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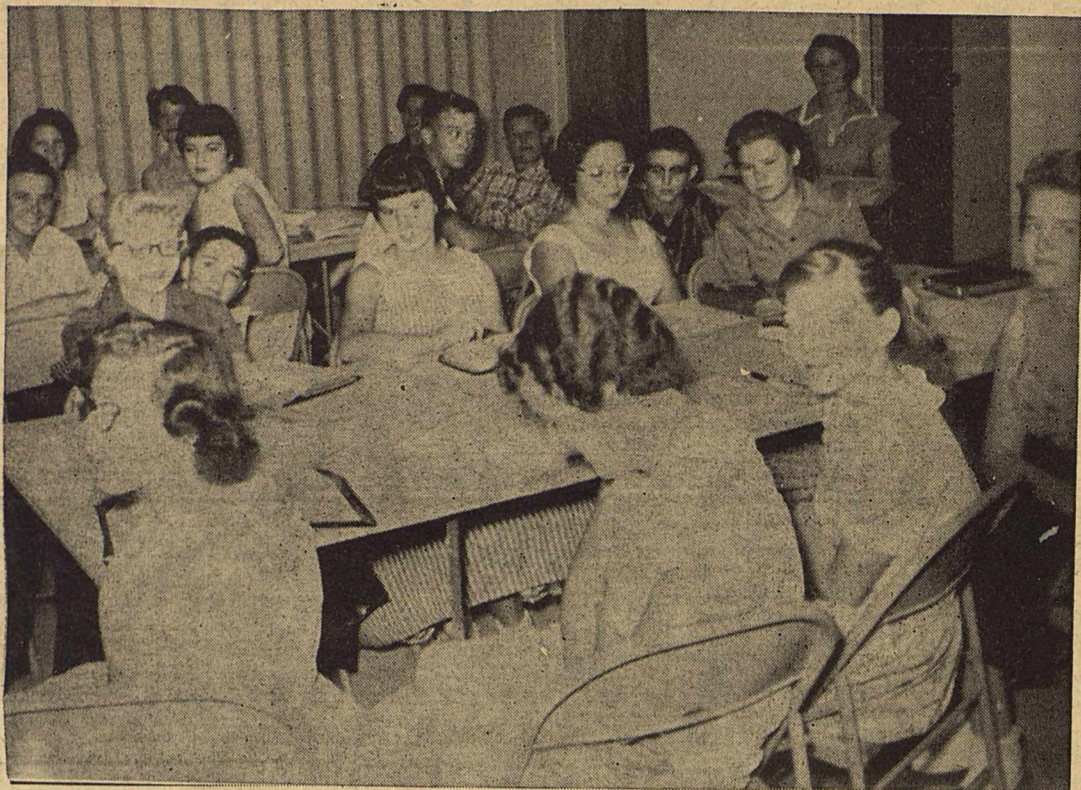
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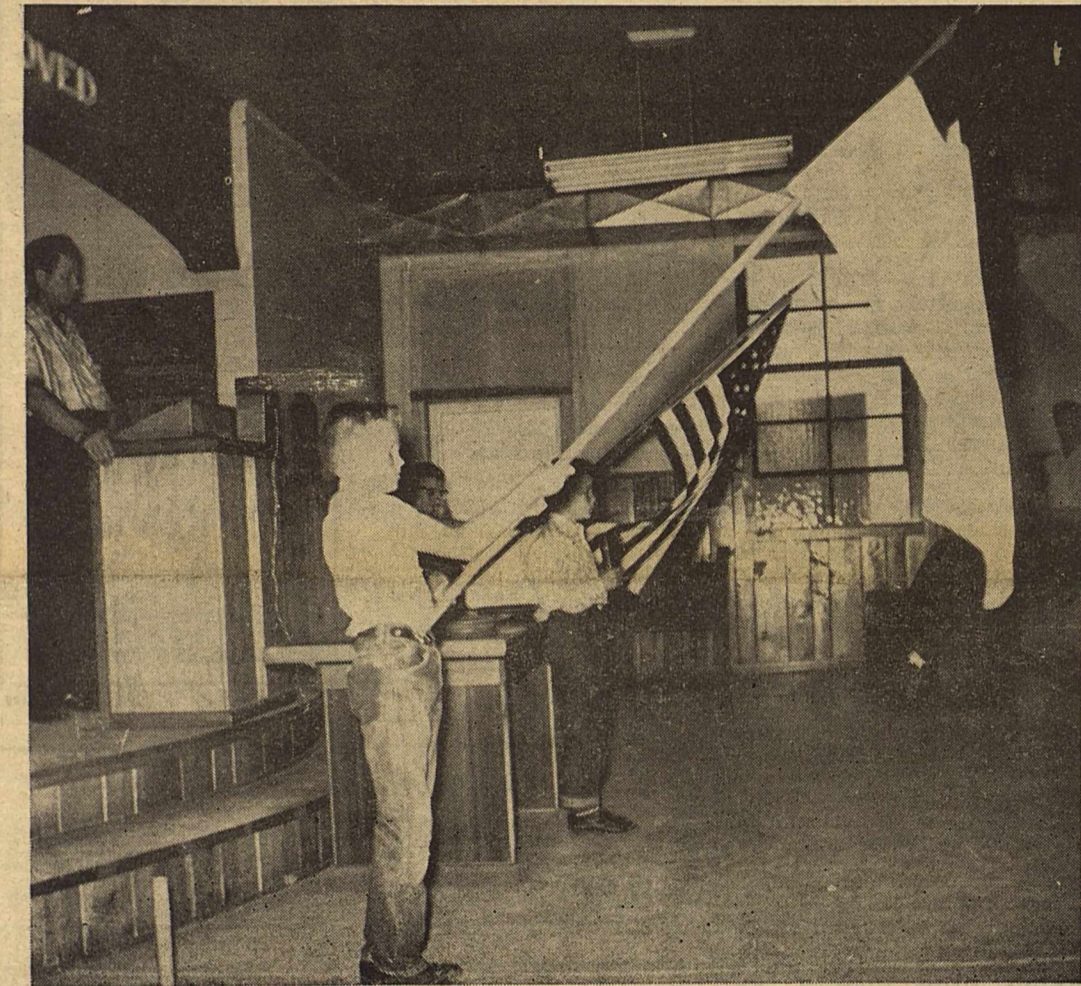
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WORKERS AND STUDENTS of the Intermediate Group at the Baptist Bible School are shown above. At the first table are Chick Coke, Sandra Lewis, Alice Hinkle, Linda Taylor, John Robertson, Linda Fitzgerald, Lela Parks Carolyn Murphy, Pat Cooke, and

