

# PLAINS

By  
Wendell Fought

D.C. Newsom gave me some interesting figures during a conversation with him the other day.

The braceros assigned to his gin who pulled cotton here last fall were paid \$28,000. Money order and cashier check receipts show that something less than \$8,000 was sent back home to Mexico by the laborers.

This means that the remaining \$20,000 was spent here, except for what the Mexicans carried home in their pockets. Only twice, he said, did the workers leave the area.

Newsom had 96 braceros. But there are seven other gins in the county which also used bracero labor. Using his own figures as averages, Newsom figures that braceros were paid around \$226,000 last fall. Of this, \$56,000 would have been sent home, leaving \$170,000 to be spent locally.

And the braceros do spend a lot locally. Newsom said his 96 hands last fall bought 12 television sets, 27 sewing machines, 96 pistols and 105 radios. Multiply these figures by eight and you get a pretty good idea as to what the bracero business means to Yoakum County.

A lot of the goods bought locally is not bought at local retail stores. Peddlers do a landslide business with the Mexicans. Pistols, watches, clocks, sewing machines and a number of other bracero-appealing items often are bought from peddlers.

Last week there was a story in The Record concerning a young man who was attempting a coast-to-coast bicycle ride. He had passed through Plains and had talked with a number of people here.

Mrs. Mack Willmeth this week brought in a copy of the Ralls Banner which also carried a story about the man. At last report, he was still in Ralls. He said he liked it there and was in no hurry to leave.

According to the Banner, his name is Ralph A. Stacy and he is from San Diego and enroute to Roanoke, Va. He says he can pedal 125 miles a day with no trouble and a good bit farther under ideal conditions.

Unlike many others who pull similar stunts, the California man is promoting no product. "I have my own money and plan on making the trip solely on my own," he is quoted as saying. "I'll take a ride if I want, if not I'll just keep pedaling. I thought this would be a way to see the country."

Stacy is making the trip to Virginia for the summer and plans to visit relatives there and in New York, then at the end of the summer says he probably will join the Air Force of Navy.

With the tax situation being what it is, it'll probably be a long time before there is another bond issue passed in Yoakum County.

But if I were trying to figure out a good way to spend more tax money, I'd start beating the drums for a community tornado shelter. Just what is a person supposed to do if he knows that a tornado is headed straight toward him?

## Bible School Set By Church

Bible school at the First Christian Church will begin July 31 and continue through Aug. 4.

All children between the ages of 3 and 12 are invited to attend the daily sessions which will be held from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Graduation exercises will be held Sunday night, Aug. 4.

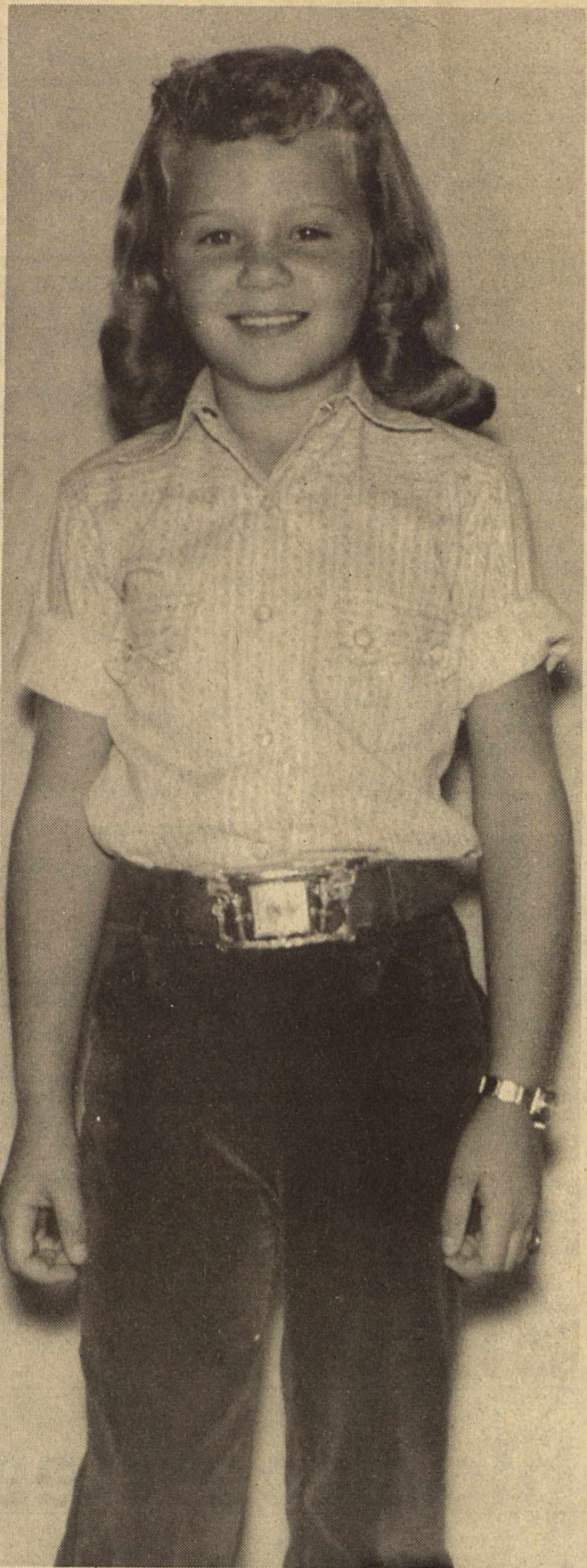
Mrs. Jessie Robertson is school director and the Rev. Johnnie Moore is superintendent. Department chairmen include Mrs. Lois McGinty, kindergarten; Mrs. Joe Urice, primary, and Mrs. Johnnie Moore, junior.

