956 cotton crop will be about 8 per cent less than 1955. The whole purpose of the Agricultural Act of 1956 was to protect and increase farm income by reducing the supply of certain crops. When the supply of cotton is decreased to the extent that surpluses are lowered, then the demand for cotton will go up and the cotton farmer will be happy. The fly in the ointment is the fact that the cotton farmer is learning more each year about producing more cotton on less acres.

He used irrigation water, fertilizers and insecticides and his yield per acre goes up enough to offset his acreage cut from the acreage control program and the soil bank program. Growing more cotton on less land does not reduce the surplus. As a matter of fact, the carter of cotton in the United States has steadily increased since 1950 and Uncle Sam has almost a year's supply of cotton in storage at the present time.

Experts are at work all during the year trying to estimate the cotton production for the year. The statisticians in Washington get regular reports from the cotton producing areas of the nation and by the middle of August they can guess pretty close to the number of bales that will be produced. The current production has something to do with support prices and it also determines how much of the current crop will be put in the loan.

It is a little harder to estimate the production in Yoakum County during the early part of the season because so much depends upon the frost date.

Considering that the first killing frost will come during the first week in November, which is about average, it appears that the gins in this county will all have a good season this fall. We have a better crop in the making this year than we had at this same time last year when we finally produced 13,500 bales.

Our acreage is smaller than last year but moisture conditions are better and the use of fertilizer has almost doubled over last year. It is not likely but it is possible for Yoakum County to produce 15,000 bales of cotton this year from 38,000 acres.

The number of bales and the number of acres are not as important as some of the factors that influence cotton production. It has always been true that the farmer who makes the highest yield is the one that makes the most profit. We still need to know how to make our irrigated land produce a higher yield. The soil bank plan may be part of the answer to our problem: It may be that we will have to grow a soil improving crop on a part of our irrigated land for two or three years before we can make it produce three bales of cotton to the acre. Whatever it takes, if it will make the production of our main cash crop more profitable, we want it.

Mrs. J. H. Morris and Donnie and Mrs. Mable Camp were in Lubbock last Saturday on business.

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Don't Be Traffic Misfit, Motorists Warned by Sheriff

"Don't be a traffic misfit—the fellow who's out of step is out of luck!"

That warning was given to local motorists today by Sheriff Robert Chambliss as he discussed the Share the Road program of the Texas Safety Association, the Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council.

This program is being conducted in cooperation with the Slow Down and Live program of the National Conference of State Safety Coordinators.

"Safety on the highway depends to a great extent on the smooth, even flow of traffic," Chambliss said. "Whenever you interrupt this flow, you're in trouble—and so are the drivers around you. Here are a few examples of stunts that will foul up traffic in a hurry."

"Stopping suddenly can cause an aggravating pile-up of the other cars behind you. Making a turn from the wrong lane is sure to jam things up in the lane you charge into. Hugging the bumper of the car ahead makes you a sitting duck for a serious accident if the fellow in front stops suddenly."

"Speed is another thing that must be adjusted to the traffic flow," he said. "If you go barreling down the road faster than the drivers around you, you're likely to tangle with them," he said. "But it's not safe to drive too slow, either. You can throw a monkey wrench into the traffic pattern if you force every other car on the road to take chances getting around you."

He advised the motorists to drive at a rate of speed that fits in smoothly with the speed of the cars around them. He said this is especially important when driving on super-highways, where higher speed gives the driver less time to think in an emergency situation, and increases the severity of any accident he may have.

"Remember you're not alone on the highway," Chambliss said. "Share the Road if you want to stay safe."

Air Conditioners For Cars Gaining In Popularity

Automobile air conditioners, while making strong sales gains nationally, are mounting as motorizing "musts" in the wide open spaces of the Southwest.

This trend is emphasized in Chevrolet's June retail sales, according to W. E. Fish, general sales manager. He estimates that one of eight new passenger cars delivered by the company in the Southwest region during June was equipped with air conditioning.

The company's action this spring of introducing units applicable to either a six-cylinder or a V-8 car and making it available as a dealer-installed accessory has spurred popularity, he said. Further advantages, he said, are the three different choices of air conditioning packages; dealer installation and service facilities developed through the company's nationwide field training program; and quicker deliveries.

When introduced on 1955 models, the Chevrolet air conditioner was offered as a factory-installed unit on V-8's only. This is continued, while the new accessory unit for sixes and V-8's comes in three choices—one with a built-in heat-

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals addressed to Mr. Roger Curry, Mayor of Plains, Texas, will be received at the office of the City Secretary until 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, September 4, for furnishing, delivery, and installation of electric generating equipment, including foundations, buildings, and all necessary and appurtenant work to construct a complete electric generating plant for the City of Plains, Owner, of Plains, Texas.

