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MARSHA WHITE

· Local museum contains old relics pertaining to early ranching days

Remember when? In this day and age of rapid travel, mushrooming growth, and changing times things of the past are sometimes forgotten. Residents of Yoakum County are fortunate in having a museum of local history where many of the articles and items of day gone by are kept and stored for future generations.

Records of the first people in this area are given in the vast amounts of arrowheads and pottery that can be found several miles outside the city limits. The Commanche Indians were found here by the first white men and remains of old camp sites can still be seen today.

the earlier families that



Mr. Joe M., Cheek

Tuesday at 9:00 a.m. in the home of a daughter, Mrs. Hank Goehry, of a heart attack.

and Plains since 1923, was born October 13, 1882 in Fort Worth and he spent his early manhood working for the Wichita Valley Railroad, at Stamford. He was married on October 29, 1914 to Miss Lucretia Jones.

He had been in ill health for 10-year old granddaughter when

Civic groups name five girls as candidates for Rodeo Queen of Mr. and Mrs. Leo White, was

Consider the soil

The week of May 22-29 has been designated as Soil Stewardship Week and people across the nation will be observing this occasion. The following is taken from a booklet published by the National Association of Soil Conservation Districts.)

It lies as far as the eye can see. It covers millions on millions of acres around the globe, yet it is a rare thing and cannot be replaced.

This soil is a living thing. Yet it can be destroyed.

This soil is a fruitful thing. Yet it can become sterile.

Ths soil is God's gift to mankind, given unto our stewardship. Yet it can be despoiled and wasted.

This soil produces crops and verdant grass and trees. Yet it cannot be duplicated by chemistry or physics.

Thi soil is an intricate house of myraid elements. Yet it is so common-place as to be known as dirt.

It fills the flower pot in Manhattan, serves as a garden in Minnesota, produces an orchard in California—this thing called soil.

It is the spectacle of the Grand Canyon, the flatness of the Plains, and the rolling convolutions of the Shenandoah Valley-this thing called soil.

It is the source of our nourishment; it provides the means of our protection.

God has willed we can live with it; we cannot live without it. Consider the soil. Consider it well.

Operations planned for new San Andres wildcat In Northwest Yoakum County, from south and 660 feet from

William A. and Edward R. Hudson of Fort Worth and Midland, are to drill No. 1 Pan American-Googins as a 5,500 foot San Andres wildcat. It is six miles northwest of Plains and 11/2 miles southwest of the Sable

(San Andres) pool. Test was made in the formation called Wolfcamp by some nie Miller, South Yoakum Coungeologists and Wichita-Albany

small to measure.

pipe.

zations have been busy selectselected by the Lions Club as ing their representative for the their representative in the Queen's Contest which is being Queen's Contest. She is a junheld in connection with the Yoaior in Plains High School and kum County Rodeo. The girls is active in school affairs. Miss are vieing for the honor of be-White was the drum major for ing named Queen of the 1960 the Cowboy Band and was on Yoakum County Rodeo. the state winning volleyball

team. Votes for the Queen will be She is a member of the FHA tabulated by counting money and 4-H Club and was awarded donated in her name to the the 4-H Gold Star Award in rodeo group. The money will go 1959. Her main 4-H project is to help finance this year's beef cattle and in 1959 she exevent. On the last night of the hibited the Grand Champion rodeo a lucky voter's name will Calf at the Yoakum County be drawn and will be awarded Livestock Show. a Shetland pony. She was selected earlier this

Girls named so far include Marsha White representing the Lions Club, Linda Fitzgerald for the Plains Dirt Gardeners. Dianne Bennett for the Fine Arts Club, D'Lynn McGinty for the Roping Club, Sara Kay Field for the Tsa Mo Ga Club. Others will be announced later in the week.

The girl winning the most votes will receive a pair of hand-tooled boots or hand-tooled luggage. The runner-up will receive a belt buckle.

Beginning in this week's paper pictures of the Queen candidates and a write-up will be given.

Miss Marsha White, daughter the Roping Club.

Mrs. Harwell resigns as Yoakum library head

market for a County Librarian following the resignation of Mrs. Bill Harwell, Denver City, from the post on Monday.

Mrs. Harwell, who has been in charge of county library operations since last July 15, submitted a written resignation to east lines of Section 862, block the county commissioners at D; John H. Gibson survey. It is their regular Monday meeting. surrounded by shallow produc-The resignation was accepted ers in the regular Wasson field motion of Commissioner on Vance Brown, seconded by H. C. Cotton, which carried by a Gas and free oil were developed on a drillstem test in a lowunanimous vote.

> Commissioners reported that two applications have been received for the position. Mrs. Norelle Sloan, who has worked at

Yoakum County is back in the new automobile for the depart-arket for a County Librarian ment. Bid of D. C. Motors, Denver City, to provide a 1960 Ford for \$1,368.52 plus tradein was accepted. Allsup Chevrolet sub-mitted a bid of \$1,818 for a new Chevrolet, plus trade.

year as the Lions Club Sweet-

heart and plays the piano for

the regular meeting. She has

also provided music for several

D'Lynn is the youngest daugh-

ter of Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Mc-

Ginty, Yoakum County rancher.

She has been very active in 4-H

work for the past eight years

In the past several years she

and enjoys riding and ranch life.

has entered several riding con-

test where she has won numer-

ous prizes. In 1959 she won sec-

ond in a riding contest and in

1958 she won fifth at the Dub-

D'Lynn is being sponsored by

ling contest.

other community affairs.

Commissioners also approved hiring of Punk Culwell, Plains, as a janitor and accepted the resignation of Dr. M. A. Watts, Denver City, from the County Welfare Board.

Jackie Hawkins injures arm in fall Sunday

Jackie Hawkins suffered a double fracture of her left arm



D'LYNN McGINTY

Joe M. Cheek, 77, passed away

Mr. Cheek, a resident of Tokio

several years, but was feeling much better when Mrs. Cheek left for work in the County Clerk's office at 8:00, and he went to the Goehry home to visit a while. He was sitting in the living-room visiting with his

moved to Yoakum County several still own the original land. The Field property at Bronco was first settled by Mr. Century H. Field who came here • around the turn of the century. He established the first store in the county and also served as the first postmaster in that area. Bronco was the first named town in the county and the center of early trading.

Sligo was named by the Mc-Hugh's, brother and sister from Ireland, who settled in the south part of the county. Their neice, Miss Annie Armstrong, still lives on the old home place.

Other families that came in the early 1900's include the George Clevelands, the Mason REMEMBER WHEN this was the Yoakum County Courthouse? The structure was built around 1909 and burned around 1925. This was the first building on the present Courthouse Square but several other buildings had been used previously as a courthouse.

Brothers, Lum Hudson's, R. H. Lunas, S. J. Dixons, Davis, Tingles, Camp, and others. Anyone interested in seeing many of the articles used in the earlier days of Yoakum

County are urged to visit the C. muesum which was established by the Tsa Mo Ga Club.

Anyone having information Hurst, the J. S. Webbers, W. J. concerning the early history of Yoakum County is urged to contact the Review office or Mrs. R. T. Jones. Donations and loans to the muesum are also needed and anyone wishing to do so is urged to contact Mrs. F. McCargo or Mrs. P. W. St. Romain.

toppled from his chair. A physician was summoned who pronounced him dead.