## Heart Surgery Performed

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Anthony have returned home after spending last week in Dallas where their granddaughter underwent open heart surgery.

Kathy Huff, five-year-old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Gene Huff, underwent the delicate operation July 11 at Texas Children's Hospital in Dallas.

According to the grandparents, the child is progressing very well.



RODEO QUEEN---Dianne Fitzgerald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Fitzgerald is the Fine Arts and Dirt Gardeners candidate for rodeo queen. Dianne, a fourth-grader, is active in all school and 4-H affairs. She has exhibited steers in the stock show for several years.

## Immunization Clinic Planned

A special appeal is being made to Latin Americans of the area, many of whom have never had most of the necessary vaccinations.

Free inoculations for all persons who need them will be offered again next Wednesday, July 26, in the old court house. Shots will be given between 1:30 and 4 p.m.

Farmers and others who have Latins working for them are encouraged to urge them to take advantage of the free service.

Sponsored by the South Plains Health Unit, the shots will include three-in-one, whooping cough, tetanus, diphtheria, polio and smallpox.



ONE DEAD---One man was killed instantly and four others injured, two of them seriously, when this rig exploded about 2:30 p.m. Monday four miles south of Bronco. Robert Frank Ingram, 23, of Lovington was working atop the derrick and was killed instantly. Members of the Plains Volunteer Fire Department assisted fire departments from Lovington, Denver City and Tatum in extinguishing the blaze.

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# County Tax Situation Is Discussed Here Tuesday

## Property Values Explained

Some 50 persons attended Tuesday night meeting in the court house, called for the purpose of discussing the county tax situation.

Taxpayers, county officials, oil company representatives and appraisers attended the lively session, presided over by Gene Bennett.

Chief items of concern were the recent values placed on land and improvements as a result of an appraisal, and the county commissioners' announced desire to set the county valuation at some \$57 million.

The appraisal firm has just completed a survey in the county and has set what it calls a fair market value on each piece of property. These figures are based on 100 per cent of the value, although the county has explained that property can be assessed at 16 per cent of this figure to raise the valuation to the desired amount.

Nevertheless, many property owners expressed dissatisfaction with the new value placed on their property. This probably was expected since some values have increased several times.

It was pointed out that all land was divided into three categories and then each category broken into nine classifications. Rates then were established for each type of land.

As far as the proposed increase in valuation to \$57 million, commissioners maintain they must have a value of this amount to continue services the county now offers.

At present, the county is operating on a valuation of a little over \$46 million, but they are quick to point out that valuation had been in excess of \$50 million until last year. The present setup, they say, is inadequate to take care of the county's needs.

An increase to \$57 million would increase the county revenue approximately \$122,000, over the present income. But again, commissioners explained that the present valuation of \$46 million was considerably less than the value

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## Parade Exhibits Are Encouraged

All businesses, clubs, churches and individuals are invited to enter exhibits or floats in the parade to be held here Aug. 10 in connection with the upcoming rodeo.

Rodeo officials are hopeful that Plains can have the best parade in its history and are therefore anxious for as many participants as possible to take part.

Prizes of \$15, \$10 and \$5 will be awarded to the three best parade exhibits.

## Mrs. Mills Buried Here Saturday

Funeral services were held at 3:30 p. m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church for Mrs. Barbara Mills, 26.

The Rev. J. C. Quarrels of Levelland officiated, assisted by the Rev. Jim Bozeman, pastor of the Plains church. Burial, under direction of Brownfield Funeral Home, was in the Plains Cemetery.

Mrs. Mills died about 10:30 a. m. Thursday of gunshot wounds, believed to have been inflicted by a 35-year-old bracero, Guadalupe Carillo Alvarado. Her body was pulled from the wreckage of her automobile after it crashed into two cars, a truck and an airplane just a few feet across the state line line, 15 miles west of Plains.

Carillo, driver of the car, was dying of a gunshot wound in the temple when he was rescued from the wreckage. He was dead on arrival at a Lovington hospital.

Investigators expressed little doubt that the incident was murder and suicide. An official verdict to that effect has been rendered.

Still a mystery is how the Latin farm hand happened to be in Mrs. Mills' car. Officers theorized that he may have been hiding in the vehicle and then kidnapped the young mother of three when she got in the car. Adding significance to this theory is the fact that it had been raining all morning, although Carillo's shoes and clothing showed no signs of having been exposed to the weather. A local woman said she talked to Mrs. Mills by telephone about 9:30 Thursday morning, just an hour before the Bronco

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DRESS WINNERS---Donna Campbell, left, and Sylvia McGinty were selected from the senior and junior divisions, respectively, to represent Yoakum County in the district 4-H Dress Revue to be held in Lubbock next week.

