

COWBOYS FOOTBALL SEASON ENDS WITH LOSS TO COOPER

The Plains Cowboys wound up their 1969 football season last Friday night when they lost to the Cooper Pirates 53 to 0 on the Pirate's home field.

As has been the case throughout the season, the Cowboys were greatly over matched both in weight and experience. Nevertheless, this spirited little team again fought hard to the last play.

The Pirates not only racked up a fine yardage rushing, they passed for approximately 180 yards of their total yardage.

This is by far the best passing record scored against the Cowboys this year.

The Cowboys were unable to get into the air, yet they were able to net 260 yards to the Pirates 409 rushing. Their record of 21 to 26 first downs was a fine accomplishment. The Cowboys handled the ball well having only two fumbles and the penalty record of only 30 yards, speaks well for their discipline under heavy pressure.

Gary Livesay at half back, a fine broken field runner spiced

the game for the fans by carrying the ball 31 times for 187 yards, his finest game of the season. Tony Chandler, the one Freshman to start the season on the varsity team, accounted for 46 yards on 14 carries and Louis Howard carried the ball for 54 yards of the Cowboys rushing gains.

Jim Taylor, Plains great punter, was pinned down last week when the Cowboys' line was overrun and Taylor had his punt blocked for the first time during the season. On another

occasion he was forced to run. Taylor's punting has been one of the high points of the Cowboys' game all season.

The Cowboys have come through a badly mauled team which has been fraught with injuries from the first of the season. Many of the fine players who started this year have

been lost. The final blow being struck when John Lowe, the fine all around athlete was injured at Coahoma. This was a loss the Cowboys were unable to overcome.

To sum up the 1969 season, it can be noted that while the Cowboys were not at the top in the district, neither were they at the bottom. They have played a great game. Plains can be proud of these fellows, every one of them for the way they have played. They can also be proud of their coaching staff for their persistency and optimism in face of an arduous task. They have all done a commendable job. With this, finis is written to the 1969 football season as other tasks are undertaken.

TSA MO GA CLUB HOSTS CAPROCK DISTRICT MEETING

Members of the Tsa Mo Ga Club will be hostesses to the Caprock District Workshop on Saturday, at the Elementary School in the Activity Room beginning at 9:30. All members are urged to be present and participate in this meeting. The theme of the Workshop is "Caprock Federation Home". Mrs. Le Roy Johnson, of Lubbock and Morton, the First Vice-President of the District, is program chairman of the event. Visitors are welcome. Come out and enjoy and benefit from a day of Education and pleasure spent with some of the outstanding women of this area. Lunch will be served at noon in the School Cafeteria.

The program on the Department of Conservation, International Affairs and Texas Heritage will be presented. Invocation 10:00 a.m. --- Mrs. R. B. Jones, Plains, Texas. Welcome --- Mrs. Bob Blundell, President Tsa Mo Ga. Progress Report --- Mrs. Lee Roy Johnson, (Building Supervisor) Conservation Department "Landscape Artists" --- Mrs. Ovid Lowlis (Conservation Chair-

man), Mrs. Gail McCullough (Junior Chairman) "Face Lifting" --- Mrs. Cecil Cole (Beautification Div.) "Showers Of Blessings" --- Mrs. J. T. Gee (Land and Water Resources) "Safe or Sorry" --- Mrs. G. W. Poulson (Air-Water Pollution) "Fun Time" --- Mrs. C. H. Hartel (Recreation-Youth Activities)

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SANTA'S COMING TO TOWN

Saturday, December 13th at 2:30 p.m. will be a gala time for the young folks of Plains, for at that time Santa Claus will arrive in all of his glory with bags of candy, nuts and fruits for all the little ones present. Santa Day is being made possible in Plains by the

combined efforts of the Tsa Mo Ga Club, the Lions Club and the Chamber of Commerce.

Everyone should be informed of this date, for this event will be a real thriller for the Kiddies.

COACH LAUDS COWBOYS EFFORTS

by Coach Jim Warren

The 1969 Cowboy football team, although not a winner on the score board, made significant gains toward returning Plains to the winners' circle.

By season's end many key positions were held down by Sophomores and Freshmen. Although it is difficult to play Freshmen and Sophomores,

one bright spot emerges. That is some of these younger players will be back for 2 or 3 more years. The coaching staff is looking forward to the day when these people mature.

Injuries played a key role in the Cowboy's fortunes this year as 4 starters were completely lost before the season ended. These individuals were Lance Smith (offensive tackle), Ronnie Rains (back), John Lowe (back), and Eddie Moore (end). Lesser injuries forced some people to miss several games.

The coaching staff felt that the youngsters representing Plains this year gave 100% each time they played and this is extremely important.

The coaching staff would like to thank the entire community for the outstanding support given to our football teams this year.

FFA TURKEY SHOOT

The Future Farmers of America will hold a turkey shoot Saturday, November 22nd from 9:30 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. This will be a trap shoot using clay pigeons. Everyone is invited to come and bring their own gun. Guns will be available for those not having their own.

An old fashioned turkey shoot is always a pleasant get-together and you may win your Thanksgiving Turkey. Entry fee will be two dollars (\$2.00). You all come.

CHECK MEDICINE CABINETS

Special attention should be given to the CURRY PHARMACY Ad this week.

Folks in and around Plains are so accustomed to having the services of a drug store six days a week and emergency service Sundays, night time and holidays, that special attention needs to be given to the notice in this week's paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Curry expect to spend Thanksgiving in Kansas with their son, Shirley. Plains will be without both a pharmacist and mayor for several days as Mr. Roy Edwards attends a homecoming with his high school Alma Mater. Many folks will need to check their prescription supply in view of this short shut down in Plains only drug supply.

TOPS BAKE SALE

The TOPS Club will have a Thanksgiving Bake Sale November 24, 1969 at the Post Office starting at 10:00 a.m. Everyone is invited to come by and support this club.

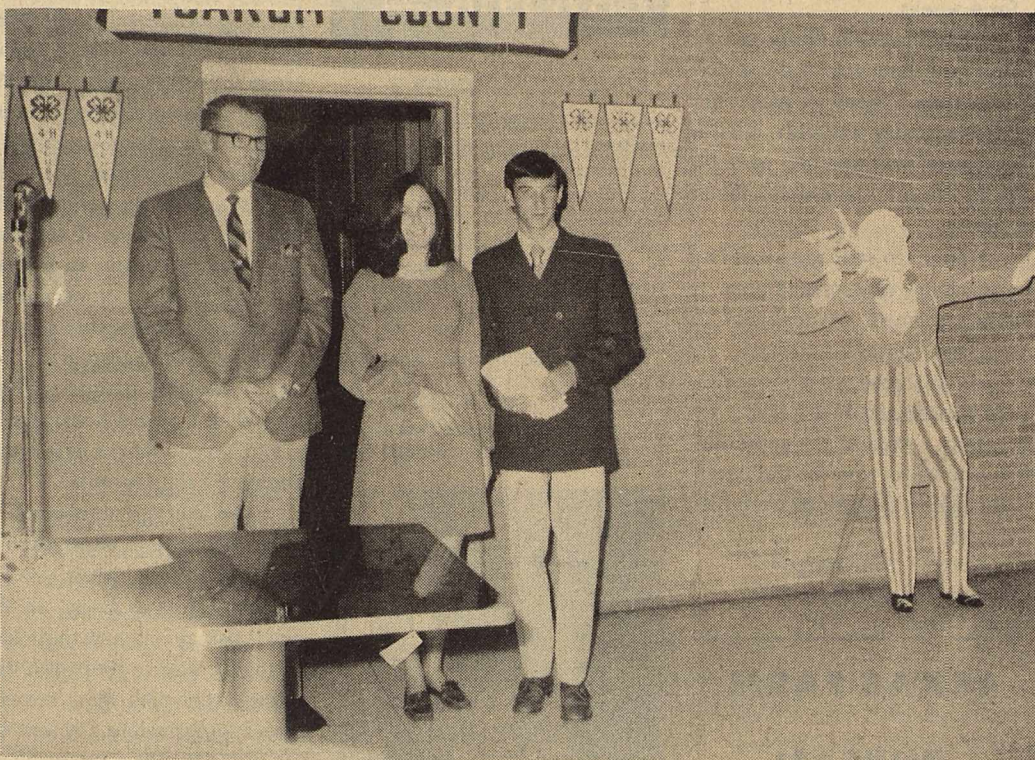
FOOTBALL CONTEST WINNERS

Our football contest is concluded with this announcement of last weeks winners. We wish to thank everyone for helping to make this contest a success. We hope everyone has enjoyed it as much as we have. See you next year.

1st Jackie Hayes
2nd Wilson Duke
3rd Mrs. Doyle Sudduth

NOTICE

PLEASE HAVE YOUR NEWS IN BY TUESDAY NOON IF YOU WANT IT TO APPEAR IN THE PAPER ON THURSDAY.



Judge Gene Bennett picture with 4-H Gold Star winners, Nancy Long and Jerry Brian.

JERRY BRIAN AND NANCY LONG

WIN 4-H GOLD STAR

by Leo L. White, CAA

Eighty one 4-H Club members and thirty one volunteer adult leaders were recognized Saturday night at the annual 4-H awards program held in the Plains School Cafeteria. The highlight of the program was the naming of the boy and girl to receive the Gold Star Award, County Judge Gene H. Bennett announced that Nancy Long, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Long, Route 1, Seagraves was selected as the 1969 Gold Star Girl in Yoakum County. He also announced Jerry Brian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus L. Brian, Route 1, Plains as the Gold Star Boy. Nancy is 17 years of age and a 1969 graduate of Denver City High School. At present she is attending Lubbock Christian College. Jerry is 16 and a senior at Plains High School.

