

OUR 35TH YEAR

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## Lions Speaker



Merrill Norton, prominent Lovington Attorney is pictured above, and will speak at the noon meeting of the Lions.

## Norton Talks Today

Merrill L. Norton, Lovington, New Mexico attorney will speak to the Plains Lions Club members and their guests today at noon.

Norton will speak on the subject "One World, Can We Afford It?" His talk will be documented and much of the data has been gleaned from State Department Briefs.

The Lovington lawyer is widely known in New Mexico and West Texas. He has appeared as a guest lecturer at the Freedom Forum in Lubbock which is sponsored by Freedom Foundation and is presented through Lubbock Christian College.

Mr. Norton is the Department (State) Judge Advocate for the American Legion in New Mexico and is a staff member of Boys State there.

He was born in Roswell and received his education at New Mexico Military Institute, Texas Tech, and then received an appointment to the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, Maryland. After his graduation, Norton was assigned to duty in the United States Marine Corps.

After being assigned to the Marine Corps, Norton was sent to duty in Korea when the Korean War broke out. He saw action in four different campaigns and was wounded in action.

In Korea, Norton served as a platoon leader and received four battle stars, a Presidential Unit Citation, the Purple Heart, and the Silver Star.

After 18 months in Korea, which included the winter campaign at the Yalu River, Norton returned to the States, where he was assigned to the Atomic Energy Commission. In this capacity, Norton had the highest security clearance attainable.

He then returned to the Naval Academy as a college instructor. Norton resigned after 10 years of military service and received his law degree from Vanderbilt University. He then returned to New Mexico and has practiced law in Lovington.

Norton lives in Lovington with his wife and two children. He is an active member of the Baptist Church, and holds state office in The American Legion. He is also a member of the Rotary Club.

Last year Mr. Norton was one of three men in his party who was nominated to run for Congress. He chose not to be a candidate for Congress, and has been active in speaking engagements throughout the area.

Norton is the attorney who has petitioned the Federal Courts to re-apportion and set up Congressional Districts in New Mexico.

## Court House NEWS

Fourteen cases have been set on the County Court docket and the Plaintiff's jury list has been released calling 36 residents of the county to serve as prospective jurors.

Those called for jury duty are:

- Jen Edwards
- Richard M. McCance
- Richard Trenary
- Hub Baggett, Jr.
- Wayne Trent
- Leslie Covington
- Robert M. Jones
- W. E. Newcomb
- Mrs. Robert Chambliss
- E. W. New
- Price Brookshire
- Mrs. Glenn Cleveland
- Dewey Adair
- Mrs. L. T. Martin
- M. L. Prather
- Roy Edwards
- Deryle Hobbs
- M. Taylor
- Phyllon Hilburn
- R. N. Tipps
- A. L. Milstead
- F. N. Renzelman
- Ben F. Taylor
- Monte L. Paxton
- Ruby Heald
- Mrs. Gene Phillips
- Pat Henard
- Mrs. J. S. Wade
- E. D. Campbell
- Mrs. Gene Bennett
- Mac McRae
- W. C. Willmeth
- Quenton Johnson

Mrs. Perry Anthony Wilson Duke  
Mrs. W. M. Nelson

The criminal cases and their numbers follow:

- 1723 State of Texas Vs. B. L. Beckham, D. W. I.
- 1784 State of Texas Vs. Kenneth Lemley, Swindling or fraud.
- 1785 State of Texas Vs. Kenneth Lemley, Swindling.
- 1786 State of Texas Vs. L. K. Smith, Possession of alcoholic beverage.
- 1787 State of Texas Vs. Gregorio Navarro, Worthless check.
- 1789 State of Texas Vs. Florida Lucky, Worthless check.
- 1790 State of Texas Vs. Charles Jordan, worthless check in Oklahoma.
- 1792 State of Texas Vs. W. R. Shields, worthless check.
- 1793 State of Texas Vs. L. K. Smith, Liquor law violation.
- 1797 State of Texas Vs. Lena Mae Jones, Worthless check.
- 1800 State of Texas Vs. James McDonald, Worthless check.
- 1801 State of Texas Vs. Wensilado Rodriguez, theft.
- 1802 State of Texas Vs. W. L. May, Worthless check.
- 1803 State of Texas Vs. Katherine Wesley, Liquor law violation.

# YOUTH CHARGED WITH RAPE

## Cogburns Visit In Chicago

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Cogburn have returned from Chicago, where they attended market representing the Cogburn-Young True Value Store. The Cogburns drove to Chicago from Plains and reported that they enjoyed the ten day trip and that driving conditions and the weather were excellent.

The market was held at the True Value Warehouse and was for the 1500 dealers in the association. The merchandise ordered for the local store included hardware, toys, and fall and winter gifts. Over 500 of the dealers were at market.

The True-Value association is a group of independent businesses that have joined together to use collective buying in order to be competitive with the largest chain stores.

Cogburn-Young, a True Value Hardware Store, has just recently joined forces with over 1,500 other progressive hardware stores as an owner-member of Cotter & Company, largest dealer-owned wholesaler in America.

As a True Value Hardware Store, Cogburn-Young is still owned and operated by Mr. Cogburn and Mr. Young of Plains. However, as an owner-member of this gigantic buying group, Cogburn-Young now enjoys a tremendous new 1,500 store buying power, which enables them to buy for less, and SELL for less.

Cogburn-Young is now actually a co-owner and a partner with over 1,500 other (True Value) Hardware dealers in Cotter & Company, whose sole purpose is supplying all (True Value) retail hardware dealer-members in 35 states.

Cotter & Company buys goods by the carload lot, keeps over 22,000 items in stock in their warehouse, and even develops its own brand lines of merchandise to assure that Cogburn-Young (True Value) hardware customers get top quality merchandise at lowest possible prices.

## Honor Dinner

Monday night, May 10, 1965, a school employer appreciation banquet was served in the school cafeteria. Mr. Earl Hunt, who is retiring, was recognized. The school board presented an engraved watch to Mr. Hunt, and his fellow faculty members presented him with a cast iron outside fish fry apparatus.

Linda Taunton, Gail O'Neal, Georgia Gray, Dene McDonnell, Sheryl Gray, Rita Snodgrass, and Charlene Upton served the banquet.

Following the banquet dominoes and forty-two were played by the group.

## GUEST EDITORIAL

By G. D. Kennedy

During the month of May literally thousands of teenagers in caps and gowns will receive diplomas signifying the completion of the first major step in preparing for a full and useful career. By watching, reading, and hearing about this giant parade of high school graduates we are prone to examine ourselves and ask ourselves many questions. "Are they ready for the next giant step? Did we as parents, teachers, and patrons do our best for them? Will they as high school graduates have the courage and will power to complete their preparation for the journey into the complicated world that we as adults have prepared for them?"

In attempting to answer such questions we might find some degree of consolation in the fact that learning is a life long venture; that education is an ever present part of life itself, not merely a preparation for it. Our main task in public schools is to introduce the growing child to the best and most essential elements of the intellectual and cultural experience of previous generations; to do this in such a way that we stimulate curiosity and encourage each individual to look forward, not backward, to discover and develop his own talents to their maximum, and to continue this development throughout his life.

No business or activity is more important than education. The most precious commodity that we possess is our children. We have only one opportunity to groom them for their place in the world. Therefore, it is necessary for us to continually examine our educational system and to note where it fails to match the highest ideals we have set.

As time passes the importance of education will continue to increase. It is said that the world's inventory of scientific knowledge alone doubles each eight years. If this is true, eight short years from now there will be twice as much to learn in the field of science as there is today. Other fields of knowledge are increasing at a comparable rate. This, by necessity, forces our boys and girls into a world of specialization. It is felt that the time will come when one's choice of a specialized field will have to be made quite early in life. This will place greater emphasis on testing, guidance, counseling, etc.

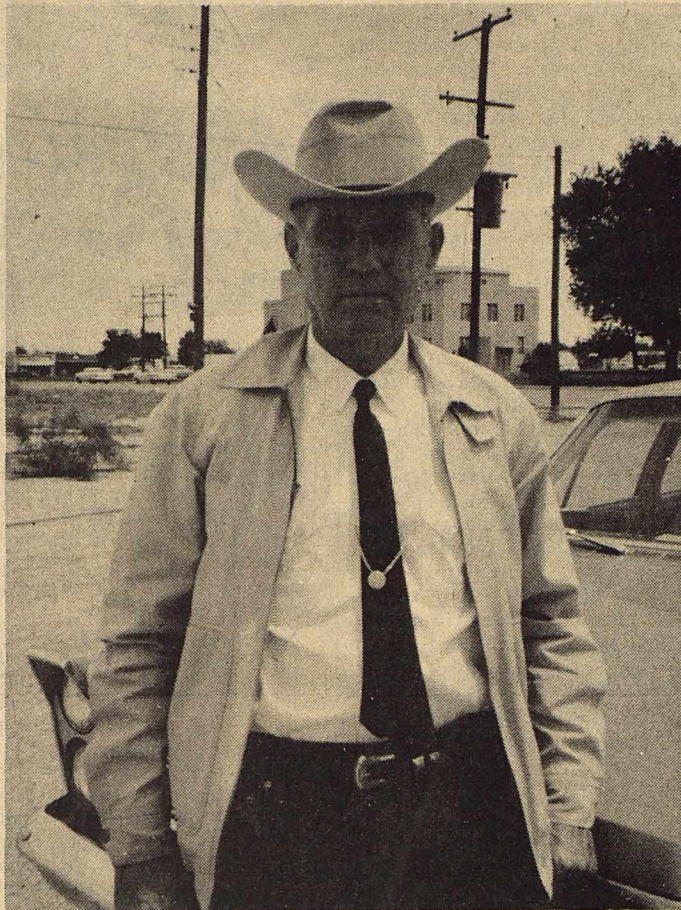
As knowledge advances in each generation, and as innovations accumulate, new kinds of skills emerge and students must be trained in new professions to cope with new problems. In the America of a century ago the average person may have needed only elementary instruction in the "Three R's", plus a grain of common sense, in order to properly discharge the duties of citizenship. But today the Three R's and common sense alone are not enough. In the modern world everyone is, to some extent, a specialist.

Each generation has seen new educational objectives and new methods designed to achieve them. But now many of the national needs are changing more rapidly than ever before. The nature of our society has changed as much in the last decade as it once changed in a century. No educational system should attempt to meet the changing fancies of each passing hour, and yet it must provide its students with the intellectual tools to meet the problems of today and tomorrow.