Bidders must submit Cashier's or Certified Checks issued by a bank satisfactory to the Owner, or a Bidder's Bond from a reliable Surety Company, payable without recourse to the order of Mr. Roger Curry, Mayor, in an amount of not less than five per cent (5%) of the largest possible bid submitted as a guaranty that Bidder will enter into a contract and execute bond and guaranty in the forms provided within ten (10) days after notice of award of contract to him. Bids without required check or proposal bond will not be considered.

The successful Bidder must furnish performance bond on the attached form in the amount of 100 per cent of the total contract price from a Surety Company holding a permit from the State of Texas to act as Surety, or other Surety or Sureties acceptable to the Owner.

All lump sum and unit prices must be stated in both script and figures. The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive formalities. In case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating the prices in the bids, the Owner reserves the right to consider the most advantageous construction thereof, or to reject the bid. Unreasonable or "unbalanced" unit prices will authorize the Owner to reject any bid.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all local conditions.

The Plans, Specifications and Construction Drawings together with all necessary forms and other documents are available for inspection at the office of the Owner in Plains, Texas, and may be obtained from the Engineer, Cecil M. Hawk & Associates, 1641 Broadway, Lubbock, Texas, upon payment of thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) which payment will not be subject to refund.

Proposals and all supporting instruments must be submitted on the forms furnished by the Owner and must be delivered in a sealed envelope addressed to the Owner. The name and address of the Bidder and the date and hour of the opening of bids must appear on the envelope in which the Proposal is submitted.

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er, another without a heater, and a third for cars already equipped with heaters.

Dealer installations, which doubled from May to June, already equal the factory output with final returns on the hot months of July and August still to come, Fish said. The company's air conditioner sales for the 1956 model year to the end of June were about three times greater than the total for all the model year of 1955, he said.

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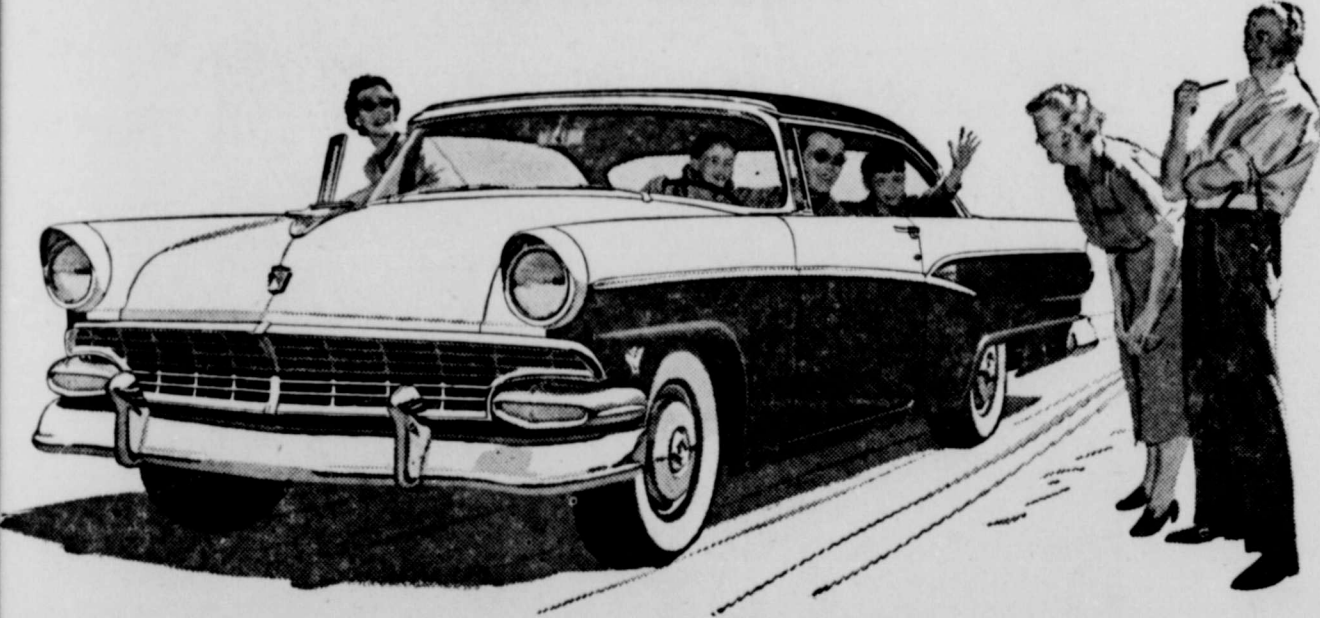
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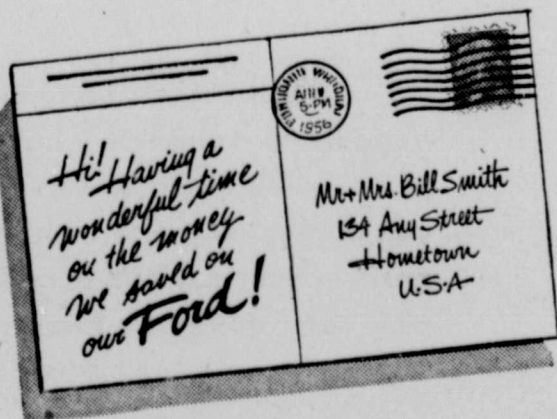
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Area Soil Conservation News

A number of cooperators and others in the Yoakum Soil Conservation District have indicated an interest in seeding grass next spring.