Funeral services were held at 10:00 Thursday in First Baptist Church, Plains, with Rev. R. H. Meixner, First Methodist Church pastor officiating assist-ed by Rev. C. J. Coffman, Baptist pastor. Burial was in Plains Cemetery under direction of Brownfield Funeral Home, with Masonic rites at the graveside. Survivors include his wife; one son, R. R. Cheek, Corpus Christi; three daughters, Mrs. Louise Goehry, Plains, Mrs. Marie Snodgrass, Morton, and Mrs. Rita Mae Snodgrass, Tokio; one sister, Mrs. Amanda Simpson, Altus, Oklahoma; one brother, H. E. Cheek, Huron, California; thirteen grandchildren and two great-grandchildren;

See CHEEK on page 2

others at 8,340 to 8,420 feet. of Denver City. Zone was tested two and one-

This wildcat spots 660 feet half hours with gas surfacing in 35 minutes. The volume was too

ed, 1,892 feet of 38.3 gravity oil was reversed out of the drill There was no formation water. Flowing pressure was between 85 and 470 pounds. Shutin bottom hole pressure in 30 minutes was 3,265 pounds. lime.

Wildcat, slated for 11,300 feet, is now taking a test at 8,435-8,508 feet. It is six miles southeast of the nearest production in the Wasson (Wolfcamp) pool in Southwest Yoakum County.

It is surrounded by production from the San Andres in the southside of the Wasson multipay field. However, there is no Wichita-Albany production in that region.

This prospector is 760 feet

from north and east lines of section 247, block D, John H. Gibson survey. Operations are sche-After the tool had been closduled to begin shortly. Continental Oil Company and

pay section.

Shell Oil Company No. 17-48 Wasson, in the North Gaines side of the shallow Wasson field and three miles south of Denver City has reached 6,210 feet in

er Permian formation at the

Texaco Inc., No. 17-B Mrs. An-

ty wildcat, two miles northwest

It is projected to a possible bottom of 12,000 feet. A string of 9 5/8th inch casing has been

See OPERATIONS on page 2.

the Plains library since Novemjust above the wrist in a fall ber, 1957, and Mrs. Helen Beal, at the Bobby Field home Sunwho has worked as catalouger day afternoon. She was brought at the Plains library for 18 to the Plains Clinic for emermonths, have submitted applicagency aid then taken to Yoakum County Hospital where she tions.

remained overnight. She is do-Contract for lights for the ing fine. new Pony League and Little League parks in Denver City will be awarded on June 13. An advertisement asking bids on the lights has been printed. Commissioners are also asking for bids

on a 250 harrel tank.

An emergency was declared in the sheriff's department to pave the way for purchase of a

A group of youngsters were enjoying the afternoon at the Field Ranch near Bronco when she fell from a swing. This lovely ranch is somewhat of a "paradise" to the youth of the com-

munity. Jackie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ford Hawkins.



BEGINNERS OF THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH are shown getting ready to march into their classrooms at the Vacation Bible School.

Taechers shown are Mrs. Paul Cobb, Mrs. Buford Duff, Mrs. Gayle Craft, Mrs. Helen Beael, and Mrs. Mona Chiffin. Not pictured is Sandra Dunn.

Vacation Bible schools plans for summer told

Summer Vacation Bible School time is here. First Methodist Church will hold their school June 6 through 10, in conjunction with First Christian Church who have so few youngsters it would be impractical to have one in their church. No definite date has been set for a school in the Assembly of God Church, but some time in June is a probable time, according to workers. Hillside Church of Christ hasn't conducted a school before, however, they hope to have one during the summer.

Firt Baptist Church school is in full swing this week with a daily attendance of well over 100 youngsters. The children and faculty members of the school march into the church promptly at 8:30 each morning, forming two lines as they follow the Christian and American flags. After the placing of the flags, Rev. C. J. Coffman, Bible School principal, leads the group in a call to worship and the school motto is given in unison.

Following salutation to the flags and the Bible the nursery,

beginners and primary children march to their repartments. The older groups have a scripture reading ,singing of the National Anthem, mission offering and character story before going to their departments. In the junior department the day is started with a Bible story and discussion with numerous scripture pertaining to the story given. Each boy and girl is furnished a handbook and scripture memory cards which they memorize each day. Then a character story is read and discussed prior to the refreshment period. The remainder of the morning is spent doing handwork, which consists this year, of mesh-wire wall plaques that have plastic flowers attached after they are baked in an oven. Commencement exercises for the school will be held Wed-

nesday, June 1 at 7:30 p.m with the all departments taking part in the program. All work will be on display for parents and guests to see. Workers expressed ap-

preciation for the opportunity

to work with children of all

the churches in the city.

ENJOYING THE SWIMMING POOL are the youngsters of Plains residents. The pool opened Saturday and pool manager, Foye Flood, said aproximately 175 turned out for the occasion. Pool hours are daily, 1:00 to 6:30 with exception of Monday, 1:00 to 3:30 and Sunday, 1:30 to 6:00. Lifeguard is Olan Smith.

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AUSTIN, Tex. - Gov. Price Daniel's money raising proposyear's tax battles will be fought on familiar terrain.

Basic^o program submitted by the governor to the State Finance Advisory Commission is the same as the one he submitted in 1959. Even the total goal is nearly the same.

In 1959 the Legislature passed a bill aimed at raising \$185,-000,000 in new money. Governor Daniel estimates 1961 newmoney-needs at \$193,000,000. This is to cover an expected deficit of about \$68,800,000 and increased annual spending of about \$62,527,000.

To raise this money, the governor suggests revising the corporation franchise tax formula and increasing the liquor tax, gross receipts tax on utilities and the auto sales tax. He also suggests passing the abandonedproperty act (allowing the state to take over unclaimed bank accounts, property, etc.) and putting a tax on beer and cigarettes sold on military bases.

Governor Daniel also told the Commission of four other tax ideas which he said had been suggested by others.

We give fast, efficient

at-home service 'round

parts guaranteed.

the clock. Prices are low,

These include:



2. A 1-cent-a-gallon increase in the gasoline tax. 3. A tax of 1 cent per thou-

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City.

sand cubic feet on the processing of natural gas.

4. A 3 per cent tax on gross receipts of gas pipeline companies.

Governor Daniel said he knew his proposal would be criticized as "riding the same old horses." But he said the affected tax sources would not be taxed any heavier than those in neighboring and competing states.

Finance Commission is to begin committee work this month and hold another joint session of its 34 members - all leaders in their fields - in June. TAX EXEMPT SALES JUMP

-Texas apparently is losing some tax revenue through sale tax-exempt cigarettes on military posts, reports State Comptroller Robert S. Calvert.

Calvert told the State Finance Commission that since the state tax increased to eight cents a pack last year, cigarette sales at federal installations have jumped almost a million packs

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a month He said sale of tax-exempt cigarettes in March, 1960, was up by 1,500,000 packs over what was in March, 1959. Military officials denied that non-taxed cigarette-selling-privileges had been abused.

DEMO HOUSING PROBLEM -Austin hotel and motel facilities will be stretched beyond capacity when an estimated 5,-000 came here June 14 for the State Democratic Convention. It's more people than Austin can accommodate. To ease the problem a little, the State Democratic Executive Committee has ruled that no room reservations will be made for persons living within 75 miles of the Capital

Also in preparation for the big day, SDEC has named a credentials committee whose job will be to decide which delegates shall be admitted. Four counties had "rump"

conventions and will send two rival delegations to Austin. Governor Daniel, pooh-poohing the "rump" groups, said they were all too small to be a threat to the official delegations.

