# PLAINS The Plains Record :gan Talk 

Combined with The Yoakum County Review March 1, 1961 Whitaker named head

chamber of commerce

Things were a litule more
abbormal than usual around
The Record this wweak as we The record this week as we put
out two newspapers.
In order to help out a neighbor, while casting an eye in
the direction of more revenue
for for ourcelves, we produceced this
week's edition of The Tatum
When weer's
Journa.
en This week's effort was merely
a trial run. If all goos well,
we may continue to we may continue to put out
the Tatum newsper.
For the pess seper. For the past several weeks, a
group of group of volunteers has been
printing the Tribun.. The man-
ager left some time ago for agreener pastures, but townofork
refused to tet the newspaper refused to let the newspaper
die. Ints been a rugh job for
an inexperienced urew, but I an innexperienced crew, but I
certainly thip my hat to those
people. people.
We welcome the challenge
of puting out two newspapers. of puting out two newspaperss.
smarter men than Ihad pre-
dicted that we wouldn't be able dicted that we wouldn the the must admit. I
join their side.
Despite all the gloom and
pessimism being circulated in
 Activity west of town is rem:
iniscent of the boom day of
years gone by.
With $a$ new housing addition started, a commercial il uuilining
under construction and a large under construction and a large
business
building in the penane
ningstas. ning stages, it tooks as if Plains
already has shaken any slump which may have existed.
Add to these encourging signs the fact that underground
moisture is supoosed to be the moisture is supposed to be the
best in more than 30 years, and
you get a pretty rosy picture.

I've talked to a number of
Denver Citians lately, and from what I I gather, there 's
likely to be a concentrated effort made soon to improve
relations with the people of Plains.
Denver City merchants are
fully aware of the fact that they are not getting anywhere
near near their share of business
from the northern half of Yoakum Country.
Pertaps the Perhaps the proposed bond
election to build a hospital in Plains can be converted into an
issue beneficial to all. I Inow issue beneencicial to alll. I Innow
on no betrer opporunity Denver
City City will ever have to prove
that it realizes shat Plains is a
growing city in dire need of growing city in dire need on
some of the services it has a

## Science Club

 Sets Bake Sale A bake sale will be heldSaturday at the post officic by
members of the high sch members of the high school
scienceclub. The event begins science club. The event begins
at 9 a. m. .
Purpose of the sale is to raise Purpose of the sale is to raise
funs to fininane the field trip
tame nexmers of the club will The group will leave next
Thutbday and spend the firsst Thusday and spend he irist
night in Santa Fe. Thy will
visit the Los Alamos atomic energy plant. Friday night will
be spent in Taos, No. M. The return trip will be made Satur-

For Fifth Consecutive Year


C-C OFFICERS -- -New officers of the Plains Chamber of Commerce are shown above. They
are Jim Cooke, vice president, and Archie Whitaker, president, standing, Seated are P. W. are Jim Cooke, vice president, and Archie Whitaker, president, standing. Seated are P. W.
St. Romain, treasurer, and Mollie Courtney, secretary.
Plains Records Amazing Growth Mark in 1950s

\section*{g} |  | 1960, acade between 1950 and |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | released this week by the Tex- $\quad \begin{gathered}\text { inse } \\ \text { The Municipal League report }\end{gathered} \begin{aligned} & \text { state was rving, a Dall as sub- }\end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{c}\text { as Municipal League. } \\ \text { The county seat city of Yoa- }\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{l}\text { stated that virtually all growth } \\ \text { in population during the } 1950 \text { 's }\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{l}\text { urb, which increased fron } \\ 2,621 \text { in } 1950 \text { to } 45,985 \text { in } \\ 1960 \text {. In fact, the top } 10 \text { were }\end{array}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | | $\begin{array}{l}\text { kum County increased its pop- } \\ \text { ulation from } 480 \text { in } 1950 \text { to }\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{l}\text { took place in five geographical } \\ \text { areas. These areas included }\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{l}\text { 1960. In fact, the top } 10 \text { were } \\ \text { all }\end{array}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| all |  |  | ulation from 480 in 1950 to

lo 195 in 1960,
, a whopping 117
per cent increase.





RECOGNIZED---This group of Plains High School students sembly program held Wednesday. They were recognized for was recognized for outstanding accomplishments during an as- Saturday.

Group Elects Officers for New Year Archie Whitaker was elected
president of the Plains Chamber presidenmeree at the annual
of Commen
election held Tuesday in the Clubroom. Whit taker assumed
duties of the office immediateheat of hhe organization.
Ohther officers elected inclad ed J. E. Cooke, vice president;
Mollie Courtney, secretary urer,
Five
ent were elected, These included
$\mathrm{J} . \mathrm{S}$. Wagle j.s. Wagley, Dr. Bill Mccol-
lough, Dre Clyde Lynn, Nell
Taylor and Gile Tay
were elected to two-year terms
ext except Craft, who was select-
ed to finish the unexpired term of Jerry Smith,
The new presi immediately that an extensive effort would be made to enlist
new members.

