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**The Plains Pride** Plains, Yoakum County, Texas TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1987

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"FOR THE BIRDS" -- Hershel Smith holds a Golden Pheasant, a gamebird originating in China, which he raised. He has been raising gamebirds for pleasure for about three years. He presently has pheasants and quails.

## **Plains High Honor Roll Announced By Robert Parks**

Honor roll for the third six weeks at Plains High School is announced by Robert Parks, principal.

Students receiving recognition for having all A grades were Dundie Alexander, Bryan Baldwin, Jeff Baum, Krystal Bradley, Daniel Jesse Flores, Nieves Garcia and BerShane McMinn, Martha Morales, Lance Morrow, Lebert Powell, Jesse Ramirez, Sandy Ramos, Roger Rivas, Cristi Stephens, Kyle Stephens, Micah Stowe and Chad Wall.

Recognized as having all A grades Canada, Elsie Carrillo, Ruth Ann with only one B are Dana Altman, Diaz, Vonda Fitzgerald, Eve Flores, Martin Barrientes, Karen Cobb, Lisa Coronado, Phillip Cowart, Antha Gonzales. thony Day, Keith Earnest, Doug Also Chad Guetersloh, Jody Har-Green, Jeff Lowrey, Tonya Lowrey, ris, John Harris, Brian Livengood, Emedelia Luna, Lusema Luna, Joe Heather McGill, Nikki McGinty, Rivera and Billy Spears.

## **Plains Resident's Free Time** Literally 'For The Birds'

Some folks enjoy the hunt of gamebirds. For Plainsman Hershel Smith, the pleasure is in raising them. He has pursued this interest three years, getting involved initially by a co-worker, Royce Randall.

Impressed with Randall's set up for raising birds, Smith decided to get involved in the fascinating hobby. At present, he has three varieties of pheasants, the Ringneck, Silver and Golden. He has two varieties of quails, the Blue Scale and Gambel.

Smith was recently contacted by a representative of the State Government about raising a new strain of pheasant. Called the Afghan Cross, it is similar to the Ringneck but is heartier and better suited to the West Texas climate.

Anyone interested in raising the new strain or in stocking them on their land may contact Smith for information on obtaining them.

Enjoying his free time evenings with his flock of gamebirds, Smith says the hobby is a family affair that

#### includes his wife, Debbie and their sons, 12-year-old Jason, and eightyear-old Luke. His boys enjoy getting into the pens and have managed to tame some of the birds the family has raised.

### **Computer Analysis Program Slated**

The Yoakum County Extension Service in cooperation with Plains Independent School District will be holding a program on Microcomputer Analysis for Farm and Ranch Management. The program will be held Monday, Feb. 9, from 7 to 10 p.m. in the typing room in Plains High School.

Limited facilities are available. The class will be offered on a first come first serve basis. Interested persons must call and make reservations by Feb. 5. The number to call is 456-2263.

## Student Loan/Grant Services **May Have Hidden Costs**

Parents of junior and senior students need to be aware that there is a growing practice with profitmaking organizations, of contacting parents of college-bound students with offers of guaranteed student loans, grants and scholarships, according to Plains I.S.D. Superintendent Dean Andrews.

"It is important to realize that these services usually have costs attached. Some insurance companies offer guaranteed student loans, but have tied high premium life insurance policies to them. Some technical schools with very expensive tuition have recruited students in their homes. It is wise to be cautious," warns Andrews, "when considering unsolicited offers."

Parents are advised to be informed of all facts before signing any contract or paying money in advance. If parents or students have any questions, please call Arlon Alexander at Plains High School, 456-7498, during regular school hours.



Need Something In The Paper?? Call Linda Carey Plains Pride Correspondent 456-7403

SUNSHINE & WARMER TEMPERATURES bring the little ones back outside to the playground, without a trace of Plains' recent snowfall.

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#### THE PLAINS PRIDE Joe & Debbie Alcorta - Publisher/Editor

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#### **Dear Editor:**

#### Dear Plains Pride,

Please announce the Elementary Honor Roll in our paper. We like to see our names in the paper too.