J. B. Wilson. At the second table are Billy Hampton, Ruth Hinkle, Lee Tingle, Bobby Taunton, Mrs. W. P. Cooke, Glenda Bearden, Mrs. C. J. Coffman, Linda Free, Billy Wilson and Douglas Todd. Not shown are Mrs. T. E. Coke and Mrs. Cliff Hinson, workers.



OPENING EXERCISES as conducted at the Baptist Vacation Bible school, currently in progress, were caught by the Review camera.

The photo above was taken during the salute to the flag.

## '58 Grads Reveal Plans

A look into the future of the 1958 graduates of Plains High School—This is not "Madame Zorack Predicts" or "The Astrologer's Stars." This is the future planned by each graduate and his family.

Twenty-seven of the thirty-two graduates are planning to further their knowledge by higher education.

Eight of the twenty-seven plan to attend the brand new college at Levelland, South Plains Junior College. Those planning to do so are Tommy Griffith, Jimmy Phillips, Jackie Bass, Billy McGee, Vaughn Culwell, Jack Porter, Dannie McClellan, and Royce Farquhar.

Jim Roy Robertson plans to attend Gale Institute in Minnesota.

Laurene Marrow plans to attend Gale Institute also.

Venism Fitzgerald sees his future in physical therapy. He plans to attend Lubbock Christian College this fall.

The President of the '58 class, Jim Barron, plans to attend Texas Tech at Lubbock.

Kay Smith will work this summer and attend Draughon's Business College in the fall.

Rue Mauk, and Travis Jones plan to attend Steven F. Austin at Nacogdoches.

Maggie Crawford plans to work this summer and may attend Draughon's Business College in the fall.

Borden Staley sees his future in forestry. He plans to attend Steven F. Austin at Nacogdoches.

Darlene Snodgrass is now enrolled at Howard County Junior College in Big Spring.

Marcia Spencer plans to attend

Draughon's Business College at Lubbock in July.

Royce Randall plans to attend a barber school in Lubbock.

Julia Oats plans to attend Draughon's Business College at Lubbock.

Ross Stotts plans to attend Hardin-Simmons at Abilene with a football scholarship.

Merle Todd plans to study electrical engineering at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

Bobby Kinder plans to attend Howard County Junior College at Big Spring.

Joe Bob Palmer plans to attend Lubbock Christian College.

Anita Kee is now attending

Draughon's Business College at Lubbock.

Joyce Riggs is undecided about her future plans at the present.

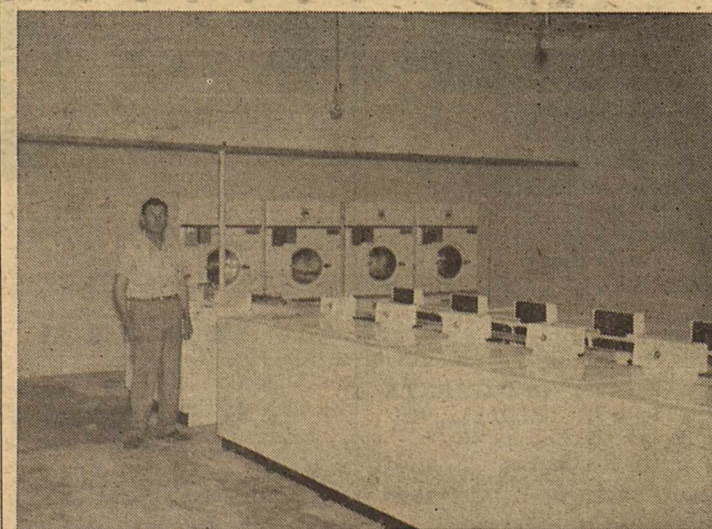
Karen Rae Faulkenberry plans to marry in June and live in Plains.

Jan Sims will work this summer and is undecided about future plans.

Zelda Smith will work this summer and is undecided about future plans.

Nell Nolen plans to attend Isbell's beauty school in Lubbock.

Carol McRae sees her future in engineering. She plans to attend Texas Tech this fall.



THE NEW AUTOMATIC LAUNDRY, owned by George Burke, opened this week in the former location of the Tri-County Feed Store. The laundry is self-operating and is open 24 hours a day. Mr. Burke has installed 14 new General Electric automatic washers and four big load dryers. The owner is shown above inside the building with a portion of the equipment.