In spite of our changing world, every educational system must always have as its primary objective the development of men and women of noble character and high moral purpose who have also the intellectual capacities and the sense of values to lead fruitful and satisfying lives in modern society.

When I consider the character, the moral fiber, the courage, and faith possessed by our graduates I am led to believe that they are ready for the next giant step. However, they will continue to have need of our encouragement and assistance as they journey into new fields of endeavor.

We must also remember that other graduates will follow those of 1965. Therefore, we must continue to be alert in recognizing necessary changes in our educational systems so that future graduates will be properly equipped to take the "giant step".



Sheriff Olan Heath pictured outside the office of The Record

## Garza Free On Bond

(Special; Lovington Leader)

By DUKE SMITH  
Joe Anthony De La Garza of Lovington was free on bond today after entering a plea of not guilty to charges of possession of marijuana in district court in Plains, Texas Tuesday afternoon.

The 31 year old father of seven will appear before a Texas grand jury sometime after the 20th of this month to answer the charges.

De La Garza was arrested by Yoakum County Deputy Sheriff Donald Rodgers shortly before midnight Saturday night and charged with being drunk in a car and driving with fictitious license plates. The arrest was made at the edge of the Plains city limits.

Confiscated from De La Garza at that time were seven cigarettes and a matchbox believed to contain marijuana. The articles, which Garza had allegedly hidden in his boot, were sent to Austin where tests verified that the cigarettes and the substance in the matchbox were marijuana.

Garza had earlier pled guilty to the drunk charge and was assessed a fine in JP court. However an earlier report that he had pled guilty to the license plate charge was proven to be incorrect. The fictitious license plate charge was dismissed and evidently resulted from a mixup in state licensing offices in Texas.

Rodgers verified that the license tag charge had been dropped, and said that it "had been straitened out." Garza had requested that the public be made aware that he was cleared of that charge.

In a statement to the Lovington Daily Leader the suspect said, "I was guilty of being drunk in a car, but was never guilty of having fictitious license plates on my car. They were checked out by the Plains Sheriff Department and they found out that the mistake was made either in Austin or in Beeville, Texas where they were issued to me. The registration papers match out with the numbers that are supposed to be on my license plates. I am correcting this mistake that was printed in yesterday's paper because driving a car with fictitious license plates makes it look bad for me."

Garza has repeatedly insisted his innocence on the marijuana charge, and stated that he was a victim of circumstances. Garza said that he picked up a hitch hiker in Lovington Saturday night who offered him \$20 to drive him to Lubbock. Garza said he became suspicious of the other man and let him out of the car near the state line. He said the other man left the car, and that believing it to be marijuana, he became frightened and hid the articles in one of his boots.

Garza has also requested that he be given a lie detector test to prove his innocence. Sheriff's officers in both Yoakum and Lea County have as yet not been able to corroborate Garza's story.

## 30 Seniors Graduate

Thirty seniors will receive their diplomas tonight at the Plains High School at graduation commencement exercises. The Processional will begin at 8:00 p. m., as the seniors march down the aisle to commence their graduation.

Sarah K. Field, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Field, is the valedictorian for the year.

Sylvia McGinty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick McGinty, is the salutatorian. The invocation will be given by Brother Joe Chisholm, minister of the Church of Christ.

Miss McGinty will then present her salutatory address, which will be followed by a sixtlet composed of Sylvia McGinty, Barbara Kennedy, Jerri Clem, Martha Tarkington, Sarah Field, and Pam Parrott, accompanied by Miss Virginia Romans.

The class history will be presented by Coy Lowrey, who is the highest ranking boy of his class.

Miss Field will then present the valedictory address, and will be followed by special recognitions, which will include the announcement of the boys and girls who have been selected to attend American Legion Boys and Girls State.

The awarding of the diplomas will follow the special recognitions, and Ty Field, president of education, and D. N. Taylor, High School Principal will award the seniors their diplomas.

The benediction will be given by Rev. James L. Bozeman, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

The audience will then remain seated until the recessional is completed.

Sheriff Olan Heath reported that James Furham, Seminole, was arrested and charged with rape last Sunday night. The alleged rape occurred east of Denver City. The victim was an 18 year old Denver City girl.

The teenage girl was taken to a physician for examination. The sheriff reported that the girl said that the alleged rapist threatened her life and when he was arrested he had a blackjack and a knife in his possession.

The Yoakum County Sheriff took the accused rapist to Lubbock and placed him in the custody of jailers there to keep him until the grand jury meets next month. Furham is being held without bond. Rape is a capital offense in Texas and can carry the death penalty. Sheriff Heath stated that he took the prisoner to the Lubbock jail for safe keeping until his trial.

The alleged crime was committed sometime after mid-night last Sunday and occurred about four miles east of Denver City. When the girl did not return home, her mother notified authorities and they began the search. The girl returned home and told her parents of the incident and they notified the sheriff.

The arrest was made at about 3:30 a. m. in Seminole by authorities there. The prisoner was brought to Denver City and the Yoakum County Sheriff transported the accused rapist in custody to the jail in Plains.

Furham requested a lie detector test and Sheriff Heath took him to Lubbock to have one administered, but the prisoner refused to take the test.

Furham is 17 years old, but under Texas law, after the 17th birthday violators are treated as adults. The Seminole youth has a record of arrests in Texas.

The County Sheriff extended his thanks to the police department in Seminole for their co-operation.

## Electric Meet

The Lea County Electric Co-Op held its annual meeting in Lovington, Monday night and the two incumbents were re-elected to the board.

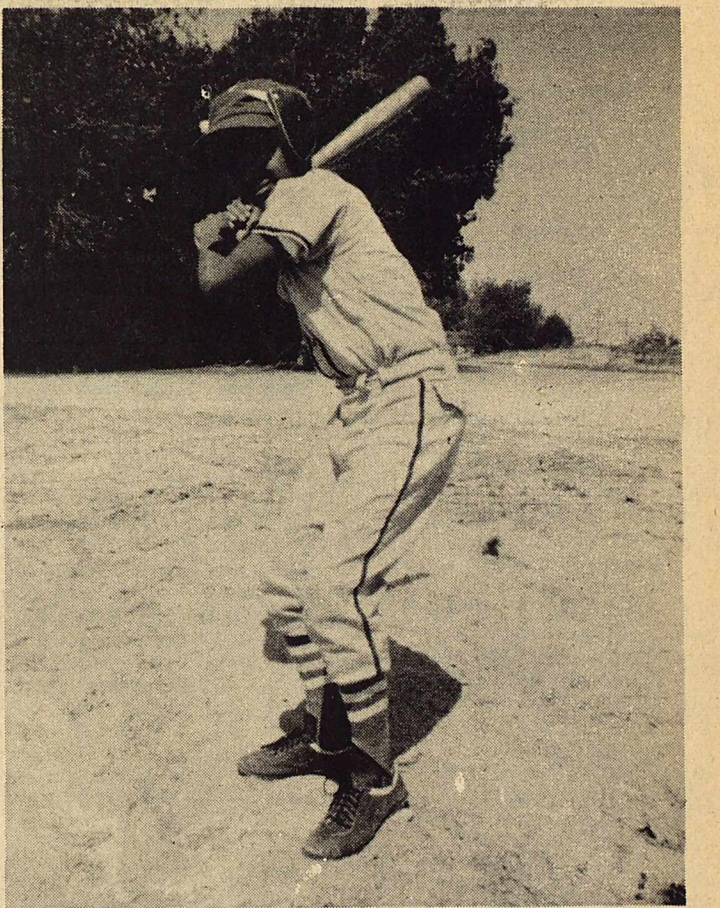
Dr. Jarvis, San Marcus, humorist, was the guest speaker. Many door prizes were given to those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Carpenter, Plains, attended the meeting and reported that the speaker was outstanding.

Lea County Electric services many customers in Plains and the larger businesses just outside the city limits receive electric power from the company.

Recently Lea County Electric built a large modern youth center in Lovington. R. B. Moore is the general manager for the company, and visited in Plains last week.

## First Home Run!!!



Robert Riojas pictured above hit the first homerun of the Little League season last Friday against Ronnie Teaff, but it was in vain, as the Giants won 7-1.

## Little League Slate

Little League opened in Plains last week with a twin bill Friday night. In the action Friday, the Indians bombed the Yankees 12 - 0 in the first game.

In the second game the Giants downed the Cubs 7 - 1 on the ace pitching of Ronnie Teaff. The one run that the Cubs managed to get across the plate came on a home run hit by Robert Riojas late in the game. It was the first homer of the year.

In Tuesday action the Indians extended their winning streak by edging the Cubs in a close game 12 - 9. The Indians withstood a late rally by the Cubs as a home run hit soared out of the park with two men on base. First base was not tagged by the Cub slugger and the batter was called out at first.

The Yankees got into the winners column by crushing the Giants 8 - 1 in the second game.

The games have been moved from tomorrow night to Saturday because of the Junior

High graduation. The Lions Club is running the concession stand and report that the sales have been good. All of the local people are urged to support the Little League games with their attendance.

STANDINGS:

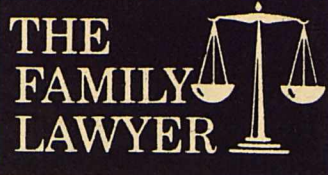
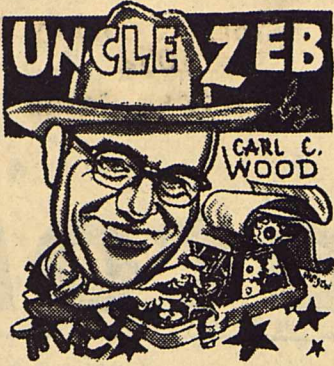
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Indians	2	0	1000
Giants	1	1	500
Yankees	1	1	500
Cubs	0	2	000

## Alma's Remodels

Johnnie James, owner of Alma's Restaurant, announced that starting today Alma's will be open 24 hours a day. James said that the local restaurant will keep the 24 hour service to accommodate people who work long hours during the farming season, and to serve tourists.

James also reported that Alma's has recently been redecorated. The building was completely re-painted throughout the inside.

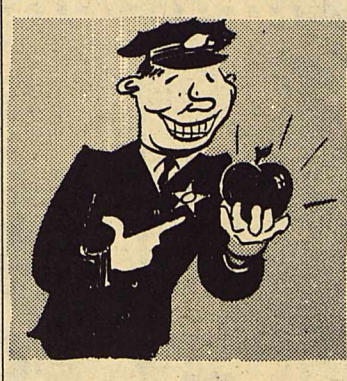




Crime Bait

Ever caught eating the forbidden fruit, offered God a defense: "The serpent beguiled me."