## Campbell, McGinty

# Dress Winners Are Named

Donna Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Campbell, and Sylvia McGinty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick McGinty, scored top honors in the County 4-H Dress Revue held

Friday night in the school cafeteria.

The couple will represent Yoakum County in the district 4-H Dress Revue to be held next Tuesday in Lubbock. Miss Campbell won the senior division while Miss McGinty won in the junior class.

Earning blue ribbons in the senior division were Dianne Fitzgerald, Cheryl Essary, Martha Campbell and Brenda Blair.

Red ribbons went to LaJuana Jones and Sharon Spraws in the senior class and to Dianne Holbert, Rita Jo Snodgrass, Linda Blair, Kay Essary, Laura Watson and Brenda Duke in the junior class.

Girls were judged on construction, costume, poise, posture and 4-H record. Mrs. Johnnie Fitzgerald narrated the script for the style show.

Adult leaders assisting the girls in preparing their entries were Mrs. Doc Jones and Mrs. H.G. Spraws of Denver City; Mrs. W.M. Taylor and Miss Loretta Taylor of Tokio, and Mrs. Bill Gray, Mrs. Barron Blair and Mrs. Wilson Duke.

# Cotton Growers Will Meet Friday

Opportunities for greater markets and acreage and a plan by which cotton growers can achieve them at a profit will be discussed Friday night at a meeting in the district court room in Plains.

All county cotton growers have been invited to attend. Announcement of the meeting was made by A. B. Carpenter, chairman of the Organization Committee, Cotton Producers Institute. Other members of the county steering committee include Paul Cobb and Ray Bearden.

Plans for the Yoakum County meeting were made Monday night during a similar session in Brownfield. Several county farmers attended.

Farmers have been told that the total market for US cotton

can increase five million bales in the next seven or eight years. "Whether we are able to achieve this 25 per cent increase in production at a profit depends on what we, as cotton growers, are willing to do to bring it about," a spokesman said.

Carpenter said interested cotton growers have initiated a business approach based on proved American methods--to cotton's future.

During a 40-minute slide presentation, speakers will describe the potential market for cotton, the program required to achieve the potential and the grower's role in these efforts. Specific opportunities in research and promotion that need immediate attention if cotton

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## At Brownfield

# Little League All-Stars In Tourney

Plains' 14-man Little League all-star team was to open tournament play in Brownfield at 6 p.m. Thursday against the powerful Brownfield team. The local team will play again Friday, win or lose.

Denver City and Seagraves meet in the other half of the opening-night twinbill.

The all-stars, under direction of manager Jack Lowe,

had three each.

Making up the team are Lynn Rollins, Calvin Smith, Craig Stotts, Dan Kelley of the Yankees, Billy Taylor, Alton Raines, Steve Simpson of the Cubs, Eddie Tingle, Carlton Wilkins, Roger Seals of the Giants, Jimmy Massey, Charles Franks, Joe Beal, Larry Stach of the Indians.

The Yankees and the runner up Indians each played four players on the all-star lineup, while the Cubs and Giants

