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"Miss Cotton" Of Hale County Contest Here Saturday

Bill Brown Will Address Group

Maid Of Cotton Style Show At Gin Meet Here

The final plans for the "Miss Cotton" of Hale County contest are being completed and the pageant will be held Saturday, April 26, 8 p. m., in the Abernathy School Auditorium. This is the second year for this contest which is sponsored by the Hale County Cotton Promotion Association. Only Junior and Senior High School girls of Hale County are eligible to enter.

The winner of the contest "Miss Cotton", will receive \$100.00 toward her expenses to Dallas to compete for the title of "Miss Cotton" of Texas, October 17-19, 1969. The winner in the contest in Dallas will receive a \$300.00 college scholarship and other prizes.

Miss Jan Pettit, Hale Center, a Freshman in Lubbock Christian College, is the reigning "Miss Cotton" of Hale County and she will crown the winner of this contest.

Miss Jan Justice, Petersburg, who is the "Miss Hi-Plains Cotton", will model part of her ALL-COTTON wardrobe. Miss Justice is a senior in Petersburg High School.

Invitations have been sent to Miss Teri McKinley, Texas Tech, who is the 1969 "Miss South Plains Maid of Cotton" and Miss Debbie Brook, Wolf-orth, the "Miss Cotton" of Lubbock County.

Mrs. Johnny Skipper, Abernathy, is president of the Hale County Cotton Promotion Association, and extends to the public an invitation to attend this evening of excitement for the girls who have entered the contest, and an enjoyable program for all. The admission is free. Ladies who have not paid their dues this year or if they are not a member but would like to be, may pay their dues of \$1.00 that night.

Bob Stephens of KWGO, will be Master of Ceremonies for the evening. Mrs. Kate Gamble, Home Demonstration Agent for Hale County, will narrate as the contestants model their sports and dress garments. The "Elastic Jellybeans", a band composed of Abernathy High School boys will furnish music during the evening. Members of the musical group are Mack Rogers, Larry Vannoy, Mike Williams, Dane Stanton, Lonnie Bartlett and Johnny Lutrick.

Entries in the contest, in addition to those in last week's paper, include:

Miss Elizabeth Sisemore, a junior in Plainview High School. She has dark brown hair and hazel eyes. She enjoys music, cooking, sewing and plans to attend Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

Miss Caren Wright, 16, and a junior in Plainview High School, has brown hair and eyes. Her interests are piano, church and school activities. She plans to go to West Texas State and major in business.

Another junior in Plainview High School who is an entry is Miss Angie Sharkey. She is 16, has brown hair and green eyes, and enjoys outdoor sports such as swimming, and also dancing. She plans to go to an Airline Hostess school.

Miss Linda Lou Pearce, 17 years old, a junior in Abernathy High School, has dark brown hair and green eyes. She enjoys reading and swimming. She was class favorite in her freshman year, and hopes to attend Angelo State College in San Angelo, Texas.

Miss Denise Reid, 16 years old, a junior in Plainview High School, has black hair and blue eyes. Her interests include twirling, water skiing, band and piano. She has been the F.F.A. sweetheart and DeMolay Sweetheart. Her future plans are to go to a business school.

Miss Leta Goree, another Junior in Plainview High School, is 16 years old, has blonde hair and green eyes. She is active in home economics, likes to sew, swim and ride horses. She plans to attend college and become a Home Economics teacher.

Miss Jeffrey Ann Owen, a senior in Plainview High School, is 17 years old, has brown hair and hazel eyes. She enjoys horseback riding, skiing, fishing and walking. Her plans are to attend Baylor University, Waco, and major in Psychology.

Miss Darlene Harston is 17 years old and a junior in Plainview High School. She has red hair and green eyes. She enjoys cooking, sewing and dancing and plans to attend Texas Tech, Lubbock.

Miss Phyllis Floyd, 17 years old, a junior in Abernathy High School, has brown hair and hazel eyes. She likes all sports and music. She plans to attend Texas Tech.

