

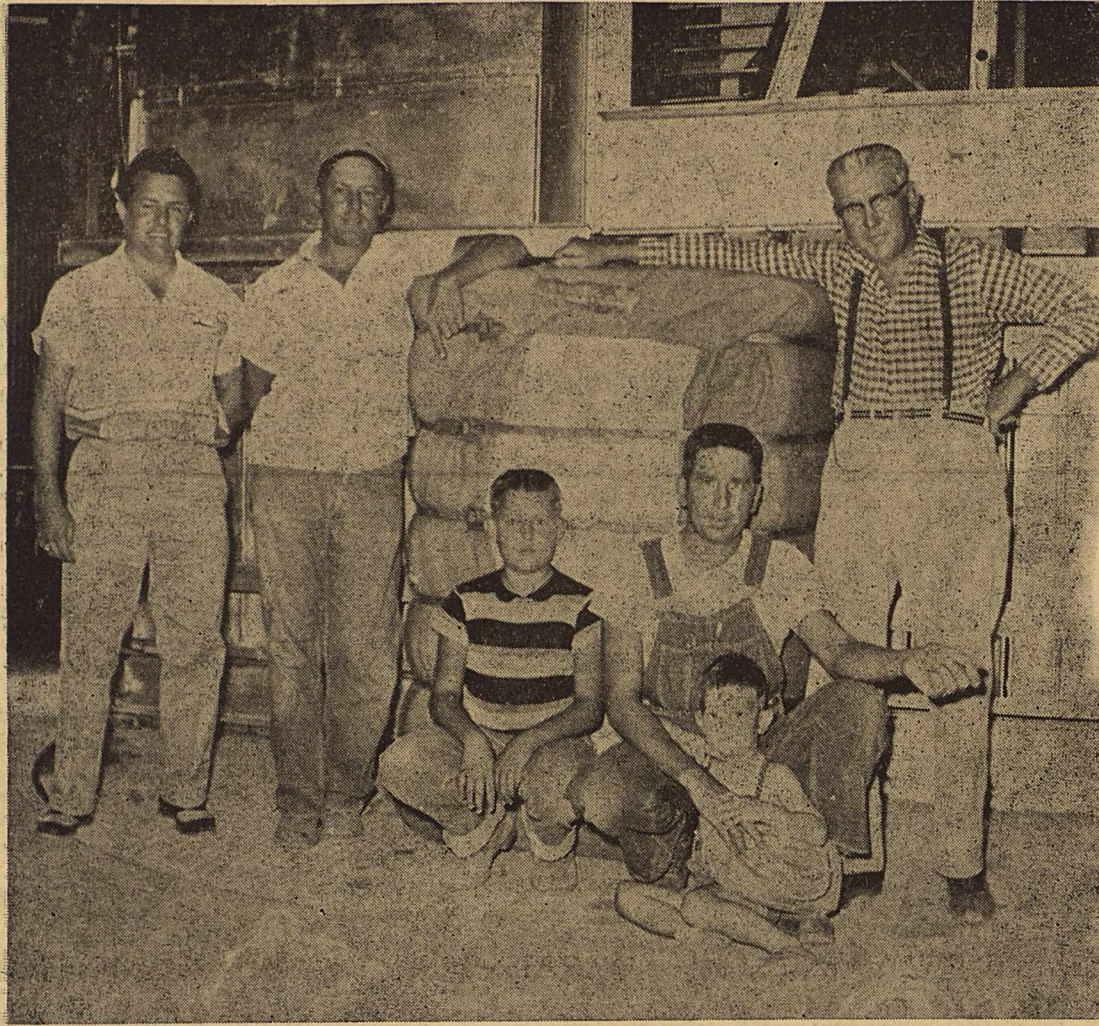
# The YOAKUM COUNTY REVIEW

WEATHER		
	Max.	Min.
Aug. 28	95	60
Aug. 29	90	58
Aug. 30	88	62
Aug. 31	86	65
Sept. 1	87	60
Sept. 2	94	61
Sept. 3	92	58
Rainfall for wk., .06 inch		

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YOAKUM COUNTY'S FIRST BALE OF COTTON was brought to the D. C. Newsom and Son Gin at Plains Monday afternoon, September 2, at 3:10 p.m. The 2,000 pounds of seed cotton ginned out a 555 pound bale, with 520 pounds of lint, and was graded middling 15/16. Microaire test was 4.2, which Newsom said was "very good" as the average is about 3.5. The cotton was pulled by 15 local Mexicans and grown on 30 acres of irrigated land, owned by Mrs. I. J. Duff and farmed by her son-in-law, H. W. Taunton. The farm is located about nine miles southeast of Plains. The Lankart cotton seed was planted April 15, and has been irrigated and fertilized. Shown in the above photo are Rod Duff, H. W. Taunton, D. C. Newsom, Jr., D. C. Newsom III, Bobby Taunton and D. C. Newsom.

## Pan American Has Completion In Devonian Field

Pan American Petroleum Corporation No. 2-B M. M. West is a new well in the West (Devonian) field of Southwest Yoakum County. Operator reported a 24-hour flowing potential of 360 barrels of 40.4 gravity oil, plus no water, through a 13/64-inch choke and perforations from 11,100 to 11,118 feet, after 1,000 gallons of acid. Gas-oil ratio was 381-1.

Wellsite is 660 feet from south and west lines of section 606, block D. J. H. Gibson survey, 12 miles southwest of Plains.

Shell Oil Company has staked location for a field project in the Wasson (66 & 72) field of North Gaines.

Shell No. 14-D Wasson is location 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 50, block AX, psl survey,

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## Plains Residents To Steer Roping Contest At Clovis

The Curry County Mounted Patrol was host to the eighth annual championship Steer Roping Contest Sunday, September 1. The event was held in the Mounted Patrol Arena, where the top steer ropers of the world gather annually.

Attending from Plains were Gene Payne, Frances, and Tommy; Murphy Luna, Harvey Stotts, Glen Morehouse, and Mr. and Mrs. Casey Jones.

Ropers competing Sunday were Cotton Lee, Ft. Sumner, N.M.; Earl More, Clovis, N.M.; Carl Arnold, Buckeye, Ariz.; Sonny Wright, of Albuquerque, N.M.; Shoat Webster, Nowata, Okla.; John D. Hollyman, Ozona, Texas; Troy Fort, Lovington, N.M.; and Sonny Davis, Kenna, N.M. They roped six steers each. Winners and their average times were Cotton Lee, first with 142 and two-fifths seconds; Sonny Davis, second, with 147 and two-fifths seconds; and Shoat Webster, third, with 152 and four-fifths seconds. Sonny Wright roped a steer in the fastest time, being clocked at 15 seconds.

Previous winners in the annual Championship Steer Roping are as follows: 1947, Toots Mansfield; 1948, Shoat Webster; 1949, Everett Shaw; 1950, Shoat Webster; 1951, Carl Arnold; 1952, Shoat Webster; 1953, Everett Shaw; 1954, Cotton Lee; 1955, Shoat Webster; 1956, Troy Fort; and 1957, Cotton Lee.

## ANDREW ETHRIDGE AND FAMILY BACK FROM GERMANY

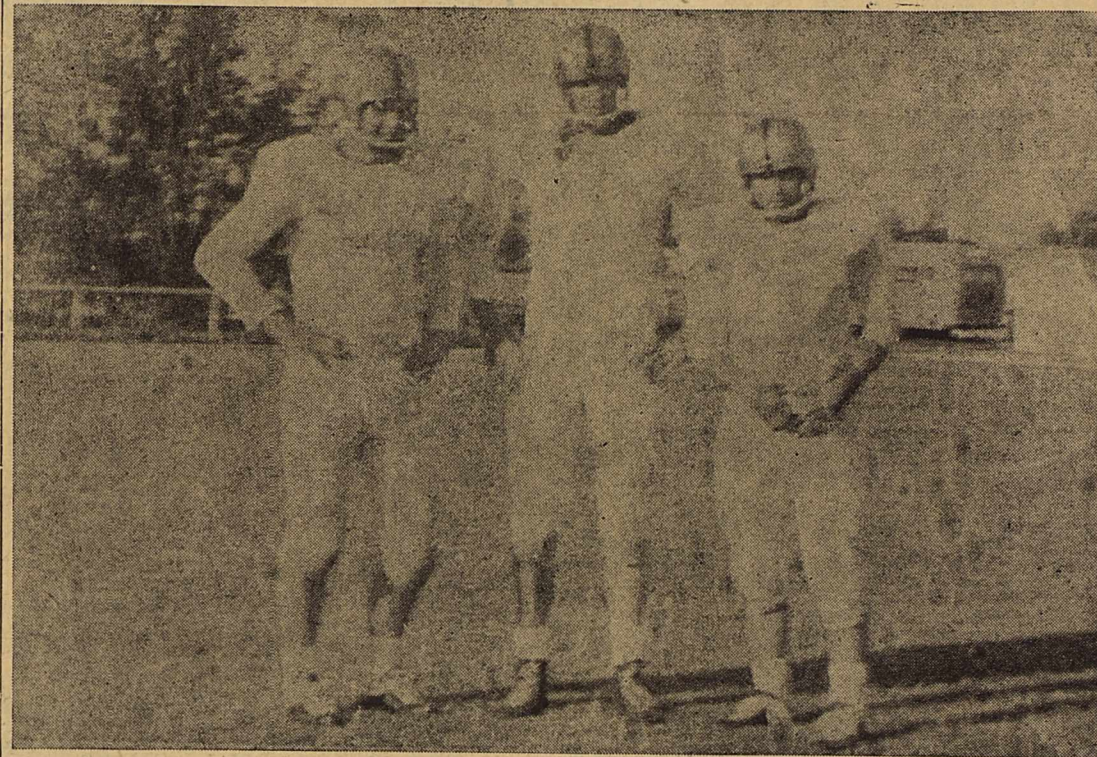
Sp-3 and Mrs. Andrew Ethridge and daughters, Ruby Elaine and Kathy have returned from Germany where Sp-3 Ethridge has been stationed for the past three years. They will be visiting friends and relatives for the next six weeks; then will go to Georgia where Ethridge will be stationed at Fort Benning.

Sp-3 Ethridge is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ethridge.

## Need Volunteers

Mr. Jack Pierce announced that volunteers are needed again this year to carry the football players who live in the country home after practice each afternoon at 5 p.m. Three men will be needed each afternoon, and you are asked to contact Mr. Pierce in order that a schedule may be made out.

# Cowboys Meet Tahoka in Football Opener Friday



CAPTAINS OF THE COWBOYS, who will lead their teammates against the Tahoka Bulldogs this Friday night are Ross Stotts, Jim Williams, and Jackie Bass. The game will open the 1957 football season, and a large crowd of enthusiastic followers is expected to attend.

REVIEW Photo

The Plains Cowboys are eagerly awaiting their first game of the season this Friday night when they meet the Tahoka Bulldogs on Cowboy field with the kick-off whistle scheduled to blow at 8:00 p.m.