Year pins signifying the completion of a 4-H project program were presented to the following:
First Year: Sheilla Alred, Shella Alred, Jeff Avara, Rex Avara, Bayne Bacon, Keith Beck, Steve Beck, Debra Crain, Marvin Deering, Holly Gayle, Nelda Haines, Vicki Harland, Brenda Hobbs, Diann Hobbs, Gayle Hobbs, Patricia Irwin, Peggy Miller, Judy Mitchell, Gale Newman, Vicki Payne, Brenda Perkins, Tonya Sparger, Kevin Spears, Anita Strickland, Cynthia Walser, Rhonda Weaver, Janice Williams, Donna Willis, Ty Wilmeth, Chris Winn, Johnny Ziegenfuss, Mary Ziegenfuss and Patsy Ziegenfuss.
Second Year: Kenneth Altman, Kreig Blount, Tim Bowers, Brad Crump, Carol Ferguson, Suzanne Greenfield, Robbie Hale, Dickie Hartman, Carol Keen, Kristy

Keen, Donna Long, Delores Patton, Dianne Redwine, Stephanie Sparks, Karen Willis and Jet Wilmeth.

Third Year: Debbie Addison, Jena Altman, Lanette Bell, Donna Jo Cheatham, Melvin Deering, Terry Holder, Carolyn Richardson, Cindy Smith, Tony Spears, Matt Squyres, La Fonda Thompson, La Gatha Thompson, Terry Thompson and Shelly Williams.
Fourth Year: Tommy Guy Box, Dale Cleveland, Paula Crump, Geraldine Murphy, Denise Newsom and Sherri Pippin.
Fifth Year: Gwen Fitzgerald, Nancy Long, Gail Rucker, Donna Warren and Jackie Webb.
Sixth Year: Jerry Brian, Debbie Chadwick, Sue Cleveland, Kathleen McGinty and Vicki Rucker.
Seventh Year: Bruce Bennett and Lynn Fitzgerald.

Volunteer adult leaders receiving certificates were: Mrs. A.K. Altman, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Addison, Mrs. John Avara, Mrs. D.C. Bell, Mr. Kenneth Blount, Mrs. Tom Box, Mrs. Leon Cheatham, Mr. and Mrs. G.W. Cleveland, Mrs. J.M. Deering, Mr. Johnnie Fitzgerald, Mrs. Keller Greenfield, Mrs. R.G. Hartman, Mr. Darrell Lindsey, Mr. and Mrs. A.E. McGinty, Mrs. A.K. Mitchell, Mrs. Sidney Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Phillips, Mrs. Malone Redwine, Mrs. H.A. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Rucker, Mr. and Mrs. L.L. Smith, Mrs. V.L. Sparks, Mrs. Leon Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Winn. Medals were presented to 4-H members who ranked at the top of their group in each of

the following 4-H projects: ACHIEVEMENT: Donna Warren and Jackie Webb. BREAD: Dickie Hartman, Donna Long, Judy Mitchell and La Fonda Thompson. CLOTHING: Lanette Bell, Carol Ferguson, Suzanne Greenfield and Shelly Williams. DIARY FOODS: Debbie Addison, Bayne Bacon, Diann Hobbs and Donna Willis. DRESS REVUE: Terry Holder, Carol Keen and Sherri Pippin. FOOD-NUTRITION: Tommy Guy Box, Melvin Deering, Cindy Smith and Stephanie Sparks.

FOOD PRESERVATION: Donna Jo Cheatham, Debra Crain, Geraldine Murphy and Tonya Sparger. HOME MANAGEMENT: Jena Altman and Carolyn Richardson. HORSE: Denise Newsom. LEADERSHIP: Jerry Brian, Nancy Long and Vicki Rucker. SHEEP: Bruce Bennett. SWINE: Kreig Blount.

Jerry Brian was the master of ceremonies for the program which was enjoyed by approximately 200 people. 4-H Club members presented the entire program which was highlighted by a patriotic skit expressing loyalty to the Flag and to the Nation.

PANCAKE SUPPER

The FHA is sponsoring their annual pancake supper the night of November 21, 1969, from 5:00 until 7:00 p.m. Tickets will be \$1.00 for adults and \$.75 for children under 12. This is the night of the Cowboys first basketball game. Come and eat, and go to the game and support the Cowboys.

LIVESTOCK REPORTS NEEDED

During the last half of November, some 40,000 Texas ranchers and farmers will receive a livestock survey questionnaire from Gary Palmer, State Statistician for the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service. This is a joint endeavor of the Texas Department of Agriculture and the Statistical Reporting Service, USDA, to provide a program of county estimates for Texas.

In Texas there are 254 counties, and each farmer and rancher in each county is an important part of the State's Agriculture. Their reports are needed to provide accurate estimates for Texas cattle, hogs and chickens. Another survey on sheep and goats will be made in late December.

The Yoakum County Technical Action Panel urge each farmer and/or rancher to fill out his questionnaire carefully and return it promptly in the self-addressed envelope to the Agricultural Statistician. This will do much to provide the accurate data needed for the State.

County data bulletins for 1968 are now available by writing the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, Box 70, Austin, or by writing John C. White, Texas Commissioner of Agriculture, P.O. Drawer BB Capitol Station, Austin, Texas.

TRAILOR REGULATIONS STATED

Joe Cox, State Highway Patrolman, stated that requirements for cotton trailers were the same as last year. However, a change has been made in regard to towing equipment. This year only one trailer may be drawn by a passenger car. Two trailers may be drawn by a pickup or truck as the overall length of the unit does not exceed 65 feet. Li-

ghting requirements are: two bright red reflectors on rear of trailer, one red tail light, one stop light; the latter three may be a combination unit.

All trailers with a gross weight, loaded or empty exceeding 4,000 pounds must bear a license plate.

Observance of these regulations will save time and inconvenience to both the hauler and the Patrolman.

ACTION COMMITTEE MEETS

The steering committee for the Action Committee being formulated in Yoakum County in conjunction with the Office of Equal Opportunity met in the district courtroom at 2:00 p.m. November 13th.

Mr. Howard Madders of Lubbock office of OEO met with the Yoakum County Committee at which time a budget was drawn up for the operation of the local organization. Mr. Leo White was elected to represent the Yoakum County committee and present the proposed budget to the South Plains Regional Planning Committee in whom is vested the authority to apportion OEO funds. When these first steps have been taken the local organization becomes an actual-

ity and start to function. Requests for this organization are being made and a very definite need is in evidence.

E.B. PARROTT DIES

SEMINOLE (Special) - Services for Elijah B. (Tex) Parrott, 51, were held at 3 p.m. Saturday, November 15th in the First Baptist Church here with the Rev. Gene Hawkins, pastor, officiating. Burial will be directed by Seminole Memorial Chapel.

Parrott was killed Thursday in a two-vehicle collision eight miles west of here on the Hobbs highway.

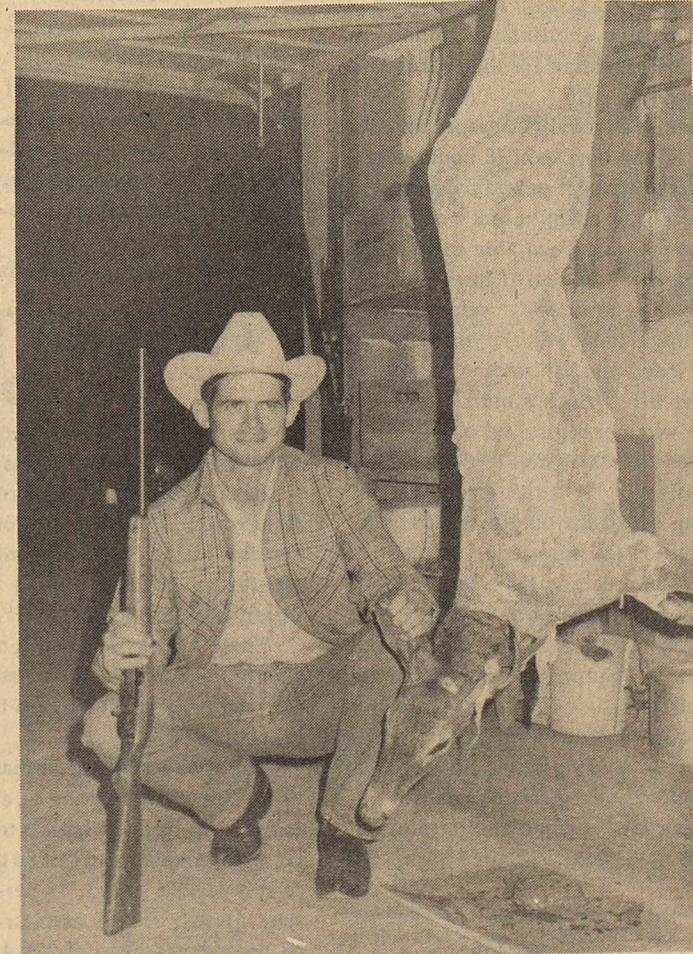
A resident of Seminole two years, he was a former resident of Plains where he was employed by the Ross-Irrigation Co. He was a member of the Odd Fellows and the American Legion. He was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Katherine; a daughter, Pam; two sons, Clark and Mark; his mother; a brother; and two sisters.

