

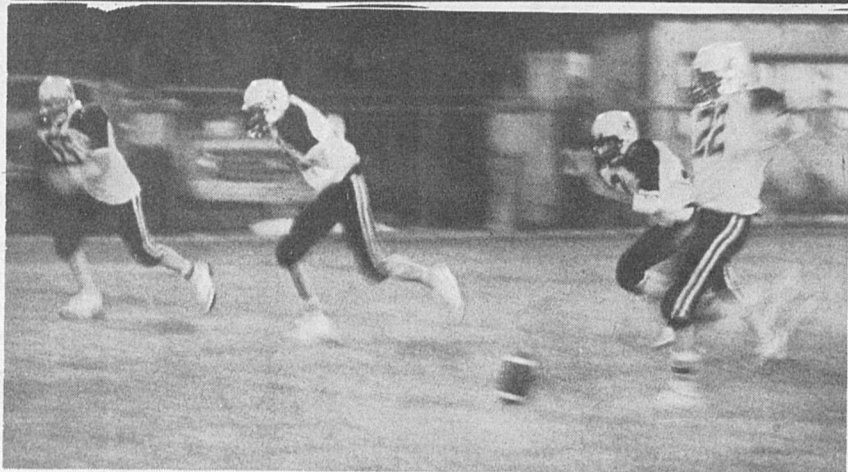
The Plains Pride



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SEPTEMBER 22, 1985



THE START OF SOMETHING GOOD -- Kickoff proved to be the onset of a victory for the Cowboys Friday night. Plains beat Amherst 25-18. (photo by Michael J. Hinkle)



LOOKING FOR A CONNECTION -- Quarterback Shanne McMinn pauses, in search of a receiver in Friday night's game with Amherst. (photo by Michael J. Hinkle)

Cowboy Quarterback Wins 1st With 16 Correct Predictions

Competition was brisk in the second week of the Pride's football guessing game. Four contestants battled for second and third place via the tie-breaker game.

Shanne McMinn was the first place winner. He correctly predicted the outcome of 16 games.

Wayne Davis, David McGill, Alan Barron and Jan Lester were correct on 15 predictions each so the Plains-Amherst score was required to break the tie.

Davis claims second place by guessing nearest the actual tie-breaker score. He was 17 points off with 20-6. McGill missed by 22 with 13-8 to win third place.

All contestants were given a point for the SMU-Oklahoma game regardless of how it was marked. That game was re-scheduled.

The contest is fun and open to everyone. It's easy to enter. Select a winner in each of the game's appearing in the official entry blank carried in The Plains Pride. Predict the tie-breaker score, sign name and

address and drop it in the designated envelopes at The Tin Shed or Pay-N-Save Grocery Store.

Season's Standings are listed

elsewhere in this issue. The top predictor will be given two tickets to the Dallas-Chicago football game, one night's stay in the Regent Hotel, including transportation to and from the game and cocktails before or after the game. It's a packaged deal valued at \$125 for two people. Transportation to and from Dallas will be at the winner's expense.

Turkey Shoot Set October 5

Yoakum County Young Farmers elected officers at their meeting Monday, Sept. 9 at the Plains Ag Building, and discussed the upcoming turkey shoot.

The Turkey Shoot was set Oct. 5 beginning at 10 a.m. and continuing until 4 p.m. It will be held three-fourths mile west of Plains on Highway 82.

Officers elected for this year were Ricky Bearden, president; John Gray, Charles Oswalt and Steve Jones, vice presidents; Tommy Box, secretary and reporter; and Don Parrish, treasurer.

Cowboys Sneak Past Bulldogs 25 - 18

By Randy Kennedy
Friday night, in the second game of the 1985 football season, the Cowboys emerged victorious over the Amherst Bulldogs, 25-18. Again, the Cowboys put on an exciting show and had the Plains crowd cheering on their feet through most of the second half.

After losing to the O'Donnell Eagles, 13-20 in the season opener, this game seems to have the Cowboys back on the right track.

In the first quarter action, the Cowboy defense got off to a slow start as they allowed Amherst quarterback, Michael Kidd, to connect with receiver number 88 for the first touchdown of the game. Then, in a strong offensive drive, the Cowboys retaliated and took the ball all the way up to the one yard line. The touchdown was not to be, however. A 15 yard penalty was called on the play and the Cowboys couldn't seem to fight their way back to the end zone. They were forced to settle for a field goal and senior Billy Curtis put it between the uprights for three points. So at the end of the first quarter, the score stood Amherst 6, Plains 3.

The Cowboy defense had an even

rougher time of it in the second quarter, as the Amherst offensive unit came on strong, moving the ball very well on the ground and in the air.

Amherst quarterback, Michael Kidd, in a forced pitchback from number 33, Ronnie Price, ran the ball in for a second Bulldog touchdown. The extra point attempt failed and the Bulldogs were up on the Cowboys by nine points.

Later, in spite of remarkable efforts by the Plains secondary defense, Kidd managed to complete another touchdown pass, this time to number 80, Jerry Smith. Again, the extra point attempt was no good and, as the discouraging half came to an end, the Amherst Bulldogs led 18-3.

