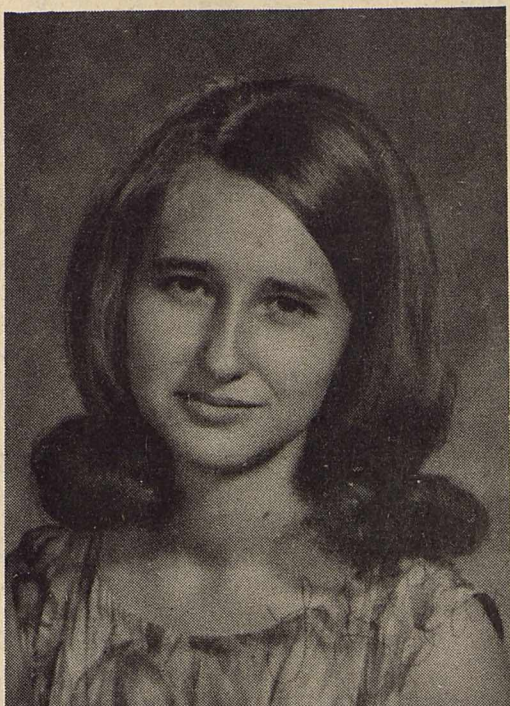


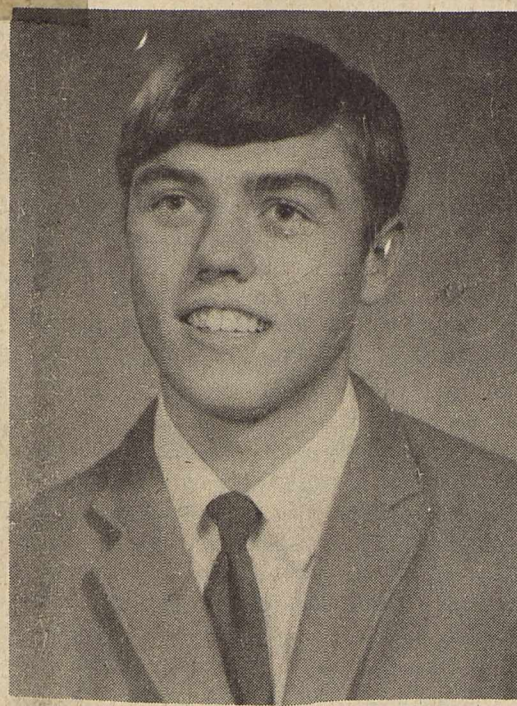
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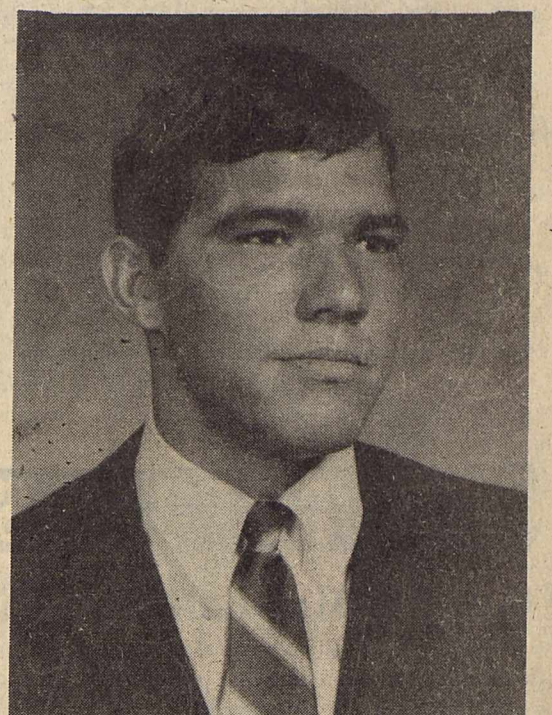
**VALEDICTORIAN** - La Vern Edwards  
Parents - Mr. and Mrs. Olen Edwards  
Scholastic Average - 95.57%  
University Selected - Hardin-Simmons  
Vocational Trend - Mathematics



**SALUTATORIAN** - Wanda Jean Walker  
Parents - Mr. and Mrs. David Vest  
Scholastic Average - 94.48%  
University Selected - McMurry  
Vocational Trend - Chemistry



**HIGHEST RANKING BOY** - Milton Keith Bayer  
(Transfer from Brownfield - Jr. Year)  
Parents - Mr. and Mrs. Milton J. Bayer  
Scholastic Average - 93.24%  
University Selected - Texas A & M  
Vocational Trend - Accounting



**HIGHEST RANKING BOY** - John W. Lowe  
(Four Years - Plains High School)  
Parents - Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lowe  
Scholastic Average - 88.13%  
University Selected - West Texas State  
Vocational Trend - Physical Education

## The Plains Review

OUR 40th YEAR

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A SERVICE TO THIS COMMUNITY.



Walter Humphres of Fort Worth made the presentation of the Outstanding Farmer Plaque to J. B. Ashburn at the Area Banquet in Brownfield on May 7 when other winners were given awards.

### Conservation Farmer of 1969

The Yoakum Soil and Water Conservation District each year picks an outstanding farmer or rancher to be awarded a plaque as the conservation farmer or rancher of the year. In the past this has been done in cooperation with the local Lions International Club and the Fort Worth Press awards program. The winner for 1969 is J. B. Ashburn, J. B. and Mrs. Ashburn live 18 miles Northwest of Plains, J. B. Farms a section of land, and maintains some livestock. He has completed the following conservation work, Conservation cropping system 582 ac., Crop Residue Management 582 ac., Cover Crops 582 ac., Irrigation Sprinkler Systems 2 ea., Irrigation Pipelines under ground high pressure 1200 ft., J. B. has 1600 ft. of pipe and 1 irrigation system remaining to be installed to complete his conservation plan. He has been a cooperator with the local district since 1964 and has a Great Plains Conservation Program contract to help him carry out his conservation work.

is also active in school and other community work and social activities. He received the award for outstanding farmer in 1968 from the Plains Chamber of Commerce. His farm is a better farm today because of the conservation he has done and his income is more secure because of his diversified farming.

### Clean Up- Paint Up - Fix Up Contest

The Plains Dirt Gardeners will sponsor a Poster Contest for the Clean Up- Paint Up- Fix Up Campaign. There will be two classes of entries. One class will be for 3rd, 4th and 5th Grades. The second category will be for the 6th, 7th and 8th. First, second and third place plaques will be awarded to winners in each category.

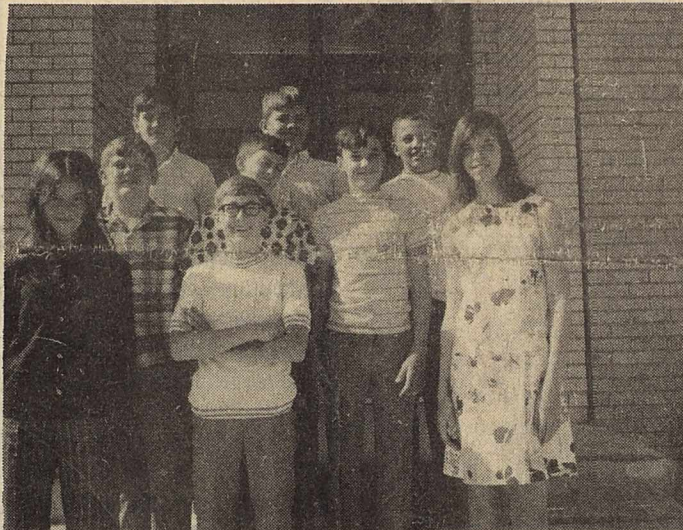
The theme of Clean Up- Paint Up-Fix Up must be followed. All entries must be on poster board of approximately 11 inches by 14 inches. The deadline for the entries will be May 21, 1970 at 5 p.m. All entries may be turned in at Cogburn-Young Hardware prior to this deadline. The awards will be presented May 23rd at 10:30 a.m. at the Clubroom.

### Local Talent Show

Some members of the Plains Community have been wanting to have a talent show. It will be held on May 28th at 8:00 p.m., in the High School Auditorium.

There will be no prizes given and no admission charged, but all donations will be given to the Jeanne Stroup "get well" fund. If you are interested in being in the show, please

call one of the following people by Tuesday, May 26th: Miss Sherri Rice 456-2552; Mrs. Inetta Teaff 456-4022; or Mrs. Margaret Liles 456-5211. This is not just to help out with the fund, but for just a good time for the community. We hope you will come and enjoy it.



Plains Jr. High Band students who entered the Solo and Ensemble Contest and won only 1st and 2nd places.

### Jr. High Band Receives I in Sight Reading

The Plains Jr. High Band attended the annual concert and sight reading contest at Springlake, Earth Saturday, May 9, 1970. The Band received a Division II in concert playing and then a first in sight reading which is the highest possible.

The following received first divisions in their solos - Rickie Liles on Saxophone; Joe St. Romain on Cornet; Debbie Madden on Flute; Steve Green on Snare Drum; and Rickey Bearden on Cornet. Receiving second divisions were Jerry Lowe on Baritone; Paula Crump on Clarinet; Rickey Bearden,

Joe St. Romain, Ceth Lewis and Weldon Nelms in a Comet Quartet; and Ceth Lewis on Cornet.

All events were scored between I and V and all Plains students entered ranked no lower than a II. The Band received a trophy which will be mailed to them at a later date. Many thanks goes to Mrs. Alfred Bearden and Mrs. Ray Bearden for traveling with the band. Much credit for the solo and ensemble success goes to Mrs. Ben Liles who spent much time working with the individual students helping them to prepare for the event.

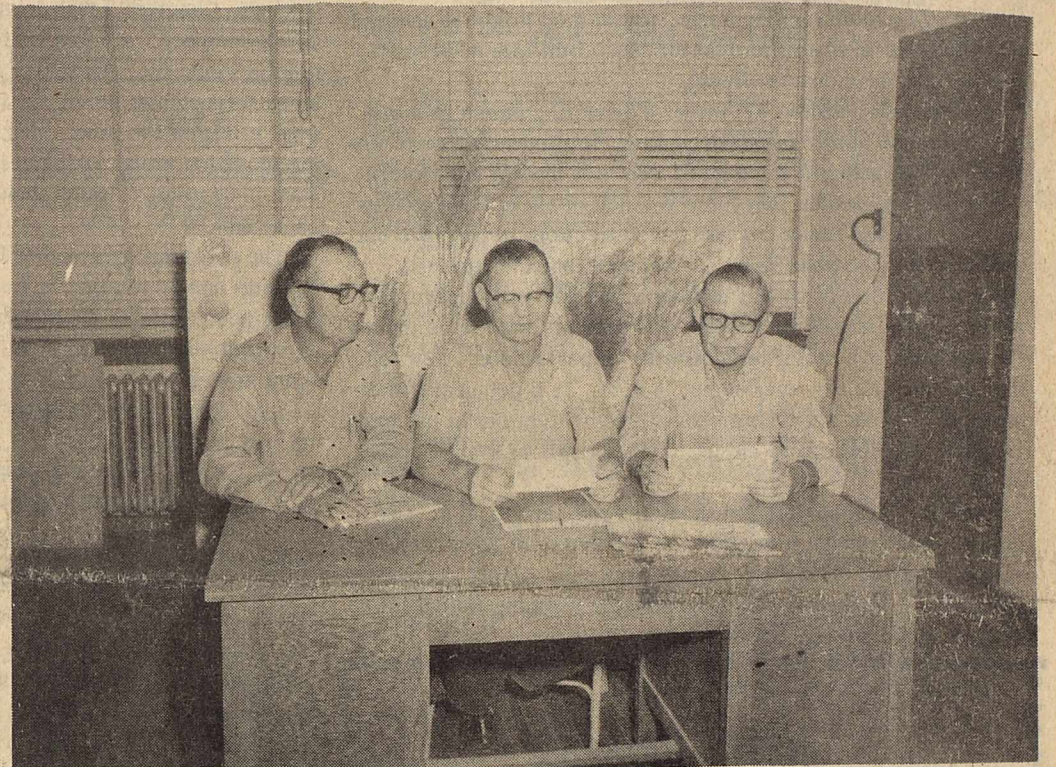
### 4-H Playday Begin Monday

The first play day for 4-H Club members will be held Monday evening beginning at 8:00 p.m. in the rodeo arena at Plains. All 4-H Club members who have horse projects as a part of their 4-H Club program are urged to attend each of the six play days scheduled for the summer of 1970.

Mr. Billy Winn is the head of the adult leaders who work with the 4-H horse program. He and the other leaders held a planning meeting in April to set up the schedule to be followed and the events to be used in the 1970 play days. The key hole race has been replaced by two performance events. Each age group will

compete in western pleasure classes and in reining classes. The flag race, barrel race and pole bending will be the three events to round out the program.

In addition to the initial play day of the season next Monday night, other play days will be held on June 8, June 22, July 6, July 20, and August 3. At the end of the regular season there will be an invitational play day where 4-H members from other counties will be invited to come and participate for trophies in each of the events. The date of the invitational play day has not been set but a likely time for it is on the first Saturday in September.



Pictured above is the work unit personnel L-R C. M. Thompson, District Conservationist; Wilson Q. Duke, Soil Conservationist; and Gilbert Pierce, Soil Conservation Technician. The Plains Work Unit of the Soil Conservation Service has been designated the "Honor Work Unit" for the fifth consecutive time by W. S. Goodlett, Jr., Area Conservationist. This honor is given to the work unit in Area 13 with the smallest error percentage on administrative reports. The work unit has reported 1,034 line items since July 1, 1969 and have had only three errors. The Plains Work Unit competes with eleven other work units in Area 13 for this honor.