WEATHER REPORT

The weather this week has been variable to the point of the extreme as the first real winter visited the plains with a dry hard freeze. Day time temperatures toppled from a summer like high of 75° to a cool 44°, and night time from a comfortable 44° to the season's low which bottomed out with a cold 16°. While colder weather was expected, the 16° came as a surprise. Temperatures for the week are as follows:

High for the week----- 75°
High average----- 64°
Low for the week----- 16°
Low average----- 38°
Precipitation----- 0



Joe Pierce got his 9 point buck on the second day of open deer season in Texas. Mr. Pierce got his deer on Mr. N.J. Etheridge's ranch 15 miles south of Menard, Texas. Mr. Etheridge is Mr. Pierce's grandfather. Joe is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Pierce.



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EDITORIALS

TEXAS COMMON LAW NOT NEW

To many the existence of a common law marriage and the provisions of such a marriage in the state of Texas is unknown. However, such a law has been on the statute books since the year of 1840. Lack of this knowledge has brought undue criticism to bear upon the State Legislature. With the announcement of some change in the provisions of the law has come the assumption of the uninformed, that the entire law was a new enactment, which is an unqualified assumption. To clarify this misunderstanding, we are printing in full a release from the chairman of the Family Law Section of the State Bar of Texas who proposed the new provisions to the Legislature. We feel this will prove enlightening to many of our readers.

AUSTIN -- The chairman of the Family Section of the State Bar of Texas said today that alarm of parents and others over new provisions of the Family Code passed in the last legislative session is a result of considerable misunderstanding.

"Some parents and others have the idea that the Legislature threw the door wide open to common law marriage for minors. This just isn't true," the chairman, Orba Lee Malone of El Paso, said.

"The only change in the new law, which becomes effective January 1, is a provision for recording such marriages when they meet three requirements that have long been established for common marriages of minors or anyone else," Malone said.

"The recording process will provide a method of preserving the evidence of the existence of the common law marriage for proof of the legitimacy of children and for proof of the marriage in order to obtain such benefits as Social Security.

"Many lawyers believe that other provisions of the new law will give parents greater -- not less -- control over their children's marriages by providing a legal means for parents to bring suit to annul underage common law marriages as well as underage ceremonial marriages.

"The present law gives parents no power to bring a suit to annul their children's marriage, Malone said.

Malone explained how the changes came about. In 1965, the Family Law Section undertook, at the request of the State Bar of Texas, to recommend to the Texas Legislature a new Family Code. Teams of practicing attorneys, judges, and law professors have spent years drafting the code, and work is still under way. In 1967 the portion of the code dealing with matrimonial property was passed, and in the 1969 Legislature the title dealing with marriage, divorce and annulment was passed. As drafted by the Family Law Section and approved by the State Bar Board of Directors the new law would have abolished common law marriages contracted after a specified date. At the same time it provided for the registration of existing valid common law marriages. Since these marriages already exist, it was believed desirable to provide some method of proving their existence.

The Legislature deleted the provision abolishing common law marriage and left in the provision providing for the registration of existing common law marriages.

"Thus, it is true," said Malone, "as some newspaper articles have declared, that girls over 14 and boys over 16 could enter into a valid common law marriage without parental consent and get the marriage registered at the county clerk's office.

"But youngsters of this age have always been able to form common law marriages without parental consent if they met the three requirements of a common law marriage," said Malone. The requirements are (1) agreement to be husband and wife, (2) living together as husband and wife, and (3) holding themselves out to the public as husband and wife. Such a marriage has always been valid, said Malone, whether registered or not.

"But the registration itself does not really create the common law marriage," Malone emphasized. "It is the agreement, the living together, and the holding out to the public as husband and wife which creates the common law marriage. A casual or a secret illicit relationship cannot be a valid common law marriage. This has been the law in Texas since 1840."

The difference under the new law, said Malone, is that now the parents probably have a new weapon in that they can bring suit to have the marriage annulled.

"In summation," said Malone, "we of the Family Law Section believe that the Family Code provisions passed by the last Legislature constitutes a sound piece of legislation and a substantial improvement over existing law, and we are grateful to the Legislature for accepting as many of our proposals as it did."

ORIGINATED WITH BIBB FRANKFORT, Ky. (AP) John B. Bibb, an amateur horticulturist, developed Bibb Lettuce in his garden at Frankfort.

The lettuce has since won worldwide acceptance as a salad delicacy.

Franklin Delano Roosevelt was identified on his official inaugural medals as the 31st President of the United States. Some people hold, and some do not, that since Grover Cleveland was both the 22nd and 24th President, Roosevelt actually was the 32nd.

TAX MAN SAM SEZ



For a number of years we have visited your homes throughout North Texas by appearing regularly in your local paper. One of our themes that we repeat once or twice a year, has been -- "It pays to look over those tax records before the end of the year." Sometimes you need to consider buying or selling some property, equipment, or taking some other action that would affect the amount of income tax that you would owe. Keeping good records and planning your tax affairs is just plain good business. Another theme repeated over the years has been "Don't wait until April 15." There won't be any better time between now and December 31 for you to look over your records, decide what your tax situation is, and take whatever business actions you feel are needed. If you wait until January 1 it will be too late because you will be in a new year. If you wait until April 15 you probably won't even be able to find your records to take those deductions. So -- NOW is a good time.

I went to the hospital in Seagraves last August 5th. I stayed about 2 weeks where I was treated for phlebitis, kidney poison, and high blood pressure.

I stayed at home for about 2 weeks--spending most of my time in bed. During my 2 weeks stay in bed I saw my doctor in Lubbock, Dr. Lee Hewitt, who asked to run some laboratory test. Then I went to an Irving doctor and he referred me to a Dallas doctor, Dr. Joe Robert, who treated me for 4 weeks. He treated me for similar problems as Dr. Bill McColluch at Seagraves had. I also had a blood clot in my left lung and had to have complete bed rest for 4 weeks.

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It was good for me to see my old friends and loved ones. May I express my appreciation to all of you for the cards and letters I received during my illness.

Sincerely,
R. B. Wason

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

The Board of Directors of the American Cancer Society met Tuesday, November 11, in the home of Mrs. C. A. Bickley in Denver City.

The Yoakum County Unit, along with 24 other county units, has been placed in the Lubbock District with Ed Lowe as field director.

The meeting was opened by Mrs. C. A. Bickley, president, and minutes read by Mrs. P. W. St. Romain.

Mrs. Roy Guetersloh reported that there are a number of new films and new material on cancer available and plans are being made to get some of this material for the Plains schools.

Mr. Lowe told of interest in Lubbock of the youth who have organized a group called YAOS or Youth Against Cancer.

They are of tremendous help to the American Cancer Society as they have taken over many jobs.

Mr. Lowe then presented lovingly 10 year service award pins to Mrs. C. A. Bickley of Denver City and Mrs. P. W. St. Romain of Plains.

Mrs. Bickley served a delicious luncheon to five members of the Board and Mr. Lowe.

The next meeting will be held in Plains sometime in January.

ASSIGNED TO VIETNAM

U. S. ARMY, VIETNAM--Army Private First Class Harvey R. Stephens, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Stephens, Lamesa, Texas, was assigned Oct. 10 to the American Division in Vietnam as a mortarman.

His wife, Sharion, lives in Plains, Texas.

ACCIDENTS IN YOAKUM COUNTY

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated three accidents on rural highways in Yoakum County during the month of October according to Sergeant Hal Pirtle, Highway Patrol Supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in five persons injured and an estimated property damage of \$8,000.00.

The rural accident summary for this county during the ten months of 1969 shows a total of 28 accidents resulting in two persons killed, 19 persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$71,435.00.

Traffic wise, November and December are noted as dangerous months for pedestrians. During the last two

Dear Editor and Friend,
You remember many years ago your wondering in a sandstorm and there we met. Have you forgotten that time?

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TEXAS FARM BUREAU MEMBERSHIP INCREASES

The Texas Farm Bureau this year scored its largest annual membership gain in 13 years, with a total count at year's end of 116,622, according to Wayne L. Little, TFB director of field services.

This is an increase of almost 6,000 members over the 1968 figure of 110,689. A Total of 168 of the 203 organized county Farm Bureaus registered a gain, Little said.

The TFB's fiscal year ended Oct. 31, and the membership figure was announced on Nov.

6 following calculation of a 11 members transmitted to the state office by the end of October.

Little said that in the past four years, Texas Farm Bureau has gained more members than all other general farm organizations in the state have on their membership roles.

The TFB official said the organization's growth is an indication of the desire of farmers and ranchers of Texas to attain unity in their ranks.

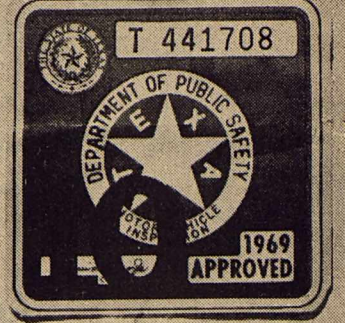
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- "10" STICKER MUST BE REINSPECTED BY OCT. 31
- "11" STICKER MUST BE REINSPECTED BY NOV. 30
- "12" STICKER MUST BE REINSPECTED BY DEC. 31
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- "2" STICKER MUST BE REINSPECTED BY FEB. 28
- "3" STICKER MUST BE REINSPECTED BY MAR. 31
- "4" STICKER MUST BE REINSPECTED BY APRIL 30
- "5" STICKER MUST BE REINSPECTED BY MAY 31
- "6" STICKER MUST BE REINSPECTED BY JUNE 30
- "7" STICKER MUST BE REINSPECTED BY JULY 31
- "8" STICKER MUST BE REINSPECTED BY AUG. 31

CHOOSE YOUR OWN INSPECTION MONTH



STICKER GAL—Glenna Guess of the Department of Public Safety's regional headquarters reminds motorists of the new Texas automobile inspection law which makes safety inspections due 12 months after the date of the preceding inspection. The number indicates the sticker's expiration month. The system will eliminate those annual jams of previous years, caused when inspection stickers expired on six million Texas vehicles at the same time.