Today, too, many a person caught in a wrongful act blames it on temptation—often, by the very policeman who arrested him.



the bellhop did as he was asked—and was promptly placed under arrest.

But a court ruled later that he had a valid defense. The judge pointed out that the detective had planted the criminal intent in a previously innocent mind.

It is a different story, however, if the officer merely provides the opportunity for a criminal intent that already exists.

A detective, noticing an ad for spicy photographs, sent in his money under an assumed name. By return mail he received a batch of obscene material.

At the trial, he protested that the detective had deliberately brought about the mailing. But the court threw out this defense.

"A line must be drawn," the United States Supreme Court has said, "between the trap for the unwary innocent and the trap for the unwary guilty."

Tricks by the police are particularly necessary in certain types of crime. A robbery is likely to be reported by the person who is robbed.

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CROSSWORD

- ACROSS 1. A store 5. Pant 9. Near (poet.) 10. Grant 12. Volga river city 13. Plainer 14. Epoch 15. Yes, in Spain 17. Consumed 18. Compass point (abbr.) 19. Wheel projections 22. East by south (abbr.) 23. A bowling game 25. Pilfer 28. A fop 29. A clergyman 31. Music note 32. Sal 33. Male sheep 36. Fruiting spike of grain 38. Father 39. A shield 40. Particles 43. Slient 45. Iron or gold 46. Ooze 47. Trust 48. Places

Crossword puzzle grid with numbers and some filled-in letters. Includes 'DOWN' clues: 1. Sleep sound, 2. Wife of Zeus (poss.).

WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS" By C. WILSON HARDER

Readers often ask if communists heavily infiltrate the government.

Undoubtedly, as witnessed by the disclosures that have been made over the past few years, there are some communists who have wormed their way into positions of responsibility and influence.

For example, for many years now the Russians have believed that some bureaucrat sitting behind the desk in a Kremlin could solve the problem of food production.

Undoubtedly, the fall of Khrushchev was largely prompted by his failure in this direction.

So, what is new. Only that recently the nation has been treated to a spectacle of a Secretary of Labor deciding in Washington how to produce crops in California, Texas, and a few other areas.

The American people think it uproariously funny when a Russian bureaucrat tries to tell Russian farmers who have been tilling the soil all their lives how they should farm.

For after all, the American farmer has already seen rising labor costs create a spread so great between what he receives and the consumer pays that he is having problems of survival.

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EDITORIALS



CAYCE'S CORNER

Several weeks ago the Denver City Paper carried an editorial praising the administration of Yoakum County Sheriff Olan Heath.

Not only has the sheriff maintained a vigilant crackdown on bootleggers and minor offenders, but he and his staff have been on the alert to apprehend major felons.

We particularly refer to the competent and efficient arrest of a narcotic violator in Plains last week.

Narcotics are as deadly as cobra venom when put into the hands of pushers who thrive on our teen age population.

We are not implying that this was the intent of the person arrested in Plains and charged with having marijuana in his possession; however, we do not want people in our city who carry it or use it.

Far too frequently papers only print those things about law enforcers which are detrimental or embarrassing to that profession.

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We don't deserve credit for the jobs we start, only those that we see well done.

Some time back we were given a fancy rain gauge and weather prognosticator to put on our gatepost. It would turn certain colors when the weather was supposed to do different things.

Was it Will Rogers who said: "Everyone is ignorant except on different subjects"? Will someone please send me the correct quote and correct me if it was not the all time champion in our books Cowboy Will who said the above.

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Plains Oil Co. Your Fina Dealer

Advertisement for Plains Oil Co. listing wholesale and retail products: Gasoline, Diesel Fuel, Kerosene, Oil. Includes Fina logo and contact info for James Warren, Mgr.

Advertisement for Woody's & Save, a farm supply store. Lists products like tires, batteries, hardware, feed. Includes Phillips 66 and Fina logos.

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TRAILOR SPACE FOR RENT Also, Rooms and Apartments JUDGE BEENE'S COURTS

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LOST: pair of prescription sunglasses. If found call 456-2698. Thanks

HAY FOR SALE Barn Full of Alfalfa Hay For Sale. See Woody Wilmeth at Woody's Hardware and Oil Co.

HOUSE FOR SALE \$7,500.00 Nothing Down \$60.00 per month. 203 East Sixth. Write or Phone Don Hancock, Box 808, Alamogorda, New Mexico.

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Announces the opening of their office in the Clark Building at 904 Brownfield Road in Plains.

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# By George \*\*\*

By Rep. Jessie T. George

State Representative Jesse T. George, who represents Cochran, Hockley, Terry, and Yoakum counties, was among 21 legislators and senators appointed by House Speaker Ben Barnes to represent the State of Texas on an inspection tour of Cape Kennedy, Florida, May 7 and 8. In co-operation with the United States Air Force, the group was flown from Brooks Air Base in San Antonio, where a tour of the Aerospace Medical Center was conducted, to Cocoa Beach, Florida.

The inspection tour of the Eastern Missile Test Range, Cape Kennedy, included the central control room, integration buildings, rocket construction, and launching pads. George stated, "The primary purpose of this tremendously educational tour was to allow the people to visualize a greater understanding of American space operations through its governmental representatives."

Before leaving for Florida, the legislators were guided into the isolated quarters of Brooks Aerospace Center where the astronauts stay from 30 to 40 days at a time and undergo the study and effects of this isolation and the problems encountered in space flight.

The medical study program was started in 1918 at Kelly

Base in San Antonio. Then doctors were analyzing effects of airplane travel on pilots, and now the program has expanded to seven or eight centers over the nation.

"In addition to the highly technical areas of gravitational effects, there are practical ones," George said. "We were escorted into rooms where the noise of jet engines is released and harnessed by mechanical devices to prevent deafness to the astronauts."

Another room has a grate for a floor and steel mesh lining to absorb all sound. "That room is the closest you can get to complete silence," George said.

At Cape Kennedy, one of the most monumental structures the group visited was the 36 story building where Saturn will be built. Its technical name, VAB, is the "vehicle assembly building," and on its completion will be the largest building in the world. "There are doors reaching almost the full height of the building to enable the easy removal of the rockets when they are ready for launching," George added.

Near the building, monstrous caterpillar tractors stationed beneath a flat bed waited to move the Saturn to the launching pad. "The size of these machines is incomprehensible," George stated. "They have tracks 12 feet wide, and the exhaust is approximately the size of a foreign car."

The groups at in the control room for a briefing and saw the new control rooms being constructed. The new system will be able to launch three rockets at a time.

The trip was made at no expense to the State, George said, with the legislators paying their own lodging and eating expenses. "The United States Air Force Convair in which we were flown makes the trip on a regular scheduled flight, and therefore there was no extra cost to the federal government."

"The tour was most intriguing and presented an acute awareness of the tremendous space mechanisms which the United States has developed for defense purposes and invaluable outerspace information. This was a tour every American would be proud to take, and I was deeply honored to have been chosen by the Speaker."

## Pitches No-Hitter

Calvin Smith of the Plains Cowboys blazed his second no-hitter in a row May 11th. This set a new record in the league, of no-hitters pitched in a season. Smith also hit a home run adding to the score with a man on base. The two no hitters has put Plains in the spot light as they are tied for first place with Denver City.

The league play off for first place will be May 21 and 22 with the first game at Plains and the second at Denver City.

Alton Earl McGinty also of the Plains Cowboys added to the score with a home run on errors. A hard hit ground ball sailed over the pitcher, by

second base, and past the center fielder into the fence, the center fielder then hurled the ball over the head of the third baseman and McGinty scored on the costly error.

Manager Huddleston has said that the Cowboys have a better than average chance this year of winning the league, and having the tournament of the Allstars here in Plains. Special credit was also given to Joe Peirce on an outstanding job done in center field.

Huddleston also stated that more sponsors are needed for the score board that is to be built at the League Park in Plains, and that more boys are needed for the Plains team.

## Firemen Meet

Fire Chief Johnnie James said today that residents who plan to go on vacation should call the city and ask that their utilities be cut off for fire prevention reasons.

He further stated that those who will be gone should be certain to close all windows and doors. James said that all inside doors to rooms in the house should also be closed.

The Fire Chief reported that there were no fires in Plains this past week, and that 19 members of the department reported for drill last Monday night.

An extensive training program has been undertaken by the fire department for the benefit of the rookie members who have recently joined the force.

A work out was held in Stanford park in order that new members could get experience with pumps and trucks, along with other equipment. The Chief stated that the department keeps in constant training in order that the latest in fire fighting methods can be learned.

## City Council

The Plains City Council met recently for the first session since the election and ap-

proved the minutes of the previous meeting and the payment of the bills.

Plains is operating on a fiscal year, and will end its financial year next month. Members of the council are Neil Taylor, Odus Walser, Roy Edwards, T. J. Miller, Ed Hunter, and Kenneth Hale is mayor.

