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**TWENTY-FIVE CENTS** 



"I DARE YOU" Awards were presented to 4-H members, Amy Jones and Jay London, during the annual 4-H Achievement Banquet, held Tuesday in the Plains School Cafeteria.

# Nikki McGinty Chosen For 4-H Gold Star Award

Yoakum County 4-H Achievement Banquet was held Tuesday evening. Theme of the annual event was "4-H for Youth, for America".

Mistress of ceremonies was Raecene Robertson. Invocation was spoken by Lebert Powell. Amy Jones led the Pledge of Allegiance, 4-H Pledge and 4-H Motto.

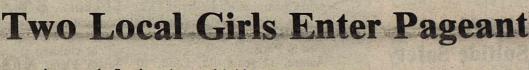
Welcome and introduction of special guests were by Miss Robertson. Keith Earnest introduced the speaker, Scott Syamken. Adult leaders were recognized by Alisa Williams.

David Kight, Extension Agent, made the presentation of Outstanding Junior Awards to Brandon McGinty and Brad Ashburn. Gary Jones, president of Yoakum County Adult Leaders, presented Richard Rafferty with the Outstanding Adult Leader Award and Dick McGinty and Johnny Fitzgerald with Friend of 4-H Awards.

Judge Paul Cobb gave 4-H's high honor, the "Gold Star Award", to Nikki McGinty. Past Gold Star recipients were recognized by Harry Richardson in memory of Carolyn Richardson Weeks.

Miss McGinty will be recognized at the Gold Star Banquet Nov. 24 in Lubbock.

Appreciation is extended Lynegar Electric Cooperative for their contribution to the awards banquet.



The fourteenth annual South Plains Music Festival and Old Settlers Reunion is scheduled Saturday, Oct. 25 in the J.W. Jones auditorium at 803 N. Ave. F in Denver City.

The festival will feature Gospel singing, Country-Western and Bluegrass music. A band contest has also been scheduled, with first place trophies to be presented to the best band and to the top male and female vocalist of the year. Winners will be announced following the program.

A parade through downtown Denver City will kick off the day's activities, getting underway at 11 a.m. Clubs and organizations are invited to enter floats and all musi-

### Shane McMinn Takes Top-Spot

Second place winner, Shane McMinn, takes the top spot this week, with 100 points tallied thus far in the "Season's Standings". Brad McMinn, close behind with 99 points, wins third place, with 20 correct guesses.

Lance Morrow and Shane McMinn tied for first place with 21 points. Tie-breaker game was figured and Morrow's guess was off seven points as McMinn's score was 22 points off.

Morrow will receive a check for \$10; S. McMinn, \$7.50 and B. McMinn, \$5. The season's top grid guesser will earn an additional \$100 at the close of the contest. Game instructions are found inside this issue on the official entry form. cians, celebrities, ex-queens, queen candidates and parents are invited to ride in the parade.

Immediately after the parade, Country Western and Bluegrass music will be presented by various groups until 3 p.m. at which time the Old Time Fiddle Playing and Old Timer Awards will be presented from 3 to 4 p.m. Country Music will then resume and continue until 5 p.m.

Gospel singing is slated 5 to 7 p.m. A drawing for a half beef is set at 7 p.m., with the coronation of Queen and trophy presentations to follow. Persons do not have to be present to win the beef, but all other prizes during the day will be given only to those who are present.

Entertainers contacted for the festival are the Echo Valley Boys, Katie's Kitchen Band, The Bertrand Family, Raquel Chaves, Doug Henry and the Intermediate School Chorale, the Jesse Partlow Band, Robin Zingerman, Betty Icenogle, Sonny Huffman Band, Jaquie Curtis, Gina McCurley, The Redmans, The Plains Rubies, Theresa Galvan, Jennifer Bearce, Jeanette Wauson, James Kays, The Boyer Twins, Willie and Roxie Luster, The Promise Land Singers, Hutchings Family Singers, Lindy Durham, Donie Anderson, Jessie Pate, Wayne Sumruld, Billie Hamlett, Bea Emery, Pat Hales, Shannon Farmer, Rainbo Trio, Michele Evens, Anchor Brothers, Raymond Kelley, Red Moore and Friends, Carol Metz, Dennis Snider, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Keys, Betty Stevens and Texas Junior Star Crystal Grisson.

Forty young ladies have entered the pageant this year. Entries are from Andrews, Brownfield, Denver City, Hobbs, Lovington, Seagraves, Seminole and Plains.

Welcome address will be given by Denver City Mayor Mike Fears. The Rev. Bob Gilpin, pastor of Church of Nazarene in Denver City, will give the invocation.

More information may be obtained by calling Ray Trent at 806-592-3073 or writing him at Box 162, Denver City, Tx. 79323.

Trailer hook-ups and refreshments will be available.

Two young ladies from Plains have entered the pageant, thus far. Theresa Ann (Terry) Galvan, seventeen-year-old daughter of Jose and Odes Galvan, is a senior and has been a member of Plains Band for eight years and is a member of the rifle drill team. She is also a member of the Junior Varsity Volleyball team. Born in Fremont Ohio July 2

Born in Fremont, Ohio, July 2, 1969, Terry moved to Plains in the fall of 1976. She plans to attend Bowling Green University in Ohio and pursue a degree in Computer Science.

Seventeen-year-old Martha Morales, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Angel Morales, is a senior and has been a member of the National Honor Society for two years. She is a member of the Varsity Volleyball team at Plains High School.

Miss Morales was born in Allende Coahuila, Mexico and plans to continue her education after graduation from high school.





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# THE PLAINS PRIDE

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#### Young Farmers Elect Officers

Plains Young Farmers recently elected a new slate of officers with Tommy Box at the helm. Vice presidents are Brad Palmer, Jeff Redman and Tim Addison. John Gray is secretary-reporter and Ricky Bearden, treasurer.

Attending were Box, Palmer, Redman, Addison, Gray, Bearden, Charles Oswalt, Don Parrish and Joe Pierce.

Next meeting, Nov. 10 at 8 p.m. in the ag building, plans will be made for a turkey shoot.

#### Poster Contest Held Saturday

Annual Plains Elementary Poster Contest was Saturday in the clubroom of the old courthouse. Plains Dirt Gardeners sponsored the event. "Pride in the Land - Our Heritage, Our Concern" was the theme.

