

Editor W. J. Hale the income of The Review was about \$10 a week...

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The YOAKUM COUNTY REVIEW

Table with weather data for July 11-17, including Max and Min temperatures.

PLAINS, YOAKUM COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JULY 19, 1956

Prospects Brighten For City Owned Electric Plant Sewer System Almost Ready

The City of Plains has not yet accepted the newly installed sewer system and residents are cautioned they cannot now connect to the lines.

Residence, \$150; duplex, \$3; service station without car wash, \$450; service station with car wash, \$6; cafe, \$4.50; laundry, \$6; trailer house, \$1.50; hotel, 1 to 10 rooms, \$3.50; 11 to 25 rooms \$4.50 and over 25 rooms, \$5.50; tourist courts and motels, over night units, 50 cents, kitchenette units, \$1, and permanent quarters \$1.50 and courthouse \$12.50.



NEW BUSINESSMAN — Vance Glover, coming here from Roswell, N.M., has assumed the operation of Fisher's Cleaners and will operate the business under the name Glover's Cleaners and Hatters.

Residents Asked To Pledge Use Of City Power

If enough people will sign pledge that they will use city electricity when the system begins operating, the municipal electric system is assured, according to a statement made last Saturday in a 5-hour-long city council meeting.

Wally Payne, representing the First of Texas Corp., and Bob Davis, representing Columbia Securities Corp., both San Antonio bonding companies, met with aldermen and reached the above conclusion after learning that a system sold by Stanolind Oil and Gas Co. was available for the City of Plains.

Leland A. Prewitt, owner of Prewitt Electric Company, had previously met with the council and presented them with a proposal for purchasing the plant. Stanolind offered a three-generator plant for sale from the Cedar Lake Station. The plant is felt to be adequate for the immediate and possibly future needs of the city.

The Prewitt company successfully bid on the plant and since being awarded the sale reported to the council the company now has possession of the plant and is ready to bid on installation of the plant and distribution system to Plains.

Mr. Payne and Mr. Davis told aldermen Saturday before the bonding companies could accept bonds for the system they would have to secure pledges from at least 75 per cent of the electric power users in Plains that they would convert from the present system to the municipally-owned system. Lea County Co-operative presently supplies the city with electric power and has some 23 years left on current franchise.

Councilmen are now busy obtaining signatures, and for the convenience of those they will not reach, The Review is publishing a pledge on this page of this issue which you can fill in and pledge your home or business as a city power user.

Councilmen will meet again July 25 with the bondsmen and City engineer Cecil Hawk of Lubbock, at which time city officials hope they will have the necessary signatures on pledges and can pass a bond order which Davis and Payne will contract to buy.

The electric system will be bid on in separate bids.

Plains voters approved a \$159,000 bond issue for an electric system Aug. 17, 1954.

Lions To Present Wrestling Matches Here August 10

Plains Lions will present wrestling matches August 10. Hollis Smith, promoter of the matches in Lovington, will bring the matches to Plains, according to an announcement this week by Lion President Leo White.

Pete Sampson is chairman of the committee for this Lions Club activity. He plans to present the matches in the High School stadium and use portable seats from the livestock exhibit building to seat the spectators. Mr. White announced there would probably be folding seats used around the ring for ringside and reserved seats.

There are to be four matches, one of them an all-girl tag team match. Mr. Smith has a portable ring he will bring to Plains and in addition he will furnish the wrestlers and referees.

Mr. White said the Lions Club expects a good crowd as this is the first time real professional wrestling has ever been staged in Plains.

Pickup Stolen

County sheriff's office officials are cooperating with New Mexico authorities in investigating the theft of a 1955 Chevrolet 3-4 ton pickup, taken early Sunday night from a ranch near Bronco. The pickup is the property of Bobby Fields, who lives just over the line in New Mexico. Officials reported Wednesday that they thought they had a very good lead on a suspect, but had not as yet found the pickup. No one was at home at the Field's place when the theft occurred.

Work Started On New Phone Building

Construction is underway on a new central office building for the Romain Telephone Co. Contract for the new job was let June 14 to Glen Werhan of Lovington, N. M.

P. W. St. Romain announced work started on the new structure late last week. It is part of a \$300,000 expansion program for the phone company which will include carrying phone service to the county's rural areas, installation of all automatic phone equipment and construction a new office. The buildings alone are expected to cost \$17,000.

When the new system is completed Mr. St. Romain expects there will be approximately 450 phone users. There are now about 220.

Trapped By Radar

Thirty-two traffic tickets were issued to unsuspecting motorists on highway 380 between Plains and Bronco Saturday night as a highway patrol radar unit was in operation. Some warning tickets were issued, with the reminder being given for speeding. The Lubbock district office of the highway patrol is expected to have the radar unit in Yoakum County quite frequently on routine checks.



TO GIVE AWAY BURRO — These women of the Workers Fraternity Club of the Rebekah Lodge are working on a project through which this donkey will be given away the night of July 28 at the Roping Club rodeo.

Yoakum County Roping Club Puts Final Touches To Reunion, Rodeo

A big, gala celebration is the aim of the Yoakum County Roping Club for July 27 and 28. The club will sponsor a barbecue honoring old settlers of the area and a three-performance amateur rodeo at the fairgrounds in Plains.

The old settlers reunion will begin at 11 a.m. Saturday, July 28, and last until 1 p.m. Roping Club President Gene Bennett has stressed that the barbecue will be a free affair and that the purpose is to offer old timers a chance to get together and renew acquaintances.

The first rodeo performance will be held Friday, July 27, at 8 p.m. Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock and again Saturday night at 8 p.m. there will be performances.

There will be bareback, bronc and Brahma riding events, calf roping, team tying and barrel races. A. L. Long of Roswell is to furnish stock for the rodeo. It is expected there will be

Absentee Votes Signal End of Quiet Campaign

Six persons have cast ballots since absentee voting began July 9 for the Democratic primary election July 28.

In addition, County Clerk J. W. O. Allredge has mailed nine ballot applications to people requesting them.