Miss Joy Ridehuber, a junior in Plainview High School, is 16 years old and has brown hair and blue eyes. Her interests include twirling, band, Worthy Advisor of Rainbow, FTA, Student Council, Medical Careers Club, president of church youth group, and French Club. She plans to be a nurse.

J. M. Johnston, manager, announced that County Line Co-op Gin will hold its 16th Annual Meeting of Stockholders at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, April 29th, in Abernathy School cafeteria. Dinner will be served. Following the dinner, movies will be shown for the children.

The business session will include the annual audit report, election of two directors, and distribution of dividend checks. The terms of J. W. Hamilton, president, and H. F. Gregg, vice-president, expire this year. Other members of the board of directors are G. W. Gates, secretary, E. M. Crow and Tom Johnson.

Bill G. Brown of Lubbock, a noted after dinner speaker, will be the featured speaker on the program.

An added attraction for this year's meeting will be the appearance of Miss Teri McKinley, the South Plains Maid of Cotton, who will model an all-cotton wardrobe. Miss McKinley is a Texas Tech student from El Paso.

Dinner music will be provided by Marvin Stephens and others.

Manager Johnston and the directors urge all stockholders and their families to attend the annual meeting April 29.

(See Bill G. Brown Story on Page Three.)



Linda Lou Pearce



Marilyn McAllister



Phyllis Floyd



Cindy Kay Dunn



Laura Davidson



Twyla West



Caren Wright



Joy Ridehuber



Janice Maxwell



Beverly Adams



Darlene Harston



Lynne Wilbourn



Jeffrey Ann Owen



Beth Sisemore



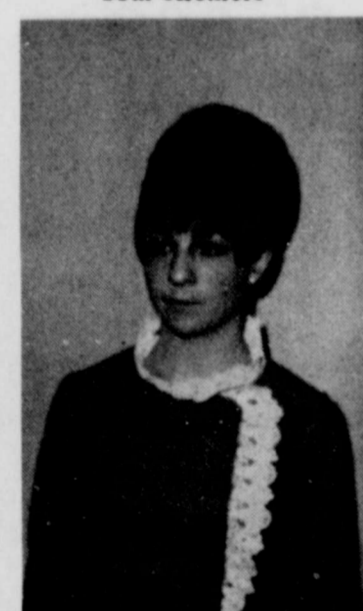
Dena Patterson



Leta Goree



Penny Porterfield



Angie Sharkey



Denise Reid

Jesse T. Bryant Services Held

Jesse T. Bryant, 78, a retired Abernathy businessman, died April 16, in Parkway Manor Rest Home, Lubbock, following an illness of several months.

Funeral rites were held Friday in the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Conrad M. Ryan, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. U. S. Sherrill, a retired Methodist minister. Burial was in Abernathy Cemetery under direction of Chambers Funeral Home.

A native of Collin County, Bryant had lived in Hall County, coming to Abernathy in 1929. He operated the Peoples Ice Co. here for 22 years.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Mitchell of Amarillo and W. C. of Abernathy; a daughter, Mrs. E. A. Austin of Abernathy; three brothers, Earl of Dallas, Robert of McKinney and Andrew of Fort Worth; and four grandchildren.

E. Stambaugh Dies At Burbank

Ellison Stambaugh, 39, son of Mrs. Vertie Stambaugh, 804 First Street, Abernathy, died April 15, at his home in Burbank, Calif., apparently of a stroke.

Funeral rites were held Friday in Burbank, Calif. His mother and Mrs. Clarence Liles and Elbert and Leon Harp attended the funeral. Leon Harp resides in Dallas.

A 1947 Lubbock High School graduate, Stambaugh was employed by Lubbock Television stations until he moved to California about 15 years ago where he was employed as a television director until his death.

Other survivors include his wife, Ricky; a daughter, Susan, both of the home and a brother, Pat, of Los Angeles.

STRUVE SALE STARTS TODAY

Hoppy Toler announces a sale at Struve Hardware & Dry Goods starting today and continuing through Saturday of next week. See his advertisement in this issue of The Review, listing a few of the hundreds of items that will be on sale. Watch for sale promotional material to be delivered to your home.