## Soil Conservation District News

Normally the spring of the year in the Yoakum Soil Conservation District is considered as planting time but in a number of fields over the District harvest is in full swing. The winter weather we had last fall and in the early spring was very favorable for small grain and most grain seeded last fall made excellent growth and most is making good yields.

Bob Loe and Paul Loe are cutting grain now and have some very favorable results from the use of fertilizer on wheat.

Paul Loe planted one patch of wheat last fall following a crop of Kaffir. The feed land was chiseled two times and then seeded to wheat and about 150 pounds of 16-20-0 applied. They ran out of fertilizer before the entire field was completed and part was not fertilized. Paul Loe said that it was evident all through the growing season where the fertilizer was and the unfertilized part and that there was a definite line between them.

They have just completed cutting the fertilized part of the field and although the weights are not all tabulated it will make 25 or more bushels to the acre. They did not cut the rest of the field but estimate that it will probably make about 5 bushels. Since everything else was the same it seems that the fertilizer made about 20 bushels to the acre difference in yield. The fertilized wheat also is making more residue as the stalks were bigger and leafier and consequently will give more protection to the land and more organic matter to return to the soil.

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## Standings Show Giants in Lead in Little League

The Giants defeated the Cubs 14-2 in Little League baseball the game Tuesday night, June 10, with Joe Bob Loe winning pitcher. The losing pitcher was James Hampton, who walked fourteen men. Other pitchers for the Cubs included Chapman and O'Neal.

In the second game of the night the score was a tie between the Indians and the Yankees 7-7. The tie will be played off at a later date. The game was called at the end of the fifth inning because of time limit. At the end of the first inning the score was 3-0 in favor of the Indians. At the end of the fourth inning the Yankees came up to 3 making the score 7-3 with the Indians still leading but during the 5th inning the Yankees came up to 7 tying up the score.

Friday night, June 6, the Cubs defeated the Yankees 16-7.

The Indians defeated the Giants 3-2.

Little League Standings are as follows:

	W	L
Giants	2	1
Cub	1	2
Indians	2	2
Yankees	1	2

Friday night June 13, the Giants play the Yankees and the Cubs vs. Indians. Tuesday night, June 17, the Cubs will play the Yankees and the Giants will tangle with the Indians.

## Soils Report Is Heard by Lions

A good number of members and guests attended the regular meeting of the Plains Lions Club last Thursday. According to Lion Boss Kennedy the attendance is holding up well during the summer months. Usually attendance is low during the summer while many people are on vacations.

Following the fine meal, Lion Bill Dittmore, local Soil Scientist for the Soil Conservation Service, gave the Lions a program on the Soils of Yoakum County. Dittmore is in the process of making a complete standard survey of the entire county.

Following the program Lion Neil Taylor was presented a certificate of appreciation and a past-president's lapel pin by Lion Wyatt Lipscomb. Lion Taylor served very ably as Lions Club president during the past year.

# Little League Ball Park Is Dedicated Tuesday

## Legion Ball Team To Denver City For Friday Game

The Plains American Legion baseball team will travel to Denver City Friday, June 13th to play the Denver City team.

The game will begin at 8:00 p.m.

The team has played 2 previous games, one in Lubbock and one in Brownfield, being defeated both games.

Coaches for the team are Punk Culwell and Chick Lee. Emory Longbrake is the manager.

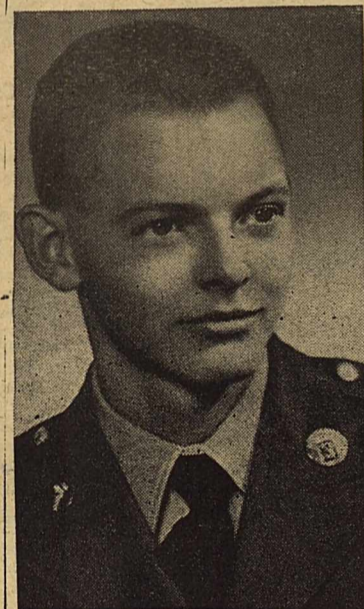
Members of the team include, Robert Anderson, Jack Meixner, Harmon Meixner, Mike Sink, Don Todd, Walter Coffman, Mike Culwell, Joe Bob Oats, Dick Cooke, Claude Lee, Eldredge Tidwell, Jim Warren, Riley Johnson, Richard Meil, Kenneth Baker, Ray Faught and Joe Don Morrow.

The team will play a double header at Lorenzo, Tuesday night, June 17th.