While this is not considered a great number of persons applying for absentee voting privileges, it is felt the number indicates more than a little interest in the election, although the race has been a quiet one.

This is the first election since 1954, when voters approved the four-year term of office for county and district officers. Offices not being filled this year (to be voted on in 1958) are county judge, county treasurer, commissioners from precincts two and four, county clerk, school superintendent, district judge, district clerk. In Yoakum County the district and county clerk's duties are combined.

There is opposition in only three races in Yoakum County. Commissioner Gene Payne, prec. 3, is opposed by Pete Sampson, former Plains mayor and tourist court owner. The field of candidates in prec. 1 is greater. Commissioner Vance W. Brown is opposed by David Whitaker, Oliver Vaughn Jr., Johnny Grace and Jack L. Gray.

ASKS RE-ELECTION

County Attorney Vernon Townes who was appointed in June 1955 to fill the vacancy created when Paul New resigned his office, is opposed by Jerry Paquin. Both attorneys are residents of Denver City.

Other races with opposition for Yoakum County voters to decide are: State senator, Preston Smith, Kilmer Corbin and Carroll Cobb; State Representative, J. O. Gillham and R. L. Bowers, Jr. George Mahon, congressman; Mitchell Williams, district attorney; Robert Chambliss, sheriff-tax assessor - collector and R. B. (Woody) Woodward, Democratic chairman, are all unopposed candidates.

Voters in voting precincts 1, 6 and 9 will vote for commissioner of precinct 1; voters in voting precinct 3 will vote for commissioner, precinct 3.

Absentee voters, as recorded in the county clerk's office, are: Prec. 1, Mrs. S. L. Tingle; Prec. 7, H. B. Hale and Mrs. H. B. Hale; Prec. 8, O. F. Cannedy and Mrs. O. F. Cannedy and Prec. 9, James W. Webb.

WHEW!!

The weather really got down to business this week and showed us some hot temperatures. Sunday it was 100 degrees, next came Monday with a high of 108 for the year, as recorded by John Hague, local observer. The next day, Tuesday, the mercury dropped a full 10 degrees for a high of 93.

James Baby Is Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Dean James are announcing the arrival of a daughter born July 14, 1956 at 10 a. m. She weighed 7 pounds and 2 ounces and has been named Kathy Diane. Mr. James is employed by the highway department.

No Electricity And \$10 A Week Greeted W. J. Hale On Arrival

EDITOR'S NOTE: W. J. Hale, a resident of Plains, came to this area from Ropes, Texas in 1936 and began publishing the Yoakum County Review, which had been started by Mrs. Dovie Moreland six years earlier. Mr. Hale offers some observations of his first years in the story below. If you have some memories of earlier days in this area you would like to share with The Review's readers, we would appreciate hearing from you.

The Cat Claw offered politicians and public officials advice congratulated people on proper occasions and chronicled part of the history of this area under the pen of W. J. Hale. Review publisher from 1936 until 1951. It was a column that started the front page of Mr. Hale's newspaper and ended a week of events reported in each issue every Thursday.

SET BY HAND

For the most part the column, as was the rest of the paper, was hand set because The Review did not own a linotype, and in the earlier days the publication of The Review was accomplished by a tedious method employing a hand-cranked printing press. But Mr. Hale remembers he always met the deadline.

Arriving in Plains in 1936, during the period when Franklin D. Roosevelt, was trying to reconstruct this nation's economy following the worst depression in history, Mr. Hale assumed ownership of the paper from Mrs. Dovie Moreland, who had started the paper in 1930. Mrs. Moreland's editorship saw what is probably the greatest news story ever printed in Yoakum County—the finding of oil in the Bennett Field. She was reaching the point where The Review and her homing were both requiring more attention than she could give them together so she sold to Mr. Hale who was a professional newspaper man.

INCOME SMALL The early efforts of Mr. Hale's operation of The Review were accomplished in the building that now houses Walser Auto Parts Store. The \$10 a week The Review made Mr Hale doesn't seem too small income when it is noted that he ran \$90 worth of advertising for a man from Seagraves for the cut rate of \$65. The advertisement was for the sale of some land in Yoakum County.

Mr. Hale took the \$65, bought a lot from P. G. Stanford for \$15, bought \$50 worth of lumber from

Editor Hale remembers that on his arrival in Plains there was one grocery store, owned and operated

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- Dr. E. W. Jones, Lubbock (Renewal)
Sherm Henard (Renewal)
Robert Chambliss (Renewal)
Gene Bennett (Renewal)
Leroy Henson (Renewal)
J. H. Parrish, Tokio (Renewal)

TOO MUCH FUMES

Douglas Payne, 17, who is employed by the Gulf Service Station at Plains, was treated for exposure to gasoline fumes Tuesday afternoon at Yoakum County hospital. The youth was brought by ambulance to the hospital at 2:30 p. m., and was kept under observation for two hours before being released. He reportedly suffered no lasting effects. Payne is the son of W. C. Payne of Brownfield.

Fill In This Coupon and Mail or Take To The City Hall, or Call 280 and This Pledge Will Be Picked Up