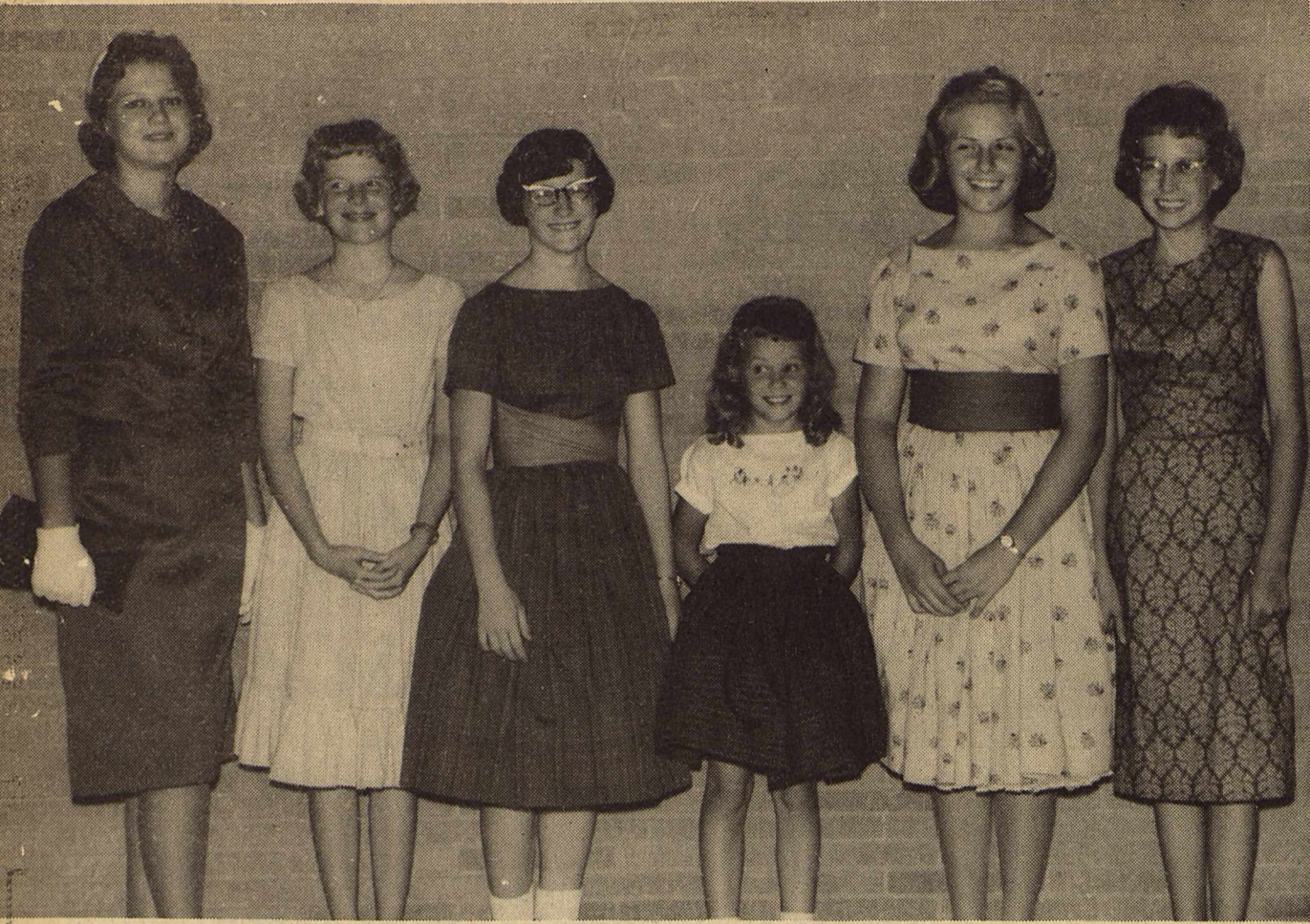
Alternates are Alton McGinty

and Billy Lee of the Indians, Junior Gnanahan of the Giants and Joe Pierce of the Yankees.

Bat boy is Bobby Copper, who broke a hand during the season.

The Yankees captured the season championship of the Plains Little League by compiling an 11-1 record. The Indians were second with an 8-4-1 mark.





BLUE RIBBON WINNERS---Blue ribbon winners at the 4-H Dress Revue held here Friday night were, from left, Donna Campbell, Cheryl Essary, Sylvia McGinty, Dianne Fitzgerald,

Brenda Blair and Martha Campbell. Not pictured is Marsha White.

### Scouts Continue Monday Meets

Plains Boy Scouts will continue meeting on Monday nights through Aug. 21. After that date, weekly meetings will resume on their regular Thursday night schedule. Next Thursday meeting will be Aug. 31.

The meeting date was moved to Monday during the summer to avoid conflict with Little League and other summer activities.

Scouts are planning to have an entry in the rodeo parade.

### Mrs. Mills --

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crash.

Deputy Sheriff Olan Heath said tracks from the driveway of the Mills home indicated that the car backed out of the driveway and headed north on a country road.

"I followed the tracks easily since it had been raining and her car was the first one over a newly graded road," the deputy related.

"I'm sure she was driving up to the time the car stopped at the side of the road under some trees, because all of the four bullets which struck her hit her on the right side of her head, hand and chest. I think the Mexican was in the station wagon and surprised her when she got into it. There were no footprints anywhere around the house and we have found no one who saw either Mrs. Mills or Carillo that morning.

"Apparently he ordered her to stop beside the road. She fought him when he attempted to attack her. There were numerous indications of a violent struggle. I am sure he shot her when she fought him and that he then panicked, pushed her body from behind the steering wheel into the back seat and then drove on toward Bronco," Heath continued.

Carillo apparently shot himself as he neared Bronco. Investigators said he could not possibly have had control of the car after he was shot.

A foreign made nine-shot .22-caliber pistol was found in the car.

Mrs. Mills had lived in the Plains area for 15 years. She was a graduate of Lovington High School. Survivors include her husband, Dale Mills; one daughter, Linda, and two sons, Mark and Paul; her mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Box of Plains; her father, Cecil Harbour of Lometa; two half-brothers, David Box and Wayne Box, both of Plains, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harbour of Lometa and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walton of Cove.

Carillo had lived in the Plains area for several years. His body was shipped to Mexico for burial. Survivors included a wife and four children.

### Country Tax --

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of county property prior to last year, and that the actual increase in normal income would be a great deal less than \$122,000.

Commissioners contend that they have been forced to operate at a deficit and that this deficit has grown critical with the slash in revenue.

They expressed a desire to retire the county deficit in eight years or less, but held little hope that any headway in this direction could be made without increased revenue.

Oil company representatives, who took an active part in the discussions, constantly urged economy in the operation of the county. Several local taxpayers also stressed this point, although few specific areas were pinpointed.

All persons present were invited to attend the meeting of the Board of Equalization and the budget hearing. The Excise Board begins its annual session this coming Monday. The budget hearing will be held at a later date, after official action has been taken on property values.