"There is more harmony in the Texas Democratic Party now than ever before," said the governor

BEAUTIFUL MAPS READY -Texas' new 1960 official highway map, illustrated with 11 dramatic full-color pictures, now is available for the asking. It's not only handsome, but informative. It shows the 1,933 miles of multi-lane divided highways not completed. Also, 26,378 miles of state and U.S.

highways and 20,000 miles of farm-to-market roads. Lakes state parks and roadside parks are indicated. Texas' history, geography, and present opportunities are summarized. In line with the state's tourist-seeking policy, it is headed, "All of Texas Welcomes You." To get the map, write the Texas Highway Department,

Austin 14, or drop by a highway district office and travel bureau. County tax offices have cards on hand to request maps. OIL ALLOWABLE UP

Texas Railroad Commission retained the eight-day producing pattern for the Texas oil industry for June, but because June

has one day less than May, daily permissable production will be State allowable for June will

be 2,643,516 barrels a day, a 47,108 barrel a day increase from May.

REPAIR FUNDS OKAYED - Legislative Budget Board has approved transfer of \$75,000 for repair work at the Big Spring State Hospital, Abilene State School and Mexia State School. Board also heard a report that a state job classification survey.

GENE'S

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Plains, Texas

BRRRR IT'S COLD says Pam Loyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Bill Loyd as she tries out the children's wading pool at the local

Operations

park.

030 feet from north and 1,800 feet from west lines of section 48, block AX, psl survey.

miles southwest of Plains, Texaco-Seaboard, Inc., has spotted location for No. 9 O. M. Nelson, a 5,050-foot project to try for production in the Brahaney

It is 2,316 feet from south and 2,024 feet from east lines of section 474, block D, John H. Gibson survey. Drilling is due to get underway at once. Delfern Oil Company of Lubbock completed No. 4 McDaniel

as a new producer in the Reeves Yoakum County.

northeast of Denver City and 660 feet from south and 1,982 feet from east lines of section 813, block D, John H. Gibson,

WANT ADS

FOR SALE- Lot No. 9-Block 101 in Plains, directly east of telephone office. See Mrs. Sallie 17tfn Forrest.

FOR SALE-Used high chair and baby bed, A-1 condition. Con-tact A. C. Jones, Wilmeth Oil Co., 20-2tp between 1-6 p.m.

DON'T merely brighten your carpets . . . Blue Lustre them . . . eliminate rapid resoiling. Cogburn-Young.

FOR SALE- Living-room suite, bunk beds, electric stove and refrigerator, table and 8 chairs, Maytag wringer-washer, and 2 heaters. Phone GL 6-2430. Will sell separate or together. 21-1tp

FOR SALE- Ccrtified seed, Akala 15-17-BR1, 10c per lb. Call Tom Warren, GL 6-8702. 46-4tc

FOR SALE- Select Cotton seed, grown from certified seed, 10c pound. Call Tom Barron, ph. GL 6-8321, Plains, Texas.

Selling or Buying a Farm? Consult your area representative In assocciation of realtors

WEST TEXAS FARM MULTIPLE 1503 Ave. J, Lubbock, Texas

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

NOTICE

MATTRESS MAKING Old mattresses renovated, all kinds of new mattresses. Box springs, foam rubber, big trade-in for your old mattress. Call Mrs. W. E. Smith, Plains agent for Direct Mattress Co. of Lubbock.

Dial GL 6-3932

CARD OF THANKS wish to thank the Plains Volunteer Firemen for coming out to my place and putting out the grass-fire recently. I appreciate it very much. Leon Clanahan

NOTICE

The Honorable Commissioners' Court of Yoakum County, Texas, will receive bids until June 6, 1960, at 10 o'clock A.M., at the office of the County Clerk of said County for the sale of:

One 250 barrel tank located about nine miles South of Plains on the West side of Highway No. 314 on the Mabee Lease at the Jim Brown residence, where it may be inspect-

The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids. J. W. O. Alldredge,

County Clerk, Yoakum County, Texas. By Marguerete Barron

Deputy Published in Yoakum County Review May 26, 1960.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS Sealed proposals addressed to

the Honorable Don Hancock, County Judge, and County Commissioners, Yoakum County, Plains, Texas, will be received at the Courthouse, Plains, Texas, until 11:00 A.M., Monday, June 13, 1960, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud for furnishing of all labor, materials and equipment and performing all work required for the construction of lighting for Base Ball Parks, Denver City, Texas, in accordance with plans, specifications and contract documents as pre-

pared by The Butler-Kimmel Company, Architects. A Cashier's check, certified check or acceptable bidder's bond payable to Yoakum County in the amount of not less than 5 per cent of the largest possible total for the bid submitted must

accompany each bid. Attention is called to the provisions that there must be paid not less than minimum hourly rate of wage which have been established by the labor trades council for this area.

Any bulletins (addenda) issued during the time of bidding are to be covered in the proposal and in closing a contract they will become a part thereof. The successful bidder will be required to enter into a contract with Yoakum County and furnish a performance bond in the amount of not less than 100 per cent of the contract price, conditioned upon the per-

formance of the contract. In case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating the price in the proposal, Yoakum County reserves the right' to adopt the price written in words or to re-

DEAR FRIENDS of Yoakum County:

vote in the coming June 4th election. It is of utmost importance that each of you return to the polls on June 4th, and select the man of your choice for Yoakum County Sheriff.

Once more, I wish to express my sincere appreciation for your past consideration and influence, and I will be truly grateful for any support that you will give me in the coming election.

ject the proposal. Yoakum County reserves the right to waive all formalities, to reject any or all bids.

No bid may be withdrawn after the scheduled closing time for receipt of bid for at least 30 days.

Plans and specifications may be examined in the office of The Butler-Kimmel Company, Architects, 412 Avenue M, Lubbock, Texas, and may be procured from the Architects by bidders.

J. W. O. Alldredge County Clerk

Yoakum County, Texas By Marguerite Barron

Deputy Published in The Yoakum County Review May 26, June 2 1960.

The Review reveals that one year ago: all social clubs were installing new officers as they are this week; three Plains high school graduates (of 1957) were among Lubbock Christian College's first graduates, Dixie McCan (Sherrill), Sandra Pharr (Sturgess) and Billy Joe Brown; the summer traffic safety campaign was beginning that week: The F.H.A. were to have their annual picnic; Little League had kicked off with a "bang"; Football Coaches Pierce and Sewell were special guests of the Lions Club and Lion Sweetheart Jeanine St. Romain had been presented an appreciation trophy; Plains Retail Merchants

Association was organized. Bobby Chambliss and Bettie Jackson are home in Plains this week following the spring semester at W.T.S.C., Canyon. Bob will remain for the summer and farm while Bettie will return to Canyon for summer studies.

I wish to take this means of soliciting your

VESTER E. SANDERS Candidate for

Sheriff of Yoakum County

(Continued from page one.) cemented at 6,210 feet. Plug in the bottom of that pipe - set to protect the hole as it goes on down - will be drilled out and the bit likely will be boring deeper before this report is Honorary pallbearers were Earl Coke, M. C. Childs, H. H. Robprinted

(San Andres) pool.

(San Andres) field in Southeast It is approximately 10 miles

PHONE GL 6-3434

slightly higher.

Several major oil companies asked the Commission to set

nine producing days in June, indicating they expected an increase in demand for Texas crude within the next month.