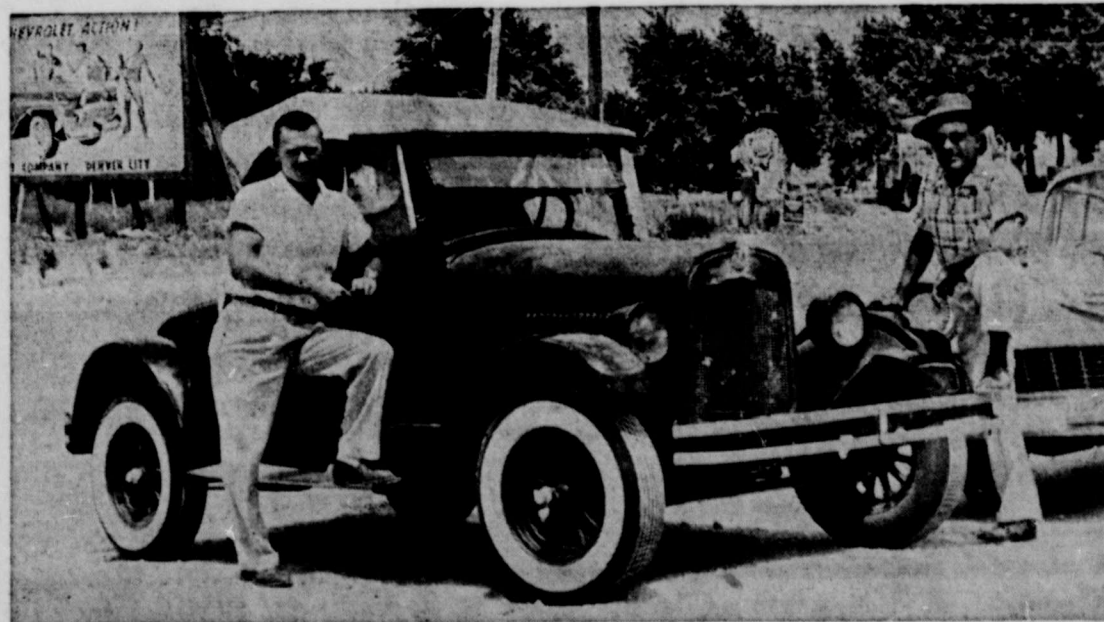
TO THE CITY OF PLAINS:

This is to be considered as a pledge that I will support the City of Plains municipally-owned utilities and that when electric power is offered a city meter and line may be attached to my present building or buildings.

NAME

ADDRESS

This is to be considered only as a moral pledge and is not a legally binding document.



CAN'T DRIVE IT — Virgil Short, left, and Johnie Robertson both claim to be too young to know how to drive this 1925 Chevrolet sports coupe. The car belongs to Lloyd Allsup and will be kept here in Plains at the Lloyd Allsup Chevrolet Co., where Mr. Short and Mr. Robertson are employed. Mr. Short plans to use the car in celebrations at rodeos and anywhere else an old model automobile will be appropriate.

Vertical text on the left margin including 'bearing', 'scratchpad', 'JOHNNY MYERS', 'appears that some year in', 'to near future, Plains', 'become a self supporting', 'without much need for city', 'venue. Already we have in', 'a water plant, gas', 'sewage system ready for', 'and now it appears the', 'system is assured.', 'Payne, one of the in-', 'company representa-', 'here for that marathon', 'council meeting last Satur-', 'dowed us a schedule that', 'one point anyway: In', '10 years the city utilities', 'bringing into the city', 'about \$40,000 a year', 'operating costs of those', 'We may not have any', 'now, but I dare any per-', 'look at that schedule of', 'and tell me Plains is', 'town.', 'comes to a point now of', 'help. Amos Smith, alder-', 'Payne the council had', 'electric system three', 'the people of Plains and', 'guessed they could try', 'that's asking too much of', 'unclimen who get not', 'pay and too many head-', 'ou can help them by going', 'city hall and signing', 'required by the bonds-', 'you can fill out the card', 'page of The Review.', 'was a real first class mar-', 'ating last week. The room', 'oke-filled and there were', 'with big black cigars.', 'city hall isn't air condi-', 'you didn't know. Those', 'into session at 1:30 and', 'argued, pleaded and', 'ed until 6:30 protecting', 'ars and trying to get the', 'at that could be bought', 'money. You should go to', 'those meetings sometime', 'h the way you are always', 'of firsts, and to get this', 'only costs you \$10 per', 'er man.', 'scratchpad-', 'SMALL WORLD—Mr.', 'Ed Carpenter and Mr.', 'Al Robertson met in', 'ia. They attended the', 'tryouts together and', 'some other small city', 'claim as good of repre-', 'at that big event.', 'scratchpad-', 'Hubbard (unknown to us)', 'od will not look you over', 'lms, degrees, or diplomas.', 'scars.', 'scratchpad-', 'birthday and congratu-', 'Gerald Kennedy, July 16;', 'enard and James Wat-', '17; W. J. Hale and', 'Mrs. L. A. Wilson, July', 'roll Curry, July 19;', 'Spencer, Mrs. Vickie', 'Mrs. Dorothy Jones and', 'Jones, July 20 and', 'Smith and Ruth Nichols.', 'Harbour Is', 'ed as IOOF', 'e Grand', 'Harbour was installed', 'Grand of the Plains', 'F. lodge last Thursday', 'enn Cannon, deputy dis-', 'master and his staff', 'evelland performed the', 'ceremonies.', 'was a semi-annual election', 'and installation and was held in', 'Old Fellows hall here in', 'Others installed were: C. C.', 'vice grand; J. Pressley', 'chaplain and R. V. Ha-', 'st grand.', 'O. O. F. and Rebekah', 'ave announced they will', 'supper at 8 p. m. July', 'the public being invited.', 'n to have several political', 's there to speak to the

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**Political Announcements**

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Preston Smith  
Kilmer Corbin  
STATE REPRESENTATIVE  
J. O. Gillham  
Robert L. Bowers, Jr.  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY:  
Mitchell Williams  
COUNTY ATTORNEY  
Vernon Townes  
Jerry Paquin  
ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR  
Robert Chambliss  
COMMISSIONER  
Precinct 1—  
Vance W. Brown  
Johnny Grace  
Jack Gray  
David Whitaker  
Oliver Vaughn Jr.  
Precinct 3—  
Gene Payne  
Pete Sampson

Mrs. C. D. Bass of Lubbock visited with friends in Plains last Monday.

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**LEGAL NOTICE**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO: L. R. BUTLER

GREETING:  
You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 27th day of August, A. D., 1956, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Yoakum County, at the Court House, in Plains, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 25th day of May, 1956. The file number of said suit being No. 1317.  
The names of the parties in said suit are: HELEN BUTLER as Plaintiff, and L. R. BUTLER as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce alleging cruel treatment.