## Meil Promoted in Rank at NMMI

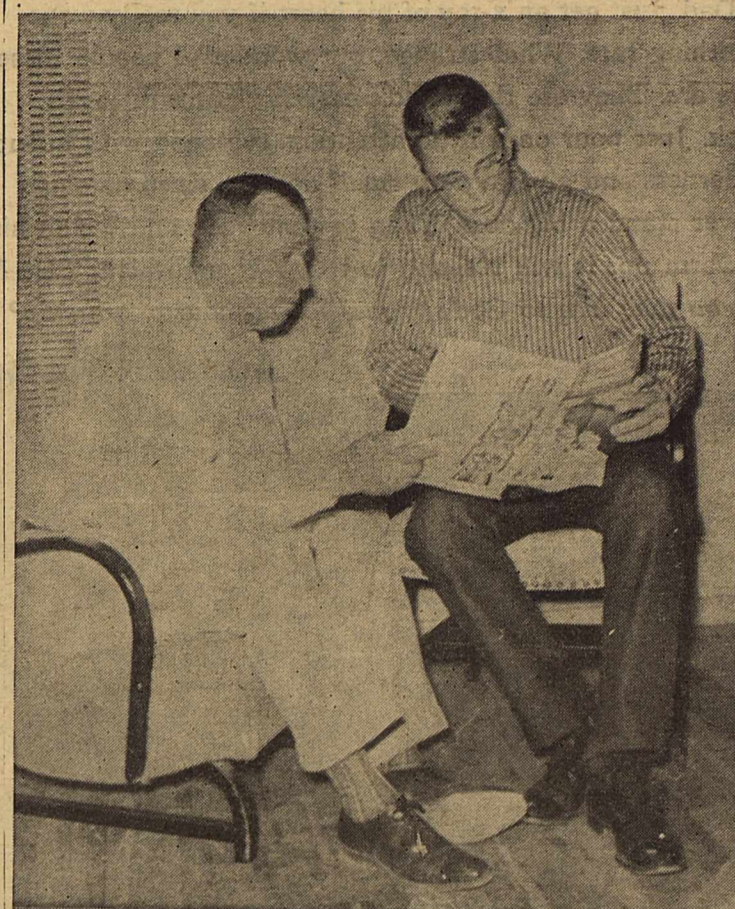
Promotions in rank for 23 cadet officers and dozens of cadet non-commissioned officers were announced at New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, during its recent Commencement ceremonies. These will form the nucleus for next year's Cadet regiment.

Richard J. Meil of Plains, was



among the 207 cadets who received Diplomas and Certificates of Completion. Richard transferred to the Institute last September to complete his high school studies.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Meil, Sr. who reside near Plains on Route 1. Young Meil was promoted to the rank of Corporal in the Cadet Regiment at Commencement time.



LEO WHITE, county agent, and Mark Barron make last minute plans before they left for College Station Tuesday morning to attend the 4-H State Round-Up. Mark will compete in the public speaking contest while there.

## Action Continues on Improving Highway 380

The Plains city council held a special meeting at the city hall Saturday morning for the purpose of approving the ordinances, etc., in connection with the curbing and guttering of highway 380 through town.

Paul New, attorney for the city, has prepared the ordinances and also a mechanic's lien which may be used by those who wish to finance the construction of their portion of the curbing along the highway. The mechanic's liens have been turned over to the Plains Chamber of Commerce and members of that group will contact property owners along the highway to determine if they wish to finance their portion of the project or pay cash.

Rushing the project has become necessary because all of the legal details are to be completed by August 1. The State Highway Department will let the contract for the work shortly after that time.

Other business attended to included the proposal by the council to purchase a ditching machine for use by the city water, gas and sewer departments if one can be obtained that is suitable for the city's needs.

NOTICE

The Yoakum County Farmers Union will sponsor a Candidate Speaking Saturday night, June 21st at 7:30 at the Stanford park in Plains.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Bring a basket lunch and a cake or pie.

The Denver City Oilers defeated the Plains Gophers 12-1 in a Pony League game here Thursday night, June 5.

James Hooper, the losing pitcher gave up 3 hits. Stephenson was the winning pitcher.

In the second game of the night the Printers defeated the Transporters 15-2.

Friday night, June 6, the Gophers and Transporters traveled to Seagraves where the Transporters defeated the Merchants 22-16 and the Seagraves Giants defeated the Gophers 6-5.

The Transporters defeated the Gophers on the Plains diamond Monday night, June 9, with the score of 17-7. The winning pitcher was James Alberding. The Transporters had 12 hits on 17 runs.

Pitchers for the Gophers included James Hooper, Jerry Jones and Ronnie Hendricks.

A dedication ceremony was held Tuesday night at the Little League Baseball Park with G. D. Kennedy, president of the Lions Club making a few remarks and stating that the Plains Little League had received their Franchise.

Rev. C. J. Coffman, pastor of the First Baptist Church, led the dedication prayer.

The Plains Little League Baseball Park, sponsored by the Lions Club, is another example of what can be done when citizens of the Plains area direct their united efforts toward a worthwhile task. This project is a very valuable addition to the Plains community. It can be considered a permanent contribution to the welfare of our youth.

Approximately seventy-five boys are currently receiving direct benefit through the local baseball program. Practically every boy in the Plains Community between the ages of 8 and 17 years, inclusive, who wants to play baseball can do so if he has his parents' consent. The value of this project cannot be measured in dollars and cents. It will provide an avenue of wholesome recreation for our boys for many years to come. It will also provide many evenings of fine entertainment for adults of our community.

The Little League Franchise for 1958 entitles the Plains Little League to all privileges except participation in 1958 Tournament Play. It is felt certain that our teams will be eligible for tournament play in 1959.

The park will not be completely finished until the spring of 1959. Some of the things yet to be done are as follows: construction of dugouts, construction of additional fencing, construction of adequate parking area, landscaping, concession stand for Boy Scout concession stand for Boy Scouts, etc.

The Plains Lions Club is very grateful for the splendid cooperation and support of the many organizations and individuals who have assisted in making the

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## Reveal Plans for Pancake Supper

There will be a pancake supper in the Plains School Cafeteria Thursday, June 26, between the hours of five and nine o'clock p.m. This is to be sponsored by the Lions Club and Iota Pi Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha with the proceeds going to the Little League.

There will be a contest sponsored by different businesses to see who can eat the most pancakes. Any business or organization in town may enter a contestant.

Bring the entire family and have fun along with all you can eat for 50 cents. Tickets may be purchased from a Lion Club's member or Iota Pi member. This will be served in comfort since the cafeteria is air conditioned.