### Beef Gain Contest

by Leo L. White, GAA  
Four-H and FFA members will bring their beef calves to the Livestock Exhibit Building on Saturday, May 16, in order to get them entered in the beef calf gain contest. An engraved loving cup will be awarded to the boy or girl whose calf makes the highest gain during the feeding period. This feeding period begins with the initial weigh day on the third Saturday in May and en-

ds when the animals are weighed in at the County Show in February.

Over 50 head of calves are expected to be weighed in this Saturday. The barns will be open and weighing can be done any time during the day; but an effort has been made to get as many of the calves as possible in the barn between 2:00 and 4:00 p.m. Visitors are always welcome

when there are calves in the barn. Regular monthly weigh days will be held on the third Saturday of each month and everyone is invited to come to the barn and see the animals and visit with the feeders and the leaders in the beef calf feeding program. During June, July and August, the calves will be brought in on Saturday morning. From September until February the weigh days will be an afternoon event.

The county agent is of the opinion that the beef calf gain contest, started in 1955 by G. W. Cleveland, is one of the important educational features of the junior beef calf feeding program in Yoakum County. It is more important now than it was 15 years ago. The modern steer that 4-H and FFA members select for their feeding program is much different than the steer they selected a few years ago. The steer that is in demand is a large, growthy animal that is well muscled and smooth. The feeders would like to have a steer that would go on to heavier weights without getting too fat. In order to be a profitable steer in the feed lot, the animal has to have the ability to put on rapid gains. The growthy calf that makes the high daily gains over the long feeding period will be the gain in contest winner. He will also be in the show ring winner if he has that combination of characteristics that breeders are trying to develop in their cattle.

### V.B.S. At First Baptist Church

This Vacation Bible School will last from May 18-22. It will start with registration, next a parade through town ending with a toad and frog race and a picnic lunch in the park. There will be classes for ea-

ch age from 3 through 16 years of age. Our Bible School will start Monday morning at 8:30 a.m.

Everyone is invited to attend our Vacation Bible School.

### Missionary to Speak

We are fortunate to have Mrs. John Adams, a missionary nurse in Tanzania, to speak at the First Baptist Church in Plains Wednesday night, May

20th, at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome to come and hear this lady tell us of her journey to this foreign country.

### Summer Term at SPC

LEVELLAND (Special) The Summer Term at South Plains College will be held June 1st through July 28, inclusive. The summer term at the College will be one eight week term. Students may take a maximum of three courses, or ten semester hours of college work. Registration will be held in

the Administration Building on Monday, June 1, 1970. Classes will begin at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, June 2. Classes meet daily, Monday through Friday on the following schedule: First Period, 8:00-9:00; Second Period, 9:10-10:10; Third

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## EDITORIALS

### Good Citizens Don't Riot

Up until the present time inspite of all the campus disturban-  
ces, fires and destruction of public property and even killings  
for some peculiar reason we have not heard of any injuries to stu-  
dents while in class rooms or in their rooms engaged in studies.  
Apparently the parents of students who are in college for the  
sole purpose of obtaining a formal education have little to wor-  
ry about. For the parents whose children are engaged in rioting  
and disruption of college procedure the answer is quite sim-  
ple. Cut off the funds and the child will agree to get down to  
its studies or come running home, where they might be induced  
to participate in some more useful and worthwhile activities,  
such as making their own living.

The dissenting student has either a dissenting parent or a dis-  
interested and poorly informed parent. In either case there would  
be little rioting if the parents were not funding the rioters.

There is little doubt that there is much in our colleges to com-  
plain about and many changes and corrections to be made but  
this is still the responsibility of the parent not the students.

The parent who continues to finance a child who engages in  
rioting in any way is an escapist who does not wish to be invol-  
ved, or face up to their responsibility of parenthood. Few of  
the students who riot ever bother to vote. It is doubtful if their  
parents do. This is evidenced by the small turnout at our free  
elections, a privilege so envied by the people of many nations  
of the world.

A thorough teaching of Americanism and patriotism at the  
family table instead of criticism of the President and his every  
action would go a long way in preventing the riotous conditions  
of today. In the mean time, let us stop financing rioters and  
blaming someone else for the results.

## NEWS BRIEFS

BY

THE EDITOR

Johnnie Moore, former publisher and Editor of our paper, and  
former pastor of the First Christian Church in Plains was named  
"Town & Country Minister of the Year" at the recent Texas  
Assembly. Congratulations to Johnnie Moore. Of course, the  
congratulations also include the First Christian Church of Sla-  
ton, Texas in having such an outstanding pastor. I also think  
Amarena, Johnnie's wife, should be given half of the praise  
as I have never seen a wife more loyal and work as hard as she  
does to aid her husband in his pastoral duties.

Trent's Laundromat two weeks ago starting having a draw-  
ing for Gift Certificates. Last week, on May 4th, Mrs. Paul  
Cobb won the certificate, and Monday, May 11th, Mrs. Neil  
Taylor won the certificate. All a person needs to do is to writ-  
e his name on a slip of paper and when the names are drawn  
at the given time on each Monday, the lucky person whose  
name was drawn will receive a gift certificate.

The Plains Texas Highway Department gave aid to the tor-  
nado tom City of Lubbock by sending three trucks and seven

### To all Yoakum County Citizens

MANY, MANY THANKS TO YOU FOR YOUR  
SUPPORT ON MY BEHALF FOR THE OFFICE  
OF COUNTY TREASURER IN THE DEMOCRATIC  
PRIMARY ELECTION ON MAY 2nd, 1970.  
YOUR VOTE OF CONFIDENCE WAS GREATLY  
APPRECIATED.

ALMA BEEN

## Friendly Chats with

Faye McConnell

It's a sure sign that a boy is growing up  
when he starts wanting to play with dolls!

In reading "From the Hopper" by W. H. Graham, Publisher  
of the Lovington Leader, I found a very interesting article and  
I would like to pass it on to our Plains Review readers. This  
interesting story apparently gives scientific correlation to a Bi-  
ble account that in some quarters would be considered part of  
our heritage of "religious mythology."

As the report goes, Harold Hill, President of Curtis Engine  
Company in Baltimore and a consultant in the space program,  
says science has proved at least two of these myths to be true.

He says space scientists at Green Bolt, Maryland were check-  
ing where the sun, moon and planets in space will be 100 and  
1000 years from now. They needed this information to plan or-  
bits for satellites to prevent collisions later.

They ran the computer measurement back and forth over the  
centuries until it came to a halt. It put up a red signal. Some-  
thing was wrong. A day was missing in space in elapsed time.  
There was no answer!

One scientist with a religious background remembered learn-  
ing in Sunday School of the day the sun stood still. The others  
laughed, but because no other explanation could be found, they  
brought the Bible forth. In Joshua they found the words of the  
Lord, "Fear them not, I have delivered them into thy hand;  
there shall not a man of them stand before thee." But Joshua  
was surrounded and the enemy would overpower him if darkness  
fell. So he asked the Lord to make the sun stand still---and He  
did, for 'about' a day. But computers showed the elapsed time  
as written, was 23 hours, 20 minutes. So 40 minutes were still  
missing.

The space scientists were still in trouble. If they couldn't  
account for the 40 minutes, they'd be off their schedule 1,000  
years later.

The religious scientist remembered another Bible story. In  
II Kings, Chapter 20 they found the story of Hezekiah, who was  
on his deathbed. He was visited by the prophet Isaiah who told  
him he would die. Hezekiah did not believe the prophet and  
asked for a sign of proof. Isaiah offered to move the sun for-  
ward 10 degrees as proof. But Hezekiah said, "It is nothing for  
the sun to go ahead 10 degrees, but let the shadow return back-  
ward 10 degrees." Isaiah spoke to the Lord and the sun returned  
backwards.

The scientists agreed that 10 degrees was 40 minutes. So the  
23 hours and 20 minutes in Joshua, plus the 40 minutes in II  
Kings accounted for the missing day in the universe.

It took the miracles of the Bible to Chart the logbook for  
space travel.

"A self-centered disposition is ugly;  
a God-centered disposition is beautiful."

men to help clean up the debris'. The men were Alvin Howell,  
Nino Garcia, Wayne Guetersloh, Robert Haines, Ben Liles, J.  
W. McCan and Billy Phillips. These men worked hard from  
midnight of May 11th all through the day Tuesday, May 12th.  
They returned home Tuesday evening for a good night's rest  
and reported back to Lubbock to do further work on Wednesday.  
This tornado that struck the Northwestern Part of Lubbock Mon-  
day night was reported as the 2nd largest to ever hit Texas. The  
other one was in Waco many years ago with over 100 people  
killed. Damages in the Lubbock area are estimated into the  
millions, 19 killed for sure and perhaps more will be found as  
debris' is removed, and approximately 1,000 injured.

The Plains Little League Baseball Teams started their sea-  
son without a sponsor, and it appeared that none would be had.  
But today it was reported that sponsors had been obtained. Ha-  
wkins Food Market will sponsor one team alone; New-Tex Gin  
and Plains Farm Supply will co-sponsor a team; Wilmeth Oil  
Company and Plains Oil Company will co-sponsor; and Roma-  
in Telephone Co. and Moore & Oden Inc. will co-sponsor.

## COURT NEWS

- The following cases are set for trial at 10:00 o'clock a.m. June 8, 1970, in Plains, Texas. Announcements will be called for at 10:00 o'clock a.m. June 8, 1970; all motions, exceptions, etc., will be heard at that time. The Jury will report at 1:30 p.m. June 8, 1970. The Court should be notified immediately of any case, herein set, being settled, or, for any reason why the same is not ready for trial by jury on June 8, 1970.
- 2301 Cecil C. Heathcock VS Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, Compensation
  - 2484 Sammy D. Neal VS Texas Employers' Insurance Assn. Compensation
  - 2640 Yoakum County State Bank VS Ester C. Fortenberry, et al, Collection of Notes
  - 2695 D. B. Chaney, et al VS B. F. Walker, Inc., et al, Personal Injury
  - 2779 Bob R. Roberts, Indv. & Next Friend Of Bradley Roberts, Minor VS Bonanza Oil Corporation, Damages
  - 2832 Lance Ellie VS Wayne Cook, et al, Breach of Contract
  - 2876 Billy Weir VS Hartford Accident & Indemnity Co., Compensation
  - 2885 Chester R. Estes VS Argonaut Southwest Insurance Co. Compensation
  - 2887 Jack D. Thompson VS Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, Compensation
  - 2898 John R. Day VS The Home Indemnity Company, Compensation
  - 2907 Lee Kidd, et al VS Ranger Insurance Company, Collection of Insurance
  - 2911 Nelson Ray Lemley VS Texas Employers' Insurance Assn., Compensation
  - 2914 Joe J. Spann VS Rodric Corporation, Personal Injury
  - 2924 Alfred Vest, et al VS Alfred O. Bearden, Personal Injury
  - 2925 Fidel Gonzalez Rios, et al VS Commercial Union Insurance Co. Of New York, Suit Liability Insurance Policy
  - 2930 Eddie Eldridge VS The Aetna Casualty & Surety Co., Compensation

## Political Announcements

(Democratic Second Primary Election, June 6, 1970)

COUNTY TREASURER  
WILDA OVERSTREET

## NOTICE

Board of Equalization Meeting  
In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Courthouse in the town of Plains, Yoakum County, Texas, at 9:00 a.m., beginning on Monday, the 1st day of June, 1970, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in Yoakum County, Texas, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1970, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.  
Ruby Heald  
County Clerk  
Yoakum County, Texas

Yoakum County,  
Plains, Texas  
THIS 11th day of May, 1970

## Notice

Notice is hereby given by the Parks and Wildlife Department that a public hearing will be held at 8 p.m. on June 2, 1970 at the County Courthouse at Plains, Texas for the purpose of gathering information concerning proposed hunting, fishing and trapping regulations for the above-named county. As the result of action by the Texas Legislature, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission is responsible for the setting of seasons, bag limits, and means and methods of taking the wildlife resources in Yoakum County. All interested persons are urged to attend and comment upon the proposed regulations.  
1/14/c

## Eggers Renews Campaign

Paul Eggers, buoyed by a nearly 14 to 1 Republican primary victory, takes up his drive for governor again this week after promising "the most aggressive gubernatorial campaign ever conducted in Texas."

His schedule for this week indicates it may be, considering the general election is still six months away. It calls for a solid week of campaigning in various parts of the State.

"I have promised a most aggressive campaign," he said. "It will be one in which everyone who seeks responsive state government can join."

In his statement after the primary election, Eggers had already begun chipping away at Governor Smith's record. "Gov. Smith says everything he does is political," Eggers said, quoting an article in the DALLAS TIMES HERALD in which Smith said just that.

"The compelling needs of the '70's will require more than the worn-out political approach Gov. Smith is willing to bring to the job," Eggers said. "Certainly, the past year of his administration has been one characterized by chaos in the legislature, questionable appointments and erosion of confidence in the state bureaucracy."

But Eggers also has begun laying out the form his campaign for governor will take. "Texans want someone who will point the way to real solutions to the spiraling crime rate," the Republican nominee said. "They want someone willing

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# THANK YOU!

I wish to publicly thank each and every person for the support given me in my recent campaign to continue as Yoakum County Treasurer. I would especially like to thank Verda Lee Robertson for the clean campaign conducted and I solicit her help and invite her supporters to consider my qualifications for office in the coming run-off election, June 6.

Sincerely,

Wilda Overstreet

(Pol. adv. paid for by Wilda Overstreet)



Say Something  
"I've been asked for references for our last maid. What on earth can I say in her favor?"  
"Well, she has a good appetite and sleeps well."

A Few Extras  
Father--And there, son, you have the story of the Great War.  
Son--Yes, Dad. But why did they need all the other soldiers?

Clever Boy  
A little boy came home from school and announced to his mother: "I'm in a fine fix at school. The teacher says I have to write more legibly and if I do, she'll find out that I can't spell."