Issued this the 9th day of July, 1956.  
Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Plains, Texas, this the 9th day of July A. D., 1956.

J. W. O. Alldredge, Clerk District Court, Yoakum County, Texas  
By Marguerite Barron Deputy  
Published in the Yoakum County Review July 12, 19, 26, August 2.

**LEGAL NOTICE**

The Honorable Commissioners' Court of Yoakum County, Texas, will receive bids at the office of the said Court at Plains, Texas on August 6, 1956 at 10:00 o'clock a.m. for the purchase of:

One used rubber tired loader, 4 wheel drive, gasoline engine, 75 horsepower or more with one and one-half cubic yard bucket. Tire sizes to be 14x24, 10 ply.

In payment of said equipment, court proposes to issue interest bearing time warrants, interest not to exceed 3 per cent per annum and bearing maximum maturity date not later than January 1, 1959.

One used HY Hough Loader will be traded in on the above described equipment. The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. W. O. ALLDREDGE  
County Clerk  
Yoakum County, Texas  
Published in The Yoakum County Review July 19 and 26, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Fields are visiting this week with friends in Truth or Consequences, N. M.

**4-H Girls Give Program On Safety To Turner HD Club**

Mrs. I. L. Smith, 4-H leader, presented a program on safety in the home at a recent meeting of the Turner Home Demonstration club. She was assisted by three 4-H girls, Annette Sudduth, Roberta Snodgrass, and Sandra Smith.

The club planned a bake sale which will be held in Plains on July 28. Mrs. Homer Sudduth gave a report on the recent council meeting. Mrs. Jesse Snodgrass read the ways to kill a club.

After their business meeting, the members of the club were hostesses to a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Loyd Yorvell.

Eleven members answered roll call with a quality "I need to develop to help youth".

**Amos Smiths Attend Continental Dinner**

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Smith of Plains were guests at a steak dinner in Lubbock Thursday night.

The dinner was given by Continental Oil Co., and was held in The Caprock Hotel.

The group heard a talk by a sales executive of Lincoln, Neb. who was guest speaker and gave a talk on sales.

**REUNION DATED**

Annual Cooke County Reunion will be held July 29 in Mackenzie Terrace in Lubbock. Registration will begin at 10 a. m. and lunch will begin at 1 p. m., followed by a business meeting. There will be prizes for the oldest, youngest and largest family, and people travelling the greatest distance. Guests are asked to take a basket lunch. Drinks will be furnished.

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One Group Men's Short Sleeve SPORT SHIRTS Regular to 3.95 While They Last — Only 1.98	One Group PRINTS — GINGHAMS Reg. 89c to 1.98 — Only 69c Yard
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Bull Riding	.....\$15	Calf Roping	.....\$15
Team Tying	.....\$15	Girls' Barrel Race	\$7.50

Entries Close 1 p.m. Friday, July 27th



## OLD SETTLERS REUNION

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## LOCALS

Guests in the home of Mrs. Alma Anderson last week were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Prince and children, Russell and Sherry, of Huntsville, Alabama and Gerald Anderson and Bobby Patterson of Monahans.

Guests in the Johnnie Robertson home last Thursday were Mrs. O. V. Bryan of Stanton and Mrs. Ike Kennedy of Ruidoso, N. M.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Beadles over the weekend were Mrs. Annie Collier of Carlsbad, N. M. and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nivack of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Hawkins and family visited in Morton Sunday with Mr. Hawkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hawkins.

Guests in the Roger Harvey home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Luther Blakely of El Paso.

Mrs. Dovie Moreland and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mabry spent last week-end in San Angelo attending a family reunion.

Miss Jessie Mae Lamence of Odessa was a guest in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Morris last week.

Mrs. C. B. Casey and Kelly Copeland of Farmington, N. M. were guests in the home of Mrs. J. H. Morris last week.

B. J. Campbell spent last week-end visiting friends in Plains.

Miss Kitty Parks of Big Spring spent last week-end visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Parks.

Mrs. Amos Smith was in Brownfield on business last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Trout were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Wood in Rotan Sunday.

## ACROSS THE CATTLE GUARD

By LEO W. WHITE  
County Agent

The cotton in Yoakum County is in better condition at this stage of the growing season than we have seen it in prior years. There are several factors that can rightfully take credit for the improvement. I am sure that one of these contributing factors is the deep breaking practice that has been used here for several years. Deep breaking and farming with larger tractors have helped to keep the smaller sand dunes under control and the land just naturally farms a little easier than it used to. A very small per cent of our cotton crop has been lost due to wind damage this year. The damage done by thrips during the first few weeks after emergence is not as great as we once thought it was. The efficient use of irrigation wa-

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Overton visited in Midland last Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Judge Ed Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sims and Mr. and Mrs. Al Billings of Bronco were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Trout Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Smith attended church services at the Baptist Church in Foster last Sunday. Their son, Glen, from Puento, Calif. preached there.

FOR SALE—1952 Harley Davidson 125 Motorcycle, \$125, Donald Kissinger, phone 178. 29-t2p

## The Yoakum County Review

H. C. SNYDER, Owner  
Johnny Myers, Managing Editor

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Plan Now to Attend

## Box Supper Auction

Thursday, JULY 26  
8:00 p. m.

I. O. O. F. HALL - PLAINS, TEXAS  
POLITICAL CANDIDATES TO SPEAK  
PUBLIC INVITED

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VOTE FOR



## Judge Alton B. CHAPMAN

FLOYD COUNTY

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The above quote was taken from the July 16th issue of the Texas Spur, a newspaper in the town where Judge Chapman finished high school, where he served as County and District Attorney and for the last 19 years as District Judge.

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ter and the control of cotton insects are the two main factors which account for the improved crop this year. The increased use of fertilizers is not to be overlooked as a contributing factor.

