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# Baccalaureate Service Sunday

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HONOR STUDENTS--At right is Patsy Tipton, Plains Jr-High Valedictorian and at left is Myron Goehry, Salutatorian.

## Flurry Of Activities Close School Year

### Jr. Commencement Exercises Are Set

Commencement and promotion exercises for the students of Plains Junior High School will be held at 8 p.m. on May 18 in the High School Auditorium.

There are forty-two members of the 8th grade class, but the exact number of graduates was not known at the present time, as final tests had not been completed, explained Principal Roger Harvey.

The Friday evening program will include a piano solo by Miss Nancy Tippet, presentation of class history by Bobby Taylor and a vocal solo "The Holy City" by Joe Dan Cooke. Invocation and benediction will be given by Mr. Larry Lockett and Mr. Earl D. Hunt respectively.

Presentation of diplomas will be made by Mr. G. D. Kennedy, Superintendent of Plains Schools and the awarding of certificates of attendance will be made by Roger Harvey, principal of the junior high and elementary schools.

The processional and recessional for the graduating eighth graders will be played by Mrs. J. E. Cooke, junior high teacher.

Honor students of the class are Valedictorian, Patsy Tipton with a grade average of 93.24 and Salutatorian, Myron Goehry with a 91.89 average. The next five students in line, all with grade-point averages over the 90 mark, are all boys. Third ranking eighth grader is Bobby Taylor.

### Win A Prize

## Trade At Home Campaign Announced

Plains Chamber of Commerce at their last regular meeting, announced their intention and plan for a Trade-At-Home-Ideas Contest.

A \$10 gift certificate, good for merchandise at any member-merchant of the Chamber is being offered as first prize in the contest.

The prize will be awarded to the area citizen who comes up with the best idea for promoting a Trade-At-Home campaign for the Plains area merchants.

Some things which have been mentioned so far include a cash-drawing each week sponsored by the local merchants through the Chamber of Commerce, the purchase or lease of a group of carnival rides

designed for small children, rides on which could be purchased only by getting tickets through trading with local merchants.

There are doubtlessly other very good ideas floating around, and someone will win a \$10 gift certificate for submitting

an idea. It has been noted time and again the Plains people are very enthusiastic about their community and it is the opinion of many that our fine citizens getting behind a project of this sort would produce some fine results for the Plains area.

### Dr. Begins Practice In Plains

Dr. Marvin Goldberg and his wife Dori have moved to Plains from Commerce, Texas to commence their office practice here.

The clinic which they are presently operating is set up in the house, just remodeled, just around the corner north and east of The Record.

The Goldberg's arrived in Plains last Saturday afternoon and have already begun receiving patients in their clinic. Dr. Goldberg reports that all his equipment and furnishings have not as yet arrived, but that he expects them all very

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## Hospital Election Is Week From Friday

Area residents are again reminded that a special election has been called in Yoakum County and is set for May 18.

The date, May 18, is one week from Friday.

A petition signed by a sufficient number of eligible Yoakum County citizens was presented to the Yoakum County Commissioner's Court recently asking for the election to determine whether or not bonds could be issued for a \$325,000 addition and improvement program on the Yoakum County Hospital in Denver City.

The planned program calls for the bringing of the capacity

of the hospital up to a total of 50 beds and for modernizing and adding of several facilities. Polling places will be the same as they were for the First Democratic Primary which was held on May 5.

Residents are reminded that to be able to cast a ballot in an election in the State of Texas where a bond issue is the question to be decided that it is necessary not only to have paid one's current year's poll-tax, but that also each voter must be a taxpaying resident of the county and must have rendered his property for taxation on the state and county lists.

### Pay Boost To Local Teachers

Teachers of the Plains schools received word this week that the Plains School Board had, in last Tuesday's session, voted a general, over-all pay raise for the entire teaching staff of the Plains Schools.

Base salary schedule, the announcement stated, was raised by \$361 for each member of the local teaching staff. The 1962-63 base for a B.A. Degree is to be \$4,625 and for M. A. Degree, the base will be \$4,850.

The decision, the announcement further stated, to raise the base wage schedule, was made after studying the 1962-63 salary schedules of 21 schools of the West, Texas and Panhandle areas.

The following will give some idea of how our new schedule compares with others. If the Plains base exceeds the school compared, the plus signs used, or if the local base is lower than the school compared, the minus sign is used.

School:		
State of Texas	-\$503	+\$503
Denver City	- 75	- 150
Seagraves	+ 106	+ 106
Lubbock	+ 25	+ 50
Post	+ 111	+ 111
Lovington	+ 125	--50
Odessa	- 25	Same

The announcement went on to say that it is very difficult to compare salary schedules, as for example: even though Denver City bases are higher than Plains, Denver City Schools have placed a six year's limitation on outside experience, so that a teacher with a B.A. Degree and 10 years experience will receive \$75 more at Plains than at Denver City.

## Miniature Golf Course To Open

It was announced that plans are very rapidly taking shape for the construction of the proposed miniature golf course that is to be constructed by Plains Boy Scout Troop No. 778.

Site for the course has been determined, and is planned to be the property owned by Plains State Bank directly behind the Bank. Bank officials, it was reported, have very generously donated use of the land to the local Scout Troop.

Further word was received to the effect that the golf balls and clubs had already been placed on order in sufficient number as to allow a maximum of 25 persons to use the course at one time.

Also the services of a county maintainer have been secured, it was pointed out, which bladed off the entire area over which it is now planned to spread a thin layer of caliche which will be spread and rolled down.

A total of 18 holes is planned for the course, construction of which is planned to begin by late next week, local scout leaders announced.

Price for playing the 18 holes will be 25 cents per game and plans at present include provisions for free games being given to players for exceptional shots, such as making a hole in one on certain holes, or playing the entire course in so many shots under par.

## James Tippitt Cops Top In State

James Tippitt, a Plains High School Junior, brought back to Plains from Austin last week the first University Interscholastic League first place trophy ever won by a Plains student or team in any event.

Plains volleyball girls did win state week before last in that area, but as yet, the state level in volleyball is not included under UIL sanctions which so far go only as far as regional.

James won his first place in the science divisions of the UIL literary events.

Mr. Virgil Wade, local science instructor, stated that the best possible score that could be obtained in the event was 250 and that all classes of students, AAAA, AAA, AA, A and class B were given identically the same exam. High Scores in the individual

classes were as follows:  
A/AA -- 156  
AAA -- 137  
AA -- 150  
A -- 128 (James)  
B -- 118

This would indicate then, Wade further pointed out that James, who won first in District, Regional, and State competition was the fourth-ranking student in the State of Texas as far as his scientific knowledge is concerned.

(Editor's Note: We certainly want to take this opportunity, we're sure along with the rest of the community in extending our congratulations to James Tippitt for this very fine achievement.)

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Lusk spent the weekend in Midland visiting the Harvey Lusk's.



UIL WINNER -- James Tippitt, a Plains High School Junior, took first place honors in the Science division of Class A UIL Contests in Austin last week.

## Yoakum Primary Voting Results

A near-record turnout of over two-thousand Yoakum County Voters tallied up some results, that are almost unrivaled for closeness, in the First Democratic Primary Election held last Saturday.

In the more prominent state elections, June 2nd run-off election, Second Democratic Primaries, Governor's race is between John Connally and Don Yarbrough; for Lt. Governor, Ron Smith and James A. ...; for State Attorney General, Waggoner Carr and Tom Reaveley and for Congressman-at-large, Judge Woodrow Wilson Bean vs. Joe R. Pool.

In another state office of local interest, H. J. "Doc" Blanchard of Lubbock was elected State Senator of the local district. Closest contender to Blanchard was Don Hancock, presently Yoakum County Judge.

In the local elections, the results are as follows: (a listing of voting per each voting pre-

dict is listed elsewhere in this issue.)

Stanley Duvall and Paul Cobb are contending in the June 2nd run-off for the office of County Judge; H. C. "Doc" Cotton edged out H. R. "Reeves" Newman for Commissioner, Precinct No. 2 and only two votes separated Mrs. Paul Loe, who was elected Precinct No. 4 Commissioner over T. J. Bearden. Vote was 84 to 82. In the only remaining contested race in the county, that of Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 2, incumbent Mary Lea Smith was defeated by a margin of 5 votes by Lloyd D. Steele.

On the three propositions voted on in the referendum, Plains and Yoakum citizens voted by about a two to one majority against legalizing pari-mutuel betting on horse races in Texas and gave a little less margin for abolishing the poll-tax as a requirement for voting eligibility in the State.

◆◆◆◆◆ Commencement Is Wednesday ◆◆◆◆◆

Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; and let him return unto the Lord, and he will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon. (Isaiah 55:7.)

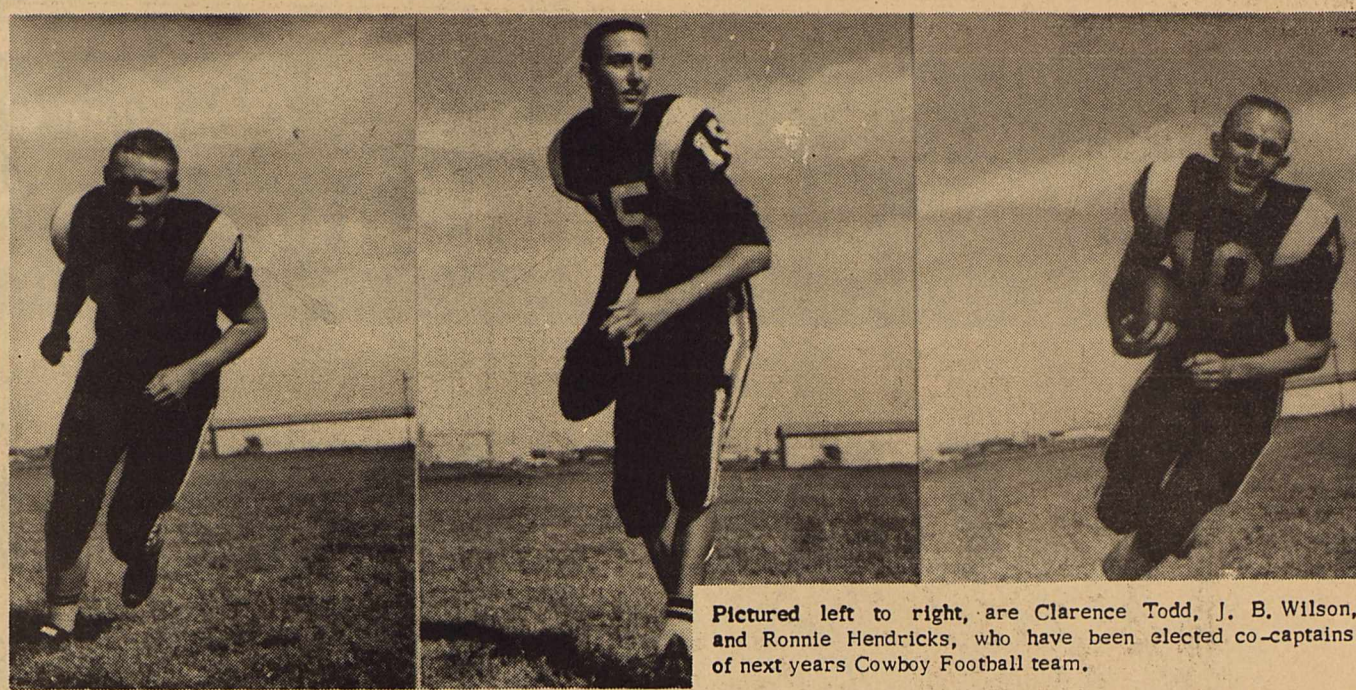
**PRAYER:** We confess our sins, O God, and turn to Thee for pardon. Have mercy upon us. Give us power this day to resist temptations to do evil. In Christ's name we pray. Amen.

### Honors Shared By Contestants

Yoakum County took some high honors Saturday May 5th in Lubbock at the annual District 24-H Elimination Contest. Sue Cooke, Lucky Clover 4-H Clubber, took a blue award in the junior division of the district Share-The-Fun Festival. Sue presented the same number as she did in local contest, "Ya'll Come." This is the second year that juniors have been eligible to participate in the district contests, prior to this only seniors in 4-H were eligible. Sue is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cooke. Debbie Thompson presented an individual Dairy Foods demonstration. A junior too, Debbie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Murrell Thompson

Stricter Discipline may be the lot of American children in the immediate future, according to a study of women's magazines made at Stanford University. Advocacy of discipline runs in cycles, the scientists say, and is reflected in the magazine articles on child rearing. Rigid control of offspring was extremely popular (with parents) in 1892, the study shows, even more so in 1910, a little less in 1925, much less in 1935 and least of all in 1950. If the magazines are an accurate barometer, the rod may be in fashion again.

of Plains and a member of the Lucky Clover Club. Debbie gave her demonstration on a strawberry shake and she took a white award. Members of the General 4-H Club, Marsha White, Martha Campbell, Sylvia McGinty, Peggy Hartman, Kent Welch, Kenneth McGinty, Ty Earl Powell, and Melvin Lowrey, square dance in the senior division of the Share-the-Fun Festival. Taking a second in the individual Dairy Foods contests was La Juana Jones of Denver City. La Juana will compete with some 1800 other 4-H members from all over the state in 27 judging and demonstration contest. The contests are held on the A&M Campus during the Annual 4-H Round-up, June 5, 6, 7.



Pictured left to right, are Clarence Todd, J. B. Wilson, and Ronnie Hendricks, who have been elected co-captains of next years Cowboy Football team.

**I Would Like To Take This Means To Express My Thanks To The Voters Of Yoakum County For Your Support In Electing Me For Another Term As Your County Treasurer . Also For Placing Your Confidence In Me. I Will Continue To Do The Best Job I Can.**

**Mrs. Vicie Hinkle**

### Yoakum County Historical Society Members Attend Regional Meeting

Mrs. M. W. Luna, Chairman of the Yoakum County Historical Society and Mrs. P. W. St. Romain, representing the Tsa Mo Ga Club attended the Regional Historical Society Meeting in McCamey, May 4th in the High School Auditorium. Mrs. Ara Earnest of Odessa was guest of her sister's Mrs. Luna at the meeting.