First place winner was Malynda Strickler, daughter of William and Debi Strickler. Jeremy Dearing, son of Melvin and Dawn Dearing, won second place. Third place went to Valerie Blair, daughter of Royce and Cynthia Blair.

The winning poster is eligible for competition in the poster contest sponsored by District One Texas Garden Clubs Inc. A win there would entitle the poster to be entered in the State Garden Club poster contest.

Members of Plains Dirt Gardeners express appreciation to the students and teachers for making the contest possible.

## Panel Program To Be Oct. 20

Yoakum County Program Building Committee will sponsor an informative meeting at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Oct. 20 in Denver City's community building to share facts concerning the hospital bond election.

Dallas Brewer will moderate a panel of four in an effort to inform voters of Yoakum County on the proposed project. Everyone is urged to attend this informative meeting.

## School Board Reports Discussed

Board of trustees of Plains Independent School District met in regular session Monday evening with invocation spoken by Superintendent Dean Andrews.

Financial reports for general operations, cafeteria, tax and transportation were presented by Andrews. He also reviewed status of various school projects.

The possibility of a school statue was discussed.

Highlights of the TASA-TASB Convention were discussed. Andrews presented information on TASB sponsored school board training meetings.

Trustees unanimously signed a letter of opposition concerning the impact of the Sodbuster program on Plains Independent School District.

#### Class Offered In Sulfide Safety

A hydrogen sulfide saftey training class will be offered the first Monday of the month at South Plains College. According to Don Yarbrough, dean of continuing education.

Next class will be Nov. 3.

The one-night class meets from 6 to 9 p.m. in the SPC Petroleum Techonology Building, Room 115. Cost is \$10 and instructors are Kim Williamson and Kelton White, faculty members in the college's two-year petroleum technology program.

The class is being offered in accordance with a Texas Railroad Commission ruling last year requiring persons working the oilfield to be knowledgeable of the dangers of hydrogen sulfide, Yarbrough said.

For more information, contact SPC's Continuing Education Office at (806) 894-9611, ext. 391.





ASHLEE, SHYLOH & LADD WINN

# Plains Youngsters To Compete In Paris World Championship

Ashlee, Ladd and Shyloh Winn will be traveling to Paris, France to compete in the 1986 Acrogymnastics World Championships Oct. 18-Oct. 26. They will be meeting the USA team in New York before continuing on to Paris.

Ashlee, 12 years old, Ladd, 10 and Shyloh, seven, have been tumbling since they were about two or three years old. Each has one several State, Regional and Area Championships. Ladd earned the 1985 National Champion title. He and Ashlee brought home Invitational World Championship Titles from Solon, Ohio.

Acrogymnastics is the name given

to the combination of tumbling, trampoline and pair and group acrobatics. It has just recently been accepted by the Olympic committee and will be part of the 1988 Olympics.

The children are members of the South Plains AcroSpirits and the Plains Royal Bounders tumbling teams. Sherry Lowrey and Pat Green are coaches.

They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Winn and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie L. Fitzgerald and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Winn, all of Plains. They are the great-grandchildren of Mrs. Irene Camper of Brownfield.

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FRIENDS OF 4-H -- Dick McGinty and Johnnie L. Fitzgerald



OUTSTANDING JUNIOR 4-H AWARD winners are Brandon McGinty and Brad Ashburn.

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### Plains ABWA Meets Monday

Texas Plains Charter Chapter of ABWA will meet Monday, Oct. 20 at 7 p.m. in the home of Linda Wall, 108 Ave G. The program will feature a color

analysis by the hostess. All interested business women are invited.

## "Write In"

Larry Murphree

Yoakum County Commissioner Prec. 4

**On November 4th** 

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4-H GOLD STAR AWARD, presented by Extension Agents, Mary D. Williams and David Kight, was received by Nikki McGinty.

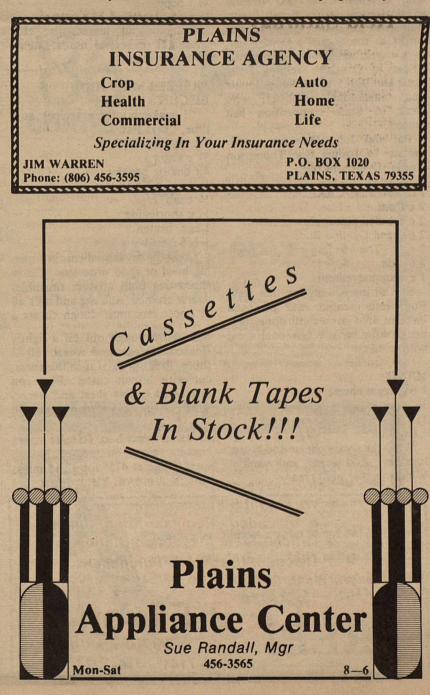
# *'Protection' Program Given For Tsa Mo Ga Members*

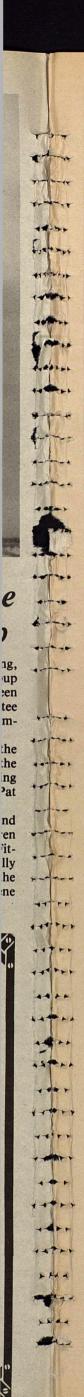
Mrs. Joe StRomain was program director for Monday's meeting of GFWC Tsa Mo Ga Club. Theme of the program was "Protection" with Jim Warren speaking on home and auto insurance. Yoakum County Sheriff Jimmy Rice spoke on "Protection for You and Your Home". Latrell McDonnell showed a film.

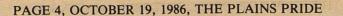
Other guests attending were Marguerite Barron, Alma Lynn McGinty, FLorene Randolph, Pansey Palmer, Lisa Switzer, Burve Overton and Mary Lou Parks. Members attending were Mmes. Mattie Field, Newell Squyres, Edna Chambliss, Barbara Brown, Sit Jones, Charlotte Palmer, Jack Palmer, Ottie Morehouse, Toni Jones, Eloise StRomain, Zareta Winn, Virginia Sanders, Brenda Canada, Minnie Blair, B.D. McDonnell and Sara Kay Burrus.