Thank you, Lucia Fitzgerald 2nd Grade

Dear Lucia,

We apologize to the boys and girls in elementary school that have been omitted from the honor roll announcements. It has not been our intention. We certainly feel that your achievements are just as important.

We will discuss this with Mr. Nance and if possible, print the **Elementary Honor Roll in the next** issue.

> Thank you for your letter, **The Plains Pride**

### South Plains **Schedules Exam**

A pre-entrance exam for the associate degree nursing program at South Plains College is scheduled Feb. 21.

The exam will begin at 8:30 a.m. in the SPC Student Assistance Center, located on the third floor of the library. Fee is \$10.

The exam is a requirement for entrance into SPC's two-year associate degree nursing program, according to Pinny Jacquez, SPC counselor. Students completing the curriculum are eligible to take the State Board exam (NCLEX) for registered nurse licensure, Mrs. Jacquez noted.

Additional exams will be given March 7, March 25, April 4 and April 8.

For more information, contact the SPC counseling or ADN offices at (806) 894-9611.

**Commissioners'** Court

Commissioners Court of Yoakum County gathered in special session Monday. All members were present. James Sage's name was drawn to

replace Armida Ybarra as a member of the Grievance Committee for 1987. Ybarra refused to serve.

Yoakum County Golf Club's income and expense statement for 1987 was introduced and reviewed. It was approved as submitted.

County Auditor Hazel Lowrey read a letter from Washington National Insurance Company advising the Court that authorization from two members of Commissioners Court was necessary in order to surrender the policies and pay the cash value to Yoakum County as policy owner. The needed authorization was approved.

Judge Dallas Brewer read correspondence from Texas Department of Public Safety, Division of Emergency Management, stating that Yoakum County has been declared as a contiguous county for USDA assistance.

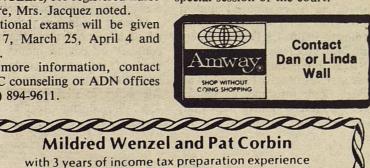
The court voted permission to MCI Telecommunications Corporation to cross county roads providing all caliche and paved roads be bored and those not bored be restored to their original condition to a depth of 42 inches below the bottom of the barrow ditch.

A motion to advertise for bids to sell the Service Officer's previous county station wagon was approved. Bids will be opened Feb. 16.

Walter Pate, representing Pate and Associates Architects-Planners Inc., appeared before the Court stating his firm would proceed with the first phase (systematic design) of planning for the new county hospital. The phase will take about two to three months at approximately \$30,000. Payment will be deferred until after bonds are sold.

Judge Brewer read a letter from Texas Department of Health reporting public drinking water supply at the County Park and Golf Course is in general compliance with state statutes and department regulations.

Johnnie Fitzgerald was appointed as Judge Pro Tem for the next special session of the court.



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# **Federal Credit Union Holds Annual Supper Meeting**

Yoakum County Federal Credit Union held its annual meeting and supper Saturday evening in the school cafeteria in Plains. Presiding over the 38th annual event was Robert Canon, president.

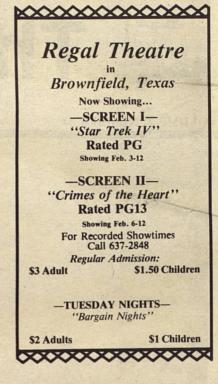
Guests were registered by Brenda Wauson and Dolly Ramos. Invocation was spoken by Ken Horn. Entertainment was provided by Hard Country Band consisting of Keith and Michael Earnest, Brad McWhirter, Paul Kennedy, Chad Wall and Kenley Powell.

Canon, Faye Nelms and David Bunch were re-elected to two-year terms on the board of directors. Neal Newsom was elected to a twoyear term replacing T.J. Miller. Elected to the credit committee were Mae Barnett, David Kight and Mickey Cowart. Other board members are Larry Murphree, Jim Warren and Barbara Thrash.

Miller was honored for 26 years service on the board.

Host families for the event were Mssrs. and Mmes. L.D. Hinson, Don Hinkle, Everett McAdams and Jackie McDonnell.