Mr. John Ben Sheppard, Odessa presided over the meeting. Dr. Rupert Richardson of Waco, President of the Texas Historical Society spoke on "The Importance of Historical Preservation in the Atomic Age." Mr. Bill Waldrup of Odessa gave a panorama talk on the "Historical Tours of the

Permain Basin and the Trans-Pecos Area." Historic spots of the Permain Basin and Trans-Pecos areas were located and suggested to be visited by our Texans and tourist this season. Mr. George Hill of the Historical Society presented Marathon, Texas with a Texas Historical Building Medallion to be erected on their Museum that was once a school building. It is the hopes of the Yoakum County Historical Society members and the Tsa Mo Ga Club members that the Tsa Mo Ga Memorial Museum will be awarded one of the Texas Historical Building Medallions in the very near future. Plans and information are being prepared for this award of merit.

Some thirty county gave five minute reports showing what each Historical group are doing to preserve our pioneer heritage. Mrs. P. W. St. Romain gave the report for Yoakum County. Travel Information Markers and Recent Developments in Texas Travel was outlined by Honorable Charles Hawn and Honorable Hal Woodward, members of the Texas Highway Commission. After the meeting the group traveled 6 miles east of McCamey on U. S. Highway 67 for the Dedication Travel Information Marker No. 3 "Castle Gap" that was dedicated and unveiled by Mr. Hawn, Mr. Lawrence Miss Eggleton and Mr. C. W. Brown. Miss Eggleton of McCamey told the history of "Castle Gap" while Mr. Lawrence of Tyler gave need of our Historical Societies compiling

historical records for more Travel Information Markers to be installed over our vast west Texas area. After the dedication a tour over the beautiful King Mountain to the top of Castle Gap with a panoramic view of historic Horsehead Crossing on the Recons River and Juan Cordova Salt Lake and a visit to the Mendoza Trail Museum was taken by visitors, led by the Texas Highway Patrol.

The Yoakum County Historical Society will hold their annual meeting in June in the home of Mrs. M. W. Luna's. Date and time will be given at a later date. Anyone interested in becoming a member of the Historical Society contact Mrs. Luna. New Members are approved by Mr. George Hill, Autin of the Historical Society.

### Cowboy Captains For 1962-63

Chosen by their teammates to represent them as captains for the 1962 Football season are Ronnie Hendricks, J. B. Wilson, and Clarence Todd. They will serve as Tri-Captains. Ronnie is a Senior Tailback for the coming season and has earned two previous letters. This is his second year to act

as Captain for the Cowboys. J. B. Wilson is a Senior Quarterback and will be seeking his second letter. Clarence Todd is a Senior Tackle and will be earning his third letter. Clarence has the distinction of being the largest man to wear a cowboy uniform since 1955.

1962 Schedule  
 Sept. 7 Crane Here  
 Sept. 14 Post There  
 Sept. 21 Friona There  
 Sept. 28 Open  
 Oct. 5 Sudan Here  
 Oct. 12 Farwell Here  
 Oct. 19 \*Tahoka Here  
 Oct. 26 \*O'Donnell There  
 Nov. 2 \*Seagraves Here  
 Nov. 9 \*Wink Here  
 Nov. 16 \*Sundown There

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 Tahoka and Wink have been added to the district slate and Frenship has been dropped.

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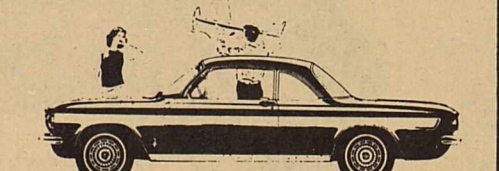
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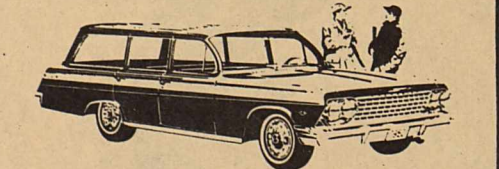
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ROYCE RANDALL received second place trophy for the Plains Jets in last weeks outsiders Volleyball Tournament.

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### FFA Elects Officers

Monthly meeting of the Future Farmers of America was held Monday evening May 7 in the Agriculture Building of the Plains High School. The meeting was called to order by the President Jerry Jones. Twenty four members were present. As the first order of business officers for the coming year were elected. These officers will serve from July 1, 1962 to July 1, 1963. The following officers were elected: Ty Earl Powell, President Cote Trout, Vice President, Kenneth McGinty, Secretary, Fred Blount, Treasurer, J. B. Wilson, Reporter, Coy Lowery, Sentinel, Olan Smith, Historian, Clarence Todd, Chaplain.

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Evening 7:15  
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Evening 6:00  
C W F - 2 & 4th. Tues. 9:30 A.M.

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**Engagement Announced**

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Suddereth announces the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Annette, to Derrick Charles (Dick) Cooke, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cooke. Wedding vows will be exchanged in the First Christian Church of Brownfield Sunday evening June 24 at six p. m. Both Annette and Dick are 1961 graduates of Plains High School and are presently enrolled in Texas Tech at Lubbock.

**Local Couple Honored**

Mr. and Mrs. James Cogburn were honored with a wedding shower Tuesday night May 8th at the club room in the court house.

Guests were registered by Louise Newberry. Out of town guests were from Wellman, Seagraves, Brownfield and Tokio.

The bride's colors were carried out in turquoise and white. The serving table was graced by Ecru Lace over Turquoise satin and turquoise tapers enhanced the Iris center piece.

Mrs. Metha Streetman served heavenly delight punch and Mrs. Tom Box served cake to 46 guests.

Hostesses were; Miss Margaret Blassingame, Miss Marie Anderson, Miss Ruth Hinkle, Mrs. J. W. O. Alldredge, Mrs. S. Streetman, Mrs. Foy Streetman, Mrs. Odie Newberry, Mrs. Neil Parks, Mrs. Bobby Kinsey, Mrs. Tom Box, Mrs. Ruby Heald, Mrs. Leon Lewis, Mrs. Dallas Green, and Mrs. Leroy Box.

**LOCAL**

A mail shower honoring Mrs. Donnie Kissinger was held Thursday afternoon May 3 in the home of Mrs. James Anderson. Punch and cookies were served to the many friends who called during the afternoon.

Hostesses for the occasion were the ladies of the Rebecca.

**Of Interest To THE WOMEN**



NEW OFFICERS -- Shown above are the newly elected officers of the American Cancer Society of Yoakum County. Left to right is Mrs. Jack Palmer, Publicity Chairman; Mrs. Dorothy Lowe, Treasurer; Mary Joe StRomain, Vice President; and Mrs. Bickley, President. Not pictured is Rodema Burton, Secretary.

**Annual Cancer Society Meeting**

Annual meeting of the Yoakum County unit, of the American Cancer Society, met Monday noon, May 12, in the Club Room of the old court house.

Dr. Sherman Hope of Brownfield was unable to attend as he was to be the guest speaker.

Business of the annual meeting was taken care of and the annual reports were given. The final total of the Cancer Crusade for Yoakum county as of date is \$1078.81. The society thinks this is a very good amount and wishes to express their

thanks to all those who contributed.

Delegates for the District meeting were elected and they are as follows; Juanita Taylor, Mrs. John Fitzgerald, Katharine Payne, Opal Allen and Dorothy Lowe. Their alternates are; Mrs. M. W. Luna, Mrs. Bickley, Mrs. Babe Hamm, Mrs. Burton and Mrs. St. Romain.

Delegate for the Division Annual Meeting is Mrs. Mary Lee Smith and alternate is Opal Allen.

The same board members as of last year were re-elected.

Officers for the new year were elected and they are; President, Mrs. Bickley; Vice-president, Mrs. Mary Joe St. Romain; Secretary, Rodema Burton; Treasurer, Dorothy Lowe, Publicity Chairman, Denver City, Burt Snyder and Publicity Chairman, Plains, Mrs. Jack Palmer, Campaign Chairman, Mrs. Mary Lee Smith.

The next meeting will be the second Monday in September.

**TSA MO GA Club To Have "Fine Arts Festival Countdown"**

Mrs. Glenn Cleveland, program director said "Through music, art and literature we can become better acquainted not only with our own country's culture but with that of other land," taken from G.F.W.C. Mrs. Cleveland will introduce the Plains Elementary School Music Class in song and music. The class will sing "Cecilio Lindo" "Beautiful Heaven" and

other Mexican Folk Songs. Mrs. P. W. St. Romain will show slides of Costumes, Culture and Art of Latin America. In the art of Literature Mrs. R. B. Jones will give Elbert Hubbard's writing of "A Message to Garcia."

Arts program will be members of the Plains Fine Arts Club of Music.

Hostess for the occasion will be Mrs. Harvey Stotts and Mrs. Marion McGinty.

Pan American Folk Dances will be performed by Suzahn St. Romain and Robert Field. One special number will be the "La Raspa."

Special guest of the Fine

**O'Neal Home Hosts CWF**

Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church met in the home of Mrs. Ruth O'Neal Tuesday morning May 8 at 9:30 a.m.

Mrs. Jewel Anderson called the meeting to order in the absence of the president Mrs. Dick McGinty.

Refreshments of lemonade and delicious muffins were served to the following members: Mrs. Bill Robertson, Mrs. Marion McGinty, Mrs. John Anderson, Mrs. Johnnie Moore and Mrs. O'Neal.

**LOCAL**

Sue Scott was host to the members and Lubbock boosters of the Hilltop Red-Built Homes Volleyball team which participated in the Plains Independent Tournament on Thursday night, May 3. Enjoying an array of sandwiches and salads were the team manager, Alanzo Miller, Pat Hudgins, Tressie Jordan, Louise Thompson, Carol McRae, Inga Sonntag, and Kay Banks. Also present were Jack McIlroy, Jim Holcomb, Mrs. Banks, Blanche Malmsten, Buddy Sweeney, Donald Ray Teston, Mr. and Mrs. Mac McRae and Suzan.

**Red Cross Announces Schools Now Available**

Camp counselors, lifeguards, swimming instructors, and other skilled swimmers over 18 planning to enter these fields will again have an opportunity to learn new methods and techniques of teaching at one of the American Red Cross National Aquatic Schools. Provided by the Red Cross since 1922, a total of 22 of these schools are held throughout the country during May, June, and August including eight in the Midwest. In these 41 years a total of approximately 78,000 persons have enrolled in the annual 10-day sessions.

The Midwestern Area aquatic schools are at: Lake Murray State Park, Ardmore, Okla., June 3 - 13; Lone Star MV Camp, Athens, Texas, June 3-13; Camp Fellowship, Goddard, Kansas, June 6 - 16; Southern Illinois University, Little Grassy Lake Campus, Carbondale, Ill., June 6 - 16; Lade Okoboji Lutheran Bible Camp, Milford, Iowa, June 10 - 20; Owasippe Scout Camps (Camp Stuart), Whitehall, Mich., June 13 - 23; and Camp Wah-Kon-Dah, Rocky Mount, Mo., Aug. 22 - Sept. 1.

The Missouri, Illinois, Kansas, and Texas schools will offer elective courses in teaching swimming for the handicapped, the Michigan and Texas schools an elective in canoeing, and the Oklahoma school an elective in boating.

With the increasing number of Americans turning to boating as a favorite family sport, two national small craft schools have been scheduled. The Aug. 22 - Sept. 1 school at Camp Wah-Kon-Dah, and the June 13-23 school at Culver, Military Academy, Culver, Indiana, will have instructor training in all phases of small craft.

The curriculum at all schools includes swimming, lifesaving, first aid, and leadership training in community organization, camp waterfront, and swimming

pool organization. The small craft schools offer leadership training in outboard boating; use of rowboats, canoes, and small sailing craft; and teaching and programming for camps, clubs, and recreation departments.

Those wishing to qualify as first aid instructors may enroll in the first aid section of the school with no swimming activity involved. Students enrolling for water safety instructor training should hold a current senior lifesaving certificate or have sufficient ability to qualify. Those wishing to include an elective course in their training must hold a current water safety instructor authorization certificate. Complete enrollment information on the aquatic and small craft schools can be secured through any Red Cross chapter, or from Midwestern Area office, American Red Cross, 4050 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis 8, Mo.

**The Local Angle**

Mr. and Mrs. Chester St. Romain of Roscoe are visiting in the home of the P. W. St. Romain's this week. Chester is a brother of Pete.

Visiting in the home of their grandparents the John Anderson's, were J. L. and Polly Neal of Oessa. They rode down with their aunt Jenny Bob Kennedy to spend the weekend.

Visiting the James Doggett's over the weekend were his brother and family the Wayland Doggett's of Big Springs. They helped little Bill Doggett celebrate his third birthday.

Mrs. Sallie Hague and Mrs. Mollie Courtney attended the annual concert by the choir of Monterey High School Tuesday night. Their grand-daughter and great granddaughter, Cecelia Lovelace is a member of the choir and of the Cantores. The Cantores is a group composed of the top students of the Senior choir. Cecelia also is a member of a quartet that has sung at many functions in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fitzgerald, Venum and Bill Fitzgerald attended the funeral services of Mrs. Fitzgerald's brother-in-law Lawrence Sherrill of Pecos, Tuesday May 8.

Gracie Hale has been on the sick list all week. She is suffering with sinus and a cold. Mrs. M. W. Luna is staying with her daughter Wilma Powell this week in Ft. Sumner N.M., while Bill Powell is here putting in a crop.

**United Church Women's Day To Be Annual Affair**

On May 4, something new for the church women of Plains was begun. At 9:30 a.m. the women of First Baptist Church, First Methodist Church, Assembly of God, and First Christian Church met in the sanctuary of the First Christian Church for a United Women's Day.

The program was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Nell Duff, the welcome was given by Mrs. Dick McGinty, Mrs. J. L. Bozeman led the women in an appropriate litany, Mrs. Virgil Wade sang "Others" accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Kenneth Hale. Mrs. Glenn Cleveland gave a very inspiring and eye-opening talk on "One Family Under God; Who is My Family." In her talk Mrs. Cleveland brought

the fact that race is not a religion and that we were all created by the same God. Also the most segregated institutions in all the world are our churches.