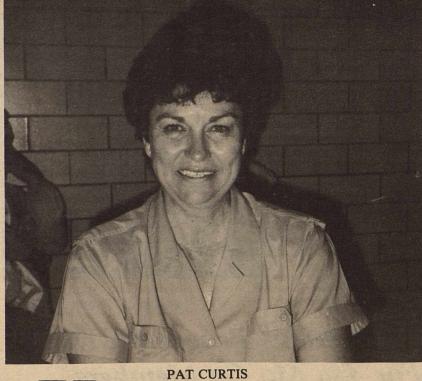
Held in the clubhouse, the meeting featured dinner for the "Golden Girls".

Next meeting will be Oct. 27 at 7 p.m. in the clubhouse. Adult Education will be the program topic.









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children, is a member of Turner Extension Homemakers and shares recipes with Plains Pride readers this week.

A member of Hillside Church of Christ, she is married to John Dale, who is engaged in farming.

Pat has lived near Tokio since 1948.

The Curtis children are Jimmy, who coaches track and teaches physical education at South Plains College in Levelland; Claudia, who works in the Sheriff's Department as a dispatcher; Johnny, a welder's helper at Bubba's Welding Shop here; and Billy Dan, a 1986 graduate and outstanding trackster, who went to State competition last season.

Pat and John Dale are grandparents to Joshua Eric Thompson Curtis, 18 months old.

**PINEAPPLE CAKE** 

2 c flour 2 c crushed pineapple

2 c sugar

2 eggs

2 t soda

1 c chopped walnuts

Stir all ingredients together well. Pour into greased 9x12 pan and bake in 350° oven until done. (approx. 40 mins.) When cool frost with icing.

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8 oz cream cheese

1/2 c butter

 $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 c confectioners sugar 1 t vanilla

Whip the cream cheese and butter together. Add sugar and vanilla. nip together until creamy.

Pay just \$450 for 30 minute session and get next 30

Pat Curtis, mother of four CAULIFLOWER SALAD 1 hd cauliflower, cut into bite-size pieces tomato

2 (or more) green onions, chopped including tops

1 green pepper, chopped

c celery, chopped

1 carrot, cut in small pieces 1 c Longhorn cheese, cubed

1/2 t salt 1/2 t pepper

1/2 c mayonnaise

Combine all ingredients; chill overnight or several hours. Makes 10-12 servings.

"I make up three recipes at a time," says Pat.

- 4 t baking powder

1/2 t cream of tartar

3/4 t salt

1/2 c shortening

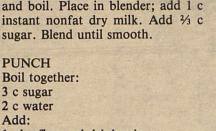
Combine dry ingredients in a mix-

ing bowl or food processor. Cut in shortening until mixture resembles coarse crumbs. Add egg and milk all at once; mix until dough forms a

ball. Turn dough out on a lightly floured surface and knead 10-12 times. Roll out to 3/4 inch thickness. cut with biscuit cutter. Place on ungreased baking sheet and freeze. When biscuits have frozen - store in

a plastic freezer bag. To bake frozen biscuits, place on greased baking sheet. Bake at 475° for 12-15 mins. until light brown. Yield: 1 doz

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Add 3 T butter or oleo to 1/3 c water

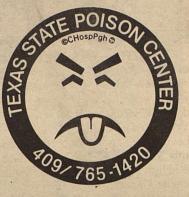
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Add: 1 pkg flavored drink mix 1 qt pineapple juice 1 t vanilla 1 t almond extract (don't leave out!) juice of 3 lemons 2 qts water

Freeze until needed. Take out several hours before needed. Add 1 qt ginger ale. Serves approx. 50 people.



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#### **7TH GRADE**

Seventh grade "A" volleyballers hosted Levelland "A" team Monday and won the match, 4-15, 15-8 and 16-14. Rena McElroy was high server with 11 points.

Levelland "B" team defeated Plains "B" team, 15-12, 6-15 and 15-8. High server with 12 points was Michelle Garza.

Seventh grade girls will meet Lamesa Monday at 4:30 p.m. in Lamesa.

#### **8TH GRADE**

Eighth grade "A" team stopped Levelland "A" team 15-4 and 15-1 Monday. High servers were Lucy Diaz and Leslie Patton, eight points each, and Melissa Green, seven points. The team record is now 9-2.

Plains "B" eighth graders also were victors with 15-9, 7-15 and 15-4 games. Susan Ramos scored 13 points.

#### **9TH GRADE**

Missy Galvan's 13 points, led the ninth grade girls in a win against Denver City Saturday, Oct. 11. Plains won 14-16, 15-5 and 15-10.

Tuesday found Plains ninth graders stopping Brownfield with scores of 15-7, 7-15 and 15-5. High server was Martha Rivera with 13 points.

Plains will host Denver City Tuesday, with game time set for 5 p.m.

#### JUNIOR VARSITY

Junior Varsity Cowgirls brought their season record to 15-6 with a win in their ninth consecutive match Tuesday. Traveling to Brownfield, they defeated the Cubs 15-10 and 15-6. The Cowgirl offense was sparked by nine service points from JoAnn Martinez and Heather McGill. Sally Burrus had eight.

Saturday in Denver City, the Cowgirls were winners in a match paced by JoAnn with 13 points. Scores were 15-10, 7-15 and 15-3.

#### VARSITY

Varsity's Cowgirls improved to 12-9 Tuesday night when they pushed past the Brownfield Cubs, 15-5, 8-15 and 15-8 in the Brownfield gym. Cristi Stephens had 10 kills and five blocks for the Cowgirls.

Martha Morales added three kills to the offensive effort. Melissa Welch and Karen Cobb had fourteen and ten service points, respectively.

Regal Twin Theatre Brownfield SCREEN I "The Fly" Rated R SCREEN II Robert Redford in "Legal Eagles" Rated PG

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"I was very pleased with our defense. This was one of the best over-all matches that we've played. The girls hit the ball well and missed very few serves. We let up in the second game, but came back and played better ball in the third

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game," commented Coach Cain. The Cowgirls lost a match to Denver City Fillies last Saturday, 15-6, 15-6.

Cowgirls will be entertained Saturday by the Seminole Maidens.