Beginning the third quarter, the Cowboys emerged from the locker room like a new team and completely turned the game around. With 9:18 left in the quarter, runningback Billy Curtis fought his way into the end zone for Plains' first touchdown. Next, going for the two-point conversion, quarterback Shane McMinn connected with number 33, Martin Barrientes and brought the Cowboys to within seven points of the Bulldogs. Steadi-

ly, the Cowboys were fighting their way back into the game.

As the third quarter progressed, the determined Cowboy defense held the Bulldogs to little yardage. Finally, nearing the end of the quarter, Plains once again had possession of the ball and started on, perhaps, the most stunning drive of the game. First, McMinn connected on a long pass to sophomore Doug Green and brought the ball to within five yards of the goal line. Next, with the second Cowboy touchdown, McMinn threw a short touchdown pass to junior Joe Rivera and brought the score to Amherst 18, Plains 17. Finally, attempting a risky two-point conversion, sophomore Michael Diaz succeeded in penetrating the end zone and Plains was on top by one.

In the beginning seconds of the fourth quarter, Plains got a fortunate extension on their lead as Amherst fumbled the ball and sophomore Scott Lowrey recovered it in the end zone for another touchdown. With this break, Plains moved ahead by seven and maintained the lead through the entire fourth quarter. And as the final seconds of the game ticked away,

the scoreboard read Plains 25, Amherst 18.

Individual players recognized for their outstanding performance in
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Charismatics To Hold Convention

The "Alleluia Charismatic Community," of Plains Sacred Heart Church and Fr. Tom V. Parampil announces that the Charismatic Convention of 1985, will be held at Sacred Heart Church in Plains, Sunday, Sept. 22 at 2 p.m. Theme of the study this year will be, "The Lord Sanctifies the Church through the Sacraments".

Speakers will be Rev. Benny Brito, Mr. Ruben Martinez, Mrs. Lupe Kantu and Fr. Tom V. Parampil. Ordinary and hidden Saints of God, from various Charismatic Communities, such as Lubbock, Lamesa, Hobbs, Lovington, Tatum, Brownfield and Denver City will be sharing Spiritual Wisdom and Insight.

Everyone is invited to attend the worship services.

Community Education Classes Offered To Citizens Of Plains

Plains Independent School will begin fall classes the week of Sept. 30-Oct. 4 unless otherwise noted. Individuals may enroll in all classes by mail, using a registration form or by coming by Plains Resource Center from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. each day, the week of Sept. 23-27, 1000 10th St., Plains. There will also be a night registration from 6 until 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 24 and Thursday, Sept. 26 at the Plains Resource Center. For additional information about classes, call James Smith, Community Education Director at 456-7490.

The following classes will be offered this fall and repeated this-spring. Most classes require a minimum of 10 students to be offered. Students which are enrolled in classes that are cancelled will be given a refund of their enrollment fee. Students signing up for a class that closes because of maximum enrollment will have their name placed on a waiting list for the next time the course is offered.

More detailed descriptions of courses are available in booklet form in various business locations in Plains and at the Resource Center. Additional registration forms are also available at these locations.

Jazz Aerobics-Beginning, Elementary Activity Room, five weeks. Begins Sept. 30 Fall Session 1, Nov. 4 Fall Session 2.

5:30-6:30 p.m. Monday-Wednesday. Fee: \$10.

Country & Western Dancing, Elementary Activity Room, 10 weeks. Begins Sept. 30 Fall Session. 7-9 p.m. Monday. Fee: \$20.

Welding, Agriculture Building, six weeks. Begins Oct. 14, Fall Session, 7-9 p.m. Monday. Fee \$15.

Cake Decorating-Beginning, Home Ec Room, six weeks. Begins Oct. 10, Fall Session. 7-9 p.m. Thursday. Fee \$12.

Basic Photography, Plains Resource Center, five weeks. Begins Oct. 1, Fall Session. 5:30-8:30 p.m. Tuesday. Fee \$15.

Bookkeeping, Accounting Room, eight weeks. Begins Oct. 3, Fall Session. 7-9 p.m., Thursday. Fee \$16.

Typing-Beginning, Typing room, eight weeks. Begins Oct. 7, Fall Session. 7-9 p.m. Monday. Fee \$16.

Beginning computer, Computer Lab, eight weeks. Begins Oct. 8, Fall Session. 7-9 p.m. Tuesday. Fee \$16.

Beginning Computer Programming, Computer Lab, eight weeks. Begins Oct. 10, Fall Session. 7-9 p.m. Thursday. Fee \$16.

Calligraphy, Plains Resource Center, three weeks. Begins Oct. 7, Fall Session. 6-8 p.m. Monday. Fee \$6.

Chain Saw/Small Engine Repair, Shop Building, six weeks. Begins Oct. 14, Fall Session. 6-8 p.m. Monday. Fee \$12.

Woodworking, shop building, 10 weeks. Begins Oct. 1, Fall Session. 6-9 p.m. Tuesday. Fee \$30.

Beginning Tennis, tennis courts, four weeks. Begins Sept. 30, Fall Session. 5:30-6:30 p.m. Mondays-Wednesday. Fee \$15.

Intermediate Tennis, tennis courts, four weeks. Begins Oct. 1, Fall Session. 5:30-6:30 p.m. Tuesdays-Thursdays. Fee \$15.