Mrs. E. L. Witte closed the meeting with a prayer. During the fellowship hour that followed the ladies voted to make this an annual affair. Next meeting will be held in the Assembly of God Church, the time and topic to be decided by the ladies of that congregation.

**LOCAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Payne returned home Friday from a week's vacation at Lake Brownwood.

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**Stanley Duvall**

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<b>HAM</b> Half Or Whole Not Sliced	<b>UNDERWOODS</b> Pkg.	<b>45¢</b>	<b>Bar-B-Que Chicken</b> <b>59¢</b>
<b>LEMONS</b> Lb.	<b>APRICOTS</b> Food King #2 1/2 Can	<b>12 1/2¢</b>	<b>25¢</b>
<b>CARROTS</b> 2 Bags	<b>WHITE SWAN CORN</b> Cream Style	<b>19¢</b>	<b>17¢</b>
<b>ORANGES</b> Lb.	<b>UNCLE WILLIAMS Sauerkraut</b> 2 Cans	<b>15¢</b>	<b>25¢</b>
<b>YELLOW SQUASH</b> Lb.	<b>CHOPPED MIXED GREENS</b> Libby's 2 Cans	<b>7 1/2¢</b>	<b>25¢</b>

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### Ladies Night Is Friday

Tickets are now on sale by members of Plains Lions Club to their annual Ladies night. Tickets are priced at \$1.50 for the event which is scheduled to take place on Friday, May 11 in the Plains School Cafeteria at 8 p. m.

Speaker for the occasion is the Reverend Ralph O'Dell, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Brownfield.

A special highlight of the program will be the presentation of awards to various members of the club with the main event, the presentation of the award to the "Outstanding Lion" of the year.

### Last Rites Held For Bernif Teague

Funeral services were held Friday May 4, 1962 for Bernif Teague 46, of this community.

Services were held in the First Baptist Church at 4:30 p.m. The Rev. James L. Bozeman had charge of the service.

Teague died suddenly Thursday afternoon. He was employed by the City of Plains sanitation department.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Teague and a sister Mrs. W. C. Lightsey of Amherst, Texas.

Brownfield Funeral Home was in charge of the burial which was in the Terry County Memorial Cemetery.



BUTCH HAWKINS -- received consolation trophy for Plains Senior team in outsiders Tourney.



Maurcene Phillips receives second place trophy for the Plains Travelers in last weeks outsiders Volleyball Tournament.

### Card of Thanks

Thank you to all the local teams and out of town teams for entering and helping make a bigger, better tournament. Thank you to the School officials, School Faculty, and School pupils for their cooperation in everyway. Also to the school

janitor for his job in keeping the gym cleaned up for each night's games. Thank you to the Lions Club and Boy Scouts and their leaders for sponsoring and taking over the concession stand. We hope the fans enjoyed the tournament and we also hope that the tournament will be a yearly event in Plains.

Thursday Night Volleyball Gang

### Stork Stops

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Kissingner are the proud parents of a baby boy born Friday night May 4 in Canyon. The young man weighed in at 7 pounds 3 ounces and was named Donald Loyd, Jr. Grandparents are Mr. L. C. Kissingner of Plains and Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Taylor of Denver City.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sherrill of Pecos are the proud parents of a baby girl born May 8. The young lady weighed in at 5 pounds and was named Theresa. Grandparents are Mrs. Lawrence Sherrill of Pecos, and Mr. and Mrs. Chester McCan of Plains.

### Dr. Begins--

soon. Included in the equipment for the clinic are such things as X-ray equipment, an electrocardiograph, and complete laboratory equipment.

Dr. Goldberg stated that he already has received many patients and went on to say that he and Mrs. Goldberg feel they will be very happy in Plains with their new friends and acquaintances.

Plans are in the making and have been approved by the State Medical authorities for an 18-unit clinic and hospital to be built in Plains and operated by Dr. Goldberg, with the possibility of one or two other doctors coming to practice with him.

Dr. Goldberg pointed out that one offer, in particular, from a Dr. who at present is teaching surgery has stated at least tentative willingness to come to Plains as a surgeon in the proposed clinic. This particular Doctor has been teaching surgery to students for many years, but that he has a desire to leave the teaching profession and return to active practice.

The 18-bed unit, as it is presently contemplated, will be built with private capital, therefore necessitating no bond issue or raise in present tax rates.

### County to Get New FM Road

More than twelve hundred miles of new Farm to Market Roads will be constructed under a program announced today by the Texas Highway Commission.

Given approval was the 1962 Farm to Market Road Program, under which 1,216 miles of newly designated farm and ranch roads will be built at a cost of \$23 1/2 million. Herbert C. Petry, Jr., Chairman of the Commission, pointed out that more miles of new farm roads will be constructed under this program than has been possible in recent years. Normally, about 1,000 miles of new FM Roads are added to the Highway System each year -- but the 1962 program represents an increase of more than 200 miles above the average. The new FM program, involving 266 separate roads in 179 counties is a one-year program. Future FM programs will remain on a one-year basis, the Commission said.

Petry noted that this type of road, "Is the Land Service Road that has done so much to develop our State. These roads have meant a great deal to the development of our economy, providing all-weather routes for our rural population and better service to schools and for delivery of mail."

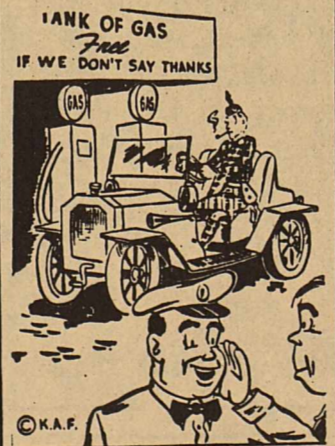
Oscar Crain, District Engineer of Lubbock, said that 75.5 miles in this District will be involved in this program. The work will be under the supervision of the Resident Engineer whose name appears on the attached list of projects.

County, Approximate Location of Project, Approx. Length, Proposed Character of Work, and Estimated Cost as follows: Carl Hart, Yoakum, Fr. US 380 at Bronco, N. to end of Prop. FM Rd. at Cochran C/L. 9.1. Gr., Stra. & Surf., \$126,000. Total \$1,250,000.

### Card of Thanks

PLAINS TRAVELERS would like to say "Thank You" to George Blount and Olen Heath for the volleyball shirts given them to wear in the tournaments entered each year.

### HUMBLE TIPS



If More People Would Drive In Every Day To "Put Us To A Test" We'd Be Even Busier Than We Are Now.

"If you can't stop wave as you go by"

W. G. Lattimore

### Classified Ads

Dr. J. U. Borum, Jr. Optometrist of Brownfield, Texas has moved his office to his new building 412 West Tate, east of Wilgus Pharmacy. Pho. 3172.

PLUMBING: plumbing supplies, water heaters, commodes, repair parts. The Fixit Shop. GL 6-2955 30-tfc

FOR SALE: Midland Bermuda grass sprigs. Sprigger available. 4 miles south of Higingbothom Gin. Call O. B. Whiteside, Plaza 8-4782, Seminole.

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HAY FOR SALE: Baled green. Located 3 mi. north and 1 mi. east of Plains. See or call John Inman, Muleshoe, Texas, Phone 3-9850 Muleshoe.

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FOR SALE: Three bedroom and den, brick home in nice part of town. Contact Roy Stockstill at GL 6-3883. 4-tfc

"Take on payments Singer zig zag equipped cabinet model sewing machine \$7.42 per month for 7 months or contract balance of \$50.40, write Credit Manager, 1114 19th Street, Lubbock, Texas.

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Total newspaper readings by adults on every weekday are 125,500,000 and by the teenagers, another 12,750,000.

FOR SALE: Clean used G. E. refrigerator, 7 ft. Woody's Hardware.

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G.I.'s; 8 1/2 sections, known as south half Bedford Ranch. Above average raw land with mixed mesquite, cat-claw and shinnery, in water belt. \$90.00 per acre. J.A. Pebsworth Jr. Box 368-a Tahoka, Texas Phone 998-4091. 14-3tp

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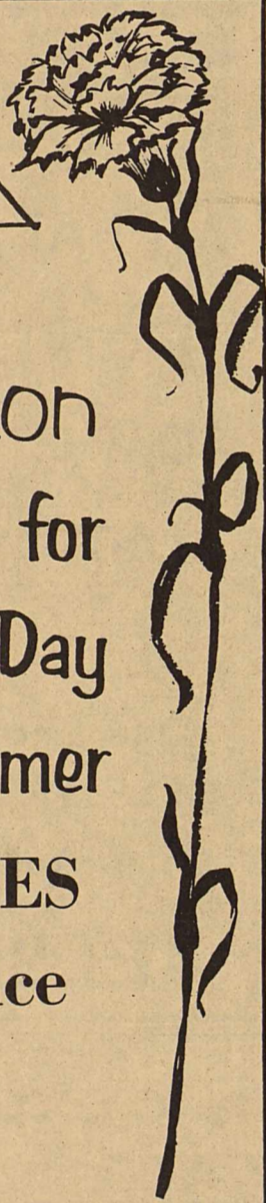
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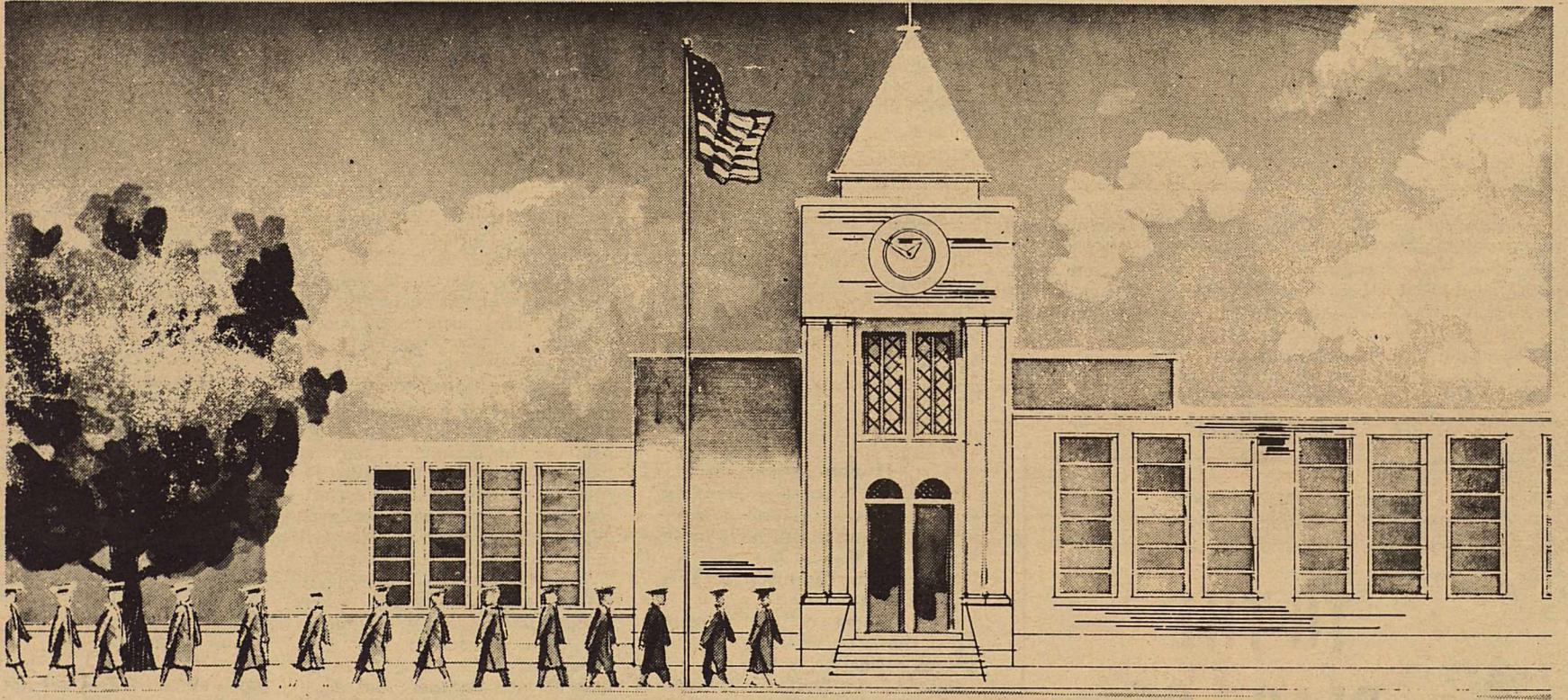


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# Congratulations



**W**e join your family, friends and this entire community in wishing each of you well in whatever endeavor you may plan for the future. Your graduation is an important achievement and, if you want it to be, the first step toward greater ones. We would also impress upon you the importance of this day for another reason. Education, as we know it, is the foundation of democracy and the American concept of liberty. James Russell Lowell expressed it eloquently: "It was in making education not only common to all, but in some sense compulsory on all, that the destiny of the free republics of America was practically settled."

In other words, only an educated people treasure and strive for freedom. Contrary to what the propagandists preach, the great masses of the communist world are not educated. The selected few are allowed to continue their education after elementary school and enter a profession of their choice. You, on the other hand, have a free choice and thus become the master of your own destiny. You are, then, the master of the destiny of your country. What it will become in the next two or three decades depends almost entirely upon you. To keep your heritage, your freedom, and self respect will require your greatest effort. We wish you well and ask God's blessing upon your endeavors.