### Band Boosters Name Officers

Plains Band Boosters met at 5 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 8 in a special meeting to discuss projects for the 1986-87 school year.

New officers are Janice McGill, president; Sheila Ashburn, vicepresident and Shirley Bunch, secretary-treasurer.

Parents of all band students are encouraged to participate in Band Boosters. All other interested persons are also invited. The Cowboys led by Shane McMinn's 135 yards on 24 carries broke a four game losing slump by defeating the Ropes Eagles 21-6 last Friday night.

The Cowboys may have made things a little hard on themselves by ruining two golden opportunities to put points on the board early in the first quarter. After failing to take advantage of Eagle turnovers, Plains allowed the Eagles to draw first blood. The Eagles drove 64 yards in 13 plays that was capped off by Brad Taylor who went in from eight yards out with 29 left in the second period to put Ropes up 6-0. On the PAT, Brad Taylor connected with Junior Mendez to add the two point conversion. After another Eagle fumble, Abel Rios managed to come up with the ball on Rope's 23 yard line. Two plays later Cowboy tailback Martin Barrientes went in from 10 yards with 3:00 remaining in the half. The PAT

failed. The second half was dominated by the Cowboy ground game. But the Cowboys didn't score until 8:43 of the final stanza that was caused again by an Eagle turnover that left the Cowboys on the Eagle one yard line.

One play later, Billy Spears banged in from one yard out to give the Cowboys the lead at 12-8. The Cowboys converted on the two point attempt when Spears again took it in from 3 yards to give the Cowboys a 14-8 cushion.

Spears scored again from one yard out with 2:49 left in the game destroying any hopes that Ropes might have had of a comeback. Bryan Baldwin added the extrapoint to leave it at 21-8 and sealing the Cowboy victory.

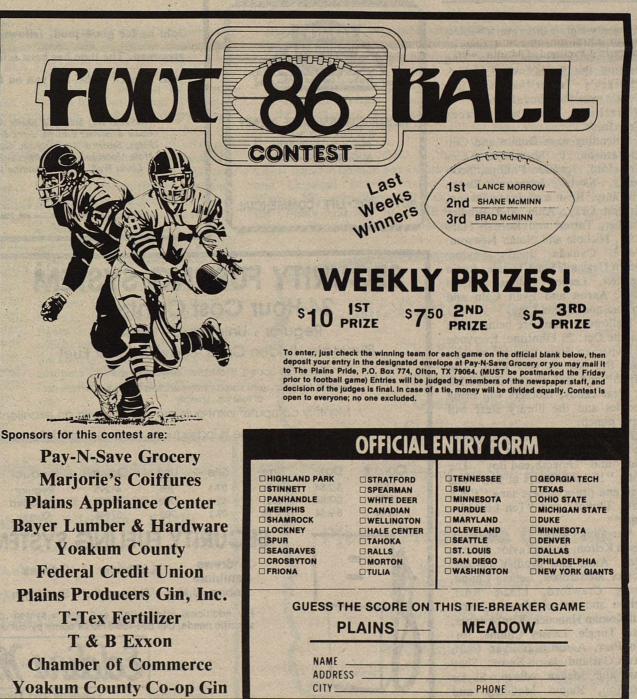
Plains is now 1-0 in district play and will be home to host one of the class teams in the district. The O'Donnell Eagles who are 1-0 in district action are undefeated for the year.

## Plains Librarian Attends Meeting

Latrell McDonnell, Anne Greer and Opal Roberts attended the WTLS District 9 Library Meet Saturday in Midland High School. Approximately 160 librarians from schools, counties and colleges attended the annual meeting.

Speaker was Elmer Kelton, West Texas author. Tours of libraries in Midland were made available after the meeting.

Book and computer exhibits were provided.



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**Cowboys Beat Eagles** 

## PAGE 6, OCTOBER 19, 1986, THE PLAINS PRIDE Yoakum Board Members Named Regional Officers

Yoakum County Child Welfare Board presented the program for a regional council meeting Oct. 9 in the 50-Yard Line Restaurant in Lubbock. Program topic was "How to be a More Effective Board".

Jenny Coston, chairman, highlighted Yoakum County's previous activities and their goals for the coming year.

New council officers are Ms. Coston, president; Nathan Mulder, Lubbock County, vice president; Peggy Squyres, secretary; and JoAnn Harrison, Dickens County, treasurer.

Special guests included Wilma Manning, regional program director of rural counties; Mo Dozier, program director for Lubbock County and Kathy Irwin, area supervisor of Brownfield.

Regional county boards represented were Terry, Floyd, Cochran, Bailey, Lamb and Hockley Counties.

Yoakum County Child Welfare Board officers are Ms. Coston, chairman; Ms. Squyres, vice chairman; Sheri McGinty and Candi Seaton, caseworker. Next regional council meeting will be Jan. 8 in the 50-Yard Line Restaurant to plan activities for April, Child Abuse Month.

## **Region JPs Attend** 20-Hour Seminar

Seventy-five justices of the peace from Region 10 attended a 20-hour seminar Sept. 9-12 in Amarillo conducted by the Texas Justice Court Training Center headquartered at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos.

The seminars are held in compliance with Article 5972, Section B, of the Texas Revised Civil Statutes.

Topics covered included justice court venue, defensive driving, forcible entry and detainer statutes,

license and weight laws and new game and fish laws. New legislation relating to the justice court that was

passed by the 69th State Legislature was also reviewed.

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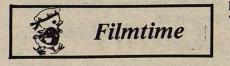
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Twenty-eighth little pre-schoolers attended Filmtime Oct. 8. Games of "Duck, Duck, Goose" and "Ring Around the Roses" were played. "Mickey's Trailer" and "Little Toot" were the films shown.

Birthday girl was Lacey Crawford.

Attending were Donita and Colt Richardson, Ty Shearman, Lacey Crawford, Jennifer Phillips, Scott Sears, Skyler Johnson, Ragan McGinty, Ryan and Jason Swann, Kristen Gray, Anne and Bradley Palmer, Tarren and Keenan Hancock, Nichole and Nolan Newsom, Velvet Canada, Justin Taylor, Dawn Garland, Staci Tuggle, Justin Bennett, Lensey Cullins, Jordan Parr, Aaron and Evan Cain and Joshua and Daniel Clay.