For Husbands Only  
"How do you manage always to be dressed so well?" asked a man of an acquaintance.  
"Does your wife pick your clothes?"  
"No," responded the other genially. "Just the pockets."

Little Tough  
"Above all," the doctor argued, "you must eat more fruit, and particularly the skin of the fruit. The skin contains all the virtues and the vitamins. What, by the way, is your favorite fruit?"  
The patient looked gloomy. "Coconuts," he said.

No Immigrant  
City Detective Floyd Niswonger got a straight answer to a straight question.  
He asked a man picked up on suspicion of illegal entry into the United States:  
"How did you get into this country?"  
The man replied:  
"Mister, I'm a full-blooded Sioux Indian, I was born here. How did you get here?"

## NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING

### INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the City of Plains, Yoakum County, Texas, at 9 o'clock A. M., beginning on Monday, the 1st day of June, 1970, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in the said Plains Independent School District, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1970, and any and all persons interested, or having business with said Board, are here notified to be present.

DONE BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION of Plains Independent School District, Yoakum County, Texas, at Plains, Texas, the 7th day of May, A. D., 1970.

s/ Dickie Green  
Secretary  
Plains Independent School District

NOTE: The meeting for Personal and Real Properties will be held at 9:00 o'clock A. M., on Monday, June 1, 1970. The meeting for Oil, Gas, Utilities, and Industries will begin at 9:00 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, June 3, 1970.



Pictured above from L-R are Gail Carothers, Beverly Lowrey, La Vern Edwards, Jean Vest, Lou Ella Turner, Patsy Ziegenfuss, Toni Perkins, Rene Hendricks and Dianne Fitzgerald, the senior girls present at a salad luncheon honoring the senior girls and their mothers at the Tsa Mo Ga Club House Saturday, May 9th. Hostesses for the occasion were Meses, Dick Carothers, Cordell Huddleston, John E. Fitzgerald, Johnnie L. Fitzgerald and Jack Palmer.

## PIC & PAY

### GROCERY & MARKET

S & H TIL 11 DOUBLE  
GREEN STAMPS TUESDAY  
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DELICIOUS APPLES LB. 17¢	GREEN ONIONS 2 BUNCHES 15¢	CORN 3 FOR 25¢
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ORANGE JUICE 6 oz. D. D. 2 for 39¢	BANQUET CREAM PIES EACH 29¢	



# SOIL CONSERVATION WEEK

PLAINS REVIEW  
SECTION II

THURSDAY, MAY 14, 1960, PAGE

## Proclamation

The Land is a gift from God which must be used with understanding and with total dedicated stewardship; and

Each individual is dependent upon the soil, whether he dwells in the country, town or city, or whatever his vocation may be; its blessings and its demands touches all alike; and

Conservation is the preservation of our natural resources for food, fiber, economical use and for the preservation of the American way of life; and

These God-given resources of soil, water, plant and wildlife must not only be conserved and replenished but improved; and

The worthy obligation that confronts us as stewards today is to leave this country unpolluted in nature and undepleted in resources; and

The responsibilities for the conservation of these resources is by law given to the Soil and Water Conservation Districts and their Supervisors in Texas, thus they are sponsoring Soil Stewardship Week.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Gene H. Bennett, County Judge of Yoakum County, do hereby designate the week of May 11-18, 1970 as SOIL STEWARDSHIP WEEK IN YOAKUM COUNTY, TEXAS.

In official recognition whereof, I hereby affix my signature this 11th day of May, 1970.

*Gene H. Bennett*

Gene H. Bennett  
County Judge  
Yoakum County, Texas

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

Ruby Heald  
County Clerk

## I Am a Piece of Land

by Dr. J. C. Taylor, Dentist

I am a piece of land, five, ten or a hundred acres, I am good land, well known by my neighboring acres, yet I am not being used as well as I should be.

You are well manured, well kept and farmed as good as a piece of land should be, you say. No, on the contrary, I am not. Farming methods have changed, new equipment has been made, scientific watering and use of chemicals are in common use, yet I am not being used to produce the things I am capable of producing. Why is this, you say?

Back at the turn of the century, you could not tell me from my neighbor if you were to walk or ride over me, one piece of land could not be distinguished from another.

As civilization moved westward, interested eyes scanned the surface of the land and saw the possibilities of profitable use of the land if properly used. Plows were brought in and our surface was scratched, not very deep, but the land was broke. Crops were planted and in time were harvested.

Years passed, equipment changed, and farmers changed. Some died and some sold out and moved on. Year after year I was farmed, and most years I produced good crops, depending of course upon the rain fall and growing seasons. I was what you might call a good piece of land.

One day I was sold to a man whose interest was not tilling the land. Just an investment I suppose, probably could have rented me and let someone else farm me, but he did not and now I am lying idle.

Just a weed patch, a good piece of land, but just a weed patch. Years ago you could have walked or rode over me and not tell the difference between me and my neighbor,

but now I can be distinguished from my neighbor without any trouble.

I need someone to take me and make me what I ought to be, a good piece of land that can be made productive.

You may have seen me from the road as you passed. Are you someone who loves the land? All I want is for someone who is a good faithful steward of the soil to make me productive again.

## Comments on Conservation

by Cordell Huddleston, Vice President & Cashier, Plains State Bank

When we mention conservation our minds can think of many things that should have our immediate attention. In Yoakum County the most important task at hand is the conservation of our soil and water, and not necessarily in that order. As we are basically agricultural originated, we must consider the future of our community if and when our soil and water have been used up. I believe that the farmers in this community have made great strides in preventing soil erosion over the past few years; however, we still have a few farms that blow with the slightest wind and in many cases this is the fault of the farmer. I do not propose to tell anyone how to farm or how to keep their top soil from blowing away, but it sure seems to me that the County and State Highway Department spend a lot of time keeping our roadways clear of sand. My question is, what are we as individuals doing to improve our community? Efforts are being made to import water into our State and County. We need to make every effort to support projects of this type that will assure us of a future in the agriculture business.



GENE BENNETT, COUNTY JUDGE, SIGNING PROCLAMATION AS C.M. THOMPSON, DISTRICT CONSERVATIONIST WITH THE SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE U.S.D.A. IN THE YOAKUM SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT.

## "Minimum Tillage of Sorghum as a Soil Conserving Factor"

by Bob Dumas, Goodpasture Grain, Inc.  
Minimum tillage is a soil erosion conserving factor primarily by leaving more crop residue on the top soil and therefore reducing wind and water erosion.

Minimum tillage is normally associated with narrow rows and herbicides. A yield increase is usually expected with broadcast or 20 inch row plantings of grain sorghum.

There are numerous problems in the sandy lands of the South Plains when using minimum tillage. Herbicides must be used for this type of operation. The pre-plant herbicides available for use now are not what we need for our area. Generally most pre-plant or pre-emerge herbicides must attach themselves to clay particles and therefore resist leaching into the crops root zone. In our soils, a sandy soil, there is not enough clay for the herbicide to have this type action.

If we should get a large rain while the sorghum is in the small seedling stage, a loss of stand could result.

Haromone herbicides have also been used to control weed post-emerge. These chemicals give excellent control of broadleaves when properly used.

These herbicides must be used when the sorghum is 6 to 12 inches tall or after seed set and while the weeds are small and growing rapidly. The haromone herbicides should not be used when a susceptible crop is being grown near by.

Some herbicides, like Milogard and Attrex by Geigy, when used broadcast on a sandy soil may leave a chemical residue and could be unsafe for cotton and winter grains the following year. A definite crop rotation procedure would therefore be necessary.

Karmex can be used also as a post-emerge application after the sorghum is 15 inches

tall. This should be applied as a directed spray. Karmex also controls small weeds and will give a pre-emerge effect for 6 to 8 weeks.

With minimum tillage we should get an increase of our crop residues. This residue would increase the organic matter of the soil and therefore increase the productivity, tilth, and the water holding capacity of the soil. This crop residue would also lower the wind erosion problems of our soils.

There is a lot of work to be done in our area by farmers

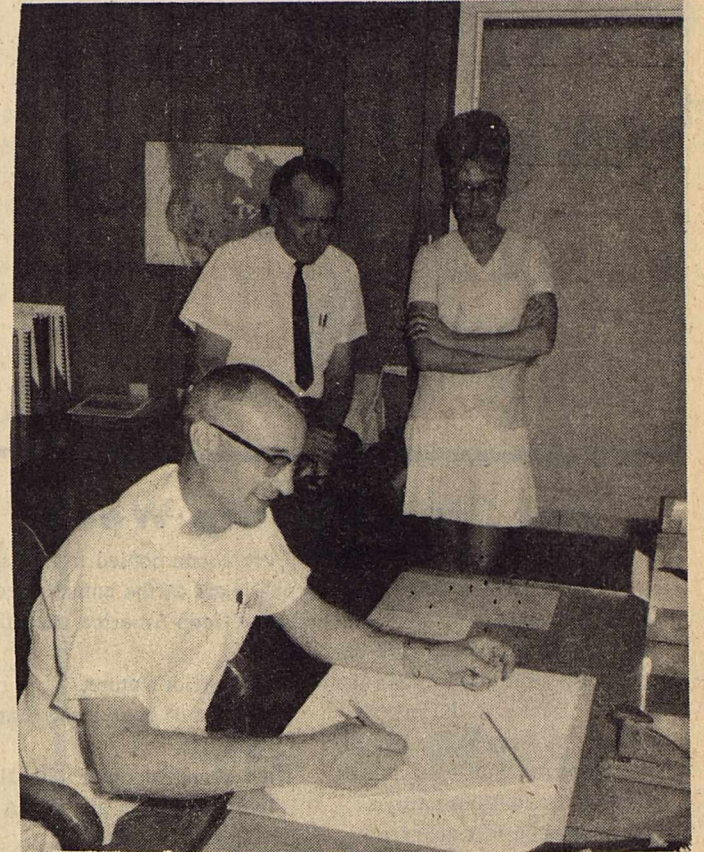
and herbicide companies before any general recommendation can be made for a minimum tillage operation. We know now that with minimum tillage and narrow rows we must control weeds, increase the seeding rates, fertility, and use insect control before we can utilize this idea to the fullest extent.

## Soil Stewardship A Duty

by D. C. Newsom, Jr., Ginner

Soil Conservation is the duty of all who live in this very fine country. To us here in west Texas it seems that there is an abundance of land that is not in use for cultivation. This land is good soil in most of the area, but only 15% of the surface of this earth is tillable soil.

Since only a very small part of this earth has the task of feeding and clothing the entire populus of this world, it becomes the duty of all who farm and live in this world to maintain and use this soil in the very best way.



MAYOR ROY EDWARDS SIGNING PROCLAMATION AS HUGH ABERCROMBIE AND LORETTA HOUCK LOOK ON.

## Proclamation

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

BE IT KNOWN THAT I, Roy Edwards, Mayor of the City of Plains, Yoakum County, Texas, do hereby declare the week of May 11th through the 18th to be set aside as Soil Conservation Week in Yoakum County.

THEREFORE, let every citizen do all that is in his power to practice Soil and Water Conservation at every opportunity for the betterment of our country now and in the future.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the Seal of The City of Plains, Texas to be affixed hereto at Plains, Texas, this the 11th day of May, 1970.

(Seal)

*Roy Edwards*  
Roy Edwards  
Mayor of Plains  
Yoakum County, Texas

ATTEST:

*Hugh G. Abercrombie*  
Hugh G. Abercrombie  
City Secretary



Mobil Oil Company production forman V. L. Floyd and District Supertendent, Joe Alcott on the Mahonney section that is being established to a grass cover for soil protection. (SCS Photo)

## God's Storehouse of Knowledge

by Robert N. Tipps, Vice-President & Trust Officer, Yoakum County State Bank

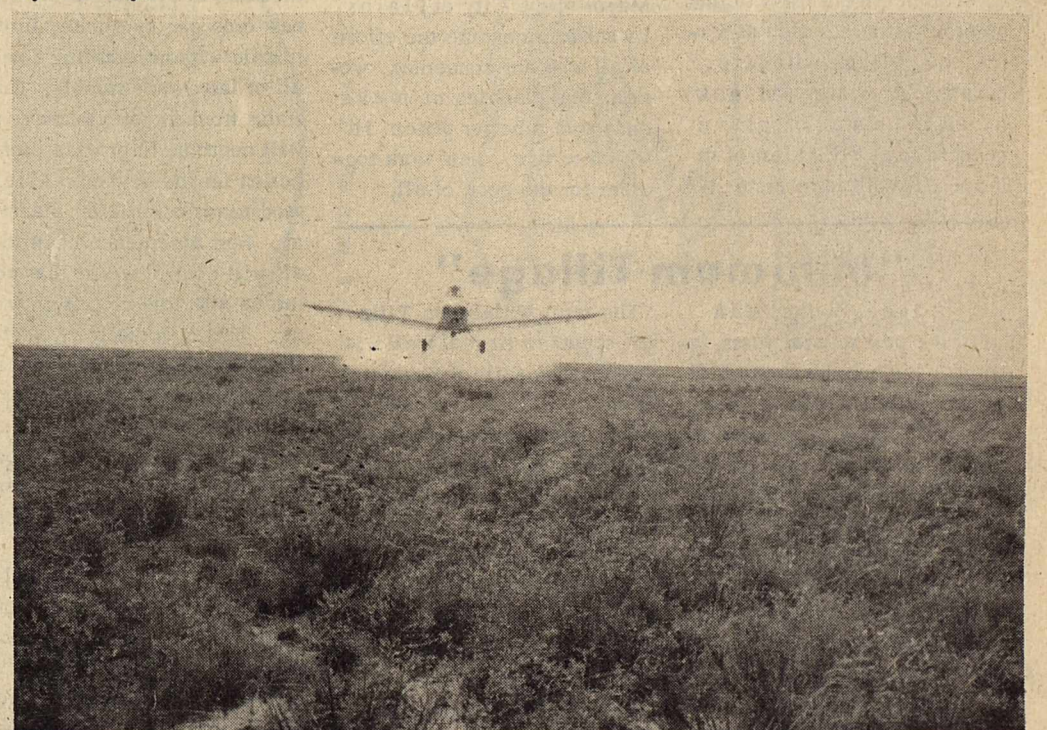
During the observance last week of Earth Week, I was depressed by the future of mankind. The oceans are dying; the Great Lakes are dead; the rivers are polluted; the air is fast becoming unsafe to breathe; and the earth's population is increasing at a rate that it will be impossible to provide enough food to prevent mass

starvation. The voices sounding these claims were not those of rabble rousers but of learned men most knowledgeable in their fields. I am unable to refute their argument. But I believe mankind's future is not this black.