Numerous door prizes were furnished by Plains and Denver City businesses and awarded during the evening.







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## *'Spending Plan' Tips Given By Extensionist*

Going over last year's receipts, cancelled checks, W-2 forms and other papers to get ready for tax time is never much fun. But it's even more bothersome when it creates some nagging doubts about how well last year's income was spent, according to Mary D. Williams, Yoakum County Extension Agent.

You might avoid the problem next year by establishing a family spending plan for 1987 while the year is still young. Whether you have a lot of money or a little, a sound plan for spending is the key to having dollars for what is need and wanted before the money disappears in unexpected ways.

It's fairly simple to set up a spending plan. First calculate your 1987 income from all sources. Then, while you've got all your 1986 financial records out, use them to estimate your expenses for next year. period, and how much you should set aside in savings to meet irregular bills and unexpected expenses.

Having a spending plan also allows you to "bill" yourself for a certain amount each pay period which can go into savings to meet long-term financial goals. That goal might be a downpayment for a new house or car, college expenses, a vacation or a retirement nest egg.

It takes practice and patience in keeping financial records so that you can use fairly accurate amounts for planning rather than estimates. But good records can help you see where you might want to cut your spending plan in some areas and increase it in others.

We have a number of Extension publications which contain worksheet and logs to help keep track of family spending. There is a letter series -- "Mastering Money Management" available. Call the

## THE PLAINS PRIDE, FEBRUARY 3, 1987, PAGE 3 Yvette Vasquez, Freddy Ramos Wed In Double Ring Ceremony

Miss Gloria Yvette Vasquez and Jose Alfredo Ramos pledged double ring wedding vows in a Dec. 20 ceremony in St. John's Catholic Church in Monahans.

Rev. Jamie Isreal officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso D. Vasquez of Monahans and Mr. and Mrs. Alfredo Ramos.

Music was presented by Conda Lee. Ramon Diaz, solo guitarist, played "Yvette". Arlinda Valencia sang "Sunrise, Sunset", "The Lord's Prayer" and "Ave Maria". Given in marriage by her parents,

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a formal length gown of ivory allegro satin styled with fitted bodice featuring a high sheer yoke of English net. Florals of beaded Alencon lace adorned the bodice front and deep vee back. Pearls and sequins enhanced the Alencon lace and satin Austrealin sleeves. Alencon lace medallions and pearls embellished the front of the skirt which swept to a cathedral length train. A wide band of Alencon lace edged the hemline of the gown and train.

Her two tiered waist length veil of illusion was attached to a pouff of illusion held by a wide band of pearls and crystals. She carried a flowing cascade of ivory roses, stephanotis, leather leaf fern and needlepoint ivy centered with a cattleya orchid.

Laura Smith of Rankin was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Sofie Lezama of Odessa, Danette Arreguy, Penny Escamilla and Marcela Marenco, all of Monahans, Margie Diaz, Dora Rios, Melissa Garcia, Janie Ramos, Alice Rios, Estella Caballero, all of Plains, and Gloria Calsoncin of Lubbock.

They wore dresses of black lace over shimmering satin fashioned with fitted bodices dropping to the hiplines, unfolding in full circle skirts. Wide bands of satin with large bows and rhinestone pins accented the hiplines. They carried cascades of ivory roses, miniature carnations, stephanotis, leather leaf fern and needlepoint ivy tied with ivory picot satin ribbon streamers.

Crystal Calsoncin of Lubbock was flowergirl. Elaine and Carrie Escamilla distributed programs.

Church readers were Terry Layne and Sandy Ramos.

David Ramirez of Midland was best man. Groomsmen were Ramon Diaz, Steve Brown, Richard Garcia, Rick Ramos, Jimmy Gomez, Estanislado Caballero, all of Plains, Tommy Escamilla, Eddie Escamilla, Al Escamilla, Gracien Arreguy, all of Monahans and Rudy Calsoncin of Lubbock.