One starting back and three starting linemen are back for this year's Cowboy edition. The back is Jackie Bass, who has been hampered with a leg injury and may not be at full strength. Jim Williams is returning at left end, Ross Stotts to left tackle, and Merle Todd, last year's center, is being moved to right tackle. Jimmy Roy Robertson, a defensive starter, is back at right end.

The Cowboys' defensive team is reportedly looking better. A great deal of work has been put in on defense, and a much-improved defensive team is expected.

The starting defensive team is expected to be Don Todd and Ronald Amonett, end; Merle Todd and Billy McGee, tackles; Bobby Kinder, Ross Stotts, Don Williams, and Jim Roy Robertson, linebackers; Walter Coffman and Vennum Fitzgerald, halfbacks; and Jim Williams, safety man. The whole defensive team is showing improvement, with Jim Williams reportedly showing the most improvement over last year.

The starting offensive unit was not definite Thursday. Ends will be Jim Williams and Jim Roy Robertson; tackles, Ross Stotts and Merle Todd or Don Cooke; guards, Ronald Amonett and Donnie Kissinger or Don Todd. At center will be Billy McGee. The quarterback slot will be manned by Cordell Huddleston. Halfbacks will be Vennum Fitzgerald and Dwain Rowland with Bobby Kinder also slated to see lots of action. At fullback will be either Jackie Bass or Don Williams.

This year's team is somewhat smaller. The line will average 154 pounds, while the backs will average only 133.

Captains for this week's game will be Ross Stotts, Jimmy Williams and Jackie Bass.

Head coach for the Cowboys is Jack Pierce, a graduate of West Texas State. L. T. Sewell, assistant coach, is from Tulsa University while Ralph Dahl, other member of the coaching staff, is from North Texas State.

Ten games are scheduled this year for the Cowboys, with an open date falling on October 11. It is hoped that folks of the Plains area will strongly support the boys by attending all the games.

The Cowboys' record for last year was seven games won and three lost, with their opponents

## One Indicted By Grand Jury

One indictment was returned by the grand jury, meeting Friday at Plains.

Indicted on two counts for failure to stop auto and render aid was Buddie Ross Chidester, who gives Brownfield as his home address. The indictment stemmed from an accident last June 13, in which Jerry Warren, 16, of Andrews, lost his left arm. The accident occurred about five miles north of Plains. The case of Hobart Carlisle, charged with rape in justice of peace court, was passed for further consideration.

The grand jury also recommended to the commissioners court that a polaroid camera be purchased for use by the sheriff's office in connection with crime detection and accidents. James Warren is jury foreman.

## BEGIN CONSTRUCTION

Construction was begun Tuesday on a building to house delinting and seed cleaning equipment. The building will be 30 by 60 feet, and the business will be operated by N. F. Stovall of Mulshoe and Roy Crawford of Plains. Location will be on the gin yard south of the gin office. All equipment will be modern and new and the very best, they report. It should be ready for operation in about thirty days.

## Micronaire And Scale Installed At D. C. Newsom Gin

A new item of equipment, small in size compared to its cost, has just been installed at the D. C. Newsom and Son Gin. It is a micronaire machine and scale, and is said to be the only micronaire of its kind in operation in the state of Texas. Purpose of the micronaire, Mr. Newsom explained, is to determine the fiber size of cotton.

He pointed out that it will be of great value to the farmer in selling his cotton, in that the producer will have an accurate fiber test to offer to the buyer. This information has not been available in past years.

The micronaire and scale, which weighs 50 grains of cotton, has been installed in a specially lighted and moisture-controlled room.

Mr. Newsom said the equipment has been in use in cotton mills, but that it has been placed in the cotton classing offices this year for the first time.

## Texas Impresses Washington Folks

Misses Marian and Eileen Nelson and Shirley Stubbsjoen of Seattle, Washington have returned home after a ten day visit in the Hobbs and Blevins homes.

These young ladies were very impressed with Texas and after seeing our fine crops of feed, cotton, huge watermelons, and oil wells around Plains, they will be telling their Washington friends some tall Texas tales.

They declared themselves real Texans and have a yen to come back to Plains next summer. They also visited Mrs. Bobby Joe Parker in Lubbock.

## Lawrence Mize New Owner Of Texaco Service

Lawrence R. Mize announced this week that he has purchased the former Sampson Texaco Service Station, and that it will be now known as Mize's Texaco Service.

Mize moved to Plains this week from Levelland. His wife, the former Rox Anne Campbell, who attended school in Plains for one year, and their two sons, David Lee, age 7, and Larry Jim, age 5, will join him here in about two weeks. They will reside at 1107 E. 3rd St.

Mize was formerly employed by the Pan American Petroleum Corporation at Levelland.

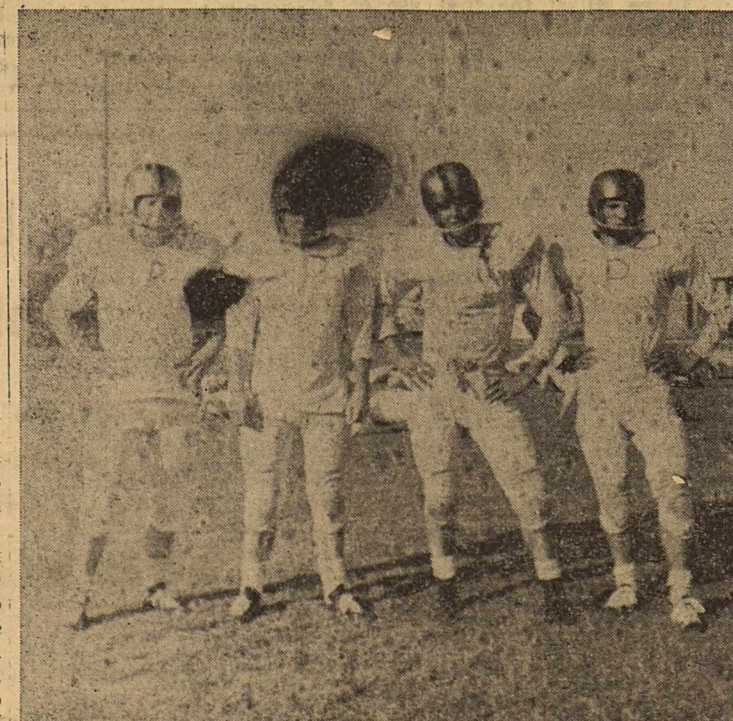
## 45 Called To Report for Jury Duty On Monday

Name of 45 persons were drawn this week for possible service on the district court jury, and notifications have been mailed for them to report Monday morning at the court house in Plains.

Six cases have been scheduled on the docket by Judge Louis B. Reed, to appear in the order named: Allen vs. Western Drilling Co., damages; Cottrell vs. T.E.I.A., compensation; Wisenbaker vs. Newark Insurance Co., compensation; Sanderson vs. Houston Fire & Casualty Ins. Co., compensation; Johnson vs. T.E.I.A., compensation; and Johnson vs. Johnson, divorce.

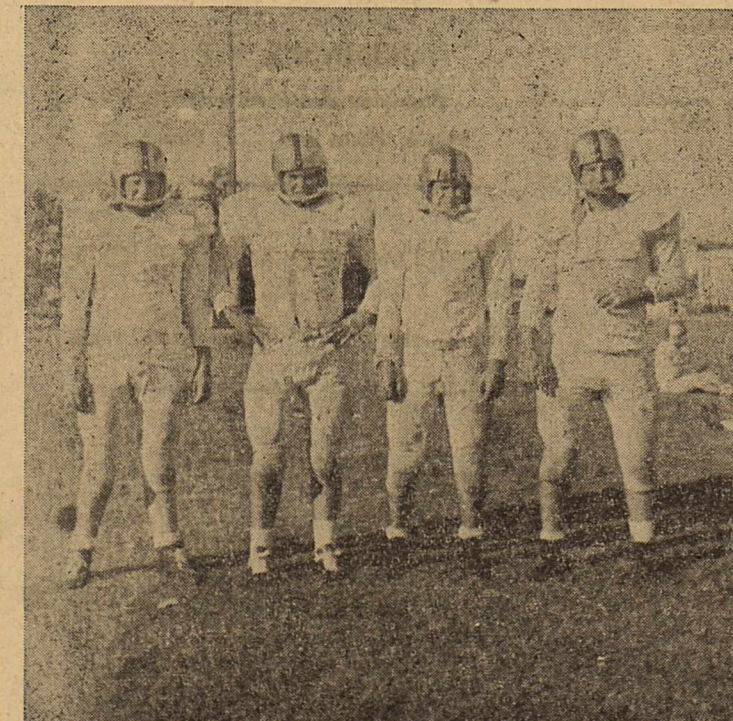
Called for jury duty are the following: Raymond E. Talley, Mrs. Berle Snyder, Mrs. W. R. Wells, K. R. Polston, Chet Holcombe, M. D. Souter, O. H. Holder, Mrs. Glendon Brown, Mrs. Sue Townes, Mrs. W. C. Cochran, W. M. Webb, C. L. Boomer, W. I. Hoyd, G. M. Edgmon, Mrs. Wayne McElroy, Mrs. H. E. Ayres, Mrs. Irene McMillian, Edgar Self, H. H. Addison, Mrs. O. W. Pardue, L. D. Steele, Mrs. Wayne Reisor, R. W. Thurston, M. L. Weatherall, Mrs. Robert Webber, Mrs. Reeves Newman, D. T. Cox, all of Denver City.

Also Louise Goehry, Virgil Short, L. O. Smith, Elbert Hinkle, Mrs. Redell Cogburn, Mrs. Bessie McCravy, George Evans, Mrs. Tom Warren, Jr., A. E. McGinty, Jesse J. Hale, Foy Powell.



MEMBERS FOR THE PLAINS COWBOYS shown above are Billy McGee, Ross Stotts, Don Cooke and Ronald Amonett. The boys will see their first action this season against Tahoka on Friday night.

REVIEW Photo



THE 1957 COWBOYS will take to the field Friday night for their first tilt of the year. Dwain Rowland, Bob Kinder, Don Williams and Vennie Fitzgerald will all see action as backs.

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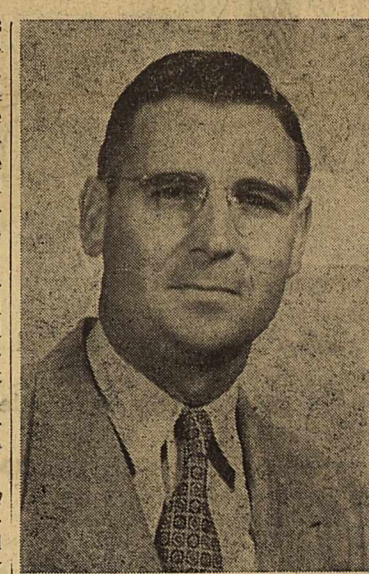
## 534 Enroll in Plains Schools

The 1957-58 year for the Plains School got off to a very successful start, according to Supt. G. W. Kennedy. A total of 534 students were enrolled on the first day. During the opening assembly, approximately 250 people including students, teachers, and parents, had to stand in the auditorium or lobby because of inadequate seating capacity.