AN EXCELLENT ATTENDANCE is reported for the Methodist Vacation Bible School, in progress this week. Shown

above are the majority of the children who have enrolled for the school.



## Four Students To Music Camp

Four Plains High School students are attending the eleventh annual Sunshine music camp at Eastern New Mexico University, at Portales, N. M. June 1st through 14th.

Students attending including subjects are: Carolyn Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Warren, bass clarinet, Mary L. Johnson daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Johnson, drum, Kay Spencer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer, clarinet and twirling, and Jo Ann Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bailey tenor sax.

High school students from 77 cities in five states are among the 550 who are enrolled and studying various phases of music. Activities include four bands, 2 orchestras, a choir, a chorus and 2 dance bands. The camp is also offering class instruction, ensembles, theory, twirling, drum majoring and student conducting.

LaWanna Sudduth and children attended the Smith family reunion at Lugert Dam in Oklahoma over the weekend. Accompanying them from Roff, Oklahoma was Mrs. A. L. Hathaway. Enroute they visited Mr. A. L. Hathaway who is a patient in the Veterans hospital in Oklahoma City.

## Stateline News

Mrs. Charles Eakes and son, Allen, of Fort Worth spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ormal Pippins and family of Tokio had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Palmer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer and children are vacationing in Alabama, Mississippi, and Florida for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Tuckness of Lamesa and Mr. and Mrs. Rex McKinney of Lubbock were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roseberry and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bacon, Mrs. Lee Roy Box, and Mrs. Tom Box and Tommy Guy attended the barbecue at the Gladiola Youth Center Saturday. The proceeds went to the building fund.

entertainment as well as other activities. There were about 100 people who enjoyed the occasion.

Mrs. Flossie Tidwell is visiting her children in Lubbock this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Tidwell and children visited in Lubbock Friday afternoon. They later drove to Dimmitt to visit Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Edwards and new baby boy who was born Friday afternoon.

Mr. Jack Stegall and Jane spent the weekend in Dimmitt visiting Mrs. Jack Stegall who is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Edwards who are the proud parents of a baby boy. Mr. and Mrs. Stegall are the maternal grandparents of the new baby. The baby has been named Brian Lee Eldridge Tidwell, Paula Tid-

well, Mac Calloway, and James Hooper visited Jane Stegall Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dever Stegall of Roscoe, Texas visited his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Stegall, who is staying in the J. C. Stegall home, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bacon left Sunday to visit their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Bacon, of Frankston for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McDonnell of Plains spent the weekend with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dunk Brian and children.

Mr. A. V. Weaver of Lubbock spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Box and son.

Mr. A. V. Weaver and Mr. Tom Box spent Saturday and Sunday in Ruidoso and Cloudcroft, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Box and Tom Box and Tommy Guy were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hughes and children of Seminole.

Others in the home during the day were: Mr. and Mrs. Randall Hughes and children of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Throckmorton and Danna, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lewis and Mr. Guy T. Hughes and Brad Hughes all of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hughes, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hughes of Seminole.

Little Miss Karen Hughes of Seminole is spending the week with her Uncle and Aunt Mr. and Mrs. Tom Box.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Mills and children of Welch spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Box and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Moreman attended the Gladiola Youth Center barbecue Saturday. Mrs. Moreman is recovering nicely from her recent foot surgery.

Mr. Cliff Hinson had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Newsom and family Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorman Scott and Don visited Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Newsom, Joe and Judy Saturday night and enjoyed ice cream.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hegwood and girls visited relatives in Odessa, Hobbs, and Eunice from Tuesday to Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Billings had dinner Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sims.

Mrs. Ann Green of Plains and Mrs. Ruby Billings left Saturday for a vacation in the Ozarks in Arkansas and other points east.

Mr. Robert Box, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Box were in Lubbock Tuesday on business.

# HIS DAY

Come Sunday, the world will pay homage to a very special fellow. He is the husband—the father—the breadwinner and the sturdy foundation of our community. We pause to do him honor. He may be gruff, and stern, and tanned of face, but he is Dad. Just get an x-ray of his heart if you really want to see something rare. What strange, but wonderful people these fathers are. They are the world's easiest victims of love's attack. Just pour on a little attention, seasoned with about two parts of tenderness and give in very small doses... since he could never stand a big dose. Then just sit back and watch his big heart warm up. It will respond in true father fashion. *This Father's Day, won't you take him to God's House for an hour of worship?*



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### Political Announcements

The following candidates have authorized The Review to announce their candidacies for office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held in Yoakum County, Texas, July 26th 1958.

#### FOR COUNTY JUDGE

John Derryberry  
Don Hancock

#### FOR COUNTY TREASURER

Mrs. Viole Hinkle (re-election)  
Mrs. Maurine Wehrend

#### FOR COUNTY CLERK

J. W. O. Aldredge (re-election)  
Harold Watson

#### FOR COMMISSIONER PCT. 2

H. C. "Doc" Cotton (re-election)  
Olan Cox

#### FOR COMMISSIONER PCT. 4

Johnnie Fitzgerald  
Paul Loe  
Clyde Trout (re-election)

#### FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE PCT. 1

E. S. Bandy  
S. L. Tingle

#### FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 98th DISTRICT

Robert L. Bowers, Jr. (re-election)

#### FOR DISTRICT JUDGE, 106th DISTRICT

Truett Smith pol. adv

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beal and boys, Mrs. Mabel Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown and son spent the weekend in Ruidoso.

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## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL UNDERWAY THIS WEEK AT METHODIST CHURCH

The Bible school at the Methodist church this week has been progressing very nicely, with a group of fine teachers.