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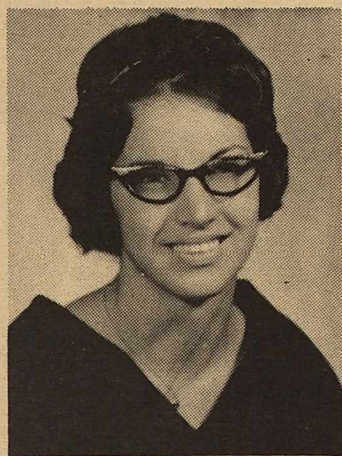
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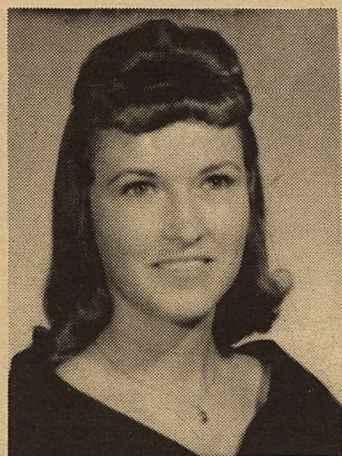
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## 22 SENIORS GRADUATE WEDNESDAY

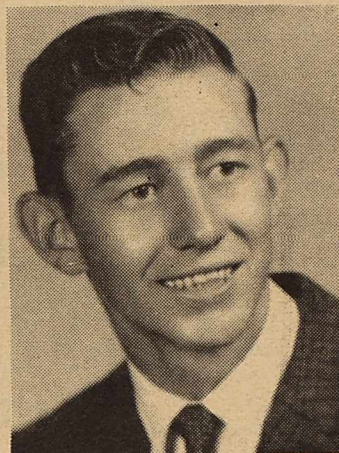
### Commencement Exercises At 8 P. M.



Roberta Snodgrass



Marsha White



Milton Watson

## Honor Students Named

Valedictorian of the 1962 graduating class at Plains High School is Roberta Louise Snodgrass, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Snodgrass of Route 1, Tokio.

Miss Snodgrass compiled a four year grade average of 93.80, according to Principal D. N. Taylor.

Salutatory honors go to Marsha White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo White of Plains, who had a four-year grade average of 93.56.

Top-ranking boy student among the 62 graduates is Milton Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Watson. His four-year grade

average was 91.94.

Miss Snodgrass is a native of the Tokio Community, where she has lived her entire life. She was born in Brownfield on December 17, 1943. She began her formal education in Plains twelve years ago and has attended no other school.

After graduation she plans to enter Texas Tech, where she will major in Mathematics.

Her high school activities included FHA, volleyball, science club, pep squad, student council, annual staff and junior and senior plays.

Miss White was born in Lubbock, Texas on August 29, 1944. She started to school in Silverton, Texas and moved to Plains where she entered the fourth grade where she has concluded her education.

Miss White plans to enter Texas Tech in the fall and major in the field of Home Economics. Her high school activities included band drum major, stage band, FHA, volleyball, senior class secretary, junior and senior plays, one act play, literary events (typing, extemporaneous speaking and ready writing).

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Twenty-two of the thirty members of the senior class of Plains High School will receive diplomas Wednesday evening at the annual commencement exercises.

The program begins at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium. The public is invited to attend.

Among the graduates are 11 girls and 10 boys, making up a rather small graduating class after the 38 who received diplomas last year.

Ty Field, president of the Board of Education, will pass out the diplomas assisted by D. N. Taylor, high school principal.

Several other awards will be made. Eugene Young will present the John Phillips Sousa award to the outstanding band student, Dick McGinty will present the American Legion awards for citizenship and Superintendent, G. D. Kennedy will make the scholarship awards.

Headlining the program will be Roberta Snodgrass, valedictorian of the class. Salutatorian Marsha White will also present an address and a piano selection entitled, "Dream of Olwen." Top-ranking boy, Milton Watson, will also be a speaker on the program.

The Rev. R. H. Meixner, pastor of the Plains Methodist Church, will give the invocation and the Rev. James L. Bozeman, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will give the benediction.

Mr. Watson was born in Wolforth, Texas on February 1, 1944.

He enrolled in Plains schools in the first grade where he continued for the full twelve years.

His plans after graduation include attending Texas Tech at Lubbock and majoring in Engineering.

His high school activities included football, tennis, annual staff, stage band, science club, UIL literary events, senior class president and band.

Examiner: "What makes you think you are disqualified for a position in our diplomatic corps?"

Applicant: "Well, I've been married 20 years, and my wife still thinks I have a sick friend."

## Baccalaureate Set For Sunday

Baccalaureate services honoring the 1962 graduates of Plains High School are scheduled for 8 p.m., Sunday, May 13, in the Plains School Auditorium.

All area citizens and patrons of Plains Schools are invited to the special services, and area churches are adjusting their Sunday evening services to allow their respective members the opportunity to attend the honorary services.

Special guest speaker for the occasion is the Rev. Frank Pollard, minister of the First Baptist Church of Seagraves, where he has served as pastor for the past 15 months.

Prior to coming to his present pastorate in Seagraves, the Rev. Pollard served as Associate Minister with the First Baptist Church of Big Spring.

The Rev. Pollard is reported to be very active in the dis-

trict and associational work of the Baptist Brotherhood, and it is further reported that he is in great demand as a public speaker both for church and civic groups.

The Rev. Pollard is a graduate of Texas A & M College at College Station and of the Southern Baptist Seminary in Fort Worth.

Other program participants include the Rev. E. L. Witt, minister of the Plains Assembly of God Church and Mr. Joe Chisholm, minister of the Hillside Church of Christ, who, respectively, bring the benediction and the invocation.

Plains Fine Arts Club Choir will furnish the special music for the worship program singing several selections. The choir is directed by Mrs. Rod Duff and accompanist is Mrs. Jack Pierce.



EARN STATE DEGREES -- Roberta Snodgrass and Chick Coke both Plains High seniors earned their State Degrees in FHA this year.





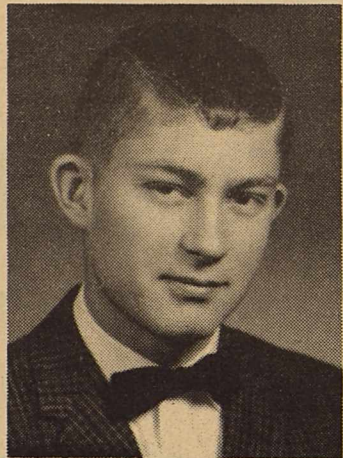
**Douglas Kent Welch**

Douglas Kent Welch, son of Mr. and Mrs. M.E. Welch, was born in Lamesa Texas on January 11, 1944.

He attended school in Lamesa through the sixth grade, Odessa in the seventh grade, Leonard Texas 8-9, Plains, 10-12.

Plans after graduation include college at Texas Tech in Lubbock and then enter into farming.

His high school activities include FFA, Junior and Senior plays.



**Jerry Ray Jones**

Jerry Ray Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jones, was born at Brownfield Texas on February 9, 1944.

His school days have all been spent in the Plains Schools.

His plans after graduation include college at Texas Tech in Lubbock where he plans to major in engineering.

His high school activities include, football, basketball track, science club, photography club, FFA, annual staff, boys state UIL literary events, student council, class officer, band, Junior and Senior plays.



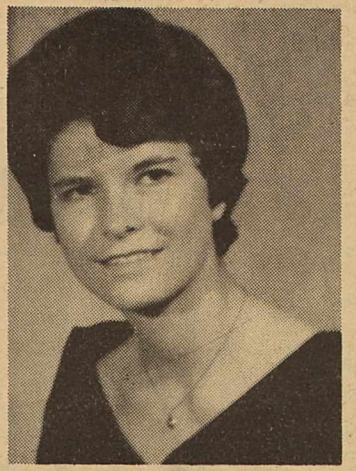
**Alta Marie Anderson**

Alta Marie Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson, was born at Brownfield on September 9, 1943.

She has attended school in Plains for twelve years.

After graduation she plans to go to work.

Her high school activities include FHA, tennis and pepsquad.



**Sandra Lee Smith**

Sandra Lee Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Smith, was born at Brownfield on Oct. 2, 1943.

She has attended no other school than Plains Schools.

Her plans after graduation include attending Texas Tech.

Her high school activities include band, annual staff, science club, FHA, volleyball, Junior play, pep squad.



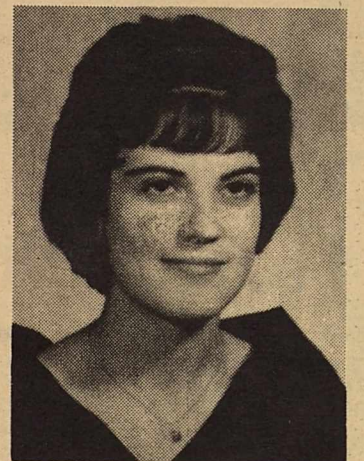
**Lela Parks Warren**

Lela Parks Warren, who is graduating from Abilene High School, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Parks and wife of Jimmy Warren, was born at Portsmouth Virginia on May 5, 1944.

She attended school in Weatherford from the first thru the fourth grade and Plains Schools from the fifth thru the tenth, her Junior and Senior year were at Abilene High.

After graduation she plans to enter McMurry College in Abilene.

Her high school activities include cheerleader, volleyball, who's who, Freshman favorite and reporter, also Sopho reporter.



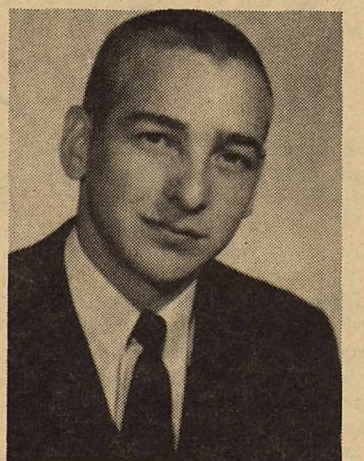
**Wanda Ruth Hinkle**

Sanda Ruth Hinkle, daughter of Mrs. Vicie Hinkle, was born in Brownfield on September 3, 1943.

She started school in Nucla Colorado, and moved to Plains when in the second grade.

Her plans are to be married after graduation.

Her high school activities include FHA, tennis, and the annual staff.



**Melvin Carl Lowrey**

Melvin Carl Lowrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lowrey, was born in Brownfield Texas on August 12, 1944.

He has attended school in Plains all twelve years.

His plans after graduation are to attend college.

His activities through high school include FFA, football, and track.

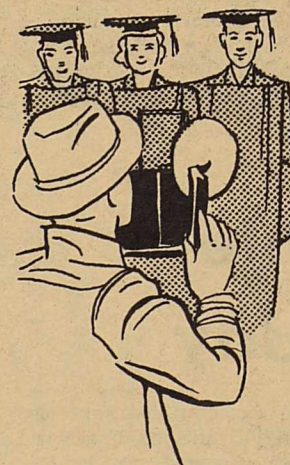
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# Assault Hatlessness: Kennedy Main Goal

By WALTER LOGAN  
United Press International

NEW YORK (UPI) — Charles (Chuck) Salesky, 43, President of the Hat Corporation of America, tried to get President Kennedy to wear a hat back in the days when Kennedy was only a senator. He's still trying.

"I think if he started wearing a hat there wouldn't be enough hat equipment in the United States to meet the demand, even with overtime," Salesky said.

"He has a tremendous influence in dressing up America. If the president wore a hat we couldn't turn them out fast enough, even with the new factory we're building in Winchester, Tenn."

Salesky, whose elder brother Bernard is Chairman of the Board, said he began his campaign against hatlessness a couple of years ago when he encountered then Senator Kennedy at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York.

"I told him he was not setting a good example for the youth of America and offered to supply him with a free hat if he would wear it," he said. "But he replied that he didn't look well in a hat and that Mrs. Kennedy didn't think he looked well in a hat either."

"There is a lot of hatlessness around and we're doing something about it," Salesky said. "But we have to do it through style since hats aren't always worn for utility. Our approach is to make the ones that look better on the head than in the hand (Kennedy style)."

The Hat Corporation of America (Cavanagh, Dobbs, Knox and Champ) is the world's largest firm in this field and this spring pioneered geometric shapes in men's hats which Salesky calls "The Advance Silhouette" and which he hopes will revolutionize the hat business.

# The Twist: Don't Smile, Forget Your Partner and Just Gyrate

By CLAIRE COX  
United Press International

NEW YORK (UPI) — The Twist, loudly proclaimed new dance sensation, is nothing but a beatnik rhumba.

It is not nearly so much fun as the Charleston or as hectic as jitterbugging or rock 'n' roll and it makes the Black Bottom seem positively risqué. The Bunny Hug, Turkey Trot and Big Apple required far more energy to perform.

In case everyone does not know by now, The Twist got its name from the title of a song called — that's right, "The Twist." Its style came from the manner of presentation of the singer who made the song popular, a fellow known as Chubby Checker. A recorder of vital statistics doubtless knows Mr. Checker's rightful

name. He acquired the Chubby Checker title when he was told he looked like Fats Domino. Get it?

That was in Philadelphia, which claims to be the birthplace of The Twist, a boast that has evoked no challenges.

Checker, or whatever his name REALLY is, manages to go through a variety of gyrations, mainly with his hips, while singing "The Twist." The dance being performed by teen-agers, their parents and even their grand-

parents represents a mass effort to imitate what Checker does while he sings.

Probably the best way to describe The Twist is to explain that when dancers perform it incorrectly they seem to be trying to do the hula or rhumba.

In a correctly performed Twist, the shoulders are held stiff and the feet scarcely move. The arms are moved back and forth somewhat in the manner of participants in a walking race and the hips gyrate in a manner certain to remove inches from over-large expanses and send middle-aged men to the nearest orthopedist.

Most important — one never smiles while doing the twist. Nobody is supposed to be able to tell whether you are having a good time while doing it. Never look at your partner, and don't worry about whether you both are doing the same step. This dance is even more impersonal than the Virginia Reel.

It matters little whether you Twist at the Peppermint Lounge, the smoke-filled bistro in the New York Theater district where the dance became famous, or the more fashionable Stork Club

across town. The technique is approximately the same, although the dress and demeanor are different.

The uniform for doing The Twist at the Peppermint Lounge is a shirt and skin-tight slacks for men and either treader pants or long black stockings and short skirts topped by bulky sweaters for girls. At the Stork Club, one appears in whatever "they" are wearing this year.

Once in a while a Twister at the Stork Club will steal a slight smile, but at the Peppermint the demeanor is quite somber.

One advantage of the Twist — and there are several — is that it can be performed with some skill by persons well beyond their teens if they are careful either not to overdo it or to limber-up at a gymnasium before seeking the dance floor. This was not true of rock 'n' roll and jitterbugging, which featured an assortment of the more athletic caveman tactics.

Another advantage, for some, is that because the couples are anywhere from six inches to several feet apart and tend to crouch, a short boy can ask a tall girl to twist without feeling self-conscious.