The Primary department enrolled 221, the Junior High school enrolled 177, and the High School a total of 136. Others are expected to enroll during the next few days, to swell the total even more. Second grade was increased from two sections to three sections.

Students are required to bring sack lunches until the new cafeteria is completed. It is hoped that this will not be necessary for more than one or two weeks. The new mechanical drawing department has been occupied; however, a few finishing touches remain to be completed on the wood shop. The new junior high school library and science laboratory will be used as fourth grade classrooms until the completion of the new classroom wing.

Nine new teachers were introduced at the general assembly. They are Mrs. A. H. Bacon, second grade; L. T. Sewell, high school science and athletics; John Medlin, high school history and tennis; Mrs. Margaret Lattimore, high school English; Gene Belk, high school mathematics; Miss Shirley Havens, girls' physical education; Miss Glenda King, public school music; Mrs. Florine Hayes, sixth grade; and J. D. Campbell, band and chorus.



G. D. KENNEDY  
Superintendent



D. NEIL TAYLOR  
High School Principal

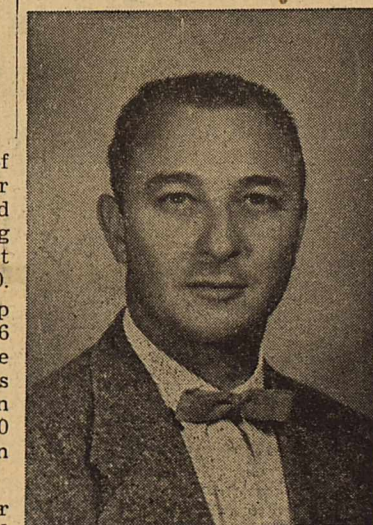
## Proposed County Budget For 1958 Set at \$728,680

A proposed county budget of \$728,680.13 for the 1958 year will be presented to interested taxpayers at a public meeting set by the commissioners' court for next Tuesday, September 10. Although the budget is up considerably from the \$504,851.06 figure for 1957, the tax rate will remain the same, it was announced. Estimated valuation of property in the county is \$50 million, compared to \$47 million for the current year.

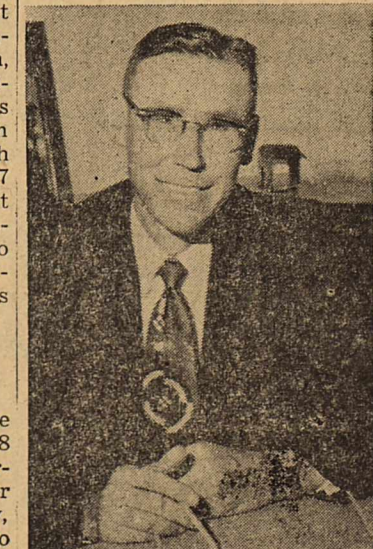
One of the main reasons for the increase in the proposed budget, County Auditor Bill Moorhead explained, is the increase in payments necessary to meet the county's bond schedule. For example, a total of \$96,632.75 is due on Road District 1-A bonds, as compared to \$65,067.50 this year. In addition, there is \$15,675 principal and interest to be paid on the bonds for the exhibition buildings in Plains and Denver City, which were not included in the 1957 budget, plus necessary payment for the libraries, and some \$25,000 operating expense for the two libraries. An increase in operating funds is also required, it was pointed out.

## Own an Edsel

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Sealy are the proud owners of a new 1958 Ford Edsel 4-door. It was purchased at the Brownfield Motor Co. in Brownfield Wednesday, the first of the new Edsels to be sold. Needless to say, the car is receiving a lot of attention from Plains residents.



ROY STOCKSTILL  
Junior High Principal



ROGER HARVEY  
Elementary Principal

## Little Increase in Insect Infestation Said on Cotton

(The following crop report for August 22 is compiled by county agents, vocational ag teachers, personnel of Texas A&M, U.S.D.A., and others.)

Beneficial rain fell in the southern part of the area during the past week. Growth and fruiting of cotton has continued at a satisfactory rate in most fields. Although some shedding of forms occurred in many plantings, such shed was generally not due to insect damage. Actually, except for leafworms, reports indicate little increase in insect infestations on cotton.

Small leafworms and heavy egg populations were present in many fields in Dawson, Howard, Mitchell, Scurry, and Terry Counties. Some cotton in a number of other counties had sufficient infestations to require control. Cotton should be checked frequently for the small worms so control may be effected before serious ragging of leaves has occurred.

Bollworms were reported in medium infestations in Collingsworth, Dawson, Garza, Lynn, and Scurry Counties. Infestations were generally light in most other localities.

While a considerable acreage has been treated for control of the worms, most infestations were not heavy. Since cotton is in a very attractive stage of growth, the crop should be checked frequently for appearance of eggs and small worms.

Cabbage loopers were present in light infestations on cotton in many fields. In some plantings a majority of looper populations have been killed by disease.

Lygus, stink bugs, spider mites, aphids, and garden webworms, were reported on cotton in occasional fields. In most cases infestations were not heavy.

## Truck Owners Reminded to File Use Tax Return

Administrative officer Howard O. Nichols of the Lubbock, Texas office, reminded owners that Form 2290, Federal Use Tax Return on Highway Motor Vehicles, should be filed immediately.

The provisions of the Highway Revenue Act of 1956 require Form 2290 to be filed for all taxable vehicles in use during July of each tax year. An additional Form 2290 must be filed for each month in which additional vehicles are put in use. These returns, which are filed with the District Director of Internal Revenue, are due on or before the last day of the month in which the vehicle is first used. The tax due must be paid when the return is filed.

The tax applies to the use of highway motor vehicles having a taxable gross weight of more than 26,000 pounds. The taxable gross weight of trucks and truck-tractors is determined according to the empty weight and the number of axles. The tax applies to the use of single-unit trucks with empty weight of 13,000 pounds or more, and truck-tractors with empty weight of 5,500 pounds or more.

The rate of the tax for a full tax year is \$1.50 per 1,000 pounds of taxable gross weight. A full-year's tax for one vehicle will range from \$40.50 to \$90.00, depending on its taxable gross weight. Each tax year begins July 1 and ends the following June 30. If the first use of a vehicle in the tax year occurs after July, the tax is prorated according to the number of months remaining in the tax year.

Internal Revenue Service publication No. 349, "Federal Use Tax on Highway Motor Vehicles", has been prepared by the Service to answer taxpayers' questions. The booklet defines highway vehicles subject to the new tax, and contains a variety of information on the determination of taxable gross weight, applicable forms and returns, exemptions, the preparation of and the manner in which payments are to be made. A use-tax schedule of vehicles by category is also included. These booklets and copies of Form 2290 and Instructions may be obtained from the Internal Revenue Service office at Lubbock, Texas.

The highway vehicle use tax was levied by Congress to help defray the cost of the proposed expansion of the Nation's highways. It is effective until June 30, 1972.

## GAINES COUNTY OFFICIALS OKEY LEASING OF GOLF COURSE JAN. 1

Gaines County Commissioners Court, acting upon recommendation of its park advisory committee, Thursday had agreed to lease the county-owned nine-hole golf course to the Gaines County Golf and Recreation Association.

Effective date of the lease would be Jan. 1.

The golf course, now nearing completion midway between Seminole and Seagraves, and its operation was discussed at a meeting of the county court and advisory committee members Wednesday morning at the courthouse.

Committee members present were Seth Woltz, George Zoller, L. M. McAdoo and Horace Taylor.

The group recommended that the course be leased to the association and that green fees tentatively be set at \$1 for weekday play, \$1.50 for Saturday, Sunday and holiday play.

Contract arrangements between the county and the asso-

ciation, however, are pending. Contractual agreements would include items such as green fees, and operation and maintenance responsibilities and responsibility for the professional golfer for the course.

Realizing the need for the professional golfer, who also would serve as greens keeper, county officials already have begun interviews for employment of the pro.

Holding the inside track for the job is Jim Terry, pro at Los Alamos, N. M., golf club.

Under terms of a golf course lease, the leasor would have no jurisdiction over park facilities other than the golfing facilities. The \$250,000 county-wide park also includes an amphitheatre, a community pavilion, picnic and play and athletic facilities and areas.

Before the association can contract for operation of the golf course, it is anticipated that it will incorporate as a non-profit organization.

The association already is selling memberships at \$60 per person, plus \$6 monthly dues. When ample numbers have enrolled, officials said the group will hold an official organizational meeting for purpose of incorporating.

## Melvin W. Sisk to Speak at Short Course of WTCC

Melvin W. Sisk, executive vice-president of the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce, will be one of the featured speakers at the sixth annual West Texas Chamber of Commerce Course scheduled for Sept. 13-14 in Big Spring, Wayne B. Smith, chairman of the WTCC community services committee, announced today.

Smith, who is manager of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce, also announced that Dr. P. D. O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist church in Big Spring, will be the keynote speaker for the two-day meeting.

The Short Course, which last year drew approximately 125 professional chamber managers, staff personnel and local chamber presidents, is designed to provide those working in and with chambers throughout West Texas with a better working knowledge of chamber operations, Smith stated. Attending from here will be Art Paul, manager of the Denver City Chamber of Commerce, and Ralph Townes, president.

"Professional Improvement" is the theme for this year's meeting, Smith said. He added that "organized bull sessions" will be utilized again this year to permit an inter-change of ideas on successful organizational management and techniques.

Sisk is a native West Texan, graduate of Texas Tech and has had more than 20 years experience in chamber management. His first position in professional chamber work was as manager of the Levelland chamber. He also served as manager of the Graham, Sherman and Tyler chambers and was once a member of the Wichita Falls Chamber staff.

Sisk became manager of the San Antonio chamber in 1956. He is a former president of Managers association and is a Texas Chamber of Commerce graduate of Southwestern Institute, a school for chamber managers.

Dr. P. D. O'Brien is a veteran West Texas minister. At one time he was pastor of the First Baptist church at Stamford. A popular after-dinner speaker, Dr. O'Brien has delivered humorous inspirational messages before chamber groups throughout Texas for more than 20 years.

## Excessive Speed Most Disastrous Driver Violation

"Excessive speed continues to be the most disastrous driver violation in both urban and rural accidents," J. O. Musick, General Manager of the Texas Safety Association, said today.

"For example," he continued, "Driving too fast for conditions accounted for 58 percent of the rural fatal accidents in Texas during 1956."

When asked for the chances of survival at various speeds, the traffic safety expert gave the following figures:

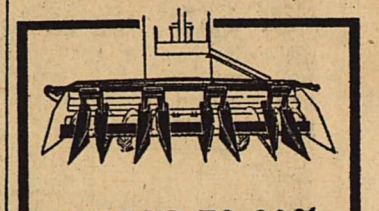
"At 60 miles per hour—the daylight speed limit in Texas—if the motorist has an accident, the chances of someone being killed are about one in 20.