THE FAMILY LAWYER

"Guilty" Mother

Any man whose wife commits adultery has grounds for getting a divorce. Is he also entitled to custody of their children?

Not always. Most courts will look not only at the specific fact of adultery but also at the general family picture. Above all, they will consider what is best for the children.

Thus, in one custody dispute, the evidence showed that the wife had indeed been guilty of adultery. But it also showed that she had always been devoted to the children, took



excellent care of them, and saw to it that they did well in school. Giving her custody of the children, the court commented:

"Although she may have been a bad wife, she (has also been) a good mother."

Furthermore, special needs of the children may strengthen the mother's side of the case, despite her adultery. For example:

One mother won custody because the child was only two years old ("because of the tender age of the child, the law favors the mother").

Another mother won custody because the children were female ("the welfare of little girls ordinarily lies with their mother, and they should not be taken from her for any except the most cogent reasons").

And another mother won custody because the child was ailing ("the child will continue to receive proper care and attention").

Nevertheless, even though adultery is not the only factor in deciding custody, it still weighs heavily indeed in the scales of justice. Again, the reason lies in seeking what is best for the children. As one judge said, in giving custody of a child to a wronged father:

"Courts usually award custody to the innocent party not as punishment (to one parent) or reward (to the other), but upon the assumption that the child will be reared in more wholesome moral surroundings."

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FROM THE OFFICE OF E. L. SHORT

The newly created 4-year college passed into law by the 61st Legislature and to be built in the Midland-Odessa area has aroused deep concern from the neighbors to the North, according to State Representative E. L. Short, D-Tahoka.

"My office has had several inquiries pertaining to the location of this college in the last few days. The momentum has picked up considerably since Frank R. Erwin, University Board of Regents' announcement last week that the board just might let the 62nd Legislature decide on the location."

"The average number of newly elected Legislators each term is 35 and the urban areas are predicting as many as 50 new lawmakers, and their ideas might lean to their own districts rather than West Texas. The appropriations and new tax

money for the creation of this institution of higher learning was not easy to come by and law makers of this area were very effective in getting the gentlement down State to vote favorably, and we are grateful for their assistance."

Representative Short further states that the consensus of the people in Dawson, Gaines and Andrews Counties is that the responsible parties of Midland and Odessa are forgetting, first, that at this institution will belong to the people of Texas, and second, the population of Midland and Ector Counties does not warrant a 4-year college without the population of the surrounding Counties.

"I am somewhat encouraged, however, by recent telephone calls from both Cities, and they believe the site might be finalized in early December."

PROGRAM COMPLETED FOR PRODUCTION TECHNOLOGY SYMPOSIUM

Final program and arrangements have been completed for the one - one half day Production Technology Symposium in Lubbock, Texas, November 20-21, 1969, at the Koko Palace Convention Hall.

The meeting is sponsored jointly by the South Plains Section and Texas Tech University Student Chapter of the Society of Petroleum Engineers of AIME. The technical program is to consist of 15 papers originally prepared and presented at the recent AIME fall meeting in Denver, Colorado.

Included among the speakers is Mr. B. R. Brodgon, who is Chemical Services Superintendent with Halliburton Company in Midland, Texas. His paper, entitled "A New Chemical Approach to Stimulation of Old Producing Wells", discusses a new chemical technique involving a one-step remedial treatment in which the application is described and field results are listed. The process is particularly suited to conditioning old producers for conversion to injectors. The technique is generally applicable in all areas.

Mr. Roy C. Gould, who is District Engineer for the Sohio Petroleum Company in Midland, Texas, will discuss the Sperry Driver Unit in a paper entitled "Removal of Hydrogen Sulfide From Waterflood Injection Water". The waterflood injection water is processed through two water treating plants that utilize oxygen-free

fuel gas generated by submerged combustion of natural gas to extract the H₂S from the water. The paper presents the results of 6 years of experience in the operation of the plant as well as the detail of design changes and operational difficulties.

Effective waterflooding requires knowledge of where the injected water is going, particularly in highly stratified reservoirs, injection profiles are more commonly obtained using tracer-velocity measurements and tracer-logging techniques. The calculation of the tracer velocity method is dependent on wellbore diameter information. The caliper diameter is not the true diameter.

Mr. R. D. "Bob" Cocanower, who is Manager of Engineering and Development for the Wireline Division of the Western Company, will discuss the "Interpretation of Injectivity Profiles in Irregular Bore Holes".

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There are over 70,000 members enrolled in the program in the 48 continental United States. Formerly known as the 4-H Tractor program, it has been sponsored by the American Oil Foundation for 25 years. The present program offers expanded opportunities to all youth regardless of residence -- tractor projects for rural youth, small engines projects for youth in urban, suburban and rural areas.

Recently two national tractor operators' contests were held to determine the competence of 4-H youth in operating and maintaining equipment. And at the National 4-H Congress in Chicago, November 30 - December 4, six national winners of \$600 educational scholarships will be announced.

Selection will be made by the Extension Service from state winners who receive an expense-paid trip to the 4-H Congress. Medal winners also will be given at the county level. All awards are offered through the National 4-H Service Committee by American Oil Foundation.

Additional information about youth's opportunities in the 4-H Petroleum Power program may be gotten from the local county extension agent.

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Sudie Thompson Says.....

Good buys can be found among the 8,000 items carried by the average supermarket.

1. **WATCH FOR ON-THE-SPOT MEAT BARGAINS.** Shop the entire meat case. There may be a special on one of your favorite cuts. Government studies show that when chuck roast is on sale, savings amount to 10 to 30 cents a pound.

2. **LEARN TO COOK THE LESS-FAMILIAR, LESS-DEMANDED CUTS.** Usually they carry the lower price tags. The meatman has to sell the favorite cut as well as all the other cuts from a side of beef. The price of meat doesn't measure its food value. The less expensive cuts have the same nutrients that all meat contains.

3. **LEARN TO FIGURE THE COST PER SERVING OF COOKED MEAT VS. THE PRICE PER POUND AS PURCHASED.** Price alone is not a dependable buying guide. Some cuts naturally have more bone, fat, and waste than others. This makes a difference in how much meat at there is to serve. It's how much meat there is in the cut that counts. A general guide to follow is to plan on a six-pound bone-in roast to yield approximately three pounds of boneless cooked meat. Very often the boneless roast with a higher store price actually costs less per serving of meat on the table.

4. **LOOK BEFORE YOU BUY PRODUCE.** Look over the entire produce department to see what's especially appealing. In this age of modern production, rapid transportation, and rapid marketing, produce depart-

ments usually offer a wide variety. Buy the staples, of course, but also new fruits and vegetables for menu variety. Large size produce may not be the most economical buy. The largest apples are not necessarily if you are going to cut them up for Waldorf Salad. If you shop only once a week, avoid waste by using up fresh produce and perishables first. Rely on canned and frozen foods for meals the latter part of the week.

5. **BUY MORE THAN ONE KIND OF MILK.** Savings can be made on milk by buying some fresh, some canned, some dry. Knowing what kinds there are and when to use each means you'll never have to skimp on milk. It depends on local prices and whether you buy fresh homogenized milk, nonfat dry milk, any of the newer milks, or national brand or store brand evaporated milk.

6. **BUY CHEESE ACCORDING TO USE AND FAMILY LIKES.** Cheese prices vary as to the four kinds--natural, pasteurized process, cheese food, or cheese spread. Aged natural cheeses are the highest priced, because of aging often a year or more. The process varieties are medium priced and the "cheese food" the thirftiest of all--often 25¢ a pound less than natural cheese. All are rich in protein and are "good-for-you" foods. Buy according to how you plan to use the cheese, the flavor, and the textures your family likes.

7. **BUY EGGS BY SIZE AND GRADE.** Size and grade determine egg prices. Size refers to the weight per dozen. Grade refers to quality. The gov-

Here's a tip about egg prices: The U. S. Dept. of Agriculture says, generally speaking if there is less than a seven-cent price spread per dozen between one size and the next smaller size in the same grade, you will get more for your money by buying the larger size.

8. **BUY IN QUANTITIES TO SUIT YOUR FAMILY.** Keep in mind how much your family will eat. A bargain for your neighbor is not necessarily a bargain for you. A small can is often the best choice for a twosome, for it gives multi-meal variety and eliminates left-overs. A large size is not an economy if any of it is wasted or thrown out. For example, a three-pound can of shortening is often on sale. But if you seldom use shortening and a big can might turn rancid before the last third of it is used, then it is no bargain. But regardless of family size, the 1 1/2 to 2-pound transparent bags of frozen vegetables are bargains for any size family. Take out what you need, re-close, and put back in the freezer. Savings can add up to 30¢ to 40¢ when you buy mayonnaise or salad dressing by the quart rather than the same amount in four small 1/2-pint jars. If you make sandwiches for daily lunches or a lot of salads, buy big.