Boy: "Mom, I guess we are going to have to get a new T. V. set."

Mom: "Why do you say that?"

Boy: "Cause we've seen all the shows on this one at least once!"

### Plains Student On Honor Roll

Making the scholastic honor roll at Wayland Baptist College in the spring were 116 students, including Mrs. Sue Ann Bundick Bunner, Plains. Of the 116, some 10 students made an "A" average.

W. M. Bundick, Route 1, Plains. A 1956 graduate of Sundown High School, Mrs. Bunner maintained a 2.6 average for the spring semester. A member of Alpha Chi, national honor society, Mrs. Bunner had a academic awarded scholarship at Wayland.

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### Hospital Names Administrator

Named last week as administrator of the Yoakum County Hospital in Denver City was Mrs. Helen Vance McMahan. Mrs. McMahan, a registered nurse, had served as acting administrator since the resignation of Joseph F. McWilliams.

### Cotton Growers--

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farmers are to expand their markets and their production profits will be spelled out by speakers.

Among the speakers will be representatives of the National Cotton Council.

The owner of a very expensive new model car pulled up at a stoplight beside a small foreign car driven by a friend. He couldn't resist the chance to heckle. "Hey, Joe, what's that dreadful rattling sound I hear coming from your car?" "Oh, that?" said the small-car driver calmly. "That's just \$5,000 jingling around in my pocket."

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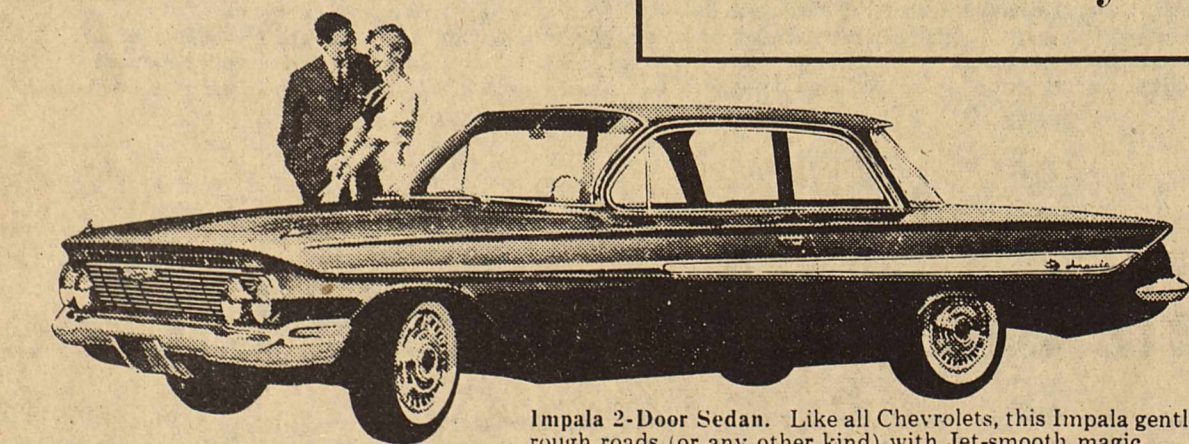
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**Potatoes** Shurfine, Whole 303 Can, 2 for **25¢**

**Okra** Fresh lb. **19¢**

**Bananas** Golden Ripe lb. **12 1/2¢**

**Peaches** Fresh Arkansas Elberta, lb. **12 1/2¢**

**Crackers** Shurfine lb. **19¢**

**Flour** Pillsbury 5 lb. Bag **49¢**

**Coffee** Shurfine lb. **59¢**

**Tissue** Scotties Facial Assorted Colors 400 Count **25¢**

**Treet** Armour 12 oz. Can **45¢**

**Sardines** Van Camp Tall Can 2 for **39¢**

**Bacon** Wilsons, 2 lb. Family Pack **1.09**

**Fryers** Fresh lb. **35¢**

**Roast** Chuck lb. **45¢**

### HAWKINS FOOD MARKET

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**Stores Reveal Prize Winners**

Winners of prizes at this week's openings of Curry-Edwards Pharmacy and Dortha's Style Shop have been announced. Nelda Tucker won the cookware set at the drug store and

John Gray was awarded the trampler. Mrs. G. T. Blount and Mrs. Crette Cheek each won \$12.50 in merchandise at Dortha's.

Forty other persons won 45 rpm records at the drug store. This group included: Terry Bacon, Vernon Townes, Jean Williams, Sonja Faulkenberry, Dorothy Lowe,

Mrs. Jim Miles, Mrs. Abath Cuelson, Janelle Parks, P. W. St. Romain, Jewel Bee, Jackie Hawkins.

Daleta Young, Mrs. G. E. Ashburn, G. D. Kennedy, Robert Wauson, Johnnie Moore, Alvie F. Faulkenberry, E. D. Hunt, Mrs. D. L. Blevins, Earlene Whitaker, Earl Robertson Jr., Mrs. A. D. Nugent, Jimmy Taylor, Newt Holder, A. B. Carpenter, Olan Heath, Mrs. Avis Robertson, Carolyn Dennis, C. E. Wilkins, Glenn Morehouse, John M. Behunin, Latrell McDonnell, Alma Been, C. M. Thompson, Thelma Ellis, Kathryn Billingsley, Eddie Tingle, Linda Harbour, Jo McClellan and Dennis Hickman.