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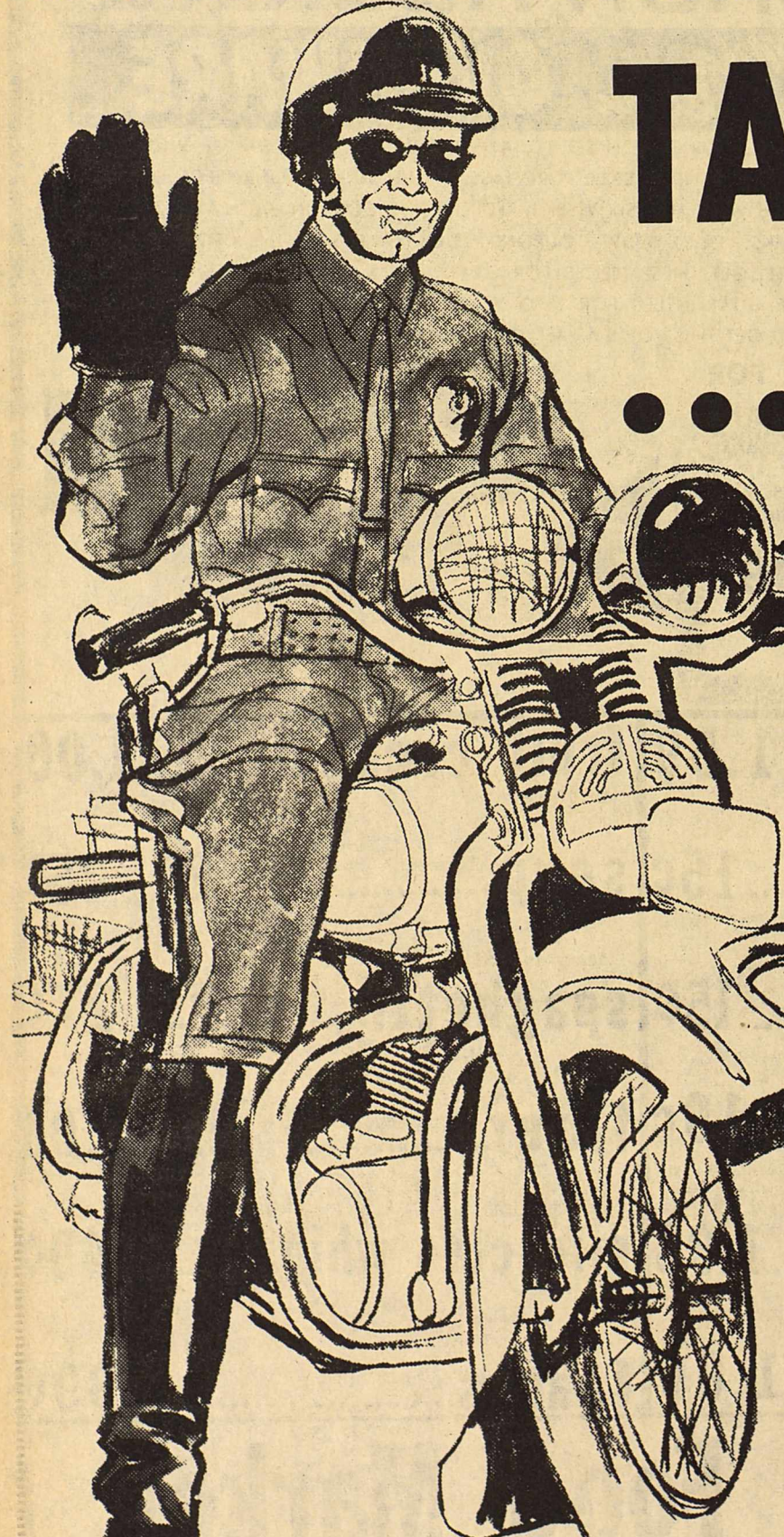
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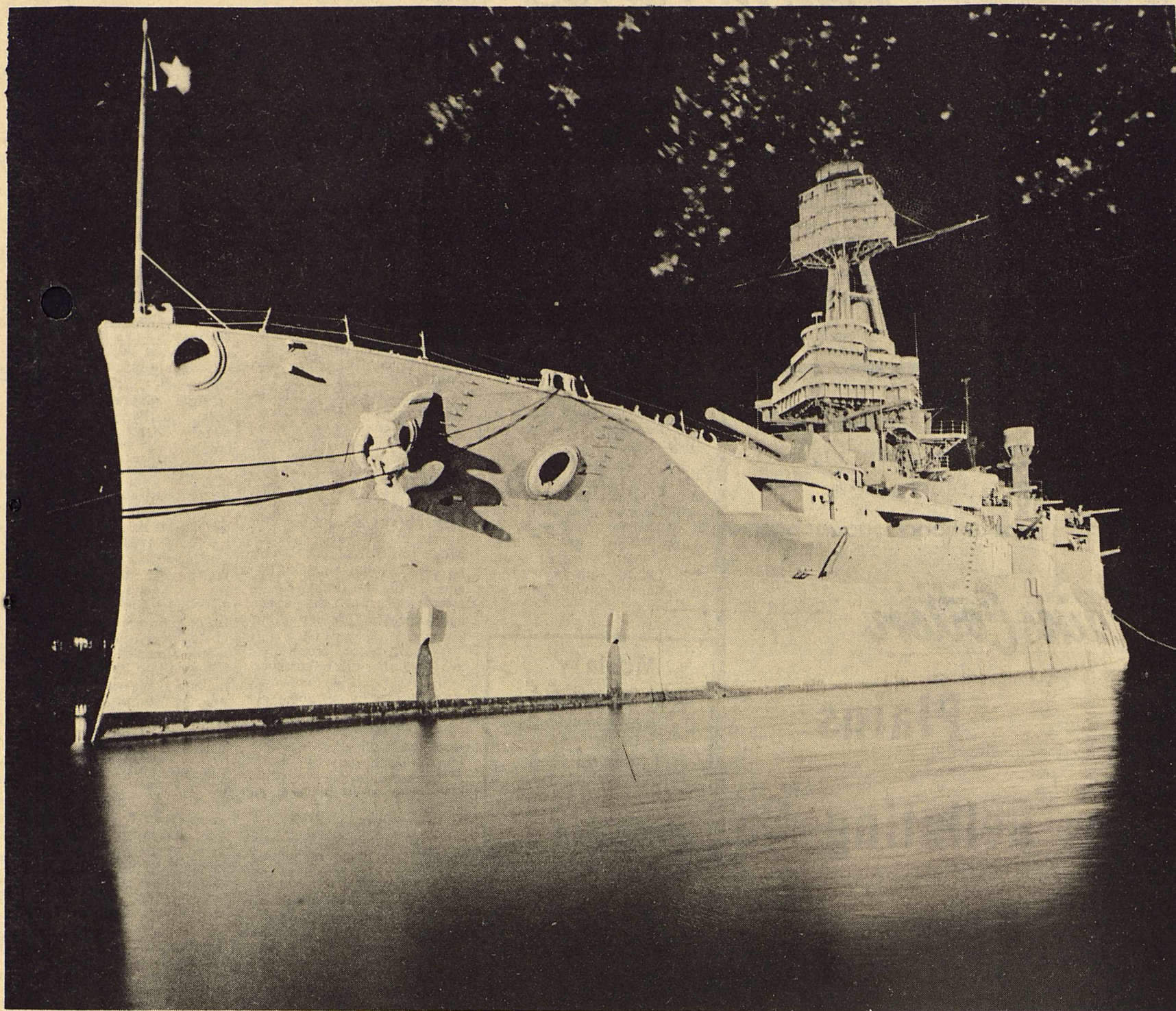
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## Bible School

Preparation Day will be Saturday morning at 9:30. The children will register for the school. This will be followed by a parade and refreshments. The school will be May 24 and 28, from 8:30 to 11:30 a. m. Friday noon there will be a picnic in the park. Each

person is to bring his own lunch, drinks will be served by the church.

There will be a department for each age group from three through sixteen years of age.

Commencement exercises will be Sunday night, May 30, at 8:00 p. m.

Bonner Havard has been appointed city policeman effective May 6. Mr. Havard has been the night watchman since last January.

Havard will still be the night watchman, but will have authority to make arrests for the city.

He will also patrol the school zones and perform other routine duties expected of a city police officer.

## OBITUARIES



Mrs. Hester Gray, 74, died Sunday morning at about 4:00 a. m. in Plains. Mrs. Gray was a resident at the Plains Memorial Convalescent Home and had been in poor health for some time.

Barrett's Funeral Home performed preparation work before transfer to Lovington, New Mexico to the Smith-Yarbro Funeral Home for the final arrangements.

Survivors included two sons, Clifford Gray, McDonald, New Mexico, and Floyd Gray, Victoria, Texas; one brother, Sam Richardson, McDonald; four sisters, Cecilia Richardson, McDonald; Mrs. J. C. Sartain, Seagraves; Mrs. Anna Chickenheard, Sonora, California; and Mrs. Mary Sue Jordan, Odessa; three grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

## CHURCH NEWS

C. W. F. met Tuesday at 9:30 a. m. in regular meeting with Mrs. Marion McGinty.

The President Amrina Moore conducted a business meeting. The election of officers for the next two years were as follows:

President- Kay Green  
V. President- Marcene Phillips  
Sec. - Treas. - Jeaney Edwards  
Worship Director- Amrina Moore  
Study Director- Jewell Anderson

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An installation of officers will be held by Rev. Johnnie Moore in the First Christian Church June 1 at 9:30 a. m.

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## Pool Opens

The swimming pool will open May 30, and work is being completed on the pool this week, putting it in shape for summer use.

The pool has been cleaned and repaired, and Mrs. Jim Cooke will operate the pool again this year.

Passes will be distributed this week. All students in the county are admitted free of charge.

## CARDS OF THANKS

We would like to take this opportunity to say thanks to the many friends and neighbors for the many calls, cards and visits since my accident last week.

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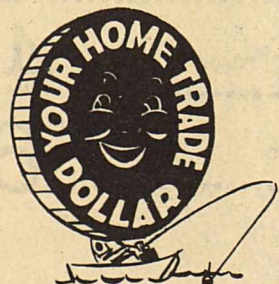
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**YOUR COUNTY AGENT**

BY LEO WHITE

Thirty two beef calves were weighed last Saturday afternoon for 4 - H and F. F. A. members to begin the beef calf gain contest. The contest is sponsored by G. W. Cleveland. The 279 day gain period will end on February 18, the first day of the 1966 show. Several of the beef calf feeders weighed in more than two animals which is the maximum number they can

enter in the show. Rex Swann was unable to weigh his two calves last Saturday which will make thirty four calves on feed and twenty five of them eligible for the show. More Angus calves are on feed this year than in prior years. The thirty four calves are 21 Herefords and 13 Angus. There is a possibility of all 13 of the Angus calves getting to the show which would leave room for only 12 Hereford and for the first time since the beginning of our show, the Angus would outnumber the Herefords. The following list of beef

calves shows the weights of the animals weighed in last Saturday afternoon:  
 David Box: 520, 423, 302, 300  
 Robert Field: 329, 260, 187, 171  
 Dianne Fitzgerald: 562  
 Lynne Fitzgerald: 172  
 Oscar Henard: 476, 356, 303, 184  
 Alton Earl McGinty: 468, 393, 305, 131  
 Kathleen McGinty: 276, 217, 189  
 Craig McPherson: 301, 267  
 Kathy McPherson: 296, 216  
 Rand McPherson: 335, 318  
 Don O'Keefe: 527  
 Patricia O'Keefe: 487  
 Gail Rucker: 385  
 Vicki Rucker: 365  
 Billy Taylor: 492

Weigh days will be held on the third Saturday of each month all through the feeding period. The June, July, and

**4-H CLUB NEWS**

The Blue Sage 4-H Club met on its regular meeting Saturday, May 8, 1965, at 8:00 p. m. in the club room. The meeting was called to order by Dianne Fitzgerald, presiding in the absence of the president Mike Loe. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Judy Smith, and the 4-H Pledge and Motto were given by Rojanna Harvey. Lynne Fitzgerald led the club in singing "Oh Dear, What Can the Matter Be." The roll was called.