And then, for the crowded dance floor, you can't beat the twist, since the feet are not supposed to move very far.

The Twist, with all its virtues, does raise several questions, however. Whatever became of ballroom dancing, the favorite indoor social sport when mother was a girl, the dance one could perform without sweating? If today's teen-ager was asked to dance a fox-trot or reasonable facsimile thereof, could he do it?

And last, what next, after the Twist and allied steps such as The Mashed Potato, The Slide and the Slop?

Hey, kids, have you ever heard of the Peabody?

### Luther Letter

MEMMINGEN, Germany (UPI) — A letter written by Martin Luther that disappeared more than 150 years ago has been restored to the archives of this Bavarian city.

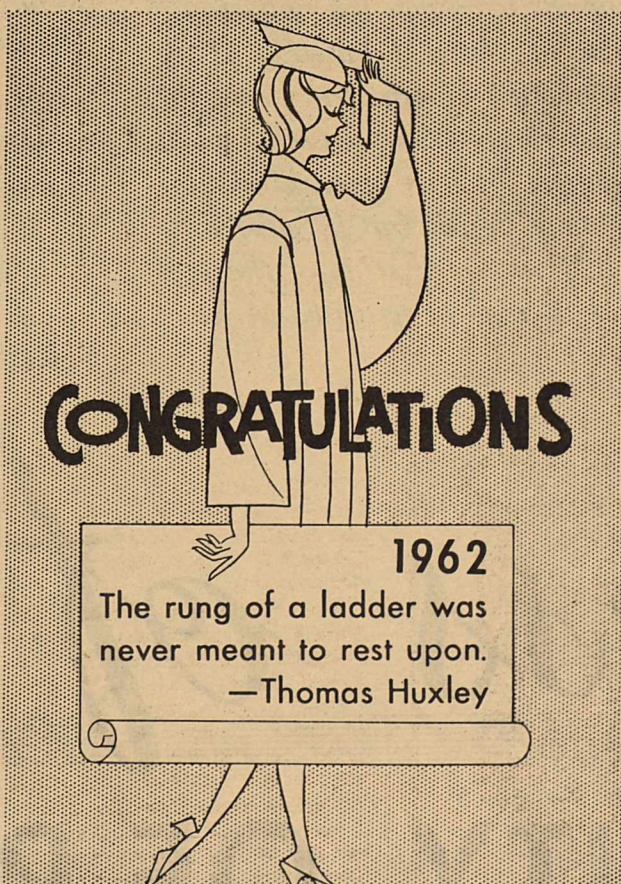
The founder of Lutheranism wrote the letter on Jan. 31, 1529, asking residents of the city to adhere to the Gospel and resist "rotten Ghosts." The letter was kept in the city archives until 1806, when it disappeared at the time that Memmingen ceased to be a free imperial city and was incorporated into Bavaria.

The city recently regained possession of the letter for \$2,700 at auction.



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This pairing is what makes you an individual. Since you are a blend of characteristics inherited from both parents, you can't look exactly like either.

By the process of division and growth, the genes furnished by

each of your parents are duplicated in every cell of your body. In the cells of your toe-nails,

your bones, your skin, are the same genes which determine the color of your eyes.

From the two cells — egg and sperm — which combine into one, you grow into a complex being of perhaps 100,000,000,000,000 cells. And even if you weigh 200 pounds now, at the time you were conceived you weighed about 50-billionths of an ounce.

So tiny are the genes responsible for this fantastic growth and complex development that all of them contained in the reproductive cells out of which the earth's 3 billion people have developed could be contained in just one of Mendel's peas.

Almost invariably, genes produce faithful copies of themselves. They are passed down generation after generation, century after century, virtually unchanged.

But every once in a great while a gene changes. It no longer produces the exact trait for which it was coded. Instead it produces an altered characteristic, quite different from that of its parents, and this altered trait is passed along to the succeeding generation.

These changes in genes, called mutations, may be spontaneous but also can be caused by radiation and certain chemicals. Mutations are usually harmful. One out of ten, however, may be beneficial and since it gives the individual an advantage he is better able to survive. For example, some place back along the evolutionary chain a mutation gave man's ancestors a thumb instead of a less useful toe-like appendage on his hand.

As for the harmful effects of mutations, they are many. "Hereditary disorders," said Dr. Youmans, "are seen in all branches of medicine. They account for perhaps more than 20 per cent of all cases of blindness and are evident in many cases of high blood pressure, certain types of heart disease, disorders of the central

nervous system and many others."

The complexity of hereditary makes it difficult in many cases to link genes with diseases. "But as we know more about genetics," says Dr. Youmans, "many disorders previously not suspected as genetic in type have come to be regarded as such."

"Peptic ulcers, rickets, leukemia, rheumatoid arthritis, certain kidney diseases and many other afflictions of obscure origin have all been shown to possess a genetic background," he said.

Of equal importance, said the AMA science director, has been the realization that in many cases the genes and environmental factors operate jointly. In tuberculosis, for instance, the bacteria which causes the disease is picked up like an ordinary cold germ, but usually the bacteria causes no effect unless there is a genetic weakness which makes the person susceptible to tuberculosis infection.

For many years, genetics held little for medicine. Its concern was to breed faster horses, fatter hogs, and tastier corn. But in the past ten years, the results of experiments in genetics have opened to medicine a whole new field.

"Genetics," said Dr. Youmans, "has been called the medicine of the future. When we have the genetic code, when we can exercise control over defective genes; when we finally understand what the life process is all about, then medicine will be able to make it a healthier life."

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## In Days of Yore Loser Was Buried

ST. LOUIS (UPI) — Athletes today have it easy compared to the jousting knights of old, says Thomas T. Hoopes, City Art Museum curator.

In the Medieval tournament, Hoopes said, scoring was easy. No decisions. The loser was given a decent burial.

Then jousting began developing into a sport. It was still rough, he said, but both contestants usually survived.

"Judges totaled up the points — five for a lance thrust in the left side of the face, three for a blow on the left shoulder and one for striking the arm," Hoopes said.

He said points were lost if the lance tip slipped below the waist or came in contact with the right side. And striking horses was hot cricket at all.

## Pin-Up Wanted

HOLLYWOOD (UPI) — Producer Arthur Hornblow was seeking a collector's item for the Columbia production of "The War Lover." The item was a pin-up picture of Betty Grable.

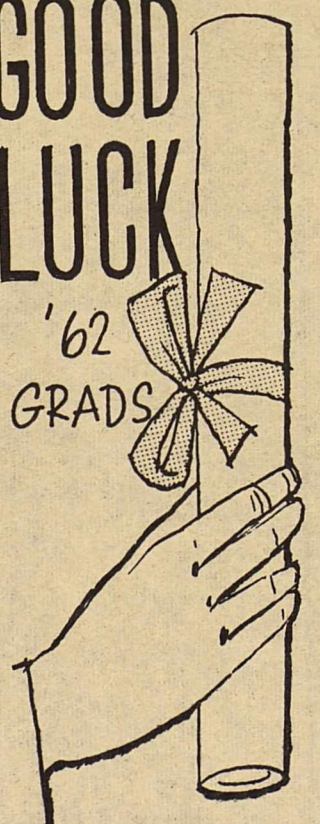
A favorite of GI's during World War II, the picture is to be filmed in Steve McQueen's pilot's quarters. McQueen, Robert Wagner and Shirley Anne Field star in the World War II epic.

## Toy Machine

HOLLYWOOD (UPI) — A giant toymaking machine composed of everything from neon lights, steel pipes and ping pong balls is the main prop of Walt Disney's first live-action musical "Babes in Toyland."

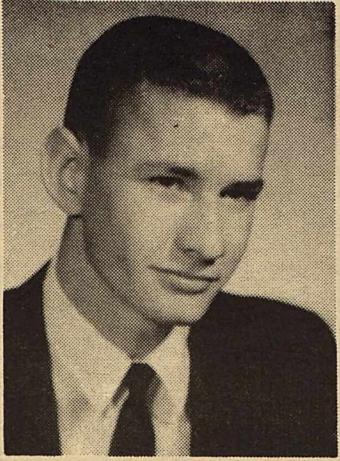
A team of 28 electricians and special effects experts wired the \$15,000 machine and control its 400 switches.

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Weldon Spencer Jr.

Weldon Spencer, Jr., is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Spencer of Route 1, Tokio, Texas.

Weldon was born in Riverside, California on December 31, 1944.

He attended several schools through the elementary grades in several states which included, Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, and Kansas.

His plans after graduation include attending college at South Plains Junior College in Levelland, and after completing two years to attend Texas Tech in Lubbock.

High School activities participated in by Weldon include, 3 years of tennis, 1 year of basketball and the junior and senior plays.



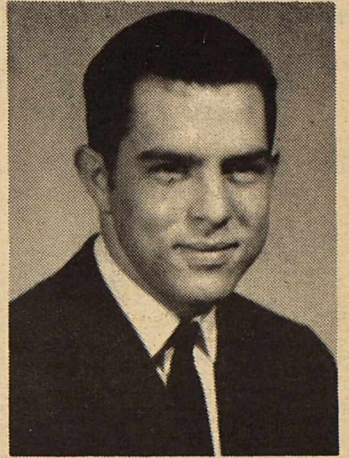
Ann Frances Cogburn

Ann Frances Cogburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Barchelor was born in Sergrnt, Kentucky.

She attended schools in Loveland Colorado, Colorado Springs, and Plains High School.

Ann's plans are all set after graduation as she was married to James Cogburn on April 19, of this year.

High School activities include the Glee Club and Pep Squad.



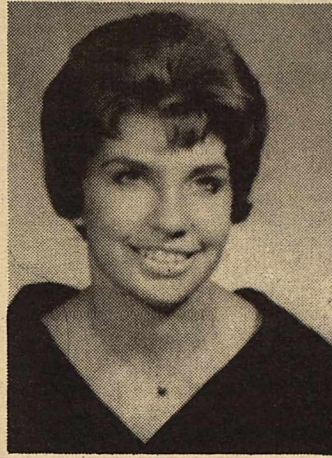
Walter Craig Hawkins

Walter Craig Hawkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ford Hawkins, was born in Lubbock Texas on November 17, 1943.

He started to school in Morton Texas and moved to Plains when he entered Junior High School.

His plans after graduation include going to college.

His High School activities include football, basketball, track, science club, Junior and Senior play.



Kay Weatherford

Kay Weatherford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Merchant of Altus Oklahoma, was born May 12, 1943 in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

She has attended school in Altus Okla., Levelland and Plains.

Kay plans to enter Tech this summer and continue through the fall to major in speech.

Her high school activities include cheerleader, Band, basketball, FHA, Junior and Senior plays, one act play, stage band, negro ministerial, chorus, FFA Sweetheart.

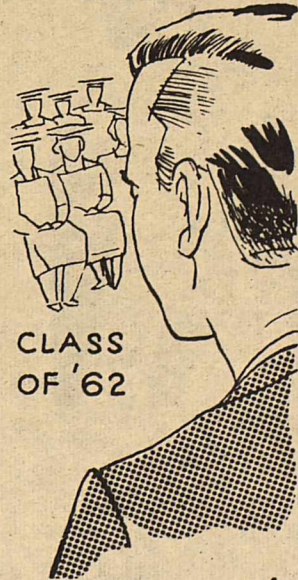


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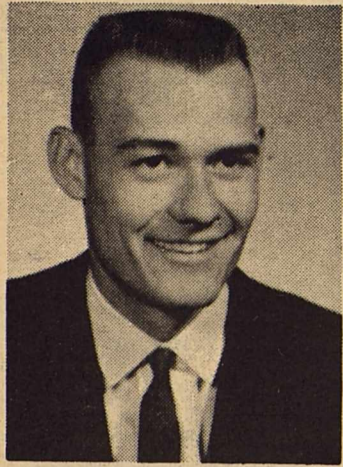
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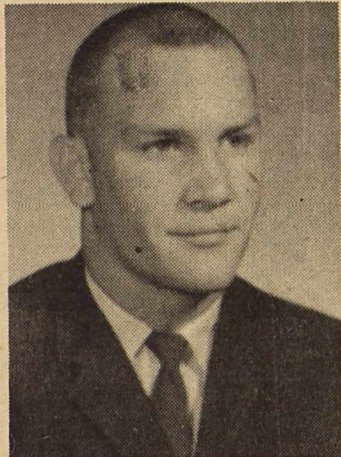
**Franklin Smith, Jr.**

Franklin Jefferson Smith, Jr., son of Mrs. W. L. Carnolan, was born in Snyder Texas on January 24, 1944.

He started to school in Merkel Texas and attended that school until his Junior year when he moved to Plains.

His plans after graduation include going to college to study pre-veterinary medicine.

His high school activities include Football, basketball, baseball, track, science club, FFA, Band, Junior and Senior play, and stage band.



**Sam Luna St. Romain**

Sam Luna St. Romain, the son of Mr. and Mrs. P.W. St. Romain, was born in Lubbock Texas in 1943.

Sam started school in Plains and attended one year of schooling at St. Mickles in Santa Fe, New Mexico after which time he returned to Plains to complete his high school education.

After graduation he plans to attend college at West Texas State College in Canyon, Texas.

His high school activities include band, football, science club, and stage band.



**Sandra Sue Williams**

Sandra Sue Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Williams, was born at Bowie Texas on June 26, 1944.

She attended Denver City schools through the fourth grade, and sixth and seventh, Andrews the fifth grade, and Plains eighth thru twelve.

Her plans after graduation are to become a Registered Nurse through the Methodist School of Nursing in Lubbock.

