

# MOORE Or Less

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**ADULT AGE KIDS!**  
A situation that has in past years been all too prevalent in Plains has again reared its ugly head.

The complete inability of some of the adults of our community to leave the Little League Program with the boys (you know it is designed for them), is a constant source of amazement to me.

We have parents jawing at Little League Officials, at team managers (evidently some think they could do a better job than the managers, but I'll wager that's not the case even if you could by some miracle get many of them to even consider taking the management of a Little League team); and far too much sideline coaching and haranguing of the players themselves.

As if this weren't enough, then we have managers arguing with managers and managers and officials of the league tossing words.

About the only group concerned with the Little League Program that isn't raising a fuss or arguing with anyone is who? You guessed it. The players themselves. They seem to be perfectly satisfied with things as they are going.

Since it is their program, I kind of wonder what all the fuss is about. The trouble doesn't come from the boys who are in the program and for whom the program is supposed to be for.

One item that I sure feel like some of the ones creating the fuss ought to take into consideration is the fact that the Plains Little League Program has been warned in fact promised that if the ruckus and hollering doesn't come to a real abrupt halt, we stand a real good chance of being placed on suspension for the rest of the year or even possibly of losing our franchise.

No, it's not fair for the kids to lose out on account of a bunch of grownups who seem bent on causing trouble, but that's exactly what is liable to happen unless a bunch of grown-ups don't start acting at least as mature as their boys are acting concerning the program.

Another facet of the thing that sure does need to be brought to the attention of the few dissatisfied customers that are causing the trouble is that not a single manager, umpire, or league official is drawing any salary or being paid in any way for the time he spends in the program, except for the knowledge that he perhaps is helping to promote a program that, if the outsiders don't ruin it, can and often is helpful in the development of well rounded boys.

There are four managers in the League; three plate umpires and several volunteers who serve as base umpires, not to mention the men from Plains Lions Club who serve on the Board of Directors.

Out of the entire group of men who regularly attend, each and every week, to league business, including the board of di-

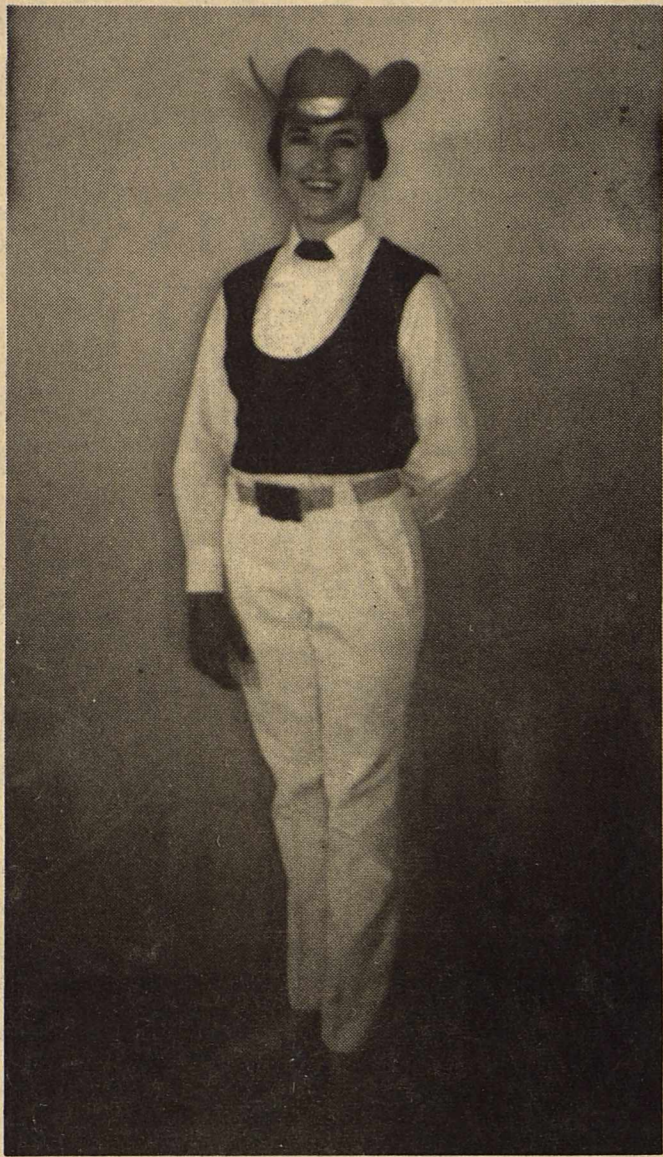
## Meixner's Depart For Vega

Rev. and Mrs. Harmon Meixner and their family are moving this week to the not-too-distant city of Vega, Texas, located some 175 miles north of Plains.

The Meixner's have served the pastorate of the Plains Methodist Church for the past six years and leave behind them many many friends who regret their leaving the community.

The Meixner's two older sons, Harmon Jr. and Jack, both graduates of Plains High School are enrolled in McMurry College in Abilene and the other three children, O'nita, Ralph and Moody are each still enrolled in school.

A going-away social was held in the fellowship hall of Plains Methodist Church on Wednesday of this week and was attended by a large group of well-wishers assembled to say farewell. Under the leadership of Rev. Meixner, the local church has seen much progress and advancement in the past six years, including the construction of a new and beautiful sanctuary that was completed and dedicated last year.



MARSHA WHITE -- daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo White and 1962 graduate of Plains High School has been selected as Rodeo Queen contestant by the Lions Club and Plains Chamber of Commerce. Marsha is the second selected contestant, as Sylvia McGinty is being sponsored by the Roping Club. Several other entrants are expected in the near future.

## AGAINST CITY OF PLAINS

# Lea Co. Co-Op Seeks Injunction

Case No. 1922 on the Court Docket of 121st Judicial District Court of Yoakum County is destined to create quite a lot of local interest on the part, especially, of Plains citizens.

The case is listed on the docket as being Lea County Electric Cooperative, Inc. vs. The City of Plains, et al. In the suit filed by the Lea County Co-op, they are asking for the court to grant an injunction forcing the City Council to grant them rate reduction within the City of Plains.

In the original franchise granted to Lea County Co-op on February 21, 1953, it was stipulated that any rate changes, whether reductions or raises, must be approved by the City Council.

According to Mr. R. B. Moore of Lovington, New Mexico, manager of Lea County Co-op, requests have been written and forwarded to the City Council by mail, to which there has never been an answer received. In reviewing the situation, Moore stated that in Tatum and Lovington, New Mexico, the other two incorporated towns presently being served by Lea County Co-op, rate reductions had already gone into effect, and that he felt there was no reason why residents of Plains should pay more for the same service than were there other customers.

Bob Loe, Plains City Secretary, pointed out that the reduction in rates to Tatum and Lovington came only after these two cities had begun looking into the possibilities of constructing their own municipal power systems. Loe said further that Lea County Co-op's rates to rural residents outside the City of Plains are higher than they are within the corporate limits of Plains, and that if a general rate reduction was to be in order, rural residents of Yoakum County, whose rates the local City Council has no jurisdiction over, should at least be brought down to the present level of the City users.

Moore went on to say that when Lea County Co-op originally purchased the existing franchise from the City of

Plains for \$123,000, that he, personally, asked several times if the City were interested in, either at that time or the foreseeable future, in buying the then existing facilities and making them into a municipal power plant.

To his queries, Moore stated was definitely not interested. Further statements from Moore pointed out that the request to lower Lea County rates in Plains was now about two years old and that the matter had been in the legal mill a little less than one year. He also said that, although no official written word had been received from the City Council he had been told verbally that the City of Plains would not be able to grant a rate reduction to Lea County Co-op because they, the City, could not, at present, afford to lower their own rates.

Several months ago this case, along with a cross-suit on the part of the City of Plains against Lea County Co-op was heard before Judge Ledbetter of 121st district court. In that hearing, without a jury, Judge Ledbetter, in effect, actually made no ruling, in that he denied Lea County Co-op their injunction and denied the City of Plains their request of a summary judgement forcing Lea County Co-op to suspend operations within the municipal limits of Plains.