Most of the irrigated cotton farmers are going to be satisfied if their cotton yields a bale to the acre. It is very likely that the average on the irrigated cotton over the county will be less than a bale per acre. There will be some farmers who make close to two bales per acre and there will be small spots in some of the fields where the yield is nearer three bales. When certain spots in a field will produce a high yield, the farmer knows that the soil in that particular spot is more fertile. His problem, then, is to improve the fertility of the rest of the field to equal or exceed that of the spots.

If the land has been deep broken and the clay subsoil is well mixed with the sandy top soil and there is three and a half or four feet of soil above the caliche layer then plowing is not the needed practice. If irrigation water is evenly distributed and insects are kept under control then it is pretty well known that the problem has to do with soil fertility. If a soils test revealed that the soil was lacking in nitrogen and phosphorus and both of these elements were added to the soil, it can still be a fertility problem. Nitrogen and phosphorus are those plant food elements that can be bought in a sack and spread over the land at a recommended rate but there is one other soil ingredient that will limit production if it is lacking. That one, and very important, soil ingredient is organic matter. Organic matter is taken out of the soil at a rapid rate due to bacterial action during the growing season. Organic matter is removed in proportion to the yield. More frequent plowings cause more organic matter to be made available for plant use; therefore, more organic matter is removed from the soil. Soils that are low in organic matter will hold less water, have poorer tilth and lose more moisture to evaporation than soils that are high in organic matter.

About ten or twelve tons of cotton burs per acre will supply enough organic matter to make a difference in the soil. The use of cotton burs back on the land is a very good practice and it should be encouraged to the extent that all the burs in Yoakum County are used for soil improvement. Irrigation farmers can add organic matter to their soil by growing a winter legume like hairy vetch and plowing it under in the Spring as a green manure crop. One crop of a legume will add several tons of organic matter to each acre because the top growth and the root growth both contribute to the organic matter content of the soil. When a green growth is plowed under, it decomposes very rapidly and becomes available for plant use much sooner than a dry substance such as cotton burs. Grass will do a good job of increasing the organic matter content of the soil and when the conservation reserve part of the Soil Bank program becomes established, it can be used to improve the fertility of the soil in Yoakum County.

All the methods of soil improvement will have to be used if the irrigated farmers in this county ever get the average yield of cotton stepped up to two bales per acre.

## LOCALS

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Harvey Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Weed and daughter and Mrs. Bob Word and daughter of Morton.

Kit Morris of Waco spent last Monday visiting in the home of his mother, Mrs. J. H. Morris.

Guests in the H. M. Smith home over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Smith and family of Puento, Calif. and Mrs. W. H. Wood and family of Oakton, Virginia.

## VISITING WITH OUR NEIGHBORS

THE ABERNATHY School Board has contracted to purchase 10 acres of land from Mrs. H. R. Wesley for \$10,000. The plot is in the form of a square block just west of the present school property.

Ten acres is the equivalent of four city blocks. Tentative plans call for moving the present stadium to the new property in order to free space on the stadium site for expansion of primary and junior high playground area.

FUNERAL SERVICES were held at 2 p. m. July 3 at the First Baptist church in Morton for J. C. Fincher, 85-year-old retired farmer who died from pneumonia. Mr. Fincher was a long-time resident of Morton. Burial was in Lubbock Memorial Cemetery.

MRS. PERFECTO Bustillos, received a fine of \$100 and court costs recently for selling a bottle of wine to a man as a local deputy sheriff witnessed the sale.

THE ANTON Lions met recently on the Ed Hart lawn for the first regular meeting of the new club year. Zade Hooper, recently installed president, was in charge of the meeting. Other new officers are: Jay Fowler, sec-treas. Al Herin 1st vice-pres.; Marion Mayes, 2nd vice-pres. and George Twister is Neil Herrin and Lion tamer is Sid Landers.

CONSTRUCTION IS expected to begin soon on a \$226,000 concrete grain elevator in Muleshoe, T. R. Smallwood, president of the Farmers Co-operative Elevator board announced. The elevator, to be located on Roping Club property, will have a storage

## LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Beadles and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Felkner of Texas City spent last Wednesday visiting in Carlsbad, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pledger of Tatum, N. M. were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Miller last Friday night.

Misses Gracie Welch and Brenda George of Tarzan were guests in the home of their cousin, Carol Anderson, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Bandy returned last Tuesday night after having spent two weeks visiting with their daughter, Mrs. R. L. Garratt, in San Francisco, Calif.

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Mrs. Alf Carpenter re-  
st Wednesday from a  
to California. They  
San Diego, Los Angeles,  
Vegas, Nevada.

andra Pharr of Lubbock  
at week-end visiting in  
of her parents, Mr. and  
Pharr.

Mrs. Ed Robertson re-  
st week from California  
they have been spending  
mer.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Fitzgerald  
and family of Portales, N. M.  
were guests in the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. John E. Fitzgerald last  
week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Newsom, Mr.  
and Mrs. Joe Kennedy and Mr. and  
Mrs. Hoss Newsom and children  
spent last week-end at Lake  
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Mr. and Mrs. Perry Anthony  
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**LOCALS**

Mrs. D. R. Brooks and family of Coahoma were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stamps last week-end.

Mr. Don Baldwin of Plainview was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Smyer.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jost this week are Mr. and Mrs. William DeChamp and children, Nancy and David, of Boston, Mass., and Virginia Ann Laxson of Carlsbad, N. M.

Mrs. John Anderson and daughters, Marie and Wanda, returned Tuesday from Ranger where they had spent two weeks visiting in the home of Mrs. A. N. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robertson were guests in the Frank Sudduth home last week-end.

Mrs. S. F. Pride and Mrs. J. W. Beal left Thursday for Oak Grove, Louisiana where they are visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Coke returned last Sunday from South Texas where they had spent last week.

Mike Fields of Bronco was a guest in the home of Ty Earl Powell last Wednesday.

Mrs. Ed Robertson is doing fine following an operation at the Yoakum County Hospital in Denver City last Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Odus Lusk is home after being a patient in the Treadway-Daniel Hospital in Brownfield for the last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Futch and family of Lamesa were guests in the home of Mrs. Futch's mother, Mrs. Lydia Lynn.