Grass is rapidly becoming a popular crop in this part of the country because of its many uses. It is not only an excellent soil builder but furnishes grazing for additional income in the form of beef and also offers an opportunity for seed production. Many grasses can be used very well on irrigated farms since they have the ability to grow when watered and furnish a great deal of grazing but can be left without water during the peak period of water use on other crops.

Now is the time to get things ready for the grass seeding next spring. In this sandy soil a good cover to protect the grass seedlings is almost an essential to establishing a stand of grass. When a good thick stand of some type of dead litter cover is available, grasses may be seeded early in the year and can take advantage of early spring rains to become established. When seedings must be delayed until later in the spring because of the wind hazard, a great deal of difficulty is encountered in establishing a stand because of the rapid evaporation rate from the surface soil. This rapid drying of the surface often occurs before grass seed have time to germinate since grass seed are usually very small and must be seeded near the surface.

The most ideal cover for grass seeding is a thick stand of sorghum, sudan, millet or other crops which leave a large amount of residue on the surface. For additional protection these should be seeded in narrow rows or drilled. This type of cover will be killed by frost and will not compete for moisture during the winter and spring. In order to provide additional residue, some cooperators are planning to over-seed their sorghum stubble with millet. This will

Scratchpad

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well used, testimonial in itself.

Seems the braying donkey referred to here last issue did not belong to the Rebekah Lodge. Belongs to a school teacher (if I told you any more his phone would ring off the hook) who is receptive to sale. One lady, passing through town stopped in Red's Cafe for coffee, asked if we had a democratic donkey in Plains. The answer was yes — this varmit democratically eats anyone's flowers upon escaping his confinement.

IN THE DEPARTMENT OF BEAUTY ABOUT PLAINS: Sure appreciate the American Legion's sponsorship of a bathing beauty contest. Had the office full a number of times this week with genuine young lovelies.

In the matter of deciding who would sponsor whom (or is it who) Bobby Moore at Plains Shell Service had the easiest time of us all. A young beauty he escorts frequently, Billie Rushing, was his unanimous choice.

Birthday and anniversary congratulations this week to: Billy Dean Johnson, Aug. 6; David Mueller, Aug. 8; Shelia Smith, Olan Hugh Smith, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wauson and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henard, Aug. 9; James Hayes and Mr and Mrs. G. B. Stalley, Aug. 10; and Shirley Suddreth and Kay Smith, Aug. 11. Belated congratulations to Carolyn Sue Copper, Aug. 2.

Mrs. Theima Ellis was in Canyon on business last week. She visited with Mr. and Mrs. Don Ham while she was there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kissinger left last week for Los Angeles, Calif., where they will spend the next two weeks visiting with friends and relatives.

Give even more cover for the seedlings next spring.

In order to provide extra cover to prevent blowing on cotton land, some cooperators are planning to broadcast German Millet ahead of the tractor when they plow their cotton for the last time. Several companies manufacture a broadcast seeder which fits on the front of the tractor and broadcasts any type of seed desired. When the seed is broadcast out in front of the tractor the sweeps tend to mix it in with the soil and cover it so that it can come up when the crop is irrigated or rain comes. The millet will make a more rapid growth and provide cover but will be killed by frost and will not take moisture during the winter months.

Seed for many of the cover crops used for winter cover may become scarce later so it is a good idea to be getting the seed you need now. Next month is the time to get most of the winter cover crops seeded so that they will have time to get a good start before cold weather. Rye, vetch, Austrian winter peas, Dixie Wonder peas and clovers all provide good winter cover crops.

The Soil Conservation Service technicians at Plains will be glad to help you decide what type of winter cover suits your needs best and assist you in securing seed.



ALLRED TEACHER-PUPIL REUNION — The annual reunion at Allred, held last Saturday night, furnished the opportunity for former teachers and pupils at the Allred school to reminisce about the "good old days". Left to right are David Huddleston of Andrews, Tommy Key of Amarillo, Mrs. I. B. James of Monahans, Wesley Alexander, Mrs. J. B. Lewis and Harlan Huddleston of Midland. Harlan and Wesley both started their schooling with Mrs. Lewis, first grade teacher. Mrs. James was formerly second grade instructor at Allred, and David and Tommy both attended school there before moving from the area. Approximately 150 people attended the annual get-together.