Beginning Square Dancing, Elementary Activity Room, 10 lessons. Begins Oct. 3, Fall Session. 6-8 p.m. Tuesday. Fee \$20.

Oil Painting, high school art room. five weeks. Begins Oct. 1, Fall Session, 6-9 p.m. Tuesday. Fee \$30.

Word Processing, computer lab, six weeks. Begins Oct. 14, Fall Session. 6-7:30 p.m. Monday. Fee \$9.

Computer Applications, computer lab, six weeks. Begins Oct. 14, Fall Session. 7:30-8:30 p.m. Monday. Fee \$6.

Swimming, swimming pool, eight weeks. Begins Oct. 10, Fall Session. 7-8 p.m. Thursday. Fee \$8.

Powder Puff Mechanics, agriculture building, four weeks. Begins Oct. 17. 7-9 p.m. Thursday. Fee \$8.

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THE PLAINS PRIDE PRESENTS children of Jerry and Jan Parrish. They are seven-year-old Kirk and five-year-old Lisa. Grandparents are Jack and Jo Adams of Centralia, Missouri; and Harold and Wanda Parrish of Tokio. Great-grandmothers are Mrs. Annie Bess Wilson of Mexico, Missouri and Mrs. Ethel Langford of Brownfield.

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Kitchen Korner

Phyllis Addison, a family-oriented person whose main interest is working in her church, shares family favorites with recipe collectors and cooks in the area.

A Sunday School teacher for the four and five year olds, she and her husband, Claude are members of First Baptist Church.

A graduate of Plains High School, Phyllis was reared in the Tokio community. Her mother is Martha Trout.

Other favorite pastimes include sewing, oil painting and traveling. This past July, the Addisons toured the New England states where the scenery was reported to be outstanding.

Phyllis and Claude have an extensive collection of Indian art, which they have displayed in their home.

They have two children, Debbie, who is married to Trevor Jones and teaches second grade at Bowie Elementary in Midland. Their son, Tim, and his wife, Judi, make their home on a farm near Plains.

REFRIGERATOR PAN ROLLS

Combine:
 ¾ c hot water
 ½ c sugar
 1 T salt

3 T margarine
 Cool to lukewarm.

Dissolve 2 pkgs dry yeast in 1 c warm water. Add water mixture, 2 beaten egg, 2½ c flour.

Beat until smooth. Add enough flour (2¾ c) to make soft dough.

Turn out on lightly floured board. Knead until smooth and elastic. Place in greased bowl, turning to grease top. Cover tightly. Store in refrigerator until needed. May be kept for 4 or 5 days. Punch dough down. Turn on lightly floured board and divide into 3 pieces. Form dough into smooth balls. Place in 3 greased 8 inch round cake pans. Cover. Let rise in

warm place until doubled, about 1 hour. Bake at 350° for about 25 mins.

SPINACH SOUFFLE

1 pkg frozen chopped spinach
 4 T butter
 4 T flour
 1 T minced onion
 1 c milk
 2 eggs separated
 1 c shredded cheese

Melt butter and saute onion until tender. Add flour. Gradually add milk and cook until thickened. Add cheese and stir until it melts. Add drained spinach and beaten egg yolks. Beat egg whites until stiff and fold into spinach mixture. Pour into greased casserole and bake at 350° for 40 minutes or until knife inserted comes out clean.

BANANA DELIGHT PIE

Prepare 1 pkg (6 serving size) Jello Vanilla instant pudding with 2 c milk.

Set aside 1 c filling. Pour thin layer of remaining filling into cooled baked 9" pie shell. Slice 1½ bananas. Arrange on filling. Top with rest of filling. Blend ½ c Cool Whip into measured filling. Spread over filling. Chill 3 hours. Garnish with bananas and Cool Whip.

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In Last Week's Recipes In Kitchen Korner, of Tea Time Tassies, (the Pecan Filling) - please add 1 T softened butter. Also, under the French Apple Pie - the filling should be baked in a pie crust.

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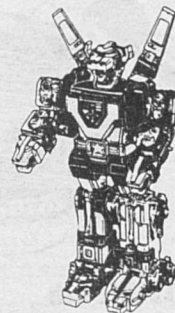


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Yoakum County Treasurer Nominated For Top Honor

Genice Logan, Yoakum County Treasurer, is one of five county treasurers in the state of Texas who has been nominated for Outstanding County Treasurer of Texas. This is an honor bestowed by fellow treasurers of the County Treasurers' Association of Texas.

Genice married Jack Logan in 1951. They are parents of two grown children - Jeff, a law student at the University of Texas, and Laura, employed with Texaco, Inc. in Midland.

Mrs. Logan is a member of First Baptist Church where she teaches in the Single Adult department, a member of the Denver City Chamber of Commerce, and active in community affairs.

Since assuming office, the county has installed a computer system, with the treasurer's office keeping records of transactions of county finances.

Linda Wall Attends Workshop

Fashion Consultant, Linda Wall, has recently returned from a two day training workshop held in Edmond, Okla.

The featured speaker at the event was a Karla Jordan representative from Milwaukee. The program dealt with belts and jewelry accessories, for today's fashion look.