Ushers were David Carrasco of Monahans and Johnny Curtis of Plains. Izak Arreguy of Monahans was ring bearer. Pillow carriers were Micah Alaniz and Andrew Arreguy. Arras, a gift from the groom to his new bride, was carried by Stanley Caballero.

Rice bags were handed out by Christy and Tracy Escamilla.

A reception was held in Ward County Coliseum. Jane Harris of Corpus Christi presided at the bride's book. Wedding cake was served by Carmen Escamilla, Fidela Borrego and Dora Carrasco. Champagne was served by Mr. and Mrs. Alex Escamilla Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Rablo Valles.

A wedding dance was held in VFW Hall with music provided by The Challengers. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marenco presented the couple.

The newlyweds are at home in Plains following a wedding trip to San Antonio.

The bride attended Odessa College, Southwest Texas State and graduated from Texas Tech University with a degree in elementary education/generic special education. She is employed with Plains Independent School District.

A graduate of Plains High School, the groom attended Texas State Technical Institute in Sweetwater.

A reception dinner was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Vasquez and Mr. and Mrs. Alfredo Ramos. Prepared by Juan Salazar, it was served by Esmerita Sanchez, Mario Escamilla, Joe Borrego, Paula Najar, Amelia Escamilla, Pres Escamilla, Yolanda Ordonez, Alicia Ordonez, Amelia Sanchez, Mary Garcia and Donna Garcia.



So you don't miss items or underestimate what you spend, look at your weekly, monthly and yearly expenses. Some of the things we buy with "pocket money" such as restaurant meals or recreation expenses often get overlooked. And don't forget to include irregular expenses, such as semi-annual insurance payments or car servicing. When you have these two sets of figures, you can plan ahead for what you will spend each pay

Extension Office, 456-2263, if you would like to get this mail series.

### Young Farmers Slate Meeting

Yoakum County Young Farmers will meet at 8 p.m. Monday, Feb. 9 in the Ag Building. A regular business meeting will be conducted. Interested persons are encouraged to attend.

#### ALTERNATIVE ENERGY SOURCES

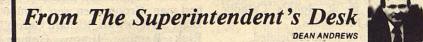
These sources are helping us meet our energy needs today: Solar hot water, space heating/cooling, hydropower, wind power. Until alternatives are more widely available, help conserve the energy we have today.

LEA COUNTY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

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# **Plains Independent School District**



If you were to ask someone my age or older, "What comes to mind when you see the word "ENTER", they would probably say it is a sign over a door inviting you to go through. A younger person though might have a much different answer. Soon all young people will recognize the word "ENTER" as being the command in computer operations that enables the hardware to operate.

Several people have seen and asked about the 10' satellite dish on the southeast corner of the high school gymnasium. This dish is an essential part of the TI-IN (Texas Interactive Instructional Network) system for receiving educational programs for instruction in our school. This satellite dish combined with the computers already in our school allows us access to a vast amount of information. This means of communication was almost unheard of five years ago and is now a reality in our school. Many good things will come through this system. We will receive two educational stations but no H.B.O. or other controversial programming.

Our high school students will be able to take many advanced courses for credit such as computer mathematics, calculus, computer science, creative writing, trigonometry, French, German, Latin and many others. Programs are also available to assist students in preparation for TEAMS testing, ACT and SAT testing, as well as basic skills. Our junior high and elementary students will be able to participate in basic skill booster programs. TEAMS testing information and enrichment courses will also be available for these students.

Our community will also be able to participate through our community education program. Courses available will include college level courses in English, small business computer accounting and micro-computers for agriculturalists.

Our teachers will be able to receive inservice training in areas of developing writing in the elementary grades, drug abuse prevention, varying instructional strategies, teaching reading as thinking, and many more.

The Texas Education Agency has scheduled three and one half hours weekly to discuss various problems facing education and strategies for meeting the needs of students in these changing times. The mandates of curriculum changes are causing schools to seek new ways to meet the needs of their students. I don't think we are extreme, but just maybe a step ahead in trying to give our students and staff an even sharper edge. Our staff is doing an excellent job of teaching and is continuously getting better.