It was pointed out during the
meeting thatCh amber of Commeering that Chamber of Com-
merce income on its present basis is not suffieient to oper-
ate the organization ate the organization. Expen-
ses run about $\$ 165$ to $\$ 175$ per
month, " said Edwards, "and month," said Edwards, "and
income has dwindled to less
than half this than half this amount." The C-C has been able to
keep in operation because of
surplus built up after last sumsurplus built up after last sum-
mer's rodeo. This money is
now exhausted now exhausted.
Whitaker said he hoped to get
quite a few more members. "We'tl go after small businesss.
es, those which can contribute es, those which can contribute
only a few dollars a year, " he
said.
Mrs. Courtney will assume
the secretarial duties within
the next few days. She will
manage the $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{C}$ office. The
new secretary will take over
the duties now handled by Mrs. Emery Longbrake,
ing from Plains.
ing from Plains.
Several matters
during Tuesday's meeting. The
group received word that the Yoakum County Roping Club is
making plans for another making plans for another rodeo
this summer. Reports on the this summer. Reports on the
street lighting and street marking projects also were heard.
The new president will make The new president will make
committee appointments and committee appointments and
commence work soon on other phases of the annual banquet, the very near future.
(Meaning obstinate, stupid, silly)

## Spell Quiz

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and James Alberding Shot put: Faught,
Dennis Hickman.
Weather Fails To Stop Races

## Due to bad weather Saturday

 night, races were to have beencanceled at the Plains. Kar
Track. However, so many Track. However, so man y
people showed up despite the people showed up despite the
weather, that races were held
as scheduled as scheduled.
Dan Houck
Dan Houck of Plains won the
Class B Twin Engine race and Class B Twin Engine race and
received a trophy given by Plains Kart Club. Alvis RobinA Standard Men and was pre-
A sented a trophy by Buddy's Auto Parts.
Class A Industrial winner was
Betty Hughlett of Betty Hughlett of Denver City.
Her trophy came from Plains Her trophy came from Plains
Kart Club. W. L. Presley of Kart Club. W. L. Presley of
Lovington won the Class A InLovington won the Class A In-
dustrial Men and won a trophy given by the club. Robinson for winning the Clas A Super. Presley took anothe club trophy for winning the
Class A West Bend Men.


## CALVIN BEACH

Beach Conducts Bronco Revival The Rev. Calvin Beach is conducting a revival meeting
at the Stateline Baptist Church at ine
inco.
Services began Wedñesday and will continue each evening at
$80^{\circ}$ clock through April 2, acc$80^{\circ}$ clock through April 2, according to the Pastor, the Rev.
H. Jearl Hayes. The Rev. Mr. Beach is pastor
of to Tokio Baptist Church. He is a graduate of Plains High School.
In inviting the public to attent the revival services, the
pastor said, "I'm sure many of you know Brother Beach so we would say 'come worship with us. This man of God, with God's message to proclaim will
be an' inspiration and blessing to you. He has preached many
revivals and truly has a mess age for you at this time."

## BARBS

"And how about chemistry William. What are you learn-
ing now?" "Well, Pop, "the sophomore son stated with assurance, "right now in lab we are looking for a universal sol-
vent. universal solvent?" "That's a liquid that will dissolve anything, " explained the
"A fine idea, son," said the father after a moment's thought but added, "But after you find
it, what are you going to keep Plans are being made by local
club members to attend the club members to attend
national championship

8th Grade Track Meet Is Tuesday An eighth-grade track meet fternoon. The meet begins at All schools in district 5-A Plains, Sundown, Seagraves,
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Mrs. Oxford's Brother Dies $\left.\begin{aligned} & \text { Funeral services were held in } \\ & \text { ubbock Monday for } \mathrm{E} \text {. W. }\end{aligned} \right\rvert\, \begin{aligned} & \text { An employee of the Lubbock } \\ & \text { Public Schools, he had liver }\end{aligned}$ Uods Sr, Monday for E. W. $\begin{aligned} & \text { Public Schools, he had lived } \\ & \text { in Lubbock the }\end{aligned}$ | On O |
| :--- | :--- | Woods died at $11: 40 \mathrm{p}$. m.

Four sons, four daughters, two
Friday enroute to Friday er
hospital. for EASTER? CUT? CURL? COLOR?
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Wilson

## Meixner Heads All-District List

5-A placed one man each on


Heading the five-man all-

- 'Donnell, Mike Burgamy of
Frienship, Bill Fatton of Sun-
star delegation was Jack Meix- $-\begin{aligned} & \text { Frienship, Bill Patton of Sun- } \\ & \text { down and Donnie Kin }\end{aligned}$ her of Plains, a second-team down and Donnie Kinnison of all-stater. Meixner was a un- Seagraves. Others receiving honorable

mention, in addition to Cooke | The champion Cowboys also | $\begin{array}{l}\text { mention, in addition to Cooke } \\ \text { and Alberding, were Sammy }\end{array}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| place |  | placed Joe Don Marrow on the $\quad$ and Aberding, were Sammy second team. Two more Cow-

boys, Dick Cooke and James Alberding, received honorable Lozed of O'Donnell and Roy mention. O'Donnell of Frienship.

| Rounding out the all-district |
| :--- | :--- |
| team with Meixner were Joe | Mrs. Gene Huff and children, | team with Meixner were Joe | $\begin{array}{c}\text { Mrs. Gene Huff and children, } \\ \text { Faulkenberry of Se a gr a ves, }\end{array}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Kathy and Perry Lynn of Dallas, |  |
| Fare spending this week in the |  | | $\begin{array}{l}\text { Wilmer Giddings of Sundown, } \\ \text { Buster Snellgrove of O'Donnell }\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{l}\text { are spending this week in the } \\ \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{l}\text { home of her parents, MM. and }\end{array}$ |
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