With the enactment of House Bill 570, requiring a county treasurer to complete 20 classroom hours of instruction in an accredited public institution of higher education, the Continuing Education program was initiated. The Continuing Education Committee, of which Genice was chairman, worked with the V.G. Young Institute of County Government at College Station to implement the program where CEUnits are issued through A&M University to those completing the course.

Illa Trout Hosts Ext. Homemakers

Turner Extension Homemakers met Tuesday, Sept. 10 at 2 p.m. in the home of Illa Trout.

Pork cookery was program topic, presented by Mary Dale Williams, agent.

Officers for 1986 club year were elected with Jerry Lollar being named president. Edith Tuggle was selected vice president; Dorothy Jones, secretary-treasurer; Fern Lowrey, reporter; Bitsy Martin, assistant reporter; and Sherry Burrows and Cecilia Knight, council delegates.

Those present were Mmes. Emily Balling, Jim Burrows, J. Dale Curtis, Velma Dearing, T.A. Elmore, Jerry Lollar, Dorothy Jones, Bitsy Martin, Maurene Smith, Rita Snodgrass, Illa Trout and Gay Wilmeth.

Next meeting will be in the home of Randy Tuggle at 2 p.m. Oct. 8. Program will be on blooming vests.



1984 "MISS SOUTH PLAINS" SANDY RAMOS

Sandy Ramos Will Crown New "Miss South Plains"

A new "Miss South Plains" will be chosen at the 1985 pageant scheduled Nov. 9 in the J.W. Jones Auditorium in Denver City.

The reigning "Miss South Plains", Sandy Ramos from this city will crown the new queen.

All young ladies ages 15-19 as of Dec. 31, 1985, are eligible to enter. There is no entry fee and no talent competition. Application forms and information may be had by contacting Ray Trent, P.O. Box 162, Denver City, Tx. 79323.

The new queen will reign for one year, receiving a cash award and trophy.

A Jr. Miss Contest for girls, ages 11-14 is scheduled at the same time,

as is a Little Miss Pageant for ages 6-10 and Tiny Miss South Plains for girls one to five years old.

The pageant is held in conjunction with the thirteenth annual South Plains Music Festival and Old Settlers Reunion.

Old Settlers will be recognized; top vocalists and musicians will be chosen; and the crowning of the new queen will conclude the festivities at 8 p.m.

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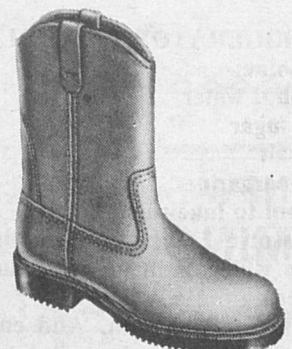
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Plains Independent School District



LOIS MILLER, a native of Plains, is teaching fourth grade in Plains Elementary Schools. She holds a BS degree from College of the Southwest and has 18 years teaching experience. She and her husband, T.J. have four daughters - Sherry Melecki, Glenda Otte, Donna Miller and Betty Miller. They have one granddaughter, Meredith. Listed as favorites, Lois enjoys reading, sewing and participating in T.J.'s city functions.



THELMA CHEATHAM, second grade teacher, is a graduate of Texas Tech and holds a BS Education degree. Teaching for 14 years, 13 of those years have been at Plains, where she was born and reared. She and her husband, Leon, have three children - Donna Timmons, Laurie Cheatham and Mike Cheatham. There are two grandchildren, Danya and Taryn Timmons. Thelma's hobbies are oil and pastel painting, drawing, reading, knitting, crocheting, gardening and sewing. She is a member of Plains Classroom Teachers Association and Yoakum County Art Association.

Adult Classes Will Be Offered

Adult Basic Education is an informal class for those 17 years or older who have been out of school for at least a year. The class is continuous, allowing individuals to enter at any time and stay as long as necessary to achieve their personal goals.

The class may be used for the preparation for the G.E.D. test or to learn the basic skills such as reading, arithmetic, writing and spelling. This class, along with all books and materials, is available at no cost. A minimum number of students must be enrolled for the class to be offered and to continue to the end of the school year. Please tell others about this opportunity so that we can offer the class.

Plains High School Building
Begins Oct. 8 7-9 p.m.

Tuesdays-Thursdays Fee: None
Call 456-7490 for additional information.

What's Cooking At School?



BREAKFAST

MONDAY - Toast, oatmeal, grape juice, milk.

TUESDAY - Cinnamon rolls, apple juice, milk.

WEDNESDAY - Toast, scrambled eggs, orange juice, milk.

THURSDAY - Waffles, syrup, butter, tomato juice, milk.

FRIDAY - Fruit loops, pineapple juice, milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY - Fish with tarter sauce, mashed potatoes, green peas, combination salad, hot rolls and butter, peanut butter and honey, milk.

TUESDAY - Taco with taco sauce, corn, lettuce and tomatoes, sopapillas, cinnamon spread, crackers, milk.

WEDNESDAY - Cheeseburger, lettuce and tomatoes, onion rings, corn chips, fruit cup, oatmeal raisin cookies, milk.

THURSDAY - Chicken salad on lettuce, potato salad, carrot sticks, dill spears, crackers, pineapple shortcake, milk.

FRIDAY - Pork chops with gravy, buttered rice, green beans, lettuce wedge, hot rolls, strawberry Jello, milk.