Fond parents who seek to live their children's lives usually manage to mess up everything.



**PLAINS WEDDING**---Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Heald announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Louise, to Otis Newberry, son of Annie Newberry and the late Jack Newberry, formerly of Aspermont. The wedding will be held at 3 p. m. Aug. 6 in Hillside Church of Christ. The bride-elect, a 1961 graduate of Plains High School, presently is employed by Curry-Edwards. The prospective bridegroom graduated from Aspermont High School in 1958 and is employed by Dunigan Oil Co.

**LEGAL NOTICE 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 at the Plains School in the City of Plains, Yoakum County, Texas, at 9:00 o'clock A.M., beginning on Monday the 14th day of August, 1961, 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 1961, and any and all persons interested, or having business with said Board, are hereby notified to be present.

**DONE BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION OF PLAINS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**, Yoakum County, Texas, at Plains, Texas, this 18th day of July, A.D., 1961.

Johnnie L. Fitzgerald  
Secretary  
Plains Independent School District  
Publish July 20 & July 27.

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**Jack Lowe Is Pony All-Star**

Jack Lowe Jr. played with the Denver City all-stars in the area 2 Pony League tournament in Denver City this week. A shortstop for the Plains Gophers, Lowe batted .461 for the season, tops in the league which included two teams from Denver City, one from Plains and one from Seagraves. This was Lowe's second consecutive year to make the all-star team.

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**LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION**

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 Hall in the town of Plains, Texas, at 8

o'clock P. M., beginning Friday the 4th day of August, 1961, and thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in Plains, Texas, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1961, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

Bob Loe  
City Secretary  
City of Plains  
Publish July 13-20

**LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION**

IN OBEDIENCE to an Order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, Notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Courthouse in the town of Plains, Yoakum County, Texas, at 10 o'clock A. M., beginning on Monday the 24th day of July, 1961, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in Yoakum County, Texas, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1961, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

J. W. O. Alldredge,  
County Clerk,  
Yoakum County, Texas.  
Publish July 13-20

**LEGAL NOTICE THE STATE OF TEXAS CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS**

To: Mabel Adams, Defendant, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court, 121st Judicial District of Yoakum County at the Courthouse thereof, in Plains, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 14th day of August A. D. 1961, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 29 day of March A. D. 1961, in this cause, numbered 1894 on the docket of said court and styled Frank Adams, Plaintiff, vs. Mabel Adams, Defendant.

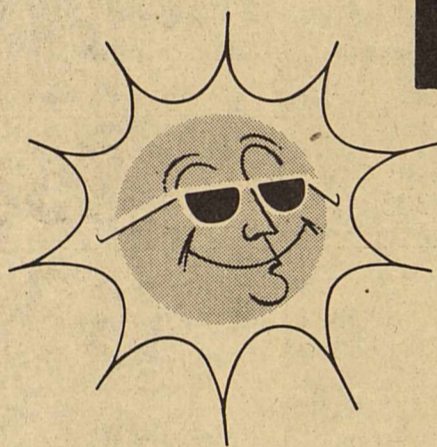
A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce alleging cruelty as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Plains, Texas, this the 29th day of June, A. D. 1961.

Attest: J. W. O. Alldredge  
District Clerk,  
District Court, 121st  
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By Marguerite Barron,  
Deputy.  
Publish July 6, 13, 20, 27



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<b>MIRACLE WHIP</b>	Kraft Qt.	<b>59¢</b>
<b>PIES</b>	Cream Simple Simon	<b>49¢</b>
<b>LEMONADE</b>	Keith 6 oz. 2 for	<b>25¢</b>
<b>BANANAS</b>	lb.	<b>12½¢</b>
<b>CARROTS</b>	2 Bags	<b>25¢</b>
<b>LETTUCE</b>	lb.	<b>12½¢</b>
<b>STEAK</b>	Choice Beef lb.	<b>79¢</b>
<b>LIVER</b>	Fresh Pork, lb.	<b>19¢</b>
<b>FRANKS</b>	3 lb. Bag	<b>89¢</b>
<b>PLAINS FROZEN FOOD</b>		



# The Plains Record

And The Yoakum County Review

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## Soil District Is Active

New plans, progression of old plans and revision of old plans totaling 55 on approximately 74,000 acres were approved this past year for farmers in the Yoakum Soil Conservation District.

Of this number, 24 were Great Plains Conservation Program contracts on 22,799 acres.

One hundred and seventy-one cooperators were serviced on application work with 155 cooperators applying one or more practices.

Following are some of the conservation jobs accomplished:

Conservation cropping system, 13,770 acres.

Cover cropping, 6,083 acres. Crop residue use, 41,141 acres.

Rotation hay and pasture, 7,213 acres.

Pasture planting, 716 acres. Rotation grazing, 870 acres.