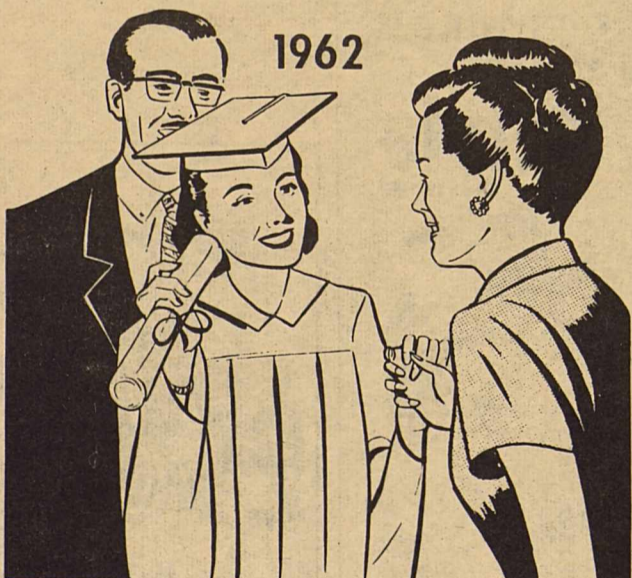
Her high school activities include FHA, volleyball, science club, cheerleader, track princess, football queen, most witty, Sopho-class treasurer, Junior and Senior plays, class secretary junior year, annual staff, Interscholastic league ready-writing, interscholastic league shorthand.



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### Industry Actively Seeking Graduates

The high school graduate who does not plan to go on to college may face what he considers a difficult task—the problem of “finding a job.”

Jobs don't “grow on trees” as the expression goes but, although some graduates don't realize the fact, industry is actually eager to find qualified and capable high school graduates to fill immediate positions—or to enter training programs.

Some industries have established career guidance committees. Through distribution of press releases and information booklets, these committees inform junior and senior high students of job opportunities and requirements, colleges offering specialized training, and companies which offer scholarship and financial aid programs.

For example, a 24-page booklet, “Grow with an Exciting Business,” describes opportunities in the paper industry in such major areas as accounting, engineering, marketing and science. It also lists colleges which offer special-

ized training in pulp and paper technology. The booklet also cites the interests and abilities that contribute to success in various fields.

### '62 Grads Hail From Only Four

Where do the 1962 graduates hail from.

They were born in only four different states, Texas, California, Oklahoma, and Kentucky.

Most are natives of the south plains, with Brownfield winning top honors for turning out the largest number of the grads. Seven of the Plains Seniors were born in the Terry County capital.

Three were born in Lubbock, but the other twelve were born in different cities.

Claiming birthrights to Plains Graduates are Wolforth, Bowle, Dallas, Lamesa, Spur, Snyder, Howland, and Mathis, Texas. Riverside, California, Sergeant, Kentucky, and Tulsa, Oklahoma, in addition to Brownfield and Lubbock. Oddly, not a single '62 graduate was born in Plains.

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- 15 Preposition
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- 17 Causes to happen suddenly
- 20 Symbol for tantalum
- 21 Abstract being
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- 24 Delineate
- 27 Excavations
- 28 Apportion
- 29 The dill
- 30 Weight
- 31 Occupying a chair
- 33 The turmeric
- 34 Armed group with legal authority
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- 37 Drop
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- 43 Vase
- 44 Tally
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- 47 To fondle
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- 53 Turkish title (pl.)
- 55 Loads
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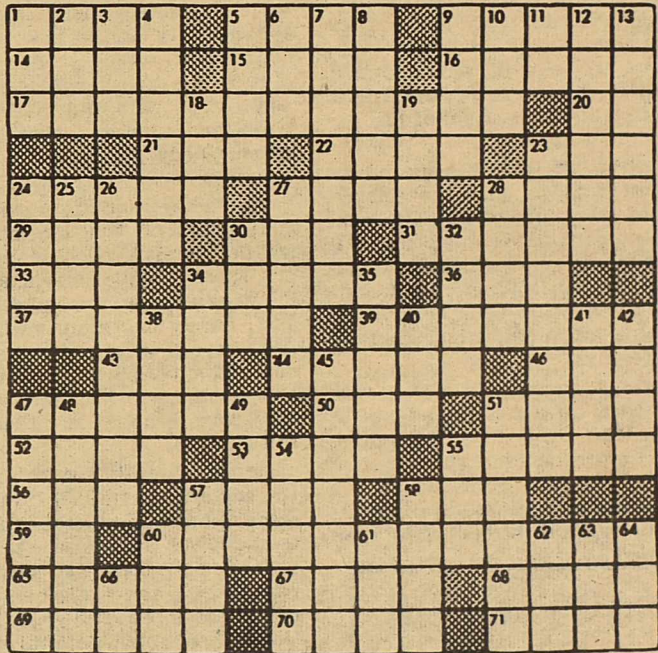
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- 4 Not long past
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- 7 Reaches
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- 9 Insect
- 10 Things in law
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- 12 Landed property
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- 58 To state
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Mincemeat's Age

NEW YORK (UPI) — Your favorite recipe for mincemeat is as old as medieval times, the American Meat Institute reports.

It is a descendant of English plum porridge and related to plum pudding. The English showed their fondness for beef by combining it with harvest foods to create a dish for their midwinter festivities.

Almond Tip

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — Blanching of almonds is by no means a must, the California Foods Research Institute reports.

Many people prefer the unblanched food, on the theory that the tender skin gives flavor. The color contrast in serving a bowl of salted blanched and unblanched almonds also is attractive.

Dining In

NEW YORK (UPI) — Surveys have measured the popularity of precooked, frozen dinners, including TV dinners.

A magazine in the frosted food field reports that one survey was based on who was eating what while a bridge show was on television. It was found that 924,000 of the viewers were eating frozen dinners while watching the card sharks. That was an estimated 50 per cent of the audience.

## Opportunities Unlimited In Teaching Field

What opportunities are likely to present themselves to the high school graduate who intends to go on to college in order to qualify for a career in the teaching field?

Many teachers begin at the elementary or secondary level as soon as they complete requirements for a teaching certificate, and continue to work on their Master's or Ph.D. requirements during school vacations.

The graduate who can qualify for a college or university teaching staff has a good chance of making the “home” team. According to a recent study, one college teacher in five teaches at his undergraduate alma mater.

College level instructors in agriculture, chemistry, dentistry, economics, engineering, English, math, physics, and medicine headed personnel demands registered by foreign institutions at The University of Michigan placement office during the 1959-60 school year. Some 312 requests were received for personnel to fill college positions overseas. Iraq, Lebanon, and Turkey placed most of the requests.

G. W. As a Boxer

MOUNT VERNON, Va. (UPI) — George Washington who became the first president of the United States won the bare knuckles boxing championship of the Colony of Virginia in 1748.

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Despite their difference in size, the egg and sperm cell carry the same number of genes — estimated at 30,000 each. At the time of conception, when the sperm is engulfed by the egg, there is a pairing of genes. The genes from the father which determine eye color, for instance, are matched with the eye-color genes from the mother; nose genes pair with nose genes, etc.

This pairing is what makes you an individual. Since you are a blend of characteristics inherited from both parents, you can't look exactly like either.

By the process of division and growth, the genes furnished by

each of your parents are duplicated in every cell of your body. In the cells of your toe-nails, your bones, your skin, are the same genes which determine the color of your eyes.

From the two cells — egg and sperm — which combine into one, you grow into a complex being of perhaps 100,000,000,000,000 cells. And even if you weigh 200 pounds now, at the time you were conceived you weighed about 50-billionths of an ounce.

So tiny are the genes responsible for this fantastic growth and complex development that all of them contained in the reproductive cells out of which the earth's 3 billion people have developed could be contained in just one of Mendel's peas.

Almost invariably, genes produce faithful copies of themselves. They are passed down generation after generation, century after century, virtually unchanged.

But every once in a great while a gene changes. It no longer produces the exact trait for which it was coded. Instead it produces an altered characteristic, quite different from that of its parents, and this altered trait is passed along to the succeeding generation.

These changes in genes, called mutations, may be spontaneous but also can be caused by radiation and certain chemicals. Mutations are usually harmful. One out of ten, however, may be beneficial and since it gives the individual an advantage he is better able to survive. For example, some place back along the evolutionary chain a mutation gave man's ancestors a thumb instead of a less useful toe-like appendage on his hand.

As for the harmful effects of mutations, they are many. "Hereditary disorders," said Dr. Youmans, "are seen in all branches of medicine. They account for perhaps more than 20 per cent of all cases of blindness and are evident in many cases of high blood pressure, certain types of heart disease, disorders of the central

nervous system and many others."

The complexity of hereditary makes it difficult in many cases to link genes with diseases. "But as we know more about genetics," says Dr. Youmans, "many disorders previously not suspected as genetic in type have come to be regarded as such."

"Peptic ulcers, rickets, leukemia, rheumatoid arthritis, certain kidney diseases and many other afflictions of obscure origin have all been shown to possess a genetic background," he said.

Of equal importance, said the AMA science director, has been the realization that in many cases the genes and environmental factors operate jointly. In tuberculosis, for instance, the bacteria which causes the disease is picked up like an ordinary cold germ, but usually the bacteria causes no effect unless there is a genetic weakness which makes the person susceptible to tuberculosis infection.

For many years, genetics held little for medicine. Its concern was to breed faster horses, fatter hogs, and tastier corn. But in the past ten years, the results of experiments in genetics have opened to medicine a whole new field.

"Genetics," said Dr. Youmans, "has been called the medicine of the future. When we have the genetic code, when we can exercise control over defective genes; when we finally understand what the life process is all about, then medicine will be able to make it a healthier life."

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## In Days of Yore Loser Was Buried

ST. LOUIS (UPI) — Athletes today have it easy compared to the jousting knights of old, says Thomas T. Hoopes, City Art Museum curator.

In the Medieval tournament, Hoopes said, scoring was easy. No decisions. The loser was given a decent burial.

Then jousting began developing into a sport. It was still rough, he said, but both contestants usually survived.

"Judges totaled up the points — five for a lance thrust in the left side of the face, three for a blow on the left shoulder and one for striking the arm," Hoopes said.

He said points were lost if the lance tip slipped below the waist or came in contact with the right side. And striking horses was hot cricket at all.

## Pin-Up Wanted

HOLLYWOOD (UPI) — Producer Arthur Hornblow was seeking a collector's item for the Columbia production of "The War Lover." The item was a pin-up picture of Betty Grable.

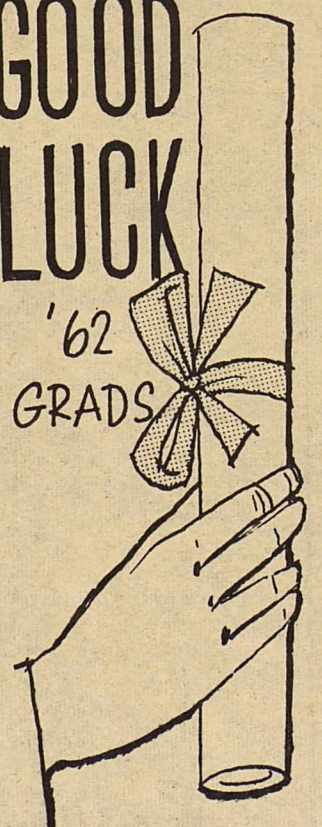
A favorite of GI's during World War II, the picture is to be filmed in Steve McQueen's pilot's quarters. McQueen, Robert Wagner and Shirley Anne Field star in the World War II epic.

## Toy Machine

HOLLYWOOD (UPI) — A giant toymaking machine composed of everything from neon lights, steel pipes and ping pong balls is the main prop of Walt Disney's first live-action musical "Babes in Toyland."

A team of 28 electricians and special effects experts wired the \$15,000 machine and control its 400 switches.

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Weldon Spencer Jr.

Weldon Spencer, Jr., is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Spencer of Route 1, Tokio, Texas.

Weldon was born in Riverside, California on December 31, 1944. He attended several schools through the elementary grades in several states which included, Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, and Kansas.

His plans after graduation include attending college at South Plains Junior College in Levelland, and after completing two years to attend Texas Tech in Lubbock.

High School activities participated in by Weldon include, 3 years of tennis, 1 year of basketball and the junior and senior plays.



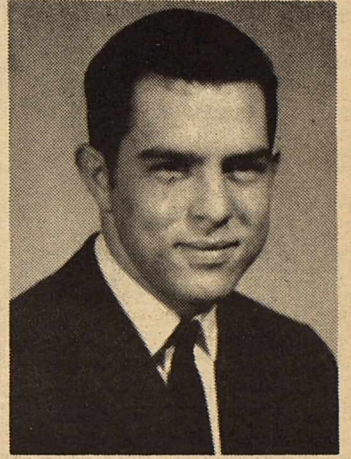
Ann Frances Cogburn

Ann Frances Cogburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Barchelor was born in Sergrnt, Kentucky.

She attended schools in Loveland Colorado, Colorado Springs, and Plains High School.

Ann's plans are all set after graduation as she was married to James Cogburn on April 19, of this year.

High School activities include the Glee Club and Pep Squad.



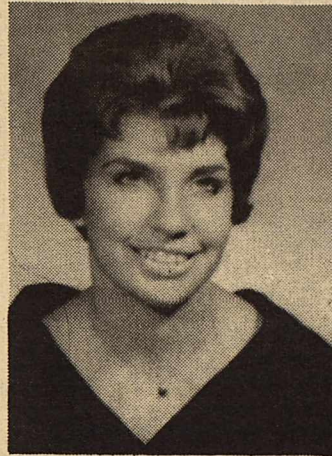
Walter Craig Hawkins

Walter Craig Hawkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ford Hawkins, was born in Lubbock Texas on November 17, 1943.

He started to school in Morton Texas and moved to Plains when he entered Junior High School.

His plans after graduation include going to college.

His High School activities include football, basketball, track, science club, Junior and Senior play.