Mrs. L. D. Proctor returned to Plains last Wednesday from Rising Star where she attended the funeral of her mother, Mrs. J. A. Waldrop. Mrs. Waldrop passed away July 3 and was buried July 5.

Miss Velma Wilson of Big Spring was a guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilson, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo White and Marsha spent last week-end at Big Bend.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Foye Flood last week were Mrs. Dixie Crafey and daughter from Gladewater and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hansen from Sisco.

**Dorothy Wilkins Installed Rebekah Noble Grand In Plains Ceremony July 3**

**HOSPITAL NOTES**

July 9, 1956  
Admitted: Patsy Land, medical. Dismissed: Patsy Land.

July 12, 1956  
Admitted: Mrs. C. G. Gist, medical; Mrs. Golden Johnson, medical.

July 13, 1956  
Admitted: John W. Cox, medical; Mrs. J. B. Sloss, surgery. Dismissed: Mrs. Golden Johnson, surgery.

July 14, 1956  
Admitted: Mrs. Billy Brown, maternity; Casmira Martinez, surgery; Harry Porter, medical; Richard Harper, surgery; J. H. Bailey, surgery. Dismissed: John W. Cox, surgery.

July 15, 1956  
Admitted: Margaret Galyon, surgery; H. D. Hice, medical.

July 16, 1956  
Admitted: Mrs. J. B. Kerr, medical; Mrs. Raymond Bookout, surgery; Mrs. E. P. Stanford, medical; Mrs. W. C. Overstreet, maternity. Dismissed: Casmirio Martinez.

July 17, 1956  
Admitted: Mrs. H. C. Brown, medical; Douglas Payne, medical. Dismissed: Harry Porter, H. D. Hice.

Mrs. Sherm Tingle and sons, Lee and Eddie, left last Sunday for Bloomington, Illinois where they will spend three weeks visiting in the home of Mrs. Tingle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwards.

Mr. Garland Swann and sons, Rex and Harry Lee, spent last week-end at Lake Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Harvey were in Lubbock Saturday on business.

Perry Ray Ham of Canyon spent last Tuesday visiting in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Ham.

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Mr. and Mrs. Duane Tucker of Tatum, N. M. were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hill last Sunday.

James Anderson is visiting in the home of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Neal in Carlsbad, N. M. this week.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Beadles last week were Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Felkner of Texas City, Miss Mary Dale McEachern of Lubbock, Mrs. Sadie Brown of Hagerman, N. M., and Johnnie and Ellie Felkner of Brownwood.

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**Girl Scouts Meet In St. Romain Home**

The Girl Scouts met last Thursday afternoon for their regular weekly meeting at the P. W. St. Romain home.

They discussed the camp which four of the girls are attending this week. The girls who are at-

tending Camp Las Leonatis at Lubbock this week are Jeanine St. Romain, Judy Lowe, Karen Randolph, and Elaine Mauk.

Those present for the meeting were Linda Fitzgerald, Jeanine St. Romain, Judy Lowe, Elaine Mauk, and Karen Randolph.

**Commissioners May Acquire Allred School Buildings**

Commissioners Court Monday gave tentative approval to Commissioner H. C. Cotton to negotiate with the Sligo School District for acquisition of the Allred school buildings for a community building in Allred.

The proposal is still under consideration following a meeting of Commissioner Cotton and Judge H. K. Benton with the school board Monday afternoon.

In other business commissioners approved letting the Farmers' Home Administration have an office in the old court house rent free, approved certificates of delinquent tax roll, delinquent lands and lots, and corrections in assessments for the tax year 1955.

**Snodgrass Family Holds Reunion In Plains Park**

The Snodgrass family had a reunion in the Plains park last Friday night. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Snodgrass and family and Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Rolain all of Whiteface; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jones and family; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Snodgrass and family; and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jones and family all of Tokio; Mr. and Mrs. James Hayes and family of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Roy Henson and family of Tucson, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mehl and family of Minnesota; and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Duane McDonnell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hank Goehry and family, Mrs. Joe Cheek, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Alberding, and Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Smith all of Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Snyder spent last week-end in Ruidoso, N. M.

**JOE A. SNEED AT FORT HOOD FOR ROTC PROGRAM**

Cadet Joe A. Sneed, whose wife, Ima, lives on Route 1, Plains, Tex., is receiving six weeks of training this summer at Fort Hood, under the Army's ROTC program.

The training, which ends Aug. 3, includes weapons firing, tactics and bivouacs.

Sneed is a 1953 graduate of Amarillo High School. A member of Alpha Phi Omega fraternity, he is attending Texas Tech.

**LOCALS**

Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Lipscomb and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Heine of Roscoe, and Miss Nancy Monroe of Plainview spent last week-end visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Monroe in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bartlett spent last week-end in Phoenix, Ariz., in the home of Mr. Bartlett's mother. His mother returned home with them for a visit with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Harvey and Mrs. Eual Dean Strickland were in Morton on business Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Don Ham and son Perry Ray, of Canyon visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ham last Monday.

Mrs. T. F. Kennedy of Ruidoso, N. M. and Mrs. Bryan of Stanton were guests of Mrs. J. P. Robertson last week.

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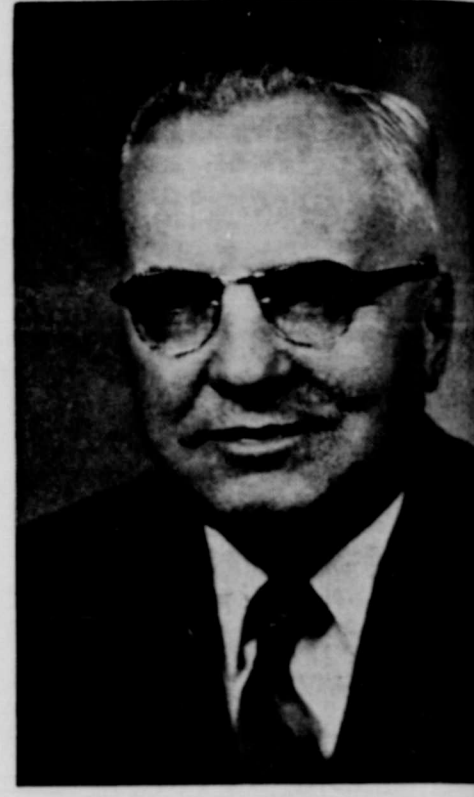
Three real supporters of Preston Smith's campaign for State Senator are his wife, Ima, and their two children, Mickey, 15, and Jan, 11, all shown in the above photo.