From The Superintendent's Desk



....AND NOW FOR YOUR HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENT. Many of the recent studies and recommendations regarding public education have emphasized the need for students to have additional homework.

Homework is any work related to school learning done outside the classroom, outside the regular school work hours, not under the immediate and direct supervision of the teacher and presumably at home under the supervision of the parent.

Why have homework? Perhaps with the new emphasis on the quality of education and the push for change in education, a different role for homework would be of more benefit to teachers, administrators, parents, and students. Homework is pivotal to developing self-discipline and good working habits.

Tips For Assigning Homework:

1. Students need to be aware of the value and usefulness of the assignment.
2. Assignments should be individualized to meet the maturity and ability needs of the student.
3. Homework should never be used as a form of punishment.
4. Amount of time needed to complete homework should be considered carefully when determining assignment.
5. Homework assignments should be planned as carefully as the classroom assignment.
6. Teachers have the responsibility to see that homework is evaluated and returned to the student.
7. All homework should enrich and extend the students' learning.
8. All assignments should be clearly explained and specific with illustrations and demonstration by the teacher.
9. Before any homework is assigned it is the teacher's responsibility to see that the concept taught in class is understood.

How can I help my elementary school child with homework?

1. Provide a specific time each day when homework is to be done.
2. Provide a specific place where child can study without interruption.
3. Assist the child in the following manner:
 - A. Read directions for the assignment to your child or have your child read the directions to you.
 - B. Have your child do the first question on the assignment.
 - C. If the item is correct ask the child to move to the next questions.
 - D. If child makes an error on the first item, demonstrate an item and work with the student.
 - E. Once your child has demonstrated accurate performance, have him/her complete the assignment.
4. Praise the child for completion of work.
5. Provide the support when the child has difficulty with the assignment.



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SCHOOL EVENTS

Sept. 23-28

MONDAY - Volleyball, Lamesa, T, 7th & 8th, 4:30 p.m.

TUESDAY - Volleyball, Brownfield, H, 9th, JV, V, 5 p.m.

THURSDAY - LCHS - T, 7th, 8th, JV, 5 p.m.

FRIDAY - Pep rally, football field, 7:30 p.m. Football, L.C.H.S., H, V, 8 p.m.

SATURDAY - Volleyball, Seminole, T, JV, V, 2 p.m.; Crane Tournament, 9th; Denver City Junior High Tourney.

Girls Volleyball Results Given; Coaches Comment On Matches

Plains participated in the Denver City Tournament which was held Sept. 13-14. They won their game against Levelland J.V. 15-8 and 15-9; they beat Kermit, 15-2 and 15-8; and lost to Alpine, 13-5 and 11-15.

Plains played the host team for third place, winning 15-11 and 15-13. Traci Nance was high server with 12 points.

Coach Cain said, "Inconsistency was what hurt us this weekend. I was pleased with the way the girls came back after losing to Alpine. They showed determination and a good attitudes." Ninth grade volleyball girls were at Wellman Saturday, Sept. 14, winning 15-2, 15-4. Lydia Jimenez served 10 points.

played well together considering that this was their second game of the season. "We are looking forward to the Big Spring Tournament this weekend."

Plains JV girls traveled to Wellman also and won 15-5, 15-6.

Coach Pierce commented, "The JV girls met Wellman's varsity girls Saturday morning with the determination to win. Wellman is in the process of trying to build a volleyball program. I feel we performed in a way to show a true example of real volleyball."

Varsity girls met Kermit at Plains Tuesday, Sept. 17 and won their matches, 15-10, 15-5. Toni Lowrey served nine points.

Coach Cain said, "We got off to a slow start but played much better as the match progressed. We still need to improve in some areas but I am pleased with our progress."

Junior Varsity girls played Kermit and lost 15-2, 15-12. Vonda Fitzgerald served nine points.

Coach Pierce said, "Kermit escaped with a victory here Tuesday night but not without a fight from the Plains JV. It seemed like we were doing everything right, but ended up with the short end of the stick. Vonda Fitzgerald's performance at the net helped lead the way in our defensive effort."

The ninth grade girls were victorious over Kermit, 13-15, 15-2, 13-15. Heather McGill served 10 points.

Coach Foster commented, "This was our third game of the season and the girls showed enthusiasm and determination. I was especially proud of the way they never gave up and were able to come back and win the third game."

Junior High Volleyball team from seventh grade played Denver City A Sept. 16 and won 15-9, 15-11. Sandra Ramos served 11 points.

Coach Pierce said, "The girls played well in both games. We came close to losing our momentum a couple of times but recovered before having to slit games with Denver City."

Eighth grade volleyball girls won over Denver City A team 9-15, 15-8, 15-9. Sally Burrus served 13 points.

Coach Foster stated, "I was very pleased by the way the girls didn't give up when we were down one game and needed the third game

badly. We need a lot of improvement on our serves and working as a team."

Seventh grade "B" team met Denver City "A" Sept. 16 at Plains, winning 15-7, 15-1. Shannon Squyres served eight points.

Coach Pierce said, "The girls played well together as a team. We had a few problems with our serve the first game but our defensive effort put us back on top."

Eighth grade "B" team won over Denver City "B" 15-7, 15-5. Sonia Vasquez served 10 points.