#### SCHOOL EVENTS

TUESDAY: Basketball against Dawson, GB, Here starting at 6:30 p.m.

FRIDAY: Basketball against Union, Here, GB beginning at 6:30 p.m.; Tumblers will perform at halftime

SATURDAY: UIL Math, Science and Typing

#### KPLN SCHEDULE Channel 3

TUESDAY, Feb. 3 at 2 p.m. - Boys JV Basketball against Loop WEDNESDAY, Feb. 4 at 2 p.m. -Boys Basketball against O'Donnell THURSDAY, Feb. 5 at 2 p.m. -Dick & Jane by Harry Edwards on Drug Abuse FRIDAY, Feb. 6 at 2 p.m. - Girls

Basketball against Union

## Plains Math & Science Team Competes In Pre-UIL Meet

Plains High School's math and science team competed Jan. 24 in a Pre-UIL Meet at Lubbock's Dunbar-Struggs competition. Students participating were Jody Harris, Jesse Flores, Shane McMinn, Brad McWhirter, Micah Stowe, Chuck Wilson, Phillip Cowart, Chad Guetersloh, Chad Wall, Anthony Day, Nieves Garcia and Lance Morrow.

Overall, the Plains team placed fifth of the 27 schools competing in classes A to 5A. It was the first meet for the team. Coaches are Richie Cullins, number sense; Mackey McWhirter, science and Larry Devitt, calculator.

Next meet was Saturday in Andrews. Last year Plains students won the sweepstakes trophy at Andrews.

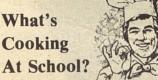
In calculator competition, Guetersloh was first and Cowart tenth in the sophomore division; Stowe first and McMinn second in Junior competition. Plains won second place in the competition.

Competing in mathematics, Morrow was second and Day third in freshman division; Guetersloh first in sophomore division; McMinn first, Flores fifth and Stowe ninth in junior division. Plains placed third in the math competition.

Science competition found Guetersloh eighth in sophomore and Harris third in senior division. Plains placed fourth in the competition.

division; McMinn seventh and

McWhirter ninth in junior division



BREAKFAST TUESDAY - Donut, apple juice

and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Cinnamon toast, orange juice and milk. THURSDAY - Pancake, syrup,

butter, tomato juice and milk.

FRIDAY - Cornflakes, raisins, pineapple juice and milk. LUNCH

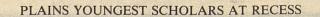
TUESDAY - Pizza, corn & peas, tossed salad, crackers, apple cobbler and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Hamburgers, lettuce/pickles/onion rings, potato chips, fruit, coconut cookies and milk.

THURSDAY - Tuna casserole, okra, cabbage, carrot/raisin salad, hot rolls, pears and milk.

FRIDAY - Roast, gravy, squash, mashed potatoes, hot rolls, cherry Jell-O and milk.

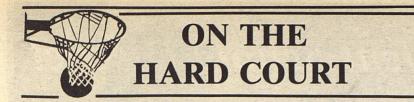




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#### VARSITY GIRLS

Varsity Cowgirls tromped the O'Donnell Lady Eagles 86-53 Friday. High scorers were Juhree Stowe, 16, Lydia Jimenez and Eve Flores, 10 each.

The Cowgirls opened the second half of district play Tuesday evening by hosting Wellman. Lydia scored 18 and Alice Rios 10 in the Cowgirls' 66-41 victory. District standings for the Cowgirls is 3-2.

#### JUNIOR VARSITY

Marsha Farnham and Heather McGill scored 5 points each in the Junior Varsity Girls 18-44 loss Friday against O'Donnell.

#### JUNIOR HIGH GIRLS

Seventh Grade Girls beat Tahoka 34-14 in a game played Monday in Tahoka. Leading the scoring for Plains were Rena McElroy and Daphne Lowe, 8 each and Ashlee Winn, 7.

Plains Eighth Grade Girls handed Tahoka's Eighth Grade team a 33-15 loss Monday. Melissa Green and Michelle Lowe scored 10 each in the victory. A pre-entrance exam for South Plains College's vocational nursing program will be given Feb. 25.