Cheek (Continued from page one.) and a host of nieces and nephews. Pallbearers were: Bill H. Powell, Leanard Ellington, Glenn Morehouse, John O'Neal, Earl Bryson and Dick McGinty.

This important wildcat is 2,-

In West Yoakum County, five

600-5,630 feet and 5,634-44 feet. Those sections had been treated with 8,000 gallons of acid. In Northwest Yoakum Counseven miles northwest of Plains, The Eastland Drilling Company of Odessa bored No.

1-A David S. Googins to 5,348 feet in barren San Andres and plugged and abandoned the pro-

This wildcat was three miles northeast of the Sable (San Andres) pool and 660 feet from north and east lines of section 217, block D, John H. Gibson survey.

erts, Ray Lackey, Oren Byrd,

Ralph McClellan, Paul Cobb, G.

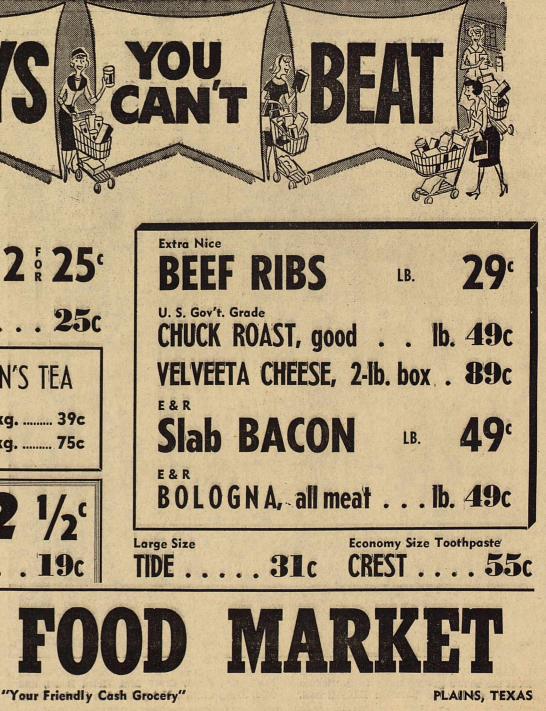
Homer Sudderth, Frank Bra-

from perforated intervals at 5,-

haney and Ollie Morris.

Cleveland, Aton Elmore,





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John Wilson to get **BBA** degree in June

John Phillip Wilson of Plains has been named among the 193 candidates for degrees from Hardin - Simmons University, Abilene, this spring, five of whom will receive their degrees. Mr. Wilson will receive his B. B. A. degree in accounting. Other area candidates are: Charles H. Goza, Wellman, B. A. in chemistry; Larry K. Lock-ett, Meadow, B. S. in physical education; Barbara Ann Mings, Seagraves, B. S. in elementary education; George C. Moffatt, Seminole, B. S. in music education; Sammie Travis, Brownfield, B. B. A. in business education and secretarial science; and Jimmy L. Badgett, Tatum, B. A. in geology.

Mr. Wilson has made his home with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nason since an infant and gives much of the credit for this achievement to them. He has worked for the local A. S. C. office several summers.

Last rites held for Gordon Lewis

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Monday in Crescent Church of Christ, Brown-Hill field for Gordon G. Lewis, Tokio farmer, who died at his home Saturday night after an illness of two years. The church minister John McCoy, officiated and burial was in Terry County Memorial Cemetery under direc-Brownfield Funeral tion of Home.

Mr. Lewis moved to Tokio about 20 years ago from Quanah. He was an avid sports enthusiast and despite his illness attended most athletic activities

Phone GL 6-3777

James Warren, Mgr.

Two allowances on Ruidoso card

Cree Meadows Airport Allowance on Friday and the Holloman Allowance on Saturday top the card for the first two days of racing during a four-day holiday weekend at Ruidoso Downs Race Track in New Mexico. The Cree Meadows Airport

Allowance, a 61/2 furlong event, will feature 10 of the sharpest middle distance sprinters named this season to face starter Charlie Koyk. Robert Ford, leading jockey thus far at the Downs, has been given the riding assignment on Gypsey's Ike, favorite to win the feature attraction.

Post time for the Friday round of racing will be 1:30 p.m. with the daily double being offered on the first and second races and the quineila on the twelfth.

The Holloman Allowance on Saturday will be co-featured with a select thoroughbred field dedicated to the Village of Ruidoso Downs. Many of the horses named to go in this event have already posted wins on Arizona and California tracks, while others have been freshened with a long layoff.

The co-featured thoroughbred event has drawn a short but select field of four year olds and older. Favorites will include C West Texas, Starry Night, and Borned Right with the latter being jockeyed by Robert Ford, winner of six races during the Downs

near his home.

Survivors include his widow, Geraldine; three sons, Glenn, Ronnie and James, all of the home; a daughter, Rebecca, also of the home; his mother, Mrs. W. A. Lewis, Quanah; and a brother, Wayne, Fort Worth.





Ray Faught and Vernon Ethridge were named Cowboy football cocaptains for the coming season. Both players are active in athletic



ning of another contest for 4-H

G. W. Cleveland gives a loving

cup to the boy or girl who mak-

es his calf gain the most weight.

The weight gaining period is

from the third Saturday in May

until the show date and all the

calves came in Saturday to get

in the contest. A record number

of 50 calves came in Saturday

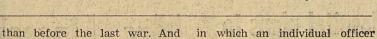
beef calf feeders. Each year Mr.

IT'S THE LAW * in Texas * A public corvice factors of the State Bor of Torms

"THE KING CAN DO NO WRONG"

How could anybody ever say: "The king can do no wrong"? (When we know of kings who did do wrong.)

The idea looks simple: As absolute law maker, the king could hold himself above his own law. He was under no law and could therefore do no legal wrong. Anyway, when King George lost the thirteen colonies, the American states took over the doctrine of Sovereign Immunity: Nobody can sue a government agency without the state's permission, when the agency is doing government work. (Of course if the agency is doing "proprietary functions" like running street cars or making electricity, it may often be sued much like any other business.) Thus suppose for lack of due care a private bakery truck should harm your child who had done nothing to bring on the accident. Well then, most likely you could sue the bakery in the



events at High School and both played on the 1959 Cowboy team.

part in interest.

state. What happens then?

State of Texas, and the action

is successfully prosecuted, you

will be awarded a judgment

against the state. Then, it's back

to the Legislature for more leg-

islation to appropriate the nec-

essary money with which the

state may pay off the judgment.

State Bar of Texas, is written

to inform - not to advise. No

person should ever apply or in-

terpret any law without the aid

of an attorney who is fully ad-

vised concerning the facts in-

volved, because a slight vari-

ance in facts may change the

Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson

Cheek Thursday morning

her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.

and were dinner guests of her

application of the law.)

Joe

(This column, prepared by the

the courts much more often than may be sued with regard to the Congress now set the damages in many kinds of cases. In Texas, the Legislature by

a proper action may permit certain general types of suits to be brought against the state. under various conditions and restrictions. Then, if a specific situation arises which is not covered by the general rules, the legislators are authorized to pass a special measure to permit suit to be brought.

• Therefore, any person seeking to enforce a claim against the State of Texas through the courts must petition the Legislature for the necessary permission, unless his claim falls within some general category or type previously recognized by our lawmakers. During each session, the Legislature passes legislation allowing suits to be brought against the state in a variety of cases.

Sometimes, however, suits may be brought against indiviand children of Morton visited duals holding office under the State of Texas and acting as agents of the state, but where the state itself is not the principai party to the suit, without first gaining consent to sue.



ESOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



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This is the third in a series of articles on the soils in the Yoakum Soil Conservation District. This article will discuss the deep limey soils of the area. The term "deep" means that a chalky-white caliche is usually found at 25-30" or deeper.

These soils usually occur in smail areas, but are found throughout the Southern High Plains and Eastern New Mexico In this District, large amount of these soils are found in the vicinity of Bronco.

The most important deep limey soil in the Yoakum SCD is the Portales Soils. Some farmers call this soil a "blue soil." In lower lying areas, the darker, heavier soils are the Zita Soils

The Portales and Zita soils both have mixed land and hardland textures. The mixed land texture is that of fine sandy loam and the hardland textures are clay loam and loam. The vegetation on these areas is Buffalo grass and the gramas.

The Portales and Zita soils are located in large flats or slightly sloping areas. These duties and functions of his ofsoils have a dark brown color fice, and in which the state is with scattered gray spots. The not directly or substantially a Portales soils often have small rocks scattered on the surface. Suppose you do obtain legis-There are a number of problative permission to sue the lem involved in farming the limey soils. In this area, sup-If suit is brought against the plying adequate moisture is the

gen and organic matter to the soil. (Organic matter will help release the plant nutrients such as Phosphorus which are tied up in the limey soils.) On the Loren Gayle farm near Bronco, Madrid clover is growing well on these soils. In South Texas, soils similar to these produced better with the addition of cotton burs. In this area, the cotton burs are being composted to prevent any spread of blight.

chief problem. When irrigated

these soils wil produce fairly

good yields. The Portales and Zita soils are not good soils for

grain sorghum production. Cot-

ton, legumes, and grasses are

recommended on these soils.

Legumes will supply both nitro-

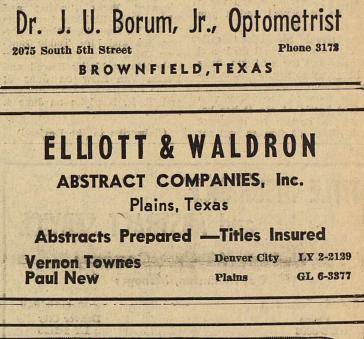
Fertilizers that are acid in nature are best on these soils. Also, frequent light applications are better than one or two large applications of fertilizer.

Sulfur is helpful to these soils but the cost would not permit applying sufficient amounts.

The Portales and Zita soils are very susceptible to erosion due to the large amounts of fine soil particles. A cover of grasses or legumes will help reduce the erosion hazard. These cover crops could be rotated with cotton keep yields up and retain good soil structure. When there is no cover present, the surface of these limey soils should be as cloddy a possible.

In conclusion, the deep limey soils are not good for dryland crop production. When irrigated, they will produce suitable yields. Good management should be exercised to prevent severe wind erosion of these soils.

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Thus in the old days, if an army jeep harmed your child, you could collect only if Congress passed a special bill awarding damages. Recently this doctrine has

been attacked: Why shouldn't the government pay like any other organization?

So during the last war the federal government in response to public opinion passed a "tort liability" law. It gives the people much more power to sue

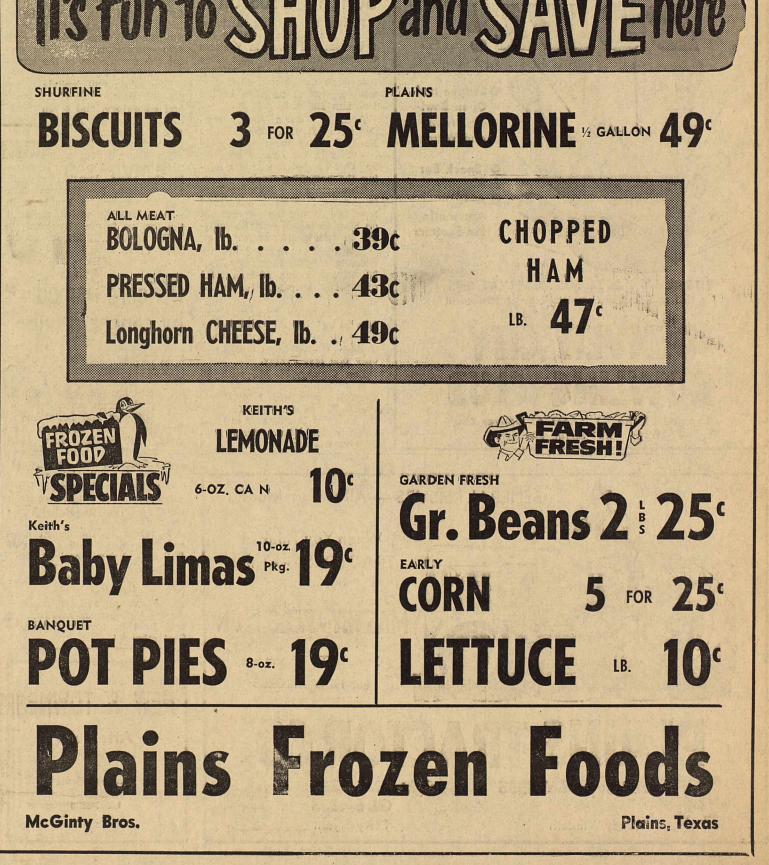
to be sold. It is usually because they have a tendancy to bloat which is always a problem with cattle on full feed for a long period of time. There are four calves that cannot come to the Yoakum County Show because of the two calf limit. Four of our feeders are starting out with three calves each. That would leave 46 head eligible to come to

the show and probably 42 or 43 of them will make it. There is a wide range between the heaviest calf and the light-

est one but this is unavoidable. Good quality animals of the right size and age are hard to find. The general quality of the calves is very good and some of the better animals will likely get a chance to compete in area shows like Odessa, El Paso and Lubbock. There was not a single calf that would not turn into a well finished steer of good conformation provided the owner will give him the feed and care that is necessary to make a feeded calf into a top nitch steer. The calf division of the show next year will be a dandy.

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Civil War custom leads Memorial Day rites

The observance of Memorial Day as it is more commonly called dates back to almost one hundred years ago when a group of women from Columbus, Mississippi laid flowers on hte graves of both Union and Southern soldiers.

In 1865 a group of women from Vicksburg led by Mrs. Sue Landon Vaughn, a descendant of John Adams, placed flowers on the graves of soldiers killed in battle. Almost at the same time a group of women formed Stonewall Memorial Association in Winchester, Va., with the purpose of decorating the graves of Southern soldiers laid to rest in the Confederate Cemetery.

In the North the observance was begun with an order from the Adjutant General for the Army of the Republic to honor their dead comrades by decorating their graves with flowers.

The first official and formal observance of the day was held at the Arlington National Cemetery with General James A. Garfield the orator of the occasion. Though the custom orginated in the South, New York was the first state to make it a legal holiday followed by Rhode Island in 1874, Vermont and other Northern states.

The holiday was made into Army regulation when Article 516 was adopted. The Article called for all army posts and stations to displayed the national flag at half mast and for a dirge to be played and a gun salute to be given.