Struve's ad in this paper features the following: Hosemaster Sprayer, regular \$6.95 for \$5.99; 50-ft Greenbrier 5/8 inch vinyl garden hose, regular \$4.85 for \$3.99; pistol grip garden hose nozzle, regular \$1 for 50¢; Trustworthy 20-inch Rotary lawn mower with 3 HP dependable Briggs engine for \$49.99, easy terms; Presto 4-quart pressure cooker, regular \$16.45 for \$9.99; Eiko 3-piece barbecue tool set, turner, tongs and fork, regular \$2.9 for \$1.49. These are just samples of the hundreds of bargains Struve's will offer during the sale.

CONSUMERS FUEL STOCKHOLDERS TO MEET MAY 6

The 30th Annual Meeting of Stockholders of Abernathy Consumers Fuel Association will be held at 8 p. m. (DST) Tuesday, May 6, in Abernathy School cafeteria. It was announced by S. W. Royal, manager.

Further information will be in The Review next week.

Mrs. Edgar Abney, 808 13th St., Abernathy, fell in front of her home Sunday morning as she was preparing to go to church. She was taken to Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, by Chambers ambulance for treatment of a broken hip and shoulder. She underwent surgery Monday.

US 87 CHANGES NAME TO I-27

Goodbye, Old Friend, U. S. Highway 87; Hello, New Friend, Interstate 27.

The Texas Highway Department announced that the U. S. Highway 87 route signs will come down this week. They will be replaced with Interstate 27 route markers. The portion of U. S. Highway 87 from Amarillo to Lubbock, through Abernathy, has been designated Interstate 27, as part of the Nation's vast Interstate Highway system.

WAITS FARM STORE SALE OF PLANTS SET THIS WEEK

Monroe Waits Farm Store at 308 Ave. D in Abernathy is staging a 3-day special sale on garden and flower plants. The sale is Thursday, Friday and Saturday this week. He will sell individual plants of tomatoes, peppers, snaps, petunias, moss, carnations and pansies for \$1.00 a dozen.

Waits also has a good stock of other garden and flower plants, garden and flower seed, fertilizer, sprayers, also baby chickens and geese.

CO-OP GRAIN CO. ANNUAL MEETING SET FOR MAY 2

Billy Raybon, manager, announced that the annual Meeting of Stockholders of Co-op Grain Company of Abernathy and Heckville will be held at 8 p. m. (DST) Friday, May 2, in Abernathy School cafeteria. Further details will appear in The Review next week.

ALVIN LEACH HEADS IOOF LODGE HERE

Abernathy Lodge 809, I. O. O. F., held initiation of officers at their regular meeting April 17, 1969. Officers elected were: Noble Grand, Alvin Leach; Vice Grand, Bryan Phillips; Appointive officers named were Warden, Owen Benn; Conductor, L. O. Oswalt; Right Supporter of the Noble Grand, Hilburn Barrick; Left Supporter of the Noble Grand, W. D. Morgan; Chaplain, Ed Heath; Inside Guardian, H. T. Peters; Outside Guardian, Robert Totty; Right Scene Support, Marvin Toler; Left Scene Support, Ray Higginbotham; and Musician, Marvin Toler.

Vice Grand, Bryan Phillips selected his supporting officers, naming Right Support of the Vice Grand, W. A. Story; Left Support, Wayne McClendon.

The Fourth Sunday Singing will be held from 2 p. m. to 4 p. m. Sunday, April 27, in Abernathy Assembly of God Church. Everyone who enjoys gospel singing, as a participant or listener, is invited to attend. The 4th Sunday Singing in March was held at Lakeview Methodist Church, with a capacity crowd attending.

TOLER HEADS SA FUND DRIVE HERE

The Abernathy Service Unit Committee of the Salvation Army announces the selection of Hoppy Toler as campaign chairman for the 1969 Fund Appeal.

Kick off date for this annual appeal has been set for May 6th. Volunteer workers to be selected by Mr. Toler will contact everyone possible during the appeal.