Halloween plans are being made for the Oct. 29 Filmtime. Everyone is invited to dress "scary" and attend the fun. A very kind "Old Witch" will visit, there will be trick or treat candy, mothers will bring cookies and the library staff will serve punch.

Filmtime Oct. 15 featured games and the films, "Wolf and the Seven Kids" and "Gingerbread Boy". The book "10 Little Bears in Bed" was read and pre-schoolers sang "I'm a Little Teapot" and "Ten Little Indians".

Attending were Ty Shearman, Jason Kelton, Justin Taylor, Kristen Gray, Anne and Bradley Palmer, Donita Richardson, Leticia Canon, Lacey Crawford, Linzie Rust, Kelton and Ashlei Mason, Tarren and Keenan Hancock, Kimbe Jones, Staci Tuggle, Lensey Cullins, Jordan Parr, Aaron and Evan Cain, Dawn Garland, Jason Swann, Shay Ann and Megan Allsup, Skyler Johnson, Ragan McGinty and Joshua and Daniel Clay.



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RECENTLY ATTENDING JP SCHOOL, conducted by the Texas Justice Court Training Center, headquartered at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos, were, left to right, A.G. Brantley, Yoakum County, Precinct 1; Carolyn Proctor of Brownfield, Terry County, Precinct 1; and Esther Holland of Denver City, Yoakum County, Precinct 2, Place 1.

#### **Dear Yoakum County Voters:**

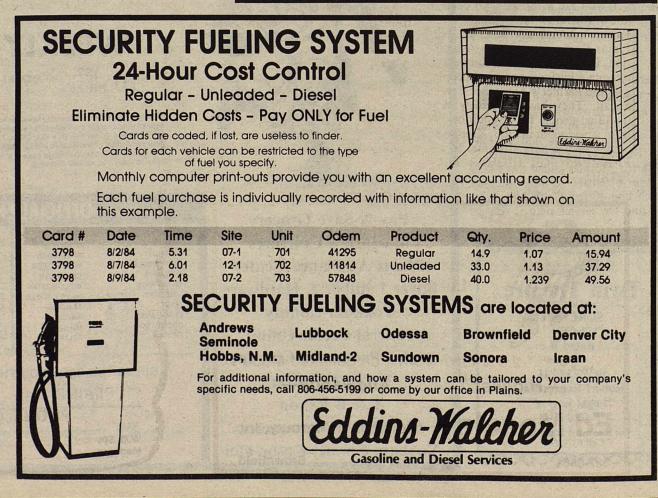
We invite you to join us for a delicious FREE MEAL of chili and beans, cornbread and apple cobbler, on Wednesday, Oct. 22nd, from 5:00-7:00 p.m. in the Party Room at the Yoakum County Park.

#### SPECIAL GUEST: GERALD McCATHERN Democratic Candidate for Congress

Join us for good food, fellowship and visit with our next Congressman. The time has been scheduled so as not to interfere with your Church plans. See you on the 22nd!

HOSTED BY: Stanley & Sheila Ashburn, Dallas & Barbara Brewer, Eddie & Bonnie Earnest, Jerry & Lawanna Everitt, Mike & Joanna Fears, Buster & Ann Graham, Gary & Toni Jones, D.P. "Stuffy" & Mola Moorhead, Jack & Martha Palmer, Ross & Vinnie Shook, Dan & Linda Wall, W.R. & Maurine Wehrend.

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## **Hire The Farmers For Higher Profits**

The Texas South Plains have been losing farmers at an alarming rate. The farm depression is caused by hail, drought, low cotton prices, high interest rates, expensive equipment, land prices, fuel, fertilizers and insecticides, etc. None of the above mentioned problems can be controlled by the farmer. The farmer is not in control of his/her destiny. Rather, 1986 will squeeze the farmer even more than before and those who are at the breaking point will break -- through bankruptcy, foreclosure or "voluntary" quitting.

The year 1987 is not predicted to be any better. Declining land values will make it more difficult for farmers to get operating loans next spring, so the January - April 1987 period will produce an upturn in the number of farmers going broke, either voluntarily or involuntarily. Negative rates of return for most products and very small positive rates of return for most others will mean that even for those farmers able to get loans and plant a crop. their equity will continue to be eroded until they too, go broke. No end is in sight until the farm economy turns around. As farmers continue to go broke, farm families face displacement from their homes and communities, suffer from declining population and economic activity. The South Plains Region, in particular, will face a rough few years, because it has some of the largest farm production in the State of Texas.

What can be done to assist these farmers? Farmers who have lost their farms and life savings don't need pity or sympathy! They need jobs and RIGHT NOW! If you are thinking about hiring in your business - hire a displaced farmer. They are honest, hardworking people, who can get the job done, whatever the task.

If you are a farmer who doesn't know where to turn - contact the Farmer's Assistance Center at South Plains Community Action Association, Inc. at 894-6104. If you own or operate a business and need people, give the Farmer's Assistance Center a call. They have extremely well qualified people for any job or can train a person on the job. Keep local people and dollars at home. HIRE FARMERS FOR HIGHER PRO-FITS!!

# COMBEST COMMENTS

by Congressman Larry Combest

The United States Congress recently voted to overhaul the nation's federal tax code. This so-called "tax reform" legislation will ultimately impact each and every taxpaying citizen.

I voted against the bill and I would like to tell you why:

Tax reform was born with three basic goals in mind -- fairness, simplicity and economic growth. These are goals I share and have worked for since I was elected to Congress. Unfortunately in the 22 months that followed, this tax bill became the focus of too much political rhetoric and too little careful review.

Let me say from the beginning that there are portions of this legislation that I like. There is obvious good in tax law changes that reduce marginal tax rates and eliminate tax loopholes and special preferences. For us in West Texas, however, the good just doesn't outweigh bad.

I visited with and heard from thousands of people in the 19th District in an attempt to have their input and thoughts about this tax bill. It became evident that Washington, D.C. was caught up in "tax reform euphoria" -- West Texas was not. From Dimmitt to Denver City, main-street merchants, farmers, oil producers and people from all walks of life expressed their fears and opposition to the bill.