9. **BUY TO SUIT YOUR USE.** Don't buy more quality than you really need. The best quality or the fanciest of anything may be sheer extravagance. A wiser tip is to buy the quality you need for the way you plan to use it. For example, canned peach halves cost more than sliced peaches. If you plan to make peach cobbler, sliced peaches are a better buy. Budget-priced canned tomatoes are perfect for stews, escalloping, or spaghetti sauce, while the fancy firm whole variety is better for serving as a vegetable or salad. Penny-saving shoppers learn to choose one quality for the table, another thirftier quality for cooking. Savings may be as much as ten cents a can.

10. **BUY BY BRAND.** It's a good shopping practice to make a mental note of the national and store brands you like.

Brand identification speeds shopping and assures uniform quality.

11. **LEARN TO READ LABELS.** Take time to read labels for here are the keys to many savings. It's wiser to read them in the store before you buy, but if that isn't convenient, do read them at home. Most modern labels give a wealth of information including brand, ingredients, size, weight, price and often serving ideas.

12. **CONSIDER THE DIVIDENDS OF CONVENIENCE FOODS.** Convenience foods pay big dividends in time, effort and money saved. Government and university studies show that many convenience foods cost the same as or only slightly more than home-prepared foods. Dozens are actually cheaper. When you buy partially prepared, ready-to-eat or heat 'n eat foods you're actually buying time-saving, work-saving, waste-saving products. In some cases you are also buying skills, like baking bread, making a pie crust or cake, canning fruit, making cheese. To many women the convenience of having someone else do the work is well worth the few extra cents. However, if you have more time than money, you can make your food dollars buy more and perhaps gain a feeling of achievement by buying basic ingredients. Each woman must evaluate her time in terms of money.

13. **THINK TWICE ABOUT SHOPPING SEVERAL STORES.** A penny saved isn't always a penny gained. You don't gain anything by driving a mile to save five cents on a jar of mustard that you buy once a year. Time, energy and gasoline have value too.

(Tape inside cupboard door for easy reference.)

emment sets the minimum weights per dozen. For example, one dozen of extra-large eggs must weigh 27 oz.; large --24 oz.; medium--21 oz. Weight is not listed on the carton, but size is and that's your guarantee. Quality is marked on cartons by these government letters: AA, A, B. Careful shoppers keep both choices on hand because eggs can be one of the biggest budget boosters.

son reported, were the stove, sink and refrigerator. She showed market products that could improve storage in the kitchen. Mrs. Don Young, president, presided. Business was discussed. The next meeting will be at Mrs. Jo Mell's Monday November 24th, at 1:30 for a party to draw names and reveal secret pals.

Cake and punch were served to Mesdames Roy Perkins, Jo Meil, Leon Thompson, Tom Box, Grace Hughes, Don Young, R. G. Hartman, Wayne Davis, Clark Jones, Marvin Frazier, Joe Henry Thompson and Mrs. Lee Roy Box.

TURNER HDC MEETS

The Turner Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, November 12th in the home of Mrs. John Dale Curtis to make ceramics. Mrs. Jurack from Plainview gave the demonstration on the ceramics. There will be another meeting December 12 in the home of Mrs. Curtis to make more ceramics.

Mrs. Rowe Stephens called the meeting to order at 2:00 p. m. The Thanksgiving dinner was planned and set for November 21st in the home of Mrs. Curtis. Mrs. Carl Lowrey, Mrs. Tommy Elmore and Mrs. Curtis were on the food committee. The club will serve the El Paso Natural Gas Co. their Christmas dinner December 16th.

There were 10 members and three guests present. The next meeting will be November 25th in the home of Mrs. DeRoy Anderson. The program will be Kitchen Arrangements by agent, Mrs. Joe Thompson.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

DENVER CITY (Special) --Mrs. Vida McCune, 57, who moved to Denver City from Snyder in 1962, was dead on arrival at Yoakum County Hospital about 8:30 a. m., Thursday, November 13, 1969, following an apparent heart attack.

Mrs. McCune was employed as a checkout clerk in a local grocery and was stricken while at work.

Services were held at 4 p. m. Sunday, November 16, 1969 in the Denver City First United Methodist Church with the Rev. J. Alvis Cooley officiating, assisted by the Rev. John Ferguson of the First Baptist Church. Burial in Denver City Memorial Park were directed by Singleton Funeral Home.

Survivors include her husband, George; two daughters, Mrs. Bettye Loftin of Denver City and Mrs. Anna Jeffcoat of Corona, N. M.; a sister, Mrs. Melvin Carson of Glasgow, Mont.; brother, H. O. Renick of George West; and five grandchildren.

LOCAL RESIDENT'S FATHER DIES

John L. Layton, 79, passed away October 29th in a hospital at Bumett, after a long illness. Burial was in the Marbel Falls Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, 4 daughters, 5 sons, 30 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren. Mr. Layton was the father of Johnny Layton of Plains.

Purely Local

By Jewell Anderson

Mrs. Elmer Cross and Mrs. Carl Rushing are out of town visiting their brother, Guy Morem, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J.S. Wagley went fishing last week at Lake Hubbard. They reported good luck. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hale and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Morehouse were dinner guests Sunday to help them eat part of a 10 pound fish.

Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Robertson spent the weekend visiting his brother and family in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

E. S. Bandy ate a fish dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Anthony Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Anthony visited her mother, Mrs. E. G.

Bryan Sunday in Ralls and her sister, Mrs. Ruby Smith in Crosbyton, who has been in the hospital.

Mrs. Ina Bost of Dallas is spending this week with Mrs. W. L. McClellan and Ralph.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Blount spent Friday night with their son, Tommy, and his wife in Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Tryce and children of Jal and Mr. Mrs. Foy Streetman and children were deer hunting at Mahyhill, New Mexico over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson spent Friday night with his sister, Mrs. Alton Stewart and family in Goldsmith. They spent Saturday night and Sunday with their son, James, and family in Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Poach of Long Beach, Calif. and R. M. Poach of Rome, Georgia are visiting their sister, Mrs. J.H. Daniels.

Mrs. Grace Hughes visited Mrs. J. V. Bean on day last week.

Mrs. George Cleveland and Mrs. J. V. Bean visited Mrs. I. J. Duff Saturday. Mrs. Duff is at her home here, and doing nicely.

Mrs. Norell Sloan returned home last week from Kermit. She reports that Joe Waldon still is very ill.

Mary Nokes is here from El Paso for a few days to help prepare for her son's wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoss Newsom had relatives from Dickens over the weekend.

Dan Houck is a patient in Yoakum County Hospital.

Mrs. W. L. McClellan, Ralph and Mrs. Ina Bost of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan McClellan and children in Tatum Sunday evening to see Ralph's new granddaughter and Mrs. McClellan's great-granddaughter, Lara D'au.

GLADIOLA 4-H CLUB

The Gladiola 4-H Club met Saturday night in the Gladiola Youth Center. Alice Harris, president, presided. Lebeth Box, secretary-treasurer, read the minutes. Tommy Guy Box led the pledge of allegiance to the flag. Lebeth Box led the 4-H pledge.

Miss Camille Gary, Lea County Home Demonstration agent, demonstrated Christmas wrapping and making bows. Each member then made bows and decorations.

A chili supper was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Irby Harris and Alice, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Box and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffin and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Jones and Jimmy, Bonnie Sue Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Box and son, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cox, Camille Gary and H. H. Perry and family and Ruby Townsend.

A Christmas dinner will be served December 13th.

NOTICE

NEW CREDIT POLICY.

OPEN ACCOUNTS 30 DAYS

PAST DUE AT 60 DAYS.

ACCOUNTS CLOSED AT 90 DAYS.

MOORE & ODEN

State Line News
By Margaret Box

Tokio News
By Fern Lowrey

Alfred Lee Reynolds was involved in a wreck last week when he hit a parked unoccupied car. No one was hurt although there was extensive damage to both vehicles.

Mrs. Hayden Box and Wayne were in a wreck Saturday morning as they were on their way to Farmington. No one was hurt. David Box came home with them Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Pearl Spears, Mrs. Gussie Groves, Mrs. Mary Bigham, and Mrs. Stella Burns spent the weekend in Lubbock with their sister, Mrs. Roy Mc Cravey.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gimenez were his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Barrio Parroa from Ozona, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Trout attended the International Club dinner in the Union ballroom at Texas Tech Sunday night. Their son, Coty, is President of the club. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Masso of Brownfield accompanied them to the dinner.

Mrs. Bessie McCravy visited her brother, Walter Fort, in Lovington Sunday afternoon. Mr. Fort is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Anderson showed films of Turkey and the Holy Land at the Church of God in Brownfield Saturday night. They spent four years in Turkey. They left Wednesday for a year in Port Elizabeth, South Africa. They have a 18 month old son, Billy Bob.

Mrs. H. W. Seals and Mrs. Bessie McCravy went to Lubbock Tuesday afternoon to visit Mrs. J. L. Hyde, who is a patient in the Methodist Hospital. Mrs. Hyde is Mrs. Seals' mother.

Mrs. Carl Lowrey, Coy and Marilyn Goehry were in Lubbock Thursday for Coy's check-up. He is doing fine.

Mrs. Marvin Frazier, Mrs. Clark Jones, Mrs. Lee Roy Box, and Mrs. Tom Box helped cook and serve the barbecue dinner for Lea County 4-H Council at the Angus Bull sale Monday in Lovington. They represented the Gladiola 4-H Club.

Mrs. John Dale Curtis accompanied her mother-in-law, Mrs. Annie Curtis of Denver City, to Lubbock Thursday. Sunday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lowrey were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lowrey and Toni, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lowrey and children, and Jerry Lowrey.