ENJOYING THE ALLRED REUNION Saturday was Mrs. C. E. Cox, who will be 77 years old this month. Mrs. Cox is pictured here with her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Cox, and her daughter, Mrs. Bobby Howard. The D. T. Coxs have resided in the Allred area for 13 years. Mrs. Cox is employed by Leland Fikes.

Cotton Fruitation In South Plains Said Satisfactory

Most irrigated and some dry-land cotton continued to fruit at a very satisfactory rate. Heavily fruited cotton often showed some shed of small bolls. In many cases such shed was natural or was caused by bacterial blight (angular leaf spot). In other instances the shed was at least partly due to insect damage. There has been a definite increase in insect activity, although infestations are not serious in a majority of fields.

Although fleahoppers were reported in fairly large numbers on cotton in scattered fields, the insects were rarely found seriously damaging the crop. Very late planted cotton would be damaged by heavy infestations.

Bollworms appeared in an increasing number of fields. Damaging infestations are not yet general but some plantings in most areas have developed sufficient infestations to require control. Bollworm moths are appearing in fields in larger numbers than before so all cotton should be checked at frequent intervals for eggs and small worms. Apply insecticides when damaging infestations develop. Delay allows excessive loss of forms, and large worms are hard to control.

Lygus bugs were present in most fields and were reported in damaging infestations in many fields in Lamb County. Control was needed in a number of fields in Cochran, Lubbock and Lynn counties. Since these insects are rapid in their destruction of squares and small bolls, cotton should be closely watched for presence of the insects and their damage.

Cabbage loopers continued to rag leaves of cotton in many fields. In most fields disease-causing large loopers were observed. While the disease may kill a majority of the large loopers, control may be necessary where populations are of small worms.

Spider mites appeared in an increasing number of fields. Infestations required control in parts of a few fields in Crosby, Hockley and Lubbock counties.

Leafworms were found in small numbers in Crosby, Lamb, Lubbock and Lynn counties.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hale returned last Monday from Colorado where they had been the past week.

What Folks In PLAINS Are Doing . .

Miss Judy Love visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Shewmake in Odessa last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilson spent last weekend visiting in the home of Mrs. Wilson's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, in Earth.

Billie Wilson returned to her home last Sunday after visiting in Earth with relatives for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Anthony attended church in Falls Sunday and visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo White and daughter, Marsha, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Smith last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Nicholson of Tatum, N. M. were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Aulds last Sunday.

Mrs. Glen Crocker and sons, Mike and Ricky, of San Antonio, are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Trout while Mr. Crocker is attending the coaching school in Lubbock. Mrs. Crocker is Mrs. Trout's niece.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Holder and sons of Snyder were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harris Powell last weekend. They were returning to their home from Colorado where they had been vacationing.

Mrs. Jack Fite and children returned to their home in Houston last week after having spent the past two weeks visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. George Cleveland.

Paul Gaines of Tatum, N. M. visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. T. W. Read, last week.

Mrs. T. W. Arnett of Meadow visited in Plains with friends last week.

Mrs. Leroy Neal and sons of Carlsbad, N. M. spent last weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson.

Mr. W. L. McClellan and Mr. Leroy Neal of Carlsbad, N. M. spent last weekend near Weatherford fishing.

Mrs. Sallie Forrest carried her granddaughter, Karen Glover, to Odessa last Sunday. Karen had been a guest in the home of her grandmother for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane McDonnell and Pam returned last Saturday from Colorado where they spent the past week vacationing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Addison and Debra Sue have been vacationing for the past two weeks in Oklahoma, Missouri, Illinois, Kansas and Arkansas.

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**CHAMBLISS
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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chambliss returned to their home in Del Norte, Colo., they had gone to pick up Bobby, who is recuperating from an emergency appendectomy.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth were vacationing in Colorado. He was stricken last Thursday. The operation was performed in the St. Joseph Hospital in Del Norte last Friday morning.

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Professional wrestlers will square away Friday night on the Plains High School football field when the Plains Lions Club brings a three-match grappling card here. Gary Richardson, promoter of the Albuquerque Ice Arena is matchmaker for the bouts.

Lion member Pete Sampson has charge of the wrestling activity of the club and has already assigned duties to their club members who will assist in promoting the card.

The program will feature a girl's tag team match and two preliminary bouts. One featuring women and the other men.

The tag brawl pits Bonnie Bartlett and Jean Porter against Kathy Starr and Laura Martinez over the two out of three falls or one hour route.