Coach Foster said, "I was pleased with the overall play of these girls. They worked as a team and never let up."

Cowboys...

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the game were senior Billy Curtis who rushed for 65 yards; sophomore Doug Green with three interceptions and 33 reception yards and senior Mickey McMinn, leading receiver with 68 yards. Leading tacklers in the game, once again were Curtis and sophomore Bryan Baldwin.



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State ASC Committee Cites Need For Sound 1985 Farm Bill

"We need sound farm policy that helps Texas farmers, but also has fiscal restraint," according to Harold Thomas, Chairman of the State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee. Thomas reiterated the Reagan Administration's farm bill goal at the close of the Sept. 6 committee meeting.

New legislation is needed to replace the four-year law which expires at the end of this month.

Thomas' comments on behalf of the State ASC Committee closely followed the resumption of the farm bill debate by the Congress in Washington this week, and the committee's 'conference' with Secretary Block by telephone, and as his representatives on Federal farm policy here in the State the committee wanted to pass on some of what was discussed," Thomas said.

"Our major objectives are the same as when the legislative process began earlier this year," Thomas said. "Three objectives are central to the Administration philosophy."

"First, we must become more competitive in world markets. Reducing price and income support levels is essential, so that we send a clear signal to our competitors that we are serious about regaining lost export markets. We must no longer hold the price umbrella for the world," Thomas said.

"Second, we are committed to a policy of compassion for farmers. That means we want to spend enough money to carry our producers through a transition period as we work toward a reduction in farmer dependence on government."

"And, third, we recognize the need to reduce the Federal deficit. So, we believe the new farm bill should adhere to the Congress' spending limitation. That will mean less and less annual Federal layouts for farm programs."

He also itemized some things being proposed as part of the new farm bill that the State Committee agreed were unacceptable.

Janice Herrera Feted At Party

Janice Herrera was honored recently on her birthday with a party in her home.

Her birthday cake was decorated as a unicorn and was served with punch and ice cream.

Twenty eight young people and a number of relatives were present. The youngsters danced to records and tapes and played games.

The honoree received a disco light and console stereo from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garza. Her grandparents gave her a piano telephone and her aunt and uncle, Alice and Davis gave her a cassette carrier and cassette.

Paul Navarette helped to set up the lights for the party.

Other gifts were money, stuffed animals and a night gown from friends.

"Mandatory controls are unacceptable. Most farmers want less government control, not more," Thomas said.

"Marketing loans with unlimited budget exposure are not acceptable. The cost could be tremendous with a program that would allow farmers to take out loans at one price and pay them off at the market price."

"We oppose freezing target prices. This would encourage more agricultural production than we need, because of the guaranteed price."

"We also oppose the proposed dairy diversion program. We've already tried that, and it doesn't work. The cost to government would be high. The cost to consumers would be high. And, it would get the government deeper into the dairy business with inequities in the dairy industry as a result."

"And, finally," Thomas said, "We oppose a simple extension of the present farm legislation. Why keep programs that price farmers out of world markets at a tremendous cost to taxpayers?"



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BROTHER DIES

Leona Crenshaw's brother, Ralph Lowry, 70, of Albuquerque, N.M., passed away Saturday, Sept. 14 at his home. Services were held Tuesday, Sept. 17 in Albuquerque.

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The Center stays busy. Everyone should come for lunch while we have all these good watermelons and cantelopes that our farmer friends donate. The fresh things from the country are appreciated -- and enjoyed.

Visiting the Center on Monday were Bill and Elaine Parnell. It was great to see Elaine back. She was one of the most dedicated exercise girls before moving away.

Bill Pardue is still at Lubbock in the hospital. The others of our sick people have been able to return to their homes. We hope all will soon be fully recovered. Everyone looks forward to having Pat Clark back real soon. She is still being lazy at home.

This Friday is birthday night. If any of our seniors have a September birthday please call and let us know. Would appreciate a call from the Plains people who have birthdays. Come let us make growing older an easy thing!

New visitors at the Center this week were my sister-in-law from Arizona, and nephew from Abilene. It always makes us walk tall to show our Center to out-of-town visitors, or home-town people, for that matter. We are all proud of our place. A busy week just passed and no more time for news, so...

See Ya Next Time, Smitty

P.S. (from Plains Senior Citizens)

was not available this week

That Homing Instinct

Louis Crenshaw
United Methodist Church

Growing old would not matter so much if our friends would remain in our village and get old with us. But, alas, to be old more often is to be alone.

True, we make new friends. Still we acknowledge that there are no friends like old friends no matter how caring new friends are.

The poet expressed this truth well. "Be it ever so humble, there is no place like home." To each of us no matter how old we may become, there will come a time when we would like to go back to the old home place and become a child once again if only for a day. Harsh experiences we live through make us want to be tied to mother's apron strings once again.

Another fact is evident. Home is not so much a place as it is the people who have lived in that place. Some of us remember thatched roofs and oaken buckets at the nearby well on the edge of wild woods. These are but symbols that remind us of the people who lived there.

In April, I went back to the old home place in Arkansas. The roof was gone, the well caved in, and the oaken bucket lay in staves. Except for one woman, the people were gone, most to the cemetery.