I believe that God created this universe, this earth, and the men who dwell on it. He also created the dinosaur, and it perished, but it was never intended that the dinosaur,

"have dominion over the works of thy hand". I believe that it is God's plan that mankind survive. I expect no distribution of manna to sustain us, for I believe that we have the only hands and feet on earth that He has. While Paul Ehrlich has pointed out that the world's population is currently doubling at the astounding rate of once every 37 years

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Brush control on the 2-B Ranch north of Plains, Texas Tech Range and Wildlife Department doing research on methods of brush control on about 200 acres. Hobbs Flying Service doing the application work. (SCS Photo)

## Conserve Our Soil Now

by Lloyd Allsup, Plains Farm Supply

Why not conserve our soil while we have it instead of having to build it back and then conserve it.

We can look at some of our near by States and see what has happened to them. The people in parts of Oklahoma worked their land in such a manner 20 years ago that they vertically lost all their soil. This was not by washing their land away alone but by blowing away as well, after they lost it then and only then did they start a re-building program. Now, 20 years later their land is actually producing more than twice as much as then, and the value of their land has increased four times. Most of this increase in value is due to the fact that they

can grow more pounds of beef, wheat and com. They have adapted crops to fit their climate and land.

Most people on the South Plains still have their soil, so we don't have the re-building problem but we do need to work real hard and manage our land just like it is Dollars because that's just what it is. After trying different methods of controlling land in this part of the country, I have found the best method is to leave the fine particles of our top soil undisturbed. The wind we have had this year has reminded us again, just how careful we should be about how we farm our land. There is one fact that we cannot ignore on the South Plains, the wind is going to blow, therefore we should have this in

mind every time we work our land. It may not rain in this country but the wind is going to blow. So, lets protect what God has given us and be good stewards of our soil and resources.

## Waste

by D. N. Taylor, Plains High School Superintendent

We know as man has lived his life, day by day and year by year, throughout history he has continued to change and to build for himself a synthetic environment. His clothing, his housing, his food, in fact, almost everything about him is the result of his converting natural elements and

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### Soil Stewardship Week

by W. M. Overton, ASCS  
County Executive Director

Environment is a word we have been hearing used much the past few weeks by the news media. In the past the people of our country that have been concerned about our natural resources have felt at times that their voices were not being heard. For many years the United States Department of Agriculture has been trying in various ways to teach us the importance of all our natural resources. The National Council of Garden Clubs and other organizations have worked diligently many years in this direction.

Soil Stewardship is a vital part of environmental control. All our children learn the "Declaration of Independence" and we should all learn a "Declaration of Dependence" - a declaration of our dependence on Nature.

Here is one copied from a speech heard at the annual meeting of Keep America Beautiful:

I am part of Nature.  
I am part of everything that lives.  
I am bound together with all living things in air, in LAND, and in water.  
My live depends on Nature - upon its balance, upon its resources, and upon the continuity of both.  
To destroy them is to destroy myself.  
As a member of the human race I am responsible for its survival.  
I am part of Nature.  
I will not destroy it.

The conserving of our soil can be accomplished if each and every person realized the truth and worked to correct the following: "EACH BIT OF LAND THAT IS DIMINISHED WE ARE THAT MUCH NEARER OUR FINISH".

### Our Town and Conservation

by Roy A. Edwards, Mayor  
of Plains, Texas

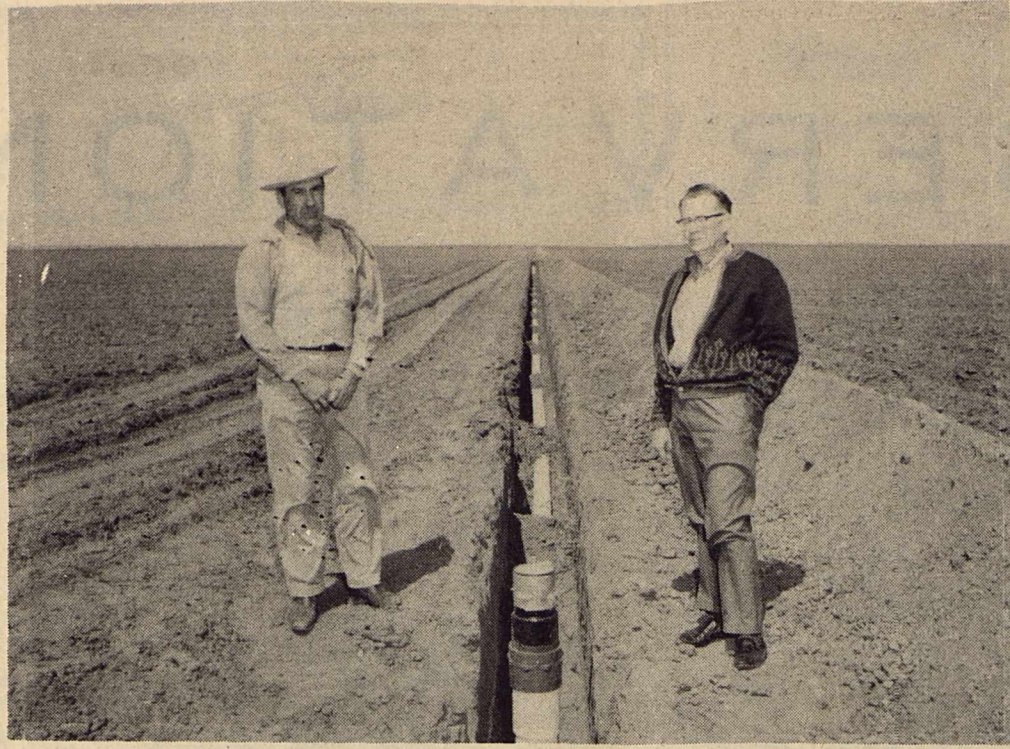
Soil and Water Conservation is becoming more critical each year in our city, county, state and nation. Not only are we conscious of a pressing need for conservation of quantity, but quality as well is becoming more and more important. Over the years we have been negligent users of our precious resources such as water, soil, plants, wild life, country side beauty and now the air is a matter of grave concern to us all. Most of us in the City of Plains are dependent upon the farmer and rancher to be the backbone of our economy. Therefore, we should encourage them to be strong and diligent in their conservation efforts. We are all land users in a sense and we must strive to use and protect not only the land but all of our environment which GOD has so graciously given us. As Mayor of the City of Plains, I want to recognize the efforts of all who are concerned, working and planning to make our world a better place in which to live. Lets work together for the good of all.

### "Minimum Tillage"

by Leo L. White, CAA

For the past several years, farmers have heard a great deal about minimum tillage as a means of lowering the cost of producing crops. Some of the farm operators in the Yoakum Soil and Water Conservation District are making changes in their tillage operations and moving a little nearer toward a minimum tillage operation each year. This gradual change is the recommended way to make alterations in farming methods. Sudden changes usually call for excessive investment in new equipment and the average farmer cannot afford the risk involved in getting it paid for.

The term "Minimum Tillage" seems to fit real well with the sandy soils of Yoakum County. This term sounds much better to most farmers than "No-Till Farming" which is a practice receiving a great deal of support in certain areas. Some prefer to call it "Chemical Farming" which isn't a bad description of what happens. My conception of minimum tillage is that the operator stirs the soil when it is absolutely necessary and when it isn't necessary he leaves it alone. It also means that the operator uses every practical means of preventing erosion, controlling weeds, and conserving moisture without ac-



K.O. Hendricks and W.M. Overton inspecting underground irrigation pipeline being installed on Hendricks farm north west of Plains. (SCS Photo)

### Conservation A State of Harmony

by G. D. Kennedy, Superintendent of Plains Schools

"Conservation is a state of harmony between man and land," Aldo Leopold

Unless a greater degree of harmony can be established between man and our God given natural resources mankind will soon face an extremely serious crisis. The time has come when every day must be considered as "Earth Day".

Conservation of natural resources is truly the price of our survival as a people and as a nation. We can no longer permit ourselves to be indifferent regarding this all important matter. Conservation must become an attitude, or a way of life in our democracy. To this end our public schools have a specific obligation. However, the magnitude of this

problem is too great for any one group or organization to solve. It will require the united and cooperative efforts of all. Conservation education must begin in the home and continue through adult education.

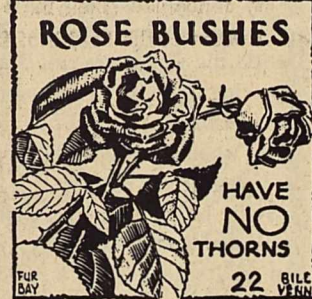
The importance of the problems connected with the wise use of natural resources and broad implications of these problems for the welfare of humanity leave us no alternative. Conservation must be accepted as a way of life. It is not alone something to do; it is something to feel, to live. We cannot succeed unless we accept the obligations of trusteeship for the general good of all humanity. Future generations are entitled to share the resource heritage to which we have become heir. The earth's population is rising at a

rapid pace and the earth's natural resource base is declining. Unless we can find ways to conserve what we have and to provide subsistence for rapidly increasing populations, we face a dark future.

The wealth of a nation depends upon both its available natural resources and upon the courage and resourcefulness of its people. When a single individual allows himself to get out of harmony with nature our chances of national survival are lessened. We must not lose sight of the fact that

conservation is a matter of individual and personal concern. We must work both individually and collectively to solve this problem. We cannot afford to delay action. We must act now. It could be later than we think.

### The DEBUNKER By John Harvey Farbay, Ph.D.



According to the noted authority on botany, Asa Gray, the sharp projections on rose bushes are not thorns at all, but are "prickles." A thorn is a spine or sharp process of a degenerate branch which is leafless and indurated. The prickles of rose bushes are merely outgrowths of the bark, and do not approach the definition of a thorn, which is something quite different.

**Double Meaning**  
A lady was very much pleased because her husband had called her an angel. She was not accustomed to compliments from him and asked him why he had called her an angel. "Because," he replied, "you are always up in the air, you're continually harping on something, and you never have a darn thing to wear."

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### Soil Conservation

by Gene H. Bennett, County Judge, Yoakum County, Texas

Some people may think that soil conservation only began in the last century or two, but in the time of Moses, one of the commandments given to him was: "Six years thou shalt sow thy field, and six years thou shalt prune thy vineyard, and unto the land, a sabbath for the Lord; thou shalt neither sow thy field, nor prune thy vineyard. That which groweth of its own accord of thy harvest thou shalt not reap, neither gather the grapes of thy vine undressed; for it is a year of rest unto the land."

The American pioneers who helped to establish towns or took up farms in the wilderness had to settle large problems in land use. They probably asked themselves three simple questions before deciding what to do: (1) How can we do it? (2) Will it pay? (3) Shall we enjoy the results?

In earlier days it was thought that if every user of land were free to answer these questions for himself - to do what he could, what paid him, and what he enjoyed - the prob-

lem of land use would work itself out for the good of all. But after a century and a half many people in America began to realize that something was wrong.

Many millions of acres are not now returning a living to those who own or occupy them. A map of the lands on which taxes have not been paid for a long time will show this; so will a map of relief payments to farmers.

In the rush of settlement not much attention was paid to land, and much was put into farm land that was not suitable. This situation is still going on at this time. If you don't want to believe it, just drive passed a sandy plowed ground on a windy day and see how the sand bears against your car, fills your nostrils with dust at times, it is almost stifling. This situation was made worse by the rapid development of transportation, which gave poor land access to markets and tempted men to farm it, far beyond its natural power to produce.

Forests have been largely destroyed and so has much of the natural grassland. Streams have

been silted full of mud, floods have become steadily worse, complete fields have been blown away, and the underground water level has dropped greatly since settlement. The country's soil has suffered a loss of about 30% by being washed or blown away.

Since 1900 the belief has grown that the man who owns land should not have the right to destroy its value of the future - instead, he should look upon himself as a trustee, charged to pass the land on in as good condition as it came to him. Back of the owner's rights lie the rights of all the people. Freedom should mean freedom to use and enjoy, not to wreck.

Soil Conservation is the proper use and care of the land. It means using the land to produce the greatest long-term income and at the same time protect it so its productive power will be maintained or increased. Everything that helps keep the soil productive is a part of conservation.

With proper Soil Conservation, one acre of land can feed more people than can 25 acres of poorly farmed land.

### "We The People"

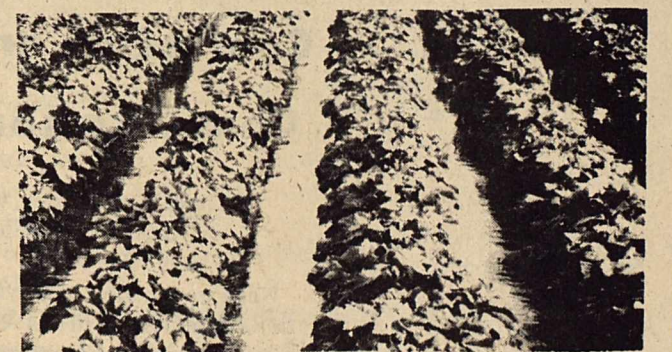
by Mrs. Casey Jones, Housewife

The American way continues to work as long as WE, THE PEOPLE continue to make it work! Despite the size and complexity of these United States, we must bear in mind that it is not a soulless, inanimate object---it is PEOPLE. Yes, we are the people---and "This Land Was Made For You and Me."