Gus and Blanche Malestrom of Hobbs, formerly of Plains visited friends in the area Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lowrey and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Martin and Janice in Levelland.

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See TOKIO Page 5

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Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Smith GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Smith of 1103 East Hill, Brownfield, celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday, November 16th. They greeted friends and relatives from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m. in the Directors Room of the Terry County Agriculture Building.

Hosts and hostesses were their eight daughters, five sons, 33 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Mr. Smith and the former Miss Mary Irene Bowen were married November 17, 1919 in Coleman. He was born in Ellis County and she was born in Limestone County. Following their marriage they farmed in Coleman County until 1943, when they moved to Terry County, farming east of Brownfield until they retired this year.

During their 50 years of marriage, the Smiths have had

only one death in the family, and it was really not in the immediate family. A granddaughter's husband died in 1958, following an oil field accident in Winters.

The eight daughters are Mrs. H. T. (Partha) McMillan of Route 1, Mrs. C. E. (Ailene) Landess of 616 Cactus Lane; Mrs. Bill (Arlene) Machen of Odessa; Mrs. Lon (Louise) Kerrick of Plains; Mrs. Coy (Inez) Martin of Odessa, and Mrs. Carolyn Boen and Misses Cleo Smith and Jossie Smith, all of 1103 East Hill.

Sons are Gene Smith of Kermit; James Smith of Abilene; Ben Smith of Rt. 1, Sam Smith of Winters and R. E. Smith of Seminole.

Out of town guests were from Lubbock, Fort Worth, Coleman, Denver City, Amarillo, Plains, Odessa, Kermit, Abilene, Winters and Seminole.

STATE LINE
Kitchen arrangement and kitchen storage was discussed Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Joe H. Thompson when the State

HDC MEETS
Line Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Lee Roy Box. The three main points of a kitchen, Mrs. Thomp-

1969-70 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

- Nov. 21 Hagerman (here) 6:00 Texas Time A&B
- Nov. 25 Morton (here) A&B
- Dec. 2 Denver City (there) A&B
- Dec. 5 Cotton Center (there) A&B
- Dec. 8 Tatum (here) A&B
- Dec. 9 Tahoka (there) A&B
- Dec. 11, 12, 13 Eunice Tournament "A"
- Dec. 16 Eunice (here) A&B
- Dec. 18, 19, 20 Three Way Tournament A&B
- Jan. 2 Cotton Center (here) A&B
- Jan. 6 Morton (there) A&B
- Jan. 8, 9, 10 Plains Tournament "A"
- Jan. 13 Coahoma (here) A&B
- Jan. 16 Wink (there) A&B
- Jan. 20 O'Donnell (here) A&B
- Jan. 23 Seagraves (there) A&B
- Jan. 27 Cooper (here) A&B
- Jan. 30 Coahoma (there) A&B
- Feb. 3 Wink (here) A&B
- Feb. 6 O'Donnell (there) A&B
- Feb. 10 Seagraves (here) A&B
- Feb. 14 Cooper (there) A&B

CLASS FAVORITES FOR 1970 CHOSEN

This week the Plains High School student body elected Class Favorites for the 1970 yearbook. They are as follows:

Earl Kreig, Glenda Miller and Jan McCravey, Senior, John Lowe, Jimmy Taylor, Mike Nugent and Jerry Brian, Freshman Favorites - Beth Ann Hale and Tony Winn, Runners-up - Susan Simpson and Joey Lowe.

Sophomore Favorites - Lynn Fitzgerald and Kevin Guetersloh. Runners-up - Rita Brain and Ronnie Rains.

Junior Favorites - Sue Spencer and Gerry Randall. Runners-up - Gail Ancinec and Gary Livesay.

Senior Favorites - Lou Ella Turner and Lance Smith. Runners-up - Dianne Fitzgerald and Mike Nugent.

Most Handsome - Jimmy Taylor. Runner-up - Mike Nugent.

Most Beautiful - Jana Strickland. Runner-up - Jan McCravey.

Most Friendly Girl - Sue Spencer. Runner-up - Gail Ancinec.

Most Friendly Boy - Mike Nugent. Runner-up - Jerry Brian.

Most Likely To Succeed - Mike Nugent. Runner-up - Jimmy Taylor.

Most Likely To Succeed - Dianne Fitzgerald. Runner-up - Jana Strickland.

Best Groomed Boy - Jerry Brian. Runner-up - Gary Livesay.

Best Groomed Girl - Judy Smith. Runner-up - Dianne Fitzgerald.

MR. P. H. S. - Mike Nugent. Runner-up - Jerry Brian.

MISS P. H. S. - Jana Strickland. Runner-up - Dianne Fitzgerald.

TEACHER ROBBED
Denver, Col. - An elementary teacher was robbed at gunpoint when she ordered a youth who was wandering in the hallway to leave the school. Mrs. Margie Lentsch, 43, lost a diamond ring valued at \$1,000.

7th GRADE TO PRESENT PROGRAM

The 7th grade class will present a Thanksgiving program, Wednesday, November 26th at 10:30 a.m. Weldon Nelms will serve as master of ceremonies. "A Thanksgiving Nightmare" will be the first play presented. It concerns a little boy who has eaten too much Thanksgiving dinner. Members of the play will be:

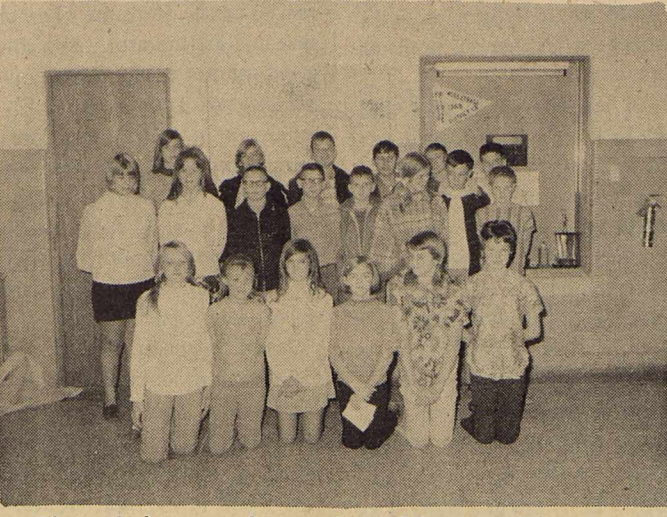
Freddie Burns; Donald Gilliam
His Mother; La Gaytha Thompson
His Father; Troy Wilkins
Turkey Gobbler; Rickey Bearden
Potato; Neal Bearden
Cranberry; Lyndyl Tidwell
Pumpkin; Paula Blount
Corn; Ceth Lewis
Apple; Paula Crump
Nut; Lou Ann Fisher

For entertainment between plays a combo will perform. Those included in this group are Steve Green, Alfredo Guerra, Gary Harrelson, Emie Jones and Rickie Liles. Anita Strickland will provide piano music. Edith Worsham will read a poem.

Following the combo will be a skit entitled "What a Classroom." Members of the skit are: Mike Payne, Rene Rivas, Robbi Taylor, Debra Bearden, Debbie Madden, Jan Hanna, Sherry Dominey, D'Ann Guetersloh and Edith Worsham.

Carolyn Richardson will close our program with a Thanksgiving poem.

ITEM: Quality and color are the main considerations in selecting pearls, whether natural or cultured. Hold pearls to the light and turn slowly. Better quality pearls reflect little light. If light is reflected with a transparent effect, the coloring is thin.



Pictured above are the members of the cast of the play and skit to be presented by the 7th grade about Thanksgiving.



Pictured above are students who will entertain between plays at the 7th grade Thanksgiving program.

SCHOOL MENU

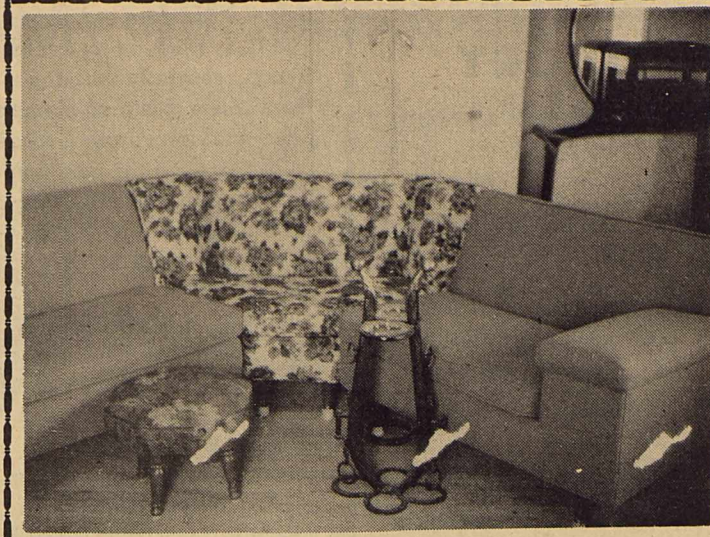
Monday, 24th
Hot Dog With Chili
Diced Potato Salad
Tossed Salad With French Dressing
Fresh Orange
Mince Cake
Milk

Tuesday, 25th
Ham & Lima Beans
Buttered Harvard Beets

Mixed Greens
Garden Salad
Hot Com Bread & Butter
Plum Cobbler
Milk

Wednesday, 26th
Turkey & Dressing
Broccoli With Cheese Sauce
Buttered Yellow Corn
Cranberry Sauce
Waldorf Salad
Hot Rolls & Butter
Pumpkin Custard With Topping
Milk