August weigh days will be during the morning and beginning with September the weighing will be done in the afternoon.

**FARM TOPICS**

By Wilson Duke

Many local livestock farmers who have irrigated pastures such as midland bermuda grass have been watering and fertilizing the grass for about 30 days and the pastures are beginning to respond to the moisture and fertility. Grazing should begin at about the early booting stage on irrigated grasses and should be grazed to an average minimum height of about 5 inches on midland bermuda grass and an average minimum height of 10 inches on such grasses as switch grass and indian grass. To get maximum growth and quality from the grasses a watering cycle and fertilizing program should be set up and maintained, such as used for cotton or any clean tilled crop. Some local irrigated pasture that is doing a good job for the owner and operator can be seen on the J. D. Jones farm West of Denver City, the D. V. Phipps farm East of Denver City, Paul Cobb farm South East of Plains, and Loyd Alsip farm South West of Plains.

L. J. Cappleman, Texas State Director of the Farmers Home Administration, May 18 received the United States Department of Agriculture's coveted Superior Service Award which was presented by Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman during special ceremonies on the Washington Monument Grounds in Washington, D. C. Mr. Cappleman has been State Director for 12 years and a USDA employee for 30 years. His current residence is 2015 West Adams Avenue, Temple, Texas. Mr. Cappleman was cited "for exceptional effectiveness in program administration, agricultural leadership and institution of a farm management program to improve the living standards of Texas farm families." Besides the citation certificate, Cappleman received a silver medal. Howard Bertsch, Washington, D. C., the agency's administrator congratulated Cappleman and said that "this outstanding Farmers Home Administration State Director and his hard-working staff served some 127,000 Texas farmers and other rural residents during the fiscal year of 1964 alone, when they extended supervised credit totaling close to \$74.5 million."

**Farm Home News**

Mr. Cappleman emphasized that the importance of this rural credit program to Texas is clearly defined. "If each of the 74.5 million dollars loaned by the agency throughout the state last year passed through only five hands as they were spent and repaid, these loans would have had a cumulative economic impact of \$372.1 million." "He has made a major contribution to the strengthening of family farms and rural communities and the alleviation of poverty in rural Texas," Bertsch said.

A statement of achievement accompanying Cappleman's nomination for the award explains that while serving as state director for the past four years "he has exhibited remarkable leadership qualities in administering a program that has effectively carried out Farmers Home Administration objectives by formulating realistic programs designed to best serve eligible Texas farm families."

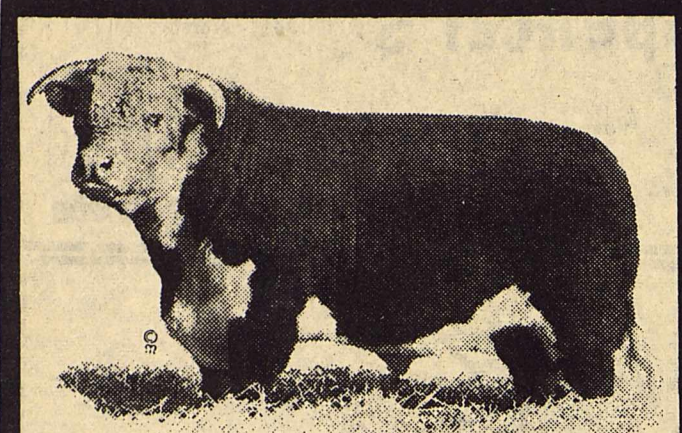
Following are a few of the agency's achievements under Award Winner Cappleman's leadership:

1. An estimated 100,000 Texas farm and rural residents are or soon will be enjoying an adequate safe water supply for the first time because Cappleman placed special emphasis on the agency's community water system loan program. The agency extended \$21,427,390 in supervised credit for the construction or expansion of 189 Texas community water systems during the period fiscal 1961 through fiscal 1965 up to March 31. This is the largest number financed by the agency in any of the 50 states or the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico.

2. In 1964, under Cappleman's direction, the incomes of 7,200 family farmers throughout Texas were strengthened by Farmers Home Administration loans totaling \$44,000,000 made during this period to operate, develop and buy family farms, and to refinance debts.

3. Cappleman also received credit for assistance given farm families in times of disasters brought about by hurricanes, freezing weather and drought.

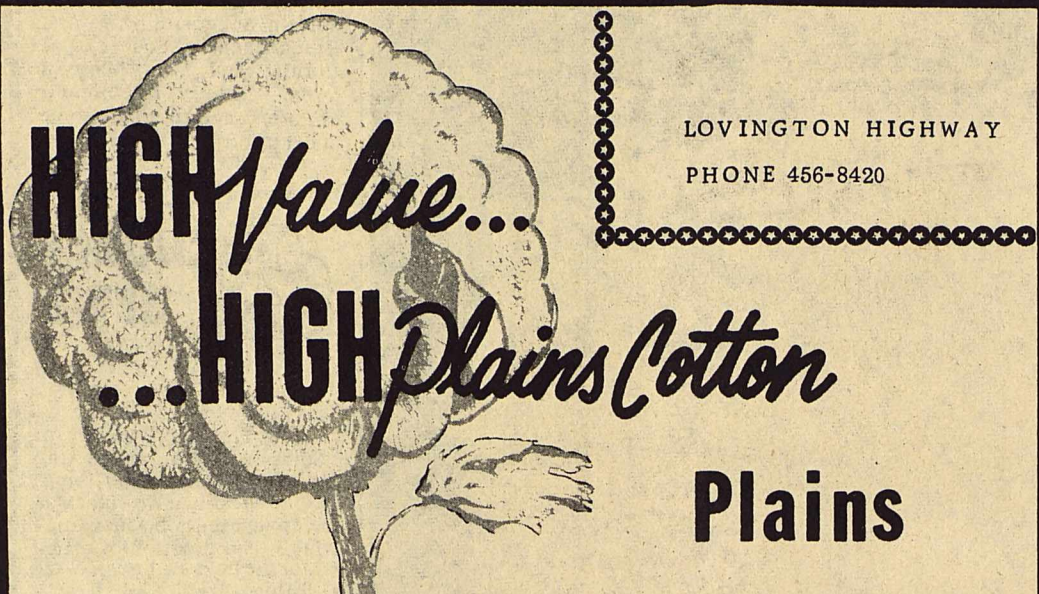
In recent months the Farmers Home Administration has made 3,845 emergency loans totaling \$23,708,035 in 208 designated Texas counties. Farmers getting needed operating finances were unable to obtain it from other sources. Under Mr. Cappleman's leadership, not only is the family type farmer receiving opportunity to increase his income, but many rural communities are experiencing new growth through the construction of new dwellings and, in many cases, the establishment of new businesses.



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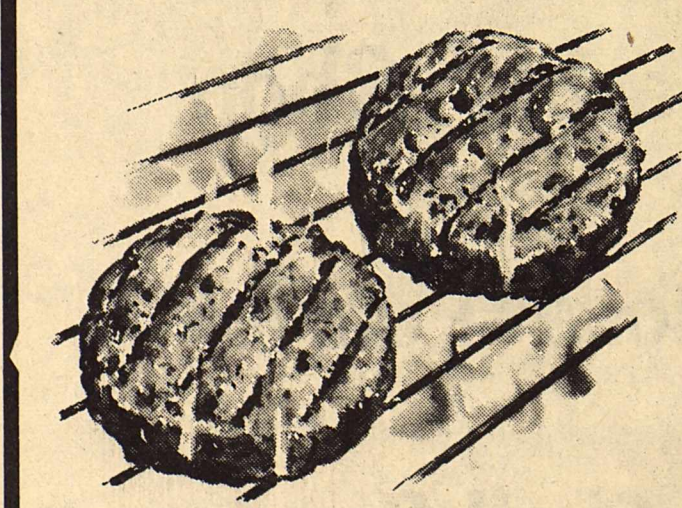
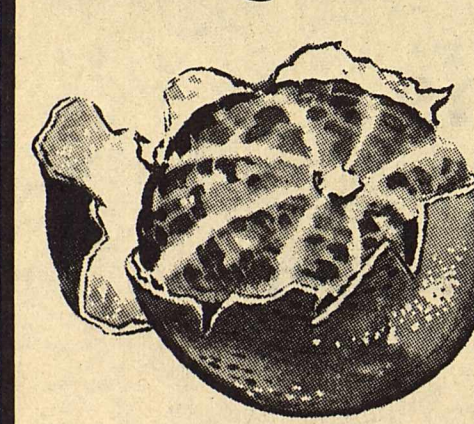
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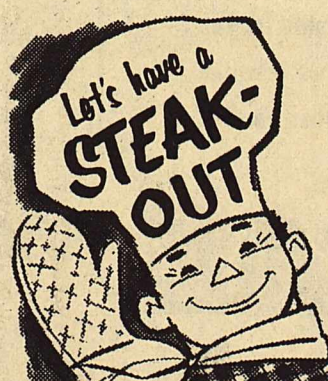
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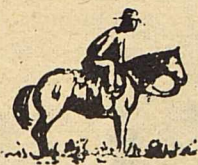
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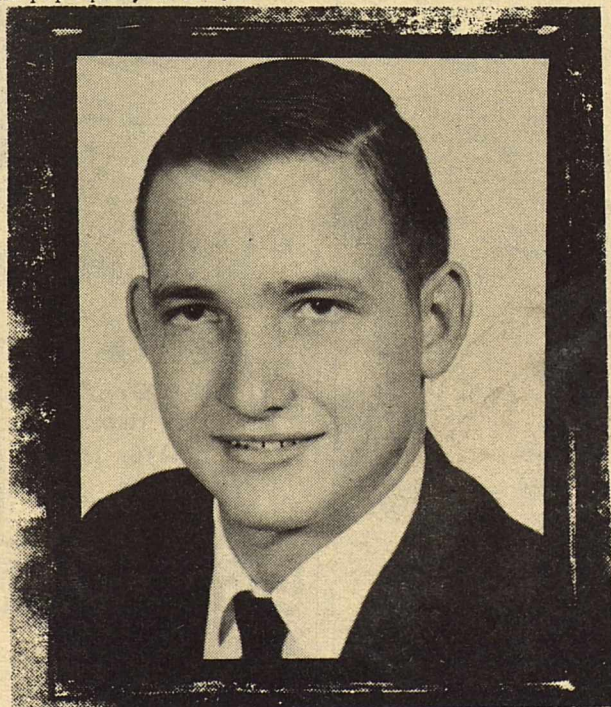
SARAH K. FIELD

Miss Sarah K. Field, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. Field, has been named Valedictorian with an average of 93.04. While in high school, besides maintaining a scholastic average, she has participated in many activities. Among those are co-editor of the Annual, President of the student body, Varsity Cheerleader, a member of the pep squad, in the Jun-

ior play and prose reading in the interscholastic league.

