

The Plains Pride



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TWENTY-FIVE CENTS



JAMACIA QUEEN CONTESTANTS vying for the title are, left to right, Racheal Medina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gregorio Medina; Lisa Coronado, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Coronado; Denise Garza, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Garza; and Janice Herrera, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garza and Joe Herrera of Plainview.

Talented Musicians & Singers To Get Together In August

planned for late summer. Persons with musical talent are invited to begin making plans to enter the entertaining event.

Those wishing to participate should have some association with the community (resident of Plains, former resident, college student,

A community musical is being etc.) The group may perform as long as one member meets those requirements. Persons interested should contact Pam Redman by July 14 at 456-6675.

The community musical will be an excellent way for the talents of local persons to be recognized and enjoyed. It is planned for August.

Fire Department Accepting **Dollar Donations For Prize**

Plains Volunteer Firemen are accepting contributions for a child's battery powered toy fire truck which will be given away Friday, July 4 at the annual 4th of July Celebration in Yoakum County Park.

Contributions of \$1 may be made to any member of the Plains Volunteer Fire Department or their

The toy fire truck will be displayed at Yoakum County Federal Credit Union, Plains State Bank and Yoakum County Library in Plains. It will also be displayed at the park July 4.

be present in order to claim the

Need Something In The Paper??

Wedding write-ups, birthday parties, club projects, engagement announcements, ect. are considered news articles of interest to the public and may be published at no charge.

If there's something you need in the paper, whether news or advertisement...call Pam Redman at 806/456-7403.

Catholic Church To Hold 'Jamacia' In Stanford Park

Sacred Heart Catholic Church will hold their annual Jamacia Sunday, July 20 following morning worship service. Highlights of the day include a variety of family entertainment, games, music, Mexican food specialties and drawings for valuable prizes.

Queen candidates for the Jamacia are accepting contributions for chances to be the lucky winners of four prizes, including a \$600-waterbed; \$500 microwave oven; \$450 color television set and a \$300 VCR. The contestant having sold the most tickets will reign "Oueen of the Jamacia". The drawings will be staged during the festivities. Winners do not have to be present.

Queen candidates are Racheal Medina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gregorio Medina; Lisa Coronado, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Coronado; Denise Garza, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Garza and Janice Herrera, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garza and Joe Herrera of Plainview.

An invitation is extended to the people of the community.

Artists Invited To Enter Contest

Artists are invited to submit paintings in the Tri-County Bid Directory cover contest. The contest is sponsored this year by United Bank of Lea County.

Paintings may be in any medium. Content must represent Southeastern New Mexico and West Texas scenery. Artists will be asked to provide their own easels.

Entries must be submitted by July 16 to Saunders Publishing Company, 612 S. Dal Paso, Hobbs, N.M. They will be displayed July 17 through July 31 in United Bank of Lea County, 200 E. Broadway in

A duplication of the winning entry will be printed on the cover of the 1986-87 Tri-County Directory. There will also be a cover story about the artist.



THERE'S SOMETHING MISSING IN THIS PICTURE...Plains Independent School District recently had the old building, that sat in front of the school on Brownfield Highway, torn down and the lot cleared, in an effort to improve the appearance of school grounds. The old building, belonging to the school, will be long remembered for the number of different businesses it has housed through the years.



THE PLAINS PRIDE PRESENTS two and one half year old Becky Linee Wilmeth and six-month-old April Tulane Wilmeth, daughters of Jet and Gay Wilmeth of Tokio. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mack Wilmeth of Brownfield; and Mrs. Johnnie Rundell of Farwell. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T.M. James of Brownfield.

Announcing Our July Clearance Sale 4 Big Days! July 1st-2nd-3rd & 5th Doors open Tuesday, July 1st at 9:00 A.M. (Closed Monday, June 30th to mark down merchandise) MASTERCARD & VISA welcomed Collins Department Store 116 N Main Denver City 9 A.M.—6 P.M.

Two Committee Members Will Be Decided Monday

Election of two Farmers Home Administration County Committee members will take place Monday, June 30, County Supervisor Ross James has announced.

"This is a somewhat historic occasion," James said. "It is the first time that FmHA county committee members have been elected. Until now, they have been appointed by the agency. The 1985 farm bill calls for two elected and one appointed member on the committee."

Farmers who live in Yoakum County, are of legal voting age and derive the principale part of their income from farming are eligible to

Nominees for the Yoakum County FmHA County Committee are Ray E. Bearden and R.M. (Bob) Jones.

Jones.

"This time, we will elect two committee members," James said.

"One will serve for one year and the other will serve two years. In the future, all three members will serve three year terms on a staggered

basis, with one position to be filled each year."

Voting ballots are available from the FmHA county office at 605 9th Street, Plains. Marked ballots must be mailed or dropped off at the FmHA office by June 30.

THE PLAINS PRIDE

Joe & Debbie Alcorta - Publisher/Editor

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LISA CRUTCHER & JONES ARNETT

Wedding Plans Revealed

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Crutcher announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lisa, to Jones Arnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. W.O. Spencer and Mr. and Mrs. Conny Arnett of Oklahoma City, Okla.