Council for the City then requested that the case be tried further in the local district court with the presence of a jury. This is the case that is to be heard in the pending court session slated to begin June 11.

Loe pointed out that at the time the franchise was purchased, by Lea County Co-op, as they were high bidder over Southwestern Public Service Company, it was not a question of whether or not the City desired to purchase the facilities of the old Plains Light and Power Plant, but that the City, at that time, simply couldn't afford it.

Further, Loe pointed out that, previous to the construction of the local power facilities and (Continued on page 2)

# Water Samples Show Too Much Salt Content

Results of a group of Yoakum County fresh water samples, taken by the Midland firm headed by hydrologist, Ed Reed, have been received by the local Yoakum County Water Conservation Association.

Nineteen samples were forwarded to the State's laboratories in Austin some weeks ago and results showed that three of those samples or 16% of the water tests submitted, were of water that should no longer be used for irrigation purposes.

According to Reed, water is usable as long as the saline content in it remains below the level of 400 parts per million. But according to the analysis reports the three samples were well over that figure.

One sample taken west of Denver City showed in the area of 500 parts per million and two taken in the Plains area were even worse. One contained 1,056 parts per million and the other over 800 parts.

Several more samples have been taken across the county and they will continue to be taken and forwarded to the lab in Austin for complete analysis.

Reed, it is reported, will again be in Yoakum County within the next few days to continue the work already begun, and he has stated that the complete findings to be sought in the county should be complete and ready to present to the Texas Railroad Commission by the month of September.



MELVIN T. MUNN -- Well known speaker, humorist, writer and lecturer will be the featured speaker at Friday night's annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet.

# Salvation Army Drive Is Monday

Annual Fund Drive for the Plains Chapter of the Salvation Army is scheduled for Monday morning, June 11.

The drive is set to begin with a 9:30 a. m. coffee and information period, which will be attended by each of the volunteer workers.

Johnnie Moore of Plains has been named as drive chairman for this year and he has put out a request for volunteers to help in this very worthy project.

Moore, who is also secretary for the local unit, pointed out that the monies collected in Plains will remain in Plains to aid needy persons. By having the one drive per year concentrated on just one day as has been the practice in years past, he pointed out that no other solicitations will be made by the Salvation Army in Plains

throughout the balance of the year.

Within the past year, Moore pointed out, the local chapter has provided some 30 odd meals, twelve nights of lodging, medical care and many other things including the sending of two boys to a week's summer camp this year who might not otherwise have been able to attend such a camp.

Most Plains churches send transients etc. that come to them for help to the local Salvation Army Chapter where they receive aid. Thus one clearing house and the avoidance of duplication and wasted funds and energy is avoided.

All persons interested in helping with the drive this year are requested to contact Moore at GL 6-4116.

# C of C Banquet Slated For Friday Night

Plains Chamber of Commerce will play host Friday night in the Plains School Cafeteria on the occasion of its annual banquet.

The annual affair is usually looked forward to each year by Plains area citizens as something of a highlight, and a large number of local citizens as well as many out of town guests is expected to attend this year's edition of the annual event.

Master of Ceremonies for this year's banquet was named by Chamber President, Frank Whitlock this week. Rod Duff will act as MC for this year's festivities.

Speaker for the evening will be Mr. Melvin T. Munn of Pampa, Texas, who is quite well known for his ability in the public speaking field, this being his chosen profession.

Munn is a native of Ennis, Texas, and has just recently retired from a successful career in Banking, radio-TV, Insurance and Blue Cross-Blue Shield. He is now devoting most of his time to writing, lecturing and counseling in Business and service.

The speaker has chosen for

the subject of his address, "Your Home Town."

Several other items are planned for the evening's program including special music by Joe Dan Cooke and Carol Malloy. Dinner music will be furnished by Miss Marsha White. Invocation will be brought by the Rev. Johnnie Moore, Pastor of First Christian Church and Benediction by the Rev. James L. Bozeman, Pastor of First Baptist Church.

Highlight of the evening will be the presentation of the annual special recognition

awarded given each year by the Chamber of Commerce, and dubbed as the award to the "Plains Outstanding Citizen of the Year."

This year's meal will be furnished by Underwood's and will be served cafeteria style.

Several out of town guests including Chamber officials from other cities are expected to attend the event.

Admission has been set at \$2 per individual and tickets may be obtained by contacting either Frank Whitlock or through the Chamber office.

# Plains State Bank Gets Bid On Hospital Bonds

The Plains State Bank, bidding with five other investments securities concerns, was the successful bidder for the \$325,000 bonds recently voted by the county for the addition to the Yoakum County Hospital.

According to Don Hancock, their bid of 3.0285 per cent interest rate was accepted by unanimous vote of the county commissioners at a special session held last Thursday in Plains. Other concerns bidding for the bonds Thursday were Underwood Neuhous, Rauscher Pierce, First of Texas, Dittmar Company and First of Southwest.

According to Hancock, the next step in securing the money needed for the construction of the addition to the hospital will be made after June 21, thirty days after the canvassing of the ballots in the recent bond election. This is the time required by law for a contest period.

The transcript of the proceedings will be forwarded to the attorney general for his approval or disapproval. Following his approval of the proceedings, the bonds will be printed and delivered to the American National Bank in Austin, where the Plains State Bank will accept delivery and make payment. The money will then be transferred to banks in Yoakum County for the use of the county in the hospital project.

Award of the contract will be made after a period of twenty-one days in which bids for the construction are to be received by the Yoakum County Commissioners.

During a meeting today, Hancock stated, commissioners will decide whether or not to issue a \$120,000 warrant to be used for the expense of seal coat-

ing of the county maintained paved roads. Providing the commissioners vote to issue the warrants, Hancock said, they will be endorsed to the contractor who will in turn bear the expense of issuing and conversion of the warrants.

Hancock explained that seal coating has to be done at least every ten years to prevent excessive damage from the extreme variations in temperature and from rains. Although most of the county-maintained highways are less than ten years old, this expense will be coming up within the very near future.

With the bond market better than it has been in many years, commissions feel that the money that will be required for this expense should be secured as soon as possible to take advantage of the low interest rate, which is expected to be less than 3.2 per cent.

# Swimming Lessons Slated

Jack Pierce, manager of the Plains Swimming Pool announced today that another feature will be added beginning on Monday, June 11, to the already existing program carried on at the local pool.

Pierce said that swimming lessons will begin on that date at 10 a.m.

Applicants must be five years of age or older and have their parents consent to take the lessons.

Lessons are designed to last one hour each session and the cost has been set at 50 cents per lesson.

All area residents interested should contact Pierce and sign up for the swimming lessons.

# Local Cemetery Clean Up Held

In connection with the Plains clean-up campaign being participated in by Plains citizens this week, several local citizens took part in the annual cemetery clean-up day last Tuesday.

On hand representing the Garden Club was Mrs. Pete Smith; representing Tsa Mo Ga were Mrs. P. W. St. Romain, Mrs. M. W. Luna, Mrs. Casey Jones, Mrs. J. M. Tippett and Oma McCargo.

Others helping in the project were Mrs. Opal McNab and Mrs. Jim Burt, Robert Field, Casey Jones and Pete Smith. (Continued on page 2)

# Sheriff's Dept. Scores Double

A very fine day's activities was reported for Wednesday of this week by the Yoakum County Sheriff's Department.

Deputy Sheriff Olan Heath reported that the automobile stolen from the E. S. Bandy home was recovered that day by the Lynn County Sheriff's Department. The auto was found some miles west of the city of Tahoka.

Bandy, on learning of its discovery, traveled to Tahoka where he got the car and returned it to Plains.

Reports are that no great amount of damage was inflicted on the car by the fleeing would be burglar of the Curry-Edwards Pharmacy in Plains.

One of the burglars was captured by local authorities, but

the one who stole the Bandy car managed to elude officers despite a gunshot wound inflicted on him, by Heath.