The naval regulations calls for a suspension of all drills and exercises and for a 21-gun saute to be given at non. As it is impossible to decorate the graves of the men of the Navy who died at battle at sea it has become the custom to construct little ships of flowers and set

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them afloat on the water. For many years the celebration in the North was devoted to an oratorical glorification of the victory of the Northern armies but as the years passed the note of triumph died out from Memorial Day oratory. The day established to honor the memory of those that died

in the Civil War has come to be observed in memory of the dead in the succeeding wars. The custom of decorating the graves of the dead with flowers is of great antiquity and it was adopted as a matter of course for Memorial Day. The use of flowers for such occasions date back to the Greeks and Romans who used wreaths and garlands to decorate the morned ones

CONGRATULATIONS

home, grave ,and funeral car-

riage.

Birthday and anniversary congratulations to Rodney Trout, Jo Chapman, Glen Joseph Green, J. Murphey, and Kenneth Hale on May 29; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sherrill on May 30; Mrs. Jesse Snodgrass, Mrs. Ty Field, J. C. Meeks Jr., Hugh Hays, Randy Tidwell, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Smith and Forrest Spencer on May 31; Mrs. Bertha Spencer, Bob Loe, Naomi Maynard and Mrs. R. J. Van

Liew on June 1; Mrs. Tom Sims, Mr. and Mrs. David McGowan, Mike Davis, Hester Branson, Mrs. Roy Edwards, Clifford Maynard, Polly Rushing and Rickey Dean Strickland on June 2; Joe St. Romain, Ralph Meixner, Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Bow-

man, Mrs. Tom Prince, Bobby Dale Kinsey, Kathy Sewell and Donna Van Liew on June 3; Diane Fitgerald, W. O. Spencer and T. R. Nordyke on June 4.

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of out-of-town guests.

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Tsa Mo Ga Officers for the coming year are shown

Hospital plans to be discussed with consultant, June 3

Ross Garrett, Chicago, nationally known hospital consultant, will be in Plains on Friday, June 3, for the purpose of discussing Yoakum County Hospital improvements with the Board of Managers of Yoakum County Hospital, the County Commissioners and other interested parties.

Garrett informed local authorities on Wednesday that he will discuss and evaluate his recommendations for hospital improvements. He will also give a comprehensive report on a survey of hospital needs which was recently taken in Yoakum

County and surrounding area. Meeting is slated to begin at 8 p.m. in the district courtroom at the courthouse. All persons interested are invited to attend. Garrett recently submitted a proposed plan for hospital imnew chiropractic provements which calls for an eight-bed addition to the Plains hospital for Boyd clinic and increase in facilities in Denver City to 43-bed capacity and A-1 ancillary facilities. These are the recommendations he will discuss at the public meeting.

County drilling

activity boosted

Rotary rig drilling activity,

which has been alternating be-

tween six and seven in Yoakum

County during the past five

block of Avenue G, in Denver Dr. Boyd reported that the clinic will contain 1400 square leet, while the three-bedroom home will include a total of 2800 square feet. It will be of brick and asbestos siding con-

struction. Wayne Reior is gen-

eral contractor, and plans call

for the completion of the struc-

Work was started Wednesday

on a new clinic and home by

Dr. W. B. Boyd, chiropractor.

Site for the structure is the 100

New offices for 1960-61 were club installed when Plains Dirt Gar-The Dirt Gardners will spondeners held their final regular sor the annual "Fix-up, Paintbusiness meeting Thursday eveup and Clean-up Week" in ning, May 19, in the clubroom. Plains to be held the week of President Mrs. Clifford Ander-June 13.

Gardeners

as they are installed at their meeting Tuesday

son welcomed a large number Officers installed were: Mrs. Wyatt Lipscomb, president; Cohostesses were Mesdames Ruster Kennedy, vice-Mrs. W. O. Spencer, Robert White, * president; Mrs. Bill Dittemore, Roy Stockstill; and Robert recording-secretary; Mrs. Bob Young, who served a delicious Loe, corresponding - secretary; salad supper. Lovely arrange-Mrs. Wilson Duke, treasurer; and Mrs. W. M. Overton, rements of flowers grown in the members' yards were displayed. porter.

Plants were exchanged by all Out-of-town guests present were: Mesdames S. J. Donald-Miss Linda Fitzgerald was son, Wayne McElroy, and Susie "Rodeo Queen Candi-Heath and Miss Ozella Hunt of date' to be sponsored by the Denver City, Mrs. S. H. Nelson and Mrs. M. H. Heine of Ros-Work underway on

coe; and members; Mesdames Robert Young, Robert White, Roy Stockstill, W. C. Spencer, L. O. Smith, W. M. Overton, D. C. Newsom, Bob Loe, Wyatt Lipscomb, O. G. Lewis, Leon Lewis, G. D. ennedy, Buster Kennedy, Roger Harvey, Kenneth Hale, Clayton Guest, Sallie Forrest, John E. Fitzgerald, Wilson Duke, Bill Dittemore, Mollie Courtney, T. E. Coke, Foy Cogburn, Hayden Box, G. Beane, H. F. Barnes, A. H. Bacon, Clifford Anderson, J. W.

O. Alldredge, and Perry Anthony.

Etheridge, Wauson wedding vows read

Mrs. Johnnie Etheridge and James S. Wauson, both of Plains, were married Saturday, May 21 in an impressive doublering ceremony read by a justice peace in Lovington, New Mexico.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Talley of Slaton and her groom, a resident of Plains most of his life, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wau-

The newly-weds will make their home in Plains and he farms southeast of town.

NEWS FROM the **CITY HALL**

New from the City Hall this week concerns the dog vaccination day held last Saturday. Dr. A. J. Mabry with the aid of the local Boy Scouts gave rabies shots to 28 canines. According to city law all dogs in the city limits must have rabies shots and wear the tag.

Any dog picked up without tags will be held three days and **Mrs. Lipscomb installed** if the animal is not claimed will be destroyed. Any dog that is picked up that has tags will be kept five days before beinf destroyed.

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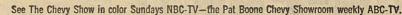
The parents of Miss Shirley Havens and Miss Glenda King announce the approaching marriage of their daughters to Bob Goss and Bert Niccum, respectively. Friends and students are

Mr. and Mrs. Lavon Smith and baby of Littlefield visited their parents, Mrs. Ann Green and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Smith last weekend and accompanied Mrs. Green to Canyon Sunday for the Commencement Exercises at West Texas State Colinvited to attend the double wedding which will be held in the First Christian Church, Lovington, New Mexico, June 11 at 9:00 p.m. (Texas time).

MISS GLENDA KING

lege. Their son and brother, Robert P. Green received his B. A. degree in industrial arts. Miss Jan Sims left by bus last weekend for several weeks visit with Specialist E-4 and Mrs. Dwain Rowland at Camp Gordon, Georgia.







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weeks, continued its pattern last week and increased in line with a general increase in the Permian Basin. According to a survey conducted by Reed Roller Bit Co., Midland, there were seven active units in the county on May 20. This compared with six dur-

ing the preceding week. Throughout the Permian Basin area rig activity increased from 268 during the week ended on May 13 to 276 rotaries working in the latest survey.

The current figure is somewhat below the figure for May 22, 1959, however, when a total of 401 rigs were reported in the Basin.

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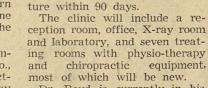
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Gaines County increased from 17 rigs on May 13 to 19 in the latest survey, and Terry County dropped from two on May 13 to only one last Friday.

Lea County, N. M., with 35 rigs working continued to lead the Basin area with Eddy County, N. M., in second place with 28. Andrews County was in third place in the latest survey with



Dr. Boyd is currently in his ninth year of practice all in the same location at 120 North Main. For the past four years however, he has been in new building which replaced the former frame structure. The clinic will known as the

Boyd Clinic.