Deferred grazing, 25,135 acres.

Proper range use, 140,501 acres. Wildlife area treatment, 363 acres.

Brush control, 11,435 acres. Improved water application, 5,064 acres.

Proper irrigation water use, 1,828 acres. Crop land to grass, 704 acres.

Irrigation pipeline, 11,658 feet.

Many of the reportable items have doubled in the past year. This is believed to be due to increased emphasis on the Great Plains Program, regular SCD planning, information program and one cooperator telling another about conservation and available services.

Crop residue use showed great value in the late spring, protecting many hundreds of acres from wind erosion. Brush control in the form of aerial spraying more than doubled in acres applied and is gaining in popularity.

There is an increased interest in soil conditioning, use of organic matter and narrow-row planting of high residue crops.



PREPARING---Preparing for the 4-H Favorite Foods Show which will be held in Denver City July 28 is this group of 4-H girls. From left, they are Rita Jo Snodgrass, Dianne Holbert and Marilyn Goehry.

## Dianne Fitzgerald Leads Calf Contest

Dianne Fitzgerald had the high gaining calf among 28 animals weighed last Saturday morning. Her calf had gained 162 pounds during the first

56 days of the feeding period. The average daily gain for this calf is 2.89 pounds.

Six calves were high in the standing last Saturday with only a few pounds separating them from the lead animal, Oscar Henard was only one pound behind with his black calf and three pounds behind with one of his Herefords, Oscar's calves had gained 161 and 159 pounds respectively.

In fourth place this month was D'Lynn McGinty, 158 pounds; fifth place was Sharon Sprawls, 157 pounds, and the sixth animal was owned by Mike Loe, 156 pounds.

All these animals were calves that had more age than the bulk of the calves on feed or they were on nurse cows. Some of the younger calves may be able to catch up by putting on some fast gain after the larger calves begin to finish and slow down in their daily gain. Only 56 days of the 272 day feed-

ing period have gone by so a lot of things can happen in the next 216 days.

Heaviest calf weighed 652 pounds and the lightest weighed 327 at the weighing last Saturday. Most of these calves will gain another 400 pounds and some of the faster-gaining steers will gain more than 500 pounds before the local show held next year on February 16 and 17.

### Card Of Thanks

For those who expressed so many acts of kindness during our recent bereavement, we shall be eternally grateful.

Dale Mills and children Mr. and Mrs. Box and boys Grandparents, aunts and uncles.

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**Cotton Quiz**  
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### SOIL Conservation NEWS

Bermuda grass planting by many district cooperators is the big news this week. Rollin McCord, Paul Cobb, R. C. Trout, James Wasson, Ray Bearden, Wilbur Hayse and J. C. Stegall are a few of the local people planting grass.

Reports of large numbers of animals per acre, good soil protection and reduced cost of producing are leading several land owners to go from strictly farming to livestock and crops.

Assistance by Soil Conservation service personnel to local land owners continues to increase. Revision of old conservation plans, writing of new plans and application of conservation practices on the land as well as evaluating conservation work are a few of the jobs. Working through a standard soil survey to determine both the capability and the needs of the land, we are able to better use and care for the land that future generations may also use it.

At present we are assisting Ray Bearden to revise his old conservation plan to provide for more livestock in his operation. Leroy Henson is being assisted in writing a new conservation plan on his own and his leased land. Leon Simpson is doing some planning to take land out of cultivation and put it back to a good grass cover.

Use of under ground irrigation pipe to conserve water and provide for a better system of conservation crop rotation is a very important part of many good conservation plans. Some who have used the part of the program are R. M. (Bob) Jones, Darwin Hobbs, Henry May, Wendell Tooley, The Blue Bonnet Land Corp. and C. S. Wilkinson, just to name a few.

AGED Employer: "Didn't I tell you two weeks ago we wanted an older boy?"  
Boy: "Yes, sir, so here I am."

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Two men were commenting one, "how Ed is so lucky at 'Funny nothing,' retorted the on a friend's bad luck at the cards but does so badly at other, 'they don't let him horse races. "Funny," said the track." shuffle the horses."

**CUSTOM FARMING**

- DEEP BREAKING
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**AFFIDAVIT OF COMMISSIONERS' COURT AS TO COUNTY FINANCES**

IN THE MATTER OF COUNTY FINANCES  
IN THE HANDS OF  
**SUSAN V. HINKLE**  
Treasurer of Yoakum County, Texas

COMMISSIONER'S COURT  
Yoakum County, Texas  
In Regular Session  
July Term, 1961

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, as County Commissioners within and for said Yoakum County, and the Hon. Don Hancock, County Judge of said Yoakum County, constituting the entire Commissioners' Court of said County, and each one of us, do hereby certify that on this, the 10th day of July A.D. 1961, at a regular term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the report of Susan V. Hinkle, Treasurer of said County, for the period beginning on the 1st day of April A. D. 1961 and ending on the 30th day of June A. D. 1961, and finding the same correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of said County, stating the approval of said Treasurer's Report by our said Court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said County Treasurer since his last report to this Court, and for and during the time covered by his present report, and the balance of each fund remaining in said Treasurer's hands on the said 30th day of June A.D. 1961, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of the said County Treasurer, in accordance with said order as required by Articles 1636-1637, Chapter 1, Title 34 of the Revised Statutes of Texas, 1925.