No trace has yet been found of the thief, identified tentatively as Eugene Roberts, who fled the scene of the attempted break-in.

He is reported to be serving a 30-day jail sentence in Elko for the same offense that he was placed in the local jail for. (Continued on page 3)



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## Important Information In Regard To Farm Legislation

WASHINGTON, D. C. --Representative George Mahon reports that he is drafting a series of amendments which he proposes to offer to the farm bill which is scheduled for consideration by the House at an early date. The Senate, on May 25th, passed a farm bill which provides for a mandatory control program on feed grains in the event two-thirds of the feed grain producers voting in a referendum favor such mandatory controls. The bill provides for a multiple-price system on wheat and has other provisions, none of which affect cotton. The most significant provisions in both the Senate and House versions of the bill are those affecting feed grains.

Mahon's amendments provide that cotton farmers would have the option of planting feed grain on cotton allotment land in the event the cotton is destroyed so late in the season that replanting is impractical. The amount of feed grain planted could not exceed the total of the cotton and feed grain allotments on the farm.

Another proposed amendment provides that the feed grain allotment of cotton farmers, who chose the Choice "B" route during the 1959-1960 crop years, would not be reduced as a result of such action. Mahon proposed to offer an amendment to raise the percentage of the national feed grain allotment set aside for new growers in order to provide more relief for farmers who have put new land to feed grain since 1960. The House version of the bill proposes to set aside a total of 3% of the national allotment for new growers, hardship cases, and other adjustments.

The House version of the bill provides that if 2/3 of the feed grain growers in a referendum do not vote for mandatory controls there will be no support program on feed grain in 1963 and thereafter. Mahon will propose that if quotas are voted down, a 50%-of-parity support

loan shall be provided in order to give the producers a less drastic alternative to mandatory controls in the event farmers vote down the control program.

Under the pending bills feed grain allotments in 1963 would be based on planting during the 1959 and 1960 crop years.

Mahon stated that in his opinion West Texas feed grain farmers would prefer to continue in 1963 a feed grain program similar to the 1961 and 1962 programs. He believes the present program would be more acceptable to milo farmers than the proposed new program.

The proposed legislation would establish for feed grains a control program in some respects similar to the control program which has been in effect for cotton for a number of years. A principal difference would be that for the next three years feed grain producers would be paid for acres diverted from feed grain.

The proposed feed grain program differs from the cotton program in this further respect. Under the feed grain proposal the Secretary could sell each year at market prices up to 10 million tons of government-stored feed grain, the equivalent of roughly one-fifth of currently held government grain. Under the cotton program the Secretary can sell government-owned cotton on the domestic market at not less than 115% of the support level.

The present feed grain law which is the basis for the 1962 program expires this year and some kind of substitute legislation is anticipated.

Mahon stated that he needs and would welcome the advice and counsel of feed growers in regard to the proposed new farm legislation and in regard to the amendments which he proposes to offer. Copies of the proposed bill are available at offices of county agents and at the ASC offices.

### More or Less--

rectors, only four of these men have boys playing in the program.

What does this go to prove? Sure, many of the boy's parents are busy and honestly don't have time to take a real active part in league activities. But a group of men is taking the time and trouble to provide this for the kids.

I say they should receive your thanks, not your grumbles and gripes.

I also say the boys should be left alone to enjoy the great game of baseball which is the sole reason for the existence of the Little League program in the first place. And, if, interference can't be done away with and the reins of the program returned to the boys, we're really defeating our purpose aren't we? Instead of helping the boys grow in such areas as competitive spirit and good sportsmanship, we're showing them how small some of us adults can be.

Not too good an example I'd say!

### Lea Co. Co-Op--

many times subsequent to that time, offers have been made to buy back the franchise, but that Lea County Co-op has not been willing to sell.

At the present, the City, according to Loe, is making a substantial profit from its power plant. Explaining why a rate reduction at this time was felt to not be in the best interests of Plains, several things were pointed out. In the first place, Loe said, many civic improvements such as the addition of street lights, additional city paving and a very rapid expansion of the City's sewer system is being accomplished with these profits, taking away the necessity of having to vote.

It was also pointed out by Rod Duff, who was City Secretary at the time Plains began its municipal power in September 1957, that in planning for the repayment of the bonded indebtedness incurred to construct the power plant, Lea County officials were contacted and asked if their rate at that time was considered by them to be fair and equitable. Duff stated that their answer was in the affirmative and that the Plains rate was set at the same figure and so was the repayment schedule on the bonded indebtedness.

Also pointed out by Duff, is the fact that the bonding company itself suggested that the City look into the matter of furnishing the municipal power, as a means to securing jointly a bonding agreement for the needed construction of sewer facilities, as the bonding company further pointed out that these facilities would hardly bring in enough revenue to pay off the created indebtedness.

Most observers are quite sure that however the outcome of the trial locally, the losing interest will appeal the case until, in all probability, it reaches the state supreme court.

Last year the interest on the national debt alone was \$9.5 billion. It will be higher this year, as the debt limit has been increased.

### Legal Notice

NOTICE OF COUNTY'S INTENTION TO RECEIVE BIDS FOR CONSTRUCTING ROAD IMPROVEMENTS AND TO ISSUE TIME WARRANTS NOT TO EXCEED \$120,000 IN PAYMENT OF ALL OF A PORTION OF THE COST THEREOF:

SEALED PROPOSALS addressed to the Commissioners' Court of Yoakum County, Texas, will be received until 10 o'clock a. m., on the 2nd day of July, 1962, at the office of the County Judge in the Court-house at Plains, Texas, for furnishing all labor and materials and performing all work in connection with constructing roads in and for said county, in accordance with plans and specifications therefor, now on file in the office of the county clerk where they may be examined without charge.

ALL BIDDERS must submit cashier's or certified check issued by a bank satisfactory to the Commissioners' Court, or a proposal bond given by a reliable surety company authorized to do business in the State of Texas, payable without recourse to the order of HON. DON HANCOCK, County Judge, in an amount not less than 5% of the amount of the proposal or bid as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into contract and execute performance and payment bonds within ten days after notice of awarding contract to him. Bids without required check or proposal bond will not be considered, and all bids must be submitted on the forms provided.

THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond, each in the amount of the contract, written by a responsible surety company authorized to do business in the State of Texas, and satisfactory to the Commissioners' Court, as required by Article 5160, V.A.T.C.S., as amended by H.P. 344, passed by the 56th Legislature, Regular Session, 1959.

BIDDERS are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all local conditions. ATTENTION OF BIDDERS is directed to the provisions of Article 5159a, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended, requiring that not less than the general prevailing rates of per diem wages for work of a similar character in the locality where the work is performed, shall be paid all laborers, workmen and mechanics employed in the construction of public works.

PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS AND CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be obtained from the office of RALPH W. DOUGLAS, Consulting Engineer, 403 LPD Drive, Littlefield, Texas, upon deposit of \$25.00 which sum shall be returned upon receipt of a bonafied bid and the plans and specifications in good condition, providing the plans and specifications are returned within ten days after the bid opening. If plans and specifications are not returned to the Engineer within the time limit stated above, or if no bonafied bid is submitted, the entire deposit will be retained.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that it is the intention of the Commissioners' Court of Yoakum County to pay all or a portion of the contract price by the issuance and delivery to the proper contractor or contractors of the interest-bearing time warrants of Yoakum County, the principal and interest of which are to be payable from ad valorem taxes to be levied out of the County's Road and Bridge Fund, such warrants to bear interest at a rate of not to exceed THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENTUM (3-1/2%) per annum, payable annually or semi-annually, and to be issued in the principal sum of not to exceed ONE HUNDRED TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$120,000) payable serially, the maximum maturity date to be not later than December 31, 1970, and the successful contractor or contractors shall receive such warrants in installments based upon periodic estimates approved by the Commissioners' Court.

The County has made arrangements for the contractor to dispose of such warrants herein mentioned at par value thereof, and all bidders shall be governed accordingly.

