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**JUNE 30, 1985** 

# **Groundbreaking Ceremony Held By First Baptist Church**

Groundbreaking for the new First Baptist Church was held Sunday afternoon.

Welcome was spoken by Denis King with the introduction of suests by Dean Andrews. Ruben Ward, interim pastor, led the opening prayer.

"The Solid Rock" was sung by the audience with the FBC Adult Choir presenting "Cornerstone". Special speaker was Glenn Harlin, former pastor.

Participating in the breaking of ground were Harlin, Royce Blair, Lethel Jones, Dean Andrews, Leroy McCravey and Doris King.

Closing prayer was by Raymond

July 4th Activity Plans

**Include Fireworks Display** 

#### Asebedo, pastor of Mission Bautista Nueva Vida. Special guests were Royce Blair,

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chairman of the deacon body; Lethel Jones, Sunday School Superintendent; Dean Andrew, Chairman of Building Committee; LeeRoy McCravey, Treasurer; Denis King, Minister of Music and Youth; and Raymond Powell, Architect.

Other honor guests were Mr. and Mrs. R.B. (Casey) Jones, who donated the land for the new building, their daughter Sarah Field, and granddaughter and greatgranddaughter, Sarah K. Burrus and Sally Burrus.

GROUNDBREAKING Service for the First Baptist Church was held Sunday, June 22. Participating in the ceremony were (l to r) Glenn Harlin, former pastor; Lethel Jones, Sunday School Superintendent; Royce Blair, Chairman of the Board of Deacons; LeeRoy McCravey, Church Treasurer; Denis King, Minister of Music and Youth; and Dean Andrews, Chairman of the Building Committee.

## **Youth Revival Scheduled July 5-7 At Baptist Church**

A Youth Revival has been scheduled for Friday, July 5 through Sunday, July 7 at First Baptist Church. Evangelist will be Jay Breland of Dallas with Paul and Christy Newberry of Floydada directing music.

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An Associational Youth Rally will launch the revival. It is set for Friday from 4 to 9 p.m. in Stanford Park. Youth from grade seven through college are invited. Activities will include swimming, a hamburger cookout and special music.

Everyone is invited to attend services Saturday beginning at 7 p.m.

and Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Breland is a chaplain with the Jay Breland Evangelistic Association. As a ministerial student in a Baptist college, Breland enlisted in the Marine Corps and was able to present the gospel to 1700 Marines during Chapel on a 22-day transoceanic

voyage to Vietnam. Mrs. Newberry holds a bachelor of arts degree with a music minor from Hardin-Simmons University and is presently working toward a master's degree. While attending Wayland Baptist University, she was a member of International Continued To Page 4

Texas Tech University's masked rider will be on hand from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Booths are available for \$10 with proceeds to go to the Chamber of Commerce. All organizations are invited to sponsor a booth.

Yoakum County State Bank will give away watermelons. First National Bank will paint complimentary clown faces.

Other fun events include tobacco spitting, three legged races and cow chip throwing contests.

Stacey Bradley, a young lady from Denver City who was just recently named Miss Texas National Teenager, will be a special guest.

A two-man Scotch tournament is scheduled for interested golfers. Entry fee is \$30 per team. A hole-inone on a designated hole will win a super cab pickup.

Everyone is invited to bring a flag to wave in honor of our nation's birthday. A fireworks dipslay at 10 p.m. will highlight the event.

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**Yoakum County Farm Bureau Boasts 333 Active Members** 

Newell Squyres has been agency Bureau since January of 1980. The Bureau is located west of the Square.

Yoakum County Farm Bureau has 333 members. In addition to personal lines of insurance, the Bureau is politically active at state and national levels to benefit agriculture and implement member developed policies.

Farm Bureau sponsors various youth scholarships for free enterprise. It offers a property protection program and group purchasing of tires and batteries.

Among other benefits offered. manager of Yoakum County Farm the Plains Volunteer Fire Department receives a fee from Farm Bureau for rural fire calls to Farm Bureau member's insured property. A nine-member board oversees

the local Farm Bureau office. Terms of office are for two years.

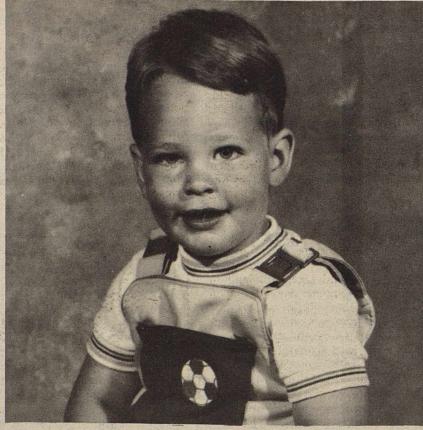
Souvres was born in Lubbock and graduated from Dumas High School. He attended South Plains College and graduated from Oklahoma State University in 1972. He and his wife, Peggy, are parents of three children, Shannon, 11, Robin, six and Brett, two.





Reese Air Force Honor Guard

will post the colors Thursday when gala July Fourth activities get underway in Yoakum County Park. The flag ceremony is slated for 3 p.m.



THE PLAINS PRIDE PRESENTS Kyle David Kight, two and one half year old son of David and Vicki Kight. Maternal grandparents are L.C. and Sue Umphress of Van Alstyne. Paternal grandparents are Judy and Virgil Kight of Van Alstyne.