Funds raised during this annual appeal are used to support the charitable work of the Abernathy Service Unit Committee and statewide services of the Salvation Army.

Members of the local committee are: Rev. Conrad Ryan, chairman; Jimmy Gragg, treasurer; Roy Jones, Andy Reid, Dr. R. Delwin Webb, Arno Struve, Frank Russell, and Rev. M. L. Brewer.

SCHOOL TEACHERS RESIGN HERE

The Board of Education met in regular session April 14 at 8:00 p. m. in the board room of the high school. Members present were: L. J. West, president; Billie Harrison, vice president; W. D. Sanders, secretary; and members Joe Lovelace, J. H. Myatt, Joe Oswalt, and Bob Riley. Others present were Earl Carter, business manager, and Delwin Webb, superintendent. Guests attending were: Jerry Moothead, elementary principal; Curtis Davent, high school principal; and David Pinson, board member elect.

Items on the agenda included election of personnel for the 1969-70 school year. Resignations were accepted from Mrs. George Reagan and Mrs. Nancy Bowden. Oral resignations of Mr. and Mrs. Mitch LeMoine and Mr. Gary Abercrombie were reported.

Reports included; tax collection showing 97.77% of the taxes collected for the current year; budget progress report for 7/12 of the year, enrollment report showing a decline of 20 students over the previous period; nurse's report; lunchroom report; and oral reports concern-

FATHER DIES

The father of Bobby Cunningham of Abernathy, Mr. Thomas Jefferson Cunningham, 84, of Littlefield died in a hospital in that city April 16. Funeral rites were held in the First Baptist Church there April 17. Burial was in Littlefield Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, three sons, eight daughters, 26 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

ing the acquisition of a surplus property building from Reese Air Force Base and progress report on Bilingual ESEA Title VII grant.

The board also studied the economic index assignment for Hale County and the local fund assignment for the public schools.

June 19-20 was set as the dates for the Board of Equalization. Members who were appointed will be announced at a later date.

Calendar for the 1969-70 school year was presented and September 2 was set for the first day of school for 1969 and will end May 29, 1970.

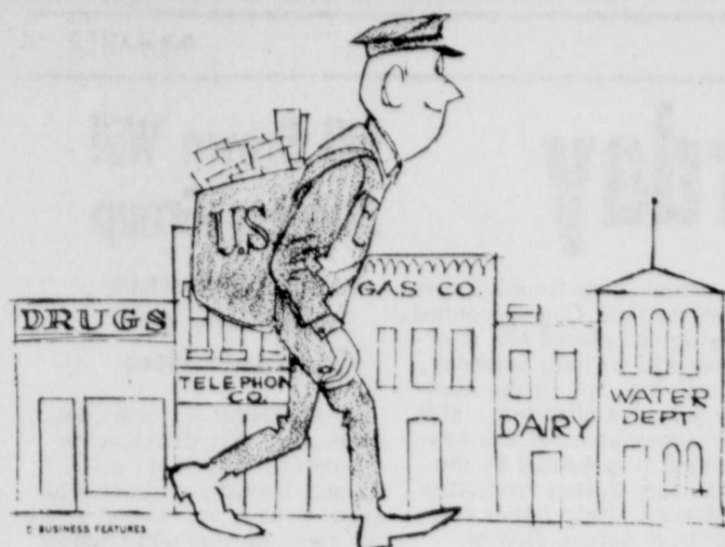
Next regular session of the board will be May 5 at 8:00 p. m.

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME, APRIL 27

Daylight saving time is scheduled to begin April 27 at 2 a. m. Set clocks and watches UP an hour when you go to bed the night of April 26, or get up at 2 a. m. April 27, and set them UP an hour.

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Miss Teri McKinley South Plains Maid of Cotton To appear at County Line Co-op Gin Stockholders Meeting, April 29,

ABERNATHY YH ALL-COTTON FASHION REVUE

Abernathy Young Homemaker Chapter will present an all cotton Fashion Revue in the Abernathy School auditorium on May 10, 1969.