The couple will pledge wedding vows Tuesday, July 1 at 7:30 p.m. in First Baptist Church. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Following their marriage, the couple will be at home in Cotton Center. The bride plans to continue her education as a senior in high school. Arnett is employed at Cotton Center Co-op Gin.

Low Cost Meal Suggestions Shared By Home Economist

Protein foods add important nutrients to our diets. So even if you're trying to save money, you'll want to keep these foods in your diet, says Mary Dale Williams, Yoakum County Extension Agent.

But there are some things you can do to plan low-cost protein main

*Use more low-cost protein foods, such as dry beans, eggs, peanut butter, turkey and chicken. Hamburger and liver are good buys in red meats.

*Shop the sales for red meats. If you find a good buy in a large roast, you can cut it up and use it in different ways for more than one meal.

*Include meat combined with other foods so it goes further. Spaghetti and meat sauce, beef stew, chicken and dumplings and tuna casserole are some ways to stretch your meat.

Cowboy Band Attends 'Texas'

Members of the Cowboy Band and their sponsors enjoyed an outing in Palo Duro Canyon State Park where they had supper at the Chuckwagon Barbecue and then attended "Texas" at the amphitheatre.

Sixty-nine persons attended including sponsors Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Culwell, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wall, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parks, Paula McMinn and Bill Shipp, band director Also going along were Tara Shipp, Curt and Moley Parks, Shane McMinn, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cobb, Kristi and Kemi, and Mr. and Mrs. Vennum Fitzgerald.

*Use less tender cuts of meat, including blade steak, chuck and arm roast. Make them tender by moist, slow cooking or using marinade.

*Figure the cost per serving of meat to save money. As a general rule, meat with no bones has four servings per pound. Meat with some bones has two to three servings per pound. Meat with lots of bones has only one serving per pound.

*Serve eggs as a main dish. Two eggs provide the same amount of protein as an average serving of meat.

Pam Redman news or ads

456-7403

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Filmtime

Youngsters are in for a treat during Filmtime Monday at 3 p.m. in Yoakum County Library. Two films to be shown are "Strom Boy", the story of a boy who grows up in South Australia, and "Wolf and the Seven Kids", a story about a mother goat and her kids and the bad, old wolf. All kids are invited to attend Filmtime. Parents and babysitters are also welcomed.

Latrell McDonnell and Ann Greer attended a workshop June 18 in Big Spring pertaining to picture books for children. The workshop was conducted by Julie Judd.

Library personnell urge all reading program participants to continue reading and get their 10 books read so they may win a transfer for a tee shirt and a certificate. There are 35 readers who have already completed 10 books. Library personnel hope to give away all their transfers this summer.

Boiles Infant To Be Honored

Dray Lyn Boiles, infant son of Billy Joe and Teresa Bilbrey Boiles will be complimented with a layette shower Monday, June 30 at 7:30 p.m. in the reception room of Yoakum County State Bank.

Friends and relatives are invited.

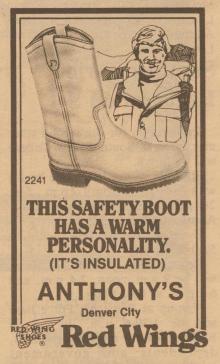
Shower To Fete Lesa Crutcher

Miss Lesa Crutcher, bride-elect of Jones Arnett, will be complimented with a bridal courtesy Sunday, June 29 in the Heritage Room of Yoakum County Library in Plains.

Calling hours are 2 to 4:30 p.m. Selections may be found with local merchants.

Friends and relatives are invited.

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P.W. StRomain showed a film during Thursday's meeting of Plains Lions Club, on the importance of each individual exercising his or her right to vote. It cited the influence each individual has on elected of-

Visitors attending were Mrs. Sherm Tingle and Alma Lynn-McGinty.

Members present were Milton Bayer, Dale Boulter, Sherm Tingle, Wayne House, Jim Warren, Dick McGinty, Frank Spencer, Edwin Livengood, Charles Oswalt, Dean Andrews, Terrel Givens and Jack

Summer Term Registration Set

Registration for the second summer term at South Plains College will be July 8.

Students whose last name begins with A-I sign up from 1-2 p.m., J-R, 2-3 p.m., and S-Z, 3-4 p.m. in the Administration Building.

Evening registration will be 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Registration for SPC-Lubbock will be 9 a.m.-noon, 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. at 1302 Main.

Sign-up at Reese Air Force Base will be 1:30-6 p.m. July 8 in Building 920 for military personnel, dependents and government employees, and 1:30-6 p.m. July 9 for the general public.

All classes begin July 9, and late registration will continue through July 10, with a \$10 late registration

fee being charged. For more information, contact SPC at (806) 894-9611, ext. 372, SPC-Lubbock at 747-0576 or Reese at 885-3048



Volunteers Needed!!

Persons are being sought who will train and serve with the ambulance service in Plains. The City of Plains is making plans to sponsor an ECA course to qualify these persons. It is scheduled for the first week in

Anyone interested in taking the course and becoming a part of the ambulance service is asked to contact City Hall, 456-2288.