Champ Thomas and Klondike Ike will supply the action in the men's contest. The girls' preliminary pits Kathy Starr against Jean Porter in a one fall or 20 minute contest. The Ike-Thomas match is slated for the best two out of three falls with a one hour time limit.

Tag matches are extremely popular with mat fans. Excitement value in a tag battle is 100 per cent greater than in a single contest. Although there is supposed to be only one member of each team in action at one time, it is not too unusual to see all four contestants engaged in a wild scramble in the center of the ring with the referee on bottom of the pile.

And when four girls unlimber their big guns the hair really flies and it is often difficult for the spectators to follow the wild action.

Bonnie Bartlett is the New Mexico state champion. She is a former boxer and claims the world title in that rugged sport. Miss Bartlett is a veteran of over a thousand mat battles. She is rated a leading contender for the world title.

Laura Martinez is from Phoenix where she is recognized as Arizona champion. She is a classy grappler and a great favorite of the spectators. Kathy Starr was recently featured in Ringside Magazine as the leading lady athlete of the year. Jean Porter is from Dallas, Texas. She is often billed as the state champion. Miss Porter is willing to meet any girl in the world to prove she is the greatest.

CARD OF THANKS

We extend deep appreciation to all our friends for their expressions of sympathy, floral gifts and cards on the death of our brother, Virgil Sanders, at Guyman, Okla. We thank each and every one of you from the bottom of our hearts.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Sanders

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Neal and son of Carlsbad, N. M. are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson this week.

Mrs. Hickerson of Tahoka is visiting in the home of Mrs. Thelma Ellis and Oran Hickerson this week. She is their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rushing of Lubbock visited in Plains with relatives and friends last weekend.

Mrs. O. B. Simpson returned home with her daughter, Mrs. Dick McGinty from Channing, Texas.

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NEWS HAPPENINGS AT PLAINS . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Luper and son of Brownfield visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fitzgerald last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Roberts and family of Lometa were guests in the home of Mr. Robert's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. O. Alldredge, last Tuesday.

Misses Glory and Linda Ayers of Plainview are guests in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. O. Alldredge, this week.

Mrs. Bill Adams and children of Lorenzo visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. S. F. Pridle, last weekend.

Mrs. S. F. Pridle visited in Denver City in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wright last Friday and Saturday. She visited with her grandson, Allen Wright, who was in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Taylor and family visited in Portales, N. M. last Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Green. They attended Mr. Green's graduation while they were there.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Roberts and family of Lubbock visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Curry last Sunday.

Kelly McCargo of Odessa is visiting in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McCargo, this week.

Mr. Wayne Cleveland of Canadian visited in the home of his mother, Mrs. George Cleveland, last weekend.

Mrs. O. G. Lewis and daughter, Sandra, are visiting in Boger with Mrs. Lewis's mother this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cross and daughter, Karen, of Brownfield visited in Plains with relatives last Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Russell spent last week-end in Ruidoso, N. M.

Election

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Tom Moore, Waco attorney who gained fame in the investigation of the defunct U.S. Trust and Guaranty Co., are the contestants in that race.

Preston Smith, Lubbock theatre operator, and Carroll Cobb, Lubbock attorney, face each other in the race for state senator of the 28th District.

Also on the ballot August 25 will be the choice of precinct chairmen. County Democratic Committee has placed the present chairman and the person receiving the most write-in votes in the July 28 balloting on the ballot for this election. Those candidates are:

Precinct 1, Roy Fitzgerald and Morris Lowe; Precinct 2, Bill Powell and Tom Warren; Precinct 3, Sherman Henard and Tom Oxford; Precinct 4, Truitt Jones and B. F. Lowery; Precinct 5, Paul Cobb and Cecil Lowery; Precinct 6, Gene Bennett; Precinct 7, Maurice Wehrend; Precinct 8, Leslie Covington; Precinct 9, Bill Story and Buford Dulin; and Precinct 10, W. R. Shook and C. C. Freeman, Jr.

Shop in Plains and Save!

Sen. Price Daniel Thanks Supporters

Senator Price Daniel this week thanked the 622,000 Texans who gave him an overwhelming lead in the first primary race for Governor, putting him more than 162,000 votes ahead of his run-off opponent.

"This is the widest lead a candidate for Governor ever has had in a run-off," Daniel said. "I am confident, that with hard work, we can win a landslide victory on August 25."

Daniel, a native of Liberty County, maintains his family home on a small ranch near his birthplace and is a member of the REA.

As a U. S. Senator, he supported 90 per cent parity on basic crops, authored an amendment to the farm bill which placed grain sorghum supports at a comparable level as corn, and helped obtain

more realistic farm credit provisions. Daniel is advocating a statewide water and soil conservation program, and a drought relief program that would include loans to farmers and ranchers facing mortgage foreclosure.