Anyone is invited to enter in any of the following divisions: Junior Division—Girls enrolled in first semester sewing. Senior Division—Girls with more than one year of sewing. Adult Division—Ladies over eighteen not enrolled in High School. Childrens Division—Garments made by adults; modeled by children.

Judging will be: Construction -----30% Fit -----30% Suitability of Style -----15% Suitability of Fabric -----15% Accessories -----10%

You may enter as many garments as you wish. 1st, 2nd and 3rd place will be awarded to girls. First, and second will be given in adult divisions. You may win only one award. Please give entry forms to Mrs. Rebecca Anthony or Mrs. Gwen Pope, by 4:00 p. m. May 6.

MARILEE ECHOLS GIVES PROGRAM FOR YH HERE

Marilee Echols, a senior at Abernathy High school and a graduate of Robert Spence School, Lubbock, gave the Abernathy Young Homemaker Chapter program April 8, in the Homemaking department.

Those attending were Rebecca Anthony, Brenda Graham, Bobbye wages, Gwyn Pope, Marsha Shafer, Claudine Skipper and guest.

Gwyn Pope served as hostess for the April meeting, and Brenda Graham presented the gift.

The next Young Homemaker meeting will be May 13. Mrs. A. B. Reid will give a book review.

Marsha Shafer will serve as hostess.

Members of the Abernathy Young Homemaker Chapter will attend a Special Activity Day Friday, April 25, from 9:30 a. m. to 3 p. m. at the Holiday Inn, 4005 Olton Road, Plainview. The event is for the Area I Association of Young Homemakers.



THE AHS FFA Livestock Judging Team members are, from left, Tim Barton, Johnny Lutrick, Ronnie Hamilton and Smitty Covey.



MEMBERS OF THE AHS FFA Farm Mechanics team are, from left, Monte Hobgood, Tim Barton, Ronald Harkey and Larry Turner.

ABERNATHY FFA CHAPTER WINS IN WEST TEXAS STATE JUDGING MEET

The Abernathy FFA Livestock Judging Team competed in the West Texas State Judging Contests at Canyon last Saturday, against 64 other teams, and captured the first place trophy.

Members of the team were Johnny Lutrick, Tim Barton and Ronnie Hamilton. Johnny and Tim tied for second, for individual honors in the entire contest, with a score of 293 points out of a possible 300 points, while Ronnie had a score of 286 points out of 300 points.

The Abernathy FFA Livestock Judging Team participated in the Lubbock Christian College contests at Lubbock last Tuesday and placed second in the contests.

Members of the team were Smitty Covey, Johnny Lutrick, Tim Barton and Ronnie Hamilton. Smitty Covey was the second high individual in the entire contest and he was the third high individual in Beef Cattle judging division.

Tim Barton was high individual in judging lambs.

Johnny Lutrick was second high individual in judging beef cattle.

As a team Abernathy was second high in judging beef cattle and was second high in judging sheep.

Abernathy FFA Chapter entered the Plainview District Farm Mechanics Contests at Tulla last Thursday and placed second. They were defeated by Dimmitt by three and one-half points. Members of the team were Ronald Harkey, Larry Turner, Tim Barton and Monte Hobgood.

Dimmitt placed first, Abernathy second, Tulla third and Floydada fourth.

The Abernathy FFA Poultry Team composed of Mickey Nesbitt, Clinton Reeves and Rodney Huffaker placed eighth out of 34 teams at the West Texas State Judging Contest Saturday, April 19.

The team competes Saturday, April 26 at the Texas Tech Judging Contest for Area I honors, and a possible trip to A. & M. and the State finals May 3.

1954 WOMEN'S CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The 1954 Women's Club met for election of officers and a salad luncheon at the City clubroom April 16.

Officers elected for the club year 1969-70 are: president, Faye Hadden; vice-president, JoAnn Allen; secretary, Kay Knight; treasurer, Mary Megna; reporter and parliamentarian, Peggy Waters; photographer and Historian, Gale Davis.