#### Senior Citizens

Some weeks this little column refuses to help me find enough news to get started. Remember how hard it was to get the first tooth pulled? Well that's how balky I get sometimes, with nothing to say.

Last Friday night we had 42 guests for a nice birthday party. June honorees were Mary Hungerford, Wanda Black, Estelle Childress, Avie Walker, Gladys Thomason and James Freeman. We wish them a happy year and many more, even though we forgot to sing "Happy Birthday!" The nice lady who furnishes the flowers delivered them in person, and we were so happy to show her our nice place. Her deed makes birthdays more special.

Also during this party we had a cute little elf, leaving her tracks around. Melissa Jones, granddaughter of the J.T. Tuckers, along with her sister, visited us. During the evening she quietly left her mark on our register book - and our hearts. When you register for covered dish supper next Friday -take note of the cute little animals and "things" drawn on last week's register. Next time she visits I plan to furnish her some material for a real drawing.

Mrs. Singleton is in a Lubbock hospital. Those home from the hospital are JoAnne Lightfoot and Glen Hubbard.

Lunch numbers at the Center are growing. The faithful "Plains Bus Bunch" come every day as regular as 11:15 a.m.

It would be real nice if everyone in Plains all crowded into the bus and came for the day. No strangers come to the Center - only friends we have not met - and we would be happy to meet all of you! So Come On Down!!

Being a Senior Citizen is really an easy job. Look at all of us! We have worked toward the job all our lives, and are now reaping a few rewards. Busy every day, doing things and going places we have never had the time for before we were Senior Citizens! See Ya Next Time,

Smitty



SHAN WHEELER has recently been promoted from bookkeeping department to bank secretary. She takes care of note payments and other clerical duties. Come in today and let Shan introduce you to the banking services that Plains State Bank has to offer its customers.

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PILOT ED SHILEN, of Ennis, Tx.

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PILOT AL HUME, of Phoenix, Az. Happy Birthday, America!! le de la d UFLUATION Last 2 Days (yu flu ay shun) The peculiar habit, when searching for Tuesday, July 2nd a snack, of constantly returning to the refrigerator in hopes that something new will have materialized there. Wednesday, July 3rd 40% Off All Merchandise Except Cards & Balloons The Tin Shed **Closed July 1st** 504 10th Plains CARRENCES CONTRACTOR and the second **Rent VCR's & Movies** 9:30 a.m.-8:00 p.m. 6 Days A Week Weekend Special: Movies \$1ºº With Membership

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#### THE PLAINS PRIDE, JUNE 30, 1985, PAGE 3 **Champion Glider Pilots Make Forced Landing Here**

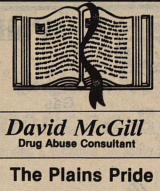
Six of the 40 sail-planes participating in the Region 10 Championship Contest held in Littlefield, June 24-28 landed at the Plains Airport Monday afternoon.

Gliders or sail-planes normally cruise at 80-90 mph over a chartered course on air currents called thermals. Thermals are caused by the earth heating the air above it. The cloud cover Monday afternoon forced the pilots to land before reaching their destination.

After contacting their ground crews, the pilots and planes were loaded up and taken via land in order to try another day of flying on Tuesday.

Pilots who landed in Plains included Al Hume, of Phoenix, Az, who has been flying gliders for 20 years. He is an engineer with Motorola. Jim Crisp, a Lubbock physician, has been flying the past ten years. Ed Shilen, firearms manufacturer from Ennis, has also

**MISSION BAUTISTA NUEVA VIDA** Raymond Asebedo, Pastor Sunday School: 9:45 a 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship: Church Training: Evening Worship: 11:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. Wednesday: 7:30 p.m. FIRST UNITED METHODIST 1202 Ave G Louis Crenshaw, Pastor **Sunday School:** 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship:6:00 p.m. Wednesday Choir: 6:00 p.m. **ANTIOCH BAPTIST** Lovington Highway/State Line Neil Parks, Pastor Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship: 11 a.m. (Texas Time) **TOKIO BAPTIST** Tokio, Tx. Alton West, Pastor Sunday School: Morning Worship: Church Training: Evening Worship: 10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. PLEASANT HILL UNION ASSEMBLY **Pleasant Hill** Sunday School: Sunday Night: Wednesday Night: 10:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m.



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been flying ten years. Also Ken Jacobs, with 30 years flying time, is an engineer with LTV at Arlington. Bob Leonard, engineer and test pilot for Cessna from Wichita, Ks. Aircraft Corp. He, too, has been flying gliders for 30 years. Tim Feager, a construction foreman is from St. Louis, Mo. He has 16 years flying experience.



Judge **Paul Cobb**  PAGE 4, JUNE 30, 1985, THE PLAINS PRIDE

Commissioners Court

Commissioners Court convened at 10 a.m. Monday, with Judge Paul Cobb, commissioners John Avara, Jim Barron, Johnnie L. Fitzgerald, and County Clerk Ruby Bruton present.

Approval was given for the release of the following securities: Crowley, Tx ISD U/T Sch. Bldg, \$100,000 par, 10.250 rate, 7-1-85 maturity, SK146356, Federal National Mortgage Association \$250,000 par, 15.65 coupon rate, 15.88 yield, 7-10-85 maturity, SK146353.