His program also includes stepped-up research into proposals to create additional water supplies, such as conversion of salt water and artificial "rainmaking". Daniel said that as Governor he would "put the full power of the State Government behind our farmers and ranchers, to help them fight the worst drought disaster in our history".

Mrs. George Blount and son, Mike, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Harton in Meadow last week.

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BOYCE HOUSE



Boyce House has written more books about Texas (13) than any other author, including "I Give You Texas" and "Tall Talk About Texas," Nos. 1 and 2 on the all-time Texas best seller list. He was referred to as "Texas" No. 1 Booster" by Life Magazine in an article of which he was the subject. He has made hundreds of speeches from California to Florida.

PROGRAM

- 7:30 Meeting Called to Order
- Master of Ceremonies Clint Walker
- Invocation Rev. Robert Clements
- Welcome Dr. K. R. Durham
- Recognition of Visitors and Introduction of Speaker Truett Smith
- Business Meeting
- Roll Call
- Reading of Notice of Meeting
- Reading of Minutes
- Reports
- President
- Secretary
- Introduction of Nominating Committee
- Nominating Committee — C. R. Woodward
- Chairman
- Election of 3 Directors for 3 year term
- Presentation of Prizes
- Adjournment

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The death of an individual son (one who has made no will) may give rise to many legal questions. In the column we investigated the matter of dividing the estate upon the death of a husband or wife. Now we look at what happens when a will is involved, a completely new set of rules applies in the handling of the estate among the rightful heirs.

It may be well to restate separate estate of a husband or wife includes property which is acquired after marriage by gift or inheritance. Community property, on the other hand, is property which is acquired after marriage by either before marriage or which is acquired after marriage by gift or inheritance. Community property is clearly provided for in the law.

Now, here is a general rule to how your separate property will be divided if you die. If your husband or wife dies, in addition, then surviving children or descendants will be provided for. If you have no surviving children or descendants, the real property, which is your separate property, will be divided among your heirs.

The rule for distribution of separate property cash, stocks, bonds, furniture, or any other personal property, is that the surviving spouse gets full ownership of the property, and the children and descendants inherit the balance of the property.

With regard to real property, the surviving spouse and the children and descendants will share the property. If the surviving spouse is a minor, the property will be held in trust for the benefit of the children and descendants.

And, if there are no surviving children or descendants, the real property will be divided among the heirs of the decedent. If there are no heirs, the property will be sold and the proceeds divided among the heirs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. moved back to Plains last week. They have been living in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold, has been living in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Miller last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Tucker of Tatum, N. M. were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Hill over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher of Tatum, N. M. were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hobbs last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kres of Snyder were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olan Heath last Sunday. Mrs. Kres is Mrs. Heath's sister.

Mike Read of Denver City was a guest in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Olan Heath last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Coke returned to their home last Thursday night from California where they have been visiting for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Hayhurst and children of Blanchard, Okla., are visiting with friends and relatives in Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Dubble Bookout and daughter, Sherry, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sannie Russell last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reed of Lubbock and Mrs. Woodrow Shipley of Littlefield were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ashenbeck last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith and family are visiting in Oklahoma with relatives this week.

Mr. Darrel McGuire of Odessa was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. O. Aldredge last Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Oley Bickman of Canyon were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Smyer last Monday.

CHILDREN—Wanted to keep in my home by hour or day, Phone 287.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS TO BE VOTED ON AT ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 13, 1956

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 11

proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide for the election of the members of the State Board of Education to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1956, at which election all ballots shall be printed thereon the following:

Section 1. That Section 11 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended to read as follows: "The members of the State Board of Education shall be elected to a term of four years, commencing on the first day of September next following the election, and shall be eligible for re-election."

Section 2. That Section 12 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended to read as follows: "The members of the State Board of Education shall be elected to a term of four years, commencing on the first day of September next following the election, and shall be eligible for re-election."

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Section 9. That Section 19 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended to read as follows: "The members of the State Board of Education shall be elected to a term of four years, commencing on the first day of September next following the election, and shall be eligible for re-election."

Oil News

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Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation No. 1 Strong, Southeast Yoakum County operation, which is contracted to 13,300 feet to try for production in the Siluro-Devonian pay of the Seagraves area is making hole below 6,482 feet in lime and shale.

Site is 330 feet from south and 990 feet from east lines of section 882, block D, J. H. Gibson survey, and 14 miles east of Denver City.

Cities Service Oil Company No. 1-C Corrigan is cutting hole below 5,050 feet in sandy lime.

Location is 20 miles southeast of Denver City, in Northwest Gaines County, 660 feet from south and west lines of section 390, block G, CCSD&RGNG survey.