Sarah was elected Miss Plains High School, Most Beautiful, Sophomore Class Favorite, Football Queen Attendant, Senior Class reporter, Who's Who, and is the Valedictorian.

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G. D. Kennedy

### Top Boy

COY LOWREY

Coy Lowrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lowrey, was this year's highest ranking boy.

Coy was vice-president, of the student council and an officer of the F. F. A. for three years. He was elected Class Favorite his junior year, Most Likely to Succeed his Senior year, vice-president of the Junior Class, and Secretary of the Freshman Class.

He participated in Football, Basketball, and track.

Coy plans to attend college at West Texas State University at Canyon, Texas.

### Salutatorian



SYLVIA MCGINTY

The Salutatorian, Miss Sylvia McGinty, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick McGinty, has an overall scholastic average of 92.51.

Sylvia has belonged to the F. H. A. for three years and was the president this year. She was in the Junior play, belonged to the Science Club, a member of the annual staff, was elected Most Likely to Succeed, vice-president of the Band, went to Girls State her Junior year, assistant Drum Major, Who's Who, and is the Salutatorian. She has taken part in the interscholastic league, and has played volleyball, making the All State Tournament Team her junior year and the All Tournament Team her Senior year.

Sylvia plans to attend West Texas State University in Canyon majoring in Math.



D. N. Taylor  
Principal

My best wishes and sincere congratulations are extended to each member of this graduating class.

It is my hope and prayer that each of you will find happiness, health, and success in the years to come.

We have had many occasions to have been proud of you as students, and I know that there will be many more times in the future that we as your teachers will have reason to enjoy with you your continued success.

D. N. Taylor







BRENDA BLAIR

Brenda Merleen Blair is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barron Blair of Route 1, Plains. During her four years at Plains she has been in F. H. A., Pep Squad, and Science Club. In F. H. A. she has held the office of Reporter and Historian; in Science Club, Corresponding Secretary; Pep Squad, Treasurer; and was nominated Sr.

class favorite. She served as Captain of the volleyball team for 1965. Her plans for the present are to attend McMurry College and become a teacher



ROSA CASTILLO

Rose Climán Castillo is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Castillo of Plains, Texas. She belongs to the Future Teachers of America, F. H. A. Club, Pep Squad, Choir, Library Club, and the Plains High School Band.

After her graduation Rose plans to attend beauty college for six months. After that she plans to enter a business college.



HELEN CLANAHAN

Helen Lucille Clanahan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Clanahan of Route One Tokio, Texas.

Helen is a member of the Plains High School Band, is in the Pep Squad, and is a member of the F. H. A. Club.

Helen plans to attend Hardin-Simmons University this fall.

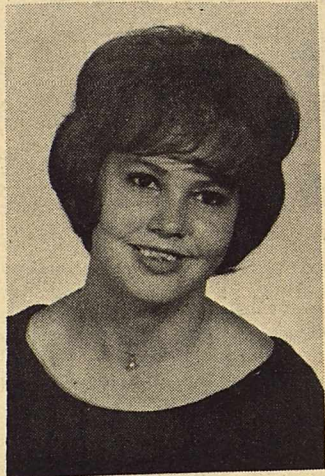
Jerri Ruth Clem is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. U. A. Clem of Plains. Activities she has participated in and offices held are F. H. A., parliamentarian and reporter; Student Council, reporter; Pep Squad, varsity cheerleader; Junior play; and extemporaneous speaking. Honors received by Jerri include Class Favorite, Most Witty, Track Queen, Halloween Queen nominee, manager of the volleyball team, and president of the Pep Squad. She plans to attend college at West Texas State University and major in Physical Education or Business.



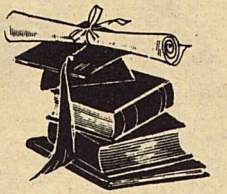
LAVERN (Sealy) DAVIS

LaVern (Sealy) Davis is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Sealy of Route One, Plains, Texas. She has been a member of the F. H. A. and the Pep Squad for three years. She was president of the Pep Squad and on the annual staff.

Mrs. Davis is married and will live in Tokio, Texas after her graduation.



JERRIE CLEM



*Congratulations to all*

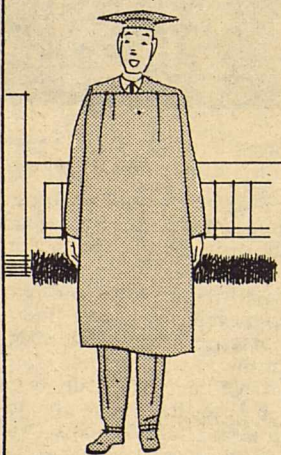


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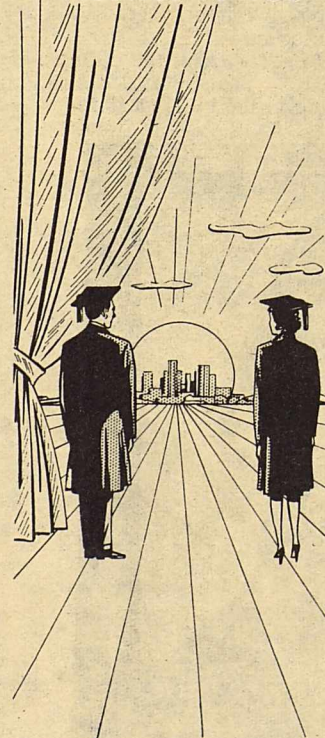


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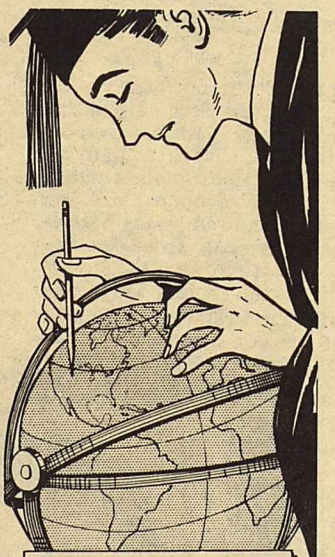


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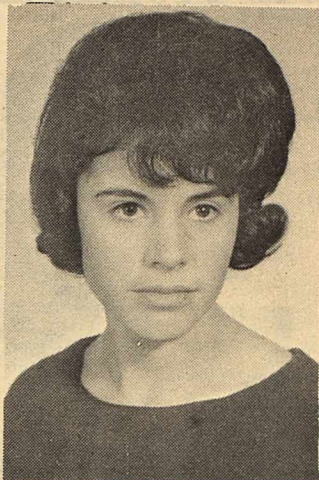
BRENDA MAE DUKE

Brenda Mae Duke is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Duke of Plains, Texas. She has been an active member of the F. H. A. and the Pep Squad. She also took part in the interscholastic one act play.

Brenda was elected reporter of her class as a freshman, and is the Secretary and Treasurer of the Pep Squad.

Upon graduation from high school Brenda plans to attend Arkansas State College in Jonesboro, Arkansas.

Tomasita M. Flores is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Flores of Plains, Texas. Tomasita has been a member of the F. H. A. and the Pep Squad for three years.



TOMASITA FLORES

She has taken part in the interscholastic league typing and shorthand contest.

Tomasita has not decided what her plans will be upon graduation from Plains High School.

Billy plans to attend college after graduation

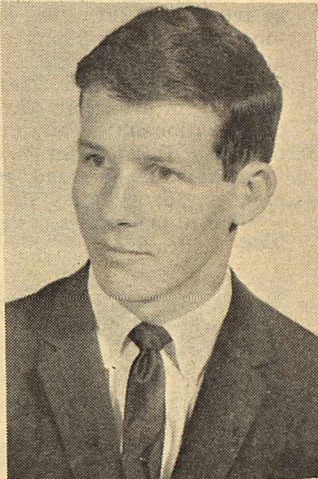


SHERLYN RAE GRAY

Sherlyn Rae Gray is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan M. (Tom) Gray of Tokio, Texas. She has been a member of the F. H. A. for three years and the Pep Squad for three years. She participated in Declamation in the interscholastic league and also in the interscholastic one act play contest.

Sherlyn was president of her class her freshman year.

This fall she plans to attend Jessie Lee's School of Hair Design in Lubbock, Texas.



BILLY D. GOLDSTON

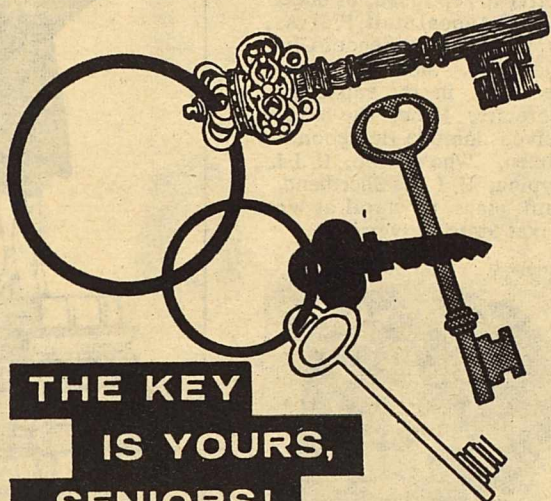
Billy Don Goldston is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Whsenhof of San Jose, California. Billy is a member of the F. F. A. Club, I. C. T. and the Science Club.

He was a representative of the Student Council. Billy has played Basketball for two years.



BETTY ANN HARRIS

Betty Ann Harris is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Harris, Plains. She has been a member of the Pep Squad, Science Club, F. H. A., and Annual Staff. Betty held offices in Science Club and Pep Squad. In sports she participated in tennis, representing Plains at the Regional meet held in Lubbock this year. Her plans are to attend Draughon's Business College.