The court also approved road crossings by Exxon Company to construct pipelines across County Roads P-39, P-40 and P-41.

Barron was named voting delegate with John Avara as alternate to NACO's 50th Annual Conference in Orange County, Fla. July 13-16.

> Paid Subscribers To 'The Plainsman' In May Of 1984 Will

Automatically Be Added To Our Subscriber's List. They Are:

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Andrews, Dean Ashburn, Stanley Barron, Darrell Bayer, Milton Revival...

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Choir and the Spirit of America Singers. She toured with the Continental Singers in the summers of 1975 and 1976.

A soprano soloist, Mrs. Newberry has been involved in gospel singing the past 10 years.

Newberry holds a bachelor of music education from Wayland and master of music education from Hardin-Simmons. He has served as minister of music in Baptist churches six years.

At Wayland, he was active in International Choir and Band and sang with the Spirit of America Singers. He was a finalist in the National Association of Teachers of Singing and was selected to the Texas All-State Choir for two years and State UIL solo division winner three years.

A tenor, Newberry also plays guitar and five-string banjos for banquets and after-church fellowships.

#### **Bible Trivia**

1. What was the name of the tree that Adam & Eve were told not to eat fruit from?

2. What was the name of the man who foretold of the seven good years and seven lean years in Egypt?

Answers: (1)Tree of the Knowledge of Good & Evil-Gen. 2:17 (2)Joseph - Gen. 41:15,25

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Watchers Monday - 5:30 p.m. Yoakum County Library

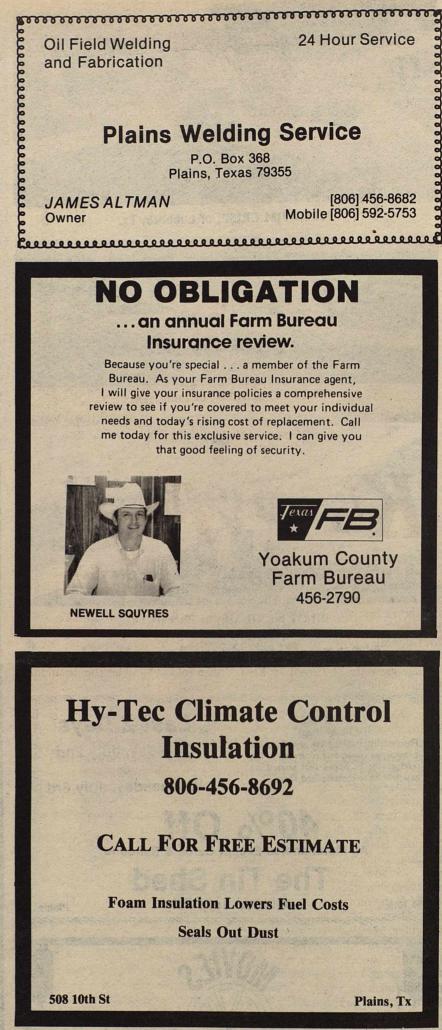
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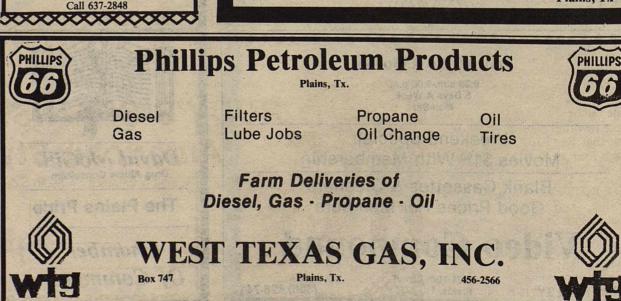
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MRS. JACKIE McDONNELL

# Kitchen Korner

Just having remodeled their present home, Gale and Jackie McDonnell have future plans of building a new home on their newly purchased acres in Casa Lane Subdivision. The McDonnells plan to work on building the house themselves.

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Gale grew up at Girard in Kent County. She met Jackie at South Plains College. They were married Aug. 20, 1971 and have lived in Plains since that time.

After attending Girard schools 11 years, Gale graduated from Spur High School. She earned an associate degree in secretarial science from South Plains.

Gale is a full time aide for the fourth grade at Plains Elementary School. Her hobbies are sewing, reading, going to the mall to shop and window shop, and family photography.

She is the mother of a son, Brandon Shane, 11 years old and a daughter, Heather Spring, seven.

Active in the First Baptist Church, Gale enjoyed serving her first year as superintendent of the pre-kindergarten class at Vacation Bible School so much she has already signed up to serve again next year.

She is a member of Stateline Extension Homemakers Club, a 4-H Adult Leader and thoroughly enjoys being involved with her kids in 4-H projects.

Gale shares recipes that have become favorites. The biscuit recipe is one that has been passed down through four generations.

LIGHT BUTTERMILK BISCUITS  $1\frac{1}{2}$  c flour

- 2 T baking powder
- 1/4 t soda
- 1 t salt
- 1 c buttermilk 4 T melted shortening
- Preheat oven to 450° and melt
- shortening in 9x13 pan. Remove

from oven. Combine flour, baking powder, soda, salt, buttermilk and 2 T of the melted shortening. Stir until well blended. Pour onto generously floured surface. Sprinkle more flour liberally onto dough. Flatten and fold sides to middle, then fold top and bottom to middle. Repeat the folding 1 or 2 times. Flatten to about 3/4 inch thick and cut with biscuit cutter (any roundedged object will do) Use all dough. Coat one side of biscuit in remaining shortening already in pan, turn and place in corner. Repeat until all biscuits are coated and placed closely together. Pan will not be full. Bake at 450° about 10-20 mins. until golden brown.