Our numerous resources can be protected and preserved only by the individual efforts of each of us. "WE, THE PEOPLE" teach tolerance, with a fundamental belief in the dignity of man, that each and every one of us is valuable. It takes millions of people and hard work to keep America clean, productive and flourishing. It demands our attention individually and

collectively. Our many freedoms and privileges can be preserved only by the individual efforts of each of us. So let us resolve to be a better steward of our soil, water and

clean air, and dedicate our efforts to leaving the soil, a section of land, a city lot, a herd of cattle or a community improved by WE, THE PEOPLE having lived here.



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de for his own is worse than a infidel and has denied the faith.

### Conservation

by Sudie M. Thompson, CHDA

The subject "conservation" is one of which everyone should be interested in because all types of conservation has its effect on each of us--whether it be water, soil, air, noise or word conservation. We read where scientists are saying that too much noise is apparently taking a heavy toll of human health and can be as dangerous as smog or dirty water. The health costs, they say, may well include heart attacks, high blood pressure, danger to unborn babies, disorders of nerves and glands, irritability tensions, not to mention the loss of hearing.

The homemaker in most instances is involved and greatly concerned about the conservation of the health of family members. Planning and serving meals that provide nutrients for good health, housing and home furnishings, family stability, tensions and emotional health are topics of study in the home demonstration clubs here in Yoakum County. Recreation is another phase considered important, because it is a renewal of inner resources. The homemaker is well aware of the much talked about water and air pollution also. And an important factor in a clean environment is the biodegradability of waste materials.

When salt or foam is noted in well water, it shows that the ground water is contaminated. Sometimes this may come from our own laundry, as well as other sources. Several years ago the detergent industry developed and produced a new biodegradable detergent raw material called "linear alkylate sulfonate." The new soft material was a substitute for the old hard "alkyl benzene sulfonate." As of June 30, 1965 the new material has replaced all of the old material used in the production of cleaning and washing products for United States consumption. This was brought about to reduce foam on our waterways.

There are several categories of air pollutants. Soot and ash constitute about 10% of the contaminants in the air. This is in the form we can see. It settles on the earth, soils clothes and buildings, it corrodes metal and infiltrates into the lungs.

Carbon monoxide is an invisible and odorless pollutant. Sulphur dioxide, nitrogen oxide and hydrocarbons are also large classes of pollutants.

Research in conservation has been going on for many years and more is needed. It will take scientific skill and know how and more too. It will take a special brand of kindness and consideration on the part of all of us.

### My Views On Conservation

by Vernon A. Townes, County Attorney

Seems to me that the world in general is suddenly becoming aware of this conservation thing. Air pollution, water pollution, and general environmental pollution is being stressed very much in the world this day and time, when in truth and in fact this question of stopping and avoiding pollution is just another side of the conservation matter. Had all people at all times been conservation minded and had properly conserved all natural resources of every nature, then of course there would never have risen any pollution question.

Pollution is simply a matter of one penalty that is paid for mankind's failure to follow conservation. Anyone who is properly conserving water resources certainly will not permit the water to become polluted.

The same is true in soil conservation or any other conservation.

Everything that we read and hear of this day and time directed the pollution question is simply a matter of saying that we now need to solve the problems created by mankind's failure to be conservation minded and to follow proper conservation practices in all environmental questions. Conservation is not just a matter of any one particular field, but conservation applies to all natural resources of every nature, be it vegetable, animal or mineral, air, soil or water. It then follows that pollution is a result of mankind's failure to follow conservation practices.

We are now at the point where we must cure the pollution created by our previous failure to follow proper conservation practices, and to stop further

pollution of any nature we simply must follow proper conservation practices, and of course all of this is simply saying that the world is now becoming aware of what you and your office have been preaching for many years.

### Soil Conservation

by Woody Wilmeth, Businessman

I got out my World Book to read up on soil conservation. I read at some length about where and how soil came about, it stated that hundreds of millions of years ago when there was solid rock at first and it finally got to a state of decay that it would grow a plant and etc. It never once mentioned the creator God; Are these educated people afraid or are they ashamed of God and his creation?

We read in Genesis 1 that God created this planet, the land, the water and also the man, Mr. Adam. Adam was given the first job of soil conservation, he worked by the sweat of his face. It seems many people today think this to be just a fairy tale, outdated material that man wrote years ago. God also made a living soul, a spiritual being, this making him as the son of God, thus giving him knowledge and power to rule over all other animals - not tomatoes or the German measles, as in the case of Apollo 13 mission. One man missed the trip. Those that are not fools believe in God's creation. Also, we realize man could not exist without soil conservation, clean air and fresh water. The rural area is the only hope for man's survival. Let us humbly respect our creator by doing all we can to preserve his creation. He loved us so much he has never forsaken us, and it is still man's duty to work by the sweat of his face. The Apostle Paul said he that won't work and provide

### Soil, A Basic Treasure

by Mrs. Bobby Lester, Plains Dirt Gardeners

To all Americans, wherever they live, soil should be a basic treasure. Soils produce good yields and keep on doing so if they are well managed. The tilling and management of soil is among the oldest of arts, but none is changing more rapidly than it. We know more about taking care of soil than past generations but there is much more that we should know.

Several years ago many realized that soil erosion was a waste. Few realized how serious a waste, yet fewer dared nag our conscience. Even the destruction of the Dust Bowl left many disinterested. Now, not a moment too early, most people recognize the essential need of sound soil conservation practices. Much progress has been made but much remains to be done.

We recognize the fact that conservation of soil and water is a key to food production for growing populations and that soil must be kept productive year after year.

Four objectives of soil conservation in the United States are:

To control soil erosion at all times and prevent soil damage in the future.

To use the better soils, wherever crops can be grown efficiently, for greater net gain per acre.

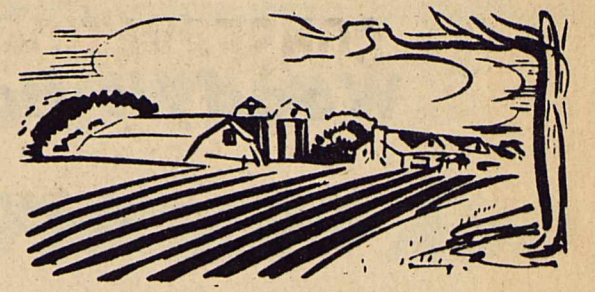
To convert land least suitable for cultivation to pastures, forestry, recreation, and wildlife or other uses in which the soil is not disturbed.

To protect and hold in reserve soils not needed but potentially suited to cultivation until there is a demand for farm commodities from them or until they may be needed for the balancing of efficient farm units.

Good progress is being made in planned conversions in land use in our county and country. In fact, soil conservation has become a world wide movement. Many countries have applied techniques learned in the United States to better conserve their lands and water.

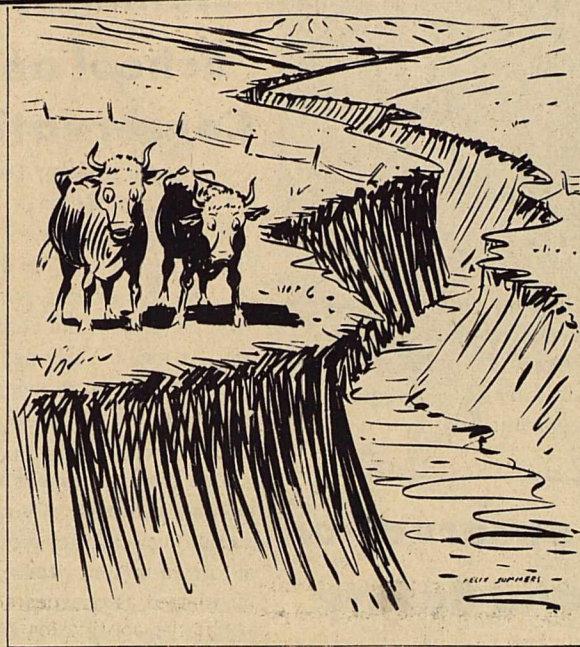
Through education and sound practices we have learned how to keep our land producing and how to conserve precious water.

We should take time during this special week to give thanks to our Heavenly Father for the wonderful abundance, recreation and beauty that comes forth from this great land of ours. We are all stewards of the soil.



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County Agent, Leo L. White, and Kenneth Blount in a field of grain sorghum on the Blount farm. Grain sorghum produces one of our best soil protectors. (SCS Photo)

### Preserve Our Natural Resources

by Ruby Heald  
"Civilization begins when the first tree is cut and ends when the last tree is felled". Many of the great civilizations of the past have vanished. The point is, civilization grows and flourishes when man lives in harmony with his natural environment; it vanishes when he deliberately destroys that environment.

There are numerous areas in the world which once were green and fertile but now are treeless wastes because man abused his environment.

It may be contended, that this could not possibly apply to this country, which is so abundantly supplied with natural resources, but that is a matter of opinion. Areas in the U. S. already have been ruined by exploitation, and others are on their way to becoming so.

Thousands of acres of American land are lost through soil erosion each year, thanks to man's mismanagement of his environment. And the process continues.

This matter of soil erosion is one about which conservationists justifiably are worried. The destruction of a natural beauty has become a subject of concern to national leaders and rightly so.

As a time-saver, flying is great. But there is always that

curious feeling of having left the earth, of being in an unfamiliar milieu, and a rather comfortable feeling when one sets foot once more on the good earth.

From above, the earth looks rather trivial. Tiny checker-board fields, minute, smaller-than-ant-size automobiles, thread-like rivers and pond-like lakes.

Traveling by land is a broadening and enchanting experience. Here one sees the vastness of earth, the magnificence of growth, the beauty of changing color and contoured landscape.

This world, our world, was made for man, and man was made for the world. Every minute cell, every element, every grain, every atom is related to the whole and thus to me. We are not involved only in mankind but in the very stuff of the universe itself.

This world is our habitat. What other worlds have to offer, I do not know. We are equipped in mind, body and soul to live in it, to reign like kings upon it and to use it or ABUSE it.

GOD gave us the earth in its fullness so let each of us give back to mother nature by applying a small portion of our talents in the preservation of our many natural resources.

### Conservation and Safety

by Joe Cox, Highway Patrolman

Can soil conservation and traffic safety be linked together? I believe they can be. Recently, we were notified of a motor vehicle accident west of Denver City. The accident had occurred on a County Dirt Road. The wind was blowing this date and as we neared the scene of the accident, we encountered heavy blowing dust which cut visibility to only a short distance. The accident was a one car turn-over. We found that the driver had lost control of his vehicle and turned over after striking a large rock which had been out in the road. Dust was blowing at the time of the accident and we believe that it was a contributing factor to the accident. If soil conservation had been practiced by the farmers which had land adjacent the road, the accident might have been prevented.

Not too long ago we were called to Whiteface to assist in protecting property which had been damaged due to a tornado. While in route to Whiteface, we had to drive through several clouds of blowing dust. More than once the visibility was only a few feet and about the only thing we could see was the center stripe of the road. This hazard to driving would have been prevented if soil conservation had been used on the neighboring land.

The damage from accidents each year is thousands of dollars in property damage and thousands of people are killed or permanently injured. If soil conservation prevented only one traffic fatality, it would be money well spent.

### FOOD FOR THE HAVE-NOTS

More than 18 million needy persons each year receive their daily nutritional requirements through a global network of food distribution provided by Catholic Relief Services.

### The Soil-A Valuable Resource

by Kenneth Engle

As civilization progresses, man has learned not only to conquer nature but he has also found it to his advantage to specialize in doing a particular kind of work. This has made him dependent on others. He has not learned that his existence depends on what nature has supplied for his life. Anything that nature provides that is necessary for living is a natural resource. Soil is one of our most valuable resources.

Conservation means getting the maximum use of the greatest number of available natural resources that are valuable to the greatest number of people longest period of time. This does not mean that we are not to use the available resources but rather that we are to use them wisely.

We can think of the soil as being an immense storehouse. Throughout the history of the world, we have slowly been emptying this storehouse. An old German story that compares our store of soil fertility to a bank account, to be added to in times of prosperity and drawn upon in times of need, would be good advice for any area. This advice is rarely

followed by most of the world because of the perpetual need for all the food that can be produced.

The productivity of the soil depends upon the parent material from which it is derived, the latitudinal location, climate, the slope of the land, its accumulated fertility, soil erosion and how it is cultivated and taken care of by man.

If crop land is left uncovered during the winter months, erosion will be severe. Gullies are caused by erosion when water collects and flows to a lower level carrying away soil particles. It is good to encourage the growth of native grasses as a cover crop. These in time will check erosion and allow the soil to be rebuilt.

When our soils erode, are badly leached of minerals, or otherwise become poor by continual cropping, we raise less food and people go hungry.

The best way to prevent wind erosion is not to overgraze or plow up the sod in dry areas and to keep the ground covered by a crop or stubble during the winter, the time when the wind is most likely to

blow the soil.

Erosion does far more damage to the land than raising crops. This has been illustrated by Asia where land has been cropped for several thousand years. Unless the soil is kept covered up by vegetation the soil will wash away. The large deltas of rivers such as the Hwang Ho, Yangtze, Mekong, Brahmaputra, Ganges, and the Indus are formed from soil eroded from the watershed of the river.