"If the speed is stepped up to 75 m.p.h., the chances of survival are only one in 8.

"On the other hand, to reduce speed to 45 m.p.h. will increase the odds to one in 75. At 35 they are one in 115, and at 25 they are one in 300."

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Smith and family visited relatives in Oklahoma last week.

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### YOU IN THE CHURCH THE CHURCH IN YOU

Character is a by-product of the church. It is here that young and old alike are showered with benedictions that fortify and influence for a better citizenship and a stronger democracy. In the church the ministerial are molding religious character. Statement today declares that the church alone can furnish leadership to handle the affairs of state in these perilous times. Then we with our children should go to the church of our choice on Sunday. "You in the Church and the Church in you" form a combination for good. Be a regular CHURCHGOER and a daily BIBLE READER.

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# OFFICIAL RECORD

**DISTRICT COURT**  
Western Drilling Co., Inc., vs. Thomas H. Barron, petition for temporary restraining order.

**AUTO REGISTRATIONS**  
Johnny Jones, Plains, D. C. Motors, 57 Ford, Pickup.  
L. L. Coats, Denver City, D. C. Motors, 57 Ford, Pickup.  
Bascom L. Thomas, Denver City, D. C. Motors, 57 Ford 2 dr. Sed.  
B. H. B. Superior Well Service, Denver City, Dean Mtr. Co., 57 Rambler 4-dr Sed.  
Cyrus Salinas, Denver City, Lloyd Allsup Chev. Co., 57 Chev. Pickup.  
C. R. Fulks, Denver City, Lloyd Allsup Chev. Co., 57 Chev. 4 dr. Stn. Wgn.  
J. A. Lampkin, Denver City, D. C. Motors, 57 Ford 4 dr.  
M. W. Lovelace, Denver City, D. C. Motors, 57 Ford 4 dr. Vic.  
W. L. Kidd Oil Field Ser., Denver City, D. C. Motors, 57 Ford, Winch.  
Y. L. Wright, Denver City, D. C. Motors, 57 Ford 4 dr. Sed.  
D. V. French, Denver City, O. H. Hearn and Son, 57 Intl. Pickup.  
Boyd P. Millsap, Denver City, Lloyd Allsup Chev. Co., 57 Chev. 4 dr.

William J. Gray, Denver City, Dean Motor Company, 57 Nash 4 dr.  
M. J. Pettit, Denver City, Lloyd Allsup Chev. Co., 57 Chev. 4 dr. Sed.  
Mr. and Mrs. Mark Sanderson, Denver City, Lloyd Allsup Chev. Co., 57 Chev. 4 dr. Sed.  
Jimmy R. Cox, Plains, Grady Terrell, Levelland, 57 Ford Ranchero.  
T. M. Ward, Denver City, Lloyd Allsup Chev. Co., 57 Chev. 4 dr. Sed.

## State Automobile Inspections Now Underway Locally

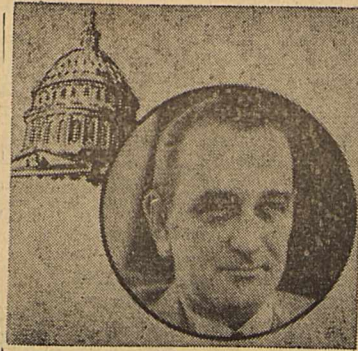
Automobile inspections, required by state law, began this week at three inspection stations, L. W. (Dub) Wilhite, area state auto inspection chief, announces. He cited changes in the 1958 inspection law which will require more attention to vehicles on the part of the inspecting mechanics.

An estimated 7,000 vehicles in Yoakum County are subject to the inspection during the period from Sept. 1 to April 15, 1958.

For the 1958 inspections, mechanics will be required to pull one wheel from each vehicle inspected to check brake linings. The mechanic also will check for scored brake drums, greasy linings and will check the hydraulic braking system.

The 1957 inspection period ended on the date the 1958 inspection period began. This year, because of the state's fiscal calendar, the inspection period is beginning 15 days earlier than usual, Inspector Wilhite said. He quoted statistics on vehicles inspected during the 1957 period.

A total of 3,750,000 vehicles have been inspected in Texas for 1957, he said. Of these, 43 per cent needed some sort of mechanical correction in order to pass the inspection. Twenty-nine per cent needed headlight adjustment, 10 per cent brake adjustment. Average cost per inspection was \$1.89.



## WASHINGTON NEWS LETTER

By Sen. Lyndon Johnson

Dear Friend:  
This is the last of my newsletters for this year. They will be resumed with the next session of Congress in January. Meanwhile, I am returning to Texas for rest, relaxation and some visits with old friends.

But since this is the last of my newsletters for the time being, I think it is time to take a look at the first session. It did not accomplish everything. No session can do that. But it delivered what it promised.

**ECONOMY?** The people called for economy and they got exactly that. The budget was cut by \$5,600,000,000—8.7 per cent. A Democratic Congress said that much money out of the proposals of a Republican President.

**CONSERVATION?** Important water projects were advanced. New ones were launched. Surveys were started on the Texas rivers. Most important of all, the Bureau of Reclamation and the Army Engineers agreed to work together and produce an overall water plan for Texas.

**MILITARY?** Military construction is important to Texas. Our State is a key part of the defense system. Congress appropriated \$72,375,000 for further construction and expansion of facilities in Texas.

**MUTUAL SECURITY?** The Congress shifted from the "give-away" concept of Foreign Aid to a sound respectable program of loans. It has been our experience that gifts create ill will and bad feeling. But nations to whom we have lent money have a good record for repayment and feel better about the whole transaction.

The closing days for the session were featured by the debate over the civil rights bill. It was necessary to accept an amendment approved by the House. But this amendment did not touch the Senate jury trial provision to any practical extent.

It represented primarily a method of coming to an agreement. But the conditions of the compromise are such that no prudent judge will hold a criminal contempt trial without a jury.

I want to thank all of Texas. You have been very understanding. It is a great pleasure to work for such wonderful people.

For the time being, so long. I hope to see you while I am in Texas this Fall. Meanwhile, goodbye, good luck and God bless you.

The Rev. and Mrs. Bill Curry and family of Lazbuddie spent last Tuesday night visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Curry.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Henard and son, Oscar, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones in Lubbock last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hobbs are visiting friends and relatives at Querado and Carrizo Springs. They also plan to do some fishing in the Rio Grande.

## Clerk Fees Hiked By Legislature

County clerk and district clerk civil fees have been raised by the Texas Legislature, and are now in effect, according to J. W. O. Alldredge, county clerk.

The bill approves a hike of about 33 1/3 per cent county clerk fees and approximately 50 per cent in district clerk fees. In addition, a charge of 10 cents per name registered on each deed will be made.

A few of the revised civil fees to be charged by county clerk include: issuing and recording marriage license, \$3; abstract of chattel mortgages, 50 cents; filing each paper, except subpoenas, 25 cents; recording each final judgement or decree to 200 words, \$1; abstracting judgement, \$1.

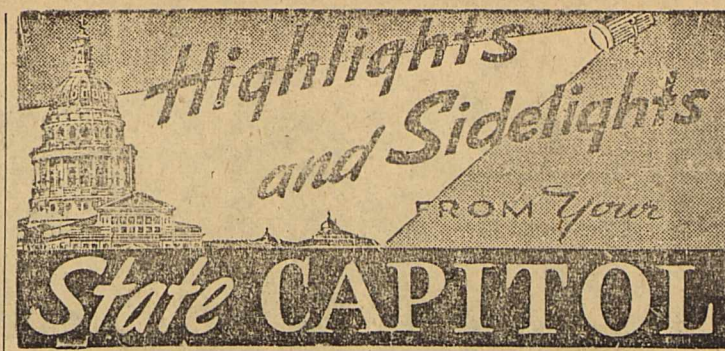
Included in new district clerk fees are: filing original petition, \$2.50; certifying to and affixing seal on copy, 25 cents; issuing each citation, \$1.25; issuing certificate to any fact or facts contained in the records of his office, \$1.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bell and boys from El Paso spent last Thursday night visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Curry and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Culwell.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rushing and family of Lubbock visited in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dad Rushing and Mrs. Thelma Ellis last week-end. Mrs. Rushing is employed as a second grade teacher in the Lou Stubbs school in Lubbock.

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**PLAINS ELECTRIC**



AUSTIN, Tex.—Students are trooping back to school for another year of reading, writing and 'rithmetic.

But the knottiest school problems are not in the math books. For parents the problem is the high-cost-of-practically-everything. Tuition at state colleges has doubled. Even the parents of first graders are wincing as they add up the "outfitting" bills. Cost of blue jeans, plus crayons, plus lunch money, takes an ever growing bite out of most family budgets. Many mothers will go back to work this fall to help balance the income-outgo equation.

On a bigger scale Texas school agencies and administrators have the problem of the "old woman who lived in the shoe." They have so many children they don't know what to do. Their problem of trying to balance school facilities against school needs is complicated by the fact that one side of the equation—needs—keeps on growing.

Some 1,885,640 children are expected to enroll this month. That is 70,000 more than last fall. To keep the education mills grinding, Texans will spend an estimated \$526,000,000 this year. It's twice as much as was spent eight years ago. Local districts are pouring some \$40,000,000 into new buildings this year.

**SHOWDOWN ON WATER**—It's now or never for Texans to solve their water problems in an orderly manner.

This, in effect, is the attitude of Gov. Price Daniel as he sets the wheels in motion for a "big push" this fall.

First attack will be by a 100-person statewide water planning committee appointed by the governor. It is to meet in Austin beginning Sept. 9 to develop planning and leadership for a master plan for water conservation and flood control over the state. Committee members include civic leaders and persons interested in and acquainted with water problems from all parts of the state.

They'll also be asked to help plan future water legislation and develop support for the proposed constitutional amendment that would provide a \$100,000,000 bond issue for water projects.

Second phase of the governor's plan is the special legislative session to pass needed additional laws. Target date for the session still is October, the governor has indicated.

Two pieces of water legislation are proposed by Governor Daniel: (1) Creation of a state water planning division to draw up a master plan and (2) a law enabling the state to purchase water storage space in federal reservoirs (a measure which failed last session). Planning division probably

would cost from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000 says Daniel. This can be obtained, he says, from special funds appropriated, but not used, for other purposes.

If Texas doesn't face the responsibility for its water planning itself, declared the governor, the federal government will take over with a "take it or leave it" plan.

**GREENHILL APPOINTED**—Joe R. Greenhill of Austin will become an associate justice of the State Supreme Court on Sept. 30.

Greenhill was appointed by the governor to replace Judge Few Brewster, who is resigning because of ill health. A former Houstonian, Greenhill, 43, will be the youngest judge on the high court.

He is a former assistant attorney general to Daniel and was the governor's campaign manager in '56. Daniel termed him "one of Texas' ablest lawyers."

**COTTON CROP SLOW**—Ginning of Texas' cotton crop is lagging behind 1956, but a larger yield than last year is still expected.