Members present were Mary Megna, Kay Knight, Maurine Allen, Wanda Beeson, Faye Shadden, JoAnn Allen, Peggy Waters, Frankie Mills, Carole Evans, Gale Davis, Cheryl Thompson, Jerry Oswalt, Betty Neve, Minnie Tennell, Gail Alsop and Janice McKenzie.

The next meeting will be April 23 to tour Dunlap's Interior Decorating department. Reporter.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. James Graham is under treatment in West Texas Hospital, Lubbock, for a heart condition. She suffered a heart attack Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Ray Sanders underwent surgery Monday at Methodist hospital, Lubbock.

Mrs. F. W. Struve is in Hi-Plains Hospital, Hale Center.

Mrs. Paul Harral visited in Houston and Lufkin.

Robert Reedy bought the George Reagan residence at 612 14th St.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Waits and son fished at Hubbard Creek Lake near Breckenridge last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Chapman attended a banquet for 500 Club members of Ford Motor Co. in Dallas Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Crow fished at Hubbard Creek Lake last weekend.

CENTER WILL ACT AS EMPLOYMENT AGENCY HERE

(By Esther Sepeda)

The Abernathy Neighborhood Center will begin an employment service, and we need the cooperation of everyone on this. We want the people who need a job to come and apply, but we will also need to know those who need employees. We will try to get people and jobs together. We would especially like to have some of our farmers come by and discuss ideas and ways in which the Center can help them.

Also, if you need house-cleaning or baby sitting done, please call us or come by the office. Our phone number is 298-2805.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Gallo-way visited in the home of their daughter in Hereford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ned Gragg visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Allen, in Lawn early this week.

Firemen were called to the M. M. Bell home at 1001 2nd Street at 4 p. m. Monday to put out a fire in a television set. Main damage was confined to the set.

Bank officials attended the annual meeting of District 8, Texas Bankers Association, in Amarillo Monday.

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BILL G. BROWN TO SPEAK AT COUNTY LINE GIN MEETING

Bill G. Brown "The Funniest Man Around" Bill G. Brown is in constant demand for his hilarious after-dinner speeches. A part of his act has appeared on television. He has appeared for special events throughout the Southwest and in Bermuda as well. He's also a successful businessman, representing selected companies. He is a qualifying and life member of the Million Dollar Round Table which is the highest production honor of the life underwriter. You will truly enjoy his act as he combines clever comedy manipulations with pungent comments on the passing scene, and sweeping his audience along with him to a truly hilarious finale.

BUMPER STICKERS ARE AVAILABLE

Bumper stickers publicizing Abernathy's 60th Anniversary Celebration August 2 may be obtained from Chamber of Commerce members, and at Struve Hardware & Dry Goods, free of charge. Help advertise the event. Place a sticker on the bumper of your car or pickup.

County Conservation District Rated Tops

The Hale County Soil and Water Conservation District has been selected as the number one soil and water conservation district in Texas' Soil and Water Conservation Awards Program.

The announcement was made today by Marvin Garrett, The Fort Worth Press conservation awards director.

Members of the Hale County Soil and Water Conservation District Board of Supervisors will represent the District in the state awards dinner May 3 in Fort Worth and will accept the award of \$1,000 for the District.

Members of the champion Board of supervisors include F. F. Calhoun, Plainview, chairman; L. D. Ballard, Halfway; Don Hegi, Petersburg; R. L. Burnett, Cotton Center and Pete Laney, Hale Center.

Special guest of the Board at Fort Worth will be Earl Laney, retired supervisor, Hale Center. Calhoun said the award is a once in a lifetime event and was due to progressive actions of Hale County farmers and

their constant vigilance against soil and water erosion.

The awards program is judged on point system for conservation activities and promotions the District accomplishes during a year.

COUNTRY GARDEN CLUB MEETING

The Country Garden Club met Tuesday, April 15 with Mrs. Horace Davis with 12 members answering roll call.