With the population of the world gaining each year, the need of conservation becomes greater. The conservation of our soil is not only a problem of a few people, but is important to the people of the cities as well as the farmers because all must eat. Many people would help conserve our soil if they knew what to do or had the money and time

to put conservation measures into practice. It will take the cooperation of national and state agencies, private agencies, and schools. By working together to save the soil, we are helping to save lives of people and guaranteeing more happiness in the future.

### Elementary School and Conservation

by Roger Harvey, Elementary Principal

The teachers of the Plains Elementary School are aware of the concepts of conservation must begin with the very young. At a very early age the children develop an appreciation of the usefulness of plants, animals, and the soil. This idea may be brought about by a careful study of very attractive and colorful pictures of farm animals, plants, and landscapes. Sometimes they collect specimen of plants or grain, fruit, and vegetables. Occasionally a walk to the library, park, or museum will afford a collection of wild flowers, leaves, or vivid description of an unusual bird. They learn that trees, grass, and crops when left on the surface will protect the soil from washing or blowing.

A country side USA, dotted by new towns and growing rural communities where the benefits of community life are matched by the rich beauty of the countryside.

An agriculture fully sharing in the national prosperity---with full parity of income an accomplished fact.

Urban centers free of smog and blight, with ample parks within easy reach of all.

A land free from devastating floods, clear rivers scrubbed of pollution and silt, and sparkling air.

And new industry and factories dotting rural America, providing the necessary economic underpinnings for the good life in the country.

This is the kind of America I believe in. It is the kind you believe in, too, for every program of the National Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts is pointed toward building this kind of America.

This is your policy. You believe that a constructive conservation and resource policy is the key to building this kind of America. And you know that such a policy is greater than just the sum of its component physical parts--water, air, and soil--that at the center of such a policy is man himself.

Unlike artificial fibers, cotton can be improved through plant breeding.

## Conservation

# Means A Better Tomorrow for

## The South Plains

### BAYER LUMBER & HARDWARE



Cotton was not cultivated on a large scale in this country until after the Revolutionary War. Invention of the row-crop tractor in 1925 opened the way to new efficiency in cotton production.

## WE BELIEVE AGAIN



# All Life Depends on SIX INCHES OF EARTH!

The land we live on is covered by six inches of rich top soil. Without it, all life would cease--Nature's bountiful gifts of water, woodland and farmland would become wasteland.



Fire, flood, drought and improper planting can all lead to soil erosion. It is up to each of us to protect against these hazards. Follow the rules set down by the Soil Conservation District, to conserve that six inches of soil that is our very life.

POWER FOR PROGRESS

## LEA COUNTY

# ELECTRIC CO-OPERATIVE

PLAINS, TEXAS

Conservation Is EveryOne's Job

It's every one's job

**BECAUSE Everyone BENEITS!**

Rancher - Banker - Merchant

Each has a stake in

our soil and water

**Woody's Hardware Oil Co.**





**HELP KEEP  
COTTON KING**



**Protect your Soil And Water  
Support Conservation**

**NEW TEX GIN, INC.**

Gayle Craft manager



Crop rotation pays - so says James Warren when cotton is rotated with grain sorghum more organic matter and soil protection is produced. (SCS Photo)

**Support the Soil Conservation Service**

by R.M. Carothers, Banker  
In 1935, The Soil Conservation Service was established as an agency of the United States Department of Agriculture. The main purpose of this agency is to help farmers and ranchers use their land and water resources to reduce loss of soil by flood or erosion.

Soil is the covering over most of the land surface of the earth. It is made up of rock and mineral particles of many sizes mixed with living things and their remains. It is shallow in some places and deep in others. It may be red or it may be black, it may be sand or it may be clay.

A geologist thinks of soil as the loose material that covers the solid rock below the surface of the earth. An engineer thinks of the soil as the material upon which he erects buildings or other structures. He

also thinks of it as the material from which he builds roads, earthen dams, airfields, etc. But to the farmer and to most people soil is the thin layer on the earth's surface that will support the growth of plants of all kinds.

Soil is one of the most important natural resources of any country. This is why great efforts are made to conserve the soil. When the soil becomes unable to grow good crops, not enough food can be produced to feed the people. As a result, the strength of the Nation declines. President Theodore Roosevelt once said "When soil is gone, man must go, and the process does not take long." In the 1700's when the United States was still largely an uncultivated wilderness, top soil was an average of nine inches deep. Today, 200 years later, the topsoil cover is only an av-

erage of six inches thick, a loss of one third. So from these figures, you see that unless good soil conservation is practiced in another 400 years there will be no top soil left.

In a county such as ours, where the main economy is agriculture and without good topsoil agriculture cannot continue to flourish, it behooves us to continue to support the men of The Soil Conservation Service, that through their help and ours alike, we can continue to help feed the nation and to help keep it strong.

**Aim of Soil Conservation**

by Hugh Abercrombie  
Soil Conservation has become a very important part of our daily lives, especially for those who advocate and teach it and for those who till the soil.

Can we not think of it in part as a tribute to those brave and courageous folks who took Horace Greely's advice and did "Come West and Grow Up With The Country"?

Many came seeking free land by Homestead Right but only the strong and courageous stayed. What a privilege for us to carry on from their rugged beginning.

I am personally reminded of a remark I heard many years ago by one of those rugged Pioneer farmers: "Should a person use and till a piece of this Old Mother Earth and not leave or pass it on to posterity in as good or better condition than he found it, then he had committed a crime against society".

This I believe to be the true spirit and the aim of Soil Conservation. Our congratulations to the fine team we have here in this community promoting this very vital program.

**4-H Teens Give Big Assist to Many**

A young and vital sector of the nation's population concerned with social problems, law enforcement, environmental improvement, and demonstrations are making headlines. Their number totals just over 150,000 and their influence is felt from coast-to-coast.

They are the junior leaders of 4-H Clubs, whose activities spill over into community, state and nation. They not only speak up for 4-H, but help teach the younger members the "learn-by-doing" program. They convincingly demonstrate a better way to sew, cook, garden, have fun or be a good citizen.

They also work with preschoolers, orphans, physically handicapped, mentally ill, and even with youngsters who run afoul of the law.

These "concerned" teenagers are participating in the national 4-H leadership program supported for the last 10 years by The Sears-Roebuck Foundation.

Again this year 12 of the nation's most outstanding 4-H junior leaders chosen by the Cooperative Extension Service will receive \$600 scholarships.

Said 19-year-old Shirley Korrey, a 1969 scholarship winner: "I organized a 4-H Club especially designed to help mentally retarded children."

She not only brought a new dimension to their limited existence, but also encouraged the parents to improve home living conditions.



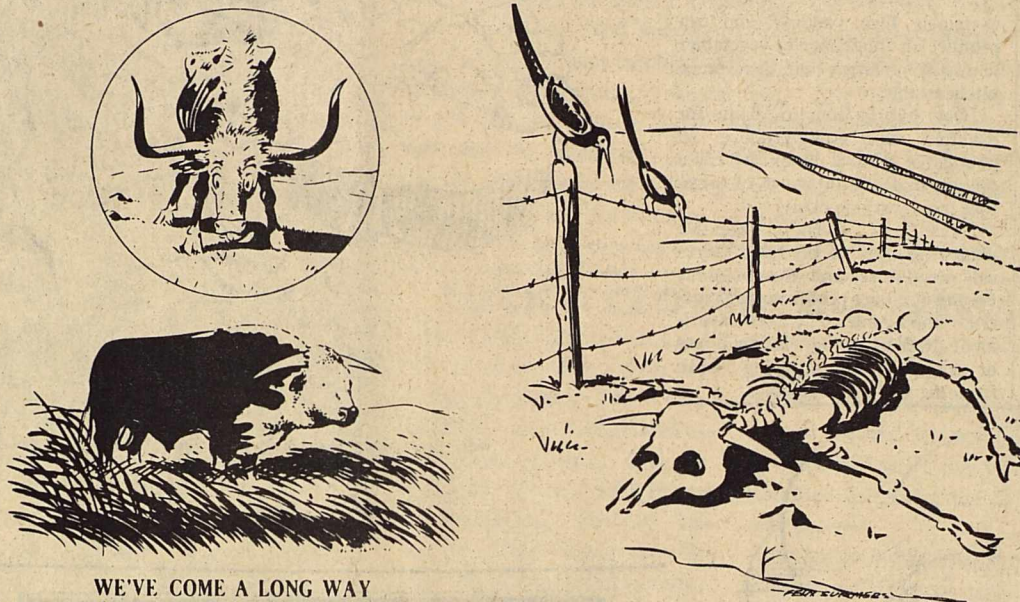
"Hang on... don't drop that stitch!" says this junior 4-H leader to her young pupil. She is one of more than 150,000 teenage youths participating in the 1970 national 4-H leadership program conducted by the Cooperative Extension Service in 50 states, and supported by The Sears-Roebuck Foundation.

A young man who is now a pre-law student, followed a different leadership path. He held offices in his local 4-H Club, which led to his being elected state 4-H president. He is a member of a group preparing a report for his state's participation in the 1970 White House Conference on Children and Youth.

Scores of capable teenagers will report their leadership activities in competition for 1970 local, state and national awards offered by The Sears-Roebuck Foundation.

One member from each state will be a leadership delegate to the National 4-H Congress in Chicago.

There will be a news conference for the 12 national champions, radio and television appearances, and other events calling public attention to this reliable brand of leadership.



WE'VE COME A LONG WAY

**FOR THE FAMILY MANAGER**

**ITEM:** Buying in small quantities may mean a larger outlay of cash for each food item, but if the family is small, savings may result because fewer stale or spoiled products are thrown away.

**ITEM:** To keep wood salad bowls and other wood pieces new and beautiful, give the attention after each use. Wipe off each piece with a soft cloth or sponge and warm suds. Rinse with cold water and dry thoroughly - never soak

woodware in water. Keep woodenware away from heat and store in a dry place.

**ITEM:** Almost 50 per cent of all beef now coming off the nation's farms and feedlots is USDA Choice, according to federal meat graders. While the beef industry has doubled its total output in the past 20 years, it has tripled its production of USDA Choice.

**ITEM:** Americans are using paper plates for more than summer picnics. Sales growth of paper cups and

plates had doubled during the past four years in supermarkets.

**ITEM:** Among the good-looking and easy-care foliage plants is "pothos," "devil's ivy," or by its true horticultural name, "Scindapsus." Whatever you call it, this green plant, with leaves splashed yellow or white, is as adaptable as philodendron. The soil in its clay pot should be allowed to dry out completely between waterings.

His boss said - "range conservation is for the birds!"

**AS THE  
FARMER AND  
CATTLEMEN  
PROSPER--  
SO DOES THE  
NATION  
ANDERSON GRAIN  
CORP.**

**FOR THE FUTURE**

**FOR PROGRESS  
AND GROWTH  
OF THE SOUTH PLAINS  
SAVE THE SOIL**

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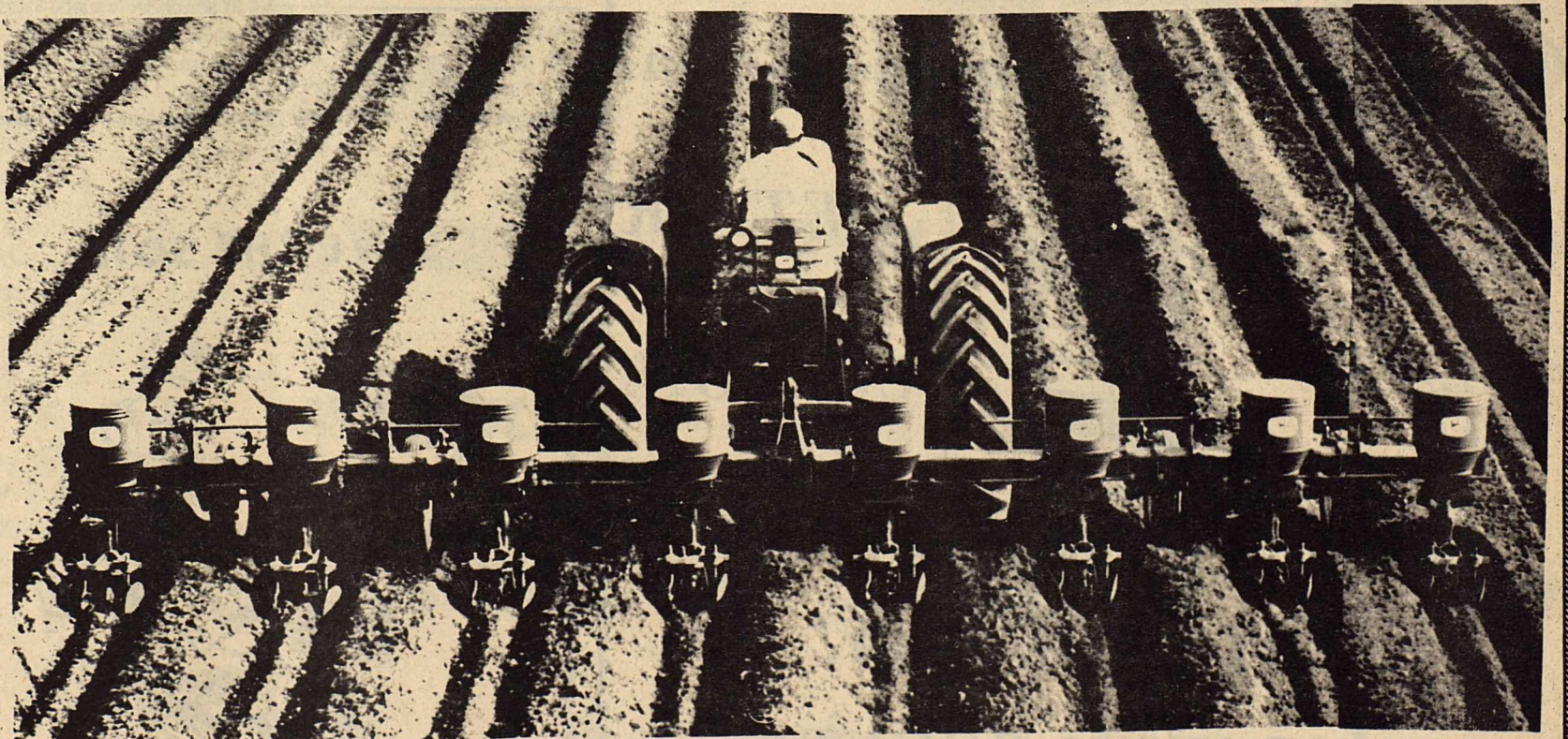


In Australia the swans are black instead of white. This particular species (Cygnus atratus) is found in abundance among the islands of Westernport Bay. It is on these islands that they make their nests. The sight of black swans seems very strange to most people when they see these birds for the first time.