I share this concern and believe the tax bill will unfairly penalize us in West Texas. We will lose our state and local sales tax deduction. Farmers lose their income averaging deduction, investment tax credits, and much of their farm equipment depreciation. Those planning for the future lose a sizable portion of their IRA deduction. And as consumers, we ultimately lose by paying higher prices when our shop keepers and store owners are forced to pass along their higher taxes.

American people expect more and

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Another frightening aspect of this tax reform legislation is that there are predictions and rumblings in Congress of raising the individual rates again in an effort to meet deficit reduction targets. Just one week before the House voted on the tax bill, House Ways and Means Committee Chairman Dan Rostenkowski (D-III) said, "We all know that we're going to raise taxes." Mr Rostenkowski did stop there, saying, "I have long been a strong proponent of tax increases to shrink the deficit" and 'everyone knows we will eventually need a tax increase...the increase in revenue should come through higher, progressive rates on income. Increasing individual tax rates

on the heels of repealing individual deductions would result in individuals paying more taxes than ever before. I fear that this tax bill will make it easier to force even higher taxes on the American people. It echoes the old Democrat philosophy of tax and spend, tax and spend.

I do not believe that this tax legislation is the best that Congress can do. If we are ever going to truly reform our tax code we should do the job right. The we in West Texas deserve more from the United States Congress.

Pd. For By Combest Congressional Committee, P.O. Box 10667, Lubbock, TX 79408

# **Commissioners'** Court

Yoakum County Commissioners Court met in regular session Oct. 13.

The court approved a motion to advertise for bids to be received Nov. 3 for construction of an addition to Yoakum County Stock Barns in Plains.

The monthly report of taxes collected in September was accepted. At the request of Tax Assessor-Collector Wanda Smith, the court voted to raise the fee for copies of the Voter Registration List from \$5 to \$20.

Accepted for record was a letter from the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation advising the county that Yoakum County has 806 miles of county maintained roads. This figure or a maximum of 500 miles, whichever is less, shall be used by the county tax assessor-collector to compute distribution of registration fees collected in the 1987 calendar year.

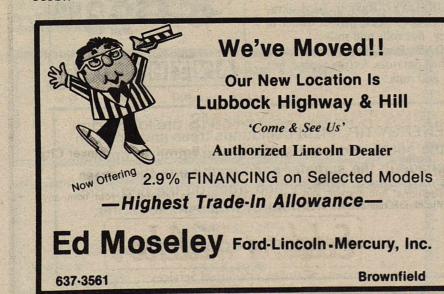
Regular bills for September and extra hire were read and approved for payment. Minutes were approv-

In other action, the Court voted to re-advertise to receive bids Nov. 3 for the purchase of two new police special autos for the Sheriff's Department.

In special session Oct. 6, the Court heard Attorney Jerry Corbin and Criminal District Attorney Warren New regarding a bill which the County paid July 10 and 18 to Mickey Kennedy for re-roofing done at Yoakum County Park. Kennedy is now in bankruptcy proceedings. Den-Tex Lumber furnished roofing materials and have not been paid.

Corbin, representing Mickey and Den-Tex Lumber, made a verbal offer that Yoakum County pay half the outstanding bill made by Kennedy at Den-Tex Lumber, join with Den-Tex in hiring a bankruptcy attorney in trying to get Kennedy's case thrown out and split the cost down the middle. The decision was postponed for further study.





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# **Plains Independent School District**

Introducing...

# From The Superintendent's Desk

This week it might be interesting to take a look at what is happening in other school districts around our state and nation. The following are items that have made news lately.

Superintendent of Royal I.S.D., Frank Jackson, was driving to work in darkness about 5:40 a.m., September 20, when he unwittingly drove his car across a collapsed bridge. Jackson was able to crawl out of the wreckage before dawn and walk nearly a half mile to warn school buses that he knew would soon begin to cross the bridge. Jackson was reported to have received facial lacerations and a bruised heart and lung.

"I saw the car and it was just totalled," said Royal High School principal Jim Davis. "He's lucky to be alive." The 50 ft. bridge supported high volumes of traffic in and out of the schools -- including school buses.

Kennedale Superintendent J.W. Teague has resigned reportedly because of a dispute with the district's teachers over a ban on beards and mustaches that hurt staff morale. Mr. Teague served as superintendent in Kennedale for 13 years. G.D. Cockerham was named interim superintendent.

Houston school board members have directed Superintendent Joan Raymond to develop alternatives to the longstanding practice of corporal punishment in the schools. Trustees reportedly are concerned that improper use of corporal punishment had caused problems. Raymond is opposed to the use of corporal punishment in the schools, but has said that her opposition does mean she will recommend its abolition.

A task force of 39 Hispanic educators and civic leaders presented a report to the Select Committee on Higher Education calling for extra funding for heavily Hispanic colleges to reverse a "shocking pattern" of neglect of higher education for Hispanics. The report calls for an increase in the number of Hispanic faculty members at colleges and universities, elimination of all policies that use standardized tests either as the sole criterion or as the most important criterion for admission to a state college, and establishment of a full supported comprehensive university in South Texas. "Educational opportunities for Hispanics have been, and continue to be, totally inadequate," the task force said.

New directions for vocational education are still being discussed by the State Board Committee for Finance and Programs. At its July meeting, the committee considered presentations by the Advisory Council for Vocational-Technical Education in Texas. These materials were requested after the committee determined that the draft Master Plan for Vocational Education did not address committee concerns adequately. The committee directed staff and the ACVTE to draft a revised document that would integrate council recommendations and staff proposals, as appropriate, and identify remaining issues.

State Board member Emmett J. Conrad told a group in Dallas last week, "I think vocational education will be in for a very radical restructuring. A great deal of time and money is being spent on programs no longer germane to industry and technology."

And in Atlanta, GA., a federal judge has issued a preliminary injunction prohibiting a suburban high school from allowing prayers before football games or other athletic events in the school stadium. A father and his 18-year-old son sued to stop the pre-game prayers on the grounds that they violate constitutional separation of church and state.