Shell Oil Company No. 1 D. S. Goozins, 12,600-foot wildcat in Northwest Yoakum County, continues to cut hole below 6,970 feet in lime.

The project is 670 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 217, block D, J. H. Gibson survey, and five miles west of the Henard (San Andres) 1/2 and 10 miles northwest of Plains.

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 8 Armstrong, South Yoakum County wildcat, has plugged back to 10,800 feet and is testing through perforations in the Upper (Clear Fork) from 6,852 to 6,906 feet.

A 24-hour gauge made 280 barrels of fluid, which was 90 per cent water and the rest oil. Swabbing continued.

Site is three miles northeast of Denver City, 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 869, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

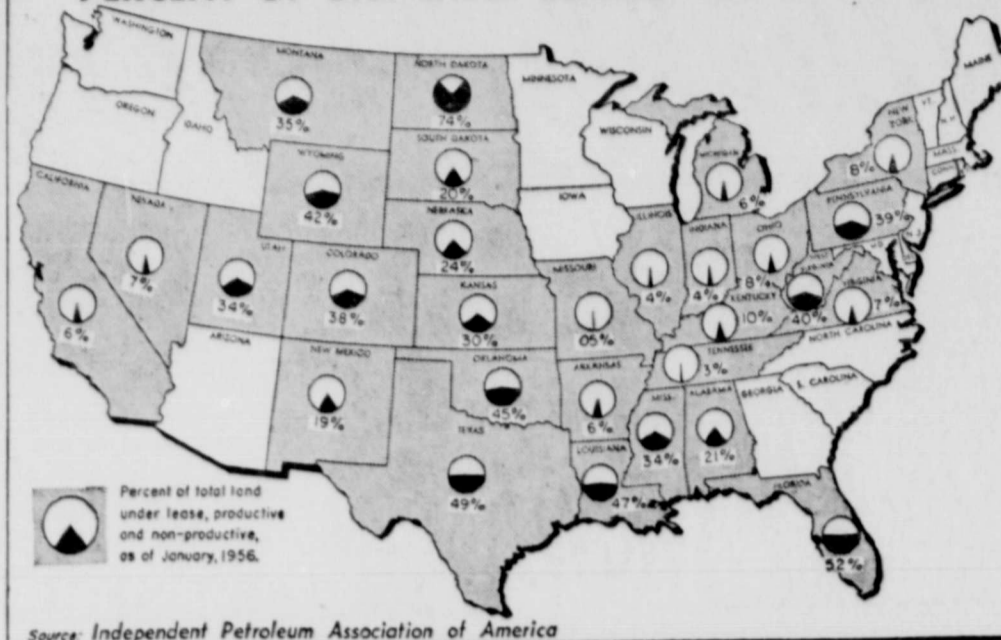
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PERCENT OF U.S. LAND LEASED FOR OIL & GAS



A total of 384 million acres, or 27 percent of the land area in the U. S., is under lease by oil and gas producers. Only five percent, or 20 million acres, represents actual producing areas. The remaining 95 percent is under lease for future exploration and development, indicating the vast hunting ground for oil still remaining. The above map, prepared by the Independent Petroleum Association of America, shows the percentage of land area leased in each of the 29 oil and gas producing states.

New Partridge, Quail Fare Well In Wildlife Tests

Red-legged partridge have been experimentally stocked in parts of West Texas without compromising sealed quail, one of the leading native game birds in the areas affected, according to Director of Wildlife Restoratin for the Game and Fish Commission.

Two shipments of the comparatively large partridge, obtained from Spain, have been released in Texas to test their adaptability to semi-arid climate, and Commission biologists have been painstakingly observing the results.

"At present," stated the latest field report, "there is no indication of antagonism or competition between the redleg and sealed quail. Instead, observations of close contact between species show no opposition and food habit studies indicate very little competition.

"The redleg is a grazer, being very fond of greens. Approximately 90 per cent of his food is green vegetation; whereas, the great majority of the food of the sealed quail is seeds. There is a slight overlap in food requirements depending on the season, depending on the season, but not to a point of severe competition. And even though their territories coincide, the fondness for greens with winter grain fields. This is not true of the sealed quail whose food is associated but not to a point of severe competition. And even though their territories coincide, the fondness for greens with winter grain fields. This is not true of the sealed quail whose food is associated but not to a point of severe competition. And even though their territories coincide, the fondness for greens with winter grain fields. This is not true of the sealed quail whose food is associated but not to a point of severe competition.

Mrs. F. Q. Blount of Santa Anna visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Blount last Wednesday.

Mrs. G. S. Medford of Haskell is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Blount this week.

Shop in Plains and Save!

Motorists Asked To Support Safety Road Program

"Share the Road—Arrive Alive!" In those words E. C. McFadden of Dallas, Vice President of Employers Casualty Company and President of the Texas Safety Association, today urged all motorists to support the Share the Road program of the Texas Safety Association, the Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council.