The Juniors, who are under the direction of Mrs. Leo White, are following the theme of "We Would Follow Jesus." This group is studying the New Testament. The question and answer method is being used. The class is making books of verses and are also enjoying making splatter maps of Palestine. The Juniors have 13 enrolled in their class.

The Primary class has 14 enrolled and are enjoying a study of "Jesus The Friend" under the direction of Mrs. Guy Harrod and Mrs. Meixner. This class is emphasizing the continuation of the regular Sunday morning Church School studies. Pictures and picture books are used to help tell the story.

The Kindergarten is under the direction of Mrs. Charles Williams and Mrs. Foye Flood. Their theme is "Stories About Jesus." They have planted seeds and made posters. The posters reveal that "A Child is Known By What He Does."

Miss Marsha White and Oneta Jo Meixner have been helping out with the Opening exercises, and the music. Devotional were brought by the pastor. Eleven are enrolled in this class.

The school will close Sunday night with a program by the children. The parents will also be given an opportunity to view the work done during the past week. The church is also invited to come and view the new curtains which the women of the church have been making for the Annex this week under the direction of Mrs. Robert Field.

### NOTICE

Clyde Prestwood, dean at the new South Plains College at Levelland, will be at Plains in the club room of the old court house Monday night, June 16, at 8 p.m. to talk with interested students and parents.

Mrs. O. W. Harbour and children and LaWanna Sudduth and children were overnight guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Harbour of Chillicothe, Thursday night.

## Jimmy Hooper In Helicopter Sqdn.

Jimmie C. Hooper, seaman third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hooper of Plains, Texas is serving with Helicopter Anti-Submarine Squadron Eight at the Resam Field Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Imperial Beach, Calif.

The helicopter squadron is a member of the Pacific Fleet's anti-submarine warfare team, designed to detect and destroy enemy underwater vessels.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to say thank you to our friends who were so kind and helpful during my stay in the hospital. For the cards and flowers and for the many acts of consideration shown us we are grateful. Thank you. Mrs. Skeet Robertson Skeet Robertson and sons

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Teague visited in Littlefield Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lightsey.

### NOTICE OF BUDGET REVIEW PLAINS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that a public review of the Plains Independent School District's budget for 1958-59 will be held at 3:00 o'clock p.m. on June 25, 1958 in the District Court Room of Yoakum County, Plains, Texas. All interested persons are invited to be present.

Done by the order of the Board of Trustees of the Plains Independent School District, Yoakum County, Texas, at Plains, Texas. GARLAND SWANN Secy., Plains Ind. School Board Plains, Texas Published in Yoakum County Review June 12, 19, 1958.

### NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING PLAINS 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 Thursday the 26th day of June, 1958, 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 1958, 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, this 10th day of June A. D. 1958.

GARLAND SWANN Secretary Plains Independent School District Published in Yoakum County Review June 12, 19, 1958.

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## FHA Chapter Holds Picnic

The Plains FHA Chapter met Monday, June 2 for its annual picnic in the Stanford Park. The group had sandwiches, cookies, pop and homemade ice cream. After eating they played soft ball.

The following people were present: Pat Smith, Karen Shobert, Glenda Bearden, Ivy Beggs, Donna Borland, Naomi, Maynard, Dixie McClellan, Sharon Smith, Jeanette Jones, Leta Stewart, Annette Sudderth, Carol Anderson, Zoleta Brantley, Barbara Meil, Onetha Beggs, Linda Jones, D'Lois McGinty Judy Palmer, Jeanine St. Romain, Brenda Sudderth, Lella Parks, Sue Bookout, Roberta Snodgrass, Sandra Smith, Mrs. Borland Mrs. Charlie Jones Opal and O. D. Smith, Mike Borland Neil and Margaret Taylor and Jimmy Taylor, Sandy Verden, Sherry Dale Lewis and Jo Brown.

The group started summer homemaking classes Monday and will continue through the month of June. They will be making flowers holders like logs from molding clay, aluminum trays, and hem the drapes in the cafeteria in class work. They each have several things they will do at home during the summer months.

## Thoughts by Jerry

My political advisers in front of the pool hall all told me to do like most candidates, to dig up a picture taken a few years ago and have printed so I would look younger. I took their advice but



I guess I went a little too far. This picture, taken a "few" years ago, at least does not show the lines acquired while going through law school.

I still think that Yoakum County is entitled to have an attorney as County Judge for the top money they pay and I sure would like to be that man. My children, Jimmy, Mike, Nana Marie, Vicki Sue and my wife, Mary, all agree with this. We sure hope you do too.

JERRY PAQUIN FOR COUNTY JUDGE. Pol. Adv.

## Earl Willard New Assistant At SCS Office

Earl Willard from Texas A&M College has been assigned to the Plains Office of the Soil Conservation Service for summer on-the-job training.

Willard, who calls Flomot, Texas home, has just completed his sophomore year in Texas A&M and will return to school there next fall. He is majoring in Range Management.

This is a training program of the Soil Conservation Service used to acquaint student trainees with the work of the Service and to give them some practical experience in working in the field with local problems. This gives them a better basis for outlining subjects for study when they return to school and gives them some insight on subjects to concentrate on in school.

Their work with the Service will also help in their decision as to whether they wish to continue with this kind of work or undertake some other line of endeavor when they complete their college work.

Stanford Valley Plains The Stanford Valley home demonstration club met in regular session Thursday afternoon, June 5th, in the home of Mrs. P. M. Williams.