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#### BREAKFAST

MONDAY - Toast, oatmeal, grape juice and milk. TUESDAY - Cinnamon rolls,

orange juice and milk. WEDNESDAY - Toast, apricot preserves, apple juice and milk. THURSDAY - Pancake, syrup & butter, tomato juice and milk. FRIDAY - Rice Krispies, pineapple

juice and milk. LUNCH

MONDAY - Submarine sandwich, French fries w/catsup, lettuce & pickles, chocolate pudding & milk.. TUESDAY - Chicken enchiladas, Spanish rice, beet & dill pickles, crackers, apple cobbler and milk. WEDNESDAY - Hamburgers, lettuce, pickles, onion rings, potato chips, coconut cookies, mixed fruit and milk.

THURSDAY - Ravioli, fried okra, blacked-eyed peas, peanut butter & honey, hot rolls and milk. FRIDAY - Pork chops, green beans, mashed potatoes, lettuce wedge, hot rolls and milk.

> ENERGY TIP...Plant deciduous trees and vines on the south and west sides of the home to provide shade in the summer and sunshine in the winter. Evergreen shrubbery and trees on the north provide protection from north winds in the winter.

LEA COUNTY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

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

TUESDAY - Volleyball, Denver City, H, 9th, JV & Varsity at 5 p.m. THURSDAY - Football, Meadow, T, 7th & JV at 5 p.m.; Football, Morton, T, 8th at 5 p.m. FRIDAY - Football, Meadow, H,

Varsity at 7:30 p.m. SATURDAY - A.C.T. at Plains at 8 a.m.-Noon; Volleyball, Levelland, H, 9th, JV & V at 1 p.m.; Band, District Marching Contest in Jones Stadium in Lubbock.



#### **LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)

To the Registered Voters of the County of Yoakum, Texas: (A los votantes registrados del Condado de Yoakum, Tejas:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., November 4, 1986, for voting in a general election to elect Members of Congress, Members of the Legislature, and state, district, county and precinct of ficers; and FOR the purpose of adopting or rejecting the proposed Constitutional Amendments as submitted by the 69th Legislature, of the State of Texas. (Notifi-guese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 4 de noviembre de 1986 para votar en la Eleccion General para elegir Miembros del Congresso, Miembros de la Legislatura, y oficiales del estado, distrito, condado y del precincto y PARA adoptar o rechazar las enmiendas propuestas constitucionales asi como fueron sometidas por la 69 Legislatura, de la Estado de Tejas.)

LOCATIONS OF POLLING PLACES: (DIRECCIONES' DE LAS CASILLAS ELEC-TORALES):

Precinct No. 1-5: Sligo Community Building Precinct No. 1-6: Precinct No. 1 Barn, 139 E. Broadway, Denver City, Texas Precinct No. 2-2: Yoakum County Library, 205 W. 4th St., Denver City, Texas Precinct No. 2-7: Community Building, West 15th St., Denver City, Texas

Precinct No. 3-3: Yoakum County Library, 901 Ave E, Plains, Texas

Precinct No. 3-8: City Hall, 102 W. 3rd, Denver City, Texas

Precinct No. 4-1: Yoakum County Tax Office Building 1010 N. Main, Denver City, Texas

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Precinct No. 4-4: Corral Youth Center, 911 Ave. G, Plains, Texas Absentee Ballot Board: Courthouse, Plains, Texas

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at County Clerk's Office, Courthouse, Plains, Texas and Community Building, Denver City, Texas. (La votacion en ausencia en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en County Clerk's Office, Courthouse, Plains, Tejas and Community Building, Denver City, Tejas)

Between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. beginning September 5, 1986 and ending on October 31, 1986. (Entre las 8 de la manana y las 5 de la tarde empezando el Septem-bre cinco, 1986 y terminando el October 31, 1986.)

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: (Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan enviarse a:)

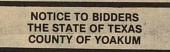
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PLAINS, TEXAS 79355

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on October 28, 1986. (Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el Octobre 28, 1986.)

Issued this the 6 day of October, 1986. (Emitada esta dia 6 de Octobre, 1986.) s/Paul Cobb

County Judge (Juez del Condado) Published in The Plains Pride, Oct. 19 & 26, 1986



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LINDA SHOEMAKER LOWREY Attorney At Law -Across The Street From The Yoakum County Courthouse-

P.O. BOX 669

**RICHARD CLARK** 

ATTORNEY AT LAW

806/592-3039

Sheriff Jim Rice.

Sealed proposals addressed to the Honorable Paul Cobb, County Judge, Yoakum County, Yoakum County Courthouse, Plains, Texas shall be received in the Yoakum County Courthouse Com-missioners Room, Plains, Texas, until November 3, 1986 ° 10:00 A.M. at which time they shall be publicly opened and read aloud for the furnishing of all labor,

materials, equipment and performing all work required for construction of an Addition to Yoakum County Stock Barns, Plains, Texas, in accordance with plans, specifications, and contract documents as prepared by Stephen L. Fillipp, Ar-chitect, Lubbock, Texas.

Lump sum Proposals will be received for the General Construction which will include Plumbing and Electrical work on the project as set out in the Bid Proposal.

A Cashier's Check, Certified Check or acceptable Bidder's Bond payable to Yoakum County in the amount of not less than five (5) percent of the largest possible total for the bid submitted must accompany each bid.

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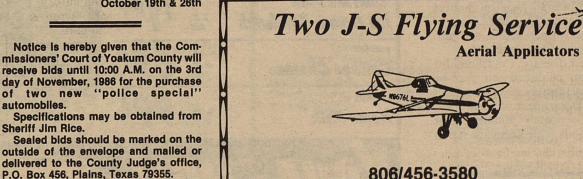
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Plans and Specifications may be obtained from the Architect, or from the Honorable Paul Cobb, County Judge, Yoakum County, Yoakum County Cour-thouse, Plains, Texas.

The Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

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The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids. s/Hazel Lowrey County Auditor Published in The Plains Pride

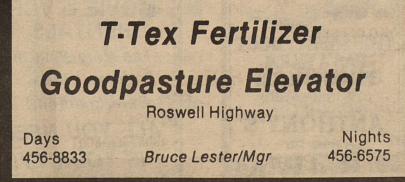
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# Obituaries

## Genice Logan Services Held

Services were conducted Wednesday in First Baptist Church of Denver City for Genice L. Logan. Officiating was the Rev. Bill Merritt, pastor.

Graveside services were Thursday afternoon in Dream Land Cemetery in Turkey under the direction of Singleton Funeral Home.