**Nursing Exam** 

To Be Feb. 25

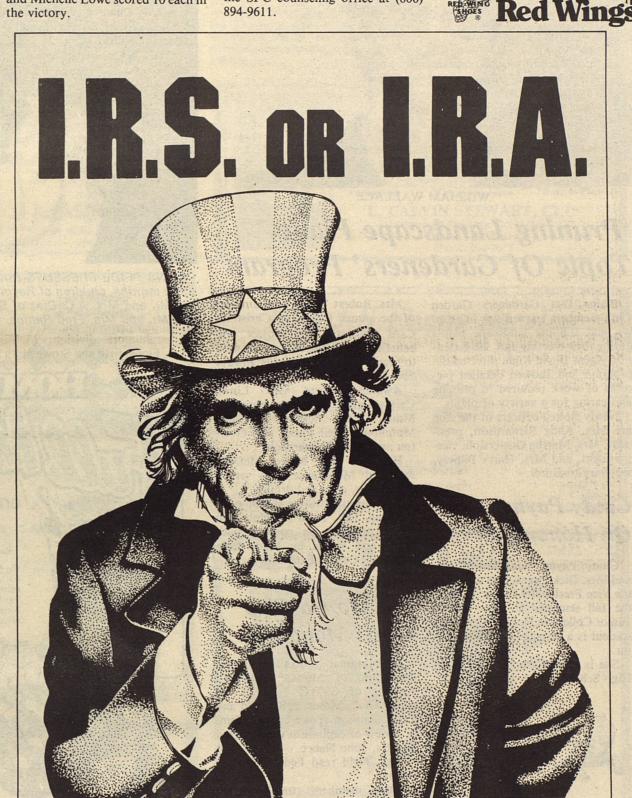
Exam time is 9 a.m. in the SPC Student Assistance Center, on the third floor of the library.

An additional exam will be given April 1.

Persons completing the 12-month program will receive a certificate of proficiency and be eligible to take the state exam to practice as a licensed vocational nurse in Texas, according to Pinny Jacquez, counselor.

For more information, contact the SPC counseling office at (806) 894-9611.





INTS FOR OMEOWNERS

#### **Decorating The Bathroom**

Bright colors...bold colors for wall design...attractive fixtures-—with today's new looks in home decorating, you no longer need to settle for a drab, unattractive bathroom.

Indirect lighting fixtures spread brightness over an entire bathroom. White walls aid in overall lighting to make the bath bright enough for grooming. Twin lighting fixtures near the mirror and indirect or ceiling lights are a must for convenience.

The right kind of storage space can make using your bathroom easier. Built-in units keep glasses, paper towels and toothbrushes regimented and off the lavatory.

Easy-care flooring is important in making a bathroom look good. Cotton carpeting can be taken up easily for laundering. Hard-surface floorings are still carefree, easy upkeep favorites.

A decorator's favorite for giving bathrooms a truly elegant look at an affordable price are the new stylish designer's faucets. The new faucets from NIBCO INC., for instance, come in antique bronze with a smoked acrylic handle and polished brass with a crystal-clear acrylic handle and are available at up to 30 percent less than the decorator lines of other major faucet makers.

This year's line is washerless and features a corrosion-resistant underbody of a plastic called CPVC, as well as a "puttyless" putty plate that not only improves the appearance of the faucets but also conforms well to irregular sink top surfaces for a water-tight seal.



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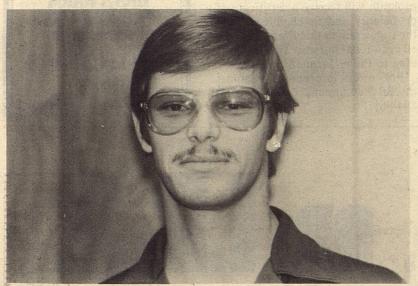
# Allsup's Training Course Is Completed By Wallace

William Wallace has successfully completed Allsup's Assistant Manager Training course held at the company's home office in Clovis, N.M. The three day course included instruction in customer relations, company policies, operational procedures and management skills.