By mid-August only 365,504 bales had been ginned, reports the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture. Last year at this time almost twice as much had been ginned. But crops in many areas are late due to prolonged rains. US DA still predicts the '57 crop in Texas will be 3,775,000 bales compared to 3,615,000 last year.

**MORE ERRORS FOUND**—All the excitement over moving the State Insurance Department out of the International Life Insurance Co. building in Austin was for naught.

Atty. Gen. Will Wilson has ruled invalid that part of the reorganization bill which ordered a new building.

Wilson says the bill was improperly drawn. **MOST ARE SOUND**—Most Texas insurance companies are strong. So said Judge Penn Jackson in his first public speech Board of Insurance Commission since becoming chairman of the ers.

But, he added, "a smaller number are losing ground and may or may not be able to survive."

**NEW COURTS**—A new district court in Austin and one in Dallas now are open for business.

Judge Mace B. Thurman, formerly of Travis County's County Court-at-Law, was named to the new bench in Austin.

Judge Claude Williams, Dallas attorney, was appointed to the new court there.

**SHORT SNORTS**  
Texas ranked seventh in the nation last year on per capita

income, reports the Bureau of the Census. Texas per capita income, \$1,686. National average, \$1,940.

Dr. N. Jay Rogers of Beaumont and Dr. Ira E. Woods of Grapevine have been re-appointed by the Governor for six-year terms on the State Board of Optometry.

Another motor vehicle inspection period has arrived. You have until next April 15 to get your new sticker, however. But early inspections are urged by the Department of Public Safety.

Texas draft calls continue to shrink. October quota is 338. It compares with 387 for September and 547 for August. Inductees will be taken from age 22 and over, except for delinquents and volunteers.

Texas has 308 new nurses. They passed the recent statewide examination for vocational nurse licenses. Two schools have been newly accredited to teach vocational nursing—Marcom Hospital of Vocational Nursing at Ladonia and Permian General Hospital School of Vocational Nursing at Andrews.

Jobs as examiners with the State Board of Insurance now are open. They are additional posts created by the last legis-

## Iota Pi Chapter Has Melon Feed

The Iota Pi Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha met in the Stanford park for a watermelon feast, Tuesday, August 27.

The watermelons were furnished by the Tom Warrens and the Garland Swanns.

Out of town guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Webb and boys from Kappa Sigma Chapter in Denver City and Mr. and Mrs. Nuel Holleman and girls from Kappa Phi Chapter in Seagraves.

Iota Pi members and families present were Mary Lee and Garland Swann, Kay and Gay; Velma and Tom Warren; Elsie and Alf Carpenter; Gwen Short, Gary and Gregg; Wilma and Marvin Elliott; Dorothy and Lois McGinty; Kenneth, Sylvia, Morris Lowe; Fern Mikeska; Alton Earl, and Kathleen; Margaret and Neil Taylor; Billie and Jimmy; Jo Brown; Ann Green, Mr. and Mrs. Glover were guests.

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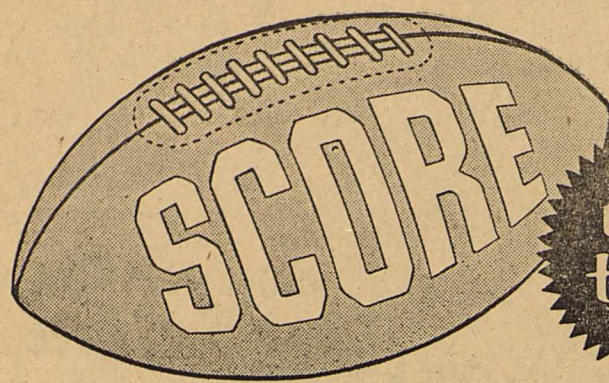
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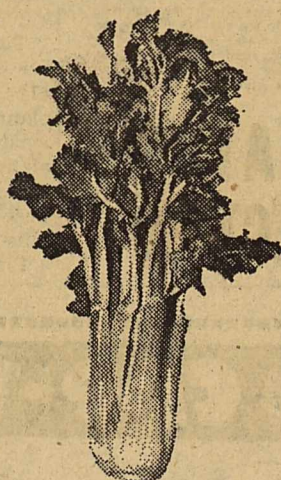
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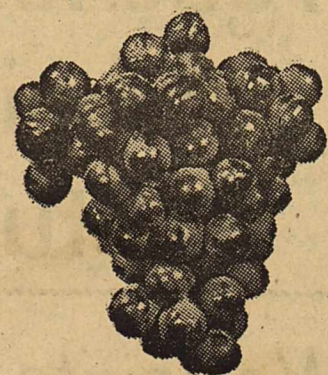
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## Army's New Nike, Hercules to be at State Fair

The first public showing of the Army's new Nike Hercules anti-aircraft missile will be during the 1957 State Fair of Texas at Dallas, Oct. 5-20.

The Hercules is the latest air defense weapon which the Army says can fly farther, faster and higher than any other such missile and can carry an atomic warhead.

Also to be exhibited at the Fair is the Nike Ajax, which the Hercules will supplement. A full crew of men will go through a realistic drill to demonstrate how the Ajax is loaded onto the rocket launching apparatus, and how it is aimed and fired. The simulated firing demonstration will be accompanied by the sound of recordings of an actual blast-off.

The deadly Nike missile is designed to track down and destroy enemy aircraft. It blasts up higher than its prey and then swoops down on its target.

Red fuming nitric acid is the Nike's fuel, with a booster of solid propellant, something like gun powder that kicks the missile past the speed of sound in

two seconds. To show how fast and high the Nike leaps, the booster cuts loose about two-and-a-half seconds after the blast-off, but does not hit the ground until after the missile has already made its kill.

The new Nike Hercules has been demonstrated before selected groups at Fort Bliss, but the Fair exhibit will be the first one open to the public.

Nike batteries are due to be installed in a wide protective loop around Dallas and Fort Worth to guard these cities against enemy attack. The installations will be in the general vicinity of Mineral Wells, Denton, Terrell and Alvarado, it has been announced. Nike installations are currently being used to protect a number of other areas in the United States.

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J. W. O. ALLDREDGE  
County Clerk,



### SCHOOL BUS SAFETY LAWS

Thousands of school children will soon be trooping back to school throughout Texas. Many of them will be transported by school buses. Most people are careful when approaching a school bus which may be standing beside the road or school to pick up school children or allow them to alight. However, we have already had some very bad accidents this year because a child or a motorist, or both, were careless at that very time.

Most Texans are aware of the law which requires a driver to come to a complete stop when overtaking from the rear a school bus which has stopped to receive or discharge school children. After stopping immediately behind the bus, he is then allowed by law to proceed past same at a speed "which is prudent, not exceeding ten (10) miles per hour, and with due caution for the safety of such children."

What many persons do not realize is that the very same rule applies when MEETING a stopped school bus. While everyone is interested in protecting our children, unthinking violators of this simple safety rule probably outnumber those who comply. Failure to follow the law in this case can lead to fines up to \$200.00 even when no accident occurs. Following an accident in which some child is injured or killed, the penalties are naturally much more serious.

Although the above rule does not always apply when passing a stopped school bus in a business or residential district of a town, the necessity for extreme caution even in those locations is obvious.

When it comes to overtaking and passing moving vehicles, exercise of ordinary common sense will generally keep a driver within the law. For instance, when passing a car it is only common sense to proceed on past it a safe distance before cutting back to the right side of the highway. Also, any driver would realize the danger of increasing his speed while another is attempting to pass him.

In the same category is the prohibition against passing on the right under most ordinary conditions. Of course, you may legally pass on the right in a few specific instances, such as when the vehicle overtaken is making or about to make a left turn, or upon a one-way street with two or more lanes, or upon a four-lane highway.

However, our traffic laws state that even when passing on the right is allowed, it shall be done only under conditions permitting such movement in safety. And, in no event should such passing be accomplished by driving off the pavement or main-traveled portion of the roadway.

Familiar to all are the no passing zones designated by dash lines placed to one side of the center stripe on our highways. Not so well known are the restrictions against crossing the center line when approaching within 100 feet of or when traversing any intersection or railroad grade crossing.

A driver should never cross the center line of a highway when the left side of the road is not clearly visible and free of oncoming traffic. Generally speaking, when not engaged in passing another vehicle, one should not drive to the left of the center of the roadway.

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

Miss Sandra Lewis visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lewis last week.

## NEWSY PERSONALS About Folks You Know . . .

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Muston were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Simmons and Mrs. Annie Taylor of Hermleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Melton, Jr., and sons, Larry, James, Richard, and Rod, of Huntington Beach, Calif. spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Muston. Also visiting their parents were Mrs. Wilma Dean Griffith of Munday and Herbert O. Muston, Jr., of Cove, Ark. It was the first time in fifteen years all the children had been home at the same time. Mrs. Susie Mae Heath and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Coke and sons of Denver City were Sunday afternoon guests in the Muston home.

The Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Strickland and Judith Ann visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Muston last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCargo and children of Farmington, N. M. were recent visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McCargo.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Mabry and children of Seminole spent the weekend with Mrs. Mabry's mother, Mrs. Dovie Moreland.

Eric Chambliss of Ojal, Calif., Mrs. L. D. Chambliss, and Mark Chambliss of Brownfield visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chambliss last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eual Dean Strickland and Ricky of Canyon are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Harvey and with other friends and relatives in Plains for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Slim Randall and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hughlett in Brownfield Sunday.

Mrs. Opal Pedkins and Junior visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Green in Lubbock Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McClellan went to Sundown the first of the week to visit with Mrs. A. E. Huffman who injured a leg in a fall recently. Mrs. McClellan will spend several days visiting there.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Kennedy are vacationing in Dallas this week.

Mrs. O. G. Lewis visited with her mother in Borger last week. Her mother is seriously ill.

Robert and Bobby Chambliss were dinner guests in the home of Mrs. L. D. Chambliss in Brownfield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lindt and children attended a family reunion in Lubbock last Sunday.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. George Cleveland were her son and family of Canadian, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Conrad of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cleveland of Canadian, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cleveland of Brownfield.

Mrs. Ethel Richards and Mrs. Maryvarette Turlin of Seminole visited with Mrs. J. P. Robertson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Camp returned last week from a visit with relatives in Farmington, N.M.

Travis Been was in Roswell, N.M. on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo White and Marsha spent the weekend in Cloudercroft, and Ruidiso, N.M.

Mrs. J. H. Parrish of Tokio is visiting with her mother, two sisters, and two brothers in Oklahoma City this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bartlett visited in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Keiffer and daughter, in Pampa over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hale spent the weekend at Ruidiso, N.M.

Mrs. Kenneth Hale and daughters, Beth Ann and Edna Karen, spent the weekend visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hale in Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Smith and sons, Gary and Olan, spent last week in Ruidiso, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Chick Lee and family moved to Plains recently from Brownfield. Mr. Lee is employed by the Grady Goodpasture Grain and Milling Company in Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Padgett of Levelland visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hale and other friends in Plains last week.

Mrs. Sonny Newton ofouston visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Newsom Monday.