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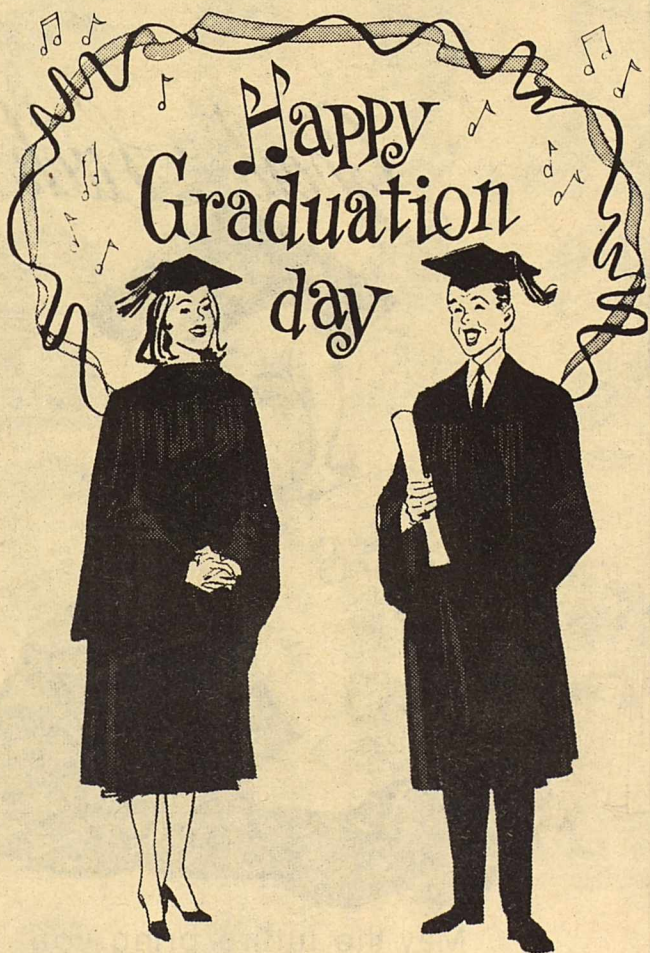
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LINDA KAREN HINKLE

Linda Karen Hinkle is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hinkle of Denver City, Texas. She has been a member of the Plains High School Band three years, a member of the F. H. A. Club for four years, and in the Pep Squad four years.

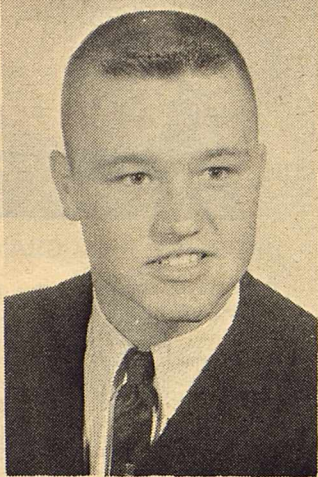
Linda has also been elected the F. H. A. Girl of the Month.

Linda plans to work for a time before entering college.



BRUCE LONG

Michael Bruce Long is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Long, Plains. Bruce was in the Junior Play, and served as president of his sophomore and senior classes. He was named Mr. Plains High School his senior year. Long was captain of the football team, lettered in football, basketball, and track. Bruce plans to enroll in college, but has not made his final selection.



JACK LOWE, JR.

Jack Lowe, Jr. is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lowe, Sr. of Plains. His activities include F. F. A., band, and the Junior play. He has served his class as president, reporter, and parliamentarian. Jack was active in sports representing his school in football, basketball, and track. He made all-district in football and basketball, and also was captain of both. Lowe plans to go to San Angelo Junior College, play football, and major in game preserve.

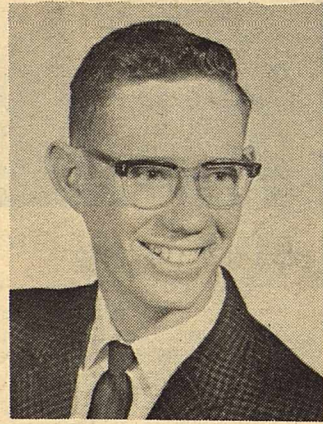
James Larry Newton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Newton, Route One, Plains, and is a member of the F. F. A., and was reporter for that club.

James played football and track. He plans to farm when he graduates.



DARLENE MCDONNELL

Helen Darlene McDonnell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. McDonnell, Plains. Darlene's activities during her four years in high school include Annual Staff, F. H. A., and Band. She has been quite active in band activities, serving as the Senior Representative on the Band Council, Quartermaster, and stage band. For her efforts in this organization she was awarded the John Philip Sousa Award for outstanding Sr. band member. South Plains Junior College in Lubbock is her choice.

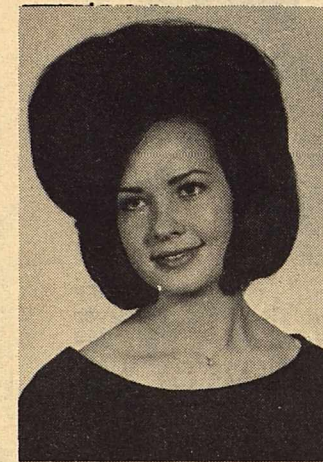


LARRY NEWTON



PAMELA JO PARROTT

Pamela Jo Parrott is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Parrott, Plains. She has been active in Pep Squad, as cheerleader; Annual Staff; F. H. A., as secretary; Science Club; and Choir. She has served her class in the capacity of secretary. Honors she has received include Homecoming Queen, Who's Who, U. I. L., Typing, U. I. L. Shorthand. Pam plans to enroll at West Texas State University.



PATSY DALE PERRIN

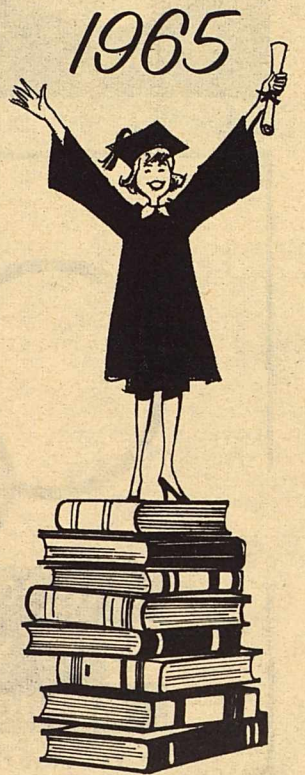
Patsy Dale Perrin is the daughter of Mrs. F. P. Perrin of Plains, Texas. Patsy belongs to the Plains High School

Band, the F. H. A. Club, Pep Squad, and was in the Junior Play.

She has held class offices, was voted Cutest Girl, Football Queen attendant, Halloween Queen, and Track Queen attendant.

She was also on the Volleyball team.

Patsy plans to work this summer and go to business college in the fall at Lubbock, Texas.



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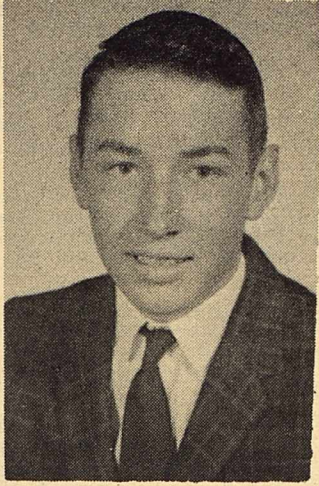
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PHARON PHARR

James Pharon Pharr is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Pharr of Plains, Texas. James has been a member of the F. F. A. for three years and took part in the Junior Play.

In his senior year he was elected vice-president of his class and has also held the office of treasurer of his class.

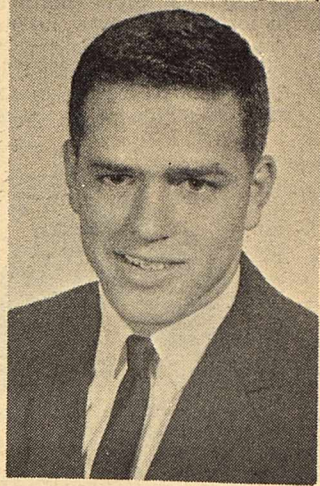
James has played Football and Track for three years.

In the fall James plans to Sul Ross College in Alpine, Texas.



SHARON ALENE PIERCE

Sharon Alene Pierce is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Pierce of Plains. She has been active all four years in F. H. A., Annual Staff, and Pep Squad. Sharon had the honor of winning State with a theme on Conservation her Sophomore year. She has been selected Girl of the Month in F. H. A., and was a candidate for Halloween Queen. Her sport is tennis having won second in Regional play. Sharon is planning to enroll at Draughton's Business College.



SIDNEY PIPPIN

Sidney Thomas Pippin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Pippin of Route Four Brownfield, Texas. He has been a member of the Plains High School Band for one year, a member of the F. F. A. for three years, and took part in the Senior Play.

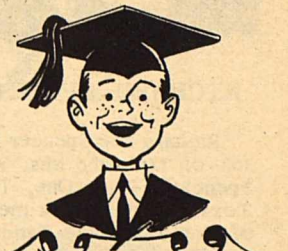
Pippin was elected President of the F. F. A. He also played Football for four years and track for four years.

Sidney plans to go to work upon his graduation.



KENNETH POWELL

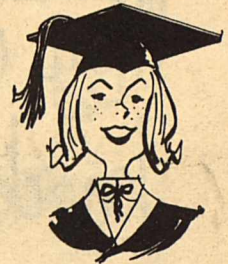
Kenneth Warren Powell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Foye Powell, Plains. He was a member of the Cowboy Band for four years, and in the Stage Band for two years. Kenneth was elected Senior Class Favorite because of his contributions to the class. In sports he was active in tennis for three years. Marriage has entered his plans and he intends to continue farming with his father and brother after he is married.