And we, and each of us, further certify that we have actually and fully inspected and counted all the actual cash and assets in hands of the said Treasurer belonging to Yoakum County at the close of the examination of said Treasurer's Report, on this the 10th day of July A.D. 1961, and find the same to be as follows, to-wit:

**RECAPITULATION — Quarterly Report**

FUND	Balance 3-31-61	2nd Qtr. Receipts	2nd Qtr. Disbursements	Balance 6-30-61
Jury	\$ 1,897.26	\$ 8.03	\$ 911.53	\$ 993.76
Road & Bridge	14,083.65	93.69	4,708.08	9,469.26
General	18,071.24	877.09	58,241.27	OD39,292.94
Permanent Improvement	7,071.94		3,580.48	3,491.46
Officers Salary	6,843.86	19,080.53	31,464.89	OD 5,540.50
R & B Special Prct. No. 1	14,141.76	9,532.79	15,932.51	7,742.04
R & B Special Prct. No. 2	15,876.76	9,592.99	18,601.22	6,868.53
R & B Special Prct. No. 3	20,703.47	9,532.81	14,350.88	15,885.40
R & B Special Prct. No. 4	9,981.22	9,532.81	16,046.18	3,467.85
Lateral Road	9,802.54		8,007.33	1,795.21
Farm-Market & Lateral Road	16,596.51	552.36		17,148.87
Hospital	2,308.05	55,061.43	55,227.90	161.58
R & B Sinking	16,611.20	285.00	4,120.85	12,775.35
Road Dist. 1-A Sinking	5,097.85	330.00	2,510.00	2,917.85
Perm. Imp. Sinking	50,099.57	299.82	9,802.50	40,596.89
Jail Building Sinking	1,130.05			1,130.05
Park Building	5.72			5.72
Plains Ball Park	3,068.50		3,992.16	OD 923.66
Denver City Ball Park	5,372.11	2,000.00	6,884.32	487.79
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$216,783.26</b>	<b>\$116,779.35</b>	<b>\$254,382.10</b>	<b>\$ 79,180.51</b>

**BONDED INDEBTEDNESS — Yoakum County**  
The bonded indebtedness of the said County we find to be as follows, to-wit:

NAME OF ISSUE	Date	Amount	Amount Outstanding	Rate
Courthouse Bonds	1947	\$ 260,000.00	\$ 15,000.00	1% & 2%
Hospital Bonds	1947	190,000.00	5,000.00	1% & 2%
Hospital Bonds	1953	98,500.00	30,000.00	2 1/2% & 3%
Road District 1-A Bonds	1954	600,000.00	200,000.00	2% & 3%
Hospital Building Warrants	1954	50,000.00	18,000.00	3 1/4%
Exhibition Building Bonds	1954	165,000.00	85,000.00	2% & 2 1/4%
R & B Refunding Bonds	1955	125,000.00	85,000.00	2%
Library Bonds	1957	90,000.00	90,000.00	3%
Operation Warrant Prct. No. 4	1957	34,000.00	7,000.00	3%
Hospital Clinic Bonds	1958	60,000.00	60,000.00	3 1/4%
Paving Warrants, Prct. No. 1	1958	10,000.00	6,000.00	3 1/4%
Paving Warrants, Prct. No. 2	1958	10,000.00	6,000.00	3 1/4%
Paving Warrants, Prct. No. 4	1958	10,000.00	6,000.00	3 1/4%
Road Mach. Warrant Prct. No. 2	1958	13,856.00	6,928.00	3 1/4%
Road Mch. Warrant Prct. No. 4	1959	19,500.00	11,700.00	3%
Road Mch. Warrant Prct. No. 4	1959	6,000.00	3,600.00	3%
Jail Bonds	1960	40,000.00	40,000.00	3 1/4%
Park Bonds	1960	75,000.00	75,000.00	3 1/4%
Ball Park Bonds	1960	50,000.00	50,000.00	3.9%
Road Mch. Warrant Prct. 4	1960	15,000.00	15,000.00	3%
Road Bridge Warrant	1960	15,934.55	15,934.55	3%
Road Pavement Warrant Prct. 1	1960	5,854.95	5,854.95	3 1/4%
R&B Mch. Warrant Prct. No. 2	1961	11,000.00	11,000.00	3 1/4%
R&B Warrant Prct. 3	1961	19,000.00	19,000.00	3%
R&B Warrant Prct. 1	1961	14,654.00	14,654.00	3%
R&B Warrant Prct. 1	1961	13,244.00	13,244.00	3%
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$2,001,543.50</b>	<b>\$894,915.50</b>	

WITNESS OUR HANDS, officially, this 10th day of July A.D. 1961

DON HANCOCK, County Judge

VANCE W. BROWN, Commissioner, Precinct No. 1

H. C. COTTON, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2

RAYMOND BOOKOUT, Commissioner, Precinct No. 3

MRS. PAUL LOE, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4

Attest:  
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