Mrs. D. O. Newsom spent last week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Newsom in Lubbock. Mr. Newsom went up Sunday and she returned home with him.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Luna are vacationing this week at Pecos, New Mexico.

Dallas Powell is home from Tech for two weeks before enrolling for the fall semester.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavon Smith spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Snodgrass at Lehman.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Palmer, Judy and Joe Bob spent the week-end in Fort Worth visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eaks.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henard and daughters, Frances Nell and Margaret, visited in the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones last Thursday.

Kenneth Hale returned Tuesday after spending several days fishing in Colorado.

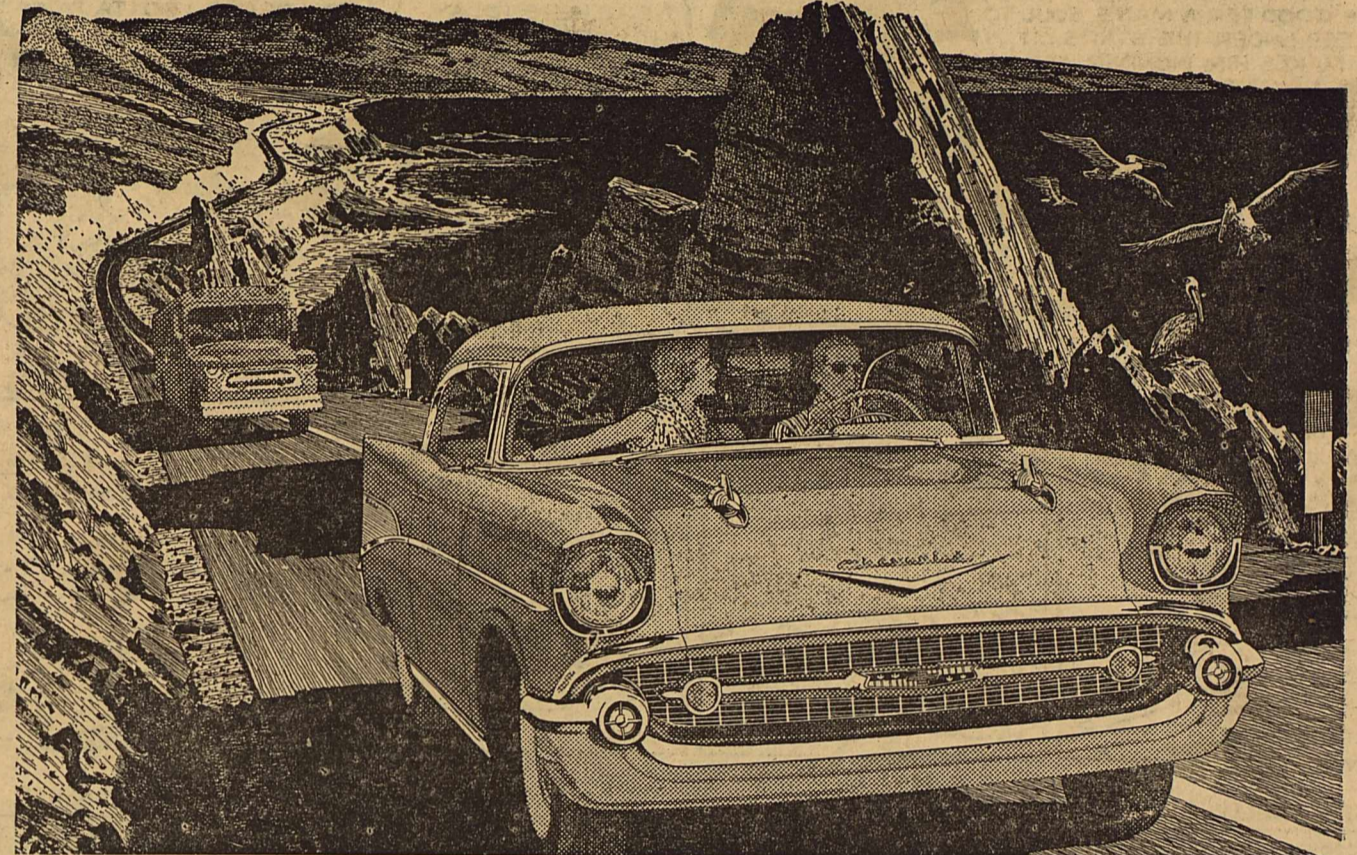
Rita Kay Smith of Lubbock is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. W. E. Smith, this week.

Mrs. Flossie Tidwell is visiting in the home of her son, Floyd Tidwell, in Lubbock this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Taylor and family spent last week at Possum Kingdom and at Graham visiting relatives.

Pvt. James H. Ellis visited with his mother, Mrs. Thelma Ellis, and other relatives and friends in Plains the first of the week. He left Thursday for Fort Sill, Okla., where he will undergo some more training. He recently completed 8 weeks of basic training at Fort Carson, Colo.

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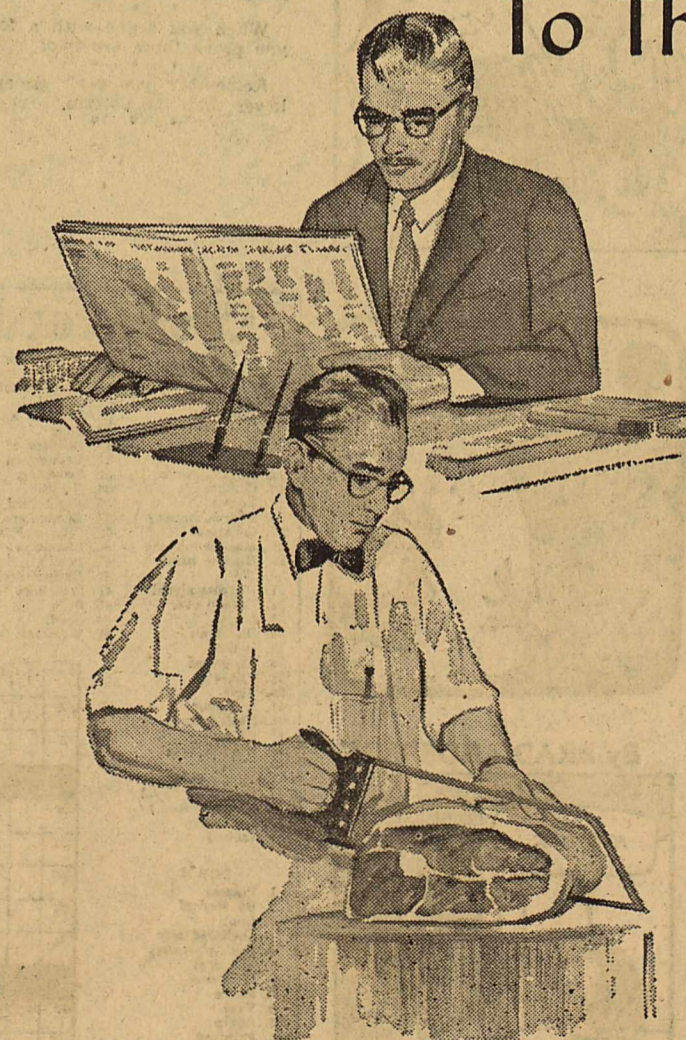