NO BID may be withdrawn after scheduled closing time for receipt of bids for at least thirty (30) days.

The County reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to award the contract the bidder or bidders, who in the opinion of the Commissioners' Court offers the proposal to the best interest of the County, and to waive formalities.

/s/ DON HANCOCK  
County Judge,  
Yoakum County, Texas

## Classified Ads

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ATTENTION FARMERS: Butane and Propane now only 5 1/2¢. Call Bronco Gas Company. GL 6-2044.

### Card of Thanks

I want to thank the many people who showed concern by their kind words, their cards and letters and many other acts of kindness that were extended to me during my recent illness. The interest and concern meant and still means very much to me.

God bless each of you,  
Feiton D. Riggs.

### Cemetery--

Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, Raymond Bookout also had trucks and helpers on hand for the day's work.

## Golf Course Progressing

A portion of the concrete that will turn into "Duffer's Deltte", the miniature golf course being constructed by the Plains Boy Scout Troop, No. 778, was poured this week and more will be finished as the week continues.

Plans, at present, are for the course to be in operation in at

least three weeks, or toward the last of the month.

25 putters and three dozen balls have been obtained, the needed construction materials are on hand and score cards are at the printers being prepared.

Only remaining job to be done as far as securing materials is concerned is to move some 20 odd telephone poles secured for the ground lights and fencing purposes to the site of the course.

Also the lights ordered for the course have not as yet arrived, but will be in a short while according to reports.

When the course is in operation, members of the scout unit will be responsible for its operation and maintenance and proceeds will go to the troop treasury.

The course will consist of 18 holes and it is reported will measure up to the standards of just about any course in this part of the country.

Prospective mother: "At what time does a baby begin to think?"

Experienced friend: "Mine began to think I ought to walk the floor with him the first night he came home."

## Survey Shows Rig Jump Of 21 Units

Permian Basin Empire rotary drilling registered a 21 rig jump during the week ending Friday, climbing to 239 units making hole according to Reed Roller Bit Company's survey.

The previous week totaled 218 active units, while 233 rigs were in operation this time last year. Lea County, New Mexico, with 40 busy rigs, paced area activity.

Other more active counties included Ector 19, Crane 16, and Pecos 15.

Yoakum County had 3 rigs on May 25 and 4 on May 18. Neighboring Gaines County had 7 on May 18 and May 25. Hockley had 5 on May 18 and 4 on May 25.

**IT NEVER FAILS**

AND LET ME TELL YOU ANOTHER THING--YOU BIG DOPE--

HERE, HERE, JOE, THAT'S NO WAY TO TALK TO YOUR WIFE--

YOU KEEP OUT OF THIS! THE WAY MY HUSBAND TALKS TO ME IS NO AFFAIR OF YOURS, --YOU MEDDLER, YOU

YEAH! WHY DON'T YOU MIND YOUR OWN BUSINESS--

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| Bologna         | E & R All Meat Pound         | 49¢ | Pork & Beans          | Van Camp 300       | 2 for 25¢ |
| Spiced Luncheon | Pound                        | 49¢ | Strawberry Preserves  | Bama 18 oz.        | 43¢       |
| Longhorn Cheese | Pound                        | 49¢ | Shortening            | Bakerite 3 lb. can | 73¢       |
| HAMBURGER       | Pound                        | 49¢ | APRICOTS              | 2 1/2 Can Kim      | 25¢       |
| FRANKS          | Glovers Dutch Oven 3 lb. Bag | 98¢ | DOG FOOD              | 3 for              | 25¢       |
| OLEO            | Parkay                       | 27¢ | Frozen 6 oz. LEMONADE | 2 for              | 25¢       |
| POTATOES        | 10 pound Bag Shurfine 303    | 65¢ | Toilet Tissue         | 4 Roll Pkg.        | 53¢       |
| SAUERKRAUT      | 2 for                        | 25¢ | ICE CUBES             | Bag                | 35¢       |

**HAWKINS FOOD**  
We Give Double Thrift Stamps  
Double On Wednesday



# Of Interest To THE WOMEN

## Eastern Star Holds Installation

Plains Chapter #862 Order of the Eastern Star met Friday night June 1, at 7:30 in the Masonic hall for the purpose of installing new officers for the new year.

The meeting was called to order by Louise Cobb the outgoing Worthy Matron who welcomed the guest, and thanking her officers and members for their whole support the past year.

She then introduced Sister Bernice Bartlett installing officer who in turn introduced her other installing helpers, Norelle Sloan, Installing Marshall, Mable Camp, Installing Secretary; Lillian Luna, Installing Chaplain; and Elsie Carpenter, Installing Organist.

The candles were lighted by



Rev. ROBERT H. HARPER

### LITTLE WHITE PIGS

THIS IS a story of some little white pigs, whose breed and ownership are unknown. The time and place of their birth are also unknown. All that is known is that they existed at some time during the Civil War, possibly in the State of Georgia. They may have survived the war only to meet a tragic end in the cooking pots of a hungry people during Reconstruction.

In their brief stay on earth they were thus unknown to fame and so far as the writer knows this will be the first time their story has been in print. And I am sure that the little white pigs never worried because their names were never in print. And also that they did not intend to save a man's life and never knew that they did.

### JUST A THOUGHT:

Some folks never seem to be satisfied. If they are somehow able to take care of all their big problems, they immediately look for some little things to worry about.

It may have been in Georgia, when Braxton Bragg was drawing his forces together for Chickamauga that a soldier whom I knew during his later days was stationed as a picket after a hard day's march. After a short time, the weary soldier could not resist the desire to sprawl at the foot of a large tree. And it was not long until the soldier knew nothing of the waking world.

"Didn't they catch you sleeping on duty?" I asked. "No," he said, some little white pigs rooting among his feet had awakened him to his duty just before the relief came. Let us never undervalue little things.

Lela Warren daughter of our new Worthy Matron Mary Lou Parks. As she lighted the candles, Janelle Parks another daughter of our Worthy Matron sang "The Light of the World is Jesus".

The new officers for the year installed are; Mary Lou Parks, Worthy Matron; Glenn Moorehouse, Worthy Patron; Rita Mae Snodgrass, Associate Matron; Jesse Hale, Associate Patron; Louise Goehry, Secretary; Lucretia Cheek, Treasurer; Helen Hunter, Conductress; Jerry Warren, Associate Conductress; Shirley Suddarth, Chaplain; Celes Anthony, Marshall; Viva Hale, Organist; Louise Cobb, Adah; Romalee Elmore, Ruth; Sue Jones, Ester; Blanche Spencer, Martha; Janelle Parks, Electa; D'Lois McGinty, Warden and Lois McGinty, Sentinel.

Mary Loeu Parks introduced her husband, daughters and son-in-law and gave an inspiring address.

Roberta Snodgrass daughter of the Associate Matron read a poem "My Prayer" and Janel Parks sang the song "My Prayer."

Refreshments of cake and punch bearing the Worthy Matron colors, Orchid and white were served to about 50 guest and members.

## FHA News

May the 21st and 25th the new officers of the local FHA chapter met to plan the 1962-63 yearbook and make arrangements for the annual slumber party which was held the following Friday night, Mrs. Melba Duke along with Miss Carolyn Nelson sponsored the slumber party.

Summer Home Economics is well underway with the first year girls doing crafts and the second year girls refinishing furniture. The third year girls are studying interior design and housing. These girls will receive one-half credit for their summer project.

Memorial day Mary Johnson, Freda Copper, Linda Scott, Brenda Blair, Joyce Kissenger, Donna Nugent, Barbara Watson, Letha Watson, and Peggy Ethridge sold poppies.

### Sheriff's Dept.--

Elko authorities report that his release will be on the 22nd of this month and Deputy Heath reports that he will be travelling to Nevada to pick him up and bring him back to Plains to stand trial.

## The Local Angle

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Parks attended the graduation of their son Weldon who received his Doctors degree in the field of Dentistry.