This program is being conducted in the cooperation with the Slow Down and Live program of the National Conference of the State Safety Coordinators.

"To stay safe in traffic, the driver must be keenly aware that he's not the only one on the road," McFadden said. "He's just one of the many drivers, so he must keep in step with the others and share the road with them."

He said this involves, first of all, a willingness to share, and then the skill and judgment to do the right thing at the right time.

He gave the following rules as a guide to drivers to help them fit their driving to the pattern of traffic around them.

1. Keep alert. Develop defensive driving. Study the road ahead for accident situations. The higher the speed, the farther ahead your attention must be fixed.
 2. Think ahead. Plan emergency measures. Know your own and your car's capabilities. If the car ahead should suddenly block your lane, could you stop? Could you swerve to avoid an accident?
 3. Be adaptable. Get the "feel" of changing traffic, road and weather conditions. Adjust your speed immediately.
 4. Pace yourself by the traffic around you. This includes noting traffic behind through constant use of your rear-view mirrors. Don't race. Don't lag. Don't ride the bumper of the car ahead.
 5. Take only your share of the road—in the proper place. Keep in the proper lane. Pass only when you see you have ample space to avoid cutting out and in too sharply. Signal all turns and lane changes.
 6. Obey to the letter all traffic laws, signs, signals, and the dictates of common sense and courtesy. If you make a mistake, don't lose your head. Don't jeopardize yourself and others by hasty, foolishly sudden moves.
- McFadden had a special word to say about safety on superhighways, pointing out that the higher speeds permissible on such roads make the above rules doubly important and vital. In addition, he said, this rule should be added: Watch signs carefully for rules governing the particular road you're traveling—such things as directions for entering or leaving the highway.

Council Pays Final Sewer Estimate

City Council met in regular session last Thursday night and paid bills. Councilmen also approved paying \$12,000 to Mid West Construction Co. of Dallas as that firm's final estimate for work on the newly installed sewer system. \$1,708 was withheld from Mid West's estimate to insure completion of certain projects connected with the installation.

Higher Premiums Offered at Fair For South Plains

Premiums totaling \$26,008 will be offered exhibitors at the 39th Annual Panhandle South Plains Fair in Lubbock announced President R. E. (Bob) Gee. The total value of premiums is \$1,974 higher than the 1955 total and is the highest ever awarded in the history of the Fair.

The new 84-page catalog was mailed this week to 3,000 area residents, including county agents, county home demonstration agents, vocational agricultural teachers, Future Homemakers of America teachers, and past and prospective exhibitors.

Fair officials announced that Guernsey cattle would be added to the Cattle Division this year. Premiums in the Cattle Division will be awarded as follows: Aberdeen Angus, \$2,960; Herefords, \$3,320; Milking Shorthorns, \$2,945; Jerseys, \$2,700; Holsteins, \$2,700; and Guernseys, \$2,700.

The Swine Division will receive \$4,032 in premiums, with \$672 each going to six classifications, Berkshires, Chester Whites, Durocs, Hampshires, Poland Chinas, and Spotted Poland Chinas.

Exhibitors in the Junior Agriculture and Livestock Department will receive \$1,323 for displays of corn, grain sorghums, peanuts, cotton, breeding pig club, and dairy cattle club. The Fair Association is also offering \$186 for individual exhibits, \$710 in the Vocational Agriculture Division, and \$352 in the Rabbit Division.

Each county having an agricultural display will receive a \$50 participation award.

The Women's Department will have premiums totaling \$1,732, with \$345.50 offered in the Textile Division, \$170.75 for crochet, knitting, and tatting, \$225.50 for Cullinary Division, \$162 in the Art Division, \$666 in the Relics and Antiques Division, and \$232.25 in the Flower Festival. The Youth Department, limited to 4-H Clubs and FFA members, will receive \$248 in premiums.

General Department Superintendents for this year's Fair will be George "Scotty" Samson, Post, agriculture; W. B. Griffin, Tahoka livestock and Mrs. Chester Gilmore, Idalou, Women's department.



SHEER DELIGHT — for summer are lightweight cottons, styled for cool summer comfort. This one by Caprice Originals is designed in Crown Everglaze sheer striped cotton. It's fashioned without sleeves and with tiny tucks in the bodice that ease into a billowing skirt.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Russell and daughter, Deborah, of Dexter, N. M. visited in Plains with friends last weekend.

Mrs. Joe Curry is visiting in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Culwell, in Los Angeles, Calif. this week. She also plans to visit in the home of another sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Blacklock, in Lancaster, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. George Blount and son, Mike, and Mrs. F. Q. Blount of Santa Anna visited in the Earnest Blount home in Johnson last Wednesday.

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