Officers named

by cancer group Annual meeting of the Yoakum County Chapter, American Cancer Society, was held Sunday afternoon at the local library ,with Mrs. Mary Lea Smith,

county chairman, presiding. All officers and board members were re-elected for another term. Bill Shafer, new field representative, who replaces Elmo Osborne, was introduced. Plans for district meeting September 27 at Colorado City were discussed, and it was decided to send five local delegates to the session.

A report of the recent Crusade was given, with a total of \$1,264.73 being received from the county. Mrs. Gene Payne of Plains reported on the Crusade held in that city.

The chapter will not convene during the summer months, and will hold its first fall meeting September 11.

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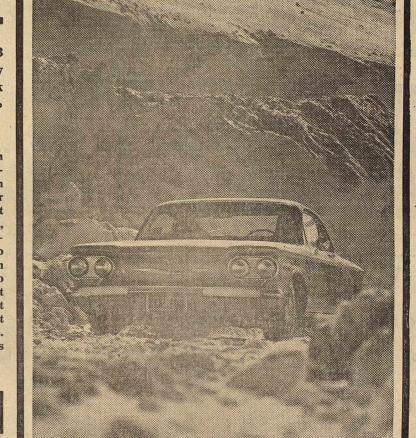
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There will be delightful enwith the Levelland lodge pre-senting a skit and other enter- in San Mateo, California.

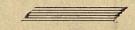
tainment. Tickets for the television set may be purchased this week from a member of either of the lodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Harvey and Rojanna attended commencement exercises at West Texas State College, Canyon, Sunday where their daughter and sister, Mrs. Eual D. Strickland, received a degree in Elementary Education. They are visiting this tertainment during the evening week with Mrs. Harvey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Riley

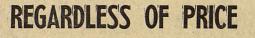


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MRS. GARLAND SWANN is shown with other Tsa Mo Ga officers holding the gavel of her new office, president of the club.

Tsa Mo Ga installs new officers

Mrs. Garland Swann was infollows: Program and Yearbook stalled as President of the Tsa Mrs. R. K. Field, Chr., Mrs. Mo Ga Club for 1960-61 at their Ty Field, Mrs. Harvey Stotts, Mrs. Gen Cleveland, Mrs. J. W. final meeting of the club year Moore Jr. and Mrs. Jack Hayes; Finance — Mrs. C. F. McCargo, chr., Mrs. B. H. Powell, Mrs. Monday evening in the club-

house.

bership to 45 members.

She is the daughter and granddaughter of members, Mrs. R. K. Field and Mrs. R. B. Jones.

Mrs. Gene Payne, Jr. reported that there were \$598,538.10

collected in Texas in the recent Cancer Crusade of which Yoa-

kum County, placing 8th in the

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asters, or carnations; Form, as the lily, orchid or Bird of Paradise; and Filler, the pom-pom,

liamentarian, Mrs. Ty M. Field;

and Columnist, Mrs. Donald R.

Mrs. Swann named her com-

mittees for the new year as

Lackey.

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state, collected \$1,249.53. Mrs. P. W. St. Romain, program director, presented Mrs. Swann who outlined the life of

Social committee members: Mesdames Wayne Chadwick, T-Buddy Janna, Mrs. Sherm Hen-ard, Mrs. Morris Lowe and Mrs. R. Nordyke, Bill H. Powell, Swann, A. B. Carpenter and R. B. Jones:

Social — Mrs. Bill Loyd, chr., Mrs. Donald R. Lackey, Mrs. H. G. Bedford, Mrs. Wayne Chad-wielt Mrs. A. B. Connenton Paul Cobb served a delicious salad supper from a lovely table laid with pink Damask and cenwick, Mrs. A. B. Carpenter, Mrs. Robert Chambliss, Mrs. J. tered with an arrangement of sweetpeas, the club flower. J. Wyatt, Mrs. C. B. Poindexter, Mrs. C. L. Faubus and Mrs. Retiring president Mrs. C. F. McCargo presided for the busi-Kenneth Hale;

ness meeting during which the Constitution and By-Laws club voted to increase the mem-Miss Ozella Hunt, chr., Mrs. Roy Edwards and Mrs. Ray-Miss Sarah Kay Field was named Rodeo Queen candidate to be sponsored by the club. mond Bookout;

Membership — Mrs. M. W. Luna, chr., Mrs. Norelle Sloan, Mrs. R. H. Meixner and Mrs. Virgil Wade; Flowers and Cards — Mrs. George Cleveland, chr., Mrs. Gus Malmsten, Mrs. J. P. Rob-

ertson and Mrs. Joe Curry; Special Projects — Mrs. Eu-gene Payne Jr., chr., Mrs. John-ny Moore, Mrs. M. W. Luna, Mrs. Paul Colk, Mrs. M. W. Luna, Mrs. Paul Cobb, Mrs. E. W. Craig and Mrs. T. R. Nordyke; Telephone — Mrs. Marion Mc-Ginty, chr., and Mrs. Ruth O'Neal:

Publicity Chairman and Photographer - Mrs. P. W. St. Romain; Pianist - Mrs. Eugene Payne Jr.; Song Leader -- Mrs Dorman Scott; Reports Chairman - Mrs. R. B. Jones.



Mrs. V. L. Wheeler of Odessa was a guest of her mother, Mrs J. H. Morris, over the weekend. Mrs. Morris and Mrs. John Camp were Brownfield visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Carman of Kermit are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Bearden, for a few weeks.

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Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Meixner and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carpenter attended the Northwest Texas Conference of Methodist Churches in' Amarillo the first part of the week.

Garland The condition Swann's mother, Mrs. Pat Swann of Wilson, is improved in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, where she has been a patient several weeks.



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of the true values of life and reading is truly an adventure, Mrs. R. B. Jones spoke on L. O. Smith's to have 'Flowers and Their Message"

silver anniversary

Mrs. St. Romain installed new Plains, Texas will be honored officers presenting each with a on their Silver Wedding Anbouquet of sweet-peas, honeyniversary at a reception in the Club Room from 3 until 5 o'clock Officers for 1960-61 are: Sunday, May 29. President, Mrs. Swann; Vice-

Mr. and Mrs. Smith were unpresident, Mrs. Glenn Cleveland; ited in marriage in Big Spring, Recording-secretary, Mrs. J. W. Texas May 31, 1935. The Rev. Moore Jr.; Corresponding-sec-C. A. Bickley performed the retary, Mrs. H. G. Bedford; single-ring ceremony on the back lawn of the parsonage of Treasurer, Mrs. B. E. Loyd; Critic, Mrs. Harvey Stotts; Reporter, Mrs. St. Romain; Par-

Turner HD Club meets at Martins

Turner Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday afternoon, May 18 in the home of Mrs. Reg Martin with 13 members present. Songs were sung and the business session wa conducted by president Mrs. I. L. Smith. The club voted to send two 4-H girls to the Charm School in Brownfield May 30-June 3. Mrs. Ray Jones presented the

demonstration on "Oven Meals" by making a delicious Salmoncheese pie.

Dainty cheese-filled crackers, Jello cake, punch and coffee were served to Mesdames Allen Rollins, Jones, B. Forehand Smith, Homer Sudderth, Hugh Snodgrass, Harold Parrish, Jes-Snodgrass, Carl Lowrey, Howard Mauk, William Worsham and O. A. Pippin by the hostess.