Leader for roll call and program was Mrs. J. C. Mills. After a business meeting led by the vice-president, Mrs. Orey Shadden, a program on "Gardening is Easy Sonta" was given by Mrs. Hollis Barnett, and "Mobile Gardens" by Mrs. Horace Davis.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mmes. Orey Shadden, Hollis Barnett, Jerry Nix, Morris Thomas, Cecil Gartin, Fred Blumenstock, J. C. Mills, E. B. Braly, Roy Matthews, J. L. Miller, Jr., C. J. Phair and the hostess.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, May 6 with Mrs. Orey Shadden, Reporter.

NAZARENE ASSEMBLY SET FOR MAY 7-8

The pastor and a delegation of leaders in the Church of the Nazarene in this area will take part in the annual assembly of the West Texas district to be held at the First Nazarene Church in Lubbock on Wednesday and Thursday May 7-8.

Annual reports will be made by all 99 pastors on the district. Dr. Lyle Eckley, Lubbock, will give his first message as district superintendent. He will outline plans for the 1969-70 year. District officers will be elected.

The presiding general superintendent will be Dr. Orville Jenkins of Kansas City, Mo., who was chosen to the highest elective office in June, 1968. He formerly was executive secretary of Home Missions.

The district will make plans for participation in denominational programs including a campaign to increase the church membership to 500,000 persons by the end of the 1970 calendar year.

The denomination's world membership has reached 465,000 persons. The combined Sunday school enrollment has passed the 1,050,000 mark.

The church maintains over 600 missionaries, doctors, nurses, teachers and builders in 48 countries and world areas where it conducts gospel work.

World offices and a publishing house are in Kansas City, Missouri.

Nominees For Pioneer Woman Event Sought

Deadline date for nomination for the "Pioneer Woman of the Plains" has been set for May 9, according to Miss Myra Hays, chairman of the program committee.

This is the tenth year the Plainview Business and Professional Women's Club, sponsoring organization of the annual Pioneer Round-Up, has honored a pioneer woman of this area.

Previous winners of the honor are Mrs. Sallie LeMond, Hale Center, 1960; Mrs. Frank Norfleet, Hale Center, 1961; Mrs. Lillian Fortenberry, Edmonson, 1962; Mrs. Maggie Davis, Plainview, 1963; Mrs. Coleman Jones, Plainview, 1964; Mrs. Tom Vaughn, Plainview, 1965; Mrs. I. T. Mayhugh, Plainview, 1966; Mrs. O. B. Jackson, Plainview, 1967 and Mrs. Charlie Flack, Plainview, 1968.

Announcement of the "Pioneer Woman of the Plains" will be the highlight of the evening activities of the 41st Round-Up planned for Saturday, May 17, and will be staged at the Hale County Agriculture Center.

Entry blanks have been mailed to all civic clubs, women's clubs and organizations in Plainview and surrounding areas. Individuals may also submit names to be considered for this honor. A group of judges will select the winner based on the information submitted. The number of times a person is nominated will have no effect on the selecting of the honoree. Entry blanks and additional information may be obtained by contacting Miss Hays, 293-1990 or 296-2272.

According to the rules of the event, the nominee must have been a pioneer resident of the High Plains, short biographies including the candidate's outstanding contributions to home, church, community and general welfare of her fellowman must be submitted and all entries must be signed by the person submitting the letter of nomination. Nominees submitted in past years will be eligible and may be submitted again, except those who have

already received the honor. Miss Evelyn Vineyard, President of the B&PW Club, said other scheduled events of this year's Round-Up include the reception beginning at 10:00 a. m. honoring all pioneers; the parade down Broadway at 3:00 p. m.; the supper beginning at 6:00 p. m. in the Agriculture Center; the program at 8:00 and the square dance following.

Hale 4-H Youths Urged To Enter Cotton Contest

Now is the time for all interested Hale County 4-H members to begin making plans to enter the 1969 County 4-H Cotton Contest, according to Carl Carter, Associate County Agent.

The annual contest is sponsored jointly by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and organizations within the county who are directly interested in cotton production.