Busy Week--Mr. and Mrs. Jere Sink of Amarillo are the proud parents of a daughter, borne May 16. She has been named Janie Lyn. Mr. Sink graduated from West Texas State, and accepted a position with the American National Bank, as Assistant Auditor. All this happening in the same week makes for a pretty busy week. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sledge of Big Springs, and Mr. and Mrs. Dee Sink of Tokio, Johnnie L. Fitzgerald is in the Denver City hospital recovering from a heart ailment. He is expected to remain there for further test and observation.

Miss Carol Maloy from Cache Oklahoma is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitlock and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pierce this week. Carol is Franks niece.

Mrs. John Anderson, Mrs. Bill Robertson, Mrs. Ruth O'Neal and Mrs. Johnnie Moore attended a Missionary program at the First Christian Church in Lubbock Tuesday. Having been a Missionary in Japan for 29 years Mrs. Hendricks gave a very interesting and informative talk.

D'Lynn McGinty daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rusty McGinty is recuperating from a fall from a windmill while helping her father last week. She sustained two broken vertebrae but is doing fine. At last report she will be home sometime this week.

## Tech Slates Institute

LUBBOCK --Chemists and chemical engineers from 15 South Plains counties will form a new sectional unit of the American Chemical Society, Dr. Arthur Draper of Texas Tech has announced.

Dr. Draper heads a committee seeking names of members and prospective members in the area.

Formation of a local section will make outstanding speakers in chemistry and chemical engineering available in the area, Dr. Draper pointed out. A local section also will provide exchange of information among its members and give them a voice in national affairs affecting their profession, he added.

Prospective members include chemists and chemical engineers in area soil labs, cotton oil mills, gasoline plants, petroleum core labs, hospitals and schools.

Interested persons are invited to write or call Dr. Draper at the chemistry department, Texas Tech.

Counties in the local section will include Bailey, Cochran, Yoakum, Gaines, Dawson, Borden, Kent, Garza, Lynn, Terry, Hockley, Lubbock, Crosby, Dickens and Motley.



By JOYCE SCHULLER United Press International CHICAGO (UPI) — Houses in the future will consist of detachable rooms to trade in as the family's needs change, an electrical company executive predicts. G. T. Bogard of General Electric said the first such houses, with prices beginning at \$13,500, will be on the market within a few years.

The detachable-room houses would be fashioned of foamed plastic panels with an inside and outside surface of any desired material — wood, aluminum, simulated stone, brick or plywood. They would be built on the modular principle. The basic size of rooms might be 12 x 12 feet, with expansion possible in 4-foot units.

Under this plan, newlyweds could buy a lot in a modest priced sub-division and purchase a house with two 12 x 12 foot modules for a living room and bedroom. A bath and laundry could be added by the purchase of a 4 x 12 foot module, while the living room might be enlarged by the addition of a 4 x 12 foot dining alcove on one side to counter-balance a similar-sized kitchen with built-in appliances on the other side.

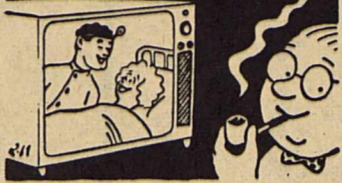


FELL FROM SLIDE IN PARK -- As a good many people have expressed an opinion that the slide in the Plains park is too high for youngsters and is, in fact dangerous because of its height, seems to have been borne out by the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Trout. She fell from the top of the slide last week, suffering facial laceration, bruises and a broken arm. This, many point out is not the first of such accidents, nor, opinion has it, will it be the last as long as the unusually high slide now in the park remains to be the only one available.

## Shower Planned

Mrs. Danny McClellan will be honored with a Pink and Blue shower, Saturday June 6, from 3 til 5 p.m., in the home of Mrs. H. W. Culwell.

## The Old Timer



"The quickest way now-a-days to get a doctor is to turn on your TV set."

## This Week In History

The Magna Charta, the Great Charter, was issued by King John of England, June 15, 1215. Washington, was chosen commander-in-chief of Continental forces, June 15, 1775.

The Hawaii annexation treaty was signed, June 16, 1897. The first robot bomb hit London, June 16, 1944.

The cornerstone of the Bunker Hill monument was laid by Lafayette, June 17, 1825. A World Peace Jubilee was held in Boston June 17, 1872.

The War of 1812 began June 18. Napoleon was defeated at Waterloo June 18, 1815.

Mexican Emperor Maximilian was shot to death, June 19, 1867. A 8-hour day was adopted for all Federal employees, June 19, 1918.

The first American steamboat, the "Savannah" crossed the Atlantic and reached Liverpool, June 20, 1819. The treaty legalizing U.S. purchase of Alaska from Russia was signed, June 20, 1865.

The charter for a new League of Nations was completed at a San Francisco conference, June 21, 1945.

# MY THANKS

to each of you who supported me in my campaign for the office of Yoakum County Judge.

My congratulations go to Mr. DuVall, our new County Judge.

The Friendliness, Courtesy and genuine Interest extended to me during the past months has been sincerely appreciated.

My continuing efforts will be for the building of a better and better Yoakum County.

Sincerely,

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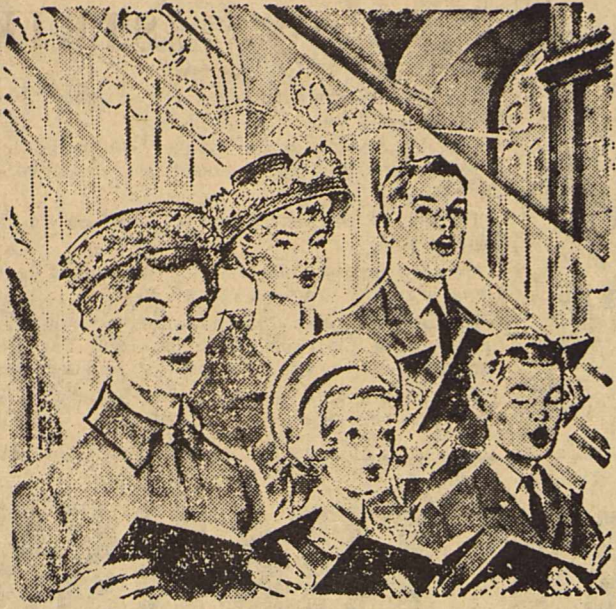
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**First Christian Church**  
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Evening 8:00  
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**Hillside Church Of Christ**  
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Ladies Bible Class - Tues. 10:00 A. M.