The entire training program

represents an effort by Allsup's to provide better service to our customers and prepare Assistant Managers for a rewarding career in the convenience store industry.

Wallace returns to the Allsup's store located at 1219 Brownfield Rd. in Plains.



WILLIAM WALLACE

# *'Pruning Landscape Plants' Topic Of Gardeners' Program*

Plains Dirt Gardeners Garden Club members learned tips in pruning and training landscape plants during their meeting Jan. 20. Extension Agent David Kight directed the program and showed detailed pictures of work required in pruning and caring for a variety of plants.

Newly elected officers of the club are Mrs. Andy Richardson, president; Mrs. Martha Guetersloh, vicepresident, and Mrs. Harry Bilbrey, secretary-treasurer.

### Cindy Payne On Honor Roll

Cindy Payne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Payne, was named to the Vice President's Honor Roll for the fall semester at New Mexico Junior College in Hobbs. The honor student is a physical education major.

She is a 1984 graduate of Plains High School.



Ma and May Deven D. 11

Mrs. Robert Young gave a report of the annual Operation Christmas Card project. The project will benefit Plains Cemetery and be used to beautify the triangle of Highways 214, 82 and 380.

Attending were Mrs. Linda Carey, a guest, and other members, Mmes. H.G. McDonnell, Glenn Morehouse, Neil Parks, Bill Overton and Harry Richardson.

Hostesses were Mmes. McDonnell and Morehouse who served dips, chips, cake and drinks.

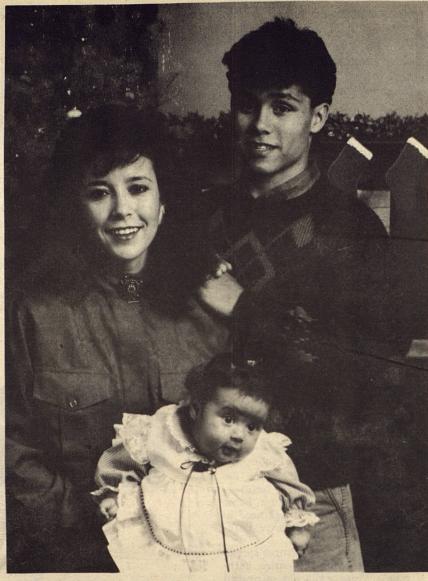
Next meeting will be at 2:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 16 in the clubroom for a program on cooking with herbs and spices by Mary Dale Williams, County Extension Agent.

## Tsa Mo Ga Club Meets Monday

International Understanding was the topic of Monday evening's meeting of GFWC Tsa Mo Ga Study Club. Mmes. R.K. Field and Leon Simpson spoke on socialism. A review of capitalism was directed by Mrs. John Nance.

Mrs. Field read Federated Club letters.

Other members attending were Charlotte Palmer, Peggy Squyres, Sit Jones, Connie McWhirter, Virginia Sanders, Martha Palmer, Bonnie Earnest, Ottie Morehouse, Ann McGinty, Elouis StRomain, Barbara Brown, Sarah Field, Mattie Field, Reta Nance, Carolyn Culwell, Mary Jo StRomain, Dolores Davis, Kathy Jones, Zareta Winn and Sandra Crawford. Economics will be the topic of the next meeting, Monday, Feb. 9 at 7 p.m. in the clubhouse.



PLAINS PRIDE PRESENTS Ruth Ann, 17, Michael, 16 and Marlie, three months, children of Raymond and Margie Diaz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Diaz of Big Spring; Marida Diaz of Lubbock; and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ramos.



Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bagwell would like to announce the arrival of a son born Jan. 18 in Lubbock General Hospital. The little lad has been named Aaron Joseph. He weighed five pounds six ounces and measured 19 and three-quarters inches. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ivie of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bagwell. Mr. and Mrs. Ivie of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. Manning of Olney are his greatgrandparents.



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NOTICE TO BIDDERS THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF YOAKUM

Notice is hereby given that the Com-missioners' Court of Yoakum County will sell to the highest bidder a 1981 Chevrolet Malibu station-wagon.