When we sing of places and things that were nestled in the Red River Valley, our thoughts are really of persons, for home is where they are. There our hearts are also.

There will come a time when the homing instinct will grow strong. Earthly places won't count for much because the people are no longer there. They are gathering in the Celestial City where they need no sun.

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Yoakum County 4-H Leaders Plan Youth Poster Contest

Yoakum County 4-H Adult Leaders organization met Sept. 12, at 7:30 p.m. in the Old Courthouse to discuss committees for the upcoming 4-H year. Gary Jones presided over discussions about the 4-H achievement banquet Oct. 5, national 4-H week which is that same week, and the poster contest which is open to any 4-H'er in Yoakum County.

Posters entered must be standard size and are due in the Extension Office at Plains by Sept. 27 at 4 p.m. Independent judges will award ribbons and prize money to the first three places in each category.

Sub-Junior will include youngsters from Kindergarten through third grade; Juniors will be fourth grade through sixth grade students, and Seniors will consist of grade seven on up through high school.

Commissioners Court

Commissioners met in regular session Monday, Sept. 16 with County Judge Paul Cobb presiding. Others present included commissioners John Avara, R.W. Thurston, Jim Barron, Johnnie L. Fitzgerald and Ruby Bruton, county clerk.

Sheriff Jimmie Rice requested that two of his extra hire dispatchers be approved for full time status. Request was granted and Rebecca Carr, effective Sept. 3 began full time at \$1,216.87 and Loretta Houck, effective Sept. 4, began at the same salary.

Commissioners voted to allow discounts for early payment of 1985 taxes. They adopted an order regarding the depositing of fees collected by county officials, with the exception of the tax assessor-collector. Fees are to be deposited with the County Treasurer no later than the next regular business day following the day the fees are received.

Miscellaneous bills and extra hire were read and approved and dismissal of meeting followed.

A turkey shoot will be held in November and the food projects are now beginning. Any youngster in Yoakum County is eligible to enroll in 4-H and most projects are supervised by adult volunteer leaders.

Extension agents Mary Dale Williams and David Kight were present to advise the group Thursday night. The National 4-H Week committee members are Linda Powell, chairperson, Gale McDonnell and Juanee Williams. On the Achievement Banquet committee are Sheila Stephens, chairperson, Suzy Powell and Toni Jones.

Season's Standings

(Those Not Listed Are Still Recorded)

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27 Pts

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Library News



Film Time, Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 10 a.m., found 30 pre-schoolers in attendance. Special occasion was a birthday party for Lisa Parrish. Lisa's mother, Jan, brought decorated cookies and birthday napkins.

Dolores Davis and Janelle Brantley entertained with stories "The New Baby" and games. Grady has a new baby brother at his house and all the little ones had exciting things to tell about their summer vacation.

Those attending were Kelton and Ashli Mason, Joshua Bayer, Lindsay Cullins, Marcey House, Cessie Gallegos, Scott Sears, Tandi and Kimberly Jones, Linzie Rust, Lesli Rowe, Adrian and Monica Ramos, Pat and Christopher McGinty, Joshua, Kaleb and Daniel Clay, Lisa Parrish, Grady Parr, Tanner Blount, Kelsey and Krystle Blundell, Kayla Redman, Fabian Garza, Morgan and Chase Williams, Shay Ann and Megan Allsup and Brett Squyers.

Film Time, Wednesday, Sept. 18, was attended by 30 children and 13 adults. Dolores Davis and Janelle Brantley showed a film entitled

"Swimmy" and read a story, "Hoppy Long Legs."

Pledge of Allegiance to the U.S. Flag was first on the agenda, followed by the film and story, then songs and games.

Attending were Ashli and Kelton Mason, Kimberly and Tandi Jones, Linzie Rust, Kristen Gray, Tanner Blount, Lisa Parrish, Krystle Blundell, Kayla Redman, Ragan McGinty, Lesli Rowe, Lindsay Cullins, Marcey House, Scott Sears, Aaron Cain, Shay Ann and Megan Allsup, Adrian and Monica Ramos, Nicholas and Nathan Burrows, Joshua Burris, Tommie and Grady McNabb, Dawn Garland, Christen Burrows, Kaleb, Joshua and Daniel Clay.

Next Film Time is scheduled Sept. 25 at the library at 10 a.m.

RECENT GUESTS

Visiting in the home of Henry and Dolly Ramos during the Labor Day weekend were Nick and Divine Vanput of Junction City, Kansas. They traveled to Carlsbad, N.M. to view the caverns and also spent some time in Lubbock.



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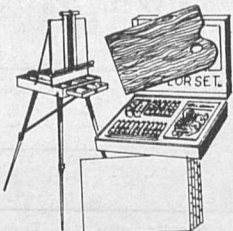
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Plains Dirt Gardeners Hold Their First Meeting

Mrs. W.M. Overton presented the program at the Plains Dirt Gardeners club meeting Monday, Sept. 16 as they met for the first time this year in the Old Courthouse Clubroom at 2:30 p.m.

"The purpose in the life of any plant is to reproduce itself. The strength in the roots, stems and leaves derived from its environment determines the amount it can produce," Mrs. Overton explained. "This also determines the flowers. Removing all lateral buds and leaving the terminal bud causes the plant to spend its strength on the terminal bud, making a large beautiful flower that will enhance any flower show, artistic design or the grower's enjoyment."