**Plains Church Of Christ**  
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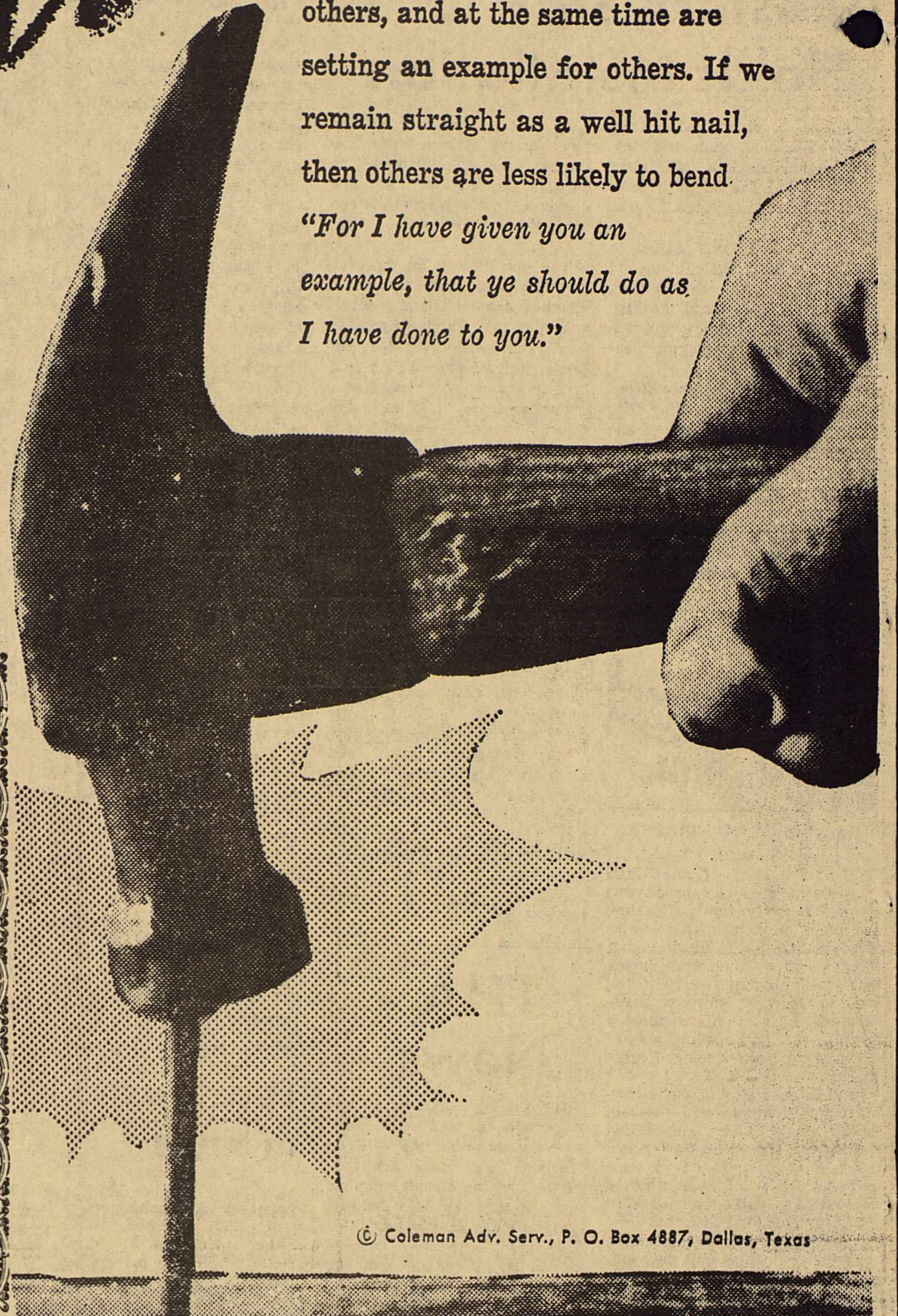
EVERYONE IN THE CHURCH  
THE CHURCH IN EVERYONE

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

Make your life  
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The carpenter knows that there is a proper way to hold the hammer, and that the nail must be hit from the right direction or the nail will bend. As children of God we need to make the right impact on others. When we attend church we learn how to treat others, and at the same time are setting an example for others. If we remain straight as a well hit nail, then others are less likely to bend. "For I have given you an example, that ye should do as I have done to you."

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# Newsletter From U. S. Senator Ralph W. Yarborough

Dear Fellow Texan:  
As chairman of the Senate Veterans Affairs Subcommittee, I'm very pleased to tell you of the progress on ten bills that are extremely important to well over a million Texas servicemen and their families.

I discussed some of these bills with you in a recent report. Since that time, our Senate Veterans Affairs Subcommittee has acted favorably on them and they are now before the full Senate Committee on Labor and Public Welfare, of which I am also a member.

Perhaps the bill that affects the most lives is the one to extend the term of veterans' guaranteed home loans from the present re-payment time of thirty years to a term of thirty-five years. This would give veterans equal treatment with those who buy their homes under FHA, which has a thirty-five year re-payment term. The veterans' loans are the only ones made for building homes on farms and ranches, since the FHA loans do not apply in this area.

The other bills are vastly important too, although all of them do not affect as many people.

For example, we reported favorably on a bill to provide for retraining of veterans injured in wartime, who have since gone blind. Many of these veterans have already received some kind of training. But what good is past training when their

sight is totally gone? They need new help urgently to meet a new hardship.

We approved a bill in the subcommittee for expanded research to develop better artificial limbs for veterans. Of course, new research would benefit not only veterans but all who use artificial limbs, for medical knowledge gained in one place is quickly put to use in others.

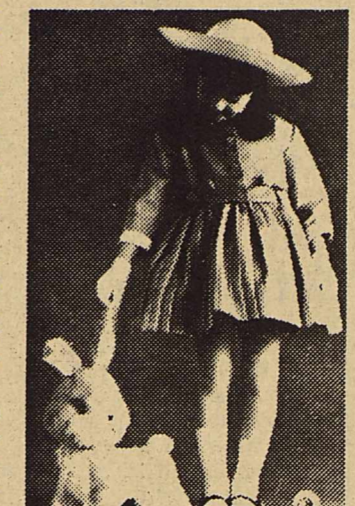
Also in the medical field, we advanced a bill that would extend hospital and medical care rights to Cold War veterans who have service-connected disabilities but don't get compensation. At present, veterans who get no compensation for disabilities are not accepted by the Veterans Administration for hospital and medical care.

We also approved a bill in subcommittee that would make it possible for the VA to employ certain categories of medical personnel on a fee basis—which means that VA hospitals could provide even better service to their patients.

Another bill would help disabled Cold War veterans to obtain cars, so that their ways of earning a livelihood would be greatly expanded, while their dependence on help from the government would be greatly reduced.

All these bills were studied long and carefully by our Veterans Affairs Subcommittee. Certainly, the need for this

kind of legislation is so apparent that it cannot be laid aside or overlooked. We have never had reason to regret helping people to help themselves, and I believe Congress will do the right thing.



GO-TOGETHERS — A cotton knit jacket over a candy-striped sleeveless dress provides this young lady with an Easter ensemble that'll go through summer. By Claire Brooke, it's available in tones of green or blue.



## STRIKE UP THE BAND

Time was when warm weather was almost certain to bring the drums and brassy beat of a band announcing the fact that the circus had come to town. Remember how the excitement used to build up along the way as the music announced the parade was coming nearer and nearer? The circus always brought the folks into town. Alert shop owners would put "special" prices on some items and business was usually good. We don't see much of the circus any more but many of the old time shop owners are still with us. Buildings have been remodeled, new lines of merchandise added, but many familiar faces are still around. And, you know, we kind of like it this way.

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## Seat Belts Tighten Traffic Toll

Every year, about 40,000 Americans are killed in car accidents. If those figures aren't grim enough, then consider this: More than 1,500,000 people suffer disabling injuries.

According to the American Medical Association, nationwide use of seat belts would have saved thousands of lives, dollars and untold hours of suffering and heartache. In fact, the AMA predicts we could probably save 5,000 lives every year and reduce the serious injury figures by more than one half.

Today, seat belts are inexpensive and easy to install—most automobile manufacturers include belt attachments as standard equipment.

To the complaint that, "It's too much trouble to be always fastening and unfastening seat belts," the AMA points out that belts can be fastened in two seconds flat and loosened with a flick of the wrist.

Many drivers say they don't do much distance driving. But a 1958 survey showed that 47 per cent of all car deaths occurred at speeds below 40 m.p.h.—and 66 per cent took place within 25 miles of the driver's home.



## Sergeant Retires After 20 Years

Topsham AFS, Me. — Technical Sergeant John L. Taylor, 47, of Plains, Tex., who spent the first eight years of his military service in the Marine Corps and the last 12 in the Air Force will retire May 31 after 20 years and 17 days in the Armed Forces.

Born in Oneida, Tenn., Sgt. Taylor enlisted in the Marine Corps in April, 1942. His first assignment was with the 3rd Marine Division at Camp Lejeune, N.C., with a machine gun company. In August that year he was sent to the South Pacific, first to American Samoa, then to Guadalcanal. In November, 1943, Sgt. Taylor was in on the initial landing on Bougainville with the 3rd Marine Division.

He returned to the states in 1944 to serve at the Philadelphia, Pa., Quartermaster. He later was sent to the motion picture and sound repair school at Bainbridge, Md., and then back to Camp Lejeune, N.C., as NCOIC of Theatres until 1947.