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- He is not the candidate of any person, group or organization, but constantly works for the overall good of the people of his district and the State of Texas.
- He is a life-long Democrat and has always supported the Democratic party, sincerely believing that the Democratic party is best for the People of Texas.

**LET'S TAKE A LOOK AT THE RECORD . . .**

**EDUCATION:** He has been a real friend of education. He was co-author of Teachers pay raise bill in special session in 1954; helped to pass the teachers' pension constitutional resolution and is advocating its approval by the people this fall; author of bill which created Commission on Higher Education; sponsored committee amendment to general appropriations bill which placed our Junior Colleges on sound financial base; voted for increased appropriations for our Senior Colleges and Universities which has enabled them to meet constantly increasing enrollments; voted for increased appropriations for our penal system which has made it one of the best penal systems in the country and which has made it 75 per cent self-sustaining.

**BUSINESS AND GENERAL LEGISLATION:** Author of Committee bill which regulates retail sales at below cost, which has been of great help to small independent merchants. Co-author of Small Claims Court Law which has been very helpful to business men on the collection of small accounts; co-author of new probate code; co-author of Parks Improvement law; co-author of law giving equal treatment to Korean War Veterans; voted for increased funds for Highways and farm-to-market roads.

**CLEAN GOVERNMENT:** Mr. Gillham was the co-author of the House resolution which created the House Investigating Committee which has made a thorough investigation of the Veterans Land Scandals and the Insurance Scandals. He also sponsored a bill which completely reorganized the Veterans' Land Board. He also voted to submit to the people a constitutional amendment this fall which will give the Veterans' Land Board an additional sum to lend to veterans. He believes that the many thousands of veterans who have not yet had the opportunity to participate in the program should have that opportunity, for he believes the program is sound if properly administered. He was the co-author also of HB240 which passed in the House but was killed by the Senate. This bill would have saved U. S. Trust & Guaranty Co. investors more than one million dollars.

**WATER AND CONSERVATION:** Mr. Gillham has been a member of the Conservation and Reclamation Committee of the House which handles all water legislation. He has actively supported water conservation legislation, but has been constantly alert to the protection of the rights of his people on the high plains. He killed in the House the constitutional amendment resolution which would have imposed an ad valorem tax of 3c per \$100.00 valuation, on all the real estate and personal property of every Texas citizen. Mr. Gillham argued that it was unfair to place a tax upon those who would never benefit from dams on our rivers, from which we could never get a drop of water. After a hard fight, the House turned down the proposition by a three-to-one vote.

**TAXES:** Believing in a balanced budget, Mr. Gillham insisted on appropriations being met by sufficient taxes. He also believes in fair and equal taxes, therefore voted to raise beer taxes from 37½c per barrel to \$3.35 per barrel; voted against a 2c gasoline tax; voted state income tax.

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Mrs. John McKee spent last week visiting in Amarillo in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dick McLaren.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey McKee of Hobbs, N. M. spent last Sunday visiting in the home of Mr. McKee's mother, Mrs. John McKee.

Capt. and Mrs. W. G. Ross and family of Houston are guests this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie L. Fitzgerald.

Donald Cross of Brownfield was a guest in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cross, last Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Proctor visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Fillingham in Hobbs, N. M. last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Scott spent last week-end in Ruidoso, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Tensley and baby of Seminole were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wagley last Saturday.

William McLaren of Roswell, N. M. was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Story last Saturday.

Mrs. Luther Beeson and daughters of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, spent last week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wagley.

Miss LaKue Gilmore spent last week-end in Ruidoso, N. M.

Miss Alice Monroe of Plainview is visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Lipscomb.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Heine of Roscoe and Miss Nancy Monroe of Plainview were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Lipscomb last Friday.

Mrs. G. P. Beane and Mrs. Bob Jones spent last Wednesday in Lockney visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Blanche Dyer and daughter Dana, returned Monday from a vacation to Pecos.

Mr. Bill Story of Denver City and Mrs. Grady Story of Seagraves were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Story last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young returned last week from a vacation to Colorado and Oklahoma.

The Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Cobb and daughter, Carolyn, and Al-

fred Jaudon of Tucson, Ariz., visited Mrs. L. D. Camp last week. Mrs. Cobb is a daughter of Mrs. Camp's. They also visited in the home of the Walter Anderson's in Lamesa and attended a family reunion of the Cobb family in Corpus Christi, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Henson moved to their new home in Denver City last week-end.

Miss Patsy Duncan of Plainview spent last week-end as a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Smyer.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Calloway and Mrs. A. N. Anderson of Ranger are guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McClellan are visiting in Alamogordo, N. M. this week with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McClellan and Mr. and Mrs. Carl McClellan.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Coke spent Wednesday visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dupree Woodruff in Seminole.

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## Texas Company Finals West Field Pool Extender

The Texas Company has finalized No. 1-B W. F. Edwards as a one-half mile west extension to the Fields (Devonian) pool of Northwest Yoakum County, northwest of Plains.

It was completed for a 24-hour pumping potential of 89 barrels of 49 gravity oil, plus 42 per cent water, through perforations from 11,962 to 11,991 feet, after a 4,700-gallon acid treatment.

Location is 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 105, block D, John H. Gibson survey.