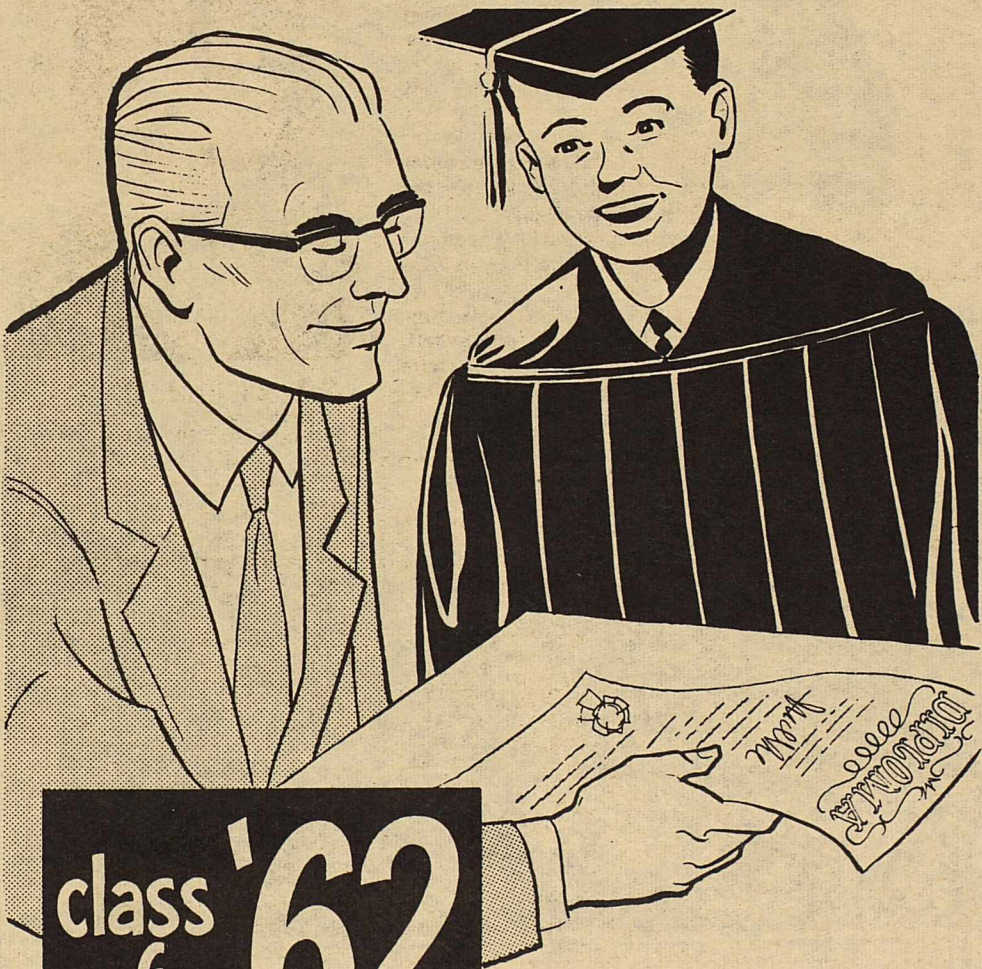
Kay Weatherford

Kay Weatherford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Merchant of Altus Oklahoma, was born May 12, 1943 in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

She has attended school in Altus Okla., Levelland and Plains.

Kay plans to enter Tech this summer and continue through the fall to major in speech.

Her high school activities include cheerleader, Band, basketball, FHA, Junior and Senior plays, one act play, stage band, negro ministerial, chorus, FFA Sweetheart.

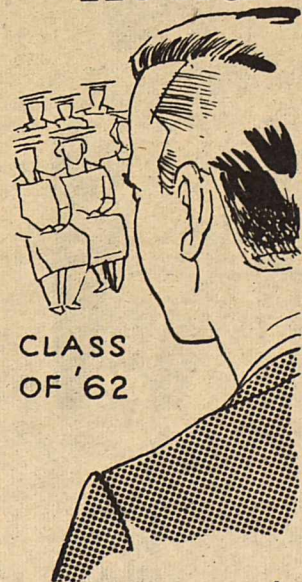


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### Small Institutions Rank Favorably In Liberal Arts Field

Should the high school graduate who plans to teach give up the idea of attending the school of his choice because it is "too big" — or is primarily known as an "engineering" or a "business" school?

Not necessarily. According to a recent study, "the very large institutions . . . emerge as the heaviest producers even when size of the undergraduate enrollment is taken into consideration."

Actually, according to the study originated by Dr. Frank Kille, former dean of Carleton College, sixteen colleges and universities produce one fourth of the nation's college teachers. These include California, Harvard, Chicago, Columbia, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Illinois, Michigan, Washington

State, University of Iowa, Texas, Northwestern, Oberlin College, Ohio State, Missouri and Cornell.

When the study is broken down to include only those teaching in liberal arts or education, smaller institutions rank more favorably. Leaders in this category are Woodstock College, University of Chicago, George Peabody College for Teachers, Reed College, Wesleyan, Greenville (Ill.), Swarthmore, Bowdoin, Southwestern University (Tex.), Haverford College, Transylvania, Carleton, Amherst, Cornell, Hamilton (N.Y.) and Lawrence (Wis.).

#### Campus Canines

ST. LOUIS (UPI) — Two dogs are living on the campus at Washington University here.

University safety and security police acquired "Rusty," a German shepherd, and "Fang," an Alaskan sled dog to help patrol the campus.

#### On Adoptions

NEW YORK (UPI) — In a survey of physicians on the subject of adoption, 84 per cent of the more than 5,000 who responded said they believed their role in adoption should be to refer the couple to a recognized adoption service.

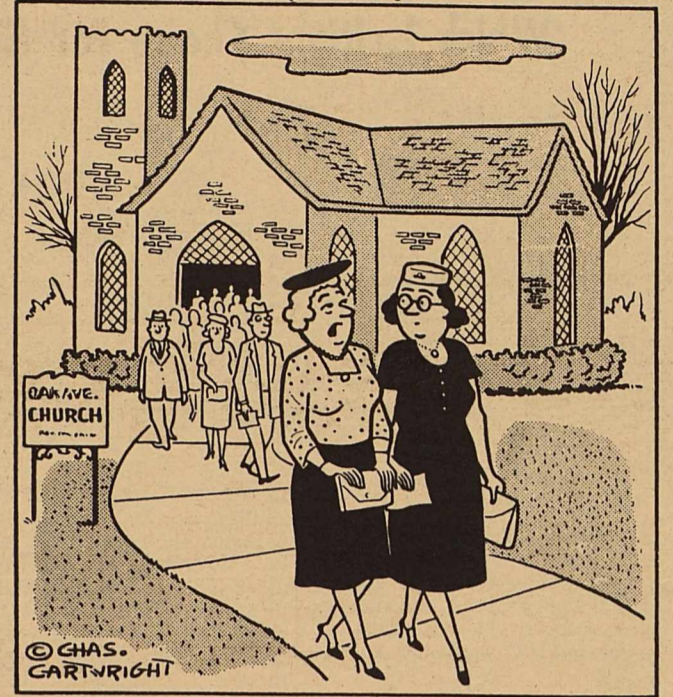
This was reported in Patterns of Disease, a medical publication. Sixteen per cent of the physicians participating said the placement should be by the physician, independent of agencies, where possible.

#### Shade Coordinates

NEW YORK (UPI) — Ready-made window shades now can be ordered in high-fashion colors to mix or match with curtains, upholstery, a piece of painted furniture or even the rug.

This is an easy way to produce a dramatic color-coordination in no time and at very little cost, the Window Shade Manufacturers Association reports.

### Church Chuckles by CARTWRIGHT



"My husband is strictly non-denominational — he ignores all churches equally!"

#### Turkey Cookouts

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (UPI) — Outdoor chefs are missing a good bet for flavor if they overlook turkey, George Draper, Texas A&M College poultry scientist, says.

But in barbecuing turkey, preparation of the fire is half the secret of success, Draper says. Draper suggests the fire be started about 30 minutes before placing the turkey on the grill. Do not try to barbecue with too much fire — slow cooking is very important. The second step to success is frequent basting with barbecue sauce.

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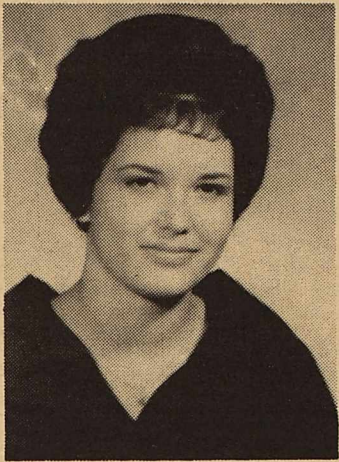
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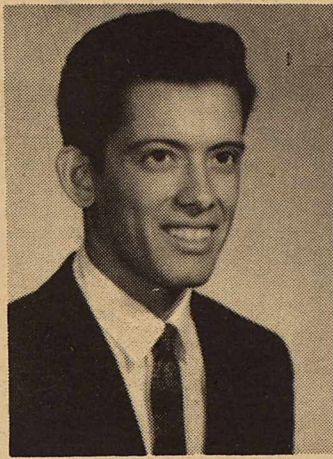
Carolyn Murphy

Carolyn Arminda Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Murphy, was born at Spur Texas on Nov. 19, 1943.

She has attended school in Plains all twelve years.

Her plans after graduation include finishing beauty school in Lovington and to start college at the Oklahoma Baptist University in Shawnee Oklahoma in September.

Her high school activities include annual staff, student council, FHA, vocalist - stage band, Junior play.



Seturino Canales, Jr.

Seturino (Sandy) Canales, Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. Prudencio Garcia, was born in Mathis Texas on September 2, 1942.

He started to school in Gomez, Texas transferred from there to Brownfield and then to Plains.

His plans after graduation include working during the summer and then to enroll in college in Fort Worth to major in electronic engineering.

His high school activities include football, basketball, track, photography club, science club.



Thomas Leon Elmore

Thomas Leon Elmore is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Elmore of Tokio, Texas. He was born in Brownfield on August 17, 1944.

He has attended school in Plains since his first grade year.

His plans after graduation are to attend South Plains Junior College in Levelland.

His high school activities include being on the annual staff, in the science club, tennis, football, band, Vocational Agriculture and general physical education.



Carolyn Sue Bookout

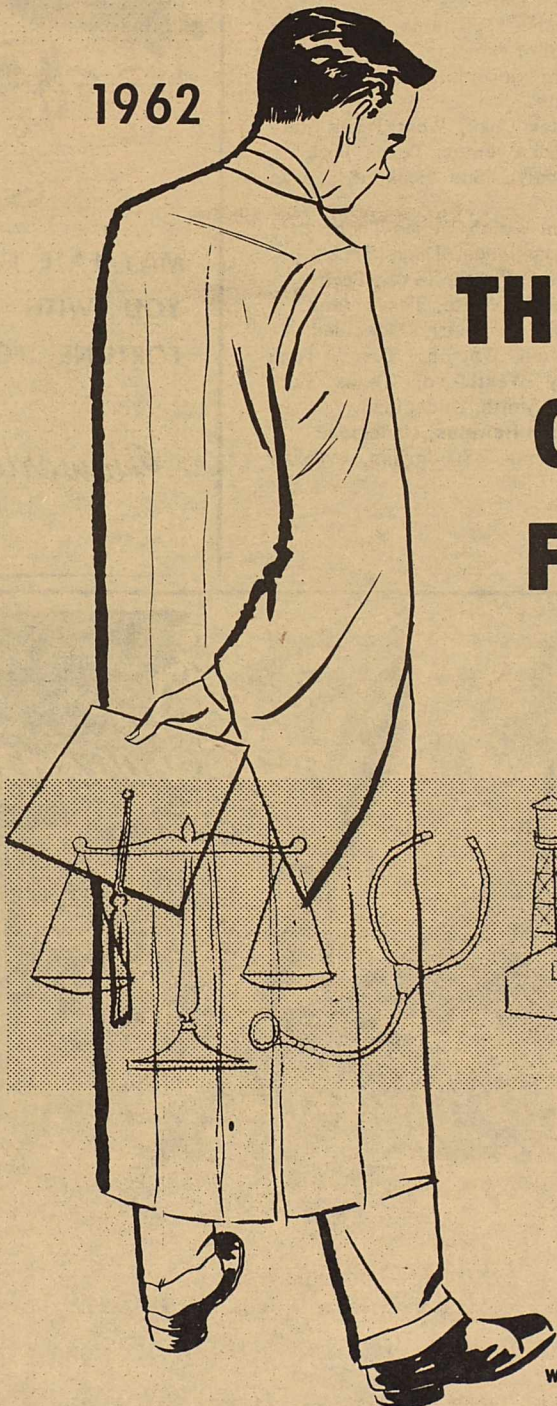
Carolyn Sue Bookout, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bookout, was born in Brownfield Texas on December 18, 1943.

She attended school in Plains all twelve years.

Her plans after school include attending business school in Midland this summer then to attend Texas Tech in September.

Her high school activities include Junior and Senior play, annual staff, FHA, and tennis.

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# THOUGHTS OF THE FUTURE

Every man must think of his future in this age of competition and world crisis; he must plan and prepare. Your graduation is the first step, so it may be well to remember the words of Plato: "The direction in which education starts a man will determine his future life." We wish you well and urge you to further study.

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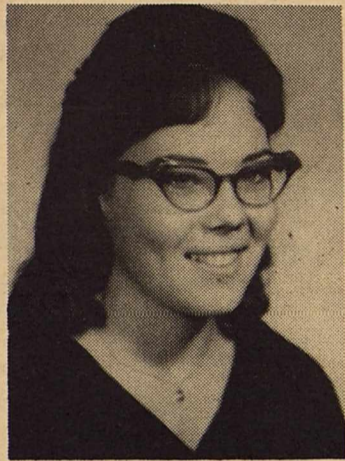


Billie Sue Coke

Billie Sue Coke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Coke, was born in Dallas on July 11, 1944. "Chick" has attended school in Plains for twelve years.

Her after graduation plans include attending school in Canyon at West Texas State and majoring in elementary education.

Her high school activities include FHA, FHA photographer, Senior class officer, state degree in FHA, band, annual staff, literary events.



Sandra Carolyn James

Sandra Carolyn James, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. James, was born in Howland Texas on February 20, 1944.

She started to school in Ralls Texas and moved to Plains in the middle of the school term of her sophomore year.

Her plans after graduation include finishing beauty school in Lovington New Mexico, during the summer and enrolling at Texas Tech in the fall.

Her high school activities include, basketball, FHA, Science club, cheerleader, Junior play, volleyball, class officer, FHA photographer, Halloween carnival candidate, FHA girl of the month.

## 86 Per Cent Of '62 Grads Plan To Attend College

What are the plans of this years graduates?

Well, no fewer than 19 of the 22 graduates plan to continue their education in colleges, uni-

versities and schools. One, Ruth Hinkle, plans to be married

shortly after graduation, and one, Marie Anderson, plans to work for a while following graduation, and one Ann Batchelor Cogburn, is already married.