FUDGY CHOCOLATE PIE

FILLING 1 c sugar 1/4 t salt 4 T cocoa 4 T flour 3 egg yolks

1 c milk 1 t vanilla

2 T butter or margarine 1 baked pie shell

Combine sugar, salt, cocoa and

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flour in large sauce pan and stir to blend thoroughly. Add egg yolks and 1/3 c milk, stir until well blended and add remaining milk. Cook and stir constantly over medium heat

add vanilla and butter. Beat with electric mixer on high until smooth. Set aside to cool while preparing meringue. MERINGUE 1 T cornstarch

until thick. Remove from heat and

- 1/2 c boiling water 6 T granulated sugar pinch salt
- 2 T cold water 3 egg whites
- 1 t vanilla

Blend cornstarch and cold water in saucepan. Add 1/2 c boiling water and cook on medium heat until clear and thick. Let stand until cold. In a mixing bowl, beat 3 egg whites until foamy. Add 6 T sugar, gradually, while beating stiff - not dry. Add 1 t vanilla and salt. Gradually beat in the cold cornstarch mixture. Turn mixer to high speed and beat well.

Pour cooled pie filling into baked pie shell and spread meringue on top of pie filling. Bake at 350° for 15 mins. This meringue cuts beautifully and never gets sticky or weeps.

FLUFFY WHITE FROSTING (almost like Marshmallow Cream) 1/2 c light corn syrup

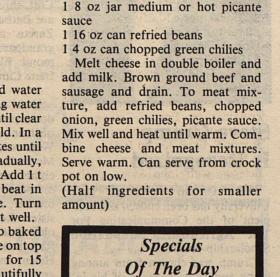
3 T water 1/4 t cream of tartar

11/2 t vanilla

1 c sugar 3 egg whites

1/4 t salt In top of double boiler, combine

sugar, corn syrup, water, egg whites, cream of tartar and salt. Cook over rapidly boiling water,



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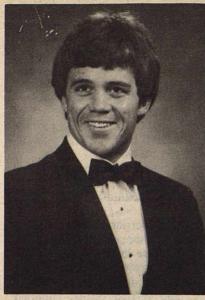
Remove from heat; add vanilla. Continue beating until frosting holds deep swirls. This is a real pretty frosting and tastes very good.

MEATY MEXICAN CHEESE DIP (Makes 2 Qts) 1/2 lb sausage

- 1/2 lb ground beef
- 2 lb Velveeta cheese
- 2 12 oz cans evaporated milk

1 med onion, chopped

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#### **Steve Crump Is Recognized**

Steve Crump of Texas Tech University has been chosen as a recipient of the Communicating For The Agriculture Foundation Scholarship Award.

Crump was chosen from among many applicants because of his interest in continuing education in a field that will serve the rural area, as well as the academic promise he has shown in his chosen field.

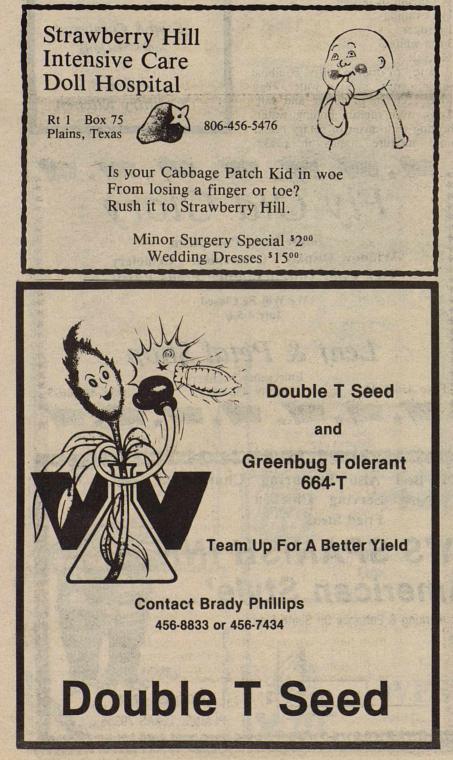
A junior at Tech, Crump is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crump.

New Arrivals

Becky and Chris Winn would like to announce the arrival of their daughter, Mackenzie Nicole. Born Wednesday, June 19 in Methodist Hospital, she weighed six pounds, nine ounces and measured twenty inches long. She has one brother, Colt, three years old. Grandparents are Barbara and Clois Massey and Zareta and Billy Winn. Greatgrandparents are Edith and Raymond Elms of Brownwood and Irene Camper of Brownfield.

Vicki and Roger Tucker of Sundown proudly announce the arrival of their son, Johnathan Cody. Born Wednesday, June 19 in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital, he weighed eight pounds, 15 ounces and measured 21 inches tall. He has a brother, Art, six years old and one sister, Kensey Ancinec, four years old. Grandparents are Toots and Ray Baker of Denver City and Helen and Charles Pope. Greatgrandmother is Odessa McDonnell. Great-great-grandmother is Ethel Craker of Irving.

An earthworm has five pairs of hearts in the front of his body.