Western Drilling Company of Lubbock has staked location for two 5,400-foot projects in the Brahaney field of Central Yoakum County, 4 miles southwest of Plains.

Location for No. 5-A Pike is 3,300 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 476, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

Drill site for No. 4-A Pike is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 467, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

Humble Oil & Refining Company will drill No. 8 Armstrong as a 10,850-foot wildcat in South Yoakum County, 17 miles south of Plains.

The project originally started out for a 9,000-foot bottom, it is now drilling below 10,400 feet. It is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 869, block D, J. H. Gibson survey, 1/4 mile east of the Wasson San Andres and Clearfork field.

Lario Oil & Gas Company perforated 5 1/2-inch casing in the San Andres from 5,335 to 5,337 feet and is testing that zone preparatory to completion.

Drillstem test from 5,291 to 5,340 feet, open one hour and 40 minutes, recovered 2,484 feet of heavily oil and gas-cut mud, 50 per cent oil; 85 feet of slightly oil and gas-cut mud, with a slight show of sulphur water.

Earlier, the project found oil on gas, five feet of oil and 180 feet of drillstem test in San Andres from 5,250 to 5,291 feet.

Location is two miles northwest of Plains, 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 391, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

Monsanto Chemical Company, Lion Oil Division, No. 2 AL, West Yoakum County project, is pumping load oil from perforations in the (San Andres) at 5,240 to 5,266 feet after fracturing the formation.

Location is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 473, block D, J. H. Gibson survey, 6 miles southwest of Plains.

Shell Oil Company No. 15 Dora Roberts, Southwest Yoakum County wildcat, is swabbing and testing through perforations in the Devonian from 8,448 to 8,453 and from 8,546 to 8,568 feet.

Location is 2,310 feet from north and 1,650 feet from east lines of section 793, block D, J. H. Gibson survey, eight miles northwest of Denver City.

Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation No. 1 Strong, 13,000-foot project in the Seagraves (Siluro-Devonian) field of Southeast Yoakum County, is drilling below 4,780 feet in lime.

It is 330 feet from south and 990 feet from east lines of section 882, block D, J. H. survey, and 14 miles due east of Denver City.

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 E. W. Clawwater, West Yoakum County project, is waiting on drilling contractor.

The northeast offset to a recently completed 1 1/2 mile west extension to the Brahaney field, is 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 448, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

Texas Crude Oil Company and Tri-Service Drilling Company No. 1 Randall, Southwest Yoakum County wildcat, is drilling ahead

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## LOCALS Hale

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pierce spent last week-end in Ruidoso, N. M.

Miss Martha Riddles of Tahoka was a guest in the home of Beth Ward last Tuesday.

Mrs. Garland Swann and daughters, spent last week-end in Slaton visiting in the home of Mrs. Swann's mother, Mrs. J. R. Thompson.

Mrs. Olan Heath and Mrs. Melvin Reed, and son, Mike, of Denver City spent last Friday in Hobbs, N. M. shopping. Mrs. Reed is Mrs. Heath's daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore and Bobby Lynn were in Plainview last Saturday attending the wedding of Miss Doylee Farrell and L. W. Moore.

Miss Charlotte Mears of Wilson was a guest in the Wallace Randolph home last week. She was visiting Tonya Randolph.

below 12,370 feet in lime and shale. The deep operation is 16 miles west of Denver City, 660 feet from north and east lines of section 841, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

Shell Oil Company No. 1 D. S. Goggins, 12,600-foot wildcat in Northwest Yoakum County, continues to cut hole below 4,188 feet in lime and shale.

The project is 670 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 217, block D, J. H. Gibson survey, five miles north of the Henard (San Andres field) and 10 miles north of Plains.

Fourteen miles northwest of Plains, in Northwest Yoakum County, Honolulu Oil Corporation No. 11 - b Clanahan has plugged back to 6,064 feet and are preparing to re-perforate.

Location is 440 feet from north and 880 feet from east lines of section 323, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

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the Wilford Light lumber yard and made a deal with the Methodist preacher to build him a home on credit.

In 1940 Publisher Hale sold The Review to D. B. McGinty and in 1941 again assumed operation of the paper. He sold again in 1946 and took it back in 1947, a sale he says was the "worst thing that ever happened to The Review."

In 1951, because of bad health the paper again was sold.

This time W. R. Curry, presently mayor of Plains and an insurance agent, purchased the paper and operated it until 1954 when Ralph Roy Dry Jr. assumed the publication. Both Curry and Dry were printers by trade. Mr. Dry was killed in a plane crash in April and the present owner, Mr. H. C. Snyder has had charge of The Review since June 1.

One thing Mr. Hale remembers well is the bringing in of the Ruth Bennett No. 2 oil well. It, as was the discovery of the Bennett field, was a big story for this paper.

And, one subscriber will remain a vivid memory also. Shortly after the discovery of oil here a lady was in Plains and Mr. Hale ran a "personal" item in the paper about her visit remarking that she was one of the County's largest land holders. It wasn't long, according to Mr. Hale, before she called at the paper office and told him that he was never to use her name again in print. It seems The Review's revelation of her wealth had brought her 100 offers of marriage—mostly for the purpose of acquiring her lands.

Mr. Hale still spends some of his time around the present Review plant, and Saturday afternoons, he usually can be found in The Review office "talking shop."

Mrs. Dubbie Bookout of Lamesa was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bookout Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pierce had as their guests last week-end Mr. Pierce's parents from Amarillo.

Miss Sherry Bookout of Lamesa is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Gayle this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick McGinty returned last Tuesday night from a vacation to points in New Mexico and Colorado.

Mr. B. J. Campbell of Canyon Tuesday after a few days in Plains.

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Before any connection can be made a permit must be secured from the City Secretary and a City authorized inspector must approve the lines before connections are made.

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Service Stations (with car wash) . . . . . 6.00	Laundry . . . . . 6.00	Post Office . . . . . 3.50
Lumber Yards . . . . . 3.50	Theatre . . . . . 3.50	Tailor Shop . . . . . 3.50
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