Texas Tech is easily the top college choice of the 62 graduates. Nine plan to enroll in the Lubbock school. Two have selected West Texas State College in Canyon. One will attend Methodist School of Nursing in Lubbock, one to Oklahoma Baptist University in Shawnee, Oklahoma, one to Fort Worth College, and two to South Plains Junior College in Levelland; and three are undecided.

Follows a list of '62 grads and the schools they have chosen:

Tommy Elmore, South Plains Junior College

Weldon Spencer, South Plains Junior College

Sandy Canales, Fort Worth College

Carolyn Murphy, Oklahoma Baptist University

Sandra Williams, Methodist School of Nursing

Sam StRomain, West Texas State

Chick Coke, West Texas State

Sandra James, Texas Tech

Carolyn Sue Bookout, Texas Tech

Kent Welch, Texas Tech

Jerry Jones, Texas Tech

Sonnie Smith, Texas Tech

Marsha White, Texas Tech

Melvin Lowery, Undecided

Milton Watson, Texas Tech

Kay Weathford, Texas Tech

Jeff Smith, Undecided

Butch Hawkins, Undecided

Roberta Snodgrass, Texas Tech

## Yoakum S.D.C. News

C. Murrell Thompson

Grass planting got under way this past week in a big way. A. N. Norman, Gene Smith, R. N. McGinty, F. M. Middleton, Tommy Holyfield and several others were planting Bermuda. Other Cooperators are planting or getting ready to plant Bermuda, Sandbluestem, Weeping Love grass and Blue panic.

The new Great Plains contracts were signed, they were James B. King and A. N. Norman, also the Leo Holmes contract was received from the state office approved and ready for Leo to go to work planting grass.

Brush control work in the form of aerial spraying got under way as Ty Fields began spraying.

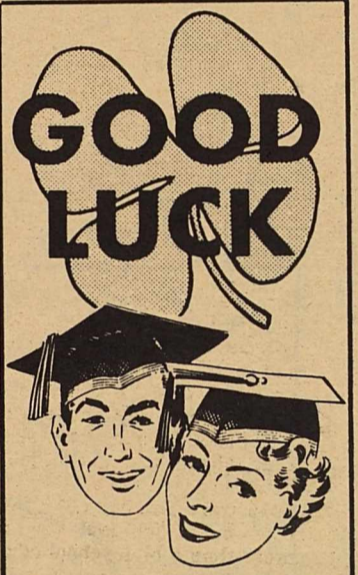
C. O. Head began installing under-ground high pressure pipe to reorganize his sprinkler irrigation system. He plans to install about 1050 ft. at this time. Tom Warren has his system about complete. He has installed about 1/2 mile of pipe.

Robert Chambliss received the plaque for the outstanding Conservation farmer in Yoakum S.C.D in 1961 at the Thursday noon meeting of the Plains Lion Club. Supervisor Rod Duff made the award. Robert has done an outstanding job on his farm. He has a lot of conservation work applied on the land and that is the kind that counts.

## A Good Secretary Is Often The Key To Top Production

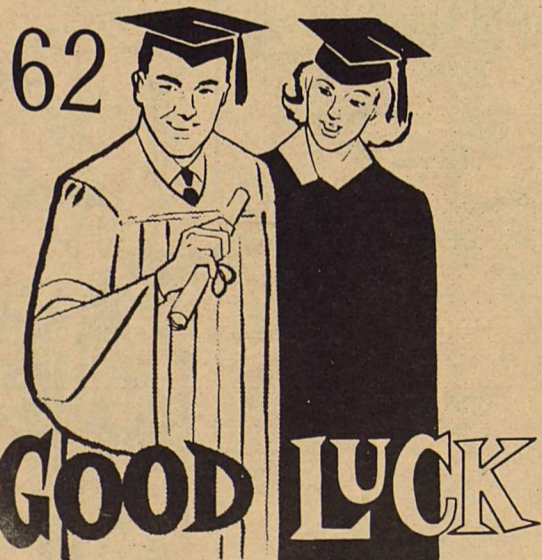
Memo to girl high school graduate: If you are good with a typewriter, you can be of help in the research race with Russia . . . at least, in the opinion of one expert, who says that "one good secretary is worth at least two good scientists."

Robert Somner of the Saskatchewan Hospital, Wayburn, Canada, observes, in an informal journal of the University of Michigan's Department of Psychology: "It is axiomatic that a lab can produce only as fast as its secretary can type."



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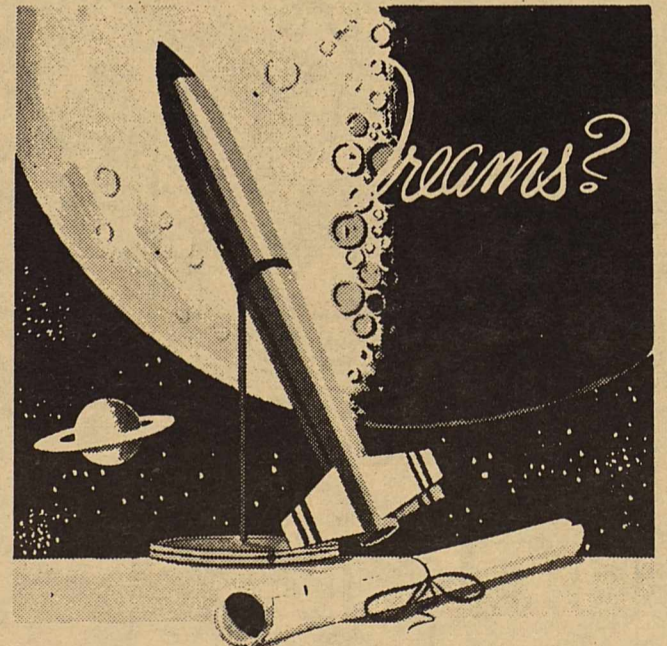
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## BRIGHT FUTURE



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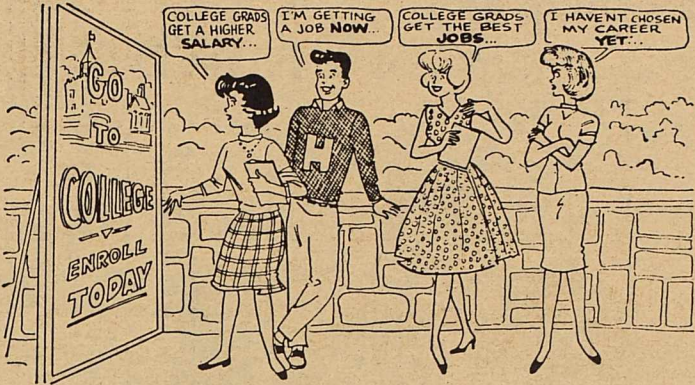
The world moves forward when men dream great dreams. As you enter an adult world keep this idea before you. Best of luck!

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GO TO COLLEGE . . .

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## Which Is Right Choice For High School Grad?



### ABOUT GOING TO COLLEGE

**Question:** Should I go to college?

**Answer:** Yes—if your high school grades were good enough; if you can pass an entrance examination; if you can afford it.

**Question:** Why should I go to college?

**Answer:** To continue your education and place yourself in a better position in your chosen field.

**Question:** Will a college degree guarantee me a job and a high income?

**Answer:** A college degree certifies that you have completed a specified course of education. You still have to get out and get yourself a job, just as a high school graduate does. And you have to "earn" your way to the top.

**Question:** Then, why shouldn't I go ahead and get a job right now?

**Answer:** You can get a job right now—but a job that requires no more than a high school education will not pay as much as a job which sets a college degree as a requirement. As we said earlier, a college degree puts you into a position to realize a higher salary for your services.

**Question:** If I start now, with some good company, isn't it possible I might receive several promotions in four years, and by then have a good start on a career?

**Answer:** It's possible. It's also possible that four years from now you will discover that a co-worker, with a similar salary and similar pay, is fresh out of college—and you must compete with him for future promotions.

**Question:** Is a college education really so important in getting a "good" job and is it such a factor in company promotions?

**Answer:** Simply stated, the best jobs go to college graduates because employers believe the college graduate is better qualified

to accept a position of responsibility. If a high school graduate has outstanding qualifications, he may do well in any field; but another individual, with equal qualifications, plus the added recommendation of a college diploma, is certain to do better. As to the matter of promotions in business, put yourself in an employer's position: If you had two men of equal ability and talents, except that one had a college education, which man would you promote?

**Question:** Should I go on to college even though I have not yet chosen a career?

**Answer:** Certainly. The college of your choice will appoint an advisor to chart a course of general study and lend counsel to guide you to the choice of a career for which you are suited.

### GETTING A JOB NOW

**Question:** I don't want to go to college. I want to get a job right away. How do I go about it?

**Answer:** Decide the type of job you would like to have . . . factory work, office work, selling, etc. Once you have chosen the type of work you wish to do, make a list of the companies in your community which might hire you. Visit the personnel office of each and fill out an application for employment.

**Question:** Is that all there is to it? I just go around and make an application?

**Answer:** That is the beginning. When you make application for employment, you let a prospective employer know that you are available. He may not need you today or tomorrow. Next week, however, an opening may arise and he will be looking through the job applications filed with the personnel office to see if a likely candidate for the job is available.

**Question:** Then, if I am suited for the job, they call me and tell me when to report to work?

**Answer:** Not exactly. The job application that you fill out at a company personnel office does not always tell an employer all that he would like to know about you. The job application provides general information. If you are considered for employment, you will be asked to come in for a job interview at which time more specific questions will be asked.

**Question:** What preparations should I make for a job interview?

**Answer:** You should be prepared to "sell" yourself—to convince your interviewer that you are "the man for the job."

Employers want neat, intelligent, and efficient employees.

The first impression you make is through appearance. Dress neatly, be well manicured and polished, but don't overdo it. If your clothes are flashy, you might be considered too flashy for the job.

An interviewer will judge intelligence not by how much you say but rather by what you say and how you say it. Don't be afraid to talk about yourself, your hobbies, your achievements, whatever they may be, but don't drag it out.

How can you display efficiency during a one-time interview? Simply by showing that you have given some advance thought to the interview. Bring with you a folder containing documents that will be of interest to your prospective employer—your birth certificate, high school credits, a certificate of health, and a brief resume, or personal history. You might even prepare a scrapbook, using information about yourself from your school yearbook, local newspaper, including two or three character recommendations from responsible adults. Your interviewer might give this only a casual glance, but he will be impressed—and he will know that you are sincerely trying to "sell" yourself and show that you are capable of handling the job which you seek.

**Question:** What if I can't find an opening in the field of my choice? What do I do then?

**Answer:** Get a job—doing whatever you like "second best," or doing something you don't like to do, if this becomes necessary. Look for a "second choice" job that will give you some free time to continue looking for the kind of a job that you really want. It's always easier to get a new job if you are working, rather than unemployed.

lege graduates with farm experience in sales posts, while giving undergraduates and boys generally part-time employment to help with their education.

Sales and Marketing Executives—International is a nonprofit organization dedicated to advancement of sales and marketing techniques and methods at all levels. Its 30,000 business executive members are organized in 240 clubs in 29 countries of the Free World. Marketing executives of most of the major corporations in the United States are included in its membership.

### High Tie

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (UPI) — The Yale-Dartmouth game of 1931 produced the highest tie score ever played in major college football, 33-33.

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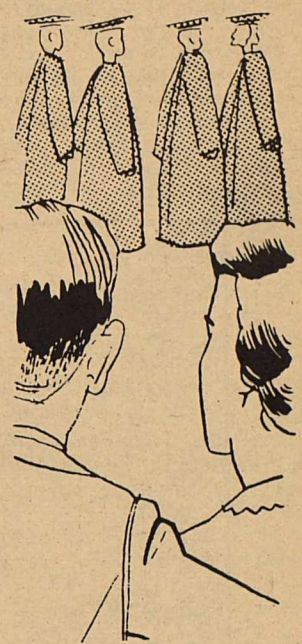


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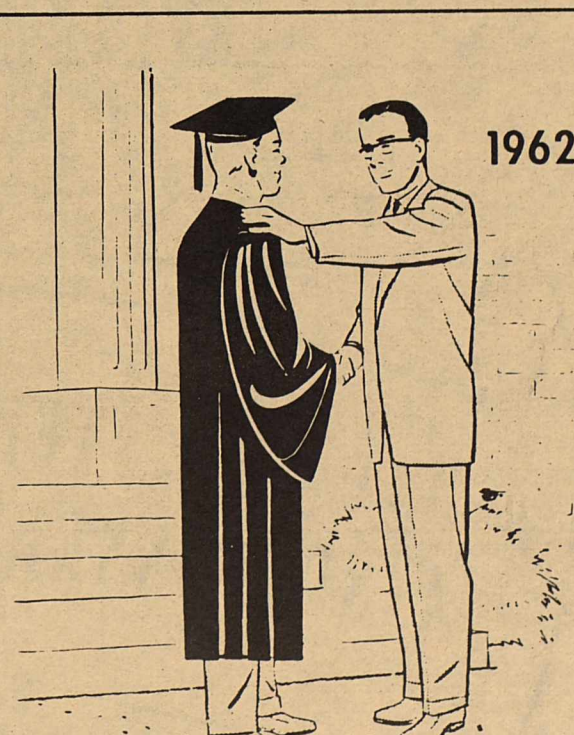
How? By selling to—or for—farmers.

Job and career possibilities in agricultural selling are many, and their number grows all the time, according to a report by Sales and Marketing Executives—International, which has hundreds of affiliated clubs throughout the farming regions of the country.

"Because he understands farming, farmers and their needs, who is better qualified to sell to or for farmers than the farm boy himself?" the report states. "Furthermore, why should a farm boy

throw away all his farm experience and head for some totally unrelated occupation, when men are needed in many farm-related industries?"

In recognition of this situation, Sales and Marketing Executives—International has developed a program—"Careers in Agricultural Selling." Colleges and universities (Cornell University is a notable example) have been encouraged to establish courses in salesmanship oriented to agriculture. Corporations, through SME's own Youth Education Sponsorship program, provide funds to promote selling as a career among young people in farming communities. The same funds also provide for the placement of col-



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