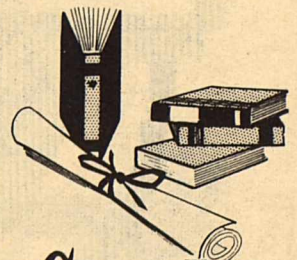
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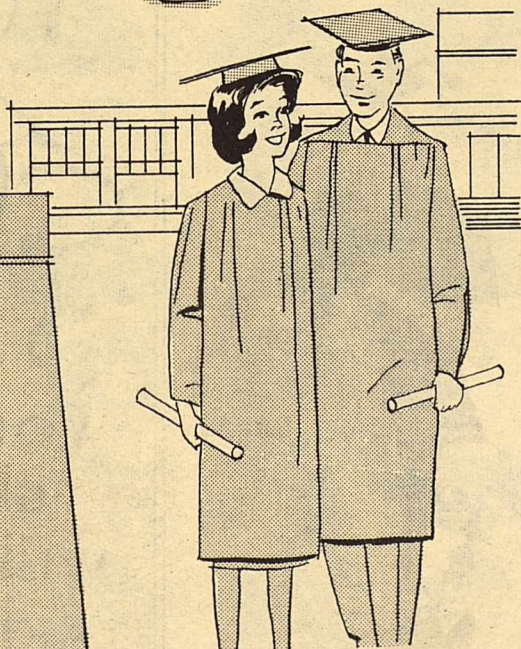


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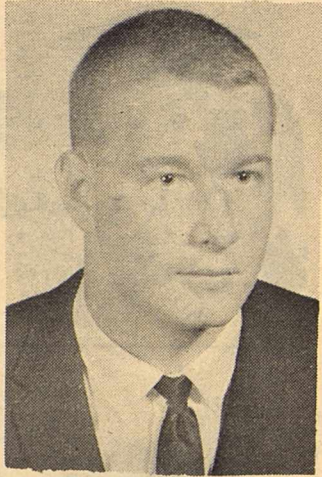
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RICHARD SPENCER

Richard Lee Spencer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Spencer of Route One, Tokio, Texas. Richard is a member of the F. F. A., Band, and was in the Junior Play.

Richard was elected Most Witty his senior year, vice-president, captain of the Football team, captain of the Track team, and made All District Football, and All South Plains Football his senior year. Richard played Football,

Track, and Basketball. North Texas State University is the college Richard plans to attend.



MARTHA JEANETTE TARKINGTON

Martha Jeanette Tarkington is the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Tarkington. She has been a member of F. H. A., Choir, Junior play, Pep Squad, and Future Nurses of America. Martha was elected Most Witty

by the student body during her Junior year. In sports she played for one year on the volleyball team. She is planning to enroll in college in the fall but is undecided as to where.



DOROTHY ANN TAUNTON

Dorothy Ann Taunton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Taunton, Route 1, Plains. She was active in F. H. A., Pep Squad, Annual Staff, and was in the Junior play. She served as pianist of the F. H. A. and V. President of the Pep Squad. Dorothy plans to enroll for the summer session at Auburn University in Alabama, on June 14.



SANDRA KAY (Randall) TEAFF

Sandra Kay (Randal) Teaff is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Randall of Plains, Texas. She was a member of the F. H. A. for four years, the Science Club, Pep Squad, and was on the annual staff.

She was elected to Who's Who, and was class secretary her Junior year. She played Volleyball for four years.

Mrs. Teaff is married and lives in Plains.

Jana Gyen Warren is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Warren of Plains, Texas. She is a member of the F. H. A. and has received her State Degree. She has been Treasure and Parliamentarian for that group. Jana is on the annual staff and is vice-president of the Science Club. She is president of the Band, on the Band Council, and is a twirler.

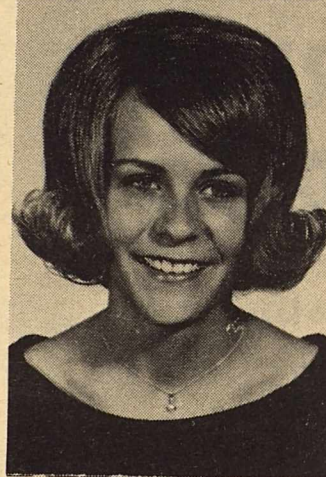
As a freshman she was elected Class Favorite. When she was a sophomore she was elected Cutest Girl, Football Queen attendant, and Secretary of the Class. As a junior she was elected Cutest Girl, Football Queen attendant, Class Treasure and was in the Junior Play. In her senior year she was elected F. F. A. Sweetheart, Football Queen, Class Treasure, Band Sweetheart attendant and in the interscholastic league poetry reading contest.

She has been on the volleyball team for four years.

In the fall Jana will enter Texas Tech College where she will major in Speech Therapy.

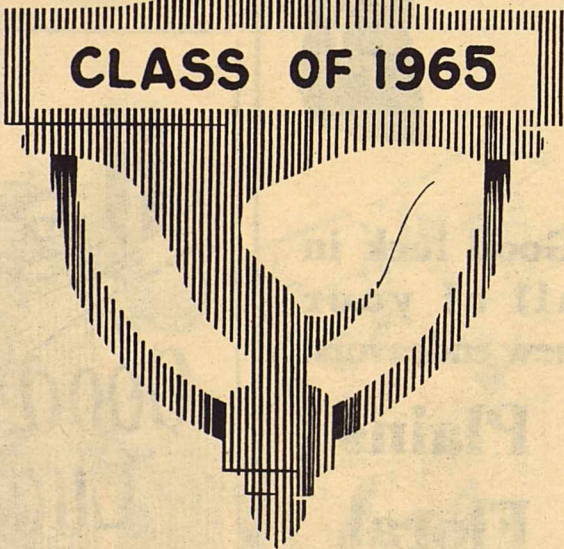


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Pearl Castillo  
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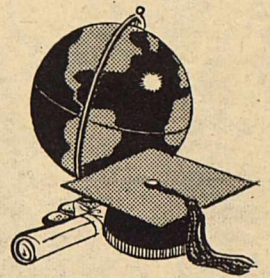
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Rosemary Cockerham  
Bruce Cockerham  
Tommy Crawford  
Paula Etheridge  
Ruby Ethridge



Doris Everett  
Rhonda Everett  
Sonja Faulkenbery  
Robert Field  
Greg Fitzhugh



Charlene Gayle  
Janis Green  
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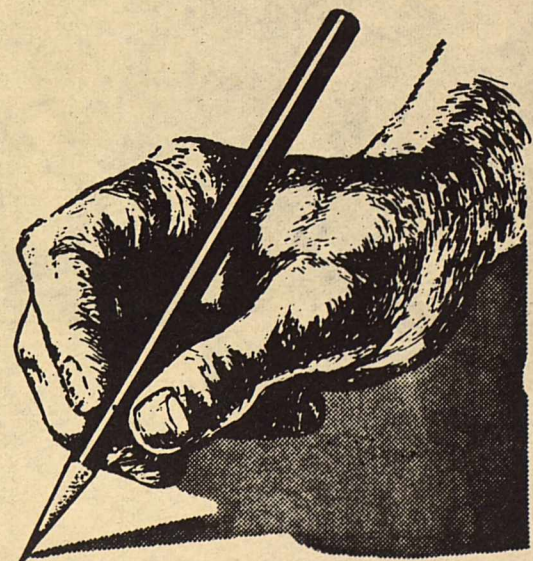
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Vernon Stach



Rheanell Strickland  
Terrie Taylor  
Gay Trout  
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*We share with you, your pride in graduation and look forward toward the future as you make your mark in whatever field you have chosen.*

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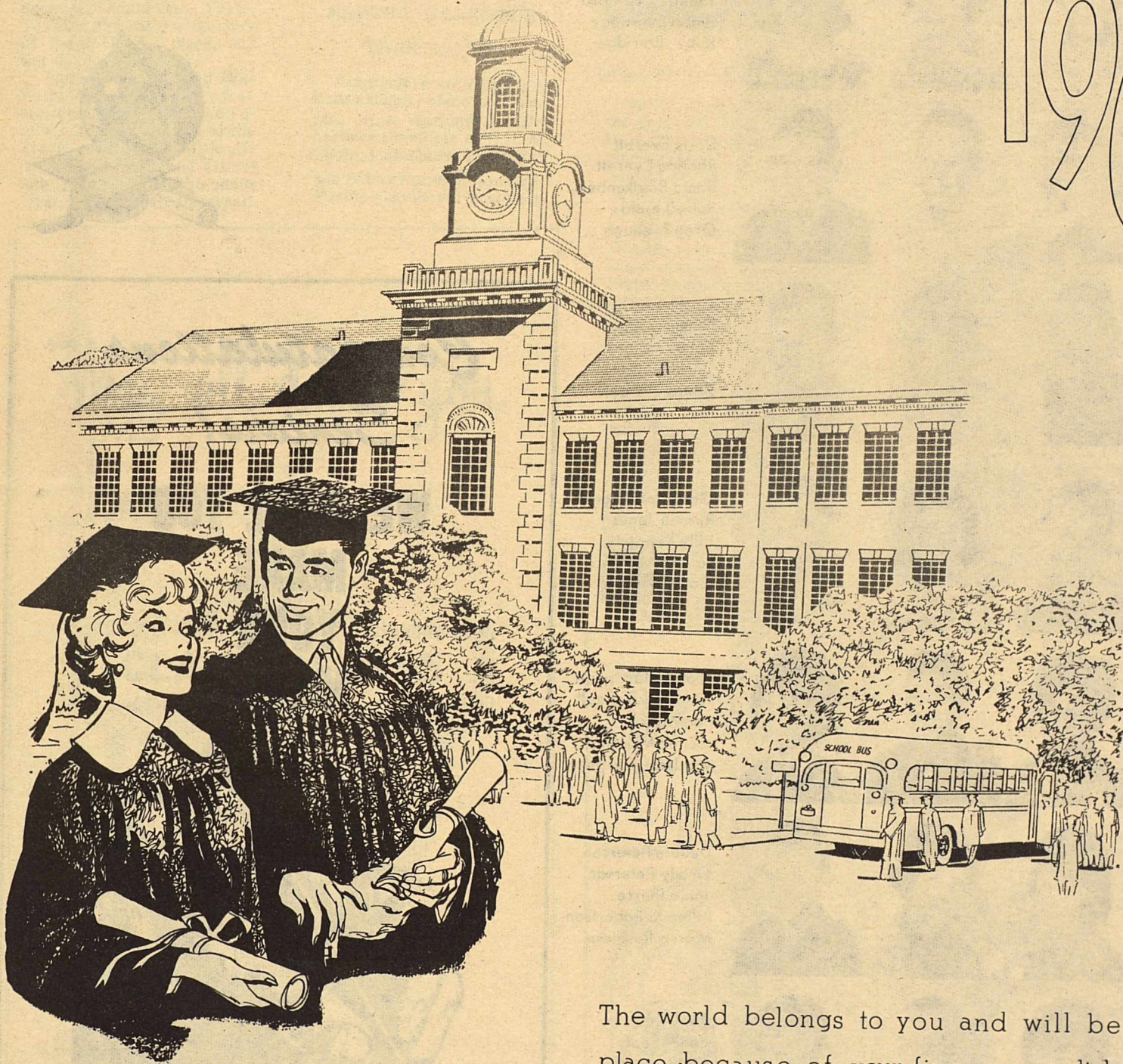
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