Information on the station-wagon may be obtained from County Judge Dallas Brewer at the Courthouse in Plains. Bids will be received until 10:00 A.M.

on February 16, 1987. Sealed bids should be marked on the outside of the envelope and mailed or delivered to the County Judge's Office, P.O. Box 456, Plains, Texas 79355.

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

Hazel Lowrey, County Auditor Published February 3 & 10, 1987

#### FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 3 BR house on 2 choice lots and small mobile home. Good price and owner financed to right buyer. Call 456-2989 or (915) 292-4416 after 6 p.m. 41/tfc-3tpd

FOR SALE: Three Bedroom House located at 301 Ave B - PRICE DRASTICALLY REDUCED FOR QUICK SALE! New paint, new fence, some new carpet, new wall heater. \$14,500. Call 503-392-4885 or 456-3600. 44/4tc

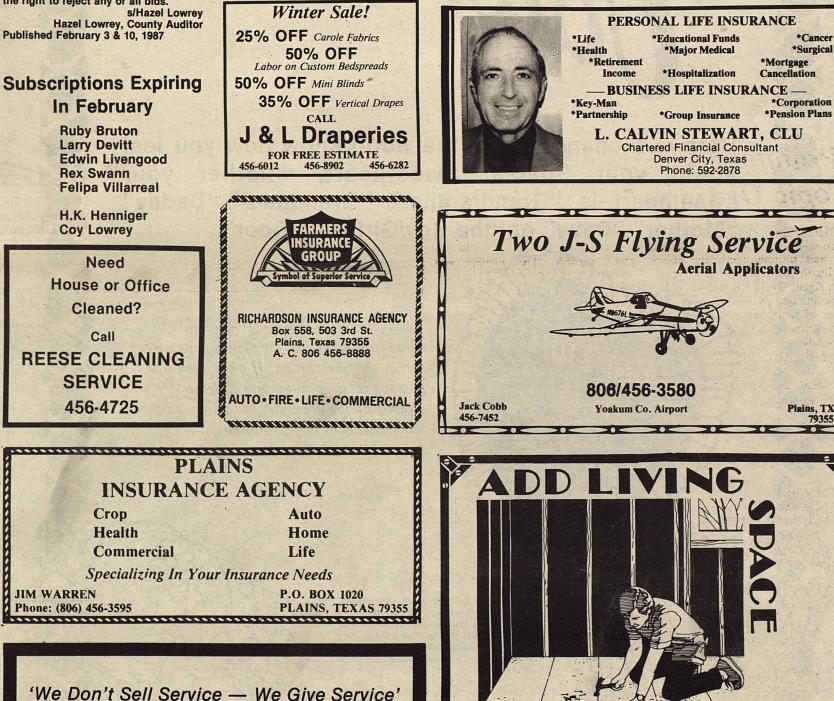
# **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Poka-Lambro Rural Telephone Cooperative hereby gives notice it has filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas for authority to detariff all customer premises equipment and all premises wiring. These services include all telephones, jacks and the wire that connects the jacks to the protector, which is usually located on the outside wall of your business or residence. The changes are proposed to become effec-tive 35 days after filing, which will be ap-proximately January 20, 1987. These changes will eventually affect all of the approximately 3,284 customers of the Cooperative.

The result of the changes proposed will be that the Public Utility Commission will no longer set rates or other regulations for telephone leases and wiring installation and repairs. The rates and regulations for local exchange service will not be affected by the tariffs being proposed.

The proposed tariff changes will not cause any immediate change in revenues. Persons with questions or who desire more information about the requested rate changes are encouraged to contact the Cooperative at (806) 924-7234 or at P.O. Box 1340, Tahoka, TX 79373. A complete copy of the filing is available at the offices of the Cooperative.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to in-tervene, participate or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, TX 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223, (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.



#### **In February**

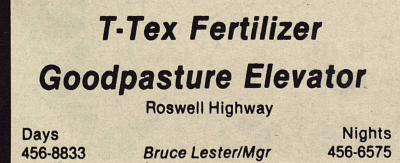
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