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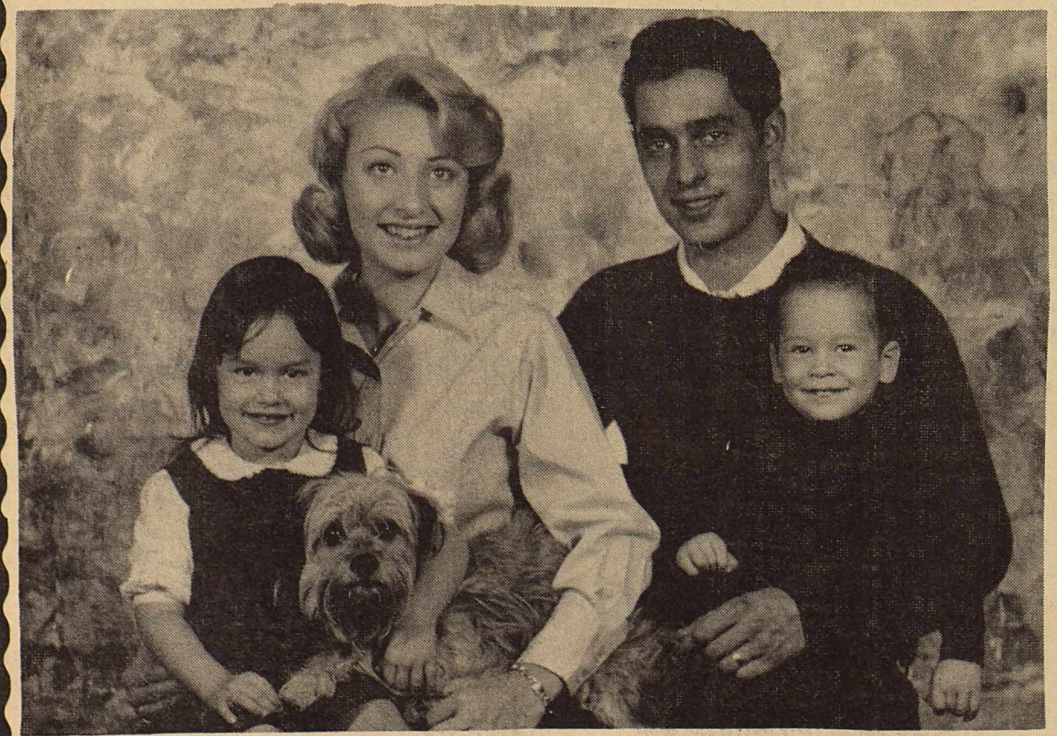
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HAWKINS FOOD MARKET

STATELINE From Page 3

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Box and Kimberly were dinner guests Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Box. Mrs. Ty Field, Mrs. Mattie Chambers and Mrs. Yates spent Monday in Ruidosa. Mr. and Mrs. Roland Evans of Meadow were dinner guests Sunday week of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sims. Mrs. Tom Sims served a birthday dinner Sunday for Tom. Those attending were Mrs. Johnny James and boys of Odessa, Mrs. Alton Billings and children of Seagraves and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Trout and children. Mrs. Roy Perkins visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Golston Leora Turner of Hobbs spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.P. Turner and Louella. Bonnie Sue Atkinson was honored by a birthday supper Friday night on her tenth birthday by her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Jones. Those pre-

sent were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Box and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Bonnell and son, and Jimmy Atkinson. Lebeth Box spent the weekend with Bonnie Sue.

Charles and Nancy Cogburn and children of Bloomfield visited relatives in Plains Sunday and attended Church.

Tony Meil celebrated his fourth birthday Tuesday with Mark and Mathew Reynolds and Mrs. Alfred Lee Reynolds Kathy Meil and Mrs. Richard Meil, Jr. Birthday cake and Kool Aid was served.

David Box attended the Tex Parrott funeral in Seminole Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Joe Crump and children, Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Hartman and son, Mrs. Tom Box and son and Mrs. Grace Hughes attended the 4-H Awards program Saturday night at Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kreig and Phyllis and Mike Hughes spent Sunday in Ruidosa.

Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Sanders and sons of Ft. Worth came Sunday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bayne Price, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Milsap and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lowrey and Toni visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams Saturday. Her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Williams and children of Post and Her sisters, Mrs. Joe Evren and children and Mrs. Maurice Moore and Cindy were also guests.

Carroll Robertson of Malvern, Ark., former resident of Tokio, passed away Friday November 14th with a heart attack in his home. Carroll is the brother of Mrs. Blanche Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Elmore and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rucker and Kathy in Slaton on Sunday. They returned home by way of Seagraves and visited Mrs. Derah Gauldin in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Dearing attended the 4-H Awards Program in Plains Saturday night. Their son, Marvin, received his first year pin and Marvin received his three year pin and a food pin.

Mr. Jesse Dearing visited her mother, Mrs. A.N. Addison Monday.

Guests in the home of Mrs. A.K. Gilland Thursday were Mrs. W.H. Davis and Mrs. Myrtle Johnson of Brownfield. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. A.K. Gilland for several days is their granddaughter, Jean Paul of Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bearden gave their son, Rickey, a party on his 13th birthday Saturday. They also honored the Plains 7th grade football team, since they had won all of their games this year.

Glenn Ray and Beckey Waters and Philip and Clinton Yeatts were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bearden and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Waters, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Yeatts and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Bailey attended the Farm Bureau Convention in San Antonio.

N.C. Clanahan had a car accident in Lubbock Wednesday. No one was hurt.

Mr. Warren Newcomb returned home to Albany Thursday after staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reg Martin since her surgery.

Pepper Pippin has pneumonia since Thursday. He is improving.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O.A. Pippin and Sherri Sunday were her brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Beck and Pam, Mrs. Kathy Johnson of Union, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Beck of Kemmit, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Beck and boys of Plains, and Mrs. Beck's mother, Mrs. Green of Brownfield.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Reg Martin Sunday was his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Martin of Lubbock.

Mrs. Charles Kelley is on the sick list this week. Sunday night guest of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Kelley was Leon Huff of Dalhart.

Danny Kelley, student at Tech, was home visiting his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Kelley over the weekend. Monday guests were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T.A. Smith, Sp/4 and Mrs. Robert Yeagers and Tonya returned from Canada Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Crutcher and Lisa of Brownfield, Mrs. Lillie Bell and Don of Lamessa visited Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Crutcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Smith of Las Vegas, Nev. spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Amos Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Snodgrass and Mrs. Olan Smith visited Mrs. Toad Snodgrass in Lehman Saturday.

Young People of the Tokio Baptist Church attended the Youth Rally at Challis Baptist Church Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Goodsell of Lubbock and his brother visited Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Snodgrass over the weekend.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. I.L. Smith were their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. John Curtis and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Rowe Stephens and family. The dinner was to honor Brent Stephen's 5th and Claudia Curtis' 8th birthdays.

Mrs. Vaden Lester of Welch and Mrs. Jackie Brown of Lubbock were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lester and family.

Mrs. Ray Bearden and Mrs. C.C. Perkins were in Lubbock Tuesday to be with Ken Green who had his tonsils taken out.

Mrs. I.L. Smith, Mrs. Rowe Stephens, Mrs. Carl Lowrey, Mrs. Billy Skaggs and Carolyn Anderson attended the Housing Seminar in Plains Monday. The program was Design Every where. There were about 30 women who attended the all day meeting.

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- Daily record book
- Music drama
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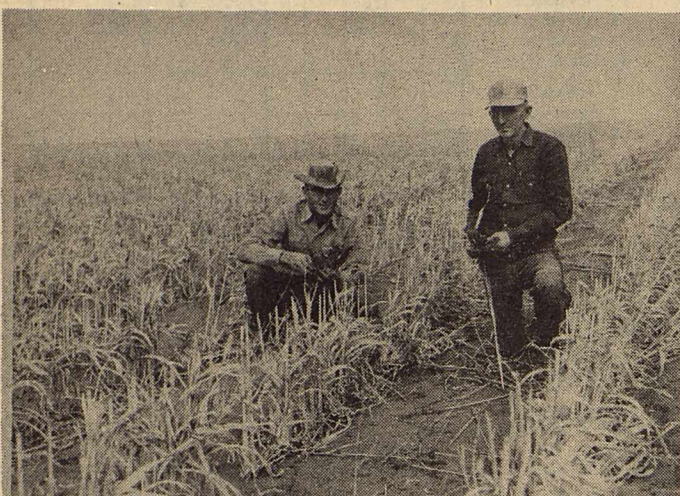


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by Wilson Duke, Soil Conservationist

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BROADCAST COTTON GETS CLOSE LOOK

by Leo L. White, CAA
A revolutionary change in cotton production is now undergoing close examination by farmers, agricultural researchers and county agricultural agents on the Texas High Plains.

This change involves planting cotton in narrow rows, usually with a wheat drill. Since the narrow rows preclude inter-row tillage, this type of production is often referred to as "broadcast" cotton.

Fifteen cotton farmers from throughout the area are presently growing 5 to 20-acre blocks of broadcast cotton in cooperation with the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center at Lubbock, points out County Agricultural Agent, Leo L. White.

The Center has been testing this method of production for several years and has developed production techniques and equipment. It has three broadcast, finger-type strippers which will be used in harvesting these trial plots.

Personnel at the Center admit that this new method of production has many unanswered questions. Yet, achievements over the years have been encouraging, say Dr. Levon Ray, cotton breeder, and Dr. Bob Metzger, Extension agronomist.