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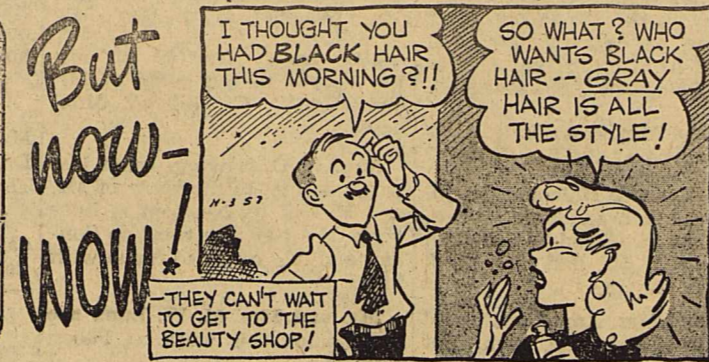
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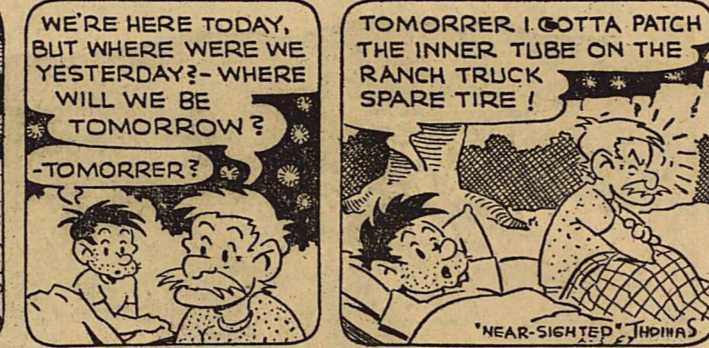
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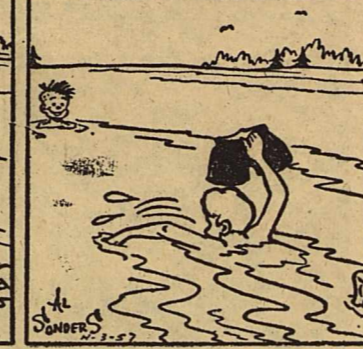
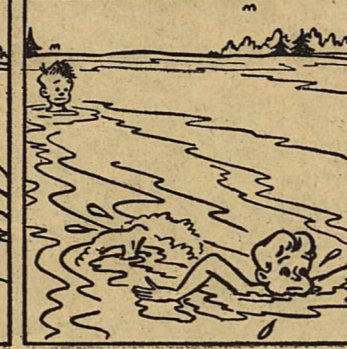
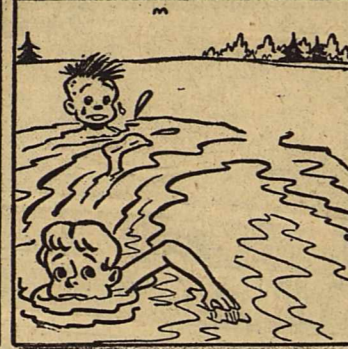
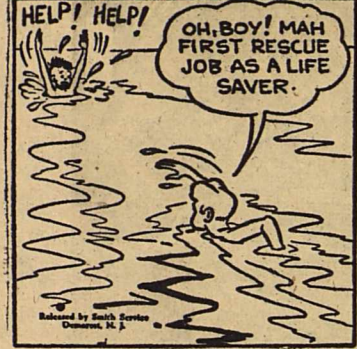
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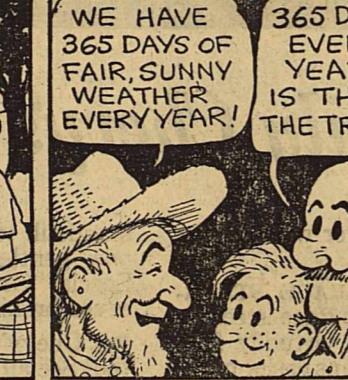
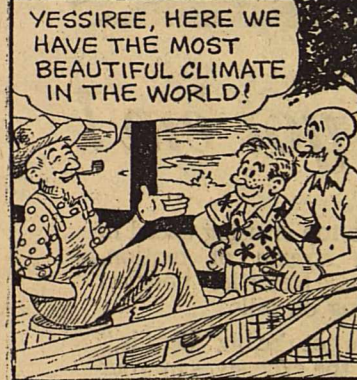
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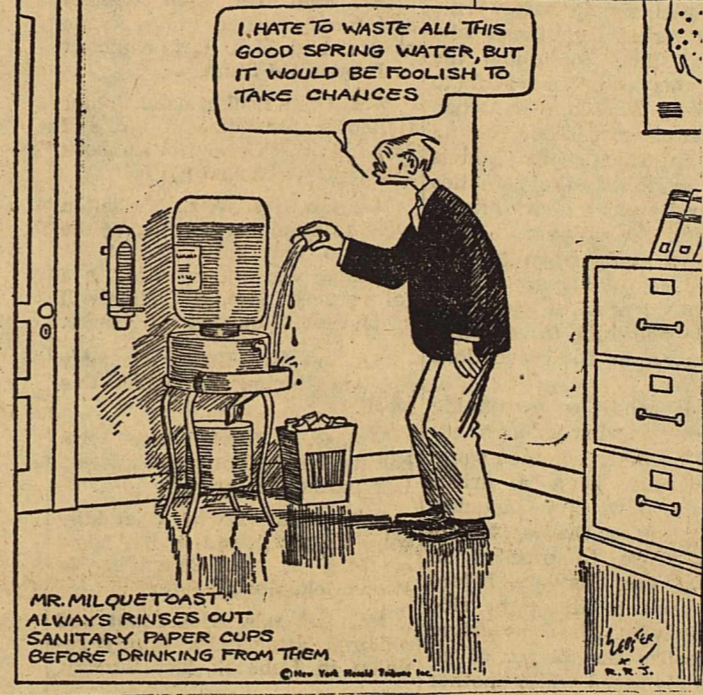
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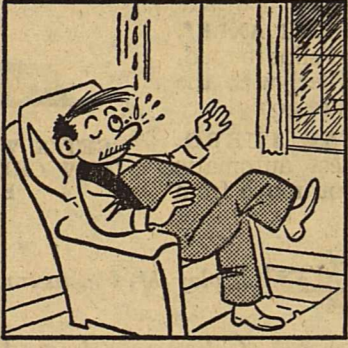
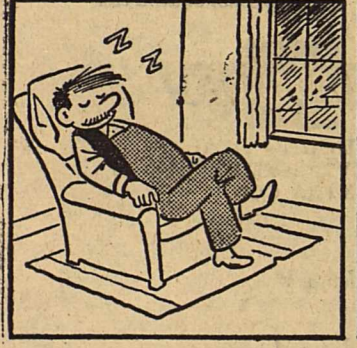
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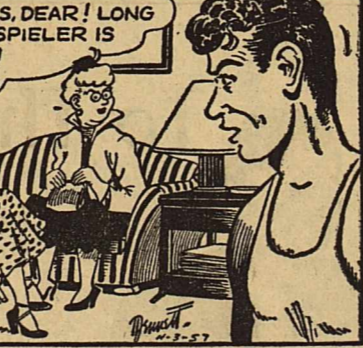
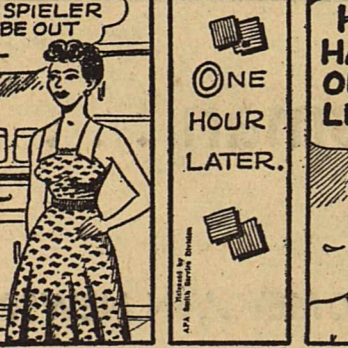
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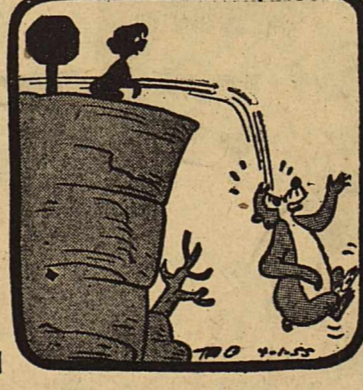
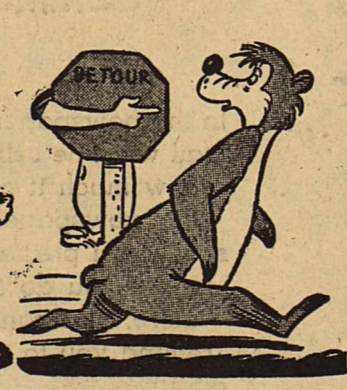
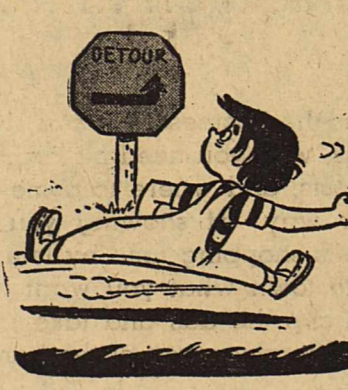
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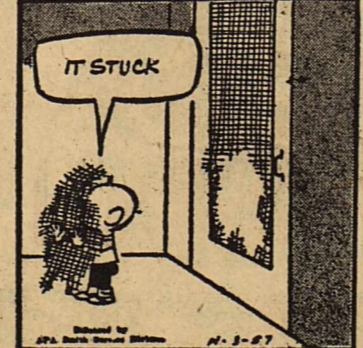
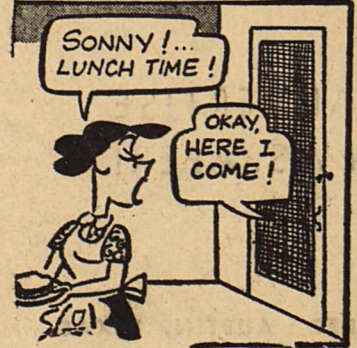
OFF MAIN STREET



DEEMS



GRANDPA'S BOY



## Uncle CHARLEY'S "Epi-grins"

Wonder what becomes of th' germs when we kiss our money goodbye?  
Some folks listed in who's who, don't know which is which or what is what.  
Some gals are light headed in spite of nature's best efforts.  
Sometimes we think we'd just as leave be hit with th' car as scared 't' death with th' horn.  
To suffer confusions, just jump at conclusions.  
When you argue with a fool you prove there are two.  
Remember, you can't git any lower than the bottom.

A feller's a sucker 't' bite off mor'n he kin chew.  
What's th' use 'o' livin' long if a feller doesn't live well?  
Th' reason some folks never git very far, they spend so much time a coverin' up their tracks.  
Many a chap, saturated in love gets soaked in the pocket-book.  
All gals ain't gold diggers, some will settle for the long green stuff.  
The chap who gits lax about his tax will git the axe.  
Nope, with no money life ain't funny.  
--REV CHARLEY GRANT H-3-57

## Crossword

ACROSS

- Egg-shaped
- Small rug
- Certain
- Telegram
- Compass point
- Nest
- Appellation
- Environment
- Climate
- Roam
- Church holiday
- Conscious
- Makes a mistake
- Moisture name
- Tie
- Distress signal
- Extend over
- Single
- Had been
- In due
- Abounded
- Prize
- Age
- A pusher
- Nested boxes
- Pillage
- Highest note
- Close to
- Young boys
- Fellow of Royal Society (abbr.)
- Gentleman (abbr.)

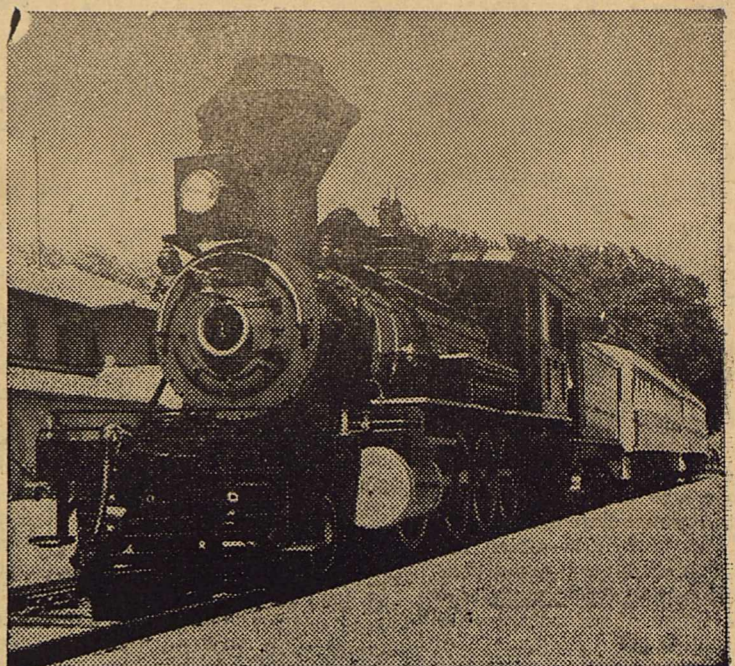
DOWN

- Possess
- By way of
- Sheltered side
- High plateau
- The grill
- Restraints
- Mias
- Vase
- Equip
- Printing measure
- Tip
- Look at
- Wooden shoe

21. Heavy string  
22. Hindu queen  
23. South American animal  
24. African antelope  
25. Tolls  
26. Goddess of dawn  
27. Young seal  
28. Swinging  
29. Healthy  
30. Night bird  
31. Encounters  
32. City in France  
33. Lemnra  
34. Is sick  
35. Extinct bird  
36. Seed case  
37. Born  
38. Sped  
39. Worthless scrap

Solution H-3-57

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Cyrus K. Holliday Recalls Pioneer Days of Railroad

## Famous Antique Train To Be Shown In Dallas At State Fair of Texas

An antique train reminiscent of the pioneering days of railroading will be exhibited by the Santa Fe Railway at the 1957 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 5-20.

The famous old Cyrus K. Holliday locomotive, a replica of the original engine which hauled the first freight and passengers over the Santa Fe line in Kansas in 1869, will be brought to Dallas along with its two ancient wooden coaches.

The diminutive locomotive has the famous "diamond stack" with a brass eagle figurehead gracing the engine head, a big oil-burning headlight, brass fittings and other paraphernalia of the early days of railroading.

Although the locomotive is but a replica of the original, the present Cyrus K. Holliday ranks as a museum piece in its own right. Built in 1880, the old engine was subsequently downgraded to a switch locomotive and finally withdrawn after 60 years of active service.

Restored to its original appearance, the train has been used many times in movies of the old West. The engine still operates under its own power.

With the Cyrus K. Holliday, the State Fair will have on exhibition trains spanning nearly 90 years of rail progress. The Texas & Pacific Railway Company will exhibit its old retired steam locomotive No. 909 and one of its crack modern Texas Eagle streamliners. In addition, the Fair's Monorail line, only such system operating in the U. S., offers a sample of yet another type of rail transportation said to hold great promise for the future.