Mrs. Neil Hickman, president, was in charge of the business meeting. Mrs. John E. Fitzgerald was nominated as delegate to the State meeting in Austin in August. The pie supper and candidate speaking that is to be held at the courthouse Friday, June 13th, was discussed and each member is to bring two pies.

Miss Myrna Marshall, agent, was in charge of the program of glove making.

Refreshments of iced tea and cookies were served by the hostess, Mrs. P. M. Williams to, members Mesdames; Neil Hickman, Robert Chambliss, Bill Gray, Jim O'Neal, Jack Palmer, Bob Loe, Wyatt Lipscomb, E. V. Dooley, Preston Murphy, Mae Gainer, Charles Williams, Bruce White, Ben Taylor, Myrna Marshall and a guest, Mrs. Jim Pharr.

## Local Delegate To Girls' State

Jeannine St. Romain is in Austin this week where she is attending the 1958 session of Texas Bluebonnet Girls State held from June 11th to 20th.

Jeannine is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. St. Romain and was sponsored to Girls State by Unit 585, the local unit of the American Legion auxiliary and the Tea Mo Ga Study club.

Girls' State is sponsored each year by the American Legion Auxiliary of Texas. The Plains Auxiliary sends one girl to Girls' State and Jeannine was selected for this honor.

During the session, girls from all over Texas meet together to study about how the government operates as well as have a good time. Those attending set up their own mock government, hold campaigns for offices, followed by elections. They also their own political groups.

Upon Jeannine's return from Girl's State, a report of her experiences will be obtained.

## COLLEEN LEITHAUSER IS WED TO GARY D. BILLINGSLEY ON JUNE 7

Marriage vows uniting Miss Colleen Leithauser daughter of Mrs. Muriel Leithauser of Amarillo, and Gary Dan Billingsley, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Billingsley, of Plains, were solemnized in a double ring ceremony, Saturday, June 7th in Southern Presbyterian church in Amarillo.

The bride was attired in an original dress of white lace with a matching bolero designed on classic lines. Her corsage was a white orchid.

The bride's mother wore a beige linen sheath dress as the couple left on a wedding trip to points in New Mexico.

Mrs. Billingsley was graduated from Amarillo high school and received her B. S. and M. S. degrees from West State College, Canyon. She has taught the past three years in the English department of Plains high school.

Mr. Billingsley was graduated from Plains High School and received his B. S. degree from Sul Ross College, Alpine.

The couple plans to teach school this fall.

## Attend Rites of Resident's Father

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. O. Allred returned home Wednesday from Goldwithe where they attended the funeral service of her father, J. H. Roberts.

Funeral service for Mr. Robert, 95, were conducted Tuesday afternoon, June 10th at the Olive Primitive Baptist church with the Rev. Elder Jasper Chambers officiating. Burial was in the Mt. Olive cemetery.

Mr. Roberts had been a member of the Primitive Baptist church 58 years.

He had been in ill health the past 2 months, his condition becoming serious about a week ago, when he suffered a stroke.

He is survived by 3 daughters, 5 sons, several grand children, nine great grand children and 1 great, great, grandson.

## Soil Column

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We do not always get enough winter moisture to produce a good crop of small grain for harvest but we very seldom fail to get enough to get small grain up to that it will provide some winter protection and furnish grazing for a period during the winter. Most people seed their small grain for grazing and for cover crop and then if it produces a good crop it can be harvested.

A number of cooperators around the district have seeded some of the new Tetraploid rye. This is a new rye that has been developed and shows real promise in that it grows off fast in the fall and in many cases has furnished more grazing and more grain than our other common ryes.

## Dedication

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Little League Park possible. It is not completely paid for, but, by continued support of activities for raising funds for this purpose the matter will soon be taken care of. The public is urged to be on the lookout for announcements regarding these activities and support them.

Mrs. Ray Page and daughter Shannon of Lubbock are visiting this week in the home of Mrs. Page's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Beadles.

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## NEW OFFICERS FOR YEAR ELECTED BY COUNTY GENERAL 4-H CLUB

The Yoakum County General 4-H club met in regular session, Monday, June the at 8:00 o'clock in the clubroom of the old courthouse.

The business meeting was called to order by president Jay Bryson. The 4-H motto and pledge was given. The minutes of the last meeting were read by Zoleta Brantley, secretary. The minutes were approved as read. New officers were nominated by the nominating committee and were voted on by the members. New officers are as follows; President, Jay Bryson, vice-president, Jeanine St. Romain, secretary-treasurer, Karen Shobert, reporter, Marsha White.

Leo White, county agent, announced that the only expense of the Electric camp in Lubbock, June 25, 26, and 27, would be \$2.50 for the crafts. The delegates to the Electric camp are; D'Lois McGinty, Marsha White,

Annette Sudderth, Darrell Barron, Roy Lowrey and Tommy Warren. The alternates are Linda Taylor and Mark Barron.

Announcement was made of the Leadership camp in Lubbock in July, and those who wished to go signed up for it. The fees for this camp will be discussed at a later meeting.

Members voted to discontinue paying dues.

Mark Barron gave his speech "Our National Water Problem," which he will give this Wednesday at College Station, Texas.

Cokes were served to 15 members; Leo and White, Mr. and Mrs. Evert Brantley, adult leaders and guests, Mrs. Jess Snodgrass, Mrs. Leo White and Mrs. Homer Sudderth.