"Yields, for instance, have generally exceeded those of 40-inch rows and by as much as 25 percent," they point out. "Further encouragement stems from the fact that cotton planted broadcast fashion in mid-May had 90 percent open bolls by October 1st.

ions is another benefit. This year one particular farming grew a plot of broadcast cotton with eight less field operations."

But now let's look on the other side of the coin. Although these achievements are exciting and provide almost unlimited possibilities, this type of production, unfortunately, provides no magic formula for eliminating problems such as disease, insects, hail and poor management that plague cotton farmers.

"In fact, producing broadcast cotton demands more precise managerial skills in variety selection, week control and irrigation," emphasize Ray and Metzger. "There is indeed much to learn about producing broadcast cotton. A desirable variety for high plant populations is several years away. The best irrigation time and rate must still be worked out. Fertility practices must be tested. Answers to some questions will be available after this year's harvest of the 15 pilot test plots."

"At this time broadcast cotton production cannot be generally recommended. Certainly, a producer doing an inadequate job on 40-inch row production cannot expect miracles from the narrow-row method and should not attempt it until his present production deficiencies are corrected."

"Ray and Metzger suggest that any producer interested in narrow-row production should seek out all available information to date from his local county agricultural agent or the A&M Center at Lubbock. No farmer should venture into this

ature C. W. McMillan, executive vice president of the American National Cattlemen's Association, Elvin Adamson, chief, Department of Meat Inspection, U. S. Department of Agriculture, and Kenneth Monfort, President, Monfort Packing Company, and operator of one of the Nation's largest feedyards at Greeley, Colorado.

Three panels will discuss "Building a new Feedyard", "How Will Our Segment of the Industry Fare", and "How Far Will the Feeding Industry Develop." Nationally recognized authorities will be included on the three panels.

The Annual "Cattle Feeders Get-together" will be held on Monday evening, November 17.

A ladies luncheon and style show is scheduled on Tuesday, and ladies are invited to attend the meeting sessions.

Ray Price and his band will entertain at the annual dinner-dance Tuesday evening.

All meeting sessions will be held in the Starlite Inn Motor Hotel in Abilene.

AGRICULTURAL BRIEF

FORAGE TESTING WILL PAY

One of the big problems in properly and efficiently using forages is the wide variation in their nutritive value. Often this variation is not recognized by visual inspection, but, points out A. M. Meekma, Extension dairy specialist, forage testing will show the difference. Even small differences in forage quality should be recognized and feeding adjustments made, he says.

LIVESTOCK HEALTH CONFERENCE

The second annual Southwest Animal Health Conference for Livestockmen is scheduled for Jan. 30-31 in Dallas. It is sponsored by the Texas Veterinary Medical Association and the College of Veterinary Medicine, Texas A&M University. Livestock and poultry producers from Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas are expected to participate. Activities are scheduled for the Marriott Motor Hotel and the State Fair

"This reduction of production time alone could be the salvation of the cotton industry, especially in the northern part of the area," contend Ray and Metzger. "The early freeze this fall points up the immense value of a system that allows production of a more mature, higher quality cotton at a lower cost."

DEVELOPING CATTLE FEEDING

A look at the developing cattle feeding industry will be shared by many at the Third Annual Meeting of the Texas Cattle Feeders Association which will convene Monday, November 17, 1969, in Abilene, Texas. Association President Jack Carrothers said, "Advance meeting registration indicates a very large attendance for the 1969 Annual Meeting with attendance expected from most of the major feeding states of the Nation."

The two day program will fe-

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PROGRAM From Page 2

requirements of specific states showing the disadvantages of petroleum engineers in some states. Recommendations are made as to how SPE members can facilitate the registration of petroleum engineers.

The Society of Petroleum Engineers is an international technical and professional organization for engineers and scientist engaged in oil and gas operations. The Society with 17,000 members, is a constituent society of the 46,000 member AIME.

Cotton poplin is from the French "papeline," because it was first made in a papal city.



Global Boondoggling

The President in his new approach to Federal spending has emphasized that large portions of the American expenditures have been wasted, and perhaps one of the biggest areas of waste has been in the so-called foreign relations field.

The nation's independent businessmen, voting through the National Federation of Independent Business have consistently voted for a complete end to foreign aid.

Congressman H. R. Gross of Iowa recently commented on some of the Federal lunacies that have cost the taxpayers exceedingly.

In 1968, he relates, the Federal foreign give away experts sent at government expense eight "American specialists" to help the Mexican athletes train for the Olympic Games held in that country.

The Congressman appears to think this was ridiculous not only from the standpoint of the original idea, but also from the results accomplished as he comments, the Mexican team finished 16th.

In the same year, he also relates, as Federal expense, an American dancer was sent down to Mexico to help direct the national folkloric ballet of Mexico. This despite the fact that it perhaps can be assumed that a Mexican dancer is probably much more familiar with the technique of the Mexican Hat Dance than any American.

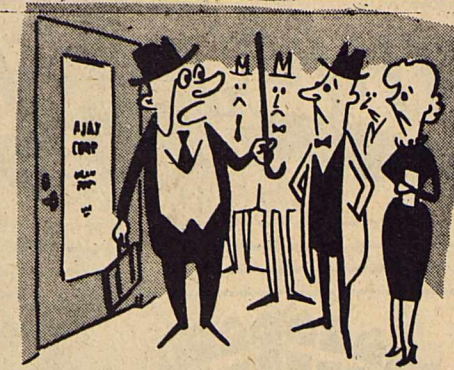
And perhaps one of the most amazing examples cited by the Iowa solon was the dispatching, at government expense, of an American drama critic to conduct workshops for the Japanese theatre professionals.

It is hard enough to imagine any American being able to understand the highly formalized and traditional Japanese drama techniques, let alone trying to direct these people.

He also relates another interesting bit about two Navajo Indians being sent at government expense to demonstrate in Argentina and Chile rug weaving and ceremonial sand painting.

Obviously, the deflated economies of these nations can be materially improved by exporting sand paintings.

In addition to the frightful waste of money when Congressmen Gross comments, the borrowing \$17 billion to pay interest on the national debt, it is perhaps small wonder that American influence around the world is at a low ebb. The people must think Americans are nuts.



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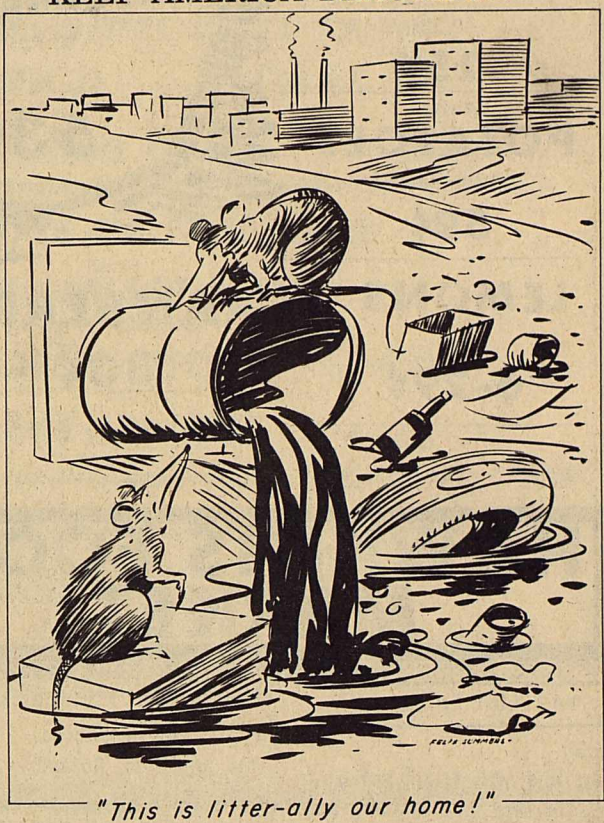
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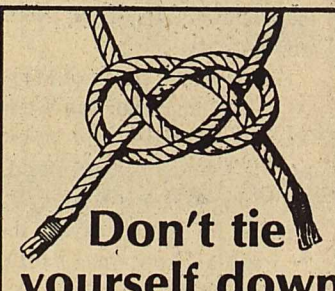


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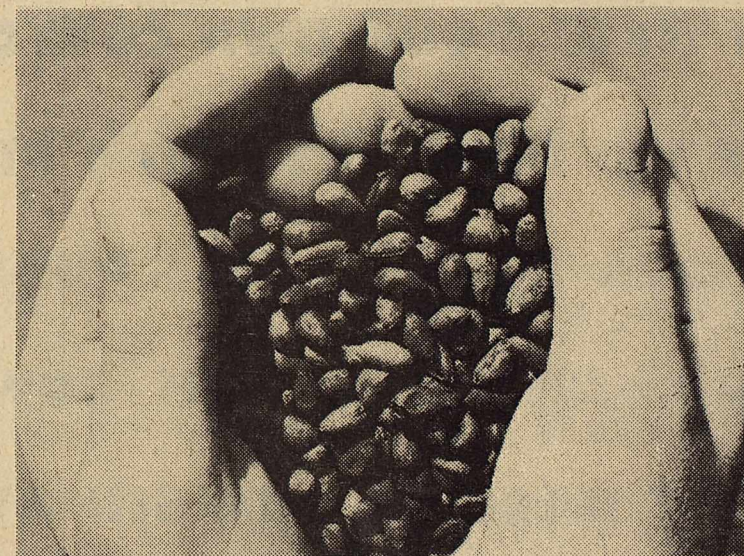


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