Mrs. H.N. Parks, president, conducted the business meeting. Reports were given by the yearbook committee, flower show committee and reports on the landscaping at the triangle east of town. The

Heart Association Holds Workshop

The American Heart Association is celebrating its 50th year in Texas with a Regional Volunteer Workshop, to be held in the University-City Club at 2601 19th Street in Lubbock, Sept. 26.

Dinner will be served at a cost of \$11 per person. A cash bar will be available if desired. The West Texas Skippers will be performing their national-award-winning rope skipping skills, for the evening entertainment.

Yoakum County has been chosen to receive the Heart & Torch Award from the Texas affiliate of American Heart Association. There will be six small group discussions where leaders will represent ideas. Door prizes will also be given. The workshop will dismiss at 9:30 p.m.

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District I, Central Zone meeting, scheduled to be held in Plains Nov. 8, was discussed.

Three new members were welcomed into the club. They are Mrs. Irene Chitwood, Mrs. Edna Chambliss and Mrs. Bertie Tingle.

Hostesses for the first meeting were Mrs. Neil Parks and Mrs. Robert Young. Refreshments of brandied fruit cake, cheese cubes, chips, tea and Coke were served to 13 members.

The club will meet Oct. 17 at 2:30 p.m. in the clubroom.



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HEALTH AND BEAUTY AIDS

PEDIA CARE CHILDREN'S LIQUID COUGH
SYRUP 4 OZ. BTL. **\$2³⁹**

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SINE-AID SINUS RELIEF
TABLETS 24 CT. BTL. **\$2⁶⁹**




US NO. 1 RUSSET
POTATOES
49¢
 5 LB. BAG
 EXTRA FANCY NEW CROP RED
ROME APPLES LB. **49¢**
 CALIFORNIA
BROCCOLI LB. **49¢**
 TEXAS GREEN
CABBAGE LB. **15¢**
 THIS WEEK'S FEATURE ITEM:
 24% LEAD CRYSTAL WINE
GLASS W/\$5.00 PURCHASE **\$1⁹⁹**



HELLMANN'S
REAL MAYONNAISE
\$1⁷⁹
 QUART JAR



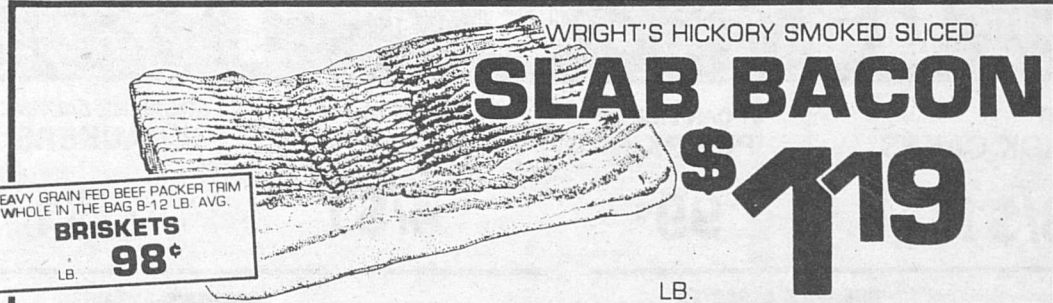
ALL TYPES
DORITOS CHIPS
\$1³⁹
 \$2.09 SIZE



SKIPPY SMOOTH OR CRUNCHY
PEANUT BUTTER
 18 OZ. JAR **\$1⁴⁹**




WRIGHT'S HICKORY SMOKED SLICED
SLAB BACON
\$1¹⁹
 LB.



HEAVY GRAIN FED BEEF PACKER TRIM
 WHOLE IN THE BAG 8-12 LB. AVG.
BRISKETS
 LB. **98¢**

OSCAR MAYER REGULAR MEAT
WIENERS 1 LB. PKG. **\$1⁸⁹**
 LOUIS RICH BONELESS FULLY COOKED 3-5 LB.
TURKEY HAMS LB. **\$1⁸⁹**
 LOUIS RICH SLICED TURKEY
BOLOGNA 8 OZ. PKG. **79¢**
 ARMOUR PRE-COOKED CHICKEN FRIED
BEEF PATTIES LB. **\$1⁴⁹**
 GOOCH GERMAN BRAND SMOKED
SAUSAGE 12 OZ. PKG. **\$1⁴⁹**
 GOOCH MEXICAN STYLE
HOT LINKS LB. **\$1⁴⁹**

TV SPECIAL
ALL GRINDS
FOLGER'S COFFEE
\$2¹⁹
 1 LB. CAN



NICE & SOFT
BATH TISSUE
99¢
 4 ROLL PKG.



KLEENEX SOFTIQUE FACIAL
TISSUE
79¢
 150 CT. BOX



ALL GRINDS COFFEE DECAFFEINATED
COFFEE 13 OZ. CAN **\$3²⁹**

REGULAR INSTANT COFFEE
COFFEE 8 OZ. JAR **\$3⁶⁹**

DECAFFEINATED INSTANT COFFEE
COFFEE 8 OZ. JAR **\$4⁶⁹**

KRAFT ASSORTED POURABLE
DRESSINGS 8 OZ. BTL. **79¢**



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