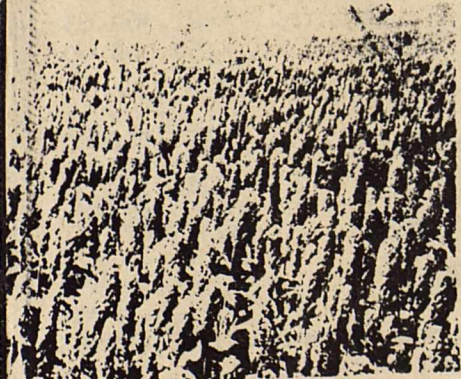


It is usually supposed that the distress call letters, "SOS," stand for words, but this is not true. They were selected by an International Committee on Radio Telegraphy, and these letters were chosen because their combination of dots and dashes is very simple. The SOS distress replaced the older CQD distress call.

**For Soil Conservation  
Use  
JOHN DEERE Farm Equipment**



**PLAINS FARM SUPPLY**



**FOR  
GOOD  
CROPS**

**SUPPORT SOIL  
Conservation  
DYER'S GROCERY  
& STATION**



SOIL CONSERVATION & QUALITY GAS GO HAND IN HAND

# SAVE OUR SOIL

## Bowers Liquefied Gas Inc.

ATLANTIC LP-GAS



PLAINS HWY.

BROWNFIELD

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rs, some other house of knowledge is doubling every 5 years. Surely, somewhere in that vast storehouse of knowledge that God has set aside for our use, there is a solution to these problems. Like Polyanna, I will wait and expect some of our posterity to find the right key to open the storehouse.

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natural resources into products useful to him. To be sure, there are hazards connected with human progress. As man has improved his environment he has also made it worse in other ways. He has destroyed some things which he now needs and others which he enjoys. In short, he has wasted some natural resources and natural elements that we will need in the future.

The remedy for waste is CONSERVATION or saving of what we have. It also means mending a good deal of damage that has been done and replacing some of the things we use so that they may be used again. In this area it means saving our soil for future generations.

On the Secondary Level we teach Conservation on three different levels in three different subjects. Soil Conservation is taught during all three years in Vocational Agriculture. Freshmen are taught Soil Conservation in Physical Science while upper-classmen studies a unit on this subject in Biology.

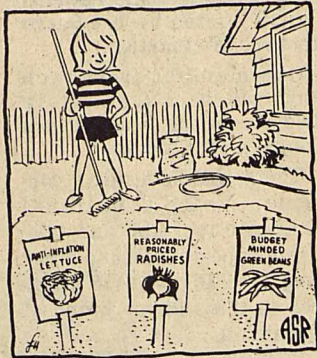
### Home Gardeners Fight Back!

Young homeowners by the score are declaring war on soaring food prices. They're picking up their hoes and marching to the garden.

Recent surveys show that more Americans than ever before are turning to gardening to fight high food prices. One study showed that the number of gardeners growing their own vegetables doubled between 1967 and 1969. And, with food prices continuing their climb, more "grow-it-yourselfers" are expected to crop up this spring and summer.

"The growth in seed packet purchases this spring is already indicating a trend," says one seed company executive. "Inflation appears to be behind it all. Young people who have never grown any sort of vegetable before are buying a few packets of seed and putting a bare spot to good use."

Today's new hybrid vegetables and new varieties have a lot to do with the growing trend. They're



extremely high yielding, and can produce an abundance of vegetables in a space no larger than the average kitchen table.

One hybrid tomato plant, for example, can now produce 20 pounds of fruit a season. At 15¢ a pound, that's \$3.00 worth of tomatoes from just one plant.

Many of today's vegetable plants are bred to be more "vertical" in stature, and this accounts for the compact proficiency of modern "mini-gardens". Even apartment dwellers, using window boxes or pots, are now enjoying "fresh from the garden" vegetables.



"Range management has made me range boss!"

**YOU CAN TAKE IT WITH YOU**  
ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP)  
Thieves didn't bother to tap the till at an Albuquerque service station.

Police said they took it with them, including about \$60 in cash and several credit cards.

**STATE HAS 20 FERRIES**  
LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP)  
The first franchise for a ferry in Kentucky was granted to Richard Callaway in October 1779, at Boonesboro.

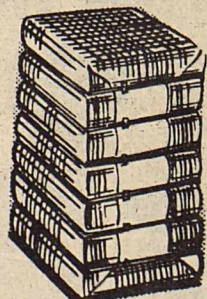
Today, there are 20 ferries still in existence in the state.

**TALLEST BUILDING SET**  
HAMILTON, Bermuda (AP)  
Bermuda is getting its first "skyscraper" at least the tallest building yet for the island colony.

The seven-story headquarters of the Bank of Bermuda is to be finished next spring.

## What Does Soil And Water Conservation Mean To Cotton?

IT MEANS BETTER COTTON!



SOIL CONSERVATION ALL THE WAY!  
YOAKUM COUNTY CO-OP GIN

## Taxpayers Ask IRS

This column of questions and answers on federal tax matters is provided by the local office of the U.S. Internal Revenue Service and is published as a public service to taxpayers. The column answers questions most frequently asked by taxpayers.

**Q** I didn't think I had a refund coming so I waited until almost April 15 before I worked out my tax return. How long will it take for me to get my refund?

**A** If there are no mistakes on your return to delay processing, you should have your refund in June, about six weeks after you filed. It might take a bit longer, however, due to the large volume of returns filed in April.

**Q** What should I do about a delayed refund?

**A** If you have not heard anything about your refund and it has been 10 weeks since you mailed in your return, then you should call your local IRS office. You should wait 10 weeks before calling as this period of time is generally sufficient for the refund to be

issued or a letter sent to the taxpayer explaining why it is delayed. To call before 10 weeks can delay the processing of your return.

When inquiring about a missing or delayed refund, give your name, current address, Social Security number and the date the return was filed.

**Q** How do I get a Social Security number? I need one for a summer job.

**A** Your local Social Security office has Form SS-5 you can use to apply for a Social Security number. Send the completed form to the Social Security Administration and they will assign you a number.

**Q** What do I do with the Forms I had left over after I sent in my estimated tax declaration?

**A** Keep them for your remaining quarterly estimated tax payments. The worksheet will help you determine the amount of your payments and make any adjustments that are necessary. The pre-addressed vouchers and envelopes should be used to make your payments.

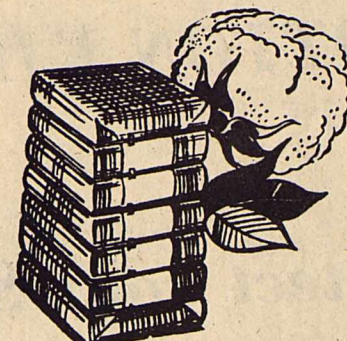
**Q** I'm buying a house this summer. What records should I keep?

**A** Your records should show the purchase price of the house and any improvements you make to it that would affect your cost basis. This information will be necessary to determine whether you have any gain to report when it comes time to sell.

Each year you should keep a record of the property taxes and interest paid on mortgage loans. These can be deducted on your income tax return if you itemize.

More information can be found in Publication 530, Tax Information on Deductions for Homeowners. Send a post card to your IRS district office for a free copy.

## SUPPORT YOUR SOIL CONSERVATION PROGRAM



### For A Cleaner Cotton

### D.C. Newsom Gin

PLAINS, TEXAS

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Period, 10:20-11:20; Fourth Period, 11:30-12:30; and Fifth Period, 1:00-2:00.

Tuition for the summer term is \$7.50 per semester hour for college District residents, \$10.00 per semester hour for Out-of-District residents and \$20.00 per semester hour for Out-of-State residents. The minimum tuition charge is \$15.00. The College reserves the right to modify the courses offered and the class schedule based

on the demand of students. A minimum of ten students is required for a class to be taught, and requests for additional classes not on the class schedule should be made to the Registrar.

Several classes have been scheduled for the evening. Evening classes will meet from 6:00-8:00 and 8:00-10:00 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday evenings. Courses of-

ferred include English 131, English 132, History 131, Government 232, Beginning Typing and Key Punch Techniques. The course in Key Punch Techniques is a new course which has been developed to train persons in the operation of the Key Punch.

A complete class schedule for the summer term is available upon request from the Registrar's Office.



YOU CAN'T HAVE YOUR CAKE AND EAT IT TOO!



THOU SHALT CHERISH THE SOIL AND KEEP IT

During the hot months trout often are finicky feeders.

—SPORTS AFIELD.  
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to put an end to shameful waste in state government. They want prudence balanced with

statesmanlike concern. "They know they are not getting this from Gov. Smith, and they know these are times in which we cannot afford another two years of the wait-and-see attitude of Gov. Smith."

### SAVE THE SOIL



Plains Oil Company

## STATEMENT OF CONDITION

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION, INCLUDING DOMESTIC SUBSIDIARIES, OF THE  
**PLAINS STATE BANK**  
OF PLAINS, IN THE STATE OF TEXAS

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON APRIL 30, 1970

Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

### ASSETS

Cash and due from banks.....	380,125.41
U. S. Treasury Securities.....	651,929.39
Obligations of States and political subdivisions.....	456,116.88
Other loans.....	1,858,802.09
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises.....	19,385.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises.....	3,500.00
Other assets.....	1,168.94
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b> .....	<b>3,371,027.71</b>

### LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations.....	1,250,785.13
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations.....	856,069.91
Deposits of the United States Government.....	15,440.36
Deposits of States and political subdivisions.....	755,473.32
Deposits of commercial banks.....	7,503.55
Certified and officers checks, etc.....	10,296.27
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b> .....	<b>2,895,568.54</b>
(a) Total demand deposits.....	1,791,898.63
(b) Total time and savings deposits.....	1,103,669.91
Other liabilities.....	9,889.53
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b> .....	<b>2,905,458.07</b>

### RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES

Reserve for bad debt losses on loans.....	44,008.99
<b>TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES</b> .....	<b>44,008.99</b>

### CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Equita capital, total.....	421,560.65
Common stock-total par value.....	150,000.00
(No. shares authorizes 1500)	
(No. shares outstanding 1500)	
Surplus.....	150,000.00
Undivided profit.....	121,560.65
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b> .....	<b>421,560.65</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b> .....	<b>3,371,027.71</b>

### MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date.... 2,982,022.65  
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date..... 1,843,712.36

I Cordell Huddleston, Vice President & Cashier, of the above named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(SEAL)

/s/ Cordell Huddleston

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief it is true and correct.

A. B. Carpenter  
R. M. Carothers  
Glenn Cleveland  
Directors



**ICE CREAM**  
 Banana Splits  
 Sundaes

**FRIED CHICKEN**  
**T-Bones**

Mon.-Fri.  
 Open 7:30 AM Close 7:30 PM

**Longbranch Cafe**

*Women's News*



TOPS Three Months Queen, Flora Bell Overton

**TOPS Club**

The TOPS Club met Tuesday, May 5th at the Plains Clinic. Jimmie Bayer, President, presided. There were eight members and one new member, Eunice Ingersol, from Denver City, present.

Barbara Howell won the fruit basket for being the winner for the week in weight loss. Four members tied for Queen for the month, having each lost the same amount of weight. They were Flora Bell Overton, Dixie Lampkin, Peggy Barron and Delores Roland. They each won gifts.

Flora Bell Overton was crowned Three Month Queen for the most weight lost in three months. She received the contents of the piggy bank which increased during the three months. Faye Adams was runner-up for the three months queen.

Ladies of the area are welcome to visit any of our meetings or invited to join our club.



Women in the TOPS Club who tied for the Queen of the Month are Dixie Lampkin, Dolores Rolan, Peggy Barron and Flora Bell Overton.



Mrs. Bob Blundell, retiring President, hands gavel to the newly installed President, Mrs. Tom Warren.

**TSA MO GA CLUB**

Members of the Tsa Mo Ga Club met in regular session on Monday, May 11th, at seven o'clock, at the Club House. The traditional salad supper for the final meeting of the Club year was enjoyed. Mrs. Wayne Davis gave the invocation and the Social Committee acted as hostesses.

**HOME REPAIR LOANS**  
 Yoakum Co. Credit Union

Mrs. Bob Blundell, President presided. Resignations from membership of Mrs. Glen Morehouse and Mrs. Wendell Norman were accepted with regret. Mrs. Blundell commended the committees who worked, with the aid of their husbands, in redecorating, cleaning and beautifying the Club House. She appointed Mrs. R. K. Field, Mrs. J. W. Moore, Jr., Mrs. Kent Welch, Mrs. Tom Warren, Mrs. P. W. St. Romain, and Ozella Hunt to make arrangements to brick the exterior of the building. Final plans for the Tour of the First National Bank of Lubbock were completed. This tour will be cancelled due to the disastrous storm that hit Lubbock on Monday night.