Meets July 2nd At 7 A.M. PLAINS BODY REPAIR STO BO Free Estimates Windshields Installed **Auto Detail Insurance Claims** "Specializing in Custom Paint Jobs" Shop: 456-6388 **Call Davis** Home: 456-7158 After 4 p.m. **1302 Brownfield Hwy TWO J-S FLYING SERVICE AERIAL APPLICATORS** NEAL JACK NEWSOM COBB 456-6877 456-4071 806-456-3580 YOAKUM CO. AIRPORT PLAINS, TX mmm INTRODUCING OUR L.C.E.C. FAMILY.... KAY GREEN has been with Lea County Electric eight years as manager of the Plains office. She lives at 104 Avenue G and attends the First Christian Church. She has a son, Steve and daughter, Stephenia Blount. Steve and his family live in Brownfield, while Stephenia and her family live here. Fishing is one of Kay's favorite sports and Del Rio is her favorite fishing place. She also likes to play golf. LEA COUNTY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. "OWNED BY THOSE WE SERVE" PLAINS, TEXAS LOVINGTON & TATUM, NEW MEXICO mmmmm COMPLETE SERVICE: Welding, Tank Repair, Sandblasting, Coatings, Painting, Item Cleaning, Chemical Cleaning, Fen-cing, Metal Buildings, All Types Of Building Repairs, Lease Maintenance, Dirt Work, Locations, Ditching, Hot Shots and **Backhoe Service.** 

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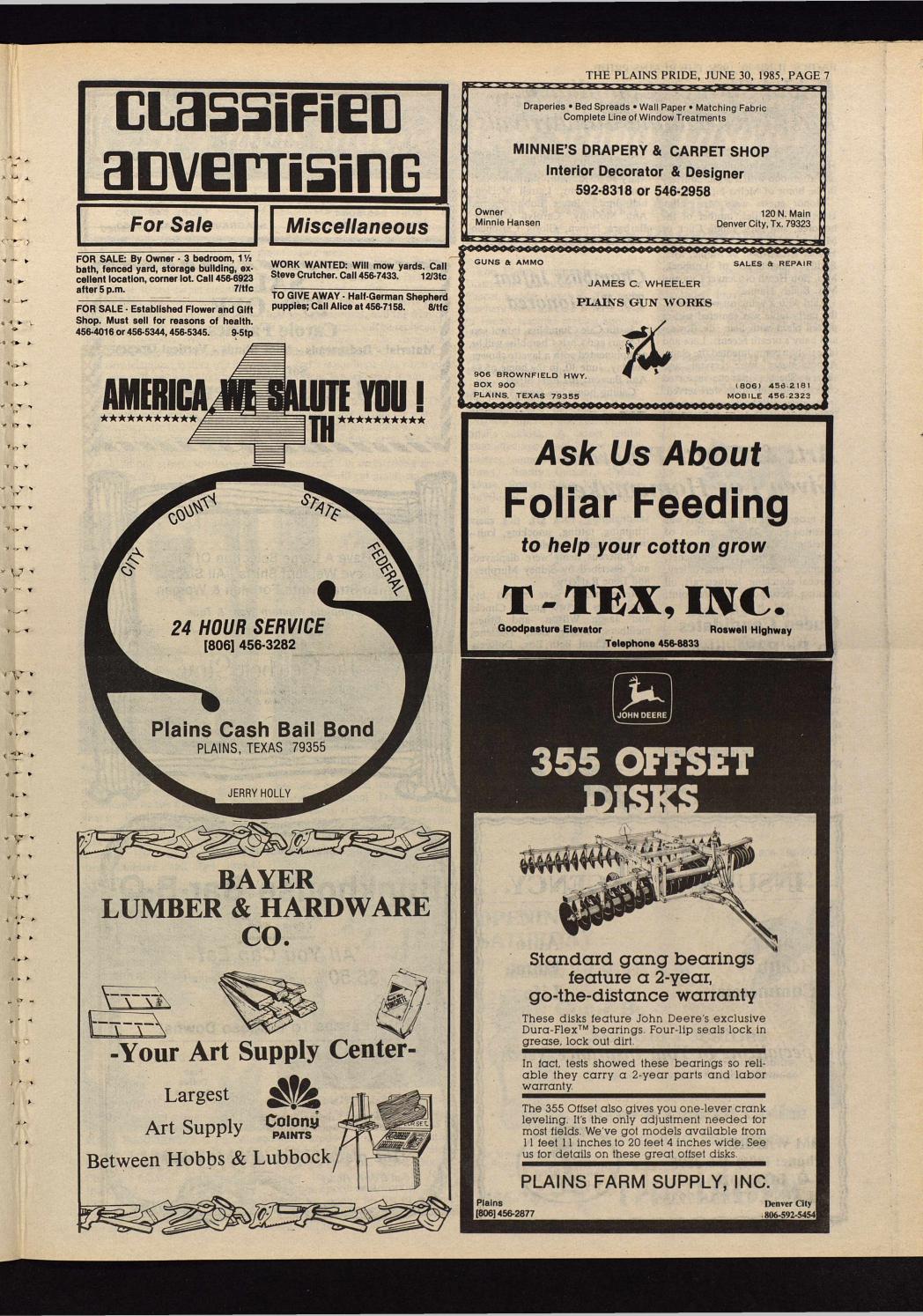
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Mrs. Nick Hanna, nee Collette Craft, Ruth Murphree, Johnye Haechten, was complimented Sunday afternoon with a bridal courtesy in the home of Melba Fitzgerald.