## It's News To Us!

Honored? On Trip? Promoted? New Job?  
Engaged? Married? Party? Moved?  
Visitors? Anniversary?  
News Worthy Pictures Welcome

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# FOOTBALL

1957 SCHEDULE

of

## Plains COWBOYS



<b>Games Away from Home</b>	SEPTEMBER 20 . . . . .	COOPER
	OCTOBER 4 . . . . .	GRANFALLS
	OCTOBER 18 . . . . .	FRENSHIP
	NOVEMBER 1 . . . . .	SEAGRAVES
	NOVEMBER 8 . . . . .	ROPESVILLE
	CONFERENCE GAME	
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### 5 HOME GAMES

September 6 . . . . .	TAHOKA
September 13 . . . . .	WILSON
September 27 . . . . .	HOMECOMING . . . MORTON
October 25 . . . . .	CONFERENCE GAME . . . O'DONNELL
November 15 . . . . .	CONFERENCE GAME . . . SUNDOWN

**Home Games Begin at 8:00 p.m. — COWBOY FIELD**  
ADMISSION: General Admission—\$1.00 Students—25¢

**SOIL CONSERVATION  
DISTRICT NEWS**



Those who can have their cake and eat it too are good managers indeed. That's what some people are doing with their soil bank land. The ideal way to handle land in the acreage reserve of the Soil Bank Program is to grow some crop which not only will keep the land from blowing, but will enrich the soil at the same time.

T. J. Murphy, a cooperater with the Yoakum Soil Conservation District, has done an outstanding job of caring for his land in the acreage reserve. He has planted soybeans, an excellent soil building crop, on his land which is rented from A. B. Carpenter. Soybeans are a legume which has the ability to add

nitrogen to the soil. Nitrogen is the most expensive element in commercial fertilizers so one can assume that several dollars worth of nitrogen has been added to the soil. Soybeans add a large amount of organic matter to the soil, both from top growth and root growth. This field produced over 13,000 pounds per acre (green weight) in top growth alone. Organic matter binds the soil particles together to help prevent erosion. Its ability to store rainfall is tremendous. Organic matter can hold up to 20 times as much water as can soil. It is also one of the greatest sources of plant food.

T. J. plans to use the residue or dead pea vines to another advantage this winter. He plans to disk the dead pea vines lightly into the soil leaving them partially exposed to form a mulch. This will slow down the surface winds to help prevent wind erosion. Another important point to be considered is that this mulch of residue or stubble will catch blowing snow and enable



T. J. Murphy Inspects Field of Soybeans

rainfall to enter the soil faster. Experience is proving all along that legumes and grasses in rotation with other crops is essential to maintaining a high level of production and profit. The legume may be cowpeas, clovers, vetch, guar, sesbanis, winterpeas, alfalfa or many others. There is a legume or grass to meet your need.

**County Court Is Held on Tuesday**

Three cases were on the docket for county criminal court, held Tuesday morning at the court house in Plains, with County Judge Paul New presiding.

The case of the state vs. Andy Williams, Jr., DWI, was dismissed, and the case of the state vs. Rufus Wickson, DWI, was passed on motion by the state to be tried or dismissed at the next term of court.

William Wade Harvey, also charged with DWI, pled guilty and was assessed a fine of \$50 and costs of court.

Called for jury duty, but dismissed without serving were Mrs. Joe Taylor, Raymond Talley, E. E. Parker, M. D. Souter, F. W. Glass, Mrs. R. F. Braswell, H. G. Sprawls, Mrs. Keller Greenfield, Jack Pouncey, J. T. Pevehouse, L. D. Steele, Mrs. Louise Watson, Robert Wells and J. C. Reed, all of Denver City; Clifford Anderson, R. B. Woodard, M. N. Rowland, Foye Powell, of Plains; Herman Kelley, E. W. New, Seagraves; William Worsham, Charles Williams, Mrs. Carl Lowery, and Fred Lowery, of Tokio, and C. L. Gayle of Bronco. They will return this Thursday morning for county civil court.

**Oil News**

(Continued from Page One)

240 acres, 1 mile south of Denver City. It will be drilled to 7,550 feet.

Pan American Petroleum Corporation and Union Oil and Gas Corporation of Louisiana No. 1 North Central Oil Company is a new project in the West (Devonian) field of Yoakum County.

Pan American No. 2-BR West is a new well on the West (Devonian) Field. It completed for a 24-hour flowing potential of 360 barrels of 40.4 gravity oil, through perforations 11.100 to 118 from a 13/64-inch choke, after 100 gallons of acid. Gas-oil ratio was 150-1.

**PEARL EDWARDS, BILL FITZGERALD EXCHANGE VOWS HERE WEDNESDAY**

Miss Pearl Edwards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Edwards of Denver City, became the bride of Bill Fitzgerald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fitzgerald of Plains, at 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, September 4, at the Hillside Church of Christ in Plains. Minister B. C. Stapleton officiated at the single ring rites.

The bride wore a white chiffon dress over taffeta with a white linen jacket and black accessories. For something old she wore an old bracelet, her dress was new, ear rings were borrowed and for something blue she wore a blue garter. Mrs. Melvin Walser, sister of the groom, attended as Matron of Honor. Melvin Walser, brother-in-law of the groom, was best man.

Those who attended the wedding were Mrs. Roy Fitzgerald, Vennum Fitzgerald, Gary and Mrs. Bruce Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Billingsley, Jerry Brantley, Gene Phillips.

A reception honoring the couple was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Phillips where



coffee, cake and ice cream were served.

Mrs. Fitzgerald attended Denver City High School and was formerly employed in Denver City. Mr. Fitzgerald is a graduate of Plains High School and attended Sull Ross Teachers College at Alpine. He is in the ranching business with his father.

Following a short wedding trip, the couple will be at home in Plains.

**Tsa Mo Ga Club To Meet Monday**

The Tsa Mo Ga Club will hold its first meeting of the club year in the Club House on Monday evening, September 9, at eight o'clock according to Mrs. R. K. Field, president.

Husbands of club members will be guests. Mrs. Robert R. Lindsey, of Borger, president of the Seventh District, will be guest speaker. All members and interested persons are asked to bring usable books to be presented to the Yoakum County Library.

Year books for the current year will be available on Friday, September 6, reports Mrs. Ty Field, program and year book chairman. Hostesses for the meeting will be the social committee.

**CONGRATULATIONS**

Birthday and anniversary congratulations to Richard Meil, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Taylor, Ruth Sept. 3; Joyce Lynn Warren, Sept. 5; Mary Lou Parks, Sept. 6; Robert Thomas and Kattie Lou Parks, Sept. 7; and Bud Bailey and Weldon Parks, Sept. 8.

**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:**

I live in Yoakum County, Texas, and do not live at the old ranch headquarters in New Mexico. R. K. Field and family live there. Nor do I own any land in the state of New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Gayle and family returned home Saturday after spending two weeks in Paris, Calif., visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gayle.

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**Iota Pi Chapter Meets Tuesday**

The Iota Pi Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha met for a regular meeting Tuesday night, September 3, in the Home Economics Building, with Jo Brown and Fern Mikeska as hostesses.

After a business meeting, the program was presented by Margaret Taylor. The topic was, "How to Make a Happy Home". Meeting was adjourned and refreshments of home-made ice cream and cookies were served to 17 sorority members and two guests.

Sorority members present were Betty Trout, Doris Hawkins, Margaret Taylor, Jo Brown, Dorothy Lowe, Ann Green, Elsie Nordyke, Eunice Moore, Fern Mikeska, Coleen Leithausser, Carolyn Rowland, Velma Warren, Mary Lee Swann, Mary Jo St. Romain, Jeannie Stroup, Mary Dale Williams, and Wilma Elliott.

Guests were Kay and Gay Swann of Plains.

**City Fines**

B. F. Kensing fined \$15.00 for reckless driving.

Hal M. Bateman fined \$20.00 for speeding.

O. C. Compton fined \$15.00 for speeding.

Dewey Thomas, Jr. fined \$10.00 for speeding.

Habs fined \$15.00 for speeding.

John R. Perry fined \$10.00 for speeding.

A. S. Stringer fined \$10.00 for speeding.

Walter Rex Edwards fined \$15.00 for speeding.

Tom McRae fined \$10.00 for reckless driving.

Barrie Gray fined \$10.00 for speeding.

Jack L. Waller fined \$10.00 for speeding.

Thomas F. McNelly fined \$15.00 for reckless driving.

E. L. Autry fined \$10.00 for speeding.

Donald Lee Skelly fined \$10.00 for speeding.

H. E. Shara fined \$10.00 for reckless driving.

Linerado M. Dahela fined \$15.00 for speeding.

**WANT ADS**

**FOR SALE**— 1949 Baldwin combine, extra good condition, cut less than one section, priced to sell. 23 miles north, one mile west of Clovis, N.M., phone Grady 3172. H. L. Rutherford, Broadview, N.M. 34-t4p

**FOR SALE**— Three-bedroom house in Plains. See Bill Middleton or phone GL 6-8181. 34-t3c

**FOR LEASE**— Two sections of grassland with sale of fences and windmills. See Bill Middleton or phone GL 6-8181. 34-t3c

**FRESH CAGED EGGS**— Phone 159, C. A. Billingsley.

**FINISH HIGH SCHOOL OR GRADE SCHOOL** at home, spare time. Books furnished. Diplomas awarded. Start where you left school. Write Columbia School, Box 5061, Lubbock, Tex.

**FOR SALE**— House, located on Lot 3, Block 128, original town of Plains. Write Box 687, Tatum, New Mexico. 25-rtn

**Gene Coke Home After Hospital Stay**

T. E. (Gene) Coke returned to his home Wednesday after spending several days in the Yoakum County Hospital. Mr. Coke suffered a light heart attack last Friday and was rushed to the hospital where he was placed under oxygen.

Mr. Coke suffered a previous attack in June while vacationing in Colorado.

Mrs. Coke reported that he is resting nicely as of this writing.

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**Cut GREEN BEANS . . . 20c**  
All Gold No. 303  
**Solid Pack TOMATOES . 15c**  
Comstock No. 2 Cans  
**APPLES . . . . 25c**

Stokely's No. 2 1/2 Cans  
**PEACHES . . . 2 for 59c**

Hunt's 46-oz.  
**TOMATO JUICE . . . 29c**

Baker's 1/2-lb.  
**COCOA . . . . 29c**

Baker's 4-oz. Box  
**COCOANUT . . . . 15c**

Stokely's 14-oz.  
**CATSUP . . . . 20c**

Kraft 16-oz.  
**CHEESE WHIZ . . . 59c**

**CALF LIVER LB. 35c**

**BEEF RIBS LB. 25c**

**TOMATOES . . . lb. 15c**

Murphy's  
**PORK SAUSAGE**

**Tokay Grapes LB. 15c**

**LB. 45c**

**BANANAS . . . lb. 12 1/2c**

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I sincerely wish for Mr. Mize the very best of good luck.

**PETE SAMPSON**