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Brownfield Highway







Julie and Jim Henry announce the arrival of a daughter born June 19 in Lubbock General Hospital. Weighing seven pounds three ounces, the little miss is 20 inches long. She has been named Jessica Nichole. Grandparents are Alice and Jim Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Henry of Hemphill and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Tedford of Weatherford. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Clifton Myers of Duncanville, Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Robertson of Pittsburg and Mr. and Mrs. Searcy Henry of Spur. Mr. and Mrs. Grover Taylor of Mesquite are her great-grandparents.

Shelly and Kenneth Ruthardt of Whiteface announce the arrival of a daughter, Leah Kathryn, born June 4 in Lubbock Community Hospital. The little lass weighed six pounds five and a half ounces. She is 19 and three-quarters inches long and has two brothers, Dusty, four, and Tate, two and a half. Sandy and Floyd Ruthardt of Bledsoe, Holly and Gary Dyer of Georgetown and Julie Dyer of Midland are her grandparents. Great-grandparents are Blanche and Pete Dyer, Tate Eisenwine of Pecos and F.B. Ruthardt of Muleshoe. Mrs. James Ruthardt of Paris is her great-greatgrandmother.

Billy Joe and Teresa Boiles, former Plains residents, now of Denver City, are the parents of a son born June 20 at 6:23 p.m. in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. The tiny lad weighed four pounds 13 ounces and is 18 and three-quarters inches long. He has been named Dray Lyn. Grandparents are Harry and Ruby Bilbrey, Troy Boiles of Sweetwater and Patricia Tarkington of Mexia. Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Carey of McCaulley, Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Tarkington of Mexia and Irene Boiles of Sweetwater are great-grandparents.



Showing Now Through Thursday, July 3







Plains Independent School District

From The Superintendent's Desk



This week I thought I might mention some important historical dates in American education. Although there are probably more dates than you care to remember, I think you may find the facts themselves interesting.

1635 — Bostin Latin School, the first high school in the American colonies, was established. Students — all male — paid tuition to at-

1636 — The General Court of Massachusetts Bay Colony appropriated 600 pounds sterling to establish the first college in the English speaking colonies. Two years later, John Harvard gave the college his library, much of his property, and his name.

1642 — Massachusetts Legislature passed a law requiring that all children be educated in reading, the catechism, and in "some honest, lawful calling, labor or imployment." (sic) The law did not require that schools be established to provide the required education. In practice boys were more likely to be educated than girls.

1647 — Massachusetts Legislature required each community of 50 householders to employ a teacher of reading and writing. Towns of 100 householders were required to establish a Latin (high) school. The Puritan legislators named this law the "Old Deluder Satan

1749 — Benjamin Franklin established the Academy of Philadelphia. The Academy, which later became the University of Pennsylvania, stressed "useful learning". Pupils studied subjects not generally recognized as part of a classical education, including mathematics, science (with emphasis on scientific experimentation), and "mechanical arts". The Academy, like all secondary schools of the time, was available only to those who could pay tui-

1779 — Thomas Jefferson, governor of Virginia, proposed a statewide system of free public schools. The legislature defeated his proposal.

1786 — The land ordinance establishing the Northwest Territories (the states of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, and the eastern part of Minnesota), set aside land in each 6-square-mile township to be sold, with the money supporting public schools.

1787 — The Northwest Ordinance restated the Founding Fathers'

emphasis on education, by declaring that "schools and the means of education shall be forever encouraged" in the new western ter-

1795 — Hinton James walked 25 miles across the state of North Carolina to become the first student at the University of North Carolina, the first state university to open its doors. The University of Georgia was chartered earlier (1785) but opened later (1801).

1817 — The American School for the Deaf, founded by former minister and Yankees trader Thomas Gallaudet, opened in Hartford Connecticut.

1821 — The English Classical School, a free, publicly supported high school, opened in Boston. Emma Willard founded Troy Female Seminary in New York, the nation's first women's school for higher education. Her goal was to demonstrate that women students could learn subjects like philosophy and mathematics.

1826 — The city of Boston proposed offering free high schooling for 130 girls. When several hundred girls applied for the positions, the proposal was dropped.

1827 — Massachusetts became the first state to enact a High School Act. This law required every town with a population of 500 or more to establish a high school or to employ a teacher qualified to teach high school. Within two years, nearly every state had passed a similar law. New Hampshire established town school committees, the nation's first school boards. The legislature later required the committees to "know when the roof leaked, (and) how much winter firewood was stacked...to circulate among the householders to encourage and enforce attendance, and to present a detailed report of all these activities at the annual town meeting."

1833 — Oberlin College in Ohio became the first coeducational University. It was followed by Syracuse University (1859), Antioch College (1853), and the University of Iowa (1856).

With the introduction of coeducational colleges, I will end this weeks list of important happenings in education. Next week I will continue this list starting with 1836, the year of the Battle of the Alamo and Texas Independence. Much has been written about the 150 years of Texas history. We will see what was taking place in education in our nation during these years.





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Claudie Randle Addison **Velma Louise Addison Dearing** The residence of such Co-Executors is Yoakum County, Texas. The post office

P.O. Box 216

Plains, TX 79355 All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

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