Any regularly enrolled 4-H member between the ages of nine and nineteen years of age on Jan. 1 is eligible to enter the contest. Major purposes of the contest are to help young people better understand the responsibilities of ownership and to promote greater yields per acre of lint cotton on High Plains farms by improving fertility, soil texture, and cultural practices, said Carter.

A field crop record book and production narrative must be kept and turned in to the County Agents' office in order to qualify for awards in both the junior and senior divisions. The junior divisions includes ages nine to 14 and the senior division 14 years of age and over.

A boy or girl may enter either dryland or irrigated cotton in the contest. Winners, which are selected by a committee, are picked on the basis of the highest per acre lint yield from five acres total land area and the best cotton record book. Engraved plaques and trophies are presented to the county winners at an annual awards banquet.

Entry cards must be completed and returned by July 1. Carter added that contest rules, entry cards, and additional information may be obtained from the County Agent's office.

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC APRIL 29

The immunization clinic, has been re-scheduled for April 29 at Abernathy School and at City Hall.

Let's Go Fishing For Catfish

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16th ANNUAL MEETING of COUNTY LINE CO-OP GIN

IN ABERNATHY SCHOOL CAFETERIA

DINNER WILL BE SERVED

MOVIES WILL BE SHOWN FOR THE CHILDREN FOLLOWING THE DINNER

The Business Session Will Include: The Annual Audit Report, Election of Two Directors. The Terms of J. W. Hamilton and H. F. Gregg Expire This Year.

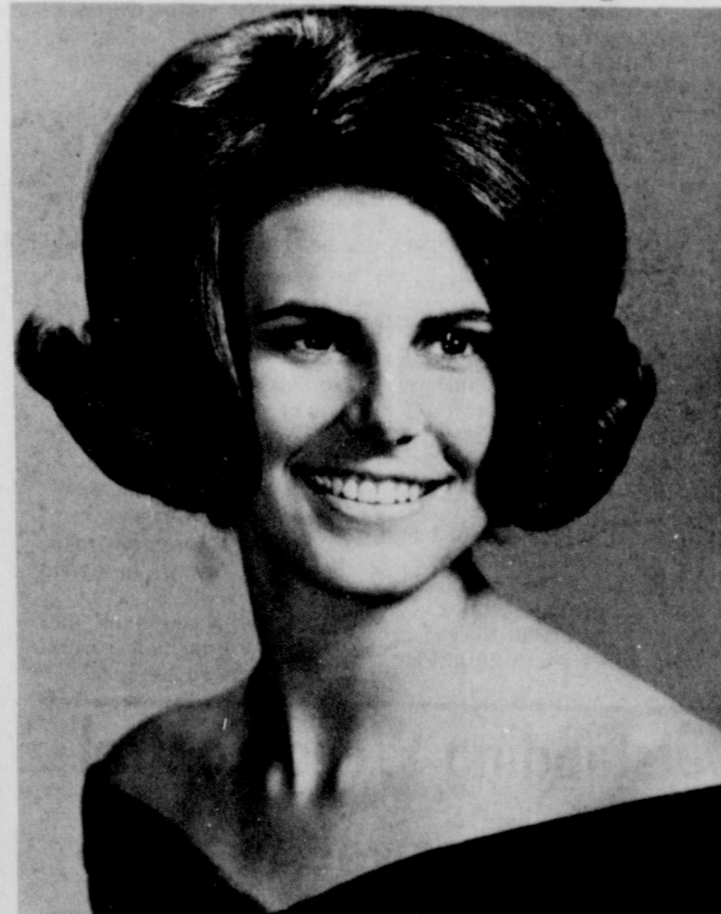
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BILL G. BROWN Teri McKinley



Principal Speaker on the Program Will Be Bill G. Brown, a Noted After Dinner Speaker Who Lives in Lubbock.



Miss Teri McKinley, The South Plains Maid of Cotton, Will Model an All-Cotton Wardrobe. She is a Texas Tech Student From El Paso.

DINNER MUSIC WILL BE PROVIDED BY MR. MARVIN STEPHENS AND OTHERS.

ALL STOCKHOLDERS AND THEIR FAMILIES ARE URGED TO ATTEND

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