Mrs. P. W. St. Romain announced that the Bake Sale held on May Second, netted \$104.25. She also reminded the members to support and assist the Tsa Mo Ga Candidate for Rodeo Queen, Sue Cleveland. The vote was taken and approved that the Club serve supper on the day of the Rodeo Parade.

Mrs. R. B. Jones, a member of the Program and Yearbook Committee acted as Program Director, she introduced Mrs. Le Roy Johnson, District President Elect for Caprock District. Mrs. Johnson, taking

her talk from the theme of the local club, "Woman and Her World", gave a most inspiring account of the great women of the World, from early Bible History to the present State Federation Convention held in Austin last week. Her theme, "Show Me Your Women, World" was most cleverly worded and presented. She skirted the history of achievements of Women and closed with, "These are your Women, World! With new tongues and the right to be heard, to stand out like torches from the land touching off sparks that burn and burn until the flames reach heaven--so bright they are." She then installed the officers of the Tsa Mo Ga Club for the ensuing two years, presenting each with a miniature World. The 1970-1972 officers are: Mrs. Tom Warren, President; Mrs. Darrell Lindsey, Vice-President; Mrs. Billy Winn, Secretary; Mrs. L. D. Hamm, Parliamentarian; Mrs. Kent Welch, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Edmund Vickers, Critic; Mrs. R. M. Carothers, Reporter; and Mrs. J. C. Chambliss, Alternate Reporter.

Mrs. Warren took the chair and read the lists of the committees who will serve during her tenure of office.



New Tsa Mo Ga officers installed are: First Row L-R Mrs. Tom Warren, President; Mrs. Leroy Johnson, Installing Officer; Mrs. Billie Winn, Secretary; Mrs. Royace Aikin, Federation Counselor; Mrs. Buddy Hanna, Parliamentarian; 2nd Row L-R Mrs. L. D. Hamm, Jr., Treasurer; Mrs. Kent Welch, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. J. C. Chambliss, Alternate Reporter; Mrs. Edmund Vickers, Critic; Mrs. R. M. Carothers, Reporter; and not pictured, Mrs. Darrell Lindsey, Vice President.



Linda Taunton

**Linda Taunton Gets AWARD**

The National Observer Student Achievement Award was presented to Linda Taunton during Awards Day ceremonies.

Miss Taunton was selected for the award by the Division of Business faculty.

The award consists of a specially designed certificate and a year's subscription to the National Observer.

Miss Taunton is a senior business major. She has been an officer in Beta Gamma Epsilon women's social club and is presently president of Epsilon Eta Phi.

Linda is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Taunton of Alabama, formerly of Plains. She will graduate from Hardin Simmons University in Abilene on May 18, 1970.

**Mrs. John Nance to Receive B.S. Degree**

One of the 2500 candidates for degrees at Texas Tech University this Saturday, May 16th, is Reta Nance. This event is a life-long goal of the mother of three girls. She has worn out two cars driving to and from school and admits thousands of miles were driven to attain her goal.

Mrs. Nance is a member of the Plains First Baptist Church and teaches in the Beginner Department. Even though church and home are first to Reta, she never failed to make the Dean's Honor Roll while

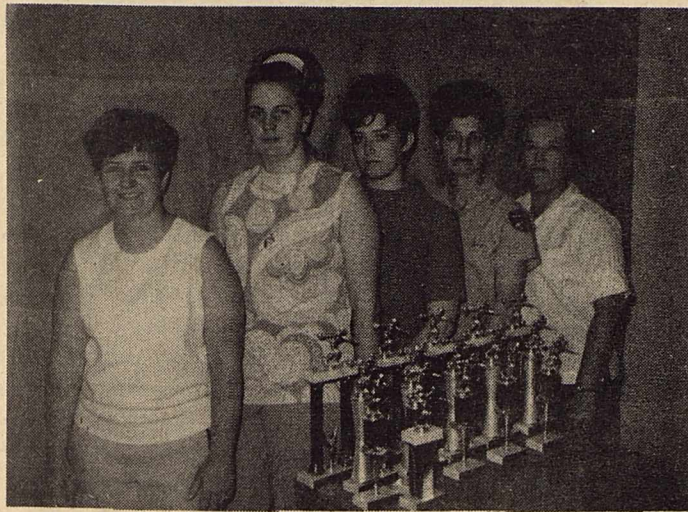
**Wedding**

The wedding ceremony for Judy Williams and Michael McPheerson will be held at the Assembly of God Church Friday, May 22nd at 6 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

**Under New Management**

I have purchased the Trent Laundramat. Would like to invite all old and new customers to come by.

MRS. I. C. (KATIE) HINSON



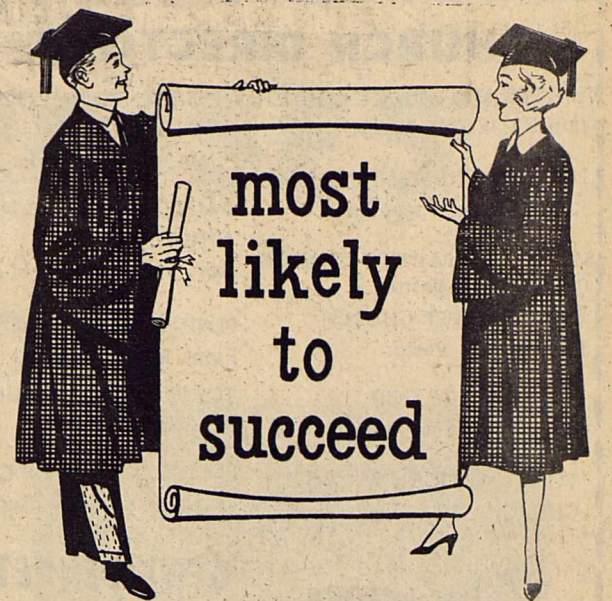
The Plains Ladies Bowling Team known as "George's 66 Team", consisting of Wanda Armstrong, Sue Randall, Carolyn Culwell, Jo Ann Meil and Minnie Ruth Bookout standing from L-R in front of their trophies won at the Wasson Ladies Handicap League for Women, Tuesday night, May 5th. They won first place in the Wasson Ladies Handicap League for women; won first place for team high game with 1138 points; won second place for team series with 3061 points; and all members won 200 game points, 500 series pins and perfect attendance pins. Sue Randall won 3rd place high handicap game with 264 points.

**LUCKY CLOVER 4-H MEETS**

The Lucky Clover 4-H Club met Monday, May 11th at 4:15 at the clubroom. Bayne Bacon led the 4-H Pledge and Pledge of Allegiance. Dicky Hartman led the Lord's Prayer for devotional. Tammy, Bayne and Dayne Bacon sang their blue ribbon winning song, which they sang at District Contest.

After announcements, Melony and Melone Millsap provided cookies and Dana Willis provided drinks for the 22 persons present.

Denice Newsom brought the program on Horses. Joe St.



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**COWBOY GRILL**

Romain brought a program on rabbits. Suzan Stroup gave a demonstration on Clothing.

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**Bridal Shower**

There will be a Bridal Shower honoring Judy Williams, bride-elect of Michael McPheerson Saturday, May 16th at the Clubroom from 2-4 p.m. Selections are on display at Moore & Oden and Cogburn Young. Everyone is invited to attend.

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### Purely Local

By Jewell Anderson

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Curry were in Lubbock Monday to see their grandson, Eddie Curry, who had minor surgery in Hill and Hospital.

Mrs. James Anderson and children of Odessa spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Faulkenberry. They visited in the John Anderson home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Wolfenbarger and boys of Sundown spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Roberts visited Mr. and Mrs. Dub Cook in Higginbotham Sun.

Mrs. S. McDonnell spent the weekend in Hobbs, N.M. with relatives.

Virginia McCann of Dallas visited her mother, Daisy McCann in Plains Nursing Home Sunday.

Mrs. J.V. Been, Mrs. Norelle Slone, Mrs. D'Lois Bryson of Odessa and D'Lynn McGinty of Lubbock were dinner guests of Mrs. Alma Lynn McGinty Sunday.

Lucille Little of Hobbs visited her brother, Warren Mooncey, Sunday in Plains Nursing Home.

Mrs. George Cleveland received the corsage Sunday at the First Baptist Church for the oldest mother present, Mrs. Floyd Gossett received the corsage for the youngest mother present and Mrs. Ray Strickland received the corsage for having the most children present at church Sunday.

Roy Edwards went with the Flying Ambassadors again Sunday to treat people near Redosa, Texas.

Dinner guests with Mrs. H. M. Smith Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lackey of Brownfield and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McCravy and children.

Mrs. J.H. Daniels is spending this week in Brownfield with relatives. She will also visit near Amarillo before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fite of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd of Seminole visited Mrs. George Cleveland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kerby of Lubbock came home Tuesday. They reported damage to their trailer house.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Stroctman received word Friday their grandson, Steve Trice of Jal., who is a student at L.C.C., was injured in a plane crash near Slaton. He is a patient

her family over the weekend. Dinner guests of C. A. Stewart Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Thompson and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hensley and children of Lubbock.

Dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Box, Tommy & Mike were Mrs. Grace Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Box and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Box and sons, Phyllis Kreig and Gail Carothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer and family attended the funeral of his nephew, Montgomery Spencer Calcote, 20, in Lubbock Friday with burial in the Lamesa Cemetery. Fumes from the hot water heater in the apartment killed him. His wife was unconscious when found. They had a three weeks old daughter who was not affected by the carbon monoxide. Calcote was survived by his mother and a sister besides the wife and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kiser spent the weekend in Hamlin visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Kiser and Mrs. O. L. Jenkins. Mrs. W.M. Kiser has been in the hospital there for over two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Butch Gayle of Tokio were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Gayle, Mr. and Mrs. Gayle and son went home with the Butch Gayles for supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kreig and family and Debbie Chadwick were supper guests Tuesday in the Tom Box home.

Mike Hughes went to Amarillo Friday where he volunteered for the Army. He was sworn in Saturday. He will report to Ft. Ord, Calif. July 23rd for basic and then to an aircraft maintenance school.

Mrs. W.P. Turner began work last Monday in the County Clerk's office in Plains.

Mrs. Bessie McCravy and Mr. and Mrs. O.S. Bigham of Lovington were dinner guests of Mrs. Pearl Spears last Sun.

Mrs. Posey Henderson and Mrs. Lucille Patton of Phoenix, Ariz. visited Mrs. Bessie McCravy Wed. Mrs. Patton is here visiting her mother.

Mrs. Inva Haywood, who is in the Convalescence Home in Brownfield. The Haywoods were former residents of this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Young and family spent the weekend in El Paso visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B.A. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Thompson and family had her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Stewart and James and Mr. and Mrs. Don Murry of Dallas as supper guests Thursday.

Mrs. Don Murry of Dallas has been visiting with Mr. C. A. Stewart while her mother went to Detroit, Michigan to be with her sister, Leta. Mrs. Murry and Mr. Stewart also visited Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Boe and sons in Oklahoma City. Mrs. Stewart returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. Leon Thompson and La Fonda visited Mrs. Fred Young in Lubbock Saturday. Louis Young of Houston was also visiting.

Lyndyl Tidwell and La Gaytha Thompson went to Springlake with the seventh grade band to contest Saturday.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Perkins and family were Mr. and Mrs. Preston Adams of Denver City, Mrs. Bea Brown of Amarillo, Mrs. Johnny Parker of Happy, and Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Perkins of Plains. Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Parker spent Sat. and Sun.

Mrs. Terry Bacon and Mrs. Gayle Craft were among the Fine Arts Choir who sang at the Baccalaureate Sunday night.

Leora Turner of Hobbs visited

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams of Brownfield & Mr. & Mrs. Melton Williams of Snyder.

Mother's Day guests of Mr. & Mrs. Johnny Hillhouse were Mr. & Mrs. Odus Hillhouse of Tahoka.

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Mother's Day guests of Mr. & Mrs. Deroy Anderson & family were Mrs. Wilma Anderson, Mr. & Mrs. J.C. Chambliss & family and Sam Carouth of Tatum.

Mr. & Mrs. Rickey Elmore & son spent the weekend visiting Mr. & Mrs. Alton Elmore.

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Mr. & Mrs. Jesse Snodgrass & Carter had Mother's Day dinner with Mr. & Mrs. Gordon Saich & family.

Mr. & Mrs. A.J. Crutcher visited Mrs. Lula Bell Crutcher and Don in Lamesa Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Duane Gilliland & family visited Mr. & Mrs. Samson Gilliland at Slaton.

Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Molthan spent the weekend with Mr. & Mrs. Elmer Molthan.

Mr. & Mrs. Quenton Johnson & family visited Mr. & Mrs. C.H. Johnson Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Truitt Jones & Mr. & Mrs. Ed Smith left Friday to visit in Huntville, Arkansas.

Jerri & Cindi Jones visited Mr. & Mrs. U.R. Middleton in Lamesa over the weekend.

Mr. & Mrs. Floyd Kelley attended church at Bledsoe where Rev. Alvin Kelley was holding a Revival.

Visiting Mr. & Mrs. Clyde Trout was Dick Thate of Denver, Colorado.

Mrs. Nono Trout of Plains spent Mother's Day with Mr. & Mrs. Clyde Trout.

Mother's Day guests of Mr. & Mrs. Joe Trout were Mr. & Mrs. Charles Tanner & son of Morton.

Mrs. Vaden Lester of Welch passed away Monday night in a Lamesa hospital. The funeral was held Wednesday. She had been sick for the past year.

Mrs. B.F. Lowrey, a patient in West Texas Hospital & Mrs. Tom Gray were both slightly injured in the tornado which struck Lubbock Monday night. Mrs. Gray was blown out of the room as the tornado hit and bruised her leg. Mrs. Lowrey was left in the room and couldn't get out & was cut by flying glass.

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