Sgt. Taylor returned overseas to Tsingato, China, as NCOIC of motion picture repair for the Far East and in 1949 returned to the U. S. at Camp Pendleton, Calif.

He joined the Air Force in May, 1950, and was sent to Denver, Colo., to attend a 16-week course in electronics and 24-week instruction in photographic repair. After

completion of the schooling he was sent to Biggs AFB, Tex., where he was NCOIC of the 97th Bombardment Wing Photographic repair section.

In 1952 he was sent to Ramey AFB, Puerto Rico, as photographic repairman with the 72nd Strategic Reconnaissance Wing. Two years later he returned to the U.S. again and was assigned to the 3206th Support Wing, Eglin AFB, Fla., to work on new test type aircraft photographic systems.

In 1956 he again went overseas to the 66th Tactical Reconnaissance Wing in Sembach, Germany, and in 1958 returned to the states to England AFB, La. In 1959 he attended the Aircraft Control and Warning School at Keesler AFB, Miss., and in March that year he came to the Bangor Air Defense Sector here for duty as a computer operator.

While stationed here, Sgt. Taylor lived with his wife and two children at 7 Lincoln St., Brunswick. Upon retirement he will return to Texas. His medals include the Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal, World War II Victory Medal, National Defense Service Medal, American Theater Ribbon, China Service Ribbon, Navy Unit Citation, Good Conduct Medal with three bronze loops and the Air Force Longevity Service Award with three bronze oak leaf clusters.

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### Doc Says Hypnotism Useful — With Caution

By JOHN BARNETT  
United Press International  
SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — In the yellow pages of the telephone directory, you are likely to find an advertisement like this: "Hypnosis. All personal problems and undesirable habits. Weight control. Marital problems."

Carefully, the practitioners who place such ads avoid specific claims that their hypnotic ministrations can cure anything. But the intimation is there and it draws untold thousands into their "clinics," "foundations," "schools" and "centers."

The results may well be beneficial. But, according to the California Medical Association, (CMA), they also may be disastrous.

Hypnosis has tremendous appeal. It seems almost magical in its effect on all sorts of problems from nail-biting to sexual maladjustment.

Indeed, hypnosis has been popular for centuries as a sort of magic performed by entertainers who put subjects to sleep, make them stiff as boards or induce them to crow like roosters or bark like dogs.

Recognizing this appeal, the California medical association is campaigning to educate the public about what hypnosis can and cannot do. It wants laws to back up the known facts about hypnosis.

These, the CMA says, amount to this: Hypnosis is an apparently useful tool, but one that should be handled with extreme care. It can be emotional dynamite.

The California campaign is part of a national effort by responsible therapists to drive charlatans from the practice of hypnosis.

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### CANDY by Tom Dorr

# THANK YOU

I want to take this opportunity to thank my many friends who went to the polls Saturday and elected me your County Judge.

My thanks ALSO . . . . . to the many who helped in various ways to make my campaign successful . . . . . for the hospitality shown me when I visited your homes and the many words of encouragement . . . to each of you who cast your vote absentee . . . . . and for the trust and confidence you have placed in me.

I pledge to do my best to make you a good County Judge.

Sincerely,  
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# Poppy Day Observed

On May 30, Memorial Day, Veterans Poppy Day was observed by the citizens of Plains.

Miss Nelson, Instructor of the Home Making Department of Plains High School, and members of the Home Making Department had charge of the sale of these little red flowers. Miss Nelson reported the sum of \$41.11 collected.

The original conception of "Poppy Day" has changed, when originated it was solely "To commemorate our War Dead." Today, our Annual Poppy Campaign honors our Veterans of all Wars living and dead. Today, with so many veterans, of such varied ages, The Annual Poppy Program is vital in raising money to care for all needy veterans and their families and, when you consider that 56% of the population in the United States are Veterans' children, you realize how big a job we have to do to obtain the needed funds. Therefore, our slogan today is for more encompassing-- "Remember the dead by helping the living."

American Legion Auxiliary

poppies are made by bed and wheel chair patients in veterans hospitals, also by disabled veterans working in community centers, as part of their occupational therapy. The American Legion Auxiliary supplies veterans free with materials for making poppies, enables veterans to earn money by paying them for every poppy they make and arranges for volunteers to present poppies so that ALL funds collected are used for Rehabilitation and Child Welfare. The official American Legion Auxiliary poppy is a small red paper poppy, on a green stem, bearing a white tag labeled "Handmade by Veterans" and imprinted on the other side with the name of The American Legion and the American Legion Auxiliary.

Poppy Day will again be observed in 1962 around the season of November 11, Armistice Day. Many thanks to Miss Nelson and her girls for a patriotic duty performed.

# 49 Calves Entered In Gain Contest

The beef calf gain contest sponsored by Mr. G. W. Cleveland, got under way last month with 49 animals in the running. The calves are being fed this year by 24 boys and 9 girls. Of the 49 animals there are 43 Herefords, 5 Angus and 1 Santa Gertrudis. The owner of the animal making the highest gain between May 19 and February 15 will receive the trophy cup.

Following is a list of the boys and girls along with the initial weights of their beef calves: Ty Earl Powell, 728; Dean Haney, 561; Alton Earl McGinty, 504; Mike Loe, 500; Chip Bennett, 494; Oscar Henard, 464; Weymon Boyd, 442; Chip Bennett, 439; Kenneth McGinty, 436; Royce Blair, 430; David Box, 346; Pharon Pharr, 342; Wayne Box, 342; Wayne Box, 340; Bobby Taylor, 333; Brenda Boyd, 329; Kenneth McGinty, 328; Jack Sprawls, 320; David Box, 308; Michael McPherson, 307; Harold Lee Swann, 305; Kathy McPherson, 304; Oscar Henard, 304; Deedra Boyd, 301; D'Lynn McGinty, 299; Pharon Pharr, 294; Ann

Kerrick, 282; Jack Sprawls, 282; Craig McPherson, 272; Ty Earl Powell, 271; Mike Loe, 270; Kenneth McGinty 268; Sarah K. Field, 254; Kenneth McGinty, 236; Alton Earl McGinty, 233; Dan Field, 232; Pharon Pharr, 220; Robert Field, 209; Lynn Fitzgerald, 184; Travis Loe, 174; Robert Field, 163; Kathleen McGinty, 147; Dianne Fitzgerald, 427; Royce Blair, 404; Rand McPherson, 372; Jimmy O'Neal, 369; Kenneth McGinty, 366; Tom Sprawls, 352; Oscar Henard, 349.

County Agent, Leo White, says that most of these calves will gain in the neighborhood of 600 pounds during the 272 day feeding period. They will be weighed on the third Saturday of each month from now until the County Show in February. During June, July and August the weigh days will be held during the morning. After school begins they will be held in the afternoons. Everyone is welcome and invited to come to the Exhibit Building on the third Saturday of each month to see the calves.

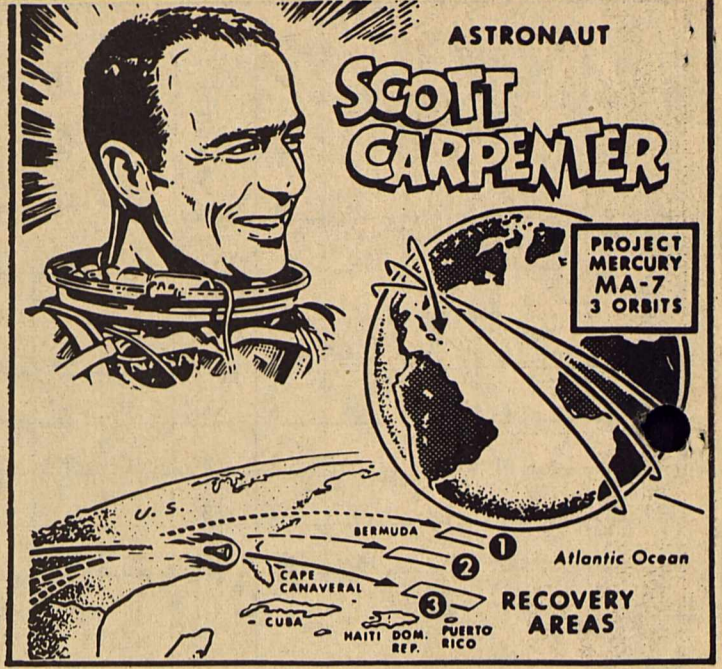
# Farm Facts

Tranquilizing drugs are proving as useful to animals as they are to humans. Not only are they used to quiet nervous, upset, or wild animals, but also to get better gains in normal animals by cutting down waste motion and minimizing effects of mild stresses.