Mrs. Logan, 52, died Monday night in Yoakum County Hospital. A native of Turkey, she moved to Denver City in 1957. She had served as Yoakum County treasurer 12 years.

She married Jack Logan Sept. 21, 1951 in Clovis, N.M. She was a member of First Baptist Church and taught Sunday School.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Jeff of Austin; a daughter, Laura Logan of Midland; and a brother, Lawrence Bockelman of Amarillo.

## Adequate Fiber Is 'Not Just Bran'

To listen to television commercials or read the magazine ads, you would think the only way to get adequate fiber in your diet is to eat bran cereal and fiber supplements.

In fact, legumes and some fruits and vegetables supply more dietary fiber per serving than bran cereal. One cup of bran flakes cereal contains about five grams of fiber, while one tablespoon of the average fiber supplement contains about one gram. By comparison,  $\frac{1}{3}$  c baked beans contains seven grams and  $\frac{1}{2}$  c stewed prunes has 8 grams fiber.

Kidney beans, red beans, dried fruits and nuts and fresh fruits and vegetables are all excellent sources of fiber. Eating the skins of fruits or vegetables when possible will also increase your fiber intake.

The new Dietary Guidelines for Americans, published this year by U.S. Department of Agriculture and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, recommend that we eat foods with adequate starch and fiber.





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PLAINS PRIDE PRESENTS Elizabeth Wilmeth, 20-month-old daughter of Ty and Mary Wilmeth. She is the granddaughter of Mack and Gena Wilmeth, and David and Eva Adkins, all of Brownfield. Lola and Dick James are her great-grandparents.

# Sesquicentennial Theme Of Annual Flower Show

"One hundred fifty years in Texas" was the theme of Saturday's Sesquicentennial flower show. The twenty-eighth annual show was held in the clubroom of the old courthouse from 2 until 4 p.m.

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Mrs. Harry Richardson won Sweepstakes in the Design Division with four blue ribbons. Earning 13 blue ribbons, Mrs. J.M. Dearing took the Sweepstakes award in Horticulture.

Awards of Merit were bestowed upon Mrs. Dearing, Best Annual; Mrs. Edna Chambliss, Best Chrysanthemum; Mrs. A.B. Chitwood, Best Container Grown Plant; Mrs. Bill Overton, Arboreal Award for her exhibit in trees and shrubs; and Mrs. Rolan Taylor, Special Education Award, for an exhibit on pecan tree culture.

Mrs. Dearing also claimed the Award of Horticultural Excellence, the Best of the Show Award, for her entry of a perennial hollyhock.

Other blue ribbon winners in design were Mrs. Overton, Cassandra Dearing and Amber Richardson. Red ribbons went to Mrs. H.N. Parks, Harry Richardson, Mrs. Robert Young, Mrs. Overton, Jeremy Dearing, Cassandra Dearing and Amber Richardson.

Third place awards went to Jeremy Dearing, Donita Richardson, Mrs. Chitwood, Mrs. Andy Richardson, Mrs. Harry Bilbrey, Mrs. Parks and Mrs. Overton.

Blue ribbons in Horticulture went to Mmes. Dearing, Overton, Young, Parks, Richardson, Chitwood, Chambliss, Taylor, Martha Guetersloh, Bob McDonnell and Sherm Tingle. Also Donita Richardson and Rachael Taylor. Show judges were Mmes. Charles Howard, Harmon Morgan and Rosemary English, nationally accredited judges from Lubbock.

Many beautiful blossoms were exhibited by club members including several unusual exhibits of Texas bluebells, fall blooming iris, Jujube, fig and others.

## Casey Alcorta Celebrates Birthday

Casey Darlene Alcorta, daughter of Ricky and Elisa Alcorta, recently celebrated her fourth birthday with a family gathering in her home.

Playing "Pin the Hamburger on Garfield's Mouth" highlighted the party. Cabbage Patch and Garfield party favors were used to serve family members cake, ice cream and punch.

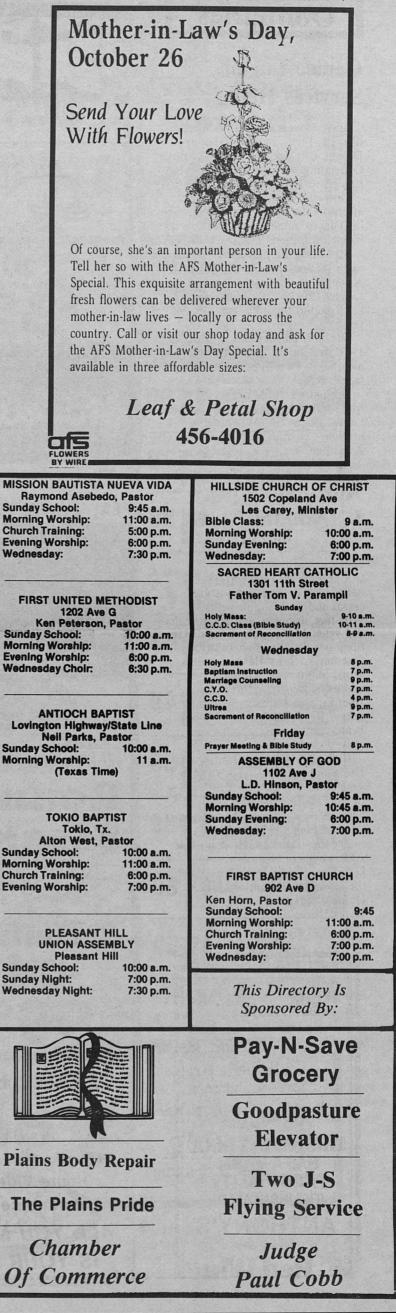
Among gifts presented to Miss Alcorta, was "Teddy Ruckspin".

Special guests included grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Huff, and Mr. and Mrs. Rico Alcorta. Also attending were her parents, her two-month-old sister, Ashley, and a host of aunts, uncles and cousins.

## *'Christmas Tree' Planning Slated*

A planning meeting for the Community Christmas Tree has been set for 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 29 in the Plains Library Heritage Room. All interested persons are invited.

Anyone desiring more information should contact Debbie Rushing.





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