Honor guests were Mrs. Allan Haechten of Miles, mother of the honoree, and Mrs. Linda Click of Midland, Mrs. Sandra Hanna, Mrs. Homer Richardson of Maple, Mrs. Buddy Naugebauer of Lubbock, Mrs. Bob Heath of Denver City and Mrs. Buddy Hanna.

Laid with a white on white cloth, the party table was centered with a potted plant with lilac silk flowers and baby's breath accents. Lace and lilac ribbon complimented the plant. Appointments were crystal and silver. Sherbet punch, assorted cookies, nuts and mints were served.

Assisting with hostess duties were Billie Blundell, Dolores Davis, Jean

Conner, Reta Nance, Ann Graham, Mary Jo St. Romain, Marjorie Diaz, Sonnie Stephens, Latrell McDonnell, Jimmie Bayer, Bobbie Payne, Ann McGinty, Carolyn Culwell, Barbara Brown, Gloria Calsoncin and Mae Barnett.

#### **Chambliss** Infant To Be Honored

Justin Cale Chambliss, infant son of Shari and Chris Chambliss will be complimented with a layette shower Sunday, June 30, in the home of Jo Ann Barron, 202 First Street.

Calling hours are from 3 until 5 p.m. Friends and relatives are invited.

# Arts & Crafts Program **Given For Homemakers**

A program of arts and crafts was presented June 22 for members of Stateline Extension Homemakers Club. Displayed were crochet, ceramics, beadwork, embroidery, charcoal sketching, leathercraft, oil painting, petit-point, needle point,

#### **Queen Candidates To Be Recognized**

Rodeo Queen candidates will meet with the Chamber of Commerce at their breakfast meeting Tuesday morning, July 2 in Johnnie's Restaurant. The meeting is slated at 7 a.m.

Candidates will be recognized and given tickets at this time.

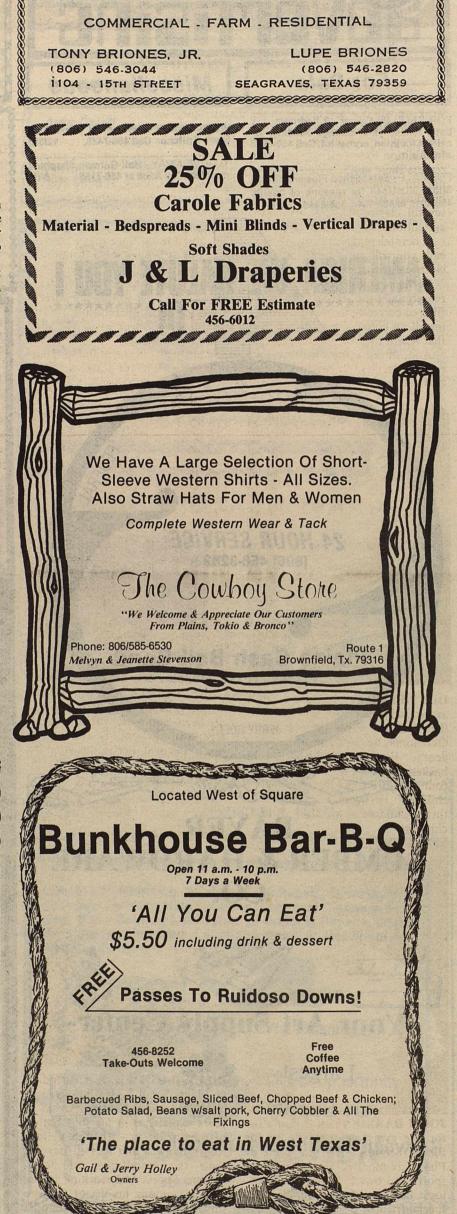
Other Chamber business will include the welcoming of new members.

sandpainting, rock art, rick rack trimming, tatting, smocking, knitting and basket-weaving. Numerous items were displayed

and described by Sidney Murphey and Dene Rafferty. Refreshments were served by

Toni Jones to two guests, Chuck and Jason Wilson, and other members, Marie Box, Darlene Wilson, Carol Beth Box, Dolores Davis and Clara Williams.





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# **Plains Independent School District**

#### From The Superintendent's Desk

This is the second of our reports concerning summer responsibilities. This week we will consider duties in the maintenance area.

During the next few weeks our maintenance people will be trying to spruce up classrooms and generally improve the appearance of the facilities. In addition to the carpet cleaning, floor stripping and waxing, and general repairs there are many other projects planned. The high school girls gymnasium, swimming pool, high school hallway, classrooms, and the trim on buildings, will all receive a fresh coat of paint and carpet will be replaced in several classrooms. We will also install a new roof on the vocational agriculture shop and on part of the elementary building.

A new telephone system will be installed, and it is our hope that when you call, you will not hear that busy signal so often. We will also install new electrical wiring in the high school building and the junior high gym.

In the swimming pool area our filter flow system is to be repaired. This requires all sand and rocks to be removed from the filter so that the water is filtered correctly to provide protection from infection. In addition, we will install an epoxy stone surface in the swimming pool deck area. We hope that it will be possible to open our pool after July 4, 1985.