Linda Jones, recent graduate, is visiting her sister and family, The Teddy Bowmans, in Abilene and looking over the colleges there. She was a guest of Jo Ann Bailey, freshman student at H.S.U. on Monday. Miss Bailey is returning to her home at Tokio today to spend the sum-mer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bub Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Coke of Midland were guests of his mother, Mrs. T. E. Coke, and other relatives Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Smith of the First Methodist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Smith and their three children, Sandra, Lanny and Sheila, moved to their present stock-farm near Plains in 1942. All three children completed their public school education in Plains where Mrs. Smith has been a first grade teacher the past fifteen years. Their children, Mrs. Leland Ellison and Lanny Smith of Plains and Miss Sheila Smith of Lubbock will be host and hostesses for the occasion.

Mrs. Buford Elliott of Stephenville, Mrs. Everett Gibson of Hamlin and Mrs. G. W. Cleveland and Mrs. Clifford Anderson of Plains will be in the house-party.







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By Vern Sanford

We look to the event of spring as something beautiful. But it's more than that. Trees that bloom in the spring

also produce food and shelter. Much of Texas is rolling plains with some desert and mountainous areas. Fortunately for the outdoorsman, we still have millions of acres of trees throughout the state. And this timberland is as important to wildlife as are our mountains and our plains.

The average person doesn't realize the vast forest resources within the boundaries of Texas. For instance: Texas' forest lands cover 22,033,900 acres, more than 55 per cent forested. Commercial forests in the state reach the staggering total of 12.171.900 acres. with a sawtimber volume of 27,239,300,000 board feet.

These Texas timberlands grow wood for some 1,000 mills and factories that provide full-time jobs for 43,000 persons. They earn in excess of \$138,000,000 per year and the goods they produce are valued at over a half billion dollars.

These are values in cold dollars and cents. Trees are a renewable resource. They continue to grow and new forests can be brought along to take the place of those consumed by the industry.

An interesting feature of this tremendous forest area is that Harris County has more than a million acres of forest land. Yet the largest city in the South --Houston .- the county seat of Harris County, has more than

a million population. Houston County, in East Tex-as ,is second in forest area with 88.400 acres.

Thus we have the picture that forests unfold in the economy of Texas. Too few, however, realize the great benefits to our wildlife, which also is a renewable resource.

The East Texas forest land once was a haven for wildlife. There were plenty of deer, turkey, bear and smaller game. The Indians didn't destroy it. The white man did.

There were game outlaws throughout the forest lands of East Texas. They poached. They killed game out of season. They killed more than the bag limit and were responsible for many other outrages against wildlife.

However, their's were not the only sins. Many of the land owners, the-furrow fungicides at plantlooking first to the dollar, with ing time for the prevention of no eye on posterity, cut down hardwoods, to raise more pine. As a result the crop of most disappeared on thousands of acres of land. There was no food for the wildlife. Unfortunately, some of these new method.

land owners were some of the major ones. They could see no possibilities in anything but tall pines

And they weren't too particular about polluting the streams, either. They were responsible for the killing off of many fish. It has been only within the last few years that many land owners have been sold on the idea that hardwood and pine can grow in the same area, without harming each other. Now there is a comeback in much of the hardwood area.

This is a result of work being carried on by the U.S. Forest Service, the State Forest Service and the Game & Fish Commission. None of it would have been possible, however, without the full cooperation of all the land owners.

More than two-thirds of all the forest land in Texas is held in tracts of less than 5,000 acres. Farmers own some 21 per cent of all the forest land in Texas The governments, state and federal, own only about 7 per cent. Forest industries own another 27 per cent. All of which means that some 45 per cent of the forest area is held by other private

owners. Another tremendous hazard to wildlife of Texas forests is fire. Experts estimate that more than 99 per cent of all forest fires are man-made. Man will burn off thousands of acres of timber each year and in turn destroy a great deal of wildlife. Unfortunately many of these fires are caused by carelessness. Others have been set by responsible persons, for one reason or

another. Whatever the cause ---wildlife suffers most. It is much easier to grow a tree than it is to reproduce

wildlife. We can go to other areas and buy a thousand seedlings and restore a piece of property. They will stay there and grow. But with wildlife it is entirely different.

The stern Puritans of New England, who frowned upon the celebration of Christmas as a pagan rite, went so far as to enact "blue laws" banning the making of mince pies. World Book Encyclopedia reports that mince pies are associated with Christmas because they were originally baked in the shape of a manger.

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This is a day for remembering the supreme sacrifice made by brave American fighting men so that we might enjoy the liberty that is our most precious possession. This is a day for rededicating ourselves to the principles for which so many gave so much.



Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Randall and family, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Wayland Powell, left Thursday for a visit with relatives at Kemp and the Dalias area. Mr. Randall is custodian at the local high school.

Steve McGinty returned home Monday after unde going leg-surgery in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, last Thursday, Scratissue had multiplied following a leg injury quite some tome ago necessitating minor surgery. He will be "fit as a fiddle" very soon. He was accompanied to Lubboc by his aunt, Mrs. R. B. Jones.

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Wayne A. Smyer will receive his Master of Arts degree from Texas A&M College at 7:30 p.m. May 28 in exercises to be held in the A&M Stadium. Wayne, well known here, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Smyer, formerly of Plains, now living near Albuquerque.

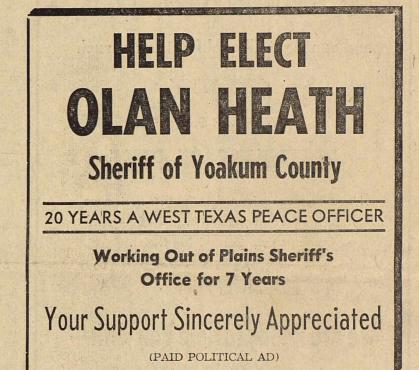
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young, accompanied by Mrs. J. A. Parks, went to Hobart, Oklahoma Saturday to help celebrate the 50th wedding anniversary of Mrs. Young's uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Parks. They were joined on Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Foy Cogburn and sons from Plains, in addition to some 35 or 40 other relatives from Ohio, California and Fort Worth. The Youngs returned home Sunday night, however the Cogburns are spending this week vacationing at Lake Texoma and other points of interest in that area.



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cotton seedling disease should average from \$15 to \$20 an acre, says Harlan Smith, extension plant pathologist. Cotton growers are advised to contact their local agent for details on the



Spanish Eggs Spanish Eggs are at tasty cas-serole for fixing well in advance of the meal.

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1 6 oz. package noodles (2 cups) 1/2 cup chopped green pepper

1 No. 2 can tomatoes (2½ cups) 1/4 cup butter or margarine 1/4 cup enriched flour 6 hard cooked eggs 1/2 cup chopped onion 3 tablespoons fat 1/4 pound (1 cup) grated cheese 1/2 teaspoon salt

Cook noodles in boiling salted water until tender; drain. Cook onion and green pepper in hot fat until tender, not brown. Add tomatoes, simmer 10 minutes; add cheese. Melt butter blend in flour and salt. Stir in tomato mixture; cook and stir until thick. Place half the cooked noodles in 2 quart casserole; slice three eggs over the noodles top with half of tomato mixture. Repeat layers. Thirty minutes before serving bake in 350 degrees F. over. Makes 6-8 servings. A massive 1,500 pound, 12-

foot pendulum, with an almost frictionless pivot system is used at the Naval Ordance Laboratory, Silver Spring, Md., to measure the amount of force an explosively driven device can produce.





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