In one experiment, steers administered tranquilizers in their feed gained weight 15% faster with a 10% saving of food. In commercial feed lot trials at Iowa State College, tranquilizers were added to the feed of sheep and a 17% increase in daily gain was attained with a 6.5% saving in feed costs.

Not too much luck has been attained with tranquilizers to achieve weight gains in hogs. Tranquilizers, however, may prove useful in large breeding operations. Tests indicate tranquilized boars get along without fighting. The drugs, too, may be useful in cutting down nervousness in gilts before breeding or during farrowing.

Tranquilizers have been used with a great deal of success to quiet animals during shipment. The change in surroundings, feeding schedules, and temperatures--along with the lack of feed to which they're accustomed--results in weight losses. Tranquilizers help reduce them.



ANOTHER U.S. SPACE-MAN . . . M. Scott Carpenter's three-orbital flight plan is shown in this map. He was "recovered" near Puerto Rico.

# Colt's Change Tryout Dates

The Houston Colt .45s announced today that the tryout camp in Rockdale, Texas originally scheduled for June 6, 7, and 8 has been rescheduled for July 5, 6, and 7. The other tryout camps will be held in Alice, Texas on June 14, 15, and 16, and in Tyler, Texas on June 28, 29 and 30.

Youngsters attending the camps must be between the ages of 15 and 25. American Legion ball players are required to have a letter of permission from their Legion Post commander.

Each youngster will furnish his own glove, baseball shoes and uniform, in addition to paying his own expenses. Any player signed out of the tryout camps by the Colt .45s will be reimbursed for his expenses.

# Doctors Oppose Federal Medicine, Nations Business

WASHINGTON ---- Medical students surveyed by Nation's Business magazine overwhelmingly oppose the Administration's proposal for an increase in social security taxes to finance health care services for older persons who qualify for social security benefits.

Results of the magazine's nationwide sampling of future doctors in 17 medical schools are revealed in the June issue, published today. The schools surveyed account for about one third of the total U. S. enrollment in medical education.

Many of the students said that nationalized health care--if it comes--would cause them to lose interest in medical careers, to drop out of the field entirely, or to migrate to other countries to practice. Some said that a nationalized system comparable to that in Great Britain would, in their opinion, aggravate an already serious U. S. doctor shortage by discourag-

ing many able young people from studying medicine.

Seventy per cent of the students interviewed on campuses from California to New York said they oppose use of the social security system to provide health services to persons 65 and older. About 30 per cent supported this idea, which is currently before Congress in the form of the King-Anderson bill.

A typical comment in opposition to the bill was that of Jim Baltzell, second-year medical student at Northwestern University, who said:

"I think the proposed legislation will tend to lower the quality of medical care, and it will overtax the social security budget. The younger people will be working and paying into social security for 30 years while the older people work and pay for five years. The budget is planned for future income of younger people; consequently, there will be a great deficit, leaving social security always behind."

A student supporting the federal proposal, Robert A. Elias, of the University of California, said:

"I think it's necessary and should be under social security. It's the only way to do it. Older people need this help and their families should be protected. I don't think it's fair that children of the aged should be put in the poorhouse because of something beyond their control."

When asked if their enthusiasm for a medical career would be greater or less under a nationalized system similar to that in Great Britain, 84 per cent of the students polled said they would be less enthused.

A fourth year medical student at the University of Florida said, "I would refuse to practice under such circumstances and would practice elsewhere." Many students said they thought nationalization of medicine would gravely damage the traditionally close relationship between doctor and patient in U. S. medicine, promote mediocrity of doctor skills, lower quality of treatment and medical research, and turn some of the brightest young minds to other fields of endeavor.

"The prospect of having to practice under nationalized medicine would probably drive me to another profession, or perhaps to remain totally in academic medicine," is the way Angus M. McBryde, fourth year student at Duke University, expressed his feelings.

Virtually all of the students questioned urged that greater financial assistance be extended to medical students, but more than half of these urged that it be limited to private, rather than governmental, sources--to obviate the possibility of government control following grants of money.

# Prospective Jury List Released

List of prospective jurors was released this week by County Clerk, J.W.O. Allredge that have been called and notified of possible duty on the Grand Jury and on the Civil cases of District Court.

Jurors in each instance, according to instructions, are to report on Monday, June 11 to the County Courthouse in Plains.

Grand jurors called for this session are as follows:

James O. Barnett, Ford Hawkins, L. D. Hamm, Jr., all of Plains; W. O. Spencer, M. E. Welch; both of the Tokio Community; Mrs. J. M. Fields of Seminole; Tommy Billings of Seagraves; and R. I. Webb, J. C. Criswell, Mrs. Bill Story, Mrs. Hazel Aiken, Mrs. Olan Cox, Louis McBee, Tom W. Barron, Oran A. Byrd and W. E. Gayle, all of Denver City.

District court has called the following list of prospective jur-

ors: Carl Stroup, Mrs. U. S. Bullock, C. C. Perkins, Cordell Huddleston, R. L. Singleton, G. D. Tate, Dee Freeman, Delbert Burt, Mrs. G. G. Kirby, Ruth Polston, Gene Kilpatrick, Henry S. May, Mrs. Vernon A. Townes, Joe McCollum, H. M. Edwards, Deroy Anderson, B. E. McElyea, Tommy J. Hollyfield, J. W. Jones, Joyce Martin, Mrs. Albert O. Williams, Mrs. Clyde Trout, J. Earl Mathison, Carl Johnson, Pat Henard, Henry W. Rankin, J. R. Slentz, W. R. Shook, Mrs. W. M. Taylor, Joe L. Webb, Cal McAdams, Charles J. Roseberry, Mrs. Tom Warren, Mrs. J. H. Criswell, Mrs. Idris Smith, Mrs. W. I. McDowell, H. L. Romans, Mrs. W. L. Clanshan, Morris Lowe, R. D. Dewlen, James C. Brown, R. E. Dyer, Mrs. L. E. McMath, Melvin Reed, Garlin Deaton, John Malone, Mrs. Joe Curry, and J. D. McKee.

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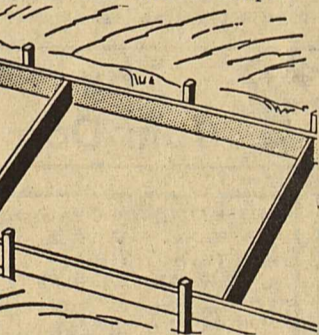
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A sidewalk is rather simple to build and makes a good project for teenagers of the family to help construct.

Here are a few tips: Dig the sidewalk bed about three inches deep. Check the drainage. If the soil holds moisture and drainage is poor, dig another six inches and fill with gravel or cinders. If earth is well drained, concrete can be poured after earth has been packed solid with a tamper.



A sidewalk is a good project for teenagers.

Construct forms of 2 by 4 inch stock. Drive 1 by 2-inch stakes at regular intervals to support the forms. Crosspieces should be located every four or six feet.

The top of the walk should be at least an inch above the ground surface and should be angled from one-fourth to one-half inch for proper drainage. Now you're ready to pour the concrete. Be certain to use the same concrete mixture for the full depth of the sidewalk.

If you've used crosspieces, pour concrete into alternate forms--leaving every other form empty until the filled sections are solid enough to hold their shape. Then take out the crosspieces and fill the empty sections.

Contractors use power-driven trowels to speed completion of their cement work. They are easy to operate as a power lawn mower.

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