And, in our efforts to "leave no stone unturned" in maintaining an attractive facility, as our final detail each week, we will cut grass, cut grass and cut grass! **Dean Andrews** 

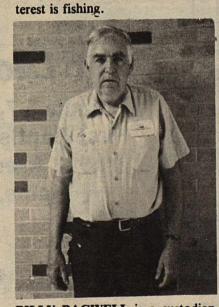


**DUB NELMS** serves Plains Schools as ground supervisor and has held that position eight years. Born in Oklahoma, he has lived in Plains 32 years. Football, baseball and basketball are his favorites. Dub has four children and five grandchildren. His wife, Dorothy, has three children and five grand-



JOHN BARRIENTES is custodian for the gyms and field house for Plains Schools. He has been at Plains six months. His hobbies are sports and travel. He especially enjoys being with his family and special friends. Listening to music is also an enjoyable pastime.

GARY BARNES helps care for the school grounds and cafeteria. He has been employed with Plains Independent School District seven years. Born at Pecos, he attended school in Plains. His favorite in-



**BILLY BAGWELL** is a custodian at Plains Schools. He has lived in Yoakum County 15 years and has 14 years experience in his job. Father of three children - Rhonda Kelton, Roger Bagwell and Russell Bagwell -he's the grandfather of Jason Kelton. Sports and working in the yard are among his list of favorite things. A member of First Baptist Church, he is a deacon.

### **Eight Teachers Achieve Career Ladder Placements**

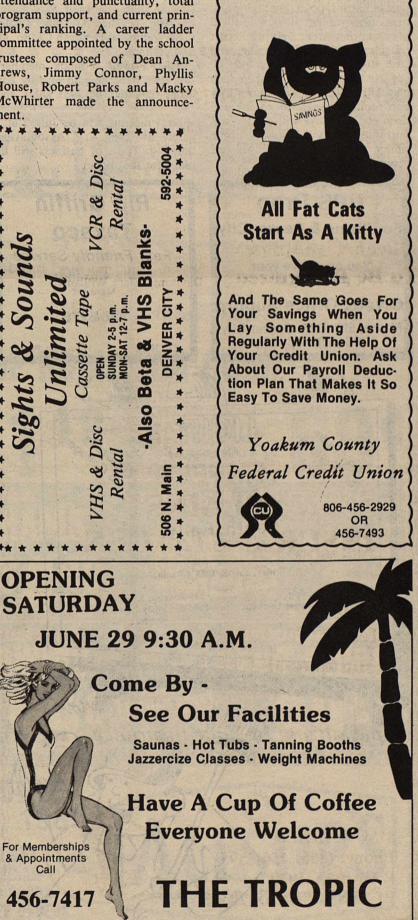
The Plains Independent School District has placed eight teachers on Career Ladder Level II. The eight teachers were selected from a field of twenty teachers making application. The appointment carries a local bonus this year of \$1,658.00 per teacher and \$2,000.00 for the 1985-86 school year.

The teachers were selected by using past performance evaluations, attendance and punctuality, total program support, and current principal's ranking. A career ladder committee appointed by the school trustees composed of Dean Andrews, Jimmy Connor, Phyllis House, Robert Parks and Macky McWhirter made the announcement.

Sights & Sound

Teachers receiving the Career Ladder Level II status are Sue Alexander, Larry G. Devitt, Saundra Foster, Phyllis House, Connie McWhirter, Macky McWhirter, Reta Nance and Ken Wilson.

The globefish staves off predators by gulping a large quantity of water, till it becomes simply too large to be swallowed by its enemies.



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# 4-H Junior Rodeo Slated At Plains Arena July 12-13

Rodeo time is arriving with the 4-H Junior Rodeo scheduled July 12-13 in Plains Rodeo Arena. Action will begin at 8 p.m. CDT Friday and 7:30 p.m. CDT Saturday.

A dance is planned following the July 13 performance. Music will be by M-Technic of Lamesa. DJ's are Mike Roy and Marty Glendenning.

Buckles will be awarded All-Around Winners in four groups, eight and under, nine to 12 years, 13 to 15 and 16 through 19. Buckles will be donated byFitzgerald Charolais, Cowboy Store in Brownfield, Judge Paul Cobb, Plains Insurance Agency, M & H Well Service and White Auto Store.

Events will include barrels, flags and goats for girls and boys eight and under. Girls nine to 12 will compete in barrels, poles, goat tying and breakaway roping. Boys nine to 12 may enter steer riding, calf touching, breakaway roping and steer stopping.

Girls 13 to 15 may try their luck and skill at barrels, poles, goats, ribbon roping, breakaway roping and team roping. Boys will get the opportunity to try breakaway bronc riding, bull riding, tie down calf roping and team roping. Events for girls 16-19 are barrels, poles, goats, ribbon roping, and breakaway roping. Boys may enter bareback bronc, bull riding, tie down calf roping, ribbon roping and team roping.