### NOTICE

Faye Shaw, of Seminole, public health nurse, will be in Plains every Thursday. Her office is in the old court house and the hours will be from 9:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. each Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Slim Randall, Nell, Royce, Sandy and Gary returned home Sunday from a week's vacation in Dallas where they visited Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Randall and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Taylor and sons returned home recently from a fishing trip near San Angelo. Accompanying them from McCamey were Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Grigsby



PICTURED ABOVE are members of the Intermediate group attending the Baptist Vacation Bible school now in progress. The photo was taken inside the church auditorium.

## ACROSS THE CATTLE GUARD

by LEO W. WHITE  
County Agent

In the county agents' office are a number of agricultural bulletins that are free for the asking. Most of them are published by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and made to fit the needs of the State of Texas. A good many people have come into the office during the past two weeks to pick up bulletins and most of them want something on insect control.

The Extension Service has done a good job on insect bulletins. They have three or four leaflets with everything condensed down so that the bulletin is inexpensive and can be reworked every year in order to keep up with new insecticides. One bulletin pertains to cotton alone and it is called the Texas Guide of Controlling Cotton Insects. There is another called the Texas Guide for Controlling Insects on Vegetable Crops. A third one is the Texas Guide for Controlling Insects on Fruit and Nut Trees and another is the Guide for Controlling Insects on Ornamental Plants.

Most of these bulletins carry the same general information with the exception that some insecticides are absorbed by the plant and cannot be used on vegetables and fruit crops when they are near the harvest season. The bulletins list the various insects that harbor on certain crops and give a number of control measures in either dusts or sprays. Grasshoppers are mentioned in almost every bulletin and some sprays and dusts are recommended for their control. Then over in the corner it will say, "baits are preferred for control of some grasshoppers. See your county agent for bait mixture."

We have a bait mixture for grasshoppers that has proven to be fairly satisfactory in the past. The killing ingredient in this mixture is chlordane. The ingredi-

ents are one pound of 40 percent chlordane mixed with 100 pounds of wheat bran, one gallon of syrup and enough water to make it damp. Usually the one pound of chlordane is mixed with about 10 pounds of bran and that mixture is worked into the remaining 90 pounds of bran in order to assure thorough mixing. The one gallon of syrup is usually mixed with about two gallons of water and that mixture added to the bran and chlordane. The bait should be damp enough to form a ball when a handful of it is clinched in the fist so additional water has to be added to make it the right consistency. The mixture is wetter than necessary if free water runs away from the mixing pile or if free water can be squeezed from a handful of the mixture.

Getting the mixture too wet does not hurt it but some of the poison is wasted because it is in solution with the water and if you haul it in sacks it sure makes a mess in the back of the pickup. Chlordane is not poisonous to livestock in small amounts so this bait can be scattered along the turn row next to the pasture without too much danger to livestock. This bait mixture could be improved by adding some ground citrus peels but very little of it will be eaten by grasshoppers after it gets dry regardless of what you put in it. Toxephane, aldrin, dieldrin or heptachlor may be substituted for the chlordane in case the chlordane powder was not available. Two pounds of 20 percent or four pounds of 10 percent chlordane will work as well as one pound of 40 percent. Cottonseed hulls or sawdust can be substituted for the wheat bran but neither of these materials will hold as much water as bran so they will dry out a little sooner. More syrup added to the mixture will prevent rapid drying so for small batches for use around the home perhaps all the water should be replaced with syrup.

A guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kerby last week was her nephew, Travis Jenkins, who recently returned from Iceland. Jenkins is serving in the Navy.

Mrs. D. H. Kerby returned home Monday from Lubbock where she has been at the bedside of her father, Grover Jenkins, who recently suffered a heart attack Mr. Jenkins condition is improved.

Mrs. Clayton Lovelace and children Larry and Cecelia of Lubbock, Mrs. A. E. Johnson and children, Steve, James and Maxie of Abernathy, were visitors of Mrs. Mollie Courtney and other relatives the first part of this week.

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I have been a resident of Yoakum County for over 40 years, and have lived in Precinct 2 for over 24 years. I am married, and have three children, all of whom graduated from Denver City High School. I live in Denver City, and have for several years.

I have never before run for public office, but I am well acquainted with the problems of the farmers and rancher as I have been in that line of work most of my life; I have lived in and around Denver City ever since the Oil fields started and know that I am familiar with the problems of people in the oil field.

If you elect Olan Cox your Commissioner of Precinct 2, I promise honest and efficient conduct of the office, and that I will serve all of the people of the precinct fairly and impartially.  
Olan Cox

Mrs. Wendall J. Bachman and two children of Abilene are visitors this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Huckaby and sons.

Mrs. Alma Anderson and family spent the weekend in Throckmorton visiting in the home of Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Coon. Mrs. Coon is a medical patient in the Throckmorton hospital.

Mrs. James Warren and daughters, Mrs. J. B. Ricketts and Mrs. Adath Carlson of Washington, D. C., were in Carlsbad Monday and Tuesday.



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## Jimmy Warren Attends Boys' State in Austin

Jimmy Warren, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Warren, is in Austin this week attending Boys State.

The week long event is sponsored by the Texas Department of the American Legion.

James was among 32 south Plains delegates who boarded a special bus early Sunday morning at Lubbock.

The bus was scheduled to arrive in Austin at 5 p.m. Delegates will be hosted on the University which ends June 14. Some 530 of Texas campus for the session, juniors are expected to participate in the event designed to give delegates an insight into how the Texas government operates.

During sessions, the group will divide into two groups and elect delegates to various state offices. Elected officials will fill the positions during the meeting.

James, sponsored by the Plains No. 585 Forrest W. McCargo Post will return home Sunday after lots of new and lasting experiences.



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