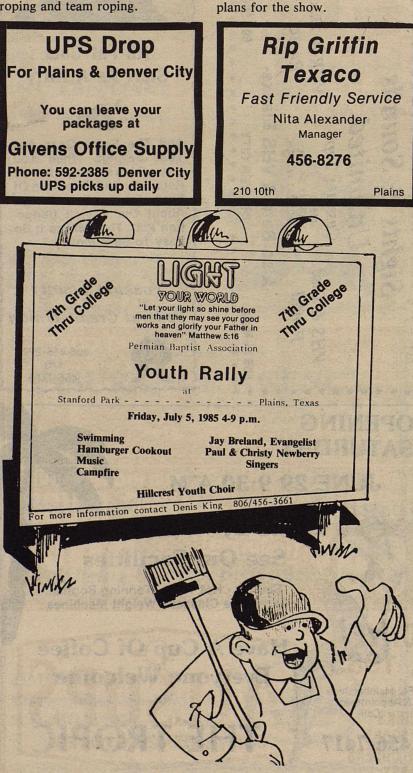
Concessions will be available. Entry deadline is **July 2**. Entries may be made by calling 806-456-2263. New Mexico entries should call 505-985-2653.

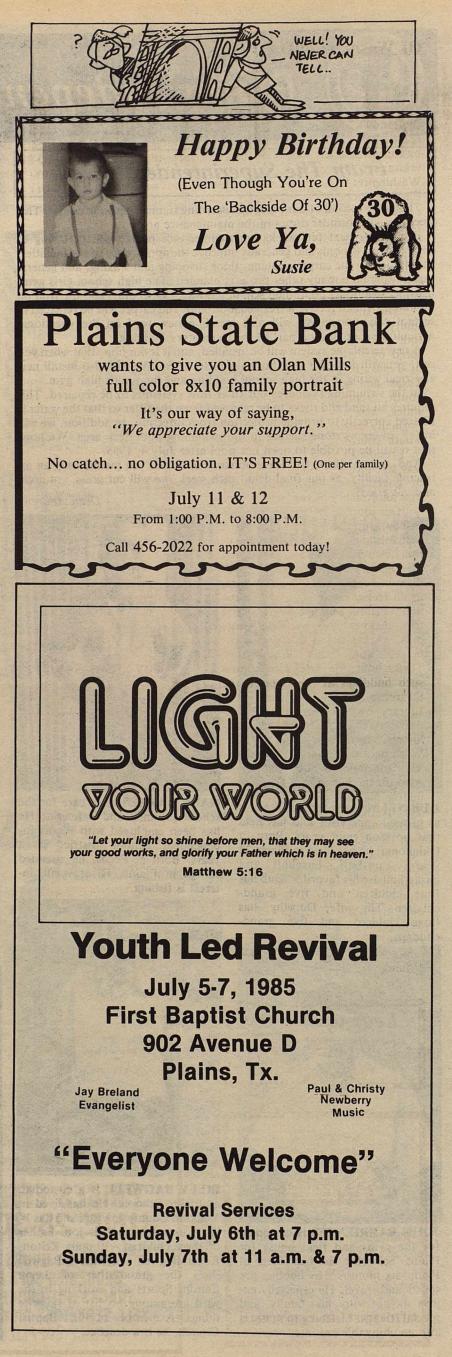
#### Show Judges Are Announced

Judges for the Tenth Annual Membership Show and Sale of Yoakum County Art Association have been announced by Linda Powell, show chairman. Serving for the Aug. 1-3 show are Janet Byble, Gale Webb and Deborah Cropp, all of Levelland.

Miss Powell reminds members that dues must be paid by July 2 in order to enter the 1985 show and sale.

Next meeting will be July 2 at 7 p.m. at the Art Association building. Topic of business will be plans for the show.





# **Randy Kennedy Tells Highlights**

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(Editor's Note: This story is shared by Randy Kennedy, one of 56 Texas teenagers to win a trip to Washington D.C., sponsored by the Electric Cooperatives of Texas.)

"Until recently, Washington D.C. was a distant, almost fabled city in my mind. I knew it only from images on a television screen or articles in a newspaper. During the last two weeks, however, this attitude has changed.

"This summer, I had the opportunity to participate in a five day tour of our nation's capitol, sponsored by the Electric Cooperatives of Texas. Fifty-six teenagers from Texas and almost one thousand youth, representing thirty-three states, were involved in the tour. Formally called the Rural Electric Youth Tour, the trip was originated by President Lyndon Johnson, as a way to educate youth in the process of government. 1985 marked the 21st anniversary of the tour.

"Our journey officially started on Friday, June 7, as the Texas participants and chaperones first met at the Lewisville Holiday Inn outside of Dallas. Dennis Engelke, tour director for the past ten years, made us all feel at home. The next morning, we embarked on a three day bus trip, making stops at West Memphis, Arkansas; Knoxville, Tennessee, and finally Washington. Throughout the week we toured such buildings as the Capitol, the Supreme Court Building, the Library of Congress and the National Archives. We visited many historic memorials including the Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln, Vietnam and Iwo Jima memorials. Also on the list of sights were Arlington National Cemetery, Ford's Theatre, Mt. Vernon, and the Smithsonian Institute. On Wednesday, climaxing the official welcoming party was President Reagan welcomed Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi of India to the White House. A police motorcade escorted our twenty-two buses through downtown Washington to the White House, where we viewed the ceremony on the White House grounds.



"Sadly, the trip ended back in Lewisville on Tuesday, June 18, as we said goodbye to the many close friends we had made. We all ended our journey with a much clearer

sense of the importance of our democratic government, the people who lived and died to make it great, and the hard work of our present leaders. In each of our minds there

was a fresh patriotism and respect for America.

"To me, Washington is no longer a distant fable. It is real and it's fantastic!"



